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## "Uncle Paul" to Step Down as Dean

By Suzanne Corbett, PhD.

Dr. Paul B. Robertson, Dean of the University of Washington School of Dentistry since 1992 and one of the most respected dental leaders in the country, has announced that he will step down as Dean as soon as a successor is recruited but no later than June 30, 2001.

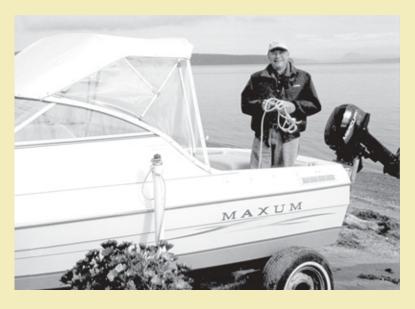
Dr. Robertson's insight into dental education and professional issues made him a statesman among deans and other professional leaders — both in dentistry and on the campus. Upon hearing the announcement, Arthur A. Dugoni, Dean of the University of the Pacific Dental School and graduate of the UW Orthodontics program, wrote to Dean Robertson, "President McCormick will have a difficult job finding someone with your talent, dedication, know-how, and skill. You have taken the University of Washington [School of Dentistry] to a very high level of distinctiveness and excellence . . . . Thank you for making me proud of the UW."

Renowned for his great wit and sense of humor, Dr. Robertson has been able to accomplish many things others could not, and his great compassion for others led him to treat faculty, staff, and students with respect and understanding. He enlivened many a dull meeting with amusing diversions, making it impossible to be too serious around him for very long.

As Dean, he has had great appreciation for the University of Washington School of Dentistry. "I am grateful to the superb faculty of our school and to our dedicated staff and exceptional students for the privilege of serving as dean," Robertson said. His ever-positive attitude has contributed to the greater recognition of the School nationally and the greater respect for the School by UW administrators. Dominick P. DePaola, President of

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Dean Paul B. Robertson looks forward to spending more time on his boat and at Camano Island



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## Upcoming Events

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Dental Alumni Golf Tournament

Washington National Golf Course Auburn, WA

Friday, September 29, 2000

Tee Time: 8 am

#### 50th Anniversary Celebration, Open House, & Mentor Event

UW School of Dentistry D165 Simulation Laboratory Clinic Friday, November 3, 2000 6 pm – 8:30 pm

#### Dental Alumni Football Homecoming and Brunch

UW vs. Arizona

HUB Student Activities Center, East Ballroom Saturday, November 4, 2000 10 am – 12 noon Brunch 12:30 pm Game

#### School of Dentistry Holiday Party

Hosted by Dean and Mrs. Paul B. Robertson Edmond Meany Hotel Ballroom 4507 Brooklyn Ave. NE (U District) Seattle, WA Wednesday, December 13, 2000 6:30 pm – 9:00 pm

#### **Ernest Jones Memorial Lecture**

Speaker – Dr. John Molinari Hogness Auditorium/UW Friday, March 23, 2001 9 am – 12 noon, 1:30 pm – 4:30 pm

#### Dental Alumni All-Classes Reunion Supper/Distinguished Alumnus Program

(evening of Ernest Jones Lecture) Columbia Tower Club Friday, March 23, 2001 6:30 pm – 9:00 pm A first time hello to all of you as I rise to the call and have the honor of leading the UW Dental Alumni Association during the next year. This is my 20<sup>th</sup> year as a member and it seems good to look back as I help coordinate the activities for the next year.

Can you believe Y2K is already half over?!! Did anyone's computer lock up? My computer won't accept 2000 dates in my check register for reports so I guess I don't have to balance my check book this year. Anyway, like many of you I gave all my money to the D1 pledge drive so who cares. Except for investments in Microsoft, things in the Northwest seem to be going well. The UW Dental School has graduated its 51st class, accepted a new class (class of 2004) of 55 great future dentists and is looking forward to a high pass rate for its recent graduates in the June Boards.

As I alluded to above, you as a group have been very generous in supporting the 50th Anniversary D1 Pledge Drive over the past 4 years. The official solicitation ended in June and at the time of drafting this message the amount pledged was over \$900,000 and I am confident our \$1 million dollar goal will be reached in the final tabulation. Seventeen classes have already reached their goal of donating \$20,000/per class and will have a special gold plate placed on a simulator unit honoring each class that reached their goal. Eight additional classes are about to reach their goal and probably will by the end of the campaign. A "Gala Celebration" is planned for Friday, November 3, 2000 in the D1 Lab to celebrate the success of the campaign. It will be an alumni weekend with the dental alumni football homecoming game being held the next day against Arizona on Saturday, November 4, 2000. Mark your calendars now to join in the celebration.

The gratitude of the students, especially those who went through the major transition, has been expressed every opportunity that they get. The Alumni Board would also like to add our thanks for your support. I especially would like to point to the great efforts made by pledge drive chair Dr. David Minahan, the rest of the committee, and the dedicated staff in the Alumni Services Office at the UW. I hope that you take the time to thank them and each other and plan on attending the celebration on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of November.

On a more somber note, we have to face the fact that a special era is coming to a close as we prepare for the retirement of

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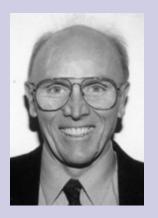
Dean Paul Robertson. He has shared his time and talents with us for nine years (it passed so quickly) and we have been fortunate to have been the recipient of his efforts. Everyone from students, faculty, staff, alumni, and the alumni president will feel a sense of personal loss when he steps down because of the unique way he participated in our lives as he directed his priorities. It's difficult to put into words all that he did to guide the University of Washington Dental School to its current state of excellence. Many more tributes will be forthcoming as he completes his final year as Dean. The University President has chosen a search committee to select a new dean by June, 2001.

Finally, the "Update in Periodontics" Lecture in March at the Ernest M. Jones Memorial Lecture was attended by more than 450 people as the department presented great information and repartee'.

Selection of new officers took place at the Alumni Business meeting on the same day and was attended by 125 people. Congratulations to Mark Grace as the new President Elect, Mel Wilenzick as the Secretary, and Don Lederman continuing on as the Treasurer. It will be a pleasure to serve with each one of you.

Check the upcoming calendar of events and make your plans to support the Alumni events. Have a great summer and write one more check!

## 2000-01 Dental Alumni Association Officers



#### PRESIDENT: ROSS M. FRAKER

Class of 1980; Dr. Fraker left a position as a math professor in Utah to attend the UW School of Dentistry. After practicing in the University District for three years, he moved to the north Green Lake area in 1983, where he practices today. He continues to be active in both local- and state-level committees and also serves on the Seattle-King County Executive Council and as a Delegate to the Washington State Dental Association. His daughter, Dr. Sarah Fraker (Class of 1998), joined his practice part-time after completing her General Practice Residency at the UW.



#### PRESIDENT-ELECT: MARK R. GRACE

Class of 1994; general practice in downtown Seattle; active member Seattle-King County Dental Society and the Washington State Dental Association; part-time faculty, University of Washington School of Dentistry.



#### SECRETARY: MELVIN L. WILENZICK

Class of 1966; general practice in Bellevue; member of Seattle-King County Dental Society and the Washington State Dental Association; has participated in member activity for various Seattle-King County Dental Society committees; has enjoyed long time study club participation and has helped in the Children's Health Clinic for the King County Department of Health.



#### TREASURER: DONALD N. LEDERMAN

Class of 1961; Board Treasurer 1991-current; class representative since 1988; started general practice in Bellevue in 1963; member and past chair of the Overlake Dental Seminar; member of the Seattle-King County Dental Society and the Washington State Dental Association since 1963. Dr. Lederman is a valued advisor to the UW Office of Dental Alumni Services.

As is noted elsewhere in this volume, I have discussed with President Richard McCormick my decision to retire as Dean when a successor can be recruited, but no later than June 30, 2001. I also expressed my excitement about rejoining the faculty in Periodontics and concentrating teaching and research, as well as some new ventures put off while I was Dean. I told him that I was grateful for the privilege of serving as Dean of the School of Dentistry at the University of Washington. I said that I was most proud of the accomplishments made by a superb faculty, a dedicated staff and exceptional students during my tenure. As well, I noted that this marvelous experience was enabled from the first day I arrived by the unwavering support of alumni and the professional community in its broadest context.

President McCormick reaffirmed his strong support for the UW School of Dentistry and for the great credit this nationally respected School brings to the University of Washington as a whole. The President has initiated the search process, which should be well underway as this issue of Alumni News is published.

Accordingly, it will come as no surprise that I am cleaning out my desk. In doing so, I came upon three drawers of interest. The first drawer contains strategic plans, editorials and unsolicited opinions about how dental education must and must not be organized. The second is filled with a variety of theological doctrines about how curriculum must be structured. The third houses the swinging pendulum of not enough but too many dental students that must be included in the entering class. As I emptied each drawer, I reflected on why the UW School of Dentistry not only survived this stormy whitewater but continues to flourish. I concluded that we have a wonderful combination of core values and sense of purpose; exceptional faculty, staff and students; and strong relationships with the professional community.

The strategic plans drawer overflows with fat reports from committees, **D**/commissions, institutes, associations, task-forces and other visionary groups that offer to change the past, prevent the future, or some combination of the two. There is also a series of related editorials, ranging from the likes of Doubting Dick McCoy in Operative Dentistry o Anachronistic Al Munk in the Seattle-King County Dental Journal. The largest files include the Institute of Medicine and PEW Health Commission recommendations, the community response to which cycled from biblical acceptance to angry denial. Some set about prioritizing the recommendations to facilitate imposition of the new national order on dental schools. Others considered resolutions to prevent dental schools from discussing, much less complying with such heresy. Given a clear mission, a shared sense of purpose and a tradition of excellence, we sailed through it all. More importantly, we were comfortable in choosing among those recommendations based on what was best for us as a school and practicing profession.

The curriculum drawer is divided into many articles of faith on delivery of dental training. Each had a lifetime of about 3 years and all were authored by internationally acclaimed abbots of the prevailing educational sect, few of whom we have heard from since. My drawer

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contains curricular fashions that are vertical, parallel, standardized, comprehensive, behavioral, objective, self-directed, outcomes-based, evidence-based, and problem-solving, among many others. These doctrines share the absence of much controlled or dispassionate evidence that they produce better dental professionals than previous approaches, as well as the clear message that failing to embrace this or that curriculum leads to damnation, at least until the next true curriculum arises. Dedicated faculty committed to excellence and a superb student body who hold nationally recognized records of distinction are the only answers here. Under such conditions, we are able to select curricular approaches that best fit UW's time, place, needs and future directions rather than someone else's.

My last drawer has only three files. File one is from the pre-1980's, when I did not produce enough dentists, and thus was irresponsible, short-sighted and a moderate scoundrel. File two is from the late 80's and early 90's when I produced too many dentists, and thus was reprehensible, totally blind and the devil incarnate. The most recent file predicts a growing shortage of dentists over the next decade! Traversing these rapids requires a strong, trusting relationship between the School and professional community, particularly organized dentistry. Such a relationship is one of the unique strengths of UW. The Washington State Dental Association and the School have been discussing approaches to the predicted shortage of dental professions for some time. We have made some adjustments on the Seattle campus and are exploring innovative new directions in other parts of the State and Pacific Northwest Region.

I thank all of you for the honor of serving as Dean. In other parts of the country, the things in these drawers were all but insurmountable problems. For us, they were interesting challenges that led to positive outcomes. It has been a pleasure, with only an occasional bump, throughout this extraordinary time. I have one year left as Dean but many more as a member of this outstanding faculty. Moreover, I have six remaining drawers to empty.

## Ernest M. Jones Lecture features Periodontics

The 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Ernest M. Jones Memorial Lectureship was held on Friday, March 24, 2000. "Topical Issues in Clinical Periodontics," was presented by five UW Periodontics Department Faculty. Dr. Bobby Butler, Dr. Robert H. Johnson, Dr. Robert O'Neal, Dr. Rutger Persson, and Dr. Roy Page presented an excellent program that was well received by the near capacity crowd in Hogness Auditorium at the UW School of Dentistry.

This year's lecture drew 450 dental alumni, dentists and dental coprofessionals. Dr. Dexter Barnes (Class of 1969) was chair of the event again this year. Dean Paul Robertson welcomed the audience and offered opening remarks to the topics of the day. In conjunction with the lecture, 125 alumni attended the Annual Dental Alumni Association business meeting luncheon held in the Don James Center at Husky Stadium. Dean Paul B. Robertson gave a "State of the School" address and the incoming officers for the 2000-2001 year were officially approved as: President: Ross Fraker (class of 1980), President-Elect: Mark Grace (class of 1994), Secretary: Mel Wilenzick (class of 1966), and Treasurer: Don Lederman (class of 1961). They will begin their terms of office on July 1, 2000.

Next year's lecture is scheduled for Friday, March 23, 200l. Dr. John Molinari will be the speaker. Be sure to mark your calendar!



Dr. Neil Bergstrom (class of '73) receives registration materials at lecture.



Alumni President Dr. Carrie York (class of '91) welcomes the audience to the business meeting luncheon.



Back row left to right: Dr. Dexter Barnes, Dr. Carrie York, Dean Paul Robertson. Front row left to right: Dr. G. Rutger Persson, Dr. Roy Page, Dr. Robert H. Johnson, and Dr. Robert O'Neal. Speaker not pictured: Dr. Bobby Butler.



Left to right: Speaker Dr. Bobby Butler, Dr. Dexter Barnes, and Dean Paul Robertson.



Alumni enjoy the business meeting luncheon at the lectureship.



Dr. Ethan Janson (class of '98) talks to speaker, Dr. Robert H. Johnson during a lecture break.

## 2nd Annual Dental Alumni Golf Tournament

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2000

Washington National Golf Course 33101 148th Ave. SE Auburn, Washington

### 4 PERSON SCRAMBLE FORMAT, SHOTGUN START

TEE TIME: 8 AM

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COST IS \$155 PER PERSON (4 PEOPLE PER TEAM)

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL: \$140 PER PERSON IF PAID BY 8/15/00

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\* To be eligible for the class (team) competition, all four members of the team must be Alumni of the UW School of Dentistry and be from the same graduation year.

LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE. SIGN UP YOUR TEAMS EARLY.

For more information, please call the UW Dental Alumni Office at (206) 543-7297.

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## 2000 Dental Alumni All-Classes Reunion Dinner

### Roy C. Page Honored as 2000 Distinguished Alumnus

The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual UW Dental Alumni All-Classes Reunion was held at the Columbia Tower Club on Friday, March 24, 2000. The event began a new tradition for the All-Classes Reunion by the event being held on the evening of the Ernie Jones Memorial Lecture. In the past, it has been held during the Pacific Northwest Dental Conference in July. The event was also a change from the past by a less formal supper, where guests were able to move around the room and socialize more while they enjoyed the delicious menu selections. Prior to this year it had been a served dinner. The Alumni Board wanted to start a few new traditions with the event to add to the excitement of the evening.

Dr. Roy C. Page, Periodontics 1963, received the 2000 Distinguished Alumnus Award. He was joined on this special occasion by his wife Patricia and many friends from far and near. Dr. Page is greatly respected nationally and internationally for all of his contributions to the dental profession. He remarked that he has received many awards from all over the world, but this award is one of the most precious to him.

Dr. Burns Guthrie (class of 1958) was chair of the event. He has served the Alumni Board for many years in this capacity and is greatly appreciated for all of his efforts. Dr. Carrie York (class of 1991) was mistress of ceremonies as the current President of the UW Dental Alumni Association. She was presented with a thank you plaque by immediate past president, Dr. Patrick Fleege (class of 1970), for all of her excellent past leadership this year. She will complete her term as President in June. Dr. Sue Corbett, Executive Director of Dentistry Development and Alumni Services, shared with the group an update on the Alumni Anniversary Pledge Drive. The drive has raised more than \$900,000 and seventeen classes have surpassed the goal of raising \$20,000/per class. Dean Paul Robertson talked to the group about how well the UW is doing and he thanked the Alumni for all of their efforts in making the new student simulation clinic a reality.

The next UW Dental Alumni All-Classes Reunion will be held at the Columbia Tower Club on Friday, March 23, 2001. Mark your calendars now to join us!



Patricia Page and Dr. Roy Page (2000 Distinguished Alumnus).



Dr. Burns Guthrie presenting the 2000 Distinguished Alumnus Award to Dr. Roy Page.



Vicky Compaan, Kay Guthrie, and MaryAnn Barnes enjoy a moment together.



Three past distinguished alumni, Dr. Dexter Barnes, Dr. Donald Compaan, and Dr. Ronald Morse enjoy the tribute to Dr. Roy Page.



Emelia O'Neal, Dr. Robert O'Neal, and Dr. James Steiner enjoy the evening together.



Dr. Max Anderson (Washington Dental Service) talks to Dr. Burns Guthrie ('58).



Drs. Rigmor and Rutger Persson at the Reunion Supper.



Dr. David Myaskovsky and son Michael enjoy the event as a family.



Dr. John Davis (1997 Distinguished Alumnus) socializes with Dr. Kyoko Awamura and Dr. Tom Morton.

# **Alumni Profile:**Jeffrey L. Parrish, DDS ('79)

#### By Jack W. Spirakes

Dr. Jeff Parrish is a man determined to help create a better world, a world in which health, compassion, efficiency, and justice are cornerstones of our society. As the President-elect to the Washington State Dental Association (WSDA), Dr. Parrish has his eyes set on creating political change at the local, county and state levels. He envisions having every elected government official know at least two or three dentists on a personal basis — either through their respective campaign committees or as a result of strong support from local dental communities.

A natural leader since he was a teenager growing up in La Canada, California, Dr. Parrish first thought about becoming a dentist while in high school. It was then that he began wearing orthodontia and considered the possibility of studying dentistry. That dream was to be postponed, however, as Dr. Parrish found himself appointed to the United States Air Force Academy to be trained as a pilot. His assignments included Europe, the East Coast, the Caribbean, and South America.

After spending five years on active duty and having his first child with wife, Jo-Ann, Dr. Parrish entered the UW School of Dentistry. He recalls with mixed feelings how some faculty members attempted to motivate/intimidate him from time to time. According to Dr. Parrish, however, "I had already been through basic training at the Air Force Academy; I'd been harassed by the best."

In 1979 he graduated with a DDS and served for one year as an associate dentist to Dr. Michael Ostrom's practice on Capitol Hill. During this time, Dr. Parrish also built his own office on the Sammamish Pine Lake Plateau. Dr. Parrish remembers the plateau as "the sticks" in those days. Three years later, he and his wife had their second daughter. These early years were busy for him, as he devoted himself to raising a family and developing his new practice.

In the early to mid-1980s, Dr. Parrish became involved with transportation issues and politics in the city of Redmond. He sat on the Redmond Planning Committee and numerous task forces, where he quickly learned the ins and outs of turning good and bad ideas into laws. One of his first battles was to fluoridate the water supply on the Sammamish plateau. While the ballot measure lost (by a narrow margin), the experience created a groundswell of interest in organized dentistry for Dr. Parrish.

In the late 1980s, Dr. Parrish was elected to the Executive Council of the Seattle/King County Dental Society. After serving two terms he ran for Vice President of the Council with the promise that, if elected, he would eliminate the office as a means to increase organizational efficiency. As Vice President, Dr. Parrish helped to change the bylaws and, as promised, the office of Vice President became a thing of the past.



Feb, 2000 Medical-Dental team of 26 working in slums of Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic extracting teeth and placing sealants. Dr. Parrish working with future dental student, Ryan Duvall.



Dr. Jeff Parrish and his wife Jo Ann.

Dr. Parrish then turned his sights to the WSDA. After working on behalf of the Seattle/King County Dental Society for several years, Dr. Parrish became a delegate to the WSDA House of Delegates and sat on the Executive Council for two terms. He then ran for and was elected WSDA Secretary/Treasurer. He continued to climb the ranks of the organization, as he was elected Vice President and, most recently, President.

What are Dr. Parrish's priorities as President of the WSDA? In keeping with his long-standing commitment to increasing organizational efficiency and effectiveness, one of his chief goals is to get better feedback from the membership to assess customer satisfaction and identify areas for improvement. To this end, Dr. Parrish plans to travel around the State of Washington to ask the question, "Are you getting your money's worth?" In short, he wants to increase the value of the services provided to members of the WSDA.

He also wants dentists to defend the dental profession more actively. According to Dr. Parrish, the main threat to the profession stems from non-scientists trying to implement health policies. His concern is that dental practitioners will be at the mercy of lawmakers and bureaucrats who know little if anything about the substances they seek to regulate. Although Dr. Parrish thoroughly disapproves of tobacco use, he points to the industry's experience with government officials trying to manage every aspect of tobacco. His fear is that the same method of implementing regulations might be applied to dentistry and the use of amalgam. As a response to this potential threat, he would like to convince dentists throughout the state to become even more involved in politics than they may be presently. Dr. Parrish would like dentists to be prepared to travel to Olympia, for example, to help protect the dental profession from undue regulation or micromanagement.

One thing that dentists can do immediately, according to Dr.



Left to right-Daughter Jana, wife JoAnn, Dr. Jeff Parrish, God-daughter Megan Stone, and daughter Jobi celebrating all three daughters' birthdays.



Dr. Parrish celebrates 54th birthday with wife Jo Ann.

Parrish, is to become a member of the WSDA's grassroots program to organize around key issues under consideration in Olympia. He suggests people call David Hemion at the WSDA office (206) 448-1914 and ask that they be placed on the Leadership Update fax list so that they can be notified as to when to help inundate Olympia with phone calls, email, and faxes. This grassroots program, an integral part of Dr. Parrish's vision to foster closer ties between dentists and the state legislature, is the counterpart to a similar but national effort sponsored by the American Dental Association (ADA).

If history is an indicator of things to come, the WSDA and the dental profession are indeed in capable hands.

## School of Dentistry Hosts Talent Show

When Nicole Serra ('01) and Michelle Kobayashi ('01) thought about organizing an event that would allow students, faculty, the administration and staff to mix and mingle, they had no idea it would develop into a showcase extravaganza! What started out as an idea for a talent show in January of this year turned out to be a very memorable night for all who attended some three months later on April 29. The UW School of Dentistry Talent Show 2000 featured 13 acts and included the participation of over 200 people from all areas of the School. Those who watched were treated to a cornucopia of song, dance, and even stand-up comedy.

Nicole and Michelle's first task was to assess the level of interest in such an event. The response was slow initially, as many people voiced hesitation at displaying their creativity. Determined to expose hidden talents, Nicole and Michelle continued to seek out and solicit support — both within and outside the School. Their efforts paid off in corporate sponsorships totaling \$1,000. Coupled with the tickets that were sold for the talent show, the event netted \$1,200. The Student Council is still deciding what to do with the windfall but is considering a variety of scholarships to help dental students cope with the high cost of their education.

For many, the highlight of the show was the finale: a hula dance performed by 12 students representing all four classes. Gloria Pascual, Secretary Supervisor in the Department of Endodontics, choreographed the dance in record time. She and her husband, both of whom had taught hula in Hawaii for a number of years before moving to Seattle, taught the students how to dance in just two-and-a-half weeks. According to Nicole, "Gloria was our life saver." After only seven lessons, the students found themselves performing for an audience for the first time! Coupled with their excellent instruction was the fact that four students in the group were actually from Hawaii, including Nicole, which provided further encouragement for everyone to learn the steps.

Visual arts also played an important role in the night's festivities, as works ranging from photography and painting to toy-making were on display. Congratulations to all who participated and were brave enough to demonstrate their talents. You made the school proud! Many hope the event will become an annual tradition at the School. As Nicole and Michelle have one more year before graduating, the talent show will certainly take place again next spring. Watch for it and be a part of the action!



Performing the hula at the Talent Show were Stuart Ayling, Lina Cha, Brad Ching, Ed Dolan, Eve Erickson, Danilee Gibbs, Marcus Hannah, Mohamed Karawi, Michelle Kobayashi, Dat Nguyen, Nicole Serra, and Vanessa Wicklund.



Mel Agan '01 showed that her hands can work wonders on canvas too



Caroline Herron '03, Jeff Lingenbrink '03 and Teresa Vong '03 selling T-shirts as a fund-raiser for the 1st year class.



J. Martin Anderson '65 (Restorative) displayed his toy making talents.



Dr. Damir Jurkovic (Oral Medicine) and his sons performed Balkan Music to the delight of the crowd.



Nicole Serra '01 and Trent Veltkamp '03 sang their way into people's hearts with All I Ask of You.



Cassie Caldier, Michelle Caldier '01's daughter, was the real star of the evening.



Tar-Chee Aw (Restorative) performed his rendition of Tit-Willow.



Edgar Mesina (Oral Medicine) created a cozy mood to Be My Lady.



Jennifer Emerson '02 wowed the crowd with her performance of Sonate(Pathertique)Op.l3.



Venn Peterson '00 displayed his wit, creativity, and musical talents as he performed Dental School Blues.



Char Bell-Younger (Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery) tapped the night away to Blues in the Night.



Jeff Abolofia '75 (Restorative) strummed the audience along an Embryonic Journey.



Ken Mcnabb '01 and Matt Miller '01 were the emcee and stage manager, respectively.

Sophia Ding and Jack Spirakes (Dentistry Development & Alumni Services) hit the high notes with Un Bel di Vedremo.



Dr. Carrie York, UW Dental Alumni President, presents the UW Dental Alumni Scholarship Awards. Front left to right: Stacey Kutsch, Trena Carpenter, Michael Archuleta, Johanna Vaughey, Dr. Carrie York (Alumni President), Dr. Xavier Lepe. Back left to right: Philip Jones, Jason Bourne, Mandy Lam, Jennifer Griffith, Brian Sakamoto, Ryan Wynne. Not pictured: Fred Dahm, Darren Rodabough.



Nicole Porter, Eric Vetter('00), Reza Nabaie('00), and Pooya Darab('00) enjoy socializing at the Honors and Awards Reception.



Dr. Burt Goodman ('53), David Bunkall ('03), and Dr. Don Compaan ('54) socialize at the Honors and Awards Reception. David was one of the recipients of the WDS Foundation Burton H. Goodman Scholarships.



Class of 2000 President Erik Feider receives the WSDA Student Award from WSDA President Dr. Mary Krempasky Smith.

### Student Awards

#### Dental Student Honors and Awards 2000

Congratulations go to the following dental students who received awards and scholarships at the annual Honors and Awards Assembly held on Friday, June 2, 2000, in Hogness Auditorium at the UW School of Dentistry.

#### Charles V. Callihan Memorial Scholarship

Carl Christiansen Eve Erickson Nicole Serra Nathan Russell

#### Randy Carr Memorial Scholarship

George Carr

#### John D. Guthrie Memorial Scholarship

Philip Jones Stacey Kutsch Katherine McKinney

#### F. Lloyd Jacobson Memorial Scholarship

Brian Sakamoto

#### Earl C. Maston Scholarship for Excellence in Pre-Clinical Operative Dentistry

Darren Rodabough

#### Kirby and Erna Speyer Memorial Scholarship

Adriatik Rama Megan Waldher-Miller Andy Werner

#### Alice Knowles Duff Scholarship

Vanessa Wicklund Ben and Betty Zukor Corey Plaster

#### Washington State Dental Hygienists' Association

Linda Athanas, R.D.H. Trevi Eichelberger, R.D.H.

#### Karl-Åke Omnell Scholarship

Michael Archuletta Jessica Baird



Megan Waldher-Miller (\*02), Andy Werner (\*02), Leonard Speyer, and Adriatik Rama (\*03) have the opportunity to meet before the Honors and Awards Program. All three students received the Kirby and Erna Speyer Memorial Scholarship.

Allison Kutz

Mary Wong

Ronald G. Fitzer Memorial

Tracy Stauffer

#### Washington Dental Service Foundation Burton H. Goodman Scholarship

Tatiyana Andreeva David Bunkall Moffett Burgess Trena Carpenter Michael George Jess Haymore Michelle Kobayashi Brian Thornton David Weller Ryan West Dorothy Wojtkowski

#### Psi Omega Scholarship

Robert Andelin Lindsay Bingham Ronald Hsu Alex Kang Monica King Jane Prebilsky Dale Woodnutt

#### **Predoctoral Scholarship**

Jessica Baird Moffett Burgess Isaac Fu Adriatik Rama

#### Dental Alumni Association Scholarship

Jason Bourne
Trena Carpenter
Fred Dahm
Jennifer Griffith
Philip Jones
Stacey Kutsch
Mandy Lam
Darren Rodabough
Brian Sakamoto
Joanna Vaughey
Ryan Wynne

Michael Archuleta

#### Washington State Dental Association Student Award

Erik Feider

#### Washington State Dental Association Faculty Award

Dr. Charles Farrell

#### Academy of General Dentistry Award

Alan Cooper

Fixed Prosthodontics Award

Charlie Collins
Christian Shewey

American College of Dentists Ferrier Memorial Prize

To Be Awarded Summer 2000

American College of Dentists Ethics Essay Award

Christopher Perez Chad Sheron

American College of Dentists Outstanding Senior

Student Award

Eric Vetter

International College of Dentists Award

Pooya Darab

Pierre Fauchard Academy Dental Student Scholarship

Eric Vetter

Pierre Fauchard Academy Senior Student Award

Eric Vetter

Dental Hygiene Achievement Award

Masako Matsunaga, R.D.H.

Washington State Dental Hygienist's Association Outstanding Graduate Award

Donna McConnell, R.D.H.

American Association of Public Health Dentistry Award

Chuck Cole

Academy of Dentistry for Persons with Disabilities Award

Masako Matsunaga, R.D.H.

Carol O'Brien

Academy of Dental Materials Award

Eric Vetter

Medico Dental Media International, Inc. Book Award

Eric Vetter

Alpha Omega Scholarship Award

Awarded in Summer 2000

Honors Graduates in Dentistry

Awarded in Summer 2000

Academy of Operative Dentistry Award

Michele Anderson

American College of Prosthodontics Undergraduate

Achievement Award

Michele Anderson

Washington Association of Women Dentists Award

Michele Anderson

American Academy of Dental Practice Administration

Award

Kevin Dang

American Academy of Oral Medicine Award

Daniel Allen

American Association of Oral Biologists Award

Daniel Allen

American Association of Orthodontists Award

Daniel Allen

American Academy of Orofacial Pain Award

Christopher Crecelius

American Academy of Periodontology Award

Christopher Crecelius

American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons Dental Implant Student Award

Christopher Crecelius

American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial

Surgeons Dental Student Award

Christopher Crecelius

Horace Wells Senior Student Award

Christopher Crecelius

Hospital Dentistry Award

Christopher Crecelius

John C. Kois Prize in Restorative Clinical Excellence

Christopher Crecelius

American Academy of Esthetic Dentistry Award

Charlie Collins

Teledyne Water Pik Prosthodontics Award

Charlie Collins

American Academy of Gold Foil Operators

Achievement Award

Ellen Reh

American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial

Pathology Award

Cheri Dunham

American Student Dental Association Award of

Excellence

Norman Bunch

Johnny N. Johnson, DDS Student Government

Leadership Award

Norman Bunch

Dr. Jack E. Nichols Award for Leadership

Eric Vetter

American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial

Radiology Award

Carol O'Brien

Eleanor Bushee Senior Dental Student Award

Danilee Baldwin

Dr. Edward Edgerton Beveridge Memorial Award

Darren Rodabough

American Association of Endodontists Award

Reza Nabaie

International Congress of Oral Implantologists Award

Reza Nabaie

American Society of Dentistry for Children

Erik Feider Julie Johnson Alice Tung Seattle Pediatric Dentists Society David B. Law Award

Norman Bunch

School of Dentistry Governance and Service Awards

Chad Carver Danilee Gibbs Eric Rafoth

Organization of Teachers of Oral Diagnosis Award

Julie Johnson

Charles L. Bolender Prosthodontic Award

Luke Tarver

**Dentsply Student Clinician Program Award** 

Stan Edwards

Research Advisory Committee Travel Awards

First Place: Stan Edwards Second Place: Terra Bobb Runner-up: Jennifer Pichler

Quintessence Award for Clinical Achievement in

Periodontics

Danilee Baldwin

Quintessence Award for Clinical Achievement in

Restorative Dentistry

Grant Wong

Quintessence Award for Research Achievement

Christopher Crecelius

Dennis P. Duskin Inspirational Award

Alan Cooper

Omicron Kappa Upsilon Certificates of Recognition for

Scholarship

First Year: David Bunkall, Moffett Burgess,

Isaac Fu, Timothy Gatten, Ryan West
Second Year: Robert Andelin, Jess

Haymore, Joshua Johnson, Ryan Kezele, David Weller

Third Year: Philip Jones, Michelle

Kobayashi, Stacey Kutsch, Irene Reed, Darren

Rodabough

Omicron Kappa Upsilon Awards

First Year: Ryan West
Second Year: Robert Andelin, Joshua

Johnson (tie)

Third Year: Philip Jones, Stacey Kutsch (tie)

Omicron Kappa Upsilon Membership

Daniel Allen Michele Anderson Christopher Crecelius Cheri Dunham

#### AWARDS OF SERVICE

Student Council Officers

President: Eric Vetter

Vice President: Jason Bourne

**Scribe:** Danilee Gibbs

**Budget Coordinator:** Nicole Serra **Social Chair:** Brent Robinson

WSDA 1st Delegate: Norman Bunch

#### AWARDS OF SERVICE Continued

**Dental Student Class Officers** 

FOURTH YEAR CLASS **President:** Erik Feider

Vice President: Danilee Gibbs
Secretary-Treasurer: Ute Hilderbrand
Social Chairs: Charlie Collins, Reena Patel
Student Council Representatives:

Chuck Cole, Chris Crecelius

**ASDA Representative:** Norman Bunch

THIRD YEAR CLASS

President: Emel Agan

Vice President: Erica Yang

Secretary-Treasurer: Nicole Serra

Social Chairs: Kara Hobson, Mohamed Karawi, Katie McKinney, Ken

McNabb

Student Council Representatives: Michelle Kobayashi, Melissa Lee ASDA Representative: George Carr SECOND YEAR CLASS

President: Michael George

Vice President: Jennifer Tran

Secretary-Treasurer: Christine Kim

Social Chairs: Maha Boulos, Brent Robinson

Student Council Representatives: Colin Del Rosario, David Weller

**ASDA Representative:** Sean Couch

FIRST YEAR CLASS

President: Jeffrey Lingenbrink Vice President: Melanie Bian Secretary-Treasurer: Teresa Vong

Social Chairs: Paul Amato, Michael Archuleta, Stuart Ayling,

Matthew Largent

Student Council Representatives: Jennifer Pichler, Richard Walker

**ASDA Representative:** Nathan Russell

## ASDA Western Tri-Regionals in San Antonio, Texas

#### Attended by 3 UW Student Delegates

On January 27, 2000, three delegates from the University of Washington School of Dentistry attended the American Student Dental Association Western Tri-Regional Conference held in San Antonio, Texas. Among the three representing UW's students were George Carr (1st delegate from the Class of 2001), Sean Couch (2nd delegate from the Class of 2002), and Nathan Russell (Alternate delegate from the Class of 2003). The purpose of the meeting was to provide ASDA delegates and chapter leaders with an orientation to ASDA's purpose, governance, and various activities associated with organized dentistry. The Washington ASDA Chapter was grateful for the financial contributions of the *University of Washington Dental Alumni Association* that made it possible for the three students to attend.

The three day conference began with an introduction by the ASDA president, Clint Herzog, along with a presentation by him on ASDA's goals of licensure reform. His primary focus (as well as that of the other ASDA national leaders) was the importance of being involved in organized dentistry and how vital a role students play. Involvement and participation in dental related issues needs to happen now, not later. As ASDA leaders, it is going to be up to the leaders to educate and get fellow classmates involved and concerned about dentistry and its future. A representative of the ADA was also at the meeting to update the students on the legislation that will either directly or indirectly affect dentistry and the way patients needs will be fulfilled. The meeting also had forums for

presenting and discussing issues pertaining to ASDA governance and learning how ASDA's Board of Trustees and other leaders will address various concerns. Other topics at the meeting included: practice management, upcoming OSHA regulations, and promoting student lobby day in Washington, DC.

The conference was not all meetings. The students attended the Far West Rodeo and Country Western Dance Club which was sponsored by the San Antonio Dental Society. For all three of the UW delegates, this was the first time they had seen so many cowboys congregated in one place. Sean and Nathan were thrown from a mechanical bull, which is something everyone has got to do at least once in his or her life. Dinners were all sponsored on the San Antonio Riverwalk and the group was able to see the Alamo also. The president of the Texas Dental Association came and lightened up the meetings with his Texas humor and politics. The students had the opportunity of meeting new people and learning from others in a professional, collegial, and also enjoyable environment.

After leaving the conference, George, Sean, and Nathan were excited about getting more students involved on a local level in dental related issues. They have been holding regular meetings and are currently working on starting a Washington Chapter ASDA Web page for students at the UW and an "ASDA 101" class for all incoming classes during prep week. The student delegates have a goal to educate and help the student body be more aware of the importance of being a part of organized dentistry.

## "Uncle Paul" to Step Down as Dean

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Dean Paul Robertson enjoying the opportunity to talk to Dr. David Minahan ('75) and his wife Susan.

the Forsyth Institute, noted that few leaders exhibit Robertson's "level of commitment, skills, desire and passion to truly fashion programs of excellence . . . [bringing] to dental education and to the University of Washington, in particular . . . a measure of productivity and excellence that is wonderful to observe."

Dr. Robertson's advice is frequently sought by his colleagues on this and other campuses. He was asked to chair, for example, the search committees for the Vice President of UW Development and Alumni Services, the Vice President of Medical Affairs, as well as the Deans of the School of Medicine, Public Health and Community Medicine, and Pharmacy. According to UW President Richard L. McCormick, "Paul Robertson is a superb scholar and teacher whose service to the University of Washington extends far beyond our School of Dentistry."

Under Dean Robertson the School's relationship with the professional community, which was already outstanding, blossomed into a true partnership. According to President Mary Krempasky Smith, "The WSDA has appreciated the excellent working relationship between the dental school, the WSDA and the dental community that Dr. Robertson worked to develop and maintain during his time as Dean."

Among the many qualities that have made him an outstanding Dean, one of the most critical has been his willingness to consult with and listen to the opinions of others. He has held the previous deans in high regard and has enjoyed spending time with them. In addition, he has considered the UW Dental Alumni Association a constituency of utmost importance, and has continually sought opportunities to bring them closer to the School and its students. Ross Fraker, current President of the Association, said "Everyone from students, faculty, staff, and alumni...will feel a sense of personal loss when he steps down because of the unique way he participated in our lives..."



Dr. Carrie York ('91), Immediate Past President of the UW Dental Alumni Association, enjoys the opportunity to work closely with Dean Paul Robertson. The Dean and the Alumni Association have enjoyed a unique closeness.

To the faculty and staff and students, Dean Robertson has been an approachable friend. Dr. David Pitts, Chair of the Dental Faculty Council said that "he is a friend, valued colleague, and superb leader. His door is always open and he is always willing to help. Our Dental School has flourished under his leadership."

Jason Bourne, President of the Dental Student Council echoed this sentiment in his comment that "Dean Robertson has always been a huge student advocate, and been thoughtful towards student interests and needs. His warm and caring demeanor has always made him very approachable and easy to relate to. His contributions to the advancement of student knowledge and clinical experience have been immeasurable. His leadership will be missed."

Few people know the importance that caring for patients holds for Dean Robertson. His love and concern for children began as a young man when he worked with troubled youth. He was the dentist for the "Boy in a Bubble," a child made famous through a rare disorder which destroyed his immune system.

He has earned countless honors and received many awards. Of all of these, Dr. Robertson is proudest of his Fellowships in the American College of Dentists, the International College of Dentists, and the Pierre Fauchard Academy; the WSDA President's Award for outstanding contributions to dentistry in the State of Washington; and serving as President of the American Association for Dental Research.

Dean Robertson plans to remain a full-time member of the faculty in the Department of Periodontics where he will pursue his first love — research. We wish you well, Uncle Paul, and we thank you for all you have done for the UW School of Dentistry.

## 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Dean's Club Dinner Held at Columbia Tower Club

On Friday, June 2, 2000 the Dean's Club held its 16<sup>th</sup> annual dinner to recognize its individual and corporate members, as well as other leaders in dentistry. The dinner took place at the elegant Columbia Tower Club in downtown Seattle where 150 guests gathered, including 25 dental students and their guests, as well as 32 members of the Class of 1950 and their spouses. 34 dinners in total were sponsored through the generosity of the School's alumni and other supporters.

President Mark Walker was the emcee and highlighted the accomplishments of the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Campaign. He then introduced the many special guests at the dinner, which turned out to be a *Who's Who* in dentistry in the Northwest. Among these honored participants, Dr. Walker recognized the Class of 1950; the current Dean, Dr. Paul Robertson; as well as his two predecessors, Drs. Alton Moore and Karl-Ake Omnell. Also in attendance were Mr. Joel Berg, Vice President of Optiva; Dr. Mary Krempasky-Smith, President of the Washington State Dental Association (WSDA); Dr.

Ross Fraker, President of the UW Dental Alumni Association; Mr. Steve Hardymon, Executive Director of the WSDA; Mr. Bill Neal, Branch Manager of Patterson Dental Supply; and Dr. Jeff Parrish, President-elect of the WSDA.

Awards were also presented at the annual dinner to recognize outstanding student achievement in leadership. This year's winners were fourth year dental students Eric Vetter and Norm Bunch. The recipient of this year's Honorary Lifetime Membership Award was Dr. Karl-Ake Omnell, who served as Dean at the School of Dentistry from 1981-1992.

Currently, the Dean's Club has 343 individual and 30 corporate members. Membership in the Dean's Club is considered on a calendar basis. To qualify as an individual member, a donor must contribute at least \$500 annually to any department or program at the School. Corporate membership begins at the \$1,000 level. The School relies on the generosity of its donors to retain its top-ranked status and is grateful for every contribution.



Dean Karl-Ake Omnell, Dean Alton Moore, and Dean Paul Robertson enjoy the evening together.



Dean Paul Robertson with Eric Vetter ('00), recipient of the Jack E. Nichols Student Leadership Award.



Dr. Karl-Ake Omnell receives the Dean's Club Honorary Lifetime Membership Award from Dr. Johnny Johnson.



Dr. Mark Walker receives an appreciation plaque from Dr. Desmond Neff, President-Elect, for his service as President of the Dean's Club.



Jane McNeal, Celia Thompson, and Barbara Hampson enjoy the 50<sup>th</sup> reunion of the Class of 1950. All three had spouses who graduated in the Class of 1950.



Dr. James Steiner and Dr. Johnny Johnson congratulate Norman Bunch ('00) as the recipient of the Johnny N. Johnson Student Leadership Award.



Class of 1950 Reunion-Back row left to right: Robert Thompson, Celia Thompson, Don Raleigh, Joanna Bolton, Wayne Bolton, Echo June Peterson, Helen Nelson, Celon Peterson, Lillian Hornibrook, Jack Hornibrook, Ann Parish, Glen Conley, Barbara Conley, Lester Schilke, Jo Schilke, Warren McNeal, Jane McNeal, and Eve Failor. Front row left to right: Alta Raleigh, Patrick McClain, Wilbur Reed, Alton Nelson, John Parrish, Richard Failor, Robert Hampson, Jr., and Barbara Hampson.



Alan Smith (Perio '00), Valerie Smith, Guy Gagnon (Perio '00), Bridgette Gagnon, Dr. Robert O'Neal, Maina Baumer (Perio '00) and Dr. Raymond Wilkinson enjoy socializing at the Dean's Club Dinner.

## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Campaign Has Successful Outcome

Under the leadership of Dean Paul B. Robertson, and with the cooperation and support of the UW Dental Alumni Association and the Dean's Club, planning for the first major fundraising campaign for the School of Dentistry began in March of 1996. Preliminary reports indicate that more than \$10 million in current and future dollars have been received or pledged. The gifts and pledges were supplemented by \$2.9 million dollars allocated to the School to renovate the pre-clinical student laboratory, located in D-165, into a state-of-the-art simulation facility.

Highlights of the campaign include the following:

- UW Dental Alumni set a goal of \$1,000,000 to remodel and equip the D-165 simulation laboratory for pre-clinical instruction.
- Washington Dental Service matched the Dental Alumni with a \$2,000,000 Endowed Chair in Dentistry, the purpose of which is to improve the dental curriculum in the area of practice management.
- UW Orthodontic Alumni pledged \$1,000,000 for the Alton W. Moore and Richard A. Riedel Chair in Orthodontics. Dr. John E. Grubb pledged \$100,000. The following individuals each pledged \$50,000: Douglas S. Cameron, Jr., James U. Down, James R. Elder, Fred H. Hassig, Farrell G. Hinkle, Donald R. Joondeph, Vincent G. Kokich, Alton W. Moore, David R. Rice, Peter A. Shapiro, David L. Turpin, and Alan F. Wilson. The following individuals pledged \$25,000 or more: David L. Crouch, Michael R. Fey, and Douglas J. Klein.
- The UW Orthodontic Alumni Association donated \$250,000 to the Alton W. Moore and Richard A. Riedel Chair in Orthodontics.
   This gift was matched by the State of Washington for a total of \$500,000. The Ortho Alumni Association contributed another \$63,895 to the Orthodontic Memorial Fund.
- Mrs. Alberta Tefft established a bequest to the School that may, in the future, provide as much as \$1,000,000 for an endowed Chair in Restorative Dentistry.
- Mrs. Sara Agnes Morell created a charitable remainder unitrust that will eventually provide the School of Dentistry with \$500,000 or more for research.
- David H. Wands established a Graduate Fellowship in Prosthodontics with a cash gift of \$100,000 and a deferred gift of \$300,000. These gifts were matched with \$100,000 from the State of Washington.
- The alumni of the UW Oral Surgery program established a goal of \$250,000 for a Philip Worthington Professorship. The following individuals pledged \$25,000 each: Richard A. Crinzi, Thomas H. Hohl, John K. Tidwell, and Richard R. Ross.

- The UW Dental Alumni Association contributed \$190,582 in support of student scholarships, student research, and the Dean's Fund for Excellence.
- The Washington Dental Service Foundation contributed \$103,815 toward student scholarships, loans, and activities.
- Mrs. June Maston contributed \$26,000 and her son, Dr. Bruce
  Maston, contributed \$25,000 to create an endowment for the
  Earl C. Maston Scholarship for Excellence in Pre-Operative
  Dentistry. This fund provides scholarships for second year dental
  students who excel in operative dentistry.
- Mrs. Shirley Ricketts contributed \$60,000 to the John W. and Shirley M. Ricketts Dental Student Loan Fund in memory of Dr. John Wilbur Ricketts who passed away in 1998. In the future, this fund will be increased by means of a bequest of the Ricketts.
- Dan G. Middaugh pledged \$50,000 to establish the Dental Student Professional Service Recognition Fund to provide awards to outstanding student leaders. Each year, the four class presidents and the president of the Student Council will receive \$1,000 each in recognition of their service to the School and the profession.
- Dr. and Mrs. Dale Miller of Spokane established a bequest to the School of \$50,000 to be used at the discretion of the Dean.
- The Class of 1997 raised \$50,000 for the Ethan Baker Memorial Fund in honor of their classmate's young son who died of leukemia. This fund provides financial assistance for a predoctoral dental student experiencing a life crisis.
- The faculty of the Department of Oral Medicine raised \$50,000 for graduate student fellowships in oral medicine.
- Drs. Richard Crinzi and Karen Sakuma raised \$25,000 to establish the Johnny Johnson Student Leadership Award.

Finally, Sue Corbett, Executive Director for Dentistry Development estimates that as much as an additional \$1.5 million dollars was contributed during the campaign to the Dean's Fund for Excellence, to individual department gift funds, and to the Student Activities Fund. According to Dr. Corbett, "The 50th Anniversary Campaign for Excellence [the first major capital campaign in the School's history] was a tremendous success resulting in more than \$11 million dollars in cash, pledges, endowments, and bequests that will benefit the School for years to come. The campaign brought new dollars into virtually every department and activity of the School. The success of this first campaign was a result of the efforts of the Dean, the faculty, the staff and — most of all — the alumni and the professional community."

## Alumni Class Challenge Update

The 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Class Challenge fundraising campaign to raise \$1,000,000 to renovate and equip a simulation laboratory for pre-clinical instruction ended on June 15, 2000. Over four years, more than \$900,000 was raised for this project.

The goal set by the UW Dental Alumni Association was \$20,000 per class. Eighteen classes made the target, with nine classes falling just short of the goal. Each class that raised \$20,000 or more will have a bronze plate with the class year on the simulation station they purchased. The Classes of 1975, 1976 and 1981 raised more than \$40,000 and thus will have two units.

The tremendously successful campaign, the first ever attempted by the Dental Alumni Association, was the result of the energy, effort, and leadership provided by the Association's Board of Trustees. A campaign steering committee chaired by David Minahan (classes of the 70s) included J. Martin Anderson (classes of the 90s), Tom Jacka (classes of the 80s), Chester Woodside (classes of the 60s), Joseph Grillo (classes of the 50s), Sue Corbett (Director of Development), and Randy Newquist (Associate Director of Alumni Services). The results for each decade is shown below.

According to Dean Paul B. Robertson, "The new state-of-the art simulation laboratory is envy of every dental school in the country. We are indeed fortunate to have the generous support of a very loyal alumni."

All DDS graduates who contributed to the campaign will have their names inscribed, by class, on a beautiful permanent wall in the new simulation laboratory (D-165). The wall will be unveiled at a reception to be held in the laboratory Friday, November 3, 2000 on dental homecoming weekend.

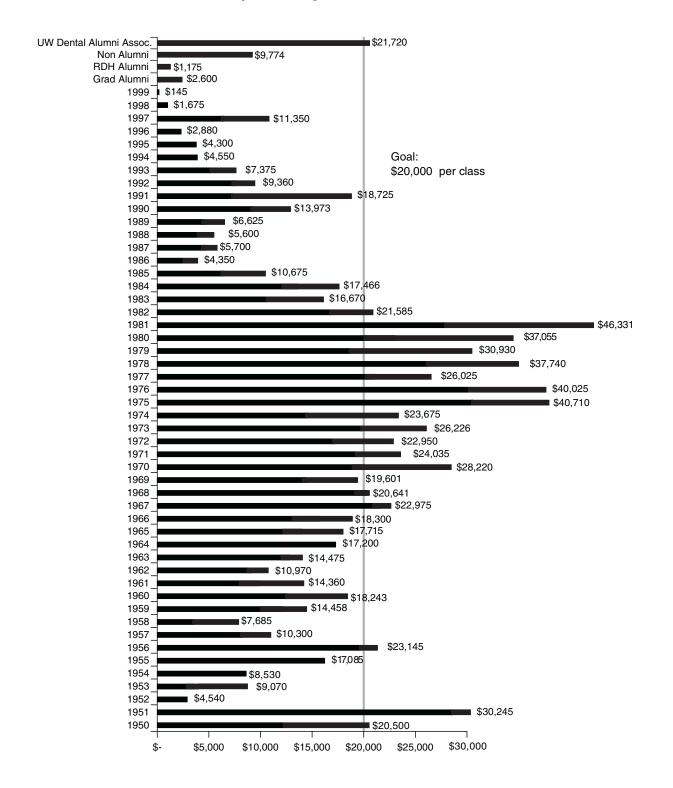
#### Results by Decade

Decade	Total Pledged	Number of Reachable Alums	Campaign Rep.
1950-59	\$145,558	440	Joe Grillo
1960-69	\$174,558	495	Chester Woodside
1970-79	\$300,436	792	David Minahan
1980-89	\$172,057	713	Tom Jacka
1990-99	\$74,333	481	Marty Anderson

Top 10 Class	ses in Total Dollars	Top 10 Classe	s for % of Donors	Top 10 Class	es in Ave.\$/Person
1981	\$46,331	1972	70%	1991	\$1,872.50
1975	\$40,710	1976	68%	1951	\$1,680.26
1976	\$40,025	1951	62%	1956	\$1,218.16
1978	\$37,740	1967	62%	1981	\$1,007.20
1980	\$37,055	1974	62%	1975	\$866.17
1979	\$30,245	1950	61%	1965	\$843.57
1951	\$30,245	1966	61%	1964	\$819.05
1970	\$28,220	1973	61%	1959	\$803.22
1973	\$26,226	1968	59%	1960	\$793.17
1977	\$26,025	1970	58%	1980	\$788.40
, , -	1978	58%			

## Final Class Totals

## Alumni Anniversary Pledge Fund



Mae Chin, clinical associate professor of oral medicine and dental public health sciences, has been selected as a fellow of the Academy of Dentistry for Persons with Disabilities. She is the clinic manager and dental hygienist for the UW School of Dentistry's DECOD Clinic, which educates dentists to care for people with disabilities, and has had a long career at the UW in the clinic and dental hygiene program. Chin has also established dental facilities at two Seattle nursing homes.

**Dr. Richard P. Frank**, professor of prosthodontics in the School of Dentistry, recently received the Giddon Award for Distinguished Research in Bahavioral Sciences from the International Association of Dental Research. The award is given annually by the Behavioral Sciences and Health Services Research Group of the IADR to recognize a single research paper published that year in fields of behavioral sciences as applied to dentistry. Dr. Frank has been a faculty member in the UW School of Dentistry since 1972 and was chair of the Department of Prosthodontics from 1989 to 1995.

Dr. Asuman Kivak has been named the 2000 recipient of the Behavioral Sciences and Health Services Research Award, one of 15 Distinguished Scientist awards given annually by the International Association for Dental Research (IADR). It represents the highest honor the IADR can bestow. She received her award at the Opening ceremonies of the IADR's 78th General Session held in Washington, DC. Dr. Kiyak has been a member of the faculty of the School of Dentistry at the University of Washington since 1977. She is a Professor in the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, with joint appointments in the Department of Psychology and the College of Architecture and Urban Planning; she is also Director of the Institute on Aging at the University of Washington. Dr. Kiyak has been most influential through her substantial contributions in geriatric dentistry, orthognathic surgery, and the development of innovative teaching approaches and materials for dental students and practicing dentists. Highlights of her research efforts in geriatric dentistry include evaluation of the cost-effectiveness of preventive oral regimens for high-risk older Americans, cognitive and behavioral methods of geriatric oral risk assessment, and assessment of minority elders' participation in research. Dr. Kiyak is an internationally recognized scholar, having published over 60 papers, and is the co-author of a leading text, Social Gerontology: A Multidisciplinary Perspective, which is now in its 5<sup>th</sup> edition. She is the recipient of the National Institutes of Health Geriatric Dentistry Academic Award and has a remarkable record of virtually uninterrupted funding from the National Institutes of Health

spanning two decades. Her teaching efforts also are multidisciplinary and are directed at sensitizing professionals in health care and related disciplines to the needs of older adults. Dr. Kiyak is the Past President of the Behavioral Sciences and Health Services Research Group of IADR (1988-89), and member of the IADR Ad Hoc Long-range Planning Committee (1987-89) and the AADR Edward H. Hatton Awards Committee (1992-95). The IADR Distinguished Scientist Award in Behavioral Sciences and Health Services Research has been sponsored since its inception by generous funding from the John O. Butler Company.

Chuck (Suttichai) Krisanaprakornkit, a Thai dentist and faculty member, who received his MSD in Oral Medicine and is working on his PhD in Oral Biology, won first place in the AADR Hatton Award competition awarded at the IADR/AADR Research Meetings held in Washington, DC. Congratulations to Chuck (and to his mentor Dr. Dale-Crunk) for a job well done.

#### Masters of Science in Dentistry Program Review

MAY 24, 2000

To: Faculty, Students, Staff, and Alumni

Re: Masters of Science in Dentistry Program Review

I am most pleased to report that the Masters of Science in Dentistry Review Committee, at its debriefing yesterday evening, enthusiastically recommended the continuation of what they considered to be an outstanding MSD program. The Committee characterized our Masters of Science in Dentistry as one of the best in the country. They were particularly impressed with the high quality and enthusiasm of the junior faculty, the dedication to mentoring of the senior faculty, and the high scholarship exhibited by the MSD students. They also were taken with the excellence of student thesis and journal publication productivity. The Committee made a number of positive recommendations to add to the strength of the program.

I thank all of you who were involved in the process for a superb collaborative effort.

Robert B. O'Neal

Chair, Graduate Program Committee

## Alton W. Moore Featured Speaker at 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Lectureship



Drs. Peter and Gail Shapiro are joined by Dr. Alton Moore and wife, Myrna.

Reminiscence and Reflections was the title of the keynote address by Dr. Alton W. Moore, Dean Emeritus, at this year's annual lectureship bearing his name. The presentation at the Four Seasons Olympic Hotel on June 9 was made in cooperation with Drs. Donald Joondeph and Peter Shapiro, past Chairs of the Department of Orthodontics. The lectureship was established in 1970 to bring to the dental community an outstanding researcher/clinician to present recent advances in the area of craniofacial biology. Students presenting their research included Jennifer Ashmore, Elizabeth Lyons, Bob and Marcia Younger, Geoffrey Greenlee, Stephen Noxon, Jorge Castillo, and Cory Liss.

Customarily, a reception honoring the students follows the day of lectures. This year's reception was held at the Seattle Yacht Club and was particularly special in that the Alton W. Moore and Richard A. Riedel Chair in Orthodontics was recently established. The news that the Chair's \$1.5 million goal has been reached was shared to those gathered at the reception.



Dr. Peter Shapiro announces the establishment of the Moore-Riedel Chair in Orthodontics.



Dean Paul Robertson recognizes the Department of Orthodontics for its continued excellence and congratulates Drs. Shapiro and King on their outstanding leadership.



Dr. Greg King speaks about the significance of the Lectureship.



Those gathered at the Seattle Yacht Club mingle after hearing the news that 1.5 million has been raised to fund the Moore-Riedel Chair in Orthodontics.

## Dental Alumni Anniversary Weekend

#### Friday and Saturday, November 3-4

The UW School of Dentistry, the UW Dental Alumni Association, the WSDA Committee on Liaison with UW and New Dentists, and the UW American Student Dental Association

invite Alumni, Faculty, Staff, Students, Mentors and Friends to

# AN OPEN HOUSE AND MENTOR EVENT FEATURING THE UNVEILING OF THE NEW ALUMNI CLASS CHALLENGE DONOR WALL

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2000 6 - 8:30 PM D165 SIMULATION CLINIC, UW SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY

Complimentary cocktails and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

A brief formal program will begin at 7 pm.

Please RSVP to the UW Dental Alumni Office at (206) 543-7297 or FAX to (206) 543-6465.

Join us for the



## UW Dental Alumni Football Homecoming and Pre-game Brunch

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UW Huskies			
vs.			
Arizona Wildcats			

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2000

Join with your fellow alumni, their families and friends for brunch and an exciting game of Husky football. Festivities will begin at 10 a.m. with brunch at the HUB East Ballroom (Husky Student Union Building, UW Campus, Seattle). Make the easy walk over to Husky Stadium for the 12:30 p.m. kick-off. Free on-site parking. Cost is \$59 for the game and brunch or \$25 for the brunch only. You must be a member of the Dental Alumni Association to purchase tickets.

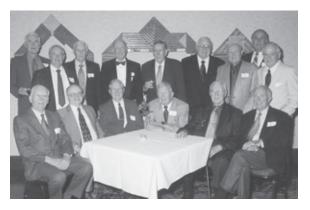
Please return this portion of the registration form along with your check to: Dental Alumni Association, University of Washington, Box 357137, Seattle, WA 98195-7137. Individuals purchasing tickets must be current 1998 members of the Dental Alumni Association. There are a limited number of tickets so please act promptly. ☐ Game and Brunch # of tickets (\$59 each) ☐ Brunch Only \_\_\_\_\_ # of tickets (\$25 each) ☐ Please renew my Dental Alumni Association membership (\$50). ☐ I am a 2000 member. Total amount enclosed Payment Information: ☐ Enclosed is my check made payable to UW Dental Alumni Association. ☐ Please charge my credit card: ☐ MasterCard □ VISA Card Number: Exp. Date: Class Year: Name: Address: Telephone Number: Guest(s) name(s):

## Class Notes

#### **CLASS OF 1950**

## Congratulations to the Class of 1950 as they celebrate 50 years since graduation.

They were recently honored at the Honors and Awards Ceremony, the Dean's Club Dinner, and the Dental School Graduation on the weekend of June 2-3, 2000. Eighteen members of the class were able to attend and had a great time socializing and sharing memories together.



Class of 1950. Back row left to right: Robert Thompson, Don Raleigh, Wayne Bolton, Celon Peterson, Jack Hornibrook, Glen Conley, Lester Schilke, Warren McNeal and Wilbur Reed. Front row left to right: Patrick McClain, Ernest Jenkins, Alton Nelson, John Parrish, Richard Failor, and Robert Hampson, Jr. Not pictured but attended the event: Kenneth Kahn, Robert McLaughlin, and Fred Pomeroy.



John Parrish ('50) and Lester Schilke ('50) enjoy socializing with classmates.



Class of 1950 classmates and spouses enjoy the opportunity to be together again.



Wayne Bolton ('50) and Robert McLaughlin ('50) share memories together.



Celon Peterson ('50) and his wife Echo June Peterson come up from California to enjoy the Class of 1950 class reunion.

#### **CLASS OF 1962**

**Paul J. Heins**, PO Box 13247, Gainesville, FL 32604-1247. He and his wife Joyce were in Guatemala recently and sent this note. "From the moment we stepped off the plane we found Guatemala to be a country of cultural, geologic and economic extremes; an erupting volcano in the distance, security guards carrying pistolgrip shotguns, choking smog, begging chicken and Mercedes cars in the arrival area.

We're very glad that we took the opportunity to go. The people we worked with were friendly, sincere and dedicated despite their austere and seemingly unhealthy living conditions. Add to that a high crime rate and tension and political corruption left over from the recent civil war, and there's every reason for them to be unhappy. But they're not, and they are very proud of the beauty and Mayan heritage of their country. They were patient with us as we 'tried' to speak their language and took every opportunity to teach us more.

One day we were invited to visit the Dental School at the University of Guatemala in Guatemala City. We passed through a strong looking gate in a high fence and were told that the University was sealed off at times during the civil unrest. Soon we came to an off-white two-story cement block structure that was white but needed painting. It was noontime and white uniformed dental students filled the hallways. Most of the clinics were on the second floor and we were shown that each discipline had their own chairs in a separate areas of larger rooms. Even though it was noon, students were at work and faculty were attentive to their needs. Clinic equipment that we saw was mismatched, taped and wired-together. Units had air rotor hand-pieces and seemed functional except for the lack of a central vacuum system. The whole building seemed under-lit and needed paint. We learned that electricity is expensive and homes and businesses do with a minimum of light.

Students looked and acted like professionals. Rubber dams were in use and hand instruments looked new. I looked over the shoulder and watched a student carve excellent anatomy into a Class II amalgam. She put a fine marginal ridge and spillway into this restoration that any of us would be proud of. We moved on to the Perio "Clinic" and I sat down with a student and talked with her as she curetted her patient's maxillary molars. The usual bloody 2x2's were there but I was surprised to see a set of new Hu-Friedy curettes on the tray. She was in her 5th year and seemed skilled and well trained. For a moment I lost awareness of where in the world I was. I could have been in the Perio Clinic back in the old days in Florida. Then I was brought back to the present when, on the way out, we passed a poster announcing the meeting of the International Association of Oral Pathologists that will be held in Guatemala.

The Dental School curriculum there is 5 years with a  $6^{th}$  year spent in a government clinic. We learned that tuition is about a dollar a month and students enter dental school out of high school. Students must pass all courses and can repeat them again and again until they pass. There is no State Board Exam and no recognized specialties. The Government believes that when the faculty certifies a student for graduation they are ready to practice after their  $6^{th}$  year. We were told that many Guatemalan dentists come to the US for post-graduate education that enhances their professional status back home.

On another day we were shown the office of a private radiologist in Guatemala City. It was located in a simple building that was fronted by a parking lot. Inside it was spotless but sparsely decorated. His equipment was state of the art and he was proud of the quality of his films. He showed us a new cephalometer and said he believed it was the only one in North or Central America. In addition to the usual cephalometric views, the machine was able to do subtraction radiology as well as produce bucco-lingual views of the mandible, TMJ and maxilla. The quality of the examples he showed us were impressive. His services are in high demand by Maxio-facial, plastic and implant surgeons and hospitals. This office was a striking example of the professional and cultural contrasts we saw in this very interesting county."

Paul was a full-time faculty member at the UW from 1965-1975 and gave up the 'good' Northwest life to become Chair of Perio at the University of Florida in 1975. Now they have made a career change and have a consulting business that has taken them to many parts of the US and overseas. Most recently they worked in Guatemala.

#### **CLASS OF 1965**

**Paul J. Frederick**, **Jr.**, 248 Waverly Way, Kirkland, WA 98033-5306. I have sold my practice to Michael Martin (class of 1997) and have retired. Spending time with our boat, golf, and grandchildren.

**Charles E. Slonecker**, 6007 Dunbar St., Vancouver, BC V6N lW8, Canada. I am serving as Acting Vice President for External Affairs at the University of British Columbia.

#### **CLASS OF 1978**

**Col. Douglas Alan Clarke,** 3503 9<sup>th</sup> Ave. Ct. NW, Gig Harbor, WA 98335. Great to be back in the NW to stay – heliskiing with Swen next season.

#### **CLASS OF 1980**

Mark Christopher Paxton, 12109 E Broadway Ave, Bldg C, Spokane, WA 99206-4921. For the past 9 years I have had the opportunity to travel to Central and South America for Cleft Lip & Cleft Palate surgical mission trips. There are always large numbers of Cleft Palate, burn and reconstructive patients that we are able to treat. The nonprofit organization Hearts in Motion (H.I.M.), based in Chicago, makes the arrangements and coordinates the trips, leaving me and the other volunteers free to concentrate on the surgical cases that are presented.

#### **CLASS OF 1983**

**CDR Kenneth M. Stinchfield**, 9018 Ellingham St, San Diego, CA 92129-2129. Just finishing a 2 year tour aboard USS Constellation (CV-64) in San Diego. Returned from 6 month deployment to the Western Pacific and Arabian Gulf. Currently the Dental Department Head and Battle Group's Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon. Next assignment will be 3 years with Naval Dental Center Southwest in San Diego.

#### **CLASS OF 1984**

**John C. Robinson**, 20 Rue de La Guerres, Pondicherry 605001 India. I have moved to India in my first stint with doctors without borders. This is a great organization that does a good work.

#### **CLASS OF 1986**

Jay A. Cambra, 95-1249 Meheula Pky, #B-3, Mililani, HI 96789. Solo practice in Mililani Town, HI for 13 yrs now. Kids are all in high school now and just started my second year on the State of Hawaii Dental Board of Examiners — first year as Vice Chairman. Issues of interest this year are fluoridation and our recent successful ADA convention and our historically low pass rate on our state dental boards. Aloha and best wishes to all my friends, classmates, and instructors. Drop me a line at drjaycambra@aol.com if time permits.

#### **CLASS OF 1993**

**Aaron P. Kelly**, 808 N. Miller, Wenatchee, WA 98801. My wife Suzanne and I had our first child, a baby girl born on Christmas morning. Her name is Grace Noelle. She's beautiful!

#### **CLASS OF 1994**

**Mark R. Grace**, 2712 57<sup>th</sup> Ave SW, Seattle, WA 98116-2226. He and his wife Kristine are the proud parents of a new baby boy, Joshua Thomas Grace, born on March 17, 2000.

#### **CLASS OF 1996**

**Kristine Grace**, 2712 57<sup>th</sup> Ave SW, Seattle, WA 98116-2226. She and her husband Mark are the proud parents of a new baby boy, Joshua Thomas Grace, born on March 17, 2000. Will begin my oral surgery practice in Puvallup in September.

#### **CLASS OF 1998**

**Kirk E. King**, 22500 SE 56<sup>th</sup> St. #13-203, Issaquah, WA 98029. Moved back from Eastern Washington, moved to Issaquah, and bought a practice in Renton on the Cedar River.

Lt Reid J. Winkler, USS Denver (LPD 9), FPO AP 96663-1712. I am the Dental Officer aboard the USS Denver (LPD 9), a Marine amphibious transport ship. We are on deployment from January through July 2000. Ports of call have included Hawaii, Darwin, Australia; Singapore, and Thailand. Currently, I am in the Persian Gulf. Shipboard dentistry has taught me a new skill — cutting preps in 12-15 foot swells. Bungee cords and velcro come in handy for strapping myself and my equipment down out here!



Joshua Thomas Grace, born to Kristine and Mark Grace.



Mark Grace ('96), Joshua Grace, and Kristine Grace ('94).

## James C. McGraw (Endodontics '69)

### Receives the American Association of Endodontists Edgar D. Coolidge Award

Dr. James C. McGraw of Medina, WA was awarded the Edgar D. Coolidge Award during the 57<sup>th</sup> Annual Session of the American Association of Endodontists (AAE), held March 29-April 2, 2000 in Honolulu, HI.

The Coolidge Award is presented to an AAE member who has actively participated in the AAE during his or her professional life, displaying outstanding leadership and exemplary dedication to dentistry and endodontics (root canal treatment).

In addition to operating a private practice with his partners in Bellevue, WA, Dr. McGraw is a Clinical Professor and member of the Admissions Committee for the University of Washington., School of Dentistry. An active member of the AAE, Dr. McGraw has served as President of the Association, A Board Member and member of

several committees. He is also a Past President of the Washington State Dental Association and Past Vice President of the American Dental Association.

For nearly 30 years, Dr. McGraw has volunteered his time as a zoo dentist, performing root canal treatment on many endangered animals such as elephants and tigers. For the past eight years, he has served as a member of the Board of Directors for Seattle's Woodland Park Zoo.

Dr. McGraw earned his DDS from Case Western Reserve University in 1966 and his certificate in endodontics from the University of Washington in 1969. He and his wife, Janice, have two grown sons, Douglas Scott and Jeffrey Alan.

## Arthur A. Dugoni (Orthodontics '63)

#### Selected as Third Recipient of the AADS Distinguished Service Award

The American Association of Dental Schools (AADS) named Dr. Arthur A. Dugoni, dean and professor of the University of the Pacific School of Dentistry, as the third recipient of the AADS Distinguished Service Award on April 2, 2000 during the opening session of the association's annual meeting in Washington, D.C. Presented by Dr. Patrick Ferrillo, Jr., AADS President, the award recognizes Dugoni's outstanding service and contributions to dental education throughout his lifetime. Only two other exemplary dental educators have received this prestigious honor as the award is not given on a regular basis.

"I am indebted to the AADS and, specifically, President Patrick Ferrillo for the Distinguished Service Award," said Dugoni. "I have been privileged, over a 52 year career in dentistry, to be a participant in the growth of a great profession and I am overwhelmed with appreciation and admiration of those pioneers who forged and molded dentistry from a trade to a learned profession. The Distinguished Service Award symbolizes the

contribution of decades of individuals who have cared to make a difference in dental education, patient care, community service and research. I am deeply honored to have received the award."

Dugoni is regarded as one of the nation's most respected and knowledgeable figures in the profession. He is an exemplary educator, practitioner, leader and administrator. Long active in organized dentistry, Dugoni has successfully represented the American Dental Association, American Association of Dental Schools, American Board of Orthodontics and the California Dental Association as president, and served as treasurer of the FDI (Federation Dentaire Internationale) World Dental Federation.

Dr. Dugoni received his Certificate in Orthodontics from the University of Washington School of Dentistry in 1963.

## In Memoriam

James V. Thomas (class of 1951) of Mesa, Arizona passed away on Sunday, March 26, 2000. He was born on February 15, 1920 in Livingston, Montana to James M. and Helen Vick Thomas. After serving as a pilot in the U.S. Air Force, he graduated from the University of Washington School of Dentistry Class of 1951 receiving a Doctor of Dental Surgery degree. He practiced 41 years in Seattle before retiring in 1992. He was a member of several Seattle area dental study clubs and worked as a Washington Dental Service dental consultant for many years. Jim was an avid golfer. He served as deacon of the Nortminster Presbyterian Church for a number of years.

He is survived by daughter Judith L. Gatto and wife Barbara, four stepchildren and seven grandchildren.

**Dean L. Taylor (class of 1959)** of Sumner, Washington passed away on March 10, 2000. He was 64 years of age. He was born in Prosser, WA on September 9, 1935. He grew up there as well as in Ephrata, Othello, and Connell, WA, graduating from Connell in 1953.

Following graduation from the University of Washington School of Dentistry Class of 1959, Dr. Taylor went into practice in Othello. He married Linda Hurd in 1959. He served in the U.S. Army, stationed at Fort Ord, CA from 1961 to 1963, and returned to Othello, where he practiced until he retired in 1979.

Dr. Taylor was a member of Psi Omega National Dental Fraternity and of the Grant County Dental Society.

He was a compassionate man, with a great love for life, according to this family. Hunting and fishing with his friends, community theater, church fellowship and choir, and being the UW Huskies' biggest fan were among his favorite activities.

Dr. Taylor is survived by Linda, his wife of 40 years; daughter, Kristi Hull of Thompson Falls, Montana; and son, Michael Taylor of Kent. He was preceded in death by his parents, Duane "Duke" Taylor and Catherine (Lynch) Taylor, and his beautiful daughter, Jennifer Ann.

#### Boyd J. Magdall (Class of 1970).

On March 19th, 2000 my dear friend and dental school classmate, Dr. Boyd Magdall, died in a traffic accident in Southern California.

For nearly 30 years, Dr. Magdall practiced dentistry in Las Vegas, Nevada. He was well known in Southwest racing circles as an owner and driver of several different race cars. Ironically, he was returning from a racetrack in Southern California when he was killed.

Those of us whose lives were touched by Dr. Magdall will never forget him. He was a larger than life character who lived life to the fullest. He will be remembered as perhaps one of the loudest graduates of the UW School of Dentistry, and certainly among its most colorful. I have never met anyone quite like him, and I will always treasure the memories of our time together. He will be missed by many of us.

Dr. Magdall is survived by his fiancee Candi Goodman, daughter Jodi, son Justin, and his mother Jean. He was 57 years old.

Written by Harold Cleaver, Class of '70

**Scott W. Woodruff (class of 1988)** passed away on Good Friday, April 21, 2000. He will be deeply missed by many who cared for him deeply, especially his wife and daughter.

Dr. Woodruff, a native of Seattle, completed undergraduate studies at the University of Washington and then received his Doctor of Dental Surgery from the University of Washington School of Dentistry Class of 1988. Afterwards, he completed a general practice residency at Harvard University and then completed post doctoral training in oral and maxillofacial surgery at the University of Miami. In 1996, he received a medical degree from the Eastern Virginia Medical School. Dr. Woodruff went on to complete post graduate medical studies in cosmetic surgery in Seattle. He was in private practice in Seattle. While in Virginia, he met his future wife, Susan. He felt a very strong connection to the community, the ocean, his friends and the church that he found in Virginia Beach. He felt it was his second home.

Dr. Woodruff was a brilliant, talented surgeon. He utilized his God-gifted hands and his compassion for others to help people and touch many lives. He was a devoted Christian and he is at peace with God. His earthly love for his wife and daughter will extend through eternity.

Survivors include his wife, Susan White Woodruff, and daughter, Parker Anne Woodruff, age 2, both of Virginia Beach; parents, Edwin Bruce Woodruff of Reno, NV, and Mary Robbins Woodruff of Seattle, WA; stepmother, Patricia Douglas of Reno, NV; grandmother, Mrs. Robert Bowen of Minnesota; three sisters, Robbin Woodruff and Tracey Hopkins, both of Seattle, and Shannon Essig of Cleveland, Ohio; a niece, Kyla McAdams of Seattle; and two nephews Jack and Sam Essig, both of Cleveland.

#### Dear Class of 1988,

"Most of you will remember Woody as our class president for most of our career in dental school. He had the ability to lead our class through challenging times with humor and diplomacy. Some of you will remember him for his quick wit and his ability to hold court with anyone. Others will remember him for his unselfish friendship, his keen interest in your challenges and accomplishments while remaining humble about his own.

You will remember Scott in your own unique way, and it will usually bring a smile to your face. We are often measured by our accomplishments in life.

We are measured more by what we do for others; how we enrich the lives of our family and friends. This was Woody's greatest achievement."

Christopher Pickel, Class of 1988

## Life Membership Category Passed By Full Board

Life membership has been discussed among Alumni for many years. Recently, the Alumni board received several letters requesting the issue be looked at again. Dr. Sam Anderson, class of 1951, was given the task to look into the issue. After much time in research, a proposed resolution on life membership was brought before the UW Dental Alumni Association Full Board. The following motion was passed by the Board.

That a life membership category be put in place within the University of Washington Dental Alumni Association by-laws. This category of membership would be available to Alumni of the University of Washington School of Dentistry who have reached the age of 70 years and have been an active dues paying member of the Alumni Association for a minimum of 20 years.

Said member would receive all benefits offered by the University of Washington Dental Alumni Association, including the newsletter, with no further dues required of the life member.

We want to thank Dr. Sam Anderson and all who brought the life membership issue before the Board.

## University of Washington Continuing Dental Education Schedule

SEPTEMBER 2000

Getting it Right in Pain and Anxiety Control

Friday, September 15, 2000

Drs. Fred Quarnstrom, David Donaldson

Phillip Worthington Inaugural Lectureship in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Sunday, September 17, 2000

Panel of Speakers

Law/Lewis Lectureship on Pediatric Dentistry

Friday, September 22, 2000

Child Management and Communication, Dr. Gregory Psaltis Pediatric Pharmacology, Dr. Paul Moore

Getting Paid for What You Produce (Anchorage, AK)

Saturday, September 23, 2000

Ms. Jennifer de St. Georges

The Removable Partial Denture

Friday, September 29, 2000

Dr. Wayne V. Campagni

OCTOBER 2000

Empowering the Dental Team to Deliver Quality Periodontal Care

Friday, October 6, 2000

Dr. Samuel Low

What's New in Endodontics: A Course for General

**Practitioners** 

Friday, October 13, 2000

Dr. John West

Practice Management Systems: Technology, Techniques, and Teamwork

Friday, October 20, 2000

Ms. Cheryl Farr

Smile Design, Treatment Planning and Porcelain Restoration: A Continuum in Cosmetic Dentistry

Begins Friday, Ocotber 13, 2000

Dr. Lynn A. Jones

Mastering Adhesive and Esthetic Dentistry: The Pursuit of Excellence

Friday, October 27, 2000

Dr. David Hornbrook

NOVEMBER 2000

Oral Surgery: Impactions, Extractions and Corrective Actions

Friday, November 3, 2000

Dr. Marvin Ladov

Esthetic Materials: What to Use Where, and Why (Lecture and Workshop)

Friday, November 10 and Saturday November 11, 2000

Dr. Charles English

Aging Successfully: Oral Health for the Prime of Life

Friday, November 17, 2000

Dr. Linda Niessen

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