



## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**Annual Meeting of  
Maryland Chapter  
Wednesday, Nov. 16, 2011  
TOWSON GOLF CLUB  
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**CE and SUNSHINE SEMINAR  
Cabo San Lucas, Mexico  
February, 12-19-2012**

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**CEC USA SECTION  
The Westin Savannah Golf Resort  
Savannah, Georgia  
March 27-31, 2012**

## Leadership Positions

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W. Michel Kenney

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# The Pass Key

Opening the door to the International College of Dentists  
In the MARYLAND CHAPTER

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## REPORT by Deputy Regent Edwin L. Morris

With the recently concluded ICD Convocation in Las Vegas, the induction of new fellows and installation of new officers (more on this in a moment) we come to that time of year for our own Annual General Membership Meeting. General membership meetings serve as a great opportunity to catch up with friends and colleagues, meet new fellows and find out what's happening in the ICD at large. At the same time a general membership meeting can represent one more item on an already too busy professional calendar. As members of the ICD you have been recognized for your active, committed involvement in your community and profession. A result of that sense of responsibility on your part is time spent away from family and other personal activities. We can all relate to the importance of balance between the personal and professional.

With that in mind, we have planned a General Membership Meeting that will be both informative and stimulating. You will, first, be introduced to the newly inducted Fellows from Maryland and we will present the winner of this year's Clendenin Award to the top student from last year's freshman class. In addition, we will have a featured speaker, Mr. Kim Miller. Mr. Miller has spent most of his professional career as a member of The United States Marine Band, "The President's Own" as they are known. He has been present for many of the political and diplomatic activities at the White House during his professional career and he offers his own personal perspective on these events. I think that you will find his reflections both entertaining and thought provoking.

On another subject, it is with great pleasure we note that Dr. Michael Kenney has been elected President of the USA Section of the ICD for 2012. Mike has been a steady, guiding influence in our organization for so many years. We look forward to his thoughtful, responsible leadership of the USA Section during the coming year. Congratulations Mike!

As always, we ask you to consider nominating a deserving member of your dental community for fellowship in the ICD. Who do you know who has been a leader and has made a difference?

I look forward to seeing you at the General Membership Meeting on November 16, 2011.

## Annual Maryland ACD/ICD Dinner

The annual joint meeting of the ACD/ICD was held on Wednesday, May 11, 2011 at the Sheraton Columbia Hotel. Guest Speaker for the evening was Dr. Nasir Bashirelaho, PhD., Professor in the Department of Oncology and Diagnostic Sciences at the U. of Maryland School of Dentistry. The title of his talk was a quote from Hippocrates, the Father of Medicine: "Let food be your medicine and medicine be your food."



## Planning Meeting

Deputy Regent Ed Morris convened a meeting on September 13, 2011 to discuss the future direction of the Maryland Chapter. The following were in attendance:

Mike Kenney, Robin Gaber, George Williams, Rody Jaeger, John Patterson, Pit Johnson, Mike Belenky, and Bernie Levy.



## CONGRATULATIONS to W. MICHAEL KENNEY

Our own Mike Kenney was installed as President of the USA Section at the annual meeting in October 2011 in Las Vegas. The Maryland Chapter proudly salutes him.

1970	DDS degree from University of Maryland
1970-1972	US Navy stationed at Bainbridge
1973	Anesthesiology residency at University of Maryland Hospital
1977	MS degree in oral surgery/anesthesiology at University of Maryland
1981	President, Harford Cecil Dental Society
1985	Inducted as a Fellow of the International College
1990	Completed year-long program in implantology, Misch Institute, U. of Pittsburg
1991	Mastership in the Academy of General Dentistry
2000-2006	Deputy Regent of the Maryland Chapter
2006-2009	Regent of District 4
2009-present	Officer of the USA Section ascending the ladder to Presidency in October 2011 Although installed, Mike's term as President will actually commence on Jan. 1st.

## A Call for the Maryland Chapter to support Mike's Presidency

There are two meetings in 2012 that could benefit each Maryland Fellow while supporting Mike Kenny at the same time. The first is CEC XXIX to be held at the Westin Savannah Golf Resort in Georgia on March 27-31, 2012. Returning Florida Snowbirds, in particular, need to put this event on their calendar, but all Fellows would enjoy Savannah in late March.

The second is the ADA meeting in San Francisco, the site where Mike was installed as a Fellow in 1985, and now he will preside as President of the USA Section's Board of Regents. The ADA will meet October 18-21, 2012.

## Personal News and Proud Moments of our Maryland Colleagues

Last year **Guy Champaine** became the chair of NERB and the Immediate Past-President of the American Board of Dental Examiners.

A few months ago **Eric Katkow** was appointed to be co-chair (along with his son, Larry) of the Mastership track program of the Maryland Academy of General Dentistry. Upon completion of the program, one can earn the MAGD designation. We encourage our colleagues to take advantage of this program, which takes place twice a year-November and April.

**Gary Clendenin** conveys his greetings to the Maryland Chapter, and misses being with the Fellows; however, a diagnosis of early Parkinson's Disease prevents his driving to meetings. In past years, Gary particularly enjoyed presenting the George B. Clendenin award to the Freshman student with the highest scholastic record.

**Tom Soliday** stood for re-election for ADA speaker in a contested race in Las Vegas on October 13th. Tom was, in fact, re-elected, and 2012 will mark Tom's 10th and last HOD (he says).

**Rick Grubb** is just finishing his term as President of the Northeastern District of the American Academy of Implant Dentistry.

**Al Ousborne** and Joe Blaes of *Dental Economics* are chairing the annual 2013 meeting of the American Academy of Dental Practice Association at the Cosmopolitan Hotel in Las Vegas. It has kept both of them very busy since last year setting up the arrangements for a terrific meeting to help members and guests enhance their professional and personal growth. It has been an exciting challenge.

**Will Parsons** responded humorously that while there are no changes in his life, he is delighted to report that seeing pink flesh in the mirror each morning enables him to get going each day.

**Larry "Professor" Brandenburg** is now a dental instructor at the Perryville branch of the University of Maryland Dental School.

**Frederick Preis** has been appointed Interim Chair of the Department of Orthodontics at the University of Maryland School of Dentistry, succeeding **Stuart Josell** who moved to the new East Carolina University in a similar capacity. The change occurred on April 1, 2011.

**Bill Schneider** received MSDA's Distinguished Service Award on September 25th in Ocean City. **Tom Soliday** delivered the introduction. Bill's retirement life this summer was a 7-week boating trip up to the Great Lakes from Florida, past NYC into the Hudson River, Erie Canal Oswego Canal, Trent-Severn Waterway in Canada; then into Lake Huron and its North passage and Georgian Bay areas into Makinaw Island and onto Lake Travis. After traveling 1400 miles and 73 locks, Bill left the boat in Holland, MI. While Bill calls this the most fabulous trip of a lifetime, he is about to embark this Fall on a 3-week "vacation" to New Zealand.

**Warren Morganstein** and Janice have also taken up river boat cruising. Although not leasing private craft overseas, they have done the next best thing with Viking River Cruises with trips to China and Russia. In September, they embarked on a cruise to Viet Nam and Cambodia to celebrate their 45th anniversary.

**October 2011**

**CONVOCAATION**

**in Las Vegas**

**CRAIG E. SLOTKE**

Johns Hopkins University BA 1974  
Baltimore College of Dental Surgery DDS 1978  
Baltimore City Dental Society President, 1995  
Maryland State Dental Association Speaker of House of Delegates, 2004-present

**BERNARD ALAN LEVY**

Ohio University AB 1963  
Western Reserve University DDS 1966  
Indiana University MSD (Oral Maxillofacial Pathology) 1969  
University of MD Dental School Associate Professor Oral Pathology 42 years  
Carroll County Dental Society

**ARTHUR C. JEE**

University of Cincinnati '67-'69; Case Western '69-'71 BS 1971  
University of Louisville DMD 1975  
Washington Hospital Center Oral Maxillofacial Surgery 1979  
Southern Maryland Dental Society  
American Association of Oral Maxillofacial Surgery President-elect 2011



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International College of Dentists  
Annual Business Meeting  
Towson Golf and Country Club  
Wednesday, November 16, 2011  
6:30 P.M.

Memo: All members of the Maryland Chapter of the International College of Dentists  
From: Edwin L. Morris, DDS, Deputy Regent  
Re: ICD Annual Business Meeting, Wednesday, November 16, 2011

This year the Annual General Membership Business Meeting will be held at the Towson Golf and Country Club.

The evening will begin at 6:30 P.M. with a cash bar and hors d'oeuvres. Dinner will start with a tossed green salad. Your choice of dinner entrees are: A 5oz. filet mignon served with herb butter and topped with crab meat; or grilled fillet of Atlantic salmon. A glass of wine will be served with each entrée.

Directions to the Towson Golf and Country Club:

- From the Baltimore Beltway, Rt. I 695, take exit 27B toward MD-146N/ Dulaney Valley Road.
- Go north on Dulaney Valley Road/MD-146 for 4.1 miles.
- Make a slight right hand turn after crossing the bridge on Dulaney Valley Road.
- Go approximately 1 mile
- Turn left at Stone Hill Road

Please cut and mail this registration to:

Dr. George H. Williams, III  
12116 Jerusalem Road  
Kingsville, Maryland, 21087

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I will attend the ICD Annual Business Meeting on Wednesday, November 16, 2011

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Entrée Selection: (check one) Filet mignon topped with Crab \_\_\_\_\_, Salmon \_\_\_\_\_

Number of tickets: \_\_\_\_\_ @\$50.00/ticket \_\_\_\_\_ total

Make checks payable to: ICD- Maryland Section

Reservations must be received by Friday, November 11, 2011