

Committee Name: New Professionals Committee Date and Time of meeting: March 27, 2019, 6:44 pm

Chair: Dr. Augie Lagemann

Members attending: Drs. Don Call, Sarah Murray, Rahul Patel, Angela Chai, John Shen,

David Lai, Erin Beveridge, Theresa Dao, Monica Wu, Jennifer Yau

Members absent: numerous

Staff and Liaisons: Michael Tran, Candace Roney

Guests: Dr. Niloofar Zarkesh

NEXT MEETING: September 17, 2019, 6:30 pm

Super Bowl Party Review	Dr. Augie Lagemann and Michael Tran reported. While the Super Bowl Party exceeded its budget, one planned event this year was cancelled so the funds can be allocated to the Super Bowl event. About 30 people attended the party at various times during the game. The committee decided to try another sports event TV party, perhaps during NCAA March Madness. Members could fill out a bracket via social media and win prizes at the party. Those who sign up early will receive an extra ticket for prizes.
May Meetup	The committee and Michael Tran reported. May meetup is May 14. The committee would like to try Greenfish catering, which provides Asian fusion fare, again. The committee brainstormed different ice breaker games for May, but agreed that bingo was still a good icebreaker game for the September meetup where most new members would be attending. Ice breaker ideas: Three things about yourself Two truths and a lie

	Wear a sign with your name on the backCocktail matching
	The committee chose "Three things about yourself" as the ice breaker game for the May meetup as it was done at a CDA event with good results.
	Prizes will be Amazon gift cards and a voucher for a CE class. At the previous meetup, several vendors won prizes and the committee agreed that only members should be eligible for prizes. Tickets will be given only to members who rsvp for the event.
Social Media Visibility	The committee discussed bringing more visibility to SCCDS events by using social media such as Instagram, Facebook, and Twitter. Many new professionals and younger dentists are social media savvy so they are more likely to hear and learn about SCCDS news and events through social media. Plus it shows people outside how active SCCDS and its members are.
	Social media could also be used to promote and give awareness to smaller events and lesser-known programs like Dinner for 10, mentor/mentee program, the fluoride varnish program and community dental education outreach events.
	Members are encouraged to email event pictures to Erich Larson (erichl@sccds.org) so he can post them to SCCDS social media.
	Michael will email to the committee the social media guidelines.
Mentorship Task Force	Dr. Louis Tieu and Candace Roney reported.
	The Mentor/Mentee matchup event was combined with the May Meetup when low signups for the March matchup event caused its cancellation. The Mentor/Mentee Task force will meet in May to plan events targeting the new 2019 graduates. Ms. Roney is attending a CDA Executives meeting May 15 with mentor programs on the agenda. It seems other components may be having similar challenges in getting mentor programs up and running.
Revised upcoming events in 2019	Michael Tran reported.
	The committee reviewed remaining 2019 events and combined the planned "Pumpkin Carving Night" and "Board Game Night" into a new event called "SCCDS Halloween Party" scheduled for October 29.

	The new members BBQ is Thursday, August 8. The committee formed a new members BBQ Task Force: -Dr. Rahul Patel -Dr. Sarah Murray -Dr. Erin Beveridge -Dr. Augie Lagemann -Dr. Theresa Dao -Dr. Angela Chai Upcoming new professionals committee events: May Meetup – May 14 New Members BBQ – August 8 September Meetup – September 24 SCCDS Halloween Party – October 29
Possible new events and activities	Dr. Erin Beveridge and Candace Roney reported. The committee discussed possible new events to "get away" from the SCCDS building. Possible outdoor events include canoeing, or an oral cancer walk hosted by SCCDS. Ms. Roney said if it's an outdoor physical event then there may be liability issues. Knowing that liability will be an issue, the committee will continue to look into possible safe outdoor events that maybe won't risk people getting into an accident or being injured. Ms. Roney will investigate liability issues for Society-sponsored events involving physical activity/risk.

Michael Tran	Send the committee the SCCDS social media guidelines.
Candace Roney	 Look into liability issues if a physical activity event is hosted by SCCDS.