



DENTURIST CONVENTION 2024

May 29 - June 1, 2024

Penticton Lakeside Resort & Conference Centre, Penticton, BC



SCHEDULE + COURSE OVERVIEWS

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Dear Convention Registrants,

As we draw closer to our much-awaited convention, AGM, and Trade Show, we are excited to welcome you all. We've been working tirelessly to ensure that this event exceeds your expectations and provides valuable insights and opportunities for everyone involved. We're excited to provide you with further details about the event and some important updates:

1. **Education Lineup:** Our convention agenda is packed with an excellent lineup of educational sessions designed to provide you with 20 CE credits. Please review the enclosed convention agenda for details. Note that the agenda may be subject to changes, so stay tuned for updates.
2. **CPR Certification:** We're offering CPR certification and re-certification at a small additional charge. It's a valuable opportunity to ensure your CPR skills are up-to-date. Don't miss out on this important offering.
3. **Gala Event:** You asked, we listened! We have brought back the Gala Event on Thursday night. Join us for an unforgettable evening featuring dinner, an awards ceremony, music trivia, and dancing with DJ JSC. It promises to be an evening of celebration and fun!
4. **Hotel Accommodations:** Remember to book your hotel accommodations by April 29, 2024, to take advantage of the discounted rate. Refer to the enclosed hotel booking information for instructions on how to secure your stay.
5. **Family-Friendly Environment:** Families are more than welcome to join us at the convention! Enjoy the beautiful weather, private beach-front location, and a plethora of activities. And for the adults, there's plenty of wine to be enjoyed.
6. **Hands-On Workshop Information:** We're offering several hands-on workshops, exclusive to DABC licensed members. Please register for only one hands-on workshop to allow all licensed DABC members the opportunity to participate fully. Additionally, all CPR courses are not only available to DABC members but also available to DABC staff.

A heartfelt thank you to our sponsors whose generous support makes our event possible. We truly appreciate their contributions.

Should you have any questions or need further assistance, please don't hesitate to reach out to the DABC office at info@denturist.bc.ca or by phone at 604-886-1705. We're here to help.

We look forward to welcoming you to an enriching and enjoyable convention experience!

Team DABC



2024 DABC Convention Agenda

(Agenda may be subject to changes)

Hands-On Workshops are highlighted in light yellow

Tuesday, May 28th

5:30 pm to 8:30 pm	Registration
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Wednesday, May 29th

7:30 am to 5:00 pm	Registration
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7:00 am to 8:15 am	Breakfast
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8:15 am to 8:25 am	Welcome Speech
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8:30 am to 10:00 am	Evolve Dentistry Canada - Digital COPY dentures! – Ashtyn Hoffer
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8:30 am to 10:15 am	The Denturist Association of Canada: DACnet and Canadian Dental Care Plan Fee Grid – Mallory Potter
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10:30 am to 12:00 pm	Annual General Meeting
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12:00 pm to 1:15 pm	Lunch
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1:15 pm to 2:45 pm	3shape: Immediate Dentures with 3Shape – it's a no brainer! – Tanya Little
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1:15 pm to 2:45 pm	Alzheimer's Society of BC - Building a Strong Foundation for Dementia Care - Mary Beth Rutherford
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3:00 pm to 4:30 pm	Dentsply Sirona – TO BE ANNOUNCED - Devaughn Fraser
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5:00 pm – 6:30 pm	DABC HOSPITALITY NIGHT –Enjoy complimentary drinks and appetizers on the Bufflehead Patio
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Thursday, May 30th

	Registration
7:00 am to 8:30 am	Breakfast
8:00 am to 12:00 pm	Swiss NF – Locator Overdenture Bar Hands-On Workshop – Mark Chan – max 15 people.
8:30 am to 10:00 am	Ivoclar: My Journey from Analog to Digital Prosthetics – And Why I Love Digital Dentures– Markus Fischer
8:30 am to 10:00 am	Front End Tips and Tricks - Dana Slovak
10:30 am to 12:00 pm	Nobel Biocare: Review of Anatomical Structures of the Maxillo-Mandibular Complex - Dr. Reena Talwar
10:30 am to 12:00 pm	Dentsply Sirona: Next Level Dentures - In 3 Appointments! - Jimmy Stegall
12:00 pm to 1:15 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Vita: Make digital dentures your premium dentures (Lecture) – Jennifer Dibben
1:15 pm to 2:45 pm	Nobel Biocare: Implant Treatment Planning :Two-Stage, Immediate Load and Maintenance Protocols - Dr.Reena Talwar
2:00 pm to 5:00 pm	Vita: Let loose your inner artist! Finishing techniques that will make your digital denture one of a kind (Hands-On Workshop) – Jennifer Dibben – max 15 people
3:00 pm to 4:00 pm	SDI (North America) Inc.: Incorporating Professional Whitening at the Clinic Denise Kusinski
3:00 pm to 5:00 pm	DomX: Optimizing Practice Management & Digital Strategies – Dean Fenwick
5:30 pm to 6:30 pm	Join us for complimentary drinks generously sponsored by Zahn Canada, a division of Henry Schein
6:30 pm onwards	Gala Event: Join us for dinner, awards ceremony and music trivia and dancing with DJ JSC! Cash bar available. Tickets available for purchase through online registration.

Friday, May 31st

Registration

7:00 am to 8:30 am	Breakfast
8:00 am to 2:30 pm	CPR C – AED Certification (6.5 hours) – max 18 people. There will be a small additional charge for this course upon registration.
8:30 am to 10:00 am	Straumann Canada: Pathways in Full Arch Implant Solutions: A comprehensive overview – Dr. Faraj Edher
10:30 am to 12:00 pm	The Happiness Formula for Dental Professionals – Dr. Ho Young Chung
10:30 am to 12:00 pm	Panthera: Why compromise on Aesthetics, Strength and Hygiene on your full arch restorations when you can achieve them all with the new ultimate solutions with an Implant Bar supported restoration. – Andreas Klie
12:00 pm to 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm to 2:30 pm	Dr. Marketing: Dental Marketing Best Practices and Strategic Marketing – Part 2 - Brandon Bosch
1:00 pm to 2:30 pm	Dentsply Sirona: TO BE ANNOUNCED - Jonathan Verroche
2:30 pm to 6:30 pm	DABC TRADE SHOW: Join us for complimentary drinks and appetizers generously sponsored by Dentsply Sirona starting at 4:00 pm
6:00 pm to 6:30 pm	Trade Show Prize Draws
6:30 pm onwards	Free Night

Saturday, June 1st

7:00 am to 8:30 am	Breakfast
8:00 am to 12:00 pm	Keller Method Vitality: Prevent Practice Pain (4-hour active workshop) – Kathleen Keller -max 16 people
8:30 am to 12:30 pm	CPR C – AED Recertification (4 hours) / must have valid existing certification - max 18 people. There will be a small additional charge for this course upon registration.
8:30 am to 10:00 am	Argen Canada - Redefining Removables: Full Arch Removable Restorations with Fixed Restoration Feel – Dr. Jack Wasserstein



CODE OF CONDUCT

The Denturist Association of BC has implemented a Code of Conduct, which we expect everyone, including family members, to uphold throughout our events. The Code of Conduct serves as a guideline to ensure a safe, respectful, and inclusive environment for all participants. By adhering to these principles, we can foster a positive atmosphere and promote meaningful interactions among attendees:

1. **Respectful and Inclusive Behavior:** Treat all individuals with respect, irrespective of their race, ethnicity, gender, age, religion, or any other personal characteristics. Encourage a welcoming environment where everyone feels valued, included and safe.
2. **Professionalism:** Maintain a professional demeanor and conduct yourself in a manner that reflects positively on yourself and your organization. Refrain from engaging in any form of harassment, discrimination, or offensive behavior, including excessive alcohol consumption or illicit drug use.
3. **Safety and Security:** Prioritize the safety and security of all attendees. Report any suspicious activities or concerns to event staff or security personnel immediately.
4. **Compliance with Policies and Laws:** Adhere to all event policies, guidelines, and applicable laws. This includes respecting intellectual property rights, avoiding unauthorized distribution of materials, and ensuring compliance with any local regulations.
5. **Responsible Social Media Usage:** Exercise responsible and ethical behavior when using social media during the event. Respect the privacy and confidentiality of fellow attendees and obtain their consent before sharing any personal information or images.

By adhering to these principles, we can collectively create a positive and safe environment that fosters collaboration and professional growth.

Thank you for your cooperation!

Team DABC

Convention Rates and Registration

Online convention registration will be available shortly. Please check your emails and/or the DABC website at <https://denturist.bc.ca/events/dabc-events/>.

Convention Tickets - early bird ends April 30th!

Convention tickets include seminars (hands-on workshops for DABC licensed members only), trade show, meals (breakfast and lunch), Wednesday's hospitality night and the trade show. The Gala Event is an additional charge. There is also a small charge for the CPR courses.

DABC Member/Staff and Out-of-Province Member/Staff Ticket - EARLY BIRD \$659 plus GST until April 30, \$824 plus GST from May 1st onward Includes all DABC and DAC members, spouse/partner and staff.

Student ticket - \$165 plus GST Includes all students who are attending an accredited school for denturism (including CDI). Proof of registration at an accredited school is required.

Additional Optional Tickets

Adult Meal Package - \$329 plus GST For partners/guests who are not attending the Convention seminars but wish to take part in the meals. Package includes the trade show as well as breakfast and lunch for the length of the convention and Wednesday's hospitality night.

Child (12 & under) Food Package - \$164 plus GST For children 12 and under of convention attendees. Package includes breakfast and lunch for length of the convention, and Wednesday's evening event. Children 12 and under are not allowed at the Trade Show. Thank you for your understanding.

Evening Event Only Ticket - \$75 plus GST Includes Wednesday's Welcome Reception and Trade Show for those accompanying a convention attendee and who do not wish to purchase a meal package. If you wish to have meals included, please purchase the Adult Meal Package Ticket instead.

Gala Event Ticket - \$120 plus GST We have brought back the Gala Event on Thursday night. Join us for an unforgettable evening featuring dinner, an awards ceremony, music trivia, and dancing with DJ JSC. It promises to be an evening of celebration and fun! A cash bar will be available for your enjoyment. Please come dressed in semi-formal attire.

Naramata Wine Tour Thursday, May 30th or Friday May 31st - \$169 plus GST. Join in an exceptional wine experience! A 4.5 hr tour visiting four Naramata wineries. Includes all tasting fees, a 3-course gourmet picnic (including GF and vegan options), snacks and water, professional wine guides, air-conditioned vehicle and pick up and drop off at convention hotel. Pickup will be approximately 10:00 am - 11:00 am / drop off 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm on both days. Exact times will be confirmed the day prior.

Refund Policy

Registration cancellation received by the DABC office on or before May 14, 2024 will receive a full refund. Refunds will not be given after that date.

DABC Conference Hotel Information

Penticton Lakeside Resort and Convention Centre is located on the south shore of Okanagan Lake. The Resort includes 273 lake and mountain view guest rooms, each with their own balcony. With over 32,000 sq ft of space and the Okanagan Lake as the scenic backdrop, the Resort's conference center is an idyllic location for a convention and tradeshow.

Rooms must be booked individually on or before **April 29, 2024**, to receive the below discounted rates. Hotel reservations can be done by phone or online:

1. **BY PHONE:** Please call the toll-free reservation line at 1-800-663-9400 and **identify yourself as being with the Denturist Association of BC Conference** to receive the special guestroom rate.
2. **ONLINE:** Please click on the below URL: <http://www.onressystems.com/vendors/pentictonlakesideresort/Group-Reservations.html>. Select the desired dates (**only available for reservations on May 29 though May 31**) and enter promo code **DABC2024**.

IMPORTANT: For extended stays (including May 28 or June 1st, please contact the hotel via phone or email to book at the discounted convention rate. Online booking does not allow you to reserve the extended dates and your whole requested reservation will show as unavailable.

The following are the convention rates (plus applicable taxes and service charges), based on single or double occupancy:

City View Standard Room	\$207.00	CDN
Beach View Standard Room	\$215.00	CDN
Lake View Standard Room	\$223.00	CDN
City View King Room – starting at	\$223.00	CDN
Beach View King Room – starting at	\$231.00	CDN
Lake View King Room – starting at	\$239.00	CDN

Parking is \$15 per vehicle per day for in-house guests.

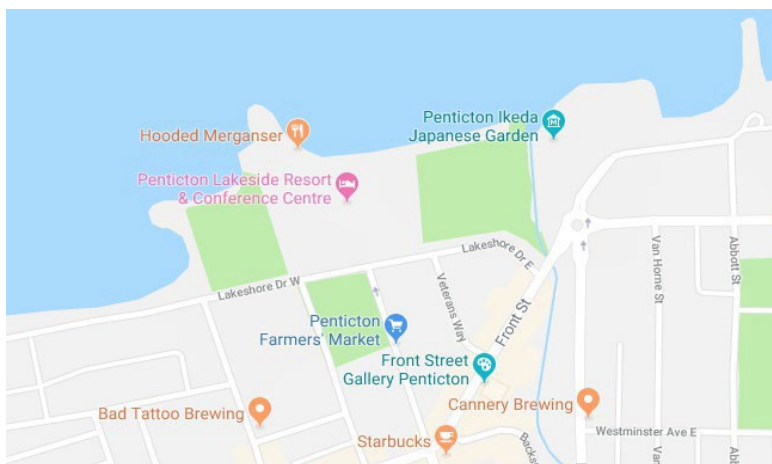
The Hotel location and contact information are as follows:

Penticton Lakeside Resort and Conference Centre

21 Lakeshore Drive West, Penticton, BC V2A 7M5

Hotel Front Desk:

(250) 493-8221
1-800-663-9400





Title: Welcome Speech
Speaker: Robby Jaroudi, DABC President
8:15 am to 8:25 am



Let's kick off the convention with a welcome from the President of the DABC!



Title: Digital COPY Dentures!
Speaker: Ashtyn Hoffer, Director
8:30 am to 10:00 am / 1.5 CE Credits



Overview: A look into Exocad's new denture module additions from update 3.2, learn the basics of Exocad & how to efficiently copy and improve upon your patients existing denture(s) with nothing more than a set of existing denture scans!

About the Speaker: Digital design specialist; Ashtyn Hoffer partnered up with Evolve Dentistry to build a team of expert Exocad designers who now serve clients globally. He has trained technicians and clinicians alike on efficient and accurate digital prosthesis & loves developing new workflows as technology advances.



Title: DACNet and Canadian Dental Care Plan Fee Grid
Speaker: Mallory Potter, Executive Director
8:30 am to 10:00 am / 1.5 CE Credits

Canadian Dental Care Plan – An Overview

This specialized session is crafted exclusively for denturists, providing a detailed exploration of the Canadian Dental Care Plan (CDCP). Denturists will gain an in-depth understanding of the plan, including comprehensive insights into what is covered and what is not. The session will intricately navigate the nuances of the CDCP, ensuring denturists are well-versed in the plan's intricacies.

Denturists will delve into the specifics of coverage, uncovering the breadth of services provided by the CDCP. Equally important, the session will highlight areas that fall outside the scope of the plan, ensuring denturists are fully aware of limitations and can communicate effectively with their patients.

The ins and outs of the CDCP will be thoroughly discussed, empowering denturists with the knowledge needed to seamlessly integrate their services within the framework of the plan. This session is designed to equip denturists with the essential information, addressing the "needs to know" aspects that are critical for navigating the CDCP and providing optimal care to their patients.

Q&A with The DAC Executive Director

This engaging session is designed as a personalized Q&A opportunity for denturists, facilitated by The Denturist Association of Canada (The DAC's) Executive Director. Denturists and their staff are encouraged to bring forward their daily frustrations and burning questions related to DACnet, Fee Guide, general insurance, and front-end operations.

The format of this session is an open dialogue where denturists and their staff can seek solutions and insights directly from The DAC. Attendees are urged to bring specific examples from their professional experiences, allowing for a collaborative exploration of real-world scenarios. The session aims to address the challenges denturists encounter in their daily practices and provide practical guidance.

To enhance the interactive nature of the session, denturists are also encouraged to submit their questions in advance to Mallory Potter at dacdenturist@bellnet.ca. This ensures that the session is tailored to the specific concerns of the participants, maximizing the value of the Q&A and fostering a supportive environment for knowledge exchange and problem-solving.

About the Speaker: Mallory Potter has been The Denturist Association of Canada's Executive Director since 2011. She graduated from the Administration Medical and Legal Program with Distinction from St. Lawrence College in Kingston in 2010. She currently lives in Shannonville, Ontario, with her husband Michael and their three-year-old son Mason. Mallory is passionate about the profession and ensuring all members feel supported and have their questions answered.



Annual General Meeting
Time: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm / 1.5 CE Credits



Title: Immediate Dentures with 3Shape – it's a no brainer
Speaker: Tanya Little, RD
Time: 1:15 pm to 2:45 pm / 1.5 CE Credits

Overview: Tanya will offer clinical and technical perspectives on designing immediate dentures using 3Shape. She will discuss her workflow and share her tips and tricks on what she loves to do the most! Tanya will also review the 3Shape 2D photo overlay process during the design aspect and talk about how successful immediate dentures can be for you.



About the Speaker: Denturist, Tanya Little is the owner of Envision Denture and Implant Centre in Surrey BC, Canada. She has been a Denturist for over 20 years, and during this time she has received ongoing training and education from around the world. Tanya has a keen interest in digital Denturism and started tinkering with digital denture solutions back in 2016. She is enthusiastic about Smile Design for Dentures, Trios intra-oral scanning and designing and printing immediate dentures. Her practice currently uses two Trios IOS, an E3 desktop scanner and Asiga 3D printers for manufacturing. 3Shape scan/design software is her preferred choice. Tanya is a KOL for Asiga and Ivoclar and she is always looking for creative, new ways to use digital technology in her clinic.

Wednesday, May 29, 2024



Title: Building a Strong Foundation for Dementia Care
Speaker: Mary Beth Rutherford, Support & Education Coordinator
Time: 1:15 pm to 2:45 pm / 1.5 CE Credits

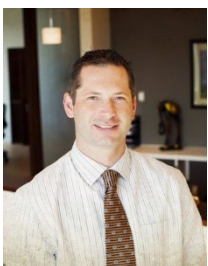
Overview: The Alzheimer Society of B.C. is committed to building a community of care, a province where people living with dementia are acknowledged, included and supported. A key resource we provide is Building a Strong Foundation for Dementia Care, a dementia education workshop for anyone who works with people who live with dementia. In this workshop, dental professionals will learn more about Alzheimer's disease and other dementias, communication and behaviour changes associated with dementia, person-centred strategies and the importance of family care partners in supporting care outcomes.

About the Speaker: Mary Beth Rutherford is a Support and Education Coordinator and Minds in Motion® Coordinator with the Alzheimer Society of B.C. Mary Beth has an Honours degree in Recreation and a Bachelor of Natural Science from Lakehead University. Prior to joining the Alzheimer Society of B.C., Mary Beth worked as a recreation coordinator in long-term care for twenty years, running an adult day program and working specifically with people living with Alzheimer's disease and other dementias.



Title: TBA
Speaker: Devaughn Fraser
Time: 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm / 1.5 CE Credits

Overview: To be announced.



About the Speaker: Devaughn, Director of Highland Dental Laboratory, in Calgary, Alberta passionately likes to share his keen interest in dental technology with dental professionals. Of specific interest is the application of ever-evolving technology in our sector. Devaughn is a Global Trainer for Dentsply Sirona and is also an active Global Speaker, and Beta Tester for many of DS's laboratory and chairside developments. Further, seeking to better understand the needs of the Clinical aspects, Devaughn is also a Spear Institute Mentor for chairside (CEREC).



Enjoy complimentary drinks and appetizers on the Bufflehead Patio.
Time: 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm



Title: Locator Overdenture Bar Hands-On Workshop- Max 15 participants
Speaker: Mark Chan, RD
Time: 8:00 am to 12:00 pm / 4 CE Credits

Overview: This workshop will cover the fundamentals of designing a locator bar to be sent away for digital manufacturing. This includes:

- how to use scan bodies
- uploading scan basic design
- setup and processing on an implant overdenture bar
- framework creation
- maintenance on how to remove and replace attachments
- repair and denture remake protocols.

This is NOT to be a design-heavy workshop.



About the Speaker: Mark Samuel Chan, DD received his diploma from Denturism in Toronto at George Brown College with honours. Currently Mark is practicing in Ontario with a main focus on high-end removable and implant prosthetics. With a passion for both technical and clinical techniques, he is certified in Bio-logic, BPS and SDC denture concepts and is a ZunstZhanWerk "Art of Denture" award winning Denturist. Mark is a sought after consultant and opinion leader in the Denturist and Lab community.



Title: My Journey from Analog to Digital Prosthetics – And Why I Love Digital Dentures
Speaker: Markus Fischer, RD, RDT
Time: 8:30 am to 10:00 am/ 1.5 CE Credits



Overview: Over the last six years, Fischer Denture Clinic has transitioned from analog to digital dentures. Markus will share some of the highs and lows of this ongoing process. He will review some of his favourite clinical procedures, such as alginate and VPS impressions for immediate dentures, partial dentures, Gnathometer CAD lower suction dentures, relines and reference dentures.

About the Speaker: Markus Fischer was born and raised in Germany, immigrated to Canada in 1986 and trained as a dental technician in 1993. He expanded his skills and became a denturist in 2006. Markus is passionate about denture education and was the first Canadian denturist to train with Dr. Jiro Abe. He is a BPS® and SEMCD instructor and resides with his family in Mission, BC, Canada.

Title: Front-End Tips and Tricks

Speaker: Dana Slovak. Office Manager, Beautiful Smiles Denture Clinic

Time: 8:30 am to 10:00 am/ 1.5 CE Credits

Overview: Welcome to "Front office Tips & Tricks," a course designed to help equip you with supplemental skills and knowledge needed to excel in the crucial role of a receptionist or office manager. As the first point of contact for patients, this position plays a pivotal role in ensuring a smooth and efficient operation within a denturist clinic.

In this short course, we'll dive into the fundamental aspects of dental reception, covering topics such as patient communication, WorkSafe BC requirements, insurance processing, and managing staff meetings. Whether you're new to the field or seeking to enhance your existing skills, this course provides helpful tips and tricks.

Key Highlights:

- Appointment Scheduling
- First-Aid Requirements
- Consent Forms
- How to have fun

By the end of this course, you'll emerge with some helpful tips and tricks that will be useful to excel as a dental receptionist or office manager. Join us on this journey to elevate your career in dental administration!

About the Speaker: Meet Dana, a seasoned office manager with a wealth of experience spanning a decade in the denture field. Working at a fast-paced denture clinic, Dana brings a unique blend of administrative finesse and practical insights, with an eye for optimizing office workflows and ensuring seamless patient experiences.



With a commitment to safety, Dana has successfully implemented essential protocols to be WorkSafe BC compliant, such as WHMIS and First Aid. Her meticulous approach ensures compliance with industry standards, creating a secure and well-prepared environment for both staff and patients.

She has also been a firefighter for seven years and has risen the ranks to Training Officer. Breaking down barriers, she proudly became the first female member in her department in over eight years. As a passionate advocate for diversity in the traditionally male-dominated field, she devotes time to educating school-aged children on fire prevention, instilling life-saving knowledge and doing this all while simultaneously being enrolled in the paramedic program.



Title: Review of Anatomical Structures of the Maxillo-Mandibular Complex

Speaker: Dr. Reena Talwar

Time: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm / 1.5CE Credits

Learning Objectives:

- Understand current clinical techniques for identification of maxilla-mandibular complex
- Identify anatomical structures in maxilla and mandibular complex
- Recommend the most appropriate imaging modalities for the identification of structure when planning oral implants



About the Speaker: Dr. Talwar is a certified specialist in oral and maxillofacial surgery, practicing in Edmonton since 2011. She is also an Associate Clinical Professor in the Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry, discipline of oral and maxillofacial surgery, at the University of Alberta.

Dr. Talwar received her Bachelor of Science degree in zoology from the University of Toronto in 1990 and her doctor of dental surgery (DDS) degree from Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio, in 1994. After graduating from dental school, Dr. Talwar did a general practice residency in Chicago at Loyola University Medical Center from 1994 to 1996. She then completed a research fellowship in trauma at Parkland Hospital in Dallas, Texas. Subsequently, she graduated from a combined OMS/PhD training from Baylor School of Dentistry in Dallas, Texas, in 2004.

Dr. Talwar is a member in good standing with the Alberta Dental Association and College (ADA+C), Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Canadian Association of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery, and the Canadian Dental Association. She is also a fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada.

Dr. Talwar has been an Assistant Professor at the University of Kentucky and University of Toronto. She joined the faculty at the University of Alberta in 2010 as an Associate Professor and is active in teaching undergraduate and graduate dental students in the disciplines of head and neck anatomy, oral surgery and implants.



Title: Next Level Dentures - In 3 Appointments!

Speaker: Jimmy Stegall, MBA, CDT

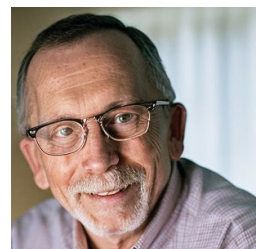
Time: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm / 1.5CE Credits

Overview: The adoption of digital denture workflows continues to see exponential growth, and this program is designed to help attendees understand how to integrate into their practice and laboratory! This course will walk through the basics of various digital denture workflows for immediate, reference, and conventional complete dentures. Clinical guidelines and record taking methods will be presented that make chairside steps easier, and results more predictable for the patient, clinician, and technician. The program will also highlight the latest in digital denture material and fabrication methods.

Learning Objectives:

1. Clinical guidelines for immediate, reference, & conventional digital dentures
2. Providing the best data (records) for predictable results
3. How communication has improved for both Clinician & lab through the digital tools
4. The latest updates to the Lucitone Digital Print process & materials
5. Using Intra-oral scanners to accomplish 3-Appointment dentures

About the Speaker: Jimmy Stegall is a dental industry operational guru with over 4 decades of experience as a technical & clinical educator, author, & research collaborator. He helped build and lead a major dental lab & has now presented 430+ educational events for Dentsply Sirona. As a thought leader, educator, mentor, he has helped to advance digital techniques in dental practices and labs across North America.





Title: Make digital dentures your premium dentures (Lecture)

Speaker: Jennifer Dibben, RDT

Time: 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm / 1 CE Credit

Overview: Careful design, material selection and post milling finishing techniques will ensure a show stopping final denture that stands the test of time.



About the Speaker: Jennifer graduated George Brown College in 1998, received her RDT designation in 2000 and went on to work in both production and boutique laboratory atmospheres. She has been a member of the board of the ADTO and opened Belasco Dental Studio in 2004.

She has lectured internationally for Nobel Biocare for both the Nobel Rondo Porcelain System and All-on-X restorative processes. Currently she is building Rising Tide Dental Lab with Adam McCabe, DD. When she's not working she loves hanging with her kids.



Title: Implant Treatment Planning :Two-Stage, Immediate Load and Maintenance Protocols

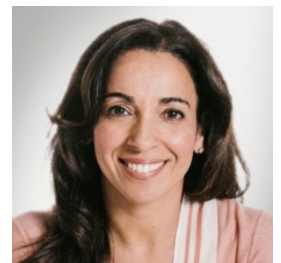
Speaker: Dr. Reena Talwar

Time: 10:15 pm to 2:45 pm / 1.5CE Credits

Learning Objectives:

- Understand the difference between two-stage and immediate load dental implant protocols
- Understand treatment planning both surgically and prosthetically
- Understand dental implant maintenance and re-care protocols.

About the Speaker: Dr. Talwar is a certified specialist in oral and maxillofacial surgery, practicing in Edmonton since 2011. She is also an Associate Clinical Professor in the Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry, discipline of oral and maxillofacial surgery, at the University of Alberta.



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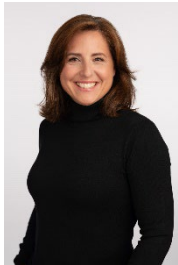


Title: Let loose your inner artist! Finishing techniques that will make your digital denture one of a kind (Hands-On Workshop – max 15 people

Speaker: Jennifer Dibben, RDT

Time: 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm / 3 CE Credits

Overview: This 3-hour hands on program will include a discussion of tooth formation and anatomy as well as shaping and staining techniques that mimic natural dentition. The demonstration will include tissue development with both stain and flowable composite. Participants will each finish their own 1/2 arch to take home.



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Title: Incorporating Professional Whitening at the Clinic

Speakers: Denise Kusinski, Canadian Sales Manager

Time: 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm / 1 CE Credit

Overview: This presentation will provide an overview of whitening solutions and frequently asked questions:

- Understand why teeth discolour;
- Understand patient selection criteria;
- Understand the science of whitening and how it works;
- Understand the difference between hydrogen peroxide and carbamide peroxide solutions and when to utilize each; and
- Understand the different options available, both in-office and take home.



About the Speaker: Denise Kusinski is the Canadian Sales Manager for SDI. Denise has a number of years' experience in the dental industry, previously working with Henry Schein, NSK and Zimmer Dental. Before immersing herself in the dental world, Denise worked with Eagle's Flight, a leader in the development and delivery of practical training programs for the global business community. Denise has a Bachelor of Arts in Economics from University of New Brunswick, and a Master of Science in Rural Planning & Development from University of Guelph.

Thursday May 30th, 2024



Title: Optimizing Practice Management & Digital Strategies
Speaker: Dean Fenwick, Founder / Denturist Office Manager
Time: 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm / 2 CE Credits

Overview: Embark on a lively and transformative journey with Dean Fenwick, the founder of DOMx. This session is tailored to elevate your personal practice. Uncover a treasure trove of best practices drawn from Dean's extensive experience. Learn to maximize the utility of features like professional treatment plan templates, seamlessly incorporating waivers, consent agreements, and payment terms with mail merge tags and digital signatures. These strategies are designed to streamline operations for any practice management system.

This course goes beyond software; it's about refining your practice management workflows and embracing internet marketing techniques. We'll explore effective digital communication methods, including email and text marketing, and the significance of well-designed intake forms and a robust web presence. Whether you're a DOMx user or not, this course offers valuable insights into enhancing patient interactions, boosting efficiency, and driving growth in your practice with modern, digital-forward approaches.



About the Speaker: Dean Fenwick is the founder of Specialized Office Systems Inc. which provides the DOMx practice management system for denturists: www.denturistsoftware.com. He has been a key contributor to the evolution of electronic claim submissions for denturists from its inception. Dean spent years teaching practice management to denturist students at NAIT and continues to support denturist education across Canada. As an avid supporter and champion for denturists, he is committed to the growth and prosperity of this vital industry. Dean firmly believes that with the rapid changes in technology, denturists should not only keep pace but be at the forefront of innovation.



Gala Event
Time: 6:00 pm onwards

Please join us for dinner, awards ceremony, music trivia and dancing with DJ JSC! Cash bar available. Advance tickets must be purchased online at registration.



Title: CPR C – AED Certification – additional cost
Speaker: Okanagan Priority One Trauma
Time: 8:00 am to 2:30 pm / 6.5 CE Credits

Overview: The Canadian Red Cross Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) level C course is a 6.5 hour program and provides the skills needed to recognize and respond to cardiovascular emergencies and choking for adults, children, and infants. Includes training in the use of an automated external defibrillator (AED). Courses offer training suitable for workplace or general interest. Includes the latest CPR guidelines.

Course fees include: PDF version of curriculum manual, 1 Pocket mask in a hard shell & 3 year certification.

Participants can reprint their certificate if lost through Red Cross course manager.

What you will learn:

- CPR-C: CPR—Adult, Child, Infant
- The First Aider's Role
- Check, Call, Care
- Recovery Position
- Choking—Adult, Child, Infant
- Assisting with Medications
- Angina and Heart Attack
- Stroke
- Deadly Bleeding

Prerequisites: Participants must be physically able to perform the required skills.



Title: Pathways in Full Arch Implant Solutions: A comprehensive overview
Speaker: Faraj Edher, DDS, MSc, Dip. Pros, FRCD(C)
Time: 8:30 am to 10:00 am / 1.5 CE Credits

Overview: This presentation offers a deep dive into the essentials of full arch implant solutions. Attendees will explore different facets of this treatment modality, from planning stages to the variety of restorative options available, including both implant retained and supported overdentures, and fixed and removable options. This session aims to provide an overview of current practices and methodologies, setting a solid groundwork for excellence in patient care.

Learning Objectives:

1. Understand Full Arch Implant Fundamentals: Develop a thorough understanding of the fundamental principles behind full arch implant solutions, including the key stages of treatment planning and execution.
2. Explore Restorative Options: Gain insights into the comprehensive range of restorative options for full arch implants, including the pros and cons of implant retained vs. supported solutions, and fixed vs. removable options.
3. Grasp Treatment Planning and Guide Design: Learn about the importance of precise treatment planning and guide design in achieving optimal outcomes in full arch implantology.
4. Familiarize with Current Practices and Methodologies: Stay informed on the latest practices, methodologies, and technologies that are shaping the future of full arch implant solutions.



About the Speaker: Dr. Faraj Edher, DDS, MSc, Dip. Pros, FRCD(C), is a Specialist in Prosthodontics. He received his dental degree from the University of Sharjah College of Dental Medicine, and then continued his Masters in Craniofacial Science and post-graduate specialty training in Prosthodontics at the University of British Columbia. Dr. Edher is the Founder of one of Canada's largest study clubs, the BC Dental Study and the Director of the Digital Dentistry Institute. He is passionate about innovation and education in the fields of digital dentistry, prosthodontics, and implant dentistry. He is a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada, and an active member of the American College of Prosthodontists, Association of Prosthodontists of Canada, and the Canadian Association of Restorative Dentistry and Prosthodontics. He has founded, co-founded, and is actively involved with several international dental associations, and has represented Canadian dentists and dental students at multiple international platforms. In addition to practicing full time in Vancouver, Dr. Edher is a Clinical Assistant Professor and guest lecturer at the University of British Columbia.

Title: The Happiness Formula for Dental Professionals

Speaker: Dr. Ho Young Chung

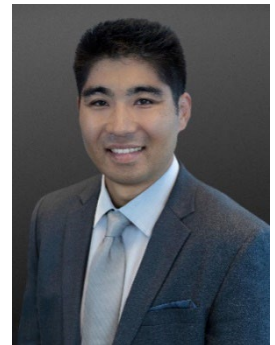
Time: 10:30 pm to 12:00 pm / 1.5 CE Credits

Overview: What does implants have anything to do with happiness? In this presentation, Dr. Chung brings honesty, humbleness, and humour to talk about his 13 years of implant dentistry and how it has impacted his patients, his life, and most importantly, himself. Grab a coffee and a pastry for a chat among friends to talk about what it really feels like to be working on teeth (and how hard it is).

Lecture Objectives:

- What is the equation for happiness?
- Why is my job so hard?
- Why are patients such a pain in the a\$\$?
- How can we make our staff happy?
- Is balance even possible in our profession?

About the Speaker: Dr. Ho-Young Chung is a general dentist whose practice has been limited to implant dentistry since 2015. He has a referral-only (solo) practice in Kamloops, BC, Canada and places 800+ implants per year. Dr. Chung lectures on various topics including Immediate Anterior and Posterior Implant Therapy, Implant Complications, Sinus Augmentation, and Immediate Implant Overdentures. Dr. Chung has twice performed Live Implant Surgery at the Pacific Dental Conference on the Main Stage. As a faculty member of Zest Dental Solutions, he is recognized as one of the world leaders in immediate implant overdenture therapy Dr. Chung is the Founder of CEJ Academy, an implant training facility that hosts live surgery and hands-on courses on a variety of implant topics. He is a Key Opinion Leader for Megagen Implant Canada and W & H and a faculty instructor for Zest Dental Solutions.





Title: Why compromise on Aesthetics, Strength and Hygiene on your full arch restorations when you can achieve them all with the new ultimate solutions with an Implant Bar supported restoration.

Speaker: Andreas Klie, RDT

Time: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm / 1.5 CE Credits

Learning Objectives:

- Discuss the demanding challenges of optimal implant retained dental solutions and look at solutions available for some of those challenging cases.
- Discuss how the introduction of CAD/CAM has impacted restorative options and workflows
- Review new implant bar solutions; including function, aesthetics, and hygiene



About the Speaker: Andreas is a Registered Dental Technologist with over 35 years of experience in the dental field. Andreas graduated from Technikon School of Dental Technology in South Africa in 1986. He founded La Lucia Dental Laboratory in 1991 and operated it until he came to Canada in 2001. In 2005, he became an RDT in Ontario. Andreas plays a major role in Panthera Dental's strategy to incorporate more technical guides and articles into its portfolio. His experience as a dental technologist, combined with his field experience, allows him to offer customers precise and detailed solutions on a more technical level.



Title: TBA

Speaker: Jonathan Verroche

Time: 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm / 1.5 CE Credits

Overview: To be announced.



About the Speaker: Jonathan Verroche is a native of Niagara, raised in the beautiful town of Fonthill. His diversity and involvement in the practice has been an asset in growing the Verroche Denture Clinic for the past fifteen years. He graduated from George Brown College with honours and is an active member of the Denturist Association of Ontario and Canada. Jonathan believes strongly in continuing education and enjoys staying current with the latest technology and protocols which allows him to practice a wide variety of procedures, specializing in Full Arch rehabilitation and Digital workflows.

Friday, May 31st 2023



Dr. Marketing

Title: Dental Marketing Best Practices and Strategic Marketing - Part 2

Speaker: Brandon Bosch

Time: 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm / 1.5 CE Credits

Overview: This is a continuation from 2023 convention's video presentation. Dr. Marketing is here to make sense of the complex world of dental marketing. Most denturists we meet are unaware of all the interesting ways to generate patient leads, how a lead can be tracked through a Google or Facebook campaign, or how much a marketing budget should be and what it should be spent on. This lecture will cover common marketing mistakes, rules and regulations the association sets, determining a proper marketing budget, and more. Mr. Bosch will also share strategies of what some of Dr. Marketing's top denturists are doing across the country. The goal is to ensure denturists are effectively marketed based on their growth goals and budget and that they meet the ethical standards of marketing a dental practice.

About the Speaker: I am a performance-driven and motivated speaker with an entrepreneurial background. I have presented original seminars, speeches, and workshops on education, marketing, technology, and healthcare at universities and conferences throughout North America, Europe, and the Caribbean. I also come from a film background, so, learning how to remain calm and think on my feet in highly stressful situations comes second nature.



Trade Show

Time: 2:30 pm to 6:30 pm / 2 CE Credits

Drinks starting at 4:00 pm

Prize Draw at 6:00 pm



Title: Prevent Practice Pain (4-hour Active Workshop) – Max 16 People
Speaker: Kathleen Keller, Owner, Therapeutic-Exercise Specialist
Time: 8:00 am to 12:00 pm / 4 CE Credits

Overview: Kat's goal is that pain will NOT take you out of practice early! You will learn things that you wish you had known before you started to practice.

This LIVELY and ACTIVE session will give you:

- An eye-opening awareness of your “myofascial-body” and how it relates to pain and dysfunction.
- Upper body exercise strategies tailored for the musculoskeletal issues that plague your community the most.
- A deep understanding of your “core”, how to activate it correctly and how this relates to seated postures and pain.
- Exercises to strengthen and open your psoas (hip flexor). Imbalances here greatly contribute to low back pain.
- An unforgettable experience releasing your pectoral (chest) muscles with an air-filled therapeutic ball. Balls will be available if you wish to purchase.
- A detailed and comprehensive manual is included, so you don't need to take notes.

IMPORTANT - PLEASE COME PREPARED! Wear exercise clothing, runners are not needed.

PLEASE BRING:

- Mat, small head pillow, a hand towel, a 1 or 2 lb. weight or a can of soup
- An open mind prepared to move and experience something fantastic for your body!



About the Speaker: Kathleen is a therapeutic-exercise specialist based in Calgary. She has 40+ years teaching experience. Kat is a master Rehab Pilates Practitioner, a Myofascial Educator and a Tension & Trauma Release Specialist. Since 2008, her private practice has been based out of Physiotherapy clinics.

Kat has presented at many Dental events including the Pacific Dental and Chicago Midwinter conferences. She has helped over a thousand Dental Professionals prevent and remediate practice related pain. She lectures, gives active workshops and private sessions in the following areas:

- Myofascia & Posture Education
 - Pilates Rehab based exercise prescription for practice related issues
 - Self-Myofascia Release Techniques (SMR)
 - TRE® – Tension & Trauma Release Exercise
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Title: CPR C – AED Re-Certification – additional cost
Speaker: Okanagan Priority One Trauma
Time: 8:30 am to 12:30 pm / 4 CE Credits

Overview: This is a 4-hour Recertification course designed for students who hold a current CPR Level C AED certification. Students taking this class will review the materials covered in the CPR level C AED Course. Course fees include: PDF version of curriculum manual, 1 Pocket mask in a hard shell & 3 year certification.

Prerequisites: Participants must be physically able to perform the required skills. **Participants who register for the recertification must have a current, unexpired certificate and show it to the instructor at the beginning of the course.**



Title: Redefining Removables: Full Arch Removable Restorations with Fixed Restoration Feel
Speaker: Dr. Jack Wasserstein
Time: 8:30 am to 10:00 am / 1.5 CE Credits

Overview: Are you a dentist on the cusp of venturing into the digital realm of implant dentistry? Join us for an enlightening course designed for professionals like you, who are new to digital solutions and full arch implant cases. Led by Dr. Jack E. Wasserstein, DDS, this course promises to cover cutting-edge digital implant workflows.

During this course, we will:

- Review the history of traditional implant dentistry
- Explore the evolution of removable implant restorations, highlighting contemporary designs that mimic fixed restorations but are still removable
- Discuss the critical rationale for choosing digital removable implant restorations, particularly for full arch rehabilitations, and how they can elevate patient outcomes and satisfaction.











This course is a golden opportunity for denturists looking to broaden their horizons and embrace the digital revolution in implant dentistry. Whether you're seeking to enhance your knowledge base, improve your clinical skills, or simply curious about what digital implant workflows can offer, this course will provide you with the insights and confidence to start exploring full arch implant cases in your practice.



About the Speaker: Dr. Jack E. Wasserstein, DDS, a distinguished figure in Periodontics and Dental Implant Dentistry, has dedicated over three decades to advancing dental health. Beyond his successful private practice in Valencia, California, Dr. Wasserstein profoundly impacts dental education and community engagement. His involvement with various esteemed dental associations and the creation of Periodontist.org underlines his dedication to the dental community and public education. Dr. Wasserstein's passion for digital workflows is evident in his mastery of CAD designing with software like 3Shape and B4D, coupled with extensive experience in CAM processes manufacturing all variations of prosthetics in his in-house laboratory. An expert in integrating technology with clinical practice, he excels in enhancing dental treatments through digital innovations. Dr. Wasserstein is a respected lecturer in implant dentistry, passionately advancing dental practices and patient care.

CE Credits for DABC 2024 Convention

Please use this table as a tool to count your CE credits. This is for your personal use only.

Course	Date	Time	Credits	Sponsor
Digital COPY dentures! • Presented by Ashtyn Hoffer	Wednesday May 29	8:30 am-10:00 am	1.5	
DACNet and Canadian Dental Care Plan Fee Grid • Presented by Mallory Potter	Wednesday May 29	8:30 am-10:00 am	1.75	
Annual General Meeting	Wednesday May 29	10:30 am-12:00 pm	1.5	
Immediate Dentures with 3Shape - it's a no brainer! • Presented by Tanya Little	Wednesday May 29	1:15 pm - 2:45 pm	1.5	
Building a Strong Foundation for Dementia Care • Presented by Mary Beth Rutherford	Wednesday May 29	1:15 pm - 2:45 pm	1.5	
To be announced • Presented by Devaughn Fraser	Wednesday May 29	3:00 pm to 4:30 pm	1.5	
Locator Overdenture Bar Hands-On Workshop • Presented by Mark Chan	Thursday, May 30	8:00 am to 12:00 pm	4	
My Journey from Analog to Digital Prosthetics... • Presented by Markus Fischer	Thursday, May 30	8:30 am to 10:00 am	1.5	
Front-End Tips and Tricks • Presented by Dana Slovak	Thursday, May 30	8:30 am to 10:00 am	1.5	
Review of Anatomical Structures of the Maxillo-Mandibular Complex • Presented by Dr. Reena Talwar	Thursday, May 30	10:30 am to 12:00 pm	1.5	
Next Level Dentures - In 3 Appointments! • Presented by Jimmy Stegall	Thursday, May 30	10:30 am to 12:00 pm	1.5	
Make digital dentures your premium dentures • Presented by Jennifer Dibben	Thursday, May 30	1:00 pm to 2:00 pm	1	
Implant Treatment Planning :Two-Stage, Immediate Load and Maintenance ... • Presented by Dr. Reena Talwar	Thursday, May 30	1:15 pm to 2:45 pm	1.5	
Let loose your inner artist... (Hands-On Workshop) • Presented by Jennifer Dibben	Thursday, May 30	2:00 pm to 5:00 pm	3	
Incorporating Professional Whitening at the Clinic • Presented by Denise Kusinski	Thursday, May 30	3:00 pm to 4:00 pm	1	
Optimizing Practice Management & Digital Strategies • Presented by Dean Fenwick	Thursday, May 30	3:00 pm to 5:00 pm	2	
CPR C – AED Certification	Friday, May 31	8:00 am to 2:30 pm	6.5	
Pathways in Full Arch Implant Solutions: A comprehensive overview • Presented by Dr. Faraj Edher	Friday, May 31	8:30 am to 10:00 am	1.5	
The Happiness Formula for Dental Professionals • Presented by Dr. Ho Young Chung	Friday, May 31	10:30 am to 12:00 pm	1.5	
Why compromise on Aesthetics, Strength and Hygiene... • Presented by Andreas Klie	Friday, May 31	10:30 am to 12:00 pm	1.5	
Dental Marketing Best Practices and Strategic Marketing... • Presented by Brandon Bosch	Friday, May 31	1:00 pm to 2:30 pm	1.5	
To be announced • Presented by Jonathan Verroche	Friday, May 31	1:00 pm to 2:30 pm	1.5	
Trade Show	Friday, May 31	2:30 pm to 6:30 pm	2	
Prevent Practice Pain (4-hour Active Workshop) • Presented by Kathleen Keller	Saturday, June 1	8:00 am to 12:00 pm	4	
CPR C – AED Re-Certification	Saturday, June 1	8:30 am to 12:30 pm	4	
To be announced • Presented by Dr. Jack Wasserstein	Saturday, June 1	8:30 am to 10:00 am	1.5	
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ADDITIONAL EVENTS

NARAMATA WINE TOURS

Join in an exceptional wine experience! Award-winning, Grape Escapes Wine Tours, will take you on a 4.5 hr tour visiting four Naramata wineries. Includes all tasting fees, a 3-course gourmet picnic (including GF and vegan options), snacks and water, professional wine guides, air-conditioned vehicle and pick up and drop off at convention hotel.

DATES: Thursday, May 30 and Friday, May 31

TIME: Pickup will be approximately 10:00 am - 11:00 am / drop off 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm on both days. Exact times will be confirmed the day prior.

PRICE: \$169 (plus GST) per person per trip

HOW TO BUY: Please purchase in advance when registering for the convention online.

SPA SERVICES - CONVENTION SPECIAL!

Located just steps away from Penticton Lakeside Resort and Conference Centre, Melt Mineral Spa offers a sanctuary where you can relax and de-stress. Choose from a variety of spa services, including customized facials, a total body meltdown massage and relaxing pedicures. Melt Mineral Spa is happy to offer 25% off all services. Please book directly with the spa at 250-492-5353 and mention the DABC conference when booking to receive the discount. Remember to book as soon as possible as appointments fill up fast!

Address: 53 Front Street, Penticton, BC | www.meltmineralspa.com

Hours of Operation: Tuesday - Friday 10am - 6pm | Saturday 9am

EVENING EVENTS

The Hospitality Night and Trade Show are included in convention attendee tickets, meal package tickets and event only tickets.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29TH, 5:00 to 6:30 PM

DABC Hospitality Night: Please join us for a meet and greet on the Bufflehead patio. Complimentary drinks and appetizers will be served.

THURSDAY MAY 30TH, 5:30 – 6:30 PM

Zahn Canada, a Division of Henry Schein, invites attendees and exhibitors to join them for complimentary drinks.

THURSDAY MAY 30TH, 6:30 PM ONWARDS

Gala Event: Get ready for a night of fun and celebration that will be enjoyed by all! You are invited to join us for a spectacular gala event. This unforgettable evening will feature a delicious dinner, an awards ceremony, engaging music trivia, and lively dancing with DJ JSC. A cash bar will be available for your enjoyment. Please come dressed in semi-formal attire.

PRICE: \$120 plus GST per person

HOW TO BUY: Please purchase in advance when registering for the convention online.

FRIDAY MAY 31ST, 4:00 to 6:30 PM

Dentsply Sirona invites you for complimentary drinks and appetizers at the trade show after 4:00 pm.