Opening Meeting with Spouses, Significant Others  
DC Sports  
Mr. Andy Pollin  
(of 106.7 the FAN Radio)

Tuesday, September 19th

5:30-6:00: Open Bar  
6:00-6:30 PM: Networking  
6:30-8:00 PM: Lecture  
4935 Bar & Kitchen  
4935 Cordell Ave., Bethesda, MD

Come out for a fun evening as Andy Pollin discusses some of the hot topics within DC sports.

This is not a CE event, but instead a chance to mix and mingle with members and their significant others.

Approved PACE Program Provider FAGD/MAGD Credit. Approval does not imply acceptance by a state or provincial board of dentistry or AGD endorsement.  
2/1/2016 to 1/31/2019  
Provider ID # 218948  

Teaching Method: Lecture  
Intended Audience: Dentists

Cancellation Policy: Cancellations for non AO members will be accepted up to 3 days before the date of the course, without penalty. After that, no refund will be given.  
Cost for non-members: 50$
President’s Message - Jennifer B Tipograph, DDS

Welcome back fraters! I hope everyone had a nice summer. I would first like to start by thanking you all for electing me as President for the upcoming year. I am very grateful for this opportunity as I have big shoes to fill after having such a successful year.

Alpha Omega is growing and alive more than ever. We have a full social calendar along with an amazing continuing education program. As members of AO, we have a lot be proud of. We are a close-knit community with a great deal to offer. We provide a sense of friendship and family. A common place where everyone feels like they belong and are welcomed at all times.

I am looking forward to what this year holds and I welcome your suggestions as we continue on this journey together. Through increased community service and a well-rounded schedule, we will work to make this the best dental organization out there! Have a happy and sweet New Year along with an easy fast.

Shana tovah and G'mar chatimah tovah!

Jennifer B. Tipograph
2017-2018 Alpha Omega Alumni D.C. Chapter President
September 19, 2017
Spouses, partners, significant others and guests invited.

DC Sports
Mr. Andy Pollin of 106.7 The Fan

October 16, 2017
***MONDAY***
“Ergonomics and Breathing”
Dr. Manny Kim

November 21, 2017
“Skeletal Stem Cells - Use in bone regeneration and jaw bone defects”
Dr. Janice Lee

First-time Guests are always welcome at no charge.

March 20, 2018
4-6, 6:30-8:30 pm
“The Business of Dentistry”
Ms. Mindy Farber and Mr. Alan Schiff

Joint meeting with The Maimonides Dental Society
*** Maggiano’s ***
5333 Wisconsin Ave. NW
Washington, DC

April 17, 2018
“Periodontal Regeneration”
Dr. Mark Reynolds

May 15, 2018
TBD

May/June 2018
Golf Outing, Pool Party
Installation Dinner

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ABOUT ALPHA OMEGA
INTERNATIONAL DENTAL FRATERNITY

MISSION
To offer dentists, oral health professionals and students a welcoming fraternal community that honors the organization's Judaic heritage, provides opportunities to attain professional excellence and promotes access to oral health care for all.

VISION
Alpha Omega envisions communities where everyone has access to oral health care and whose members can contribute to the well-being of others.

VALUES
- **Integrity:** Acknowledging and demonstrating that our core values guide our commitments and actions
- **Compassion & Inclusion:** Engaging all who share our core values to participate in our efforts to realize our vision
- **Generosity:** Sharing our knowledge, skills and resources to promote oral health as well as personal and professional growth

PRINCIPLES
- Access to oral health and wellness
- Promoting social justice
- Tikun Olam (Repair an ailing world)

COMMUNITY OUTCOMES
Establishing and nurturing high-trust networks and relationships to realize our full potential for personal growth and professional achievement. Providing avenues for oral health professionals to contribute to improve the health and wellbeing of their local and global communities.

EXECUTION STRATEGIES
- Provide high-quality and diverse continuing education opportunities
- Nurture oral health care students by inclusion in alumni activities as well as mentorship by individual alumni
- Engage alumni families through locally hosted social gatherings
- Engage and welcome all dental professionals to share our vision and principles

PHILANTHROPIC ENGAGEMENT
- Raise awareness of the integral nature of the Alpha Omega Foundations, funds and trusts to the realization of our mission and vision, especially its support for dental education in Israel
- Increase awareness and advocate for improved access to oral health care throughout the world
- Partner with like-minded organizations to promote social justice and improve oral health, such as donating our time and talent for the care of Holocaust Survivors in need

CAPITOL ALUMNOTES
News and Announcements

Pool Party 2017—Sept 10th. Please RSVP

Please visit AO.org for current nationwide information including access to AO NOW publication.

Member of the month!
Dr. Bart Santos

*Send Photos/updates of your milestone events to our Editor: Brandon Berman - BrandonBerman0@gmail.com
ALPHA OMEGA POOL PARTY
AND FAMILY GET TOGETHER
NEW DATE
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH
11-3
RAIN OR SHINE

HOSTED BY STACY & DAVID SCHLACTUS
Bring your tennis racquet!

12209 Piney Meetinghouse Rd., Potomac MD
Please RSVP By August 20TH
SCHLACDENT@AOL.COM
301-452-8411
As chair of the Foundation and Chai clubs of Alpha Omega Fraternity, I am writing in hopes that you will consider supporting the great works of our charitable foundation. In the past few years our foundation has struggled to meet the requests of various groups and individuals in need as a result of decreasing contributions and funding.

I hope to make at least a dent in this deficit by increasing participation in these 2 annual efforts. Foundation funding supports both Israeli dental schools, the holocaust survivors program and many other worthy programs. We need your help. As an incentive to join, we have received a number of works of art, including one from our own Ben Williamowsky, which will be raffled off at our annual convention in December. You need not be present to win.

The Chai club donation, by the way, supports the activities of our dental student members. The requested donation (tax deductible) is $180. for the foundation club and $18.00 for the Chai club. Thanks and hope we can count on your support.

Fraternally,

Andy

Andrew M. Lasky, DDS,
Chair-AO Foundation Club and Chai Club

PS-Donations can be given to me directly at monthly meetings or sent to the foundation office.

Alpha Omega Foundation
50 W. Edmonston Dr. #206
Rockville, Md. 20852
Att: Ellen Taranto:
AO has been recognized as a 2017 Power of A Silver Award winner for the Alpha Omega-Henry Schein Cares Holocaust Survivors Oral Health Program. Given by the American Society of Association Executives (ASAE), The Power of A Awards recognize a select number of organizations annually that distinguish themselves with innovative, effective and broad-reaching programs and activities that positively impact America and the world.

AO is being recognized in The Power to Enrich Lives and The Power to Innovate categories. Special thanks goes to our volunteer dentists, social service agency cohorts, and to program partner, Henry Schein Cares, and to Team Schein.

AO will be recognized at the Power of A awards reception in Washington, D.C. in October.
Thanks to donations from the Alpha Omega Foundation-United States (several from the DC Chapter), the Israeli dental mission FINALLY started operating in a refugee camp near Belgrad, Serbia. There are 600 refugees in the camp. Checkups started August 11 and 100 patients were checked. Most were in need of treatment, which was planned to start as early as Monday, August 14, - after most of the equipment (that traveled to Serbia via diplomatic mail) was released from the Israeli embassy. Vladi Dyvoris, an Israeli AO member, lead this campaign.

Best regards,

Ellen
AO Member Benefit: Compendium Subscription

In late 2016, the Alpha Omega International Dental Fraternity and AEGIS Communications, publishers of The Compendium of Continuing Education in Dentistry, formed a strategic relationship that will expand the already comprehensive offering of topics that Compendium delivers 10 times a year from dentistry’s key opinion leaders, researchers, and faculty members. Authors affiliated with AO will be contributing their works to Compendium, bringing readers an even more expansive look at dentistry.

As with all original articles published in Compendium, AO content is receiving double-blind peer review by the prestigious Compendium Editorial Advisory Board. Three articles have been published through Alpha Omega in Compendium thus far, with the inaugural column featured in the January 2017 issue.

Free Compendium Subscription: AO members may sign up for a free Compendium subscription by using this special link:

www.dentalaegis.com/mirror/alpha-omega.html

Access Recent Compendium Issues:

March 2017  bit.ly/CompendiumMarch2017
May 2017 - AO Article  bit.ly/CompendiumMay2017_AO_Article

For more information, contact Amelia Falcone, Brand Manager, at afalcone@aegiscomm.com.
AO Regional Meeting in Columbus, OH
AO & the Columbus Chapter welcome you for a weekend of fraternalism and networking!

FRIDAY
NOVEMBER 3RD
- Oneg Shabbat
  6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
  Courtyard Downtown Columbus

- Shabbat Across AO Dinner
  7:15 pm - 9:30 pm
  Elevator Brewery Haus

SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 4TH
- CE Breakfast & Lecture
  8:30 am - 12:00 pm
  Courtyard Downtown Columbus

- Free Afternoon to Explore Columbus

- Group Dinner
  6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
  Barleys Brewing Company

- Students & Young Professionals Night Out
  8:30 pm
  Brewcadia

SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 5TH
- Farewell Brunch & Chapter Huddle
  9:30 am - 12:00 pm
  Due Amici

FEATURED LECTURE
Build, Manage, and Leverage Your Professional Network

Alyce Blum
Alyce Blum is a professional networking coach and consultant who merges traditional coaching methods with soft skills to help empower people so they can learn how to create strong connections, lead a meaningful career and live a purposeful life. Trained at the Institute for Professional Excellence in Coaching (IPEC), Alyce actively listens to her client's needs by asking the right questions, honors a confidential and non-judgmental space, which results in clients creating their own solutions. As a coach she helps clients create benchmarks while holding them accountable for their desired success.

www.alyceblum.com

Testimonials about Alyce:
"If you want the expert on the secrets of dynamic networking, talk to Alyce. She graciously presented Create on Effective Elevator Pitch. Starting with 'why' for us at Workforce Boulder County recently. I was impressed with Alyce's elevator pitch formula that turns the traditional elevator pitch on its head and transforms it into a powerful first impression."

"Alyce Blum is a gifted facilitator. I have been part of a couple of discussions she has facilitated and have marveled at her ability to stimulate discussion, encourage participation from everyone there, and inspire the attendees to commit to making changes that will help them to grow personally and professionally."

Questions? Please contact Heidi Weber, AO Executive Director, at hweber@ao.org

HOST HOTEL
Courtyard Columbus Downtown
35 West Spring Street
$139 per night (plus taxes).
Space is limited.

Overflow hotels are suggested below.

ONLINE RESERVATIONS:

Telephone Reservations:
614-228-3200 or 800-321-2211

NEARBY HOTELS
Crowne Plaza Downtown
DoubleTree Suites
Hyatt

Hyatt Regency
Sheraton Capital
AO DENTAL MEETING
H. Lauderdale 2017
DEC. 28TH - JAN. 1ST

SCHEDULE
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28TH
8am - 4pm Board of Directors Meeting
4pm - 7pm Registration
9pm Hospitality

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29TH
9am - 11am First Business Meeting
1pm - 4pm Second Business Meeting
6pm - 7pm Memorial Service and Kabbai Shabbat
7pm - 9pm Shabbat Dinner
9:30pm Hospitality

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30TH
7:30am - 9:30am Shabbat Service
Free Day

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31ST
9am - 12pm Continuing Education
7pm - 9:30pm Installation Dinner
10:30pm - 1am New Year’s Eve party

HOTEL
Registration: bit.ly/HarborBeachMarriottAOGroup
* One night’s hotel deposit per room is required when making a reservation. Deposit is refundable if cancelled before November 30th.
* Room rate is for two people.
* Registration must be completed within 30 days of securing a hotel reservation.

ONLINE REGISTRATION
$875 Alumni or Retired Frater & Spouse/Partner
$475 Single Alumni or Retired Frater
$775 Young Alumni & Spouse/Partner
$400 Young Alumni (within 5 years after earning DDS or DMD)
$350 Dental Student

ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY
bit.ly/2017AODecemberMeeting

*Refund policy: Full registration refund is available on or before November 30, 2017. After December 1st, a $200 administrative fee will be charged.
# 2017 Pre-Meeting Cruise

**Ft. Lauderdale, Florida**

**Holland America Eurodam 7 Day Western Caribbean**

![Route Map]

**DEPARTURE:** Sun. DEC. 17, 2017  Fort Lauderdale, Florida  
**RETURN:** Sun. DEC. 24, 2017  Fort Lauderdale, Florida

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| Day 2  | Tues. Dec. 19, 2017 | AT SEA-Scientific Lectures  
10:00 am- Noon & 02:00-04:00 pm |
| Day 3  | Wed. Dec. 20, 2017     | Arrives 08:00 AM Falmouth, Jamaica- Departs 05:00 pm                |
| Day 4  | Thurs. Dec. 21, 2017 | Arrives 08:00 AM Georgetown, Cayman Islands-Departs 04:00pm              |
| Day 5  | Fri. Dec. 22, 2017     | Arrives 11:00 AM -Cozumel, Mexico Shabbat Service - 05:00pm on board  
Departs:11:00 pm |
| Day 6  | Sat. Dec. 23, 2017     | AT SEA-Scientific Lectures  
10:00 am- Noon & 02:00-04:00 pm |
| Day 7  | Sun. Dec. 24, 2017     | Arrives 07:00 AM Ft. Lauderdale                                          |
We have reserved Verandah cabins on Deck 8, TWO people per cabin
TWO people for $2068 US
Single Cabin Rate available-contact Gloria Adams

Hotel Reservations:
Pre-Cruise Dec.16, 2017 - see information below
Contact: Ft. Lauderdale Marriott Harbor Beach Resort & Spa
3030 Holiday Drive, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316-2414
954-525-4000 Ask for GROUP DESK:
2017 Pre- Meeting Cruise -Room Block-
Ref # M-8AI4G5W $250 + tax
Resort Fee, Optional- $25 per room per day
Reservation Cut-Off date: November 16, 2017
Post-Cruise Dec. 24, 2017-See Dental Meeting Room Block

Member Name____________________
Name of second person in Cabin____________________
Address__________________________________________
Telephone #_________Cell #__________
E-Mail___________________________________________

Cruise Reservations:
E-mail: acquanetta40@gmail.com Gloria Adams, USA International Travel
phone: 301-718-8700 7758 Wisconsin Ave. Suite 401
FAX: 301-718-2851 Bethesda, MD 20814 USA

Deposit of $700 US per cabin due with reservation
Final payment due September 18, 2017
Classifieds

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CONTACT Phyllis Blum at 301-762-6832 or e-mail phyllisblum@verizon.net

THOSE CARDS SENT AFTER September 1st WILL APPEAR IN THE NEXT ISSUE.

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Al Fishman, father of Karen & Joan & Families
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Fraters Maddie Goodman & Tim Johnson on the birth of their son, Archer Kieran Johnson
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Special Thanks to Phyllis Blum who works so diligently organizing and maintaining the Tribute Card Program!
Mazel Tov to Suzanne & Frater Andy Lasky on the marriage of their son Adam to Michelle 8/5/17 in El Paso Texas

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In honor of Frater Charlie Cooper for his generosity to JSSA Holocaust Survivor Pro Bono Dental Program in memory of
Minna Williamowsky
Ben Williamowsky

GET WELL TO:

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In Memory of Al Fishman
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