Five Veterans and Five Prosthodontics Residents: Providing Dentures to Those Who Have Served Our Country

Five veterans recently received dentures from the Department of Prosthodontics residents, a tradition that began in 2011. Dr. Julie Holloway, chair of Prosthodontics, participates in National Prosthodontists Awareness Week. Besides the residents, Dr. Rick Williamson, Prosthodontics, was also involved.

Veterans Receive Dentures, continued on page 2
Dr. Salahaldeen Abuhammoud works on his dental patient’s dentures.

Dr. Wissanee Jia-Mahasap works on her dental patient’s dentures.

Dr. Jia-Mahasap fits Rob’s dentures.

(Above, left to right): Dr. Wissanee Jia-Mahasap, Dr. Matt French, Jessie, Greg, Dr. Rick Williamson, Dr. Pantip Henprasert, Dr. Salahaldeen Abuhammoud, Victor, Dr. Miguel Garcia Loera, and Merle.
Rachael Kowbel Attends UI Biology Club Meeting to Speak about Dentistry as a Viable Career Option

(Left): On the evening of Wednesday, April 12, Rachael Kowbel, director of Dental Student Admission, attended the University of Iowa Biology Club meeting. In conjunction with other health science advisors, she spoke about dentistry as a viable career for biology majors and discussed available career opportunities within the field.

(Left): Approximately twenty students attended the event.
College of Dentistry Wellness Garden: Spring 2017

Latest information about the Wellness Garden:

- 6 benches installed
- 3 tables installed
- Pathway installed
- Shrubs to be planted include boxwood, juniper, azalea, hydrangea, and lilac
- Trees will include white spruce, Siberian spruce, black tupelo (blackgum), maple, and oak
- Perennials will include daffodils, creeping phlox, catmint, calamint, and ornamental grasses
- $19,539 raised (as of 4/20/17) for the CoD Wellness Garden Fund

Establishing the CoD Wellness Garden Fund is one of the ways the faculty and staff gave back to the college and the UI in fiscal year 2017. Remember, it’s not too late to be part of our success. All gifts to any fund through the end of the fiscal year (June 30, 2017) will count toward our college’s participation rate. Go to: http://www-uifoundation.org/dentistry/. Thanks!

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Vote for the “Dental Care for Kids in Need” Proposal for Gannett Foundation to Start a Free Pediatric Dentistry Clinic at the IC FMC!

The Iowa City Free Medical & Dental Clinic (FMC) staff and the volunteers have worked diligently with VIDEO CENTER Media (Iowa City) to put together a proposal for $100,000 from the Gannett Foundation to start a free pediatric dentistry clinic at the FMC.

“Dental Care for Kids in Need” will be a partnership between the FMC and the Iowa City Healthy Kids School-Based Clinic (HKC). Gannett Foundation grant funding would allow FMC to hire a part-time dentist and a part-time dental assistant who will provide services for HKC children in need of dental care. Many children will be able to receive dental care and more fully utilize FMC’s excellent dental facility.

The FMC, established in 1971, provides outpatient health care for uninsured people in the community. In addition to six medical exam rooms, the clinic has two dental rooms, both with state-of-the-art operating units. Patients in the dental clinic receive exams, x-rays, treatment plans, fillings, extractions and hygiene.

Through “Dental Care for Kids in Need,” children referred from HKC will be seen in a new Kids Dental Clinic at FMC. A $100,000 grant will provide project funding for two years; a $50,000 grant for one year. Through the project’s demonstrated success, FMC and HKC will propose partnering with the UI College of Dentistry to continue these very important and much-needed services.

This is a huge opportunity for the clinic as well as for Iowa City and the surrounding communities. Please vote for the project. You can vote once a day for the next 30 days! Click on the link below to view the FMC video proposal (which includes Associate Dean for Patient Care Michael Kanellis!).

http://act.usatoday.com/submit-an-idea/#/gallery/60406878/

Please spread the word and love with friends and family!

Recyclemania 2017 a Great Success

Thank you for making Recyclemania 2017 a great success! We hope you had fun learning about recycling while strengthening your commitment to the University’s waste diversion goal. Even though Recyclemania has come to an end, we know we can count on recycling heroes like you to continue expanding sustainable efforts on campus.

The final results have just been released and we are truly proud of how well we performed. Congratulations to all of the Hawkeyes who contributed to the University’s success.

Final Standings
UI Waste Diversion Rate: 46%
2nd Place in the Big Ten (Rutgers took 1st)
56th Place Nationally (out of 190)

Week 8 RecyHawk Trophy Winners:
Dental Science Building
Daum Residence Hall
**Dental Filling Station**  
**April 10-14, 2017**

**Monday**  
Gourmet Macaroni & Cheese $6.00  
$1.00 Fountain with any Purchase  
Soup du Jour $2.65 / $3.65  
Salad Bar, Deli, Pizza, & Paninis

**Tuesday**  
Breaded Chicken Sandwich & Chips $4.40  
$1.00 Coffee with any Hot Breakfast  
Soup du Jour $2.65 / $3.65  
Salad Bar, Deli, Pizza, & Paninis

**Wednesday**  
Asian Stir Fry with Rice $6.00  
$1.50 Granola Bar & Yoplait Yogurt  
Soup du Jour $2.65 / $3.65  
Salad Bar, Deli, Pizza, & Paninis

**Thursday**  
Taco Bar!!!!  
Beef Lasagna with Vegetable & Bread Stick $6.00  
$2.00 Breakfast Sandwich  
Soup du Jour $2.65 / $3.65  
Salad Bar, Deli, Pizza, & Paninis

**Friday**  
Tater Tot Casserole $6.00  
2 for $2.50 on 20 oz. Coke Product  
Soup du Jour $2.65 / $3.65  
Salad Bar, Deli, Pizza, & Paninis

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**Recent Publications**


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**Lend a Hand to a Co-Worker**

Due to a serious medical issue, Sherry L. Harris, our College of Dentistry custodian from Facilities Management, will soon exhaust her sick leave and vacation. Anyone who wishes to help Sherry by contributing vacation time can go to [https://hr.uiowa.edu/sites/hr.uiowa.edu/files/contrib.pdf](https://hr.uiowa.edu/sites/hr.uiowa.edu/files/contrib.pdf). Once the form is completed, please send it to the Benefits Office, USB. Any contributions of one hour or more on Sherry’s behalf will be truly appreciated.

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**Word Play: Spring Jokes**

**Q:** What monster plays the most April Fool jokes?  
**A:** Prankenstein!

**Q:** What did the big flower say to the little flower?  
**A:** You’re really growing, bud!

**Q:** Can bees fly in the rain?  
**A:** Not without their little yellow jackets!

**Q:** What goes up when the rain comes down?  
**A:** An umbrella.

**Q:** What’s it called when it rains chickens and ducks?  
**A:** Foul weather!
Faces of Phil Campus Event

Wednesday, April 26, 2017
11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
T. Anne Cleary Walkway

Check out our Faces of Phil event to find out how peoples’ gifts are transforming the University of Iowa! You can take a Polaroid and post it on our Faces of Phil board, “PHIL up” at our food trucks, and sign a “thank you” postcard (or record a “thank you” video message) for some of our generous donors. Join us to celebrate the power of Phil at Iowa!

You may not know it, but you are Phil, too—whether you’ve donated to the university, received a scholarship, studied or worked in a facility that donations built, participated in campus philanthropy, or cheered on our Hawkeyes. So join us to celebrate the power of Phil at Iowa!

*Individuals with disabilities are encouraged to attend all University of Iowa-sponsored events. If you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation in order to participate in this program, please contact Courtney Blind in advance at 319-467-3471.*
Jacob Eisenbach was born in Poland in 1923. Nicknamed “Kuba” by his father, Eisenbach grew up in a loving household with all of the hopes and dreams of any family... he was to be a doctor, his brother Sam, an author... his sister dreamed of a career as a pharmacist. That all changed when Hitler’s army invaded Poland in 1939.

His mother died before the invasion, his father in a forced labor camp, his brother Henry at Auschwitz at age eleven. His sister was killed by machine gun fire in the city of Lwow, where Nazis killed over 100,000 Jews in three days. Only Jacob and his brother Sam were left alive, hiding out and fending for themselves...
“Life with Phil” Talk Featuring Sheri Salata

Thursday, April 27, 2017
3:30 p.m.
Pomerantz Career Center
C20

Learn more about Phil from media powerhouse Sheri Salata (1980 B.B.A.), the former executive producer of “The Oprah Winfrey Show” and the former president of Harpo Studios and the Oprah Winfrey Network. Salata’s latest professional venture is the launching of STORY, a media company that produces print, television, film, and digital content. She has been named one of Fast Company’s 100 Most Creative People in Business and one of The Hollywood Reporter’s Women in Entertainment Power 100.

This event qualifies as a fraternity and sorority life educational.

Who is Phil?

Phil stands for philanthropy. At Iowa, Phil is everyone who gives to the UI and everyone who benefits from those gifts. That means YOU are Phil, too!
Please join
Family Dentistry
in honoring
Cheryl Jennings
At her Retirement Party

NO GIFTS PLEASE

April 28, 2017
2:00-4:30 pm
W220 A/B DSB
Please join the
Department of Pediatric Dentistry

For a reception to help

Cindy Becker
(who has been in Pediatric Dentistry for 32 years!)

celebrate her retirement

May 1, 2017
From 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.
W220 A/B DSB
College of Dentistry

Xiaofang Wang, MS, PhD
Assistant Professor – Department of Biomedical Sciences – School of Dentistry – Texas A&M – Dallas

Noon Seminar Series

“Novel Insights of Extracellular Matrix in Bone and Tooth --- The FAM20 Kinases”

Galagan 14B DSB
Tuesday, May 2, 2017
12:00 – 1:00 PM

Student Seminar Credit available

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Noon Presentation
“Predictably Addressing Patients’ Esthetic Needs: A Real Challenge”

Oral B Classroom (N212 DSB)
Wednesday, May 3, 2017
12:00 – 1:00 P.M.

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Help Us Celebrate

Jan Lawler

retiring after 20 years at the College of Dentistry

CAKE RECEPTION

May 5th
1:00-2:30 pm
Student Affairs Office