Happy spring! As the days get longer, last minute plans for our two alumni gatherings are being finalized. The AAPD annual session will be in Orlando, May 26 to May 30. We have secured a third floor suite at the Dolphin Hotel. Alumni have reserved a block of rooms adjacent to the suite to allow us to proceed with our social functions without disturbing other guests. Support for the suite is always welcome. Please contact Karen Deery if you have items to donate for our alumni drawing and auction. The format will change from a "raffle" to a drawing. This allows us to comply with rules regarding conducting an official raffle. Please be generous when you receive a request for donations in support of the suite. All items are welcome including travel accommodations, collectible items and regional goodies. Donated items should have a value of $100 or more. Another way to support the suite and travel by residents to national meetings is through our Adopt-A-Resident program. As the number of residents has increased in recent years, your continued interest in program excellence and financial support are even more important. If you are interested, just let us know. I hope to see everyone in Orlando!

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2005 ORLANDO!
Mark Your Calendar for the 2005 AAPD Conference in Orlando. Our Alumni Association will have a suite in the Walt Disney World Swan and Dolphin Hotel, 1500 Epcot Resort Boulevard, Lake Buena Vista, FL. The suite will be open from May 26-29. We have been told that we will be in the Dolphin Building on the third floor. Barry Burgess is organizing the fun and activities for the suite. Look for a few surprises to go along with the usual suite activities. We hope you plan to be there!

Avery’s Notes
THANK YOU, I’VE HAD A GREAT TIME!

This note will be my last to you as a fulltime faculty member at Indiana University. By the time our next newsletter is published, I will be in "retired" status and hopefully holding a title as the first Ralph E. McDonald Professor Emeritus. There simply are not words to adequately thank you all for the support and strength you provided me throughout these many years but I do sincerely thank you none-the-less. The rewards I have experienced in dentistry and dental education during the past 5 decades are countless. In one way or another, most of these rewards came from my interactions with all of you. The challenges I have experienced were good for me and they helped me grow professionally and personally.

Many people have asked me what I will do after retirement. I have lots of plans. First, I have a long "honey do" list! Susan and Michael have been quite cordial about allowing me to postpone a number of tasks for them until I retire - so I think working on my task-list will largely account for the next couple of years. I have been promising Paul Starkey for many years that I would come to Coos Bay, Oregon for a visit (he calls it "God's country"). I intend to make that visit before this year ends. Additionally I plan to go back to school and learn as much as I can about nautical navigation. Then I plan to use what I learn in and around the Florida Keys. I assume you would expect me to take a

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RILEY DENTAL CLINIC UPDATE  
Submitted by Donna Bumgardner

Things have been busy in the dental clinic. A new Administrative Secretary, Carol Hawkins, has been hired. If you call the office and Donna Bumgardner does not answer, you will probably be speaking to Carol. Welcome Carol! There are now 18 full-time staff members working in the clinic. We appreciate all their hard work and dedication!

Below is the list of our full-time and part-time faculty. We also appreciate all their hard work and dedication!

**FULL-TIME FACULTY**

- Dr. Michael P. Baumgartner
- Dr. Suzanne DeBall
- Dr. Jeffrey A. Dean
- Dr. Joan Kowolik
- Dr. Brian J. Sanders
- Dr. James A. Weddell

- Dr. Ron Hathaway *
  *Director of Craniofacial Anomalies (Dentistry) and Assistant Professor of Orthodontics

**PART-TIME CLINICAL FACULTY**

- Dr. Douglas H. Barton
- Dr. Carl D. Bell
- Dr. Gary J. Hinz
- Dr. Myrna Janer
- Dr. Jennifer R. Kugar
- Dr. Joseph J. Legan
- Dr. Carol G. McKown
- Dr. Phillip R. Pate
- Dr. Kimberly Porapaipoon
- Dr. Paul O. Walker

Here are some interesting facts about the dental clinic in 2004:

There were 18,036 patients seen in the dental clinic last year. There were 1,065 patients treated in the OR. The average was 1,503 patients seen per month including 140 new patients seen per month.

There is talk about some possible remodeling for the Riley Dental Clinic. Look for updates in later newsletters.

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2005 IUPDAA BIENNIAL MEETING — June 16-18, 2005

The 2005 Biennial Meeting will be in Indianapolis, IN, Friday and Saturday, June 16-18, 2005. Alumni should have received a meeting brochure with the schedule of events and registration information. Our host hotel is University Place Hotel and Conference Center. Our Friday activities will be at the hotel. On Saturday, we will have our continuing education and luncheon/business meeting at Riley Dental Clinic. The Saturday evening dinner will be at the Indianapolis Arts Garden in the Circle Center Mall.

The 2005 dinner on Saturday will include a brief recognition for Dr. David Avery on his retirement from the IU School of Dentistry Pediatric Dental Program. Our McDonald Lecturer on Friday will be Dr. Paul Casamassimo presenting "Medical Advances in Pediatric Health Care and Their Implications for Dentistry." Staff may attend the continuing education course for a fee of $55. Two walking tours have been arranged for spouses. The first tour on Friday will provide a fascinating look at Crown Hill Cemetery. The second tour on Saturday will begin at the home of James Whitcomb Riley and conclude with a walk through the neighborhood of Lockerbie. Both tours will provide a wonderful glimpse of Indiana history.

Saturday will allow for graduate student presentations, tour of the Riley facility, golf at Ft. Harrison, and the dinner in the evening.

On Sunday, several members will be attending the Grand Prix Race at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

Send your registration materials in by May 13, 2005 to avoid a late registration fee. If you have not received the meeting information contact Karen Deery at 317-274-8959.

Riley Dental Clinic stuffers, Kelly Lambert (hygienist) and Mel Matera (assistant), are ready to dig into Mel’s baby shower cake. Mel is expecting a baby girl this April.
Greetings once again from the resident room! It seems like yesterday I was writing from the resident room for the fall newsletter, but since then many happenings have occurred. When we are not discussing treatment philosophies or patient management strategies, most of the discussions revolve around everyone’s future, research, or buns in the oven.

If anyone is having difficulties becoming pregnant, come drink some of the water at Riley. It seems as if everyone here is either having babies or pregnant. I think there may be more resident management occurring than patient management with all of the hormones floating around (Ha Ha). First year Caroline Derrow recently brought baby Wyatt into the world, while first year Angie Pinkerton and second years Jodie Spencer and Hans Petersen are expecting. For those recent graduates who remember the Riley staff, Danielle Warren recently gave birth to a beautiful baby girl and Melanie Matera is expecting a baby girl this spring.

The second years are beginning to feel the pressure of finalizing their research projects, boards, and future plans. Anokhi Dalia is looking for an associateship in the Chicago area. Hans Petersen is planning on going back to the Salt Lake City area and is going into private practice. Swati Singh is thinking about locating in Arizona where she once practiced general dentistry, while Jodie Spencer is being shipped to Japan to work along side our beloved Mark Boone. Mark Ellis and I both plan to stay in the great state of Indiana.

As for the first years, they have all adapted to Riley life very well. The only one who has been injured thus far is

Katie Rusnak who suffered a LLA wire through her index finger, but thankfully she has shown a complete recovery. They are beginning to get their research projects off the ground, while at the same time finishing up their didactic portion of the program.

Well that pretty much wraps up life from the resident room. We are all looking forward to seeing everyone in Orlando in May.

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Our biennial meeting will be June 16-18, 2005. Our program chairperson, Dr. Jenny Ison-Stigers, has organized a great meeting with opportunity for professional development and education. Registration materials have been mailed to the membership. If you have not received this material, please contact Karen Deery. Staff members are welcome to the continuing education portion of our meeting. On Saturday, June 18, we will close our meeting with a reception and dinner at the Indianapolis Artsgarden. This gathering allows us to recognize our new graduates and extend well wishes to Dr. David Avery on his retirement.

Our organization exists as a sub-group of the Indiana University School of Dentistry Alumni Association. Annual donations have replaced dues statements. Yearly donations at a minimum level of $100 help to defray administrative costs associated with our alumni group. Our executive secretary, Karen Deery, deserves many thanks for her organization and planning skills.

Finally, I wish to thank everyone for their support while serving as president of our alumni association. What a group! I hope to see everyone in Indianapolis in June.
**Class Notes**

**June Brose** is planning on retiring at the end of 2004.

**Roland R. Ditto** was president of the IU School of Dentistry Alumni Association from 2003-2004. He is currently Secretary-treasurer for the American College of Dentists Indiana Section. His son is a sophomore dental student at IUSD.

**Clifton O. Dumett, Jr.** is hoping to stop chemotherapy in January and two recent PET scans show no cancer in his brain.

**David Epstein** sends a sincere thank you to all of the alumni who are using the sensational tasting "Glitz Premium Prophy Paste."

**Vickie Hemann** is hoping to find an associate and would love interested residents to call her.

**David K. Hennon** is doing well two years following his liver transplant surgery and sends greetings to fellow alumni.

**Anthony Kamp** is retiring from the Air Force after 20 years of service in January 2005. He will be moving home to Northern Kentucky.

**David Kennedy** finished a two year term as president of The Royal College of Dentists of Canada, 2002 – 2004. In October 2004 he participated at the University of Washington’s Orthodontic Mini-Residency as a guest lecturer. In November he lectured as Keynote Speaker at the 3rd International Congress of the Iranian Association of Orthodontics in Isfahan, Iran. He presented material on Clinical Management of Ectopic Molars, Clinical Management of Missing Lateral Incisors, and Early Orthodontic Treatment - an Evidence Based Approach.

**Lorne D. Koroluk** is currently Chief Examiner – Pediatric Dentistry Royal College of Dentists of Canada.

**Vincent A. Trimboli** was Dental Economics "Office of the Month" in July 2004.

**Jerry Udelson** started a 2nd office in Forest Park, IL and can be viewed at www.little-teeth-big-smiles.com

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**Toby Derloshon Mission Trip**

Are you interested in a missionary trip to Honduras? Dr. Toby Derloshon goes on a yearly (10 day) mission trip to Honduras usually the last week of July. Below are some photos from his last trip. Dr. Charlie Smith, another IUSD graduate, also goes on the trip. If anyone is interested in joining them, please contact Toby Derloshon at 1-970-669-1122. Toby said "We usually could use another dentist or two."

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**Nathan Kirk Announces Birth of His Son!**

Hello everyone,

Nathan Kirk called this morning to let us all know that his son, Nathan Earl III was born on Thursday, January 6th. "Little Nate" weighed in at 6 lbs. 12 oz. and measured just a bit over 19 inches long. Emily and “Little Nate” stayed in the hospital for a few days following C-Section and some minor issues with baby, but everyone is home now and doing fine.

Donna Bumgardner
Within Indiana, Charles Kerkhove led a number of professional organizations. Those include the following: the Indiana Section of ACD, the Indiana Section of the ACD Foundation, the Indianapolis District Dental Society, the Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry Alumni Association, the Indiana Society of Pediatric Dentistry, the Indiana Pediatric/Orthodontic Society, and the Indiana Section of the American Society of Dentistry for Children.

Kerkhove became a Fellow in 1981 and Section Board member in 1985. As an officer and Chairman, Chuck Kerkhove spearheaded a campaign to make the Indiana Section active. It now hosts seven major activities all promoting ethics, excellence, and professionalism. Charles Kerkhove became the Regent representing Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Ohio, and West Virginia. He then went on to serve as Treasurer, Vice-President, and the President-Elect of the College.

In Kerkhove’s own words “I am humbled and privileged to be President of the ACD. It is a major responsibility to lead Fellows who have excelled in leadership. That is what makes the College so strong because of the accomplishments of each individual. The College is vibrant, strong, active organization that I have enthusiastically supported since I became a Fellow. I am very proud of the past and present leadership of the Indiana Section. It is one of the best in the United States. It has always been a pleasure working with individuals who are leaders and achievers. I try to live one day at a time and live it to the fullest. Also, I accept what life gives me whether it is good or bad. The past can’t be changed but the future and others can be influenced by our actions and our thinking. Being a servant to our fellow man and the Lord is the most fulfilling and important part of life.”

The American College of Dentists benefits from Charles Kerkhove’s tireless determination to promote the highest standards in dentistry.

(A special thanks to Diane Buyer for allowing us to use part of her recently published article on Dr. Kerkhove and for providing the photo).

Note from Dr. Mark Boone to Dr. David Avery

Dr. Avery,

Good morning, Sir. I hope you are doing well. I had the opportunity to work in Singapore for the past month, primarily to do dentistry and secondarily to work with the USNS MERCY for tsunami relief.

Singapore is quite a different place and the security was sometimes overwhelming. Every morning I was greeted by my two friends (see attached). We found a tarantula in the clinic and the second floor was condemned, just another excuse not to go to the dentist. Yes, that is constantine wire around the clinic. I hope the attached picture ranks as one of the oddest places to find the most recent text edition. Thank care, Mark Boone
Indiana University Pediatric Dental Alumni Association
Orlando Information Regarding Suite at AAPD 2005 Session

We will have our alumni suite in the Walt Disney World Swan and Dolphin Hotel for the AAPD Annual Session. We will be in the Dolphin side of the hotel. Our suite number will not be given to us until we check into the hotel. We are pretty sure we will be on the 3rd floor. There will be a sign in the hotel lobby to let you know the suite location. The Walt Disney Swan and Dolphin Hotel is located at 1500 Epcot Resorts Boulevard. Thursday the suite will open and remain open through Sunday night. Please consider making a donation to help with the resident and suite expenses.

**IUPDAA Suite Schedule at the AAPD:**

**Thursday, May 26, 2005**
- Suite opens at 5:00 p.m.
- 6:00-8:00 p.m.
- The suite will remain open throughout the evening.
- AAPD Welcome Reception at Walt Disney World’s Animal Kingdom

**Friday, May 27, 2005**
- Suite open all day
- Feel free to stop in between sessions for friendship and refreshments. In the evening, plan to stop in before and after your dinner plans.

**Saturday, May 28, 2005**
- Suite open all day
- 11:30-12:30 p.m.
- 6:00 p.m.
- Please stop in between sessions.
- AAPD Graduate Student Luncheon
- IU Pediatric Dentistry Alumni Association Drawing

**Sunday, May 29, 2005**
- Suite opens at 10:00 a.m.
- 5:00 p.m.
- 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.
- Race Party! We will again run an Indy 500 race drawing.
- IU Pediatric Dentistry Alumni Association Party.
- AAPD Presidents’ Farewell Dinner Walt Disney World Epcot Showplace Pavilion

**2005 AAPD Annual Session**

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Effects of Chronic Fluoride Exposure on Bone Density of Mice

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**Swati Singh, DDS**
Dental Caries and Soft Drink Consumption in a Pediatric Population

**Jodie (Stickley) Spencer, DDS**
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**Parnaz Barnajian, DDS**
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**Ryan Murphy, DDS**
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**Michael J. Roseff, DMD**
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**M. Kate Rusnak, DDS**
A Survey of Oral Care Practices for Children Undergoing Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplant
Welcome Class of 2007

IUPDAA would like to welcome the Class of 2007. Pictures of the class are below along with their name and the dental school they received their DDS degree.

Tamara L. Gierke
IUSD

Joseph A. Guido
IUSD

Matthew R. Lahair
Boston University

Lisa M. Leniski
IUSD

Gregory B. Sheppard
Ohio State

Amy E. Westerman, USAF
University of Iowa

Adopt-A-Resident Program

We are again looking for donors to help cover the travel costs for the residents attending the 2005 academy meeting. Full adoption is $800 (this is the amount each resident receives from the association to attend the academy meeting) or you may partner with another alumnus for $400 each. Contact Karen Deery for details at 866-267-3104. Adopt-A-Resident contributions are tax deductible.

A big thank you to the following people have donated to the Adopt A-Resident Program:

GEORGE ADAMS   RICK BLAKE   HARRY BOPP
DONALD BOZIC   STEVE BRANAM   ANITA MURRAY CLARY
VIRGINIA CROSE   JOHN DEPPEN   RON DITTO
DENNIS DUFFIELD   DON GARDNER   ROBERT HARMON
CHAD HAZELRIGG   BURTON HORWITZ   JAMES JONES
BILL KEATY   CHUCK KERKHOVE   RANDY LONG
DAVID MILLER   PHIL PATE   KEITH ROBERTS
DOUG SCHMIDT   PAUL WALKER   BRAD FULKERSON
NOTICE TO MEMBERSHIP OF 2005 PROPOSED REVISIONS OF CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

In accordance with our constitution, these changes are submitted to the membership in writing not less than 30 days prior to our biennial session. These proposed changes will be discussed/voted upon in June. Please review the revisions before the biennial meeting.

Constitution of the Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry Alumni Association

Article III - Membership
Section 1 The membership of this Association shall consist of the following:
Active Members – Any dentist who has satisfactorily completed the advanced education program in Pediatric Dentistry at Indiana University shall be eligible for active membership. This category also includes Associate members who have been elected to Active membership as provided for in Article I, Section 6 of the By-Laws.

Associate Members – All full-time Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry faculty members shall be eligible for this category if they do not qualify for active membership. All pediatric dentists who earned their D.D.S. at Indiana University School of Dentistry and completed an accredited advance education program in Pediatric Dentistry at another institution shall be eligible for honorary membership. This category also includes individuals who have contributed to the advancement of Pediatric Dentistry, or have rendered important service to the profession or to the Association and have been properly nominated and elected, as prescribed in Article I, Section 3 of the By-Laws.

Bylaws of the Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry Alumni Association

Article 1 - Membership
Section 3. Individuals who are not automatically eligible for honorary or associate membership shall become eligible upon nomination by at least two (2) active members of the Association and by election to membership by a three-fourths (3/4) (replace strikethrough with 2/3) vote of the active members present at the biennial meeting. These nominations must be submitted in writing to the Executive Secretary at least thirty (30) days prior to the biennial meeting.

Section 4. Associate members shall have the same standing and privileges as active members, except that they shall not be eligible to nominate or vote for proposed members, or to hold office. However, they may serve as directors.

Section 6. An associate member may be nominated by an active member and elected to active membership by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of the active members present at a biennial meeting.

Article III – Voting Privileges
Section 1. Each active and associate member of this Association shall be entitled to one vote in person upon each item of business properly submitted to vote, with the exceptions noted in Article I, Section 3 (replace strikethrough with 4) and Article I, Section 6 of these By-laws.
PRESIDENT’S NOTES

by Jenny Ison Stigers

Greetings to all! Visiting with many of you in Orlando and/or at our biennial conference was delightful. No doubt you will agree that the friendships formed at IU truly are some of our most cherished.

Please join me in thanking Dr. Carol Jean Braun for her outstanding leadership as president of IUPDAA over the past two years. She is a remarkable lady who devoted much time and many talents to our organization. Carol Jean, we appreciate all that you have done!

The 2005 biennial meeting included the Ralph E. McDonald lecturer, Dr. Paul Casamassimo, presenting “Medical Advances in Pediatric Health Care and Their Implications for Dentistry” on Friday. On Saturday, the pediatric dentistry residents presented their research. It was obvious that the faculty members at IU continue the tradition of serving as exceptional mentors and that the quality of our residents is second to none. The biennial dinner program included recognition of Dr. James R. Roche as Distinguished Alumnus and a tribute to Dr. David Avery upon his retirement. These two men have contributed much to IU’s program and our specialty! Dr. Jeff Dean recognized the graduating residents, including the recipients of the McDonald Scholar Award, Doctors Sean Cook and Anokhi Dalia, and Dr. Hans Petersen as the Baker Award recipient. Congratulations to each of you! A heartfelt “thank you” goes to Ms. Karen Deery for her tireless efforts and great success in coordinating the 2005 biennial conference. Ms. Yvonne Owens also deserves applause for her role in our meetings.

Dr. Barry Burgess is our IUPDAA vice-president and serves as program chair for the 2007 biennial meeting. He left Indy in June with some good ideas and no doubt will plan something you will not want to miss. Dr. Leslie Tanimura is our new secretary-treasurer. Director Dr. Bill Keaty, with the assistance of his lovely wife, Phyllis, is working on the 2006 hospitality suite and activities. Our other returning director is Dr. James Weddell. At our business meeting, Dr. Chad Hazelrigg was elected our third director. Dr. Charles Poland III represents IUPDAA on the IUSD Alumni Association. We encourage all of our members to participate in our association in any capacity that they can. If you would like to serve on a committee, please let me know.

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Cincinnati Suite 2006

by Bill Keaty

Get ready to enjoy cuisine unique to Cincinnati and maybe even meet Elvis! After visiting all three of the hotels contracted by the academy for the 2006 meeting, comparing location, services and prices, we have secured the IU Suite at the Hyatt. The Hyatt is directly across the street from the front door of the Cinergy Convention Center, where the actual meetings and exhibits will be held.

The academy room rate for the Hyatt is $144 per night, for single or double occupancy. The hotel has recently been renovated and seems to provide good services. We got a great deal on the suite, which has about the same amount of room as last year’s suite with a wet bar and a bathroom.

We need prizes for the auction and drawings. Please let Karen know if you can donate anything. Karen can be reached at 317-274-8959. See idea’s listed below:

Stays at Resort Properties.
Gift certificates from national chains and catalogs such as LL Bean, Cabelas, Bass Pro Shop, Omaha Steaks, Sae’s Fifth Avenue & Foley’s, etc...
Restaurants that are national chains such as Morton’s Steak House, Ruth’s Chris Steak House and PF Chang, etc...
Unique sport items such as product baskets from your area or state.
Wines, specialty items and art.
Elvis has not left Cincinnati yet!!
Changes in Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry!
by Jeff Dean

Most of you are aware that Dr. Dave Avery retired last spring and Dr. Suzanne De Ball, who was the Pre-Doctoral Curriculum Director, accepted a position at the University of Arizona Dental School. We were left with a large void in our faculty ranks which needed to be filled. I am now very pleased to announce that after a competitive search, Dr. James E. Jones has agreed to fill Dr. Dave Avery’s position, as our Pediatric Dentistry Division Director, and Professor of Pediatric Dentistry. In this role, Jim oversees both pre-doctoral and post-doctoral pediatric faculty and programs. Dr. Joan Kowolik has agreed this past summer to accept the position of interim pre-doctoral director at the School of Dentistry. We are very pleased with both of these appointments and look forward to doing all we can to help in their success.

However, that still leaves us with one, full-time faculty position that is open and we are actively recruiting an individual to fill this position. We are fortunate to be able to recruit someone

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Farewell to Dr. Craig Mueller
by Claudette Maurer

We celebrate Dr. Craig Mueller’s “Silver Anniversary” as part-time clinical faculty in the Pediatric Dentistry Clinic at Indiana University Dental School. Dr. Mueller is a quiet, unassuming, pleasant individual. He is devoted to the patients, to the students, and to the profession of Pediatric Dentistry. He graduated from Purdue University in 1973 with a Bachelor of Science Degree; from Indiana University School of Dentistry in 1979 with a DDS and; from the University of Kentucky College of Dentistry in 1981 with a certificate in Pediatric Dentistry. Not wasting any time, Dr. Mueller joined our clinical faculty in Pediatric Dentistry the same year.

In this twenty-five year period, Dr. Mueller managed his dental practice. His wife Carole teaches kindergarten in the Indianapolis Public Schools. Craig and his wife Carole raised two sons, Collin and Christopher. Collin graduated from Miami University of Ohio this past May and is now working as a credit analyst. His son, Christopher is a freshman at Purdue.

Dr. Mueller has taken a position as staff dentist at a satellite clinic associated with Cincinnati Children’s Hospital. This is a way to do what he enjoys while stepping back and testing the waters. Dr. Craig T. Mueller—quiet, unassuming, pleasant and very devoted to his profession—we will miss you. Don’t be a stranger!
Dr. James Roche
2005 Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry Distinguished Alumnus Award

On June 18, 2005, Dr. James Roche was presented the Indiana University School of Dentistry Pediatric Dentistry Distinguished Alumnus Award. The following is an excerpt from the remarks made by his nominator and presenter, Dr. David Kennedy.

President Braun:

It is an honor and a privilege to have nominated Dr. James Roche for the Distinguished Alumnus Award of the Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry Alumni Association. The criteria for the award recipients are that the individual has made significant contributions to Pediatric Dentistry, supports and participates locally, nationally or internationally in professional activities, demonstrates high professional standards and dedication, provides consultation and devoted leadership to the profession and to pediatric dentistry as well as the advancement of the Association and the Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry program. This description sounds like it was written with Jim Roche in mind.

After post-Doctoral training at the Forsythe Dental Centre for Children in Boston and at the Riley Children’s Dental Clinic, Jim Roche had a very successful private pediatric dental practice in Indianapolis from 1948 to 1968. He gave this up to serve as Chair of the Graduate Program in Pediatric Dentistry from 1969 to 1976. He then moved to administration as Associate Dean of Faculty Development and Academic Affairs between 1976 and 1988. In 1959, he was awarded OKU, the same year he became a Diplomate of the American Board of Pediatric Dentistry; and he later served on the Board. He then gave 20 years of service as Executive Secretary Treasurer of the American Board of Pediatric Dentistry. I could go on but I think you get the picture. The bar is set pretty high for the Distinguished Alumnus Award and it is clear that Dr. James Roche has cleared this bar with room to spare.

This excellence extended beyond his job as a teacher to his family. Jim was proud of his family and especially his recently trained golden retriever who upon command sat, lay down and rolled over giving Jim great pride in his dog training skills. We students were in total awe of this amazing display of voice control, behavior modification and operant conditioning at its finest. Now Jim’s pride took a serious blow when Brian Lee, using Chinese instead of English was able to get the dog to duplicate the same tricks. The students realized that Jim was not only an excellent dog trainer, indeed a master at behavior management, but clearly bilingual as well.

Those graduate students who had the privilege of having Jim Roche as the Department Chair will attest to his dedication to their training. It was a gift indeed for graduate students to have an experienced practitioner share his wisdom, skill and expertise. This talent was recognized when he was awarded the University-wide distinguished teaching award in 1976. He created a vacuum into which the students could grow, and was never demeaning in his dealings with students; although I am sure we challenged his patience at times. We were well aware of his attention to detail; his compassion, his strong listening skills and especially his dedication to excellence. This explains why the American Board gives the James Roche award to the candidate with the highest score in their written examination and also why he received the Experience Excellence Recognition Award from IUPUI in 1987. Those of you who have taken their American Boards will attest to Jim’s meticulous attention to detail as he processed your application.

Jim has taken a personal interest in many of you here. Each one of us that came in contact with him has been treated with respect and good humor. His attention to detail and absolute professionalism are marvelous examples to those around him. You may have noticed that for a man playing the back nine of life, he has an amazing head of hair. His wife, Vi, would tell you that this is reward for 56 years of a loving marriage; his daughter, Ann, may say she did not contribute to its color; and his grandchildren may say it is due to their playing hairdresser with grandpa – maybe it is all of those and maybe it is reward for a professional life lived with excellence. He has lead by example.

2007 Biennial Conference

Please mark your calendar for our next conference. The 2007 Biennial Conference will be held on June 22 and 23 in Indianapolis. A new Conrad Hilton Hotel is being built and is scheduled for completion in the spring of 2006. The Association has been in negotiations with the Conrad Hilton as a possible site for our conference. The Conrad Hilton is located in the heart of downtown Indianapolis... Barry Burgess, 2007 Conference Chairman, is also pursuing several speakers and sponsors for the 2007 Biennial Conference. If you have any ideas for speakers, please contact Barry Burgess as soon as possible. More information will be sent out in the next few months as conference details are confirmed.

We are trying to update our e-mail address list. If you have a new e-mail address and have not notified the Alumni Office, would you please contact Karen Deery at kdeery@iupui.edu and let her know your update. Thank you!
Dr. Avery Sends His Thanks

Dear Colleagues and Friends:
I sincerely appreciate all of your notes, phone calls, emails, personal messages and gifts that I received to acknowledge my retirement from the faculty of Indiana University April 30, 2005. Additionally, I was honored and pleased by your recognition program for me at the IUPDAA Banquet on June 18 following my retirement. Thank you very, very much.
Best wishes, Dave Avery

Random Thoughts about David Avery
by Ralph E. McDonald

Some of our members were unable to attend the Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry Alumni Association Biennial Conference and Dinner Saturday, June 18 when we paid tribute to Dr. Avery in recognition of his dedicated service to Indiana University and the Pediatric Dentistry program. I would like to take this opportunity to paraphrase some comments I made on that occasion.

When Dave Avery was admitted to dental school he knew he would need a part-time job to help cover Dental School expenses. He found one the summer before his freshman year and worked as a student assistant in the Dental Materials Laboratory, which was under the direction of Ralph Phillips. The challenge suited him and he continued to hold that position throughout his undergraduate education. Dave liked the laboratory assignments, but at that time had no aspirations other than eventually practicing general dentistry. However, he did have an interest in the field of Prosthodontics.

As Dave treated children in the undergraduate pediatric dentistry clinic, he drew the attention of Dr. Paul Starkey. It is certainly a credit to Paul that he challenged Dave and encouraged him to think about the potential in Pediatric Dentistry.

Dave graduated from dental school in 1966 with high honors and was selected by his classmates to receive the Maynard K. Hine Award for professional attitude and habits. Dave was admitted to the Pediatric Dentistry residency program in 1968. For his research project, he returned to familiar territory — Dental Materials. At that time no one had undertaken a study of the use of composite resins as a restorative material for posterior teeth. He added a clinical component to the research study which delayed his receiving the advanced degree until 1971.

One of the letters supporting Dr. Avery’s appointment to the McDonald Professorship described his original work on composite resins as having established the foundation for what has become the standard of care in restorative dentistry for children.

When Dr. Starkey relinquished his duties as Department Chair, Dr. Avery was appointed to the position and he served as Chair until the Department became a Division within the newly created Oral Facial Development Department. Dave headed the Pediatric Dentistry Program for 22 years and often jokes that he held that position for 11 months longer than I did!

Dr. Avery was active in many areas of dentistry in addition to Pediatric Dentistry. He presented a satellite program in Dental Anatomy that was received by more than 200 Dental Hygiene students in Fort Wayne, South Bend, Gary and Evansville.

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Walker Tribute to Avery

Several letters were sent to Dave Avery for his farewell. Paul Walker has given us permission to reprint his letter.

David R. Avery, DDS, MSD
Ralph E. McDonald Professor
Riley Children’s Hospital
702 Barnhill Drive, Suite 4205
Indianapolis, IN 46202

April 20, 2005
Dear David:

It seems ironic that I am writing this letter to you on April 20, 2005, your 65th birthday!

First, I happen to be in Indianapolis on one of my monthly trips to staff the Riley Clinic and am a repeat guest in the Zunt-Avery manse and know that in 10 days you will move into the long anticipated, “retired” status. Second, I am reminded that you and I have known each other for nearly 39 years...more years than my parents, my children or my spouse...and we still seem to care about and care for each other. Third, it troubles me that you are more than one year older than me and it bothers me that I will be contributing to your Social Security checks knowing that the funds will be used to purchase fishing gear or bait!

We first met when we graduated from our respective dental schools and reported for active duty to the U.S. Navy, Great Lakes Naval Training Center where we quite ably protected the country from a hostile invasion from Canada and other northern climes. Although we had developed a friendship at the Naval Dental Research Institute, you were soon sent to White Sands, New Mexico where residual radioactivity from the atomic bomb testing had deleterious effects on you which would not come to light for many years.

Upon completion of your military service you began the Advanced Education Program in Pediatric Dentistry at Indiana University and I began teaching at Northwestern University and then moved to Switzerland. Shortly after you completed the pediatric dentistry program and began a long and distinguished teaching career, I arrived in Indianapolis and began the pediatric dentistry program. Our families spent many enjoyable times together, including a surprise party for my 30th birthday and your memorable demonstration of your ability to consume large quantities of hot peppers, and our children, your Scott and Lisa and my David and Katie, occasionally enjoyed taking baths together.

Although I have never publicly told anyone, you were solely responsible for helping me maintain my sanity during several troubling times. Your advice and counsel, coupled with many lunches at the “Friend” and Friday evenings at the Red Garter convinced me to “stay the course”. Your friendship and counsel during these times was sincerely appreciated.

On more than one occasion, you and I staffed the Indiana Suite at AAPD meetings and I am proud to say, set the hosting standard for residents through the ages. And it was through these experiences that I met many pediatric dentistry luminaries.

Of course, like all of us, you began to endure your own trials and tribulations, not the least of which was completion of your board certification, faculty responsibilities, and co-

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Doug Schmidt’s Office Wins National DARW Campaign

Dr. Douglas Schmidt, IDDS, thinks he has the best staff in America, and to show everyone his appreciation, including patients and the other doctors working in Methodist Medical Plaza West; he participated in Dental Assistants Recognition Week (DARW). His campaign was strong enough for the ADA to award him first place in the dental office category for the best DARW campaign in the country.

“My assistants are important because they are such a significant part of taking care of the kids from the first phone call to making them feel welcome during their visit, and being thorough when gathering information so all the third party insurance is done correctly. They do a lot of the work,” said Dr. Schmidt.

The DARW event has taken place for several years, and this was the first time Dr. Schmidt has participated. The 2005 DARW theme focused on “Delivering Excellence Throughout the World.” Dr. Schmidt began his campaign by mounting a six-foot by three-foot banner at the entrance of Methodist Medial Plaza West at Eagle Highlands. This allowed thousands of doctors, nurses, staff and patients to notice his staff was being recognized for their excellent work. A smaller banner was placed in his office.

At the end of the week, he surprised his staff by ending the day early and presenting each assistant with a gift. Each member of the “team” then signed an enlarged copy of the dental oath that was later framed and mounted in the office.

This event was important to Dr. Schmidt for two reasons, “First, we have a pediatric dental office that sees a lot of kids with disabilities, and for that reason all the nurses work very hard and have had extra training. Second, I wanted to support the ADA program that recognized assistants in general because they are such an important part of the delivery of dentistry. I wanted to do anything to bring extra recognition to the assistants.”

To learn more about the program visit the ADAA at www.dentalassistant.org.

(Special thanks to the Indiana Dental Association for allowing us to reprint this article.)
2005 Graduating Residents: Our New Alumni!
by Jeff Dean

Many of you had the opportunity to meet our graduating residents at our alumni biennial meeting, this past June: Sean Cook, Anokhi Dalia, Mark Ellis, Hans Petersen, Jodie Spencer, and Swati Singh. Our biennial dinner in honor of Dr. David Avery’s retirement was an exciting time for all our residents. Our two graduate awards were also presented that evening. The first award is the Dick Baker Fellowship Award, which is given to the resident voted by his/her colleagues and the facility as the individual they enjoyed being around the most; the individual that picked up their spirits, and the one who helped them get through difficult times during their residency program. The award recipient this year was Dr. Hans Petersen.

The second award is the McDonald Scholar Award, which is based on academic achievement and research prowess, as well as taking into account the ability to get along with colleagues, patients, staff, and parents. This year, two of our graduates split the McDonald Scholar Award; they were Drs. Anokhi Dalia and Sean Cook. Congratulations to all three recipients.

Our continuing second year residents, along with the incoming first year residents have embarked on a great start this summer and are enjoying an educational and productive fall. We are looking forward to our January graduate pediatric dentistry continuing education series, marked this year on January 20, 2006. Presentations will be given by Dr. Jenny Stigers, who plans on orientating the residents to the Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry Alumni Association, as well as leadership roles in pediatric dentistry. In particular, Jenny will be speaking to them about becoming and staying active in the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry. In addition, Dr. Erwin Turner has agreed to give a four hour presentation on pediatric oral pathology. Erwin has collected many cases over the course of his successful career with excellent documentation. We are looking forward to these presentations, and invite any of our alumni to give us a call to register and attend this course.

On June 30, 2006, during our “Hale and Farewell Luncheon” for the graduating residents, Dr. David Kennedy is volunteering his services to come give the residents a review of orthodontics, pertinent to pediatric dentist. The residents are excited about this opportunity and are looking forward to meeting with him. Again, any of our alumni who are interested in attending, we would love to have you attend, just give us a call at 317-274-9604!

Congratulations to Jerry and Michelle Udelson on the birth of their daughter, Emma Grace, in October 2005.

“The Value of Time”

Imagine there is a bank that credits your account each morning with $86,400. It carries over no balance from day to day. Every evening it deletes whatever part of the balance you failed to use during the day. What would you do? Draw out every cent, of course! Each of us has such a bank. Its name is TIME. Every morning, it credits you with 86,400 seconds. Every night it writes off, as lost, whatever of this you have failed to invest to good purpose. It carries over no balance. It allows no overdraft. Each day it opens a new account for you. Each night it burns the remains of the day. If you fail to use the day’s deposits, the loss is yours. There is no going back. There is no drawing against the “tomorrow.” You must live in the present on today’s deposits. Invest it so as to get from it the utmost in health, happiness, and success! The clock is running. Make the most of today.

Yesterday is history. Tomorrow is a mystery. Today is a gift. That’s why it’s called the present!!!

~Author Unknown~

Lorne Koroluk in Africa

Lorne Koroluk, Class of 1986, sent photos of his trip to Africa. Lorne climbed Mount Kilimanjaro in Tanzania. Mount Kilimanjaro is 19,340 feet high. It is the highest point on the continent of Africa and one of the seven summits in the world.

He climbed the mountain via the Lemosho route and the Western Breach. The climb took 7 days up the mountain and 2 days to descend. He reached the summit on August 29, 2005.
Adopt-A-Resident Program

We are again looking for donors to help cover the cost for the residents attending the 2006 academy meeting. Full adoption is $1000. You may also partner with other alumni for $500 each. This is an increase from the previous amount of $800. The additional funds will allow the residents to attend the opening session. Adopt-A-Resident contributions are tax deductible. Thank you for your continued support of the Adopt-A-Resident Program.

Contact Karen Deery for details at 317-274-8959 or complete the form below and return it to the Alumni Office, 850 W. Michigan Street, Suite 241, Indianapolis, IN 46202-5198 or fax to 317-274-6589.

Adopt-A-Resident Form

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Resident Life
by Angie Pinkerton, Chief Resident

Whaaa! Congratulations! It’s a Boy...and Girl...or three boys and three girls to be exact! We would like to welcome our newest additions to the IU Pediatric Dentistry family, the Class of 2007! These young whippersnappers are eager to learn. With a variety of experiences to share, we can expect great things from this dynamic group. Let me introduce you to each one.

First are our most recent IUSD graduates, Tammy Gierke and Lisa Leniski. Tammy has a MA in Chemistry from Ball State. With that education, she perfected the fine art of a good brew as a beer chemist in England before turning her sites to dentistry. Lisa volunteered her time on a recent dental mission to Ecuador. She is married to a computer programmer and, oops, she drank the water at Riley! Lisa is due with her first baby in April 2006. Next we have another IUSD grad only from the class of 2002, Joe Guido. Joe completed a GPR at the University of Colorado Hospital upon graduation then entered private practice. When not in the office, you could find Joe on the slopes or at the gym.

New to Indiana are Amy Westerman, Matthew Lahair, and Gregory Sheppard. Amy graduated from the University of Iowa Dental School in 2001. She is a Captain in the Air Force, completed an AEGD in Illinois, and was stationed in Misawa, Japan for three years. Amy has traveled much of the Orient including the Great Wall of China. Matthew Lahair is a native of Worcester, Massachusetts. He graduated from Boston University School of Dentistry in 2005 and is the son of all Bostonians; he is a HUGE Red Sox and Patriots fan. Lastly, we have Greg Sheppard who graduated from Ohio State University in 2005. Proud father of four, he is a great storyteller and keeps the class in stitches with his wild antics.

Wedding bells are ringing for the Class of 2007. Tammy is recently engaged to Dan, a PhD student at the University of Kentucky. Joe is recently engaged to Alicia, an events coordinator at Purdue. Joe and Alicia plan to marry in the spring of next year. Tammy and Chad are waiting until after graduation.

The first year residents have all settled right in to their new home: staying late to finish ortho projects, studying together in the McClure Library, and oh yes, sharing stories of their new pastime...after hours calls. How the second year residents rejoiced to pass over that duty.

Speaking of which, the second year residents are heavy into

Poster Clinics competition

Dr. Swati Singh was the winner of the Poster Clinics competition that was held during the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry’s 58th Annual Session! She was awarded a $200.00 cash prize.

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Dr. Avery remained in the Naval Reserve Program following his active duty and achieved the rank of Commander.

Dr. Avery’s leadership qualities have been appreciated and recognized beyond the walls of IUSD. He served as President of the College of Diplomates of the American Board of Pediatric Dentistry, and later as President of the Foundation of the College. He also held the position of Chair of the American Association of Dental Schools Council of Faculties, of 50 dental schools, which is truly a major achievement. He has presented more than 160 papers at meetings in the United States and 17 foreign countries. He also made major contributions to six of the eight editions of Dentistry for the Child and Adolescent.

Grants and fellowships are very important to the education and research programs at IUSD. Dave received awards totaling almost 3.5 million dollars in these categories.

In the April 2005 issue of “Our Tree” Dave reflected on his plans for retirement and in one section he states, “I intend to go back to school and learn as much as I can about navigation – then I plan to practice what I learn in and around the Florida Keys.” I would like to remind Dave of a comment from one of my instructors in navigation during a Power Squadron course. He asked the class how many have run their boat aground? Several people, including myself, raised their hand and then he said, “If you haven’t run aground yet, you will because the waters are shallow here and many are not well charted, and hurricanes move the markers.”

Dave further commented, “Although I may take some months off, I do not expect to drop out of my professional life completely. I will continue to study Pediatric Dentistry and new dental technology. I will always be interested in learning more about preventing dental disease and improving therapies for children, especially those with special needs.”

To me, Dave’s comment means he will continue to make major contributions to the residency program and pediatric dentistry publications.

Congratulations Dave on your distinguished professional career. We wish you Godspeed.

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At our board meeting, the officers and directors decided to maintain the suggested annual donation (formerly called dues) at $100 and to waive this request for members from the 2 most recent classes. As the recent grads are facing both educational and business loans, we understand their discretionary dollars might be limited. We also decided to increase the sponsorship for the “Adopt-a-Resident” program to $100 to cover increasing expenses for the AAPD annual session, including the opening gala. The annual donation notices will be arriving in your mailboxes soon. These contributions are tax-deductible, and we hope that everyone once again will give generously. Each year there is some confusion about what is tax-deductible because what you write on the memo line on your check can make a difference. This is especially true for money sent in related to the suite and/or related activities. If you have any questions, please contact Karen. Also, as we keep in mind the program’s long term needs, Jeff is leading a fund development committee to review how our membership best can support pediatric dentistry at Indiana University. I am happy to say that the Baker Award is now endowed.

Congratulations to Dr. Brian Sanders on his appointment as graduate program director and to Dr. James Jones for returning to the faculty in Indy. Congratulations are also in order for two of our members, Doctors Terence Chan and Andrew Guthrie, on becoming board certified during 2004-05. In addition to our recent graduates, new members of our association include Doctors Sun Yi Park (Honorary), Judith Chin (Associate), and Laquia Walker (Associate). We’ll have another new member as of January 1, as Dr. Swati Singh will complete her residency mid-year. Best wishes to her!

On your behalf, I extend a warm welcome to our new residents! I plan to meet with them in Indy in January to share the history of our alumni association and to talk about the upcoming AAPD annual session. Shortly thereafter, they will begin calling alumni for donations for the hospitality suite in Cincinnati. I hope you will be able to take a moment to speak with them when they call your office.

I recently returned from a meeting of the Advisory Council of the American Board of Pediatric Dentistry. Indiana University alumni are well represented on this council – 6 out of 28 members. Jeff is one of the directors of the ABPD. He is in charge of the new oral exam for board certification and has done a masterful job with this. Doctors Carol McKown and George Adams each serve as chair of their sections. Looking at the roster of AAPD councils and committees, one can find several other IU alumni and faculty in leadership positions of our academy. The IU mafia continues to leave its mark on our specialty on the national level. No doubt there are many, many more involved on the local and state levels. Thanks to each of you for generously sharing your time and talents.

I hope each of you will be able to enjoy the upcoming holidays with your loved ones. 2005 has been a difficult year for many – and some of our own have suffered greatly with the hurricanes. I thank Bill for the post card to remind us to donate to the AAPD Foundation to help those affected by Katrina and Rita. Unfortunately, with Wilma many others may face similar difficulties. For anyone affected, please let us know if there is anything we can do to help.

Indiana University Pediatric Dentistry has a great history and wonderful traditions that I will do my best to honor over the next two years. Please share your thoughts on how I can better serve our members and our alma mater. With warm regards for all,

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authoring the McDonald/Avery Textbook. I can remember spending time at your place seeing articles, textbooks, pieces of paper and notes scattered everywhere. There was hardly any space to set down our glasses of scotch. I hope that I provided the same quality of friendship, listening and counsel that you previously had offered me.

Like most marriages, the Pediatric Dentistry Department and Riley Hospital has thrived and suffered through “good times and bad” and during all times your steady leadership has contributed to the steady flow of competent and qualified pediatric dentists, both clinicians and educators from Indiana University. And the “Indiana Mafia” of alumni is widely recognized as one of the best alumni organizations both within Indiana University, but also throughout the profession of pediatric dentistry.

Having visited your “fishing shack” on Big Pine Key and enjoyed the cuisine offered by local eating establishments like Sloppy Joe’s and the No Name Pub, I can tell you that I am looking forward to many return visits, especially now that we don’t have to endure hurricane force winds and six foot swells in that crappy little aluminum fishing boat. Your recent purchase of a real ‘drug-running’ boat, yet unnamed, much more fitting for a Ralph E. McDonald Professor Emeritus and your promise to take some navigation courses gives me the confidence that we will be able to successfully make the trip from the Keys to Jamaica, and hopefully not end up in Cuba.

David, your friendship and advice has both inspired and guided me. And similarly, much of the success of the pediatric dentistry training programs begun by folks like Ralph McDonald, Paul Starkey, Bailey Davis and Jim Roche has survived and thrived under your steady leadership. The Indiana Mafia and I thank you for a job well done and wish you Godspeed into a long and rewarding retirement. May you always have calm seas, cold beer and good fishing!

With appreciation,
Paul O. Walker
cc: Jeffrey A. Dean
AAPD Conference in Orlando

Pete Clauussen

Barry Burgess & Kevin Hale

David Avery in his "Hoosier Daddy" hat. Barry Burgess had several hats printed.

Mark Boone, class of 2004

Keith Roberts conducts the auction as Jeff Dean, Jennifer Burgess, Chuck Poland, and Phyllis Keaty look on.

Ralph McDonald and daughter, Barbara Dean

Jim Weddell (2nd row, 2nd from right) covers up during the Dinosaur Ride at the AAPPD meeting in Orlando. (photo courtesy of the residents)

Paul Walker

Ryan Murphy and Michael Roseff, class of 2006

From left to right: D. Cody Mast (2004), Hans Peterson (2005), Chad Hazlrig (2001) and Sean Cook (2005)

The Bow Fishing Trip
Adventure from left to right: Keith Roberts, Bill Keaty, Dave Miller, Joe Forgey, and Chuck Poland

What a crowd in the suite!

Thank you to Linda Sajka and Bill Keaty for providing many of these photos.
2005 Biennial Dinner

Gary Hinz converses with Randy & Susan Long.

From left to right; Vi Roche, Jim Roche, & Brian Lee

The “brain trust” discussing how IU will ever continue without Dave Avery! From left to right: Paul Walker, Jenny Stigers, Jerry Udelson, Betty Kaliru, and Elizabeth Hatcher

Yoshi & Noriko flew in from Japan to attend the celebration!

Chuck Poland presents the golf prize to Keith Roberts.

From L to R: Jeff Dean, Anokhi Dahlia, Sean Cook, Jodie Spencer, Carol Braun (IUPDAA President), Mark Ellis, Swati Singh and Hans Peterson

Dave Avery & Paul Walker

Sherril Koroluk & Barb Dean discuss the fine points of “dazzling”!

2005-2007 IUPDAA Officers: Pres, Jenny Stigers, Vice Pres. Barry Burgess, Board Members Jim Weddell & Bill Keaty. (Not included: Sec/Treas. Leslie Tanimura, Board Member Chad Hazelrigg, and Past President, Carol Braun)

President Carol Braun presents James Roche with the IUPDAA Distinguished Alumnus Award

New IUPDAA President, Jenny Stigers
patient treatment and polishing up their protocols. Most everyone has been approved to proceed with their research; be looking for some interesting results at upcoming meetings. Many are becoming excited for practice in the real world and are paying close attention to Dr. Weddell’s practice management class.

Caroline Darrow is very happy with her role as new mommy; little Wyatt is growing “like it’s his job”. Angela Pinkerton is right behind her with her new baby, Vivian Rose, born on the Fourth of July. Ryan Murphy is soon to be married to his beautiful “Southside Bride”; they will honeymoon in Mexico if it survives the hurricane season. Michael Roseff is getting a head start on his private practice plans and gladly shares great tips on meeting with contactors. He also spoils us with his delicious culinary treats. Katie Rusnak is quite the party girl, having every week jam-packed with galpal reunions from college and dental school. Parnaz Barnajian has been traveling to Los Angeles in her spare time to investigate potential partners and visiting with family. Congratulations are due to Swati Singh on several levels; she passed the Indiana Boards and will finish her residency in December 2005. Ah yes, she too drank the Riley water. She is due with her first baby boy in February 2006!

Yes, the resident’s lounge is not quite the same without the Class of 2004 to boss us around, throw our shoes down the hallway, or make animal noises during dictation. We miss them greatly and make time to keep tabs on their new and exciting lives. Here is what we have learned so far. Sean Cook has established in Newburg, IN practicing with David Miller. Hans Peterson is practicing at the Redwood Pediatric Dentistry office in Utah. Mark Ellis purchased Dr. Kerkhove’s practice on the southeast side of Indy. Anohki Dalia got married in July and is associating with Jerry Udelson in a practice in Chicago. Jodie Spencer is stationed at Naval Dental Center in Yokosuka, Japan with her husband who is also a pediatric dentist. They gave birth to their first daughter Madison in late September.

Dr. Dennis L. Duffield, Dr. John H. Deppen and Mrs. Sam Duffield (from right to left) recently completed the Michigan Bike Tour from South Haven, MI to Algonac (North of Detroit) – about 275 miles!