

November 3, 2022

Meeting #:	November 3, 2022 – Fall Business Meeting
Location:	Westin Harbour Castle Hotel, Toronto, ON

Ag	enda Item	
1.	Welcome	Dr. Girish Deshpande, President gave a warm welcome to all OAO members and guests in attendance and thanked them for their support. It was acknowledged that we had members joining us both in person and virtually.
2.	Call to Order and Approval of Minutes – May 26 General Meeting	The meeting was Called to Order at 7:13 pm.  Dr. Deshpande introduced the members of the board:  Dr. Natoosha Nargaski, Past President  Dr. Maxwell Abraham, Treasurer  Dr. Joel Schacher, President Elect  Dr. Eric Smith, Director, New & Younger Members  Dr. Ashley Phuong – Director  Dr. Brenda Chekay  And Committee Chairs  Dr. Pourang Rahimi, Newsletter Editor  Dr. Drew Smith, GLAO Rep / Honours & Awards Chair  Dr. Sean Chung, CAO Rep  Dr. Richard Marcus, 2022 Scientific Session Chair  Our University Reps:  Dr. Negin Ghaffari – U of T  Dr. Sepi Noruziann - UWO  Dr. Deshpande acknowledged our members and student members attending this OAO virtual AGM.  On a Motion by Dr. Bennett Mui and seconded by Dr. Drew Smith it was moved to accept the Agenda as presented for the November 3, 2022 General Meeting. Carried.  On a Motion by Dr. Helene Grubisa and seconded by Dr. Gordie Organ it was
3.	Treasurers	moved to accept the minutes of the June 4, 2022 General Meeting. <b>Carried.</b> Dr. Maxwell Abraham, provided an update on the financial position of the OAO
<b>3.</b>	Report	at September 30, 2022.

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		Dr. Abraham stated that the OAO is in great financial shape. The 2022 Scientific Meeting was a financial success for the Association and as such we will have funds to add to our reserves. Solid membership in 2022 is also a positive factor.  On a <b>Motion</b> by Dr. Arlene Dagys and seconded by Dr. Brenda Chekay it was moved to approve the draft audited financial statements at September 30, 2022 as presented. <b>Carried.</b>
4.	Membership Report	<ul> <li>Dr. Joel Schacher reviewed the membership report as of September, 2021.</li> <li>Dr. Schacher recognized the new members in 2022 since the last meeting.</li> <li>Membership remains a fairly steady number, with an increase compared to the previous 2 years.</li> <li>Dr. Schacher reminded that the renewal packages would be sent out soon.</li> </ul>
		On a <b>Motion</b> by Dr. Drew Smith and seconded by Dr. Ashley Phuong it was moved to accept the membership report as presented. <b>Carried.</b>
5.	President's Report	<ul> <li>Dr. Girish Deshpande provided his Presidents Report. His updates included:</li> <li>Expanding dental assistant duties</li> <li>Closed operatory and fallow time condition reversed</li> <li>National Dental Benefit Plan</li> <li>Recycling of used aligner materials and plastic models</li> <li>Website revamp</li> <li>Bi-monthly newsletter</li> <li>Successful Scientific Meeting June 3-5, 2022 Niagara-on-the Lake</li> </ul>
6.	Special Award Presentation	Dr. James Posluns presented the distinguished Service Award to Dr. Eric Selnes – Congratulations!
7.	Adjournment	On a <b>Motion</b> by Dr. Drew Smith and seconded by Dr. Sean Chung it was moved to adjourn the Fall 2022 OAO Business Meeting at 7:47 p.m. <b>Carried.</b>
8.	Special Presentations	Dr. Michael Sherman, AAO Trustee, provided an update on the AAO  Rishi Bandhu presented: HR Law Nuts and Bolts: Terminating the Employment Relationship