

# 2024 Annual Meeting

*Back to the Beach!*

June 27-29, 2024 | The Cloister at Sea Island Resort, Sea Island, GA

Beautiful Sea Island, Georgia, is home to three Forbes Five-Star experiences: The Cloister, The Lodge, and The Spa at Sea Island. This beautiful venue is steeped in history and tradition tucked away on the southeastern coast of Georgia, with five miles of private beach and a lush natural world to explore. An exceptional destination fueled by gracious service and heartfelt hospitality since 1928 where it began as “a friendly little hotel” on the coast of Georgia. This incredible place between the marsh and the sea is something very special.



The Jim Tate Open will be held at The Plantation Course which is inspired by the traditional profile of Walter Travis’ 1928 original nine-hole course and then redesigned by Davis and Mark Love of Love Golf Design in 2019. The course brings back some traditional features and character: bulkheads, railroad ties, the Principal’s Nose on #10 green, a punch bowl green on #13. And a few of Travis’ chocolate drops here and there. Fewer bunkers, a more open feel. Strategically interesting, with a challenging finishing hole. It is home of the PGA TOUR’s RSM Classic, a FedEx cup event hosted by Love.

Getting to The Cloister is easy. It is conveniently located between Jacksonville and Savannah international airports. It is a:

- One-hour drive from Jacksonville International Airport (JAX) and an hour-and-15-minute drive from Savannah International Airport (SAV)
- Twenty-minute drive from Brunswick Golden Isles Airport (BQK), serviced by ASA/The Delta Connection
- Ten-minute drive from The Cloister—five minutes from The Lodge—from the private McKinnon St. Simons Island Airport (SSI)



*The Southern Endodontic Study Group is an affiliate of the American Association of Endodontists dedicated to Endodontic continuing education.*

### 2023-2024 Steering Committee:

**Dr. Phillip Faucette**  
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# A Letter from the 2023-2024 SESG Chair



Colleagues and friends,

Every year, my family and I always look forward to our SESG annual meeting, and 2023 was no different! It was great seeing many of you at the Broadmoor this summer and getting a chance to catch up. Thanks again to Dr. Tom Brown and our executive director, Marlinda Fulton, for putting together another fantastic meeting! The bar has been set high and I hope that 2024 can live up to the standard.

We will return to the Southeast for our 2024 annual meeting. It will be held June 27-29, 2024, at The Cloister at Sea Island. Located off the coast of Georgia, The Cloister just so happens to be a sister property of The Broadmoor, so you can expect the same level of exceptional service. This Mediterranean-style resort sits on five miles of private beach and has endless activities for the entire family, including golf (three exceptional golf courses), horseback riding, tennis, boating, biking, and much more. I hope that you and your family will plan on joining us for a fantastic meeting.

Our speaker for this meeting will be Dr. George Bruder, thanks in part to the support of Dentsply Sirona. Dr. Bruder was the founding Chair of the Department of Endodontics at Stony Brook and was awarded the prestigious Edward M. Osetek Award from the AAE in 2012. You won't want to miss his lecture!

The Cloister is a popular location, especially in the summer, so I urge everyone to register (look for the meeting brochure in a couple of months) and book your lodging as soon as possible. Once the room block is full, there will be extremely limited availability. I look forward to seeing everyone in June 2024!

Warm regards,  
Phillip Faucette, DDS  
2023-2024 SESG Chair

***See page 8 for 2024 SESG Annual Meeting preview and the back page for venue information.***

## IMPORTANT DATES

April 17-20, 2024    AAE24 (Annual Meeting) – Los Angeles, CA

**June 27-29, 2024    SESG Annual Meeting, Sea Island, GA**

# SESG Membership Report

As of September 14, 2023

## Welcome New SESG Members!

Dr. Christian Dahl – Cumming, GA  
Dr. F. Norman Ford – Columbus, MS  
Dr. Carmel Gleis – New Albany, IN  
Dr. Benjamin David Scott – Knoxville, TN  
Dr. Lisa Selem – Cumming, GA  
Dr. Aurelia Vanderburg, Dawsonville, GA  
Dr. Bailey Kate Weightman – Moncks Corner, SC

## Congrats! Retired Life Membership

Dr. William Peyton Cunningham  
Dr. William J. DuBose

136 Active Members  
92 Retired/Life Members  
**228 Total Members**

*Let's grow the SESG Membership!  
Please take the SESG membership  
form (on pages 9-10) and invite one  
of your peers to join one of endo's  
best kept secrets – the Southern  
Endodontic Study Group!*

*The SESG is saddened to announce the passing of*

*Dr. Paul Wood,  
Louisiana, October 2022*

*Dr. Carol Coffey,  
Tennessee, August 26, 2022-Past Chair 1999*

*Dr. Jack Norman Bisno,  
Tennessee, August 4, 2022*

*Dr. Laurent Belanger,  
Florida, June 9, 2023-Past Chair 1990*

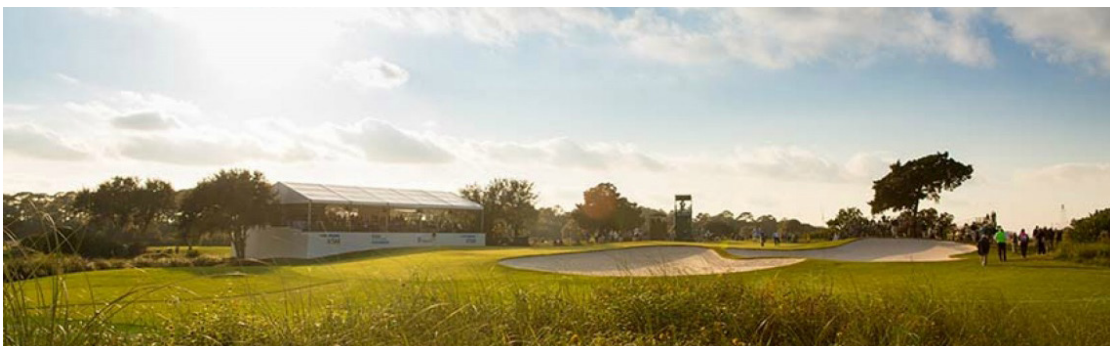
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# 2024 Annual Meeting *continued from the cover*

Dr. George Bruder will be our featured clinician and is sponsored by **Dentsply Sirona** and will provide over 11 hours of continuing education credits.

The SESG meeting begins with the early arrival reception on Wednesday evening, followed by afternoon CE on Thursday and then the popular Thursday evening fun and relaxed buffet. On Friday morning, a continuation of the CE lecture and the Jim Tate Open. Saturday morning the lecture will conclude at noon and will later be followed by the traditional farewell dinner for the adults and a special activity/dinner for the children.

There will be more information posted on the website soon and complete information in the SESG meeting brochure, which will be mailed in early January. In the meantime, you can make your room reservation by visiting [www.southernendo.org](http://www.southernendo.org), or calling 855.701.5351 and referencing Southern Endodontic Study Group. Rooms start at \$585.00/per night. See back cover for more information.





# 2023 Annual Meeting

Colorado Springs, CO





in pictures, always a great time!

*Thank you to those who shared their pictures.*





# 2023 Annual Meeting Recap

The 67<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Southern Endodontic Study Group was attended by 54 endodontists, 44 spouses/guests, 15 older children (13-20), and 24 children 12 and under. There were 11 companies represented at the meeting; take a moment and check out the list on page 7.

The featured speakers were Dr. Martin Trope and Dr. Bruno Acevedo, sponsored by **Brasseler USA**.

The Broadmoor is a beautiful venue and everyone enjoyed the ambiance of the hotel. For the most part, the weather was lovely, well, except for a few activities and "Plan B" was activated, and it worked out well! The SESG Farewell Dinner was held in the beautiful ballroom and thank you to the event underwriter **HighFive Healthcare**.

## THE JIM TATE OPEN RESULTS:

Low Gross Winner: Randy O'Connor (84)  
Men's Low Net Winner, 1st Flight: Ryan Burleson (-3)  
Men's Low Net Winner, 2nd Flight: David Clanton (+1)  
Ladies' Low Net Winner: Lori Vargo (-3)  
Long Drive Winner: Jim Vargo  
Closest to the Pin Winner: Ryan Burleson

*Thank you to all our golfers who participated and to Dr. Phillip Faucette for overseeing the tournament.*

## Southern Endodontic Study Group General Business Meeting Minutes

**Saturday, June 17, 2023**

*Meeting minutes will be officially reviewed at the next business meeting, June 29, 2024.*

### MINUTES

Dr. Thomas Brown, Chair, Presiding

SESG Conflict of Interest Statement was stated on the agenda.

Call to Order - Dr. Brown called the meeting to order at 12:09 p.m.

Welcome and Introduction of Guests - Dr. Brown thanked everyone for being there and introduced Mr. Gary Rejebian, AAE Foundation.

Additional Agenda Items - Dr. Brown called for additional agenda items and there were none.

Approval of the Agenda - A motion was made for the approval of the amended agenda. Seconded.  
**Motion adopted unanimously.**

Approval of the Minutes (June 9, 2022) - A motion was made to approve the minutes. Seconded.  
**Motion adopted unanimously.**

### Reports

Treasurer's Report - Dr. Stephen Moore, SESG Treasurer, reported the SESG has \$75,000 in a CD and an operating balance at this time of \$188,000, but SESG will soon be paying invoices for the meeting. A motion was made to approve the treasurer's report. Seconded.  
**Motion adopted unanimously.**

Membership Report - Dr. Phillip Faucette presented the membership report. He welcomed six new members,

previously approved by the steering committee: Drs. F. Norman Ford, Benjamin Scott, Bailey Kate Weightman, Carmel Gleis, Lisa Selem and Christian Dahl. Applying and previously approved for Retired Life Membership: Drs. William DuBose and William Peyton Cunningham. Dr. Faucette also remembered the following members who passed away in the past year: Dr. Paul Wood, Dr. James Sherard, Dr. Carol Coffey, Dr. Jack Norman Bisno, and Dr. Laurent Belanger (also Dr. Belanger's wife, Carol). A motion was made to approve the membership report. Seconded. **Motion adopted unanimously.**

### New Business:

Bylaws - Dr. Brown informed the membership the steering committee is going to start reviewing the bylaws, as they should be every few years, and will notice membership of any changes. Proposed bylaws will be voted on at the 2024 meeting.

Foundation - Dr. Brown reminded everyone that last year there was a discussion to form a foundation committee to start the process of raising funds to help 3<sup>rd</sup> year residents to attend the SESG meeting to assist in growing membership and to sustain the organization. Dr. Brown had inquired with the AAE Foundation if they were willing to oversee the management and formation of the foundation, unfortunately, they do not have the capabilities to do this. He then discussed this with the Florida Dental Association Foundation and they are willing to "house" the SESG Foundation under the umbrella of the Florida Dental Association. The steering committee will carefully review the FDA Foundation Agreement Contract when presented and

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# Sneak Peak at 2024 Annual Meeting

Dr. George A. Bruder

Look for a complete meeting brochure in January!



Day 1

## From Files to Ferrule: A Restoratively Driven Path to Endodontic Excellence

This course focuses on the extension of the tooth life cycle. Participants will learn the benefits of reviewing Remaining Dentin Thickness (RDT) and current endodontic restorative trends/techniques that preserve long-term success of the tooth. The goal of this course is to reinforce the value of combining Endo/Resto and the need to retain Pericervical Dentin and the establishment of a “TruFerrule”.

“Endodontic Therapy is not Complete Until the Tooth is Restored to Function”

Day 2

## When to Retain the Compromised Tooth a Microsurgical Endodontic Perspective: Procedures to Enhance Patient Centered Outcomes

Clinicians are often faced with challenges in diagnosing endodontically treated teeth that may require surgery to assist in rubber dam isolation, apical surgery and/or intentional replantation.

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Day 3

## Endodontic Retreatment versus Endodontic Surgery: Decision Planning Dilemmas

As clinicians, we are often presented with endodontic cases that persist with symptoms or become re-infected. But what are the parameters that should be considered before we decide to manage the case by either endodontic re-treatment or endodontic surgery? This will be both a “why to” presentation focusing on the decision-making process and a “how to” presentation. We hope this stimulates participant conversations and opinions through an Audience Response System (ARS).

### 2024 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (subject to change):

<b>Wednesday, June 26</b>	Early Arrival Social	6PM-8PM	<b>Friday, June 28</b>	Dr. Bruder's Lecture	8AM-12PM
<b>Thursday, June 27</b>	Past Chair's Lunch	11AM-12:30PM		Jim Tate Open	1PM-5PM
	Dr. Bruder's Lecture	1PM-5PM	<b>Saturday, June 29</b>	Dr. Bruder's Lecture	8AM-12PM
	Buffet Dinner	7PM-10PM		Farewell Dinner	6:30PM-10PM



## Southern Endodontic Study Group General Business Meeting Minutes (continued)

weigh this decision carefully. A motion was made for the steering committee to move forward with discussion and implementation with the Florida Dental Association. Seconded. **Motion adopted unanimously.**

Past Presidents Lunch – This was approved last year and will be implemented for 2024, probably on Thursday, before the CE lecture begins.

Incoming SESG Officer – Dr. Tres Manasco has agreed to serve as the incoming membership/program chair. The 2023-2024 officers are:

Chair – Dr. Phillip Faucette  
Secretary/Treasurer – Dr. Stephen Moore  
Program Chair/Membership – Dr. Tres Manasco  
Past President – Dr. Thomas Brown

Motion made to approve the 2023-2024 SESG Steering Committee. Seconded. **Motion adopted unanimously.**

2024 Meeting – Dr. Faucette announced the meeting will be June 27-29, 2024, at The Cloister at Sea Island, GA. Tentatively scheduled to speak is Dr. George Bruder.

There being no further discussion a motion was made at 12:27 p.m. to adjourn the meeting. Seconded. **Motion adopted unanimously.**



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**2024 Dues Statement.**

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# 2024 SESG ANNUAL MEETING

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June 27-29, 2024

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# 2024 DUES NOTICE

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- ❖ Certified SESG Lifetime Member dues are voluntary.
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