



Event Location

- Golf Tournament is located at the **Cape Girardeau Country Club** (250 Country Club Drive).
- All other events – CE and Thursday Evening activities – are located at **The Buckner-Ragsdale Event Center** in downtown Cape Girardeau (132 Main Street).

Event Schedule

Thursday, September 17

Golf Tournament

- 8am: Registration & Rules
- 8:30am: 18-Hole Golf Scramble (Shotgun Start)
- Registration includes lunch and prizes.

CE Meeting

- 7:30am: Registration & Breakfast
- 8am – 11am: Current Concepts in Preventive Dentistry: Evidence Based Products for Caries Prevention and Remineralization, *presented by Mary Govoni, MBA, RDH, CDA*
- 11am – 1pm: Break for Lunch (on your own)
- 1pm – 3pm: CE Program (Title TBA), *presented by Sandra Lambert, RDA*

Evening Events

- 5:30pm: Happy Hour
- 6pm – 9pm: Dinner (catered by Top of the Marque) and Officer Installation, followed by live band, “Old Cape Road” with the theme “Tailgate/Sports Jerseys”

Friday, September 18

CE Meeting

- 7:30am: Registration & Breakfast
- 8am – 11am: Extractions: Complications & Solutions, *presented by Dr. Jay Reznick*
- 1pm – 4pm: Non-Surgical PerioTherapy: Assessment to Instrumentation, *presented by Silky Sharma RDH, EdD*

Lunch & Business Meeting

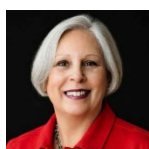
- 11:30am: Lunch provided at Buckner Ragsdale, only for member dentists who RSVP for the SEDS business meeting (must RSVP to eat lunch).
- Attendees not attending the business meeting will break for lunch on their own.

Current Concepts in Preventive Dentistry: Evidence Based Products for Caries Prevention and Remineralization, presented by Mary Govoni, MBA, RDH, CDA (3 CE Credits) – Thursday AM

Course Description: Dental professionals have more preventive products available today than ever before but selecting the most appropriate option requires an understanding of the latest scientific evidence and clinical applications. This course examines current concepts in preventive dentistry, with a focus on evidence-based products designed to prevent caries, arrest early lesions and promote remineralization. Participants will review the mechanisms of action, indications, benefits and limitations of commonly used preventive therapies, including fluoride varnishes, pit and fissure sealants, silver diamine fluoride, CPP-ACP, bioactive remineralization materials, and emerging technologies. The course will also explore patient risk assessment, product selection based on individual needs, and strategies for integrating preventive therapies into everyday clinical practice. Attendees will leave with a practical understanding of how to evaluate current research, make informed clinical decisions, and recommend preventive products that support long-term oral health across all age groups.

Course Objectives:

- Discuss the current evidence supporting the use of preventive products for caries prevention and enamel remineralization.
- Differentiate the indications, mechanisms of action, advantages, and limitations of fluoride varnishes, pit and fissure sealants, silver diamine fluoride, CPP-ACP products, and other bioactive remineralization therapies.
- Assess patient caries risk factors to determine appropriate evidence-based preventive interventions for children, adolescents, adults, and older adults.
- Select preventive products based on individual patient needs, clinical findings, and current evidence-based recommendations.
- Incorporate preventive and remineralization strategies into routine clinical practice to improve patient outcomes and reduce the risk of dental caries.



Mary Govoni is an internationally recognized speaker, author and consultant on a variety of topics in dentistry, including infection control, OSHA and HIPAA compliance, ergonomics and team development. She brings over 40 years of experience to her speaking and coaching clients, including clinical assisting and hygiene, as well as practice administration and education.

Pathway to Health, presented by Sandra Lambert, RDA (2 CE Credits) – Thursday PM

Course Objectives:

- Understand how malocclusion can negatively impact patients' long-term oral-systemic health.
- Learn how to efficiently screen for signs and symptoms of malocclusion during hygiene appointment.



Sandra Lambert is the Director of Clinical Education for CandidPro. She is passionate about the dental aspect of healthcare. Sandra has 28 years of experience in the dental field as an international speaker and team trainer, with a demonstrated history of improving the effectiveness of team building and dental office operations.

Extractions: Complications & Solutions, presented by Dr. Jay Reznick (4 CE Credits) – Friday AM

Course Objectives:

- Learn extraction techniques that reduce complications and boost patient satisfaction.
- Explore common complications in dental extractions, from managing multi-rooted teeth and dense bone, to handling anxious patients.
- Learn evidence-based techniques to minimize tissue trauma, address fractured roots, optimize sedation, and prevent postoperative issues like dry socket and infection, which help clinicians enhance



Jay Reznick, DMD, MD, is a highly respected, board-certified oral and maxillofacial surgeon with over two decades of clinical, academic, and technological leadership in the field. A Diplomate of the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Dr. Reznick is known for his innovative approach to surgical care and his commitment to advancing the profession through education and technology.

Non-Surgical PerioTherapy: Assessment to Instrumentation, presented by Silky Sharma RDH, Ed.D (3 CE Credits) – Friday PM

Course Description: This course delivers critically appraised, evidence-based information for accurate periodontal diagnosis. It provides a chronological overview of the assessment phase of care, including identifying, diagnosing, communicating, treating, and stabilizing periodontitis through non-surgical periodontal therapy. The course also explores the design and clinical application of advanced hand instruments used for scaling and root planing through case-based examples. Attendees will gain ideas for developing an efficient SRP kit, optimizing calculus removal, and improving periodontal treatment outcomes.

Course Objectives:

- Identify the key components of a comprehensive periodontal assessment for diagnosing and treatment planning of periodontitis.
- Recognize the clinical signs, risk factors, and disease indicators associated with periodontal disease.
- Differentiate instrument designs and select the appropriate instruments based on clinical indications and root anatomy.
- Select and assemble an essential SRP instrument kit using advanced hand instruments for efficient non-surgical periodontal therapy.
- Apply case-based clinical decision-making to improve instrumentation, calculus removal, and overall periodontal treatment outcomes.



Silky Sharma, RDH, Ed.D is an Associate Professor at Harper College, Palatine, Ill., and has been a faculty member since 2010. She earned her master's degree from the University of Illinois with a focus on Evidence-Based Decision Making, and her doctorate from Grand Canyon University in Education, in Teaching and Learning with an emphasis on Adult Learning. She has continued to practice dental hygiene, providing patient-centered care at a perio-focused office for 20 years.