



MINUTES

- 1. Call to Order:** President Dr. Will Nichols called the meeting to order at 6:35 p.m.
- 2. Approval of Minutes:** Minutes of the September 13 meeting as printed in October issue of *Toothsayer* were approved.
- 4. Announcements:** Attendees were reminded to sign in to the Chat box, to ensure receiving CE attendance verification.
- 5. Correspondence:** No correspondence to report
- 6. Budget Report:** Secretary-Treasurer Dr. Chris Kyles gave the budget report.
- 7. Committee Reports:** no reports made
- 8. Business: Old and New**
WSDA HOD Report: (Delegates Kathy Stambaugh, Linh Vu, Marion Herson, Emily Herson) Dr. Lihn gav report on WSDA HOD meeting:
 - No new dues increases
 - WSDA owns the building in Bellevue
 - There is a school in Skagit that is training mid-level providers (dental therapists) that can only practice on Indian reservations
 - They are considering transitioning from licensure to endorsement for out of state hygienists to facilitate more hygienists able to practice in Washington. This would help with increased demand and decreased supply.
 - A committee is being formed to deal with dental insurance and reimbursement issues.
- 9. Continuing Education:** President-Elect Dr. Micah Marth introduced speaker Dr. Frank Repanich, who lectured on the topic Digital Dentistry: Why, When, and How.
- 10. Course Completion Verification Code, for AGD members:** President Dr. Will Nichols gave the code.
- 11. Next Meeting:** November 8, Virtual; speaker Sam Martin, CPA, on Dental Finance.
- 12. Adjournment:** President Dr. Nichols adjourned the meeting at approx. 8:15 p.m

Respectfully submitted,
Chris Kyles, DMD, MD
MBDDS Secretary-Treasurer