With 55 years of continuous seminars, CPRC has been a major source of continuing education for pediatric dentists. The traditions established have been maintained year after year by an informal organization. It is appropriate to review the history of our conference.

1950
Organization
Home of Spencer Atkinson

1951
Chairman: Francis W. Summers
Barbara Hotel, Santa Barbara
Speakers: Ralph Ireland, D.D.S. Harry B. Keeling

1952
Chairman: Irvine Beechen
Hotel Casa Del Roy, Santa Cruz
Speakers: Dr. Gordon H. Bierman
Dr. Howard R. Bierman
Dr. Chester Fond

1953
Chairman: Don Chatterton
Hotel del Coronado, Coronado
Speakers: Harry Sicher, M.D., Sc.D.
Calvin Foss, D.D.S.
J.C.A. Harding, D.D.S.
Mode Perry, D.D.S.

1954
Chairman: Cad Ellertson, Jr.
Los Laureles Lodge, Carmel Valley
Speakers: William F. Neuman, Ph.D.
Albert D. Davis, M.D.
Donovan J. Mccune, M.D.

1955
Chairman: Ed Froelich
Samarkand Hotel, Santa Barbara
Speakers: Allan G. Brodie
Thomas K. Barber, D.D.S.

1956
Chairman: Ed Randol
Los Laureles Lodge, Carmel Valley
Speakers: Frances Lillian, M.D.
Fred W. Beck, M.D.

1957
Chairman: C. Thomas Havey
Arrowhead Springs Hotel, Arrowhead
Speakers: Maury Massler, M.D.
Henry M. Tanner, M.D.

1958
Chairman: J. H. Inglis
Los Laureles Lodge, Carmel Valley
Speakers: Mrs. Goldie Krantz
Ralph E. McDonald, D.D.S.
John L. Clark

1959
Chairman: Stewart Anderson
Ojai Valley Inn, Ojai
Speakers: Robed Moyers, D.O.S., Ph.D.
Alfred Knudson, M.D., Ph.D.
Francis V. Howell, D.D.S.

1960
Chairman: Dan Laston
Los Laureles Lodge, Carmel Valley
Walter J. Straub, D.D.S.
Clinton Emmerson, D.D.S.

1961
Chairman: Robet Andrews
Ojai Valley Inn, Ojai
Speakers: Leonard Monheim, D.D.S.
Russell Haney, Ph.D.
1962
Chairman: Eugene A. Taano
Mark Thomas Inn, Monterey
Speakers: Edmond Volkart, M.D., Ph.D.
Norman Kretchmen, M.D., Ph.D.
Charles McLennan, M.D., Ph.D.
John Piel, M.D.
Theodore, S. Grant, D.M.D.
Marjorie M. Nelson, Ph.D.
C. Willet Ashling, M.D., Ph.D.
Van V. Chambers, M.D.
Norman J. Sissman, M.D.

1963
Chairman: Mode Perry
Ojai Valley Inn, Ojai
Speaker: Earl W. Renfore, D.O.S.

1964
Chairman: Walter Mandler
Highlands Inn, Carmel
Speakers: Sidney Finn, D.M.D. Herbert Mann, M.D.
Jonas Sirota, M.D.

1965
Chairman: Hugo Kulstad
Ojai Valley Inn, Ojai
Speaker: Frank F. Lamons, D.D.S.

1967
Chairman: John R. Kennedy
Biltmore Hotel, Santa Barbara
Speaker: Alvin L. Morris, D.D.S., Ph.D.

1968
Chairman: Carl Johnson
Holiday Inn, Carmel
Speakers: Frank B. Dutton
William H. Pemberton, D.O.S.
Jack L. Rosenberg
Robert D. Schmidt
John G. Schonher
Gordon M. Weber
Program: Make Some-Keep Some-Leave Some

1969
Chairman: William E. Allen
Ojai Valley Inn, Ojai
Speakers: Harry Doughery, D.D.S.
George Boon, D.O.S.
Alfred Baum, D.D.S.
Raymond Kreiainger, D.D.S.
Richard Hambleton, D.O.S.
Program: Understanding Orthodontics

1970
Chairman: Emmett Stanton
Holiday Inn, Monterey
Speakers: Ralph McDonald, O.D.S.
Dale F. Redig, D.D.S.
Leroy Cagnone, D.D.S.
William Pemberton, D.D.S.
Program: Dentistry Looks to the Future-The Seventies.

1971
Chairman: Walter Hunter
Ojai Valley Inn, Ojai
Speaker: F. Harold Wirth, D.D.S.
Program: More Prosperous, More Powerful, Longer and Happier Living Through Dentistry

1972
Chairman: Claude Warden
Del Monte Lodge, Carmel
Speakers: Roy M. Wolff, D.D.S.
Dr. Cal N. Steadly

1973
Chairman: David P. Ashrow
Ojai Valley Inn, Ojai
Speakers: Robbie Robinson, D.D.S.
Donald Hilgers, D.O.S., Ph.D.
John J. Tocchini, D.D.S.
Program: Advanced Interceptive Orthodontics
1974
Chairman: E. Phillip Soderstrom
Del Monte Lodge, Carmel
Speakers: Donald Hilgers, D.D.S., Ph.D.
Program: Continuance of 1973 material

1975
Chairman: Laurence C. Reichel
25th Annual Pedodontic Seminar
La Costa, Carlsbad
Speaker: Daniel Grant, D.D.S.
Program: Periodontics in Children
Speaker: William Collins, M.S.W.
Program: Transactional Analysis

1976
Chairman: Mario E. Gildone
Hyatt Lake Tahoe, Incline, Nevada
Speaker: William Collins, M.S.W.
Program: Transactional Analysis

1977
Chairman: Ernest Horany
La Costa, Carlsbad
Speakers: William Proffitt, D.D.S., Ph.D.
Program: Mixed Dentition Orthodontic Oral Manifestations of Common Systemic Diseases in Children

1978
Chairman: Donald Dal Porto
Silverado, Napa
Speaker: Ira L. Shannon, B.S., D.M.D. Ms.D., FA.C.O.
Program: Fluorides

1979
Chairman: Kenro Nishimine
La Costa, Carlsbad
Speaker: Merle Bean, D.D.S.
Program: Bionator Appliance

1980
Chairman: Richard Pace
Ahwahnee Hotel, Yosemite National Park
Speaker: Lendon H. Smith, M.D.
Program: Feed Your Kids Right

1981
Chairman: Melvin L. Rowan
San Ysidro Inn, Montecito
Speaker: Gordon Christensen, D.D.S., Ph.D.
Program: Dental Materials

1982
Chairman: Gregg Conian
Fallen Leaf Lake, South Lake Tahoe
Speaker: James Pride, D.D.S. Pacific Institute
Program: Office Design for Efficiency

1983
Chairman: Kent Payne
Industry Hills and Sheraton Resort, City of Industry
Speaker: Joe H. Camp, A.B., D.O.S., M.S.D.
Program: Bleaching of Vital Stained Tooth & Traumatic Injuries
Program: Dental Malpractice Prevention

1984
Chairman: Weyland Lum
Hyatt Regency, Monterey
Speaker: Laurence C. Reichel, D.D.S.
Program: Financing for Office Equipment
Program: The Successful Pedodontic Practice of the 80's
Program: Pediatric Hematological/Oncological Diseases Involving the Mouth & Jaw
Program: Local Anesthesia, Sedation and the Prevention and Treatment of Emergencies

1985
Chairman: Thomas Goblirsch
Rio Bravo, Bakersfield
Speaker: Patrick Turley, D.D.S., M.S.D.
Program: Diagnosis and Treatment of Early Orthodontic Problems
Program: Genetics
1986
Chairman: Ed Hoffman
Chaminade-Whitney, Santa Cruz
Speaker: James Cottone, D.O.S., M.S.
Program: Aids, Hepatitis and Infection Control in Dentistry

1987
Chairman: Lonnie Lovingier
Cola De Can, Trabuco Hills
Speaker: Richard Schnur, D.D.S.
Program: Malpractice Involving Pedodontists
Speaker: Frank Faunce, D.O.S.
Program: Aesthetic Dentistry
Speaker: James J. Hilgers, D.O.S., M.S.
Program: Practical Approach to All Dental Diagnosis
Speaker: Charles Thomas, Ph.D.
Program: My Aching Back

1988
Chairman: John Sullivan
North Star at Lake Tahoe
Speaker: Don Clay, Vantage Institute, Utah
Program: Using to Best Advantage the Interaction of the Personality Traits of Your Office Personnel
Speaker: Martin S. Rayman, D.D.S.
Program: Managing the Child Patient Without Drugs

1989
Chairman: David Markle
Dana Point
Speaker Russell Seheult, D.D.S.
Program: Cons. Sedation-Oral and Perioral Modes
Speaker: Gail Ushafer
Program: Cons. Sedation-Standards of Care, Facilities, Equipment, & Medications
Speaker Tony Todd
Program: Conscious Sedation-Pre-assessment, Pharmacology of Agents, Post-op Care

1990
Chairman: Harry Plett
Kirkwood Resort, Kirkwood
Speaker Richard Mungo, D.D.S.
Program: Intraoral Lasers
Speaker: Karin Vargevik, D.D.S.
Program: Cranio-Facial Anomalies: Growth characteristics and Treatment
Speaker: Myles Abbot, M.D.
Program: Pediatric Medicine, an Update
Speaker: Thomas Pius, D.D.S., MS.
Program: Pitfalls and Opportunities

1991
Chairman: Frank Flores
Newport Beach
Speaker: Ronald Johnson, D.D.S., Chairman, Dept. of Pediatric Dentistry U.S.C.
Program: Practical Methods of Infection Control Recent Advances in Traumatic Injuries
How Dental Students Are Currently Being Trained
Speaker: Richard P. McLaughlin, D.D.S.
Program: Skeletal & Dental Components of the T.M.J. Dysfunction
Speakers: Paul A. Selecky, M.D.
Max Swancuff, D.D.S.
Program: Sleep Apnea & Snoring: A Dental Approach
Speakers: Richard Mungo, D.D.S.
Mike Muscarelia, American Dental Laser
Program: Current Concepts in Laser Dentistry, CO2 AND YAG

1992
Chairman: Randolph Lim
Inn at Spanish Say, Monterey
Speaker: Straty Righellis, D.D.S.
Program: Orthodontics

1993
Chairman: Jeff Brown
Surf & Sand, Laguna Beach
Speaker: Terry Donovan, D.D.S.
Program: Review of Restorative Materials for the Pediatric Dentist
Speaker: Barry Skaggs, D.O.S.
Program: Pediatric Maxillofacial Trauma
Speaker: Raymond Melrose, D.O.S.
Program: Pediatric Oral Pathology
Speaker: Richard Stafford, D.O.S.
Program: General Anesthesia in the Dental Office
Speaker: James Cecchini, D.O.S.
Program: Stress Reduction

1994
Chairman: Victor Hawkins
Fallen Leaf Lake, South Lake Tahoe
Speaker: Daniel O’Brien, D.O.S., M.S.D.
Program: Orthodontic Guidance of Occlusion
1995
Chairman: Roy Nakai
Temecula Creek Inn, Temecula, CA
Speaker: Don Chambers, Mercer Company
Program: Investment Strategies for Successful Retirement
Speaker: Col. Paul Gill, Administrator for Riverside Dental Group
Program: A Successful Model for Managed Care
Speaker: David Markle, D.O.S., Partner of Riverside Dental Group
Program: Treatment Planning within the Framework of Managed Care
Speakers: Andrea Minasian, D.O.S. Daniel Lee, D.D.S.
Program: In-Office Anesthesia/Sedation Alternatives
Speakers: Jim Brown & David Weiss, The Dentists Insurance Company
Program: Professional Liability & Risk Implications of In-office Anesthesia/Sedation
1996
Chairman: Jack Faia
LaPlaya Hotel, Carmel
Speaker: Surindar Bhaskar, D.O.S., M.S., Ph.O.
Program: Oral pathology of Childhood; Soft Tissue Grafts; Frenectomy in Children
Speaker: Phillip Bhaskar, D.M.D.
Program: The Removal of Impacted Teeth, Medical Emergencies in the Pediatric Dental Office
1997
Chairman: Ken Whitcomb
Singing Hills Country Club, El Cajon, CA
Speaker: Daniel Cook, D.D.S., M.S.
Program: A Philosophy and Systems for the Practice of Pediatric Dentistry
Speaker: James Du Molin, Consultant with Du Molin & Du Molin
Program: Advanced Marketing for the Year 2000
1998
Chairman: Charles Bona, D.D.S.
Resort at Squaw Creek
Speaker: John Featherstone, Ph.O.
Program: Current Concepts of Cavities Prevention Lasers and Dentistry
Moderator: Weyland Lum, D.O.S.
Program: Practice Transition
1999
Chairman: Howard Dixon, D.D.S.
Rancho Santa Fe Inn, Rancho Bernardo
Speaker: Randall Berning, J.D.
Program: Practice Transition Succession
Speaker: Barry Waldman, D.O.S.
Program: Children of the 21st Century
2000
Chairman: Brad Graber
Stanford Sierra Camp, Lake Tahoe
Speaker: Sheldon Newman, D.D.S.
Program: Composites
Speaker: John Peacock, M.D.
Program: Aging
2001
Chairman: Alan Longfellow and Greg Lagermeier
Sedona, Arizona
Speaker: Naomi Rhode
Program: Balance In Your Life
Speaker: Duanne Wooten, M.D.
Program: Finding Your Rewards In Life
Speaker: John De Vincanzo D.D.S., M.S.
Program: Orthodontics
2002
Chairman: Bob Venn
Granlibakken Resort, North Lake Tahoe
Speaker: Thomas Lenhart, D.M.O.
Program: Review for Pediatric Oral Conscious Sedation
2003
Chairman: Joseph Renzi, Jr. and Karilyn House
Doubletree Golf Resort, San Diego
Speaker: Thomas Lenhart, O.M.D.
Program: Use of the Diode Laser in Pediatric Dentistry
Speaker: Barry Jacobson, D.M.D.
Program: Use of the Waterlase laser, sponsored by Biolase lasers
Speakers: Morgan Stanley Financial Advisors
Program: Allstate Variable Annuity
2004
Chairman: Scott Thompson
Inn at the Tides, Bodega Bay
Speaker: John Featherstone, PhD
Program: The Caries Process
Speaker: John Boland DDS
Program: Dental Erosion, Nutrition and Pediatric Dentist’s Role in Childhood Obesity

2005
Chairman: Mark Lisagor
Pierpont Inn, Ventura
Speaker: John Light
Program: Employees and the Law
Speaker: George Bogen DDS
Program: Clinical Applications of MTA
Speaker: Terri Lisagor, EdD, MS, RD
Program: The Science of Nutrition
Speaker: Kevin Donly DDS
Program: Dental Materials and the AAPD Pediatric Dentistry Consensus Conference

2006
Chairman: Bob Oliver
Mayacamas Ranch, Calistoga
Office Tours: Steigner & Ramos; Jebise Briggs; Steve Berger
Speaker: Ray Bertolotti
Program: Bonding Principles Updated
Speaker: Mastermind Group
Subject: A Better Life

2007
Chairmen: Ned Momary and Frank Enriquez
Hyatt Regency Newport Beach
Speaker: Raymond Melrose
Program: Selected Topics in Pediatric Oral Pathology
Speaker: Christine Quinn, DDS, MS
Program: The Compromised Pediatric Patient