ITEM ONE: ELECTION REPORT
Black Hills District Dental Society officers for 2017-2018
President: Dr. Jeff Wiswall
President Elect: Dr. Jon Reth
Secretary/Treasurer: Dr. Bruce Evans

South Dakota Dental Association Officers, Delegates and Committees
SDDA President Dr. Ed Lynch
Board of Trustees: Drs. Scott Van Dam, Mark Kampfe
House of Delegates: Drs. Jon Reth, Jim Byrne, Jeff Wiswall, Chuck Scanlon, Mark Kampfe, Scott Van Dam, Laura Davies, Josh Nehring, Jay Segrist
Dental Health Committee: Drs. Bill Donhiser and Kelli Jobman
Children’s Dental Health Month: Drs. Bruce Evans, Brent Bradley, Kelli Jobman and Josh Friedman
Legislative Committee: Drs. Jeff Wiswall and Mark Kampfe
Annual Session Planning Committee: Drs. Jay Benusis, Ed Lynch and Jay Crossland
Membership Development Committee: Drs. Ike Morgan, Eric Unkenholz and Jeff Wiswall
Ethics Committee: Dr. Scott Van Dam
So Dak-D-PAC: Drs. Jon Schaack, Ed Vigna and Mark Kampfe
Peer Review Committee: Drs. Jim Nelson, Chad Carpenter, Eric Unkenholz, Don Massa, Jay Segrist, Jim Byrne, Paul Rezich, Dave Cooley and (layperson) Mr. James Leonard
Forensic Dental Team: Drs. Scott Van Dam, Eric Swanson, Don Leonard, Katie Haave, Paul Rezich and Mike Krump
SD State Board of Dentistry: Drs. Tara Schaack and Harold Doerr
Speaker of the House: Dr. Jay Crossland

Thanks to all of you members who have agreed to contribute some of your time and energy to organized dentistry this year!

ITEM TWO: TREASURER’S REPORT
Checkbook Balance: On May 31, 2017 the checkbook balance was $18,934.28. One year earlier, it was $20,021.47. Two years ago it was $21,938.88. Our annual dues allowed us to deposit $5,280 into the account this year. We are doing a fairly good job of maintaining our annual budget of spending approximately $5,000/year and keeping our account balance around $20,000. During the years that we host a Legislators’ Reception, we tend to spend about $6,000 instead of $5,000 annually, so the balance decreases by
about $1,000 during these years. We have held Legislators’ Receptions during the past two years, so that explains why that balance has declined.

**ITEM THREE: USD DENTAL HYGIENE SCHOLARSHIP**
The University of South Dakota Dental Hygiene Program has selected Ms. April Hanson from Hot Springs, as the recipient of our $500 scholarship this year. April has signed an agreement stating that after graduation, she will practice dental hygiene in the Black Hills District for at least one year.

**ITEM FOUR: BHDDS MEETING DATES AND SPEAKERS**
**Tuesday, October 10, 2017- 6:00pm**
Location: Arrowhead Country Club
Speaker: Troy Howard, MD (ENT Specialist)
Topic: Craniofacial Pain and Sleep Dentistry
CE Credits: 2 clinical hours have been approved

**NOTE:** The date of this meeting was originally planned for a week earlier in October, but Dr. Howard had a conflict on that date so it was moved to the 10th of October. Please mark your calendar.

**Thursday, November 9, 2017- 6:30pm**
Legislators’ Reception
Location: Rushmore Plaza Holiday Inn
Black Hills Ballroom (formerly known as the Hammons Room)
Note: Mr. Paul Knecht asked us to host another Legislators’ Reception because he is expecting that some new bills affecting the practice of dentistry will be introduced during the next session.

Respectfully submitted,
Bruce Evans
Secretary/Treasurer BHDDS