Calendar

Wednesday, Sept. 1, 2010 5:00pm OSU-COM Alumni Association Board OFF Conference Room Candy Ting, D.O., President

Tuesday, September 7, 2010 5:00pm PALS for Physicians OFF Training Center Susan Smith, PA, Instructor

Tuesday, September 7, 2010 6:30pm OFF Charitable Gifts Committee OFF Conference Room Sharon Noel, D.O., Chairman

Thursday, September 9, 2010 6:30pm Tulsa Osteopathic Medical Society Membership Dinner Central Center at Centennial Park 1028 East 6th Street Charles Henley, D.O., President

Thursday, September 16, 2010 8:30am Retired & Older Physicians' Breakfast OFF Conference Room Ebb Reeves, D.O., Coordinator

Osteopathic Founders Foundation

4812 E. 81st St., Suite 301 Tulsa, OK 74137 918.551.7300 fax 918.551.7336 Sherri Wise, President/CEO swise@osteopathicfounders.org Diane Jarvi, Executive Secretary djarvi@osteopathicfounders.org

Susan B. Smith, Education Specialist / AHA Programs ssmith@osteopathicfounders.org Friday, September 24, 2010 6:30pm Strolling Through the Match Central Center at Centennial Park 1028 East 6th Street Janice Bratzler, Coordinator

Saturday, October 9, 2010 8:30am Update in Women's Health CME Tulsa Technology Center 3420 South Memorial Dr. Sherri L Wise, CPA, Coordinator

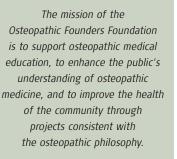
Wednesday, October 13, 2010 6:30pm TOMS Board of Directors Dale Derby, D.O., President

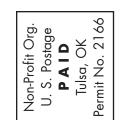
Monday, October 18, 2010 5:00pm BLS/ACLS for Physicians OFF Training Center Susan Smith, PA, Instructor

Tuesday, October 19, 2010 6:30pm OFF Board of Directors D'Novo, 6120 South Yale Sherri L. Wise, CPA. President

Thursday, October 21, 2010 8:30am Retired & Older Physicians' Breakfast OFF Conference Room Ebb Reeves, D.O., Coordinator

Mission Statement

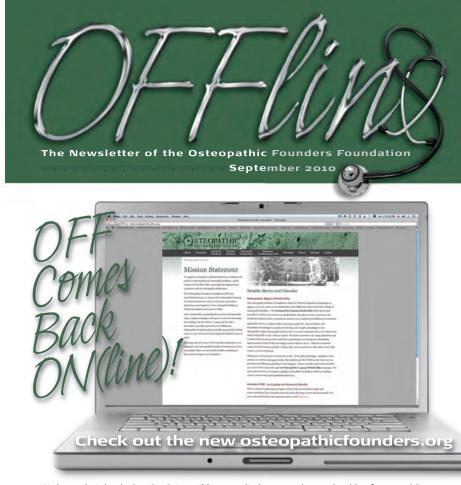




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We knew that developing the Osteopathic Founders Foundation new website would take some time. After all, the foundation has expanded considerably since the first website went live several years ago. And over the past year, OFF has added so many new services and gathered so much information to share, the new site just kept *growing*. But we're happy to announce the new

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site is up, running, and waiting for your visit.

Physicians, Residents & Fellows, Medical Students, Community Grantseekers, Donors, and more will find their own site areas containing information about invitations to upcoming events, educational opportunities like our Emergency Cardiovascular Care classes, and how to participate in and donate to various OFF osteopathic and community support programs. You can also read the OFF Annual Report and newsletters and find news and links to stories about the osteopathic profession.

The new site now makes it easy and convenient to submit nominations, register for events, get schedules and enroll in classes, and all online.

Visit **osteopathicfounders.org** today. Note the home page is a great place to

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check out important events and news. If you're not sure where to find something on the



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site, click on the Site Plan. On a technical note, the new site is best viewed with Firefox, Opera, Safari, Google Chrome, and IE7 or greater. And after your site visit, be sure and

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New Scholarship Program

The Osteopathic Founders Foundation's Board of Directors launched a campaign on August 1, 2010 to create a new scholarship at the Oklahoma State University College of Osteopathic Medicine. The Osteopathic Legacy Scholarship will be presented annually to a third or fourth year medical student who plans to enter a primary care residency program and is committed to practice in an underserved Oklahoma community.

Inspired by the \$100 million dollar testamentary gift of T. Boone Pickens, the Foundation has pledged to match the first \$25,000 of gifts and pledges to the Osteopathic Legacy Scholarship Fund in order to create a minimum \$50,000 endowment which will qualify for Mr. Pickens' match. We believe that there are many physicians and friends of the profession who would like to participate in creating new scholarship opportunities at OSU-COM, but simply need a vehicle to do so. With the combined match of the Foundation and Mr. Pickens' gift, your contribution will realize a four-fold return on your investment.

Thank you to all who have contributed to date. Every gift and pledge, regardless of the amount, is welcome and appreciated. The students at OSU-COM are the future of our profession in Oklahoma and deserve our support. Please consider a gift to their future before October 31, 2010 through the *Osteopathic Legacy Scholarship* campaign. For more information, or to request a pledge card, call the Foundation office at (918)551-7300 or email swise@osteopathicfounders.org.

Osteopathic Legacy Scholarship Fund Donors

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The Party's On!

Be sure to mark your calendars now for the premiere event of the osteopathic profession. We're so grateful that Drs. Patti Shaw and Brian Chalkin have agreed to serve as chairs of Winterset 2011. They'll work with Tulsa's best

Dr. Patti Shaw and Dr. Brian Chalkin.

event planner, Phil Long, to create a spectacular evening on February 26, 2011 at the Doubletree Hotel – Warren Place. We can't give away the secrets now; but former Winterset guests will know that a Phil Long event is sure to be **Unforgettable**!

It takes the talents of many people to create a memorable event like Winterset. Patti and Brian will be recruiting their committee over the next few weeks and would truly appreciate your willingness to serve. In addition to your time and talent, we hope you will give generously of your treasure. The grants and scholarships provided through Winterset's success benefit our communities in countless ways.

The charitable gifts committee will meet on September 7th to select beneficiaries from among the many organizations recommended by our members. Those beneficiaries will be announced at a Winterset kick-off party for committee members and former patrons in early October. You'll read more about those beneficiaries in the next *OFFline* in early November. You don't want to miss this party! Patti and Brian will make it THE BEST IN TOWN!



the Match Remember when.....you were preparing for residency? Would you have liked some help in navigating the process of preparing

your application?

Strolling

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How about choosing a specialty, evaluating the opportunities and gearing up for THE INTER-VIEW? That's just what the Strolling Through the Match program is designed to do and we are pleased to partner with the Tulsa Osteopathic Medical Society to present it to third and fourth year students at OSU-COM this September.

This complimentary program provides a roadmap for the post-graduate education process. With a handbook published by the American College of Family Physicians, the students are presented with a checklist to prepare for and enter the match. We appreciate the leadership of Charles Henley, D.O., MPH in creating the opportunity for the Foundation and TOMS to serve our osteopathic students.

For more information, or if you would like to attend, email jbratz61@yahoo.com; or check the Foundation's website osteopathicfounders.org.

Update in Women's Health

The Osteopathic Founders Foundation will present its next FREE CME program on Saturday, October 9, 2010 at the Tulsa Technology Center, 3420 South Memorial in Tulsa. The *Update in Women's Health* has been approved by the AOA Council on Continuing Medical Education for three (3) hours of Category 1-A CME credit.

Topics for the program include: An Osteoporosis Treatment Update, Michael Kane, Pharm. D., FCCP, BCPS; Managing Menopause, J. Martin Beal, D.O., FACOOG; and Cardiovascular Disease in Women, Sharolyn Cook, D.O. The program is intended for physicians, pharmacists, physician assistants, and advanced practice nurses with an interest in women's health issues.

The program will begin at 8:30 a.m. with registration and a continental breakfast. The first lecture will begin at 9:00 a.m. and the program will conclude at 12:00. As always, there is **no cost** to attend but registration is required in order for us to provide the appropriate materials necessary to meet the program objectives. Hours will be reported by the Foundation to the American Osteopathic Association for those physicians who complete and return the program evaluation and their signed attestation form. The program is also accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education through the University of Oklahoma College of Pharmacy.

To register, visit our website at osteopathicfounders.org or call Diane at 918-551-7300.

Receiving We

We are grateful for the following contributions received between April 1, 2010 and July 31, 2010:

Education Grants

Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

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