The Thomas P. Hinman Dental Meeting embarks on the “Next 100 Years” in Atlanta March 21–23 at the Georgia World Congress Center. The 101st Hinman features more than 65 dental experts, more than 220 courses (including more than 60 hands-on workshops), all-day educational tracks for dentists, dental hygienists, assistants and office staff, and nearly 400 companies demonstrating the latest in dentistry products and services in the exhibit hall.

“We are expecting more than 32,000 dentists and dental professionals to join us for the 101st Hinman, where they’ll experience the leading dental experts, numerous courses featuring the latest in dentistry, innovative exhibitors and our signature social events,” said Dr. Brad Greenway, general chairman of the 2013 Hinman Dental Meeting.

During the three-day event, the Hinman meeting will offer 60-plus hands-on participation courses, giving dental professionals an opportunity to learn new procedures and fine-tune their skills. Course topics cover a wide range of subjects, such as Botox and dermal fillers, the use of lasers and creating scans with cone-beam imaging. Another highlight is Dr. Pete Dawson and Dr. John Cranham daylong presentation on Friday, March 22, on timeless principles.

The “Business Office Bonanza” returns this year and offers courses throughout the day on Friday, March 22. Also returning for a fourth year is the “Prevention Convention,” which provides courses for the entire dental team on Thursday, March 21, and Friday, March 22. New this year is the “Clinical Team Conference,” with courses designed for dentists and staff, on Friday, March 22.

In addition, Hinman will feature nearly 400 companies showcasing new technology, equipment, products and services for the entire dental staff. New this year on the exhibit floor is a vintage car show that includes the personal classic cars owned by several Hinman members.

Other meeting highlights include:
- Thursday’s keynote session, featuring Jack Hanna of “Jack Hanna’s Animal Adventure” TV show.
- A special prize program that includes vintage-inspired jewelry, a Hinman treasure quest, gas cards, Delta Air Lines tickets, two resort vacations and more.
- The “Dental Student Networking Event & Reception,” Friday at 4 p.m., with opportunities to discuss topics not learned in school.
- Two Hinman signature parties – the “Dentist Reception” and “Auxiliary Reception” — held on Friday night in the Omni Hotel.

Interested attendees can find detailed information about the 2013 meeting online at www.hinman.org. Attendees who do not register online prior to the meeting can register on site at the meeting beginning Wednesday, March 21, at 1 p.m.

(Source: Hinman Dental Meeting)
CLINICAL MEETINGS

Registration open for 2013 Greater New York Dental Meeting

Final attendance for the 88th annual Greater New York Dental Meeting came in at 134,481, of which 48,305 were dentists representing all 50 states and 130 countries. The meeting is the largest dental meeting in the United States.

The meeting opened in the Jacob K. Javits Convention Center four weeks after Superstorm Sandy cut a path of destruction across the U.S. Eastern Seaboard. The Javits Center experienced extensive flooding on its lower level, but an around-the-clock effort had it open in time for the meeting. The GNYDM was packed with its usual vast array of the latest in technologies, resources, products — and an extensive agenda of educational opportunities.

Meeting organizers report that the reaction from attendees, exhibitors and sponsors was unanimous: Not only were the exhibit floor, clinicians and networking events well received, but sales opportunities were described as being unprecedented.

Planning is under way for the 2013 meeting, Nov. 29 through Dec. 4 (scientific meeting) and Dec. 1 through Dec. 4 (exhibit hall). The GNYDM is sponsored by the New York County Dental Society and Second District Dental Society.

The high-energy event, which never has a pre-registration fee, draws top dental professionals with an expansive exhibit hall and more than 300 educational courses, including full-day and half-day seminars, essays, hands-on workshops and a live, 430-seat, high-tech patient demonstration area.

Free registration is now open for 2013 at www.gnydm.com.

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