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‘New’ Safe-Water system

The Safe-Water system employs a specifically designed ion exchanger that will rapidly transform ordinary mains cold tap water into high quality Deionised/Demineralised water suitable for use within all electrical steam generating equipment such as autoclaves, Eschmann can provide a comprehensive range of instruments to meet your unique requirements.

The Little Sister autoclaves boast self-checking cycles - independent cycle control and monitoring systems compare actual performance with pre-set parameters. Any discrepancy interrupts the cycle, promoting reliable and validated sterilisation process. Other features include one touch operation to promote efficient usage.

With payment options including one-off payments, 10 months interest free credit and Lease Plan Finance to spread the cost over a fixed term, Eschmann’s service really does suit everyone. The team’s expert engineers can provide a comprehensive site preparation service, and will carry out installation, training and maintenance.

For more information call 01903 875878 or email ic.sales@eschmann.co.uk www.eschmann.co.uk

Now available in a handy 5 Bottles pack at only £15.95** (Pack produces 50 litres***)

Safe-Water is now available through Henry Schein on: 08700 012045

*Simple Application (Fill, Shake & Pour)
** Each 500ml Bottles will produce 10 LITRES** of Deionised Water

New ergonomically refined operator stools from Midmark

Midmark’s new operator stools are not only engineered to deliver premium styling and exceptional comfort, but they are also ergonomically refined to address musculoskeletal pain common in dentistry.

The seating system offers a contoured seat with forward tilt to improve weight distribution, increase overall comfort and promote a more balanced posture. The waterfall front edge design reduces pressure on the back of thighs, also enhancing comfort. Multiple seat sizes and seat heights paired with unsurpassed adjustability, allow the dental team to better personalise their seating solution.

Since the introduction of the Midmark UltraComfort® Chair in 2001, Midmark has built a reputation for designing high-performing, great-looking operatory products,” said Keith Boyle, Director of Sales & Marketing at Paterson, Midmark’s UK distributor. “The new Midmark operator stools continue this tradition, offering not only premium styling and comfort, but also ergonomic refinement in an effort to reduce fatigue and pain that can have a negative impact on the quality of life of clinicians.

The dentist’s stool offers a one lever adjustment for locking seat and backrest tilt while providing a ratcheted backrest for an intuitive height adjustment without the use of knobs.

Optional armrests are available for the dentist’s stool to offer support for the elbows in the neutral shoulder position. Arm pad adjustments include height, swivel and slide, optimising positioning of the armrests to better accommodate personal needs.

The assistant’s stool provides an optional ratcheted backrest, a ratchet releaser body support with height adjustment and an integrated footrest that automatically adjusts with the seat height.

To place an order or for additional information contact the Paterson Health Group on 01594 833007 or sales@paterson.ltd.uk

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IADR Prize

Dr. Wyman Chan, a leading teeth-whitening expert and dentist dedicated to teeth-whitening, received the Procter and Gamble Investigator First Prize Award from President Domenica Swierz, University of Michigan in Toronto, Canada during the 2008 International Association of Dental Research (IADR) meeting in July 2008.

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Dr. Chan, also a researcher at the Centre for Materials Research and Innovation (CMRI), University of Bolton, U.K., has won this prestigious award for his research paper entitled ‘A Comparative Spectrophotometric Investigation of Selected Professional Tooth-Whitening Products’. This study investigated the in vitro efficacy of various professional teeth-whitening formulations with regard to their bleaching of metanilidium browning products (MBPs), which are chromophores known to contribute to extrinsic tooth discoloration. The authors compared the bleaching efficacies of three hydrogen peroxide-containing chairside teeth-whitening products (‘Zoom!’, Zoom2 and wy10) using MBPs as spectrophotometric probes.

Looking to increase your knowledge in implant dentistry?

Look no further – Astra Tech Dental are offering a variety of courses for all general dental practitioners who are working with or looking to work with implants. The courses range from one day courses to year long modular courses depending on what you are looking for.

Helen worked in catering initially and then began working for Barrs Soft drinks in 1997. She worked in tele-sales for 5 years and then field sales for 8 years. Last year she moved from London to her home town in Wiltshire. Helen now appreciates a calmer lifestyle and is working hard to promote the huge range of Kemdent products to new and existing customers.

For any information on products or special offers do not hesitate to call Helen on 01795 770256.

An excellent course aimed at clinicians wishing to become involved with implant dentistry or have an interest in sitting the diploma in Implant Dentistry is

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New LED Operating Light

With its great modern styling and easy 5-axis manoeuvrability this will enhance any surgery. Through use of two, high intensity LED beams it produces a cool, clear light, which means no need for noisy fans, no heat generated onto patient and no bulbs to change. Comes with easy to re-move handles, which are sterilizable. Also features a light intensity switch, or optional sensor. Light is available in chair and ceiling mounted versions. Utilise the benefits of today’s technology to benefit your working environment and patient comfort.

Student Award

As a new generation of clinicians enter the world of dentistry, one name to keep an eye out for is Jamie Fellows.

Jamie has recently completed his first year at the new Peninsula Dental School in the South West of England, and he has already demonstrated an outstanding level of dedication and clinical knowledge within this exciting discipline. So much so, that he’s managed to heat all first year students to win the ‘Effective Practice’ award. Specifically developed to help recognise emerging talent in this area, this award not only gives Jamie a title to be proud of but also a valuable prize of £250, a reward that was kindly provided by Henry Schein Minerva.

Egan Dental Laboratories celebrate 25 years of excellence with Ivoclar Vivadent

After 25 years in the dental prosthesis business, Richard Egan and Christopher Egan of Egan Dental Laboratories have seen many changes: new products, new technologies and new procedures. One of the few things to have remained constant is their use of The Biofunctional Prosthetic System (BPS) by Ivoclar Vivadent.

In celebration of this milestone, Egan Dental Laboratories invited a small number of their clients to visit the Ivoclar Vivadent head office in Liechtstein. Here they enjoyed a tour of the company headquar ters, met with Ivoclar Vivadent product managers and rounded off the trip with a gala dinner.

When asked why they had remained so loyal to Ivoclar Vivadent, Richard Egan commented: “It’s not just about something with personal and unique as a dental prosthetic, you need to be certain you’re using the highest quality mate rials with products and support services to match. Ivoclar Vivadent have always ticked all the boxes”.

Water Pik, Inc. Launches New United Kingdom Website

The new Waterpik.co.uk is a valuable online resource for Water Pik customers, retailers and vendors. The site under scores Waterpik’s focus on customer service, offering easy-to-use tools and resources in a user-friendly environment, including:

- Product guides
- Expanded product offerings
- Educational videos
- Online Service Information

Waterpik.co.uk presents the customer with the choice of purchasing products directly from the Water Pik, Inc. Web Store or retail locator information for those who prefer to shop at traditional retail outlets.

“We have invested a significant amount of energy and resources in bringing meaningful innovation to consumers in the UK in the areas of health and wellness, and we feel that this new site reflects that effort,” said Richard Bissel, President and CEO, Water Pik. “The new waterpik.co.uk reflects our guiding principles of health, innovation, and sustainability and provides a more robust customer service experience.”

About Water Pik, Inc.

Water Pik, Inc. is a leading developer, manufacturer and marketer of innovative personal healthcare products sold under the Waterpik® brand name. The Company has developed and introduced many products that are considered first of their kind and have led to the formation of a new segment of the dental water jet, automatic toothbrush, and pulsating shower massage.

For further information ask your local Minerva Representative or telephone 029 20 442800.

Limited Spaces Available!

Spaces are fast running out to see world renowned speaker Dr. Michael Fitzgerald, who will be with us at the St Melion Hotel and Country Club on Friday 14th and Saturday 15th November. Newt on will be illustrating how to deliver stunning aesthetic compos ite restorations.

His presentation will focus on introducing a philosophy of how to work effectively, creatively and artistically perform aesthetic di rect anterior composite restora tions based on principles of emu lating proper form, colour and function.

The St Melion Hotel and Country Club is a stunning venue and will host the English Open in 2009. Why not come for the lectures and take the opportunity to participate in a championship golf course? Stay at the hotel or make a longer break of it and hire one of the holiday cottages on site.

The cost to see this world class speaker for non-members of the Cornwall IDP is just £585 for the 2 days or £170 for the first day only. But hurry – spaces are strictly limited and won’t last long at this excellent rate.

Please call Trish Hodgkinson on 01526 587045 or email phodgkinson@tinyworld.co.uk to book your place today.

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During the tour, Marc Northover, Ivoclar Vivadent’s UK Product Manager, took time to demonstrate the full range of benefits of the BPS system. This included a workshop to demon strate solutions to deal with the prosthodontic difficulties pre sented by patients with eden tulism.

Christopher Egan commented, “It’s exactly this type of team approach that puts Ivoclar Vivadent in a league of their own. Not only do they produce excep tional products, but they also keep a dialogue with people like us, the end user, keeping us informed. It’s truly beneficial for all concerned”.

He continues, “Egan Dental Laboratories, in Ripon, has a hard earned reputation for quality, experience and reliability. We believe there are very few Dental Laboratories in the UK who can match the wealth of clinical and technical knowl edge we’ve developed over the years. We’re also proud to say we actually have a waiting list of dental surgeons wanting us to work for them. This shows we’re getting it right. But none of this would have been possible without the support of the Ivoclar Vi vadent team and the consti tuently high quality of their products and materials”.

Ivoclar Vivadent are committed to providing innovative, long lasting dental solutions. They have a range of products and techniques designed to help den-

National Polish Society for Implantology

Welcome the EAO to Warsaw

The European Association of Osseointegration (EAO) held their 17th Annual Scientific Congress at the Palace of Culture and Science in Warsaw, Poland on 18-20th September 2008. The event was dedicated to the Clinical Advances and Predictability of Oral Implants.

The meeting focused on all the aspects of the recent developments in osseointegration and researchers and clinicians received state-of-the-art information on different aspects of using these specific implants. BioHori zons had a stand at the event, which demonstrated all the latest technology and products available.

The Chairmen of the meeting, Andrzej Wojtowicz and David Harris were pleased with the overall success as Dr Harris has been co-ordinating this scientifc programme with the committee for several months.

The meeting was an excellent and unique opportunity to meet specialists from all over the world and exchange opinions and ideas. Attendees were given the chance to decide for themselves what treatments in implant dentistry could lead to successful, long-term results.

Warsaw is an exceptional city with an impressive culture and history. The capital is full of fantastic architecture and historic buildings, a great location and venue for this stimulating and interesting programme.

For more information about BioHorizons’ products and courses please contact the office on 0870 620 556 email: in fouk@biohorizons.com or visit our website at www.biohorse zons.com

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our Basic Surgical and Restor ative Modular Implant Program me. This 6 module pro gramme is spread out from No vember 2008 and ends in June 2009. The two lecturers, Sanjay Chopra and Philip Hayter from Highland View Dental Practice are highly qualified specialists in the field of implant dentistry.

For more information on this and other courses or to register please visit www.astratech dental.co.uk to view our online Training and Education Brochure or e-mail purchasing products directly Tel 01442 269301 or email suthy switch, or optional sensor. It sity LED beams it produces a sophisticated Modular Implant Programme has remained constant is their use of The Biofunctional Prosthetic System (BPS) by Ivoclar Vivadent.

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