

**Dr. Ben Alley Memorial Meeting**  
**Friday March 9, 2012**  
**Dr. Randy Huffines**  
**Clinical Pearls for Treating Older Patients**  
**Bearden Banquet Hall**

**Registration & Breakfast 8:15—8:45 a.m. Program 8:45-11:45 a.m.**  
**\$75.00 per doctor, \$50.00 per auxiliary & staff 3 Hours CE**

With patients living longer and the baby boomers reaching 65 in 2011, the amount of dentistry performed on those over 60 is expected to double for today's dental graduates. According to the A.D.A. it currently represents 30% of all dental treatment. Just as with children's dentistry, many older adults require a different skill set from routine treatment. Root decay, medications, health conditions, and physical, emotional, and social changes which occur in the aging process require new techniques and protocols to meet those needs. This program is an overview of geriatric dentistry and designed for the entire dental staff.



**Dr. Randy Huffines**

Dr. Randy Huffines is recognized as one of the country's leading experts on aging and oral health. He has presented at 9 out of the last 10 ADA Annual Sessions, the Hinman, Chicago Midwinter, Pacific Dental, Yankee Dental, California, Dental, and the Texas Dental Associations. Huffines is one of only a handful of practicing clinicians in the U.S. who has completed a two year post doctoral Fellowship in Geriatric Dentistry. He is a "wet fingered" dentist with the V.A. in Johnson City, Tennessee.



Dr. Ben Alley, son of LaFollette, Tennessee, Mayor, Curt Alley, received his undergraduate degree from UTK and his DDS degree from UT College of Dentistry. After serving in the Air Force for two years, Dr. Alley received his oral surgery training in residency programs at UT Medical Center in Knoxville and University of Alabama School of Dentistry. Following his graduation he established an oral surgery practice in Knoxville and later

**Dr. Ben Alley** became a partner in University Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons. Dr. Alley was a Diplomat with the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery and served as Trustee and President of the TDA. In 2002, he received the TDA Fellowship Award. Dr. Alley was an active member of the ADA, The American College of Dentists, the Tennessee and Southeastern Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons, as well as the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons. He was also a supporter of the Board of Advisors.