

Newsletter

Investing in our future

it truly is an exciting time to be part of the Riverdale Healthcare journey.
We are investing in many of our sites to improve the facilities for both our teams and patients.



At Alpha Dental Care Fairfield, in Stockton, we now occupy the whole building and have added a fifth surgery, which will be used to develop private treatment options. From April Jane Ahkter will be joining the practice, providing private dentistry, Invisalign and Endodontics.

In the coming week, new signage will also go up which will help raise the profile of the practice locally.

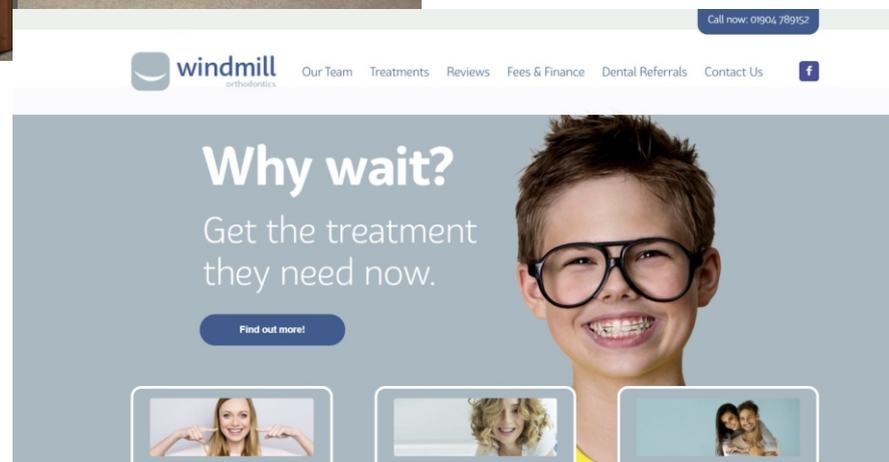
The investment coincides with the practice turning 10 years old this month. The team have some celebrations planned in April.



New signage is being installed and decoration taking place at Hebburn and Pelaw dental practices. The sites, which were acquired last summer, are getting a refresh to help attract new patients. Work is due to be completed in the next couple of weeks.

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Windmill Powers Ahead to Private Focus



Due to changes in the NHS contact, Windmill Orthodontics York will be focussing on private referrals. The practice had undergone redecoration, a new website has been created; www.windmillorthodonticsyork.co.uk and new signage is planned. We are really excited by the developments here and would like to thank the team for their support over the past few months.

Refer a Friend Bonus

Don't forget we launched a Finder's Fee Scheme this month. This a referral programme for current staff members who introduce a new team member to Riverdale.

The criteria is as follows:

- Must result in successful employment
- The finders fee will be paid out in 2 parts. First half after 3 months employment and final half paid at 6 months employment.

The following fees will be paid out for type of role employed:

- Dentist £750.00
- Management £400.00
- Support Staff £300.00

In the first instance, please advise your Practice Manager if you wish to recommend someone for a role with us.

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Personal Development

Congratulations to Guy Wells and David Birkin for completing the 10 day SimplyEndo course in Formby with Dr Mike Turner.

Here are the gents pictured with Mike receiving their certificates.



Nancy Lockwood has recently completed Ian Cline's course. she said, "Just a quick note to say the Ian Cline course has been

really worth the money and time commitment, not just for the up and coming dental stars but even for olde timers like me. He has been kind and patient with some of us who are more technologically challenged whilst keeping a good pace for those who aren't. I am already trying to implement some of my updated skills especially in more advanced cases. Well worth it!"

Full details of Ian's courses and the exclusive rates for our dentists are on the following pages:

Internal Study Groups

We are passionate about ensuring our clinicians are fully supported in their professional development.

This week also saw Clinical Director, Neeraj Diddee, deliver an Isolation Course at our Stokesley head office.

We had a fantastic turn out and we will be looking to expand our programme throughout the year.



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DR IAN CLINE PRESENTS HIS POPULAR
9 DAY COURSE IN AESTHETIC RESTORATIVE DENTISTRY
OCTOBER 2020 - JUNE 2021

I am delighted to inform you that Ian Cline will be bringing his 9 day Aesthetic Restorative Course back to the North East for 2020-21 starting in October. The course will run from our Head Office in Stokesley once per month on a Saturday. Ian Cline is a world renowned clinician and we are incredibly lucky having someone with such a strong international reputation come to our locality. You would normally have to travel much further afield to experience this sort of course. There is no other type of course like this in our region. The course is limited to 10 delegates which enables more direct teaching, supervision, feedback and engagement. Places will be allocated on a first come first served basis. I am currently doing the course with several of our Dentists and it has been excellent so far. There is a perfect blend of lecture based theory with video demonstrations and plenty of hands on. It is all taught taking the most current evidence base into account. Ian has a very relaxed way of teaching which engages all of the participants. There is a mix of experience with the current delegates but Ian's pace takes all levels of experience into account. The total cost of the course is £3780 for Riverdale Dentists (which works out as just over £400 per day) This compares with £5040 for London course (and then factor in travel costs, accommodation costs, days off work)



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Alpha Vitality Group
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DENTER | DENTAL EDUCATION RESOURCES presents an exclusive course with a small group number at a discounted price to provide maximum engagement, learning, and value for money. Designed for dentists who wish to update their knowledge, treatment planning and technical skills. Lectures, structured tutorials, demonstrations, videos, evaluation of scientific papers, and plenty of hands-on sessions are included. It provides 63 Verifiable enhanced CPD hours. Each month you will also receive a course manual which includes slides, papers and other material related to the day. The course is very practical and clinically focused whilst being fully supported with scientific evidence.

DATES & SYLLABUS

Day 1 | SATURDAY 10th OCTOBER 2020

Treatment Planning, Smile Design & Visualisation, Colour in Dentistry

Day 2 | SATURDAY 7th NOVEMBER 2020

The Art of Digital Dental Photography

Day 3 | SATURDAY 5th DECEMBER 2020

Digital Aesthetic Imaging

Day 4 | SATURDAY 9th JANUARY 2021

Posterior Composite Restorations

Day 5 | SATURDAY 6th FEBRUARY 2021

Anterior Composite Restorations

Day 6 | SATURDAY 6th MARCH 2021

Treatment options from Whitening to the Full Mouth Rehabilitation

Day 7 | SATURDAY 10th APRIL 2021

All Ceramic Restorations | Hands-on Day

Day 8 | SATURDAY 8th MAY 2021

Occlusion, TMJ & Splints

Day 9 | SATURDAY 12th JUNE 2021

Marketing & Management of the Interdisciplinary Case, Overview of the entire year.

FULL DETAILS OF THE SYLLABUS CAN BE FOUND AT www.denter.co.uk

HOW TO BOOK A PLACE

Numbers are restricted to 10 people and available on a first come first served basis. A deposit of £460 will secure your place.

Visit www.denter.co.uk and select "9 day courses: reserve a place". Someone from Denter will be in touch soon after to arrange deposit payment of £460 and confirm your place. Total fees are £3780 for Alpha Vitality Dentists, due by BACS by 1st September 2020.

Course Director

Dr Ian Cline | Clinician, Educator, National & International Speaker



Ian has presented numerous courses for the past 15 years to dentists both Nationally and Internationally (including recent trips to Russia, Ireland, Spain, Poland, Dubai, Israel, Palestine, Kuwait, Egypt). His experience is from teaching small hands-on masterclasses, to being a keynote speaker at international conferences.

He is very much a wet fingered dentist, and is a partner in a Central London Private Practice. here he carries out all manner of general and aesthetic dentistry. His main interests are in Minimally Invasive Aesthetic Restorative Dentistry, and Anterior and Posterior Direct Composite. He is a past President of the London Dental Study Club, and is a Guest Lecturer to the King's College London MSc programmes in Fixed & Removal Prosthodontics. He has been a member of the International Jury Panel for the Global CeramX case contest for the past 5 years. He is an opinion leader and advisor to a number of dental companies and is the author of the Dentsply "how to guide" on simplifying posterior composite restorations. He is also founder of the website, photographyfordentists.com

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ONE DAY HANDS-ON TOOTH PREPARATION

**SATURDAY 16th MAY 2020
Bourne House ,Durham**



Dr Ian Cline, Course Director of DENTER | DENTAL EDUCATION RESOURCES presents an exclusive course for a small number of Alpha Vitality Dentists. The day will provide maximum engagement, learning, and value for money. Focus will be hands-on practical skills for all-ceramic tooth preparation, impression taking and cementation. It provides 7 Verifiable enhanced CPD hours. The fee includes all teeth, burs, materials, course manual, refreshments and lunch. Only a few places exist so if interested please book today to avoid disappointment.

OPPORTUNITY TO JOIN A ONE DAY HANDS-ON TOOTH PREPARATION COURSE : ONLY 4 PLACES AVAILABLE

ALL-CERAMIC RESTORATIONS | VENEERS, ONLAYS, CROWNS

HOW TO BOOK A PLACE

Total fee for the day is £460 and is payable by BACS. Only 4 places are available and are on a first come first served basis.

To book a place please email admin@denter.co.uk with your Name, Confirmation that you work within the Alpha/Vitality Group and send BACS payment of £460 to Mr I Cline, Account Number 18719417 , Sort Code 23-05-80, with a reference of your surname.

For more details about the 9 day year course in Aesthetic Restorative Dentistry starting in October 2020 please visit the website www.denter.co.uk



BDA Northern branch April Social

Join the BDA Northern Counties as we welcome in the new decade by bringing back the fun of the roaring 1920's. We are proud to host a formal dinner accompanied by live jazz band and entertainment from the Swing Dance Society including performance and teaching if you feel up for it!

The dinner will be held in the Great Hall of the Discovery Museum a perfect location to host such a grand event. There will be a three course meal followed by entertainment and dancing.

So ladies don your flapper dresses and fellas put on your suits to enjoy a night to remember:

Tickets £35 for BDA members, Non members/DCP's/guests: £45

Tickets can be purchased online, over the phone or via a downloadable booking form <https://www.bda.org/events/branches-sections/Pages/northern-counties-branch-saturday-25-april-2020.aspx>

The menu: Welcome drink

Starter -Caesar salad

Main course - Thick cut loin of pork set on braised red cabbage, florets of broccoli and crushed basil new potatoes. Served with a mushroom and white wine sauce or Roast cauliflower and spinach rogan josh served with brown rice and flat bread* (v) *vegan, dairy free and gluten free

Dessert - Raspberry and lemon pavlova, toasted almonds and fruit coulis

Tea and coffee

Please email branchsectionevents@bda.org

with any dietary requirements including if you would like the vegetarian main course which is pre-order only. Please also indicate any seating requests we will aim to accommodate.

New Arrivals

Congratulations to Rob Shaw, dentist at Alpha Dental Care Great Ayton, who's wife has delivered their baby girl on 19.02.20, Mary Elizabeth Shaw.

Also congratulations to Windmill Orthodontics York's head nurse, Racheal French who had a beautiful baby boy named Archie born 6 weeks early on 15th Jan. weighing 5lb 2oz, mum and baby both doing well. Here's a lovely photo of Archie to enjoy!



Bedale Turns 10

Flash back to the year 2010, when William Hague, MP for Richmond, opened our Bedale practice. Preparations are underway for celebrations in July, in the meantime, enjoy the photos below:

Ben Wild, Ian Gordon, William Hague and David Birkin

Ian Gordon escorting William Hague

Ben Wild looking rather confused at practice manager, Jacqui Scarth!

Thanks to Jacqui for sharing the photos

