



## *The New York Orthopaedic Hospital Alumni Association*

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Dear New York Orthopaedic Hospital Alumni,

It's hard to believe that the biennial meeting is upon us again, but time marches on. Please save the date for the 72<sup>nd</sup> Biennial NYOH Alumni meeting which will be held in New York on **Friday, April 20<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2007**. We are planning another terrific meeting. The Alan DeForest Smith Lecture will be delivered by Dr. Frank Jobe, and the Frank E. Stinchfield Lecturer will be Dr. Scott Wolfe. The Distinguished Alumni Award will be given to Dr. Charles S. Neer II. A preliminary program is attached.

Please let us know whether you are planning to attend or not, and whether you will bring a guest, by checking the appropriate boxes below **and faxing the form to (212) 305-6193 by January 19, 2007**. Remember to **always write your name on the forms and checks**.

If you have not already done so, please send in your 2007 dues in the amount of \$100. The NYOH AA functions independently and needs your kind and continued financial support. Over the past several years we have been able to keep the meeting fees fixed. However, we are no longer able to do this, and, after careful consideration, we are increasing the 2007 meeting registration fees, which include the Meeting and Black Tie Dinner Dance at the New York Yacht Club. Of course, we welcome any additional gifts. Dues membership will remain \$100/year.

I would like to take a moment to remind you of the upcoming NYOH cocktail reception at the AAOS meeting, which will be held in San Diego, CA on **Friday, February 16, 2007** from 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM at the San Diego Marriott Hotel and Marina. We look forward to seeing you there.

Sincerely,

*Michael G. Vitale, M.D.*

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