

# AzDHA Annual Report

## 2020

### Board of Directors and Officers

Pamela Larrabee	President
Jeanette Lailli	Vice President
Laura Corbin	Treasurer
Makena Harris	Secretary
Trisha Conrad	Director
Phebe Blitz	Director
Kathy Lavoy	Director

### Meeting Dates

January 11-12	April 23	September 12
February 10	May 13	Oct 14
March 11	June 10	Nov 14-15
March 18	July 15	December 9
April 8	August 12	

### Board Activities

AzDHA donated to the Oral Cancer Walk and volunteered to educate health professionals on oral health during Mountain Park Health's health fair.

A Finance standing committee was formed to ensure that AzDHA is in accordance with its bylaws and the committee reviews the overall finances of the association.

In addition to the Finance Committee, a Leadership Development Committee was formed to strengthen the succession of future leaders within AzDHA and its components.

Capitol Day was a huge success and was held pre-COVID-19. March 11, 2021 is the next Capitol Day.

AzDHA board members spoke to students at some of the dental hygiene programs sharing what membership is about and why it is important for the future of the dental hygiene profession.

AzDHA's advocacy team has been working with the Board of Dental Examiners regarding language for dental therapist and their scope of practice; furthermore, AzDHA will be supporting a candidate for a position on the Board of Dental Examiners.

AzDHA heard its members during this pandemic and issued a letter to our Governor, keeping you up to date through our social media platforms.

During this pandemic, while in-person conferences were being cancelled, AzDHA still wanted to give the members an opportunity to achieve some CEs and this is why AzDHA is going virtual for the annual conference coming up January 22-23, 2021.