

Alumni Spotlights



Sanah Sohrab, ('97) Founder of Star Kids Dental in Burbank, California

Sanah Sohrab, LCHS class of 1997, began his day at 8 am and left the office close to 7 pm after finishing filling 5 cavities on a vivacious 12-year old girl. "Launching your own practice is filled with challenges, however at the end of the day I know that I am helping people" says Sohrab when describing his new pediatric dentistry practice - Star Kids Dental in Burbank.

Sanah attended UCLA for undergrad majoring in psycho-biology, attended USC School of Dentistry and received his post doc degree specializing in Pediatric Dentistry from NYU.

While at La Cañada High School Sohrab was a member of the Jr. varsity soccer team and looks back fondly to his days on the soccer team, "We had a wonderful coach in Mr. Bilowitz and we had so much fun at practices and on the bus rides to the games." He also mentioned how much he

appreciated his time spent in Mrs. Chahine's AP American History class. "There were many long nights spent studying leading up to the AP final exam in May."

When describing his time spent at La Cañada High School, Sohrab displays an immense amount of appreciation, "LCUSD prepared me for college because the teachers and the courses, especially the AP courses really prepared me for tougher college courses. The environment and the students helped create an atmosphere that was motivating and helped the students set high goals and achieve great things."

Dr. Sohrab has built a thriving pediatric dental practice from the ground up and now employs 9 people. "We have clients who drive in from as far away from San Diego and Fresno for dental work." Sanah has also worked with children in lower income areas of Los Angeles County providing free dental checkups. "I have been so fortunate and therefore feel compelled to give back to society" says Sohrab when discussing his work with lower income families.

He recently married Salomeh Sohrab, a practicing attorney, who specializes in family law. He and his wife reside in Glendale and hope to eventually move to La Cañada.

Having attended both USC and UCLA, Dr. Sohrab explains "It's not easy to go to games, but I had a wonderful time at both schools and enjoy a rare "joint citizenship if you will" with my alma maters."

We wish Dr. Sohrab great future success with his pediatric dentistry practice.