

ON THE SCENE

Out and about in the industry this month

Stylage and Derma Sculpt Visit the UK



From left to right David Gower, Medical Aesthetic Group, Dr Ingrid Arion and Denis Couchourel head of Vivacy R&D.

Over 20 doctors were introduced to the unique benefits of Stylage® and the Derma Sculpt Cannula at a recent training day hosted by Medical Aesthetic Group in central London. Guests from across the UK, included Dr Samantha Robson, Dr Katharine Taylor Barnes, Dr Al Saleh and Dr Andre van de Merwe.

The day's events began with a presentation by Denis Couchourel, the bio-chemist and head of the research and development team at Vivacy.

He explained why the safety and efficacy of Stylage® with its patented IPN technology which combines Hyaluronic Acid with the antioxidant Mannitol, has made it the third, if not the second biggest selling filler in France with sales in over 67 countries. Each syringe is manually inspected at the Vivacy laboratory and is one of the reasons Stylage has industry leading safety statistics.

Dr Ingrid Arion, who has over 20 years of aesthetic experience in France and has been using Stylage since 2008, shared her experience of using an HA filler with an antioxidant. In particular, she drew attention to the natural and immediate effects that Stylage® provides and the complete range it offers for all skin types, indications and different wrinkle depths. She also referred to Vivacy as a "human company" whose ethical and supportive and always available to answer any queries or concerns a practitioner may have. Dr Luc Dewandre, the designer and manufacturer of Derma Sculpt explained the importance of the right materials and flexibility for cannulas used for aesthetic work. Derma Sculpt is made with the highest quality steel from Japan and is finished in France. Its unique flexibility makes it a leading choice for aesthetic doctors and sets it apart from cannulas that have been adapted from other medical areas and are not specifically designed for aesthetic work.

Cosmetic News goes to Bootcamp

Cosmetic News publisher Charlotte Body and editor Vicky Eldridge recently spent a week at the No 1 Bootcamp in Norfolk in a bid to shape up for the summer. The Bootcamp is a favourite with celebrities including the cast of *The Only Way is Essex* and model Sophie Anderson. Charlotte and Vicky were put through their paces with a gruelling military style exercise regime and 1,200 calorie a day diet and lost 10lbs and 8lbs respectively.



PIAPA meeting, Manchester

PIAPA's latest meeting held at Errop Grange Hotel in Manchester was yet another success. Dr Raj Acquilla and Miss Jonquille Chantrey presented a Practical Masterclass with a Whole Face Approach. Cadaver slides were reinforced by marking up the important anatomical markers on the live models before asymptomatic assessment of three models needs were discussed. The models were then treated with a range of Allergan products from Voluma to Hydrate. Finally Dr Acquilla met with members and took individual questions. PIAPA is a membership group for aesthetic practitioners across the North of England, which offers help, support, education and training to members.



ABC Lasers open day, London Bridge Plastic Surgery



ABC Lasers hosted an open day at London Bridge Plastic Surgery to highlight the Multi-Application, Multi-Technology Harmony® XL platform. The new technologies presented included the Pixel Q-Switched which has been dubbed the 'Laser Face-Lift' by the media, and the new DYE-VL for Vascular applications and the high power tattoo removal and pigmentation with IN-Motion treatment for all ink colours. Guests included Mr Chris Inglefield (London Bridge Plastic Surgery), Naked Health, Aesthetics of Essex, Harrods Urban Retreat, Michael Jane Clinic, Jill Zander Clinic and many more.

Award for Kevin

Kevin Moore was presented with the Business Manager of the Year award at the annual Cosmeceuticals sales meeting for his achievement as the leading sales achiever in the company. Kevin is an experienced and respected team member who is responsible for all business in Scotland and the North East. Due to his focused and determined approach Kevin has developed both PRIORI® and the homegrown UK brand Vitag® advanced antioxidant skincare within salons and spas at a high and consistent level. Due to Cosmeceuticals growth over the last year, Kevin will also be taking on the role of Creative Consultant working alongside the Cosmeceuticals team to help promote and develop the new British created Vitag® Colour Minerals.



Kevin Moore with Cosmeceuticals MD Tracy Parkinson (left) and Brand & Education Manager, Sharon Cass (right)