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Dr. E. J. MANI
A Friend, Ophthalmologist and Business man

Dr Radha Ramanan





Mani Sir has shown his greatness in different fields. I think everyone can meet and talk to him without any hesitation, because of his friendly character. In every conference whether state or national level we have seen him for the last 3 decades. Everyone is to wonder how he is attending so regularly even with his so busy works in different fields. Now a days most of people will be telling the excuse that I don't have the time to attend conferences.

Our past president Edassey Joseph Mani is the 5th son of Sri. Edassery Mani Joseph and Smt. Mariamkutty Joseph. He spent his childhood at his birth place Kanjoor, a small village near Angamaly, Kerala. He did his schooling at St Sebastians high school at Kanjoor. Later he joined at S.B College Changanassery for pre degree. He did his MBBS from Mysore and M.S. Ophthalmology from Aligarh Muslim University.

He started his professional life at Kannur by joining with KSOS founder President Dr Ommen. Dr Mani admits that he learned the secrets of practice from Dr Ommen. He then shifted to Lal memorial Hospital at Irinjalakuda to join with another Past President of KSOS Dr C.K. Ravi. In 1980 he joined Little Flower Hospital, Angamaly to join with 3 more past presidents of KSOS namely Padmasree awardee Dr S Tony Fernandez, Dr K E Eapen and Dr Ittyerah. He still continues to work at Little Flower Hospital Angamaly as visiting Consultant along with Dr Tony Fernandez Eye Institute, Aluva. He got trained in IOL surgery under Dr F. Rench of St Vincentian Hospital, Germany.

He now resides at Aluva. His wife is Mrs Liza Mani and they are blessed with two boys and one girl. Elder son Manoj Mani Joseph completed his graduation in Food technology and running the food processing units at Palakkad. Younger Son Issac Mani Joseph is looking after the plantations and other business. Daughter Neethu Mani is married and settled in Australia.

Dr Mani was the President of Cochin Ophthalmic Club. Later he served the KSOS as treasurer and President. Dr Babu Krishna kumar and Dr Bastin asked me to interview Mani sir for the KSOS

news letter, I was so happy. I met him at his residence at Aluva.

Q. Sir, I have noticed that you are always be friendly with very seniors in profession as well as the very juniors. How you are able to do this with both groups.

There are no secrets in it. Just be friendly to all the people, and then they also will be friendly. Respect both seniors as well as juniors. We had a friendly family team at Little Flower Hospital as well as in KSOS. I have a request to all the juniors in my profession to be friendly with each other, and then most of your problems will be solved.

Q. You have travelled all over Kerala for conducting eye camps. When did you started this

As you all know, LF Hospital, Angamaly popularized the eye camp system in Kerala under the leadership of Dr Tony Fernandez. In 80's we used to conduct camps from Kasaragod to Trivandrum. Those days the number of eye hospitals and eye camps were very few. So we conducted eye camps even in Tamilnadu. Now it happens in other way. We used to stay in many places for nearly a week to conduct operating eye camps in schools. Later we avoided schools for operating eye camps and start conducting in association with near by hospitals using their operation theatre. Later we started transporting patients to our hospitals for surgery.

Q. You are the person who conducted maximum operating eye camps in Lakshadeep Islands. Why didyou take special interest in case of Lakshadeep?



For the last 2 decades L.F.Hospital conducted operating eye camps in Lakshadeep. We used to go there once in 1-2 years. A regular screening camp is of no use for them. They can't come to Kerala for surgery. So we used to operate at I.G Hospital, Kavarathy in association with Health department of Lakshadeep. The main reasons for conducting Lakshadeep camps are, they are in a very remote area. The people of Lakshadeep are very nice, place is very beautiful and DHS of Lakshadeep Dr Hamsa Koya is my close friend. So whenever he invites us, we used to conduct operating eye camps.

Our team consists of doctors, nurses and other supportive staff with instruments and microscopes. Once a part of microscope went in to deep sea while loading from boat to ship. Some time the health department itself will conduct screening camps and select patients for surgery. In some years we also conduct camps in different Islands and all selected patients will be taken to Kavarati for surgery by way of boats, ships, helicopters etc. I am very happy that I could do this service to Islanders and I express my thanks to Dr Hamsa Koya, Director of Health Services Lakshadeep and LF Hospital management for all the co-operation.

Q. Mani sir, recently I heard that you had few days of prison life in your student life. Is it true?

Yes, I was jailed for 10 days during the 'Vimochanasamaram' against the EMS ministry. One of the local leaders asked few of us to shout slogans against the Police in Angamaly. The police people arrested us and were jailed at Aluva Sub jail for 10 days. Later more and more people got arrested and all the jails were full by 2nd week, then the Police started torturing the people. Luckily I was in the first batch, so that I did not get Police beating.

Q. Can I ask few questions regarding the other part of your life, namely your business? Why you did not totally dedicate your life for business? Why you selected medical profession?

My father was looking after the businesses and plantations. He allowed me to study medicine and to concentrate on my profession. Later after his death I took over the business and plantations. But with the help of my family member's support, I could run

both together. I always liked to continue to work as an ophthalmologist. In ophthalmic profession I have only friends, no enemies.

Q. Your life at LF Hospital?

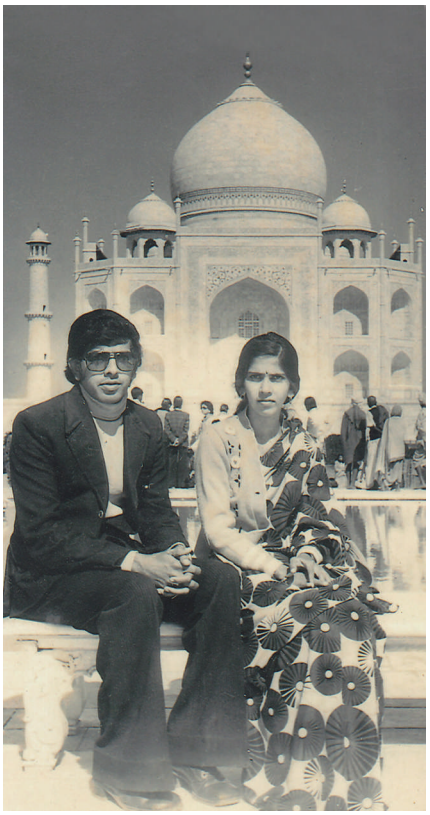
I have joined in LFH in 1980 and now I have 34 years of service at LFH. I really learned every thing from there. I had the opportunity to work with stalwarts of Ophthalmology in Kerala like Dr Tony Fernadez, Dr K E Eapen and Dr Ittyerah. I also express my sincere thanks to my collogues Dr Elizabeth Joseph, Dr Mohanraj Nair, Late Dr Noel Moniz, Dr Anthrayose, Dr Rosamma etc . I had the opportunity to work with next generation people like Dr Radha Ramanan, Dr Thomas Cherian, Dr Ani Sreedhar, Dr Freddy Simon, Dr Meena CK, Dr Suman Alexander, Dr Aneeta Jabbar, Dr Girija, Dr Lilan Bhat, Dr Arun Verghese, Dr Alex Baby, Dr Asok Nataraj , Dr David, Dr Joseph Francis, Dr Reesha, etc. Actually I have to mention many other names aiso who worked with me there. Please excuse me for not mentioning other names. I am also thankful to all my students and fellows who helped me in our profession.

Q. What was your specialty work at LFH?

I was mainly concentrating on all anterior segment surgeries. We started with ICCE then to ECCE with IOL and later to Phaco. I have also done many squint and keratoplasty surgeries. For a period I was also managing the Uvea Clinic at LFH.

Q. You must have done maximum number of corneal tattooing in Kerala?

Yes, earlier days when patients came with corneal opacity with no vision potential after keratoplasty, we used to do tattooing for better cosmetic appearance. Later with the introduction of cosmetic contact lenses we limitted tattooing.



Q. What about your work at Dr Tony Fernandez Eye Institute?

This actually is a continuation of my work at LFH and also with Dr Tony and Dr Freddy. Aluva is my home town now. So I enjoy the work.

Q. Sir, What are your hobbies? I realized that you have traveled to almost all the countries.

Yes, from my younger days I used to travel a lot. I have visited many countries. I have travelled to Middle East, almost all the countries in Europe, Japan, China, Russia, Malaysia, Singapore, Hong Kong, USA etc. But I have never travelled to Africa.

Q. Which Country you visited last?

This year I have visited the Latin American countries, Brazil, Argentina etc.

Q. What is your weakness? Is it shoes?

I used to buy shoes from almost everywhere and I have a collection of shoes from different places and brands. But now I have reduced that habit. Mani sir gave me a grand dinner, and I thank him for this interview for the KSOS news letter. We have a lot to learn from him.



Dr. Radha Ramanan

GLAUCOMA WEEK CELEBRATIONS

State Level Inauguration at Thrissur

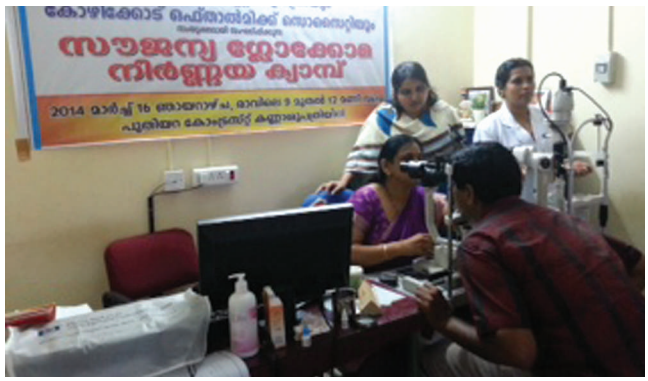


In unison with world the Glaucoma Week was celebrated all over Kerala at various centers under KSOS banner from 9th March 2014 to 15th March 2014. The state level inauguration under the aegis of KSOS was held at Thrissur in association with TACO and Jubilee Mission Medical Colege on 11th March 2014. The function was mainly intended to impart awareness among lay people and free glaucoma detection checkups was arranged at Department of Ophthalmology Jubilee Mission Medical College,Thrissur. Key note address was delivered by Dr Bindu Thomas Deputy DMO, Thrissur and the inaugural address was by Fr Francis Pallikunnath, Director of JMMC. All the speakers in vernacular addressed the audience on various aspects of Glaucoma the silent killer of vision. Later there was a seminar on public awareness of glaucoma aided by audio visual displays by Department of Ophthalmology JMMC, Thrissur

COCHIN OPHTHALMIC CLUB (COC)



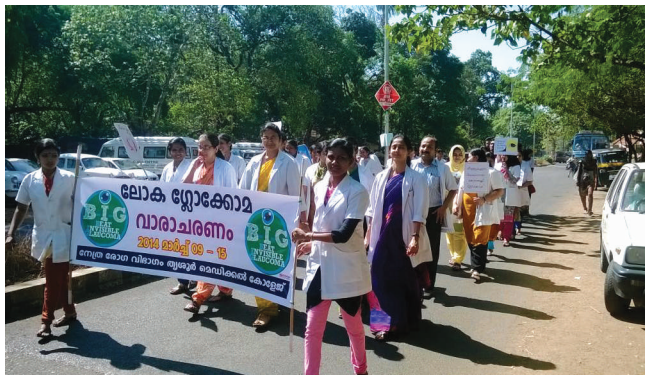
KOZHIKODE OPHTHALMIC SOCIETY (KOS)



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TACO



TRIVANDRUM OPHTHALMIC CLUB (TOC)



REPORT OF ACTIVITIES OF KOS


നേത്രപരിശോധനാക്യാമ്പിൽ ഡോക്ടർമാരായ കെ.വി. രാജുവും ബാബു കൃഷ്ണകുമാറും രോഗികളെ പരിശോധിക്കുന്നു

05.03.14 Wednesday : Kozhikode Ophthalmic Society organized an eye camp in association with Mathrubhumi daily and Mobile Ophthalmic Unit of Medical College, at Kambalakkad, Wynad. Six hundred patients were screened and thirty cataract cases were selected for Surgery. KSOS President Dr.K. V. Raju and Secretary Dr. Babu Krishnakumar attended the camp


-കോഴിക്കോട് മെഡിക്കൽകോളേജ് നേത്രപരിശോധനാക്യാമ്പ് പി.കെ. അനിൽകുമാർ ഉദ്ഘാടനം ചെയ്യുന്നു

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12.03.14 Wednesday: An eye camp giving special importance to glaucoma screening was organised at Muttil, Wynad. KSOS President Dr. K. V. Raju participated in the camp.

15.03.14 Saturday: Another camp for glaucoma screening was conducted at Mepadi, Wynad. .

14.03.14 Friday: World glaucoma week was celebrated by conducting and awareness rally in which KOS President Dr. Lyla Mohan, IMA Kozhikode Unit President, Dr. K. P. Balakrishan, and KSOS President Dr. K. V. Raju participated. Nearly hundred and fifty students from various specialities participated in the rally. A glaucoma awareness class was taken by Dr. K. V. Raju for the students.

IDUKKI MALANAD OPHTHALMIC CLUB (IMOC)

INSTALLATION OF NEW OFFICE BEARERS AND CME- 20-3-14 AT HOTEL KABANI INTERNATIONAL MUVATTUPUZHA



The following New office bearers of Idukki Malanad Ophthalmic club got installed in a meeting presided by outgoing president Dr. Soman Mani in the presence of outgoing secretary Dr.V.R.Mani at Hotel Kabany International,Muvattupuzha on 20-3-14.

President- Dr.Sara Chirayath
Vice president-Dr.James Kuruvila
Secretary- Dr.Mohan.M.I
Joint Secretary.Dr.Mohan Markose
Treasurer- Dr.Aparna
KSOS ExecutiveMember.-Dr.Soman Mani
Editor- Dr.V.R.Mani

CME

The installation meeting was followed by cme.

Guest Speaker- **Dr.Marian Pauly**, Giridhar Eye Institute, Ernakulam

Subject- **Socket Reconstruction & approach to Epiphora**

TACO



Monthly meeting held on 20 th December 2013- At Casino hotel. The speaker was Dr. Lathika., Asso. Professor, Amala medical college. Thrissur. She spoke on Flashes and Floaters- and their clinical approach.

Family Gettogether was organised on 1 st February2014 at Casino lawns. Taco family had a wonderful time with games and variety entertainments by our kids. Another highlight of the day was the caricature show by Mr. Sajeesh Kuttnellur , who mesmerized the crowd with his performance including Ventriloquilism.

Drishyam 2014, Ophthalmology update was organized by Govt. Medical College, Thrissur under the aegis of KSOS and TACO, on 23rd February,2014 at Casino Hotels, Thrissur.

PALAKKAD

After the KSOS annual meeting in November, PSOS had the monthly meeting on 14th Dec 2013
Speaker; **Dr.Aneeta Jabbar**
Topic: **Newer trends in corneal surgery & current concepts in eye banking**
Venue: **Hotel Fort Palace,Palakkad**

Jan 2014:
Joint meeting with IMA, Palakkad at Ahalia Campus, PKD
Topic: **Diabetic Retinopathy**
Speakers: **Dr.Vishwanath & Dr.Rajkumar**

Feb 2014:
Joint meeting with IAP , PKD at Hotel KPM Regency, PKD on 28/02/14
Topic:
1)**Systemic medications for allergy in children; Speaker: Dr.Jayaram**
2) **ROP; Speaker Dr.Rajkumar Maheswari**
3) **Common pediatric eye diseases during the summer;**

KOTTAYAM OPHTHALMIC SOCIETY

52nd general body meeting of Kottayam Ophthalmic Society and presentation of Dr Mercy Mathew Choorakkan memorial endowment award was held at Hotal Fairmount kottayam on 26th Sunday 2013 at 6.30 pm This was the 1st meeting of new team of office bearers .

Dr K C Baby made a short remembrance on late Dr Mercy Mathew Choorakkan

Dr Julna Sara Varghese, top scorer in Ophthalmology(MBBS)from Medical College Kottayam was awarded Mercy Mathew Choorakkan memorial endowment. Presentation of KOS achievement awards to children of KOS members and presentation of KOS President's award to best case presentation at KOS meetings 2012- 2013 were also held at the same meeting

Scientific session followed . Dr Aneeta Jabbar Cornea consultant&Surgeon from Trichur Eye &Diabetic centre spoke on diagnosis and management of viral keratitis. Reported by- Dr Alex Baby Secretary KOS

KANNUR

Annual General Body meeting of Ophthalmic Society of Kannur was held on 20.12.2013. The following Office bearers were re-elected unanimously for one more term. Dr. Umesh O.P (President), Dr. Simi Manoj Kumar (Secretary), Dr. Sreelatha Vinod (Treasurer), Dr. Mary Oommen (Scientific Committee Convenor). Dr. Umesh O P was chosen to represent Kannur Ophthalmic Society State Committee.This was followed by a talk on "Tax Management for Doctors" by Mr. Suresh Kumar C, Charteredd Accountant from Kannur.

Second meeting held on 27.01.2014

Facility for Online voting for AIOS was arranged at the meeting venue. Dr. Binu Nambiar spoke on "Secondary IOL Options". Third meeting was held on 22.02.2014. Dr. P Sathyan, Glaucoma Consultatnt, Sathyan Eye Care Hospital, Coimbatore talked on Preserving Vision in Glaucoma - Newer insights.

TRIVANDRUM OPHTHALMIC CLUB

GB & Monthly meeting of TOC held on 19 December: The monthly meeting was on the topic : Anti VEGF: All A General Ophthalmologist Needs To Know. Chairman: Dr. Mahadevan, Convener: Dr. Unni Nair, Panelists: Dr. Meena Chakrabarti, Dr. Sonia Rani John, Dr. Ashad Sivaraman, Dr. Biju John, Dr. Manoj & Dr. Thomas Chacko. Venue: Hotel Residency Tower. Date: 19 December

Newsletter: Reflections; December 2013 Reflections Dec 2013 was published. It included an article on Optic Neuritis by Prof. Madhusudhan and an article on computer vision syndrome.

Dhristi 2015: TOC welcomed the decision to host Dhristi 2015 at Trivandrum. Dr. Meena Chakrabarti was elected as Organsing Chairman, Dr.Unni Nair as Secretary & Dr. Biju John as Treasurer.

GB & Monthly meeting of TOC held on 25 January: The monthly meeting was on the topic : Glaucoma: All you wanted to hear. Speaker: Dr. George Puthuran, Aravind Eye Hospital, Madurai.

PG Update session of TOC: was held on 28 February. Organized by Dr. Ashad Sivaram at Hotel Residency Tower.

GB & Monthly Meeting 08 March 2014: Topic: Iris Clip IOL. Talk by Dr. Philip Kuruvila.

Camp Activities under TOC: TOC treasurer Dr. Jayaram & Scientific Committee chairman Dr. Ashad Sivaram organized eye camps at Indian Coast Guard at Vizhinjam, Aryanad with Jana Maithri Police, And School camps at Christ Nagar.

Online Presence: TOC has a vibrant facebook group with more than 140 members. Our last event had 4,500 personal invites. https://www.facebook.com/groups/TOC.Open

Glaucoma Awareness Walk: 09 March 2014: The Chief Secretary, Sri. Bharath Bhushan IAS was the Chief Guest. His wife Mrs. Ranjana Bhushan also addressed the gathering. The walk was flagged off by Sri Rishi Raj Singh IPS. GSI, QPMPA, IMA, OKOA, Innerwheel, Rotary, LIONS & YI partnered with the event.

Second International Eye Camp 15 March 2014: A glaucoma screening camp has been organized at Kulhudhuffushi Island, Maldives during world glaucoma week. The first international camp was to Seychelles was in 2012 where more than 100 cataract surgeries were done.

COC ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR THE MONTHS JANUARY FEBRUARY AND MARCH 2014

1.COC New Year Family Nite January 5th 2014 started with New Year family nite. This was organized in Ansal Riverdale clubhouse on 5th January.

2. Abhayam Charitable Clinic by COC Dr Vrinda Harikumar attended the free Sunday clinic and examined the patients on 12th January. Sunday camp was organized on 12th January in Palakkuzha near Moovattupuzha. Dr Anubhav Goel from Giridhar Eye Institute examined patients on February 9th. On 9th March a diabetic retinopathy cum glaucoma detection program was conducted

3. Sight Restoration India Charitable Clinic of COC Dr RR Varma attended the COC - Sight Restoration India charitable clinic clinic and examined patients on all Tuesdays as part of COC Community services.

4. Dr Noel Moniz Memorial Lecture 2014 January 19th This was conducted in Hotel Grand On January 19th on the death anniversary of our beloved Dr Noel Moniz. This time the lecture was delivered by Dr Ramanjit Sihota, Head of Glaucoma Department RP centre AIIMS. Other faculty included Dr Murali Ariga from Chennai along with host glaucoma faculty.

5. Glaucoma Interest group meeting of COC January 19th This was organized on January 19. Cases were presented by Dr Thomas Arun Varghese from Ahalia hospital, Dr Sonia Njavally from Tonys super specialty hospital, Dr Abhilash from Giridhar Eye institute and Dr Girija from Little Flower hospital.

6. Monthly PG Training Program of COC This was conducted on 30th January in IMA house and on 28th February at Giridhar eye Institute

7. COC Monthly Scientific Meeting January 30 This was held in IMA house. Dr Philip Kuruvila was the guest speaker. He spoke on Tips to SICS surgeons. Dr Sony spoke on newer IOLs and Dr Sunil kumar spoke on interesting cataract surgeries.

8. COC Monthly Scientific Meeting February 21th This was organized on 21st February in Hotel Dream. Dr Sathyan from Coimbatore was the speaker. He gave two talks on Compliance in Glaucoma and Combination therapy in Glaucoma. This was followed by an Electronic Medical records Presentation

9. Glaucoma Walkathon 2014 March 9th Glaucoma Walkathon as part of the Glaucoma week was held on March 9th at Marine Drive, Kochi. Led by Dr Meenakshi Dhar. COC members enthusiastically participated in the event. It was inaugurated by Commissioner of Customs, Dr KN Raghavan. Street plays where conducted to increase the awareness of general public regarding glaucoma.

10. CME by COC members On January 5th an international CME was organized by Dr Tony Fernandez Super specialty Hospital in Hotel Flora Nedumbasserry.

11. COC in AIOS Nearly 20 COC members participated in the AIOS 2014 held in Agra made their presence felt during the election and scientific sessions.

12. Camps by individual hospital in COC Many camps were organized by Little Flower hospital, Giridhar Eye Institute, Tony Fernandez Super specialty hospital and AIMS during the first 3 months of 2014. Needy patients were brought to the base hospital and free cataract surgeries were performed

REPORT BY DR MAHESH G, Sec COC

Presidents remarks



KSOS activities are going on in full swing by completing four CMEs since the last Annual Conference on November 2013. In an average 70 to 80 members attended in all those academic programs. It is not only an area of academic deliberations but also is utilized as an occasion to meet old colleagues and friends. I am just enjoying the travel to various places to keep in touch with all the members.

Sad thing happened at AIOS National Conference at Agra is the failure of two of our members in general election. It is not because of the inefficiency of our candidates but it clearly shows the poor representation of our members in National Conferences. As on today we have one thousand four hundred members. Only one third of KSOS members have active membership in AIOS. Members updated there E-mail id also is few in number. Only those who updated there Email with AIOS will get the Ballot and participate in voting. Due to all those things the polling percentage decreased and hence the defeat.

This is right time to think.

We should recognize the power vested on us.

This is the right time to stand united to get administrative power on AIOS for the next generations from Kerala.

Kozhikode
14.03.2014

Prof.Dr. K. V. Raju

President Kerala Society of Ophthalmic Surgeons

From the desk of CHAIRMAN

SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE



Respected Colleague,

Greetings from the Scientific Committee
The Scientific Committee team comprising of the Chairman, three Scientific Committee members and three LOC members have been formed to formulate a really good scientific feast. Initial preparations for the scientific programme are under way. Submission of free paper abstract begins from 1st June onwards.

I take this opportunity to request each and every one of you to send me new ideas and opinions on how to structure the programme. Please feel free to contact me by e-mail (drmeenachakrabarti@gmail.com) or SMS to me (+919946410541).

Looking forward to your contributions and support
With warm regards
Meena Chakrabarti

Drishti 2013: Award Winners

Sl No	Name of Award	Submission No	Winner	Title
1	Dr. K. C. Sankara Menon Free Paper Award	DS13-142	Dr. Unnikrishnan Nair R.	Understanding Macular Telangiectasia
2	Padmabhushan Dr. P. Siva Reddy Free Paper Award	DS13-6	Dr. Minu M. Mathen	Mechanical Stability of Trypan Blue Dye–Stained Anterior Lens Capsule during cataract surgery: Laser Spectroscopy Study.
3	Padmashri Dr. S Tony Fernandez Video Award	DS13-110	Dr. Minu M. Mathen	Saving the sinking ship.
4	Dr. Noel Moniz Anterior Segment Free Paper Award	DS13-50	Dr. Saju Joseph	Using Purkinje Image and Capsulorhexis marker to improve multifocal IOL centration.
5	COC – Retnet Posterior Segment Free Paper Award	DS13-122	Dr. Rameez N. Hussain	Correlation between preoperative micro morphology and post operative anatomical and functional outcomes in macular hole surgery.
6	Prof. K S Subramaniam Post Graduates' Free Paper Award	DS13-41	Dr. Devika K.	Analysis of bleb morphology after trabeculectomy with Anterior segment optical coherence tomography.
7	TACO Poster Award	DS13-127	Dr. Rameez N. Hussain	Detecting Calcium Emboli in Retinal Artery Occlusion using Blue Peak Fundus Auto Fluorescence Imaging.
8	TACO Quiz	Medical College, Thrissur, represented by Dr. Hridya Mohan Dr. Divya K.		

Secretary's PAGE



Dear KSOS Member,

Thanks is the word I have to express to every member for electing me to the post of General Secretary.

My apprehension regarding being an office bearer at KSOS is alleviated by cooperative and friendly attitude by all the members of executive committee present and past. Yes it is a team work the post doesn't matter.

The main agenda of KSOS is to impart academic knowledge to its members is effectively carried out by each district club supported by KSOS by way of monthly meetings and CMEs. So far we had 4 CMEs and 12 more are registered. My request is all the members have to make use of these opportunities effectively. Your participation will encourage us to conduct CMEs more scientifically.

Ground work for Drishti 2014 has started at Thrissur and they have put into service Lulu International convention center, the best Kerala can afford for our annual event.

This year Glaucoma Week has been elaborately conducted at Thiruvananthapuram, Kochi, Kozhikode and state level inauguration at Thrissur.

Need of the hour is to add more members to KSOS and the members have to come forward to show our strength at state and national level to see our interests are promoted and protected. Make CMEs an occasion where more members are added to KSOS fold.

Wishing all the office bearers and members of KSOS a fruitful year ahead.

Regards

Babu Krishnakumar

General Secretary KSOS.

Thank you all for keeping the interest of KSOS ahead of our personal gains and contributing to the betterment of the newsletter. Please send your achievements or participation in the national/international conferences for the news letter to bastinv@yahoo.com

Dr. Bastin V A

Joint Secretary KSOS



ട്രിവാൻഡ്രം ഒഫ്താൽമിക് ക്ലബ് സംഘടിപ്പിച്ച *ഗ്ലോക്കോമ ബോധവൽക്കരണ നടത്തം* ഫ്ലാഗ് ഓഫ് ചെയ്തുകൊണ്ട് ട്രാൻസ്പോർട്ട് കമ്മിഷണർ ഋഷിരാജ് സിങ്ങും ചലച്ചിത്ര-സീരിയൽ താരം ശരത്തും . ചീഫ് സെക്രട്ടറി ഭരത് ഭൂഷൺ ആണ് ഉദ്ഘാടനം ചെയ്തത്. മുന്നൂറിലേറെപ്പേർ പങ്കെടുത്തു.



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മുറിലിലെ മാതൃഭൂമി- കോഴിക്കോട് മെഡിക്കൽകോളേജ് നേത്രപരിശോധനാക്യാമ്പിൽ നിന്ന്

കൂട്ടനടത്തം സംഘടിപ്പിച്ചു



തിരുവനന്തപുരം: ലോക ഗ്ലോക്കോമവാരാചരണത്തോടനുബന്ധിച്ച് ട്രിവാൻഡ്രം ഒഫ്താൽമിക് ക്ളബിന്റെ ആഭിമുഖ്യത്തിൽ കൂട്ടനടത്തം സംഘടിപ്പിച്ചു

കവടിയാറിൽ നിന്നും വെള്ളയമ്പലം ബിഷപ്പ് ഹൗസിലേക്ക് നടന്ന കൂട്ടനടത്തത്തിന് ചീഫ് സെക്രട്ടറി ഭരത്ഭൂഷൺ, ട്രാൻസ്പോർട്ട് കമ്മിഷണർ ഋഷിരാജ് സിംഗ്, ഒഫ്താൽമിക് ക്ളബിന്റെ പ്രസിഡന്റ് ഡോ. മീനാ ചക്രവർത്തി, സെക്രട്ടറി ഡോ.ദേവിൻ പ്രഭാകർ എന്നിവർ നേതൃത്വം നൽകി. ഐ. എം.എ, റോട്ടറി, ലയൺസ് ഉടങ്ങിയ സംഘടനകൾ ഇതോടൊപ്പം സഹകരിച്ചു.

ബിഷപ് ഹൗസിൽ നടന്ന സമാപന ചടങ്ങിൽ ഫാദർ യൂജിൻ പെരേര, ഡോ.സരോജ നായർ, ഡോ.ജയറാം, രഞ്ജന മോഹൻ എന്നിവർ സംസാരിച്ചു. ഗ്ലോക്കോമ ബാധയുടെ ഭയപ്പാടിൽ കഴിയുന്നവരുടെ എണ്ണത്തിന്റെ വർദ്ധനയെക്കുറിച്ചും ഇതിന്റെ കാരണങ്ങളെക്കുറിച്ചും ഡോക്ടർമാർ വിശദീകരിച്ചു. ഗ്ലോക്കോമ ബാധയുടെ ഭയപ്പാടിൽ കഴിയുന്നവരുടെ എണ്ണത്തിന്റെ വർദ്ധനയെക്കുറിച്ചും ഇതിന്റെ കാരണങ്ങളെക്കുറിച്ചും ഡോക്ടർമാർ വിശദീകരിച്ചു. ഗ്ലോക്കോമ ബാധയുടെ ഭയപ്പാടിൽ കഴിയുന്നവരുടെ എണ്ണത്തിന്റെ വർദ്ധനയെക്കുറിച്ചും ഇതിന്റെ കാരണങ്ങളെക്കുറിച്ചും ഡോക്ടർമാർ വിശദീകരിച്ചു.



ഗ്ലോക്കോമ വാരാചരണത്തിന്റെ ഭാഗമായി ഡോ. റാണി മേനോൻ ഐ ക്ലിനിക്ക് നടത്തിയ സെമിനാർ തേനമ്പിൽ രാമകൃഷ്ണൻ എം.എൽ.എ. ഉദ്ഘാടനം ചെയ്യുന്നു

ഗ്ലോക്കോമ വാരാചരണം: പ്രദർശനവും സെമിനാറും

ആഗോള ഗ്ലോക്കോമ വാരാചരണത്തിന്റെ ഭാഗമായി ടൗൺ ഹാളിൽ ഡോ. റാണി മേനോൻ ഐ ക്ലിനിക്കിന്റെ ആഭിമുഖ്യത്തിൽ എക്സിബിഷനും സെമിനാറും നടത്തി. തേനമ്പിൽ രാമകൃഷ്ണൻ എം.എൽ.എ. ഉദ്ഘാടനം ചെയ്തു. കല്യാൺ ഗ്രൂപ്പ് എം.ഡി. കല്യാണരാമൻ അധ്യക്ഷത വഹിച്ചു. കലാമണ്ഡലം ഗോപാൽ അമ്പാടി രാമകൃഷ്ണൻ, ഡോ. റാണി പ്രസംഗിച്ചു.

ആയിരത്തോളം ആളുകൾ പങ്കെടുത്ത ബോധവൽക്കരണ സെമിനാറിൽ ഡോ. റാണി മേനോൻ ക്ലാസെടുത്തു. കുട്ടികളിലുണ്ടാകുന്ന നേത്രരോഗങ്ങളെക്കുറിച്ച് ഡോ. ഭാ രമേഷും കൃഷ്ണമണിയിലും, നേത്രനാഡിയിലുമുണ്ടാകുന്ന അസുഖങ്ങളെക്കുറിച്ച് ഡോ. അനിറ്റ ജബാറും പ്രമേഹം മൂലമുണ്ടാകാവുന്ന അസ്വസ്ഥതകളെക്കുറിച്ച് ഡോ. ഗോപാൽപിള്ളയും ക്ലാസുകളെടുത്തു.



ഗ്ലോക്കോമ വാരത്തിന് ഇന്ന് തുടക്കം ഡ്രൈവിംഗ് ലൈസൻസിനുള്ള കാഴ്ച പരിശോധന കർശനമാക്കുന്നു

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എന്താണ് ഗ്ലോക്കോമ?

ലോക ഗ്ലോക്കോമ വാരാചരണത്തിന്റെ ഭാഗമായി നടന്ന റാലി

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കോഴിക്കോട്: ഗവ. മെഡിക്കൽ കോളേജിൽ ലോക ഗ്ലോക്കോമ വാരം ആചരിച്ചു. സഞ്ചരിക്കുന്ന നേത്രരോഗവിഭാഗം, ജില്ലാ അന്ധതാനിവാരണ സൊസൈറ്റി, കേരള സൊസൈറ്റി ഓഫ് ഒഫ്താൽമിക് സർജൻസ്, ഐ.എ.എം., കോഴിക്കോട് ബോധവൽക്കരണ വാരാചരണത്തിന്റെ ഭാഗമായാണ് യൂണിറ്റ് പ്രസിഡൻറ് സൊസൈറ്റി എന്നിവ സംയുക്തമായാണ് കോഴിക്കോട് ഒഫ്താൽമിക് സൊസൈറ്റി, ഐ.എം.എ. കോഴിക്കോട് യൂണിറ്റ് പ്രസിഡൻറ് ഡോ. കെ.പി. ബാലകൃഷ്ണൻ ഉദ്ഘാടനം ചെയ്തു. മെഡിക്കൽ കോളേജ് നേത്രരോഗ വിഭാഗം മേധാവി കെ.വി. രാജു ക്ലാസ്സെടുത്തു. ഡോ. അരുൺകുമാർ, സജി എന്നിവർ



International CME on Paediatric Ophthalmology on January 4th and 5th 2014 was organized by Dr Tony Fernandez Superspecialty eye Hospital in Hotel Flora Nedumbasserry. It was a two-day scientific fiesta covering anything and everything in paediatric ophthalmology.

Dr Noel Moniz Memorial Lecture 2014 January 19th by Cochin Ophthalmic Club was conducted in Hotel Grand on the death anniversary of our beloved Dr Noel Moniz. This time the lecture was delivered by Dr Ramanjit Sihota Head of Glaucoma Department RP centre AIIMS. Other faculty included Dr Murali Ariga from Chennai along with host glaucoma faculty.





OCULI 2014 CME on Macula on February 16th 2014 sunday was conducted by Department of Ophthalmology Medical College, Kottayam at hotel Arcadia. The CME was inaugurated by Dr. Tigy Thomas Jacob, the supdt. Medical college Hospital Kottayam. The presidential address done by Dr. K. V Raju the president of KSOS. . Experts in the field of retina shared their knowledge and experiences.

Drishyam 2014, Ophthalmology update was organized by Govt. Medical College, Thrissur under the aegis of KSOS and TACO, on 23rd February,2014 at Casino Hotels, Thrissur. Dr. K. V . Bharathan, Vice Principal, Thrissur Medical college, inaugurated the CME. Dr. K.V. Raju, President, KSOS presided the meeting. Experts in the field of Glaucoma, Refraction and Ocular trauma, shared their knowledge and experiences on these selected topics of clinical interest.



Glaucon 2014. Symposium on Glaucoma on 30th March 2014 at Kasaragod by Kasaragod Ophthalmic Society.

The 41st annual conference of KSOS, Drishti 2014 will be held at Lulu international convention Centre on 28-30th of November 2014. The conference will be hosted by TACO. The TACO has formed an organizing committee under the guidance of incoming President Dr Charles Skaria. Dr Alex Joseph as chairman and Dr Anthrayose as Vice chairman. The other organizing committee members include Dr Radha Ramanan (Chief Organizing secretary), Dr Bastin V.A (Organizing Secretary), Dr K.C.Joseph (Treasurer), Dr Babu Krishnakumar(Chief coordinator). All the TACO members are in the different committees. The site inspection by the KSOS team and the layout of conference venue finalized. The trade brochure already sent to trade and few of the main sponsors of the conference finalized. The scientific committee under the leadership of its Chair person Dr Meena Chakrabarti started her work to make an excellent scientific fiesta. All the TACO members along with KSOS office bearers are together to make this DRISHTI 2014 a very memorable event.

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There was a strong contigent from Kerala to VRSI which made its presence felt. Dr A giridhar, Dr meena Chakrabarti, Dr thoma Cheriyan, Dr Gopal S pillai and Dr Rameez hussain had paper presentations and deliberations in the VRSI held at Lavasa, Pune. It was also decided to hold the 2015 VRSI at Kumarakom, Kerala. it is a matter of great pride to our society to hold this august gathering and we have to work hard for making it a grand success.

Dr. A. Giridhar.- Giridhar Eye Institute - Cochin (A.) Correlation between pre-operative micro structural features and post-operative anatomical outcome using Spectral Domain Optical Coherence Tomography (SD-OCT) in Macular Hole Surgery. 8th APVRS, NAGOYA, JAPAN, B.)Recent Advances in IPCV Management. VRS-I 2013 AT LAVASA, PUNE , (C.)Chaired a video session.

Dr. Anthrayose C V-Jubilee Mission Medical College, Thrissur (A.) Chief Instructor-Chairman for the IC-Refraction- Selection of spectacle frame & Lenses AIOC 2014- Agra, (B.) Co-Chairman in FP Session- AIOC 2014- Agra

Dr. Fathima Benazir Little Flower Hospital, Angamaly (A.)Free paper - Outcomes of Deep Anterior Lamellar Keratoplasty by Big Bubble Technique - Two Year Prospective study- the young researchers award category-- AIOC 2014- Agra, (B.)E- poster titled " enhanced depth imaging optical coherence tomography in type2 diabetes " - medical retina category - AIOC 2014- Agra

Dr Francis M V - TEMC Cherthala- Evaluator of Neuroophthal instruction course - AIOC 2014- Agra

Dr. Mahesh G - Giridhar Eye Institute - Cochin (A.)Normative data on choroidal thickness in Indian population- AIOC 2014 Agra, 8th APVRS, NAGOYA, JAPAN, (B.) Enhanced depth imaging in optic disc pit with maculopathy- 8th APVRS, NAGOYA, JAPAN, (C.) Choroidal thickness in the natural course of Central Serous Chorio-Retinopathy 8th APVRS, NAGOYA, JAPAN, (D.)Speaker in two instruction courses- AIOC 2014 Agra

Dr. Rameez N Hussain .- Giridhar Eye Institute - Cochin (A.)Preemptive Subtenon Bupivacaine Injection for Acute Post Operative Pain Relief in Scleral Buckling Surgery under Local Anesthesia- VRS-I 2013 AT LAVASA, PUNE, (B.)Correlation between Preoperative Micro Morphological Indices and Postoperative Anatomical and Functional outcome using Sd-Oct In Macular Hole Surgery- VRS-I 2013 AT LAVASA, PUNE, (C.) POSTER - Real-Time In Vivo Micro Morphology & Histopathology of Choroidal Osteoma using Enhanced Depth Imaging- VRS-I 2013 AT LAVASA, PUNE, (D.) Correlation between the Clinical Stages and Micro Morphology in Type 2A Macular Telangiectasia- AIOC2014 AGRA

Dr Remya Mareen Paulose- Little Flower Hospital, Angamaly e-poster- Role of Scleral Buckling in retinal detachement- A prospective Analysis with Multifocal ERG and OCT- AIOC 2014- Agra

Dr Sinumol.S, Govt Medical College, Thrissur Simple new technique for scleral fixation of IOL - Scientific video film Selected in top 8 of anterior segment scientific video and presented in the C S RESHMI AWARD session for the best video- AIOC 2014- Agra

Dr. Thomas Cherian, Little Flower Hospital, Angamaly Participated in a debate in the Vision 2020 Session, Faculty in the wetlab.- AIOC 2014- Agra



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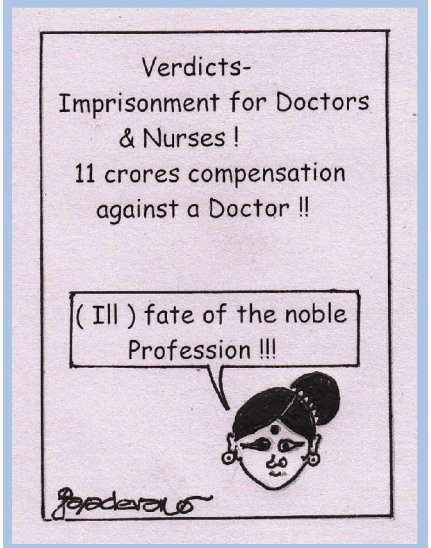
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