## TRIVANDRUM OPHTHALMIC CLUB

# **JANUARY 2025**

#### **SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS**

TOC meeting along with family get together and cultural programs was held on 26<sup>th</sup> January Sunday, at Hotel SP Grand days Trivandrum. The scientific session included case presentations by Dr Aparna R P on corneal macular dystrophy and Dr Safna Hamsa on Keratoconus. Session was chaired by Dr Mahadevan sir and Dr Susheela B Nair.Cultural activities included solo song, solo dance and group song by different members of TOC and their children, followed by Magic show.







# **INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS:**

1. Dr Deepthilal, Consultant ophthalmologist Nedumangadu taluk hospital received KGMOA Best Doctor Award( Speciality cadre)



# **FEBRUARY 2025**

# **SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS**

1. TOC monthly meeting was held on 27<sup>th</sup> February 2025 at Hotel SP Grand Days, Thiruvananthapuram. Dr Vinay S Pillai, Senior consultant and head of department, Cornea and refractive surgery, Giridhar Eye Institute, Ernakulam was the guest speaker. He delivered his talk titled "From surface to endothelium – frequently encountered challenges". The meeting was chaired by TOC President, Dr Minu Mathen and Secretary, Dr Ashad Sivaraman. The meeting had an attendance of 56 ophthalmologists and postgraduate residents.







#### **PG TRAINING PROGRAMS**

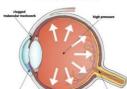
PG training program was conducted by TOC on Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2025 at Chaithanya Eye Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram with Hands-on PG teaching program on Glaucoma. This entire-day session was attended by 52 doctors and trainees.



HANDS - ON PG TEACHING PROGRAM ON GLAUCOMA

SUNDAY, 23 RD FEBRUARY , 2025 CHAITANYA EYE HOSPITAL , TRIVANDRUM 9 AM TO 4 PM





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**A CME** was conducted on 16<sup>th</sup> February 2025 at Hotel Apollo Dimora, Thiruvananthapuram by Precise eye care covering all subspecialties. Professor Dr Pradeep Sharma delivered the Signature Oration titled "Newer procedures in strabismus surgery". The event was attended by 105 delegates.

# **INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS:**

- 1. Dr Veena Viswam, Glaucoma and Cataract consultant, Amardeep Eye Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram cleared FAICO Cataract 2025.
- 2. Dr Neethu Pradeep, Medical retina consultant, Amardeep Eye Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram cleared FAICO Uvea 2025.
- 3. Dr Aparna KS, Orbit and Oculoplasty consultant, Chaithanya Eye Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram cleared FAICO Oculoplasty 2025.



# MARCH.

**Glaucoma awareness walk** was conducted on March 9<sup>th</sup> 7.00am at Shanghumugham beach, The walk was flagged off by famous literary critic Sri P k Rajasekharan in the presence of chief guest Shri Madhupal.Starting point: In front of the Shankumugham Devi Temple statue, near the mermaid statue. Walk was towards the domestic airport for approximately 1 kilometer and then return to the beach. Post-walk there was a Zumba session and a flash mob.







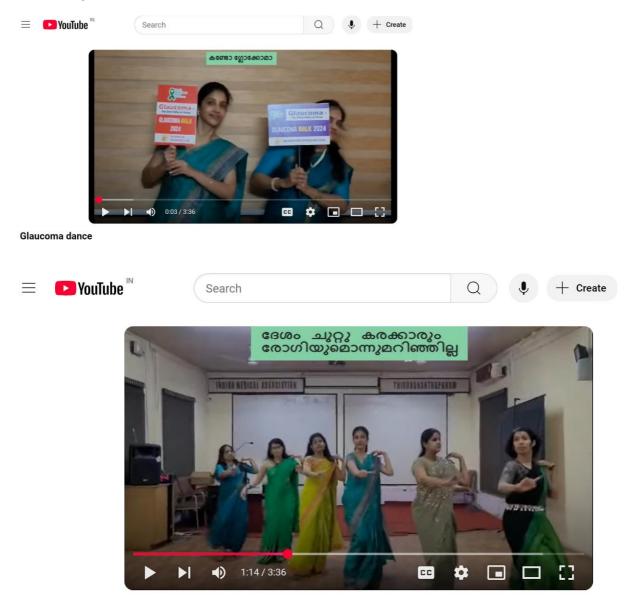


# **Camp conducted by TOC during Attukal pongala** on 13<sup>th</sup> March Thursday. Consultants of Sreenethra eye care and Consultants from Precise Eye Hospital participated . Number of patients seen were 230.



# Glaucoma dance

A song and a dance by the ophthalmology doctors of Trivandrum ophthalmic club to spread the awareness about Glaucoma "-The silent stealer of vision"



**Women's day celebration conducted by TOC** on March 8<sup>th</sup> Saturday, at Residency tower. The scientific session included "The role of Cyclosporin in DE diseases" by Dr Swapna Nair, "VKC management strategies" by Dr Anitha Prabhakar and a women empowerment talk by Rekha R,Deputy project director Liquid propulsion system centre ISRO. The moderator of the session was Dr.Sheeba,Director,RIO.









**Dr. Thomas George conducted a glaucoma awareness program at IMA** on 25<sup>th</sup> March 7.30 pm at IMA office Trivandrum. Topic of discussion was Glaucoma – a preventable cause for permanent blindness.







Recording in All India Radio as a part of prevention of blindness week by Dr Kavitha Devin



#### **SCIENTIFIC MEETING**

Monthly meeting conducted on 28<sup>th</sup> March Friday at Residency Tower. The scientific session included a talk by Dr Krishna Das Senior consultant -Glaucoma services Aravind Eye Care on Changing paradigms in glaucoma management. Felicitation of all the individual achievers also done in the same meeting, which included

Dr. Jayalekshmi - Principal, SUT Medical College

Distinguished Alumni award, MCH,TVM - Dr.K.Mahadevan, Dr.Unni Nair

Dr Ambika Shetty felicitated by ministry of culture Govt. of Kerala at Sangamotsav at Bharat Bhavan Thycaud.

Dr.Jayaprasad B, Dr.Arya A.R,RIO, Dr.Roshni, - MRCS and FRCS from Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons GlasgowDr.Deepthilal received best doctor award from kgmoa

Dr. Veena Viswam, Amardeep ,FAICO Cataract

Dr. Harshali, Sreenethra FAICO Neuro Ophthal

Dr.Iodine, Chaithanya FAICO Refractive Surgery

Dr.Neethu Pradeep, Amardeep FAICO Uvea

Dr. Aparna K Sharma Chaithanya, FAICO Oculoplasty

Dr.Indu Nair Chaithanya, FAICO Retina

OPAI national quiz - First prize..Dr Aparna K S

Dr Greeshma MG, Asst Prof, RIO, Tvm has come in first place in the FNB entrance exam



## INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS

- 1. Dr Iodine R, Senior consultant, Chaithanya Eye Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram cleared FAICO Refractive surgery 2025.
- 2. Dr Indu J Nair, consultant Vitreo Retinal Services, Chaithanya Eye Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram cleared FAICO Medical retina 2025.
- 3. Dr Harshali, consultant Vitreo Retinal services, Sreenetra Eye Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram cleared FAICO ----- 2025.
- 4. Dr Greeshma MG, Asst Prof, RIO, Trivandrum has come in first place in the FNB entrance exams to pursue her VR fellowship.
- 5. Distinguished Alumni award, MCH, TVM Dr.K.Mahadevan and Dr.Unni Nair
- 6. In KUHS first 10 ranks MS Ophthalmology 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> ranks are bagged by TOC members- Dr Staryl (Govt medical college Trivandrum), Dr Jane (Govt medical college Trivandrum), Dr Maria (Sree gokulam medical college, Trivandrum)
- 7. Dr.Jayaprasad B, Dr.Arya A.R, Dr.Roshni, MRCS and FRCS from Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons Glasgow
- 8. OPAI national quiz First prize Dr Aparna K S Chaithanya Eye Hospital
- 9. Dr.Jayalekshmi Principal, SUT Medical College
- 10. Dr. Sunil appointed as superindentent. RIO
- 11. Dr Ambika Shetty felicitated by ministry of culture Govt. of Kerala at Sangamotsav at Bharat Bhavan Thycaud