

## SECRETARY'S REPORT



The first ever Scientific deliberation of the Society of Periodontists and Implantologists of Kerala was held on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2007 at Hotel Abad Metro, Kochi

### **INAUGURAL FUNCTION:**

Secretary collared the president and the function started at 10 am. After the invocation, secretary Dr. Santhosh Sreedhar welcomed the dignitaries and the gathering. President Dr.K. Nandakumar, presided over the function. The chief guest of the day was Dr. Prem Nair, Medical Director of Amritha Institute of Medical Sciences, Kochi. President Elect Dr. C.K. Ashokan introduced the chief guest to the audience. Dr. Prem Nair inaugurated the scientific programme by lighting the lamp in a traditional manner. In his inaugural address, he spoke about the need of the scientific programme, for updating the knowlwdge in their own speciality. During this function, the first issue of our journal 'JSPIK' was released by Dr. Thomas Thelly and handedover the first copy to Dr. B.R.R. Varma. President Dr. K. Nandakumar presented a momento to the chief guest. Scientific programme convenor Dr. Siby.T. Chennankara proposed vote of Thanks and the inagural function adjourned for the scientific session.

### **SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME:**

The scientific programme started at 10.30 am. The first lecture was delivered by Dr. B.R.R. Varma. He spoke about the 'Recent Advances in Periodontal Regeneration'. The second faculty was Dr. Jose Paul and he spoke on the topic 'Various types of Regenerative Materials and its Application in Periodontal Surgery'. He briefed about the procurement and application of Platelet Rich Plasma in Periodontal defects. The third lecture was delivered by Dr. Arun Sadasivan on the topic 'Efficacy and Safety of Indigeneously Manufactured Periodontal Regenerative Materials'. The fourth faculty was Dr. Biju Thomas and he spoke in detail about 'Scope of Implant Dentistry and Periodontal Consideration of Implants'. The fifth lecture was delivered by Dr. C.K. Ashokan on the topic 'Fundamentals in Surgical Implantology, Basic Surgical Kits and Components'. The last scientific lecture was delivered by Dr. K. Nandakumar on the topic "Implant Loading, Principles and Techniques". After the lecture, Dr. K. Nandakumar and Dr. Mahesh Narayanan demonstrated the placement of Implant in Mandible model. There was also a Product presentation by the sales manager of Eucare pharmaceuticals on their regenerative materials and products.

All the scientific lectures were very informative and the faculties cleared various doubts of the participants. The unique feature of this scientific programme was that all these Sessions were conducted by our own members of the Society. 62 members of our Society participated in this one day comprehensive workshop. The scientific programme was sponsored by Colgate Palmolive India Ltd, Dentcare Dental Lab, STIM Brushes and Confident Dental equipments.

## **II EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING:**

II Executive committee meeting was held on Sunday, 13th May 2007 at 4.30 Pm at Hotel Abad Metro, Kochi. Secretary collared the president and the meeting was called to order. After silent prayer, President welcomed all the Executive Committee members to the meeting. Minutes of the First Executive Committee meeting was unanimously approved and secretary detailed about the action taken on the minutes. Treasurer Dr. Anil. M presented the Accounts till date and got it approved. It has been decided to invest an amount of Rs. 1 lakh in fixed deposit or in mutual funds. It has been decided to conduct Periodontal Health Awareness Programme to the public to increase the awareness about the causes and prevention of Gum diseases and to publish education leaflets and charts.

Meeting also decided organise an Implant workshop and also to conduct a scientific programme in association with Indian Dental Association - Kerala State. It was also decided to publish our journal 'JSPIK' half yearly and our News Letter 'Perioimplant Scan' quarterly in this year.

It has been decided to create a Website for our society and Dr. Arun Sadasivan was selected as the convenor. Secretary proposed vote of thanks and the President adjourned the meeting at 5.30 pm.

## **MEMBERSHIP STRENGTH:**

At present our society is having 79 Founder members, 3 Life members and 1s Associate members.

## **PERIODONTAL HEALTH AWARENESS PROGRAMME**

We are organising Periodontal Health Awareness programme for the Anganwadi Teachers and Workers of Calicut Corporation on 10th and 11th September 2007 at Nadakkavu, Calicut.

## **IMPLANT WORKSHOP:**

We are organising a one day Comprehensive Implant workshop for the members of our society on 16th september 2007 at Amritha School of Dentistry, Kochi.

## **SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME**

Our Society in association with Indian Dental Association - Kerala State is organising a State level Scientific programme on 7th October 2007 at Calicut.

## PHOTO GALLERY



Welcome Address by Secretary  
Dr. Santhosh Sreedhar



Presidential Address by  
Dr. K. Nandakumar



Inaugural Address by Chief Guest  
Dr. K. Prem Nair



Audience at the  
Inaugural Function



Inauguration by  
Lighting the Lamp



Releasing the First Issue of  
Our Journal 'JSPIK'



Presentation of Memento to the  
Chief Guest



Vote of Thanks by  
Dr. Siby T. Chennankara

## PHOTO GALLERY



Scientific Lecture by  
Dr. B.R.R. Varna



Scientific Lecture by  
Dr. Jose Paul



Scientific Lecture by  
Dr. Arun Sadasivan



Audience at the  
Scientific Programme



Scientific Lecture by  
Dr. C.K. Ashokan



Scientific Lecture by  
Dr. Biju Thomas



Scientific Lecture by  
Dr. K. Nandakumar



Demonstration of  
Implant Placement