

IMA Cochin Directory

Please submit your latest photograph and other details for publishing in the new directory of Cochin IMA members.

Poor Show by Cochin IMA

For the IMA Kerala State Branch President election only 40 people attended out of 1150 members. In the General Body Meeting of 11th August in connection with State election, the discussion regarding IMA's roll in promoting the use of helmets and safety belts for minimizing the road traffic accident casualties, was headed by Dr. Mathew Abraham. As per available medical evidence and as per international standards, there is no doubt, the use of helmets and safety belts are mandatory for the safety of passengers.

Election of Cochin IMA

The election of office bearers of Cochin IMA for the year October 2007 to Sept 2008 including the President, Secretary and other office bearers and executive committee members will be held on Wednesday, 26th September. All are requested to attend without fail and elect a good team of office bearers.

IMA Club Membership

Non-medical first generation children of Club members are entitled to get membership in the IMA Family Club. This is to encourage all the senior members and whose children are not doctors to join the Club.

IMA Charity Fund

The response is good and the money utilized for the medical camp. We need fund for future charity works. Kindly donate generously.

SUVARNA VARSHA OF KOCHI CITY POLICE

IMA will be participating in the exhibition at Marine Drive from 20th August to 26th August conducted by Kochi City Police. All are welcome.

IMA Student Welfare Fund



Dr. John Vettath handing over the First Scholarship amount of Rs.15,000/- donated by Dr. Babu John Mathews to Ms. Siji, 3rd year MBBS student of Kottayam Medical College.



From the clinical meeting of July, 2007

World Coconut Day 2nd September, 2007

There will be a Seminar on **Coconut oil in human nutrition** on 2.9.2007 from 11.30 am to 1.30 pm at Hotel Abad Plaza, Ernakulam. **Prof. B.M. Hegde**, MD, FRCP, Ex. Vice Chancellor of Manipal Academy of Higher Education will deliver the keynote address. All the IMA members are invited to attend the luncheon session. Limited to 200 participants. Hurry up for registration with IMA office.

Heart Care Foundation

Kindly subscribe the magazine paying Rs.1,000/- for three years.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Dr. C. Chidambaranathan, Dr. Jayasree Madhavan, Dr. Roy Thomas, Dr. Rony Thomas, Dr. Nenna Jacob

BLOOD BANK NEWS JULY 2007

Total 1652 units of blood were collected and 33963 units of blood and its components issued. Patients in 82 hospitals were beneficiaries. 7 blood donation camps were conducted.

Dr. K. Narayanan Kutty, Secretary

MEDICINE BANK

Working Hours : 10.00-2.00 p.m.

Medicines donated by :

Dr. K.A. Clement, Dr. Tony Kalliath

Dr. Jeeson C. Unni, Dr. Sujit Vasudevan

Dr. N. Gopalakrishnan, Convenor

WOMEN'S WING ACTIVITIES

July 2007 was a month of hectic activities by the members of IMA Women's Wing. Camps were conducted at Santhi Bhavan, Muppathadam, Nayarambalam, Pallikkara, House of Providence. Health awareness talks, Adolescent health education talks on ailments of women and geriatric diseases were all shared in various places by our members. Our members showed their journalistic talents also. They wrote about 'Water-borne diseases' and Diet for girls' in various magazines. Clothes and medicines were distributed. General body meeting along with exotic Roti making demonstration was appreciated by all.

Wish you all happy onam.

IMA Medical Camp at Nayarambalam

It was a great success. More than 550 patients attended the camp and 14 doctors were ready to help them out. The photographs will explain everything. It was your generosity with the IMA Charity Fund which met expenses for the camp. A great thank you for the parish priest of St. George Church, Vadel, Nayarambalam and the members of the parish who did a wonderful job organizing the camp at their auditorium.

