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From the desk of KOA Secretary:



Dear friends,

I wish you all a happy festival season, Dasara and Deepavali.

The annual conference of our association held at Goa was a big success in terms of both academics and hospitalities. The scientific and entertainment programs were par excellence. The food served to the delegates had a nice blend of Goan flavor and everyone enjoyed it.

The secretary's report and the minutes of The Annual general body meeting held during KOACON 2011 are presented in this issue for the perusal of all the members. Details of the CME's held, International traveling fellowships, Inland traveling fellowships and forthcoming events etc.. have been given and members are requested to send any other details.

We are proud that the current IOA President is our own dear friend Dr Rajeev Naik. We can further make our presence felt in the Noida conference by attending in large numbers, participating more actively in academic deliberations and presenting scientific works in large numbers

We have about 82 new life members in this tenure and I request every qualified orthopaedic surgeon to become the KOA member.

The conference time is fast approaching. KOACON 2012 is being held from 3rd to 5th Feb 2012 at Belgaum. Dr Murakibhavi and his team are sparing no efforts to make it a grand success.

I thank everyone in reposing confidence in us last two years and expect the same in future. I am sure we will come upto the expectations of all the KOA members. Please feel free to send us your views, criticisms to help us manage the affairs of association better. I will be available over my mobile and email for suggestions and help within the framework of guidelines of secretariat. With your support and encouragement let us work very hard to make KOA as the Best Chapter of the IOA. I also request the members to encourage the non-members to enroll in IOA so as to have a strong say in IOA

I thank Dr Murakibhavi, Dr Motimath, Dr Ramachandra Hm and my KOA secretariat team for their guidance and help in smooth functioning of the secretariat.

Wishing all the members a good academic, cultural and festive season

Dr V Vasudev P Kamath
Secretary , KOA secretariat
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From the desk of President, KOA



My dear members,

It gives me an immense pleasure in inviting you to the 36th Annual Conference of Karnataka Orthopedic Association to be held on 3rd, 4th, & 5th February, 2012 in Belgaum. Please visit www.koacon2012.com for all the details.

We are already in the process of making KOA website i.e. www.koaindia.org very strong. We are planning to contest for the best chapter of IOA, For this we need the support of all the KOA members by sending details of their conferences, cme's, courses, clinical meetings, seminars, quiz programmes, workshops organized & attended, paper's presented, publications, honors & awards received on a regional, national & an international level.

I take this opportunity to thank Dr. Harish Murthy for conducting RIMS Hands Course at Raichur, Dr. B. C. Patil for conducting Trauma Course at Gulbarga, Dr. Naresh Shetty for conducting PG Courses at Bangalore, Dr. Ajith Kumar for conducting PG Course at Mangalore, & my Departmental team for helping me to conduct PG Intensive Training Course at Belgaum.

KOA-ICL-2011 will be held in Hasan in the month of October organized by the Hasan Orthopedic Association as a mid-term event of KOA.

We need to increase the number of members to strengthen the KOA. Seeking full co-operation & wishing you all the best.

With Warm Regards,

Dr. V. G. Murakibhavi

President, KOA

From the desk of Organizing Secretary, KOACON 2012:



Dear Colleagues,

I have great pleasure in inviting you to the 36th Annual Conference of Karnataka Orthopedic Association to be held on 3rd, 4th, & 5th February, 2012 at J. N. Medical College Campus, Belgaum. The details are highlighted in the conference website www.koacon2012.com.

Extensive arrangements are in the process for this event. CME on Pelvis, Acetabulum & Foot, workshops on Basic Surgical Skill, AO Lower Extremity Fixation, Knee Arthroplasty & Shoulder Arthroscopy have been planned. Eminent Faculty with excellent knowledge on these aspects will be sharing their experience with you.

The conference will have great speakers from India & abroad. Interesting debates & symposiums have been chalked out. Delicious Food & entertainment will be adding spice to the conference. I welcome you, your family & friends to KOACON 2012.

Best Regards,

Dr. S. H. Motimath,
Organizing Secretary, KOACON 2012

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Message from President, IOA



Dear KOA members,

This is a proud moment for Karnataka that a Karnataka member gets the mantle to lead IOA. I am aware that opportunity must be measured with the same yard stick that measures the risks. I am indebted to all your support for electing me as the president with convincing margin. I will assure you that I will make the best efforts to make IOA more meaningful to it's members. It is also time that we increase our membership strength in the IOA so that in future Karnataka chapter can have a better say.

With best wishes

Rajeev Naik
President IOA

MINUTES OF ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING HELD ON 12th FEBRUARY 2011 AT THE VENUE OF KOACON-11 GOA

1. Dr G.C.Basavaraj , President of KOA welcomed the members.
2. Obituaries:-
 - Dr Sudhakar Shetty from mangalore.
 - Dr Manohar Badami.
 - Dr Suresh.
3. It was decided by whole body that Dr Purushottam should contact BOA auditor to discuss with KOA auditor for application of 12/A status to the 30 lakhs given by Dr Rajiv Naik. The whole body was brought into notice that IOA auditor are same. It was proposed by the whole body to give one month time to Dr Vasudev.P.Kamath for deciding about the income tax.
4. Accounts of 2010 KOACON conference were read by the treasurer. Dr Rajagopalan handed over Rs 50,000 in the form of DD to KOA secretary from the savings of conference.
5. Dr G.C.Basavaraj, President of KOA handed over the cheque to Dr Nagakiran for international travelling fellowship.
6. Rattification of 42 new members were done.
proposed by Dr Rajagopalan

seconded by Dr Sastry.

7. It was proposed by the whole body to have an active website for KOA.
8. A separate stall should be arranged for KOA during the conference official for the stall should be arranged by the present president of that year.
9. Report of inland traveling fellowships were given by
 - Dr Shiva Naik.
 - Dr Rudramani.
10. Dr Murgod and Dr Rudramani have been selected for the inland travelling fellowship the next year.
11. Dr Deepak gave report of International travelling fellowship. Dr Harishmurthy and Dr Anil Bhat gave a note on their international traveling fellowship.
12. A total of 7 EC members were selected by Dr V.Vasudev.P.Kamath on the basis of nomination letters sent to them.
 - Dr A M Naratti.
 - Dr Ravishankar R.
 - Dr Prakash C Wali.
 - Dr Patil Basavaraj.
 - Dr Basavareddy B R.
 - Dr Patil Satish.
 - Dr Surendra Kamath.
13. Dr Murakibhavi announced organizing secretary as Dr Motimath S H and treasurer as Dr R S Jatti.
14. OASIS secretary and treasurer have been elected as Dr Ravishankar and Dr P Sastry as treasurer.
Proposed by Dr Sharath K Rao.
seconded by Dr Sripathi Rao.
15. Dr Murakibhavi selected 7 EC members.
 - Dr Kare Dinesh Rajaram.
 - Dr Ravindragowda Patil
 - Dr Umarani M G.
 - Dr Korlahalli Suresh.
 - Dr Vijayakumar B G.
 - Dr Dilip Kumar Ganjal.
 - Dr Shivakumar H C.
16. (i) Oration should be given the status of faculty.
(ii) Sufficient respect should be given to orator.
(iii) KOA conference dates should be on 1st weekend of February.
(iv) Different guidelines should be put for Shyam Sundar Shetty memorial oration.
(v) A committee is formed including doctors.
 - Dr Sripathi Rao.
 - Dr Subodh Shetty.
 - Dr Naresh Shetty.
 - Dr B G Sagar.
 - Dr Putti.
17. It was decided to conduct KOA ICL in RIMS Raichur under leadership of Dr Harish Murthy.
18. The result of election is declared with Dr Sharath K Rao as the president-elect 2011-12 . Dr Sridhar Murthy obtained 196 votes and Dr Sharath K Rao obtained 339 votes.
19. Vote of thanks by Dr G C Basavaraj delivered to end the meeting.

MINUTES OF THE FIRST EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING OF KOA (2011-2012)

The 1st Executive committee meeting of Karnataka Orthopedic Association (2011-2012) was held on 16th of July 2011 at 5pm in the Orthopedic Department library of J N Medical College, KLES Dr.Prabhakar Kore Charitable Hospital, Belgaum.

The Following members attended the meeting:

- Dr.V.G.Murakibhavi – President, KOA
- Dr.V.Vasudev.P.Kamat – Secretary, KOA
- Dr.Rajeev Nayak- President, IOA (Special Invitee)
- Dr.Sharath.K.Rao – President Elect, KOA
- Dr.S.H.Motimath – Organizing Secretary, KOACON 2012
- Dr.R.S.Jatti – Treasurer, KOACON 2012
- Dr.Dinesh.Kale – EC Member, KOA
- Dr.Ravishankar.R – EC Member, KOA
- Dr.A.M.Naratti – EC Member, KOA
- Dr.Prakash.C.Wali – EC Member, KOA
- Dr.Basavareddi.B.R – EC Member, KOA
- Dr.Satish.D.Patil – EC Member, KOA
- Dr.S.U.Kamath – EC Member, KOA
- Dr.Suresh.Korlhalli – EC Member, KOA
- Dr.Dilip Kumar.Ganjal – EC Member, KOA

The meeting started with opening remarks by the President, KOA Dr. V. G. Murakibhavi after silent prayer.

Obituaries:- Dr.Vijay Kumar.B.G – EC Member, KOA from Chitradurga

One minute silence was observed in respect of the departed soul.

KOA website: Briefed by Dr. Sharath Rao.

- The same site to be continued i.e. www.koaindia.org
- The KOA website domain taken over by Dr. Sharath Rao, President elect KOA & his team
- The EC members gave their suggestions for the updating of the website
- KOA members list to be refined
- To make the website secured
- By laws of KOA, & oration protocols to be included in website
- To mention different local orthopedics associations in the website
- To mention the events of State/National/International in the website
- Links to be given to regional & national websites (OASIS, IOA)
- The Secretary of KOA was asked to submit the list of new KOA members, along with necessary fees to the OASIS Secretary General

KOA-ICL- 2011

Dr. Harish Murthy from Raichur had expressed his inability to conduct the KOA-ICL 2011. Hence Hassan Orthopedic Association & HIMS was permitted to conduct KOA-ICL 2011, on Saturday, 8th October 2011 & the theme being, “Management of Open Fractures”.

KOA International & National traveling fellowship

All the EC members were requested to pass on the message regarding the KOA – National & International traveling fellowships to the members of their respective regions.

Competing for the Best Chapter of IOA

The points were read regarding the competition for the best chapter of IOA & all the EC members were requested to inform the members of their respective regions to send the details of their academic activities, achievements of individual members, participation & presentation in various orthopedic activities (Workshops, conferences) etc.

Nominees for the OASIS

The name of senior KOA member, Dr. R. R. Shah from Gulbarga, has been proposed for felicitation during OASIS conference to be held in August 2012 at Hyderabad

Dr. R. Ravishankar & Dr. Purushotham from Mysore have been nominated as Secretary General & Treasurer respectively of OASIS. They were congratulated.

Dr. G. C. Basavaraj, Davangere, immediate past president KOA & Dr. S. H. Motimath organizing secretary KOACON 2012, have been nominated as EC members of OASIS from Karnataka.

Preparation of KOACON 2012

Dr. S. H. Motimath, organizing secretary KOACON 2012 highlighted the EC members regarding the preparations of KOACON 2012 to be held in the month of February 2012 at Belgaum.

Protocol for Oration lectures

The protocols for oration lectures were told by Dr. V. Vasudev. P. Kamath.

Dr. V. Vasudev. P. Kamath suggested to allot a separate stall for the KOA office in the forth coming KOACON 2012 conference to be held at Belgaum & requested the organizing committee for the same.

Dr. V. Vasudev. P. Kamath, Secretary KOA proposed vote of thanks.

News Report of the KARNATAKA ORTHOPAEDIC ASSOCIATION

1. RIMS Hand Course Report

RIMS Hand course 2011 was conducted on 26th and 27th of March in Raichur in Raichur Institute of Medical Sciences. It was jointly organized by **Indian society of surgery for hand, Karnataka Orthopaedic Assosiation and Dept of Orthopaedics Raichur Institute of Medical Sciences.** Dr

Ramaiah Dean cum director of RIMS inaugurated the CME and work shop. Dr Ramachandra was organizing Chairman and Dr Harish Murthy was the organizing Secretary. Following faculty came to Raichur and conducted the Hand Course

- 1) Dr Bhaskaranand Kumar from Manipal the chairman of Bureau of Indian Society of Surgery for hand for Medical Education(BISSHME) conducted the whole course.
- 2) Dr Sudheer Warriar from Bombay.
- 3) Dr Sharath K Rao from Manipal conducted AO workshop on locked Compression plated for fractures of distal Radius.
- 4) Dr Anil K Bhat.
- 5) Dr Ashwath Acharya from Manipal.

75 orthopaedic Surgeons and PGs from North Karnataka from places in and around North Karnataka attended the Conference. Certificate of participation was given to all the delegates. On 26th evening Workshop was conducted on Locked Compression Plates for fracture of distal Radius. This workshop was conducted by Dr Sharath K Rao and was helped by Synthes team who brought bone models and implants and power instruments. It was followed by cultural programme and fellowship.





2. MANGALORE ORTHOPAEDIC COURSE

The 29th Mangalore Orthopaedic Course was organized from the 1st to 3rd July 2011 at the IMA Hall in Mangalore by the Canara Orthopaedic Society.

The course was inaugurated by the president of IOA Dr.Rajiv Naik. The president of KOA Dr.V.Murakibhavi was the guest of honour along with Dr.M.Shantharam Shetty and Dr.P.K.Usman.

This year saw a record of 247 delegates who were put through 3days of intensive lectures,radiology sessions and clinical case presentations. In addition, the delegates were exposed to Orthotics and Prosthetics and “Tendon suturing” techniques.

In recognition of the passion and commitment with which late Prof.M.Sudhakar Shetty conducted the Mangalore Orthopaedic Course uninterrupted for 28 long years, it was resolved to name the Mangalore Orthopaedic Course as “Dr.M.Sudhakar Shetty Memorial Mangalore Orthopaedic Course”.





3.
Dr Ravi B Patil (EC Member of KOA) conducted Free Orthopaedic check up camp near Belgaum at Yallur on 27-2-2011 & at Desur on 6-3-2011 under the banner of KOA. Total 500 patients took the benefit of this.



4.

CME-Trauma Course-2011 was conducted by Dept of Orthopaedics, MRMC, Gulbarga & Gulbarga Orthopaedic Association under the banner of KOA at MRMC, Gulbarga on 30-04-2011. It was inaugurated by Mr.S.Namoshi, Chairman, HKE Society, Gulbarga.

Dr V G Murakibhavi, President, KOA was the guest of honour. Dr V G Murakibhavi, Dr S H Motimath from Belgaum, Dr Prabanjankumar from Bellary & Dr Harish Murthy from Raichur were the faculty for this course.

Dr B C Patil, Prof. & Head was Org. Chairman. Dr Ramakant Kulkarni was Org. Secretary. 60 PGs & 40 consultants attended this CME



5.

Department of Orthopaedics, J N Medical College, KLES Dr P.K.Hospital & MRC, Belgaum conducted free Osteoporosis detection camp on 6-6-2011 under the banner of KOA. 92 patients took the benefit of this. Dr V G Murakibhavi HOD of Orthopaedics & his team took part in this.



6. Free Osteoporosis detection camp was held in KLES Dr.P.K.Hospital & MRC, KLE University's J N Medical College on 24-01-2011 by Dept.Of Orthopaedics under the banner of KOA. 150 patients were the beneficiary of this camp. Dr V G Murakibhavi, Prof & Head , of Orthopaedics and his team took part in this camp.



7.

Dr Kiran Acharya delivered guest lecture on

- 1) Clinical approach to painful, unstable knee
- 2) Cartilage injuries

at KLE University's J N Medical College, KLES Dr Prabhakar Kore Hospital & MRC, Belgaum on 23rd, July 2011.

Orthopaedic PGs & faculty attended guest lecture.



8.

Department of Orthopaedics, J N Medical College, KLES Dr P.K.Hospital & MRC, Belgaum conducted free Osteoporosis detection camp on 7-3-2011 under the banner of KOA. 140 patients took the benefit of this. Dr V G Murakibhavi HOD of Orthopaedics & his team took part in this.

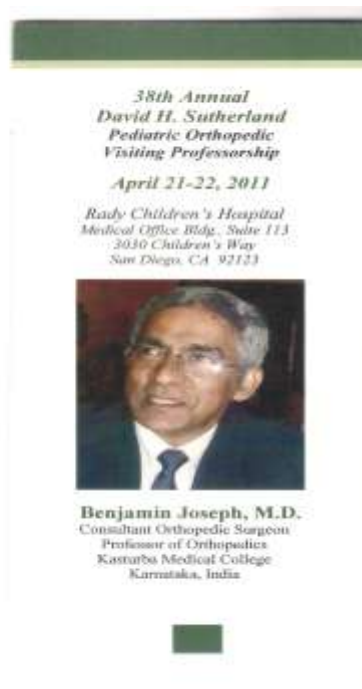
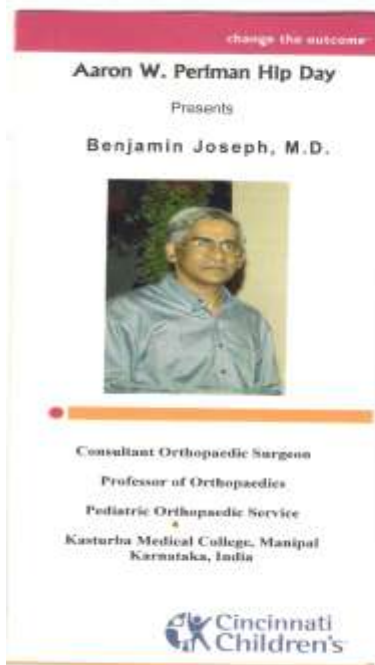


9.

Post Graduate Intensive Training Course – Ortho CME 2011

Post Graduate Intensive Training Course – Orthopedic – CME was conducted by the Department of Orthopedics, J. N. Medical College & KLES Dr. Prabhakar Kore Hospital & MRC on 16th & 17th of July, 2011. During the inaugural function of the CME lighting of the lamp was carried out by the chief guest Dr. Rajeev Naik, President, Indian Orthopedic Association. Other guests of honor were Dr. Sharath Rao, President Elect of KOA, Dr. P. Vasudev Kamat, Secretary, KOA, Dr. P. F. Kotur, Registrar, KLE University, Dr. M.V. Jali, MD & CE, KLES Dr. Prabhakar Kore Hospital & MRC and Dr. R. S. Mudhol, Medical Superintendent, KLES Dr. Prabhakar Kore Charitable Hospital. Dr. V. D Patil, Principal, J. N. Medical College, presided over the function. Dr. V. G. Murakibhavi, Professor & Head of Department of Orthopedics, President KOA, welcomed the esteemed guests, dignitaries & delegates. Dr. S. H. Motimath, Professor of Orthopedics, introduce the guests. A vote of thanks was carried out by Dr. Dinesh Kale, Professor of Orthopedics. Dr. R. S. Jatti, Professor of Orthopedics, conducted the function. 85 delegates attended the CME.





Professor Benjamin Joseph, Professor and head of Paediatric Orthopaedic Surgery, KMC Manipal, Manipal University was awarded the Visiting Professor in Cincinnati Children Hospital, Cincinnati University. Professor Joseph was also awarded with 38th Annual David H Sutherland Paediatric Orthopaedic Visiting Professorship in the Rady Children Hospital, San Diego, California – San Diego University.



Professor Shantharam Shetty, Vice Chancellor of Nitte University and past president of IOA, Professor P Sripathi Rao Dean, KMC Manipal, were awarded honorary Fellow of Royal College Of Surgeons (FRCS) by Royal College London UK. This award is for their immense contribution in the field of Orthopaedics by research, teaching and clinical excellence. KOA members and executive committee take great pleasures in congratulating these two life members of KOA.

Inland KOA Traveling Fellow

Eligibility:

- KOA Member
- Less than 35 years of age as on 1-1-2012

(Age proof SSLC Marks Card)

2 Fellows will be selected and deputed to reputed institutions.

Duration of Training – 15 days

A purse of Rs 12500/- per fellow will be paid

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(Soliciting / Canvassing will invite disqualification)

International Travel Fellowship Programme – 2011

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Introduction

As you all know that the Karnataka Orthopaedic Association started its International travel fellowship programme in 2007 under the patronage of Dr. Bisal Muddu and chairmanship of Dr. Naresh Shetty. This programme has been recognised and is supported by the Indian Orthopaedic Society (U.K.). Since its inception KOA has sent six fellows. The programme is mainly aimed at encouraging young enterprising Orthopaedic Surgeons who lack an international exposure in their academic field. The fellows will be visiting various centres of excellence in and around Manchester (United Kingdom). The programme has run very successfully and has been well appreciated by most of the members and also from many of the host consultants in the United Kingdom. The programme is sponsored by P.M. Santosha Charitable Trust (Bangalore).

The Selection of fellows has been done based on the merits and demerits of the submitted applications and CV. The committee has selected two travelling fellows who will be visiting various hospitals in United Kingdom in the month of September and October 2011.

The selected Fellows for the year 2011 are as follows

Dr. Manoj Kumar from BMCRI, Bangalore – visiting Oswestry and Derby

Dr. Gururaj Murgod from KIMS Hubli – visiting Manchester and Wrightington

The Association wishes them a very happy and a fruitful academic tour.

Visit the following link for KOA – International Travelling Fellowship - 2012 –

<http://www.koacon2012.com/>

Dr. Deepak.S

Programme co ordinator