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KOA NEWS

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PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

Respected KOA Members,

Our KOA theme for 2024, "Train to Teach and Teach to Train," is a powerful initiative for the future of Orthopaedic Surgeons. By focusing on training young surgeons in teaching, you're fostering a learning environment that benefits the entire community. Empowering the younger generation with equal opportunities will ensure that their talents in academics, surgical

skills, and leadership are nurtured, ultimately strengthening the association. It sounds like a great plan to make KOA a strong force in India by 2030.

Your leadership and the collective effort of the District Orthopaedic Societies truly seem to have made a remarkable impact. It's fantastic to hear about the diverse range of events and initiatives that were carried out, from CMEs and national conferences to non-academic events. Being awarded the Best State Chapter Award by OASIS is a tremendous achievement and a testament to the strength of your vision to empower the younger generation of Orthopaedic Surgeons. Your dedication to advancing academics, leadership, and training is truly inspiring. That's a wonderful reflection on the success of KOA in 2024-2025!

In the past four months, we successfully hosted "Callus," the KOA sports fest, and organized several CMEs. Our participation at IOACON in Bengaluru was a significant highlight, where our students secured second place in the National PG Quiz.

KOACON 2025, to be held in Trivandrum, promises to be a milestone in the history of the Kerala Orthopaedic Association (KOA) for both academic excellence and impeccable conduct. Our motto promoting younger Orthopaedicians is also followed in KOACON 2025. The Organising Team, led by the Trivandrum Orthopaedic Society, has ensured that no effort has been spared in making this conference a grand success.

"I wish all KOA members great achievements in their careers and lives in the future."

Jai Hind, Jai KOA
Prof. Dr. Aneen Nambikutty
President, KOA



SECRETARIAL MESSAGE

Dear KOA Members,

As I reflect on the past three years serving as the Hon. Secretary of the Kerala Orthopaedic Association (KOA), I am filled with immense pride. Together, we have built KOA into one of the most dynamic and vibrant specialty organizations in the country. It has been an incredibly fulfilling journey, and I am honored to have been part of it.

Academic Excellence: Our academic initiatives have thrived, with nearly weekly programs, PG training sessions, and cadaveric workshops. The introduction of PGCON over the past two years has been a huge success, and this year, we saw over 100 registrations—a testament to its growing impact. We have also doubled the number of fellowship applications this year, with 10 short-term and seven long-term fellowships on offer.

KOA Benevolent Fund: The KOA Benevolent Fund has reached new heights, evolving into a benchmark that demonstrates our deep commitment to supporting our fellow orthopedic surgeons. This initiative has truly been a lifeline for many.

Callus – The Annual Sports Meet: In 2023, we introduced Callus, the Annual Sports Meet of KOA. Hosted by the Thrissur Orthopaedic Society in 2024, it was a huge success and has now become one of the most eagerly anticipated events in our calendar.

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Osteoblast – The Cultural Meet:The inaugural Osteoblast in 2024 was a fabulous event, and we're excited that the Pathanamthitta Club is preparing to host this year's cultural meet in May 2025. It promises to be another memorable occasion.

National Recognition: KOA also earned significant recognition this year, receiving the Best Chapter Award from the Orthopaedic Association of South Indian States. I extend my heartfelt congratulations to every KOA member, district officials, executive committee members and our office staff for this remarkable achievement.

Additionally, our quiz team secured second place at the IOACON Quiz in Bangalore, showcasing our talent and dedication. Congratulations to the team for their fantastic performance!

Upcoming Events:

The second KOA International Conclave will take place from April 24–29, 2025, in Bali. I encourage all members to register for this exciting event, blending academic excellence with leisure.

The KOACON 2025 will be hosted by the Trivandrum Orthopaedic Society. As our most prestigious event of the year, I urge all members to register and attend.

As my tenure as Hon. Secretary concludes, I want to express my deepest gratitude to all KOA members, last three years executive committee members and our ever dependable office staff for the trust and support you have extended to me. I apologize for any misgivings on my part and assure you that I will continue to strive for KOA's betterment in any capacity I can.

I wish the incoming team all the best as they take charge of this incredible organization.

Yours sincerely

Antony Joseph Thoppil

Hon. Secretary, Kerala Orthopaedic Association.



TREASURERS MESSAGE

Respected Teachers & Dear Colleagues,

As my three-year term as Honorary Treasurer of the KOA comes to a close, I find myself reflecting on the incredible journey we have shared. It has been an honour to serve this remarkable community, and I am deeply grateful for the trust and support you have extended to me over the years.

During my tenure, we have navigated challenges, celebrated successes, and worked together to strengthen the financial stability of the association. Our shared commitment to the values of integrity, transparency, and progress has been the guiding force in every decision we've made.

As Hon. Treasurer of KOA this will be my last write up in the KOA News & I extend my heartfelt thanks and deep gratitude to all KOA life members & especially to my executive colleagues, with special appreciation to the past two presidents: Dr. Ramakrishnan S., Dr. Tajan P. Jose, and current president Dr. Aneen Nambikutty. I am also profoundly grateful to our Honorary Secretary, Dr. Antony J. Thoppil, as well as Mr. Arun and Mr. Abin, for their unwavering support and collaboration. Also, my sincere gratitude goes to my home club, Trivandrum, for their encouragement and trust in supporting me as the Honorary Treasurer of KOA.

As I step down from my role, I am confident that the association is in capable hands, and I look forward to seeing the continued achievements and growth of the KOA in the years ahead.

Thank you once again for the honour of serving as your Honorary Treasurer. I will always remain a proud member of the KOA, and I am excited to support you all in any way I can in the future.

I hope to see you all at KOACON 2025! I wish the Annual Conference great success and hope every participant has an enriching and memorable experience.

With sincere gratitude and best wishes,

Dr. Jiju A. Nuuman

Honorary Treasurer

Kerala Orthopaedic Association

KOA EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL BODY MEETING

Notice is hereby given for the Extra Ordinary General Body meeting of the Kerala Orthopaedic Association (KOA) to be held at the Al Saj Convention Centre, Trivandrum from 4:30 PM onwards on Saturday 25h January 2025. Kindly requesting you to attend the same and take an active part in the deliberations.

AGENDA

1. Meeting Called to Order
2. Silent Prayer
3. Updated KOA Bye laws for Ratification(Copy Emailed) :President/ Secretary KOA
4. Vote of Thanks :Hon. Secretary

With Warm Regards,
Yours in KOA

Sd/-

Dr. Antony Joseph Thoppil

Hon. Secretary, KOA

Dated:: 1st January 2025

KOA ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING

Dear KOA Life Member,

Notice is hereby given for the Annual General Body meeting of the Kerala Orthopaedic Association (KOA) to be held at the Al Saj Convention Centre, Trivandrum from 4:45 PM onwards on Saturday 25h January 2025.. Kindly requesting you to attend the same and take an active part in the deliberations.

AGENDA

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| 1. Meeting Called to Order | |
| 2. Silent Prayer | |
| 3. Welcome & Presidential address | :Dr. Aneen Nambikutty |
| 4. Obituaries | |
| 5. Minutes of the AGM held at Kumarakom on 27.01.2024 | :Dr. Antony Joseph Thoppil |
| 6. Ratification of KOA Ex committee meeting decisions | |
| 7. Report of the Secretary | :Dr. Antony Joseph Thoppil |
| 8. Ratification of new memberships of KOA of the year 2024-25 | |
| 9. Audited Accounts of the year 2023-2024 | :Dr. Jiju A Nuuman |
| 10. Treasurers Report & Budget for the year 2025 | :Dr. Jiju A Nuuman |
| 11. Matters regarding CAPE- KOA | :Dr. Shanavas EK/ Dr Anoop S Pillai |
| 12. Report of KJO | :Dr. Ranjth Unnikrishnan |
| 13. Report of IT Secretary | :Dr. Kurian Alappat |
| 14. Report of KOA Fellowships | :Dr. Jijo Jose |
| 15. Long Term Planning committee Report | :Dr. Fajish F |
| 16. Report of KOA Buildings | :Dr. Tajan P.J |
| 17. Reg KOA Benevolent Fund | :Dr. Mathew KM |
| 18. Report of Osteoblast 2024 | :Dr. John T John/ Dr Jiss Joseph |
| 19. Report of CALLUS 2024 | :Dr. Sudhir U/ Dr Antony J Thoppil |
| 20. Accounts & Reports of KOACON-2024, KTM | :Dr. Tomichan MC/ Dr. Rajesh V |
| 21. Report of KOAPGCON 2024 | :Dr. Jiju A Nuuman/ Dr Prem Haridas |
| 22.. Report of KOACON 2025 | :Dr. Binoy S / Dr Kaizar Ennis |
| 23.. Report of KOACON 2026 | :Dr. M.K Ravindran / Dr Nithin Karun |
| 24.. Decision of venue of KOACON 2027. | |
| 25. Decision of the venues for KOA CMEs | |
| 26. Regarding Osteoblast & CALLUS 2025. | |
| 27. Decision regarding CTICs | |
| 28. Matters regarding OASIS/ OASISCON-2024 | :Dr. Vasudevan.P.N/ Dr Tajan PJ |

29. Matters Regarding IOA : Dr Ajith Kumar MN/ Dr. Ansu Anand A
30. Report of District Club Secretaries
31. Announcement of results of Election :Dr.Sreenath K.R
32. Election for the vacant posts of executive committee, if any
33. Any other matter relating to KOA with permission of the chair
34. Vote of Thanks :Hon. Secretary
35. National Anthem

With Warm Regards,
Yours in KOA
Sd/-

Dr. Antony Joseph Thoppil

Hon. Secretary, KOA

Dated:: 1st January 2025, Kochi.

Report from the IT Secretary

Greetings from the IT wing of KOA.

Wish you a great new year 2024. We are bringing KOA events into social media. We are planning to start an Instagram page and revamped Facebook page by the end of this year. YouTube channel is under works. KOA SLB is on the way too.

Exciting times ahead.

Regards

Dr Kurian Alappatt

IT secretary KOA,

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IOA Report



69th Annual conference of Indian Orthopaedic association- IOACON 2024 was held at Bengaluru palace, Bangalore from 2nd to 7th December 2024 . Dr Ram Chadha presided the meetings. Dr Anup Agarwal took charge as the new president and Dr Rajeev Raman will be the new secretary general. Next IOACON shall be held at Guwahati Assam from 15 to 20 December 2025. Dr Jerin Abraham and Ronnie T Jacob of the Malabar Medical College, Calicut become the Runner up in the IOACON Quiz.

Regards

Dr Ajith Kumar MN & Dr Ansu Anand A

IOA Executive Members

KOA Webinar Series

The following are the KOA Webinar series Programm & organisers from 1st July 2024.

KOA Instructional Webinars Based on presidential Theme conducted by Quilon Orthopaedic Society., On 16th July 2024, Topic Acromioclavicular Injuries, August month conducted by Alappuzha Orthopaedic Society, On 27th August, 2024, Topic: Pediatric Trauma Update. In October conducted by Wayanad Orthopaedic Society On 11th Oct 2024, Topic: Rotator Cuff Injuries. Again in October Conducted by the Pathanamthitta Orthopaedic Society on 22 nd Oct 2024. Topic Management of Intertrochanteric Fractures. The last webinar of the year 2024 was conducted by Kannur Orthopaedic Society on 15 th Nov 2024 topic:

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Spine CME , Perinthalmanna , 29.09.2024

Malappuram Orthopaedic Society hosted the Additional CME of KOA on "Degenerative Lumbar Spine: Where We Stand in 2024" on September 29, 2024, at IMA House, Perinthalmanna. Faculties shared their knowledge and expertise on latest concepts about "Degenerative Lumbar Spine" The CME with didactic lectures, debates and case based discussions on related topics was held.



GENU RECTUS, 22nd Sept 2024.



GENU RECTUS - Additional CME of KOA on osteotomies around knee organised by Central Travancore Orthopaedic Society (CTOS) and Dept of Orthopaedics Al Azhar Medical College, Thodupuzha has successfully conducted on 22/09/2024 Sunday. CME was entitled with 2.5 KSMC credit hours and 129 were registered. Expert Faculties from Mumbai, Madurai and all over Kerala made the CME an academic feast.

Inaugural Programme started with Prayer. Welcome address given by Organising Chairman Prof Tomichan M C. Programme inaugurated by Hon. President of KOA Prof. Aneen Nambikutty. Chief guest Mr Moosa K M (Chairman Al Azhar group of institutions) delivered keynote address.

Programme Felicitated by Dr Antony Joseph Thoppil (Hon Secretary KOA), Prof Samson Samuel (President CTOS), Dr Georgy J Kuruvila (Secretary CTOS) and Prof MA Thomas (HOD Dept of Orthopaedics Al Azhar Medical College Thodupuzha). Vote of Thanks expressed by Dr Gijo AJ Organising Secretary GENU RECTUS. CME followed by afternoon sessions of case discussions and hands on work shop.

Advanced CME of KOA(6th Oct 2024)



Advanced CME of KOA on "Complex fractures around knee" organized by Pathanamthitta orthopaedic society conducted at Mount zion medical college, Adoor on October 6th 2024 Sunday. KOA President Dr Aneen N Kutty inaugurated the CME and keynote address given by Mount zion medical college principal Prof. Sreedevi. KOA benevolent fund contribution from Pathanamthitta orthopaedic society Rs 10,000 handed over to KOA treasurer Dr Jiju Nuuman. The CME was well attended with 12 faculties and more than 60 delegates. The organizing chairman was Prof George Thomas

INSIGHT 2025, 10th Nov 2024



INSIGHT 2024, the 15th Annual Continuing Medical Education (CME) program on Bone and Soft Tissue Tumors, was held on November 10, 2024, at TAJ gateway Hotel in Calicut, Kerala

AASK's Peripheral Meet at Calicut(1st December 2024)

The first official peripheral meet of arthroscopic association of Kerala (AASK), held under the aegis of IAS, AASK, KOA and CaOS concluded with immense success at TIARA, Calicut, on December 1, 2024. Focused on the theme "Cuff Tears simplified: from diagnosis to recovery", this landmark event brought together eminent faculties from across Kerala, fostering unparalleled learning and collaboration.



With limited entry for 60 delegates, participants witnessed: Re-Live Surgical Demonstrations showcasing cutting-edge techniques, Engaging Panel Discussions with experts unraveling the complexities of rotator cuff management,

Interactive sessions covering advanced diagnostics, surgical strategies, and post-operative rehabilitation .Dr Sibin Surendran was the org chairman and Dr Jipin Gopi was the org Secretary for the event.

This meet not only set a benchmark for orthopaedic events but also inspired practitioners to embrace innovations in shoulder arthroscopy. The enthusiasm and active participation of delegates ensured that the event's impact would resonate far beyond its conclusion.

CALLUS 2024, Thrissur



The 2nd Edition of the Kerala Orthopaedic Association Sports extravaganza - the "CALLUS 2024" was held on 18th to 20th October in Thrissur under the leadership of Thrissur Orthopedic Association. In connection with this, a continuing medical education program was held at Hotel Ashoka Inn on diet, exercise routines, things to watch out for and risks involved in various types of sports above 40 years of age. District level football and cricket matches were held at Kuttanellur Sportaker Turf.

Former Indian football captain and Arjuna Award winner IM Vijayan and Kerala Orthopedic Association President Dr. Aneen were the chief guests. Mini Marathon (Bone Run), Tug of War, Badminton, Table Tennis, Caroms and Chess were also held. A Mini Marathon was started from VKN Menon Indoor Stadium. About three hundred orthopedic specialists from different districts of Kerala participated in the district-based competitions.

Thrissur clinched the overall championship after fierce matches. Malappuram and Kochi bagged the second and third positions respectively. In various competitions Football (Malappuram), Cricket (Kozhikode), Marathon (Thrissur), tug of war (Kollam), Badminton (Thrissur (above 45), Kochi (Below 45)), Table Tennis (Kochi (above 45), Kochi (Below 45)), Chess (Kannur), Carroms (Malapuram)



MOTSCON 2024, 3rd Nov 2024



MOTSCON 2024 (The fourteenth edition of MES Orthopaedics and trauma series) organised by Dept of Orthopaedics, MES Medical College Perintalmanna under the aegis of KOA and MOS was conducted on 3rd November 2024 Sunday at college auditorium on the topic "Updates in Knee Arthroscopy, Surgical Techniques & Rehabilitation" with various sessions including re-live surgeries, panel discussions and bone model workshop. The Organising committee chairman was Dr Abdul Ashraf V, Secretary Dr Nithin Chandrasekar and scientific committee convener was Dr Mohamed Shakeeb KU, the CME was inaugurated by the KOA President Dr Aneen N Kutty. Prof V Ramachandran, Prof CM Kumaran, Dr Reas Ali and Dr Fajish Farook were spoke during the inaugural function.

The CME was inaugurated by the President of the Kerala Orthopaedic Association, Prof. Aneen Kutty, with Prof. NJ Mani and Prof. Domenico Andrea Campanacci serving as guests of honour. The program featured respected musculoskeletal oncosurgeons from across the nation, and it successfully attracted a full audience of engaged delegates

Wayanad Residential CME of KOA, 23rd Nov 2024:

Work update 2, the 2nd residential CME of Wayanad ortho society was conducted on Nov 23 at hotel Sapphire hills Vythiri. The topic of the CME was fractures around the elbow. Dr. Vasudevan PN, president OASIS inaugurated the cme. Dr. Aneen N Kutty president KOA. DR Antony J Thoppil secretary, KOA, Dr. Randheer, President WOS, Dr Hakeem. NK, Secretary WOS, Dr Dino Treseurer, WOS also graced the occasion. There were 36 delegate registrations., more than 20 CME topics were discussed, this was followed by a gala dinner, Dr. Varun Vasudevan the Org Secretary gave the vote of thanks.



Gokulam CME at Trivandrum on 15th Dec 2024

"ALL ABOUT ANKLE" The Sree Gokulam Medical College & Research Centre, Trivandrum, hosted the Continuing Medical Education (CME) program titled "ALL ABOUT ANKLE" on Sunday, 15th December 2024.

This exclusive CME, organized in collaboration with the Kerala Orthopaedic Association (KOA), was a day-long academic extravaganza dedicated to the study of ankle pathologies and their management. The event brought together eminent faculty and practitioners from across the field, offering a unique opportunity for participants to gain insights into cutting-edge treatments and surgical techniques. ATFL Repair, Ankle Syndesmotom Tightrope Fixation, these hands-on sessions enabled participants to refine their surgical skills and apply advanced techniques under the guidance of leading experts.



Team "ALL ABOUT ANKLE" from Sree Gokulam Medical College expressed heartfelt gratitude to the participants, faculty, and KOA for their support in making the event a resounding success.

Felicitations by Dr Nandini VR, (Principal , SGMC&RF), Dr.Raffic M, (PProf Emeritus SGMC & RF), Dr. Jiju A Nuuman (Hon Treasurer, KOA), Dr. Kaizar Ennis E (Secretary, tos) Welcome by Dr Dinesh Mitra and Vote of thanks by Dr. Vijith Vijay .

KOA Premier League 2025: A Grand Celebration of Sportsmanship in Trivandrum



The Prof. Sunny Pazhayatil KOA Premier League 2025, hosted by the Trivandrum Orthopaedic Society, set the city abuzz with energy and excitement on January 4-5, 2025. The thrilling cricket tournament brought together orthopaedic professionals from across Kerala for two days of camaraderie and competition.

The event was inaugurated by **KOA President Dr. Aneen Nambikutty**, with felicitations from Hon. Secretary Dr. Antony J. Thoppil, Hon. Treasurer **Dr. Jiju A. Nuuman**, **TOS President Dr. Satheesh Kumar**, **Long Term Planning Chairman Dr Fajish F**, Organizing Secretary **Dr. Kaizar Ennis**, and **Cricket Coordinator Dr. Narayanan S.K.**, who were all present to grace the occasion.

A highlight of this year's event was the heartfelt recognition of KOA cricket legends during the banquet, celebrating their contributions to the spirit of KOA cricket.

On the field, the Cochin Orthopaedic Society emerged as the triumphant champions, clinching the coveted title, while the spirited Kollam Killadies claimed the runners-up position in a closely contested final.

The KOA Premier League 2025 not only showcased exceptional sportsmanship but also strengthened the bonds within the orthopaedic community, making it a truly memorable event.



Awards & Honours

Prof. PA Alexander Life Time Achievement Award 2024



Dr G. A George,
Kollam

KOA Meritorious Award 2024



Dr Thomas Mathew,
Kochi

KOA Honorary Fellows 2024



Dr. Martin Joseph,
Thrissur



Dr. Premachandran G,
Kottayam



Dr. Venugopalan TA,
Trivandrum

Prof. K.I George Oration



Dr. Tajan P J

KOA Silver Jubilee Oration



Dr Subin Sugath

Prof. K.C Gopalakrishnan Oration



Dr Sujith Jos

Prof. T. C Joseph Best PG Gold Medal



Dr Mahesh Prasannan

CAPE KOA Report

Dear Colleagues,

Warm greetings from the Office of the CAPE!

As we near the conclusion of our three-year tenure, we reflect with gratitude on the privilege of serving the academic aspirations of the Kerala Orthopaedic Association (KOA) through the CAPE initiative. It has been both an honour and a responsibility to uphold the trust placed in us. During this period, we are proud to have organized five Cadaveric CMEs, each met with overwhelming enthusiasm and oversubscription. On multiple occasions, we expanded participant capacity without compromising the high standards of these programs.

The courses—spanning THR, Total Knee Replacement (TKR), and Shoulder Cadaveric Techniques—were meticulously conducted at premier institutions, including MS Ramaiah Advanced Learning Centre, Bangalore, and SRMC Chennai. These academic endeavours were designed to inspire, educate, and elevate the skillsets of our orthopaedic community.

Our heartfelt thanks go to all KOA members for their unwavering support and encouragement. We are especially indebted to the KOA Executive Committee members of these three years for entrusting us with this opportunity to contribute meaningfully to the academic legacy of KOA.

We also wish to place on record our heartfelt gratitude to all the esteemed CME faculty members for their exceptional expertise and unparalleled dedication in imparting knowledge and transferring professional skills with excellence.

Together, let us continue to uphold the spirit of excellence that defines both KOA and CAPE KOA.

Jai KOA! Jai CAPE KOA!

Warm Regards,

Dr. Shanavas E.K.
Chairman, CAPE

Dr. Anoop S. Pillai
Secretary, CAPE

KOA Fellowship Report

Greetings from office of KOA fellowship,

I am completing my tenure as KOA fellowship committee chairman this year. At the outset I would like to extend my wholehearted gratitude to KOA president Dr. Aneen, secretary Dr. Antony, treasurer Dr. Jiju and the executive members for the support and guidance during my term of office.

This year we could streamline KOA fellowships by formulating an updated protocol.

We have increased the short term fellowships to 10 nos and the stipend is increased to Rs.30000.

Also we started long term fellowship in various sub specialties in 6 centres. We have 60 training centres for short term fellowships as well.

I am very happy that more and more young budding orthopaedic surgeons are utilising these opportunities and allotment become a meticulous process as the number of applicants increased dramatically. In September we have called for second edition of long term fellowships.

Dr. Anand A is allotted long term fellowship in arthroscopy and Arthroplasty @ LLM hospital Kidangoor and he started fellowship on 1st November 2024.

I am sure KOA fellowships will become more attractive and useful to young surgeons in coming years.

Thank you

Dr Jijo Jose

KOA Long Term Planning Report

KOA's Year in Review: A Celebration of Talent and Sportsmanship

This year, KOA introduced a new program, OSTEOLAST, to showcase the cultural talents of its members and their families. Hosted by the Cochin Orthopaedic Society under the leadership of Dr. John T. John and Dr. Jiss Joss Panakkal, this initiative was a huge success.

The KOA members' music band, "Joint Beats," performed at OSTEOLAST, IFASCON 2024, and OASISCON 2024, entertaining audiences with their talent.

The Thrissur Orthopaedic Society hosted the 2nd edition of CALLUS, which was a grand success. The event was superbly organized by Dr. Antony Thoppil and Dr. Sudheer U and took CALLUS to next level.

Trivandrum Orthopaedic Society organised the Prof. Sunny Pazhayatil KOA Premier League on January 4-5, 2025.

This year's cricket tournament also honored the legends of KOA cricket during the banquet. Cochin Orthopaedic Society emerged as the winners, while Kollam Killadies were the runners-up.

Congratulations to all participants, organizers, and winners on a fantastic year!

Regards

Dr Fajish F

Chairman, KOA Long Term Planning

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Dr T.I George
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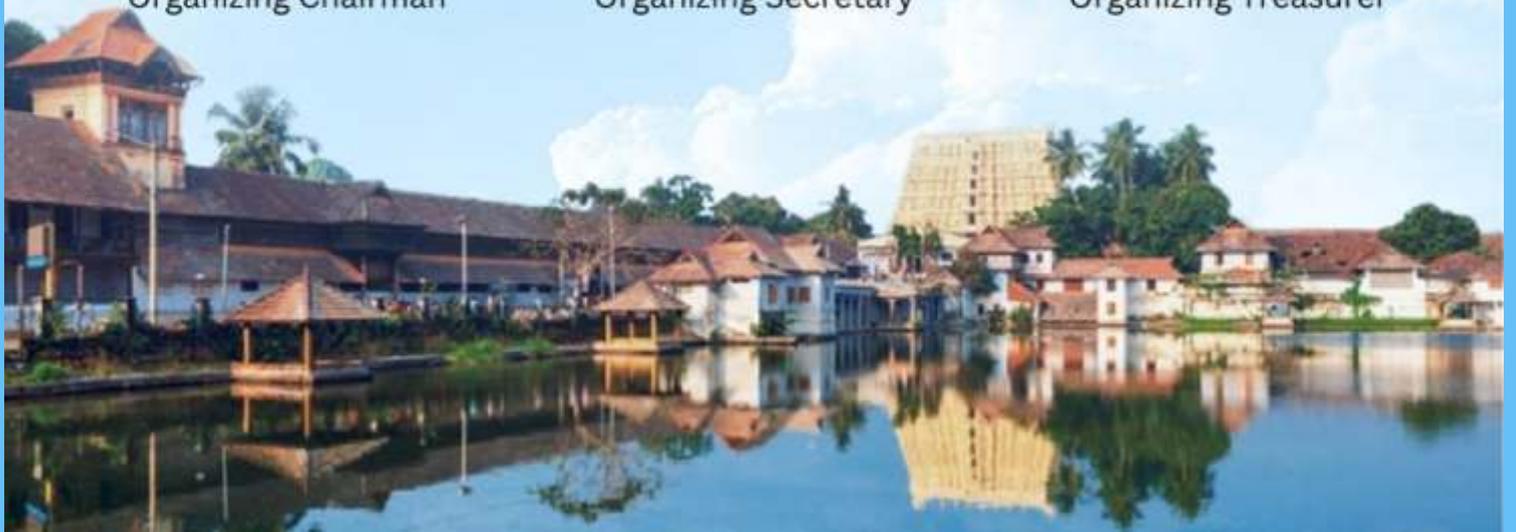
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INFECTIONS IN ORTHOPAEDICS CURRENT CONCEPTS

CME On 25th January



Back to Basics



Surgical Site Infections



Inauguration



Infective Non Unions



Prosthetic Joint Infections



Paediatric Infections



Current Imaging in MSK Infections



Spine Infections



Open Fractures

*Followed by conference on the 25th and 26th of January 2025,
focusing on basic orthopaedic topics divided among subspecialties.*



Arthroplasty



Spine



Pediatric Orthopaedics



Orthopaedic Oncology



Arthroscopy



Limb Deformity



Trauma



Pelvic and Acetabulum