Installation of new office bearers of SPIK for the year 2013 was held at Trivandrum on 21st April 2013

Dr. Mini Jose took office as the new president, with Dr. Anil melath as the Honorary Secretary . Entire team of office bearers was also present during the occasion.

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PERIODONTAL HEALTH EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR ANGANWADI WORKERS 15-11-2013, ANGANWADI TRAINING CENTER, PUTHUPALLY, KOTTAYAM

The second periodontal health education program at AWTC, Kottayam was held on 15.11.2013. A team consisting of Dr. Vivek Narayan, Periodontal health care coordinator, SPIK and BDS students from Govt. Dental College, Kottayam participated in the program that benefitted around 30 anganwadi workers from Trichur district who were attending a refresher training course at the center.

The program started at 12:15 PM with a brief but informative lecture in Malayalam by Dr. Vivek Narayan. The talk focused on the major clinical features, causes, possible complications and methods of prevention of periodontal disease. An interactive session followed this lecture in which the anganwadi workers were given an opportunity to raise their queries regarding oral and periodontal health. The dental students also interacted with the anganwadi workers and enquired about the steps taken to enquire about and improve dental health among the children attending anganwadi centers.

Smt. Shobha, the Principal of the Anganwadi training center, then released the Malayalam pamphlet on periodontal diseases prepared by students from Department of Public health dentistry, Govt. Dental College, Kottayam. The pamphlet was then distributed to all participants. One of the participants offered the vote of thanks. The program concluded by 1:30 PM.

Oral Hygiene Celebration

Venue:-Loyola School, Sreekaryam, Trivandrum

Date:- 01.08.2013

Periodontal Health care programme

Venue :- , Ettumanoor, Kottayam

Date:-17.05.2013

38th ISP National Conference @ Gokulam Conventional Centre, Kochi

Date:- 25, 26 & 27 October 2013

First scientific programme and COC of 38th ISP national conference

Date:- 21st July 2013

Venue :- Gokulam Conventional Centre Kochi

REPORT OF PERIODONTAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAM Mariyappally, Kottayam on 28/03/2014

A screening camp and periodontal health awareness was conducted by the department of Community Dentistry, Govt. Dental College, Kottayam and SPIK on 28-03-2014 at Mariyappally P.O, Kottayam. The program was attended by around 40 participants from different age groups. Dr. Vivek Narayan, Periodontal health care coordinator, SPIK delivered a powerpoint lecture to the participants regarding periodontal disease in Malayalam. The SPIK health education handouts in Malayalam were distributed to all participants.

REPORT OF PERIODONTAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAM Sharmas College, Ettumanoor on 25-04-2014

A periodontal health awareness program, dental screening and free treatment camp was conducted by the department of Community Dentistry, Govt. Dental College, Kottayam and SPIK on 25-04-2014 at Sharmas College, Ettumanoor. The program was organized with the help of Vadekkanada residents association, Ettumanoor. The program was attended by around 30 participants from different age groups. Dr. Vivek Narayan, Periodontal health care coordinator, SPIK delivered a brief lecture to the participants regarding the symptoms, causes, fallouts, prevention and treatment of periodontal disease. The health education handouts in Malayalam were distributed. All patients were then examined and treatment was provided using the mobile dental clinic, Govt. Dental College, Kottayam.

REPORT OF THE VII SPIK ANNUAL CONFERENCE & FAMILY GETTOGETHER 2014

The seventh Annual Conference & Family gettogether was held on the 3rd and 4th of May, 2014 at The Siena Village, Chinnakanal, Munnar. Conference started with registration of delegates on 3rd May afternoon. An informal family gettogether was arranged with tea at 4:30 PM. Executive meeting was held at 6:00 PM. Ganamela along with various competitions for members, spouses and children was conducted by Gaanam Orchestra, Kothamanglam during the gala banquet dinner on 3rd evening. On 4th morning, there was a family talk by Mr. Reji Nalanda, JCI trainer, which was well attended and appreciated by the members and family alike. This was followed by the formal inauguration of the Conference. Dr Jose Paul, organizing chairman welcomed the gathering. Dr Mini Jose, SPIK President, presided over the function. Dr Anil M, Secretary, SPIK, presented the annual report. The chief guest, Dr K. George Varghese, (Principal, Govt Dental College, Kottayam & National President, AOMSI), inaugurated the function. Dr Santhosh Sreedhar, immediate Past President, ISP, introduced the incoming President, Dr Baiju RM. Dr Baiju R M delivered the reply address. Dr Biju Thomas, President elect, ISP, rendered the felicitations. Chief Guest handed over the prizes for winners of SPIK Oral Hygiene Day, Essay Competiton, and Scholarship examination. The presidential awards were given by Dr Mini Jose. Dr Jayan Jacob Mathew, organizing secretary, proposed the vote of thanks. The inaugural function was followed by a talk by Dr George Varghese on "Good clinician and/or good doctor". The Annual General Body meeting followed, during which, Dr Baiju RM was installed as the new President. The office bearers for 2014-15' were inducted by the President. AGM was followed by the first executive meeting of 2014-15'. Conference concluded with lunch. Around 75 persons including SPIK members and their family attended the conference.