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Message from the Editors

It's our college 20th anniversary this year, and the preparatory work for the celebration scientific meeting and dinner is really taking shape. More details regarding the event can be found in this issue of the newsletter. More importantly, do mark your diary and come join us on the day.

Message from the College Council

Announcement of 20th Anniversary Celebration

The College 20th Anniversary Organising Committee led by our President, Prof PC Ng, is making very good progress and more solid plans of celebration events are made.

9am - 6pm College 20th Anniversary Scientific Meeting cum HM Lui Memorial Fund Symposium:

Invited speakers include Prof GUI Yonghao (President, Chinese Pediatric Society Chinese Medical Association, and Shanghai Pediatric Society, CPS, CMA), Prof SHEN Kunling (President-Elect, Chinese Pediatric Society, Chinese Medical Association), Prof FANG Jianpei (President, Guangdong Pediatric Society, CPS, CMA), Prof LI Tingyu (President, Chongqing Pediatric Society, CPS, CMA), Prof Terence Stephenson (President, Royal College of Paediatrics & Child Health, UK), Dr Ping-Ing LEE (Secretary General, Taiwan Paediatric Association), Prof LEE Way Seah (President, College of Paediatrics, Academy of Medicine of Malaysia), and Dr NG Chin Yuen, Steven (President, College of Paediatrics and Child Health, Singapore).

Local Speakers include Prof LAU Yu Lung (Doris Zimmern Professor in Community Child Health, Chair Professor of Paediatrics, The University of Hong Kong), Prof Tony NELSON (Professor & Acting Chairman of Dept of Paediatrics, The Chinese University of Hong Kong) and Dr LI Chi Kong (Chairman, Coordinating Committee in Paediatrics, Hospital Authority).

Former HM Lui Memorial Fund recipients will also talk on their research fields and bring us insight into what is fascinating them.

6:30pm - 7pm 20th Annual General Meeting

7pm - 7:45pm Fellow Conferment Ceremony

8:15 - 11pm 20th Anniversary Celebration Dinner

Cocktail receptions will be offered between events. With all these wonderful events being held in the HKAM Jockey Club Building, we will be immersed in a whole day of inspiring academia, joyful festivities and great fraternity. Please be sure to mark this date if you haven't done so, 10th December, 2011 (Saturday). The Organising Committee looks forward to your active participation!

Young Fellows co-opted into College Council

The College Council welcomes Dr Dorothy CHAN Fung Ying of the Child Assessment Service and Dr CHOW Chung Mo of the Department of Paediatrics, PYNEH, for joining the Council for one year in May 2011. Their fresh minds and new-generation capacities will certainly give important support to the work of the College. The Council also expresses sincere gratitude to their two predecessors, Dr June CHAN and Dr Simon LAM for serving on the Council in the past year. Their very valuable participation and insightful ideas have made our work so much smoother and more fulfilling.

Association of Medical Professionals with Advertisements

There are multiple occasions when appearance of medical professionals in the media conveying medical information to the public are linked to advertisements of pharmaceutical products or milk formulae. This association may be perceived by the public or fellow colleagues as promotion of the product or self. The Council would like to remind our colleagues of this concern.

Announcement from Examination Committee

Results of recent examinations

Date	Examination	Pass / No. of sittings	Pass rate
22-23 February 2011	MRCPCH Clinical Exam	6/17	35%
12 April 2011	MRCPCH Part II Exam	14/20	70%

Announcement from Membership Committee

The following doctor was recommended to join as Associate of the College.

- 1 SZE Wang Pui

The following doctors were recommended to be Members of the College.

- 1 FU Chun Cheung
- 2 HO Chi Chung Alvin

The following doctors were recommended to be Fellows of the College.

- 1 JALAL Khair
- 2 KU Tak Loi
- 3 PAU Benjamin Chee Kit

Announcement from Education Committee

Paediatric Update Series

The Paediatric Update no. 2 Seminar on Childhood Allergy is scheduled to be held on **Sunday 3rd July 2011** from 2 pm – 5 pm at Hospital Authority Head Office Lecture Theatre. We look forward to your support and participation in this College CME activity. (Appendix 1)

PALS Course 2011

The Paediatric Advanced Life Support course will be held in October this year. It will be in a new format based on the 2010 AHA (American Heart Association) resuscitation guidelines. Detailed information will be announced in the next issue of the College Newsletter.

CME Category A Activities

Listed below are CME Category A activities organized by the HKCPaed, various paediatric societies and institutions, and selected paediatrics-focused topics. For the complete list of Category A activities, including continuous courses, and Category B activities, please refer to the homepage of the HKCPaed.

The accuracy of the information has been checked according to the details submitted by the responsible organizers. The information below is abstracted from the College Web site on 31 May 2011 *Members and fellows are reminded to contact the enquiries listed below for last-minute alterations.*

Jun 2011		
01, 08, 15 Jun	Topic:	Breastfeeding Training Program for Professional Health Care Staff in NTWC
	Venue:	Conference Room (Rm 614, 6/F, ACC, TMH) Conference Room (Rm T9, 9/F, MB, TMH)
	Time:	01 Jun: 14:30 - 16:30 08, 15 Jun: 11:00 - 13:00
	Speaker:	Various
Cat A 2 pts per day	Organizer:	NTW Cluster Clinical Skills Training Centre
	Coordinator:	Mr Charlie Luk
	Enquiry:	Tel 3767 7006 lhl677@ha.org.hk

01 Jun	Topic:	Update on genetics and clinical management of atopic dermatitis
	Venue:	Pearl Ballroom, 2/F, Eaton Smart, Kowloon
	Time:	19:30 - 20:45
	Speaker:	Prof John McGrath Prof Ellis Hon
Cat A 1 pt	Organizer:	Dermatology Research Centre, CUHK
	Coordinator:	Ms Regina Yip
	Enquiry:	Tel 2701 7776 regina@arpeggios.com.hk

04 Jun	Topic:	Combined Symposium on Birth Palsy
	Venue:	Lecture Theatre, 7/F, Blk H, PMH
	Time:	08:30 - 12:20
	Speaker:	Dr Choi Kai Yiu Dr Wu Shun Ping Dr Tse Wing Lim Dr Cheung Ho Man

Cat A 3 pts	Organizer:	Hong Kong Society for Surgery of the Hand
	Coordinator:	Dr Wong Hin Keung
	Enquiry:	Tel 6461 0338 hkwinghk@yahoo.com

04-05 Jun	Topic:	Joint Annual Scientific Meeting 2011 (Child Health)
	Venue:	G/F, Lecture Hall, Blk M, QEH
	Time:	12:30 - 18:15
	Speaker:	Various
Cat A 3 pts per day; Max 6 pts	Organizer:	Hong Kong Paediatric Society
	Coordinator:	Ms Anita Lee
	Enquiry:	Tel 2632 1144

06-10 Jun	Topic:	Diploma Course on Child & Adolescent Mental Health (Attention Deficit / Hyperactivity Disorder)
	Venue:	Lecture Theatre, M Ground, QEH (6, 7 & 10 Jun) Conference Room 1, M Ground, QEH (8 & 9 Jun)
	Time:	19:00 - 22:00
	Speaker:	Various
Cat A 18 pts for whole course	Organizer:	The Hong Kong Paediatric Society and American Academy of Pediatrics
	Coordinator:	Dr William Wong
	Enquiry:	Tel 2578 3832

13 Jun	Topic:	An Update: Language Development and its Disorders
	Venue:	Central Kowloon Child Assessment Centre, 2/F, 147L Argyle Street
	Time:	15:00 - 18:00
	Speaker:	Prof Li-Rong Lilly Cheng Prof Benjamin Tsou
Cat A 3 pts	Organizer:	Child Assessment Service, DH in collaboration with RCLIS, HKIEd
	Coordinator:	
	Enquiry:	Tel 2246 6642
15 Jun	Topic:	Joint Cardiac Conference 2011
	Venue:	Room 2, G/F, Block M, QEH
	Time:	17:00 - 19:00
	Speaker:	Various
Cat A 2 pts	Organizer:	Hong Kong Society of Paediatric Cardiology / Dept of Paediatrics, QEH
	Coordinator:	Dr Dora Wong
	Enquiry:	Tel 2958 6656

20 Jun	Topic:	Open Seminar - Part 2 - Anorexia Nervosa - the Current Management
	Venue:	Lecture Theater & Seminar Room, M Ground, QEH
	Time:	18:30 - 20:30
	Speaker:	Various

Cat A 2 pts	Organizer:	Hong Kong Society for Adolescent Health / Hong Kong Paediatric Nurses Association
	Coordinator:	Dr Lau Ka Fai
	Enquiry:	Tel 2958 6443 info.hksah@gmail.com

21-23 Jun	Topic:	Paediatric Infectious Disease & Immunology Course 2011 - Theme: The Challenges of Fever in Children
	Venue:	8/F, Blk G, PMH
	Time:	21 Jun: 08:45 - 17:30 22 Jun: 08:30 - 17:30 23 Jun: 09:00 - 17:30
	Speaker:	Various
Cat A 5 pts per day; Max 15 pts	Organizer:	HA Infectious Disease Centre, HK / Dept of Paediatric & Adolescent Medicine, PMH / HK Society for Paediatric Immunology & Infectious Diseases
	Coordinator:	Dr Mike Kwan
	Enquiry:	Tel 2990 2872 haidctraining@ha.org.hk

22 Jun	Topic:	10th Symposium of the Hong Kong Society for Paediatric Immunology and Infectious Diseases: Haemolytic Uraemia Syndrome - An Emerging Problem of Invasive Pneumococcal Infection?
	Venue:	8/F, Blk G, PMH
	Time:	12:45 - 14:00
	Speaker:	Prof Chan Chi Fung Godfrey
Cat A 1 pt	Organizer:	Hong Kong Society for Paediatric Immunology & Infectious Diseases
	Coordinator:	Dr Mike Kwan
	Enquiry:	Tel 2990 2872 hkspiid5agm@hotmail.com.hk

23 Jun	Topic:	Neurodevelopmental Conference Update on Hearing Impairment
	Venue:	Lecture Theatre, G/F, Blk M, QEH
	Time:	19:30 - 21:30
	Speaker:	Dr Grace Chan Ms Candice Poon Prof Gladys Tang
Cat A 2 pts	Organizer:	The Hong Kong Society of Child Neurology & Developmental Paediatrics

25 Jun	Topic:	4th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Hong Kong Society for Paediatric Immunology and Infectious Diseases: 1) Bill Marshall Memorial Lecture 2) Roland Levinsky Lecture
	Venue:	Centenary Room, Marco Polo HK Hotel, Harbour City
	Time:	13:30 - 16:45
	Speaker:	1) Prof Philip Brunell 2) Prof Andrew Cant

Cat A 3 pts	Organizer:	Hong Kong Society for Paediatric Immunology & Infectious Diseases
	Coordinator:	Dr Mike Kwan
	Enquiry:	Tel 2990 2872 hkspiid5agm@hotmail.com.hk

July 2011		
20 Jul	Topic:	Combined Obstetric - Paediatric Meeting on Perinatal Mortality / Morbidity and Statistics
	Venue:	Conference Room, Hospital Library, 1/F, Block H, UCH
	Time:	16:30 - 18:00
	Speaker:	TBA
Cat A 2 pts	Organizer:	Dept of Obstetrics & Gynaecology, UCH
	Coordinator:	Ms Cochinna Young
	Enquiry:	Tel 3513 4851

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2011 Paediatric Update No. 2

Childhood Allergy

Date: Sunday, 3 July 2011
Time: 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm
Venue: Hospital Authority Head Office M Floor, Lecture Theatre
Chairman: Dr Sik Nin WONG, Vice President, HK College of Paediatricians
Professor Ting Fan LEUNG, Professor, CUHK / Prince of Wales Hospital

Programme:

- 2:00 – 2:25 **Epidemiology of allergic diseases**
Prof Gary WONG, Professor, CUHK / Prince of Wales Hospital
- 2:25 – 2:50 **Diagnostic approach for food allergy and pearls and pitfalls of different allergy tests**
Dr Marco HO, Associate Consultant, Queen Mary Hospital
- 2:50 – 3:15 **Diagnosis and management of antibiotic allergy**
Dr Pok Yu CHOW, Associate Consultant, Kwong Wah Hospital
- 3:15 – 3:30 **Q & A**
- 3:30 – 4:00 **Tea Break** (Light refreshments will be served)
- 4:00 – 4:25 **Practical management of atopic eczema**
Dr David LUK, Associate Consultant, United Christian Hospital
- 4:25 – 4:50 **Immunotherapy – what a paediatrician should know?**
Prof Ting Fan LEUNG, Professor, CUHK / Prince of Wales Hospital
- 4:50 – 5:00 **Q & A**

All College Fellows, Members & Associates are welcome

CME Credit: Hong Kong College of Paediatricians: 3 points (Category A)
Hong Kong Academy of Medicine MCHK CME Program for Non-Specialists: under application

- 1) **Registration for non-Academy Fellows who wish to claim CME credits under HKAM MCHK CME Program for Non-Specialists**
 - i) Prior registration is required with payment of \$100 by cheque payable to "Hong Kong College of Paediatricians" and sent to the Secretariat of HK College of Paediatricians, Room 801, HK Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Hong Kong not later than **24 June 2011**.
 - ii) On-site registration for MCHK CME is **not** available.
 - iii) Quota is limited to 30 (first come first served).
 - iv) Only fully paid registrants will receive HKAM's MCHK CME credits.

[The above is not applicable to College Fellows, Members, Associates & Invited Guests.]
- 2) **Parking reservations:**
 - i) Please reserve parking with College Secretariat at Fax 27851850 through Unit or Study Group Coordinators not later than **24 June 2011**.
 - ii) Fellows in private practice not belonging to study groups may fax request to College Secretariat at 27851850 for group booking.
 - iii) Individual Fellow may also register for parking by sending an email to enquiry@paediatrician.org.hk, stating his/her name, Fellow Number and vehicle number.
 - iv) The number of parking spaces available is limited.
- 3) **Cancellation Policy:** Seminars will be cancelled when
 - a) HK Observatory has announced that Typhoon signal No. 8 is going to be hoisted.
 - b) HK Observatory has issued Black Rainstorm Warning.