Cochin Ophthalmic Club

July 2025 monthly report

COC Monthly Meeting



Cochin Ophthalmic Club 2023 - 2025

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NOTICE

Dated: 10/07/2025

The next Monthly Meeting of Cochin Ophthalmic Club will be held on Thursday,17th July 2025, 7:30pm at Hotel Holiday Inn.

Agenda:
1. Silent Prayer
2. Presidential remarks
3. Minutes of the previous meeting - Secretary
4. Matters arising out of the minutes
5. Secretary's update of activities
6. Any other matters
7. Vote of thanks by Treasurer.

Scientific session-
Moderated by Dr Neena R
Challenges in customizing Refractive surgeries - Dr Kala B Thottam
Panelists: Dr Davis Akkara, Dr Jacob Mathew and Dr Rohit Georgy

Case presentation: Dr Asha Varghese- Refractive surprise
Discussant: Dr Vinay S Pillai

This meeting is sponsored by Sun Pharma

The meeting will be followed by Fellowship and Dinner.

Dr Ciju Joseph
Secretary,
Cochin Ophthalmic Club



Monthly Meeting of COC was held on Tuesday, 17th July 2025 at Hotel Holiday Inn, Kochi

After the executive meeting, a scientific session was held.



The Scientific Session was moderated by Dr Neena R, with panelists Dr Davis J Akkara, Dr Jacob Mathew and Dr Rohit Georgy.

Talks included:

Challenges in customizing Refractive Surgeries - Dr Kala B Thottam

Case presentation - Dr Asha Varghese

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Phakology CME on July 26 & 27 by Chaithanya Eye Institute

Chaithanya Eye Institute conducted their annual CME on Cataract Surgery at Le Meridien Kochi on July 26 and 27.
The 2-day Phakology CME brought together cataract surgeons from across the country.
From insightful round-table discussions and lovely panel discussions, every segment was crafted to educate and inspire.





Master surgeons delivered keynote lectures and delegates received hands-on training on Phaco and BHex pupil expander surgery from experts with surgical simulators and wetlab eyes. An exciting quiz tested the trivia and clinical acumen of delegates.
The event was a blend of learning and entertainment, underscoring our commitment to eye health innovation and community engagement.



Date: 26 & 27th July 2025
Venue: Le Meridien, Kochi, Kerala

Other Achievements by COC members

Thomas Cherian Won the Best Free paper award (Best of the Bests) at Vision 2020 Annual conference in Ahmedabad for the paper titled ‘Literacy Rates and Gender Discrimination in Health Care: Is there a correlation?’

Dr Abby Aloysius, won 3rd prize in solo light music competition at district level, conducted by IMA in Kothamangalam .
She is also in the group representing Ernakulam at the state level