

Overseas and Australian Medical Graduates Association Newsletter

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This is the second newsletter for 2008.

Welcome to all new members.

The Oamga committee decided to bring 3 news letters per year.

Congratulations to Dr Prajnaya Dugal who has been elected to the AMA committee.

As expected the 2008 budget is very disappointing to General Practice As you aware the E-health programme PIP and immunisation SIPS are a loss for us GPS.

The super clinics will be established soon and there will be more work for solo GPs.

I suggest all Gps write a letter to the Prime Minister voicing our concern.

As you know Burma was hit by cyclone Nargis. OAMGA committee has decided to donate money for Burma's cyclone victims.

Aid effort for cyclone-hit Burma



Make a donation to the victims of Cyclone Nargis inside Burma. Please contact Dr Wu or Dr Malia for donations. (Cash or credit accepted)

Mother's Day Classic

On Sunday the 11th May, Mothers Day, 14 members of OAMGA (10 Men and 4 Women) sacrificed their Sunday Morning celesta siesta and gathered at 8am at Parramatta Park to take part in a 4km walk to raise the funds for breast cancer research. It will be shown on Chandana TV on Sundays at 1.20 pm for three weeks.

- OAMGA's tour de India trip organised by Dr Iyengar, Dr Sawrikar and Dr West. This trip was most enjoyable. The Committee decided that OAMGA should become an affiliate member of UIA.

Forthcoming events include:

- Monthly CME activities (please monitor the OAMGA website)
- UIA Fair (10th august at Olympic Park. Volunteers welcomed)
- OAMGA is organising a medical tour next year between September and October 2009 to Europe. For further enquiries please check on OAMGA website or contact Dr Borkar.
- Fund raising for the cyclone victims in Burma. Cultural Program will be organised by OAMGA to raise money for the victims of Cyclone Nargis.

All member are requested to bring more members into Oamga.

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