

Alumni Association of Faculty of Agriculture University of Peradeniya (AAFAUP)



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Newsletter

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The 21st Annual General Meeting of the AAFAUP was held on 13th November 2015



Inaugurating the AGM.....



The 21st AGM of the AAFAUP is in full swing.....

The AAFAUP, at its 21st AGM held on 13th November 2015 at the Auditorium of the In-Service Training Institute (ISTI) of the Department of Agriculture at Gannoruwa, elected the following office bearers

OFFICE BEARERS AND THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE - AAFAUP 2015/2016

President: Prof. T. Sivananthawerl, **Secretary:** Dr. Janaki Mohotti, **Treasurer:** Mr. S. Periyasamy, **Vice-President:** Dr. Saman Dharmakeerthi, **Assistant Secretary:** Dr. Himel Samaraweera, **Assistant Treasurer:** Mr. Gemunu Jayasundara, **Social Secretary:** Mr. Nihal Chandrasiri, **Editor:** Prof. Buddhi Marambe, **Committee Members:** Dr. Hemal Fonseka, Prof. Pradeepa Silva, Mr. Neel Chandrasekara, Mr. Chirantha Rajapakse, Mr. Chandrasoma Peiris

Distinguished ALUMNI Award.....



Mr. NKH Rupasinghe, Director General of the Department of Export Agriculture receiving his plaque from Prof. K Samarasinghe (Dean, Faculty of Agriculture)



Mr. Priyantha Rathnayake, Director General of the Department of External Resources receiving his plaque from Prof. K Samarasinghe (Dean, Faculty of Agriculture)

Fellowship followed the 21st AGM Networking, Relaxing.....

The AGM was followed by a fellowship dinner held at the premises of the In-Service Training Institute at Gannoruwa. A large gathering of members of AAFAUP and their families were present at the event.



Alumni in Action

Annual Inter-Batches Cricket Tournament

The AAFAUP successfully conducted an Inter-Batches Softball Cricket tournament for the “AAFAUP President’s Challenge Cup” on 12th March 2016 at the ISTI Gannoruwa. More than 150 members of AAFAUP and their families participated at the event.



Playing the game



Masterminding the game



Champions



Best Fielder



Best Batsman



Best Bowler

Social Service – Dental Camp and Donation of Books to School Library

A Dental Camp was held on the 2nd February 2016 for the school children of Gonadika Sinhala Demala Maha Vidyalaya, Welamboda, located in a rural village. The Dental Surgeons from Matale and Kandy regions in their mobile dental units inspected and treated approximately 300 children of the above school.



Two staff members from the Faculty of Dental Sciences, UOP, made presentations on oral health care. Several AAFAUP members including those in the Executive Committee participated at the event.



Fund Raising Activity – Export Quality Garment Sale

A sale of export quality garments as a fund raising activity for the Alumni Association was held on the 23rd and 24th of March 2016, at the Administrative Building of the Faculty of Agriculture.

A large choice of various export quality garments (ladies, gents & children) were on sale. The Patron of AAFAUP, Dean of Faculty of Agriculture, was the special guest of the event.



Annual Trip

The Annual Trip of the AAFAUP was made to Jaffna on 12th to 14th January 2017. More than 60 members with their families joined the trip. Messrs A. Baur & Co. financially supported the annual trip where the members of the AAFAUP also served as resource persons of a training program on agriculture conducted to farmers and field officers in agriculture in Jaffna, on 13th January.



Educational



Fun-filled



AAFAUP SECRETARIAT

The Registered Office of the AAFAUP (Reg. No. 0253) is located at the following address. All queries related to AAFAUP should be directed the registered office, which will be opened on weekdays from 8.00 am to 4.00 pm.

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