



Notices

British Facial & Audiological Implant Group Inaugural Meeting

Birmingham, 5 March 1993

This inaugural meeting is being held to establish an interdisciplinary group for the users of extra-oral osseointegrated implants. A lecture session on current applications of osseointegration in facial and audiological rehabilitation will be followed by a business session to establish this national group. The meeting will be held at Woodlands Hospital, Birmingham.

Fee: £10 For further details please contact: Mr M. J. Deadman, Maxillofacial Dept, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham B15 2TH. Tel: 021 627 2303. Fax: 021 627 2302.

The Canniesburn Practical Course on the Use of Flaps in Reconstructive Plastic Surgery in conjunction with The Anatomy Department, University of Glasgow

Glasgow, 22-26 March 1993

The course will consist of practical anatomical dissections, lectures, demonstrations and panel discussions covering a variety of reconstructive techniques including skin flaps, fascial flaps, muscle flaps, musculocutaneous flaps and free tissue transfer. The emphasis will be on the surgical anatomy and technical aspects of raising and using flaps in various parts of the body.

Participation is limited to 40 people and the course fee will be £550 not including accommodation, which will be available on application.

Further details and application forms may be obtained from David S. Soutar, FRCS, Consultant Plastic Surgeon, West of Scotland Regional Plastic & Oral Surgery Unit, Canniesburn Hospital, Bearsden, Glasgow G61 1QL.

International Society for Prosthetics and Orthotics UK National Member Society Annual Scientific Meeting

Swansea, 31 March-2 April 1993

Free Papers and Clinical Notes.

Submissions for both types of presentation are invited.

Invited Speakers. Papers have been invited on:

- Major Bone Replacement - An alternative to Amputation Surgery?
- Instrumental Measurements of the Foot
- Post Traumatic Stress Disorder

Special Topic Sessions will be on:

- Symes and Partial Foot Prosthetics
- Knee Orthotics
- Management of Pressure on Anaesthetic/At Risk Skin

Exhibition. There will be a full commercial exhibition and facilities for scientific and poster displays.

To be held at University College of Swansea.

Further information from: Mr D. Simpson, ISPO Swansea 1993, NCTEPO, Curran Building, 131 St James' Rd, Glasgow, G4 0LS, UK. Tel: 041-552 4400.

Third European Congress of Surgery 'Eurosurgery '93'

London, 15-17 September 1993

This large meeting is organised by the Royal College of Surgeons of England in collaboration with the National Surgical Societies of 24 European countries. An extensive and comprehensive programme will be organised, including a range of plastic surgical topics.

Themes for major sessions feature multidisciplinary management in surgical practice and include trauma, craniofacial surgery, endoscopic techniques, day case surgery, surgical training and joint replacement.

For further details, contact: Mr M. N. Saad, FRCS, The Plastic Surgery Organiser, The Congress Secretariat, Conference Associates and Services Limited Eurosurgery '93, Congress House, 55 New Cavendish Street, London W1M 7RE, UK.

British Association of Plastic Surgeons Advanced Courses in Plastic Surgery

Sheffield, 20-21 September 1993

Cleft Lip and Palate; The Nose: Reconstruction and Aesthetic. The above meeting is the fourth in a series of twelve of the fifth series of the Advanced Course in Plastic Surgery. Further details about the programme, fees, and other meetings in the series can be obtained from Mrs H. C. Roberts, Administrative Secretary, British Association of Plastic Surgeons, 35-43 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PN.

Tel: 071 831 5161/2. Fax: 071 831 4041

Aesthetic Rhinoplasty Course: M. Eugene Tardy, Jr, MD, FACS (Chicago) and Gilbert Aiach, MD (Paris)

Paris, France, 13-14 May 1993

Simultaneous translation available.

The course will include numerous lectures and videos covering areas of rhinoplasty techniques including: closed and open rhinoplasty; cartilaginous and bony grafting techniques; septal surgery; twisted nose; secondary rhinoplasty; middle vault problems; aesthetic procedures adapted to aesthetic rhinoplasty. An important part of the course will be reserved for discussion with the participants.

For further information, please contact: Ghislaine Noack, Dr. Aiach's Secretariat, 76, avenue Raymond Poincaré, 75116, Paris, France. Tel: 33 1 45 53 57 57 Fax: 33 1 47 55 18 60.

Clinica Planas**Tenth International Course on Plastic and Aesthetic Surgery**

Barcelona, 16–19 June 1993

For further information, please contact: Secretariat, Clinica Planas, Pere II de Montcada, 16–18 (Pedralbes), 08034 Barcelona, Spain. Tel: (3) 203 28 12 Fax: (3) 205 70 18.

First Joint Meeting of the European Tissue Repair Society and the Wound Healing Society

Amsterdam, 22–25 August, 1993

Topics will include the following:

Growth factors, hormones and cytokines; foetal wound healing; physiological and pathological repair processes in nerves, bone and cartilage, intestines, skin, cardiovascular system and major internal organs; evaluation methods of wound healing; surgical procedures in wound healing; epidemiology, pathophysiology and drug therapy in diseases with defective tissue repair; new developments in tissue and organ substitutes.

For further information, please contact Dr H. J. C. de Vries, Congress Secretary, Congress Office, Bureau PAOG-Amsterdam, Tafelbergweg 25, 1105 BC Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Tel: 31 20 566 4801. Fax: 31 20 696 3228

42nd National Congress of the Italian Society of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery

Villa Mansi, Lucca, Italy, 5–8 October 1993

The provisional programme consists of round tables and free papers on: the orbit; alloplastic materials, the nose; burns. Accommodation details and registration forms will be sent out by the end of January 1993. For further information,

please contact: A. Morelli, Divisione di Chirurgia Plastica, Ospedale di Lucca USL no. 6, Italy. Tel: 0583 970465/6. Fax: 0583 970464.

XX Annual International Symposium on Aesthetic Plastic Surgery

Medical Society of the Jalisco Institute for Reconstructive Plastic Surgery and the Division of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery of the University of Guadalajara Graduate School.

Jalisco, Mexico, 9–13 November 1993

Venue: Hyatt Regency Hotel of Guadalajara, Jalisco. The symposium will focus on the most advanced surgical techniques in aesthetic and reconstructive breast surgery. English-Spanish simultaneous translation will be available. Key note speaker will be Blair O. Rogers, MD.

For further information, please contact: Dr José Guerrero-santos, Course Chairman, Garibaldi 1793, Guadalajara, Jalisco, México 44680. Tel: 523 630 1946 Fax: 523 616 7118.

Errata

The publishers wish to apologise for the following inaccuracies which appeared in volume 46 No. 1 January 1993.

A Computer-aided method of measuring nasal symmetry in the cleft lip nose. B. A. Coghlan, J. K. G. Laitung and R. W. Pigott **46**, 13

A comparison of computer versus panel assessment of two groups of patients with cleft lip and palate. J. K. G. Laitung, B. A. Coghlan and R. W. Pigott **46**, 18.

J. K. G. Laitung qualifications should read **ChM, FRCS (Ed)** not **CLM, FRCS (Ed)**.

Any references to articles on pages 1–21 within the text of each should be dated 1993 not 1992.