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SLENDO 2019

SRI LANKA TO HOST ENDOCRINOLOGY SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

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The Sri Lanka College of Endocrinologists (SLCE) together with the South Asian Federation of Endocrine Societies (SAFES) and the International Society of Endocrinology (ISE) will be hosting Sri Lanka Endocrine- "SLENDO 2019" from August 1 to 3 in Colombo.

The Sri Lanka College of Endocrinologists (SLCE) is the epic body of the Endocrinologists in Sri Lanka. Endocrinologists are qualified to diagnose and treat disorders of the endocrine gland and hormone. Endocrinologists have the training to diagnose and treat hormone imbalances and problems by helping to restore the normal balance of hormones in the body. The common diseases and disorders of the endocrine system that Endocrinologists deal with include Diabetes Mellitus, bone disorders, pituitary, adrenal and Thyroid disorders. There are nearly 20 board certified Consultant Endocrinologists in Sri Lanka. The President of the SLCE is Dr. Charles Anthonypillai, Secretary is Dr. (Ms) Kamani Liyanarachchi, Treasurer is Dr.



(Ms) Samanthi Coorey and Editor is Dr. (Ms) Dharshini Karuppiah. Eminent Endocrinologist, Dr. Noel Somasundaram is also the President of the South Asian Federation of Endocrine Societies (SAFES). This is one of the biggest endocrinology scientific sessions held in Asia. "In spite of the fact that the recent terrorist attacks and travel ban, the SLCE has ensured fullest participation with 1500 delegates, which is well beyond out target," Dr. Samanthi Coorey said.

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World Cup Cricket - 2019 Chandran Ratnum bats for CLIMATE CHANGE

Award-winning Movie Director, Chandran Ratnum took off from his busy schedule to plant trees with his daughter, Danara at the Sri Lanka Foundation Institute premises recently. This Tree Planting Programme is designed to create an awareness on climate change and counter same with tree planting. Chandran was of the opinion that all parents should educate their children on the pending disaster - global warming, and take appropriate action to mitigate the problem and if not the future generation will pay a heavy price for our negligence.



Chandran wanted to promote the concept through his friends, social media, and movie industry to plant trees as much as possible in Sri Lanka

Cricket is the most popular game in Sri Lanka and the World Cup Cricket

Tournament will be an ideal platform to take this message to the public. Green through Cricket will plant 10 trees per every World Cup run scored at the Tournament and the organisers do hope to take the message to the other World Cup Cricketing countries. The President's Counsel, Mr. Sarath Kongahage was the Chief Guest and Roshan Mahanama represented the Sri Lankan Cricketing Community. Chandran wanted to promote the concept through his friends, social media, and movie industry to plant trees as much as possible in Sri Lanka.

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