

MAY 24, 2009

THE COUNTDOWN HAS BEGUN!!!!! 6 more weeks to go. We are Excited

ARE YOU READY for the magic to begin?

Registration Update

Please register before

May 29th, 2009 to save on

registration fees.

Singles Meet:

Sign up at

www.vpamatch.com

Check out Youth Forum on FACEBOOK

Group:

2009 VPA Youth Forum

Parents, Please forward this to your Kids so that they can check this out. Not Allowed on Facebook Send an email to:

withoutmetaphor@gmail.com

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VPA 11 E-Newsletter

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THE 11th VPA National Convention 2009 Presents

"CME Program for Physicians"

Day, Date and Time:

Friday, 3rd July 2009, 2-5 PM

Venue:

Hilton Post Oak, Houston

Moderator: Vasu Bommanna MD, Chair, CME Committee

Introduction and Declaring open CME Program

2-3 PM: Key Note Speaker:

"Metabolic Syndrome in South East Asians"

Dr. Alok Kalia, Clinical Professor, UTMB, Galveston

3-4 PM

" New concepts in the management of the peripheral

vascular patient"

Dr. Imran Mohiuddin, Clinical Assistant Professor

Weil Cornell Medical College, Houston

4-5 PM

"Approach to evaluation of Kidney Disease"

Dr. Shivaiah Balachandra, Assistant Professor,

UTMB,

Galveston

Note: CME accreditation provided through University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston (UTMB)

CME Committee:

Vasu Bommanna MD, Chair Shiva Satish MD, Co-Chair Shivaiah Balachandra MD, Member Ramegowda MD, Member

We are dedicating our magazine to

SRI.K.P.POORNA CHANDRA

TEJASWI

He had a distinguished style of writing that heralded a new era in Kannada Literature.

Our Art Editor is busy designing our cover page.

We would love your input!

SEND IN YOUR Stories, Articles, Humor, Poems to

conventionchair@yahoo.com.

Book your air tickets now!!

Houston is hosting other major conventions that weekend.

We will keep an eye for deals

INTRODUCING OUR HONORED GUEST



He is a known for his distinctive form of comedy on stage through mime and dance associated with songs. His cricket commentary and imitation of Michael Jackson dance's are the most popular stage gigs.

He has given more than 1000 shows. And he has been in the field for more than 18 years. A very popular T.V and film artist has his base from theater. He is one of the few actors who can sing and use their body language to communicate comedy very affectively

GET READY FOR HOURS OF COMEDY.

Here's a NEWS FLASH

\$39-\$99, Summer Fare Wars from Houston

HOUSTON--MAY 15, 2009-- American, Continental, Delta, US Airways and other airlines have recently launched sales on summer flights from Houston. These sale fares have been cut to lows of \$39-\$99 each way for travel through August -- including flights to the East and West Coast.

In many cases, these fares represent a savings of over 50% compared to prices from last summer.

Click below to see a list of sample fares, and to search multiple sites at once with Travelzoo's SuperSearch: http://supersearch.travelzoo.com/?cp=H&catid=1310&origin=IAH

Happy Travels!

Voted to be <u>Responsible</u> for decorating our convention location. Presenting our decoration committee.

Our Decoration Chair Says "Hello All, I am Veena Vasudev and I live in the Houston suburb of Sugar Land with my husband. Vasudev Rommanna and two daughters, Pooia and Sanjana, I have a Master's degree in

Electrical Engg., though now, I assist in managing my husband's medical office. Although still a novice at playing the sitar, I find playing it in my spare time is incredibly relaxing. I invite you all to come on down to Houston this July, to keep the connection to our ancestral roots alive, especially amongst our children!"

Our Decoration Co-Chair Says' Howdy friends, This is Asha Satish inviting you all to Houston, Texas for a warm and wonderful get together. Please come with your family and friends and experience the Houston hospitality in a big Texas way. Houston is a city bubbling with multiple cultures, filled with fascinating arts and entertainment, mouth watering Texas cuisine, and warm and cozy weather you can play outside all year long. I came here 15 years ago reluctantly, but now I don't want live anywhere else. I am enjoying my life with my two lovely boys Siddarth (11 years) and Amruth (8 years) and my wonderful husband Shiva Satish. My favorite things are Yoga and Painting. Please come and share your stories with us. Looking forward to seeing you soon, until then adios amigos

Check out their handiwork at the UPCOMING convention!!!!!!!!

We will be back with more soon.

***Newsletter compiled by Roopa Gowda Please send your thoughts & suggestions to conventionchair@yahoo.com