NEW EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ELECTED

At a well attended Annual General Meeting of the Ophthalmological Society of Nigeria (OSN) held at the Orchid Hotel Asaba, Delta state, on Wednesday, 28th August 2013, the OSN elected its new Executive council members to run the affairs of the society for the next two years. The members of the new council are as follows:

- Prof. SNN Nwosu – President
- Dr. Ayobade Ogundipe – Vice President
- Dr. Roseline Duke – Secretary General

Others are:
- Dr. Yinka Ologunsua – Financial Secretary
- Dr. Chinyere Pedro-Egbe – Treasurer
- Dr. Jeff Ajewole – Public Relations officer
- Dr. Chris Onunkwor – Assistant Secretary

General OSN Newsletter congratulates the members and wishes them a successful tenure.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL SETS UP COMMITTEES

The OSN Executive council has started on a good note with far reaching decisions with a view to repositioning our dear association, the Ophthalmological Society of Nigeria. For instance, various strategic committees have been set up by the council.

The committees are:
- Advocacy
- Ophthalmic Education and Training
- Inter-professional bodies
- Research and Scientific
- Ethics
- Equipment
- Hospital and Outreach
- Welfare

The chairmen and members of each of the strategic committees are listed in the tables overleaf.

OSN Newsletter wishes the committees well in their mandate to take our Society to greater heights.
Overseas Editorial advisers - Dr. Gbemi Oworu (UK), Prof. Ian Murdock (UK), Prof. Tony Murray (South Africa), Prof. Robert Ritch (USA), Prof. Mitsuru Sawa (Japan), Prof. Robert Casson (Australia)

Other members of the editorial board are to be chosen as representatives of the various subspecialty groups: ocular oncology, paediatric ophthalmology, vitreo-retina, glaucoma, public health ophthalmology, anterior segment/comprehensive ophthalmology, oculo-plastics, Neuro-ophthalmology, ocular immunology.

OSN Newsletter congratulate these appointees and wishes them the best in their efforts to elevate the NJO.
The next conference of the Ophthalmological society of Nigeria is to be hosted in the ancient city of Ibadan. The LOC Chairman is Dr BGK Ajayi. The proposed theme is Universal Eye Health. It promises to be a very rewarding experience. Do prepare to make it a date!

OSN ZONAL REPRESENTATIVES

APPOINTED BY EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

The Executive council of OSN has appointed Zonal representatives who have been given a mandate to improve OSN membership drive, update membership directories, and ensure that members feel the impact of OSN at the zonal level. The zones and their representatives are as follows:

Lagos zone- Dr Modupe Idris;

Oyo zone (Ibadan, Osun, Ondo)- Dr (Mrs) Ayorinde;
Abuja zone- Dr M. Yoloye;
Kwara zone- Dr Dupe Ademola-Popoola;
South-South/South-East zone- Dr (Mrs) Ada Aghaji;
North-West zone (Kaduna, Kano, Sokoto, Zamfara)- Dr Rafindadi;
North-East/North-Central zone- Prof. Caleb Mpyet;
Edo/Delta zone- Dr Ejegi.

OSN NEWSLETTER WISHES ALL MEMBERS

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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A HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!