

QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

PRIS Newsletter 2020-1

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PRIS Highlights**Message from PRIS President**

Dear Members,

I am very sure everyone of us is affected by the action of "Circuit Breaker" to fight against the highly infectious COVID-19 virus. PRIS AGM and social events have also to be postponed till further notice.

However, life still needs to go on and our working committee (2019) will continue to hold our monthly meeting by internet and ensure PRIS is still in operation.

We might still have chance to run the PRIS-SPCLS Training Course at end of 2020 if the situation gets better in July. We will update you when more information is available.

In the meanwhile, let's use this crisis as an opportunity to have more dialogues and sharing of ideas and I wish to encourage you to post to (SecretarySupport@pris.org.sg) your suggestions on how PRIS can improve further and please let me know if you wish to help up the operation of PRIS.

Thank you for your support to PRIS and we sure can get better after this crisis.

Yours sincerely

Golf Day Events

Our social committee has organized 2 golf events at Bukit Batok Golf range, one was on 22 November 2019 and another one on 10 Jan 2020. Our Ex-Officio Member, Dr Zhao conducted golf trainings to our participants. The participants learnt how to choose the right club (not "golf stick") and hit the golf ball correctly.

It looks simple but ends up most of the "fresh man" missed the golf ball when we swung the club and took us some time to



catch hold of "sense" of swing the club correctly and hit the golf ball at the right angle. You can imagine how we felt once we saw our golf ball flying high and far. So, come and join us next golf day event.

Your contributions are appreciated:

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Thank You.

PRIS-SPCLS Training workshop

On 5th and 6th Dec 2019, PRIS and Singapore Polytechnic School of Chemical & Life Science (SP-CLS) had jointly organized the third run (we had one in April 2019) training course on Applied Polymer Material Technologies and Processing Techniques Training.



Top: Dr Zhao giving the first session of training after the safety briefing section.



Left: Participants are concentrating on learning the extrusion operation from training instructor (in white shirt), Mr. Tan Peng Saw, SP.

PRIS Journal

PRIS is planning to publish the Volume 18 of PRIS journal and welcome all members to contribute papers on their research and development works.

Please send your write-up to Dr Hong at publication@pris.org.sg

Renewal of Membership

We have entered a new financial year; the membership renewal has been sent to all members. We need your continue support at this difficult time. Please renew your membership as soon as possible. A big **Thank You** for those who have already done so! Together let's make PRIS a more attractive society for networking, information sharing and technology learning.

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