

Society News

Our Past President

Air Marshal MS Boparai, AVSM, PHS, our former President, has retired from active service after a brilliant career spanning well over three decades. While wishing him and his family a very happy retired life, the Society looks forward to his continued guidance.

Promotions

We congratulate the following members on their recent promotions :-

Air Vice Marshal Kuldip Rai : AVM Kuldip Rai was our immediate past Chief Editor and a Fellow of the Society. He is posted as Principal Medical Officer at Training Command, Indian Air Force. Our special congratulations to him.

Other members who were recently promoted are :-

- AVM JP Mittal
- AVM SK Adaval, VSM
- Air Cmde KK Mishra
- Wg Cdr SS Panda
- Wg Cdr S Choudhary
- Wg Cdr R Kapur
- Wg Cdr R Chandola
- Wg Cdr P Diwan
- Sqn Ldr R Ravi
- Sqn Ldr DK Joshi
- Sqn Ldr T Roy
- Sqn Ldr A Gupta
- Sqn Ldr Sanjeev Saxena
- Sqn Ldr Arvind Joshi
- Sqn Ldr VB Bhatt
- Sqn Ldr NB Rao
- Sqn Ldr P Lakshminarayan
- Sqn Ldr JC Sharma
- Sqn Ldr (Mrs) Anjali Bugga
- Flt Lt (Mrs) Ranjan Bharthi

- Flt Lt (Miss) Shiva Priya Eswaran
- Flt Lt (Miss) Rittam Singh
- Flt Lt Gurdeep Singh

Retirement/Release

Air Marshal DP Sarker, DGAFMS (Hospital Services) and Officiating DGMS (Air) has retired from active service. We wish him a very happy retired life and hope that he will continue to guide us in the near future.

The members who have retired from active service, are as under :-

- AVM B Gandhi, VSM
- Gp Capt KP Singh
- Wg Cdr PP Aggarwal
- Wg Cdr A Joseph
- Wg Cdr Bhupinder Singh
- Wg Cdr PC Prasad
- Wg Cdr GS Gandhi

The following members have been released from active service :-

- Sqn Ldr RP Gupta
- Flt Lt SK Patra
- Flt Lt R Bhandaru

We wish them all the very best and hope that their active association with the Society will continue.

New Chief Editor of the Journal

Air Commodore SC Luthra, who has recently been appointed as Commandant of IAM, IAF, Bangalore is our new Chief Editor. He is a Preventive Medicine Specialist for the last 25 years. He has held many staff appointments at Air HQ and Command HQs besides being reader in the Department of Preventive and Social Medicine at AFMC, Pune.