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Note from the Editor

The Association's most recent financial report, updates about the 15th ICP and a list of recent publications on paratuberculosis make up this edition of the newsletter.

Best wishes,

Kumi de Silva



Covid 19 update for 15th ICP

The organisers of International Association for Paratuberculosis Colloquium 2020 wish to reassure all attendees that we are closely monitoring the situation with regard to COVID-19 and are taking advice from the relevant healthcare authorities. The event will go ahead as planned and will be organised in line with the guidelines we receive from the relevant healthcare authorities. For the latest information about Covid-19, please see the following websites which are being updated daily:

- HSE website re Covid-19 <https://www2.hse.ie/conditions/coronavirus.html>
- HPSC website which is updated at 1pm daily <https://www.hpsc.ie/a-z/respiratory/coronavirus/novelcoronavirus/>
- Department of Health <https://www.gov.ie/en/news/e58285-the-novel-coronavirus-2019-ncov/>

IAP Business**International Association for Paratuberculosis**

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Financial Report- December 31, 2019

	Checking	Money Market	PayPal	Total
Open (1/1/19)	\$27,791.81	\$14,329.31	\$ 3,883.26	\$ 46,004.38
Q2 (6/30/19)	\$34,791.81	\$14,343.66	\$ 113.30	\$ 49,248.77
Close (12/31/19)	\$34,875.81	\$14,347.28	\$ 2,582.83	\$ 51,805.92

INCOME

	<u>1/1/19 to 6/30/19</u>	<u>7/1/19 to 12/31/19</u>	<u>Annual Total</u>
Dues	\$ 3,385.00	\$ 2,650.00	\$ 6,035.00
Interest	\$ 3.55	\$ 3.62	\$ 7.17
Royalties	\$ 10.80	\$. 35.00	\$. 45.80
Total	\$ 3399.35	\$ 2,688.62	\$ 6,087.97

EXPENSES

	<u>1/1/19 to 6/30/19</u>	<u>7/1/19 to 12/31/19</u>	<u>Annual Total</u>
PayPal /Wire fees	\$ 154.96	\$ 131.47	\$ 286.43
Total	\$ 154.96	\$ 131.47	\$ 286.43

Respectfully Submitted,

Raymond W. Sweeney, VMD
Secretary-Treasurer



15th International Colloquium for Paratuberculosis

14th – 18th June 2020

Céad Míle Fáilte
(one hundred thousand welcomes)



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The ICP 2020 Committee invites you to the 15th IAP Colloquium in Dublin, Ireland in June 2020. Delegates attending the conference can be assured of a productive and memorable colloquium, discover Irish heritage, culture and music and of course, experience the world renowned hospitality of Ireland.

Registration Details

Registration opens: 29th November 2019

Early Registration deadline: 27th March 2020

Online Registration closes: 5th June 2020

Registration fees

	Early Bird	Standard	On-site
Member	€495	€595	€695
Non Member	€595	€695	€795
Student	€395	€450	€495
Low to Middle Income countries	€395	€450	€495

The registration fee includes:

- ❖ Admission to all sessions and the exhibition
- ❖ Conference materials
- ❖ Tea, coffee and lunches throughout the conference
- ❖ Admission to the Welcome Reception in EPIC Immigration Museum on Sunday the 14th June
- ❖ 2020

Social Programme

Welcome Reception

Sunday, 14th June at 19.30

EPIC Irish Emigration Museum, CHQ Building



We have an immersive and unforgettable evening planned in EPIC, The Irish Emigration Museum. The influence the Irish have had around the globe is impressive. EPIC tells the dramatic story of the people who have left the island of Ireland, how these people spread around the globe and how they influenced and shaped the world. Attendance to welcome reception is included in your registration fee and includes a 45 minute guided tours of the museum along with canapes and a drinks reception.

Excursion to the Orchard Centre, Wicklow

Tuesday, 16th June at 13:00

€40 per person



The half day excursion to the Orchard Centre gives delegates the opportunity to learn more about the history and heritage of the Hayden Family farm, the production of Baileys and more! Places to be booked in advance of the conference through the registration link.

Gala Dinner

Wednesday, 17th June at 19:30

Law Society of Ireland, Blackhall Place

€50 per person



Delegates attending the Gala Dinner can be assured of an unforgettable evening of excellent food, fine wine, and an evening of cultural entertainment that only Dublin can offer! Tickets to be booked in advance of the conference through the registration link.

For more information and to book your registration visit www.ICPDublin.com

Paratuberculosis News

The [Kampala Dispatch](#) reported that Makerere University and collaborators are trying to find solutions to prevent further spread of paratuberculosis amongst communities in Africa.

Upcoming events

7th International Conference on *Mycobacterium bovis* 8-11 June
Galway, Ireland



15th ICP 14-18 June 2020
Dublin, Ireland



World Buiatrics Congress 2020 on 27 Sept-1 Oct 2020
Madrid, Spain





[16th International Symposium of Veterinary Epidemiology and Economics](#)

9-13 Aug 2021 Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

16th ICP 2022 Jaipur, India

Recent publications to March 2020

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