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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ and HAPPY NEW YEAR 2019 from Stedfast Kuala Lumpur!

Last year, 2018 was a busy and tough year for us especially in sorting out some important administrative matters. Well, that's all behind us now and it is good to be back. Our major events last year were :

- (a) Annual SAKL Scholarships for our BB members who are pursuing their tertiary education either at Public or Private Higher Institutions in the country
- (b) our 2 sessions (Morning & Afternoon) 21st Stedfast-Nozomi Golf Tournament at the prestigious Templer Park Golf & Country Club. This was the second year where all the green fees were fully sponsored by Nozomi Marketing Sdn Bhd and we want to specially thank Bro Bernard Chong for his unwavering support. Our appreciation also goes to evergreen bro Danny Cheah, Volunteers, Sponsors & Golfers.
- (c) The 23rd Boys' Brigade National Pesta was organized by KL State BB and we, SAKL played major roles either in manpower, expertise or finance.



For this year, we are looking forward to the :

- (a) 24th Annual General Meeting on Saturday, 13th April, 2019
- (b) 22nd STEDFAST-NOZOMI Golf Tournament on 8th August, 2019 were this is still our ONLY source of fund raising annually.
- (c) 7th Stedfast Games (SA) which will be hosted and organized by Kuching Stedfast Association from 13th to 16th September, 2019.
- (d) BB Founder's Day Dinner on Saturday 5th October, 2019.

On the other fronts, we have continued to support the Hyams Family, Grace Dialysis Centre, Methodist Boys' School KL, Wesley Methodist Church KL, our own Stedfast Scholarship programme and most importantly, we have never failed to support KL and Selangor State Boys' Brigade. Other needy appeals were also considered on a case to case basis.

Please do read through this newsletter and I am sure it will be filled with photos which will bring back the good memories for those who have been active members. And in the light of our busy schedules, we just want to thank our Almighty God for His presence and blessings that we are able to see through 2018. As we move into 2019, we want to recommit our Stedfast Association and our 2019 Programmes into God's hands for "God will make a Way where there seems to be NO way". Believe it and let's march forward together, to be "Sure and Stedfast" in this God's Ministry called Stedfast Association Kuala Lumpur.

To God be the Glory and Praise.

MICHAEL YEI.



Words of Encouragement from our Chaplain Pastor Pax Tan

Go For It ! Go in the Confidence of the Lord !

“ For God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control “ 2Tim 1 : 7

We are to live a full life of meaning and adventure. We are created in the image of God. God has placed us where we are to do His will , to carry out greater works, for God , for others and for ourselves.

When you wake up in the morning, before you reach for your handphone or mobile, seek the Lord first, say “ Good Morning to Him “, pray, picture Jesus... just be still, even lying from your sleep and commit the day to Jesus. Trust in the Lord to guide and bless your day, your work, your plans, your loved ones....

Be bold, be courageous, do not be afraid. Face the day, knowing you are not alone, you can depend on God presence and His protection. If you are going into the office, or lecture hall or your client’s place, be prepared , the Lord goes before and will be with you, trust in Him..... speak clearly, listen attentively, act justly, show mercy and be humble before the Lord.

You are an Ambassador of Christ, not just an office worker, or an employee or a wage earner, or a businessman or contractor.....stand tall, think big, feel strong – you are representing the Lord Almighty; He is backing you up, he is your reservoir and Jesus is your Sifu. You can do greater things, you can do the right thing, God will help you.

“ Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving “ - Colossians 3 : 23,24

Jesus , when he walked on this earth, was always facing the everyday challenges of normal life. Yes, dealing with people from all walks of life. It was tough and varied, there were many expectations, never ending demands. He faced it on, with love and service, quoting from Scripture, calling upon and relying on God. Follow Jesus, he has promised to be with us, to give us courage and strength to face life and work every day. Be bold! We can be victorious through God’s strength.

“ And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. “ – Colossians 3 : 17



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2019 STEDFAST PROGRAMMES

FEBRUARY

- 20 - 08th Exco Meeting
- 17 - BB-KL State AGM @ Seremban

MARCH

- 13 - 09th Exco Meeting
- Mac/Apr - SAKL Scholarship Application Opening for Private sector.
Closing Date: One month after the release of SPM or STPM results

APRIL

- 13 - 10th Exco Meeting
- 13 - 24th SAKL Annual General Meeting
- 26-28 - Brigade Council Meeting @ Ipoh
- Apr - SAKL Scholarship Interviews for Private Universities/College Applicants

MAY

- 08 - 11th Exco Meeting

JUNE

- 12 - 12th Exco Meeting

JULY

- 06 - BB-KUL Games
- 10 - 13th Exco Meeting

AUGUST

- 07 - 14th Exco Meeting
- 08 - 22nd Stedfast-Nozomi Golf Tournament
- 24 - BB-KL Founder Day Run
- Aug/Sept - SAKL Scholarship Application Opening for Private sector
Closing Date: One month after the release of UPU results

SEPTEMBER

- 11 - 15th Exco Meeting
- 13-16 - 7th SAKL Games @ Kuching
- Sept - SAKL Scholarship Interview for Public Universities Applicants.

OCTOBER

- 05 - SAKL BB Founder's Day Dinner
- 09 - 16th Exco Meeting

NOVEMBER

- 02 - BB-KL Founder's Day & KL State Drill Competition
- 13 - 17th Exco Meeting



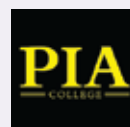
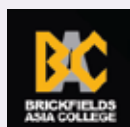

Scholarship Recipients

Recipients	Course	College/University
Chew Li Chin 18 th Penang Company	ACCA	Sentral College Penang
Melvin Sia Lun 14 th Penang Company	BSc Computing	SEGI College Penang
Lydian Yu Nuo Barker 10 th Kuala Lumpur Company	Bachelor of Education in TESL	HELP University
Steven Wong Zhu Liang 1 st Kuala Lumpur Company	CAT Programme	Methodist College Kuala Lumpur
Fong Yan Xiang 2 nd Subang Jaya Company	A Level	Methodist College Kuala Lumpur
Tan Chee Siang 14 th Penang Company	Diploma in Interior Design	Equator College Penang
Ooi Ming Shern 18 th Penang Company	ACCA	Sentral College Penang
Daniel Lim Zhu Yi 3 rd Kajang Company	ACCA	Methodist College Kuala Lumpur
Eugenia Chuah Ann Teen 1 st Kuala Lumpur Company	Bachelor in Corporate Communication	UTAR
Ng Wei Loon 18 th Penang Company	Degree in Social Science Majoring in Economics	University Sains Malaysia
Mugilan a/l Ravi 2 nd Penang Company	Degree in Applied Science (Biology)	Universiti Sains Malaysia
Lim Yong Fu 3 rd Butterworth Company	BSc Economics (Hons)	Universiti Utara Malaysia



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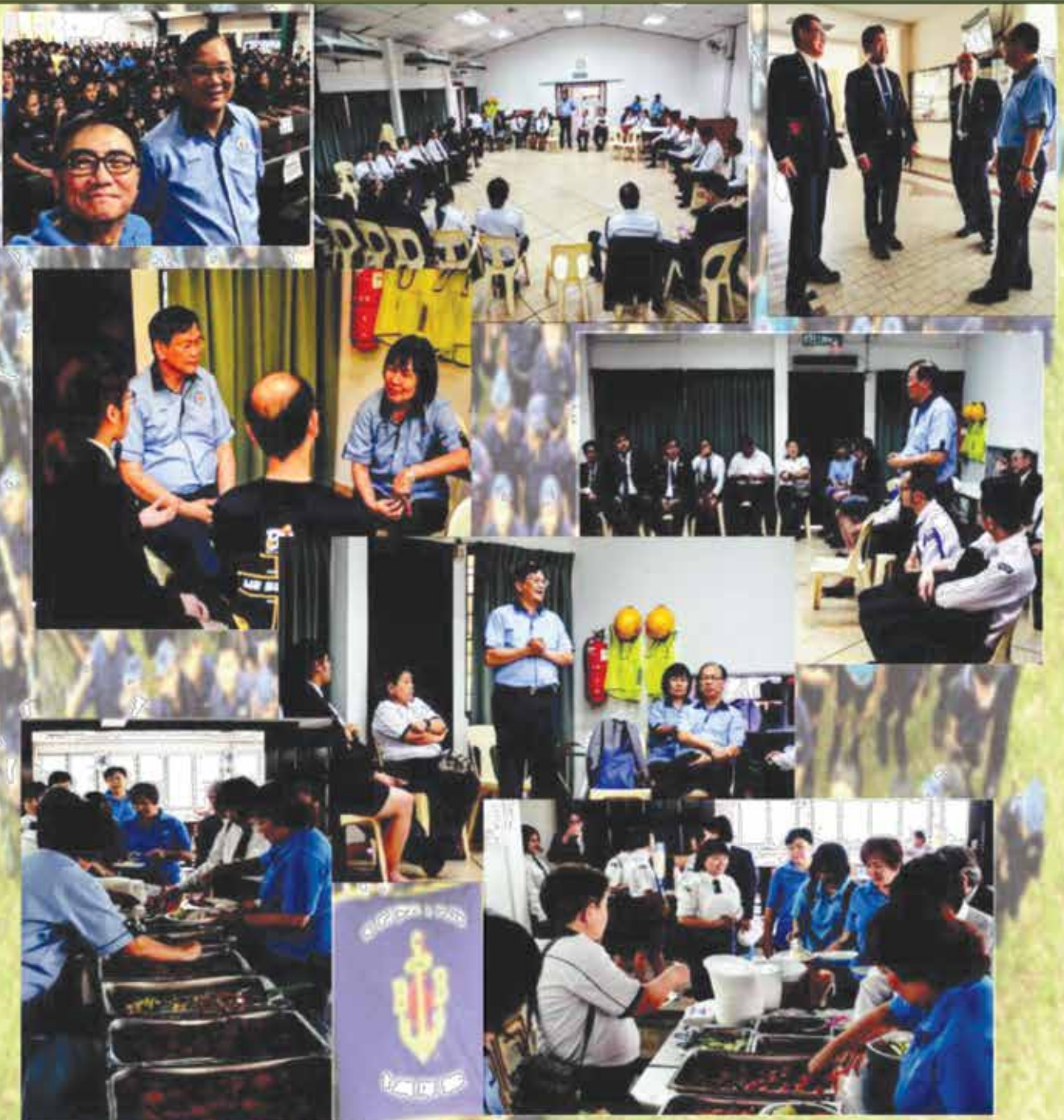


STEDFAST KL-SELANGOR BB OFFICERS FELLOWSHIP 2018

06 October 2018 @ Trinity Methodist Church, Petaling Jaya

The Boys' Brigade, Selangor State Council hosted the very 1st SAKL-Selangor BB Officers Fellowship during their Founder's Day. SAKL was represented by Bro Richard, Sis Susan & Bro Sing Yuen. SAKL shared with the Selangor BB Officers the reasons for the existence of SAKL and our desire to work with them in support of the BB Ministry, especially in Klang Valley.

We thank God for this opportunity to fellowship and for the 3 BB Officers (2 Capt & 1 Lt) who signed up immediately as a Life Member of SAKL. SAKL will continue to engage with the KL & Selangor State Council to further the BB Objectives.



SELAMAT DATANG TO ALL GOLFERS

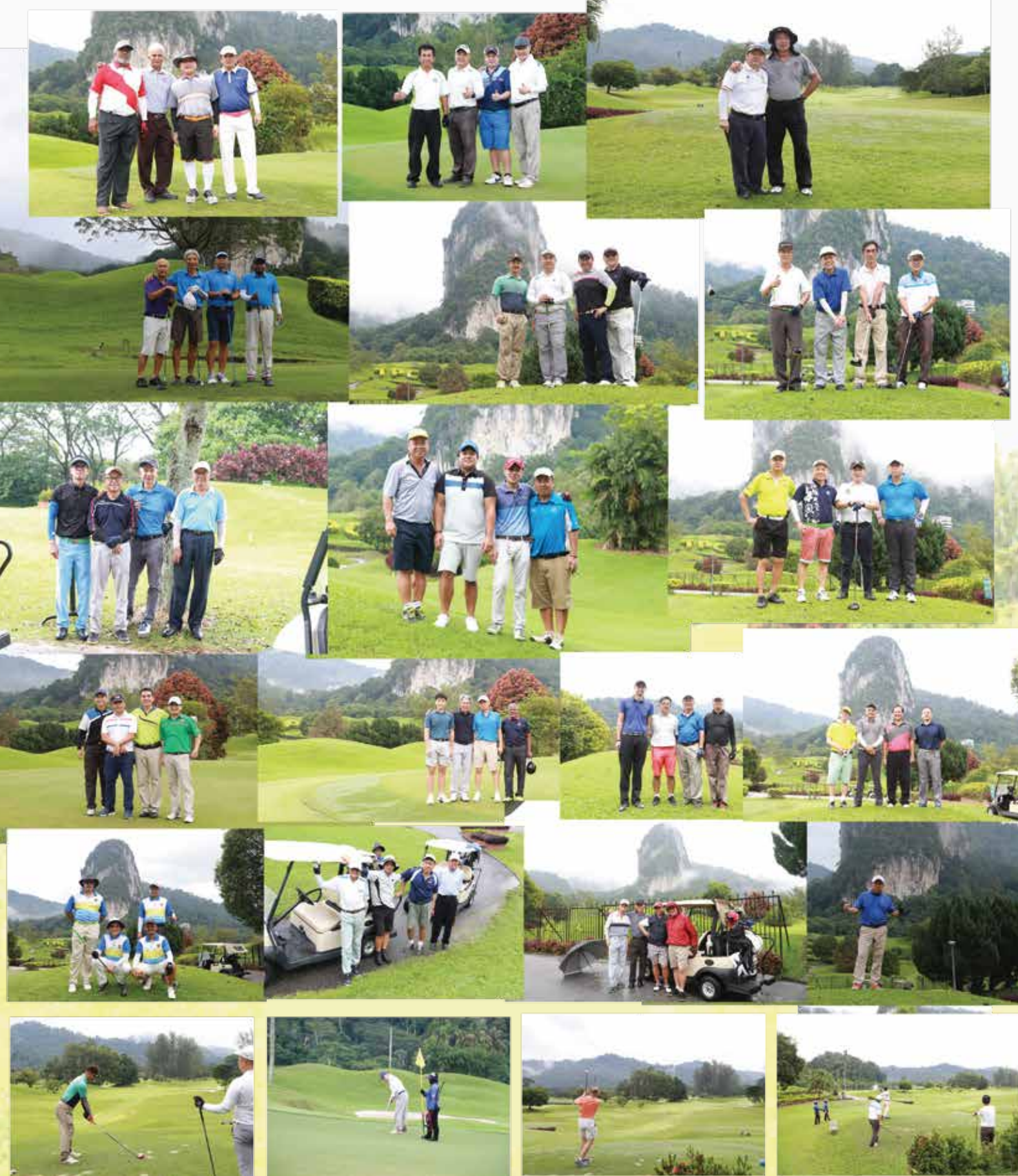


21st STEDFAST - NOZOMI GOLF TOURNAMENT



11th October 2018 ■ Templer Park Country Club

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PESTA BEYOND '18

Written by : Ms. Susan Pee / Photo Credits: Pesta 2018 Media Team



“Pesta Beyond” @ Kuala Lumpur 2018 was organised by a team of dedicated Boys’ Brigade officers from KL State and after months of planning the big day dawned on August 18th 2018.

This BB Pesta was something special as this was the first time that a BB Pesta was organized in collaboration with Stedfast Association of Kuala Lumpur (SAKL). Bro Michael Yei was appointed the Advisor of the Pesta Committee while bro Sing Yuen represented SAKL in the Committee. SAKL undertook 2 important tasks ie Fund Raising headed by bro Richard Cheah and First Aid headed by bro Sing Yuen.

History was also created as this was the first time we have successfully organized a Pesta for The Junior Section. The Junior Pesta was from 18 – 20 August 2018.

In total, 89 BB Companies took part in the Pesta Beyond 2018, comprising of BB Companies from Indonesia, Hong Kong, the United Kingdom, Johor, Melaka, Perak, Penang, Sabah, Sarawak, Selangor and Kuala Lumpur. These 89 companies totalled up to 1,888 BB members (208 Juniors & 1,680 Seniors).

The highlights of the Junior Pesta included:

- Team building games
- Junior Drill competition and a Drill Down Competition.
- Star Wars games
- Junior Band performance
- Fitness Monopoly
- Human Bingo
- Worship Night

The first ever National Junior Drill competition was won by the 10th KL BB Coy. The Drill Down Competition was won by Daniel Siew of 10th KL BB Coy.

The Closing Ceremony for the Juniors was timed in such a way that it was held with the Opening Ceremony of the Pesta (Aug 20th to 24th). The Opening Ceremony was graced by YB Yeo Bee Yin where she was heralded in by our bagpipe band. She witnessed the exchange of souvenirs of participating BB Companies and YB Yeo also gave away awards to long serving BB Officers.





The highlights of the Senior Pesta are as follows:

- Inter-platoon games
- Competitions (Drill, Singing, Dance, Indoor Band and a Bible Quiz)
- Youth Rally
- KL City Excursion
- Goodie Bag Adventure.



The 8th Penang BB Coy was the Overall Champion, who were placed first in the Dance and Drill Competitions. The Singing Competition was won by 1st Manjung Coy, Band Competition by 1st JB Coy and the Bible Quiz by Penang State BB.



The First Aid, manned by the Stedfast Association of Kuala Lumpur members went into business immediately on Day Zero. Generally, the members were dehydrated, sun burns and heat stroke due to the many activities during the day time.



Some members came in with bites from bed bugs, fever (many of them), tiredness (due to the lack of sleep), muscle cramps. There were also some who were more serious in nature like severe fever, asthma attack, sprained ankle, neck injury (due to a fall at the hall) and had to be sent to the Clinic and Serdang Hospital. Mr Cheong SY did the sending of those who need such further medical attention.



All in, the First Aid station had its hands full – 120 drums of water were consumed, 100 plus isotonic drinks and various types of herbal teas (all sponsored by SAKL) were given to the dehydrated members. We take this opportunity to thank all the 28 first aid volunteers and 2 doctors for availing themselves for the Pesta.

The highlight of the Closing Ceremony was the impromptu singing session by YB Anthony Loke. He took to the stage to join the Hong Kong BB members to belt out a Chinese song. This was reported by the Chinese press.

As in Pesta of yesteryears, there were some hiccups here and there during the running of the Pesta. Eventually all problems were sorted out and the members had a successful Pesta. Kudus to the organisers with their meticulous planning because running a Pesta is no easy task!

The next Pesta will be held in Melaka. See you all there!



JALAN JALAN CARI MAKAN

21 January 2019

Taking advantage of the Thaipusam public holiday, SAKL organised an impromptu JJCM trip to Semenyih. 22 persons from 8 families had a wonderful time feasting on 2 basket of durians. Some members even tried opening the durian by themselves using the durian machine. After the durian session, we headed over to Restaurant Ikan Bakar and had a sumptuous lunch. Food was good, Fellowship was equally good. It was indeed a wonderful trip.

If you would like to be informed of our next JJCM trip, please join our SAKL chat group or message bro Sing Yuen as all our JJCM trips are impromptu.





7th STEDFAST GAMES @ KUCHING SARAWAK



Saturday, September

14th

2019

8.00 AM – 4.00 PM

CHMS No.3

&

ARENA SUKAN

KUCHING

Games

- Free Style Shoot-out Throw
- Badminton
- Basketball
- Carrom
- Darts
- Futsal
- Table Tennis

Program

- 13th Sep – Contingents arrival & Opening
- 14th Sep – Games event day & Closing
- 15th Sep – Contingents departure

Registration

Registration is open to all Stedfast Association. To Participate, you may download the "Intention of Participation Form" & "Association Information Form" (Form F1 & F2) from the Link in Stedfast Kuching's Facebook. **Closing date: 15 March 2019**

For more information, kindly contact our SA Kuching Secretariat by email sakch1983@gmail.com or Whatsapp +6012 8899726 / +6016 8628228

Venue : Chung Hua Middle School Kuching, Sarawak

Fees: SAKL Members RM 800.00*
Own Flight RM 250.00*
Non Members RM1,000.00*
(*net per pax)

Package Price For:

1. Flight Ticket (MAS) + Meal, Seat & 30kg
2. Hotel Accommodation for 3 nights
3. Breakfast for 3 days
4. Tour of Kuching
5. Local Transport
6. 3 Collared T-shirt for all
7. 1 Round Neck T-shirt & haversack for SA Games Participants only

DATE	DETAILS	ETD	ETA
13 th	KUL-KCH (MH2542)	0800	0940
13 th	Welcome Dinner by Kuching SA		
14 th	7 th Stedfast Games / Prize Giving & Dinner		
15 th	Tour of Kuching		
16 th	Free & Easy		
16 th	KCH-KUL (MH2529)	1845	2020

SAKL SECRETARIAT	
Chef de Mission	Cheong Sing Yuen
Secretary / Games Coordinator	Edwin Dutton
Badminton Captain	Hoe Shou Chai
Basketball Captain	Terence Yap
Carrom Captain	Wong Weng Yuen
Darts Captain	Paul Chow
Futsal Captian	Philip Yin
Table Tennis Captian	Frankie Siow
Free Style Shoot Out	Derrick Dai



Taken from London Stedfast Newsletter

Global Fellowship of Christian Youth
Including the International Network of The Boys' Brigade

Michael Yei - Malaysia

Alex Gibb a Warrant Officer with the 32nd Nottingham Company recently paid a visit to BB Malaysia. Whilst there he attended their National Camp Pesta* as well as visiting local Boys' Brigade Companies.

He also met Michael Yei who is President of Kuala Lumpur Stedfast and a good friend of LSA. Michael often arranges for

items we require such as SA Glengarry badges, blazer badges, stickers etc.

In September 2019, 13th to 15th, they are holding the Stedfast Games in Kuching, State of Sarawak, Malaysia and Michael hopes we could enter a UK Stedfast team. Michael tells us that it was in 2001 in Kuching that he first met John Bates.

Events at the Stedfast Games include badminton, basketball, carrom (a cue sport inspired table top game), darts, futsal (similar to 5 a side football) and table tennis.

**Pesta in Malaysia & Indonesia: a festival; a festive gathering.*

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THE ANCHOR THAT WE LOVE

At the Stedfast Association of Kuala Lumpur, we aim to 'spend' and 'be spend' in every sense of the word. Catered especially for former members of the Boys Brigade, SAKL organizes events, charities, get-togethers, family camps, fellowship functions as well as providing financial assistance for tertiary education to BB members.

So, if you want to be true to the Anchor that you love, contact us today!



JOIN THE COMRADESHIP TODAY! ➤

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