

Charity Department Visit to Rumah Victory



On June 22, the Charity Department organized a visit to Rumah Victory which is a children's home for orphans and children from different challenging background. Seven members from KLBC brought along some pizza for their lunch and had a time of worship and games with them. A cheque was also presented to them as a contribution towards the running of the home.

It was impressive to see how spontaneously the children helped each other to clean up the place after their meal. One of the children had a father who was a drug addict and whose mother committed suicide. He was brought to the home

when he was three years old and is now showing progress in his communication and relationship with the rest of the children. We pray that the effort and love poured into the home by the staff and volunteers will impact and touch the lives of these children for the Lord's glory and kingdom.



2020 40th Missions

Time flies! It has been forty years since Kuala Lumpur Baptist Church launched our Missions theme - "LIFE IS MISSION." It was initiated by Rev. John Chang and our first Missions budget was RM45,000 which went to support two missionaries, three seminary staff, five seminary students and one Missions organization. Now after 40 years, our Missions support has expanded from supporting local missions to financially helping overseas Christian organizations as well as full-time workers and an increasing number of seminary students. Churches have been planted and many seminary students have graduated to become pastors or missionaries on the field. Truly, the Lord has continued to bless us as we carry out The Great Commission.

The harvest remains plentiful but the labourers are still few. There are millions who have yet to receive Jesus Christ as their Saviour and unless we go and preach the gospel, many will perish in their sin. May we rise to the challenge to play our part in going, praying and giving to support the work of Missions. The foundation has been laid by those who obeyed The Great Commission of which we are the fruit. Now it is our turn to press on and move forward to bring the good news to those who have not heard! To God be the Glory!

Rev. John Kok
Senior Pastor

Mid-Autumn Celebration @ KLBC Desa ParkCity



On September 17, young and old gathered at the ROLL Café for a sumptuous buffet dinner before the Mid-Autumn programme kicked off with a sing-along session of old classics. It was a fun time for families to fellowship and to invite new friends and loved ones who have yet to hear the Gospel. Pastor

Raymond preached an evangelistic message to a crowd of one hundred and seventy attendees. We praise the Lord that the seed of the Gospel was sowed into the hearts of sixty non-believers who were invited. Let us pray for a harvest of souls from this event.



MISSION POST

WITNESSING GOD AT WORK THROUGH HIS CHURCH

KLBC/DPC Homeschool Combined Camp at OUTBAC Broga

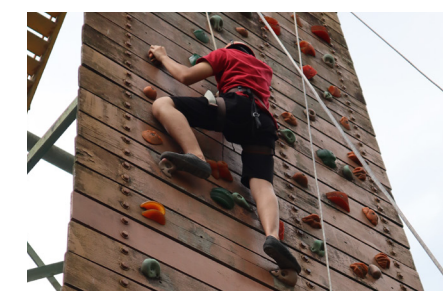
OCTOBER 6-8, 2019



KLBC and DPC Homeschool organized a combined three-day, two-night camp at OUTBAC Broga (OB) from October 6-8, 2019. It was the first time the students from both Homeschool centres were participating in a camp together. A total of seventy-eight students, teachers and pastoral staff joined this camp.

challenged in their ability to support and encourage one another as well as push themselves beyond their own limitations and expectations.

The challenge was to build a structure within half an hour from one pack of satay sticks which could withstand the weight of three Bibles.



The students and teachers gathered at KLBC Shammah Hall for a short worship session followed by camp briefing and lunch before departing for Broga. All participants were split into groups according to colours. At Broga, each group was given similar tasks to fulfill at various stations around the OB campsite. The groups were required to do commando crawl, wall skimming, rope swinging, milo hunting in the crocodile pit, trust fall, swinging bridge crossing, water sponge tossing, and ball transferring, while competing with other groups in terms of speed and efficient completion of the tasks given. Students were

There was a morning walk and climb to Broga hill the next day under the supervision of the OB instructors and guides. They made it to the top in time to watch the sunrise after which they began the difficult descent back to the OB campsite. After a quick breakfast, the students continued with activities like flying fox, wall climbing, and kayaking until lunch time. All participants took part in a game called "Secret Angel" on the first night after the dinner and worship session. They had to randomly choose a person to show concern and love to during the duration of the camp without revealing their identity. The day continued with campfire after dinner and an indoor activity called "Structure Building" led by Teacher Aldrin.



On the last morning of the camp, the students continued with the raft building activity and had a race on the lake with their respective assembled raft. We then concluded our outdoor activities with a group photo session, prize giving and sharing. Many of the students shared they were blessed by their "secret angel" and they were reminded that all of us express and respond to love in different ways. The book on the Five Love Languages by Gary Chapman was recommended as a guide for them to understand the specific love language of their friends. But ultimately, no matter what our love language is, the take-home lesson was that God loves all of us individually and intimately as His love surpasses all others!



Editorial
Free subscription by request

Publisher (Penerbit):
Published 3 times a year by
Kuala Lumpur Baptist Church
70 Cangkat Bukit Bintang
50200 Kuala Lumpur

Editor (Pengarang):
Tan Wai Meng B.A. (Hons),
Dip. Ed. M.A. (Christian Education)

Printer (Pencetak):
Akitiara Industri Sdn Bhd
No 1 & 3, Jalan TPP 1/3, Batu 2,
Taman Industri, 47100 Puchong
Selangor Darul Ehsan

House of Hope and Light



House of Hope and Light is a home for the elderly and on September 7, the Charity Department visited the Home that also houses single mothers, special needs children and drug addicts. Most of them were abandoned by their families with some suffering from depression. In spite of their differences, they have learnt to live together as one big family. The person-in-charge was a reformed drug addict who is now serving full-time in the home.



During the visit we gave them some groceries we had brought along as the place is

inaccessible and difficult to locate; making it inconvenient for the staff to shop for their daily provisions. Our members had high tea with them that afternoon and also presented a cheque



from the church as a contribution towards the running of the home.

We were especially inspired by seventy-year old Uncle Boey who cheerfully does devotion with them every morning as well as takes them to church on Sundays. We pray that the Lord will continue to grant him good health as he and the volunteers serve Him so faithfully in this ministry.

New LED Screen in KLBC Desa ParkCity

One day when the bulbs of the projector at KLBC Desa ParkCity were being changed, a member asked why our screen was not the type of LED screen that the main church in Bukit Bintang was using. This led to a simple discussion and a subsequent study on the size and cost of installing a new LED screen in our satellite church at Desa ParkCity.

During the same week, a member approached Pastor John with the offer to sponsor the cost of the new LED screen! We have been truly blessed by how quickly and simply the Lord worked in the hearts of His people and through the generosity of this member and his wife! Praise the Lord!

Introducing Our New Shammah Hall



The EGM approved the Board's proposal to build a new hall (57 feet by 23 feet) on the upper rooftop with a budget of RM500,000 and work immediately started in June. The space constraint faced by our church led to the construction of this hall to cater for the expansion and needs of the different ministries. The Homeschool was running out of classrooms during the week and an additional hall was also necessary for Sunday school use on Sundays.



We praise the Lord for safety during the hoisting of heavy materials and beams up to the rooftop. The Lord also gave us fine weather throughout the three months of construction. The total amount spent was RM376, 980 as members donated all the air conditioning units and musical instruments.

The new hall was named SHAMMAH as a declaration that "The Lord Is Here." Truly, He has made this possible for us. TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

15th KL Boys' Brigade Camp 2019



15th Kuala Lumpur Boys' Brigade Company based in KLBC Desa ParkCity organized a two-day one-night camp at Forest Research Institute Malaysia (FRIM) Kepong with the theme "Back to Nature." A total of forty-eight Boys' Brigade (BB) members, officers, and pastoral staff joined this camp.

Upon arrival, instructors for FRIM-MNS Nature Education Centre (NEC) briefed the campers about the activities for the next two days. The campers were immediately put into groups for the ice-breaking game. The BB members enjoyed fair weather throughout the camp and the Juniors took the opportunity to set up their tents outside as soon as they reached the campsite.

The highlight of the outdoor activities included catching insects, searching for

named trees, solving word puzzles, decorating themselves with leaves, cleaning up rubbish along the way and playing an animal-based charade. All participants enthusiastically competed with one another as points were given for the accuracy and speed they took to complete their tasks.



The night walk was another highlight where everyone ventured excitedly into the dark with just the aid of their torchlight. Occasional yells filled the air when the campers could not contain their fear

because of the nocturnal creatures that appeared out of their hideouts. Cameras and handphones were quickly whipped out from their pockets to capture millipedes, iguana, frogs, spiders, leeches, stick bugs and the list goes on. The night ended with supper and everyone in deep slumber in their tents.



Before breaking camp the next day, they were given the chance to be river scientists as they were taught to capture and identify organisms found along the river and to study the pH and oxygen level that determined the quality of the river water. The purpose was to drive home the point the importance of keeping the rivers clean from contaminants.

After the prize giving session to the best performing group and a group photo with the instructors, everyone headed back to Desa ParkCity safely. It was a terrific, fruitful learning experience for all!



Mandarin Worship Service

On July 7, the Mandarin worship service saw a change of time and location. It was decided that the time would be changed to 9:00 a.m. in Shammah Hall. Thirty-eight people came together to worship and Pastor Leong issued a challenge for them to rise up and serve in the different areas. We pray that this ministry will take root and bear fruit as we move forward to what the Lord has in store for us. Glory be to God!

