



# ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION, BANGKOK

## 5 - 12, MAY 2012



Posing with PRID Dr. Kenneth Collins and spouse Diane and PP Patel and spouse Lily from RC Marina City.



...and joining in were DGE Kong Hwee, spouse Nana and our fellow Rotarians from RC Tawau Tanjung.



With PDG Jayasingam and members of RC Muar.



With the Rotary Rock team of RC Pandan Valley.



Group photo with students from schools in Bangkok.



One for album with PDG Noraserth, Chair Host Organizing Committee and fellow Rotarians from Thailand.



PP Joseph Chua and fellow Rotarians from Johor.



...and from RC E-club 3310.



Delegation from RC Cebu, Philippines.



With PDG Peter of Thailand.



Before the boat ride with fellow Rotarians from RC Likas Bay and RC Batu Pahat.



....and RC Kota Kinabalu South.



At breakfast with PP Dr. Tan Hian Tsin, Datin Dr. Tsao Sui Lan and PP Mathew Yong of RC Garden City.



Distribution of humanitarian aids to 6 Provinces of Central Thailand.....



...with Fellow Rotarians from RC Garden City and Clubs in Thailand.

## CHAMBER ORCHESTRA, KOLEJ YAYASAN SAAD, MALACCA ON 22ND MAY 2012



The Chamber Orchestra of Kolej Yayasan Saad, Malacca upon arrival at Kuching Airport.



Performing at the Sarawak Club.



Section of the audience with YB Datuk Fadillah Yusof, the Federal Deputy Minister of Science, Technology and Innovation.



Exchanges of gifts.



Presentation of Certificates of Appreciation.



One for the road before departing for the airport.

## ROTARY CLUB OF KUCHING JAYA INDUCTION NIGHT ON 23RD MAY 2012



Induction of new members by RC Kuching Jaya.



Welcome to the family of Rotary.



.....and you too.



.....you have made an excellent choice ...



.....to choose Rotary International.....



Congratulations to President Michael Woods and all at RC Kuching Jaya. Till we meet again.

## LAUNCHING OF RM 1.5 MILLION GIRL'S HOSTEL PROJECT BY R C OF KK SOUTH ON 25TH MAY 2012



*Club members watching the project launch.*



*The first pile about to go in.*



*A group photo with DG Haji Zainie at the Launching of the Girls' Hostel.*

## LAUNCHING OF HAEMODIALYSIS CENTRE BY R C OF PENAMPANG, 25TH MAY 2012.



*DG Haji Zainie giving his address.*



*Unveiling of the proposed Haemodialysis Center.*



*Donation from the Major Donor..Kinsabina Sdn. Bhd.*



*Thanking the Major Donor Kinsabina Sdn Bhd.*



*Receiving donation from generous donor.*



*Presenting of memento to GOH Tan Sri Bernard Dompok.*



*One for the album with the GOH.*



*DG Haji Zainie with Rotarians at the Launching Ceremony.*



## ROTARIANS ATTEND INAUGURAL DISTRICT VOCATIONAL SERVICE SEMINAR ON 25TH MAY 2012

The Rotary Club of Likas Bay have organised an Inaugural Vocational Service training seminar for more than thirty (30) Rotarians from across Sabah , Sarawak, Brunei & Singapore held at the Palace Hotel on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2012. In officiating this important seminar, the District Governor Haji Zainie Abdul Aucasa of Rotary International District 3310 stressed that Vocational Service is the way Rotary fosters and supports the application of the ideal of service in the pursuit of all vocations.

In terms of Vocational Service, Rotary employs the word ‘service’ in its broadest sense, referring not merely to the merchandise sold or work done in any business or professional transactions, but also the giving of due consideration to the needs of others.

Vocational Service emphasizes the Objects of Rotary , which are to encourage high ethical standards in business and profession and to raise the dignity of each Rotarian’s occupation as an opportunity to serve society, he said

Vocational Service, being the Second of Rotary’s five Avenues of Service, is both the responsibility of a Rotary club and of its members. The role of the club is to implement and encourage the objectives of frequent demonstration of application to its own actions, by example and by development of projects that help members contribute their vocational talents.

The role of members, on the other hand, is to conduct themselves, their businesses and their professions in accordance with Rotary principles and to respond to projects that the club has developed.

To respond to this emphasis, clubs are encouraged to set up subcommittees to promote The Four Way Test; The Guide to Daily Living; Responsible Business, Responsible Rotarians; Career Development; Vocational; Training at Work; Vocational Awareness; Vocational Awards; Rotary Volunteers”

This Rotary Vocational Service training programme is being conducted in Malaysia for the very first time and all the participants said that they have benefitted tremendously from it.

Led by Past District Governor Edward Sung Burongoh, this Vocational Service training seminar was conducted by experienced speakers; Past President Michael Yee from Singapore (Chairman District Vocational Service Committee), Past President Alex Eow (Singapore) , Past President Philip Chong, Past President Datuk Dr. Johnson Tee, Past President Patrick Panai (Kuching) , Assistant Governor Dr. Un Chuan Hock (Bintulu) and Rotarian Dr. Ali Qassem.

The Seminar covered important topics, namely:

- 1) Rotary’s Five Core Values,
- 2) Introducing Non-Rotarians to the Principles of Vocational Service,
- 3) Using Your Vocational Service to Serve the Community and Meet Local Needs,
- 4) Ethics and Vocational Service,
- 5) How to Implement an Activity to Celebrate Vocational Service month in October,
- 6) Understanding the Principles of Vocational Service in Rotary and Mentoring a Young Person in Pursuit of Excellence,
- 7) Award-Winning Vocational Service Project of RC Bintulu Central
- 8) Using Effective Public Relations to Promote Your Club’s Vocational Service Projects.

Organising Chairman, Past President Philip Chong from the Rotary Club of Likas Bay said Vocational Service gives Rotarians the opportunity to utilize their professional and business expertise to help the needy communities beat poverty and gain a measure of self-respect.

