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# Flash Mob in *Jom Membaca 10 Minit* National Reading Programme

About 80 students from PSA floored the guests and participants at the National Library with their amazing flash mob performance during the Jom Membaca 10 Minit National Reading Programme on 24 April 2019. Officiated by Datuk Isham Ishak, the Secretary General of Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture Malaysia, the flash mob performance saw our students dancing away for the theme song 'Budaya Membaca' and 'This is Me'. It took sheer determination and grit for the students to ace the performance with very minimal practise as the final exams were around the corner. Bravo!

'Whenever you read a good book, somewhere in the world a door opens to allow in more light' (Vera Nazarian)

Thank you to the National Library of Malaysia for organizing this significant event to help cultivate reading habit among the people.



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#### **Moving Forward for LI Students**

A special programme was held for the students returning from industrial attachment by CISEC on 30 April 2019. The primary focus of this programme was the marketability of PSA's postindustrial attachment students. Talks by the industries were given by Yayasan Pendidikan Malaysia and Meritus University representatives. Exhibition booths and interview sessions with agencies were also held.





"A bright future lies ahead for technical and vocational training (TVET) graduates who can easily secure jobs.

In 30 years' time, we (ministry) aim to produce a workforce made up of 30% TVET graduates who would become highly-skilled employees".

> Teo Nie Ching Deputy Education Minister



#### A collaboration is on the way

PSA Meets University of Hull







#### **Degree Programme Online Application**

Online application for students to enrol in PSA's degree programme started on 17 June. The program is offered to all graduates of polytechnic's diploma programme.

#### Passing the Baton...

Submission of 'Nota Serah Tugas' from former Head of Departments and Units to the newly appointed personnels. The event took place at BMU on 12 June 2019. Thank you so much to all for the examplary work carried out during your tenure.



#### **New Appointments**

We wish to congratulate you on your new appointment.



Head of Strategic Management **Puan Fatimah Binti Bahari** 

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Meor Fazrul and Muhd Anaqi represented Polytehcnic and Community College Malaysia for a dialogue session with YB Mohd Redzuan Md Yusof, Minister of Entrepreneur Development. The event took place at Sunway Putra Hotel, KL on 16 June.



#### Malaysia Tech Week 2019

PSA participated in MALAYSIA TECH WEEK 2019 (MTW19), held at NEXUS, South Bangsar on June 19.





### It's Time for CPCM!

Staff were exposed to TVET acquisition procedures by Dr Armai bt Mohamed, from Office of Info and Instrastructure, UiTM Shah Alam.



#### **Registration Day is Here Again.**

PSA welcomes semester one students.





Closing ceremony of orientation week officiated by Deputy Director of Academic Support, Puan Zalina Ismail.



Handing over of TVET applied research grant scheme (T-AGRS) to Malaysia Polytechnic and Community College by Deputy Director, Ts. Dr. Mohammad on 30 May 2019. Congratulations to PSA lecturers, Dr. Norasiah and Puan Anizah for securing two research grants for the institution.

#### Way To Go Electrical Engineering Team! You Certainly Are The Best!

Congratulations for grabbing the following Awards In BVEIIC 2019 UiTM :

1 Best Award

- 2 Profesional Gold Awards
- 9 Inventor Gold Awards
- 7 Silver Awards
- 4 Bronze Awards







### Hari Raya Is Here Again!

Come June and it was a time to celebrate! Adorned in costumes of vibrant colours, PSA staff celebrated the joyous occasion in such a happy, festive mood with a wonderful assortment of food for all.







Visit from Officials from the Ministry of Labour and Human Resources (Molhr), Kingdom of Bhutan

#### **Team PSA Grabs the Overall Champion Award!**

The 6th Malaysian Polytechnics Relasis Annual Camp 2019 (MALPRAC 2019) was held in Politeknik Muadzam Shah, Pahang. The 4-day camp which commenced on 1 May 2019, saw Relasis members from polytechnics around Malaysia competing in outdoor activities like marching, walking with loads, archery and martial arts. For the third consecutive year, PSA was clichéd the overall winner title. Way to go PSA!



Your positive action combined with positive thinking results in success. Shiv Khera

> -Real BrainyQuote

> > POLIMAS

#### Great Job PISPA PSA! Third place in the 6Th Malaysian Polytechnic Civil Defense Annual Camp Champion Award!

We are the champion!

PSA emerged overall champion in marching competition during the 6th MALPIDAC 2019. The event took place at Politeknik Sultan Idris Shah, Sabak Bernam from 17 to 20 June.

PISPA PSA – You are the crème de la crème!
The PISPA team certainly makes PSA proud with such an outstanding performance.
ALPHA BANGI - Champion
2ND MALPI, PD POLYTECHNIC- Champion
3RD MALPI, POLISAS - Champion
4TH MALPI, KULIM POLYTECHNIC-1st runner up
Overall champion in marching and 1st runner up in sports category



#### Bringing smiles to the children. CHAMPION Award!

This CSR programme is a collaboration with Malaysian blues army dan team selangor. It was a time to celebrate the orphans and the needy at Asnaf Nur Sakinah, Taman Subang Murni prior to Hari Raya Aidil Fitri. The event was held on 2nd June.



A CSR project carried out in Banting on 17 June. The director and head of departments took some time out to be part of the project.



# **April Activities**

1 April	: 9-a-side Football Championship for Politeknik Malaysia staff
2 April	: CEO Faculty Talk by Datuk Syed Hussain Al Junid (Group Chairman, Malaysia Operations,
	Business & Operation Support, Western Digital (M) Sdn Bhd)
	: Design Competition organized by Mechanical Engineering Department
	: PSA took part in the World Skills Malaysia 2019 (Qualifying round)
	: Business Marketing Exhibition & Seminar (BMEXS 2019)
4 April	: Yassin Hour In conjunction with Politeknik Malaysia Golden Jubilee celebration
5 April	: Talk on IBS with Precast Concrete by Ir Shahrul Nizar
6 April	: Golden Industrial FESTVET (G.I.F.T) 2019
7 April	: CSR programme at JKA (staircase tile installation)
8 April	: WBL monitoring (Session 2 2018/2019)
	: 'Go Skills' workshop, organised by PolySkills JMSK
9 April	: PSA Management Board visited the Centralised Training Joinery and Cabinet Making Centre
12 April	: PSA Pre graduation ceremony (December Session 2018)
15 April	: MOE Excellent Services Award
	: PSA Invention & Innovation Technology Exposition (PITEX)
16 April	: PSA Industry Advisory Board meeting 1/2019
18 April	: PSA Alumni Hi-Tea & friendly session with TNC HEPA
	: UTHM Alumni Professional Talk Series Central Zone 2019
16 – 18 April	: A group of lecturers and students from Mechanical Engineering Department took part in the
	SIRIM Invention, Innovation & Technology Expo Si2TE 2019 and won Silver award.
23 April	: Let's Read Together for 10 Minutes programme
24 April	: PSA welcomed Ms. Farahwahidah Bujang, the Director of Yayasan Pendidikan Malaysia (YPM)
	and Dato' Sharifah Halimah Syed Ahmad, the Vice Chancellor of Meritus University to
	discuss on possible collaboration opportunities
	: PSA took part in a promotional activity during a Career Carival at SMK Shahbandaraya, Klang
	: PSA took part in the MUB CHINA TVET FAIR 2019 at KL Selangor Chinese Assembly Hall
25 April	: 'Proton X70 Intelligence that Inspires Challenge' site visit and competition briefing by
	Proton Edar Crystal
26 April	: PSA AMT Tenpin Bowling Championships 2019
27 April	: Nuurasyraaf from PSA is among the Politeknik Malaysia Futsal players (Avengers) to compete
	in the Politeknik Malaysia IPT League 2019
28 April	: 2 students from the Civil Engineering Department became the 2nd runner up in the
	mobile legend e-sports competition
	: PSA took part in the My Agrosis Cup 2019 and obtained the 2nd place for their product,
	"Ipomoea Flakes"
29 April	: ROBUST PSA took part in the Politeknik Malaysia FIRA 2019
	: Google Apps For Teaching And Learning Course
	: KOPSA Meeting (No. 4/2019)
26 - 29 April	: PSA took part in the MPPPK Youth Skill Enhancement Programme 2019 (MYSEP'19) in
	Pulau Bidong, Terengganu
30 April	: Post Industrial Training Marketability Programme for 900 PSA students
	: PSA received 40 visitors from POLISAS for APACC benchmarking visit

## **May Activities**

1- 4 May	: 6th Malprac 2019 at Politeknik Muadzam Shah – PSA is the overall champion again for
	the third year in a row
2-3 May	: Quality Work Procedure Review Workshop
3 May	: Lunch for retired or transferred support staff
	: 12th FIRA Malaysia Cup 2019 Closing Ceremony at PPD party
6 May	: Appointment of Dr Hj Mohd Zahari Ismail, Director of PSA as Commander of Politeknik
	Malaysia Relasis Brigade Secretariat
8 May	: PSA staff assembly 2/2019
	: Visit by delegates from Vietnam Health Ministry to PSA
	: Launch of My Sadaqah Ramadhan
10 May	: Visit by Kuala Selangor Vocational College on possible collaboration opportunities
13-15 May	: Plastic Injection Moulding Course
14 May	: Benchmarking visit by Politeknik Banting Selangor on the implementation of iFRP in PSA
15 May	: Visit to NAZA College of Technology and Business to discuss possible collaboration effort
23 May	: Collaboration visit to Petrosains Sdn. Bhd by JMSK
28 May	: 4th MEDICAL Electronics Technology Innovation Colloquium (METIC) 2019 - 3 FYP 2019
	students won gold medals and Best Presenter award
	: PSA My Sadaqah Ramadhan programme - 182 individuals received donations

# **June Activities**

2 June	: PSA CSR programme at Asnaf Nur Sakinah, Taman Subang Murni
11 June	: PSA met the University of Hull to initiate a collaboration
13 June	: PSA grabbed the best award at BVEIIC 2019 UITM by winning 11 golds, 7 silver and
	4 bronze awards
12 June	: Duty note submission by former Department and Unit Heads to newly
	appointed heads
14 June	: PSA Hari Raya Celebration
17 June	: Online application for degree programme intake opened
14 June	: Fire prevention talk in Mechanical Engineering Department
16 June	: Meor Fazrul and Muhd Anaqi represented Malaysia Polytechnic and
	Community College for a dialogue session Yb Mohd Redzuan Md Yusof, Minister of
	Entrepreneur Development Malaysia
17-20 June	: PSA emerged champion in marching competition in 6th MALPIDAC
	2019 at Politeknik Sultan Idris Shah, Sabak Bernam
17 June	: New appointments of Head of Department and Head of Unit
17 June	: CSR programme at Banting Village
18-19 June	: Rubrics Preparation Workshop
19 June	: Malaysia Tech Week 2019 (MTW19), NEXUS, South
	Bangsar
19 June	: CPCM on TVET acquisition procedures by Dr Armai bt Mohamed, UiTM Shah Alam.
20 June	: PSA Hari Raya celebration
20 June	: PSA was awarded 3rd place in the 6th Malaysian Polytechnic Civil Defense Annual Camp
21 June	: CSR Programme, house construction for En. Khairul Fitri B. Abd. Hamid
24 June	: Registration of semester one students
25 June	: Visit from officials from Ministry of Labour and Human Resources (Molhr), Kingdom of
	Bhutan
	: Sign language course organized by Mechanical Engineering department
27 June	: Closing ceremony of orientation week