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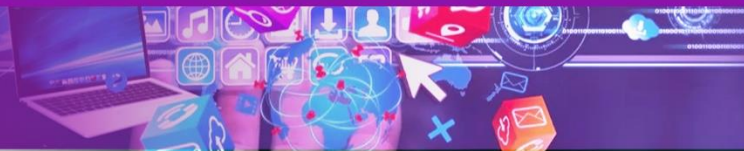
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TAJUK : DEDAH KANAK-KANAK REMAJA ISU KESIHATAN MENTAL

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : BERITA HARIAN

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 17

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Dedah kanak-kanak, remaja isu kesihatan mental

Kuala Lumpur: Ilmu mengenai kesihatan mental bukan hanya topik wajar dibincangkan dalam kalangan golongan dewasa, malah juga penting didedahkan kepada kanak-kanak dan remaja.

Timbalan Pengarah (Perubatan) Hospital Tunku Ampuan Besar Tuanku Aishah Rohani (HPKK) UKM, Prof Dr Hamidah Alias, berkata berkaitan kesihatan mental, jelas dipaparkan menerusi data terkini Survei Kesihatan dan Morbiditi Kebangsaan (NHMS), mendapati peningkatan membimbangkan bilangan remaja mempunyai simptom kemurungan, iaitu daripada 18.3 peratus pada 2017 kepada 26.7 peratus, tahun lalu.

"Keinginan remaja untuk bunuh diri juga meningkat daripada 10 peratus pada 2017 kepada 13.1 peratus. Ini menunjukkan penting kita membendung masalah ini daripada berpanjangan.

"Dengan mengambil tindakan terhadap kesihatan mental sejak usia muda, kita mempersiapkan mereka untuk menghadapi cabaran hidup agar daya ketahanan kuat," katanya ketika merasmikan program sambutan Hari Mental Sedunia 2023, peringkat hospital itu, baru-baru ini.

Dr Hamidah yang juga Pakar Hematologi Onkologi Pediatrik berkata, dalam usaha meningkatkan kesedaran mengenai kesihatan mental, masyarakat perlu menghapuskan stigma di persekitarannya.

"Kesihatan mental bukan tanda kelemahan, tetapi adalah bukti kemanusiaan.

"Jadi, bersama kita menghilangkan kekeliruan dan mempromosikan naluri empati dan saling memahami di dalam komuniti," katanya.

Pengarah Program itu, Prof Madya Dr Fairuz Nazri Abd Rahman, berkata kesihatan mental untuk semua lapisan masyarakat, terutama golongan B40 yang melalui pelbagai kesusahan dalam kehidupan.

"Justeru, objektif program ini bagi meningkatkan kesedaran kanak-kanak dan remaja pada peringkat sekolah rendah dan sekolah menengah," katanya.

Antara aktiviti adalah ceramah mengenai kesihatan mental, forum dengan pertubuhan bukan kerajaan (NGO) kesihatan mental dan pameran berkaitan isu sama.

Dr Hamidah
Alia





TAJUK : PERBUALAN BAPA, ANAK HIDAP KANSER DARAH UNDANG SEBAK

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : BERITA HARIAN

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 17

TONE : NEUTRAL

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Perbualan bapa, anak hidap kanser darah undang sebak

Perkongsi gelagat Marissa di TikTok raih simpati warga netizen

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Johor Bahru: "Botak kan comel... Botak kan comel. Kalau botak nanti cantik...kan daddy? Tapi nak botak kat sa-lun".

Itulah antara ayat diulang-ulang pesakit kanser darah atau leukemia, Alexandria Marissa Abdul Malik, 4, sambil disahut bapanya, yang turut setuju 'Botak kan comel' dan mengajak bersama botak.

Perkongsi gelagat Marissa di TikTok dimuat naik ibunya yang menggunakan akaun Mommy Shark merah 304.6k likes serta mendapat banyak komen dan simpati netizen yang mendoakan kesembuhannya.

Menurut ibunya, Nor Shakila Mohd Shoki, 31, anaknya mesra disapa Marissa, mengulang perkataan itu yang perlu membolehkan kepala kerana rambutnya sudah mula gugur selepas rawatan kemoterapi.

Katanya, sejak disahkan menghidap penyakit itu 15 Jun lalu, dia tidak mahu memaksa anak tunggalnya membotakkan kepala.

"Dia memang anak yang kuat, saya terangkan kepadanya, Marissa ada kanser, kanser tak baik untuk badan. Marissa kena kuat. Bulan lalu rambutnya sudah mula gugur dengan banyak.

"Saya tidak mahu memaksa Marissa botak sebab dia cakap botak tak cantik. Tetapi satu hari ketika dalam wad, depan katil Marissa ada seorang kanak-kanak lelaki dibotakkan.

"Ketika itu, ayahnya, Abdul Malik Yahya, 32, beritahu botak itu comel. Terus berulang-ulang kali Marissa cakap botak kan comel dan dia mahu botakkan rambut, tetapi di salun, malangnya akibat komplikasi luka tulang sumsum itu, Marissa terpaksa dibotakkan atas katil hospital," katanya.

Derita Marissa bermula apabila dia kerap demam sejak awal tahun ini, kemudian disahkan



menghidap kanser darah selepas pemeriksaan tulang sumsum di Hospital Sultan Ismail (HSI).

Menangis depan doktor

"Saya memang rasa 'lain' apabila Marissa kerap demam, saya terus buat pemeriksaan kesihatan secara menyeluruh di hospital dan mendapati bacaan darah Marissa tidak normal dan suspek kanser.

"Sepanjang tempoh itu saya tetap positif, tidak mungkin kanser. Sampai hari keputusan tulang sumsum Marissa di HSI, doktor sahkan Marissa menghidap leukemia.

"Hanya Allah sahaja yang tahu perasaan saya dan suami. Kami menangis depan doktor kerana tidak menyangka Marissa yang kecil diuji dengan sakit yang besar," katanya.

Menurut Nor Shakila, dia dan suami tidak mengambil masa lama buat keputusan merawat puteri kesayangan mereka.

"Selepas doktor sahkan, kami berbincang kaedah rawatan sesuai untuknya. Saya tidak mahu bertangguh kerana setiap saat sel kanser akan merebak cepat.

"Leukemia tidak babitkan organ, tetapi seluruh tubuh darah mengalir dan ketika itu dan sudah 74 peratus. Saya ada membuat sedikit bacaan dan selepas berbincang kami putuskan buat kemoterapi," katanya.

Kata pegawai IT di sebuah sya-

rikat di sini, memaklumkan Marissa anak yang kuat semangat.

Marissa akan menangis setiap kali rawatan, tetapi tetap beri kerjasama kepada pasukan kesihatan.

"Marissa sudah 22 kali menjalani rawatan kemoterapi, tulang sumsum akan diambil untuk mengetahui keberkesanan rawatan.

"Marissa ada masalah komplikasi kerana luka tulang sumsumnya tidak baik dan terpaksa dibersihkan dengan kaedah pembedahan. Kini hampir

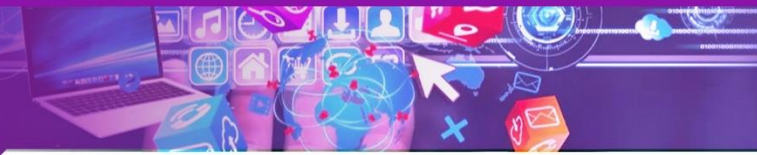
sebulan Marissa di wad," kata Nor Shakila.

Marissa tidak dapat ke sekolah kerana menjalani rawatan kanser selama dua tahun.

"Alhamdulillah Marissa dalam kategori risiko rendah, tapi ada komplikasi. Sekarang ini keputusan kansernya semakin menurun, tetapi sekiranya selepas rawatan sel kanser menunjukkan tanda menaik, ia akan dikategorikan kepada risiko tinggi," katanya yang aktif memuat naik perkembangan Marissa dalam TikTok.



Nor Shakila dan Abdul Malik bersama Marissa.



TAJUK : DUA BERADIK NAFI CEDERAKAN IBU

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : HARIAN METRO

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 19

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Dua beradik nafi cederakan ibu

Port Dickson: Dua beradik didakwa di Mahkamah Majistret di sini, semalam, atas pertuduhan mencederakan ibu mereka.

Tertuduh, Mohammad Fahmi Azrai Nazri, 29, dan adiknya yang berusia 17 tahun bagaimanapun mengaku tidak bersalah selepas kertas pertuduhan dibacakan di hadapan Majistret Uthman Abd Ghani.

Mengikut pertuduhan, tertuduh yang masing-masing merupakan anak ketiga dan kelima didakwa dengan sengaja mendatangkan kecederaan terhadap ibu mereka berusia 58 tahun.

Kesalahan itu dilakukan pada jam 9.28 malam, 28 September lalu, di sebuah rumah di Taman Pertama, di sini.

Mereka didakwa melakukan kesalahan mengikut Seksyen 323 Kanun Keseksaan (KK) dan dibaca ber-

sama Seksyen 326A KK dan Seksyen 34 KK.

Bagi kesalahan di bawah Seksyen 323 KK, mereka boleh dipenjarakan sehingga setahun atau denda sehingga RM2,000 atau kedua-duanya manakala di bawah Seksyen 326A KK, tertuduh boleh dipenjarakan suatu tempoh dua kali ganda tempoh maksimum jika sabit kesalahan.

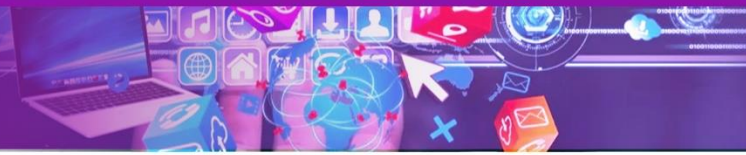
Timbalan Pendakwa Raya, Nadia Ezzati Mohd Zainal menawarkan jaminan RM6,000 dengan seorang penjamin bagi setiap tertuduh.

Mohammad Fahmi Azrai yang tidak diwakili peguam merayu jaminan minimum kerana tidak bekerja manakala adiknya memaklumkan dia masih bersekolah.

Mahkamah menetapkan jaminan RM3,000 bagi setiap tertuduh dengan seorang penjamin dan sebutan semula kes pada 16 November ini.



DUA beradik dituduh cederakan ibu di Mahkamah Majistret Port Dickson. - Gambar NSTP/AZRUL EDHAM



TAJUK : GADAI MOTOR ELAK DIHALAU

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : HARIAN METRO

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 12

TONE : NEUTRAL

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Ibu tunggal buntu sara 5 anak selepas kehilangan suami Ogos tahun lalu

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Machang

Seorang ibu tunggal sanggup menggadai motorikal yang dibelinya bagi membayar tunggakan sewa rumah sejak dua bulan lalu selain untuk perbelanjaan harian.

Nur Fazlizawati Zohari, 40, berkata, dia kini buntu untuk mencari sumber kewangan bagi membayar tunggakan sewa rumah kerana bimbang akan diusir memandangkan mereka sekeluarga tidak mempunyai tempat lain untuk berteduh.

Menurutnya, kisah hidupnya penuh berliku selepas suaminya, Mohd Nazri Khaidhir meninggal dunia pada Ogos tahun lalu

Gadai motor elak dihalau

NUR Fazlizawati bersama empat anaknya ketika ditemui di rumah sewa mereka di Taman Setia Kasih, Pangkal Meleret.



disebabkan penyakit darah tinggi.

Katanya, kini dia perlu menggalas tanggungjawab sebagai ketua keluarga un-

tuk menyara lima anaknya.

"Sebagai manusia biasa dan isteri selama ini bergantung harap kepada

suami, perasaan kehilangan dan sedih itu pastinya dirasai dan selepas arwah tiada, sumber pendapatan kami sekeluarga tidak ada.

"Selama ini, segalanya diuruskan arwah suami dan saya hanya menguruskan anak-anak serta rumah tangga. Rutin harian juga hanyalah untuk keluarga.

"Jadi, apabila perkara ini berlaku, saya jadi buntu dan tidak tahu mahu bermula dari mana selain betul-betul hilang arah," katanya ketika ditemui di rumah sewanya di Taman Setia Kasih, Pangkal Meleret di sini.

Terdahulu, badan bukan kerajaan (NGO) Cempaka Merah Asnaf Society yang diwakili Che Norhayati Mohamed selaku pengerusi melawat dan bertanya khabar keluarga berkenaan.

Nur Fazlizawati berkata, dalam keadaan buntu itu dia perlahan-lahan mengatur rentak dan kembali melangkah untuk menguruskan kehidupan bersama anak-anak yang masih memerlukan.

"Saya bangkit dan pernah berniaga makanan secara kecil-kecilan, namun hanya bertahan selama beberapa bulan sahaja dan terpaksa

ditutup disebabkan kekurangan kewangan.

"Kini hanya mengharapkan anak sulung, Muhammad Aiman Jazlan, 18, yang bekerja di kedai runcit dengan upah RM35 sehari.

"Bagi meneruskan kelangsungan hidup, sebolehnya saya mahu meniaga makanan seperti sebelum ini kerana perlu menjaga anak-anak kecil serta bersekolah tetapi tidak mempunyai sumber kewangan," katanya.

Menurutnya, mereka anak-beranak sudah lali makan nasi berlauk telur dan berkuah kacang, malah ada waktunya tanpa sebarang lauk disebabkan kesempitan hidup.

"Kehidupan kami sekeluarga hanya bergantung kepada belas ihsan tetangga serta sanak-saudara," katanya.

Orang ramai yang ingin menyumbang boleh menyalurkan sumbangan ke akaun Bank Islam bernombor 0304502196638 atas nama Nur Fazlizawati Zohari atau menghubunginya ditalian 017-2047307.

"Hanya bertahan beberapa bulan sahaja disebabkan kekurangan kewangan"
Nur Fazlizawati



TAJUK : LELAKI HADAPI 2 PERTUDUHAN

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : HARIAN METRO

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 19

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM



BONNY diiringi anggota polis di Mahkamah Majistret Butterworth. - Gambar NSTP/DANIAL SAAD

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KES BOM RUMAH JIRAN

Butterworth

Pekerja kilang yang meletupkan bom buatan sendiri berhampiran mesin basuh jirannya mengaku tidak bersalah di Mahkamah Majistret di sini, semalam atas dua pertuduhan memiliki bahan letupan sendiri (IED) dan sepucuk pistol tiruan pada 8 Oktober lalu.

Bonny Tigong, 32, membuat pengakuan itu selepas pertuduhan dibacakan jurubahasa di hadapan Majistret Siti Zulaikha Nordin.

Mengikut kertas pertuduhan pertama dan kedua, tertuduh didakwa memiliki IED dan sepucuk pistol tiruan kayu tanpa kebenaran yang sah.

Kedua-dua kesalahan itu didakwa dilakukan Flat Taman Pandan, Mak Mandin, di sini pada 8 Oktober lalu, antara jam 6.30 petang dan 7.35 malam.

Tertuduh yang masih

buang didakwa melakukan kesalahan terbabit mengikut Seksyen 8 Akta Bahan Letupan 1957 yang memperuntukkan hukuman penjara sehingga tujuh tahun atau denda RM10,000 atau kedua-duanya sekali.

Manakala tuduhan mengikut Seksyen 36 Akta Senjata 1960 jika sabit kesalahan boleh dihukum penjara tidak melebihi satu tahun atau denda RM5,000 atau kedua-duanya sekali.

Sementara itu, di Mahkamah Sesyen di sini, tertuduh turut mengaku tidak bersalah atas pertuduhan memiliki sebilah kerambit bersama sarung tanpa tujuan yang sah di lokasi dan masa yang sama.

Tertuduh didakwa me-

ngikut Seksyen 7(1) Akta Bahan-bahan Kakisan dan Letupan dan Senjata Berbahaya 1958 yang memperuntukkan hukuman penjara tidak melebihi 10 tahun dan sebat.

Pendakwaan dikendalikan oleh Timbalan Pendakwa Raya, Asma' Amira Shahidani dan Mohammad Syafiq Nasrullah Saleem Ali manakala tertuduh diwakili peguam dari Yayasan Bantuan Guaman Kebangsaan (YBGK).

Mahkamah menetapkan jaminan keseluruhan sebanyak RM15,000 bagi semua pertuduhan dan kes akan disebut semula pada 16 November depan.

Terdahulu media melaporkan seorang lelaki ditahan polis selepas mele-

putkan bom buatan sendiri berhampiran mesin basuh jirannya di flat terbabit.

Perbuatan itu dilakukan berikutan suspek berang dengan kelakuan jirannya yang dikatakan kerap batuk setiap kali dia melalui kaki lima menuju ke rumahnya.

Siasatan awal turut membawa kepada penemuan satu lagi bom buatan sendiri dan pihak polis turut merampas sepucuk pistol serta peluru buatan sendiri dan kerambit.

Melalui soal siasat mendapati suspek dikatakan mempelajari cara dan teknik membuat bom melalui laman web manakala bahan yang digunakan diperolehi menerusi pembelian dalam talian.



TAJUK : PUPUK MUAFAKAT KEJIRANAN

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : HARIAN METRO

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 13

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Pupuk muafakat kejiranan

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Program Kebun Kejiranan bantu penduduk bandar jana pendapatan

Johor Bahru

Majlis Bandaraya Johor Bahru (MBJB) komited membantu masyarakat menerusi pelaksanaan Program Kebun Kejiranan di dalam kawasan sejak Januari 2021.

Datuk Bandar MBJB, Datuk Mohd Noorazam Osman berkata, program itu adalah inisiatif yang mampu membantu kejiranan menjana pendapatan.

Katanya, ia juga berfungsi sebagai bank makanan selaras dengan hala tuju Kerajaan Negeri untuk memperkasakan agenda Food Security.

"Program kebun kejiranan bermula pada Januari 2021 selepas pelaksanaan Perintah Kawalan Pergerakan (PKP).

"Aktiviti kebun kejiranan ini bertujuan meningkatkan pengalaman kejiranan dalam memastikan setiap zon boleh berfungsi sebagai kawasan kependudukan yang sempurna dalam menempuh situasi penularan wabak Covid-19.

"Sehingga Ogos lalu, sebanyak 27 kebun kejiranan sudah beroperasi dan semua kebun kejiranan ini menerima bantuan bekalan peralatan serta keperluan kebun kejiranan daripada MBJB," katanya ketika dihubungi.

Semalam, Harian Metro melaporkan komuniti setempat termasuk dalam

kawasan taman perumahan dan rumah pangsa mengambil inisiatif mewujudkan kebun komuniti bagi mengurangkan kos sara hidup.

Inisiatif ini dilaksanakan dengan kerjasama pengurusan strata di bawah Kementerian Pembangunan dan Kerajaan Tempatan (KPKT).

Mohd Noorazam berkata, bantuan bekalan merangkumi medium tanaman, peralatan kebun, bahan tanaman, stor peralatan, baja, racun dan set fertigasi mengikut keperluan dan kesesuaian di tapak.

Katanya, jumlah bantuan

"Peruntukan yang disediakan oleh MBJB untuk bekalan peralatan dan keperluan kebun kejiranan pada tahun ini sebanyak RM296,700"



yang diberikan berdasarkan keperluan awal penanaman untuk jumlah 200 anak pokok.

"Peruntukan yang disediakan oleh MBJB untuk bekalan peralatan dan keperluan kebun kejiranan

pada tahun ini sebanyak RM296,700.

"Sebahagian besar hasil tanaman dijual dan wang hasil jualan digunakan sebagai modal pusingan untuk menampung kos pengurusan atau pelaksanaan aktiviti bagi memastikan program kebun kejiranan dilaksanakan secara berturus.

"Selain itu, sebahagian kecil hasil tanaman juga diagihkan kepada penduduk sekitar kejiranan.

"Ia bagi menampung keperluan harian, sekali gus dapat membantu mengurangkan kos perbelanjaan," katanya.

Sebarang masalah di kawasan anda boleh dikongsi ke e-mel ke Suara Anda, Kami Dengar di am@hmetro.com.my



TAJUK : MAN JAILED 1 YEAR FOR THREATENING SON WITH KNIFE

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : NEW STRAITS TIMES

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 06

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

ORDERED SON TO PRAY

Man jailed 1 year for threatening son with knife

TAWAU: A man was sentenced to 12 months' imprisonment by the magistrate's court here after pleading guilty to criminal intimidation of his son in August.

Magistrate Don Stiwin Malanjum imposed the sentence after the accused, 32, pleaded guilty to the offence, which carries a maximum penalty of seven years' imprisonment or a fine, or both.

According to the charge, the accused was alleged to have made a criminal threat with the intention of causing fear by brandishing a knife at his 13-year-old son in their family home in Jalan Tiku near here at 9am on Aug 4, before instructing him to pray.

The prosecution was conducted by prosecution officer Assistant Superintendent Nur Intan Jamrin, while the accused was not represented.

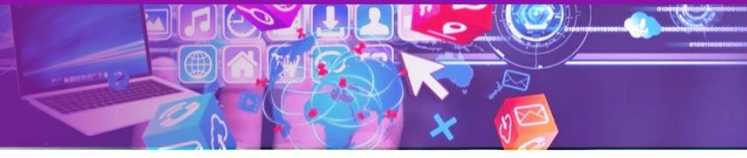
Based on the facts of the case, the incident occurred when the accused went to his former in-law's house and had rushed to the kitchen, grabbed a knife and approached the victim while brandishing it and instructing him to pray.

The frightened victim complied with his father's instructions before his aunt contacted the police.

The accused, who works at a car wash facility and is divorced from his wife, had previously been referred to Mesra Bukit Padang Hospital in Kota Kinabalu due to suspected mental health issues.

In mitigation, he requested the court to consider a more lenient sentence, claiming he had repented and regretted his actions.

The court ordered the imprisonment to take effect from the date of arrest on Aug 4.



TAJUK : PAPAR CENTRE TO HOUSE MIGRANT KIDS

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : NEW STRAITS TIMES

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 08

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

SABAH FACILITY

PAPAR CENTRE TO HOUSE MIGRANT KIDS

Baitul Mahabbah centre will take in children of illegal migrants by year end, says Saifuddin

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THE Baitul Mahabbah centre for illegal child immigrants in Papar, here, is expected to be operational by the end of the year, said Home Minister Datuk Seri Saifuddin Nasution Ismail.

He said child detainees aged 10 and below would be placed at Baitul Mahabbah, which would be run by the Immigration Department, until their documentation process was completed and they were deported.

"In the 2024 Budget, the prime minister approved RM10 million for Baitul Mahabbah to be expanded to Sabah and Sarawak.

"Such an initiative will benefit the welfare of detainees and improve the reputation of Malaysia in the international stage in managing detainees and their human rights," he said, adding that there was a pilot centre in Nilai, Negri Sembilan.

Saifuddin was speaking at the Sabah People's Volunteer Corps (Rela) Training Centre here.

He also said the government was concerned about the welfare of Rela personnel and would ensure that facilities would be repaired and upgraded.

Among the initiatives announced in the 2024 Budget were a RM50 million allocation to maintain quarters of the Home Ministry's agencies, RM17 million to upgrade the Narcotic Addiction Recovery Centre (Puspen) in Papar, RM7.3 million to fix or replace lifts at the Sabah police

complex and RM9.7 million to upgrade the state Rela training centre.

To beef up border security, the following facilities will be built: General Operations Force (GOF) posts in Pagalungan, Nabawan and Kinabatangan; an Immigration, Customs, Quarantine and Security Complex in Bantul, Pagalungan; a housing and administration complex for the 20th GOF Battalion in Beluran; a Malaysian Maritime Enforcement Agency base in Semporna; and a forward operating base on Mabul Island.

Saifuddin also gave an assurance that the Eastern Sabah Security Zone (Esszone) was secure as authorities had thwarted 40 kidnap-for-ransom attempts between 2017 and this year.

"This has significantly elevated the security level in the Esszone, as shown by the increase in the number of tourists.

"It is estimated that 156,363 foreign tourists visited the five

tourist destinations in the Esszone: Kudat, Sandakan, Kinabatangan, Lahad Datu and Semporna, based on tourist entry records from January to September this year."

Accompanying Saifuddin was Home Ministry secretary-general Datuk Ruji Ubi.

On another matter, Saifuddin said the Sabah government had kept the federal government up to date on the registration of foreign workers' digital data.

Saifuddin said his ministry and the state government had formed a joint committee on the matter.

"The data survey on foreigners in Sabah is under the purview of the Sabah Chief Minister's Department, which is now gathering the data before we plan matters related to immigration, citizenship and birth certificates.

"The Sabah government always provides updates, and we always collaborate with them, especially in this case through the Chief Minister's Department," he said,

adding that any funds needed for the registration would be discussed through the committee.

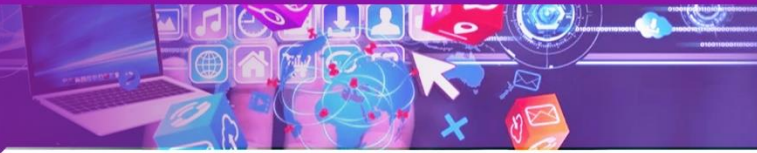
Last year, the Sabah government announced that Deputy Chief Minister Datuk Seri Jeffrey Kitingan would lead the effort to gather data to resolve the long-standing problem of undocumented migrants.

A pilot project on more than 14,000 respondents from Sabah government-linked company Sawit Kinabalu found almost half of them were illegal workers.

Asked about measures to solve the problem of undocumented immigrants in Sabah, Saifuddin said that the issue was on the radar of the ministry.

"This issue didn't happen overnight. We inherited it from the past.

"The fact is now, we are the government, and the government's role is to address these problems, and we are not sweeping these problems under the carpet."



TAJUK : BUDGET 2024 BOOSTS PWD EMPOWERMENT EARLY EDUCATION ACCESS - RAS ADIBA

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : THE BORNEO POST

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 08

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Budget 2024 boosts PwD empowerment, early education access — Ras Adiba

KUALA LUMPUR: Budget 2024 tabled by the Unity Government last Friday is seen as an effort to empower Persons with Disabilities (PwD) to become independent and provide broader access to early childhood education.

Persatuan OKU Sentral president Datuk Ras Adiba Mohd Radzi, who welcomed the Budget, said this could be seen through the implementation of the Madani Training Programme which included training and skills enhancement programmes for PwD and senior citizens.

"The Social Security Organisation (Socso) will provide a special incentive of RM1,500 per month for six months to pay vulnerable

groups such as PwD.

"They are among the groups facing difficulties in finding quality employment with fair wages," she said in a statement.

The former senator said the effort would help PwD to obtain jobs that matched their qualifications, thereby reducing the unemployment rate among youths in the group.

Increasing the allowance for disabled trainees from RM150 to RM300 per month, with an allocation of RM30 million, would benefit more than 18,000 disabled trainees, she added.

She said the allocation for providing special education support equipment and creating disabled-friendly facilities aligns with the PwD Action Plan 2016-2023.

Ras Adiba added that the allocation of RM5 million to support targeted groups across 105 community colleges nationwide would promote participation in Lifelong Learning Programmes among vulnerable groups, including PwD, Orang Asli, single mothers, and senior citizens.

Meanwhile, Early Childhood Care and Education Council Malaysia president Prof Dr Mariani Md Nor said the allocation for early childhood care and education in the Budget 2024 demonstrated the government's dedication to improving the standard of preschool education and promoting a more inclusive atmosphere that ensured equitable access to education

for all children.

She said it was worth mentioning that a significant RM586 million had been allocated to the Community Development Department (Kemas) for the forthcoming year, including an additional RM20 million designated to improve and update the early childhood education facilities at Kemas.

"It is critical to emphasise that the Malaysia Madani Budget 2024 by the Unity Government not only prioritises the advancement of early childhood education but also capitalises on the chance to encourage the active participation of women in the labour force," she told Bernama. — Bernama



TAJUK :	GIRL, 17, AMONG FIVE NABBED IN MAJOR DRUG BUST, 42.2KG OF METH SEIZED		
HARI :	SELASA	AKHBAR :	THE BORNEO POST
TARIKH :	17 OKT 2023	M/SURAT :	01
TONE :	NEGATIF	SEKTOR :	KPWKM



Mohd Azman (centre) and his deputy Dato Mancha Ata (second left) show the confiscated drugs during the press conference. — Photo by Roystein Emmor

Girl, 17, among five nabbed in major drug bust, 42.2kg of meth seized

Gallieo Pettingi

KUCHING: A 17-year-old female student was among five individuals arrested on suspicion of being involved in a drug trafficking syndicate, in connection with the seizure of 42.2kg of drugs from a hotel here on Oct 12.

Sarawak Police Commissioner Datuk Mohd Azman Ahmad Sapri said the arrests were carried out during the fourth series of Ops Tapis Khas that ran from Oct 10 to 12.

He said the two women and three men, aged between 17 and 22, were apprehended separately

in Bintawa and Stutong, here.

"The arrests resulted in the confiscation of 42.2kg of drugs believed to be methamphetamine, worth RM1.4 million, from a hotel at Jalan Nanas.

"A car valued at RM50,000 was also seized during the operation," he said during a press conference at the Sarawak Contingent police headquarters here yesterday.

He added this Ops Tapis Khas series marked one of the most successful operations in Sarawak.

Mohd Azman said the modus operandi involved the suspects receiving the drugs from their suppliers in Peninsular Malaysia and then transporting the drugs

to Kuching via flights for the markets here as well as in Sibul, Bintulu and Miri.

The case is being investigated under Section 39B of the Dangerous Drugs Act 1952, which carries the death sentence or life imprisonment and caning, upon conviction. All of the suspects are currently on remand until Oct 20.

Adding on, he said one of the suspects had two prior drug-related records under sections 39B and 15(1)(a) of the Dangerous Drugs Act 1952, as well as one record under Section 4(1)(c) of the Common Gaming Houses Act 1953.

On Ops Tapis Khas Series

4, Mohd Azman said it was simultaneously launched nationwide by the Narcotics Criminal Investigation Department (NCID) Bukit Aman.

For Sarawak, he said the operation involved 237 police officers and personnel, covering people's housing projects (PPRTs), settlements, farms and fishing villages, among others.

During the operation, 278 individuals (252 men and 26 women, aged 15 to 63) were arrested for various drug-related offences.

A total of 42.5kg of various types of drugs were seized, estimated to be worth RM1,452,258.50.



TAJUK : ONE WOMAN KILLED, FOUR IN JURED IN 4WD-LORRY ACCIDENT

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : THE BORNEO POST

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 07

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM



Rescuers work to extricate the body from the front passenger seat. — Bomba photo

One woman killed, four injured in 4WD-lorry accident

Conny Banji

SARIKEI: A woman was killed, and four other people were injured in an accident involving two vehicles near SMK Sungai Paoh here late Sunday.

Fire and Rescue Department (Bomba) Sibu chief Andy Alie said the Sarikei station was notified about the incident

by police at 11.39pm, and dispatched its firefighters to the scene.

"The accident involved a lorry and a four-wheel-drive (4WD) vehicle.

"There were five people inside the 4WD, among them the woman, who was pinned in the front passenger seat," he said in a statement.

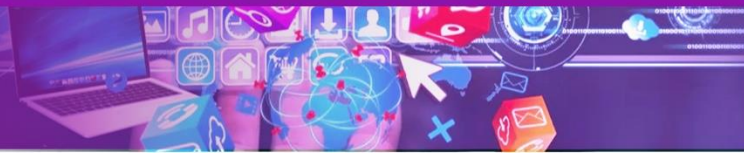
Andy said rescuers were able to

take the woman out of the 4WD, but she was later pronounced dead at the scene by Sarikei Hospital personnel.

She was 54.

"The other four individuals in the 4WD sustained injuries and were sent to hospital for treatment," he added.

The lorry's driver and attendant were not injured in the incident.



TAJUK :	TEENAGER GIRLS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH ASSAULT OF 12-YEAR-OLD		
HARI :	SELASA	AKHBAR :	THE BORNEO POST
TARIKH :	17 OKT 2023	M/SURAT :	02
TONE :	NEGATIF	SEKTOR :	KPWKM

Teenage girls arrested in connection with assault of 12-year-old

KUCHING: Police have arrested two teenage girls suspected of being involved in the beating of a 12-year-old girl in Asajaya.

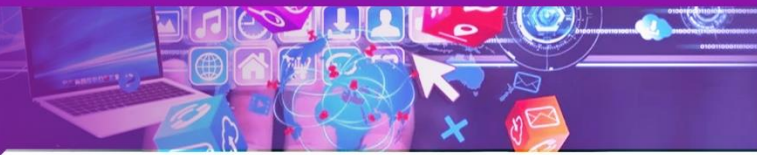
Kota Samarahan police chief DSP Brodie Brangka said the duo, aged 13 and 16, was detained after a video showing the victim being assaulted in a village went viral

on social media.

"A police report was filed by the victim's mother on Oct 14 at around 10.33pm. The case is being investigated under Section 323 of the Penal Code for voluntarily causing hurt," he said in a statement yesterday.

Brodie said if convicted, the

two teenagers could be jailed for up to one year or fined up to RM2,000, or both. He added the case is also being investigated under Section 506 of the Penal Code for criminal intimidation, which provides imprisonment for up to two years or a fine, or both, upon conviction.



TAJUK : WOMAN LOSES BID TO GET COURT TO CHANGE SON'S RELIGIOUS STATUS

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : THE BORNEO POST

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 06

TONE : NEUTRAL

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Woman loses bid to get court to change son's religious status

Desiree David

KUCHING: A woman here yesterday lost her bid to get a court declaration to change her son's religion from Islam to Buddhism.

In dismissing the application, High Court Judge Zaleha Rose Pandin said the changes sought were tantamount to renouncing the faith and not simply seeking for a declaration.

"Having perused carefully the facts, the child was born as a Muslim. The civil court is not clothed with jurisdiction when it comes to renouncing the Islamic faith. It is the purview of the Syariah Court.

"Notwithstanding that the child did not profess or practise or was raised as a Muslim, one cannot make unilateral declarations. There are processes on the matter," said the judge.

In early August, the 52-year-old mother filed an originating summons to seek a declaration that she has the right to determine the religion and upbringing of her teenage son, who at present has a Muslim name on his MyKad.

She was seeking a court order to compel the National Registration Department (JPN), among others, to record changes in her son's MyKad in relation to his religion.

The mother named the Malaysian Births, Deaths

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Zaleha Rose Pandin

and Adoptions director; the Sarawak regional registrar of Births and Deaths; the Identity Card Division director; the JPN director-general; JPN; and the federal government, as the first to sixth defendants.

According to previous reports, the son – born in Sabah and living in Sarawak – has followed Buddhism since childhood.

The divorced mother claimed her son's Muslim father did not object to his Buddhist beliefs.

The teenager, born on Oct 18, 2005, never attended Islamic classes during his schooling years, never practised Islam, and does not want to be considered a Muslim, she claimed further.

The mother said that on July 5 this year, she and her lawyers encountered issues when trying to update her son's identity card information at JPN Sarawak.

She claimed that a JPN Sarawak staff refused to accept the application and handed her a different set of forms to complete.

The mother claimed that she resubmitted the application on

July 18, along with supporting documents from her ex-husband and their son, which JPN accepted.

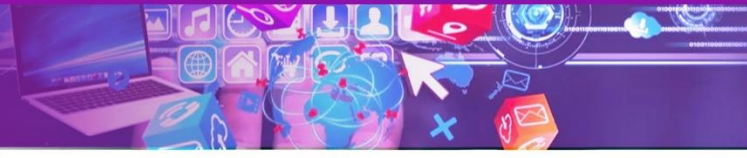
She said that after her lawyers wrote to the state JPN, they received a response on July 31, indicating that the department neither granted nor rejected the application and asked her to fill out additional forms.

The mother said the forms were repetitive as they were, in essence, identical – especially the second and third forms – save for the provisions of the relevant ordinance.

She contended that as a Malaysian citizen, she is entitled to correct the details on her son's identity card in the relevant register in any part of the country.

She also claimed that her son is known by his Chinese name to friends, family, teachers and the local community, and they both participate in a Buddhist society here.

Representing the mother were counsels Clarice Chan and Joshua Baru.



TAJUK :	WORKS ON PROMISED HOMELESS TRANSIT CENTRES SHOULD ALREADY BE RUNNING BY NOW - ACTIVIST		
HARI :	SELASA	AKHBAR :	THE BORNEO POST
TARIKH :	17 OKT 2023	M/SURAT :	07
TONE :	POSITIF	SEKTOR :	KPWKM

Works on promised homeless transit centres should already be running by now — Activist

MIRI: The homeless transit centre project should already get going now, in view of the rising number of homeless people in Sarawak.

In making this call, local activist Stephen Then said the promised transit centres seemed to be 'too slow' in their progress towards implementation, adding that many homeless folks had found themselves to be at risk of danger while finding shelter on the streets.

In this regard, he cited a case where an elderly man was found dead near Persiaran Kabor here, early Sunday.

Then said he knew the man, known among the homeless community and the volunteers as 'Pak man', in his 60s.

"The body was found in a pool of blood, and there were stab wounds in the abdomen. It could have been an attack. I was shocked to hear the tragic news. He was a gentle old man who always talked in a soft voice, and he was very respectful to everyone.

"The last time I saw him alive was during our food distribution drive around the Old Man Street here last Saturday.

"If only the transit centres for the homeless promised by the government were ready, they would have provided better security, as being on the streets exposes the homeless folks to many dangers," he told The Borneo Post here.

Adding on, Then stressed that



Photo shows a homeless man sleeping on a five-footway at a commercial block in Miri.

the relevant authorities must now kick-start 'a real programme on the ground' to help the homeless community.

In August this year, it was announced that a transit home would be built near the previous Telekom office opposite St Joseph's Cathedral here. A corporate firm and a foundation had donated RM250,000 meant for the setting-up of this facility as part of their corporate social responsibility (CSR) in supporting the state government's initiative in addressing the issue of homelessness.

Then and his group of volunteers have been distributing packed food to the homeless folks

in the city since the enforcement of the Movement Control Order (MCO) during the height of the Covid-19 pandemic in 2020.

Throughout the past several years, he has observed that there are many types of people living on the streets: there are old men and women who are without next-of-kin or out of touch with their families; those with family problems; individuals who are unwell, whom Then believes are in genuine need of help; those addicted to substances; and also .

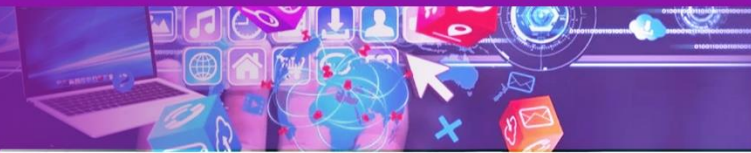
"There are many of them. Also, there are thugs who may hurt the weak ones.

"These (transit) centres need to be built fast to help the homeless folks, where they can get help to find proper jobs, to be trained, to be able to handle their emotions or deal with their family problems, and even to overcome their addictions," he added.

Then said the homeless community also included young people from the rural areas who came to Miri for employment opportunities.

"Many come here without proper planning. Then, they fail to land any job and money runs out; in the end, they end up on the streets. I have encountered some of them wandering here, with no food, no relatives and no friends.

"They're forced to sleep on the streets, and surviving on handouts from kind-hearted souls," said the activist.



TAJUK :	TWO BROTHERS PLEAD NOT GUILTY TO HARMING MUM		
HARI :	SELASA	AKHBAR :	THE STAR
TARIKH :	17 OKT 2023	M/SURAT :	16
TONE :	NEGATIF	SEKTOR :	KPWKM

Two brothers plead not guilty to harming mum

PORT DICKSON: Two brothers, including a juvenile, pleaded not guilty at a Magistrate's Court here to a charge of voluntarily causing hurt to their mother.

Aged 17 and 29, they claimed trial after the charge was read to them before magistrate Uthman Abd Ghani.

The siblings were charged with jointly committing the offence at their house in Taman Pertama near here at 9.28pm on Sept 28.

The charge came under Section 323 of the Penal Code which provides for imprisonment of up to a year or a maximum fine of RM2,000, or both, read together with Section 326A of the law.

Section 326A provides imprisonment for a term which may extend to twice the maximum term for which the offender would have been liable for the offence under Section 323.

The older suspect asked for a lowered bail amount as he was unemployed.

His younger brother also made the same request, saying that he was still schooling.

Uthman then set bail at RM3,000 with one surety for each of the suspects and fixed Nov 16 for the next mention.



TAJUK : WIFE KILLS CHEATING HUSBAND BY SNAKE BITE

HARI : SELASA

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Wife kills cheating husband by snake bite

A WIFE killed her cheating spouse by getting a venomous snake to bite him while he was asleep, *Malaysia Nanban* reported.

Identified only as Lalitha, she had confronted her 42-year-old husband Pravin about his two-timing ways.

Pravin, who was a real estate agent, had begun an affair during his frequent travels.

The couple's home is in India's Andhra Pradesh state.

Despite being told off by Lalitha, Pravin apparently refused to end the affair.

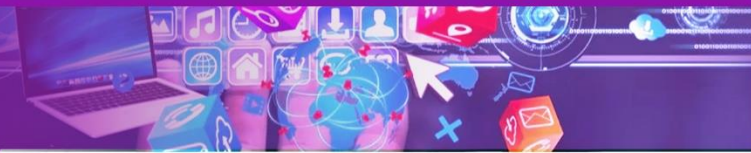
The pair, who have three children, began to have frequent fights. Pravin also began drinking heavily, frustrating Lalitha even more.

She decided to kill Pravin and recruited two of his colleagues to abet her with promises of helping them obtain some land titles.

Last Tuesday, Pravin once again drank heavily and passed out.

Lalitha seized the chance and contacted her two collaborators who brought over a snake and made it bite the sleeping husband. He died on the spot.

Lalitha later admitted to the crime during the police investigation. All three people involved in the act have been arrested.



TAJUK : 1,000 JOIN BREAST CANCER FUN RUN

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : THE SUN DAILY

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

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1,000 join breast cancer fun run

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KLANG: Stadium Sultan Suleiman in Klang was awash in pink on Sunday as participants and spectators wore theme coloured attire for the Pinky Fun Run, held to promote Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

It was flagged off by Her Royal Highness Tengku Permaisuri Selangor, Tengku Permaisuri Hajah Norashikin, who also took part in the run.

Held in conjunction with the Klang Municipal Council Car Free Day, the event saw about 1,000 runners taking part in the 8km, 5km and 3km run along Jalan Istana in the vicinity of the stadium.

The run was organised by the Bukit Kuda Health Clinic advisory panel, with technical coordination by Puncak Ventures SRA Sdn Bhd.

Bukit Kuda Health Clinic advisory panel chairman Abd Rahim Shaharudin said the event served as a platform for creating breast cancer awareness.

He added that the event also emphasised that early detection could significantly improve the prognosis of breast cancer and survival rates.

He said it was important for individuals to be aware of the risks, and the importance of early detection and prevention of breast cancer.

"While it is very rare, men can also get breast cancer," he said.

Council president Noraini Roslan said the event is a symbol of unity, strength and a commitment to raising awareness about early breast cancer detection.

On the Car Free Day, Noraini said it was first introduced on June 19 last year.



TAJUK : IDENTIFYING VERTIGO TRIGGERS IN CHILDREN

HARI : SELASA

AKHBAR : THE SUN DAILY

TARIKH : 17 OKT 2023

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Identifying **vertigo** **triggers** in children

► Parents need to be aware of causes and recognise symptoms to facilitate prompt treatment, says expert

KUALA LUMPUR: People with vertigo feel as though they are spinning or moving, or that the world is twirling around them.

It can occur as a result of a condition affecting the inner ear or certain parts of the brain that disrupt the body's balance. Symptoms of vertigo include headache, nausea, vomiting, sweating, ringing in the ears, problems focusing and loss of balance which may cause falls.

Although it is usually associated with adults, children are also at risk of experiencing it.

International Islamic University Malaysia otorhinolaryngologist Asst Prof Dr Norazwani Azwal said vertigo can occur in children as young as two years old.

She said vertigo in children is caused by several conditions, two of which are vestibular migraine and

benign paroxysmal positional vertigo (BPPV).

"We need to identify what triggers the vestibular migraine attacks and then we will help patients avoid them," she said, adding that vestibular migraine can occur daily or once a week depending on the cause of the triggers.

She said triggers could be linked to the children's diet.

"For example, parents should avoid giving cheese to their child if he is allergic to it to avoid any triggers," she told Bernama.

BPPV is caused by the displacement of small calcium crystals within the inner ear. An episode of BPPV may last only several seconds and often occurs when a person changes his or her position while lying on the bed.

Norazwani said children with

vertigo should be treated promptly, with the mode of treatment subject to the cause of the attack. The children should also get enough rest.

"It is easy to identify symptoms in young children if they are able to tell their parents that they are feeling nauseous or dizzy. For young children who are unable to express themselves, parents can detect symptoms if their child is walking unsteadily, staggering or have abnormal eye movements."

Children who have family members with a history of migraine are more likely to develop vertigo caused by vestibular migraine or BPPV.

Malaysian National Society of Audiologists president Assoc Prof Dr Nor Haniza Abdul Wahat said even though vertigo is not common in children, parents and caregivers still need to be vigilant about the symptoms.

She warned that today's children are at risk of developing "digital vertigo" caused by prolonged use of gadgets. It has been reported that too much screen time could cause them to experience dizzy spells and nausea, similar to symptoms of vertigo.