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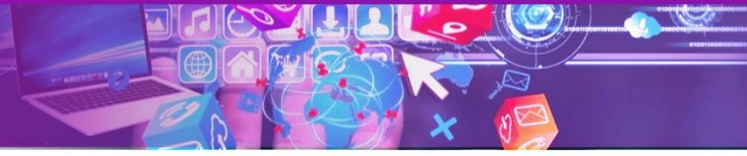
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TAJUK : DUA WANITA GENG PECAH RUMAH DICEKUP BERSAMA 7 LAGI SUSPEK

HARI : AHAD

AKHBAR : METRO AHAD

TARIKH : 22 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 07

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM



ANTARA barangan yang dirampas daripada kumpulan terbabit.

Dua wanita geng pecah rumah dicekup bersama 7 lagi suspek

Subang: Dua wanita adalah antara sembilan individu yang diberkas polis selepas dipercayai menganggotai geng pecah rumah di daerah ini.

Kesemua suspek berusia 20 hingga 43 tahun itu ditahan sepasukan pegawai dan anggota dari Ibu Pejabat Polis Daerah (IPD) Subang Jaya dalam serbuan di SS19 Subang Jaya di sini, kelmarin.

Ketua Polis Daerah Subang Jaya Asisten Komisioner Wan Azlan Wan Mamat berkata, terdahulu pihaknya menerima laporan daripada mangsa yang mendakwa rumahnya dichek masuk dan pelbagai barangan berharga bernilai

kira-kira RM10,000 hilang. "Bertindak atas maklumat, pasukan menjalankan siasatan berjaya menahan tujuh lelaki dan dua wanita di kawasan SS19 Subang Jaya.

"Polis turut merampas sebuah kereta dan motosikal, 58 jam tangan pelbagai jenama, barang kemas, telefon bimbit, pakaian, topi keledar dan kasut.

"Turut ditemui dadah jenis heroin seberat 1.7 gram dan peralatan menghisap dadah," katanya semalam.

Wan Azlan berkata, soal siasat dilakukan, kumpulan itu mengaku terbabit beberapa kes pecah masuk rumah di sekitar Subang Jaya.

Menurutnya, ujian sari-

ngan air kencing yang dibuat mendapati kesemua suspek positif dadah serta mempunyai rekod jenayah lampau.

Katanya, mereka direman selama lima hari bermula hari ini sehingga 24 Oktober ini dan kes disiasat mengikut Seksyen 457 Kanun Keseksaan.

Dalam kes berasingan, beliau berkata, pihaknya turut menahan seorang lelaki disyaki terbabit kes pecah masuk rumah dalam serbuan di Masai, Johor, pada 16 Oktober lalu.

"Polis berjaya merampas beberapa barangan dipercayai hasil jenayah dilakukan. Semakan juga mendapati suspek mempunyai 18 rekod jenayah lampau termasuk dadah," katanya.

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TAJUK : JENTIK KAKI BAYI MULA MENANGIS

HARI : AHAD

AKHBAR : METRO AHAD

TARIKH : 22 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 18

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

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Kuala Lumpur

Pengalaman sukar digambarkan apabila saya menyambut kelahiran bayi di dalam lori tangki selain turut memotong tali pusat bayi lelaki itu," ujar pegawai perubatan di Jabatan Kecemasan Klinik Kesihatan Sanggang, Temerloh, Pahang, Dr Aliff Zaki Md Zaki, 30.

Menurutnya, kejadian berlaku jam 3.50 petang, Khamis lalu apabila, seorang wanita sarat mengandung yang menaiki lori dipandu suaminya, mahu melahirkan bayi berhamiran Kilometer 121, Lebuh raya Pantai Timur (LPT) menghala Kuantan, Pahang.

"Saya yang ketika itu sedang bertugas, menerima panggilan kecemasan sebelum bergegas ke lokasi bersama dua jururawat dengan menaiki ambulans.

"Kami turut membawa

JENTIK KAKI BAYI MULA MENANGIS

Doktor kongsi pengalaman sambut kelahiran dalam lori tangki



Kejadian seumpama itu tidak pernah saya dialaminya sepanjang lima tahun berkhidmat sebagai doktor"

Dr Aliff Zaki

peralatan dan kelengkapan dari klinik sebagai persediaan bagi berdepan sebarang kemungkinan atau situasi tidak dijangka," katanya ketika dihubungi Harian Metro, semalam.

Menurutnya, ketika tiba di lokasi, lori tangki berkenaan didapati berhenti di bahu lebuh raya manakala wanita berkenaan



LOKASI kejadian wanita melahirkan bayi dalam lori tangki di Kilometer 121, Lebuh raya Pantai Timur (LPT) menghala Kuantan, Pahang.

masih berada di tempat duduk penumpang kenderaan berat itu.

"Saya kemudian memanjat masuk ke dalam lori sebelum mendapati bayi itu sudah selamat dilahirkan di dalam lori. Namun bayi itu masih bertali

pusat dan uri juga masih belum dikeluarkan.

"Perkara pertama yang saya lakukan adalah memeriksa tindak balas ibu bayi itu dan memastikan tiada pendarahan serius berlaku," katanya.

Aliff Zaki yang menge-

tuai operasi ini berkata, wanita itu kemudian diserahkan kepada jururawat untuk dibersihkan selepas proses memotong tali pusat dan mengeluarkan uri selesai dijalankan.

"Tumpuan seterusnya diberikan terhadap bayi itu

yang tidak bergerak. Sulalu itu saya menjentik perlahan-lahan kakinya. Saya bersyukur apabila bayi itu memberi reaksi dan menangis beberapa minit kemudian.

"Bayi itu kemudian diserahkan kepada jururawat selepas dibalut dengan kain tuala bagi mengelakkan kesejukan, sekali gus memastikan bayi itu kekal menerima rangsangan," katanya.

Kata Aliff Zaki, beliau dan ahli pasukan perubatan bersyukur kerana tiada insiden tidak diinginkan berlaku membabitkan wanita dan bayi dilahirkan itu.

"Saya difahamkan ibu dan bayinya itu sudah stabil namun mereka masih ditahan di Hospital Sultan Haji Ahmad Shah (HoSHAS), Temerloh, Pahang kerana memerlukan pemantauan lanjut.

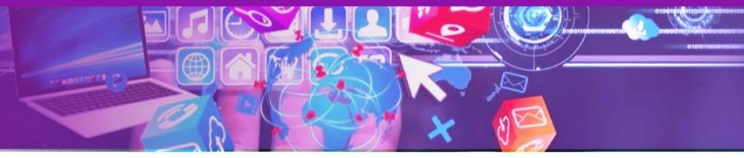
"Kejadian seumpama itu tidak pernah saya dialaminya sepanjang lima tahun berkhidmat sebagai doktor. Apapun ia adalah pengalaman paling manis dan menguja," katanya.



JURURAWAT membantu Dr Aliff Zaki menyambut kelahiran bayi dalam lori tangki.



DR Aliff Zaki menyambut kelahiran bayi di dalam lori tangki di tepi Lebuh raya Pantai Timur (LPT) menghala Kuantan, Pahang.



TAJUK : TETAP SAYANG ABANG, ADIK

HARI : AHAD

AKHBAR : METRO AHAD

TARIKH : 22 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 08

TONE : NEUTRAL

SEKTOR : KPWKM

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Tampoi

“Hati ibu mana tidak hancur melihat anak lelaki sulung melakukan kesalahan sehingga dihukum penjara. Namun sebagai ibu, saya akan terus memberi sokongan kepada anak di saat ujian getir ini,” kata ibu tiga anak yang hanya mahu dikenali sebagai Ana.

Ana, 42, mendapat perhatian di TikTok apabila dia tanpa malu berkongsi kisah yang melawat anak sulung digelar ‘abang’ berusia awal 20-an yang kini sedang menjalani hukuman penjara lima tahun di sebuah penjara di Melaka atas kesalahan jenayah dilakukan April lalu.

Perkongsi wanita itu mendapat reaksi positif, doa dan semangat untuknya yang tanpa lelah melawat anaknya dengan menaiki bas dari rumah di Tampoi ke Muar, Johor sebelum dibawa ahli keluarganya ke Melaka setiap bulan.

Ana berkata, ‘abang’ adalah anak sulungnya daripada tiga beradik dan mereka tinggal berasingan selepas dia dan bekas suami

TETAP SAYANG ABANG, ADIK

Wanita kongsi detik hiba dua anak dipenjara

“Biasalah apabila anak buat salah apatah lagi dipenjarakan mestilah ada ‘cakap-cakap’ kurang enak sampai kepada kita”

mengambil keputusan berpisah sembilan tahun lalu namun mengakui hubungan mereka masih baik dan erat.

Menurutnya, lebih melukakan hatinya apabila kesalahan sama turut dilakukan anak bongsunya.

“Apa yang berlaku memang meremukkan hati. Tetapi saya akur dan mengakui dua pesalah itu adalah anak yang saya lahirkan, malah hati ini tidak mampu membenci mereka berdua.

“Saya memahami undang-undang negara dan apa yang sedang berlaku ini ada hikmahnya. Cuma saya mahu abang dan adik tahu, ibu tidak akan pernah meninggalkan mereka dan sentiasa bersama dengan sokongan tidak berbelah bahagi,” katanya Ketika dihubungi Harian Metro, semalam.

Katanya, dalam situasi mencabar ini mereka sekeluarga bukan saja berhadapan dengan emosi sendiri, malah turut melalui episod sukar apabila menghadapi cemuhan orang sekeliling, namun mengakui sokongan ahli keluarga membuatnya kuat.

“Biasalah apabila anak buat salah apatah lagi dipenjarakan mestilah ada ‘cakap-cakap’ kurang enak sampai kepada kita.

“Jika saya turut membenci siapa lagi yang mahu memberikan sokongan kepada mereka supaya tak te-

rus hanyut dengan melakukan kesalahan sama atau yang lebih serius lagi.

“Situasi seperti ini memerlukan sokongan moral keluarga dan saya juga sentiasa pesan kepada mereka untuk menginsafi serta mengambil pengajaran dengan apa yang sudah berlaku,” katanya memberitahu kesalahan dilakukan anaknya itu turut memabitkan beberapa individu lain.

Menurut Ana, kedua-dua anaknya menyesali kesalahan yang dilakukan dan anak bongsunya ketika ini sedang menunggu keputusan mahkamah tidak lama lagi tetapi mengakui dia akan menerima keputusan itu dengan tenang, manakala abangnya sudah enam bulan menjalani hukuman.

“Ketika ini saya melawat abang setiap bulan biarpun terpaksa menaiki bas dari Johor ke Muar sebelum dibawa ahli keluarga ke penjara di Sungai Udang pula,” katanya.

Berhubung perkongsian videonya di TikTok, Ana berkata, dia bukan mahu membuka aib keluarga mereka sebaliknya hanya menyimpan kenangan supaya apabila anak kesayangannya dibebaskan nanti akan dapat melihat pengorbanan seorang ibu.

“Alhamdulillah, perkembangan abang di dalam sangat bagus, malah dia tidak pernah meninggalkan solat sepanjang enam bulan ini. Saya harap dia ambil manfaat melalui hukuman ini,” katanya.



TANGKAP layar perkongsian Ana di TikTok berkenaan kisah yang melawat anaknya yang kini menjalani hukuman penjara di Melaka.



TAJUK :	CENTENARIAN GETS BELATED MEDAL FOR HER BRAVERY		
HARI :	AHAD	AKHBAR :	SUNDAY STAR
TARIKH :	22 OKT 2023	M/SURAT :	03
TONE :	POSITIF	SEKTOR :	KPWKM

Centenarian gets belated medal for her bravery

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GEORGE TOWN: In an era when women's empowerment was largely unheard of, Ang Kim Choo took a bold step by joining the volunteer police movement. It was 1954 during the British colonial era.

Appointed as a special constable, she was tasked with safeguarding the neighbourhoods and patrolling the forest areas that were exposed to elements of the communist insurgency in Penang.

"We were up against armed guerillas.

"It was challenging for me, but I was determined to serve," said the centenarian, adding that at that time, special constables were not given any training.

When the situation in the country stabilised and national security forces needed fewer members, Ang, who is now 101, decided to retire in 1960.

Despite being active for only a few years, Ang said it was a memorable experience and she was proud to have been able to serve



Trailblazing woman: Penang Chief Minister Chow Kon Yeow (right) congratulating Ang at the Dewan Sri Pinang lobby.

the nation in some way.

Besides encounters with communists, Ang said she also had to face the triad gangs that thrived

in schools and certain unseemly areas then.

All her work did not go unnoticed when Ang recently received

the Pingat Jasa Kebaktian (PJK) award in conjunction with Yang di-Pertua Negri Tun Ahmad Fuzi Abdul Razak's 74th birthday cele-

bration at Dewan Sri Pinang. Her story was also shared by the state publication *Buletin Mutiara*.

Ang, who now has five children and 12 grandchildren, said she was touched to be recognised for her service after more than 60 years.

Penang social development, welfare and non-Islamic religious affairs committee chairman Lim Siew Khim said she was thrilled to have met Ang, whom she fondly called "Aunty Kim."

"I am glad that she was accorded this well-deserved award from the state for her contribution.

"Aunty Kim's life story serves as a shining example of bravery and determination.

"In an era where women faced significant challenges and discrimination, she fearlessly pursued a career as a police officer.

"Her journey reminds us that when women find the courage within themselves, they can overcome any obstacle," said Lim.

She added that Aunty Kim's story should inspire and encourage today's women to take bold steps towards their dreams.



TAJUK : ELDERLY MAN NABBED FOR IMPRESONATING COP

HARI : AHAD

AKHBAR : SUNDAY STAR

TARIKH : 22 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 05

TONE : NEGATIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Elderly man nabbed for impersonating cop

BALIK PULAU: A 63-year-old man was arrested for allegedly impersonating a police officer and obstructing the police from performing their duties in an incident in Bayan Lepas here.

In a statement, the Barat Daya district police headquarters said they received information from

the public about a man who had stopped his vehicle in the middle of the road, causing a traffic jam yesterday.

Upon arrival at the location, police officers ordered the man to produce his identification card and remove his vehicle but he refused, according to the state-

ment, reported Bernama.

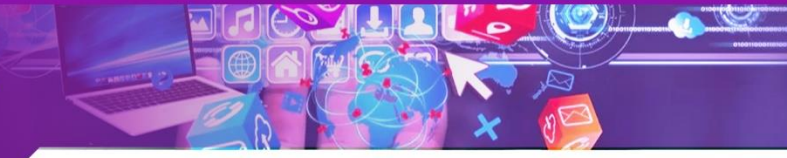
Police then detained the man and seized a community police card from him for investigation under Section 170 and Section 186 of the Penal Code for impersonating a police officer and obstructing a government servant from discharging their duties.

Meanwhile, in a separate case, police seized two motorcycles during Op Samseng Jalanan conducted in the Barat Daya district from 11pm until 3am yesterday.

It said a total of 31 summonses were issued for various violations, including driving without a licence, failure to pay road tax,

unauthorised motorcycle modifications and missing side mirrors.

"In addition to curbing mat rempit (illegal motorcycle racers), the operation also aimed at ensuring motorcyclists comply with traffic regulations and the prescribed specifications," read the statement.



TAJUK : NOT ENOUGH FOR KIDS AT RISK

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Not enough for kids at risk

A dire need to overhaul current system, say child activists

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PETALING JAYA: Two cases of child abuse a day is serious, say activists, and this warrants a dire overhaul of the current system.

To bring the numbers down, a proper structure of support should be in place, said child activist Roland Edward.

"It must include assistance, resources, accessibility and the right training for social workers and those handling child abuse cases," he added.

The Be My Protector engagement and operations director said that such a setup would help more victims come forward and report abuse.

He said there were four main categories of abuse that occurred among children - sexual, physical, mental/emotional and neglect - all of which required different approaches.

"Two cases a day is a lot; there may be many more cases that have gone unreported," said Edward.

The number of cases is based on a calculation done by consultant paediatrician and children's activist Dr Amar-Singh HISS, who concluded that one in 10 children in Malaysia are being abused.

"Right now, we are not equipped with the right infrastructure, openness and support to handle such cases," said Edward.

"So why don't people come forward is the question we should ideally ask," he said, adding that the stigma attached to the issue was also a contributing factor.

"It is high time we changed the system and set one up that would enable victims and those helping them to seek the appropriate help.

"The initial step would be to have a specifically trained person to address calls made to Talian Kasih, which should ideally be linked to the police so that the

child in question can be removed from the abusive environment.

"The passing of the Social Work Bill would be among the right steps towards having dedicated well-trained people to handle these cases, which can also indirectly offload the currently overburdened Welfare Department.

"Then, the cases should be diverted to experts handling the different categories of abuse. This is where the medical professionals come in," he added.

Regular engagement with children in schools and educating the public have been recommended.

Edward pointed out how local communities can play a significant role.

"Adopt the 'people for the people' attitude," he said. "It takes a village to raise a child, remember?"

Improvements in the medical field for those tasked with providing treatment to victims of child abuse is also crucial.

Public health medicine specialist Datuk Dr Zainal Ariffin Omar said the current standard operating procedures should be upgraded, especially at hospitals.

"These include alerting the emergency department or hospital or outpatient department when receiving abuse cases," he said.

"Ideally, there should be immediate notifications to the Welfare Department and police.

"General practitioners and those working at health clinics should be given adequate training by professionals," Dr Zainal Ariffin suggested.

Follow-up procedures for victims should also be conducted.

Dr Zainal Ariffin however feels that community help is not at the desired level.

"There is a lack of awareness among the people, mainly due to inconvenience or embarrassment.

"The kampung (village) spirit is

Cases recorded by Talian Kasih related to children

Type of Cases	Complaints/case	Inquiries	Total
Child abuse	524	632	1,156
Juvenile crime	26	48	74
Institutions/nurseries	48	142	190
Dissatisfaction with JKM's action	4	1	5
Foster children	1	30	31
Counselling/advice	2	6	8
Child counselling line	1	0	1
General questions	4	121	125
Total	610	980	1,590

Note:
● Complaints: Cases investigated by JKM Officer
● Inquiries: Not a case and does not require further investigation
● All cases at Talian Kasih from January until August have been addressed and closed.

Source: Women, Family and Community Development Ministry
TheStargraphics

dying off everywhere," he said.

In a reply to Tebrau MP Jimmy Puah Wee Tse recently, Women, Family and Community Development Minister Datuk Seri Nancy Shukri told the Dewan Rakyat that her ministry had launched the Child Protection Advocacy Programme.

This was among steps taken by the government to reduce the increasing number of abuse cases and to help affected children after being rescued.

The programme is carried out via interactive talks and will be implemented continuously.

It was launched on Sept 18 at SK Seri Tasek, Selangor and SK Malaya, Sabah.

"The programme involves the ministry's strategic cooperation with the Education Ministry together with the police and the

Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Commission (MCMC), Nancy said.

"It was developed with the intention of improving awareness among children about their rights, knowledge on safe and unsafe touch, usage of the Internet, and what to do if they are abused, including approaching their teachers or the authorities," she added.

Based on statistics collected from 2018 to June, parents were identified as the main culprits in child abuse cases.

In a local daily, Bukit Aman Sexual, Women and Child Investigations Division (D11) assistant director Assistant Comuz Siti Kamsiah Hassan revealed that 1,505 child abuse cases handled by the police involved parents of the victims.

Ministry: 524 child abuse cases recorded in eight months

PETALING JAYA: Every day, in the first eight months of this year alone, Talian Kasih received at least two cases of child abuse.

Of the 1,156 calls received by the Women, Family and Community Development Ministry's (KPWK) hotline, 524 were of child abuse.

In contrast, complaints against institutions and nurseries were at 48 and juvenile crime hit 26.

In tackling the issue against child abuse, the ministry, through its Welfare Department (JKM), established 140 Child Protection Team (FPKK), 133 Child Welfare Team (PKKK) and 142 Children's Activity Centres (PAKK) to be the "eyes and ears" as well as create advocacy programmes in local communities.

"We have also established strategic cooperation with the Rural and Regional Development Ministry, Education Ministry and the police for a more targeted advocacy programme in tackling this issue," said the KPWK in a statement.

"Efforts to empower the community with knowledge and skills are being carried out via Community Based Organisation (CBO), which began in Sepang," the ministry said.

"The basis of the CBO is community development by local members who play an important role in developing society through involvement and collective action," it told The Star.

It added that the CBO KPWK directory would be used by CBO members who had been either appointed by it or the Village Community Management Council (MPKK).

"This directory serves as a reference document to address target groups within the community and speed up actions that can be taken at the community level," the ministry said.

However, it still urged the public to be aware about their surrounding environment always and report any cases of child abuse immediately, even if it was only a suspected one.

Overall, the Talian Kasih received 51,461 calls with 1,388 cases recorded between January and August this year.

Among the calls include those on domestic violence (1,028), beggars/homeless (301), tele-counselling (704), welfare assistance (6,465), people with disabilities (178), senior citizen (206), agencies under the ministry (8,714) and unrelated (24,353).

The Talian Kasih hotline (previously Talian Nur) was launched as an early intervention for victims of abuse, domestic violence and natural disasters in 2007.

It is a community care line, accessible to the public and functions as a "single point of contact" for the community.

Reports can be made by calling Talian Kasih at 15999, WhatsApp 019 261 5999 or visit any District Social Welfare Office or contact the nearest police station.

Speaking up about child abuse

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CRIB Foundation (Child Rights Innovation and Betterment) co-chairperson Srividhya Ganapathy said the hotline was being under-utilised and that many were still unaware of what they could do to help stop child abuse.

Srividhya said more cases could be stopped if people knew what to do and where to report.

"When people encounter suspected cases of child abuse such as when they see a child being left in the car for hours at the parking lot or when they hear their neighbour's kid crying non-stop at all hours of the day, they don't know who to call or what will happen if they call," she said.

Srividhya added that people might also not be aware that Talian Nur has been integrated into Talian Kasih.

"We need a dedicated line for children," she said.

She added that Talian Kasih, a publicly accessible hotline through the toll-free line 15999 and the WhatsApp application 019 261 5999, should also be promoted more on all fronts.

It's all in the family, so abuse kept hush

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PETALING JAYA: He's not even a year old but the child has a fractured femur, suffered at the hands of his stepfather.

A primary school girl was rushed to the hospital by her grandmother who suspected that the pupil was being raped by a family member.

These are two of several abuse cases involving children that Dr Samsu Ambia ismlan has seen in his 20-odd years in the medical profession.

Dr Samsu Ambia, who is currently serving as Teluk Intan Hospital Emergency and Trauma Department head, said people were hesitant to take action and lodge police reports as these cases were often perpetrated by close family members.

They were also afraid of the implications as the perpetrator could be the family's breadwin-

ner, he said.

"As for the baby's case, the mother had brought him in because she was afraid of the child dying from the injuries, which she claimed was inflicted by falling."

"However, she couldn't keep her story straight when questioned."

"That was the telltale sign of something suspicious going on," Dr Samsu Ambia said.

"When abuse happens at home, other family members might be reluctant to report and the children are the ones who end up as victims," he added.

He said every doctor had a duty to report suspected child abuse and that knowing how to spot such cases could save lives.

"My appeal to all doctors whether at public or private hospitals, if you receive a suspected child abuse case, don't let them go," he said.

"Don't let them go back into

that environment. This might be your only chance to save them."

"The victim might never be brought back to the hospital again," he said when contacted yesterday.

Dr Samsu Ambia also said that more awareness and education were needed to spread information and resources on child abuse.

Victims should also be made aware that there was a place that they could go to that would protect them from further harm, ensure their injuries were treated accordingly while maintaining their confidentiality and assisting in the police investigation, he said.

"That place would be the One-Stop Crisis Centre (OSCC), which is at every government general hospital," he said.

Voice of the Children chairperson Sharmila Sekaran said the function of a separate and dedicated line for children operated

by trained staff with psycho-social qualifications was also needed.

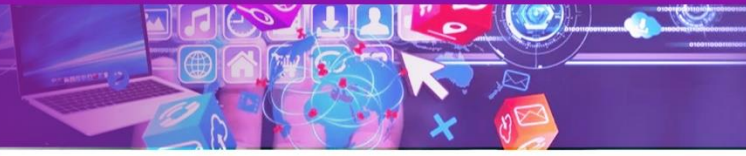
Currently, Talian Kasih functions as a one-stop centre for all complaints and enquiries under the purview of the Women, Family and Community Development Ministry.

Talian Nur, which was a hotline dedicated to children, has since been integrated into Talian Kasih.

Sharmila added that it was important to break the cycle of abuse as the effects of untreated abuse and trauma in a child could last well into adulthood along with the likelihood of having mental health issues and relationship difficulties.

"We need to take how we treat children seriously and the ecosystem that we have in place to address issues involving children because there are serious lingering effects of childhood trauma on adults," she said.

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TAJUK : THIRD WIFE ABDUCTED FOR 'HOLIDAY'

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Third wife abducted for 'holiday'

Tahfiz manager arrested after bringing woman against her will to Kelantan

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PETALING JAYA: A manager of a tahfiz is being investigated for kidnapping following allegations that he took his wife to Kelantan and locked her inside a homestay after she refused to go with him for a holiday there.

The 38-year-old woman, who is the man's third wife, had appar-

ently also refused to register the status of their marriage, said Ampang Jaya OCPD Asst Comm Mohd Azam Ismail.

He said the woman was approached by two unidentified men on Oct 12 at an apartment in Jalan Ampang, Kuala Lumpur, who told her that her husband had been waiting for her at a nearby stairway.

After meeting with her hus-

band there, she was then taken to a car before being driven to Kelantan against her will.

In a statement yesterday, ACP Mohd Azam said the woman was then locked up in a homestay in Pasir Puteh, Kelantan.

"At around 12.30am on Oct 13, the complainant escaped from the homestay while the husband was asleep.

"She then made her way to a

police station to lodge a report.

"The wife had escaped alone and was brought to the police station after villagers assisted her," he said.

Following the report, police arrested two men on Oct 19 in Taman Ampang, Selangor.

"The first man, aged 39, works as a tahfiz manager and is the complainant's husband. The second is a 30-year-old man who

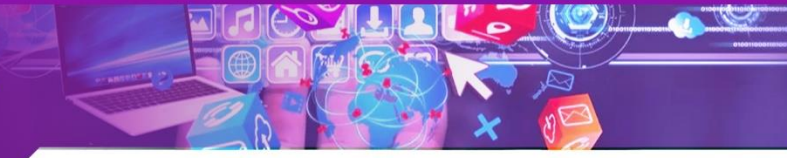
works as a tahfiz school assistant."

Three handphones were also seized by the police during the arrest.

Both men have been remanded until Oct 24.

Police are still on the hunt for two more suspects.

The case is being investigated for kidnapping under Section 365 of the Penal Code.



TAJUK : WANITA MCA TELLS ON GOVT TO ENSURE EFFECTIVENESS OF SUBSIDY INITIATIVE

HARI : AHAD

AKHBAR : SUNDAY STAR

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SEKTOR : KPWKM

Wanita MCA calls on govt to ensure effectiveness of subsidy initiative

KUALA LUMPUR: Wanita MCA has called on the government to ensure the targeted subsidy initiative is implemented effectively.

This was among its seven resolutions passed during its 48th annual general meeting (AGM) held at Wisma MCA here.

Under the resolution which touched on the government, Wanita MCA called on the authorities to ensure effectiveness and practicality in its intention to execute a targeted subsidy framework.

“At the same time, the government should evaluate and acknowledge any potential impact on the welfare of the B40, M40 and T20 groups, and carefully consider the transition’s impact and challenges faced by all under the current economic conditions,” it said.

Six other resolutions passed by Wanita MCA were related to party affairs, economy, education, agriculture and food security, religion and national unity, and law and institutional reforms.

Under party affairs, it passed the motion for the wing to actively promote the recruitment of members among young adults, increase the rate of female participation in politics and create a culture of women professionals participating in politics.

Under economy, the Wanita AGM passed the resolution to call on the government to establish a “one-stop small and medium-sized enterprise consultation centre” for women to provide business and entrepreneur services.

Under education, it passed the motion to urge the Education Ministry to defend the rakyat’s right to a mother tongue education and treat all education streams fairly.

“The ministry should also clarify the anomaly on the current shortage of teachers at Chinese primary schools.

“The government, community, police,

schools, families and other units to work together to put a stop to bullying in schools.”

Under law and institutional reforms, the resolution called for the proposed Senior Citizens’ Bill to be published.

“Wanita MCA is concerned over the enactment of the Bill and calls on the Women, Family and Community Development Ministry to publish the Bill so that all ethnic communities, professional groups and people who have a wide knowledge, experience and understanding of senior citizens’ issues can review and provide feedback.”

Of the total of 1,744 Wanita MCA delegates, 940 or 53.9% of them attended the meeting at Wisma MCA here.

For MCA Youth, five resolutions were passed at its 50th AGM. They were party affairs, politics, government, economy and education.

Under party affairs, the wing passed the motion that supported the new leadership line-up in an effort to win the trust of more youths and support for MCA.

On economy, it passed the resolution urging the government to re-implement the Goods and Services Tax (GST) at 4% rate.

“The government should implement strategies to tackle the weakening ringgit and lessen the people’s burden who are grappling with high cost of living.

“The government should review the Malaysia My Second Home (MM2H) programme to stimulate the country’s economy.”

On education, the youth wing passed the resolution calling on the government to enhance the secondary school syllabus about democracy and general election following the implementation of Undi18.

Out of the total of 1,066 MCA Youth delegates, 390 were present at the meeting.



TAJUK : DPM: 'LAN BERAMBEH' A PIVOTAL PLATFORM FOR SARAWAKIAN YOUTHS STUDYING IN PENINSULA

HARI : AHAD AKHBAR : THE SUNDAY POST

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Fadillah (facing camera, left) shares a light moment with the visitors at the exhibition held in connection with the Lan Berambeh Anak Sarawak 2023 at Mitec Kuala Lumpur. — Bernama photo

DPM: 'Lan Berambeh' a pivotal platform for Sarawakian youths studying in peninsula

KUALA LUMPUR: Lan Berambeh Anak Sarawak 2023 (LBAS 2023) serves as a pivotal platform for the young people studying in Peninsula Malaysia to be stewards for emerging technology, says Deputy Prime Minister Dato Sri Fadillah Yusof.

He also regards the LBAS as a platform for them to learn the history of Sarawak, which holds a key role in the formation of Malaysia.

"That is just a part of it — LBAS 2023 also provides various opportunities and space to understand the state government's plans and policies in developing Sarawak for the future.

"For instance, when we transition to new technology

— where will we get the skilled workforce? We rely on our young people who are currently studying and this is why they need to fill their skill set so when they graduate, they will be able to fill all the spaces and opportunities created by the government in new technology," he said.

Fadillah told reporters this after launching the exhibition and sales booths at LBAS 2023 in the Malaysia International Trade and Exhibition Centre (Mitec) here yesterday.

In this regard, Fadillah hoped that Sarawak's youths could seize the employment opportunities provided with the knowledge acquired from the event.

Fadillah was accompanied by Minister of Women, Family

and Community Development Datuk Seri Nancy Shukri; Deputy Minister of Rural and Regional Development Datuk Rubiah Wang; Deputy Minister of Economy Dato Hanifah Hajar Taib; Deputy Minister of Urban Planning, Land Administration and Environment Datuk Len Talif Salleh; Deputy Minister of Health Dato Lukanisman Awang Sauni; Igan MP Ahmad Johnie Zawawi; Batang Sadong MP Rodiyah Sapiee; Puncak Borneo MP Willie Mongin; and others.

Mitec was flooded by people as early as 7am yesterday, starting with registration and visits to exhibitions and sales booths.

There were over 100 exhibitions from various government agencies, the private sector and non-governmental organisations.



TAJUK : FOCUS ACCORDED TO 'ANAK SARAWAK'

HARI : AHAD

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SEKTOR : KPWKM

Focus accorded to 'Anak Sarawak'

Premier: Priority given to training, development of local talents to address severe shortage of teachers in state

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KUCHING: The Sarawak government remains committed to addressing the critical shortage of teachers in the state by prioritising the training and development of local talents.

Premier Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri Abang Johari Tun Openg acknowledges the pressing issue of a severe lack of educators in the state, stating that approximately 3,000 teachers are currently needed to meet the demand.

"To tackle this challenge, the Sarawak government is actively engaged in negotiations with the Ministry of Education to collaborate with education institutions in the state.

"We are focusing on 'Anak Sarawak' (Children of Sarawak) who can be trained to become teachers and educate in our schools. This is something we are diligently pursuing," he said.

Abang Johari said this in response to a question about the issue raised during a dialogue at the Malaysia International Trade and Exhibition Centre (Mitec) in Kuala Lumpur, held in connection with the 'Lan Berambah Anak Sarawak'



Abang Johari (standing front, fourth left) joins other GPS leaders and participants on a group photo during a segment of the 'Lan Berambah Anak Sarawak' programme in Kuala Lumpur.

programme in Kuala Lumpur yesterday. In addition to strengthening

local teacher training programs, Abang Johari said Swinburne University had been playing a

pivotal role in this initiative. The university would provide teachers' training to Sarawakian

candidates recognised by the Ministry of Education. "This partnership aims to

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— Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri Abang Johari Tun Openg, Premier of Sarawak

increase the number of qualified teachers available for placement in Sarawak's schools," he said.

It was reported in March this year that a total of 222 out of the 3,227 one-off specially-recruited teachers who were given placements in Sarawak had failed to report for duty, or had rejected the offer.

The Ministry of Education had stated that the 3,227 one-off teachers comprised 2,621 who were appointed on contract-bases for placement in Sarawak.



TAJUK : ONUS ON 'ANAK SARAWAK' TO UPHOLD STATE'S INTERESTS

HARI : AHAD

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Abang Johari (standing front, fifth right) in a group photo with other GPS leaders and participants of the 'Lan Berambek Anak Sarawak' programme.

Onus on 'Anak Sarawak' to uphold state's interests

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KUCHING: The answer for how long can the Gabungan Parti Sarawak (GPS) coalition sustain would depend on the willingness of 'Anak Sarawak' (children of Sarawak) to continue safeguarding the state's interests, said Premier Datuk Patinggi Tan Sri Abang Johari Tun Openg.

He hails the young generation

of Sarawakians as playing the pivotal role in ensuring the future of not only the coalition, but also the state.

"We are getting old, and we have young leaders who will replace us.

"It is up to you to protect the rights of Sarawak, and up to you to make Sarawak heard by all leaders.

"Here it is, and I am confident, InsyAllah GPS will sustain," he said in response

to a question posed by a participant during a dialogue held conjunction with the 'Lan Berambek Anak Sarawak' programme at the Malaysia International Trade and Exhibition Centre (Mitec) in Kuala Lumpur yesterday.

The participant had asked Abang Johari, who is GPS chairman, to what extent GPS could sustain without a split in the coalition as it already comprised of four political

parties.

Abang Johari reiterated the fact that GPS was formed in response to Sarawak's need for a stronger political identity and to ensure that the state's voice would be heard at the federal level, emphasising 'Sarawak First' policies.

"In GPS, our theme has always been 'Sarawak First'. Priority is given to Sarawak, but within the spirit of Malaysia," he added.



TAJUK : PUSTAKA MIRI TO HOLD TALK ON MENTAL HEALTH AMONG SENIORS

HARI : AHAD

AKHBAR : THE SUNDAY POST

TARIKH : 22 OKT 2023

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TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Pustaka Miri to hold talk on mental health among seniors

MIRI: Pustaka Negeri Sarawak Miri (Pustaka Miri), in collaboration with Miri Hospital, will be holding a ‘Mental Health Among the Elderly’ talk on Oct 23 at Pustaka Miri.

A medical officer from the Department of Psychiatry & Mental Health, Dr Chong Li She will be delivering the talk on factors affecting mental health among the elderly and raise awareness about its importance.

“The elderly face various physical and mental health issues such as depression, loneliness, and anxiety; thus, social support is necessary for the elderly to lead their daily lives,” Pustaka Miri said in a statement.

The talk will be held at Pustaka Miri’s audio visual room from 2pm until 4.30pm.

Those interested can contact Pustaka Miri at 085-422 525 or through their official social media channels.



TAJUK : REGISTRATION FOR WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS SEMINAR IN MIRI ON OCT 28 STILL OPEN

HARI : AHAD

AKHBAR : THE SUNDAY POST

TARIKH : 22 OKT 2023

M/SURAT : 13

TONE : POSITIF

SEKTOR : KPWKM

Registration for women entrepreneurs seminar in Miri on Oct 28 still open

MIRI: The organiser of the 'Women Entrepreneurs Seminar 2023', which will take place at the Grand Palace Hotel here this Oct 28, has extended the deadline for registration.

The Women Entrepreneurs and Professionals Association (WEPS) vice-president Lili Puk, who heads the event's organising committee, says the closing date for signing up has been extended to Oct 23 to allow more participants to attend.

To register, go to <https://forms.gle/gtxw2rWiMxNxsAWq7>.

"Our main goals are to bring together women entrepreneurs, professionals, and experts to share their expertise and experiences, as well as to foster meaningful connections, and inspire women in business.

"Thus, women entrepreneurs take this golden opportunity to upskill yourselves and become successful," she said in a

statement.

Puk added that the WEPS' target would be to reach out to at least 150 participants from 27 non-governmental organisations (NGOs), as well as individuals.

She said the seminar was being organised as a response to the call by the Minister of Transport Sarawak Dato Sri Lee Kim Shin to complement the government's efforts in empowering more women in Sarawak in various entrepreneurial skills, and for

them to be successful in their respective industries.

"Jarone Choo, co-founder of Horizn Digital Sdn Bhd, will discuss e-commerce and digitalisation, while Yong Nyet Yun, a taxation and corporate finance expert, will discuss business accounting literacy and tax planning strategies.

"There will also be sharing sessions by four successful WEPS' entrepreneurs during the seminar," said Puk.



TAJUK :	TIMBA ILMU BERKAITAN TEKNOLOGI BAHARU DI LAN BERAMBEBH		
HARI :	AHAD	AKHBAR :	UTUSAN BORNEO (SARAWAK)
TARIKH :	22 OKT 2023	M/SURAT :	03
TONE :	POSITIF	SEKTOR :	KPWKM

Timba ilmu berkaitan teknologi baharu di Lan Berambebh

Penganjuran edisi ke-14 acara itu sediakan peluang, ruang untuk memahami perancangan dan dasar kerajaan negeri

Oleh Hamkar Sarbinee

KUALA LUMPUR: Anak Sarawak yang berada di Semenanjung perlu mengambil peluang untuk menimba ilmu khususnya berkaitan teknologi baharu menerusi platform Lan Berambebh Anak Sarawak (LBAS) tahun ini.

Timbalan Perdana Menteri Dato Sri Fadillah Yusof berkata, penganjuran LBAS 2023 edisi ke-14 itu menyediakan pelbagai peluang dan ruang untuk memahami perancangan dan dasar kerajaan negeri dalam membangun Sarawak pada masa hadapan.

Menurutnya, LBAS juga menyediakan platform untuk mengetahui sejarah Sarawak yang memainkan peranan dalam pembentukan Malaysia.

“(Namun) itu sebahagian, tetapi yang lebih utama ialah (menerusi LBAS), mereka dapat memahami selain memainkan peranan untuk mengisi ruang dan peluang yang disediakan oleh kerajaan Sarawak.

“Misalnya, kita beralih



UNTUK ALBUM: Fadillah (tiga kanan) merakam kenangan bersama Ahli-Ahli Parlimen Sarawak (dari kiri) Rodiyah, Lukanisman, Rubiah, Ahli Parlimen Tanjung Manis Yusuf Abdul Wahab (belakang), Ahli Parlimen Betong Dr Richard Rapu (belakang), Ahmad Johnie (belakang), Hanifah dan Ahli Parlimen Puncak Borneo Datuk Willie Mongin semasa melawat pameran sempena di LBAS 2023 di MITEC, Kuala Lumpur semalam.

kepada teknologi baharu dan ia memerlukan tenaga mahir yang semestinya datang daripada anak Sarawak sendiri.

“Kita (kerajaan Sarawak)

bergantung harap kepada anak-anak muda kita yang belajar sekarang ini,” ujarnya.

Beliau berkata demikian semasa mengunjungi pameran

sebelum merasmikan Pameran 60 Tahun Sarawak Merdeka, Meet and Great Anak Sarawak dan Product Sarawak Pavilion sempena LBAS 2023 di

Pusat Pameran dan Perdagangan Antarabangsa Malaysia (MITEC) di sini, semalam.

Sehubungan itu, Fadillah yang juga Menteri Perladan-

“ Misalnya, kita beralih kepada teknologi baharu dan ia memerlukan tenaga mahir yang semestinya datang daripada anak Sarawak sendiri. Kita (kerajaan Sarawak) bergantung harap kepada anak-anak muda kita yang belajar sekarang ini.”

Dato Sri Fadillah Yusof
Timbalan Perdana Menteri

gan dan Komoditi berharap agar anak Sarawak dapat mengisi peluang pekerjaan yang disediakan berbekalkan ilmu pengetahuan yang dipelajari.

“Mereka perlu mengisi ilmu kemahiran mereka dan selepas mereka keluar (bergraduasi), mereka dapat mengisi ruang dan peluang pekerjaan yang diwujudkan oleh kerajaan menerusi teknologi baharu,” jelasnya sambil berkata, LBAS bukan sahaja untuk mengetahui sejarah Perjanjian Malaysia 1963.

Terdahulu, Fadillah tiba di MITEC sekitar jam 8.45 pagi

diiringi oleh menteri, timbalan menteri yang juga Ahli-Ahli Parlimen serta Ahli Dewan Undangan Negeri (ADUN) Sarawak.

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