



DETAILS OF PARTNER PROGRAMMES



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DIKIR RAKYAT

Dikir Rakyat showcases the beauty, versatility and vibrancy of the Malay language through *dikir barat*. In the interactive segment of the programme, audience members will be invited to perform and sing 'Wau Bulan' alongside *dikir barat* performers. Through the performance, the programme hopes to encourage an appreciation of Malay culture, while deepening an understanding of the Malay language.

ACE THE PLACE CC MAEC

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SINGAPURA DILANGGAR TODAK – INTERACTIVE CHILDREN’S THEATRE

Singapura Dilanggar Todak is an interactive theatre performance and workshop for children, based on a well-known tale, ‘Singapura Dilanggar Todak’. It tells the story of a swordfish attack on Singapore. This programme aims to cultivate the interest of children in theatre and encourages the use of the Malay language in different forms.

AWAL’LIYAH JA’AFAR

Awal’liyah Ja’afar aims to challenge, motivate and inspire children through interactive and engaging theatre performances. She also aims to encourage the children to immerse themselves in theatre and spark their interests in the field of theatrical arts.



DUIT! DUIT!

In this workshop, financial literacy is introduced through a board game inspired by Monopoly and The Game of Life. Participants will learn the basic concepts of economy and transactions in the Malay language, based on Singapore's context. Participants with the highest score will stand a chance to win prizes.

BIO DEW MANAGEMENT INTERNATIONAL & INSTITUTE (BDMI)

BDMI is an organisation that provides marriage and family courses for the public. With more than 30 years of experience, the founders of BDMI have helped thousands of participants strengthen their marriages and be prudent with financial resources.



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BISHAN TOA PAYOH GRC



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BULAN BAHASA @ BISHAN-TOA PAYOH

Held for the first time in Bishan-Toa Payoh GRC, this is a GRC celebration of the Malay Language Month. Conducted in both English and Malay, the festival will feature various performances such as *dikir barat*, *kompang* and traditional percussion music. Visitors will also get to experience the recitation of Malay poems as well as participate in games organised by various partners.

BISHAN-TOA PAYOH GRC MAEC

Malay Activity Executive Committees (MAECs) under Bishan-Toa Payoh GRC work closely with the Community Centres' Management Committees and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



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KOMPANG COMPETITION

The Kompang Competition aims to promote awareness of the Malay language and culture. Participants in this competition will get the opportunity to use the Malay language creatively as they write their own lyrics, which has to centre around Bulan Bahasa's new theme – 'Cita. Citra. Cinta. Bahasa Kita'. Audience members will get to experience and appreciate the use of Malay poems embedded within the lyrics.

BRADDELL HEIGHTS CC MAEC

Braddell Heights Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



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BULAN BAHASA – MEMBUDAYAKAN BAHASA

In this event, pre-schoolers will present various performances which include dancing, singing, poem recitation and dramatization. These performances aim to showcase their ability to converse and express themselves in the Malay language. There will also be activity booths which present different aspects of the Malay culture. Some of these activities include *batik* panting, paper *songkok* making and ways on how to wear a *sarong*.

BUKIT PANJANG CC MAEC & NORTH WEST DISTRICT PCF SPARKLE TOTS

Bukit Panjang Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.

North West District PCF Sparkle Tots consists of numerous kindergartens and childcare centres located in the North West of Singapore. It offers a variety of modern and integrated teaching approaches for the children. It aims to provide affordable pre-school education for Singaporeans, while not compromising the standard of their facilities.



DAPUR SEBAGAI FARMASI

In this workshop, participants will be introduced to the different herbs commonly used by the Malay community. The workshop aims to educate the community on the health benefits of these herbs. Participants will also get an opportunity to learn how to use some of these herbs to prepare a traditional Malay medicine known as *jamu*.

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By Definition Pte Ltd is a social enterprise that conducts research, develops and delivers developmental programmes through partnerships with schools, businesses and community organizations.



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PESTA CILIK TEMASEK 2019

For the first time this year, Pesta Cilik Temasek 2019 will be held to empower children to be creative and imaginative through experiential art and active play. The festival is a platform for family interaction, while nurturing a child's interest in arts, literature and language. It features various performances and activity booths which will allow visitors' participation. The highlight of the festival is the Malay skit competition.

SEMBAWANG GRC MAECs

Sembawang GRC Malay Activity Executive Committees (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.

VARIASI PERFORMING ARTS

Variasi Performing Arts was established in 2001 as a non-profit performing arts group. It aims to provide a platform for young theatre and performing artistes to practice to express themselves. Variasi is now a company dedicated to youths in Singapore. Variasi combines all aspects of traditional and contemporary Malay performing arts including theatre, dance and music.



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BULAN BAHASA 2019 – JOM BERCERITA “DONGENG DULU DAN SEKARANG”

This competition aims to boost students' confidence in public speaking and build their self-esteem through speech and drama. Using their own creativity, students will learn how to role play Malay folk tales in Malay language. Winners of this competition will be judged based on their language and presentation skills.

CI YUAN, PUNGGOL PARK CC MAECs

Ci Yuan Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) and Punggol Park CC MAEC work closely with their CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



KREATIF PERIBAHASA

Kreatif Peribahasa is a workshop that challenges participants to present their understanding of common Malay idioms through painting, writing and acting. Before they begin to create their various pieces, the participants will go through basic speech and drama exercises.

ELEMENTS PICTURES

Elements Pictures has produced a body of work that embraces numerous art forms: paintings, music, film and many more. They also specialise in speech and drama training for schools.



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TEATER KITA – THEATRE PRODUCTION

Teater Kita is a theatre production which aims to promote the use and love for the Malay language through performances and games. The highlight of this programme is a theatre play titled 'Pak Pandir'. The audience will also be given the opportunity to participate in interactive Malay language games during the session.

EUNOS CC MAEC

Eunos Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



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FENGSHAN MALAY CULTURAL AND LANGUAGE CARNIVAL

Fengshan Malay Cultural and Language Carnival will showcase a variety of performances, literary works and culinary arts such as *ketupat* weaving and *epok-epok* seaming workshops. The carnival aims to increase the awareness of the Malay language and culture, especially amongst the young Malay residents of Fengshan.

FENGSHAN CC MAEC

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RAKAN BAHASA CILIK – MALAY CULTURAL SHOWCASE AND ACTIVITIES BY PRE-SCHOOLERS

Rakan Bahasa Cilik is a programme which will feature pre-school Malay Friends of the Language. These students will introduce interesting displays on traditional Malay musical instruments and games in Malay language to the visitors at the Launch of Bulan Bahasa 2019. Visitors will be able to learn about the Malay language and culture as they visit these booths, which will be managed by the young students.

DIKIR BARAT PERFORMANCE

Students aged four to six years old will be presenting a *dikir barat* performance for visitors to enjoy. The audience will get the opportunity to experience and learn the use of Malay words in the *dikir barat* songs.

ILHAM CHILD CARE

Started in 2013, Ilham Child Care is a childcare centre with excellent facilities which retains a warm and supportive family atmosphere. They believe in moulding holistic and inquisitive learners to create an environment that provides every child with equal learning opportunities.



SUARA JUARA – DIKIR BARAT WORKSHOP AND PERFORMANCE

Suara Juara is a workshop and performance which aims to introduce and cultivate the understanding of the use of Malay language in *dikir barat* lyrics. The programme will bring the audience down the memory lane of famous *dikir barat* songs from the 90s. Performed by various *dikir barat* groups in Singapore, the performances hope to encourage interest in Malay language, and its use in *dikir barat*.

JUARA

JUARA comprises local *dikir barat* vocalists such as Aqmal N., Elfee Ismail, Hakim Rohimin, Raja Razie, Rajis Sharif, Rifaah and Rico Setiabudi, with an aim to revitalise classic *dikir barat* songs with contemporary elements.



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BULAN BAHASA @ JURONG

Bulan Bahasa @ Jurong aims to expose the public to the various forms of the Malay language. The festival will feature numerous competitions for participants of all ages. These include *pantun* and malay folk songs competition for pre-schoolers, story telling competition for primary school students, drawing competition for secondary school students and cooking competition for adults. Visitors can also participate at the games booths, or visit the mobile library bus.

JURONG GRC

Malay Activity Executive Committees (MAECs) under Jurong GRC work closely with the Community Centres' Management Committees and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



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SIMFONI SENI VIII – LYRIC WRITING WORKSHOP

Simfoni Seni VIII is a workshop that aims to encourage the creative use of Malay language through music and lyric writing. Featuring Ard from Bhumiband, participants will learn techniques of lyric writing. The workshop will also feature singer-songwriter Awi Rafael, who will be sharing his personal tips on song writing.

JURONG GREEN CC MAEC

Jurong Green Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



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BERGERAK MASA BERSAMA BAHASA – MALAY LANGUAGE MONTH FESTIVAL

In conjunction with the new Bulan Bahasa theme, Bergerak Masa Bersama Bahasa is a festival that aims to reflect the dynamism of the Malay language. Hosted by Duta Bahasa Dyn Norahim, this event invites visitors to engage themselves in Malay cultural performances by different schools. Visitors will also be able to participate in various activities such as *zapin* fitness, a modernised form of traditional Malay dance.

JURONG SPRING CC MAEC

Jurong Spring Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



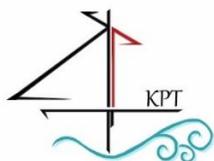
BULAN BAHASA @ KEAT HONG

This year's Bulan Bahasa @ Keat Hong aims to foster bonds among family members, while promoting the use of the Malay language.

The festival will feature five stations of language games for participants to complete in. There will also be a talent competition, *Aku Juara*, where participants will have to perform according to the Bulan Bahasa theme, 'Cita. Citra. Cinta. Bahasa Kita.'. The highlight of the programme is the Bulan Bahasa Concert which will showcase songs from the 80s to the present era.

KEAT HONG CC MAEC

Keat Hong Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



ONCE UPON A MINI RHYME - PANTUN WORKSHOP

Once Upon A Mini Rhyme is a poetry workshop which aims to introduce the beauty of *pantun*. In this workshop, the speakers will teach participants how to construct English poems using the basic features of a *pantun*.

KELANA PANTUN TEMASEK

Kelana Pantun Temasek was formed in 2017 by a group of Malay poetry enthusiasts. They aim to raise awareness and cultivate interest in Malay poetry among the public. Over the years, Kelana Pantun Temasek has reached out to the public through various workshops and social media platforms.



BENGKEL ADAPTASI KARYA SASTERA KE SKRIN - WORKSHOP ON ADAPTING LITERARY WORKS FOR SCREEN

This workshop aims to guide local writers to develop and adapt their literary works for screen productions.

The workshop is divided into two parts. The first covers identifying key elements that make a story interesting, developing the structure of a script based on a short story, basics of screenwriting and preparation of pitching to producers.

In the second part, participants will get an opportunity to pitch their stories to several production companies. Winners may get the opportunity to develop their works with these companies.

KUMPULAN ANGKATAN MUDA SASTERA (KAMUS)

Kumpulan Angkatan Muda Sastera (KAMUS) was formally established on 18 March 1989 by the late Dr Muhd Ariff Ahmad. KAMUS aims to encourage the use of the Malay language and advance Malay literary works as expressed in its slogan 'Ke Arah Perkembangan Pemikiran' (Towards Evolving Thinking). KAMUS has organised many literary activities, including talks, forums and essay and poetry writing competitions.



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MALAY LANGUAGE IN 1960'S CINEMA

This programme aims to raise the awareness on the use of Malay language from 1960s till present, through a movie screening, followed by a sharing session.

MARINE PARADE CC MAEC

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BULAN BAHASA @ MARSILING

Bulan Bahasa @ Marsiling aims to bring families together to encourage the appreciation of Malay language and culture. During the programme, participating schools will organise booths to conduct activities which introduce the Malay traditional *kuih*, Malay dance steps, and Malay traditional costume such as *samping*. Visitors can also take part in a theatre workshop and a Malay financial literacy board game.

Visitors will also be entertained with musical performances of different genres. Various dance performances will also be put up by participating schools. To end the programme, there will be a movie screening (with English subtitles) for families to enjoy.

MARSILING CC MAEC

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WIRA MALAY READING CLUB

The reading club aims to instil in children the love for reading in the Malay language and cultivate good reading habits, through storytelling and reading aloud.

ILHAM PUSTAKA ADULT READING CLUB

A reading club for all Malay language literature enthusiasts. Participants will discuss various aspects of selected works written by local authors and those from the Malay Archipelago.

SIRI BENGKEL PUSTAKA REMAJA - COMMENTARY WRITING WORKSHOP

A commentary writing workshop which allows participants to improve their skills in presenting their opinions in a structured manner. It allows participants to deliver their points objectively and concisely, from the perspectives of all parties. The workshop is ideal to guide students in writing in newspapers, social media and for academic purposes.

SIRI CERAMAH ANJUNG WARISAN: MEMELIHARA WARISAN MENERUSI PENDOKUMENTASIAN KERJA PENGGALIAN SEMULA PUSARA – LECTURE ON ARCHAEOLOGY

This lecture by Madam Melor Ralif aims to highlight the role of Singapore's cemetery excavation efforts in preserving the community's heritage. Participants will get to learn about the various excavation processes. The careful work of documenting these efforts also ensures that the community's heritage is not lost, benefitting the future generations.

NATIONAL LIBRARY BOARD

Established on 1 September 1995 as a statutory board, the National Library Board (NLB) is an agency under the Ministry of Communications and Information (MCI). NLB manages the National Library, 26 Public Libraries and the National Archives.

NLB promotes reading, learning and information literacy by providing a trusted, accessible and globally-connected library and information service through the National Library and a comprehensive network of Public Libraries. By forging strategic partnerships to cultivate knowledge sharing, the libraries also encourage appreciation and awareness of Singapore's history through their wide range of programmes.



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SEMARAK WARISAN @ NEE SOON

Semarak Warisan @ Nee Soon this year will be held in conjunction with the family and health fiesta. It will feature various exciting performances and activities for families. It aims to promote community bonding while encouraging healthy living and an appreciation of the Malay language and culture. Visitors will be able to immerse themselves in performances by celebrities and schools. They will also get to participate in activities at various booths that introduce *wayang kulit* and traditional Malay *kuih*. Families can also enjoy the fitness stations, health screening and healthy snack stations that are available.

NEE SOON GRC MAEC

Malay Activity Executive Committees (MAECs) under Nee Soon GRC work closely with the Community Centres' Management Committees and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



JUARA SI CILIK - CHILDREN'S SINGING COMPETITION 2019

Juara Si Cilik is a singing competition for primary school students. The competition aims to encourage students to use the Malay language in a fun and creative way through performing traditional folk songs. Participants are allowed to create sketches and design costumes in a bid to entertain the audience.

SEMINAR KATA SENIKATA – SEMINAR ON LYRICS

Seminar Kata Senikata aims to create awareness of the use of Malay language in popular culture. This seminar will showcase a panel of established Singaporean lyricists and composers whose works have been successful in Singapore and Malaysia. They will present their hit songs and share the process of writing lyrics and composing music. They will also discuss their language tools and what makes a hit song.

NUSANTARA WORLD MUSIC

Nusantara World Music organises events, shows and exhibitions related to Malay arts, language and culture. It has been involved in organising Bulan Bahasa events such as the Night Concert and the Juara Si Cilik since 2013.



TAMSIL TELADAN TOKOH – DISCOVERING STORIES OF MALAY LEGENDS

Tamsil Teladan Tokoh aims to introduce the stories of Malay legends while increasing the awareness on the values instilled. Visitors will get the opportunity to select the story of their choice based on different themes. They will then be given three minutes to arrange the story strips provided to create a story of a Malay legend. Suitable for both young children and adults, families will be able to engage in this programme together.

ORCHID PARK SECONDARY SCHOOL

Orchid Park Secondary School (OPSS) was established in January 1999. Objectives of the Malay language department at OPSS include producing a good learning environment that can help attract students to learn the Malay language. It also envisions creating and introducing new strategies and techniques for students to achieve outstanding grades and performances in the Malay language.



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OPS BACA – STORYTELLING COMPETITION FOR PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

Ops Baca is a storytelling competition that aims to deepen the interest of reading amongst students while improving their language abilities. Students from various primary schools in the Pasir Ris neighbourhood will be participating in the competition, and specific themes will apply for different level of participants.

PASIR RIS ELIAS CC MAEC

Pasir Ris Elias Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



PERBAYU MALAY LITERATURE NIGHT 2019

PERBAYU Malay Literature Night 2019 aims to showcase the literary talent of local Malay youths. Participants will have the chance to display and share their written works with the public. There will also be a book sharing session, which will allow participants the opportunity to discuss issues pertaining to the Malay community. The versatility of Malay literature will also be showcased through performances based on literary works.

PERBAYU

The Nanyang Technological University/National Institute of Education (NTU/NIE) Malay Language and Cultural Society, or otherwise known as PERBAYU NTU/NIE, was established to develop the use of the Malay language and to enhance awareness about the Malay culture. PERBAYU aspires to nurture youths that are progressive and modern but at the same time having a very strong hold on their traditions and heritage.



CINTA SILAT CINTA BAHASA

Through eye-catching *silat* performances and a giant crossword puzzle, the audience will get to learn specific *silat* terms in the Malay language. Audience will get to experience the basic steps in *silat* which might involve weapons such as *keris*, *parang* and *tembong*. The programme aims to promote *silat* as a heritage that preserves the traditional art and Malay language.

PERGURUAN SILAT SENI GAYONG SINGAPURA

Perguruan Silat Seni Gayong Singapura is a registered Silat school. It delivers the syllabus of Silat Seni Gayong that was first introduced in Singapore in 1942. It is active in many community centres and is led by senior instructors who have been involved in silat since 45 years ago.



CITA. CITRA. CINTA. BAHASA KITA.

Cita. Citra. Cinta. Bahasa Kita. is a Malay cultural and literary showcase. The programme seeks to promote and inculcate the love for the Malay language and culture by presenting its essence and vibrance through performing arts. The programme also hopes to encourage and instil the values of the Malay tradition within the current generation. It will showcase various forms of traditional Malay arts, such as Malay dance, poetry recitation, and dance drama.

PERKUMPULAN SENI

Perkumpulan Seni is formed on 8 July 1956 when various arts activists came together. Its main objective is to expand and preserve the originality and artistic values of various Malay art forms. With its motto, 'Arts for the Community', it aims to guide and build artistic understanding towards the community. Apart from staging productions and publishing its own books, Perkumpulan Seni is also actively involved in various Malay arts activities such as drama, dance and literature, both locally and internationally. Amongst its pioneers include Usman Awang, A. Ghani Hamid, Bani Buang and also Zubir Said.



VIEW FROM MINANGKABAU – LITERARY WORKSHOP

View from Minangkabau is a literary workshop which will introduce participants to Minangkabau poetry forms such as *bakaba*, *maota*, *bakieh* and *pepatah petitih*. Through this workshop, participants will learn how to express themselves through these literary genres.

PERSATUAN MINANGKABAU SINGAPURA

Celebrating its 25th anniversary this year, Persatuan Minangkabau Singapura was established in 1994. They focus on Minangkabau Cultural Outreach initiatives to share some of the values of Minangkabau culture to a larger audience in Singapore.



PPIS BULAN BAHASA EVENT 2019: MEMORI JALAN AMPAS

Memori Jalan Ampas is a programme that encourages pre-schoolers to learn about the Malay language and culture. As part of this programme, there is a video competition for K2 students from PPIS Child Development Centres and other Malay/Muslim (MMO) centres. They will be re-enacting old Malay folk tales that were filmed at Jalan Ampas. The top five video entries will be selected to be screened during this programme, and trophies will be given to the winners. Visitors can also experience live performances presented by K1 and Nursery students from PPIS Early Childhood Education centres.

PPIS CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

PPIS Child Development Centre comprises 7 centres that work together to host the event for Bulan Bahasa. They take pride in their students and place importance in teaching them the Malay language and educating them on the Malay culture. They also believe in the importance of character development and aims to equip children not just for school, but for life.



THE FISHERMAN'S GIFT

In this programme, visitors will get the opportunity to discover the livelihood of Malay fishermen in the olden days. The exhibition booth, manned by the students from School of Science and Technology, Singapore, will display various replicas of tools used for traditional fishing. Visitors will get to understand the cultural aspects surrounding the designs of the tools and traditional fishing methods. Visitors will also be introduced to the challenging lives and sacrifices of these fisherman through poetry analysis.

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, SINGAPORE

School of Science and Technology, Singapore (SST) is a specialised independent school that offers a distinctive 4-year programme to prepare students for the GCE 'O' level examinations. SST aims to provide capable students with a strong foundation in both academic and applied learning, to enable them to excel in their post-secondary education.



SIS CUBA – INTERACTIVE DANCE PERFORMANCE

Sis Cuba is an interactive dance performance that aims to explore the Malay identity by comparing Geylang Serai in the past and present, and the Malay traditional wear with the modern-day wear. This will allow the audience to test their knowledge of Malay words through multimedia games, while raising the awareness of the Malay culture.

NENEK (I) WATCH! – INTERACTIVE DANCE PERFORMANCE

Nenek (I) Watch! is an interactive dance performance that considers the possible connection between technology and the Malay culture, as a grandson teaches his grandmother how to use a smartwatch. The audience will get to experience favourite Malay classic films such as 'Bujang Lapok' and songs such as 'Tari Tualang Tiga'.

SRIWANA

Since its inception in the 1950s, Sriwana is currently one of the oldest Malay performing arts group in the local arts scene and has a wealth of invaluable experience and achievements. Sriwana developed further with the objective of promoting, upholding and upgrading the Malay arts and culture scene. Today, Sriwana comprises approximately 30 adult volunteers and 30 talented young children.

Dance and drama workshops are conducted yearly for the public in an effort to preserve and upgrade the rich Malay cultural heritage. The group has also travelled extensively for various dance and culture festivals outside Singapore, including China, Inner Mongolia, Indonesia and Malaysia.



WAU! CINTAILAH BAHASA! – MALAY LANGUAGE MONTH CARNIVAL

Wau! Cintailah Bahasa! aims to promote the Malay identity, heritage and culture through the Malay language. Visitors will be able to participate in various activities and learn how to make items such as kites, *bunga rampai* and *ketupat*. Visitors are also able to participate in Arabic calligraphy and *batik* painting. Malay language games and traditional games such as *congkak*, *batu Seremban* and *capteh* will also be organised for students to participate in.

TAMAN JURONG CC MAEC

Taman Jurong Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



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GEMA SI CILIK - SINGING CONTEST FOR PRE-SCHOOLERS

This contest is open to pre-schoolers in Tampines. Participating teams will perform a classic Malay children's song, such as 'Bangau Oh Bangau', 'Chan Mali Chan', 'Jong Jong Inai', 'Lompat Si Katak Lompat' and 'Tanya Sama Pokok'. They will be judged on their pronunciation, creativity and overall performance.

TAMPINES CENTRAL, TAMPINES CHANGKAT, TAMPINES NORTH, TAMPINES WEST CC MAECs

Tampines Central, Tampines Changkat, Tampines North and Tampines West Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committees (MAEC) work closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



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UJANA BAHASA DAN BUDAYA – MALAY LANGUAGE MONTH CARNIVAL

Featuring various performances and booths, Ujana Bahasa dan Budaya is Tampines GRC's celebration of the Malay Language Month. The programme will be in conjunction with the launch of M3@Tampines. Marking its sixth edition this year, winners of Gema Si Cilik, a talent competition for pre-schoolers will be announced. Traditional Song and Poetry Recitation Competition will also be held for the first time this year. This celebration will end with a concert showcasing the versatility of language through lyrical presentation and stage performances.

TAMPINES GRC MAECs

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KENANG-KENANGAN SEORANG WANITA PEMALU – THEATRE PERFORMANCE

Kenang-kenangan Seorang Wanita Pemalu is a theatre performance based on a story of a shy woman with her lover, Karnaen. The performance aims to increase the awareness on the use of the Malay language in different forms. The audience will have the opportunity to understand the values and lessons behind this story.

TEATER KAMI

Teater Kami was founded on 5 June 1989, by a group of enthusiastic young theatre practitioners. They believe that theatre is one of the most effective tool for education and social awareness. Through the notion of cultural and educational exchange by the means of theatrical performances, Teater Kami hopes to instil the values of respect and cultural awareness among young people.



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GEMILANG TARIAN CILIK 2019 – MALAY DANCE COMPETITION FOR PRIMARY SCHOOLS

Gemilang Tarian Cilik 2019 is a traditional Malay dance competition, which aims to celebrate the love for Malay culture. It serves as a platform for primary school students to showcase their talent in traditional Malay dance. It also provides an opportunity for dance instructors and choreographers to create new dance forms based on the basics of Malay dance.

THE FRONTIER CC MAEC

The Frontier Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committee (MAEC) works closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



KECERDASAN BUDAYA MELALUI PERIBAHASA – CULTURAL QUOTIENT THROUGH PROVERBS

This programme aims to create an awareness on the relevance of proverbs amongst students through the use of i-Movie, to create a videos to explain proverbs. These videos will then be used as a learning package that supports cultural intelligence, where topics such as respecting differences and managing diversity are covered.

WELLINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Wellington Primary School aspires and strives towards becoming an excellent institution that grooms their students into becoming world-ready talents and people. In grooming students to be cultural leaders, they not only inspire them to be learned individuals but also instil in them the excellent spirit of desiring to serve the community through various platforms like their participation in Bulan Bahasa.



R.A.P. – RENTAK ALUNAN DAN PUISI

Rentak Alunan dan Puisi is a night of performances featuring various artistes and groups. The event aims to spark an interest in the Malay culture and language among the community. Visitors will get to experience live painting, poetry recitation, live music, dance and *dikir* performances.

WISMA GEYLANG SERAI

As a symbol of heritage and nostalgia, Wisma Geylang Serai (WGS) aims to reflect the diverse interest and continuing progress of the Malay community. WGS' aspiration for the future is to build a social and cultural hub in Singapore that brings together the different Malay/Muslim organisations, and social and government agencies under one roof. This allows WGS to provide various programmes that will fulfil the needs of the Malay community.



MESRA



People's Association

PESTA BULAN BAHASA 2019 – CITA, CITRA DAN CINTA

Cita, Citra dan Cinta is a festival that aims to foster bonds among family members, while encouraging fluent and good usage of Malay language. Visitors will get the opportunity to participate in various fun and interactive booths, which are themed according to different places such as the grocery store, hawker centre or library. Each interactive booth will cover different components of the Malay language such as *penjodoh bilangan* and *peribahasa*.

WOODLANDS, SEMBAWANG CC MAECS

Woodlands and Sembawang Community Club (CC) Malay Activity Executive Committees (MAEC) work closely with the CC Management Committee and other local grassroots organisations to encourage the Malay community to participate in community centre/club courses, community activities and national affairs; and to foster inter-ethnic understanding and cross-cultural appreciation.



LAIN HULU LAIN PARANG, LAIN DULU LAIN SEKARANG – MALAY WEDDING EXHIBITION

Lain Hulu Lain Parang, Lain Dulu Lain Sekarang is an exhibition on Malay weddings in the past and present. Prepared by students, this exhibition aims to create and cultivate the love for the Malay language and culture. Visitors will get to enjoy infographics and booklets to understand the changes in Malay weddings today, which includes fashion, food and cultural trends. Visitors will also get the opportunity to participate in various activities such as reciting of *pantun* and preparing the traditional *bunga rampai*.

YUSOF ISHAK SECONDARY SCHOOL

Yusof Ishak Secondary School was opened officially in July 1966. Its vision is to nurture “Scholars, Sportsmen and Statesmen”, persons who would emulate the qualities of Mr Yusof Ishak. The school’s Malay Language Unit has actively involved students in programmes and activities like quizzes, drama and participation in competitions. Through these, it hopes to instil and impart the love and appreciation of the Malay language and culture in students.



Partners' Listing:

1. ACE The Place CC MAEC
2. Awal'liyah Ja'far
3. Bio Dew Management International and Institute (BDMI)
4. Bishan-Toa Payoh GRC MAEC
5. Braddell Heights CC MAEC
6. Bukit Panjang CC MAEC and North West District PCF Sparkle Tots
7. By Definition
8. Sembawang GRC MAECs and Variasi Performing Arts
9. Ci Yuan, Punggol Park CC MAECs
10. Elements Pictures
11. Eunoss CC MAEC
12. Fengshan CC MAEC
13. Ilham Child Care
14. JUARA
15. Jurong GRC
16. Jurong Green CC MAEC
17. Jurong Spring CC MAEC
18. Keat Hong CC MAEC
19. Kelana Pantun Temasek
20. Kumpulan Angkatan Muda Sastera (KAMUS)
21. Marine Parade CC MAEC
22. Marsiling CC MAEC
23. National Library Board (NLB)
24. Nee Soon GRC MAEC
25. Nusantara World Music
26. Orchid Park Secondary School
27. Pasir Ris Elias CC MAEC
28. PERBAYU
29. Perguruan Silat Seni Gayong Singapura
30. Perkumpulan Seni
31. Persatuan Minangkabau Singapura
32. PPIS Child Development Centre
33. School of Science and Technology, Singapore
34. SRIWANA
35. Taman Jurong CC MAEC
36. Tampines Central, Tampines Changkat, Tampines North, Tampines West CC MAECs
37. Tampines GRC MAECs
38. Teater KAMi
39. The Frontier CC MAEC
40. Wellington Primary School
41. Wisma Geylang Serai
42. Woodlands, Sembawang CC MAECs
43. Yusof Ishak Secondary School