



GIVING BACK TO COMMUNITY

SIMENFERO Project

Students and Faculty Staff Share Technology to Develop their Economy

A community service can be a source of inspiration for students who realize their responsibility and suggest ways to improve quality of life in their community. It could provide the direction they can take to serve public interest. Community service provides student with a chance to develop and practice these skills i.e. leadership and teamwork skills. Community service is important for student to help them develop their leadership and teamworking in the future.

A group of students from the faculty together with university staff have implemented state technology development projects and acquisition of knowledge that can help boost the economy of the local community and provide opportunities for staff and students to serve the local community in the Dato Jaluk , Benut Square Pontian.

The activities organized in the program involved the students giving Motivation Workshop to the prospective SPM and PMR candidates, Cooking Workshop for the house wife, Games Workshop, Folk Culture Night, Mathematics Workshop for primary Student, Funeral Management Workshop, Fiberglass Workshop and health screening for villagers. The program, known as Carnival's Entrepreneurial Community Service in collaboration with other departments including the Office of the Registrar and Tun Razak Residential College, Center General Course and curriculum and the faculty.



The program also received support from the Johor State Government, Member of Parliament Pontian and Pontian District Office.

The main objective of this program is to create awareness among the local community about the importance of a comprehensive human development in the context of the importance of knowledge and new technologies to develop our present capital income. It helps in opening the minds of local people to be more creative in designing equipment for daily business. It also aims to foster the spirit of tolerance and cooperation between students and the local community.

The program was inaugurated by the YB Datuk Ahmad Maslan, the Member of the Parliament , Pontian and who is also the Deputy Minister in the Prime Minister's Department. The theme for the program is "EXCELLENT STAFF AND STUDENTS IN GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY". The two-day program attended by 15 students of general courses and curriculum, 13 students and 5 faculty of civil engineering faculty led by Dr. Abdullah Zawawi bin Awang started on 22 to 24 November 2013.