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THE ORTHOPAEDIC FAMILY DAY 2023

OUR STRENGTH LIES IN OUR UNITY!

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On a sunny Saturday of 21st January 2023, the Department of Orthopedic and Traumatology UiTM held its inaugural Family Day Event in Kuala Selangor Cabin Camp (KSCC), Jeram, Selangor. The first-ever large-scale family event organized by the department for its members, supporting staff and doctors convened together in unison to celebrate the event.



Preparation for the event began many months prior, which included T-shirt designing, arrangement of the venue and itineraries for the event, scouting out sponsors as well as in procuring door gifts and lucky draw prizes. It is truly easier to perform the most difficult of orthopedic surgeries than to plan an event at this scale. Staff and their family members were charged a nominal fee and the remaining budget for the event was from generousities of individual benefactors, as well as smart-partnership procurement from implant companies and surgical vendors. A small profit was even made along the way.

The KSCC is also known as the Kuala Selangor Rainbow Village, and this venue houses not only camps for visitors but also has a serene outdoor ambiance to it, complete with a mini zoo that houses animals such as geese, goats, monkeys, ostriches, and many more. KSCC is approximately a 20-minute drive from Hospital Al-Sultan Abdullah, Puncak Alam.

The family day program kicked off in the morning, as the department members came in with their families and proceeded with registration. After obtaining their lucky draw, members convened for breakfast and refreshment which was provided. In the morning, all participants went into the event hall to start the program.



The program started with some prayer recitation, following which the Head of the Department officiated the event. Many of the events and games were conducted in the enclosed hall, as it was raining outside. It was truly a fruitful event. In the presence of loved ones, and having lots of fun. At the end of the half-day Family Day program, though exhausted, everyone enjoyed themselves and expressed intentions for more such programs in the future.