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Project Smile is an initiative by Kossan International Sdn Bhd (KISSB) to develop, sustain, and perceive a good relationship between our internal and external community.

Initiated in 2013, the program has extended support and contribution to the environment and communities in need. It is 100% run by Kossan employees on a voluntary basis.

We look at many areas in contribution projects from schools, orphanages to animals, environment and the less fortunate.

It is also a program about developing future leaders through social awareness and motivational activities.

We believe that children are the hope for a brighter future, and we want to provide them with opportunities and hope for a better life.

Project Smile 15.0 – Love, Not In Words But In Deed

KISSB volunteers visited Good Samaritan Home to celebrate the joy of Christmas with the orphanage children.

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28 December 2017 (Thursday)

Christmas is about joy, love, gratitude, sharing and giving. It is the same spirit in which drives KISB volunteers to organize the Christmas celebration at the Good Samaritan Home to spend some time to share and give with love. Good Samaritan Home is a Home for children who come from families where parents have abandoned them, or where a parent is unable to cope with the divorce, or where the child has lost one or both parents. It was founded in January 1999 by Albert Ong and YM Ong, a former pastor and his wife.

30 boys and girl whose age ranges from 1-22 years old are being cared for as the Home seeks to not only provide for their physical and material needs, but also to minister to their emotional and psychological needs especially in the light of their broken family backgrounds.



The dean of the orphanage said the children may not be so lucky, but a little kindness from a good person can make a world of a difference for them. The children are the nation's future. We cherish and hope that our initiatives can make them feel the warmth of society, and we hope to inspire more people to care about them and for them to continue the legacy of loving others.



KISB volunteers took the opportunity to spread some Christmas cheer by singing Christmas carols together with the children. The children enjoyed the songs and joined in with tambourines, ringing a delightful spirit to the songs. Meanwhile, the KISB volunteers also took the opportunity to bond with the children to understand their hobbies and interest in sports and games. They are very passionate about life and learning new things. Kossan sponsored a wonderful buffet lunch for everyone and we gathered like a family to enjoy each other's company as we shared the Christmas meal.



Before we ended the day, every child received a spanking new school bag with stationeries from KISB to be prepared for the start of the new school term. In return, we received a warm “thank you” appreciation from them too. KISB also contributed financial donation to the orphanage to support their basic necessities such as food, clothing, shelter, medical care, and education.



Christmas alerts us to the needs of those less fortunate than ourselves, and many organizations and individuals make good efforts to bring the Christmas joy to them. Christmas can be more meaningful and blissful if majority of the society can open their hearts and hands for others.



“We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give.” – Winston Churchill

What can we do to help our orphans?

1. Sponsor

- Our monthly donation will help provide life-giving medical care to orphans with acute medical and special needs.

2. Fundraising

- Fundraising is the lifeblood of Orphans. There are many ways to raise money and have fun doing it! Giving up a little bit of our time to raise some money we will feel a real sense of pride in helping to improve the lives of orphans.



3. Donate books

- Books may get old, but the stories never do. So instead of throwing your old books into the blue bin at the nearest recycling center, we can proceed to help orphans by donating our books.



4. Be a volunteer

- Volunteer to give orphaned children healthy, secure and constructive childhoods. If your wanderlust and love for humanity are spilling over. You just need a place where you can put those qualities to use and turn your dreams into reality.

5. Share your story

- If you have had a positive experience with adoption or helping orphans, share your story on social media. Our story can be encouraging others to support the orphanage.

