

From the communications team.....

Welcome to the last Newsletter before some of you head off to your home countries for your summer holidays. For those of you who have recently joined the Malaysian Culture Group it is important to know that the MCG Events Planning Team and some of the other sub-groups take a break from organising events from Mid June to Mid August when we start back in earnest. When you are on your summer break please take some time to think about how you can help the MCG, the Communications team is looking for a new Newsletter Editor, if you are interested in this position or would like some more information please contact us at mcgknews@gmail.com. The Events Planning team is always looking for new team members, they can be contacted at mcgklevnts@gmail.com.

Michelle

Coming up...



Excursion : Guided tour of the Ilham Art Show 2022 at Ilham Gallery, Wednesday 15th June, 2022.

This event is now fully booked, if you wish to be put on the waiting list please send us an email to mcgklevnts@gmail.com

Reviews...

Events:

Wednesday, 6th April, 2022

[An Introduction to Ramadhan](#)

Review by Leslie Muri

Tuesday, 12th April, 2022

[Guided tour of Rimba Ilmu](#)

Review by Lisa Hall

Enak!:

Thursday, 20th April, 2022

[Oriental Treasure Dim Sum lunch](#)

Review by Eileen Lim

Explorers'

Tuesday 26th April, 2022

[Visit to Masjid Jamek](#)

Review by Dato' Patricia Chia Yoon Moi

Book Groups: April, 2022

Book Group 1

[How to Pronounce Knife](#)

Author - Souvankham Thammavongsa

Review by Joanne Mahendran

Book Group 2

[Kim Jiyoung, Born 1982](#)

Author - Cho Nan-Joo

Review by Nabila Ahmad

[BG1 & BG2 - Book Choices for 2022 - 2023](#)

President's Message



Dear valued members of MCG and friends,

It was truly heartwarming to see many cheerful faces at the 40th Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Wednesday, 18th May 2022 at the Royal Selangor Golf Club, where we had the pleasure to hear a speech from Tan Sri Rafidah Aziz, Minister of International Trade and Industry of Malaysia (1987 - 2008). The AGM went smoothly, the room was beautifully decorated and many enjoyed the lovely get-together. This would not have been possible without the 49 members present, 15 of whom volunteered and helped out enthusiastically. Terima kasih!

Please click [here](#) and spare three minutes to provide your feedback on the AGM.

As your newly elected President, I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks to the outgoing Committee Members: my predecessor Dato' Patricia Chia, for helming MCG through the tough pandemic with zeal and great determination; and Marianne Khor for her dedication and passion in convening the Events Planning Team for almost a decade. I thoroughly enjoyed working with both of you.

I would also like to give my congratulations to Corinne Sibert as the new Vice-President, and a warm welcome to the new Committee Members: Caroline Pujo as the Events Planning Convener, and Angelina Wijaya and Maria Pinho as the two Members at Large. All 12 positions in the Committee are now filled! Fantastic! The new team, comprising of eight nationalities, is geared up to deliver an exciting and enriching programme this year.

We have started distributing lanyards and membership cards at the AGM. The remaining sets will be distributed at upcoming events by the respective Convenors. Members are requested to wear their sets when attending all MCG activities. If the details on your cards are incorrect, please alert any Convener immediately. A replacement will be provided in due course. Please allow time for a reprint.

Have a great summer!

Ay Ling Liem

A NOTE ABOUT ONLINE PAYMENTS FOR MCG EVENTS:

Occasionally the MCG may require online payment for certain Events. It is essential that you include both your full name and the Event name in the Ref 1 & Ref 2 sections of your payment details so that we can see who has paid quickly. Could you also please send your payment receipt to mcgklevnts@gmail.com.

Online payments should be made to the following account.

Malaysian Culture Group
CIMB Bank Branch Lucky Garden, Bangsar,
Account no. 8000 909 207

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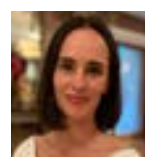
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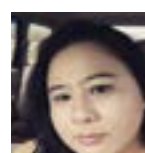
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