

From the communications team.....


Welcome/Selamat Datang to our new members that have joined the MCG since last month's Newsletter was sent out: Mina Salehi, Nattarika Thomas & Rebecca Kerstens


I hope you will enjoy the activities that have been arranged for you by Events, Explorers' Out & About and Enak! and Book Groups. The Events Planning team take a break from mid June to mid August as quite a lot of our members travel during these times.

Michelle Pease (Communications Convenor)

Coming up...

 **AGM : Malaysian Culture Group AGM to be held at The Royal Selangor Golf Club**
- Wednesday 3rd May, 2023

 **Lecture : Heidi Shamsuddin, "The Nusantara Fairy Tale Project". (This was a zoom event during the MCO but will now be repeated in person.)**
- Wednesday, 17th of May, 2023

 **Excursion : Half day workshop at FRIM, Forestry Research Institute of Malaysia**
- Date to be fixed for some time in June, 2023

Reviews...

Enak!:

Friday, 23rd February, 2023

Veggielicious

Review by Dato Pat Chia, Corinne Sibert, Rosemary Chin & Lisette Davis



Events

Wednesday, 5th April, 2023

Silat Melayu

Review by Leslie Muri



Book Groups: March, 2023

Book Groups 1 & 2

912 Batu Road

Author - Viji Krishnamoorthy

Review by Marianne Khor

President's Message

Dear Valued Members and Friends,



Selamat Hari Raya Aidilfitri! Eid Mubarak to our Muslim members and their family. I wish you all a healthy life and boundless happiness.

A warm welcome to our new members. Hope your experience with the MCG has been enriching as you discover and learn more about Malaysian culture.

There has been a steady number of new members every month since last year. Some of them were referred by you. Thank you for doing that and I encourage you to continue doing so.

A sweet reminder that our 41st Annual General Meeting (AGM) is just shy of a week. I am looking forward to seeing you on Wednesday, 3rd May 2023 at the Royal Selangor Golf Club. The AGM will be followed by a buffet lunch. For details, please check your email sent from MCG News (mcgknews@gmail.com). If you have not RSVPed, please do so soon.

The MCG is an organisation that provides a platform for people of all backgrounds to come together and learn about the culture of Malaysia! It is run by a group of passionate and dedicated volunteers across all nationalities.

Two positions are still vacant at the upcoming AGM: Secretary and Enak! Convenor. Good news, Tajuddin Idrus decided to stay on as Explorers' Out and About Convenor, and we received nominations for Treasurer and Events Planning Team Convenor positions.

If you are interested in volunteering your time and talents for good use, I would love to hear from you. My email address is president@mcgkl.org

With my warmest regards,

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

Meet your New MCG Committee



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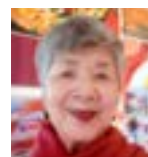


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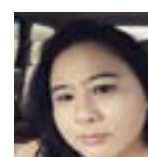
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The MCG Committee remains steadfastly committed to ensuring that the MCG meets the needs of our members. If you have any questions or feedback, please feel free to contact any of the Committee members by email. Yours in service of Malaysian culture!