

5,000 STAFF CELEBRATE HARI RAYA AIDILFITRI

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More than 5,000 Universiti Malaysia Pahang (UMP) staff attended a joyous Hari Raya Aidilfitri celebration held at the Sports Complex compound on September 20, 2011.

A total of 21 booths representing all the departments were set up and each displayed an array of delicious menus such as the 'nasi minyak' by the Registrar Department, 'nasi kerabu' by the Information Technology and Communication Department, soup and bread by the Property Development and Management Department and 'lemang' and 'rendang' by the Mechanical Engineering Faculty.

Satays served by the Office of the Vice-Chancellor, Audit Division and Corporate Development and Quality Management Centre were a big hit among the staff.

Other delicacies prepared were 'nasi impit' 'lontong', 'laksa Pahang', 'soto' and a variety of cookies and drinks.

The event was officially opened by UMP Vice-Chancellor Professor Dato' Dr Daing Nasir Ibrahim.

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He added that the interesting part of the celebration was the competition for most beautiful and creative booth with the concept based on the Hari Raya theme.

He said the winners would be judged based on creativity, tidiness, cooperation, cleanliness and cheerfulness in designing the booth.

The best booth was won by the Health Centre and Safety Division with their pudding and jelly menus while second place by the Registrar Department with third placing, Bursary.

Property Development and Management Department took home the fourth place while fifth placing - Students Affairs and Alumni Department.

Also present were Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Research & Innovation), Professor Dato' Dr Rosli Mohd Yunus, Assistant Vice-Chancellor (Corporate Development & Quality Management), Associate Professor Zulkafli Hassan and heads of department.