

## UMS IT club's camp March 14

KOTA KINABALU: Universiti Malaysia Sabah's (UMS) Information Technology Club (UMSINTEC), in collaboration with the university's Students Council, will conduct a four-day Information Technology Camp for the fourth time, in Sipitang, beginning March 14.

The camp, involving 45 undergraduates and four lecturers, as well as some 100 students, is aimed at promoting an IT-literate community

in this era of globalisation, according to programme publicity and exhibition chief Mohd Najid Deraman.

According to him, the programme would provide the necessary exposure in the early stages towards IT development in schools that have yet to be fully equipped with the proper facilities, as an introductory measure to upper secondary students.

At the same time, it would also provide an

avenue for positive interaction between school students and university undergraduates in the sharing of information and knowledge pertaining to IT literacy, he said.

Participants would be given insights into the history of computers, hardware and software, such as Microsoft Office, as well as application of computers in their daily lives, other than command of Internet utilisation.



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