

UMS recreation club visits 'Lost World'

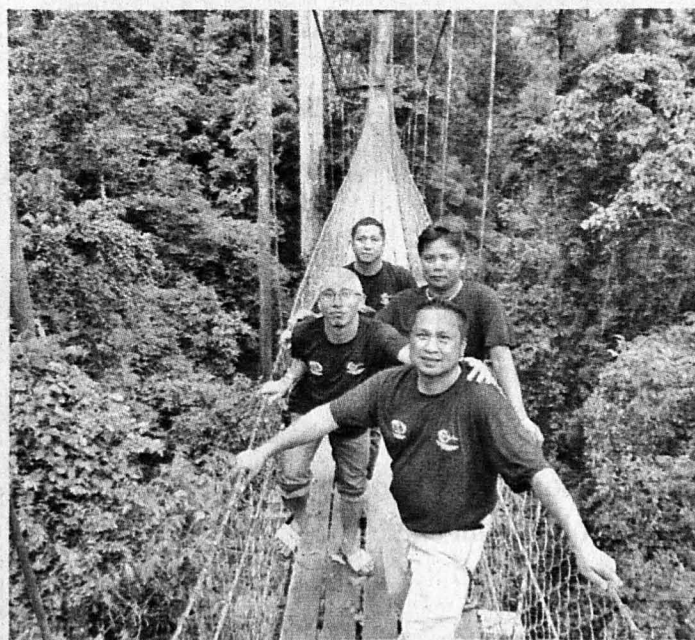
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THE recreational club of Universiti Malaysia Sabah (KRUMS) organized an educational visit to "the Lost World" of Maliau Basin conservation area recently.

Twenty-five staff took part in the much anticipated trip which became fruitful with full support from KRUMS president Professor Madya Dr Shariff A K Omang.

Among the activities held were jungle trekking around Agathis Camp, visit to waterfall and Maliau Basin Studies Centre and nightwalk where the participants got the chance to watch wildlife roaming freely like wild deer, wild boar, hornbill, tembadau and others. It was like walking into an open zoo!

The participants also got



A walk on top of trees.

a taste of off-road experience as the four-wheel-drive vehicles were tested to their limits on muddy roads as a result of continuous raining.

The visit achieved its objective which was to learn

more about Maliau Basin's pristine jungle and its flora and fauna.

KRUMS is under the Recreation Bureau headed by Ismail Abd Jalil and assisted by the visit's coordinator, Hasmi Hashim.



A group photo of the participants.



Getting a taste of off-road experience.



Jungle trekking on the way to Camel Trophy Camp.



Participants conquering the Nepenthes Waterfall.



Taking a remembrance photo at Agathis Camp.



Taking a rest in Nepenthes Trail.