UMS Palapes clean up charity centre

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KOTA KINABALU: The Reserve Officers Training Team (Palapes) of Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS) helped to clean up the Disabled Training Charity Centre in Tuaran which was affected by the floods (pic), recently.

Head coach of the UMS Palapes, Major Erika Fatra Roslita Rusli said the "Jiwa Murni Programme" held for two days at the training centre was aimed at helping to ease the burden of the people there. "The programme also serves as a platform for UMS Palapes to foster closer relationships between UMS staff, military members and the general public as well as the disabled," she said.

The programme received full support from UMS Vice Chancellor, Prof. ChM. Datuk Dr. Taufiq Yap Yun Hin. He also lauded the involvement of university staff and students in the community activity. Erika said such efforts prove that UMS is not only able to produce prestigious students but also to contribute to the community.

The public is welcome to donate rice and kitchen utensils to ease the burden of the training centre.