

**R.I.P. YAP YOON MEE KIRKBY 1955-57**

**Yesterday Fui Yoon (Kathryn) emailed me to convey the sad news that Yap Yoon Mee (1955-1957) had passed on.**

**Yoon Mee was all the time in Kuantan, Pahang. I had her address but did not have her phone contact.**

**This morning I called Kuantan and was lucky enough to speak to Yoon Mee's sister, Yoon Yen, from Singapore. Yoon Yen comes often to be with her sister**

**Yoon Yen told me that Mar Chow drops in to see Yoon Mee once a year during the Chinese Year. I also learned that Yoon Mee had a fall recently.**

**After college Yoon Mee went back to Kuantan and was posted to the Methodist Girls School. In the later part of her teaching career, Yoon Mee became the headmistress of MGS and later retired optionally. She had remained a spinster all her life.**

**Yoon Yen is going back to Singapore today and therefore it may be easier to convey your condolences through her email: [yenny.y.vap@gmail.com](mailto:yenny.y.vap@gmail.com) or call her at +9875 7790 (mobile) or her son Kevin +9002 1712**

**It was a pity that I never got to speak to Yoon Mee!**

**It will be comforting to Yoon Yen to learn that Kirkbyites had remembered her sister and that her friends feel the loss as well.**

**Yours in sorrow,**

**RAMA**

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