

TABUNG HARAPAN (5) – 16-6-2018

Fantastic Response

As of today (16-6-2018), the Kirkby collection for the Tabung Harapan stands at **RM23,250**! This was raised within a pace of 8 days. It is indeed phenomenal! Kirkbyites must be congratulated for their enthusiastic response.

We formally launched this collection on 8-6-2018. 3 days later on 11-6-2018 our collection was RM13,550. Such was the great response!

Then, 2 days later on 13-6-2018, we had collected RM21,200. What a way to go!

Now 3 days later on 16-6-2018– i.e. 8 days after the fund was launched – the collection stands at RM23,250! This is fantastic!

Short of RM6,750 to hit RM30,000

We are short of only RM6,750 to reach our minimum goal of RM30,000.

Going by the progress we have made, I am very confident that this target is achievable. And very soon too!

We need another 70 Kirkbyites to donate RM100 each to reach our target of RM30,000.

30 odd Kirkbyites please pledge

Some 30 odd Kirkbyites attending the JB Kirkby Reunion have yet to make their pledge. I understand that they would be donating at the Reunion. That is fine.

But just to give us an idea of the total donation that would be possibly forthcoming, it would be greatly appreciated if these Kirkbyites could let Bala know how much they would be pledging.

Please co-operate and inform Bala as soon as possible. You can still make your payment in JB, if you so wish.

This will give us an accurate picture as to how much more we have to collect to meet the target of RM30.000.

We need 40 more Kirkbyites

Assuming that all these 30 odd kind Kirkbyites attending the JB Reunion would be donating, we need to reach out to another 40 Kirkbyites to collect the balance. With everyone pitching in to reach out to our fellow Kirkbyites, we can collectively persuade these 40 Kirkbyites to help us to realize the RM30,000 we are confident of collecting.

There are many generous Kirkbyites out there waiting to be approached. If we speak to them, they will respond positively.

Our collective mission

This is our collective mission to find these 40 Kirkbyites. When we seek out these 40 Kirkbyites waiting to donate, our mission will be completed. Let's achieve this target within the next week. It can be done! We can do it!!

Enthusiasm is the mother of effort, and without it nothing great was ever achieved. - Ralph Waldo Emerson

Bless you my friends!
With very warm regards,
RAMA

By bank transfer:

Name of Bank: Maybank Petaling Jaya Main

Account Name: **Persatuan Alumni Kirkby Malaysia.**

Account No: 564164445982

After making your payment into the Alumni's Maybank Account please send an SMS to Kandan at +6012 288 3708.

RAMA'S CIRCULAR LETTER – 31 May 2018

Tabung Harapan Malaysia (Hope Fund)

My dear Fellow Kirkbyites,

By now we are aware how deeply we are indebted as a result of mismanagement and corruption that were wide-spread. We are told that we are in debt to the tune of one trillion! Most of our nation's revenue will go towards servicing this mammoth debt and loan we are burdened with.

The PH government is saddled with this huge responsibility to tackle this heavy burden. Already some projects are being cancelled to bring down the colossal debt.

A fund named "Tabung Harapan Malaysia (Hope Fund)" has been launched to get citizens to contribute voluntarily towards this fund to ease the government's burden. Within 24 hours more than 7 million has been raised through the generosity of caring Malaysians.

It just crossed my mind whether we as a Kirkby group and family should chip in and do whatever we can to help the government. It would be a noble gesture to raise some funds for this cause.

I propose that Dato Kandan takes charge of this project and keeps account of our contributions. Kirkbyites can pledge any sum from now onwards and this sum can be contributed during the 2018 Kirkby Reunion in JB.

Nobody should feel compelled to contribute. There is no minimum or maximum contribution to make. We should contribute whatever we can afford and feel comfortable with.

This is my humble suggestion for the consideration of all Kirkbyites.

We can make an announcement and make payment to the Hope Fund on behalf of the Kirkbyites when we have completed our collection.

Thank you.

With very warm regards,

RAMA
31 May 2018