

# SAMANEA

RAINTREE CLUB MEMBERS' NEWSLETTER • PP 11049/11/2012 (031176)

*Members*

Introduction Night

LILASARI DINING  
PROMOTIONS

*Club*

ACTIVITIES

SPORTS NEWS



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The Raintree of Kuala Lumpur

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The Raintree of Kuala Lumpur

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SATURDAY  
25.07.2015  
7PM TO 10PM



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**REGISTRATION  
WILL CLOSE  
ON 5TH JULY 2015**



## The Raintree of Kuala Lumpur



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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

*D*ear Members,

Much has changed over the years, including the surrounding areas of the Club. We used to be encircled by trees (and rain trees in particular) and scrubs in a shady and lush atmosphere. Development has however gradually but inevitably reached this part of the city – something that became all too evident when the tall trees along the main road (Jalan Desa Pandan) in front of the Club House were felled to make way for highway construction.

From the information obtained so far from relevant authorities, the proposed highway will connect the DUKE to Jalan Jelatek, then continue via an underpass below Jalan Ampang and via an overpass over Jalan Ampang Hilir. The end point of the highway (overpass) should fall either just before the Club's current main entrance or just after it. No doubt like you, we are keen to know exactly where the works will be and what the effects will be on traffic in and around our Club. We shall monitor this and keep Members informed.

Even before this new highway, the rapid development in this part of the city including close to the Club has contributed significantly to increased traffic flows along Jalan Desa Pandan, and several accidents involving Members have taken place. In the interests of safety as well as to avoid the messy construction works on the highway, we are moving the main entrance which has served us well for well over 24 years. In fact, the new entrance (which was the original Club entrance), located in the side road of Jalan Wickham, is already open. The old entrance will also remain open for an interim period until 19 July, but after that access will be via Jalan Wickham only. So please get used to using it now! For a detailed map and instructions see later in this Samanea.

Turning to the ever important question of finance, the Club's net tax payments under the new Goods and Services Tax (GST) have remained at about the same level as they were previously under the old Sales & Service Tax (SST) regime. This is because the higher amount of input tax we can now claim on goods and services purchased is roughly offset by additional taxes we have to pay on areas previously outside the SST regime, such as on our net takings on gaming – a significant amount. While GST has had no significant overall impact on our finances, the general sentiments on the economy have affected our F&B operations and our normally higher than expected sales for June have so far been slow. We do though expect a surge as some Members seek to meet their minimum spending requirement at the last minute, as usual.

The spiralling increase in the price of goods and services over the past six months has inevitably had an impact on the Club's two remaining capital projects (the swimming pool and kitchen) in terms of cost and delay. This has posed a challenge for the Club, and for the Special Projects and Development group (SPD) and Management in particular, who have had to look into ways and means to keep within the approved budget. They are currently looking at the option of re-working the specifications of each project to eliminate non-essential elements.

The rising costs of goods and services in Malaysia, not only recently but over the last many years, have also obliged your General Committee to consider, and indeed decide, to raise the monthly subscription. The reasons for this are simple and, I believe, persuasive. Subscription fees make up by far the bulk of the Club's regular income. However, while the expenses the Club has to cover from those fees have risen in line with inflation over the years, the Club's subscription has not. In fact, it has remained at the current level of RM100 per month per Member (and family) for more than twenty years. That is the main reason that the Club has, for some years now, been struggling to balance the books. The General Committee now feel that it is unavoidable to raise the subscription fee to a more realistic and sustainable level. As this requires the approval of the Members, we shall be putting it to a general meeting before the end of the year.

Finally, by the time you see this Samanea you should have received a Notice from the Club of an Extraordinary General Meeting (EGM) to take place on **Sunday, 26 July at 10am**. This EGM will consider and, we hope, approve the various amendments to the Club Constitution that the Legal, Constitutional & Rules Sub-Committee have been working on so hard over the past few years. The text of the new Constitution has been revised since last year to take account of Members' views expressed at last year's initial EGM and at three subsequent consultation meetings. We believe the proposed new Constitution represents a very solid, much improved basis for the Club to operate and move forward in the future. We need your support – and your presence at the EGM – to approve it. So please do come along!

Once again, the country will be celebrating the Muslim festival of Aidil Fitri shortly. In the spirit of Ramadan, allow me to wish our Muslim Members "Selamat Berpuasa" and "Selamat Hari Raya Aidil Fitri", and to our non-Muslim Members "Happy holiday"!

**WINSON HAN MEAN KWONG**  
**PRESIDENT**

# EDITORIAL NOTE

*Dear Members,*

In conjunction with the holy month of Ramadhan, we would like to wish "Happy Ramadan Al-Mubarak" to all Muslims.

Kindly be reminded our Raintree relocation entrance from 19 June via Jalan Wickham. Check out our new established Raintree Electronic Kiosk situated next to our Reception counter enable you to check your monthly statement besides ongoing Club news & promotions.

We are happy to bring you new reciprocal arrangements with the following Clubs: Orchid Country Club Singapore & Brisbane Polo Club. Various club activities took place including our successful 2015 Staff Day at Genting View Resort, Inter-club Tennis & Darts Tournament and various competitions by several sports section.

Here's wishing all Muslims members Selamat Hari Raya upon the forthcoming Hari Raya holidays and to all members "No matter where your celebrations may be, from near or far, we wish you a safe journey and happy holidays."

**Join us in the upcoming Annual Karaoke & Merdeka Celebration. See you here!**

**NOTICE: NO HARD COPY Statement will be delivered to your mailing address with effect from 1st July, 2015. Should you require a hard copy, please contact our Accounts Department. Nominal charges apply.**

THE EDITOR



## PAYMENT PAY YOUR CLUB'S DUE USING ONLINE TRANSFER

**maybank2u.com**

Register The Raintree of Kuala Lumpur as Favourite Payee

1. Login into [www.maybank2u.com.my](http://www.maybank2u.com.my)
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3. Select "Transfers"
4. Click on "Third Party Transfers"
5. Click "Add"

Fill in details of The Club as follows:

**ACC NO : 5145 4312 0212**

**NAME : THE RAINTREE OF KUALA LUMPUR**

**EMAIL : [finance@raintree.com.my](mailto:finance@raintree.com.my)**

Click "Continue"

Click "Request a TAC number" (please ensure that you have registered your mobile number with Maybank)

Key in TAC number as received via sms

Click "Confirm and account will be added to your favourite payee list"

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6. Key in the amount to be paid
7. Key in your membership number in Recipient Reference
8. Select "Confirm"

**CIMB Clicks**

**PUBLIC BANK**

Register The Raintree of Kuala Lumpur as Favourite Payee

1. Login into your respective bank's website
2. Choose "Interbank Fund Transfer"
3. Register "The Raintree of Kuala Lumpur" as Favourite Interbank Transfer Payee

### **Making the Payment**

1. Login into your respective bank's website
2. Choose "Interbank Fund Transfer"
3. Choose "The Raintree of Kuala Lumpur" from the dropdown list
4. Key in the amount to be paid
5. Key in your membership number in Receipt Reference
6. Select "Confirm"

**ALLIANCE BANK**

Register The Raintree of Kuala Lumpur as Favourite Payee

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4. Click on "Third Party Transfers"
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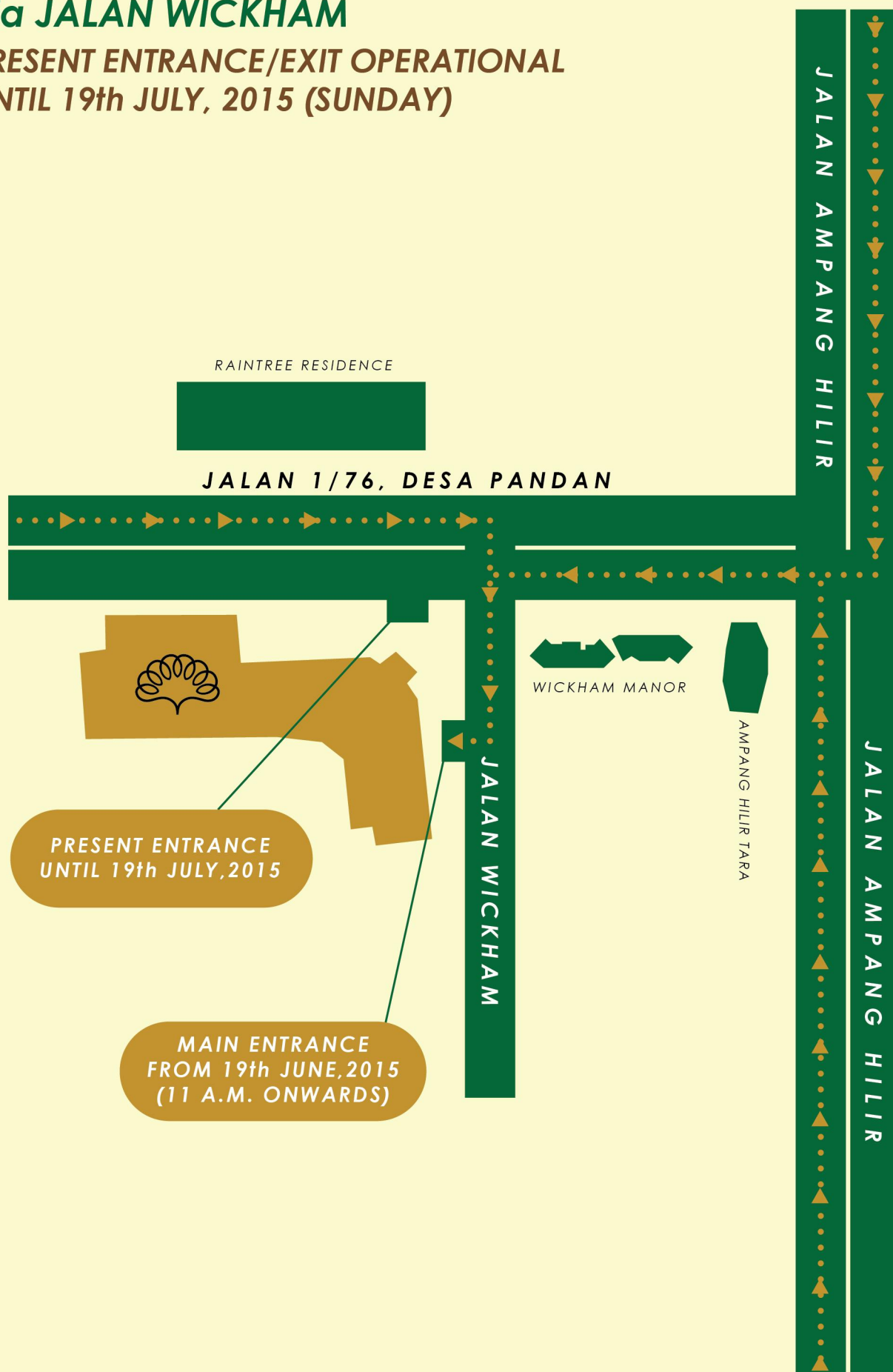
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# RELOCATION OF RAINTREE CLUB'S MAIN ENTRANCE FROM 19th JUNE, 2015 (11A.M. ONWARDS)(FRIDAY) via JALAN WICKHAM

PRESENT ENTRANCE/EXIT OPERATIONAL  
UNTIL 19th JULY, 2015 (SUNDAY)



# WELCOME ABOARD

The Club extends a very warm welcome to the following new Members who were formally admitted to the Club at the Members' Introduction Night held on 11th April 2015.

## PRINCIPAL MEMBERS

En Ahmad bin Mohd Tahir  
Puan Ahmeena Banu Abdul Aziz  
Ms Chia Yuet Yoong, Melinda  
Mr Chong Fook Sin  
Ms Chong Wai Kuan  
Mr Dev Suresh Joseph  
Mr Jason Wong Lok Chin  
Ms Jelina Dennis  
Mr Lee Eng Leong  
Mr Low Chee Wai  
Mr Low Ee Hua  
Miss Low Mey Ping  
Mr Mohan KPB Menon  
Mr Ong Koon Kit  
Mr Parijaat Dixit  
Mr Selvarajah Jebaretnam  
Mr Suah Chee Kang  
Mr Tan Chee You  
Madam Yap Mui Kiong, Grace

## Spouse

Puan Zaharawati Mohamed  
N/A  
N/A  
Madam Liew Yoke Lan  
N/A  
Madam Lynnet Sathiaraj  
N/A  
N/A  
Madam Lau Tan Chee  
Madam Low Keng Keng  
N/A  
N/A  
Madam Bridget Mirandah  
Madam Choy Sin Yan  
Madam Shalaka Dixit  
N/A  
Madam Gan Lin Ling  
Madam Nancy Fong Le Mee  
Mr Ng Chun Choong

## 2ND GENERATION/SIBLING MEMBERS

Mr Eng Ding Chao  
Mr Tho Lye Chong

## Spouse

N/A  
N/A

## TERM GUEST MEMBERS

Mr Boulanger Arnaud  
Mr Timothy Paul McMahon

## Spouse

N/A  
Madam Amy Katherine

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Mr Dev Suresh Joseph  
Madam Lynnet Sathiaraj



Mr Jason Wong Lok Chin



Ms Jelina Dennis



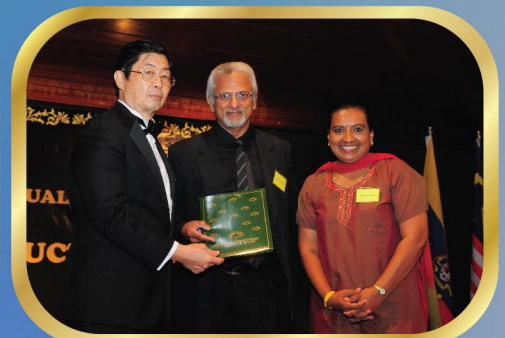
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Madam Lau Tan Chee



Mr Low Chee Wai  
Madam Low Keng Keng



Miss Low Mey Ping



Mr Mohan KPB Menon  
Madam Bridget Mirandah



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Mr Eng Ding Chao



Mr Tho Lye Chong

## TERM GUEST MEMBERS



Mr Boulanger Arnaud



Mr Timothy Paul McMahon  
Madam Amy Katherine

# 2015 Annual STAFF DAY

This year, the Raintree Staff organizing committee, with much appreciation to the goodwill and generosity of the General Committee, Members and Club Suppliers, we'd successfully organized our staffday trip to Genting View Resort for a 1-night's stay and team-building in the cool weather of Genting Highlands. A total entourage of 44 Staff registered their interest to participate in this team-building, embarked on their journey on 30 April after the Club closed its operation for the annual staff re-treat, by a chartered bus to reach Genting View Resort.

Upon entering the GVR, we were ushered to the Briefing Room where our GVR Team-building Master, En. Nazmudin conducted the Ice-breaking session whereby we were divided into 4 Groups with a Leader appointed.

After checking into the Kempas Apartment, where 6 person stayed in an apartment of 3 rooms, we'd to adjourned for the Cooking competition at 6pm. Each team had to select an item to cook; given the raw chicken, prawn, sotong and crab, and the team had to create their preferred style of cooking based on the condiments and other ingredients supplied. Three GCs attended; Mr Winson Han, Mr Peter Lim and Mr Barry Chong were invited to sample the dishes prepared and to give their scores and comments based on taste & presentation, method of preparation, hygiene and team-working effort. Eventually, the Green team won their culinary dish called 'Sotong Paprika'. A BBQ dinner was served by the Pool and the night ended with some more fun team games held at the Temenggong Hall.



The following day, we were briefed for our 2nd team-building session called the 'Explore Hunt' whereby each team was given 4 tasks to accomplish; Piping water, Flying Ball, Ping-pong and 'Chopstick & Guli', to get the next mission in order to proceed to the next stage of action. Many older staff had to endure their level of fitness as this game involved a lot of running and climbing the number of steps and slopes found within the premise. After a 2-hour of adrenaline pumping, the Staff had a recap on the activities played. Lastly, the Green team emerged as the Champion team for the Team-building competition held.

The purpose of this trip is to foster better working relationship with various staff of all Levels and Departments to enable themselves to express and communicate better in their job position. Though each of us may have some differences in our views and perception on some entangled situations, we can still preserve harmony and cohesiveness to accomplish the daily task and the overall functionalities of the Club.

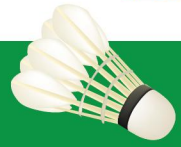
## BOC VS STAFF BADMINTON

May 30th 2015 was the date chosen for the annual friendly match between the Badminton Organizing Committee.

**Result: BOC 8 points Staff 6 points.**

A fellowship dinner was held after the match at Cempaka Room for participants of the games.

30th May 2015



## SERIES OF GAMES WITH ROYAL LAKE CLUB



25th April 2015

It was Raintree's turn to host this annual series of games. This year only 4 sports were contested instead of the usual 6. After the tea reception all games proceeded at their respective venues.

The Fellowship dinner was well attended by members of both Clubs. Our Sports Chairman Mr. Michael Chong was on hand to thank the Raintree members and Royal Lake Club members present for their continuing support which we believe will foster stronger bi-lateral ties between the two Clubs.

This year the Host team won all the Games contested. It was evenly contested but as always the home team has the advantage.

Overall results of the friendly matches were:

Sports played	Raintree	Royal Lake Club
Tennis	6	3
Table-tennis	14	5
Badminton	10	6
Snooker	8	7

*Well done Raintree players!*

# Carlsberg

## DARTS TOURNAMENT 2015



12-14 JUNE 2015  
CERATING BALLROOM, RAINTREE CLUB

This is the very first time in which the Darts OC held the Inter-Club Darts tournament, led by Mr Gubdave Singh and his fellow Committee Members. This is a 2-days event which saw 16 teams from 12 Clubs taken part; Raintree itself was represented by 2 teams. Our President, Mr Winson Han was present to officiate the opening of the darts tournament.

The 16 teams played their Round Robin on the first day; 4 teams to a Group and 4 Groups to choose the Best 2 teams to enter the Knockout Round. The loser teams would then be played in the Plate Pool. By early evening, most of the teams have finished their Round robin; with the following teams reached their highest points and total legs for their first two placings in the Knockout round.



### 1st RAINTREE INVITATIONAL INTER-CLUB DARTS TOURNAMENT

#### Group A

Selangor Recreation Club & Kelab Aman

#### Group B

Kulim Club & Royal Port Dickson Yacht Club

#### Group C

RCS Gold & PJ Hawks

#### Group D

SAFTEA & PJ Eagles

The overall results for the deserving prize winners were:-

Winners Pool	Plate Pool
<b>Champion</b> PJ Hawks	<b>Champion</b> Kklub
<b>1st Runner Up</b> RCS Gold	<b>1st Runner Up</b> Royal Sungei Ujong Club (RSUC)
<b>3rd &amp; 4th Placing</b> SAFTEA & Kulim Club	<b>3rd &amp; 4th Placing</b> SAFTEA & Kulim Club
<b>5th to 8th Placing</b> Selangor Recreation Club (SRC), PJ Eagles, Kelab Aman & RPDYC	<b>5th to 8th Placing</b> Selangor Recreation Club (SRC), PJ Eagles, Kelab Aman & RPDYC

On day 2, all the darts teams came back to play in the Winners and Plate Pools. Unfortunately, both Raintree teams succumbed to their defeat in their Plate event, lost to RSC Dalmatians and Kklub. Nonetheless, in the Ladies Singles event, our Raintree only lady darter, Ms Janet, managed to clinch for the Plate Champion title.



### Ladies Singles Event

Winners Pool	Plate Pool
<b>Champion</b> Ani (Kklub)	<b>Champion</b> Janet (Raintree)
<b>1st Runner Up</b> Farah (RSC)	<b>1st Runner Up</b> Pauline (RPDYC)
<b>3rd &amp; 4th Placing</b> Lina (PJ CLUB) & Harjit (RCS Club)	

Besides the Winners & Plate Pools, some Novelty prizes were given for the best 180 Scores (5 winners), Bull check-out (1 winner) and highest checkout above 120 (1 winner)

A total prize-money of RM7,880.00 were awarded to all the categories of prizes and PJ Club chalked in their highest rewards of RM3000.00 to win the Champion of the Winners Pool. This event is made possible and successful with the Sponsorship from Carlsberg Brewery Malaysia. We also thanked Mr Peter Yu for the Dunkin Donuts served as Tea refreshment during the 2 day event. Mr Michael Chong, our Sports Chairman thanked all the teams

participated and congratulated some who climbed their ways to the finishing lines; and apologized for any short-comings felt as this darts event is still at its infancy stage and much preparations can be improved. Words of thanks also given to the staff of Sports and Food & Beverages departments for their tremendous support throughout the darts tournament.



JULY



OPENING HOURS

WED - SAT (DINNER)  
7.30 P.M. - 9.30 P.M.



**RM88.00**

- \* Optional : \*
- Main Course RM62.60
- Appetizer RM18.10
- Dessert RM11.80

SET DINNER  
AMUSE BOUCHE

APPETIZER

Crab Meat with Crème Fraiche, Pan Seared Rare Tuna Loin, Mizuna Greens, Capsicum Salsa, Quail Egg, Balsamic Vinaigrette & Lemon Dressing

SOUP

Cream of Spinach Soup

MAIN COURSE

Australian Braised Slow Cooked Coffee Short Rib with Shallot Spring Herbs, Risotto Rice & In Its Natural Juice to Perfection

OR

Tian of Duck Confit with Mushroom Milange, Baby Spinach, Puy Lentil & Fresh Thyme Reduction

OR

Caramelized Ocean Sea Trout with Ravioli Pasta, Thin Slice Shape Fennel & Chive Beurre Blanc Sauce

DESSERT

Tiramisu Cup Cake

Traditional Italian Cream Cheese Cake with Mascarpone Cheese, Espresso Coffee Chocolate Powder & Seasonal Berries

• For reservations please call  
+603 4257 9066 ext 162 (Honizah) / ext 132  
• Email to [honie@aintree.com.my](mailto:honie@aintree.com.my)

\* Pictures shown are for illustrative purpose only. \* All prices are inclusive of GST.



Since our newly refurbished Tennis outdoor courts have been completed, the new Tennis OC had taken to task to organize the 27th Tennis Inter-Club Tennis tournament with a total 10 teams participated.

After a hiatus of 1 year gap, most familiar Clubs had joined back for the much anticipated Raintree Tennis tournament of all times. This event couldn't have been more success for the new Sponsor, Wilson Sports, to have signed up their 3-years Sponsorship programme with Raintree Club starting this year 2015.

## Main Trophy

*Champion*

TRANG TENNIS CLUB

*2nd Runner Up*

RAINTREE TIGERS

*1st Runner Up*

LAKE VIEW CLUB

*3rd Runner Up*

KELAB DARUL EHSAN

## Plate Event

*Winner*

RAINTREE DRAGONS

*Runner Up*

SEGAMAT COUNTRY CLUB

Congratulations to the Trang Tennis Club, who consecutively won the Double Champions title after numerous wrecking matches with Lake View Club in the finals.

The Tennis Organizing Committee would like to accord some appreciation to the General Committee for the approved budget, to all

Sponsors, mainly to Wilson Sports, for the contribution of Sports prizes & newly installed wind-breakers; in-house F&B meals throughout the tournament and F&N Beverages Marketing Sdn Bhd. for the supplies of 100+ isotonic drinks for all players; and the generous breakfast supplied by Mr Peter Yu, for his Dunkin Donuts.

## THE RAINTREE CLUB TABLE-TENNIS TOUR OF SANDAKAN 17TH APRIL 2015

The Table Tennis section of the Raintree Club recently went on a tour to Sandakan, Sabah to play some highly competitive table tennis matches. The fun-filled trip too came with lots of eating, drinking, singing, sight-seeing and eco-friendly forest retreat.

The 16-strong contingent from the Raintree Club comprises players of National & State level standard as well as a few novices.

We played the first of our two match days on the very day of our arrival to the welcome of the Sandakan combined team comprising of youthful sportsmen & women and some very experienced ex and current Sabah state players.

The playing venue was at the Pui Jin School of which the Head Master himself is an avid table tennis activist, who has established a dedicated table tennis arena for nurturing his young prospects for many years.

Despite the strong opposition we faced, we won our match 15-11 on the first day.

Our win spurred Sandakan fielding an even stronger team the next day. We beat them again 14-13, with the might of our players. The Sandakan combined team wanted a third match but unfortunately we don't have the time & we had to disappoint them.



Our 'star players' comprise of Wong Jee Seng, Lau Wai Cheng, Lim Hong Guan, Connie Loke, Goh Kong Chee, Justin Lee, Chris Goh and a few others. We even have the services of a current National player and reigning Commonwealth Games silver medalist in our contingent as our anchor among our star-studded line up.

Only work and no play make Jack a dull boy. Since Sabah is the heaven for fresh & cheap seafood, we indulge ourselves with a few days of lavish seafood outings and came back with our bodies heavier by a few kilos, but fully satisfied. Lobsters, seafood BKT are some delicacies and just to name a few.

Without forgetting that Sabah is also known for its eco-tourism and with the limited time we had there, we made a choice to go to a jungle resort rather than the beautiful islands & diving resorts. The Sukau Resort was the perfect choice for us. Hill chalets built at the hill sides overlooking the lower reaches of the Kinabatangan River was a quiet hideout for us for a day & night. Cruising down the river, sighting wild life in the river bank & hornbills flying over our heads was awesome. For a moment, we forget the hustle & bustle of our usual hurrying city lifestyles.

Lubuk Bay Proboscis Monkeys Sanctuary was never to be missed. We had lots of fun looking at those long nose monkeys and came within close proximity with them. Before returning home, we were already contemplating which will be our next destination in the future. This Sandakan excursion is entirely financed by the Raintree Club table tennis playing members themselves.

Pictures & article courtesy of Table Tennis Committee



Pictures & article courtesy of Mr Chan

## TABLE TENNIS FRIENDLY WITH HUP LEK TABLE TENNIS CLUB

On 28th April 2015, we hosted a friendly with 'Hup Lek Table Tennis Club' from Hong Kong. They came for a 4-days playing tour. They visited and played with teams in Kuala Lumpur, Ipoh and Malacca. They played with our Raintree team before flying home to Hong Kong. We played 10 singles and they won 7 games to 3. Raintree was not represented by our top players and most of us enjoy and learn a few trick-plays from these mostly senior players.

## EASTER GOLD MEDAL @ Bangi Golf Resort, 2 April 2015

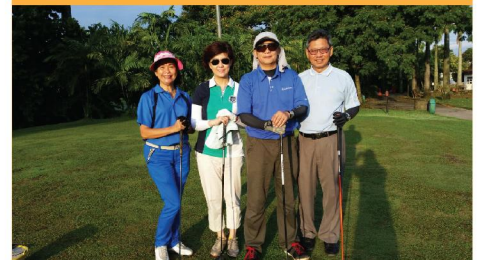
On 2nd April 2015, Golf Organizing Committee held their 1st golf medal at Bangi Golf Resort with 14 golfers present.

The following showed the Stableford results for the Medal concluded:

### STABLEFORD SCORE

PLACING	NAME	HCP	POINTS SCORED
1st	LEE KWOK MENG	20	40
2nd	ALAN LOKE	21	36
3rd	RASHIDI ISHAK	18	34 OCB

Also, 4 golfers, Jacqueline Cheong, Shane Lai, Tay Hoon Lim and Bruce Chan took away the Ballsweep prizes on 1st and 2nd Nine.



## SNOOKER

Royal Port Dickson Yacht Club during the visit by the Snooker Section.  
Results 8-7 in favor of Raintree of Kuala Lumpur



Sports Chairman Mr. Michael Chong exchanging souvenir plaques with the President of Royal Port Dickson Yacht Club Mr. Gopalan

## SNOOKER CLINIC 20th June 2015



Snooker Clinic by Mr Rory Thor, Asian Champion and current Sea Games 2015 Double Gold Medalist for Raintree members



# Lila Sari

## Executive Set Lunch Promotion

— AUGUST —

# RM40

(Inclusive of GST)

\* Option:- \*

- Main Course only RM 35
- Dessert only RM 12.80

### OPENING HOURS

Wed - Fri (Lunch)  
12.30 p.m. - 2.30 p.m.

*Buffet Salad*

*Soup of the Day*

*Main Course (Choice of)*

Tian of Lamb Loin, Grilled Mixed Vegetables, Buttered Savoy Cabbage Celeriac Mouseline, Puy Lentil & Mint Jelly Rosemary Reduction Sauce

Pan Seared Grilled Salmon Roulade with Japanese Seaweed & Tomato Cream Butter Emulsion

*Dessert of the Day*

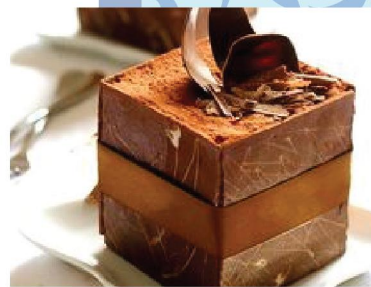
Chocolate Brick with Silver Rum Sabayon Seasonal Berries & Vanilla Ice Cream



Tian of Lamb Loin



Grilled Salmon Roulade



Dessert Of The Day

\* Pictures shown are for illustrative purpose only.

# RM40

(Inclusive of GST)

\* Option:- \*

- Main Course only RM 35
- Dessert only RM 12.80

## Executive Set Lunch Promotion

— SEPTEMBER —

# Lila Sari

### OPENING HOURS

Wed - Fri (Lunch)  
12.30 p.m. - 2.30 p.m.

*Buffet Salad*

*Main Course (Choice of)*

**Lasagna Ai Forno**

Home Made Layer Thin Pasta Lasagna with Mince Beef Filling, Béchamel and Mozzarella Cheese on Top

**Petti De Pollo**

Grilled Chicken Breast Marinated with Cajun Spice, Spring Herbs, Diced Tomato, Sundried Tomatoes & Pomodoro Sauce

**Spaghetti Bavette Mari E Monti**

Spaghetti Tossed with Fresh Prawn, Clam, Fish Garlic, Onion, Dry Chillies, Cherry Tomato, Button Mushroom, Drizzled Extra Virgin Olive Oil & Versatile Pasta Sauce

*Dessert of the Day*

Panna Cotta Italian Cream Pudding with Drenched Walnut, Honey & Strawberry



Layer Thin Pasta Lasagna



Grilled Chicken Breast



Spaghetti



Dessert Of The Day

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The first phase of the Club development was completed in September 1993. It included the Driving Range, Golf Clubhouse and the first of the three 9-hole courses, the Aranda Course. The second phase comprised the development of the Vanda and Dendro Courses, the Social Clubhouse and Orchid Lodge. Most of Phase II was completed by the end of 1994. By the fourth quarter of 1995, the Dendro Course and the Bowling Alley were opened for play. The long awaited Third phase development of the club featured extra parking lots at the new multi-storey car park. The Olympic Pool Changing Room also featured a sauna.

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The Hong Kong Cricket Club, Hong Kong

Bombay Gymkhana, India

Indonesia Petroleum Club, Indonesia

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Manila Polo Club, Phillipines

The Rockwell Club, Phillipines

The Royal Scots Club, Scotland

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Singapore Recreation Club, Singapore

The Hollandse Club, Singapore

The Tanglin Club, Singapore

The Rand Club, South Africa

Sallakapet Club, Sweden

American Club in China, Taiwan

## LOCAL CLUBS

Segamat Country Club, Johor

Black Forest Golf & Country Club, Kedah

Royal Port Dickson Yacht Club, N.Sembilan

Astana Golf & Country Club, Pahang

Kelab Sukan Pulau Pinang, Penang

Penang Sports Club, Penang

Penang Swimming Club, Penang

Kelab Ipoh Diraja, Perak

The Ipoh Swimming Club, Perak

Kelab Desa Rantau Petronas, Terengganu





# LUNCHEON CELEBRATION

Regardless of where you live, we all have mothers. In honour of moms everywhere, a special day is dedicated just to her. On 10th May 2015, Mothers' Day Luncheon Celebration was held at Lilasari. There were more than 42 pax attended. We also have a Cake Cutting celebration for all mothers.



# Mother's Day Gift



The Children's Library has organised "Mother's Day Gift on 10th May 2015. This time around 17 children participated with their creative Mother's Day Gift.



# father's Day Gift

The Children's Library has organised "Father's Day Gift on 31st May 2015. This time around 8 children participated with their creative Father's Day Gift.



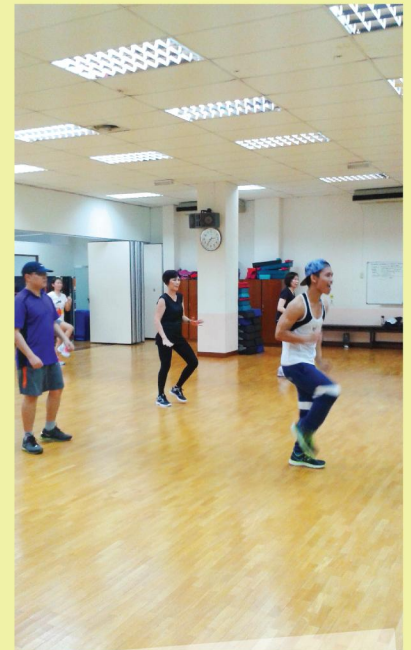
\* NOTE: There will be no activity for June & July in conjunction with the fasting month of Ramadhan \*



## NOTABLE UPCOMING CLUB ACTIVITIES

DATE	TIME/ DAY	ACTIVITY	VENUE	SECTION
21th July onwards	Play every Tuesday & Friday's evening, 7-9 p.m.	Badminton Doubles League 2015	Badminton Hall, Raintree	Sports
25th July	7.00 p.m	2015 Annual Karaoke Competition	Cerating Hall	Karaoke
26th July	11.00 a.m	Junior Tennis Carnival	Tennis Courts	Sports
28th July	7.00 p.m	Merdeka Celebration	Teratai Bar	Food & Beverage
12th Sept	7.00 p.m	Member's Introduction Night	Cerating Hall	Membership
19th Sept	7.00 p.m	Mooncake Party	Cabanas	Children Activity

# Zumba Trial Class



A Zumba Demo Class was conducted on a Sunday afternoon, 19 April 2015 at 2pm to a crowd of 20 Members & their children who are keen in learning the latest 'move your body' dance movements among the younger generations. The class was conducted by a young and trendy man, Master Kelvin Wong.

**Interested Members, can come & join in the Zumba session with Kelvin on**

**Day/Time: Every Sunday, 3-4 p.m.  
Venue: New MPH, Sports Pavilion**

# SEMINAR PACKAGES



## PACKAGES A

**RM 74.20** Including GST per person per day, which includes the following (minimum 10 pax)

- 1 Coffee Break with 3 types of snacks (Morning)
- 1 Coffee Break with 1 type of snacks (Evening)
- 1 Dome Lunch.
- Use of Meeting Room from 9.00 a.m – 5.00 p.m
- Usage of 1 LCD Projector and White Screen.
- Whiteboard, Flipchart with Marker Pens, Writing Pad, and Pencil.
- Meeting Amenities including Drinking Water & Mints.

## PACKAGES B

**RM 63.60** including GST per person per day, which includes the following (minimum 10 pax)

- 1 Coffee Break with 3 types of snacks.
- 1 Dome Lunch.
- Use of Meeting Room from 9.00 a.m – 1.00 p.m or 1.00 p.m – 5.00 p.m
- Usage of 1 LCD Projector and White Screen.
- Whiteboard, Flipchart with Marker Pens, Writing Pad, and Pencil.
- Meeting Amenities including Drinking Water & Mints

## PACKAGES C

**RM 38.16** including GST per person per day, which includes the following (minimum 10 pax)

- 1 Coffee Break with 3 types of snacks.
- Use of Meeting Room from 9.00 a.m – 1.00 p.m or 1.00 p.m – 5.00 p.m
- Usage of 1 LCD Projector and White Screen.
- Whiteboard, Flipchart with Marker Pens, Writing Pad, and Pencil
- Meeting Amenities including Drinking Water & Mints.

## PACKAGES D

**RM 55.12** including GST per person per day, which includes the following (minimum 10 pax)

- 1 Dome Lunch
- Use of Meeting Room from 9.00 a.m – 1.00 p.m or 1.00 p.m – 5.00 p.m.
- Usage of 1 LCD Projector and White Screen.
- Whiteboard, Flipchart with Marker Pens, Writing Pad, and Pencil.
- Meeting Amenities including Drinking Water & Mints.

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