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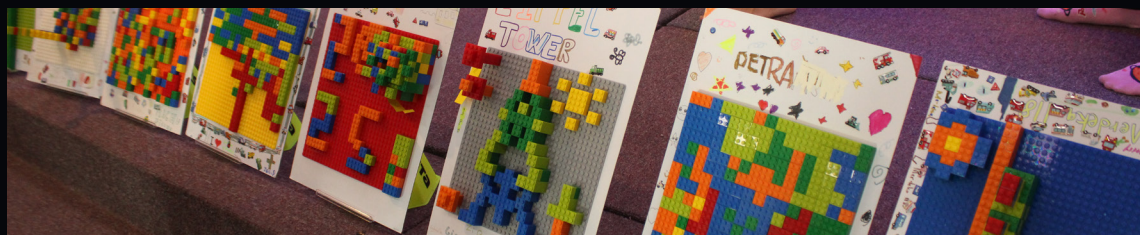
SUPA Here, SUPA There, SUPA Everywhere!

SUPA – The Most Anticipated SU Children’s Camp

If you had inquired about Scripture Union Primary Age Camp (better known as SUPA Camp) before the pandemic, you would have found it to be the most anticipated Scripture Union children’s camp of the year. Back then, only one SUPA Camp was held annually, drawing children from near and far to gather in one location, usually at the much-loved SUFES Campsite at Tapah.

After our last physical SUPA Camp in 2019, the pandemic brought a pause to in-person

gatherings and we pivoted to having online SUPA Camps temporarily. In 2022, SUPA Camp made a comeback! To bring SUPA Camp closer to children in communities further away, the camp expanded into 3 regions across Peninsular Malaysia – Central, Northern, and Southern Region. This enabled more children to have the chance to experience a fun-filled and faith-building camp adventure.



SUPA 2025

This year, SUPA Camp began in the Central Region (25-28 May 2025) with 80 campers and 27 staff and volunteers. It was held for the first time at Malaysia Bible Seminary, Rawang.

One month later, our team travelled to Johor Bahru for SUPA Southern (5-6 July 2025). It marked our fourth year returning to the church grounds of Holy Light Church (English), continuing our partnership to minister to children in the Southern

Region. There were 74 campers and 25 staff and volunteers.

Finally, SUPA Camp concluded in the Northern Region (14-16 September 2025) with 33 children and 18 staff and volunteers. For the first time, the SUPA Northern Camp moved beyond Penang and was hosted at Wesley Methodist Church, Sitiawan.

R.O.C.K. – Relying On Christ the King

SUPA Camp 2025 carried a construction-inspired theme titled R.O.C.K. – Relying On Christ the King. Campers were invited to listen and learn from Jesus’s Sermon on the Mount about what it means to live as His people in His kingdom under His kingship. Through His words, campers

discovered what a life of true blessing, witness, and devotion looks like, and what it means to build their lives on the firmest foundation. The camp featured team-building activities, projects, and workshops that reinforced and complemented the Bible lessons.



Highlights at SUPA Camp 2025

Among the favourites at SUPA Camp were Dr. Dodgeball and Building Project.

Shouts and squeals of excitement filled the air during Dr. Dodgeball, a sports-based game with a twist! Each team had a “doctor” who could bring teammates back into the game after being hit by a ball. This intentional game pointed campers to a deeper truth: just as players recognised their need for a doctor to save them, we too should recognise our need for the Ultimate Sin Doctor, Jesus, to rescue us from sin and death.

Inspired by Matthew 7 on The Wise and Foolish Builders, the Building Project challenged campers to construct a physical model house with a strong foundation ready to withstand unexpected tests. Different regions varied in the way their house projects were being tested, such as the Wind Test, Drop Test, and Water Test! Just as a well-built house stands firm through the tests, campers learnt that their lives too need a strong foundation in order to stand firm in the face of life’s trials.

Our Heartfelt Appreciation

We are most grateful for the faithful support of our volunteers and donors who brought SUPA Camps to life across all regions! We are also deeply thankful for Holy Light Church (English), Johor Bahru and Wesley Methodist Church, Sitiawan for generously opening their doors in hosting the camps. Their support made each regional camp possible!



Central Region



SU's Internship Programme

History

Scripture Union's internship programme started many years ago, giving individuals the opportunity to experience what full-time ministry in Scripture Union (SU) is like.

Aims and Objectives

Today, the objective of SU's internship programme remains mostly the same, but with added training to build up the interns in Christian ministry. The interns not only have a foretaste of what full-time ministry is like, but they also actively participate in ministry hand-on. Furthermore, the internship programme also helps to cultivate an attitude of serving those around them, giving them the opportunity to encourage students, share their testimony, and even teach the Bible. Overall, we hope that the internship programme can be a stepping stone for individuals who want to pursue full-time ministry in the future or those who want to experience full-time ministry for a short while.

Who Comes in

The internship programme is for anyone who wants to get a taste of what full-time ministry is like outside their local church and in an inter-denominational setting. Particularly, those who want to work with primary and secondary age students. The internship has welcomed post secondary school students waiting for their college intake, as well as those who are doing gap years in their university. In addition, we have also welcomed those who are in between jobs and want to see whether full-time ministry is their calling.

How has it benefitted the interns and ministry of SU

The internship programme has greatly benefitted SU over the years, not merely providing helping hands in ministry, but as an encouragement to both students and staff alike. The interns not only help with the ministry, but even provide new ideas and insights into how we can better engage students. Furthermore, we have also seen past interns come back as full-time staff years later. Chai Tze Kwang and Siau See Yuan from the Central Region Team are two examples of that, who were SU interns in 2015.



Here are some testimonials from recent interns:

“I’ve come to learn the behind-the-scenes of ministry, especially the prayer life and support within the team needed to carry out God’s work. No matter the efforts we can put out, it wouldn’t amount to anything without God behind it. This attitude of dependence on God and personal humility is one I hope to continue carrying in life.”

- *Joseph Tan, SU Intern 2025*

“Applying for this internship was one of the best decisions I’ve made without fully realising it at the time. I didn’t expect it to impact me as deeply as it did. What started as a simple, “Why not?” (or a promise to someone) turned into one of the most stretching and meaningful seasons of my life. My time with SU was full of moments that challenged me, shaped me, and deepened my love for God.”

- *Dorine Wong, SU Intern 2025*

“I had the opportunity to learn more and be a part of the impact that SU has in the ministry of reaching out to the kids and youths in Malaysia. I gained valuable insight into SU’s ministry, especially the often-overlooked importance of kids’ ministry, through going to different chapels, Christian Fellowship (CF) clubs, camps, and outreaches. Each school was very different and some even shocked me with how excited some of the kids were whenever the SU team came to their schools. I also got to see the engaging activities and well-planned lessons that were taught by the SU staff.”

- *Lydia Woon, SU Intern 2025*

Join the SU Internship Program!



Northern Region



Science and Nature Camp 2025: “It’s Amazing! Spaceship Earth”

From 30 Aug - 1 Sep 2025, the Northern Team, in partnership with Christian STEM Nexus, hosted the It’s Amazing! Spaceship Earth. This year’s camp brought together 64 campers aged 10 to 15 from various states, supported by 17 dedicated volunteers and staff.

The camp offered a rich blend of science, faith, and environmental stewardship. A major highlight was the beach cleanup under CEMACS: International Coastal and River Cleanup. Campers collected and sorted an impressive 39 kg of trash, gaining hands-on experience in environmental conservation. In another creative activity, campers used items found in nature to produce thoughtful pieces of art, fostering an appreciation for creation.

Campers also engaged in climate action planning, generating insightful and practical ideas for environmental change. An excursion to Taman Rimba added another layer of learning, featuring three

interactive sessions: Epiphytes, GPS, & Heat, and River Ecology. The day concluded with time for water play and a picnic lunch, reinforcing the connection between joy and nature.

Our guest speakers, Mr. David, Mr. Lincoln, and Dr. Khong delivered inspiring sessions that highlighted the wonders of God’s creation. They encouraged campers to reflect on their responsibility as stewards of the Earth and pointed them to Jesus Christ, the Creator and Redeemer.

This camp successfully demonstrated how science and faith can go hand-in-hand, offering campers a deeper understanding of both the natural world and their spiritual journey. We are thankful for the opportunity to run this programme and pray that the seeds planted during these few days will continue to grow in the hearts of the campers, inspiring them to live out the truths they have discovered.



Impactful School Ministry in Ipoh and Kampar

School-based ministry continues to be a powerful platform to make a meaningful impact and share the ultimate source of hope - the Gospel. By God's grace, doors have opened for us to reach out to about 7 schools in Ipoh and Kampar, both primary and secondary. We are especially thankful for our SU prayer partners - your prayers have been answered as more Christian Fellowship (CF) teachers have come alongside us, and more students are now attending CFs.

As part of our ministry strategy, we intentionally connect with those from Ipoh to serve in the schools in their hometown. In July 2025, Angie, our Northern Region Staff, and Terry, an SU intern (also from Ipoh) served alongside the local CFs. This collaboration has been a great encouragement and a step forward in strengthening ministry in the region.

We especially want to honour and give thanks for the

faithful CF teachers in Ipoh. Their behind-the-scenes service has been vital in connecting us with schools and creating opportunities to share God's Word.

Students have been very responsive to the message. Some expressed their gratitude, with some still exploring Christianity and others seeking deeper growth in their faith journey. Teachers, too, have been blessed. After a recent session on "Patience," one teacher shared how the message spoke to her personally as it reminded her of her own struggle with anger and the importance of following Jesus' example to cultivate patience in all situations.

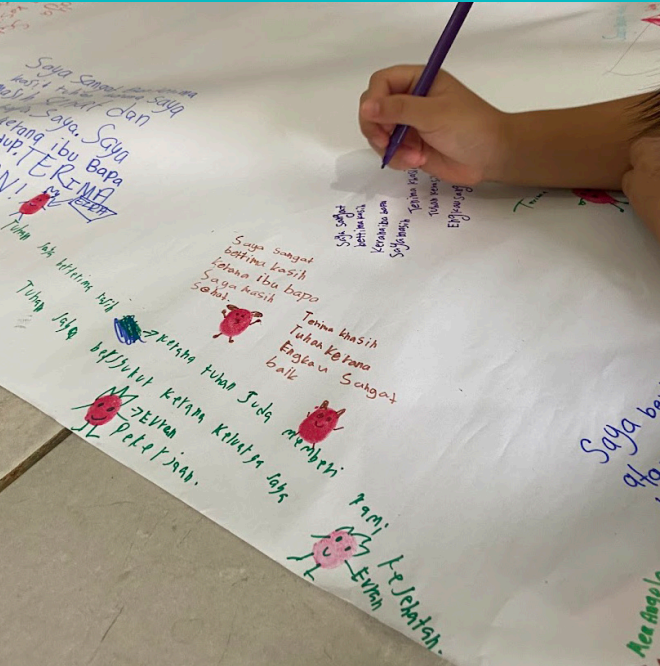
Please continue praying that the students in Ipoh and Kampar CFs will respond to the Gospel and grow in maturity, and that God will raise more teachers and SU staff to be based in Ipoh to serve.

Pantai Remis Methodist Church

这次班台基督教卫理公会的儿童福音营有 40 位营员参加,由读经会北部区的 Kelly 和 Sally 协办。我们以「王国探秘」为主题,从马可福音认识耶稣是谁 - 祂是神应许的君王,为拯救罪人而来,并借着复活战胜罪恶和死亡。盼望营员们记得:耶稣是永远的君王,愿意回应祂的呼召,背起十字架跟随祂。若有教会有兴趣与读经会合作,欢迎与我们联系,一同在下一代中广传福音!



Sabah Region



Latihan Ketua Pelajar Persekutuan Pelajar Kristian

Segala pujian kepada Tuhan kerana telah membuka pintu pelayanan bagi kami untuk melatih serta membimbing generasi muda menjadi pemimpin di sekolah dan asrama. Dari bulan Jun hingga Ogos yang lalu, kami berpeluang mengadakan Latihan Kepimpinan untuk para Ketua Pelajar. Objektif utama latihan ini adalah untuk memperlengkapkan mereka memimpin perjumpaan, sama ada di sekolah mahupun di asrama.

Latihan ini bukan sahaja menekankan peningkatan kemahiran dalam merancang dan mengendalikan

program, tetapi juga membantu mereka memahami identiti sebagai anak-anak Tuhan serta misi dan visi yang Tuhan telah taruh dalam hati mereka. Dalam perjalanan ini, mereka turut disedarkan tentang pentingnya perpaduan sebagai satu pasukan, yang menjadi kunci untuk mencapai misi dan visi tersebut dengan pimpinan serta penyertaan Roh Kudus. Melalui latihan ini, para pelajar mengalami perubahan peribadi yang membawa impak positif, sekaligus mempersiapkan mereka untuk memimpin orang lain.

Pelayanan Hostel

Pelayanan hostel di Sabah sentiasa dijalankan melalui kerjasama erat bersama rakan pelayanan SUPM, khususnya SiEC dan SPECS. Kami bersyukur atas kepercayaan serta peluang yang diberi untuk terus melayani Tuhan terutamanya dalam kalangan pelajar hostel. Baru-baru ini, SUPM berkesempatan menyampaikan sesi bertajuk **"Dekat dengan Yesus Kristus Melalui Doa"** kepada pelajar sekolah rendah di Pitas.

Dalam perkongsian ini, kanak-kanak dididik tentang kepentingan hidup dekat dengan Yesus, serta menyedari bahawa doa ialah komunikasi penting bagi membina hubungan yang intim dengan-Nya.

Salah satu aktiviti yang sangat menyentuh hati ialah **"Perhentian Doa"**, yang berjaya menarik minat pelajar berdoa dengan pendekatan

yang menyeronokkan dan bermakna. Melihat kesungguhan serta ketulusan mereka ketika berdoa benar-benar menyentuh hati setiap yang hadir.

Selain itu, kami juga berpeluang mengadakan **Kem Transform, Impact & Lead** di sebuah hostel sekolah menengah di Kudat. Melalui kem ini, para remaja memahami bahawa titik perubahan hidup bermula apabila mereka mengenali identiti mereka dalam Kristus Yesus. Perubahan ini bukan hanya untuk diri mereka, tetapi turut membawa impak positif kepada orang sekeliling secara langsung mahupun tidak langsung.

Dalam kesempatan lain, Nimron turut menyampaikan Firman Tuhan sempena Hari Sukan yang menghimpunkan pelajar hostel dari Kudat, Kota Marudu dan Pitas. Hari Sukan ini bukan sekadar waktu bersukan atau bertanding, tetapi juga ruang untuk memperkenalkan Kristus, membina hubungan, saling mendorong serta mendoakan antara satu sama lain.

Kami percaya Kristus Yesus terus bekerja dalam hati dan kehidupan para pelajar ini. Kiranya dalam setiap aktiviti yang dijalankan, Kristus tetap diwartakan, diagungkan dan dimuliakan kerana Dialah pusat segala pelayanan kami.

Pelayanan Kanak-Kanak - SUPA (Penjelajahan Kerajaan)

Kali ini, SUPA Kem bertemakan **Penjelajahan Kerajaan Tuhan** telah diadakan di dua daerah iaitu Ranau dan Kota Belud pada tarikh berbeza. SUPA Kem di Ranau dijalankan dengan kerjasama beberapa gereja SIB dari setiap kawasan, dan jumlah keseluruhan peserta yang menyertai kedua-dua kem tersebut adalah seramai 142 pelajar.

Sepanjang kem, para peserta menunjukkan semangat yang luar biasa walaupun berasal daripada cabang gereja yang berbeza. Mereka dapat bergembira bersama, dan yang paling menyentuh hati ialah ketika mereka membuat keputusan untuk mengikut Raja Yesus dalam kehidupan mereka.

Selain itu, kami amat diberkati dan terinspirasi dengan penyertaan 20 orang guru sekolah minggu dari kawasan Ranau yang turut terlibat menyelaraskan kem dari awal hingga akhir. Kehadiran mereka bukan sahaja menyumbang kepada kelancaran kem, malah memberi mereka latihan praktikal untuk mengendalikan aktiviti dan permainan dalam pengajaran sekolah minggu pada masa hadapan.

Marilah kita terus berdoa agar kanak-kanak ini setia mengikuti Yesus Kristus dalam kehidupan mereka, kini dan selamanya.



Southern Region



Expanding South: A Fruitful Ministry REACH in Melaka

Our ministry's reach to the South continues to grow, and this August was another step forward. A team of 10 staff and interns from the Central Region travelled to Melaka for a weekend of action-packed ministry, eager to serve, encourage, and proclaim God's Word.

Over a few days, we engaged with students from six school Christian Fellowships across three school events. Through lively games, lessons from the Scriptures, and heartfelt times of singing, our team sought to point young hearts toward Christ. Students and teachers expressed deep appreciation for SU's presence, finding fresh encouragement to keep shining for Jesus in their schools.

Beyond the school gates, ministry continued as we connected with young people and children from four local churches. Sunday school rooms buzzed with energy as children enjoyed fun-filled Bible

programmes, while youth fellowship gatherings offered space for teaching from the Scriptures on practical and biblical topics relevant to their stage of life. On Sunday, team members shared God's Word in various services.

One highlight was reconnecting with faithful SU volunteers from Melaka and Johor Bahru. These moments of fellowship reminded us of the wonderful Gospel partnerships God has provided over the years.

From the warm welcomes to the encouraging responses we received from students, teachers, youth leaders, and church members, it was clear that God was at work in every interaction. Please pray with us for wisdom and resources to grow and sustain ministry in Melaka and for more open doors for the Gospel in the South.

An Exciting New Chapter for Schools' Ministry in Johor

A Christian teacher in Johor sought help to restart her school's ministry which was halted since the pandemic. We visited the school, shared God's Word with the students, and supported the teacher with resources and guidance. May more teachers be inspired to begin or revive Christian Fellowships, nurturing faith among students.

New Frontiers: Impacting Orang Asli Young People with God's Word

A New Chapter Begins

This year marks an exciting new chapter for our ministry as we begin reaching out to the young people of the Orang Asli communities. Many of these children and youths have had little exposure to the Gospel, and the need for a firm biblical foundation is great. We are exploring how Scripture Union can best serve them, both in their villages and in hostels.



Craft Work!!

The Gospel in Hostels

We have also been ministering to Orang Asli students who live in hostels away from home. Recently, we ran a Gospel programme for students from two schools in Melaka. These youths were eager to engage, open to learning about the faith, and showed remarkable resilience in adapting to school and hostel life despite being far from their villages.

Praying for Growth

This ministry is still in its early stages. We are learning as we go and seeking the Lord's direction for how best to serve these communities. Pray with us that God will open doors, strengthen partnerships, and raise up young Orang Asli who will one day become faithful witnesses for Christ in their own communities.



Group Photo with Orang Asli

The Gospel in the Village

On the village ministry front, we have started monthly visits with ministry partners to an Orang Asli village in the heart of Kuala Lumpur. Here, the children have very limited exposure to the Gospel and know little about the Christian faith. Using a simple, interactive study of Mark's Gospel, we have seen their faces light up with joy as they learn who Jesus is and what He has done. Lessons are kept clear, at their level of understanding, with room for fun and games. Building relationships is vital, and our staff have even gone jungle trekking with the children to deepen those bonds.



Trekking through the Jungle

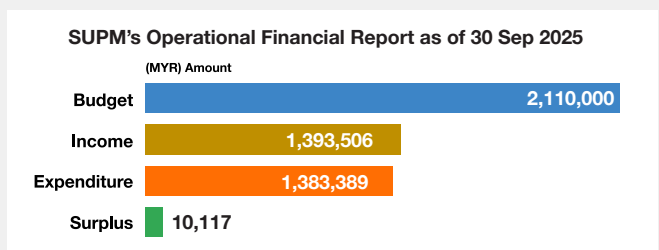


Klang Valley Bible Conference (KVBC) and Expository Preaching Seminar (EPS) 2025

Over three nights, our staff, interns, spouses, and volunteers served both as ministry exhibitors and as part of the music team at KVBC 2025. We were grateful for many meaningful conversations with conference participants and for the opportunity to sit under God's Word at EPS and KVBC.

Support Scripture Union

Many thanks for your continued support. Your giving contributes to student impacts throughout Malaysia. Do continue to partner with us to impact students from 7 -18 years old.



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