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HARI RAYA AIDILADHA – THE FEAST OF SACRIFICE

Aidiladha or the feast of sacrifice honours the willingness of Prophet Ibrahim (AS) to sacrifice his son Prophet Ismail (AS) as an act of obedience to Allah's command. Before Prophet Ibrahim (AS) could sacrifice his son, Allah however, provided a lamb to sacrifice instead. In modern days, we are encouraged to make sacrifices in different ways in order to seek Allah's pleasure. This was the gist of a talk held in conjunction with Hari Raya Aidiladha, held on Friday, 7 August 2020 which was delivered by Ustaz Hj Mohd Shahrol bin Hj Abd Muluk, Deputy Director, the Centre for Research and Teaching of Jawi and Turath Book, Seri Begawan Religious Teachers University College (KUPU SB).





Some of the NexUs associates attending the talk



INTRODUCTION TO MUD CRAB FARMING



Dato Hj Jamain during a sharing session with Nexus, DST DevCO and Evolve.Me associates

Vertical farming is a new method used to rear mud-crab to ensure its production is sustainable and good quality crab can be produced to meet local demand. Dato Paduka Haji Awang Jamain bin Haji Julaihi, CEO of Berjaya Aquaculture shared this during a talk held at Nexus on Tuesday, 4th August. The company he started in 2018 now operates a mud-crab vertical farming facility at Kg Danau in Tutong. He also provides training, advice and technical support to those who are keen to venture into mud crab farming.





Reeda Malik, Director of Case Support Division presenting a token of appreciation to Dato Hj Jamain



INTRODUCTION TO HYDROPONIC FARMING

More site visits are being conducted to see the different opportunities available out there for associates who are keen to venture into modern farming. Zaias Enterprise which operates a hydroponic farm in Kg Masin was the latest to come under Nexus scrutiny. Operating an integrated farm on a 5-acre site since 1996, the owner, Haji Asmalee bin Haji Muhammad briefed us about his initiative in setting up a cooperative as a platform to gather agricultural produce from farmers before delivering them to customers.



Chili and Brazilian spinach are grown using the greenhouse and hydroponic methods respectively



Hj Asmalee briefs Adri Hj Arshad on hydroponic farming



OPPORTUNITIES UNDER SABLI GROUP OF COMPANIES



Awang Jasmadi bin Jamudin, General Manager of Sabli Food Industries briefing DevCo representatives about business opportunities available under Sabli Group of Companies

As we continue to engage more businesses, various opportunities are now being made available to associates who have chosen the entrepreneurship track. The latest offering was made by the management of Sabli Group of Companies during a follow-up discussion with representatives of the three DevCos on Tuesday, 28 July.

This was followed by a joint-visit to Sabli's Bakti Bumi farmland at Kg Kupang in Tutong where various types of vegetables and fruits are cultivated on a large scale and spaces are available for associates who are interested to venture into the agriculture field.

