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BANK MUAMALAT INVITES UNDER-PRIVILEGED CHILDREN FOR FOOTBALL TALENT CLINIC WITH TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR’S LEGEND

Bank Muamat Malaysia Berhad (BMMB) organised a football talent clinic with Gary Mabbutt, a former Tottenham Hotspur’s captain and an ex-England player today at MPSJ Stadium, USJ 5, Subang Jaya.

The football talent clinic was organised with the objective of giving orphans and the underprivileged children the opportunity to learn the skills of football from the legendary former Spur’s skipper. This exposure will also inspire the kids to choose football as another means of career for their future. The children were trained on the fundamentals of the game – basics and techniques and at the same time giving them fun. Bank Muamalat invited several orphans to participate in the football clinic, namely from the following orphanages:

1) Pusat Jagaan Kebajikan Budimas Orion – sent 4 children
2) Rumah Amal Anak Yatim YPIN – sent 10 children
3) Asrama Damai Rumah Anak-anak Yatim Kuang – sent 17 children

About 10 children of Bank Muamalat staff were chosen to participate in the football talent clinic.

During the football session, Bank Muamalat provided and sponsored football jerseys & shorts, socks, football boots and balls for the participating children. After the game, the participants were treated to Kentucky Fried Chicken and Subway meals.

Bank Muamalat’s Chief Executive Officer Dato’ Haji Mohd Redza Shah Abdul Wahid who was present throughout the football clinic session said,”Bank Muamalat is very happy to play a part in bringing smiles into the faces of the underprivileged children. Bank Muamalat have always given a lot of emphasis on the importance of cultivating good corporate social responsibility practices besides being involved in its business functions in the pursuit of business excellence.”

Redza also said, “Our Corporate Responsibility (CR) practice focuses on the key areas of the workplace, marketplace and the community. CR forms an integral part of Bank Muamalat’s business culture as we believe that if it is consistently applied in our daily work related activities, the results will contribute significantly to our economic prosperity and the growth of our community. We are committed to be a responsible and accountable organisation.”

He added that their CR initiative stretches far beyond their banking products and service.
About Gary Mabutt

Gary Mabbutt is a living legend, and one of the greatest ambassadors for British sport. He was born on 23 August 1961 in Bristol and is an English former professional footballer who made more than 600 appearances in the Football League and Premier League playing for Bristol Rovers and Tottenham Hotspur, and won 16 caps for the England national team. He was most regularly seen in central defence but was a versatile player who excelled also in midfield. His father is Ray Mabbutt and brother Kevin Mabbutt. With Spurs, he won the UEFA Cup in 1984 and the FA Cup in 1991 (as captain).

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