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THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE 20TH IMT-GT VARSITY CARNIVAL



UUM ONLINE: The 20th IMT-GT Varsity Carnival 2018 kicked off with a grand opening ceremony at Dewan Seri Semarak, Universiti Teknologi Mara (UiTM) Arau, Perlis, yesterday.

Highlighting the theme - Winning is good but friendship is number one- the carnival presented the exclusive diversity of culture and arts from Indonesia, Malaysia and Thailand.

The opening ceremony was officiated by DYTU Tuanku Raja Muda Perlis, Tuanku Syed Faizuddin Putra Jamalullail, accompanied by DYTU Tuanku Hajah Lailatul Shahreen Akashah Datuk Khalil.

The Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Student Affairs) of UiTM, Prof. Dato' Dr. Abdullah Mohamad Said remarked that, the carnival promotes the collaboration between Malaysia, Indonesia

and Thailand as it brings together numerous activities such as sports, culture and also seminars.

"As future leaders, this event will serve as a platform to hone the student potentials," said Prof. Dato' Dr. Abdullah at the Opening Ceremony of the 20th IMT-GT Varsity Carnival.

Malaysia was represented by Universiti Utara Malaysia (UUM) Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM), Universiti Teknologi Mara Perlis (UiTM Perlis) and Universiti Malaysia Perlis (UniMAP).

Thailand and Indonesia were represented by Thaksin University (TSU), Prince of Songkla (PSU), Wailalak University (WU), Rajamangala University of Technology Srivijaya (RMUTSV), Universitas Negeri Medan (UNIMED), Universitas Sumatera Utara (USU) and Universitas Syiah Kuala (UNSYIAH).

The carnival is held on 20 till 26 July 2018 and UUM contingent will participate in sports events specifically football, badminton, tennis, volleyball (women), basketball (men) and pétanque.

The Bidasari Group from UUM enthralled the audience with Ronggeng and Mai Cek Mai Kedah dance performances.

The IMT-GT song was composed by PBS Music Manager, Mr. Mohammad Haris Abd Aziz while the Bidasari Group was trained by Mr. Jamil Mat, the PBS choreographer.



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