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PAP ONLINE – On 25 September 2018 (Tuesday), the Centre for Foundation Studies in Management launched its very own Speakers' Corner which is especially set up for the students of Foundation Studies in Management Programme. Held at Asasi Square, the programme was officiated by Prof. Dr. Shukri Ahmad, Dean of School of Language, Civilization and Philosophy (SLCP).

In his welcoming speech, Prof. Dr. Abdul Razak Yaakub, Director of Centre for Foundation Studies in Management said that the objective of the programme is to basically encourage the youngest member of UUM to participate in public speaking, which will in a way improve their language and communication skills besides gaining a sense of confidence in speaking English.

“Besides, this programme can be regarded as the best platform to scout for young leaders. Individuals with high self-confidence and are able to attract people through their speech are the best kind of leaders,” he said.

“Speakers’ Corner is not a one-off activity. Instead, it is going to be conducted throughout the year where students are welcome to deliver their speech based on their idea, topics or even current issues. Hopefully, this Speakers’ Corner serves as a catalyst for Foundation students to the practice public speaking,” he further added.

“It is hoped that with the establishment of this platform, students can share or throw their idea and indirectly hone their communicative skills, self-confidence and highlight their leadership skills though they are amongst the youngest member of UUM.

In closing, the Director once again extended his gratitude and appreciation to all English lecturers who worked together tirelessly with the members from the academic secretariat to establish the Speakers’ Corner at Asasi Square.

During the launching session, attendees were entertained with presentations presented by the Foundation students namely, a duet, a poem recital and speeches which revolved around the theme of family.

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