

TAR University College In the Limelight

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(From left) Tan, Yap, Tuanku Haminah, Goh and Dr Lim during event.

Participants of the inaugural TARCian Unity Golf tournament getting together for a group photo.

Showing their generous side

Golfers raise RM400,000 for a good cause at TARcian tournament

THE inaugural TARCian Unity Golf Tournament organised by the TARCian Alumni Association (TAA) of Tunku Abdul Rahman University College was successfully held recently at The Mines Resort and Golf Club.

The award ceremony and charity dinner took place subsequently at the Palace of The Golden Horses the same evening.

Gracing the event was Raja Permaisuri Agong Tuanku Haminah Hamidun, as well as more than 200 in attendance made up of business leaders, celebrities and faculty and alumni members of the University College.

A total of RM400,000 was raised from the tournament and dinner, with the final amount after deduction of necessary expenses being donated to Yayasan Anak Anak Yatim Sultanah Haminah (YAYSH), who will be receiving RM200,000, SJK(C) Union, Cyberjaya's Building Fund will receive RM50,000, while Tunku Abdul Rahman University College Education Foundation will receive RM50,000 from the sum.

The TARCian Alumni Association (TAA) Education Fund will also be receiving RM50,000 from the charity golf event.

The dinner was a majestic regal yet laidback affair with performances by Malaysian pop singers.

A charity auction was also held at the dinner with a painting by a local artist and a total of six watches auctioned, raising RM40,000. In addition, Top Glove Group executive chairman and founder as well as TAA honorary advisor Tan Sri Dr Lim Wee Chai, surprised the audience with an on-the-spot donation of RM100,000 to YAYSH. Top Glove Group was one of the main sponsors of the event.

Event organising chairman Bobby Tan said the success of the charity event could be attributed to the generous support of TAA's executive advisor and BGMC Corporation Sdn Bhd chairman as well as TAA executive advisor Tan Sri Barry Goh Ming Choon, the leadership of TAA president Datuk Yap Kuak Fong, and assistant president Datuk Chan Wah Kiang, as well as the support from corporate partners, individual donors and friends.

The tournament results were announced at the dinner, with Frank Teh winning the Men's category and Tuanku Haminah winning the Women's category.

