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# Caring for the sick and needy

## Rotary Clubs sponsor supply rations for 20 HIV children in home

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The Foundation of Rotary Clubs Malaysia, Rotary Club of Cheras and Rotary Club of USJ has sponsored RM10,000 to Rumah Jaireh in Batu Arang.

The sponsorship that comes in the form of a one-year supply or ration for some 20 HIV children in the home, repairing of the home's van and fixing mosquitoes net throughout the home, rapiring the roof, windows and doors is vital for the children here.

Foundation of Rotary Clubs Malaysia chairman Datuk Dr Low Teong said that this is part of the club's effort in doing corporate social responsibility (CSR) towards the public and helping the needy.

"The welfare of the children here is our main concern and the home is in dire need of food and help so we are very happy to do our part and help them," said Dr Low, who presented the sponsorship to Rumah Jaireh principal Dr Lucy Campos and gave away *ang paws* to the children in the home at Batu Arang.

There were more than 50 members from Rotary Club of Cheras, Rotary Club of Gombak and Rotary Club of USJ present at the sponsor-



**Happy faces:** The Rotary Club members and children from Rumah Jaireh in Batu Arang posing together after the event.

ship presentation.

Rotary Club of Cheras member Susan Tu said that the Rotary Club of Cheras first sponsored 25% of the cost of RM10,000 to do help this home.

"It was then matched by Rotary Club of USJ with another 25%. The Foundation of Rotary Clubs Malaysia then sponsored 50% of the cost to

make this thing happen.

Dr Lucy, who received the sponsorship was very grateful and advised those who want to donate give their donation to charity organisations out of the Klang Valley.

"There are so many homes, orphanages and old folks homes outside the Klang Valley that need sponsorship in term of food and

help.

"For instance, our home here needed repair for our roof, vehicle and doors. This sponsorship had supplied all our needs to have a non-leaking roof, she said.

Those who are interested in helping the community, can visit the website at [www.rotarymalaysia-foundation.com](http://www.rotarymalaysia-foundation.com)



**Ready to be used:** This van at the home is repaired and ready to transport the children.



**Prevention:** New mosquito netting placed at the windows around the children's home.