ISM organized HIV/AIDS Awareness Day

According to the report by Jabatan Kesihatan Negeri Sabah, Tawau district has unfortunately, consistently, maintained its position of having the third highest record of new HIV/AIDS cases after Kota Kinabalu and Sandakan for a few years. Therefore, on August 12th 2019, under the Co-curriculum module of Institute of Science and Management, Tawau, students of Diploma in Business Studies and Diploma in Accounting organized an event to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS to the Tawau public. This event also raised fund for HIV/AIDS patients who consist of children, single mothers, senior citizens and stateless persons.

A few activities which preceded by 10km Tawau Red Run 2019 took place on that day. The run began at 7.00am and ended approximately at 8.30am. Many local and international runners participated to support the fund raising event. During the event, the committee members invited Dr. Muhammad Khairul Taufiq bin Rosli, a medical officer of the Centre for Disease Control at Tawau General Hospital, to give an educational talk regarding sexual health. Visitors were given the opportunity to visit a sexual health exhibition organized by Klinik Kesihatan Kubota, to experience physiotherapy treatment offered by Biorehab Physio, Tawau and to receive a free blood test using the new generation of HIV testing kits.

The committee members are thankful for the sponsors of the event. Sponsorship of the event came from a few parties including WeiJiaBao, Biorehab Physio as well as an unnamed individual.

Every year ISM organizes numerous events that take on social issues such as health, poverty, abandonment, animal abuse and environment among others. This is to restore the belief that everyone must work together in order to build a peaceful community.

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