



IEM Ladies Engineers Visit to Orphanage Home

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Sub-Committee on Ladies Engineers Session 2006/2007, chaired by Ms. Chin Lee Leng, had organised a visit to Sri Ragharendra Divine Society Orphanage Home in Kajang, Selangor, last 25 November 2006.

The Home which housed eleven children between the ages of five to twelve is catered by Mrs. Mageswari since year 2005. The committee members have generously donated various basic necessities for the Home.



Committee Members of Ladies Engineers, IEM and patrons of the Orphanage Home



Children of the Orphanage Home enjoying themselves during shopping

Part of the activities, was an outing and shopping spree for the children. The committee members purchased school uniforms, shoes and socks for these children. The children enjoyed the fitting and trying session and an adventure for the committee members. Lunch, provided by the committee members, was held later at the Home.

Socialising with these children was indeed a memorable experience. We were informed of the children's background, social lives, health conditions and education. Most of the children at the Home suffered from asthma, rashes, acute allergies and other illnesses due to malnutrition. The children were indeed fortunate to be sheltered at this Home.

The Home aims to create a safe and comfortable sanctuary for these neglected children. They are provided with love and care as means to carry on with a normal life. With the right guidance and counselling, it is also hoped that the children will develop into responsible adults.

The visit adjourned at about 6.00 p.m. A touch of help can really make a difference in the lives of these abandoned and confused children. It was indeed an overwhelming experience for us. ■