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Samling contributes RM40,000 for the Enhancement of SJK(C) Chiaw Nan's Basketball Court, Promoting Student Well-being and Inclusivity

30 October 2025, Miri, Sarawak – SJK(C) Chiaw Nan, the recently relocated Chinese primary school, today commemorated a significant enhancement to its facilities with a substantial contribution of RM40,000 from Samling. Samling explicitly allocated this donation to significantly enhance the school's athletic facilities into a complete, contemporary basketball court.

Investing in the Future of Miri's School Facilities

The school officially relocated to its new location in Lot 7958, Block 5, Lambir Land District, Taman Jelita, Miri, in July 2024. This migration underscored the imperative to develop secure and high-quality Physical and Health Education (PHE) facilities for children.

The approximately RM40,000 contribution from Samling is crucial for providing students with a conducive environment for physical development.

"Samling's steadfast support represents a significant dedication to the health and overall well-being of our students and achieving its Sustainable Development Goal SDG 4: Quality Education," stated Mr Ling Kie King, Board of Management of SJK(C) Chiaw Nan "This significant investment guarantees that our students, particularly those from disadvantaged backgrounds, will have access to a secure and inclusive environment for participating in sports and physical education activities."

Emphasise Safety and Functionality

The contribution addresses the primary court construction; nevertheless, the school is actively pursuing supplementary financial or material assistance to complete the project's safety and operational aspects, which will enhance Samling's funding.

The crucial, outstanding enhancements comprise:

- Installing two pairs of robust basketball poles for the new court.
- Applying a secure, specialised coating on the court surface will improve student safety during activities.

These comprehensive enhancements aim to augment students' educational experiences, encourage physical activity, and cultivate community spirit within the newly relocated institution.

A Framework for Corporate Community Collaboration for positive social impact

Samling's dedication demonstrates a robust commitment to corporate social responsibility, and his role in social impact emphasises education and youth development in the Miri region. This donation, in addition to the RM10,000 contributed to the school in January 2025 at the Chinese



New Year celebration establishes and demonstrates Samling as an essential partner in the future prosperity of SJK(C) Chiaw Nan and Samling's consistency in investing in education and future talents for Sarawak.

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