

PRESS RELEASE

NATIONAL SAVINGS DAY 2017 ROADSHOW Belalong Community Hall, Temburong

TUESDAY, 21 REJAB 1438 CORRESPONDING TO 18 APRIL 2017

- Autoriti Monetari Brunei Darussalam (AMBD) in collaboration with the Ministry of Education (MOE), Ministry of Religious Affairs (MORA), Radio Television Brunei (RTB), the Employee Trust Fund (TAP), Temburong District Office as well as related agencies and financial institutions, held its fifth National Savings Day 2017 roadshow at Belalong Community Hall, Temburong on Tuesday 21 Rejab 1438 corresponding to 18 April 2017.
- 2. The Guest of Honour for the event was Yang Berhormat Awang Haji Emran bin Haji Sabtu, a Member of the Legislative Council and Penghulu of Mukim Bokok. Also present during at the roadshow were senior officers from AMBD, as well as senior officers from Ministry of Education, Ministry of Religious Affairs, and Temburong District Office.
- 3. With the theme "Financially Literate Generation", the roadshow is hoped to increase awareness of the importance of savings, financial independence and to make individuals and households, in particular students, to be more financially-savvy in the future. This is in line with AMBD's efforts to develop a financially literate generation and also Brunei Vision 2035's objectives towards achieving a dynamic and sustainable economy, as well as highly-skilled population.
- 4. 100 students from secondary schools in the Temburong District were invited to participate in interactive financial-related games and activities organized by AMBD, TAP, BIBD and Insurans Islam TAIB. The games and activities gave an introduction on financial management and also local currency. This roadshow will be the fifth roadshow from the series of roadshows held in conjunction with the National Savings Day 2017.
- 5. Other events planned in conjunction with the National Savings Day 2017 are the Financial Fun Fair, which will be held at the Jerudong Park Colonnade on Sunday, 30 April 2017 from 2pm to 10pm, which will feature a host of family fun-filled programs and interactive activities; and a Financial Showcase on Saturday, 20 May 2017 from 2pm to 8pm at the Airport Mall.
- 6. For more information on National Savings Day 2017, members of the public can visit AMBD's website at www.ambd.gov.bn/nsd2017; download AMBD App from the App Store or Google Playstore; or follow AMBD on Instagram at @autoriti_monetari.

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