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NSD 2024 FINANCIAL AWARENESS ROADSHOW FOR PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS IN THE TUTONG DISTRICT

Tutong Sixth Form Centre

Thursday, 20 Zulhijjah 1445H corresponding to 27 June 2024M

- Brunei Darussalam Central Bank (BDCB) and the Ministry of Education (MOE) jointly held the National Savings Day (NSD) 2024 Financial Awareness Roadshow in Tutong on Thursday, 20 Zulhijjah 1445 corresponding to 27 June 2024.
- 2. The roadshow, held at the Tutong Sixth Form Centre, received approximately 390 Years 3 to 5 students from both government and private primary schools under the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Religious Affairs across the Tutong district.
- 3. This event, marking the fourth roadshow held in conjunction with the national celebration, was organised in collaboration with the Royal Brunei Police Force (RBPF), Tabung Amanah Pekerja (TAP), Cyber Security Brunei (CSB), Bank Islam Brunei Darussalam (BIBD), and Baiduri Bank. Exhibitors engaged students in a variety of activities designed to introduce important financial topics, including savings, takaful and insurance, retirement planning, and financial consumer protection.
- 4. Attending as the guest of honour was Legislative Council member Yang Berhormat Danial@Tekpin bin Ya'akub, Penghulu of Mukim Ukong. Senior officers from the MOE and BDCB were also in attendance to demonstrate their support for the financial literacy event.
- 5. The final roadshow for NSD 2024, which is aimed for Year 3 to Year 5 primary school students, will be held at the Sengkurong Sixth Form Centre on 3 July 2024. Following this, a Financial Fun Fair will also be held in conjunction with NSD 2024, in August 2024 at the Jerudong Park Playground, which offers a range of family-friendly financial activities suitable for all ages.
- 6. For more information about NSD 2024, please visit <u>www.bdcb.gov.bn</u>. Updates are also available on BDCB's Instagram account, @centralbank.brunei.

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Note to editors:

About National Savings Day (NSD)

NSD is a financial literacy event celebrated every 28 May. It is pledged under the National Financial Literacy Council (NFLC), which is spearheaded by BDCB.

Among NSD's key objectives are to promote a savings culture and prudent money management, enhance financial literacy in Brunei Darussalam, and increase the level of financial inclusion in Brunei Darussalam.

About NSD 2024 Financial Awareness Roadshows

The NSD 2024 Financial Awareness Roadshows aim to enhance financial literacy and promote understanding of the Central Bank's roles and responsibilities, specifically for Year 3 to 5 students.

This outreach initiative ensures students across all districts gain early exposure to age-appropriate financial management skills and knowledge.

About Brunei Darussalam Central Bank (BDCB)

BDCB is committed to achieving and maintaining a sound and dynamic financial system through the implementation of measures and execution of financial sector reforms in line with the national economic development objectives. These include ensuring the stability of domestic prices, maintaining the stability of the financial system by formulating financial regulations and prudential standards, assisting in the establishment and functioning of efficient payment systems and subsequently overseeing them, and fostering and developing a sound and progressive financial services sector.