



Going bigger for the arts: Yayasan Hasanah awards RM4.15 mil in ArtsFAS grants this year!

Malaysia's largest arts grant funds over 100 arts & culture showcases happening til' 31 Jan 2023

Kuala Lumpur, 27 Dec 2022: Today, Yayasan Hasanah announced that it has awarded grants amounting to **RM 4.15 million** in total to 41 arts, culture and heritage organisations through its annual Arts for All Seasons (ArtsFAS) grant initiative in 2022 – nearly triple the funding awarded in the previous year.

This roaring success followed its latest round of ArtsFAS grant applications that closed just last month, making waves as the largest arts grant programme in Malaysia's creative scene.

Exponentially increasing the social impact in 2022, the annual ArtsFAS grant programme jointly managed with the Ministry of Finance now expects to enable economic opportunities for over **3,000 arts, culture and heritage practitioners**, while offering entertaining arts and cultural experiences to Malaysian audiences.

Congratulations to the latest ArtsFAS 2022 grant recipients:

1. Experiential Design Team
Ikat : Motif Kita (Visual Arts)
2. Canvas Art Creative Sdn. Bhd.
Restoring Malaysian Old Heritage Photographs To Its Original Glory (Visual Arts)
3. Graffite Management
Taiping Heritage Art Trail (Visual Arts)
4. Kelab Layar Malam Produksi Malaysia
Teater Bermain Puteri (Theatre)
5. Moka Mocha Ink
Teater Normcore: Tahun-Tahun Seorang Novelis (Theatre)
6. Pertubuhan Seni Kayangan Perak
Ratu Gambus Padang Changkat (Dance)
7. The Rondo Production (M) Sdn Bhd
Malaysia Tuba Christmas (Music)
8. Kantan Drum Circle PLT
Hormat & Harmoni Drumming Tour (Music)
9. Orang Orang Drum Theatre
"Lang 浪 x Lepak" by Orang Orang Drum Theatre, Featuring Orang Orang Drum Theatre, Anak Borneo and Gideon Alu8khan (Music-Theatre)
10. Jomsapotlokal Sendirian Berhad
Kulim Art Fiesta (Combination of more than one arts type)
11. Arja Art Academy

Jom Main Congkak (Combination of more than one arts type)

12. Catama Sdn Bhd
DALAM (Craft)
13. Persatuan Penggerak Kreatif dan Inovasi Sabah
One with Nature Music Festival (Festival)
14. Persatuan Kurikulum Malaysia
Teater Muzikal Kanak-kanak Berasaskan Lagu Sewang dan Cerita Rakyat Masyarakat Orang Asli (Theater)
15. Persatuan OKU Sentral
ILHAM 2022 (Music)

To date, ArtsFAS 2022 supports over 100 showcases including performances, concerts, theatres, workshops, exhibitions, webinars, ensemble performances, and many others, orchestrated from September 2022 until January 2023 in nearly all Malaysian states. Check out show schedules at www.artsfas.org.

Providing a platform to showcase Malaysia's preserved and conserved arts, heritage, and culture via public events, ArtsFAS aims to educate the younger generation and the larger community through technology, knowledge exchange and art events, as well as conservation through activation, while making arts accessible for all.

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ABOUT YAYASAN HASANAH

Yayasan Hasanah ("Hasanah") is the impact-based foundation of Khazanah Nasional Berhad ("Khazanah"), the sovereign wealth fund of Malaysia. Hasanah was set up as an independent entity on 1 July 2015, building on nine years of Corporate Responsibility (CR) efforts previously driven by Khazanah. As a grant-giving organisation, Hasanah goes beyond ringgit and sen to facilitate an ecosystem of transformation, working in collaboration with multiple stakeholders, infusing a spirit of advocacy and building capacity in five key focus areas: Education; Community Development; Environment; Arts and Public Spaces; and Knowledge. Collectively and collaboratively, Hasanah hopes to shift the needle of social and community reform for Malaysians, towards Advancing Malaysia. For further information, please visit www.yayasanhasanah.org

ABOUT ARTSFAS

Arts for All Seasons (ArtsFAS) is a platform organised by Yayasan Hasanah, to showcase Malaysia's preserved and conserved arts, heritage, and culture through accessible public events - connecting our heritage to generations of tomorrow. Come join us to honour the diverse, cultural wonders of our country. Together, we can pave the future of culture.

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