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Making a case for forensic science

CLUED IN: Try your hand at detective work the 'Whodunit? Murder Mystery at Menagerie Park' exhibition

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THE National Science Centre (NSC) is holding a new interactive exhibition with a forensic science theme called "Whodunit? Murder Mystery at Menagerie Park", until Feb 5 next year.

The exhibition, jointly organised by NSC and Scitech Perth, Australia, is aimed at providing visitors a chance to solve a crime in a zoo environment.

The "detective" would need to identify the suspect by examining the evidence presented at each exhibit using the latest scientific forensic techniques.

NSC exhibition coordinator Nurul Haizun Abd Ghani said the target audience was schoolchildren aged 10 years and above, uni-

versity students, and families.

Media representatives were invited by the NSC last Friday for a first-hand experience in solving the crime case.

They were briefed on how to use the exhibits to find the suspects of a crime where a security guard was found dead and a baby white rhino had gone missing.

The exhibits, such as the DNA challenge, Identikit, and Under the Thumb, required the visitor to learn how science helps in detective work.

Some clues were confusing, but media members managed to solve the mystery as a group.

The clue-finding activities in the zoo was fun and interesting.

Visitors should not miss the opportunity to visit NSC and try solving the case themselves, while learning science at the same time.

In conjunction with the Science Festival 2014 which will be held on

Nov 22 to 27, the Whodunit? exhibition will be open for free to the public, where a variety of programmes await them.

Nurul Haizun said several government agencies, such as the police and Health Department, will take part in the festival which will be launched by the Science, Technology and Innovation (Mosti) Minister Datuk Dr Ewon Ebin on Nov 24.

Priced at RM6 for adults and RM3 for children (6 to 12 years old), this exhibition is open to the public everyday, from 9am to 5pm. It is closed on Friday.

For primary and secondary school groups (students and teacher), the fee is RM2 and RM3, respectively, with prior bookings, while college and university students with ID are also charged RM3.

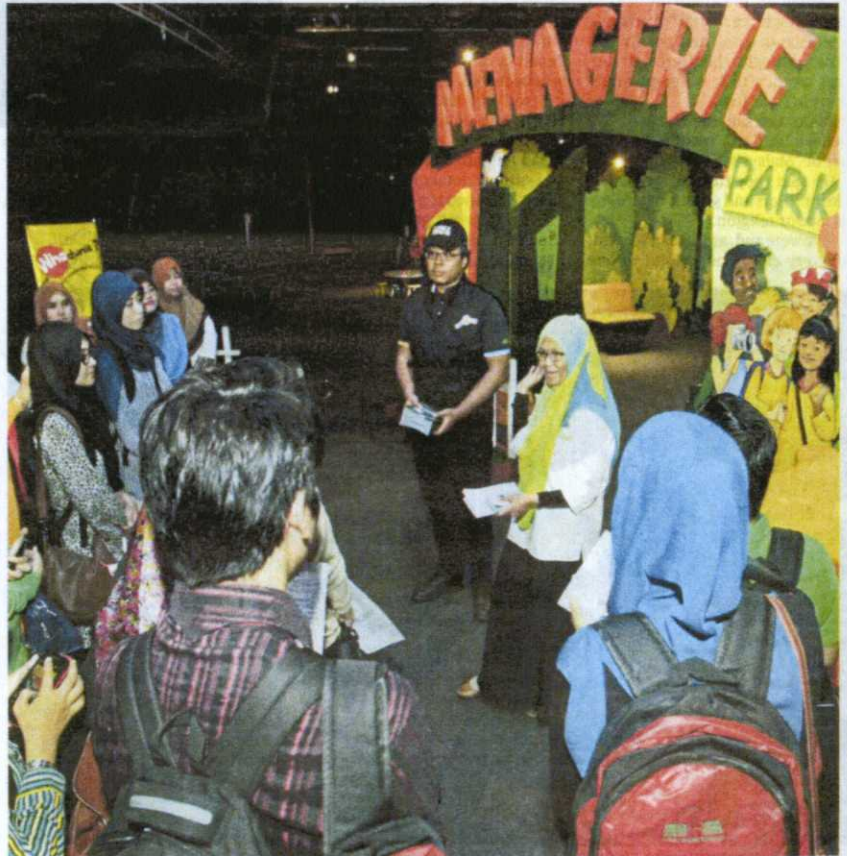
There is no entrance fee for the disabled.



Visitors searching for clues in the featured exhibits.



Visitors looking for clues.



Media members being briefed about the case at the National Science Centre.

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KOSMO (NIAGA) : MUKA SURAT 52
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Biotech Corp anjur BioMalaysia 2014

KUALA LUMPUR - Malaysian Biotechnology Corporation (Biotech-Corp) komited untuk meningkatkan pertumbuhan sektor bioteknologi negara di peringkat domestik dan global menerusi pengajuran Persidangan Bio-Malaysia & Bioekonomi Asia Pasifik 2014 (BioMalaysia 2014) pada 19 dan 20 November ini.

Ketua Pegawai Eksekutifnya, Datuk Dr. Mohd. Nazlee Kamal (**gambar**) berkata, acara itu bertujuan membantu syarikat-syarikat berstatus BioNexus dalam mengukuhkan teknik pemasaran mereka selain memperkasakan industri berasaskan bioteknologi di negara ini.



“Pada pengajuran kali ke-12 tahun ini, pelbagai program yang akan dianjurkan termasuk padanan perniagaan dan program usaha sama yang diyakini menjadi platform terbaik kepada syarikat-syarikat berkenaan untuk terus maju, seterusnya membawa industri ini ke peringkat yang lebih tinggi,” katanya dalam satu sesi temu bual di sini kelmarin.

Menurut Mohd. Nazlee, pada tahun ini, persidangan itu memberi penekanan kepada tiga bidang baharu iaitu sektor industri, agrobioteknologi dan perubatan.

“Persidangan ini akan melibatkan lebih 50 pakar dalam industri bio-

teknologi dari seluruh Asia Pasifik yang akan berkongsi pengalaman dan kepakaran mereka, di samping membincangkan isu-isu utama dalam bidang bioteknologi,” ujarnya.

Tambahnya, BioMalaysia 2014 akan memperkenalkan tarikan baharu iaitu BioCareer & Bio Education 2014 yang menyaksikan sebanyak 30 syarikat tempatan dan asing menawarkan peluang kerjaya khusus bagi industri bioteknologi.

BioMalaysia 2014 akan diadakan di Kompleks Inovasi Pengurusan Kajian, Universiti Malaya dekat sini dan melibatkan 1,000 peserta dari dalam dan luar negara.

Seramai 8,000 pengunjung dijangka menghadiri acara tersebut.

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HARIAN METRO (IT@METRO) : MUKA SURAT V9
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Lahir 1,500 celik IT

Anugerah, persidangan dan Pameran Cyber Security Malaysia (CSM-ACE) yang bermula hari ini dijangka melahirkan 1,500 pekerja celik keselamatan siber di Perak melalui beberapa program dianjurkan agensi di bawah Kementerian Sains, Teknologi dan Inovasi (MOSTI) itu.

Ketua Pegawai Eksekutif CyberSecurity Malaysia (Cybersecurity), Dr

Amirudin Abdul Wahab berkata, CSM-ACE yang berlangsung di Ipoh, Perak tahun ini akan memfokuskan keselamatan e-perniagaan termasuk pembinaan modal insan.

“Bagi tujuan itu, Cybersecurity Malaysia mengadakan latihan selama dua minggu bermula 28 Oktober lalu di Ipoh dan Kuala Lumpur dengan kehadiran 1,500 pekerja dari pelbagai

industri,” katanya.

Amirudin berkata, program CSM-ACE adalah persidangan tahunan industri itu yang menjadi program inovatif terbesar berkaitan keselamatan maklumat.

Beberapa nama besar syarikat keselamatan siber seperti SecureNinja, Trend Micro, Lockheed, Unisys dan Kaspersky mengesahkan penyertaan mereka untuk mengadakan latihan keselamatan siber ketika CSM-ACE.



