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Organisation that helps Malaysian students

KUALA LUMPUR, Mon. - If the youths of today are the leaders of tomorrow, then the group of students who formed the Malaysia Connect United Kingdom (MCUK) 2000 should be an inspiration to many young people.

MCUK 2000 was formed January this year by a team of Malaysian undergraduates studying in Malaysia and the United Kingdom.

Chairman of MCUK 2000, Lee Chung Han, said that the committee was formed after Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad, on a visit to the UK, expressed his approval of the idea.

The aim of MCUK 2000, said deputy chairman Gricia Gan, was to "foster productive links for Malaysian youths working and studying in Malaysia and abroad".

MCUK 2000 is a good reference point for students planning to study overseas who require guidance and support.

In an effort to develop and create awareness in Malaysian youths, MCUK 2000 has organised a Summer Charity Ball and an E-Revolution Conference.

The Cancerlink Foundation of Malaysia will be the beneficiary of all proceeds from the ball on Aug 13.

Entertainers include jazz sensation Taheera and the legendary Sheila Majid. The guest-of-honour at the conference on Aug 25 is expected to be Dr Mahathir who will deliver a keynote address.

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