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(The Spastic Children's Association of Penang)

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT 1986

It gives me great pleasure to present to you the Annual Report of the Association for the year ending 31st December 1986.

SILVER JUBILEE

Our Association, founded in 1962, will attain its 25th year of existence in the following year. It will be an appropriate time for us to rejoice and celebrate this coming auspicious occasion as well as to review our past achievements and record.

To commemorate this Silver Jubilee Year of the Association, my Committee has planned a series of events to be spread throughout the year. The celebrations will start off with a launching ceremony in March 1987 and on that day, a Spastic Carnival and Open Day will be simultaneously held at the Spastic Centre. The reason for combining these two functions is to invite all our members, friends and the public to join us in the Silver Jubilee Celebrations and, at the same time, make it convenient for them to witness the type of training and numerous activities that are conducted at the Spastic Centre. A Souvenir Book with historical write-up will also be printed for the occasion.

A Jogathon and a Musical Concert will be held later in the year. The final celebration will be an Anniversary Dinner where it is hoped that all members and staff of the Association, spastic children with their foster parents, and all our supporters will attend to make this Silver Jubilee Anniversary Dinner a grand and memorable one.

FUND RAISING

Two fund-raising projects were carried out in the year. The Foster Parents Appeal continue to bring in the highest income for the Association. The consistent efforts of Mr. V.S. Bastion, the Chairman of the Appeal, raised \$140,729.15. A Spastic Charity Dinner, chaired by Dr. Denis Mark Lee, raised \$35,183.48. The Association records its deep appreciation to these Committee members for their commendable services.

A Hennessy/Dunhill Hongkong Movie Stars' Charity Dinner was held in July to raise funds in aid of our Association and 3 others. A sum of \$4,000/- from the proceeds was donated to us. We are very thankful to the organisers for this generous donation.

In December, a Jazz Quartet Band, led by Raimund Wurtz from West Germany, gave two performances at the Geodesic Dome of the Tun Abdul Razak Complex (KOMTAR) in aid of our Association and the Senior Citizens Centre. The Band's visit was arranged by the Penang Development Corporation in conjunction with the Penang Festival '86. Unfortunately gate collection on both nights was poor but we received an on the spot donation of \$2,520.00 from a Bavarian trade delegation that was visiting Penang at the same time. This kind donation was very much appreciated.

FINANCE

The financial position of the Association remained sound in spite of the prevailing economic recession. Efforts had been made to curb any rise in the expenditure of the Spastic Centre and this has been reduced to \$197,259.07. The year ended most satisfactorily with a very pleasing excess of income over expenditure of \$160,522.60. We owe this excess of income to our kind donors who continued to support us generously regardless of the depressing situation.

A substantial part of our income was derived from the interest on our Fixed Deposits. This amounted to \$77,707.37 for the year. As the interest rate has dropped tremendously from a ceiling of about 11% to 4½% per annum, our income from this source will be decreased by more than half.

MINISTRY OF SOCIAL WELFARE

On 4th July, the Hon'ble the Minister of Social Welfare, Datuk Haji Abu Hassan bin Haji Omar, paid a surprise visit to our Spastic Centre. His spontaneous visit to see personally how the Spastic Centre was being administered, reflects his keen interest and concern for the welfare of our organisation.

We discussed frankly with him the problems and difficulties encountered by the Association. His suggestion to employ retired teachers to teach our spastic children instead of having temporary untrained teachers, would seem to be an excellent one.

We wish to thank the Minister for his advice and also for the Annual Grant which was increased from \$15,600/- in the previous year to \$25,000/-. In addition to this, we also received the annual subsidy of \$16,429.60 from the Ministry to pay nine-tenth of the salaries of our 4 teachers. The remaining one-tenth is still borne by our Association.

TRAINING COURSES & SEMINARS

Two Seminars, attended by our Hon. Secretary and organised by the Ministry of Social Welfare, were on the following themes:-

- (i) Child Abuse & Neglect.
- (ii) Role of families in the year 1980.
Role of voluntary bodies in the welfare field.
Establishing a fulfilled foundation towards National Welfare.

Members of the staff are given opportunities to attend courses, workshops and conferences which the Committee feel are relevant to the training that are carried out at the Spastic Centre. Three of the courses and workshops attended by the staff dealt on:-

- (i) Child Development Course.
- (ii) Workshop on Children with Special Needs.
- (iii) Workshop on Teaching Community Living Skill.

VOLUNTEER SERVICE ABROAD

The two years contract of service of Miss J. Griffieon, the speech therapist from the New Zealand Volunteer Service Abroad (VSA), will terminate in April 1987 and a request was made to VSA to assist us again since we were not able to recruit a local speech therapist.

Miss Griffieon has kindly agreed, with the approval of VSA, to extend her services for another year or two, depending on her training programme which will be different to that of the past arrangement. VSA has decided on a change of policy when the new contract is drawn. The role of VSA speech therapists in future will be only to train the local staff to carry out therapeutic training of the spastic children. The speech therapist will no longer be directly involved in giving therapy. Furthermore, to widen the field of coverage, it was proposed that the speech therapist would be shared by three organisations, i.e. the Spastic Children's Association, the Handicapped Children Centre and the School for the Mentally Retarded in Penang.

Although we have agreed to the principle of sharing, we would still endeavour to seek a full-time speech therapist, either from local sources or from abroad to teach our spastic children. We have a very large number of children needing speech therapy and we feel that the training given only by our speech therapy aide, although experienced, is inadequate.

I would take this opportunity to express once again, our grateful thanks to VSA for its continuous assistance and service to our Spastic Centre since 1982.

APPRECIATION

First of all, I would like to express our deepest appreciation and gratitude to our Patron, Tuan Yang Terutama Yang DiPertua Negeri Pulau Pinang Tun Datuk Dr. Haji Awang bin Hassan and his Consort Yang Amat Berbahagia Toh Puan Datin Hajjah Khadijah Bte Dato' Abdul Rahman for their kind attendances at nearly all our functions. Their presence have always been an inspiration and encouragement to the members, staff and children of the Spastic Centre.

I would like to give my sincere thanks to all my Committee members, the staff and volunteers at the Spastic Centre, for their warm support and co-operation to make this another year of success. I am also grateful to our team of Advisers, Consultants, our Honorary Auditor, donors, foster parents, service clubs, and all our supporters, who have helped us in so many ways. Finally, my appreciation to the Press for giving special coverage and publicity to all our functions.

Mrs. Chan Kok Swee
President

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MANAGERS



Seated left to right:-

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Absent:- Datin E.S. Vanniasingham and Mr. Yeoh Beng Chai.



The Management Committee at its monthly meeting.

STAFF OF THE SPASTIK TRAINING CENTRE



Seated left to right:-

Mrs. D. Leong, Miss A. Pragasam, Miss J. Griffioen, Mdm. Rajeswari,
Mrs. K.E. M. Hussain, Mrs. Bernadette Lau, Mrs. Helen Rajoo, Miss Maria Hee,
Mrs. Ramamurthy.

2nd row:-

Mrs. Anthony Muthu, Mrs. Lim Yit Mun, Mrs. Uma Sasithran,
Miss Lye Phaik Hooi, Miss Angeline Regis, Puan Noorlizah, Miss Looi Oon Lee,
Miss Shoba Thilagam, Mrs. Jenny How, Miss Jananayagi, Puan Jamilah,
Mrs. Kuppasam.

Back row left to right:-

Encik Ahmad Ismail, Mr. Philip Alexander, Mr. Chew Sun Chooi, Mr. Doraisamy,
Encik Abdul Wahid, Mr. Chung Yeng Kit, Mr. Joseph Pragasam.



SUPERVISOR'S REPORT

1986

The year commenced with 101 children attending the Spastic School/Training Centre on a regular basis and 28 staff members.

Foster Parents, U.S.M. students, groups of nurses and other interested persons were soon arranging visits to the Centre, and in January we were happy to welcome Dr. R.J. Coulthard, a Past District Governor of Lions Club International from Adelaide. His visit was in connection with a proposed visit to Penang of a specialist teacher of autistic children with a view to eventually setting up a Centre for such children in Penang.

Our students participated and competed well in the National Sports for the Handicapped held in Penang this year during the first term holidays.

Also during these holidays, the Lions Club of Penang (Host) sponsored an enjoyable outing to Kuala Kangsar and the Taiping Zoo for 40 spastic children who were accompanied by some Committee members, staff and volunteers.

At the commencement of the second term we were pleased to meet Mrs. R. Rajaratnam, the Executive Secretary of the Spastic Centre in Johore Bahru, during a brief visit to our Centre.

STAFF

The Speech Therapy Department lost a very amiable and hardworking staff member in August when Miss Khor Ai Na left to join Malaysia CARE in Kuala Lumpur. Her friendly manner and delightful sense of humour made her a very popular person with the staff and children alike.

In October however we were extremely fortunate and happy to welcome back a former Speech Therapy staff member – Madam Valliammal whose timely return helped to maintain the effective running of this department together with speech therapist Miss Janice Griffioen.

When Mr. Ajal Singh left in December 1985 to return to teaching in a normal school, our own school section continued to provide the special education programmes for the children through the gallant efforts of our 3 young Attachment teachers until October 1986, when we were very relieved and happy to welcome back to our school a former Attachment teacher, Mrs. Bernadette Lau, who is now a fully trained teacher.

Miss Angeline Regis replaced Miss C. Ratha as the Occupational Therapy Assistant in May 1986.

In August we were very sorry to say farewell to our Occupational therapist Miss Shanti Ayinarappan, who left to take up a new post in Singapore. Her expertise, dedication and knowledge in counselling contributed a great deal to the effective running of her Department as well as other sections during the 4 years she was with us. She is therefore greatly missed.

Approved staffing for 1986:

Supervisor	—	1
Office Clerk	—	1
Receptionist/Clerk	—	1
Teachers (through Government)	—	4
Teaching Assistants	—	5
Occupational Therapist	—	1
Occupational Therapist (through Government)	—	vacant
Physiotherapist	—	1
Physiotherapist (through Government)	—	vacant

Speech Therapist	—	1
Social Worker	—	vacant
Therapy Assistants	—	5
Domestic/Attendants	—	4
Drivers	—	2
Driver/Caretaker	—	1
Gardener	—	1
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MEDICAL

In 1986 a total of 24 new children were examined by our Doctors. From these, 11 children were admitted for treatment and training including 2 children who were re-admitted.

Some children were placed on the waiting list, but the majority of cases were accepted for outpatient treatment, whereby they are treated and checked regularly on their development and progress by our therapists. At the end of the year there were 31 outpatients. 5 children who were examined were not accepted as they were not spastic and were referred accordingly. 16 children were discharged for the following reasons:

Transferred to normal schools	—	2
Family moved out of Penang	—	2
Non-attendance for more than 1 term	—	2
Deceased	—	2
Unable to progress further	—	6
Attained 21 years of age	—	2
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Cerebral Palsy cases admitted in 1986:

Age:	Male	Female	Malay	Chinese	Indian	Total
5 years	1	2	2		1	3
7 — 8 years	2	1	2	1		3
10 — 11 years	1	3	2	2		4
14 years	1			1		1
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	5	6	6	4	1	11
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As always we express deep gratitude to our 3 Hon. Medical Consultants — Dr. Peter Tan Ewe Aik, Dr. Wee Ch'ng Keow Hiang and Dr. Charles Ong Ewe Chye — for their dedicated and continuous support in attending to the numerous medical problems of the children each week.

Our appreciation is also extended to the following:

Ophthalmologist	—	Dr. Lim Huck Boon
Dental Surgeons	—	Adventist Hospital
Mrs. Yahaya Isa	—	Principal, Federation School for the Deaf
E.N.T. Surgeon	—	Dr. Santokh Singh
Orthopaedic Surgeon	—	G.H. Penang — Dr. Easaw Thomas
Dermatologist	—	Dr. Daljit Singh Nagreh
Dental Surgeon & Nurses.	—	Perak Road Polyclinic
Dr. Yee Thiam Sun	—	Choong Dispensary

The Association is very fortunate in receiving the expertise of the above panel of specialists, who are always ready to sacrifice their own valuable time in giving us assistance to further improve the health and well-being of the spastic children under our care.

ASSESSMENT

This class is conducted in the afternoons and here the children are carefully assessed. Individual 'Portage' assessment programmes are used, and this enables the teachers to plan correct individual work programmes.

Play activities such as water play, sand play, dolls-house play and music etc. are introduced. Socialization skills and experiences in the form of everyday activities are stressed upon.

PRE-ENTRY CLASS

From Assessment Class the children who have shown progress are then placed into the Pre-Entry Class where they are prepared for the morning school sessions. Here pre-number and pre-waiting skills are taught. Activities relating to school lessons are introduced in a play manner. Various activities of Daily Living are also taught here.

INTRODUCTORY I

Children in this class are usually promoted from the Assessment and Pre-Entry groups.

Here the lessons are introduced mainly in play form. Activities such as singing, hydrotherapy, sand-play, art and craft, outdoor games and educational visits are given to stimulate the children.

The curriculum also covers basic abilities, language development, self-help skills, as well as pre-maths and pre-writing.

INTRODUCTORY CLASS II

In this class lessons are planned for each child's needs and capabilities, and taught in a practical manner, for example by showing real objects first, then matching with pictures mainly based on daily living. For science topics, food is cooked to enable the children to actually see and taste the food.

During the year an educational visit was made to the 'Gama' Supermarket where the children were given an opportunity to buy goods of their own choice.

Home visits are made to encourage a better relationship between teachers and parents, also to ensure that the programmes are continued at home. Two children from Introductory II will be leaving to attend a normal kindergarten and a normal school in 1987.

PRE-SCHOOL CLASS

There were 6 children attending the Pre-School Class this year. Each child was assessed separately, and an Individual Education Plan was drawn up. Lessons are planned for individual needs and abilities.

Group activities are also conducted to promote socialization and play. Swimming and sand play are important activities.

Pre-reading and pre-writing skills are continued and gradually, reading and writing skills are then introduced.

Children who show normal academic ability and who will be able to cope in a normal school environment are usually selected from this class.

EDUCATION

A new educational programme was introduced and implemented in August, 1986 for the students in the 3 classes of the school section.

After careful evaluation of the educational system at that time, and taking into consideration the varying degrees of interest, motivation and ability of these students, also feed-back and concern from parents regarding the future of their children, it was deemed necessary to stream the pupils into a more practical and realistic set-up.

Therefore, instead of emphasising upon academic skills, the new programme also concentrates upon vocational and craft skills, especially for pupils with good hand control but poor academic potential.

We hope that this new educational system will not only enable the young cerebral palsied students to function more realistically, but help them to meet the demands of their family and the community at the same time.

We are very grateful to Miss Janice Griffioen, Miss Shanthi Ayinarappan and Madam Rajeswari for kindly taking the initiative as well as the extra work involved in setting up this new educational programme.

THERAPEUTIC CLASS

Seven young adolescents received training in the Therapeutic Class, where the aims are to maximise the rehabilitative potential of the students by teaching them various practical skills with emphasis on community integration.

Practical situations were provided for the students in community integration, for instance taking them for bus-rides, to supermarkets and the post office, also a bungalow stay. These outings gave them the opportunities to practise self-help and social skills in normal situations.

Areas where the students showed most progress were:

Sewing and embroidery — 1 student

Carpentry — 2 students

Self-independence skills — a student is now able to manoeuvre a special tricycle, and we are aiming for him to be able to ride on the main roads.

These students have shown enthusiams and interest in Bungalow stays, and thus we are hoping to make it an annual affair for the Therapeutic Class.

SPEECH THERAPY

A total of 72 children received Speech Therapy this year. 29 attended during morning sessions, 20 attended during afternoon sessions and 23 attended as outpatients with monthly appointments.

This department is training the children in the many forms of communication thus enabling each child to enjoy communicating with others important to him/her. These methods include hand-signs, Blissymbolic charts, picture charts, eye pointing charts, toe painting charts, gesture, speech lip-reading, facial expression and mime.

Many children have undergone hearing assessments at the Federation School for the Deaf or at Choong Dispensary where Dr. Yee Thiam Sun advises for future management of deaf persons.

Mr. Derrick Chan of Top Hearing Centre has continued to service the hearing aids used within the school, and the Dentistry Department of the Penang Adventist Hospital has produced ear-moulds for use with the hearing aids.

Dr. Santokh Singh also kindly gives advice concerning ear, nose and throat disorders.

PHYSIOTHERAPY

Being part of the multi disciplinary approach team, the job is very complex and challenging, also one has to have patience with children showing negligible progress especially after a long duration of training.

Primary importance has to be given to education. The child who lies idle does not learn or gain anything. Therefore to overcome the learning disabilities, the child needs to move and to know more of the environment, and will then indirectly learn better. In this respect, movement and mobility are the main factors for learning.

In this department emphasis is placed mainly on movement whichever way is possible for the child, support is then given through special aids, to enhance the existing abilities and to minimise the disabilities for every day functioning.

Physiotherapy was given to a total of 105 children this year. There were approximately 52 children in the morning sessions, 19 children in the afternoon sessions, and 34 who came in as outpatients once or twice a month only. Out of the 52 children in the morning sessions, 11 children attended hydrotherapy and 6 children attended swimming sessions, learning the different strokes in swimming for recreational and sporting activities.

The department continuously assists in imparting knowledge pertaining to spastic children to the best of their knowledge to the staff of the Centre, besides assisting in classroom management. Support and guidance are also given to parents for home management whereby they can continue to give therapy at home for their child.

We are facing problems when it comes to seating severely handicapped children especially athetoids with severe and strong extensor thrust and spasm. We also face the same problem when fitting children with special boots and calipers, as we find that these do not always correct or prevent contractures, therefore, it has to be carried out through a trial and error method. We look forward to receiving help in this area.

Last but not least we have managed to get a number of children to progress in walking independently. For this success the continuous support of the staff and parents are essential.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

This year, the Occupational therapy department treated a total of 87 children. The breakdown of this number is as follows:

- 34 outpatients
- 18 afternoon children
- 35 school children

Treatment, mainly on an individual basis, was to achieve independence in mobility, self help, perceptual and social skills.

The Transitional Class progressed from teaching the students merely the basic skills and projects to making key/spoon holders, pencil holders, tea coasters and blocks for play.

Necessary remedial furniture has also been looked into. Furniture found successful at school has been recommended and ordered for home use.

In May this year the Occupational Therapy Assistant, Miss Ratha Chakarai, left us to further her studies. Her replacement, Miss Angeline Regis, joined us the same month and was sponsored by the Association to attend a course on 'Child Development' as part of her training programme.

The School of Occupational Therapy in Kuala Lumpur also sent four of their 2nd year students for a 1 month clinical practice under the supervision of our Occupational Therapist. In addition to this, talks and in-service sessions were also held, according to the needs of the children and staff.

BROWNIES

Our Brownie Pack is the 14th South District and we now have a total number of 9 Brownies. Four of the Brownies have received their "Golden Bar" and four of them have sat for their "Golden Ladder" badge test.

The Brownies took part in a number of events which included a bus ride to town and back. In a bungalow stay, together with the Cubs, Sea-Scouts and some of the older children, they were given an opportunity to be with their friends. There they learned how to cook and look after themselves and this helps them to further independence.

CUBS

The children in the morning school are also encouraged to participate in co-curricular activities such as sports, gardening, swimming, and to associate with other uniformed groups i.e. Cubs and Scouts.

There were 7 cubs this year and one has been promoted to Sea-Scout.

Last year the Cubs were taught to pitch a tent and fire drill etc., but this year they were involved in more outdoor and indoor activities, such as collecting different leaves and flowers, learning simple first aid, as well as art and craft sessions.

In October they also joined in the Bungalow stay with the Sea-Scouts and Brownies, where they were given the opportunity to learn to be independent and to cope when they are away from home.

SEA-SCOUTS

There are now eleven members in our Sea-Scouts group. They meet every Thursday during the afternoon sessions where activities of varying interests are carried out e.g. marching exercise, obstacle courses, swimming and singing sessions.

This year in spite of the rainy season, the group managed to go for their bungalow-cum-camping trip to Batu Ferringhi. The rain did not dampen their spirits, and they were able to carry out their activities as planned. They even managed to have a 'Camp-fire' indoors.

The Sea-Scouts contributed this year in making some of the 'props' for our Parent's Day. They are also responsible for the raising of the National and State Flags each day during the school term.

TOY-LIBRARY

Once a week, on Friday morning, the children are given an opportunity to choose their own toys and to keep them for one week. The toy library caters mainly for children of the lower income group.

Due to the increase in children there is an urgent need for more toys for the toy library.

THE AIM OF THE TOY LIBRARY IS:

- (a) To encourage interaction with the family and friends,
- (b) To develop learning through play,
- (c) Exposure to suitable educational toys.

Feeding aids for the younger children are also available on loan from this Toy Library.

**WE WELCOME
YOUR PARTICIPANT
IN THIS COMING EVENT!**



**SILVER
JUBILEE
CELEBRATION
1962-1987**

SPASTIC CHILDREN'S ASSOCIATION OF PENANG

VISITORS TO THE SPASTIC CENTRE



Phase I Building – Our Own Centre.



Japanese Consul-General of Penang, Mr. Akira Hoshino and wife.



Thai Consul-General of Penang, Mr. Surasak Khaobang and wife.



Minister of Social Welfare, Datuk Haji Abu Hassan bin Haji Omar.



Nurse Student-Midwives, Penang.

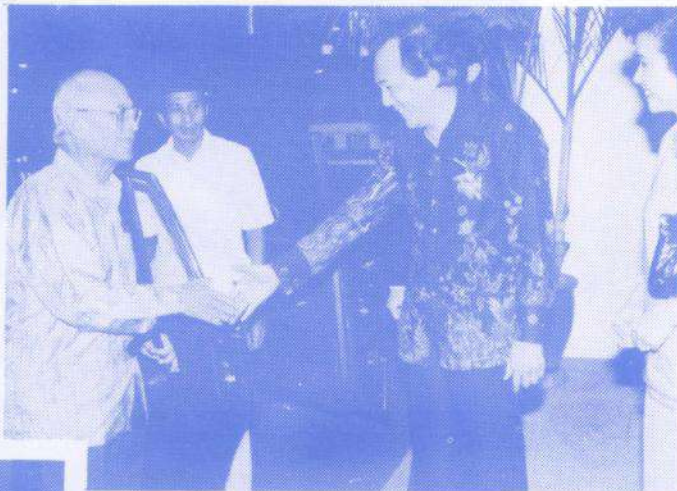
FUND RAISING EVENTS

CHAIRMAN VOLUNTEERS TOGETHER WE CARE

CENTRE FOR THE



Dr. Denis Mark Lee, Organising Chairman of the Spastic Charity Dinner 1986.



Arrival of our Patron, TYT Yang DiPertua Negeri Pulau Pinang Tun Datuk Dr. Haji Awang Bin Hassan and Toh Puan to the Charity Dinner.



Presentation of the lucky prizes to our Supporters by Toh Puan.

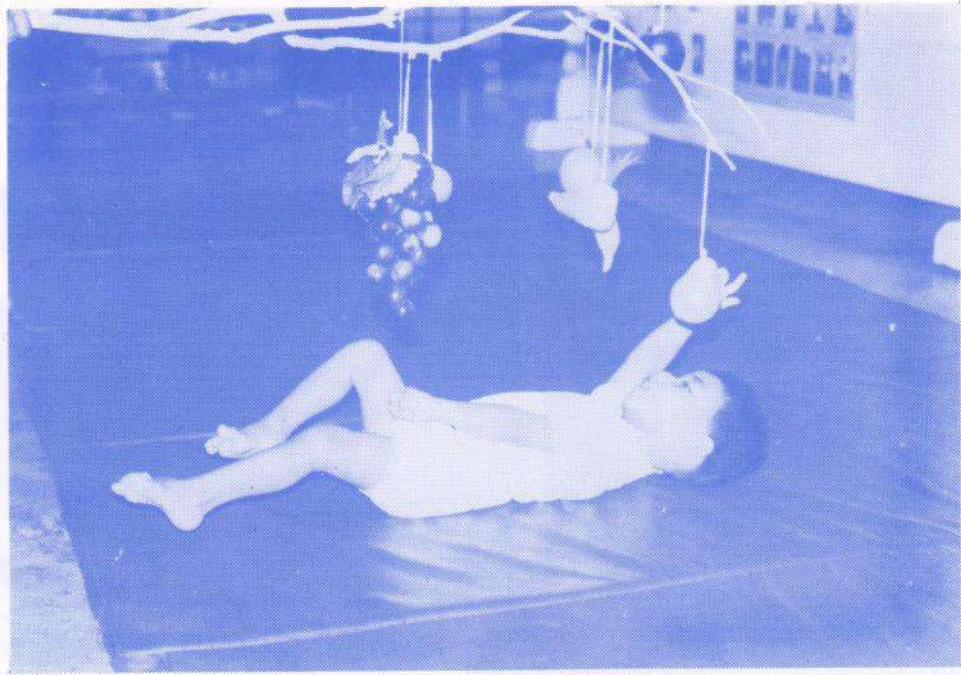


Sister Kok representing Malaysian Nurses Association presenting a Cheque to mark Nurses Day.



Lions Club Of Penang (Host) with Hooi Gek foster-child.

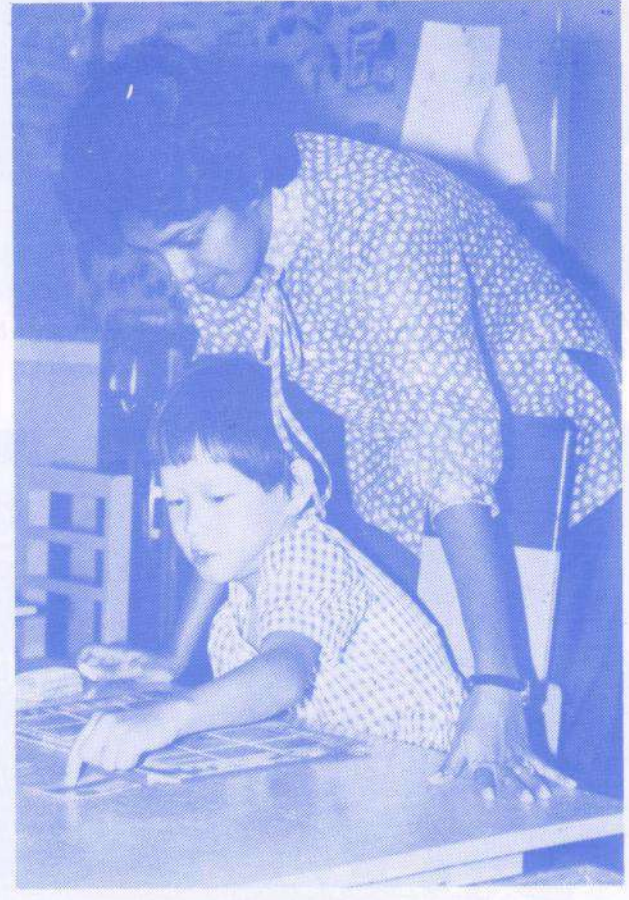
TRAINING



Occupational therapy



Physiotherapy



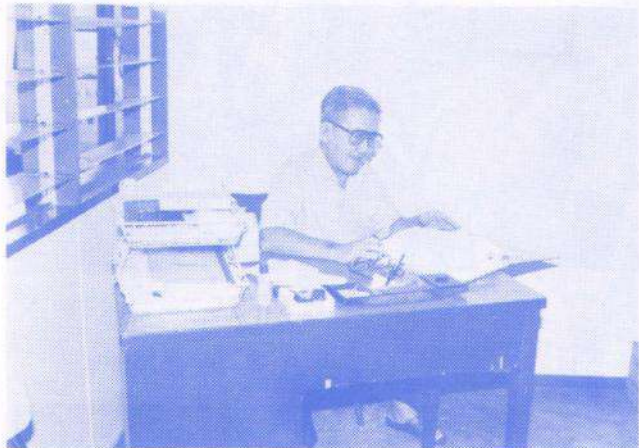
Pre-School



**CHAIRMAN
VOLUNTARY SERVICE**
Mrs. Kanya Tan

**TOGETHER
WE CARE**

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED AT THE SPASTIC TRAINING CENTRE TO HELP THE STAFF IN MANY ACTIVITIES PROVIDED FOR THE CHILDREN.



Mr. Lim Kin Sun helps in clerical work.



Mrs. Indirs Patel, a volunteer, takes children for a weekly Dental Treatment at a Government Clinic.



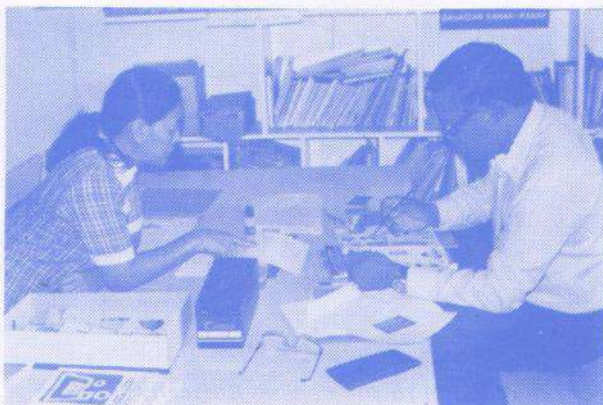
Mrs. Tan Teow Thong gives a hand in the Therapeutic Class, where children are taught to do handicraft.



Mrs. Ong Kim Chye, a nurse assists our Medical Adviser, Dr. Tan Ewe Aik, in our clinic.



Miss Mary Bee Bee Khairati helps in the children's daily morning exercise in the therapy pool.



Mr. & Mrs. J.B. Kanniah help in upgrading the Library at the Spastic Centre.

ACTIVITIES OF THE SPASTIC CHILDREN



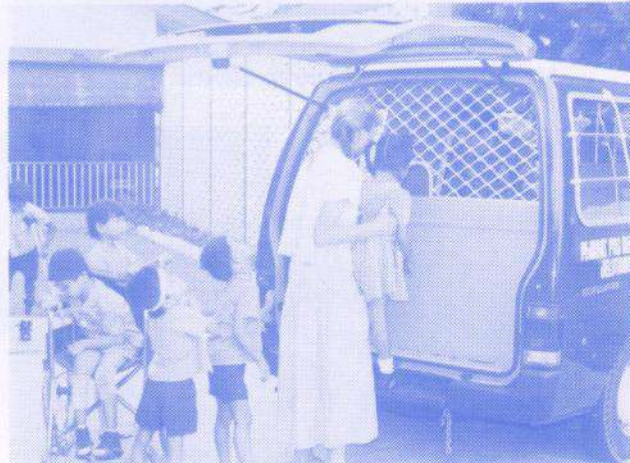
Sea-Scouts



Cubs and Brownies



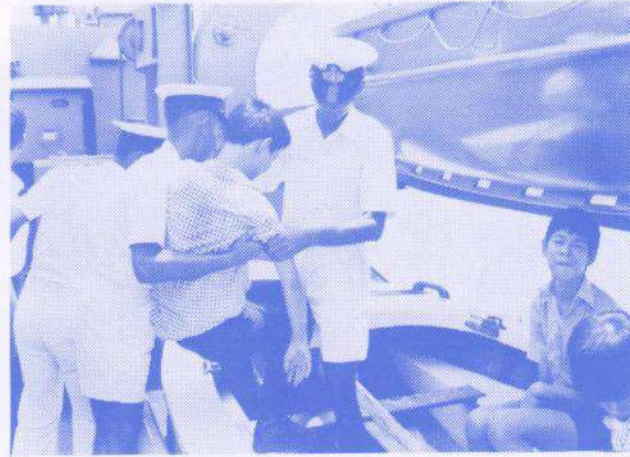
A day at the seaside



Our children depositing their 'Ang Pow' savings with the mobile Post Office.



Excursion to the Penang Butterfly Farm.

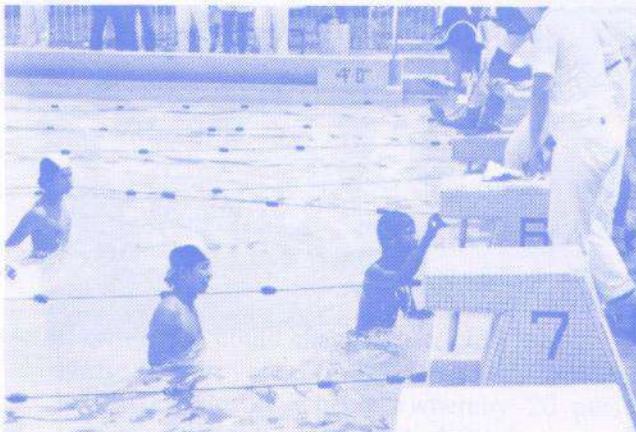


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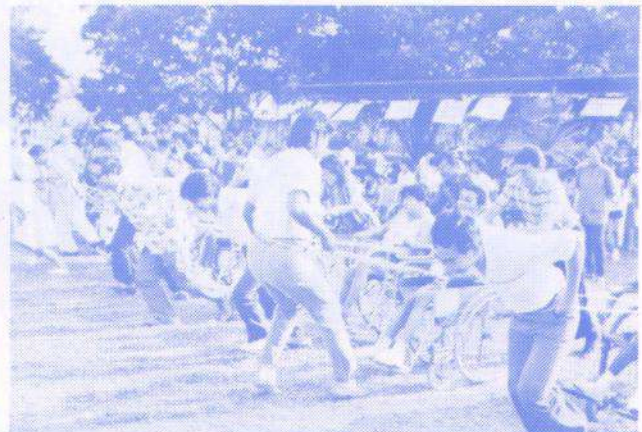
SPORTING EVENTS



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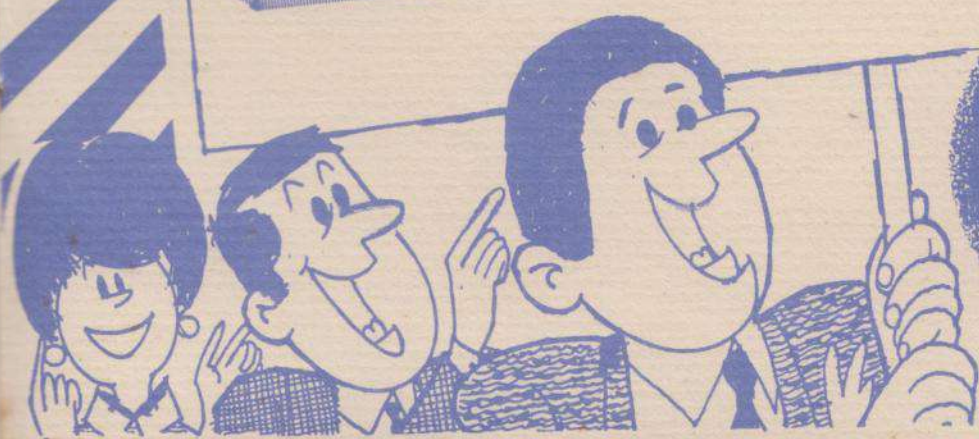
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