



MY INSPIRING JOURNEY

ANNUAL REPORT

2023

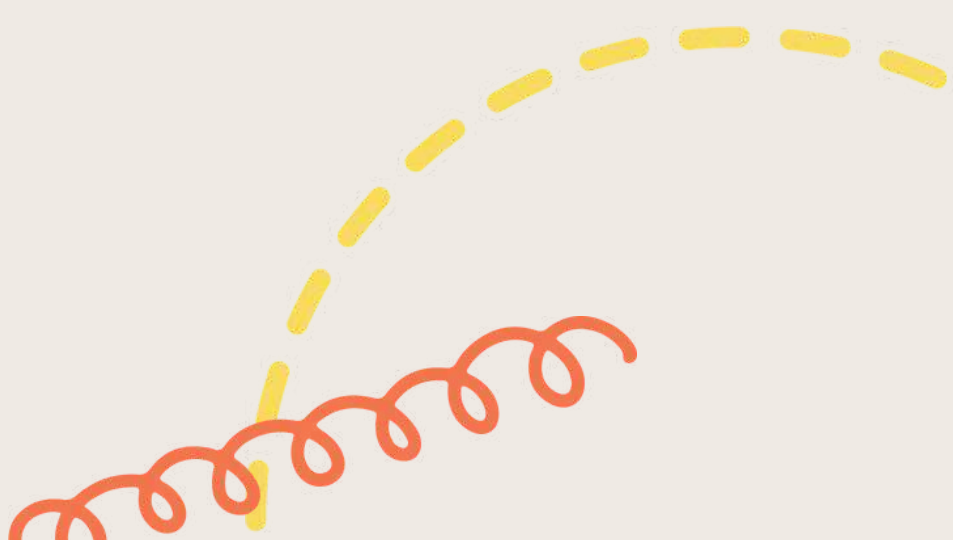


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MESSAGE FROM OUR **FOUNDER & CHAIRMAN**

**Dear Fellow Caregivers, Partners,
Supporters and Cherished Friends,**

As we traverse the remarkable 12-year journey of MIJ Hub, I find my heart overflowing with emotions, recounting the myriad experiences that have shaped us. This path, adorned with both joys and challenges, has sculpted us into resilient advocates for those with special needs.

In my role as a caregiver juggling the complexities of career and family, I have discovered the profound meaning embedded in our collective mission. It is more than a duty; it is a calling, a purpose that transcends the ordinary, weaving a tapestry of love and dedication.

MIJ Hub, conceived with the simple desire to assist my son and others facing similar challenges, has evolved into a haven for growth and understanding. Our students, the radiant stars in our universe, impart lessons that stretch beyond textbooks, teaching us the essence of empathy and the power of gratitude.

The narratives shared by fellow caregivers resonate in my heart, each story a testament to the resilience of the human spirit. In these shared moments of vulnerability, I've discovered the true measure of our collective strength. The sacrifices, worries, happiness, hopes, and dreams that weave through our conversations bind us together, creating a tapestry of shared experiences.

Fortunate and thankful, I acknowledge the unwavering support of family members and the MIJ Hub team. They are my pillars. Without their steadfast support, this meaningful endeavour would not have been possible.

A heartfelt thank you reverberates for the trust and contributions from supporters and friends. MIJ Hub is more than an organization; it's a family forged in compassion and fuelled by the belief that every individual, regardless of their abilities, deserves a chance to thrive.

Our collective efforts, akin to a symphony of compassion, have fortified MIJ Hub against the tides of challenges. Together, we are architects of a safe space where those with special needs can not only exist but truly flourish.

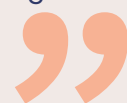
As we gaze into the future, the journey ahead is illuminated by your support—a beacon of hope guiding us toward a world where joy transcends all limits. Let our spirits remain intertwined, forging ahead with determination, compassion, and the unwavering belief that we can create lasting change.

And now, with immense gratitude and a triumphant cheer echoing the beating of our collective hearts, thank you for being the driving force behind MIJ Hub's impactful journey.

With heartfelt appreciation,

Farafiza Zainal

Founder and Chairman, MIJ Hub





MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Dear Supporters and Friends,

As I take a moment to reflect on the incredible journey we've shared over the past year, my heart swells with gratitude for each one of you. Your unwavering support and commitment have been the driving force behind our efforts to champion the cause of our special needs community.

In the hands of our dedicated carers, our organisation comes to life. Your nurturing care extends beyond mere support; it creates a profound sense of belonging, allowing every child to not just survive but thrive. Your selfless commitment forms the very bedrock upon which we construct pathways to brighter tomorrows.

Our success story is one of collaboration – breaking barriers, carving inclusive spaces, and challenging societal norms. We are delighted to extend our partnerships to diverse industries, fostering inclusivity across various sectors. Our collaborations span from the dynamic world of aviation with JetStar, to the robust realm of manufacturing with Flex, and into the intricate landscape of multinational professional services with Deloitte. These partnerships are not mere transactions; they are transformative journeys. The shared expertise from each collaborator propels us forward, ensuring that every special individual can access the opportunities they rightfully deserve.

To our generous donors, I extend my deepest thanks. Your belief in our mission fuels the engine of change. Your contributions are not merely financial support; they are investments in a future where special abilities are not just acknowledged but celebrated. With your ongoing support, we have the means to innovate, expand, and reach those who need us most. Each one of you is an architect of hope, laying the foundation for a more inclusive world.

A special acknowledgment goes to our volunteers, the unsung heroes behind the scenes. Your dedication and tireless efforts in supporting diverse events have been the heartbeat of our community. Whether it was organising workshops, coordinating awareness campaigns, or bringing smiles to the faces of our special individuals – you have made an invaluable impact. Your commitment to our cause is a testament to the strength of our community.

I wish to express my profound appreciation to each supporter and friend who has been part of this transformative journey. My deepest wish is for your continued support, and I invite you to bring others along on this meaningful venture. Together, let us forge ahead and make a lasting impact.

As we step into the promising canvas of 2024, I extend my heartfelt wishes to all of you. May this year bring you joy, fulfilment, and the satisfaction of knowing you've contributed to positive change.

With deepest gratitude,

Naserul Rohmat

Executive Director, MIJ HUB

OUR MISSION & VISION

VISION

We envision fostering an inclusive, compassionate, and knowledgeable community that embraces diversity beyond special needs. Our goal is to create an interconnected network of support, education, and empowerment at every life stage, nurturing purposeful and dignified lives for all.

MISSION

Our mission extends beyond empowering individuals with special needs. We aspire to educate, engage, and inspire communities, fostering understanding, empathy, and inclusivity. Through our diverse programs and services, we aim to equip everyone with the tools to thrive, creating a society that celebrates uniqueness and encourages responsible citizens.

OUR CORE VALUES

Better Together

“We believe when families, learning institutions, and the community are collaboratively engaged in the life and well-being of individuals with Special Needs, they will achieve their fullest potential.

High Quality Learning

“We believe that appropriate resources including technology, innovative and specialized approaches/methods, and accompanying professional development are essential in developing a quality programme that caters to the Special Needs community.

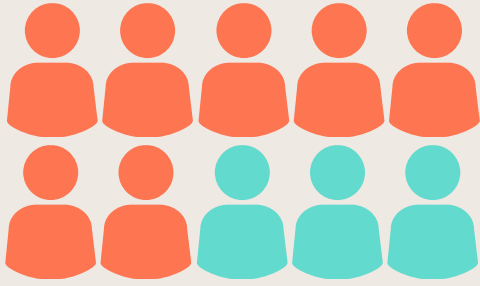
We Care For Their Growth

“We are passionate and dedicated to fostering an environment that nurtures individuals with Special Needs cognitively, socially, and emotionally so that they are equipped to manage challenges and become productive members in an inclusive society.

Believe in Conclusion

“We believe that every individual with or without Special Needs deserves respect and given opportunities in life.

In **2023**,
there are a total
of **366** students



119 of them require
Financial Assistance
(FAS)



IN NUMBERS

6 Specially
curated
Educational
Programmes



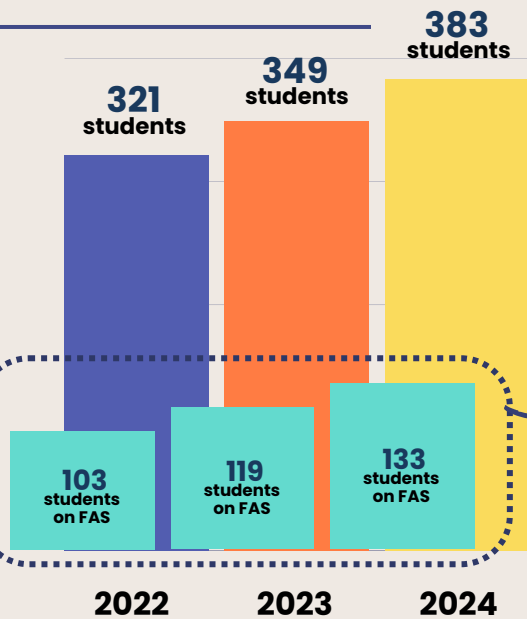
88
Staffs

Educators,
Specialists,
Administrative
& General
Staffs



Amount of fees subsidies given
out to students under FAS

2022	\$322,908
2023	\$342,708
2024	\$421,320



Financial Highlights

42 
Projects &
Partnerships

to create awareness
and fundraising
opportunities, and to
ease our operational
funds.

4465
Donors
across 8
campaigns



\$2,070,633.71 FY2023
Total Operational Cost

Total
school fees
collected

\$1,318,944.96



Total
donations
collected

\$751,688.75
Amount utilised

\$253,658.20
Amount
brought forward



PROVIDING EDUCATION FOR OUR SPECIAL NEEDS

SUPPORTING OUR INDIVIDUALS WITH EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

OUR PROGRAMMES



EARLY INTERVENTION PREPARATORY PROGRAMME

Daily pre-school programme



PRIMARY SCHOOL

SPED / Mainstream School



SECONDARY SCHOOL

SPED / Mainstream School



DAY ACTIVITY CENTRE PROGRAMME

Adult Day Activity Centre

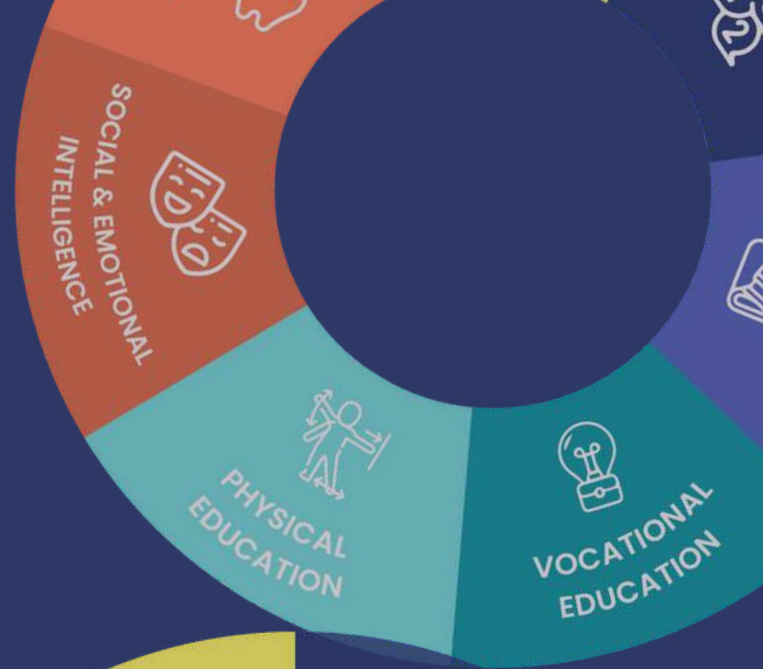


WORK READINESS ADULT PROGRAMME

Vocational-focused programme



EMPLOYMENT (SHELTERED WORKSHOPS)



INCLUSIVE STUDENT CARE PROGRAMME

Before-and-after school student care



ONE-TO-ONE INTERVENTION PROGRAMME

Private therapy session for 2-30 years old



TARBIYAH EDUCATION (T:ED)

Faith-focused programme for 2 - 30 years old

PARENT'S TESTIMONIAL



Parent of Iman and Ilyas

Students of MIJ@Woodlands

“For Ilyas, he has an improved eye contact and speaks more words than previously. He is able to say what he wants in one or two words when prompted and able to respond with a Yes or No, unlike before.

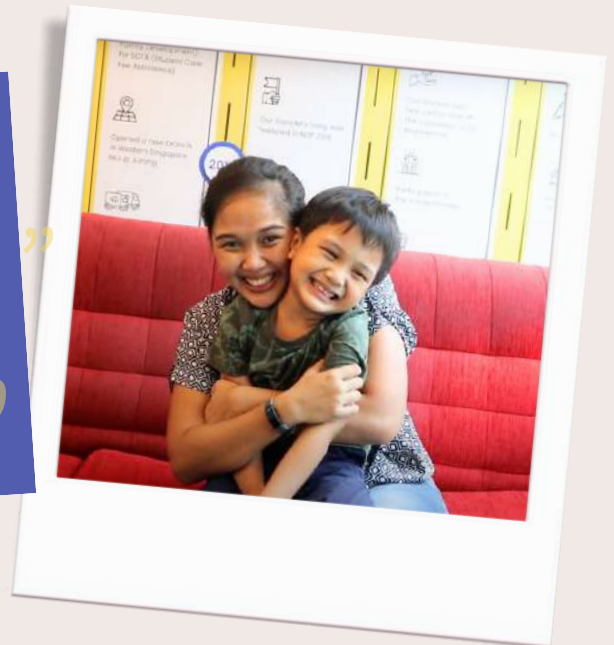
Iman has been doing very well and improving day by day. Iman has also shown a lot of improvements. He responds better and is now able to hold a conversation with us. He requires minimal guidance when it comes to completing his table-top activities too.

I am glad that they (Iman & Ilyas) are in this program as they have a small student-teacher ratio so that they can receive the appropriate attention from their teachers.”

Parent of Kayden

Former Student of MIJ@Changi

“If I were to use one word to describe MIJ, it would be LOVE. The care and affection given to Kayden make him a happier boy, and the teachers demonstrate exceptional care. MIJ is not just a place for Kayden; it's a safe haven for everyone. It fosters interaction and inclusivity, making it a secure space for each individual.”



PARENT'S TESTIMONIAL



Leon started in February 2021 and was there till end May. Although there were some settling down issues he finally got the routine in place. We found Leon to be more calming when he returns home. He was able to initiate things at home, e.g asking to do new activities at home, doing up a schedule to follow, was able to be independent in doing his own routine of taking his personal things and keeping it away. Perviously needed prompting & shadowing. It was wonderful to see suddenly some good changes in him.

We very much enjoyed the time Leon had spent in MIJ and saw a great improvement in his ability and behaviour within a short period of four months.

*- Parent of Leon
Previously a student of MIJ Hub (Changi)*



Abbas has been with MIJ since 2016. Prior to that, he was in another organisations. I stopped sending him there as no teacher was able to handle him in group setting. I even tried sending him to 1-on-1 sessions but it does not work out. I then tried to find suitable programme through the web and finally found MIJ Hub.

Eversince he is in MIJ, he is able to recite and follow what the teachers have taught him. When he comes back to MIJ, he will try to talk to me about the subjects taught, something I always look forward to due to his excitement. I am always grateful for what MIJ has done.

*- Parent of Abbas
Student of MIJ Hub (Jurong)*



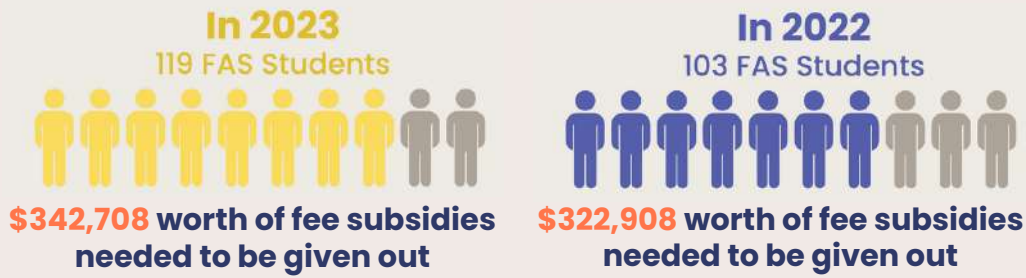
Previously we were lost as we were unsure of where to send him (for school). Before this, he was in one of the SPED schools. They gave him a job thereafter but we believe it is not appropriate for him as he has fits and his muscles are weak. Since he was in MIJ, he improves tremendously. He now has lesser fits and sleeping issues as well as trembles only once in awhile.

*- Parent of Syukri
Student of MIJ Hub (Changi)*



OUR FUNDRAISING EFFORTS

Number of students and amount of fee subsidies needed



In 2023, at least 8 campaigns were created to fundraise for these students.

In total, we were able to fundraise **\$1,005,346.95** as of 31 Dec 2023, through these campaigns.

With great gratitude..

As a parent, the cost of education is always a worry. With the help of financial assistance and help from the public, we (were able to) get a an affordable rate of education for my 3 kids. Alhamdulillah I'm can show a sign of relief that my kids can get Islamic education at an affordable rate. We hope that the kids will still be able to continue their studies with an affordable rates.

Parent of Haziq, Hazim and Qistina (T:Ed Programme, MIJ@Changi)

As i am the maincaregiver and my husband being the sole breadwinner for the family, the financial assistance has helped us so much as it helps to secure both my children's education despite our situation. We are truly grateful and truly thankful for the help rendered. My hopes for the future is that both my children can continue with their education with MIJ no matter how difficult our situation is.

Parent of Adam and Farid (Students of daily programme, MIJ@Changi)

OUR FUNDRAISING EFFORTS

Fund My School

October 2022 – February 2023

Funds Raised: S\$113,048

Funds were raised via:

- **GIVE.asia platform**
- **Social Media outreach**
- **Personalities**
- **Flyer distributions**

The 'Fund My School' campaign was aimed to ease MIJ Hub's shifting and renovation costs for our new and more Special Needs-friendly learning space, as well as to ease the programme fees for our students from low-income families who currently in the wait list to attend school.

The success of this campaign has enabled the organization to:

- ✓ Secure a 1.5x larger and safer space for their students and staffs.
- ✓ Enable the organisation to accept at least 20 individuals with Special Needs who are currently on the waitlist.
- ✓ Enable the organisation to reach out to 30-50 more individuals with Special Needs who wish to attain vital education.
- ✓ Have special furniture and other learning resources which are able to aid our students in their learning.
- ✓ Create more conducive and vibrant learning spaces that suit the learning needs of the students.



OUR FUNDRAISING EFFORTS

The Takeout Campaign

January 2023 - December 2023

Funds Raised: S\$35,756

Distribution Completed: 20 weeks in 2023

No. of Beneficiaries: 37 Families

Funds were raised via:

- GIVE.asia platform
- Social Media outreach

The Takeout Campaign is a year-long initiative led by Ashraf's Cafe, a social enterprise of MIJ Hub. It started off from concerns of the lack of food supplies for low-income families with children with Special Needs during the COVID period. It was also inspired by Ashraf's compassion of giving back to the community.

Since then we strive to fundraise from members of the public and use the funds to provide quality meals for these families.

Through this campaign, we hope to also encourage the community to come together to do good for the Special Needs community, IN 2023, the tremendous response we received during this campaign has allowed us to extend our meal distributions beyond Ramadan, thus making it an occasional get-together to give back.



OUR FUNDRAISING EFFORTS

Briyani Drive-Thru

September 2023

Funds Raised: S\$27,000

No. of Briyani Packs distributed: 4107

Funds were raised via:

- **Social Media outreach**
- **Coupon distribution**

Back in September, MIJ Hub had a collaboration with Al Abdul Razak mosque where we hosted a fundraising initiative called the 'Beriani Drive Thru'. This was the 6th time the mosque held this event, whereby part of the sales from the Nasi Beriani coupons sold will be donated to MIJ Hub to support our students in need and our programmes.

Many came down to assist the operations of the event – from the mosque's management and their volunteers, to our staff and even students who were in charge of distributing the Nasi Beriani packs to the customers/donors. It was a memorable event that allowed us to gotong-royong and interact with the members of the public outside of MIJ Hub,





SPRING CHICKEN AMAL 2024

In conjunction with FundStart Campaign to secure education for students with Special Needs who are under the Financial Assistance Scheme (FAS).

Valid from 1st December 2023 to 30th June 2024

COUPONS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE!

To purchase call us at
+65 9182 3067 or
+65 6443 6601 or visit our
website mijhub.com



\$18



OUR FUNDRAISING EFFORTS



Spring Chicken Amal 2024

November 2023 - Ongoing till July 2024

Funds Raised as of 31 Dec 2023: S\$ 27,198

No. of coupons sold as of 31 Dec 2023: 1398

Funds were raised via:

- Social Media outreach
- Flyer distributions

As part of the FUNDStart Campaign MIJ Hub collaborated with Arnold's Fried Chicken with an objective of raising \$180,000 from 10,000 coupon sales to provide financial support to at least 133 students with Special Needs from low-income families, who are under the Financial Assistance Scheme (FAS).

Contributions from this campaign will be used to cover a crucial portion of their programme fees which they are unable to pay. We believe, together, we can empower these special individuals towards independence and a better community.



OUR FUNDRAISING EFFORTS

Harapan Si Istimewa

April 2023



Amount Raised: S\$545,753

Funds were raised via:

- GIVE.asia platform
- Social Media outreach
- Personalities
- Flyer distributions

Harapan Si Istimewa encompasses all the Ramadan fundraising efforts hosted at MIJ Hub. The campaign consists of various donation initiatives that aim to enhance its fundraising and awareness outreach to the masses.

The amount donated through the fundraising campaigns were allocated to its specific intent and channels, covering from financial aids for 120 students falling under financial assistance schemes, to operating educational and vocational programmes and operations, upgrading and upscaling resources and facilities, and more.



OUR FUNDRAISING EFFORTS



Bursary for Special Needs Education

June 2023 - Ongoing till June 2024

**Amount Raised as of December 2023:
\$45,298 out of \$109,600 goal**

Funds were raised via:

- GIVE.asia platform
- Social Media outreach
- Personalities
- Flyer distributions

This bursary is a joint effort between AMP and MIJ Hub, to provide financial aid to students who come from low-income groups, single-parent households, and orphans who require Special Needs education.

Our goal is to raise \$109,600 (tax deductible) by the end of March 2024 so as to ensure that all 68 students will be eligible to receive aid in their learning journey at MIJ Hub. We believe that every child deserves the right education and with your support, this can be a reality.





OUR INITIATIVES AND PARTNERSHIPS



CELEBRATING INCLUSION TOGETHER THE PURPLE PARADE MIJ HUB'S 3RD YEAR RUNNING!

November 2023

In early November this year, MIJ Hub proudly participated in The Purple Parade celebration. This marked a significant moment for us as we received our inaugural invitation to join the marching contingent. As we waved our flags and banners, singing our heartfelt songs while marching, it was a moment of immense pride and joy for all of us.

From the lively carnival booth to our spirited concert performance and the touching parade contingent, every instance was brimming with joy. We were elated to share this unforgettable experience with our exceptional team members, students, parents, and dedicated volunteers, all united to celebrate inclusivity.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to The Purple Parade for this incredible opportunity. We eagerly anticipate the chance to celebrate inclusivity once again in 2024, together with all of you.





SUPPORTING OUR SPECIAL NEEDS THE SIBLINGS' NETWORK

Strengthening the care, love and bond

April 2023

MIJ Hub launched a volunteer wing called the 'Siblings Network', in hopes of gathering anyone in Singapore who has siblings with Special Needs.

It is through this network that we aim to build a community for these siblings to come together and support one another, and at the same time contribute towards improving the landscape for their loved ones and other individuals with Special Needs.

The launch was graced and officiated by Mayor of South East District, Mr Fahmi Aliman.



OUR FIRST IFTAR BERSAMA

In conjunction with the fasting month

April 2023

In celebration of Autism Awareness Month, MIJ Hub organized the Iftar Bersama event on April 1, 2023. The event took place at our new space at 116 Changi Rd and welcomed over 150 guests, including beneficiaries, students and their families, partners, members of the public, and donors.

Guests of Honour Mr. Mohd Fahmi Aliman, Mayor of South East District and MP of Marine Parade GRC, and his wife, Mdm Rohana Mohd Salleh, graced the event. Various entertaining booths were set up by our social enterprise, Ashraf's Cafe, and INSPO, alongside a henna artist from Ally Artistry and the interest group 'Amal4Jannah'.

Scrumptious iftar food and beverages were generously sponsored by F&B businesses such as Tasty Bites, Otak Otak Hydaco, Farday Bakes, Dee Bakery, Bogeh, Teh Tarik Shusburo, Kaki Lepak SG, and The Orange Stove. Every guest received goodie bags with treats sponsored by Broti SG and Shifa Min Tareem.

The night was filled with cultural performances, including dikir barat and kompong performances by MIJ Beatz and SMU Rentak. Mayor Fahmi was also invited to launch MIJ Hub's new volunteer network called the Siblings Network.

MIJ Hub extends gratitude for the overwhelming support and looks forward to celebrating Ramadan together again next year.



THE MIJ EXPERIENCE

OUR LEARNING JOURNEY

Through baking and interactions

In May, MIJ Hub launched its inaugural Learning Journey at MIJ@Changi. Five diverse groups, including Special Education Educators and students from various schools in Singapore, have already participated. The sessions, lasting 2-2.5 hours, involve collaborative activities with 5-7 Special Needs clients. Participants bake Seasalt Choc cookies and fry savory popiahs, taking home the delightful creations. The heartwarming interactions during these sessions emphasize the meaningful connections forged.

MIJ Hub eagerly looks forward to hosting more participants for this enriching Learning Journey in 2024.



REACHING OUT TO WIDER AUDIENCE **THE BENTO IS SPECIAL**

By Lianhe Zaobao

August 2023

In November, Ashraf Cafe received bento orders from the Malaysian Canoe Polo team. The team was in Singapore to participate in the annual 2023 Asian Canoe Polo Asia Championships.

The order captured the interest of our local media, Lianhe Zaobao, prompting them to visit our organisation for an interview and a chat with our inclusive team.

In the interview, Siti Nur Ain and Muhammad Hakim, shared their working experience as Special Needs individuals and went on to share their hopes for the community. Also interviewed in this feature was their Job Coach, Mohamed Asyraf, who went on to share the challenges and struggles of Ashraf's Cafe and coaching different individuals.

Ashraf's Cafe extends gratitude to the Lianhe Zaobao for featuring us and the Malaysian Canoe Polo Team for entrusting us with the lunch.



OUR AWARENESS CAMPAIGN HERE DAILY SERIES

30 days of wholesome content

August 2023

The *Here Daily* series was an effort to boost our brand awareness where we invited the community to join us on this 30-days journey with us through sharing of 30 short stories depicting the different happenings in MIJ Hub. This is in conjunction of the nation's birthday-month where we aim to inspire togetherness and inclusivity.

Through this series, we hope to create inclusion and acceptance amongst everyone for these individuals who are facing different abilities. We believe that achieving thoughtfulness and kindness will contribute in creating a better nation ahead.



Accounts Reach:
96,045 | 131.4%



Post Engagement:
12,064 | 132%



Profile Visits:
12,151 | 169.7%



Followers:
871 | 297.4%



Accounts Reach:
87,121 | 63%



Post Engagement:
1,182 | 44.4%



Profile Visits:
5,309 | 108%%

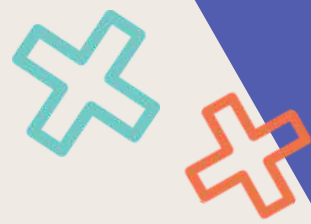


Followers:
29 | 52.5%



OUR BEST 3 VIDEOS!





OUR SOCIAL ENTERPRISES





2018
The birth of
Ashraf's Cafe



Welcome to MIJ Hub's social enterprises, where Ashraf's Cafe not only serves delicious food but also empowers individuals with Special Needs, fostering skills for employment. Meanwhile, INSPO ignites the potential of individuals with Special Needs, showcasing their talents and grit to inspire inclusiveness within society. Together, these initiatives embody MIJ Hub's commitment to creating a more inclusive and accepting community.

In 2023,



7 Employees with
Special Needs



2 Interns working
at Ashraf's Cafe



5 Number of events
we took part



19 Product
Launches



Atleast
7564 of our products
were sold



RAMADAN FEATURE

COOKIE KAMI SPECIAL

Sales of our signature Seasalt Choc and many others
(March 2023)

Cookie Kami Special was a special short film which was released in conjunction of Ramadan 2023. The film was the debut of our best-selling product till date, The Seloka Set, along with other Ramadan sweets and treats.

Directed by Wan Danger, the film features popular TV personalities such as Ms Nurul Aini and Ms Mishall Kiara, together with our students and employees with Special Needs. The film shares a story of the birth of our signature Seasalt Choc cookies (recipe inspired by *Choux by SA*) and how individuals with Special Needs can shine when given the right educational and vocation exposure, and most importantly support. Through the feature, we achieved a whopping \$85,445 worth of sales from the featured products.





OUR INTERNATIONAL BREAKTHROUGH OUR COLLABORATION WITH SATS AND JETSTAR

Engaging people staying in SG and beyond
(September 2023 - January 2024)

Jetstar Asia and SATS Ltd have partnered with MIJ Hub through a six-month collaboration which involves selling specially crafted products on Jetstar Asia flights, specially prepared by students and employees with Special Needs of MIJ Hub and Ashraf's Cafe respectively.

The offerings include a Peek-a-Box and a "My D-I-Y Cookie Jar" featuring our signature Sea Salt Choc Cookies. Proceeds support MIJ Hub's programmes for individuals aged 2 to 30 with conditions like Autism and Down Syndrome.

We were honoured to have Jetstar Asia CEO Barathan Pasupathi and SATS Gateway CEO Bob Chi gracing this project, expressing the company's commitment to community impact. Our Founder, Mdm Faraliza Zainal, appreciates the heartwarming collaboration for its positive impact on the Special Needs community.



DO GOOD THIS RAMADAN UNITING VOLUNTEERS THROUGH THE TAKEOUT CAMPAIGN

DISTRIBUTION OF 1630 QUALITY MEALS TO OUR BENEFICIARIES
(MARCH – APRIL 2023)

We express gratitude to our dedicated back-end volunteers from various backgrounds and outside our Special Needs community. Their tireless support during the recent Ramadan Takeout Campaign resulted in transforming donations into over 1630 quality meals within 11 days.

Special thanks to volunteers from Masjid Al Abdul Razak, students from Singapore Management University and Singapore Poly, members of MyLustre, Ride4Hope SG, Nawwarah Bridal, Kampung Bridge, AAV Singapura, Amal 4 Jannah, and others.

MIJ Hub and Ashraf's Café sincerely thank each contributor, whether seasoned or first-time volunteers, for their contributions to food preparation and meal distribution during the campaign.





MIJ INTERNATIONAL HUB



MY INSPIRING JOURNEY
INTERNATIONAL HUB

Crossed The Borders: MIJ International Hub is Our Journey to Inspiring Special Needs Community Abroad

In 2022, MIJ Hub demonstrated steadfast commitment while broadening its global influence. Driven by a passionate dedication to empower, equipt, and inspire, MIJ Hub achieved a successful expansion, establishing its presence in the heart of Malaysia.

This strategic move is designed to amplify their impact, offering dedicated support to the Special Needs community in Malaysia and beyond.



MIJ International Hub in Kota Damansara

A Year in Review



3

Programmes



3

Teachers



6

Students



2

Partnerships



4 Outreach Events

List of Events

1. University of Malaya Research (UMR) Carnival: Voice for Autism
2. International Showcase on Economic Empowerment of People with Autism (ISEEPA) at Universiti Islam Selangor (UIS)
3. International Conference of Special Education (ICSE) 2023
4. Baking Session at PwC Malaysia



27,200+
Digital Outreached



150
Posts Created

OUR PARTNERSHIPS IN 2023

Collaborative Impact with Autism Cafe Project



MIJ International Hub and Autism Cafe Project (ACP) partnership, starting in December 2022, is a transformative journey offering meaningful alternatives for the Special Needs community.

Merging ACP's expertise in F&B training with MIJ's commitment to educational support, the partnership specifically empowers young adults in the Special Needs community through learning tools and real-world work experiences, promoting independence and future opportunities.



MIJ International Hub' Executive Director (Left) with Founder of Autism Cafe Project (Right)

Amplifying Impact with Our Better World



MIJ International Hub covered by Our Better World

As one of the leading impact storytelling organizations, Our Better World has inspired the Asian community within 11 years. This year, MIJ International Hub partnered with Our Better World to share the journey of inspiring the Special Needs community in Malaysia. Through this partnership, we aim to reach as many parents or caregivers of individuals with Special Needs as possible and assure them that they are not alone in this journey.

Moving forward, the collaboration evolves, MIJ International Hub remains committed to nurturing inclusivity and understanding, with the collaboration serving as a catalyst for positive change in Special Needs support internationally.





MIJ ACADEMY

Learning. Upgrading. Mastering Inclusion.



MIJ Academy, a subsidiary of MIJ Hub, is committed to providing accessible and inclusive training for caregivers. Our expert workshops are designed to empower caregivers with the skills and knowledge they need to support individuals with learning differences. Whether you are a member of the general public or a corporate company looking to enhance your caregiving skills, MIJ Academy has the perfect training solutions for you. Join us on a journey to create a more inclusive and supportive community.

WE ARE HERE TO EMPOWER



SOME OF OUR PAST WORKSHOPS



Be Empowered Workshop

The Be Empowered Workshop introduces participants to a movement-based approach and offers self-care tips for effectively managing and coping with caregiving tasks.



Workshop for Educators with Cavenur Kindergarten

Participants embarked on a self-reflective learning journey, exploring invaluable movement techniques for self-calming and stress management. The workshop empowers educators to navigate student support with resilience and grace.



Self-Care Workshop with Life Community Services

In a recent Life Community workshop, participants delved into self-discovery, understanding their crucial roles in guiding children from vulnerable backgrounds. Practical techniques and mindful movements fostered self-care and resilience.

KEY TAKEAWAYS

2023 is a game-changing experience for MIJ Hub as we strive to **reimagine** the educational journey for individuals with Special Needs.

Championing Impact

Making a difference in the lives of individuals with Special Needs is at MIJ Hub's core. We put ourselves in the shoes of those we serve as we take every step to inclusion. **Through tireless efforts in inspiring, equipping, and empowering the Special Needs community workforce, we have positively influenced the lives of over 372 individuals with Special Needs nationally and internationally.**

Delivering Inclusive Futures

It is our belief that education provides the foundation for a more inclusive and equitable society. Despite profound challenges in systemic changes, we are on a journey to remove barriers, raise awareness, and dispel stigma for individuals with Special Needs. **Therefore, creating a world where all individuals with special needs feel they belong is a longg journey.**

Empowering Made Possible by You!

We consciously understand that we achieve more when working collaboratively with you. We continue to create opportunities to create a launchpad for exchanging knowledge, ideas, and experiences, intensifying the collective impact of our resources. **Together with you, we are able to continue shaping a future where empowerment is a shared endeavor, driving positive change for individuals with Special Needs.**

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Let's Build an Incredible Future for the Special Needs Community Together!

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