



Celebrating Excellence
Community Leaders Forum

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COMMUNITY LEADERS FORUM 2013: REAFFIRMING A COMMUNITY CONNECTED

The Community Leaders Forum (CLF)¹ delivered the second phase of its review this year centering on a community-driven development strategy as it continues to grow and harness partnerships with the addition of seven new organisations from within and beyond the Malay Muslim Voluntary Sector (MMVS).

At the CLF Forum this Saturday, the CLF Secretariat will be presenting a Summative Report of this review which includes the outcomes of the Network Review in the three key areas of Capacity Building, Resource Planning and Programme Management. This process hopes to ensure that the CLF remains focused and well-positioned as the platform for innovation and social change for these MMVS.

Restating on the theme for the year 2012-2013, a community connected also sees the CLF investing on the capitalisation of existing community talents and experts while maintaining focus on organisational and community excellence. It looks to renew the common purpose, inspire further engagements and enable participation with partners and beneficiaries through the various CLF programmes and services conducted by its partners.

CLF Chairman, Dr Yaacob Ibrahim, Minister of Communications and Information, and Minister-in-Charge of Muslim Affairs will be gracing the event. He will also be joined with other Malay/Muslim Members of parliament and prominent community leaders from the various organisations.

¹ Formed in 2003, this collaborative platform enables community leaders, social service professionals and stakeholders to come together and contribute their expertise and experiences in a collective pursuit to introduce an array of new concepts and ideas in engaging the community while preserving our Malay/Muslim cultural values.

We are pleased to invite you to the Community Leaders Forum 2013. The details are as follows:

Event: Community Leaders Forum 2013

Day, Date : Saturday, 9 November 2013

Time : 9.00am to 1.00pm

Venue : Fairmont Singapore, Collyer Ballroom, 80 Bras Basah Road S(189560)

Additional details of the event are in Annex A.

We would appreciate if you could confirm your attendance by **5.00pm on Friday, 8 November 2013.** Please do not hesitate to call or email to the officers named below, if you require further information on this event. We look forward to your presence and we thank you for your continued support on this community effort.

ANNEX A

**COMMUNITY LEADERS FORUM 2013
Saturday, 9 November 2013
Fairmont Singapore (Collyer Ballroom)**

PROGRAMME

Time	Programme / Activity
9.00am	Registration & Light Breakfast
9.45am	Delegates to be seated
10.00am	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arrival of Dr Yaacob Ibrahim Chairman, CLF Steering Committee• Performance• Welcome Address by Dr Yaacob Ibrahim Chairman, CLF Steering Committee• Video Presentation of CLF LABS• Summative Report Presentation Head, CLF Secretariat• Panel CLF Steering Committee
12.00pm	Lunch
1.00pm	End of Programme