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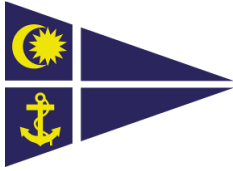
Selamat Hari Raya Aidilfitri & Eid Mubarak,

The Club would like to wish all the Muslim members and friends a blessed Eid al-Fitr. The Club hopes that you had a great month of Ramadan, fulfilling your prayers and reflecting on yourselves. Although, the Covid-19 pandemic may have made many things to be different this year, the Club wishes that you and your loved ones remain healthy, safe and well. **Selamat Hari Raya!**

The Covid-19 pandemic has rendered havoc and disruption to most people's lives. Those affected include RSYC, its Members, employees and business associates. Here's a quick re-cap of how the Club's operations had been affected since Malaysia imposed the "Movement Control Order" (MCO) on 18th March 2020, which kept people at home, restricted movement and shutdown non-essential activities to combat the spread of the disease.

- ❖ **Club Lockdown from 18th March through 4 phases of MCO:** The Club had to cease all operations and no Members nor visitors were allowed into the Club. Only Security guards and the Club's staff on pontoon duty were allowed to carry on with their essential duties to secure the premises and the boats and pontoons, respectively.
- ❖ **The "Conditional Movement Control Order" (CMCO) relaxed the lockdown from 4th May:** The Club office resumed operations on 4th May when the new CMCO rules allowed it to. The clubhouse was thoroughly cleaned and disinfected before the office was opened. Sanitizing dispensers and hand wash stations were set-up. Adequate stocks of face masks, gloves, hand sanitizers, disinfectants and cleaning products were prepared. Members were still not allowed to carry out many of the past normal Club activities.
- ❖ **F&B:** The F&B operations at the Club resumed on 14th May after restaurants were allowed to provide dine-in services. However, dining spaces looked quite different as the social distancing rules made the dining hall and tables to be only half as full. To get Members and diners back to patronize the Club's restaurant, the new menu offerings now include daily specials from Mondays to Fridays! Come back to the Club to check them out!





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Pictures, above, show the new arrangements for the tables following the one meter distancing rule. An 'X' on the floor indicate where no seating is allowed

SOPs: The Club has adopted and practices an SOP which is compliant with the Health Ministry's recommendations. These include:

- Frequent hand-washing with soap or hand-sanitizers
 - Encourage the use of face-masks
 - Practice safe social distancing
 - Check body temperature regularly
 - Avoid body contact and avoid touching the face
 - Avoid gatherings especially in enclosed areas
 - Practice good personal hygiene
 - Keep work places and common places clean especially public washrooms and toilets
 - To enable contract tracing, all persons coming to the Club are required to either register manually in a logbook or digitally via the State's SELangkah phone app.
- ❖ **Club activities:** Besides the F&B operations, Club Members are allowed access to their boats to carry out repairs and maintenance. No recreational fishing, sailing and boating are allowed. Recently, however, MOH had clarified that family members staying in the same household may go for recreational sailing in the local waters subject to observance of the normal precautionary SOPs.

The Committee wishes everyone good health and help protect the health of the community by practising the SOPs diligently always. May better times come again, soon.

Reconstruction of the swimming pool deck: During the execution of some renovation and repair works to the swimming pool's wooden deck in early March, 2020, it was discovered that the underlying structure was in quite a bad state of repairs. The structure showed clear signs of wear and tear which exacted a heavy toll on rotting and worn timber frames, and past patch-up repairs coming apart. The discovery that original piling for the deck was minimal made it sensible to improve the piling so that a longer lasting and more robust deck could be built to provide future



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options to add new facilities and rooms. While the Committee had approved a budget for the works in March, the lockdown had slowed down works which are unlikely to meet the initial June completion target date.



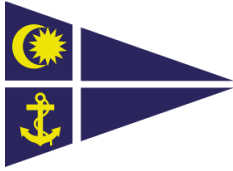
Credit Control. Due to the lockdown causing the Club to be shut for nearly two months, payments from Members had become erratic. More Members' accounts were in default and this has affected the Club's collection and cash flow. The Club had to introduce more stringent credit control. The office staff had to make more phone calls to remind Members, send reminder letters and even activate the barring of Members whose accounts were in default from signing their F&B bills to their Club Accounts on credit term. (Members, however, were allowed to settle their dining bills on cash terms or charged to their credit cards to enjoy the Members' discount.)

Please note that, in view of the MCO/CMCO situation, Members' accounts will be considered to be in default if the total outstanding sums on their accounts had either:

- a) Exceeded the credit limit of RM1,500, or
- b) May have been unpaid for 3 months or more, or
- c) Both.

Your kind consideration and attention to settle payment on time for your outstanding sums as per your statements would be greatly appreciated.

Members' Email Addresses: The Management would like to appeal to all the Members to provide the Club with their email addresses for fast and easy communication. During the MCO and CMCO lockdown, the Club had limited avenues to communicate with Members having to rely on Members to check the Club's postings on Facebook and the website. Postal services have become quite expensive with recent rate increases. Some postal agencies have deferred new stamp issues to cutdown non-essential mail which could hamper Covid-19 control measures! Preparing hardcopy communication materials for mailing is both time-consuming and labour intensive – printing, manual folding and insertion into envelopes and sending to post office.




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To encourage more Members to receive their communication materials from the Club via email, the Club will give a **Club mug free** (until stocks last) to each Member who converts to email communication.

All Members whose correspondence addresses are **not within Malaysia** must provide their email addresses as the Club will not send any communications materials via ordinary mail, unless the Members agree that the postal charges are charged to their accounts.

Please send us your email address to info@rsyc.com.my should you agree that you wish to have all future communications with the Club via email. It will be a greener and more efficient option that will help save cost, time, labour and paper consumption.

 <p>ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AGM 2020</p> <p>POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE !!!</p>	<p>New Members: We welcome the following new Members to the RSYC family!</p>																																				
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<p>ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2020: The Club's AGM 2020 scheduled for 18th April 2020 was postponed. The outbreak of the Covid-19 infection had led the Registrar of Societies to forbid all societies to hold AGMs until 30th June 2020. The Committee will keep its preparations for the AGM in abeyance until further information is available from the authorities. When the ROS sets a date to open up for societies to hold their meetings, a new date for the RSYC AGM 2020 will be set within a few weeks. Please check with the Office, at the Clubhouse's Notice Boards, on Facebook or the Club's website for any updates.</p>																																					