The Star: School receives COVID-19 care kits from foundation



Handover Ceremony of COVID-19 Care Kits at SMK Pitas II on 30 April 2022. From left: Mr. Bodin Gitui, Pn. Elsie Simon and Mr. Zuani Luluk.

KUALA LUMPUR: Yayasan Azman Hashim ("YAH") donated COVID-19 care kits worth RM20,000 to SMK Pitas II in Kota Marudu, Sabah.

The care kits consisted of face masks, COVID-19 self-test kits, pulse oximeters, infrared thermometers and blood pressure monitor.

Located 180km and approximately four hours' drive from Kota Kinabalu, SMK Pitas II is a boarding school with more than 800 students and 77 staff members.

There was an outbreak of COVID-19 earlier this year at the hostel where more than 299 students were infected.

SMK Pitas II principal Johori Botohong and senior assistant of student affairs Bodin Gitui expressed their heartfelt appreciation to YAH for the donation, which would help the school manage the spread of the disease.

YAH is a non-profit charitable organisation founded by philanthropist entrepreneur Tan Sri Azman Hashim in 1991.

Its ultimate goal is to give back to the society and alleviate human suffering with core activities that focus on improving education to transform lives.