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**AmBank Group hosts Charity Bowling tournament for the Disabled in conjunction with KAG Bowling Tournament 2013**

Inspired by Malaysia's standing as an international powerhouse in bowling, AmBank Group held its annual KAG Bowling tournament with a difference, a special tournament for disabled bowlers to compete.

Organised by Kelab AmBank Group (KAG) the sports club of AmBank Group, the tournament attracted 806 bowlers from AmBank Group offices all over Malaysia. The disabled category on the other hand, attracted 66 bowlers from four categories of disabilities – wheelchair, amputee, spastic and blind.

President of KAG, Syed Anuar Syed Ali, officiated the KAG Charity Bowling 2013 tournament in Sunway Pyramid. This is the second KAG Bowling tournament after the first one held at the same venue in January this year which received overwhelming response.

"We are happy to have our Special Bowlers to join us today for a game of bowling. This bowling tournament for the disabled is to allow them to enjoy the game of bowling and to see how they are able to compete with one another in a true sporting spirit.

Some of them are good bowlers and it is good for them to showcase their talents to the public and enjoy the game. It is also a good opportunity for the

KAG members to appreciate how these bowlers bowl in their own special way,” said Syed Anuar.

The two-day event saw a total of 396 male and 410 female participants with some participants coming from as far as Terengganu and Johor. The first edition of this year’s tournament held in January attracted 868 AmBank Group bowlers.

In 2008, the KAG Bowling tournament was officially certified as the “Largest Bowling Tournament” in the Malaysia Book of Records with a total participation of 656 AmBank Group bowlers.

Past recipients of the KAG Charity Projects include Yayasan LaSallian Kuching, Rumah Anak Yatim Ar-Raudhoh and Taman Didikan Kanak-kanak Kurang Upaya Sri Stella.

Other events organised by KAG this year included *Karnival Candat Sotong*, snooker tournament and baking and cooking classes among others.

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