

**High Commission of India**  
**Kuala Lumpur**

**Commemoration of Gandhi Memorial Park and Planting of 150  
Trees by Myskills Foundations on 26<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

As part of a year-long celebration of Mahatma Gandhi's 150<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary in Malaysia, MyskillsFoundations has organized an event of commemoration of Mahatama Gandhi Memorial Park and planting of 150treesinits campus at Kelumpang, a remote district of Hulu Selangor of Selangor Stateon 26 April 2019.

2. Myskills Foundationis a Malaysian non-governmental welfare association founded with the aim to provide an opportunity to the youth of under privilegedbackground in acquiring social, life management and vocational skills to ensure that they are integrated into the mainstream society.

3. Around 500 Malaysians from diverse background enthusiastically participated. Gandhi stickers were distributed to all the participants and Gandhi posters were placed in the prominent places of the premises.H.E. Mr. M.Kulasegaran, Human Resource Minister of Malaysia was invited as the Chief Guest. Sh. Nishit Kumar Ujjwal, Counsellor (Community Affairs, Labour & Edu) represented the High Commission of India, Kuala Lumpur in the event. Ms. Kamache Dorayrajoo, Member of State Assembly of Pahang State was also present in the event. The celebration started with playing of national anthem of both India and Malaysia. Mr. Pasupathi, Director of Myskills Foundation gave welcome address. In his address he expressed his gratitude to the High Commission for encouraging Mykills Foundation to

organize an important event of Commemoration of Gandhi Memorial Park and planting of 150 trees in its campus.





4. H.E. Mr. M. Kulasegaran, Human Resource Minister of Malaysia in his special address mentioned that commemorating 150<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi is highly laudable as it spreads the message of non-violence and peace which still maintains its relevance in today's world of extremism and non-tolerance. He also appreciated and congratulated Mr. Pashupathi, Director of Myskills Foundation for his endeavour to educate down-trodden children free of cost. He announced a grant of RM 1.5 Million to Myskill Foundation from Human Resources Development Programme (HRDP). Sh. Nishit Kumar Ujjwal delivered a keynote address.
5. Students of Myskills Foundation performed on Indian patriotic song.





6. H.E. Mr. Kulasegaran and Sh. Nishit Kumar Ujjwal, unveiled the statue of Mahatma Gandhi. Patriotic songs were played as background music while unveiling the Statue. The location was named as 'Mahatma Gandhi Memorial Park Malaysia' where 150 trees were planted in honour of Gandhiji. First sapling was jointly planted by the Minister and the Counsellor. The crowd cheered with joy seeing both dignitaries planting, manuring and watering the sapling.









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