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PREFACE

This book narrates budiman journey in Mahallah Kitchen. Budiman Mahallah Kitchen who are searching for *adab* (virtue), *budi* (kindness) and *sejahtera* (peace). By doing so, budiman and budiwati will have the capacity of *bijak berbudi* (wisdom in kindness), *berani* (brave) and *bijaksana* (full with wisdom). Budiman and budiwati with these attributes will manifest *budi bahasa* (rasa), *budi pekerti* (rupa), and *budi bicara* (roh).

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CHAPTER 1

PROJECT OBJECTIVES

Budiman Mahallah Kitchen has several objectives:

• Budiman to provide budi through free, *halal & toyyiban* food for the low income, poor and needy students,

• Budiman to be equipped with food industry capability through incubation facility for a short-term apprenticeship and employment and at the same time up-skilling and empowering of the interested students from the low income, poor and needy family to become entrepreneurs (3E) in food entrepreneurship.

This Budiman Mahallah Kitchen project is motivated, inspired, and guided by IIUM Roadmap 2021-2022. This is to nurture balanced human – staff and graduates, while creating values for institutional stability and societal wellbeing via experiential learning, responsible R&I, and community engagement. This is relevant to the neighbouring, local, national, regional, and global citizens. Figure 1.1 shows IIUM Roadmap 2021-2022.

Figure 1.1: IIUM Roadmap 2021-2022



The journey of mKitchen/Budiman Mahallah Kitchen, started in January 2021, is shown in Figure 1.2.

Figure 1.2: The journey of mKitchen & Budiman Mahallah Kitchen The Journey of mKITCHEN 2021



Budiman guides the humanizing education through vision and mission of IIUM. The humanizing education is guided by the Maqasid al-Shariah to protect and preserve faith, life, intellect, lineage, and wealth. Budiman protects five (5) Budi Maqasid al-Shariah, while aligning to the Sustainable Development Goals. Budi covers all SDG goals. Figure 1.3 depicts the humanizing education.



Figure 1.3: Humanizing education with Sustainable Development Goals

Source: Sejahtera Centre of Humanity and Sustainability IIUM. (2021). Roles of Universities. In UNGS1201 Sustainable Development.

Budiman follows IIUM Sejahtera Academic Framework (SAF) and the guiding principles of empowerment, flexibility, innovation and accountability. Sejahtera Academic Framework provides guidance and direction on how budiman are educated, trained and developed with the foundation of Tawhid (true submission to Allah) by preserving and protecting basic humanity in terms of faith, life, knowledge, wealth and lineage.

These maqasid (objectives) must be protected and preserved to assure that budiman are ready to be educated, trained and developed with the values of IIUM. The values of IIUM are explained by the vision and mission statements. The vision statement stated that "*IIUM is inspired* by the worldview of tawhid and Islamic philosophy of the unity of knowledge as well as its concept of holistic education, the university aims at becoming a leading international centre of excellence in education, research and innovation which seeks to restore the dynamic and progressive role of the ummah in all branches of knowledge for the betterment of human life and civilisation."

The mission statements of IIUM mentioned:

- To undertake the special and greatly needed task of reforming the contemporary Muslim mentality and integrating Islamic Revealed Knowledge and Human Sciences in a positive manner;
- 2) To produce better quality intellectuals, professionals and scholars by integrating the qualities of faith ('īmān), knowledge ('ilm), and good character (akhlaq) to serve as agents of comprehensive and balanced progress as well as sustainable development in Malaysia and in the Muslim world;

- 3) To promote the concept of Islamisation of human knowledge in teaching, research, consultancy, dissemination of knowledge and the development of academic excellence in the University;
- 4) To nurture the quality of holistic excellence which is imbued with Islamic moral-spiritual values, in the process of learning, teaching, research, consultancy, publication, administration and student life;
- 5) To exemplify an international community of dedicated intellectuals, scholars, professionals, officers and workers who are motivated by the Islamic worldview and code of ethics as an integral part of their work culture;
- 6) To enhance intercultural understanding and foster civilizational dialogues in Malaysia as well as across communities and nations;
- 7) To develop an environment that instils commitment for life-long learning and a deep sense of social responsibility among staff and students.

The vision and mission statements stated the value proposition of academic and non-academic programs that educated, trained and developed budiman at IIUM. The learning pillars of retaining basic human values and developing mind, soul and talents of human through learning to be (as human with budiman values), learning to become (budiman with capability and integrity), then budiman to learn to live together with other budiman and other creatures by acquiring skills and competencies through learning to know and learning to do (practicum).

Budiman that educated, trained and developed at IIUM are supported by *biah* (conditions and environment) through pedagogy, social, facilities, and support system. Figure 1.4 shows the Sejahtera Academic Framework and the Guiding Principles in educating budiman at IIUM.

Figure 1.4: Sejahtera Academic Framework (SAF) and Guiding Principles



Budiman are not static. Budiman are given with guiding principles to undergo the training and development programs. Budiman are given the discretion and empowerment to decide the learning, training and development activities, with flexibility and innovation. However, the empowerment, flexibity and innovation are implemented within accountability principle. Figure 1.4 shows the Four Guiding Principles for Sejahtera Academic Framework (SAF).

GUIDING PRINCIPLES



Source: Lihanna Borhan et al (eds). (2021). Sejahtera Academic Framework. IIUM

CHAPTER 2

BUDIMAN MAHALLAH KITCHEN

Budiman refers to individuals who are searching for *adab* (virtue), *budi* (kindness) and *sejahtera* (peace) so that budiman and budiwati will have the capacity of *bijak berbudi* (wisdom in kindness), *berani* (brave) and *bijaksana* (full with wisdom). Budiman and budiwati with these attributes will manifest *budi bahasa* (rasa), *budi pekerti* (rupa), and *budi bicara* (roh).

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Figure 2.1: Formula A-D-A-B



Source: Dzulkifli Abdul Razak. (2021). Sejahtera Leadership. https://youtu.be/kY7YnX9K4aA

The word budi is originated from Sanskirt "buddhi" which means wisdom, understanding or intellect. Lim Kim-Hui postulated budi as the Malay mind into Budi Bicara, Budi Daya, Budi Bahasa, Budi Hati, and Budi Akal.

Budi Akal is the foundation of intellectualism of budiman. Budiman has to contemplate and think by observing the surrounding, events, trends and activities. Before making any discourse, budiman use Budi Bicara, a combination of intellectualism with culture, emotional, and social intelligence. Then budiman gain Budi Daya to power up enthusiasm, excitement and passion. In working with and through fellow budiman, budiman use Budi Bahasa and Budi Pekerti to fulfil promises, to be punctual, to be careful in communication, to be prudent, to be truthful and to be honest in conversation, dialogs and discourse. More importantly, budiman know Budi Hati, deeply about the thinking, feeling and reaction of fellow budiman.

Figure 2.2 depicts Budi as the Mind.



Figure 2.2 Budi as the Mind

Source: Lim Kim-Hui. Budi as the Malay mind.

BUDI

Budi is actually the mind, soul and action of a reasonable human (Lim Kim Hui, 2003; Husin, 2010). The essence of budi bicara is to apply akal (intellect), dakar (staunch), amanah (trust) and bestari (intelligent) (ADAB) framework (Dzulkifli Abdul Razak, 2021). The operative tools are shura (mutual consensus) and gotong royong (communal work).

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CHAPTER 3

BUDI BICARA

Budiman always in conversation, dialog and discourse. A weekly discussion is a permanent conversation to make sense of budiman journey.

Oct 1, 2021

Dr Ghazali said to Dr Dzuljastri:

"Dr Dzul on the menu, I think for the start, we give a try to the suggested menu to be fair to them. If you ask me, I would come out with different menus. We can brand our business as "mKitchen Western & Thai Street Food."

The conversation stopped, and Dr Dzuljastri suggested for a meeting on Oct 2, 2021.

mKitchen Student had a discussion with Cafe Operator on Saturday,October2,2021.

mKitchen Student discussion with Cafe Operator.

Saturday, October $2 \cdot 10:00 - 11:00am$



Those who attended in the conversation has agreed that

- 1. Mkitchen students will use Mahalla Aminah kitchen
- 2. Mkitchen Student Leader Br Najmi will discuss with his team on the planning and menu to cook
- 3. Mkitchen students will also out up promotion to sell this menu
- 4. Mkitchen students will fix date and time to use the kitchen
- 5. By 15/10/21 Dry run @ Mahalla Aminah

The conversation has been extended on Oct 3, 2021: Dr Dzuljastri reminded members of mkitchen:

About mKitchen funding situation. Funding position for mKitchen Total accumulated fund is RM 2,494.75 Total funding for Research Assistant: RM 250

Typhoid jab: RM 150

The funding for Research Assistant is self-funding, collection from mKitchen committee members. Dr. Dzuljastri as self-appointed treasurer has volunteered to collect the funding for research assistant.

Month	Balance (RM)	Collected (RM)	Total (RM)	Paid	RM
September	150	900	1050	RA	800
October	250	750	1000	RA	800
Nov	200	850	1050	RA	800

Additional funding is required for other expenses.

Dr Dzuljastri reminded: "As we have decided, students take typhoid jab & we need to raise immediate funds. Assuming that a jab is RM 80 per jab, then for 10 students, the committee need to contribute a total of RM 800. As of now, the amount in the account is only RM150. Need additional contribution of RM650."

Budi Bicara between Dr Ghazali and Dr Dzuljastri have significant impact to the sustainability of the program.

In Budi Bicara communication should be courteous, clear, friendly and approachable.

CHAPTER 4

BUDI DAYA

Budiman gain Budi Daya to power up enthusiasm, excitement and passion. In working with and through fellow budiman.

Weekly Meeting

mKitchen Weekly Meeting Monday, October 4 · 1:00 – 2:00pm



The practice of Budi Daya values are belief in Allah, obedience to Allah, adherence to rule of law, sincerity, love, affection, just, helpful, caring, tolerant, considerate, generous, frank, and gentle. As mentioned in verse 195 of Surah al-Baqarah: "... and do good (ahsin): indeed, Allah loves the doers of good."

Almarhum Bapak Abdul Malik Karim Amrullah (Buya Hamka) used to say:

"Jangan takut gagal karena orang yang tidak pernah gagal hanyalah orang yang tidak pernah melangkah."



Students' Presentations

- Dr Ghazali suggested to mKitchen to try those currently proposed menus by students since there are still demands for them. Later, they can improve the menus
- For chicken chop, Dr Noor Azizah said the mahallah does not frequently sell chicken chops. Thus, mKitchen students can sell it at the café
- Haji ARAD stated that students need to be creative to prepare a nice packaging to get interest from the staff to buy
- mKitchen needs to find suitability to see whether the students' menus are suitable with the kitchen size, appliances and facilities
- Dr Dzuljastri suggested to wait on this 8th October for the students' final presentations before Dry Run to answer questions

Possibility of Second Dry Run on 15th October 2021

• Since there will be no water in KL for few days in future, the Dry Run perhaps cannot be done on 15th October and can be done earlier maybe on 12th October

Capital Funding

• mKitchen will give around RM500 first to them as seed capital and students must roll the money for the next days

Others

- The request from SKP project to prepare food with the pricing cost of RM3.50/ food pax can be fulfilled by mKitchen, but with less sophisticated chicken size. However, since it is free food, thus it is acceptable. The number of paxes are 100
- mKitchen will need more volunteers other than those 6 students from mKitchen

Weekly Meeting

mKitchen Weekly Meeting

11 Oct 2021

Typhoid jabs for 6 students

- Dr Ghazali mentioned that the cheapest is RM65-RM80 per jab. Hence the maximum of the total costs is RM480
- Prof Rahmah suggested to ask IIUM clinic to help to find any offers or discounts of the jabs from any other familiar parties
- The money to pay for the jabs will use from mKitchen's money in

IIUM SHAS account

• The jabs must be done in this week

Free mee *celup* order for our students on 19/10/21

- Dr Dzuljastri said that there is order from Dr Intan for mee *celup* amounted to 100 pax
- The selling price is RM4.50 per pax as being presented by students before. But, Dr Ghazali will ask students to decide by themselves together with the profit arrangement
- During the soft launch Dr Ghazali suggested to give all out and increase the menu numbers
- There should be next meeting with students to discuss properly on profit sharing on 13th October (Friday)

Other matter

• The Inspection by OSH (Occupational Safety, Health and Built Environment Department) is scheduled on 13th October (Wednesday) at 4pm at Wadi Budi. All the team from RSD will also join together with mKitchen students.

Budi Daya is indeed a struggle. Almarhum Bapak Abdul Malik Karim Amrullah (Buya Hamka) used to say: "*Hujung akal itu fikir, pangkal agama itu zikir*."

"Be impatient. It will create the progress the world needs" – Sundar Pichai, CEO Google & Alphabet Inc.

CHAPTER 5

BUDI BAHASA

In working with and through fellow budiman, budiman use Budi Bahasa and Budi Pekerti to fulfil promises, to be punctual, to be careful in communication, to be prudent, to be truthful and to be honest in conversation, dialogs and discourse.

14 Oct 2021

Menus during The Launch on 19/10/2021

- Mee *celup*: the cost is RM2.60. By adding cutleries and plastic containers, the cost is around RM3.00/bowl.
- Selling price for mee *celup* is RM5.00/bowl for 100 amount
- The other menu for Dr Intan's oder is either nasi putih with *ayam goreng berempah* and *kuah dalca* or *ayam kurma*. However, the need to inform Brother Najmi first.

Status of Kitchen at Wadi Budi

- Kitchen at Wadi Budi cannot be used during the launch on 19/10/2021. Hence, the venue during the day is at Mahallah Aminah
- Students need to plan to meet Dr Noor Azizah at Mahallah Aminah's kafe. But, students need to arrange the suitable time first immediately.
- Students must make sure availability of kitchen appliances for 100 pax mee *celup* like *periuk besar*, fridge, etc.
- There is a potential that the cafe is not open on 19th due to holiday.

Thus, need to have alternative kitchen at Dr Ghazali's house. The committees also decided to do packaging at Wadi Budi. The Rector will also be there for the launch.

Other matters

• Students need to attend the launch on 19/10/2021 to make the ceremony merrier

Meeting with cafe operator, Puan Siti Hadijah today at 3pm 16 Oct 2021





mKitchen Meeting before Soft Launch Monday, October $18 \cdot 9:00 - 10:00$ pm

Tuesday, 19/10/21

Tentative Soft Launch students m Kitchen project @ Mahallah Aminah

- 11.50 am Arrival of students & guests
- 12.00nn Arrival of TS Rector & Puan Sri Masrah Abidin
- 12.05 pm- MC welcomes to the ceremony
- 12.10 pm Recitation of Doa
- 12.15 pm Rector's speech and launch
- 12.25 pm Rector puts on culinary hat to 1st batch of students
- 12.30 pm Dean KENMS hand over mKitchen book to Rector
- 12.35 pm Selawat Rasul Prof Suhaimi to lead followed by students& guests
- 12.40 pm Rector gives away free foods to 30 students &

reprentatives from Mahallas

12.45 pm - Lunch

1.00 pm - Disperse

Almarhum Bapak Abdul Malik Karim Amrullah (Buya Hamka) used to say:

"Orang berakal hidup untuk masyarakatnya, bukan buat dirinya sendiri."

"Sesungguhnya kita ini memang akan dipertemukan dengan apa-apa yang kita cari."

CHAPTER 6

BUDI HATI

More importantly, budiman know Budi Hati, deeply about the thinking, feeling and reaction of fellow budiman.



On 19 Oct 2021

Operations



Breakfast

Mee Celup Prep



Rice Team



Cooking Time





Soft Launching 19 Oct 2021 At the launching site





Dean KENMS (Prof Gairuzazmi), Prof Suhaimi (Project Member) and Haji Abdul Rahman (Project Leader)





Prof Dzuljastri, Dr Noor Azizah (Principal Mahallah Aminah), Prof Gairuzazmi (Dean KENMS)



Holding room for Prof Ahmad FarisProf ZulkifliHassan (Deputy(Deputy Rector – Academics & Rector - Student DevelopmentInternationalization)& Community Engagement)





Dr Harmi - Director of OCAP



Launching Hall









Student Chefs (in full PPE)

Budi Hati of mKitchen can be related to a popular advise from Almarhum Bapak Abdul Malik Karim Amrullah (Buya Hamka):

"Jangan takut jatuh, kerena yang tidak pernah memanjatlah yang tidak pernah jatuh. Yang takut gagal, kerana yang tidak pernah gagal hanyalah orang yang tidak pernah melangkah. Yang takut salah, kerana dengan kesalahan yang pertama, kita dapat menambah pengetahuan untuk mencari jalan yang benar pada langkah yang kedua."

CHAPTER 7

BUDI RUPA

Launching Speech

Honourable Deputy Rector Prof Dr Ahmad Faris Ismail praised the efforts of mKitchen in translating philosophy and theory into actions and tangible outcomes for the real people and real community of asnaf.



Mkitchen Team Advisors performed salawat and distributing food to asnaf.



Mkitchen Team distributing food to asnaf.
Prof Dr Ahmad Faris Ismail (Deputy Rector, Academics and Internationalization, IIUM) congratulated the Mkitchen team comprised of academicians, administrative staff, students, Mahallah Administration, and café operator worked in a team work to materialise the inaugural sejahtera project in providing food for needy and empower asnaf students to be foodpreneurs.

Mini convocation of Student Chefs







A big smile from Budiman mKitchen after mini convocation.





Graduated 6 Student Chefs who are ready to run in full operations for Student mKitchen to be stationed at Mahallah Kitchen in collaboration with Sri Mutiara Teguh Enterprise (vendor of café for Mahallah Aminah IIUM).



Student Chefs with mKitchen Advisory Team





With Dr Noor Azizah (Principal Mahallah Aminah) and Puan Siti Khadijah (vendor of Mahallah Aminah café, Sri Mutiara Teguh Enterprise)



With Dr Intan (sponsor of the event)

Budi Rupa of mKitchen can be related to a popular advise from Almarhum Bapak Abdul Malik Karim Amrullah (Buya Hamka) :

"Tugas kita bukanlah untuk berhasil. Tugas kita adalah untuk mencoba, karena di dalam mencoba itulah kita menemukan dan belajar membangun kesempatan untuk berhasil."

CHAPTER 8

BUDI AKAL

Launching of Mkitchen Publications



A Journey of *Ta'awun* (Cooperative Behaviour) in Edu-Action at IIUM Mkitchen[®] and Masjid al-Syakirin Gombak (MASG)

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This book narrates the journey of ta'awun (cooperative behaviour) at IIUM Mkitchen® project with Masjid Al-Syakirin Gombak (MASG). The main objective of the project is transform the mosque as a platform to provide free food, to up skill in foodpreneurship, to create new employment opportunities, to give empowerment and to nurture entrepreneurship (3Es) for poor and needy people in the surrounding area of it. Ta'awun refers to cooperative behaviour among the participants, the sponsors, and the beneficiaries in initiating, planning, sponsoring, executing and evaluating the Mkitchen® project at Masjid Al-Syakirin Gombak (MASG). The journey officially started on 24th January 2021 through its first meeting among the interested as well as committed members. After executing two events, the project was continued with a full scale project for a month. The project has secured its proof of concept (POC). Nevertheless, the project has been continued with a small scale due to the movement restriction by the authority to prevent the spread of coronavirus disease (COVID-19).



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MARI DAPATKAN BUKU INI. Buku ini membentangkan naratif dan pengalaman rintis projek usaha sama dengan masyarakat melalui kerjasama pintar atau to'awun melalui projek mKitchen[®] UIAM. Rakan strategik projek ialah Masjid Al-Syakirin Gombak (MASG).

Projek ini dilaksanakan kerana pihak mKitchen berasa bertanggungjawab dalam menyahut hasrat kerajaan dan badan Kesatuan Dunia (United Nations) dalam mengikuti misi Agenda Pembangunan Mampan (Sustainable Development Goals) dan gagasan "Keluarga Malaysia" untuk para masyarakat sivil bangkit membantu golongan miskin dan tidak berupaya dalam menghapuskan kemiskinan dalam ummah, apatah lagi tatkala krisis wabak Covid-19 sedang hebat melanda negara ketika kini.

Projek ini akan menjual makanan kepada orang awam untuk mengumpulkan dana ke tabung infaq projek, merekrut golongan asnaf sebagai pekerja dalam aktiviti berkaitan memasak dalam projek tersebut sebagai peluang pekerjaan untuk mereka dan akhir sekali melatih para asnaf sebagai usahawan makanan di masa depan agar mereka mampu keluar daripada kekal menjadi golongan penerima bantuan kepada pemberi bantuan, selari dengan hasrat mana-mana badan zakat negeri laitu 'daripada penerima zakat kepada pemberi zakat'.

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MKITCHEN®: RAKAN TRANSFORMASI ASNAF. DARI PENERIMA ZAKAT KEPADA PEMBAYAR ZAKAT DAN PEMGGERAK KELUARGA MALAYSIA

This book narrates the inaugural edu-action journey with cooperative behaviour (ta'awun) in free food for the needy people at IIUM mKitchen® with Sri Mutiara Teguh Enterprise (cafeteria vendor at Mahallah Aminah IIUM Gombak). The main objective of the project is to transform Mahallah kitchen as a platform to provide free food, to up skill in food-preneurship, to create new employment opportunities, to give empowerment and to nurture entrepreneurship (3Es) among students. Ta'awun refers to cooperative behaviour among the participants, the sponsors, and the beneficiaries in initiating, planning, sponsoring, executing and evaluating the mKitchen® project at Sri Mutiara Teguh Enterprise, Mahallah Aminah. The journey officially started on 1 July 2021 with various student development entities at IIUM. After providing a 4-day online training on business model and plan, financial modelling, and digital marketing, the steering committee has decided to provide the real experience to the students. In conjunction with Malaysia Day on 16 September 2021, the students proposed for cooking and distributing free food to the needy as part of the first proof-of-concept for mKitchen students with the "Keluarga Malaysia" spirit. Nevertheless, the project has to adhere to movement restriction by the authority to prevent the spread of coronavirus disease (COVID-19). The second proof-of-concept is cooking food based on mKitchen students' business plan.

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IIUM News coverage









Source: IIUMTV NEWS 19 OCTOBER 2021

https://youtu.be/2bGezq7aSco

Testimony from staff of IIUM about Student Mkitchen:

From Prof Aslam Kenms, 1st batch Econs IIUM. "Tahniah Dr Dzul and the M-Kitchen effort. This is a noble effort and I think the previous soup kitchen effort that has been going on for 3-4 years from KIRKHS and later our effort to provide food to needy students are now complemented by this effort.

Almarhum Prof Emeritus Dato' Dr AHAS had a very unique way of interpreting the case of Abu Bakr and the early sahabah who were willing to sacrifice their wealth. Yes, iman was strong. However, being a political/social scientist, he also wanted to say that there was a high degree of trust and confidence in the well-being 'system' whether from voluntary giving or later when the State came in. He was keen to stress that Muslim society translated the teachings of tawhid and brotherhood to a relatively good social safety net system...... Meeting with En Razif Mamat from IIUM Endowment Fund (IEF) Wednesday, October $20 \cdot 4:00 - 5:00$ pm

Exploring zakat/endowment to fund student mKitchen.



22/10 - En. Razif of IEF had a session with student chefs about the funding





24 Oct 2021- Summary

1. Mock order from 24/10 to 27/10. This is to test the ordering system (kita blh cuba order)

2. Students to prepare packing materials

3. Live ordering begins from 28/10 for delivery on 2/11

4. Testing to cook (a) Chicken Chop (quantity?) & (b) Beef Bulgogi (quantity?) either on Thursday (28/10) and/or Saturday (30/10) at Mahallah Aminah. Cooking starts at 4pm?

5. Student team (at least those who have been assigned to do cooking), please get to know the kitchen facilities of Mahallah Aminah e.g. chiller & storage for our menu ingredients. Is it sufficient, etc.

Banking account for online payment.

Dr Dzuljastri proposed to create a new joined account instead using his account

Student Project Operating Account (Template)

		<u>Students r</u>	nKitchen Financial Op Full Name: N Matric Num Name of Shop: r Contact Num	lajmi Iber: mKitchen	ecordin	g		
No. [Date	Item	Debit (money out)	Credit (money in)		Balance	Remarks	
	OCTOBER		, ,					
1	18/10/2021	Receive money from mKitchen	RM -	RM	250.00	250.00	From Dr Dzuljastri	Note: Insert 0 if no money involve
2	19/10/2021	Buying chicken	RM 50.00	RM	-	-50.00	-	
		Buying rice	RM 50.00	RM	-	-50.00		
		Buying containers and cutleries	RM 10.00	RM	-	-10.00		
		Buying other food raw materials	RM 100.00	RM	-	-100.00	All receipts are with B	rother Najmi
		Transportation Cost	RM 10.00	RM	-	-10.00		
				BALANCE (OCTOBER BALANCE (TOTAL))	30.00 30.00		
1	NOVEMBER							
				BALANCE (NOVEMB	ER)	0.00		
				BALANCE (TOTAL)		30.00		
	DECEMBER							
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Sales Account

Name of Shop: mkűtchen Contact Number:												
		Day	Time	Name of Customer and Contact No.	Amount of sales (RM)	Amount of Sales (Quantity)	Method of Payment	Menu Code	Remarks	Status		
1	OCTOBER 22/10/2021	Friday	10.00am	Dr Ahmad (010-00000)	RM 100.0	0 25	Online payment			Have delivered		
				TOTAL (OCTOBER)	RM 100.0	0 25						
	NOVEMBER											

Proto type



Briefing on methods of payment and order by Dr Nurhafizah

- 1. Account number is not safe to be shared openly. Just give to those who confirms want to buy
- 2. **Steps of online ordering:** Firstly, students need to set up WhatsApp Business account. Secondly, create WhatsApp group with those who prepare the order and delivery team. Thirdly, give number to each received order to easily track it. Finally, Hajar needs to transfer the data into MS-Excel. Students can add Dr Nurhafizah to monitor the order
- 3. Students need to do dummy order first (fake order) to try
- 4. It is proposed that there will be 3 WhatsApp groups for each 3 different delivery days (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday) for orders tracking
- 5. The preparation of the food materials must be done a day before the day of the cooking date
- Ahmad Najmi requested to start officially on Tuesday next week (2/11/2021). The menu will be in viral on 28/10/2021
- The trial order will be made on this Thursday or Saturday by mKitchen committees only as preparation before the real order on Tuesday (2/11/2021)

Dr Nurhafizah will explore further WhatsApp business and Telegrams. Sister Siti Hajar plus any other students (need one more) and Brother Wan Omar will learn the next briefings by Dr Nurhafizah.



Kongsi pada WhatsApp

WhatsApp Messenger: Lebih daripada 2 bilion orang di lebih daripada 180 buah negara menggunakan WhatsApp untuk terus berhubung dengan www.wasap.my

Special Project to Empower Asnaf Students' Businesses 🔲

Open order special dari DAPUR *masjid* Kitchen (**mKitchen**) Tarikh: SELASA 24 Oktober 2021

Chicken Chop Meletops (RM8.50)

- 🔍 Beef Bulgogi Fries (RM7.50)
- Mee Chelup Slurrp (RM5.00)
- 🔘 Kerabu Maggi Nanges (RM4.50)
- 🔘 Regular Fries (RM3.50)

🔯 Penghantaran bermula jam 12.30 tengah hari ke atas..

Pembayaran online:

S122 0481 1819 MAYBANK DZULJASTRI ABDUL RAZAK

(sila hantar bukti resit ke nombor ini kembali selepas pembayaran dilakukan)

http://www.wasap.my/+60182182310 - Hajar

Jom beli sambil menyumbang Fb page : masjid Kitchen (mKitchen)

18:27

25 October 2021

Summary of meeting

We agreed to purchase Ordella Apps (RM30/mth)
To get details procedures & manual on Ordella

(To know recording for customers' transactions & Sales for our recording in Google (Br Wan to assist in setting up the system)

3. Br Zakir will take photo of purchase & expenses for recording in MS-Excel

4. Br Najmi will overall manage Ordella system

Second briefing on methods of order and payment by Dr Nurhafizah using Orderla

- Haji ARAD requested Dr Nurhafizah to discuss with Dr Normaziah about Orderla website and also perhaps contact brother Hakimi as he is the previous intern from Orderla to get cheaper packages. Otherwise, the package available is RM30 to be spent
- Once the discussion is finished, then mKitchen will test the ordering system in Orderla on 27/10/2021
- On 28/10/2021, the menus will be promoted to gain orders by customers to be delivered on 2/11/2021
- Brother Ahmad Najmi will act as the manager and assign the tasks among students in mKitchen. For the task related to Orderla,

Brother Ahmad Najmi, Zakir Sohaimy and Sis Hajar will be in charge.

- Brother Najmi is needed to buy boots and other needed tools for cooking. Then, the transactions must be recorded in the account
- Sister Hajar requested to only be the assistant for the financial recording while Brother Zakir will be the leader. Hence, Brother Zakir will need to take photo of receipts, upload it in Google Drive and key in the transactions in Google Sheet

Financial recording for sales and operating expenses

• It is agreed by the meeting to have Google Sheet to replace Microsoft Excel so that Dr Dzuljastri (also with others) can oversee it through online. Also, there will be new Google Drive folder to upload all receipts there. Brother Wan will send the link of the Google Sheet to Dr Dzuljastri

Mkitchen has been reminded to keep the Budi Akal intact regardless of the challenges. As Almarhum Buya Hamka said:

Jangan takut jatuh, kerena yang tidak pernah memanjatlah yang tidak pernah jatuh. Yang takut gagal, kerana yang tidak pernah gagal hanyalah orang yang tidak pernah melangkah. Yang takut salah, kerana dengan kesalahan yang pertama, kita dapat menambah pengetahuan untuk mencari jalan yang benar pada langkah yang kedua. Mkitchen has been reminded to keep the Budi Akal intact through learning, understand and practice the business strategy of Abdulrahman bin Auf (Radhiyallahu Anhu) that was built on three main principles:

1. Using Cash

Cash is the most important principle in Abdulrahman bin Auf's (Radhiyallahu Anhu) business strategy. He constantly paid cash for products and sold them for cash. (There are no credit deals)

2. Never stock anything or wait for a greater profit

The second principle of Abdulrahman bin Auf's (Radhiyallahu Anhu) business strategy is that he attempted to avoid storing products and sold them even if he was only paid a penny in profit. It had a high degree of money flow, therefore the focus was on expanding profits to increase earnings.

3. He was always truthful in his dealings.

The third principle of Abdulrahman bin Auf's (Radhiyallahu Anhu) business strategy is that he never hides any flaws in his products. He told his customer if his goods were not up to par or if there was even a minor flaw in it.

Source: <u>https://islamtheultimatepeace.com/3-main-business-strategies-of-abdur-rahman-ibn-awf-ra/</u>

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This book narrates budiman journey in Mahallah Kitchen. Budiman Mahallah Kitchen who are searching for adab (virtue), budi (kindness) and sejahtera (peace). By doing so, budiman and budiwati will have the capacity of bijak berbudi (wisdom in kindness), berani (brave) and bijaksana (full with wisdom). Budiman and budiwati with these attributes will manifest budi bahasa (rasa), budi pekerti (rupa), and budi bicara (roh).

Thus, budiman and budiwati will have sejahtera niat (peaceful intentions), sejahtera keputusan (peaceful decisions), and sejahtera tindakan (peaceful actions). Budiman and budiwati will be continuously making contribution of sejahtera to self and others.

The foundation of adab (virtue) is based on formula A-D-A-B. A is amanah (trustworthy), dakar (staunch), akhlak (ethics), and bestari (intelligent).

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