

# Making a difference



Keppel Volunteers were out in force to make a positive impact on communities in the first quarter of the year.

## CAREER CAPERS

In collaboration with Children's Wishing Well, 28 volunteers from Keppel Infrastructure hosted 14 students from underprivileged families to an educational tour of the Keppel Seghers Ulu Pandan NEWater and Keppel Seghers Tuas Waste-to-Energy Plants on 23 March 2017.

The students learned how NEWater is produced as well as how municipal solid waste is converted into energy through incineration.

The plants' engineering and safety officers also shared their work experiences with the students, introducing them to potential career options. After the site tours, the students participated in

more light-hearted activities, such as trying on the workers' Personal Protection Equipment and building structures out of recycled materials.

## LEARNING AND BONDING

On 16 March 2017, 39 volunteers from Keppel Shipyard brought 38 children from Care Corner on a trip to the Science Centre Singapore.

The children were visibly enthralled by the various exhibits and eagerly completed their activity worksheets with the help of the volunteers.

Toh Ting Shu, Assistant Commercial Manager, Keppel Shipyard, remarked, "Seeing how fascinated the children were with the displays evoked childhood memories, making this experience an especially meaningful and nostalgic one."

## FESTIVE CHEER

On 10 February 2017, 10 volunteers from Keppel Telecommunications & Transportation organised a Chinese New Year celebration for the children of Care Corner.

It was an afternoon of fun and games for the children, who were treated to a magic show and received goodie bags filled with treats.

Jeanicca Chow, Assistant Shipping Manager at Keppel Logistics, shared, "It gave me great joy to see the children excitedly tossing the *yu sheng* and participating in the various activities."

## GIFT OF LIFE

In conjunction with Valentine's Day, Keppel Volunteers partnered with the Philippine Red Cross to organise a blood donation drive at Keppel

Subic Shipyard and Keppel Batangas Shipyard.

The blood donation drive received overwhelming support from workers at the yards, with a total of 170 bags of blood being donated.

Mr Leong Kok Weng, President of Keppel Philippines Marine, shared, "Since its official launch in June 2016, Keppel Volunteers in the Philippines has been actively supporting community programmes to pave the way forward for the community."

In January 2017, Keppel Subic Shipyard was awarded a Certificate of Appreciation from the Philippine Red Cross' National Office in recognition of its promotion of blood donation in the country. [keppelite](#)



Keppel Volunteers brought festive cheer to the children of Care Corner



Workers from Keppel Subic Shipyard and Keppel Batangas Shipyard participated in a blood donation drive organised by Keppel Volunteers and the Philippine Red Cross