

Join Supervision Programme

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Syawal is coming! (Mohd Danial Muhd Ali, March – August, 2015)

Minna-san, Konnichiwa and Assalamualaikum w.b.t,

Ramadhan month has nearly ended soon. This *Ramadhan* was one of my unforgettable moments in life as lots of lesson learnt during this period. One of them was the good acts and noble deeds you have done will be repaid back for double by God (*Allah*) in Moslem's belief. *Ifthar Jamaie* (break-fasting together) was conducted by Islam-communities (Pakistani, Indonesian, Malaysian, Arab, and Bangladeshi) in Tsukuba Mosque for every weekend during *Ramadhan* month to share their significance country's dishes with others. It was very exciting to have a good conversation with other Moslems here.

Additionally, *Syawal* is expected to be celebrated on 17th of July by Moslems in Japan. Even though *Syawal* month is significance month of joy and freedom, we (Moslem people) should keep the consistency to worship for God (*Allah*) every time and everywhere. That is the important reminder for me and all Moslem. I can't wait to gather with Malaysian community for this coming *Aidilfitri*.

Last Friday, a farewell party was organized by Utsumi *sensei* and his fellow laboratory members for Ayesyah-san, Yus Amira-san and Tasbiyah-san because they will leave Japan soon and continue their research study back in MJIT (UTM Kuala Lumpur). I was invited for the party and they have shared stories and experiences while living in Tsukuba with other students. Japanese students had prepared the foods for us such as *sashimi*, *makizushi*, *tako*, Japanese dumpling and many more.



Photo 1: One of the *Ifthar Jamaie* conducted by Arab communities.



Photo 2: Some of our dishes during farewell party