

# Happy moments

## Sunshine in their lives

Charity club brings early Deepavali joy to the underprivileged

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**H**APPINESS and joy glowed on the faces of the 36 children from the Sunshine Cottage Welfare Society in Kulim when they were visited by members of Ivorycares Charity Club there recently.

The children, some of whom were disabled and orphaned and hailed from deprived families, were feted with noodles and local delicacies and treated to lots of fun and games, which included trying out colourful tattoo stamping.

After the partying and eating was over, the children gathered to bid farewell to their benevolent guests.

The children were each presented with an angpow packet and goodie bag filled with sweets and food-stuff.

The elderly folk also received their angpow packets and bags of rice, milo, oats, Nestum, biscuits, noodles and milk amounting to RM2,500 and recycled clothes.

This was the first time that Ivorycares Charity Club, a charity arm of Ivory Properties Group, decided to bring an early Deepavali cheer to the children aged from five to 18 and the old folk who sought shelter at the two homes run by Sunshine Cottage.

Sunshine Cottage president Marian Benedicta George said well-wishers who wanted to bring festive cheer to these children and the old folk could contact her at 04-4931033.



**Wild with happiness:** The children rejoicing after receiving their angpows and goodie bags.



**We care:** Club members and the children taking a group photo.