

Lantern procession to celebrate Mooncake Fest

A 1.5km lantern procession, complete with a Chingay performance, will be held at Penang Times Square at the end of this month to celebrate the Mooncake Festival.

Komtar assemblyman Ng Wei Aik said more than 1,000 people were expected to participate in the event scheduled on Sept 25.

The event will be held from 4pm to 11pm.

Other highlights are a colouring and drawing contest for children aged between four and six (Group A), seven and nine (Group B) and 10 and 12 years (Group C).

There will also be a lantern-making competition for primary school students and secondary school students with another open category for all.

Participants are required to use only recycled items to make the

lanterns.

There will also be a children's karaoke contest open to participants aged between seven and nine (Group A) and 10 and 12 (Group B).

The registration fee is RM5 for the colouring contest and RM10 for the other competitions.

Registration forms are available at Ng's service centre at 31 Lorong Seratus Tahun (04-2270215), Pengkalan Kota assemblyman Lau Keng Ee's service centre at 8-1-27 Kompleks Pulau Mutiara, Gat Lebu Mutiara (04-2501521) and Padang Kota assemblyman Chow Kon Yeow's service centre at 115-G-7, Kompleks Jalan Kedah, Jalan Kedah (04-2260218).

Closing date for registration is Sept 22. For details, call Chee Chong Chew at 012-4317015.



Kids' delight: Filepic of children celebrating the festival in Juru, Penang.