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Looking back at fond memories

EARLY last month, *StarMetro* together with its partner, Federal Hotel, launched the 1957 album project where members of the public are encouraged to send in photographs they had taken during that historic year.

Since then, we have received a variety of photographs from treasured class pictures to sports tourneys and birthday celebrations.

Here are some of the pictures, which we randomly picked up from the entries received through email.

The contest ends on Aug 24 where five of the most interesting photos and captions will be selected to win prizes.

Each of the winners will get a night's

stay at the Merdeka Heritage room in Federal Hotel, a copy of *Favourite Dishes of Tunku Cookbook*, dinner for two featuring a selection of Tunku Abdul Rahman's favourite dishes from the cookbook at the Bintang Revolving Restaurant, and a shopping voucher worth RM500 at Plaza Low Yat Technological Lifestyle Shopping Mall.

Members of the public can send their photos taken in 1957 to starmerdeka@gmail.com with captions describing the photos.

The album can be viewed at the Federal Hotel lobby as well as <http://www.flickr.com/photos/the1957album>.

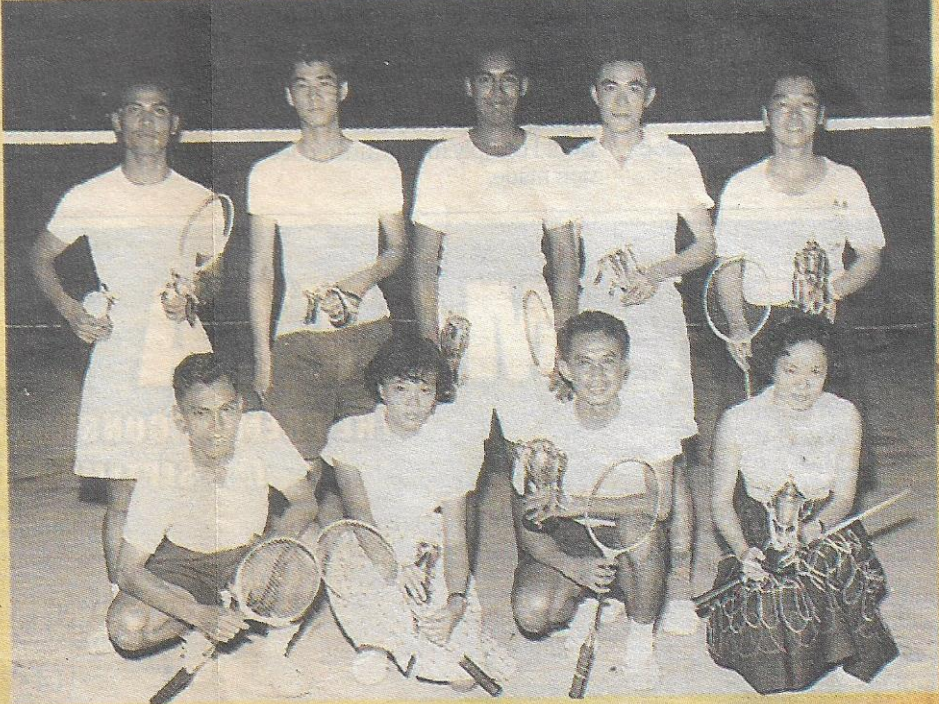




Goodbye: A farewell for temporary teachers at Convent HIJ Johor Baru. Submitted by Lily Yahya, seated at left.



Good news: Tuan Haji Ahmad Othman, also known as Pak Mat Group, was reading the declaration of independence in a small town of Yan, Kedah. Submitted by granddaughter Raihan Ghazi.



Out in force: Zuhaimi Abd Rahman submitted this picture of his mother Saeram Malim Panjang (standing, second from left) who was a member of the Auxiliary Police at the Sungai Purun estate in Semenyih.

Sports time: Phyllis Tan (front, second from left) took part in her first badminton tourney, the Raub District Closed at the Government Club in Pahang in 1957.