

## The 14<sup>th</sup> Malaysian Independent Chinese Secondary School(MICSS) Science Camp

The 14<sup>th</sup> Malaysian Independent Chinese Secondary School Science Camp was hosted by Kluang Chong Hwa High School from June 8 to 12, 2018. The MICSS Science Camp is an annual event initiated by our Late Prof SP Chia since the year 2005 in conjunction with the World Year of Physics. The Institut Fizik Malaysia continues with the support by sending a representative, Mr. Chia Song Choy to attend the Camp.

The main objectives of the Science Camp are to promote the application of scientific theory and hands-on experimental skills, to promote creativity and critical thinking attitude while acquiring science knowledge, to enhance the learning and enjoyment of science through recreational and meaningful activities and to open new alleys of effective communication and engagement between teachers and students.

There are 270 students and 50 teachers from 39 schools in Malaysia and one school each from Taiwan and Indonesia took part in this year Science Camp.

The opening ceremony was officiated by the Chairman of Dong Zong Datuk Liew Li Min. Mr. Chia Song Choy also presented a talk on Physics Education and served as the judge for various



competitions in the Science Camp.

Next year, the 15<sup>th</sup> MICSS Science Camp will be hosted by Chong Hwa Independent High School, Kuala Lumpur in conjunction with their 100<sup>th</sup> School Anniversary.