



**COLOURFUL DISHES:** Khairuddin (right) and wife Datin Dayang Mariani Abang Zain (second right) appreciating the array of food at one of the stalls.

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**KUCHING:** Universiti Malaysia Sarawak (Unimas) recorded its highest student intake this year.

According to vice-chancellor Prof Datuk Dr Khairuddin Abdul Hamid, the new intake of 3,425 students signified Unimas' growth and its ability to accommodate big number of students.

He expects the number to reach 4,000 as some 565 appeal applications are currently being processed.

"In 2015, we will be able to take in 15,000 new students," he said when speaking at

the Unimas Merdeka Raya celebration at the campus yesterday.

On another matter, he reminded the university's staff to keep up their good rapport with each other and maintain an environment conducive to learning and optimum performance to live up to the university's status as a premier choice among students.

A total of 21 food stalls were set up by the university's various departments, which also competed to be the best decorated stall.