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Tajuk : Unimas Includes Senior Citizens In 'Walk For Love'.

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KOTA SAMARAHAN: It was a beautiful early Saturday morning for senior citizen Normah Hassan when students of Universiti Malaysia Sarawak (Unimas) took her for a walk around campus here, yesterday.

Normah, 62, was among 12 inmates of the Rumah Seri Kenangan, an old folks' home here, who were selected to join the university's 'Walk for Love' charity walk.

"I feel so happy. I am also touched that the students showed tremendous care and love to the elderly," she said.

The event was part of the Show Me Love campaign, organised by the Department of Communication and Third Year Communication Studies students. It was flagged off by head of Student Services Centre, Zubaidah Abas.

According to Zubaidah, students need to treat old people just like you want to be treated when you get old.

"Your children will treat you



ALL SMILES: The students and senior citizens strike their best poses before the start of the walk. — Photo by Zahratulhayat Mat Arif

the way you treat your parents, and on and on it goes," she added.

Project leader Izamuddin Jusoh, 24, said the walk was aimed at fostering closer

relationship between Unimas students and senior citizens.

"This is our way to show our support to the old citizens.

"Despite our heavy schedule, we are proud that we still manage

to find time to bring joy to them," said Izamuddin, a third-year communication student.

Funds were raised from the sale of tickets and 150 students and staff took part in the event.