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EMPOWERING CHILDREN WITH SPORTS AND EDUCATION



The Nicol David Organisation was founded by Datuk Nicol David and Mariana de Reyes with the mission of empowering girls and boys through sport and education with their programme "Little Legends". Established in Kuala Lumpur and provides an after-school programme that includes Squash training and English tutoring to low- and mid-income children.

Datuk Nicol David is the Head Coach and leads all the Squash development of the children and the English syllabus is codeveloped with the support of the US Embassy Kuala Lumpur in alignment with the Ministry of Education curricula for public schools in Malaysia.

The non-profit organization was launched on June 2nd, 2022 with a total of 58 children from 4 public schools in Bukit Jalil and Sri Petaling area and the programme received 58 additional children in June 2023 for a total of 116 children. The children begin the programme at the age of 8 and will remain for 5 years until completing their primary school years and officially graduate from NDO.





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The "Little Legends" program offers a comprehensive range of activities, including squash training, English tutoring, lifeskill workshops and participation in squash competitions. Additionally, the program provides transportation to and from school, ensuring a well-rounded and convenient experience for children.

The facility is located in the Bukit Jalil Golf and Country resort and counts with 3 Squash courts and 3 classrooms and HQ office to execute the programme.





Quotes Datuk Nicol:

"Sports and education need to come together; it is only through the combination of these two that I believe children can develop holistically. During my professional career, it played a strong role in being proficient in English to travel the world and represent my country, I'm certain that this will also enable opportunities for the children of our programme to further their education and job options when they grow up."



