Effective teamwork key to success

KOTA KINABALU: Teamwork is the key point in achieving success and students in particular need to learn to implement it well.

Director of "Boneka Hidup", Stacy Ezra Jaim said besides teamwork, commitment and passion are also important aspects in a group project.

She said this when interviewed by New Sabah Times at the 2017 Festival Theater Sabah at the Sabah Auditorium National Department For Culture and Arts, JKKN, yesterday. The play is performed by 44 Ronnin Stage theatre troupe.

The festival, which began October 4 and ends on Oct 10, featured seven teams who will perform on stage.

Commenting on where they got the idea for their "Boneka Hidup" show, she said that initially they had a discussion with their production team and agreed on a script that had good potential and moral values.

She also disclosed that their team consist of 20 people whom mostly are third year students undergoing Bachelor of Arts with Honor (Creative Arts) in Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS).

"From the beginning until the now, all our team members supported each other to make it a success.

"Originally we made the script, but our lecturer also gave us some insights, ideas and advice in choosing the theme for our theater show," she said.

She added that this was her first time grasping the role as a director, as before this she was one of the production crew and also an actress.

"Even though we are classmates and friends, they all give their best and cooperate with each other. As a director for the team, I am proud of their commitment for our project," she said.

She also stated that theater is one of her passions other than film and hopes to continue her passion in the creative arts.

"Boneka Hidup" is a story about a puppeteer who is trying to persuade the owner of the theater who plans to get rid of him because of the declining popularity of their puppet show.