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Borneo Bulletin

Rural Tutong hit by heavy rain, flood

TUTONG - Several rural areas in Tutong District was hit by heavy rain and flood last Saturday, 21st January, 2022. Houses of residents from Kampong Rambai, Kampong Bangkuru and Kampong Layong were flooded, while several roads couldn't be used by vehicle.

Heavy rains and strong winds have been reported in these areas for 3 days non-stop. Water was seen rising causing low lying areas to be flooded. During the flood, people were forced to move to higher grounds while waiting for rescue teams or boats to help them.

Firemen searched areas which were heavily flooded to help victims to move to safer places.

Acting Tutong District Officer, Ajmin bin Haji Meludin visited the flooded areas yesterday, while also giving out necessities to 13 affected households in Kampong Tambai and Kampong Bangkuru.



Handing out necessities to one of the affected houses in Kampong Bangkuru, Tutong

The Tutong District Office is urging the residents to be patient and also to take safety measures during the flood, while monitoring the whereabouts of their children to prevent them from playing in flooded areas.

"All our things were badly damaged by the flood," said Hj Ali, one of the flood victims from Kampong Layong.

Meanwhile, the Tutong District Office, together with village heads, are constantly keeping watch on the situation.



Newspaper Report



Name of newspaper: _____

Date: _____

Story headline: _____

Introduction		Break up the story chronologically	
Who was involved?		Before the disaster	
What happened?		During the disaster	
Where did the event take place?			
When did it happen?			
Interviews		Final paragraph	
Who will you interview?		After the disaster, what happens to the people?	
How are they involved in the events?			
What did they have to say?		What will your picture be of?	
Will you use direct or reported speech?		What will the caption be?	

Name: _____

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