



The Para Para Sakura team gave an energetic performance.

Colourful evening at cultural night

ABOUT 1,000 INTI College Malaysia staff members and students who turned up at the Cultural Expression Nite were rewarded with a spectacular display of songs and dances depicting the world's rich cultural diversity.

Kicking off the celebration was the arrival of Dr Chia Swee Ping, vice-president of Academic Affairs and Dr Lim Ho Feng, Associate vice-president of Academic Affairs, who were accompanied by a troupe of bangra dancers.

A total of 128 participants presented a variety of cultural expressions that made the evening a resplendent affair to be remembered.

The audience was treated to a series of performances by staff and students, including Japan's "Para-Para Sakura", an Oman Dance, a modern Indonesian dance and a rhythmic Myanmar song and dance.

Adding colour to the night's celebration was a fashion show by the college's staff, Cassandra Saw. The models took centrestage presenting business, casual and night wear.

Talented staff calling themselves SOBALianos (SOBAL-School of Business and Law) forming a quartet, got the crowd into a groove with

their rendition of melodious songs from the 70's and 80's.

The show came to an end when everyone was invited to take to the dance floor and party the night away.

Earlier in his speech, Dr Chia emphasised that it was through such events, an internationalised cultural night of different cultural flavours, that one was able to learn and appreciate the myriad of cultures existent in the world today.

The objective of the event, he said, was to strengthen the linkage and understand the intrinsic values of different cultures in an educational, informative and fun way.

The International Cultural Nite 2001 is an annual event organised by the INTI College Staff Recreational Club. The event, pre-



An entertaining Malay dance.

sented for the fourth time, saw the participation of over 100 participants.

Many who came commented that this year's event was a bigger and better show, thanks to the splendid effort by the organising committee.



The lively Indian dance as a finale.