

An Assembly of Support from STATSChipPAC

Friday, 18th June 2010

For the past two years, Mr. Loo Eng Ann, a Lead Planner at STATS ChipPAC, had been actively involved in the efforts of the Children's Cancer Foundation (CCF) in garnering support for children with cancer and their families. This is his third year in a row shaving for Hair for Hope. "My grandfather was diagnosed with leukaemia. I took care of him during that period of time, so I can understand how difficult it is for the cancer patient and the family," said Eng Ann.

A first-time shavee in 2008, Eng Ann came back to shave again last year, with three of his colleagues joining him in the cause to raise awareness – which they did effortlessly – simply by showing up at work bald the next day. Curiosity regarding their sudden baldness spread like wildfire, and soon enough, it triggered off an inspiration to bring Hair for Hope to STATS ChipPAC to get even more colleagues to shave. "I didn't even know my colleagues would join me last year!" Eng Ann remarked amusedly. "But this year, I'm really very excited about getting even more colleagues to shave with me. I think it is a really meaningful act through which we can raise funds for the children."



The STATS ChipPAC Hair for Hope satellite event was conducted on Friday, 18th June 2010 with a total of 22 shavees. Touched by his colleagues' actions, Mr. Tay Koh Kiew joined in to pledge his hair for charity despite not being one of the pre-registered shavees! Other colleagues showed up too just to cheer the brave men on. CCF thanks all at STATS ChipPAC for making the satellite event a huge success!

