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PT Freeport Indonesia Supports the Football Festival in Surabaya

Surabaya - PT Freeport Indonesia (PTFI) supports the success of the Indonesian National Team (Timnas) in the 2023 U-17 World Cup by participating in the Surabaya Football Festival organized by the East Java Regional Government and the National Creative Economy Movement (GEKRAFS) in Surabaya on Sunday (19/11).

"The presence of PTFI in the Surabaya Soccer Festival is a manifestation of PTFI's commitment to promote the spirit of sports and celebrate the nation's achievements together with the people of Surabaya and football enthusiasts in East Java and its surroundings," said PTFI's VP Corporate Communications, **Katri Krisnati**.

In this Surabaya Football Festival, PTFI has set up a special booth where football enthusiasts and the people of Surabaya can take photos, try various games, and get souvenirs from PTFI.

At this booth, visitors can also get a close look at PTFI's efforts to develop Indonesian football resources through the Papua Football Academy (PFA). PFA is a football academy specifically designed for young men from Papua. In the first year, 30 students receive academy education covering technical aspects such as skills and character development, including discipline and mental strength, as essential assets for their future careers when they eventually enter society with full support from PTFI.

One thing that attracts the interest of attendees to the Surabaya Football Festival is the SMEs (Small and Medium Enterprises) Bazaar, which introduces the delightful Amungme Gold coffee. This is Arabica coffee produced by Amungme coffee farmers under the guidance of PTFI in the Tembagapura and Hoea districts.

"Amungme Coffee is our effort to foster SMEs in Papua. This coffee is highly special because Amungme Gold is made from a specific variety of Arabica coffee cultivated at elevations of 1,400–2,000 meters on Mount Nemangkawi in Papua," said Katri.

She said that PTFI provides helicopter support for the transportation of coffee harvests to the coffee processing facility in Timika. This significantly enhances production efficiency in the processing of Amungme coffee beans. If transported by helicopter, it only takes approximately 15 minutes to travel from each village to Timika, a substantial cut compared to the three to four days of walking.

"The outcomes are managed by a cooperative that oversees the income for production needs and profit distribution to each farmers," added Katri.

Surabaya City's Assistant for Economic and Development, **Agus Imam Sonhaji**, appreciates PTFI for its contribution to the Surabaya Football Festival. "Thank you for your support, which has made the event even more lively, allowing us to show the world that Surabaya is always ready to host a significant event. Surabaya is prepared in terms of its city governance, ecosystem, and creative economy," said Agus.



The General Chairman of GEKRAFS, **Malik Atmadja**, also expressed his appreciation to PTFI. "We see the collaboration between PTFI and GEKRAFS in the Surabaya Football Festival as a demonstration of PTFI's commitment to supporting players in the creative economy, especially SMEs. With PTFI's presence in East Java, there is great hope for us SMEs players that PTFI can have a positive impact and help create a creative economic ecosystem in East Java," explained Malik.

Currently, PTFI is in the process of constructing the world's largest single-line smelter located in the JIIPE area, Manyar District, Gresik, with a total investment of IDR 43 trillion. The progress of the smelter construction has now surpassed 80 percent, with the expectation that the physical construction will be completed by December 2023.

FOTO	KETERANGAN
<image/>	The atmosphere at the PTFI <i>booth</i> during the Surabaya Football Festival in Surabaya, East Java, on Sunday (19/11).
Foto 2	Legendary Surabaya football figures visited the PTFI <i>booth</i> and received souvenirs of SMEs products, specifically Amungme Gold coffee.



Foto 3	Visitors to the Surabaya Football Festival received souvenirs from <i>fun games</i> at the PTFI <i>booth</i> .
Foto 4a-b	Michael Idol was a guest star at the Surabaya Football Festival on Sunday (19/11).





About PT Freeport Indonesia

PT Freeport Indonesia (PTFI) is a mineral mining company affiliated with Freeport-McMoRan (FCX) and Mining Industry Indonesia (MIND ID). PTFI mines and processes ore to produce concentrate containing copper, gold, and silver. PTFI markets the concentrate to meet the global demand for metals, with a priority on domestic copper smelting and refining facilities, including PT Smelting.

PTFI's mining operations are located in the Grasberg mineral area, Central Papua – Indonesia. Currently, PTFI operates the world's largest underground mining using the block caving method. In conducting its operational activities, PTFI prioritizes responsible and sustainable business practices.

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