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The Forest Research Institute of Malaysia (FRIM) is hosting an open day today from 8am to 1pm with various activities lined up to create awareness on the importance of protecting its status as a national heritage. The event, which is being held as part of World Environment Day and FRIM's 30th anniversary celebration, will give the public a chance to visit the National Herbarium at FRIM, where 350,000 plant specimens are being kept, as well as participate in traditional games, colouring contests, slow bicycle race and museum hunts for children and adults.

Demonstrations by FRIM researchers such as plant DNA testing and the production of synthetic seeds will be done. Admission is free. For details, visit www.frim.gov.my or email to frim_openday2015@frim.gov.my for pre-registration. Alternatively, call 03-6279 7529 / 7591.