

The toilet that never gets fixed

Letter from David Soh Jin Hoe

TWO months ago, I visited the Bishan Community Club at Bishan East, on Bishan Street 13. While I was using a toilet on the ground floor, I noticed that a liquid soap dispenser was broken, and that one of the taps as well as one of the urinals were out of order.

I figured that the management would get around to repairing these items.

Two weeks ago, I visited the Bishan Community Club again, and to my surprise found that the faults I noted a month and a half earlier had not been addressed.

I went to the Constituency Office and was referred to the manager in charge, whom I spoke to about the faults.

She smiled and assured me that she would look into it immediately.

On Monday morning, I visited the Bishan Community Club again, and to my disappointment the toilet was in exactly the same condition, with no repairs done. Most disappointing was the fact that my comments had fallen on deaf ears.

The premises are used every day by the neighbourhood's residents and people at the recreational clubs. The repairs would go some way towards promoting good hygiene.

I hope someone will look into the maintenance and repair of the toilet facilities soon.