



Hard work: Fauziah's son scooping floodwater from their home into pails.

Flash flood in PJ's Section 3

Journalist's home one of those affected

THE downpour on Monday caused a flash flood in low-lying areas of Section 3, Petaling Jaya.

One of the houses affected was that of journalist Fauziah Mohd Johar.

"My house is located on lower ground and flash floods occur each time it rains heavily.

"This time the water reached my bedroom and it took us several hours to scoop the water out. I had to get rid of most of my furniture until there is no more sofa in my house.

"Each time it rains I fear for the worst,"

Fauziah lamented.

"It was one of the worst flash floods to befall us," she said, adding that it reminded her of the flash flood her family experienced on Sept 11, 2011.

"The whole house was flooded and the roof leaked. When I called a contractor to look at the roof, my son followed him. Unfortunately, my son fell from the roof and fell into a coma.

"He had to have a plate inserted into his skull because of that accident," she recalled.