

# HONOURS FOR UMNO STALWARTS

UMNO will honour its four former leaders at a grand and colourful opening of the party's new headquarters on Sept 6.

Also included will be present president Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad.

For the late Datuk Onn Jaafar and Tun Abdul Razak Haji Hussein, the special souvenirs will be received by their wives.

The other two former presidents, Tunku Abdul Rahman and Tun Hussein Onn, are expected to attend the ceremony.

## SPECIAL SOUVENIRS FOR MAHATHIR AND FOUR FORMER LEADERS

An official said 10,000 people will be invited to the opening of the complex, including 11 representatives from each Umno division as well as representatives from Umno Youth and Wanita Umno.

Several traditional events will be performed by Umno members from the various States. The performances include the *silat*,

*hadrah*, *kompany* and *rebana ubi*.

The Wanita Umno members will carry the *sirih junjung* and *nasi semangat*. They will be wearing traditional costumes of all the 12 States.

The \$300-million complex include a 35-storey tower block and podium, a conference hall and an international standard hotel with

500 rooms.

The new party headquarters will be housed on the top three floors of the tower block, while the rest of the building will be rented.

And for the first time in several years, the party's general assembly later next month will be held at the Putra World Trade Centre within the complex.