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MAHATHIR'S YOUNG DAYS, ACCOUNTS BY SISTER AND NIECE

LANGKAWI, April 3 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad's elder sister and niece have been invited to tell what they know of Dr Mahathir's young days at a function organised by Galeria Perdana on Saturday.

Hajah Habsah and Yasmin Mashahor will join two Dr Mahathir's classmates, Haji Hussein Abdul Rahman and Haji Osman Bakar, at the "Majlis Pengkisahan Dr Mahathir Semasa Remaja".

Langkawi Development Authority (LADA) Public Relations Officer Mohd Hatta Said said today former National Archives Malaysia Director-General Datuk Zakiah Hanum Abdul Hamid will chair the session.

The event to be officiated by LADA General Manager Datuk Abdul Halil Mutalib, will start at 9am at LADA auditorium.

It will help schoolchildren and youths to know Dr Mahathir from his young days to the present as a Prime Minister commanding wide respect.

The event will be recorded for research purposes, he said.

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