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PM opens RM49 million resort in Tawau

PRIME Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad attempting a putt soon after opening the RM49 million 18-hole Shan Sui Golf and Country Club in Tawau yesterday.

The golf course is part of a RM300 million resort development to be built in stages.

In his speech at the opening earlier, Dr Mahathir said the lower value of the ringgit was an added boost to the tourism industry.

"Tourists from countries with strong currencies are expected to visit Malaysia because of the affordable services."

He that added construction of more golf resorts and hotels would attract more tourists to the country.

Dr Mahathir said operators of golf courses and hoteliers must avoid overcharging the tourists as such an action would only deter them from returning.

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