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MAHATHIR ATTENDS UMNO MEETING, INSPECTS SCHOOL SITE

ALOR SETAR, Feb 28 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad is in Kedah for a one-day working visit and shortly upon arrival here today he held a meeting with former Members of Parliament and state assemblymen.

He later attended a meeting of the Kubang Pasu Umno division which he heads at the divisional headquarters in Jitra.

Dr Mahathir, who is also the Member of Parliament for Kubang Pasu, is accompanied by wife Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohamed Ali.

The prime minister's itinerary in the afternoon include inspecting the site for the Bukit Tinggi primary school in Kepala Batas.

Earlier, Dr Mahathir and Dr Siti Hasmah were met on arrival at the Sultan Abdul Halim Airport in Kepala Batas by Kedah Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Syed Razak Syed Zain, Minister in the Prime Minister's Department Datuk Paduka Dr Abdul Hamid Othman, state executive councillors and 200 local residents.

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