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Penang Stadium ready

PENANG'S new State Stadium is ready to host the Malaysia Games from May 25 to June 3.

The RM104 million 40,000-capacity stadium in Batu Kawan was completed last month and workers are now putting the finishing touches.

The stadium will be the venue for athletics and soccer during the Games.

The athletics events are scheduled from May 30 to June 2 and soccer from May 25 to June 3.

Yang di-Pertua Negeri Tun Dr Hamdan Sheikh Tahir will officiate at the opening ceremony of the Games on May 27 while Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad will officiate at the closing ceremony on June 3.

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