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Jins: Party helped develop arts industry

VETERAN actor Datuk Jins Shamsudin advised all local actors and artistes, particularly the younger generation, to be grateful to Umno and the government for giving them the avenue to develop the performing arts industry.

"It is because of Umno that we can still continue to act and develop our artistic values," he said.

There were still a small number of artistes, he said, who were supporting the Opposition without realising that everything they had earned was because of Umno.

On Umno president Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad's speech, he said: "It was like a calling to continue to work towards the unity of the Malay race."

Jins, who is also a member delegate from Umno Bukit Gantang division, said many Malays who had reaped profits from the development brought by the Government, had forgotten to be grateful.

Umno, he said, would continue to be the party to fight for the interests of the Malays. He also reminded the younger generation not to be duped by the Opposition's tactics in obtaining support, adding that "where we (the artistes) are now, is because of Umno."

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