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MAHATHIR ARRIVES TO LAUNCH NATIONAL YOUTH DAY BASH

IPOH, May 15 (Bernama) -- The Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad has arrived here to launch the 2001 national-level Youth Day celebration at Stadium Perak tonight.

He was met on arrival at the airport by Perak Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Tajol Rosli Ghazali, state executive councillors and heads of department.

About 30,000 youths from throughout the country would take part in tonight's Youth Day rally where the year's Youth Personality would also be named.

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