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DR MAHATHIR TO FLAG OFF PREMIER RUN IN PUTRAJAYA

KUALA LUMPUR, March 7 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad will flag off the "Premier Run" covering between 3km and 7km for the disabled at Dataran Putra, Putrajaya on April 7.

The event which will be held at 8am is jointly organised by the Armed Forces Sports and Welfare Council (Maksak), Armed Forces Sports Council, Putrajaya Corporation and the KL Federal Territory Amateur Athletics Association.

The categories that would be competed also included men's and women's events for teenagers, seniors and veterans, Maksak said in a statement.

The run offers cash prizes and medals up to fifth placing.

All participants who complete the run under one hour and 20 minutes would receive certificates, the statement said.

Registration for the run will be held at Dataran Merdeka here on March 10 from 8am.

Entries close on March 27.

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