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PM JOINS KING EDWARD VII COLLEGE OF MEDICINE'S CLASS OF 1947 GATHERING

PUTRAJAYA, Sept 14 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad and Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohamed Ali attended the 55th anniversary celebration of the King Edward VII College of Medicine's class of 1947 at the J.W.Marriot here today.

Thirty-one former students and their family members were present at the gathering.

Dr Mahathir and Dr Siti Hasmah were in the same class at the college in Singapore, the original site of Universiti Malaya.

According to an aide, Dr Mahathir never miss the annual alumni gathering.

As part of the celebration, the 70 guests were led on a boat ride at the Putrajaya Lake by Dr Mahathir. They will attend a dinner at Sri Perdana tonight.

Tomorrow, they are scheduled to be taken on a conducted tour of the Prime Minister's Office, the Putrajaya Mosque and Cyberjaya.

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