



Mahathir and Siti Hasmah at Warisan Mak Chah's stall yesterday. - BERNAMAPIX

## Mahathir, Siti Hasmah love kuih putu kacang and karas: Trader

**ALOR STAR:** Traditional cookies *kuih putu kacang* and *karas* sold at the Warisan Mak Chah booth are Prime Minister Tun Dr Mahathir Mohamad and wife Tun Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali's favourites whenever they are doing Raya shopping at the Pekan Rabu Complex here.

Warisan Mak Chah booth operator Suria Hassan, 49, said the couple would visit her booth every Ramadan to buy the two

traditional cookies, which had become their practice since late 1980s.

"Every Ramadan, Tun Dr Mahathir and Tun Dr Siti Hasmah will turn up at this stall to buy the two cookies as well as other cookies and they have been doing this since the time when my late my grandmother was operating the stall," she told reporters yesterday.

Mahathir arrived at the Pekan Rabu Complex

at 11.06am and spent about 20 minutes reviewing the complex while doing some Raya shopping.

Also accompanying him was Perak Menteri Besar Datuk Seri Ahmad Faizal Azumu.

Suria said among other delicacies bought by the Prime Minister and his wife were *dodol*, *kuih bangkit*, *bahulu*, *rojak sauce*, *serunding*, *biskut suji* and *acar limau*. - Bernama