

**Transformation Programmes To Be Mantra To Draw Support For BN Government -
Khairy
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KUALA LUMPUR, Nov 28 (Bernama) -- The transformation programmes introduced by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak will be the Umno Youth's mantra to draw support for the Barisan Nasional (BN) government in the coming general election, its chief Khairy Jamaludin said.

He said the Political Transformation Programme, for instance, which leaned towards civil liberty and strengthening fundamental rights, could meet the aspirations of the young generation, especially those who did not belong to any political party or were fence-sitters.

Khairy, who is also BN Youth chairman, said he would delve into this transformation programme at the Umno Youth assembly to be held in conjunction with the party's general assembly from tomorrow until Saturday, and explain why it should be accepted and supported, and be an important mantra for the coming 13th General Election.

"I will touch on the significance and real meaning of this transformation programme so that it will be better understood by the young generation," he said at an Umno Youth special news conference held in conjunction with the general assembly.

Khairy also reminded speakers and delegates from Umno Youth to debate on matters of interest to the young generation as all said would also be evaluated by those outside the hall.

"The things spoken and debated about must be relevant to the tastes, needs and aspirations of today's young generation," he said.

At the news conference, Umno Youth secretary Datuk Megat Firdouz Megat Junid, Culture and Arts bureau chief Jamawi Jaafar and information chief Datuk Seri Reezal Merican Naina Merican were announced to represent the Youth wing in debating on the party president's speech and the motions on economy, religion, social sphere and education.

On the coming general election, Khairy said a course involving the Umno Youth machinery at all divisions would be conducted so that they would be well prepared.

The Youth members were also reminded not to do anything which could tarnish the party's image and reputation, besides ensuring they remain united even after the elections.

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