

Keningau-Labuan, KK-UMS semi-finals tonight

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KOTA KINABALU: It will be Keningau versus Labuan and Kota Kinabalu taking on Universiti Malaysia Sabah in the semi-finals of the Sabah Hockey Association (SHA)'s President's Cup to be played at the Likas hockey pitch tonight.

The first semis between Keningau and Labuan have been set for 7pm while the Kota Kinabalu-UMS tie at 8.30pm.

Keningau ended their Group A challenge on top of the four-team standings on seven points from two wins and one draw, followed by UMS, also with two wins and a draw.

However, Keningau claimed the top spot by virtue of having

a superior goal difference.

Yesterday, Keningau registered a 4-0 win over Navy team Merlin after a scoreless draw with UMS a day earlier.

They registered their biggest victory in the tournament's curtain raiser by blanking Polytechnic KK (PKK) 11-0.

In the Group B challenge, Kota Kinabalu defeated Labuan 4-1 to clinch the top spot last night.

They also beat Lahad Datu 13-1 after humiliating Kota Belud 22-0.

Meanwhile, SHA vice president, DSP Ravichandran said the tournament is a platform for them to select State representatives for the Razak Cup championships in Kuala Lumpur next month.

The final of the President's Cup tournament is scheduled at 4pm tomorrow (Sunday). As-



PRESIDENT'S CUP ... an unidentified UMS player (light blue) tries to steal the ball from a Polytechnic KK player during their Group A clash.

sistant Youth and Sports Minister, Datuk Jahid Jahim is ex-

pected to officiate at the closing ceremony at 5.30pm.