

Kasim (centre in all blue attire) at the start of the Peak Challenge run.

UMS Staff Sports Games kicks off GL Oh DE 12-01-2013 44 started the event immediately tivity in their work.

KOTA KINABALU: The 13th University Malaysia Sabah (UMS) Staff Sports Games was officially launched by Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Student Affairs and Alumni) Assoc. Prof. Datuk Dr. Kasim Md. Mansur at the UMS Twin Tower on Friday afternoon.

The Peak Challenge event which is a 4km run up to the peak of the UMS site kicked

after the opening ceremony.

The annual event involved a total of eight teams and 29 events are to be held.

The other events will only start on Jan 18 while the closing ceremony will be staged on Jan 27.

According to Kasim, the main purpose of the event is to create a healthy lifestyle among the staff to ensure a sound produc-

He added that the event also serves as a platform to select athletes for the Borneo Staff Games to be held in Unimas from Feb 3-8 and The IPTA Staff Games in July.

Also present at the opening ceremony were UMS Registrar and the event organising chairman Datuk Abdullah Mohd. Said and the head of sport department Asraf Abdullah.