30,000 expected at Tamu Gadang Bazaar, Nov 17-23

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KOTA KINABALU: More than 30,000 visitors are expected at the Tamu Gadang bazaar at Universiti Malaysia Sabah here from Nov 17-23.

The event, held annually in conjunction with the university's

convocation, will be a festival of entertainment, fun competitions, food adventures and shopping. It will be held at UMS's Parade Field and will be open from 9am-10pm.

A UMS spokesman said more than 50 local entrepreneurs will put up stalls selling food & beverages, clothing, flowers, toys, paintings, handicrafts, and healthcare products, amongst others. Adding to the festivity will be competitions involving dancing, spelling, chess, drawing and singing. Members Of the society are welcome to visit the 17th Tamu Gadang starting today.

The carnival atmosphere will also feature an auto show on Nov 22, and nightly open air concerts by well-known Malaysian artists including Mawi, Bandi, Firman, Janrywine, Velvet, Lan, and Salmah.