

UMS Adler, SMK Likas in hockey semis



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KOTA KINABALU: UMS Adler and SMK Likas are as good as in the semi-finals of the inaugural Kota Kinabalu Hockey League 2018 after opening their respective campaign with two wins.

For UMS Adler, they

seemed to be on a different level than their opponents when they chalked up two easy wins against Gaya and PerHUIS (UiTM).

In the opener, they trounced Gaya 5-1 before demolishing PerHUIS 6-0 in their second game.

The maximum points saw

them stay top of the Group A standings and needing a mere point in their final group tie against Kota Marudu on March 31.

Even a defeat will still see them making it into the last four, albeit being pipped from the top spot.

The other Group A match-

es that were played the last two weeks at the Kota Kinabalu Sports Complex hockey pitch saw Kota Marudu register a narrow 2-1 win over Gaya before being held to a one-all draw by PerHUIS in their second game.

In the Group B challenge, SMK Likas topped the group with six points from two wins.

They trounced Sepanggar Hockey Club 4-0 in their first game before whacking PHD Tuaran 10-1.

SSMS Jr is currently second in the group with four points from one win and one draw.

They demolished PHD Tuaran 6-2 but were held to a two-all draw by Sepanggar Hockey Club.

KK HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS

GROUP A

	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
UMS ADLER	2	2	0	0	11	1	10	6
KOTA MARUDU	2	1	1	0	3	2	1	4
PERHUIS	2	0	1	1	1	7	-6	1
GAYA	2	0	0	2	2	7	-5	0

GROUP B

	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
SMK LIKAS	2	2	0	0	14	1	13	6
SSMS JR	2	1	1	0	8	4	4	4
SEPANGGAR HC	2	0	1	1	2	6	-4	1
PHD TUARAN	2	0	0	2	3	16	-13	0