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KELANTAN-ASIAN KITE FESTIVAL 2006

The Kelantan Tourism Information Centre (TIC) together with Kelantan Kitefliers Association and Malaysian Kite Council are organising a Kelantan-Asian Kite Festival 2006 in Pantai Seri Tujuh, Tumpat, Kelantan from 9 to 11 Jun.

The organisers hope that the kite festival can be promoted as a unique tourism product among the local and foreign tourists visiting Kelantan.

First held in 1982 as an annual state-event, the kite festival today showcases kite fliers from all over the world as participants.

The Kelantan Kite Festival which was once listed as an anchor event in the Visit Malaysia Year 1994 calendar of events highlights several main categories. Among them are *Wau Naik Tradisi Malaysia*, *Wau Puyuh Naik*, *Wau Sobek /Cantik* and *Wau Barat Naik*.

The three-day festival will see kitefliers from Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand, Brunei and Indonesia showing off their skills against each other. The winners will receive a trophy and certificate.

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