

SMK TTDI storm into quarter-finals

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IT was a walk in the park for SMK Taman Tun Dr Ismail (TTDI) who thrashed

SM Sri Cempaka 5-0 to book their quarter-final berth in the Kuala Lumpur Boys' Under-15 Bangsar Zone football championships at the La Salle School

ground in Brickfields yesterday.

TTDI took the lead in the very first minute when Mohamed Hafis Abdul Halim, following a fumble by Sri Cempaka goalkeeper Glenn Chan, netted in

the simplest of shots. Mohamed Nabil Najmi Azmi smashed in two more in the eighth and 30th minutes for TTDI to enter the break 3-0.

On resuming and in the 55th minute Mohamed Hairul Naim Mat Isa was brought down by Glenn inside the box. Hairul stepped up to take the resulting penalty and sent the goalkeeper the wrong way to make it 4-0.

Striker Lukman Hakim Ibrahim then sealed the match TTDI in the 69th minute.

"Although we won today (yesterday), I am not very satisfied with the team's performance because they did much better in the last three matches," said TTDI coach Hafrul Idzwan Mohamed Isa.

"We are now hoping for the title but are wary of Armed Forces and La Salle Brickfields, who are looking very strong this year," he added.

"La Salle have improved a lot and they have been consistent throughout the tournament but we have our hopes up to make it to the final," said Hafrul.

RESULTS: Armed Forces 3 SM Bukit Bandaraya 2; SMK Taman Tun Dr Ismail

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SM Sri Cempaka 0.

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