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Striker Azrai shows he has rediscovered his finishing touch by helping Tenaga win big

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PETALING JAYA: Hockey ace Azrai Aizad Abu Kamal stayed in the hunt for his third Golden Boot award in a row by scoring big for Tenaga Nasional.

The 25-year-old Perakian was truly sensational in his team's 7-3 hammering of home side TNB Thunderbolts in the Malaysian Hockey League (MHL) at the National Hockey Stadium in Bukit Jalil yesterday.

Azrai, who is the key striker for the national team, scored four goals in the 12th, 57th, 58th and 59th minutes, to top the scorer's standings and also help his side get their first win of the season.

The other goals were scored by Amirul Hamizan Azhar (eighth), Nursyahmi Zulkifii (53rd) and Jang Jong-hyun (23rd).

For the home side, the goals were scored by Fahmi Khalid (first minute), Nabil Irfan Yusoff (21st) and Atif Aqil Zubir (52nd).

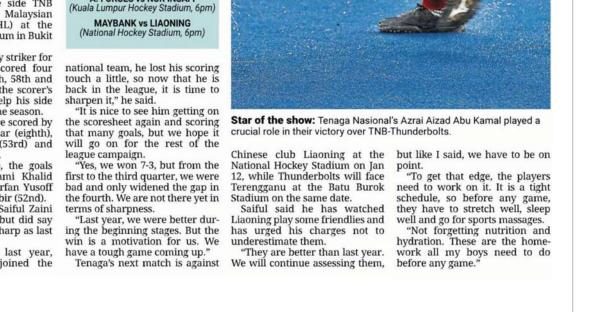
Tenaga coach Nor Saiful Zaini was happy for Azrai but did say his side were not as sharp as last

year. "After the league last year, when Boy (Azrai) joined the

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TODAY'S FIXTURES TERENGGANU vs UITM (Batu Burok Hockey Stadium, 4pm)

A. FORCES vs NUR INSAFI (Kuala Lumpur Hockey Stadium, 6pm)



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