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Read the passages about famous Malaysian sports stars below. In each blank, fill in the correct past tense form of the verb given in brackets to complete the story. Remember to think about whether the verb is regular or irregular when choosing the right form. Good luck!

LEE CHONG WEI : MALAYSIA'S BADMINTON PRIDE

Lee Chong Wei, one of Malaysia's most celebrated badminton players, (1) _____ (become) World No. 1 in men's singles in 2006. As a child, he (2) _____ (play) various sports but eventually decided to focus on badminton. Throughout his career, he (3) _____ (win) numerous titles at the 'All England Open' and other major competitions. During his training sessions, he sometimes (4) _____ (go) beyond his limits to perfect his game. In 2016, he (5) _____ (score) the winning point in a crucial match that (6) _____ (give) Malaysia a silver medal at the Olympics.

NICOL DAVID : THE SQUASH QUEEN OF MALAYSIA

Nicol David, the squash legend from Penang, (1) _____ (train) relentlessly to rise in the ranks of world squash. She (2) _____ (become) the youngest woman to win the 'World Junior' title when she was only 15. Over her illustrious career, she (3) _____ (win) the 'World Championship' title eight times. Despite facing numerous challenges, she never (4) _____ (break) her spirit and (5) _____ (continue) to play with utmost passion and dedication.

ABDUL LATIF ROMLY : THE GOLDEN LEAP OF 2016

Abdul Latif Romly, a paralympic hero from Malaysia, (1) _____ (train) with dedication and determination to master the long jump. At the 2016 Paralympic Games in Rio de Janeiro, he not only (2) _____ (win) the gold medal but also (3) _____ (break) the world record three times during the competition. Before the Games, he (4) _____ (play) multiple sports, but the long jump always (5) _____ (become) his true calling. Every time he (6) _____ (go) to the track, his passion and commitment (7) _____ (give) hope and inspiration to many.