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SINGAPORE: 1,300 people went to great heights to create more buzz for the upcoming Youth Olympic Games (YOG).

They scaled 60 floors of the Republic Plaza building in the financial district of Singapore.

The vertical marathon is one way youths in Singapore are celebrating the YOG which will be held in Singapore next August.

There were 10 categories in the marathon, including the Men's Open and the Women's Open.

There was also a veterans category where one of the participants - 83-year-old Tan Soo Cheng - completed the climb in 37 minutes and nine seconds.

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