



World Federation Newswire 5 February 2014

In the name of Allah, the Most Kind, the Most Merciful

News and Events

The World Federation News

The Electoral Commission of The World Federation of KSIMC invites Nominations for the Office of the President of The World Federation of KSIMC for the term 2014-2017

In accordance with The World Federation Constitution Clause 20.1.1, the Electoral Commission is inviting all Members for written nomination for candidate or candidates for the office of the President of The World Federation for the term 2014-2017. The written nominations should be sent to the Electoral Commission within 30 days of today (5 February 2014) at The World Federation office in Stanmore marked for the Commission's attention.

The World Federation of KSIMC is recruiting for 2 interns for immediate start

The World Federation of KSIMC is recruiting for two intern positions with immediate start. They will be full time paid roles for a period of up to four months. Those interested in applying should have good report writing skills and would preferably be based in the United Kingdom.

ZCSS Success Story: Achieving her dreams

In November 2014, Mwanatumu Hamza will complete her Bachelor of Arts with Education Degree from Kampala

University. Reaching this milestone has not been easy for Mwanatumu. As the time approached for her to begin her higher education, Mwanatumu had reached a crossroads and faced the possibility of leaving her education behind in order to find a way to support her mother and siblings.

WF-CoEJ Pre-Marriage Workshop: A 5 step approach to help find the right spouse

The workshop was targeted at those young adults who are either approaching the stage in their lives where they are considering the step of marriage, or those who are already actively engaged in the process of looking for their spouses, as well as those who had previously been engaged or married but for some reason things did not work out.

Khoja Heritage Exhibition Report – Leicester

A large array of posters and pictures depicting early emergence and subsequent evolution of the once united Khoja community over the past six hundred years; their eventual division in the latter half of the nineteenth century leading to the emergence of three distinct Khoja communities to be known as Khoja Ismaili, Sunni and the Shia Ithna-Asheri were displayed.

Madinah and Bab 2013: ‘I recommend everyone to experience it’

Maliha reflects, “The Madinah and Bab summer course of 2013 enabled me to gain further knowledge on various topics and about the Ahlul Bayt. Most importantly I was able to seek inspiration from scholars and different places which were visited. This journey was something that not only I was able to cherish whilst being there but until today I feel like I’m living with the experience/memories of yesterday.”

Europe

SI Madressa Stanmore and Hyderi Islamic School of KSISLJ Visit Lord Rowan Williams

On 17th January, a group of students and teachers from SI Madressa, Stanmore and Hyderi Madressa, Streatham attended a talk by the former Archbishop of Canterbury Lord Rowan Williams entitled: The City, Trust and Spirituality.

Africa

CHB appreciates the various services by the Indian Institutes and Doctors

During the recent visit to India, the Africa Federation Chairman, Alhaj Anwarali Dharamsi and the Office Bearers paid visits to several hospitals and medical institutes where they met with the officials and doctors. It was an opportunity also during the visit to appreciate on behalf of the Central Health Board (CHB) the doctors in recognition of their various services and support they have rendered to our community members in India and at the medical camps held in E. Africa and in Antananarivo, Madagascar in the recent years.

BMMK – CPD Seminar for Muballigheen December 2013 – Mombasa Kenya

For the third consecutive year, the Mission in collaboration with Islamic Education of The World Federation of KSIMC, The Federation of KSI Jamaats of Africa and the Central Bilal Board organized a ten day workshop for muballigheen and muballighat in an effort to create a platform to share knowledge and experiences.

40 for Hussain

In order to commemorate the Arba'een of Imam Hussain (as), the Debating Society of Husayni Madrasah set out on organizing a worldwide campaign – a campaign to inspire kindness into the lives of the people around us in the name

of Imam Hussain (as). The campaign aimed at performing 40 Acts of Kindness in the name of Imam Hussain (as) during the period of Ashra-e-Zainabiyyah starting from the 30th of Imam Hussain's martyrdom to the day of Arba'een.

ABSN Newsbox December 2013

The AhlulBayt (as) Sisters Network is a self-help awareness and support group to empower women in the social, cultural and educational field and at the same time providing spiritual nourishment.

North America

Teacher Development and Support Program (TDSP)

The first Teacher Development and Support Program (TDSP) was offered in Seattle on January 18th and 19th, 2014. This program was produced by NASIMCO Center for Islamic Learning (CIL), in association with The World Federation Madrasah Centre of Excellence (MCE). Twelve participants registered, including a mix of teachers, substitutes and parents of different ages.

Milad-un-Nabi – Allentown USA

To mark the birth anniversary of the Holy Prophet (saw), members of the Allentown community gathered together in a show of unity at Al Ahad Islamic Center on the night of 17th Rabi'ul Awwal to celebrate the birth of Prophet Muhammad (saw) and of sixth Imam Ja'far al-Sadiq (as). This memorable evening was attended by many dignitaries and community members as well.

SIJLA Hussein Day Event - Los Angeles

On December 21st, 2013, Shia Ithnaasheri Islamic Jamaat of LA (SIJLA) had their Annual Hussein Day Event. 24 members of the community volunteered at the Los Angeles Regional Food Bank by preparing food boxes for Los Angeles' less fortunate.

Fallen Stars Memorial Tournament - Vancouver Canada

The event is to have families participate in sports and leisure activities to help encourage community engagement. At the same time, it is to highlight and remember those "fallen stars" who helped build the Vancouver community as it is today.

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