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

News and Events

The World Federation News

University Scholarships for 2014-2015

It is almost that time of the year when you as a student need to make that important decision on the career you wish to pursue and the university you wish to study in to shape up your career. Depending on the level of success you are seeking to achieve, the level of education may be relative, but the bottom line is, an education of some sort is often paramount to future success. Completing increasingly advanced levels of education shows that you have a drive and commitment to learn and apply information, ideas, theories, and formulas to achieve a variety of tasks and goals.

President of The World Federation meets Grand Ayatullah Sistani (DA)

The President of The World Federation Dr. Asgher Moledina visited His Eminence Ayatullah Sistani (DA) after the Arbaeen Commemorations in Najaf-al-Ashraf. The President conveyed the community's greetings and prayers for the long life and good health of His Eminence. The President sought counsel from His Eminence on a range of religious and social issues.

ZCSS: Students of Pakistan continue on to further studies

In the city of Kohat, the capital of Kohat District, students have been studying hard to achieve good grades and gain an education that they know is so valuable. Through the support of ZCSS (Zainabiyya Child Sponsorship Scheme), these students have had the opportunity to not only complete their primary and secondary education; and several students are moving on to studying in college or University. Many of these students had never dreamed that they would even go to school let alone move on to further studies. This is a great achievement for these students, opening up a world of opportunity for a successful and stable future.

The World Federation India Office announces Workshop on Ahkam-e Mayyit

The World Federation's India Office, in partnership with Mumbai KSI Jamaat, is holding a workshop on Ahkam-e Mayyit (rules relating to the deceased).

Karbala – The Complete Picture' – available from The World Federation for only £1

The book covers the subject of the event of Karbala in an easy-to-understand yet comprehensive manner. The material is presented in a very simple format, with bullet points and short paragraphs, as well as maps. This makes the entire reading experience easy, quick and enjoyable.

The World Federation provides blankets and water tanks for Zawwars - Arba'een 1435

During the time of Arba'een 1435, The World Federation distributed 1000 warm blankets to assist zawwars walking from Najaf to Kerbala. In addition, The World Federation assisted in putting up 14 – 2000 litre water tanks along the route.

Al-Amaali: The Dictations of Sheikh al-Mufid

This book reflects sessions of learning held in the month of Ramadhan where Shaykh al-Mufid, one of the most important Shi'a scholars in history, narrated traditions with their chains of narration while his students wrote them down.

Madinah and Bab 2013: 'home away from home'

Sumaiya Ladak of Mombasa writes, "3 weeks away from home was quite a challenging thought at first as I'd never stayed away from my family for so long; but it was exciting!"

Europe

Milad-un-Nabi 1435 – KSIMC of Birmingham holds Interfaith Programmes

The KSIMC of Birmingham celebrated the anniversary of the birth of Prophet Muhammad (SAW) and Imam Jaffer Sadiq (AS) over three days from Thursday 16 to Saturday 18 January 2014. Invitations were sent to members of the local faith communities to attend the functions at the mosque. Speakers from the Christian and Sunni communities also addressed the congregation.

Tribute to Marhum Haiderbhai Haji by Birmingham Jamaat

Haiderbhai was born in 1933 in Dar es Salaam (Tanzania) where he studied and qualified as an engineer. He worked for various companies selling vehicles in Tanzania and Zambia before joining Trans World Airlines as an Engineer.

Africa

New Issue of Federation Samachar Available

This 96 page issue carries news and views (from at least eight correspondents) from around the world and special

tributes to Marhum Ebrahimbhai Sheriff and Marhum Mulla Asgherali M.M. Jaffer.

Africa Federation Delegation Visit to India – Exploring Newer Avenues and Cooperation

Superbly organized by the Mumbai Jamaat, the 6th EXCO meeting was held at Hotel Sahara Star near Santacruz in Mumbai on Saturday, 4th January, 2014, it was a well-attended meeting. Councillors, invitees and members from various Jamaats and Institutions of our community travelled from far and from other towns of India to attend the meeting.

BMMK – Crash course at Matuga Madrassah Amirul Muuminiina

In the effort to continue to increase and spread the understanding of Islamic and Ahlul Bayt (a.s) teachings to the youths, the Mission conducted its second Holiday Class during the Annual Vacation from school at Madrassah Amirul Muuminiina, Matuga.

BMMK – Meeladun Nabi

To mark the birth anniversary of the Holy Prophet (s.a.w.w), Bilal Muslim Mission of Kenya organized a grand function on 18th January 2014 at the Bilal Hall, Mombasa.

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