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

News and Events

The World Federation News

Ramadhan Relief 1433: Aid distribution underway in Mumbai, India

The World Federation's Ramadhan Relief programme is well underway in the cities of Mumbai, Thane, Panvel Bhivandi, Palghar and Pune providing food baskets and cash gifts to Sadaat and non-Sadaat families living in poverty.

The World Federation and AFED jointly sponsor water wells in famine stricken regions of Kenya

The World Federation launched an appeal for the 'East Africa Famine Crisis' in August 2011 in response to the famine crisis in East Africa. The World Federation provided funds which were donated generously by our community members towards this humanitarian assistance and Africa Federation is overseeing the logistics and also managing the financial of this project.

New CPD: Quranic Sciences, 22-23 September 2012

The World Federation is committed to providing Islamic education through effective in-depth courses and modules on Islamic subjects. These short modules are known as CPD (Continuous Personal Development) courses and are

primarily aimed at Muballigheen (i.e. Ulama and Zakireen), and thereafter at Madrasah Teachers and personnel.

The World Federation facilitates 32 mass marriages – Mianwali, Pakistan

Countless men and women across the world look forward to the day when they will get married; but, for so many who live in poverty, the cost of getting married is an obstacle to their dream. On 29 March 2012, The World Federation facilitated the mass marriage of 32 couples in Mianwali, Pakistan.

GCSE Resources

The World Federation has a mandate to support the madaris in the process of the introduction and continuation of GCSE & A Level qualifications in Islam as per the AQA examination board specification.

A Helping hand for those in Need

Through this initiative, The World Federation and CoEJ is willing to assist our European Community Members with financial support should they need it to help them meet their staple requirements (i.e. Rice, wheat, sugar etc) and any other basic necessities.

The HIRIDJEE Loan– deadline approaching!

The HIRIDJEE loan for 2012 is now available to all female students only, up to a maximum of GBP 10,000 per student per year for three consecutive years. Deadline for application is 15 August, 2012– apply now!

Madinah al-Ilm and Bab al-Ilm short summer courses 2012 – daily updates

Following months of preparation, the 9th Madinah al Ilm and Bab al Ilm short summer courses in Iran are now underway. The courses will be full of inspirational lectures, meetings

with renowned scholars as well as visits to various places of interest around Iran. The participants will have the opportunity to visit Mashad, Qum as well as Tehran and experience the first few days of the month of Ramadhan whilst on the trip.

AFRICA

Live lecture and Dua sessions – Dar es Salaam Tanzania

Once again, with the grace of Allah (SWT) the Mediaroom of KSIJ Dar is pleased to inform the community members around the globe that we will be continuing covering "LIVE" lectures of Maulana Sadiq Hassan in Urdu directly from the Khoja Shia Ithna Asheri Jamaat Imambargah Dares Salaam, Tanzania.

ABSN Newsbox July 2012

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

Shooting Attack in Oak Creek, Wisconsin Place of Worship

The Organization of North American Shia Ithnasheri Muslim Communities (NASIMCO) is shocked and deeply saddened by the attack that took place in the morning of Sunday, August 5, 2012 at the Gurudwara (Sikh Temple) in Oak Creek, Wisconsin. Reports indicate that a gunman took the lives of 6 people and with three others seriously injured, before being shot himself, by the law enforcement officer responding to the incident.

ALI Website - Resources for the month of Ramadan

The ALI website is updated each day. Visit it regularly for a spiritual upliftment during this holy time. Use the following resources to help you make the most of the holy month of Ramadan.

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