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OF KHOJA SHIA ITHNA-ASHERI MUSLIM COMMUNITIES

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

News and Events

[Dar al Tableegh Seminar: 'Knowledge of the Self'](#)

The World Federation's Islamic Education team is pleased to announce the next educational seminar at Dar al Tableegh. This seminar aims at providing essential information for recognising the 'self' or 'soul'.

[Celebrating World Water Day, March 22](#)

In December 1992, the United Nations General Assembly adopted a resolution declaring 22 March as World Day for Water, to be observed each year.

[World Federation calendar: Nowrooz time correction](#)

The World Federation would like to inform all community members that there is an error with respect to the time for Nowrooz on its 2009 (1430/1431) calendar/planner.

[The World Federation awarded membership to End Water Poverty](#)

On 13 March 2009, The World Federation was awarded membership to End Water Poverty, an international campaign that aims to bring an end to the global water and sanitation crisis.

[Madagascar Unrest: UK travel advisory in effect](#)

The Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) of the United Kingdom has issued a travel advisory for British Citizens wanting to travel to Madagascar.

[Economic Bulletin No. 3: the financial crisis in Canada](#)

Recently, deliberations on the impact of the current and evolving financial crisis, measures taken by world leaders and opportunities arising from this slump took place between a number of Canadian financial experts.

[Alim and Zakir Conference 2008 summary notes – Milton Keynes, UK](#)

Following requests for summary notes and details of power point presentations of the Alim and Zakir Conference that took place on 23rd November 2008, please note that these have now been posted on The Council of European Jamaat's website.

[Hujjat Jamaat holds Interfaith Husayn Day – London, UK](#)

On Sunday 22 February 2009, the Hujjat Jamaat in Stanmore held their 2nd Annual Interfaith Husayn Day. The success of last year's event was reflected in the increased turnout this year with over 900 people in the audience and a further 200 listeners online.

[Seniors pay tribute to past chairmen – Mombasa, Kenya](#)

On Friday 27th February 2009 all senior members of the Mombasa community got together at Jaffery Sports Club to pay tribute to all Marhumeen who over the years served as Presidents of the Mombasa

[Leeds Jamaat obtains sponsorship license](#)

On 30th November 2008 The KSIMC of Leeds made an application for sponsorship license under the new Points Based System (PBS) administered by the UK Border Agency.

[JIBA Business Loans Scheme](#)

JIBA Tanzania announced its new partnership with the Economic Empowerment Committee of the KSI Jamaat of Dar es Salaam where JIBA is now going to manage the Business Loans Scheme.

[Student results shine in Cambridge International Examination Results – Dar es Salaam, Tanzania](#)

Students of the Al Muntazir Islamic Seminary sat for the Cambridge International Examination and finally, the much awaited results were released on 22nd January 2009.

[WHIPAS: A heart-warming moment at Haven of Peace](#)

On the morning of Sunday 8 March 2008, the staff at WHIPAS' newly built orphanage, *Haven of Peace Home* enjoyed a gratifying moment as they helped 19 children learn the Arabic alphabet.

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