

## 1<sup>st</sup> Jamaada al Thaani 1429

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2008** for Mu'mineen residing in Central Asia, Middle East, North and Central Africa and the Americas except for the southern tip of South America.

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2008** for Mu'mineen in the rest of the world.

Based on our community sighting criteria, the first sighting of the crescent should InshaaAllah occur in Central Asia on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> June, 2008. Mu'mineen in Mongolia should be the first to be able to sight the crescent.

Should the crescent be sighted as expected, in accordance with the rulings of Ayatullah Seestani (based on the Theory of Differing Horizons), 1<sup>st</sup> Jamaada al Thaani 1429 will be on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> June, 2008 for Mu'mineen residing in Central Asia, Middle East, North and Central Africa and the Americas except for the southern tip of South America. Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2008 for Mu'mineen in the rest of the world.

Calculations for determining the possibility of crescent sighting in London for Jamaada al Thaani 1429. (All times are local London time.)

Astronomical new moon: Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2008 at 8:24 (p.m.)

Sunset on Tuesday 3/06 9:11 p.m.

Crescent age at sunset 0hr 48min.

Moonset on Tuesday 3/06 9:38 p.m.

Duration 27 min.

Elongation at sunset 3.8 degrees

Moon Altitude at sunset 2.3 degrees

**NO POSSIBILITY of the crescent to be sighted on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2008.**

Sunset on Wednesday 4/06 9:12 p.m.

Crescent age at sunset 24hr 48min

Moonset on Wednesday 4/06 10:48 p.m.

Duration 1hr 36min

Elongation at sunset 14.5 degrees

Moon altitude at sunset 10.4 degrees

**POSSIBILITY of the crescent to be sighted on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2008.**

