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

News and Events

The World Federation News

The World Federation appoints Shaykh Komail Rajani as manager of Qum Office

Shaykh Komail was born in Mahuva India in 1980. After completing his SSC exams, he joined the Hawza in Qum in 1998. He has since completed his BA and MA in Comparative Religions, with a special focus on Indian religions. His MA thesis was titled, 'Bohras: in the Scrolls of History and Ideas'.

The Hawza Ilmiyyah in Qum – a guide to programmes, entry requirements and assistance

The Hawza Ilmiyyah in Qum - a historic academic entity and a beacon of spiritual rejuvenation worldwide, has seen a huge spike in interest recently from students worldwide, seeking to benefit from the sublime Islamic teaching as taught by the Ahl al-Bait (as).

Europe

Resident Alim of Wessex Jamaat recognised as 'Hospital Chaplin'

Sheikh Fazle Abbas Dattoo has been recognised as a 'Hospital Chaplain' by the Hospital Trust of Portsmouth Hospital and will be doing the work of the appointed chaplains.

Job Vacancy – Office Manager in the KSIMC Birmingham Jamaat Office

An Opportunity has arisen for the position of an Office Manager in the KSIMC of Birmingham Jamaat Office. Ideal candidate will have previous experience in a similar office environment, must be computer literate and have supervisory experience. The prospective candidate should have good communications skills both verbal and written.

Africa

Africa Federation Tableegh Board organised conference of Resident Alims

This was the first such conference since 1982. The conference was organised in Dar es Salaam from 29-30 October 2010, and was chaired by Sayyid Hassan Naqvi, chairman of AFTAB.

Two community members excel in the Tanzanian National Elections – 2010

The Chairman, Alhajj Anwarali Dharamsi on behalf of the Africa Federation and members of the community extend their heartiest congratulations to Honourable Alhaj Mohamed Gulam Dewji (GD) and Honourable Alhaj Hasnain Mohamed Murji for being elected in the recent elections as Members of Parliament of United Republic of Tanzania for a five-year term, both being from CCM party from mainland, Tanzania.

The Africa Federation Sports Council Urafiki Cricket Festival in Arusha attracts 100 Sportsmen

A total of 6 teams including the defending champions Dubai, Mombasa, Dar A, Dar B, Nairobi and hosts Arusha participated in this highly competitive sports event that brought together 100 sportsmen from various Jamaats in Africa and Dubai, UAE.

North America

A visit to Mahdi school – Bhavnagar, India

Sister Sakina Dewji, a teacher in Toronto, Ontario had the opportunity to visit India for four weeks this past summer with her colleague Sue McNay. As a part of their travels, they visited The Mahdi school, as well as various centres during the month of Ramdhan.

Breast Cancer Awareness Report – Orlando, Florida

The Breast Cancer Awareness program catered to an audience of ladies ages twenty-five and above. The session had forty-five participants attend. Upon entering, the ladies received breast cancer pins and were later given enlightening pamphlets and fliers.

Pakistan

KSI Senior Citizens Forum Newsletter – November 2010

The KSI Senior Citizens Forum, Karachi has released its November 2010 newsletter. The seniors have participated in several activities over the month, including celebrating International Day, and holding the Annual General Meeting & Elections.

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