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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

The World Federation News

The World Federation of KSIMC meets with the Archbishop of Canterbury at Interfaith event

The delegation was warmly welcomed by the Dawoodi Bohra Community who explained some of the key teachings of their faith via displays and individual speakers.

Hunza River in danger of overflowing – Pakistan

A frightening threat looms on the horizon as the rise in water level in the 16km-long lake on the Hunza River has reached a dangerous level – causing more landslides that may eventually pressure the banks of the lake to burst. Hunza is located in the Gilgit-Baltistan area of Northern Pakistan.

KSIM Seniors of Stanmore donate to ZCSS

The annual KSIM Seniors of Stanmore Zainabiya Day function to celebrate the life of Sayyida Zainab (A.S.) was held on 21 April 2010 at Stanmore. Seniors and distinguished speakers from all the Jamaats in the UK were invited as customary and topical issues were discussed.

Zainabiya Health Centre provides 306 patients with specialist treatment in Lucknow in 2009

Whilst there are many medical clinics that offer the services of a general physician, the Zainabiya Health Centre in

Lucknow provides a rare opportunity for the poor and destitute to access the services of specialist doctors who treat patients suffering from specific diseases and illnesses.

Tropical Cyclone Hubert devastates Shia community - Madagascar

According to the latest estimates, at least 36 people were killed, more than 85,000 injured and about 38,000 left homeless. To complicate matters more, the danger of epidemics due to rising sea levels are high and to this end the risk of diarrhoea, malaria and respiratory infections are growing.

Advancement in health care hinges on new digital x-ray machine – Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

Protecting the health and wellness of our families is important to us and in this spirit, The World Federation of KSIMC is urging community members worldwide to help fund a new digital x-ray machine for the Ebrahim Haji Charitable Health Centre in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania.

English DVD: Parents, Sharia and Fiqh

In this latest series of lectures by Mulla Asghar, Mulla begins by outlining the Islamic jurisprudential system and the science of Fiqh.

The World Federation of KSIMC organises student revision and exam technique support session On 18 April 2010, the Islamic Education team organised a full day of support training for madaris students who will be taking the AQA GCSE this year. The training was conducted by Diana Hayden, one of the AQA Principal Examiners.

CHB News Flash 102: CHB welcomes health specialists from Chennai, India

Dr. K Latchumanadhas and Dr. Rajan will be touring Nairobi, Mombasa, Dar es Salaam, Moshi and Arusha over a period of 2 ½ weeks, and will be conducting cardiac camps for

patients. The camps will run in various locations from 15 - 29 May, 2010.

Regional News

Europe

Mulla Asghar Memorial Day: Mon 31 May 2010

To honour his memory, The KSIMC of London, Stanmore will be holding The Mulla Asghar Memorial Day on Monday 31 May 2010. Speakers will include Dr. Sibtain Panjwani and Al-Haj Muhsin Jaffer.

Girls retreat – spiritually recharge in the mountains of Switzerland

The Khawateen Committee of The Council of European Jamaats presents this year's first ever Girls Retreat for girls aged 16-18. The committee will be hosting the event from 19- 24 July 2010 in Switzerland.

Update - The Seniors Network Desk of The Council of European Jamaats Trip to Dar-es-Salaam

The Council of European Jamaats is pleased to inform all members that the Senior Network Desk trip to East Africa is now in the final stages of its completion.

Africa

Brilliant Student Award for Higher Education – 2010

The Education Board of Africa Federation is pleased to introduce an annual scholarship programme that will offer a one time award of USD 5,000 to two students (one male and one female) who have displayed a consistent record of academic excellence.

Al Muntazir Islamic Seminary post results for A Levels – Dar es Salaam

The Form 6 NECTA class of 2010 has passed their national exams with flying colors. More than half of the batch, (51%) of students have procured either Div 1 or Div 2.

Career Counselling Scholarship ACS Distance Education – Africa

The Education Board of Africa Federation is pleased to introduce a Career Counselling scholarship programme offering a full scholarship to two students who wish to pursue a Certificate in Career Counselling with ACS Distance Education.

North America

Annual NASIMCO Conference

NASIMCO cordially invites you to attend its 30th Annual Conference which will be held at the Islamic Shia Ithnasheri Jamaat of Toronto on 5 June 2010.

IEC Madrasah hosts Interfaith Event – Orlando, Florida

The TA class of 2010 took the initiative and invited various churches and synagogues to come visit Hussein Islamic Center on the 21 April 2010. This interfaith event was well attended with 25 guests from non-Muslim institutions and 28 members from the community.

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