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

**News and Events**

**Eid al-Hajj 1429: Qurbani Arrangements**

The WF, in partnership with Africa Federation, NASIMCO and CoEJ, is arranging for Qurbani requests to be carried out through the Muslim Bilal Mission in Tanzania and Kenya. The cost for the Qurbani of a goat is £20. For Eid-ul-Hajj Qurbani, the deadline for requests is December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2008. Make your payments via WF, NASIMCO or CoEJ. For more, email [secretariat@world-federation.org](mailto:secretariat@world-federation.org)

**Africa Task Force Briefing with Muballigheen**

On November 7, 2008, local muballigheen attended an update presentation on the Africa Task Force, an action point of the 2005 IEB Muballigheen Retreat. The report was presented by its author, Br. Muhsin Nathani. For more, email [islamiceducation@world-federation.org](mailto:islamiceducation@world-federation.org)

**Ramadhan Relief 1429:**

**Serving Bangladesh**

Read a detailed report on the distribution of aid to over 200 families in Bangladesh during Ramadhan on the WF website.

**Serving Kanodar, Pakistan**

The WF successfully held various programs and aid relief in the region of kanodar, Pakistan, through its Ramadhan Relief program this past Ramadhan. Read details on the WF website.

For more on Ramadhan Relief 1429, email [relief@world-federation.org](mailto:relief@world-federation.org)

### **Qum Office Celebrates Wiladats**

The WF Qum Office organized a celebration in honor of the Wiladats of Imam Ridha (AS) and Bibi Fatima Masuma (SA). For more, email [islamiceducation@world-federation.org](mailto:islamiceducation@world-federation.org)

### **Madinah al Ilm Summer Course**

Read Hussein Walji's story about his experience during the Madinah al Ilm Summer Course organized by the WF on the WF website.

### **Sponsor the NASIMCO Youth Awards**

In 2007, NASIMCO established the scholarship 'Community Service and Academic Achievement Awards' to encourage youth in North America to strive for academic and community success. Last year, 5 such scholarships were awarded in. NASIMCO is seeking donors to sponsor these scholarships, requesting a minimum of \$1000 per sponsorship. Please contact [info@nasimco.org](mailto:info@nasimco.org) to participate.

### **Madrasah Milk Porridge Programme 2008**

Porridge is provided at all students of Bilal Muslim Mission of Kenya centers, courtesy of Imam Sahebu Zaman Trust (UK) which has committed to 250GBP since July 2008 for 2 years for this purpose. This initiative has attracted students to the center and drawn appreciation from the local communities. For more, email [admin@kenbilal.org](mailto:admin@kenbilal.org)

### **BMMK Teachers Offered Workshop**

As part of community service, the senior teachers from the Jaffery Nursery school of the Khoja Shia Ithna Asheri Education Board conducted a professional development workshop on November 3, 2008 for the Bilal Muslim Mission of Kenya (BMMK) teachers of Samburu, Chengoni and Mackinnon Road Pre-Primary Schools.

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