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

News and Events

Message from the President to the Community

The president of the WF, Dr Ahmed Hassam, is addressing the community as he embarks upon his second term of presidency. The president expresses appreciation for support received and offers some insights into existing issues and the challenges ahead. The president finally implores all to unite and work together towards the common purpose of the organization. To read the complete message, visit the WF website.

Lebanon Relief 2006, Report 2

As the war continues, as war crimes continue to be committed, as innocent lives continue to be lost, as thousands of homes continue to become a mere plot of land with piles of broken bricks, we still in Syria continue to aid the humanitarian requirements of the Lebanese citizens who have become displaced.

News always comes before my ears, new faces always come before my eyes, new needs always come to my attention. Reality only gives one a limit to what he can do. To read the full report by Hussein Ravji from Syria, visit the WF website. You are requested to donate generously towards this noble cause. For further information, email secretariat@world-federation.org

'The Spiritual Journey' by Zahra Foundation

Zahra Foundation is pleased to offer 'the Spiritual Journey', a distance-learning certificate course designed to self-purify and self-build in one's journey towards the Almighty. For further information, email jameelyk@aol.com or visit <http://www.zahrafoundation.com> or <http://www.concentrationinprayer.com>

Dar-ul-Muslimeen Organizes 'Bibi Fatima (AS) Seminar' – Dodoma, Tanzania

A Seminar, "Jihad and Contribution of Bibi Fatima (as) for the Muslim Society", was organised by Dar-ul-Muslimeen for Muslim ladies of Dodoma Municipality, on Saturday 29th July 2006. Participants from both Shia and Sunni communities were presented with talks on the following topics: "Teachings from the life of Bibi Fatima (as) as a daughter, wife, mother and Mujahidah" by Mrs. Ruiya Abdishakur, "Merits of Bibi Fatima (as) and her contributions to the Muslim society" by Miss. Rehema Swalehe and "The difficulties faced by Bibi Fatima (as) after the death of Prophet Muhammad (saww) and our responsibilities" by Mrs. Fatima Nassoro. The audience reported acquiring valuable lessons from the presentations on the life of Bibi Fatima (as) to further implement as responsibilities of Muslim women. Read a complete report on the WF website. For further information, email dar-ul-muslimeen@raha.com or visit www.darulmuslimeen.org

Student Orientation Program by Africa Youth Network

The Africa Youth Network, AYN, and the Education Board of Africa Federation, in conjunction with Ithna Asheri Union of Dar es Salaam and Literary Section is organising the 3rd Student Orientation Program for Boys and Girls who are proceeding to university/college in September 2006 or January 2007. The program shall take place on Friday 11th August and Saturday 12th August 2006 and shall be moderated by Dr. Murtaza Allidina. Students will also be able to meet a diversified group of students already in universities, who will share their experiences. Registration forms available online at the WF website. For further information, email kvilla@ikenya.com

Your calendar

Wafat Sayyida Zainab (AS), 15th Rajab 1427 – August 2006

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