

1st Muharram 1429

Thursday 10th January 2008 for Mu'mineen all over the world except Australia, New Zealand, North Asia and Northern Europe.

Friday 11th January 2008 for Mu'mineen in Australia, New Zealand, North Asia and Northern Europe.

Based on our community sighting criteria, the crescent would not be sighted anywhere on earth on Tuesday 8th January, 2008. The first sighting of the crescent should InshaaAllah occur in the Pacific Ocean on Wednesday 9th January, 2008. Mu'mineen in Malaysia 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), 1st Muharram 1429 will be on Thursday 10th January, 2008 for Mu'mineen all over the world except for those residing in Australia, New Zealand, Northern Asia and Northern Europe. Friday 11th January, 2008 for Mu'mineen in Australia, New Zealand, North Asia and Northern Europe.

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

Astronomical new moon: Tuesday 8th January 2008 at 11:38 (a.m.)

Sunset on Tuesday 8/1 4:10 p.m.
Crescent age at sunset 4hr 33min.
Moonset on Tuesday 8/1 3:52 p.m.
Duration - 18 min.
Elongation at sunset 4.2 degrees
Moon Altitude at sunset - 2.2 degrees

NO POSSIBILITY of the crescent to be sighted on Tuesday 8th January 2008.

Sunset on Wednesday 9/1 4:11 p.m.
Crescent age at sunset 28hr 34min.
Moonset on Wednesday 9/1 5:10 p.m.
Duration 59 min.
Elongation at sunset 13.6 degrees
Moon Altitude at sunset 5.7 degrees

POSSIBILITY of the crescent to be sighted on Wednesday 9th January 2008.

