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

News and Events

The Exemplary Services of Dr. Mohamed Taki Walji

At the 10th WF Triennial Conference, the WF president, Dr. Hassam, presented Dr. Mohamed Taki Walji with an honorary citation for his dedicated services as the chairman of the WF Medical Advisory Board, MAB, for 20 years. Under the leadership of Dr. Walji, the WF MAB has transformed the overall health of the community through various programs and projects. Complete report available on the WF website.

ZCSS Convention - Dubai, UAE

The Zainabiya Child Sponsorship Scheme, ZCSS, held its convention on September 14, 2006 at the Satwa Imambargha, Dubai. The ZCSS Vice Chairman, Br. Sajjad Tejani presented an outline of the presentation, providing an overview on the progress of the scheme. Personal accounts were offered by two ZCSS graduates. Discussions ensued around the Quality of Education, Transparency of Handling Funds and the Sourcing of Higher Education Funds. Complete report available on the website.

India Documentary: The Participants

Continuing with sharing the profile of the participants chosen for the WF's documentary on India, the next participant is Mohamed Sabur, 23, of Washington DC. Born and raised in Minnesota, Mohamed graduated from the University of Minnesota with a B.A. in Political Science, with a concentration in Law and Politics, and a minor in South Asian and Middle Eastern Studies. Active in various organizations, Mohamed currently works on Capitol Hill as Communications Assistant to Congresswoman Betty McCollum. Visit the WF website for a complete profile.

CHB of AFED Needs Dental Chair for Charity Health Center – Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania

The Central Health Board, CHB, of the Africa Federation is in need of a dentist's chair to replace the aging one at the Ebrahim Haji Charitable Health Centre, Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania. In the future, CHB will be sending out a similar appeal for other medical equipment that requires replacement. As part of its vision plan, CHB is focusing on making improvements at the Ebrahim Haji Health Center and the Temeke Dispensary. CHB is grateful for any assistance in this matter. For more information, email federation@raha.com

Holy Ramadhan Fasting Survey

Dr. Tauseef Mehrali from Birmingham is currently undertaking an anonymous survey of fasting patterns during the Holy month of Ramadhan of children within UK. The purpose of the study is to determine demographic data and patterns of fasting amongst those between 4 and 11 years of age. Please complete this 5 minute survey by visiting <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.asp?u=568612659451>
For further information, email tauseef@mehrali.com

Youth Friends Iftaar Program – Wessex, UK

The youth of Wessex hosted a Youth Friends Iftaar Program where youths invited their friends to share Iftaar. An enjoyable program to 'spread the word' was presented leaving everyone with a better understanding of Islam, and especially fasting. For more, email info@almahdi.org.uk

CHB News Flash – Diabetic Eye Disease

Visit the WF website for the latest Central Health Board, CHB, News Flash on Diabetic Eye Disease.

Your Calendar

Yaum e Gham, 8th Shawwal 1427 – November 2006

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