SPORTS

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KUWAIT CITY, June 7: The PKL “Five in a Row” continued as it reached the summit in the PKL, which was held at the Hol- liday Inn Sports Club on Monday. The match was won by a 4-2 margin by the home team against the visiting team from the UKAD Anti-Doping (UKAD).

**FANS PETITION TO RETIRE TIOTE’S NUMBER**

London: The sense of loss still lingers after the sad passing of football legend Cheick Tiote, who played for Newcastle United, with fans petitioning to retire his number.

**BASKETBALL**

Liverpool: The LCC and JC Nets battled it out on the courts as the LCC team finished in second place in the 11th day of the 38th Late Abdullah Meshari Al-Roudhan Futsal Tournament 2017 with a convincing win, 79-71.

**SOCCER**

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**Top and above: Photos taken during 38th Late Abdullah Meshari Al-Roudhan Futsal Tournament 2017’s first dream game.**

**HOTSHOTS HOLD OFF ERPATS AS VIRTUOUS, BADANAS WIN**

Alesna shiners, JC Nets overpowered LCC 79-77.

**Bottom row:** Clarke Yasser, Mini Al-Mulla, Falah Abbas, Brazilian superstar Ryan Giggs, and Malaysian football superstar Tareq el-Tayeb were part of the official opening ceremony of the 38th Late Abdullah Meshari Al-Roudhan Futsal Tournament 2017.

**Flashback**

**Kimmich: ‘too soon’**

Bayern Munich midfielder Joshua Kimmich, who helped his team win the 2015 Africa Cup of Nations, has said that he would have liked to see team-mate Tiote playing for another two years.

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