

What's On



Photos from the event.

RCCG Mt. Z Parish holds Sisters Convention 2019

By Grace Antiedu

In a joyous atmosphere, RCCG Mt. Z Parish held the Sisters Convention 2019 under the theme "God's Masterpiece...Created for Good Works" at its auditorium in Salmiya area.

The Sisters Convention was witness to a series of activities by the RCCG Mt. Z

Women Choreography and Drama Groups, as well as seminars for singles and married couples, and a round table that discussed the godly upbringing of children.

Meanwhile, following success of the maiden edition launched last August, Mt. Z Parish recently hosted "Worship Invasion 102" featuring Minister Faith Amike-

wait. Pastor and Mrs Samuel Kasali, Minister Faith and the pulsating parish choir led the congregation to worship God through music and other expressions of service. Other RCCG parishes in the country were represented in the two events -amid a large turnout of worshippers from other churches and individuals.

contract bridge

By Steve Becker

Test your play

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General

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Reception; Auditorium show; (according to age group); Touring the Mosque; Q & A; Art workshops; (according to age group - between 5 and 18 years old); Snack break; Distribution of the Grand Mosque publications and souvenirs; End of tour.

According to these age groups:
Age group: 5 to 9 years old: Morning: 60 visitors max; Evening: 20; 10 to 15 years: Morning: 100 visitors max; Evening: 45; 16 and above: Morning: 140 visitors max; Evening: 105;

Tour language: Arabic- English- French: Arabic (English upon prior request); Arabic- English- French; Arabic (English upon prior request); Arabic- English- French: Arabic (English upon prior request)

Rules and Regulations:
■ Please arrive in time for your visit.
■ All visitors are kindly required to abide by the mosque's dress code. Male visitors should wear long pants, shorts and sleeveless shirts are not allowed. Female visitors: should wear head cover and long loose clothing (available at the mosque).
■ Foods and drinks are not allowed inside the prayer halls.
■ For school visits, teachers are responsible for their students and are required to cooperate with the staff members of the Grand Mosque.
■ Photography is allowed inside the Grand Mosque (please note that disrespectful poses are strictly prohibited).

If you would like to book a tour, please contact us:
Tel: 22980813/ 22980815/ 22980812
Email: gmvisits@gmail.com
Fax: 22473708

Share your story with Amricani: Do you or any of your family members, acquaintances or friends happen to have a story with the American Missionary hospital in Kuwait (Mustashfa Lemraicani) during the years from 1914-1967, the official period of offering medical services in Kuwait?

Please share with us your story or your memory during those old days by writing the event and sending it to the following email address: Mystory@darmuseum.org.kw

Notes: 1. Please send your story only to the above mentioned email. Story shared in Instagram, Facebook or Twitter will not be considered.

2. Please write your story or memory and sign it with your full name, and your contact number.

3. It will be great if you send us your personal photos or those of the place related to the story (optional).

Your story will be part of a new book to be published by DAL.

I am confident that your contributions will be an essential part of the history of Amricani. Share with us!

NYF offers free yoga classes: NYF Kuwait

1. You are declarer with the West hand at Four Hearts, and North leads the three of diamonds. South wins with the ace and returns the deuce of diamonds to your king. Assuming that the trumps are divided 2-2, how would you play the hand?

WEST	EAST
♠ 9 5 4	♠ K 3
♥ A Q 10 7	♥ K J 9 5 2
♦ K Q	♦ 9 6 4
♣ A 6 5 3	♣ K J 8

2. You are declarer with the West hand at Three Notrump. North leads the six of spades, and you win South's jack with the queen. How would you play the hand?

WEST	EAST
♠ A Q 10	♠ 8 4 2
♥ A 10 3	♥ K J 6
♦ A 10 5	♦ Q J 8
♣ Q 9 8 2	♣ K J 10 5

1. To assure 10 tricks, draw two rounds of trump, ruff dummy's nine of diamonds and lead a low club. If North follows low, finesse the eight! Even if South wins the eight with the nine or ten, he must hand you the contract, whatever he returns.

Thus, a club return into dummy's K-J would allow you to eventually discard a spade from dummy on your

ace of clubs; a spade return would establish dummy's king; and a diamond return would allow you to ruff in your hand and discard a spade from dummy.

If North happens to produce the nine or ten when you lead a low club toward the K-J-8, you simply cover with the jack to create the same impregnable position.

2. The contract is certain if you play correctly. All you have to do to ensure a favorable outcome is to cross to the king of hearts, lead the queen of diamonds and finesse. If the queen loses to the king, North cannot return a spade or a heart without handing you a trick, after which you can guarantee 10 tricks by driving out the ace of clubs. If he returns a diamond or club instead, you simply establish clubs to assure nine tricks.

If the diamond finesse wins at trick three, you abandon the suit and shift your attention to clubs, forcing out the ace. Again, you are sure of at least nine tricks.

If you were to lead a club at trick two, which is tempting, you could wind up with your arm in a sling. South might win with the ace and return a spade, and the contract would then be up for grabs.

Tomorrow: Protecting your investment.

offers free yoga, breathing, meditation and reiki classes by a well-experienced female yoga teacher for all age groups. Classes are given on the basis of different health problems, stress and other problems by different techniques. Contact: 99315825.

Leadership Excellence Course: The Leadership Excellence Course (LEC) is a course modeled on the Seerah of Rasoolullah who is the best model of leadership for all mankind. The LEC focuses on the lessons that we can learn from the Seerah of Rasoolullah and see how we can apply them in our lives to become winners in this world and the next.

The objectives of the course are 1. Understand what leadership is from the Seerah of Rasoolullah and how to apply it in our lives today 2. Under-

stand the purpose of our lives and learn to live that purpose with confidence 3. Understand the importance of connecting to Allah and learn how to do it 4. Understand how to leverage your strengths and overcome weaknesses 5. Understand how to articulate your life goal and create a road map to achieve it.

For more information please visit www.leckuwait.com or call 99514995 / 66363310.

Ugandans register with UIK: Are you a Ugandan living and working in Kuwait? Would you like to get in touch with other Ugandans in Kuwait both socially and professionally? Then please get in touch with us. We would like to invite you to register with the Ugandans in Kuwait (UIK) association, an informal organization of Ugandans living and working in Kuwait.



The purpose of this exercise is to get together as Ugandans and to consider taking the first steps to establishing a more formal organisation. This association is voluntary. It is designed to create a forum for Ugandans in Kuwait to foster a sense of community, to communicate more effectively with each other and to encourage Ugandans out here to work together. We are also planning a celebration to mark 50 years of Ugandan's Independence this year. If you have any questions regarding this association or if you are interested in registering, then please send us an email at ugandansinkuwait@gmail.com. We hope to hear from you soon.

Free drum music classes: Free professional drum music classes are available at Salmiya for all age groups from beginners to advanced by a well experienced drum teacher. For more details: 94974295.

Indian Embassy SPDC notice: Attention of all Indian associations/Indian schools in Kuwait is once again drawn to Scholarship Programme for Diaspora Children (SPDC) which was introduced by Government of India in the academic year 2006-2007 with the objective to make higher education in India accessible to the children of overseas Indians and promote India as a centre for higher studies. Under the scheme, 100 PIO/NRI students

were awarded scholarship of up to US\$ 4,000 per annum for undergraduate courses in Engineering, Technology, Humanities, Liberal Arts, Commerce, Management, Journalism, Hotel Management, Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and some other courses.

The scheme is open to NRIs/PIOs from over 40 countries (including Kuwait) having substantial Indian Diaspora population.

The Scheme was revamped and launched in July 2016. Under the revamped Scheme, number of scholarships has been enhanced from 100 to 150 with introduction of 50 scholarships for children of Indian workers employed in the Emigration Check Required (ECR) countries. The Scheme is now applicable to four categories of applicants:

- (i) Persons of Indian Origin
- (ii) Non-Resident Indians
- (iii) Children of Indian workers working in ECR countries (including Kuwait).
- (iv) Children of Indian workers in ECR countries - studying in India

The institutions that are covered under this Scheme are:

- (i) NITs, IITs, Schools of Planning and Architecture
- (ii) "A" Grade institutions accredited by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) and recognised by University Grants Commission (UGC).
- (iii) Other institutions covered under Direct Admission of Students Abroad (DASA) scheme.

Income criteria will be applicable to all four categories. Applicants will seek scholarships after they obtain admission in the approved list of educational institutions.

Applications are required to be submitted online at SPDC portal - <http://spdcindia.gov.in/login/index.php>. Last date for submission of applications was extended till Oct 14, 2016. Nodal officer for SPDC is P. Bharadwaj, Deputy Secretary (OIA-II), Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, Tel: 00-91-11-24197952, Email: dsoia2@mea.gov.in

Islamic and Arabic courses: Islamic and Arabic courses are being offered at the Enlightenment into Islam Center starting from 5:00-7:00 pm.

Registrations can be done at the main office - Women's Committee in Qurtoba. For more information contact: 24322684, 25362693, 97743327 and 25362681.

Islamic classes in French: The Enlightenment into Islam is offering Islamic Classes in French for ladies. Timings 4:30 to 7 pm. Every Wednesday. Please register at the office (Women's Section), 2nd floor. For more information please contact us. Telephone 25362684, 99789954, 99507076, 97743327. Fax 25342573 (attention - Enlightenment into Islam)

Bridge game: Bridge tournament is being held every Sunday and Wednesday at 20:00 hours, played at the Graduates Club, next to Kuwait Engineering Society. Interested Bridge pairs or individual players please contact Mohammed Merchant, Tel: 24815622, 24841158, 99612287.

Concepts Sudoku

The grid must be so completed that every row, column and 3x3 box has every digit from 1 to 9 inclusive

By Dave Green

6	5		2					3
		9						
8		1	4					
	4			9				7
	9					5		
3	2			4				
		3	7					1
			6					
1		4		5				8

Difficulty Level ★★★★★

Answer to yesterday's puzzle

3	5	7	8	6	4	9	2	1
1	8	4	2	3	9	5	6	7
2	6	9	7	1	5	8	4	3
5	9	1	3	4	7	2	8	6
8	4	2	6	9	1	7	3	5
7	3	6	5	2	8	4	1	9
9	1	5	4	8	3	6	7	2
6	7	8	1	5	2	3	9	4
4	2	3	9	7	6	1	5	8

Difficulty Level ★★★

Challenger

By Louis MURER

			8		12
					11
5					27
					21
	1				22
				9	
18	16	19	28	20	

DIRECTIONS:

Fill each square with a number, one through nine.

■ Horizontal squares should add to totals on right.

■ Vertical squares should add to totals on bottom.

■ Diagonal squares through center should add to total in upper and lower right.

THERE MAY BE MORE THAN ONE SOLUTION.

Today's Challenge

Time 2 Minutes

7 Seconds

Your Working

Time __ Minutes

__ Seconds

Yesterday's solution

					16
1	4	8	2		15
1	6	9	3		19
2	4	7	7		20
1	3	3	3		10
5	17	27	15		17

Word by Word

Known (يعرف) Youraf

A man is known by the company he keeps.
Al marea youraf beaqraneh.

Numbers المرء يعرف بأقرانه.

8342 Eight thousand three hundred forty two

٨٣٤٢ Thamaniyat alaaaf wa thalath maah wa ethnan wa arbaoun



"THANKS FOR TELLING ME I LOOK NICE, HONEY. BUT IT'S CALLED A 'MAKEOVER', NOT AN 'OVERHAUL'."

Sports

Chess Round Robin Challenge: Registrations are open for chess coaching and the Annual Round Robin Challenger Series. Send your name, Civil ID No., mobile number, age, rating to saviosgomes@gmail.com with CCR in the e-mail subject. No entry fee.