

His Highness sends condolence cable to Zambian president

HH the Amir receives condolences from Algerian president

KUWAIT CITY, June 21, (KUNA): His Highness the Amir Sheikh Nawaf Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah received on Monday a condolences letter from Algerian President Abdelmajid Tebboune, expressing sincere condolences

on demise of Sheikh Mansour Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Mubarak Al-Sabah. His Highness the Amir addressed a reply message to the Algerian president expressing heartfelt gratitude for the sincere sentiments of

solace on the painful event. Meanwhile, His Highness the Amir sent on Monday a cable of condolences to President of Zambia Edgar Lungu over demise of late Zambian president Kenneth Kaunda.

His Highness the Crown Prince Sheikh Meshaal Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah and His Highness the Prime Minister Sheikh Sabah Khaled Al-Hamad Al-Sabah addressed cables of identical content to the Zambian president.



HH the Crown Prince receiving the minister of defense, minister of foreign affairs and minister of interior.

Panel gives nod for nurseries to resume work from next school yr

KFAED continues to support refugees around the world

PAM dept said witness qualitative leap through its new 'automated program'

KUWAIT CITY, June 21: Director of the Employers Department at the Public Authority for Manpower (PAM) Muhammad Al-Ansari confirmed that the authority, through its new automated program, witnessed a qualitative leap in the completion of work procedures until it became a paperless authority and all business procedures are done electronically, reports Al-Anba daily.

circumstances caused by the corona pandemic. He said the department did not delay any transaction and proceeded at a steady pace in completing all procedures online, including the requests and inquiries that are done online. He added the department put all relevant government institutions in one hall.

He disclosed the percentage of daily achievement varies from one department to another, stressing that the opening of files has never stopped. Meanwhile, the Ministry of Public

Works on Thursday denied the allegation that Minister of Public Works and Minister of State for Communications and Information Technology Dr Rana Al-Faris issued a statement about the improper construction of houses in Sabah Al-Ahmad Residential City, reports Annahar daily.

In a press statement, the ministry pointed out that the minister was misquoted in her response to a parliamentary query. It clarified that the minister's response was: "There is no leakage in the sewage network but with the high groundwater level, some owners constructed basements in an erroneous manner, so this is not the responsibility of the ministry."

The ministry added the role of the Sanitary Engineering Sector is limited to the sewage and rain networks.

KUWAIT CITY, June 21: The Secretariat General of the Council of Ministers has informed the Ministry of Social Affairs and Community Development that the Supreme Committee for Corona Emergencies has given the nod for the private nurseries to resume work from the beginning of the next academic year, reports Al-Rai daily.

According to official correspondences, a copy of which has been obtained by the daily, the Secretary-General of the Council of Ministers addressed the Minister of Social Affairs and Community Development and the Minister of Electricity, Water and Renewable Energy, Dr Misha'an Al-Otaibi about the plan for the nurseries to resume work.

In the context of the correspondence, it was stated that the Supreme Committee had agreed on April 28, in principle, to allow private nurseries to work provided that the ministries of Social Affairs and Health put in place a mechanism to protect children from infection with the corona virus, and provide the Corona Emergency Committee a report about efforts made by the nurseries in this regard.

The correspondence stated the committee reviewed on June 13 the letter from the minister of Social Affairs sent on June 7 regarding a plan for the return of nurseries, which was prepared in coordination with the Ministry of Health, and after discussion, the committee decided to approve the plan for the reopening of nurseries at the beginning of next school year.

Meanwhile, the State of Kuwait has established its humanitarian imprint in helping refugees around the world in cooperation and coordination with United Nations institutions and other international organizations concerned with affairs and human rights of refugees in many countries, reports Al-Seyassah daily.

The efforts of the Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development (KFAED) continue to adopt and implement humanitarian initiatives in an effort to provide a unique and influential qualitative response to many communities to support refugees and enhance its charity work of giving. Until the end of the fiscal 2019-2020 KFAED had provided 106 grants worth \$1.304 million.



HH the Crown Prince with Minister Al-Roumi.

Audiences of HH the Crown Prince

His Highness the Crown Prince Sheikh Meshaal Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah received at Bayan Palace Monday Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Defense Sheikh Hamad Jaber Al-Ali Al-Sabah.

He also received Foreign Minister and Minister of State for Cabinet Affairs Sheikh Dr Ahmad Nasser Mo-

hammad Al-Sabah, and Minister of Interior Sheikh Thamer Ali Sabah Al-Sabah.

His Highness the Crown Prince also received Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Justice and Minister of State for Nazaha (Integrity) Enhancement Abdullah Yousef Al-Roumi. (KUNA)

Meeting touches on several axes

KU College of Sharia to introduce 'Islamic Economics' specialization

KUWAIT CITY, June 21: The College of Sharia and Islamic Studies at the Kuwait University aspires to create a new specialization in the field of 'Islamic Economics and Finance', within the framework of a joint meeting held recently, which included the Acting Dean of the College of Administrative Sciences, Dr Muhammad Zainal, and the Acting Dean of the College of Sharia, Dr Yasser Ajeel Al-Nashmi, reports Al-Seyassah daily.

The meeting was held in the presence of Dr Turki Al-Shammari, Dr Yasser Al-Kulaib, and Dr Hussain Al-Youssef with the aim of acquiring optimal scientific, academic, cultural and social advancement between the two colleges.

The meeting touched on several axes, which focused on exchanging views on the project to create an Islamic economics and finance specialization at the Faculty of Sharia "to meet the needs of the labor market in legal jobs in banks and companies, such as the job of fatwas, Sharia supervision, Sharia auditing, Sharia training, and others and the needs of the Central Bank, the Capital Markets Authority, and the Institute of Banking Studies.

The meeting resulted in many scientific and professional recommendations, and it was agreed upon to begin the practical steps necessary for actual implementation.

Prof Fayza to be honored

KUWAIT CITY, June 21: Prof. Fayza Muhammad Al-Kharafi has received an invitation from Egyptian Ambassador Mervat Al-Talawi, Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Forum for Women's Issues, to honor her as the representative of the State of Kuwait for her scientific and practical career in the field of education in Kuwait, and as a guest of honor at the opening of the forum, which will be held on June 24, 2021, reports Al-Qabas daily.

The forum will be opened in the presence of the Egyptian Minister of Culture, Dr Enas Abdel Dayem, and Dr Maya Morsi, President of the National Council for Women, in the presence of a group of guests from Egypt and around the world.

This forum is held under the auspices of the Ministries of Culture and Tourism and the National Council for Women, the official partner of the "Note" forum for women's issues and education in the Arab world. This year, a session will be devoted to empowering women in the Gulf states.



Prof. Fayza

Under the slogan "Save a life, donate blood"

Kuwait Insurance Company organizes an inspirational Blood Donation Campaign

In conjunction with the International Day of Blood Donation, Kuwait Insurance Company organized a blood donation campaign under the slogan "Save a life, donate blood". Held in collaboration with Kuwait Central Blood Bank - Management of Blood Transfusion Services located in Jabriya. This initiative to support the community activities that fall within the framework of social responsibility, in which Kuwait Insurance Company is always keen to participate.

A large number of Kuwait Insurance Company employees participated in the blood donation campaign, to be a resource in saving the lives of patients in need of a drop of blood.



Commenting on this initiative, Mrs. Fajer Al-Sayegh, Corporate Communication Manager at KIC, said, "The blood donation campaign comes within the framework of social responsibility and is a noble humanitarian act, as it contributes to saving the lives of thousands of patients who are in dire need of blood transfusions. The sponsorship of this campaign is a



Mrs. Fajer Al-Sayegh

continuation of for the efforts of the Ministry of Health, in an effort

to spread the culture of blood donation among citizens and residents alike, and to consolidate the noble humanitarian goal in the field of giving and giving.

In conclusion, Mrs. Al-Sayegh applauded the medical staff of the Central Blood Bank, all those in charge of the campaign and the employees, for their active participation in providing the necessary support.

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Milkha Singh

Indian Embassy pays tribute to 'Flying Sikh'

KUWAIT CITY, June 21: The Indian Embassy in Kuwait held a virtual condolence meeting, on June 20, to pay tributes to Milkha Singh, fondly known as the 'Flying Sikh'.

In Milkha Singh, the Indian sports fraternity lost the legendary athlete who passed away on June 18, 2021, at the age of 91 of Covid-19 complications. He was the only athlete to win 400 meters gold at the Asian and the Commonwealth Games.

He was also the winner of gold medals at the 1958 and 1962 Asian Games. He represented India in the 1956 Summer Olympics in Melbourne, the 1960 Summer Olympics in Rome and the 1964 Summer Olympics in Tokyo.

He was awarded the Padma Shri, India's fourth-highest civilian honor, in recognition of his sporting achievements.

<https://www.pada.gov.kw/ar/>

PADA launches new website

KUWAIT CITY, June 21: The Public Authority for Disability Affairs (PADA) has announced the launching of its new website, reports Al-Anba daily.

Director of the Information Systems Department at the authority Hanadi Al-Mabelish revealed the new website contains the law on the establishment of PADA, the criteria for determining disability, national framework for providing electronic content and other basic services such as conditions and documents for applying for services, electronic portal, photos, videos and related statistics. She said the authority's new website is <https://www.pada.gov.kw/ar/>, confirming that the authority continues to provide medical and educational services online through the PADA portal.

