



DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS,

We are pleased to release Edition # 35 of Newsletter of Memon Welfare Society (MWS) for the month of May 2011. Hope it will be interesting & informative to the community.

Our community will be pleased to know that Memon Welfare Society is moving progressively in its welfare activities. Progress of a social and welfare institution always depend on physical and financial participation of the community. MWS appreciate generous members of our community who have participated in the welfare activities of noble cause as mentioned alongside. Keeping in view a saying, "Charity begins from home" the Patrons, Office Bearers and Members of Advisory and Managing Committees of MWS have taken part excitedly and contributed for welfare mission generously. Indeed, all members of Board also deserve gratitude & appreciation for their selfless participation. MWS shall welcome philanthropists of our community who want to suggest any welfare program or project to be executed by MWS and they would like to support or contribute for that specific program or project.

As usual, MWS is ready to receive your suggestion & ideas identifying the welfare programs that can be executed by society to benefit our community. We kindly request our community to send us your valuable advices and constructive criticism, if any, without hesitation which may help us to improve our activities more.

Misfortune,,,,,,

As you all must be aware a very unfortunate, sad and tragic accident happened in Pakistan on Friday 20th April 2012 when an airplane of Bhoja Air crashed few minutes before landing at Islamabad Airport, Pakistan where 127 passengers lost their precious life according to the News Paper.

Our sincere sympathies are for the people of Pakistan, particularly with the families of the victims of the accident and let us all pray that may Allah Subhano Taala rest the departed souls in peace, give Sabre Jameel to the families of the deceased passengers, and protect all of us from such tragedies.

Thanking you for your time & attention and looking forward to continued cooperation from all members of our community.

Sincerely,
Newsletter Committee

MWS progressing toward Noble cause

Memon Welfare Society undertook various activities of noble cause during last month that are as follows:

1. Some boxes of used clothes collected from the community dispatched by air cargo to a welfare trust in Pakistan to distribute these clothes among poor and needy people.
2. Kifalat of some poor and needy students of Madrassa Abu Baker arranged from some individuals of our community and also helped for repair & maintenance of some parts of premises of Madrassa.
3. Unused medicines collected from the community delivered to the Free Medical Camp that take place in Pak Consulate Premises every alternate Friday for poor & needy people.
4. Some community brothers were provided with help in emergency during last month.

If any poor of our community need help for school fee or books, he can contact MWS. His name will remain strictly confidential.



The Welfare Services of Memon Welfare Society

- ✓ Helping poor students for education fee
- ✓ Helping Community members for health care for those who can not afford
- ✓ Helping in Coffin & Burial Services
- ✓ Helping & guiding unemployed in seeking employment
- ✓ Voluntarily Matrimonial services
- ✓ Beside above we are negotiating to undertake the management of a Madrassa and school where the students will receive free education who can not afford even the nominal fee.
- ✓ We also hold other social & welfare activities for our community such as Seminar, Families get to gather together, Career guidance sessions, evening with scholar, and also help financially and materially the victims of natural disaster such as flood in Pakistan and Earth quake etc.
- ✓ Very soon we shall send shipment of used clothes for poor people in Pakistan
- ✓ We also collect unused medicines for free medical camps organized by Pakistan welfare Society in Consulate General of Pakistan Jeddah

No doubt, Memon Welfare Society is playing a significant role by providing an opportunity to the community families to meet, greet and eat together from time to time, which is a piece of good fortune. It is worth mentioning that we have formed various committees to undertake their respective responsibilities and assignments.

In brief MWS is purely social and welfare forum to serve the community and humanity.

ANNOUNCEMENT

We know, community is waiting for family gathering. Since the Final Examinations of secondary and high schools and O'Level and A'Level final are taking place during month of May and will end by 12th June 2012, MWS has decided to hold Family Gathering with Grand Dinner on 14 or 15 June 2012 at a new venue with very nominal card charges, insha Allah. Please wait for an official announcement to be made by last week of May 2012.

We are also trying to hold an evening with a celebrity / dignitary for male community members some time during May 2012. It will also be announced soon once the consent is received from the celebrity.

”مجھے نئے کپڑوں میں دفن نہ کیا جائے! کیونکہ نئے کپڑوں کے زیادہ مستحق وہ ہیں جو زندہ اور برہنہ ہیں“



”صدقہ فقیر کے سامنے عاجزی سے باادب پیش کرو، کیونکہ خوشدلی سے صدقہ دنیایہ قبولیت کا نشان ہے“



انسان کتنا ہی سرکش اور طاقتور کیوں نہ ہو، لیکن ہر شام اس کی زندگی سے ایک دن کم ہو جاتا ہے اور وہ اسے روک بھی نہیں سکتا لیکن وہ مہربان رب انسانوں کو روزانہ ایک نئی صبح دے کر پھر مہلت دے دیتا ہے شاکد میرا بندہ تو بہ کر لے اور اسے میں بخش دوں بے شک اللہ بہت مہربان نہایت رحم کرنے والا ہے۔

اگر کسی کے احسان کا بدلہ اتارنے کی طاقت نہ ہو تو زبان سے شکریہ ضرور ادا کرو



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Memon Welfare Society launches programs for community uplift



mws President Arif Memon, sitting third left, with patrons and other officials of the organization during a function in Jeddah recently. (AN photo)

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The Jeddah-based Memon Welfare Society (MWS) has launched some major community welfare initiatives with an aim to serve needy Muslims in general and to extend all possible help to members of the Memon community in particular.

The MWS, which works with the slogan of “partners in progress,” aims to strengthen community cohesion and serve Memon community members across the Kingdom and the Gulf within the framework of its initiatives.

MWS president Arif Memon told Arab News from Jeddah the society recently organized an exclusive get-together for Memon families at La Sani Spinzer Restaurant. This was the first social program organized by the new MWS office bearers. The event was attended by about 500 men and women including a number of top-notch businessmen and leaders of the Memon community of Pakistan.

A large number of prizes and gifts sponsored by MWS patron M. Iqbal Advani and board member Wasim Tai were also distributed on this occasion.

The event was organized by office bearers and stalwarts like Tayyab Moosani, MWS general secretary; Younus Habib, vice president; Mansour Shivani, vice president; and board members Ahmed Kamal Makki, Wasim A. Razzak Tai, Rashid Kasmani, Tarek Madani, Shoaib Sikander, Irgan Kolsawala, Mohammed Ali Osman, Adam A. Latif and Nasir Ibrahim.

Memons, who are predominantly Sunni Muslims, are a well-known ethnic group who trace their roots largely to Sindh, Kutch and Kathiawar in South Asia.

Referring to the MWS's community initiatives, which will go a long way in addressing the grievances of the Memon community of Saudi Arabia, Arif said the group has been intensively engaged in welfare programs. "The MWS has been giving scholarships to poor students besides extending assistance for treatment to needy persons as well organizing and assisting poor families in burial services," said Arif. The group has also been helping to provide jobs to the unemployed members of its community, he added.

This is in addition to owning and operating modern-curriculum schools and religious schools, holding seminars and career counseling sessions, helping people affected by natural disasters mainly in Pakistan and holding lectures featuring eminent scholars and offering many other social services like matrimonial services.

He called on the Memons in the Kingdom to join hands in these community programs. He said any Memon over 18 living in the Kingdom could join the MWS.

"Over the years, the MWS has strived to work on several projects and our vision is to provide a range of services along Islamic lines, sensitive to the needs of the varied local Muslim community," said Moosani, adding the MWS seeks to improve the quality of life, while enhancing community cohesion.

There are a number of organizations known for their humanitarian and community social services. However, MWS is considered the most reputed and progressive organization in the Memon world, he added.

He said that the MWS, whose charter was adopted on July 13, 2008 in Jeddah, felt the acute need to promote awareness about improving the Memon community socially and academically. The MWS founders gave a clarion call to the community at that time to face the challenges of time in order to compete with others in every field of life. Most members of the Memon community currently working in Saudi Arabia are from Pakistan with a few families from India as well.



میں ویٹیرن فورم کے منتخب ارکان (بائیں سے) کلیم احمد، مناف اے ایس بخشی، عارف مبین، اقبال ایڈوانی، ڈاکٹر حمید عبدالقادر، طیب موسانی، یونس حبیب، منصور سیوانی، (بائیں سے کھڑے ہوئے) بورڈ کے ارکان احمد کمال مکی، وسیم اے رزاق طائی، راشد قاسمی، طارق مدنی، شعیب سکندر، عرفان کوساوا، محمد علی عثمان، آدم اے لطیف اور ناصر ابراہیم کا گروپ فوٹو۔



Welfare Activities of Memon Welfare Society
Shipment of Used Clothes for Poor People in Pakistan and Unused Medicines to Free Medical Camp of PWS.



Used clothes collected from the community shipped to Pakistan for distribution among poor people.



Visit of Mr. Mansoor Shivani, VP and Mr. Tayyab Moosani, GS of MWS to Free Medical Camp of PWS



Doctors of PWS visiting & examining Patients at Free Medical Camp



Unused Medicines collected from the community delivered by office bearers of MWS to the organizer of Free Medical Camp. President Pakistan Welfare Society Dr. Khalil ur Rahman and active member of PWS Mr.Younus Abdul Sattar with VP and GS of MWS after delivery of medicines.

All families of Memon Community residing in Western Region of Saudi Arabia are requested to please contact Memon Welfare Society to donate used clothes for poor & needy people in Pakistan and donate unused Medicines for Free Medical Camp organized by PWS at Jeddah fortnightly.

Discount Deals

For Community Brothers and Sisters only

As we have announced in our last newsletter that we are working on obtaining discount deals from various entities such as Clinics, Beauty Parlors, Furniture & Fixtures, Supermarkets, meat shop etc.

• **Hiba Asia Poly Clinic #2 at Bab Sheriff, Jeddah Tel No.:6451777/6232020**

Memon Forum has received an approval from the Gen. Manager of the Clinic Mr. Jobi Joseph (Mob.0568901747) for consultation fee SR.10/- only and 50% discount on laboratory tests, X-Rays etc. to our community members.

• **Ella Nora Beauty Parlour Near Indian Embassy School Azizia, Jeddah Tel No.0567769392:**

Memon Forum has received an approval from the owner of the beauty parlor Mrs. Nora Tarek for 25% discount to female members of our community on all services during 2012.

• **Yakub Al Maimani Trading Est. for Kitchen Cabinets at Makrona Street, Jeddah**

Tel: Noman Ibrahim: +966543360786 Azeem Ibrahim: +966567615691 Rayan Ibrahim: +966541553764

Memon Forum has received an approval from the Responsible of Establishment Mr. Nomanr Ibrahim for special discount of 25% to our community on all variety of Kitchen Cabinets.

• **Al Shifa Fresh Chicken and Meat Center, Near Souk Minarate, Azizia, Jeddah Tel:**

Memon Forum has received an approval from the owner of the center Mr. Ahmed Kamal Makki for SR.3/ per each Kg of meat and SR.1/- on each chicken.

• **Taibah Cotton Club, near Pakistan Embassy (int'l) School, Azizia,**

Memon Forum has received consent from the owner of the cotton club shops of Mr. Mahmoud for Special discount to all members of our community on all variety of cloths.

ماشاء اللہ میمن ویلفئیر سوسائٹی سماجی و فلاحی کاموں میں ترقی کی طرف روان دواں :-

1. استعمال شدہ کپڑوں کے کٹی باکس کی پاکستان میں ایک ویلفئیر ٹرسٹ کو غریبوں کیلئے بذریعہ ہوانی کارگو ترسیل
 2. جدہ میں ایک مدرسہ کے کئی غریب طلباء کا کفالہ لیکر سوسائٹی نے مدرسہ کی مدد و معاونت کی
 3. برادری سے جمع ہونیوالی غیر استعمال شدہ ادویات وقتاً فوقتاً فری میڈیکل کیمپ کو فراہم کی جاتی رہیں
 4. ضرورت مند بھائیوں کو ایمرجنسی میں امداد فراہم کی گئی۔
- سوسائٹی سے مستفیذ ہونیوالے ضرور تمندوں کے نام صیغہء راز میں رکھے جاتے ہیں۔ لہذا مستحق ضرور تمند برادران بلا جھجھکے سوسائٹی کی امداد حاصل کر سکتے ہیں خواہ وہ تعلیم و کتابوں کیلئے ہو یا کوئی اور مجبوری ہو۔

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آب زم زم جیسا پانی ممکن نہیں سائنسدان

لندن: سائنسدانوں نے حال ہی میں کی جانے والی تحقیق میں انکشاف کیا ہے کہ آب زم زم جیسا پانی ممکن نہیں ہو سکتا۔ یہ دنیا بھر میں اپنی نوعیت کا بالکل الگ اور شفاف پانی ہے۔ نیو نامی ٹیکنالوجی کی مدد سے آب زم زم پر متعدد تجربے کیے گئے جن کی مدد سے انہیں معلوم ہوا کہ آب زم زم کا ایک قطرہ عام پانی کے ایک ہزار قطروں میں شامل کیا جائے تو عام پانی میں بھی وہی خصوصیات پیدا ہو جاتی ہیں جو زم زم میں ہیں۔ ڈاکٹر ایوٹو جاپان میں قائم ہیڈوائٹس ٹیوٹ برائے تحقیق کے سربراہ ہیں جن کا کہنا ہے کہ جاپان میں انہیں ایک عرب باشندے سے آب زم زم ملا جس پر انہوں نے متعدد تحقیقیں کی ہیں۔ تحقیق سے معلوم ہوا کہ آب زم زم کے ایک قطرے کا بلور (ایک چمکدار پانی جو ہر) انفرادیت رکھتا ہے۔ دیگر کسی پانی کے قطرے کے بلور سے مشابہت نہیں رکھتا۔ کہہ ارضی کے کسی خطے سے لیے گئے پانی کے خواص آب زم زم سے کسی طرح بھی مشابہت نہیں رکھتے۔ انہوں نے لیبارٹری ٹیسٹ کے ذریعہ معلوم کیا کہ آب زم زم کے خواص کو کسی طرح بھی تبدیل کرنا ممکن نہیں۔ اس کی اصل وجہ جاننے سے سائنس قاصر ہے۔ آب زم زم کی ری سائیکلنگ کرنے کے بعد بھی اس کے بلور میں تبدیلی نہیں پائی گئی۔ جاپانی سائنسدان نے مزید انکشاف کرتے ہوئے کہا کہ مسلمان کھانے پینے اور ہر کام کرنے سے پہلے بسم اللہ پڑھتے ہیں۔ انہوں نے کہا کہ جس پانی پر بسم اللہ پڑھی جائے اس میں عجیب قسم کی تبدیلی وقوع پذیر ہوتی ہے۔ لیبارٹری ٹیسٹ کے ذریعہ عام پانی کو طاقور خوردبین کے ذریعے دیکھا گیا اور اس پر بسم اللہ پڑھنے کے بعد دیکھا گیا تو اس کے ذرات میں تبدیلی واقع ہو گئی تھی۔ بسم اللہ پڑھنے کے بعد پانی کے قطرے میں خوبصورت بلور بن گئے تھے۔ ڈاکٹر ایوٹو نے کہا کہ کہہ ارضی کی تمام مخلوقات خواہ وہ بظاہر جمادات ہی کیوں نہ ہوں ان میں ماحول کا اثر قبول کرنے کی صلاحیت ہے۔



Inspiring Quote:

*Don't feel bitter that people remember you only when they need you
feel privileged that you are like a candle that comes to mind when there's a
power failure...*

*A good relation does not depend on how good understanding we have but it
depends on how better we avoid misunderstandings...*

*90% of the problems are due to the tone of voice. It is not what you say, but how
you say, that creates the problem.*

خدمات برائے ضرورت رشتہ Important Announcement about Matrimonial Services

After family gatherings organized by memon Forum during the year, several families have become active in searching match for their grown up children from among the community. Al Hamdo Lillah in this connection a good progress is going on, in fact proposals among various families for their children are being exchanged with the help of families of some office bearers under strict confidentiality.

Since the Memon Matrimonial Website is under construction which might take time, we kindly request all those memon families whose children are grown up and they intend to look for OR waiting for match now or after some time, to submit very brief particulars about their children. We can help them in finding match for their children. All information provided to us will remain **confidential** and all communications between two families will also be under **strict confidence**. Needless to mention that some families are already in contact with us and we are extending help to them for finding match for their children. Serious families may kindly fill out the following blanks and forward to us on masa@memonassociation.com OR female family members can contact a responsible lady of Forum on 0569905776 and let her know the details about searching a match. Good Luck.

Name of Head of Family _____ Nationality _____

Home Phone No. _____ Mobile _____ Email _____

Children: Sons : (1) Age ____ Education ____ Earning Yes or No (2) Age ____ Education ____ Earning Yes or No

Daughters : (1) Age ____ Education _____ (2) Age ____ Education _____

دوسروں کے اچھے ہونے کا انتظار
مت کرو، بلکہ انہیں اچھا بن کر
سکھاؤ کہ اچھا انسان کیسا ہوتا ہے۔

Chatni Fish Machli Tikka Recipe in Urdu



Chatni

Machli Tikka or Fish Tika (چٹنی مچھلی تیکہ) is full of calories. It is a delicious recipe with Asian or Sub-continental touch. Total number of calories in Chatni Fish Tikka is about 90. Cooking this recipe in Urdu can be learnt from the following article.

چٹنی فیش تیکہ

اشیاء	
مچھلی کے ٹکڑے (صاف / چکور کئے ہوئے)	1 کلو
دہی	60 گرام = 4 کھانے کے چمچ
کریم	45 گرام = 3 کھانے کے چمچ
لہسن کا پیسٹ	20 گرام = 4 چائے کے چمچ
اجوائن	8 گرام = 1 1/2 چائے کا چمچ
سفید مرچ کا سفوف	3 گرام = 1/2 چائے کا چمچ
زیرہ کا سفوف	10 گرام = 2 چائے کے چمچ
گرم مصالحہ	15 گرام = 1 کھانے کا چمچ
نمک	حسب ذائقہ
لیموں کا رس	30 ملی لیٹر = 2 کھانے کے چمچ
پودینے کی چٹنی	135 ملی لیٹر = 3/4 کپ
بیسن یا چاول کا آٹا	20 گرام = 4 چائے کے چمچ
کھن / تیل چکناٹا ہٹ کیلئے	

ترکیب

دہی، کریم، ادورک، لہسن پیسٹ، اجوائن، سفید مرچ، زیرہ کا سفوف، گرم مصالحہ، نمک، لیموں کا رس، پودینے کی چٹنی اور میدے کو یکجا کر لیں۔ پھر مچھلی کے ٹکڑوں کو اس آمیزے میں ڈال کر 2 سے 3 گھنٹے تک پزارہنے دیں۔ پھر ٹکڑوں کو تیخ پر لگا کر اوون میں (175oC/350oF) 8 سے 10 منٹ تک بھونیں۔ اس دوران اسے ایک مرتبہ چکنا کر لیں۔ کٹے ہوئے پیاز سے سجا کر پیش کریں۔

پکانے کا دورانیہ: 15 منٹ

تیاری کا دورانیہ: 3 گھنٹے 30 منٹ

افراد: 6 سے 8

Let us serve the community in proper way by sharing the responsibilities

Distribution of work of memon Forum to various committees formed in last Board meeting

These committees are active and our community members may contact concerned committees for their respective matters, suggestion, ideas, and or advising welfare programs etc...

1. Committee:

Fund Raising and Zakat Disbursement Committee

Members:

Younus Habib
Mansour Shivani
Irfan Kolsawala
Wasim A. Razzak Tai
Asif Lala
Adam A. Latif
Hanif A.Sattar

2. Committee:

Health Care & Medical Assistance Committee

Members:

Dr. Iqbal Musani
Dr. Hamid A.Khader
Mr. Younus A. Sattar

3. Committee:

Education Committee

Members:

Nasir Ibrahim
Rashid Kasmani
Tareq Madani
Ahmed Kamal

4. Committee:

Funeral Services Committee to assist family of deceased.

Members:

A.Rauf Zakaria
Mohammed Ali Osman
They are authorized to add some more members in the committee.

5. Committee:

Male Youth (as volunteer) and Recreation & Sports Committee

Members:

Wasim Tai
Tareq Madani
Asif Lala
Abdul Kader Africawala
Abdul Qader M.Amin Teli

6. Committee:

Event Management Committee

Members:

All Members of Core Committee to take care of event management and seek for the help and assistance from Board members as and when required.

7. Committee:

Ladies Committee

Members:

Wives of all board members to take care of Ladies Wing including matrimonial as well as Events of Jamat.

Youth Wing's Sports and Recreation Committee has started collecting the names of sportsmen between 15 and 35 years of age. Initially a cricket team is to be formed who will be provided with all necessary cricket kit. Younger (between 15 & 35) may contact our Youth Wing's Sports and Recreation Committee to be registered as youth members to avail certain privileges such as free participation in sports, complimentary invitation to MWS events, award of sportsman badge, etc....

Our Patrons (Memon Welfare Society)



M.Iqbal Advani Dr.Hamid Abdulkhader Munaf Abdul Ghaffar Munaf A. Sattar Kaleem A. Naviwala

Our Office Bearers (Core Committee)



(L-R) Shoaib Sikander-Treasurer, Mansour Shivani-VP, Arif Memon-President, Tayyab Moosani-GS
Younus Habib-VP, A.Rashid Kasmani-Joint Secretary

Members of Our Advisory Committee



Dr.IqbalMusani Irfan Kolsawala Asif Lala Nasir Ibraim Younus A. Sattar
(Past President Ex.Officio)

Members of Our Managing Committee



Wasim A.Razzak Tai Ahmed Kamal Makki Adam Abdul Latif M.Saleem Habib A,Rauf Zakaria A.Kader Africawala



M.Shakir Abdul Aziz Tarek Madani M. Ali Osman A.Kader Amin Teli Hanif A.Sattar

Thank you for your time and attention,,,,,,Newsletter Ends Here