



## Various Committees to facilitate our activities:

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Shoib Sikander  
Younus Habib  
Mansoor Shivani  
Mohamed Badi  
Shabir Patel  
Waseem Tai  
President & GS

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Waseem Tai  
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Nasir Ibrahim  
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Irfan Kolsawala

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Younus Habib  
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Nasir Ibrahim  
Rashid Kasmani  
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### Ladies Committee:

Wives of Members of  
Core Committee and  
Advisory Committee

فَلَا تُكْفِرُوا

أُولَئِكَ

بِئْسَ لِلَّهِ

## The voluntary Services of Memon Welfare Society

### میمین ویلفیئر سوسائٹی کی فلاحی خدمات

\*Helping needy students for education fee

\*Helping Community members for health care for those who cannot afford med expenses

\*Helping in Coffin & Burial Services

\*Helping & guiding unemployed in seeking employment

\*Extending free Matrimonial services

\*Beside above we are assisting some Madrassa by paying fees of needy students and schools where the students receive education but cannot afford even the nominal fee.

\*Organize other social & welfare programs for our community such as Seminar, Families get to gather together, Career guidance sessions, evening with scholar etc

\*Also help financially and materially the victims of natural disaster such as flood and Earth quake etc.

\*Collect used clothes and dispatch them by cargo for needy people in Pakistan, India, Bangladesh, Burma, Somalia. This is a unique service.

\*Collect unused medicines for free medical camps organized by Pakistan welfare Society in Consulate General of Pakistan Jeddah every alternate Friday regularly.

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 not a piece of good fortune only but strangers of yesterday become friends of today and then some of them become relative tomorrow. However, In order to perform well, we have formed various committees to undertake their respective responsibilities. In brief MWS is purely social and welfare forum to serve the community and humanity inside KSA.

-تعلیم اور مدرسے کی فیس کے لئے ضرورتمند طالب علموں کی مدد

-ان لوگوں کو جو طبی علاج کے اخراجات کا متحمل نہیں ہو سکتے کی مدد

-کمیونٹی کے رکن کے انتقال کے بعد تدفین میں مدد

-روزگار کی تلاش میں بے روزگار کی رہنمائی و مدد

-بچوں کے لئے رشتے کی تلاش میں مدد

-اس کے علاوہ اپنی کمیونٹی کے لئے اکثر دیگر سماجی اور فلاحی سرگرمیوں کا اہتمام

-مختلف موضوعات پر سیمینار کا انتظام

- برادری کی فیملیونکی اجتماعی تقاریب - مستقبل کے کیریئر کے لئے طالب علموں کو مشورہ

-مشہور عالم شخصیات کے ساتھ شام -استعمال شدہ پرانے لباس جمع کر کے

اسکی پاکستان ہندوستان بنگلہ دیش برما صومالیہ کے غریبوں کے لئے ترسیل

-مفت طبی کیمپ کے لئے غیر استعمال شدہ ادویات کی کلیکشن -

کوئی شک نہیں، میمن ویلفیئر سوسائٹی - مختلف خاندانوں کی ملاقات کروانے -

ایک ساتھ طعام کر کے سلام و دعا کروانے اور دوستی ورشتہ داری قائم

کرنے کے مواقع فراہم کر کے کمیونٹی میں اہم کردار ادا کر رہی۔

اس کے علاوہ سوسائٹی نے اپنی اپنی ذمہ

داریوں اور فرائض کی بخوبی انجام دہی کے لئے مختلف کمیٹیاں تشکیل دی ہوئی ہیں۔

المختصر --- میمن ویلفیئر سوسائٹی خالصتاً سماجی اور برادری کی فلاح و بہبود اور انسانیت کی خدمت کرنے کے لئے سعودی عربیہ میں ایک مفید فورم ہے۔



**A living legend Haji Mohamme Husein A Kareem Nagani (Haji Bha) Received  
A Token of Appreciation from MWS-MASA at a Reception dinner  
Hosted in his honour by Faisal Luqman and  
A. Qader M Amin Teli.**

<p><b>Haji Mohamed Husen</b></p>  <p>Hajibha</p>		<p><b>HAJI MOHMED HUSEN K. NAGANI (HAJIBHA)</b>  <i>(Kotdawala) M. 9328237687</i>  <i>"Umer Manzil", Azizpir Chowk,              Dhrol- 361210, Dist Jamnagar.</i>  <i>Phone : (02897) (R) 223115</i>              Website : <a href="http://hajibha.blogspot.com">http://hajibha.blogspot.com</a>              E-mail address  <a href="mailto:hajibha.dhrol@gmail.com">hajibha.dhrol@gmail.com</a>              Poetry.com (Mohmed Husen Nagani)</p>
<p>Claim ID: 185381 Kachhi-M-Lipi              Membership Number: 166887</p>		

**Bio - Date**

Name	:	Nagani Haji Mohmed Husen A. Karim
Address	:	"Umer Manzil" Azizpir (Chowk, Dhrol, Pin 361210), Dist. Jamnagar.
Birth date	:	8-1-1936 At Jodiya (Dist. Jamnagar)
Childhood	:	At Kotda Sangani, Dist. Rajkot,
Residence	:	At Dhrol from last 35 years.
Family	:	Loving wife Mariyam Hajiyani married to in the 1956 at Jodiya she enoperated in all area of the life. Obedient Sons (1) Mohmed Yashim (2) M.Anvar (3) M. Umar & Daghters (1) Hajiyani Faridabanoo (2) Jamila Banoo. 3 Brothers, 3 Sisters, Father expired in 1979 & Mother expired in 1995.
Responsibilities	:	All sons and daughters are wedded and they are too much happy in their household affairs. Therefore I am free from affairs of life.
Education & Qualification	:	Std. 9th Gujarati with English Std. & Hindi Kovid. Some necessary knowledge of English, Urdu & Arabi.
Business	:	Ready-made cloth trader, Shop : Rukhshar Selection, Roop Sagar Selection & Ayaz Gurmments.
Activities	:	Liberian in 1958, Teacher: English P. Tuition Class in Kotda Sangani and as Manager in Glass Factory at Ghatkopar, Bombay, Accountant for cloths merchants. LIC agent in Branch 3 Jamnagar. Public attendance. President secretary and trusty of many institutions. & Jurnalist M.M. Sandesh Nagpur, Yeotmal, Chandrapur, Wani. Trusty of Memon Welfare committee, Dhrol, and Navyoog Vidhyarthi Mandal. Recently completed diploma course in computer. 1999 A.D. Published one Gazal Shangra named Ayaz Minje Diljee and eager to publish A look of Periscope, Insha Allah. Inventor of Kachhi-M-Lipi, Memoni Manzal poetry, Nom-de-plume as "Bha" and after The blessed journey Haji Baytullah original composition. Nom-de-plume us "Hajibha" To draw Portrait of Daraghah Sharif by water colours.
Hobbies	:	To write, read, speak and announce Memani Boli at all conference and functions. To read & write about Psychology & Spiritual, My favourite authors Dale Carnegie, Lyli Jems. Ealen. Sawet Morden, Bhoopat Vadodariya, Mohmed Mankad etc <span style="font-size: small;">ઝોનલ સેક્રટરી ઓલ ઇન્ડીયા મેમન જમાત ફેડરેશન, સૌરાષ્ટ્ર ઝોન નં. ૧૪</span> To Religion & Worldly services. And hearty praying of Merciful God. As like as I am one of twenty five activities. In the happiness, peace & health of family. With thousands millions of Pak Parvardigar's blessing I have passed 80 years and keeping the glorious age step in the gate at 71 years dated 8-1-2007.

રવરની રાખડુલી

કચ્છી એમ. લિપિના કોઈ પણ મુળાક્ષરનો અર્થો લખવા માટે તેની નીચે રખડું (ડોટ) કચ્છું.

UNJ39CJ011N હિન્દુસ્તાન HINDUSTAN

વાચન-લેખન માટે સારાતતા રહે તે માટે વ્યંજનોને મોટી સાઈઝમાં અને રવરો હમોશા નાની સાઈઝમાં લખવા રહો.

કચ્છી એમ. લિપિ	ગુજરાતી	અંગ્રેજી	રોંગા સાથે રવર				કસત રોંગા	
			કચ્છી	ગુજ.	અં.	ઉર્દૂ		
Amir	અમીર	Amir	∕	અ	A	1	∕	અ
Aadam	આદમ	Aadam	∕∕	આ	AA	∕	∕	આ
Insan	ઈન્સાન	Insan	∕	ઈ	I	∕	∕	ઈ
Iman	ઈમાન	Iman	∕	ઈ	EE	∕	∕	ઈ
Unado	ઉનાડો	Unado	∕	ઉ	U	∕	∕	ઉ
Un	ઉન	Un	∕	ઉ	OO	∕	∕	ઉ
Agent	એજન્ટ	Agent	∕O	એ	AE	∕	∕	એ
Atihasik	એતિહાસિક	Atihasik	∕O	એ	AAI	∕	∕	એ
Ordo	ઓર્ડો	Ordo	∕∕	ઓ	O	∕	∕	ઓ
Aurangabad	ઔરંગાબાદ	Aurangabad	∕T	ઓ	AAU	∕	∕	ઓ
Angur	અંગુર	Angur	∕	અં	AM	∕	∕	અં
Ahat	અહત	Ahat	∕:	અ:	AAH	∕	∕	અ:

કચ્છી, ગુજરાતી અને અંગ્રેજી મુળાક્ષરનો યાદ

ક	ખ	ગ	ઘ	ચ	છ	જ	ઝ	ટ	થ	દ	ધ	ન	ત	થ	ડ
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ઢ	ણ	પ	ફ/પ્હ	બ	ભ	મ	ય	ર	લ	વ	શ	ષ	સ	હ	લ
DH	N	P	F/PH	B	BH	M	Y	R	L	V	SH	SH	S	H	L
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૧	૨	૩	૪	૫	૬	૭	૮	૯	૧૦	કોઈ પણ મુળાક્ષરને અર્થો લખવા માટે તેની નીચે બીંદુ મુકો. દરેક મુળાક્ષરને લીટીની ઉપર લખો. Put a dot below the alphabet to make half pronunciation. This alphabets are written above the line.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10						

**Pictorial view of Reception honoured to celebrity of our memon community  
Haji Husen A Kareem Nagani (Haji Bha). Introduction given in above pages.**



**Reception is taking place wherein introduction of Haji Bha given to audience by  
Tayyab Moosani, Secretary General, MWS-MASA**



**President MWS-MASA Mr.Irfan H.Ahmed Kolsawala and Tayyab Moosani, GS,  
presenting a Plaque as Token of Appreciation to Haji Bhai, while  
Haji Bha is presenting his precious book to the President.**



**Both sons accompanied with their father Haji Bha were also presented gifts. On the left  
Haji Ahmed Abdul Karim is presenting gift to a son of Haji bha while on the right  
Yaqoob Moosani is presenting gift to another son of Haji Bha. Both the hosts  
Faisal Luqman and A.Qader Teli can be seen standing on the back.**

**-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-**

**Another shipment of more than half ton (650 KG) of used clothes sent  
by air cargo to Sailani Trust for Needy people in Pakistan  
Salutation to Ahamed Kamal Makki who is incharge of this project**



### **Important Announcement about sports**

*Sports Fan particularly inested memon boy and youth should be pleased to know that we are forming a Cricket team and the kit will be provided without any fee once the team is formed. Those interested boys and/or youths of our memon community are requested to register their names with Abdul Kader Africawala on phone No. 0541757782 and should be present at ground as and when invited. The sponsor of the team will be our Patron Mr. M Iqbal Advani. Please hurry up and get your self registered for the Cricket team asap.*

### **Voluntary Matrimonial Services**

After family gatherings organized by memon Forum during the year, several families 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. However, 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, may please 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 (ladies only) may contact a responsible lady of MWS-MASA on 0569905776 or 0534389079 and let her know the details about searching a match. Good Luck.

## Media Coverage



President invited Board Members and their families at a Lunch at his home. Almost 112 persons male & female attended the Lunch. He was given Token of appreciation by Younus Habib, VP for setting a unique tradition. A Patron Kaleem A Naviwala, GS and Treasurer are sharing the happy occasion.



میں ویلفیئر سوسائٹی چہ کے منتخب صدر عرفان حاجی احمد کولسا والا نے ویلفیئر سوسائٹی کی مجلس عاملہ و مجلس مشاورت اور عبدیداران کے اعزاز میں ظہرانے کا اہتمام کیا جس میں 100 سے زائد مرد و خواتین نے شرکت کی۔ ظہرانے میں مبین برادری کی روایتی ڈشوں کا بھی اہتمام کیا گیا تھا۔ سوسائٹی کے نائب صدر یونس حبیب گولی اور سیکریٹری جنرل طبیب موسیٰ صاحب صدر عرفان حاجی احمد کوشیلڈ پیش کر رہے ہیں۔



23 May 2016

The Reception Dinner in the honor of Haji Husen Abdul Kareem Nagani, Haji Bha was covered by First and Leading local Urdu News Paper of Saudi Arabia "Urdu News" Daily.

### مبین تاجراجی حسین عبدالکریم بھا کے اعزاز میں خیر مقدمی تقریب

سینی زبان کے حروف ایجاد کئے ہیں، امید ہے نوجوان نسل مکمل دلچسپی کے ساتھ سینی زبان سیکھے گی، حاجی حسین عبدالکریم بھا

سینی زبان حروف کے موجد، حکیم، شاعر، نقاد اور تاجراجی حسین عبدالکریم بھا کے اعزاز میں لصل لقرآن اور عبد القادر تیلی نے مقامی رستوران میں استقبال کیا۔ حاجی حسین عبدالکریم المعروف حاجی بھا جہند سے عمرہ کیلئے آئے ہوئے۔

حاجی بھا ہجرت ریاست کے بڑے تاجر ہیں اور اپنی زندگی کے بیشتر 40 سال سینی زبان کے حروف ایجاد کرنے میں لگے رہے۔ انہوں نے سینی حروف کی ساخت پر مشتمل کتاب لکھی ہے۔ انہیں اپنی ایجاد کے حقوق مل گئے ہیں۔ ان کی کامیاب کوشش کے اعتراف میں ٹیویک آف ریکارڈ میں نام شامل کیا گیا ہے۔

استقبال میں چہ کے مختلف تاجروں اور اعلیٰ شخصیات نے شرکت کی۔ مبین ویلفیئر سوسائٹی چہ کے شیڈول بورڈ کے ارکان بھی شامل تھے۔ تقریب تلاوت قرآن پاک سے شروع ہوئی۔ صدر مبین ویلفیئر سوسائٹی عرفان حاجی احمد کولسا والا نے حاجی بھا اور مہمانوں کو خوش آمدید کہا۔ سیکریٹری جنرل مبین ویلفیئر سوسائٹی نے معزز مہمان کو متعارف کرایا۔ شیخ لقرآن نے مزید تعارف میں کہا کہ حاجی بھا میرے اور مرحوم محمد امین تیلی کے استاد رہ چکے ہیں۔ تقریب سے خطاب کرتے ہوئے حاجی بھانے کہا کہ

سینی زبان کو دیگر زبانوں کی طرح اہمیت دینے کیلئے سینی زبان کے حروف ایجاد کئے تاکہ وہ دیگر زبانوں کی طرح آزادانہ طور پر لکھی اور پڑھی اور بولی جائے۔ انہوں نے کہا کہ امید ہے نوجوان نسل مکمل دلچسپی کے ساتھ سینی زبان سیکھے گی۔ انہوں نے کہا کہ کئی اہام حاصل کئے ہیں لیکن سینی حروف پر عملدرآمد میری سب سے بڑی خواہش ہے۔ سوال اور جواب کے وقفے کے دوران طبیب موسیٰ نے سینی اور دیگر زبانوں کی طرح سینی زبان کے حروف متعارف کرانے کا مشورہ دیا۔ تقریب کے اختتام پر مبین ویلفیئر کی جانب سے صدر اور سیکریٹری جنرل نے مہمان خصوصی حاجی حسین عبدالکریم ناگانی کو تحریکی اور یادگاری شیڈول پیش کی۔

حاجی حسین عبدالکریم بھا کو یادگاری شیڈول جاری ہے۔

23 مئی، 2016

## MWS honors inventor of Memon language alphabets

SYED MUSSARAT KHALIL  
SAUDI GAZETTE

JEDDAH — The Memon Welfare Society (MWS), a social and welfare organization of Memon community working under banner of Memon Association of Saudi Arabia (MASA), organized a reception in honor of Haji Mohammed Hussein Abdel Kareem Nagani popular called "Haji bha" at Mehran restaurant recently.

"Haji bha" hails from India and is here to perform Umrah and visit the Prophet's Mosque in Madinah. A large number of local businessmen, dignitaries, members of managing board and office bearers of MWS attended the reception.

The program commenced with recitation of a few verses

from the Holy Qur'an. Irfan Haji Ahmed Kolsawala, president MWS, welcomed the guests and expressed his gratitude to all for attending the function.

Tayyab Moosani, general secretary, introduced the chief guest. He said "Haji bha" had spent 40 precious years of his life in inventing alphabets of Memon language, a folk language of a business community from the state of Gujarat in India.

Moosani said "Haji bha" has written a book that contains his efforts and the final composition of Memon alphabets. Moosani added that "Haji bha" is a prolific writer, poet, critic, reformist and a businessman.

In recognition of his tireless and successful endeavor, his name has also been included



A memento is being presented to "Haji bha" as a token of appreciation. — Courtesy photo

in Guinness Book of World Records. And "Haji bha" is very optimistic of Memon language alphabets being implemented very soon, Moosani added.

Noted businessman Sheikh

Mohammed Luqman said "Haji bha" has been his teacher and has also taught well-known social worker of Jeddah the late M. Amin, and he appreciated his efforts in fostering the Memon language.



25 May 2016

he Reception Dinner in the honor of Haji Husen Abdul Kareem Nagani, Haji Bha was covered by Leading and largely published local English News paper of Saudi Arabia "Saudi Gazette" Daily.

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May 25, 2016



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**Report by: Syed Mussarat Khalil**

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In recognition of his tireless and successful endeavor, his name has also been included in Guinness Book of World Records. And "Haji bha" is very optimistic of Memon language alphabets being implemented very soon, Moosani added. Noted businessman Sheikh Mohammed Luqman said "Haji bha" has been his teacher and has also taught well-known social worker of Jeddah the late M. Amin, and he appreciated his efforts in fostering the Memon language. In his address "Haj bha" expressed his views and experiences on why he invented alphabets. "I did it to make the Memon language as good as other languages spoken in the world freely. I wanted to bring Memon language up-to the level of other languages of the world.

He further said the young generation should learn their mother tongue, Memon language, with maximum interest. "One day this language will be written, read, spoken in the Memon community throughout the globe."

"I have received several awards for my invention, but implementation of Memon alphabets is my fervent wish, and that is much more important than the awards," he said.

During Question and Answer session, Moosani suggested steps should be taken to introduce these alphabets from KG Class, enabling children to learn it like other languages. When these children grow up, they will be able to write, read and speak and understand Memon language well.

On behalf of MWS a memento was presented to "Haji bha" as a token of appreciation. "Haji Bha" distributed his written book and CDs of the Alphabets system among audience. Faisal Luqman and Abdel Kader Teli delivered vote of thanks.

# Approaching Ramadan

Source: islamicity bulletin

The beginning of the Blessed Month of Ramadan; we pray that this blessed month is a time of spiritual renewal for all of you, a time when you are able to fully benefit from the many Divine Gifts that have been offered to the worshiper during this most special season. Those who have failed to take advantage of the months of Rajab and ha'ban to prepare for the blessed month of Ramadan should be especially careful to take full advantage of the latter month. Reflect on the poet's words:

Harken! O you who was not content to sin throughout Rajab.  
His rebellion against his Lord had to continue the duration of Sha'ban.

The month of fasting has now come to shade and shelter you,  
Do not transform it also into a month of sinning.

Recite the Qur'an and glorify [God], with diligent assertion.  
Indeed! It is a month for glorification and the Qur'an.

Deny your bodily appetites, seeking your soul's salvation.  
Eventually, the earth will consume the body.

How many deceased people have you known who fasted?  
Amongst your family, neighbors, and brothers.

Death has erased them, leaving you behind.

Get serious [about your religion], for the living are quite close to the dead!  
You take delight in the 'Eid outfits being cut out now for the festival.

But soon they will be your burial shrouds.

How long will the person be happy with his worldly home?

Knowing that his ultimate home is the grave. [1]

We pray that this month is a means for our spiritual ascension. When our spirits are ascendant, and our carnal lusts retreat, we will be able to engage in the type of fast described by one of our righteous forebears when he advised: Fast your entire lifetime. Make death your 'Eid! Life itself is a fast for the righteous. Their fast is from all forbidden lusts. When death comes to them their fast has ended. At that time they find the new moon of 'Eid. [2]

We encourage all of the believers to try to adhere to all of the Sunans of Ramadan. Even though the days are still relatively short and cool, everyone should attempt to take the pre-dawn meal (Sahur), no matter how small, and hasten to break the fast, once the sunset has been confirmed. The purpose of the month is to grow in obedience to the Lawgiver. This is facilitated by scrupulously adhering to all of the rulings related to the fast.

O you who believe! Fasting is prescribed for you, as it was prescribed for those who preceded you; that perhaps you will be mindful of God. Al-Qur'an 2:183

We encourage everyone to be especially generous during this blessed month. Our beloved Prophet , was normally exceedingly generous. In Ramadan, he was even more benevolent.

Ibn 'Abbas, May Allah be pleased with him and his father, relates: "The Prophet , was the most generous of people. He was even more generous in Ramadan when Gabriel would meet him and review the Qur'an with him. Gabriel would come to him every night of Ramadan to review the Qur'an. During these times, the Messenger of Allah , was more generous than the freely blowing wind." Al-Bukhari and Muslim

We encourage everyone to read through the Qur'an at least once. Those who can read the Arabic script should do so in Arabic, even if they do not fully understand what they are reading. They should also try to read through the English translation. Those who are unable to read Arabic, should try to read through the entire English translation. Ramadan is, among other things, a celebration of the Qur'an. We should join the celebration by reading the Book of God much during this blessed month. Our Imams, Abu Hanifa, Malik, al-Shafi'i, and others, May God have Mercy on them all, would cease teaching Hadith and Jurisprudence during Ramadan and devote themselves exclusively to the Qur'an.

God says, concerning His Majestic Book: The Month of Ramadan in which the Qur'an was revealed, a guidance for mankind, [containing] clear proofs of guidance, and the criterion of distinguishing right from wrong. Al-Qur'an 2:185

We encourage everyone to refrain from all of the ruinations of the tongue during Ramadan. In his seminal work, "Quickening the Religious Sciences," Imam al-Ghazali mentions them as the following:

- Speaking in matters that do not concern one.
- Excessive speech.
- Speaking about sinful matters.
- Disputation and contestation.
- Argumentation. Excessively embellished speech.
- Lewd, insulting, or crude speech.
- Invoking the Curse of God on someone.
- Singing indecent songs, or relating immoral poetry.
- Excessive joking.

- Sarcasm and ridicule.
- Revealing secrets.
- False promises.
- Lying and false oaths.
- Backbiting and slander.
- Instigating tense relations between people.
- Being two-faced.

Praising someone who is either undeserving, or unable to remain humble when praised.

Speaking about involved subjects and ideas one lacks the necessary knowledge or eloquence to adequately convey.

Ordinary folk speaking in subjects that are the domain of specialists.

May God spare us from these ruinations both during and after Ramadan.

The Prophet, Peace and Blessing of Almighty God be upon Him, said: "Whoever fails to leave off ruinous speech, and acting on it [during Ramadan], God does not need him to leave off eating and drinking." Al-Bukahri

We encourage everyone to avoid all arguments, disputes, and unnecessary worldly entanglements during this blessed month. This is a time for deep devotion and dedication to Allah.

We encourage everyone to work to restore any severed relations or kinship ties they may be experiencing. This is a time when the gentle breezes of Divine Facilitation are blowing. Any good we endeavor during this blessed month will come to bear its proper fruits, Insha Allah.

We encourage everyone to eat simply during this month. One should try to make a vow to give up unnecessary, and generally unhealthy fare during this blessed month. Pizza, ice cream, fast food, pastries, and soda should all go. We should make our solidarity with our suffering brothers and sisters in other lands real, and not something confined to speeches and pamphlets.

If one is in the habit of watching television, or listening to commercial music, one should also try to give these things up for Ramadan. They are things that divert us from the remembrance of God in any case.

During this special month when every letter we recite from the Majestic Qur'an is tremendously rewarded, we should busy ourselves with recitation, and drop frivolous pastimes.

Married couples should encourage each other to engage in spiritual pursuits during this month, i.e. reciting the Qur'an, attending Tarawih, etc.

Those in the habit of hosting extravagant dinners in Ramadan should try to avoid doing so, especially if they involve burdening cooks with long hours in the kitchen at a time when everyone should be increasing acts of worship. Usually, the womenfolk are disadvantageously affected in this regard. While it is certainly virtuous to provide the wherewithal for the believers to break their fast, dates, water, and simple, easily prepared dishes suffice.

Everyone should endeavor to pray the Tarawih Prayers. This is practice that should not be left without an excuse. The Prophet, mentioned, "Whosoever stands for prayer during the nights of Ramadan will have his/her prior sins expiated." Al-Bukhari and Muslim

The prayer is the symbol of our devotional life. Ramadan is a great time to rediscover the power of the prayer, and to renew our commitment to our Lord through the prayer. These are some of the things we wanted to convey to you.

Hopefully, they will prove of benefit. Please take this message in the spirit with which we have conveyed it, as sincere advice.

Again, we wish you a very successful Ramadan and would like to thank all of you for past, present, and future support.

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The hardest part about accepting the saying "everything happens for a reason" is waiting for that reason to come along if you never criticised, you may not be doing much that makes a difference.

**Always be looking forward, and never be looking back. When you're caught staring at the past you miss out on looking to the future.**

**The 3 C's in life: Choice, Chance, Change. You must make the Choice, to take the Chance, if you want anything in life to Change.**

**Faith is STRONGER than fear, and love is STRONGER than hate.**

# Grandfather's Wisdom

Source: *islamicity bulletin*

Play fair in sports, as well as in all worldly matters. Justice is the cardinal law in Islam

Share every thing with others — there is blissful joy in sharing and caring.

Put things back where you found them, you will be happy to find it there when you need it.

Clean your mess — how awful it is, if others see our dirty stuff!

Do not take things that are not yours, beware taking anything without permission is thieving.

Say you are sorry when you hurt anybody, bodily or mentally. Allah does not like it when someone hurts another person.

Do not forget to brush your teeth before you go to bed and take a bath every day.

Do not forget your prayers. It helps us keep God in our hearts.

Always greet elders and young ones with As Salaamu Alykum when you get up in the morning.

Do some physical exercise in the morning before breakfast. Yoga exercise is simple and good.

Shabby exterior gives a bad impression, when you dress up make sure your clothes are clean and ironed.

Flush the toilet after use. Clean the mess wherever you find it. Cleanliness is half of the faith.

Choose some good hobby to spend your leisure hours. Why not book reading? You will never be alone with a book in your pocket.

Unless you make a public commitment, your faith will not take hold. You can not be a private Muslim.

Make sure people know you are a Muslim and always be a good example.

Time is your friend. Don't kill it.

The best way to destroy an enemy is make them your friend.

Don't be liberal in making promises, when you make any fulfill it as a word of honor.

Respect is a matter of give and take, as love begets love.

Talk politely even in disagreement — it is better to lose an argument than to lose a friend.

Talk in even and low voice tones, whining and braying is a donkey's trait. Talking softly is a sign of being cultured.

Always be humble. God does not like arrogance.

Kindness is more important than wisdom, and the recognition of this is the beginning of wisdom.

Do not say I cannot, say God willing I will try. If you have a will to do — Allah will help you in your endeavor.

It is better to have tried and lost, than not to have tried at all.

You can accomplish anything under the sun, with determination followed by hard work.

If you pray for anything pray for knowledge and wisdom.

There is nothing that can defeat honesty and hard work.

One who asks a question may be a fool for a minute, but one who does not ask is a fool forever. So don't be shy to ask.

Take lesson from the candle ... which burns itself to give light to others, and banishes darkness.

It is said "wise people talk less, eat less, and sleep less".

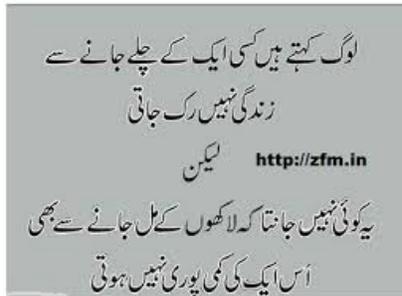
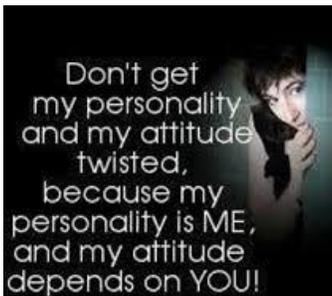
Never eat anything unless you are hungry. And according to our Prophet when you do eat keep one third of your stomach for food, one third for water and one third empty.

Oppression is the vilest manifestation of barbarism. Neither oppress anybody nor be oppressed.

Any activity can be made creative by a dint of zeal and enthusiasm.

It is through passion that people achieve success. Find your passion.

Read, Understand and live your life by the Quran. **Practical Sayings:**



**A Memon friends group organized an evening in an Istarah at a Resort Rahily Jeddah where President, VP, GS, JS and Treasurer of MWS MASA were also present in personal capacity and they shared contribution in the event.**

An interesting evening by a memon friends group Jeddah was organized at an Istarah (farm house) in North Jeddah in the mid of last month. It was wonderful amusing evening. Almost 25 memon families from India and Pakistan attended the evening. Office Bearers of MWS-MASA (President to Treasurer) and some Board Members along with their families also attended by contributing their share of expenses equally. The friends group organizes such evening every year. Being purely family gathering, all activities in the gathering take place within certain limits of our culture and traditions. No bachelors or single male is allowed to participate in it. The duration of amusing evening was from 5.30 pm to 2.30 am which passed away very swiftly since every one remained busy in enjoying the various interesting and attractive programs. The winners of following activities were appreciated & awarded with gifts :

- Swimming of children for one hour
- Children outdoor games for half hour
- Children indoor games for half hour
- Magrib prayer and snacks/refreshment/tea etc one hour
- Gazal & Geet (singers from among participant guests) half hour
- Quiz Show (last year KBC conducted by Dr. Iqbal Musani) one hour
- Isha Prayer and delicious Dinner one & half hour
- Antakshri and/or Bait Bazi one hour
- Dandiya Ras for couples only one hour
- Housee game half hour
- Prize Distributions to the winners of the various games half hour

Almost 4 dozens gifts distributed. 2 Dozens were sponsored by Younus Habib and 1 Dozen by Shoaib Sikander (Thanks to them) and 1 dozen from friends group. Most of the participants of activities were awarded with gifts.

**Brother Abdul Kader Africawala with Assistance, guidance and support of Irfan Kolsawala and Tayyab Moosani conducted the wonderful evening programs very successfully. Families requested to hold such type of program in near future again.**



**Our memon friends are enjoying Istarah gathering through different programs of amusement**



**Every one wants to refresh mood with moments of amusement at least once or twice a year.**

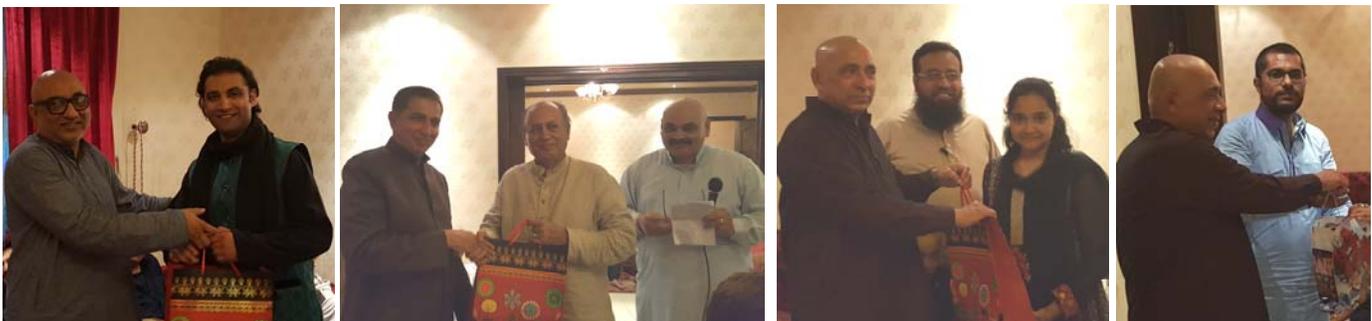
**Prize distribution at the end of games and competitions Itarah gathering of Memon friends group organized at a Resort Rahily Jeddah**



**Irfan H A Kolsawala, President MWS-MASA, Younus Habib, VP and Tayyab Moosani, GS distributing prizes to the winners.**



**Rashid Kasmani, JS, Shoaib Sikander, Treasurer and Board Member A.Kader Africawala distributing prizes to the winners.**



**Shabir Patel, Yunus Habib, Ejaz H A Kolsawala, guest from Kuwait, distributing prizes to the winners, Jawed Kherani receiving his prize.**

## Weight Loss Tips for Men Over 40

If you are forty and looking to lose weight, chances are that you have already tried but not able to stick to your routines. In a week or may be 4 or 5 weeks, some men lose motivation to continue with their weight loss schedule. You need to understand what you are missing in your programme.

At 40, men are most likely to have a slow rate of metabolism, be weak in their physique and have poor eyesight. With such concerns of health, it becomes very difficult for men to find motivation for trying to be in shape. Nonetheless, you should bear in mind that shedding your weight and being in shape is just what you are missing to get the zest back in life.

**If you follow the comprehensive weight loss tips given below, it can be easier for you to lose weight at 40:**

- **Focus on Good Health and Not Weight Loss** – Always remember that dieting is only going to land you in greater trouble when looking to lose weight. It is recommended that you choose healthy foods over those that give you unhealthy calories. This will naturally lead to weight loss but in a healthy manner.
- **Plan Out Your Weight Loss Programme** – You should have a definite idea about what you want to achieve and the steps that you intend to take. Do not randomly start doing push-ups or morning jogs. Keep a tab on what you were able to achieve daily based on the plan of your weight loss programme. Make sure that you do not slip up on your schedule for more than a day.
- **Have Six Healthy Meals in a Day** – A simple way of eating well to help your purpose of weight loss is to have six small meals and each subsequent one should be lighter than the previous. The fat level in your body as well as complications of thyroid can be controlled in this way.
- **Smoking** – Smoking has been linked to the condition of being overweight. There are far too many good reasons to give up this health hazard lifestyle choices and by the age of 40, you may want to act mature.
- **Have Variations in Workout** – During the six days of a week when you exercise, swap between normal workout, half an hour of cardio and an hour of strength exercises. When it is the day for strength exercises, your stretches should be similar to those done in cardio days.
- **Drink Lot of Water** – Drinking water will serve the dual purpose of keeping you hydrated and detoxed while bringing down the pangs of hunger.

## Little smile:

### Two Wise Advices

Never Laugh at  
Your Wife's Choices...  
(You are one of them...)

Never be Proud of  
Your Choices...  
(Your Wife is one of them...)



Son: papa kal school main ek small get together hai. Chaloge?

Father: Small get together kya hota hai?

Son: Only you me and principal 😊

1 Ladka Pepsi Samne Rakh Ke Udas Baita Tha

Dost aaya Pepsi Pee liya aur pucha Yaar tu Udaas Q Hai.....??

Dost bola Yaar Aaj ka Din hi Bura hai.

Subah GF Se Jhagda Ho gaya,

Raste Me Car Kharab Ho gayi.

Office Late Pahuncha To Boss ne Naukri Se Nikal Diya.

Ab Suicide K Liye Pepsi Me **ZAHER** Milaya Wo Bhi tu Pee Gya..



## Our Managing Board



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Invitation Cards for Iftar Party of all male members of memon community will be available at designated spots during first week of Ramadan **WITHOUT ANY CHARGES**. (If invitation card not received, please register name over the phone with any office bearer till minimum one day prior to the party).

INVITATION



Patrons, Office bearers Member Advisory and  
Managing Committees of  
**MEMON WELFARE SOCIETY, JEDDAH**  
Cordially invite you to attend Iftar Party taking place  
on Tuesday 14 June 2016 at LaSani (Ex.Spinzer)  
Restaurant, Madinah Road, Jeddah

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With best compliments from

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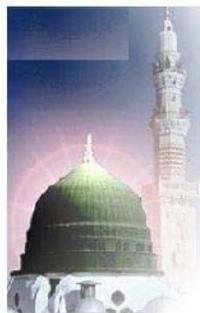
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ON BEHALF OF MWS – MASA, RAMADAN GREETING TO ENTIRE MEMON COMMUNITY THROUGHOUT GLOBE



Ramadan Kareem

From: Memon Welfare Society - Jeddah - Saudi Arabia

Thank you for your time and kind attention. The Newsletter ends here,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,