



NADEEN NEWS

“SMALL SCHOOL—BIG FAMILY” IN OUR 40TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR!

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Our first “Wellness Day” was a big success! We had over 30 vendors selling everything from cold-pressed juices and vegan, dairy-free, gluten-free snacks to salt lamps and organic beauty products. We also had 7 classes and 8 workshops, all of which were really interesting! Despite the heat many families stayed for the whole day, which we really appreciate! We will be reviewing for next time so please let us know if you have any suggestions on how to improve the event! In honor of Mother’s Day the London Breast Care Center is offering 20% to parents and staff on presentation of the school ID card. We’re also looking forward to our Hat Parade and Bake sale at the end of term!

Spring Hat Parade and Bake Sale!



Our Spring Hat Parade is one of the most colourful events of the school year...and one that involves the whole family! We’d like you all to have fun designing and creating your own Spring Hat to celebrate the colours of a new season! The bigger and more beautiful, the better! We’ll be having a parade on the day so that all of the children can proudly present their creations to their parents and friends. There will also be a bake sale hosted by the PTA so please bring in a donation!

Recycled Fashion Show

As part of our annual Earth Day celebration on April 2nd, we will be having a Recycled Fashion Show. Children from Year 1 upwards will be talking about how to design clothes and accessories out of recycled and upcycled items and take this project home for the whole family to enjoy creating. In the past we’ve had gowns made from newspaper and necklaces made from rolled up magazines...haute couture, cat-walk ready!

We raised BD740 for the Nayamba School in Zambia last week at our Mufti Day. Miss Abigail is going over the Spring Break and will be using the money we have raised towards the purchase of agricultural and gardening equipment so that the children and staff can provide food for the school and nearby community; a large safe in order to accredit Nayamba School as an official exam centre; and training school staff to provide more pedagogical training for teachers. Thank you to everyone for your support!



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**Special Mothers' Day Promotion
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**Ticket Sales Date 18-22 March 2018
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Dates for your diary!

- 21 March—Mother’s Day at Art Rotana Beach in Amwaj
- 22 March—Spring Hat Parade and Bake Sale
- 22 March—last day of term
- 8 April—first day of term
- 17 April—PTA Bus Trip
- 19 April—Maths House competition
- 22 April—Earth Day and recycled Fashion Show
- 1 May—Labour Day
- 3 May—Talent Show

WIDEN YOUR WORLD



News from the Parent Teacher Association (PTA)

Firstly, a big thanks to Ms Shanee who was a super tour guide on our latest PTA bus trip to Manama Souq. We had a lovely breakfast in Naseef restaurant followed by a very informative tour around the Souq. **Our next trip will be on April 17th and we'll be going to Jasra Handicraft Center and the Camel Farm, followed by a picnic.**



Our next event will be on **March 22nd** during the Spring Hat parade when we will host a Bake Sale. We welcome any and all donations of sweet, savoury, and healthy snacks (please remember—no nuts!) to go towards our fundraising efforts. Then an event that we are very excited about is an exclusive Mother's Day event for Nadeen Mums at the Art Rotanna Amwaj. Breakfast and hour long massage and access to the beach and the pool all for only BD35 on **March 21st 2018!** Places are limited please book a seat in the office ASAP to avoid disappointment.

The PTA have started collating this year's Special 40th Anniversary Edition yearbook and are looking for advertisers and sponsors. Please see Hilary in the Main Office if you or your company can help.

...HOUSE NEWS...

ARADOUS
House Points

1487

TYLOS
House Points

1282

AWAL
House Points

1375

DILMUN
House Points

1389

SCHOOL COUNCIL

We hope that you all enjoyed our pyjama day recently. It was one of our favourite days of the year so far because we could roll out of bed and come straight to school! Thank you to each and every one of you who donated, we managed to raise a whopping BD333 for the BSPCA! We also have BD160 to add to our funds that we are going to put back in to the school by buying something for the next school year.

...SPORTS DESK...

February saw another successful Nadeen school sports day take place for all year groups. EYFS were the first to showcase their skills, demonstrating what they have been learning in PE and showing all parents in attendance how well they work together in their house teams. Then in the main event, KS1 & KS2 competed tirelessly for their houses, running, throwing, jumping to their very limits. In the end, KS1 shared many of the awards for the different events, but the big winners for the second year running in KS2 were Tylos. A big well done to them and all competitors that worked so hard!



Coming up in March we have the Boys & Girls Under 11 Basketball tournaments, with trials currently underway for team selection. With the help of specialist coach Mr Ahmed, we hope to do well in these upcoming tournaments.

News from the Key Stages

EYFS

Curiosity drives us to learn new things and discover how things work around us, therefore it is crucial that we instil this in children from young age. Children are curious by nature and will always be up to discovering new things. Here are some things you can do to encourage your children's curiosity during the early years: * Answer their questions as much as possible, try to give your child an answer and engage her/him by discussing about the topic further.... * Be curious yourself! Your children learn best from observing what you do, so do take this chance to role model and pique their curiosity.... * Let them pursue their interests. Drawn by hers/his curiosity, your child will show interest in certain activities and topics, do give her/him some freedom to explore those!... * Visit new places! It opens up your child to a world of new experiences and stimulates their curiosity

KS1

As human beings, we are naturally curious creatures. If we can tap into this native tendency and capture the imagination of our children, then we can maximise their interest and engagement. In year 2 we have moved to our humanities block with our big question being 'what is all around us?' to discover the features of the human and physical geography around us. In year 1 we are in the depths of our science block and asking the question 'why is it green?' with a focus on plants and their structure, we are even having a go at growing some ourselves!

KS2

The curious mind is a wonder to behold. Being curious enables you to be creative, to craft, and to explore. Allowing your child to explore and be curious about the World around them is the natural way to learn. We do it instinctively. Allow your children to be explorers, allow them to ask questions. A wise man once said: "I have no special talent. I am only passionately curious." - that man was Albert Einstein.