

What's On



# Anjeri thanks minister Aqeel and Horeca 2019 sponsors

Manager of Leaders Group and head of Horeca Kuwait's organizing committee Nabila Al-Anjeri thanked to all participants who contributed to achieving the success of Horeca Kuwait 2019. She also expressed special gratitude to the manager of Hospitality Services, Joumana Dammous.

In a statement she made after concluding the exhibition, Anjeri thanked minister of state for economic

affairs Mariam Al-Aqeel for patronizing and inaugurating the exhibition, touring its sections along with heads of participating and sponsoring companies and discussing hospitality issues. This reflects increasing governmental care in lines of business that can help turn Kuwait into a regional financial and commercial hub, she noted.

Furthermore, Anjeri indicated that more than 10

ambassadors visited the exhibition, while the ambassadors of France and Australia in Kuwait held special receptions in honors of participants. "Many foreign delegations also visited the exhibition and negotiated with a number of exhibitors concerning possible joint projects," she added.

Further, Anjeri noted that participants and competitors in the cooking competitions belonged to over 20

nationalities, adding that next year's cycle would be held in the period of January 22-24, 2020. Finally, Anjeri stressed that Horeca Kuwait was annually gaining more interest and exhibitors' satisfaction, noting that the total number of participating companies had increased by 10 percent compared to the previous cycle, while visitors' numbers jumped from 6,000 last year to around 7,000 this year.



## BAS, BAIA open registration for Term 2

The British Academy of Sport (BAS) and the British Academy of International Arts (BAIA) are well-known in Kuwait. With over 1000 registered students, we are pleased to announce the start of Term 2 activities which will run for 10 weeks until late March. BAIA and BAS activities are available for children from all private and public schools in Kuwait from 3 to 16 years of age, with courses that have classes once or twice per week.

At BAS there is something for everyone, being the only Academy in Kuwait which offers courses in 10 sports including Swimming, Basketball, Roller Skating, Tennis, Football, Kick Boxing, Gymnastics, Karate, Zumba and Volleyball. New for Term 2 is yoga for ladies. Apart from the courses, in February and March BAS will host the traditional Men's and Ladies' International Volleyball Tournament between the various Embassies, and in April BAS will have the second International Sports Trip to Carlingford in Ireland.

BAIA will be offering all the usual classes in Dance-Ballet, Contemporary, Modern and jazz, as well as Theatre, Music and Arts and Crafts. Following the very successful Theatre Showcase in January the students will be working hard in preparation for examinations with bbodance, the NATD, LAMDA and the ABRSM that take place from April through to June 2019. Join us in May for the BAIA Dance extravaganza and the Theatre showcase - 'An Enchanted Tale.'



2019 新春音乐会  
CHINESE NEW YEAR CONCERT 2019  
حفلة موسيقية لعيد الربيع الصيني 2019

Tuesday, January 29th 2019 7:30 p.m.  
Abdulhussain Abdulredha Theatre

يوم الثلاثاء الموافق 29 يناير 2019 الساعة 7:30 مساء  
مسرح عبد الحسين عبدالرضا - السالمة

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## ICSK celebrates anniversary with Super Mega Carnival

Amidst celebrations of its 60th anniversary, The Indian Community School, Kuwait (ICSK) heralded the New Year with the extravagant 16th Super Mega Carnival 2019, on Friday, January 25, 2019. This much anticipated event among the Indian community in Kuwait, witnessed throngs of people from all over Kuwait assembled at the ICSK Senior campus to celebrate the fun and frolic of the lively event.

The 16th Super Mega carnival kicked off to a

colorful start with a grand inauguration ceremony which showcased the success of ICSK for the past 60 years, highlighting its exemplary contributions in scholastic and artistic fields. The carnival was more decadent due to the incorporation of the ICSK family's Diamond Jubilee celebrations. The magnificent event was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Dr Manaf Behbehani - Retired Professor, Ecology and Marine Zoology, Kuwait University. In his address, the Chief Guest commended the noble cause carried by the Carnival to provide free education to underprivileged children through the proceeds collected. The Guest of Honor, K.G. Abraham - Chairman and Managing Director, K.G.A Group, Kuwait lauded the school for its altruistic efforts, offered his best wishes for the program and also released this year's carnival souvenir.

Dr V Binumon, Principal and Senior Administrator welcomed the august gathering. Shaikh Abdul Rahman, Honorary Chairman,

Board of Trustees ICSK honoured the guests. The other members of the ICSK Board of Trustees: Vinukumar Nair Honorary Vice Chairman, Amer Mohammed Honorary Secretary, Agnello Antonio Sebastio Fernandes Honorary Jt. Secretary and Raju, Honorary Treasurer also graced the occasion. The Principals and Vice-Principals of all the branches of ICSK were present for the ceremony. Gangadhar Shirsath, Principal ICSK Khaitan rendered the vote of thanks and in his address, entreated the parents and students to extend their wholehearted cooperation to make the school achieve greater success in academics and other school related programs.

The 25th of January at ICSK Senior turned in to a day of extravagant fiesta, where throngs of thousands gathered to ring in the New Year. There were stalls of scrumptious food and a variety of merchandise to fulfill both the crowd's appetite for food and shopping. The gaming stalls enchanted the youngsters, who also went absolutely bonkers dancing at the Disco. The day further witnessed extravagant events such as a Magic Show by the Emperor of Magic - Ugesh Sarcar, Instrumental Fusion by the Junior Sivamani - Gino and a Live Musical Band Performance by Kuwait's renowned singer - Mubarak. The atmosphere was lit up with the theatrical displays of various cultural events such as Taal Dance, Fusion Show, Egyptian Dance, Dandiya Dance, Punjabi Dance, Filipino Dance and so much more which delighted the audience and enthralled their senses. The fashion show and dance performances by the ICSK's very own talented youth added to the charm of the event.



## GUST's Fatma Al-Bader 7th to attain full Graduate Scholarship

Gulf University for Science and Technology (GUST) has awarded Fatma Al Bader GUST's Graduate Scholarship to enable her to complete her higher studies. Ms Al Bader has officially been accepted at the University of Manchester to pursue her Masters in Accounting. She is the 7th GUST alumni to

receive this scholarship.

Four GUST alumni are currently on this prestigious scholarship, and pursuing their PhD degrees in esteemed universities like Pennsylvania State University and Arizona State University. Upon the completion of their degrees they will return to GUST as faculty members. This effort comes as part of GUST's faculty hiring strategy to integrate its graduates as future faculty members. GUST offers this scholarship to a selective number of alumni each year to encourage them to pursue their graduate degrees, in one of the QS top 100 ranked universities worldwide. GUST has already funded six of its students to pursue their graduate studies. The eligibility requirements are:

- Kuwaiti citizen
  - GUST undergraduate degree
  - Achieved high distinction (B+) or a 3.30 GPA
  - Strong command of the English language to be able to meet all academic, entry, and other requirements of the concerned universities.
  - Applicants must not be above the age of 28 (as of October 1st following the scholarship nomination).
- International study has proven its benefits to the growth and development of individuals. GUST prides itself in its growing portfolio of international courses and programs, and strives to connect with renowned universities worldwide to deliver a well-rounded experience to its students and faculty.



## Future Eye Theatre organizes workshop

The Future Eye Theater Kuwait is organizing a professional drama workshop titled 'Professional Acting Training Program' at the Symphony Hall in Riga on February 15 and 16. This program is conducted under direct supervision of Prof Sreejith Ramanan, the prominent director, actor, and the faculty of Trissur School of Drama. Sreejith Ramanan, who won the Best Actor Award for 2003, is the director of the notable dramas Ekantham and Misty Mountain Of Mahabharata. A day-long workshop covers various aspects of drama, such as physical exercises, slow motion exercises, directional movements, organic performance, etc. This event is organized for adults on February 15th and for children above 10 years on 16th. As the numbers of seats are limited, admissions are allotted on first in first out basis. Interested candidates are required to contact e-mail before February 5th. E-mail ID: fel.kuwait@gmail.com

