



KUWAIT: Kuwaiti families chat with security officials as they celebrate Kuwait's 56th National Day and 26th Liberation anniversary. Kuwait National Day is celebrated on the 25th of February to mark the creation of the state in 1961. The National Day is the most celebrated holiday in this Arab country. The nation-wide festivities include an elaborate fireworks display, public meetings and conferences, get-togethers with food and drink for everyone and lots of entertaining activities. — Photos by Yasser Al-Zayyat