



AGILITY AND THE BASKET BRING JOY TO DISADVANTAGED FAMILIES

Agility, a leading global logistics provider, joined The Basket Kuwait last week to spread some cheer to children from underprivileged families in Kuwait. The Basket is a voluntary organization established three years ago to help individuals and families in need. The Basket has reached out to over 400 families with supplies such as basic necessities, and donated toys and clothes.

Noura Mishari Al-Sanouji, a founding member of The Basket, said: "Kuwait has a large number of underprivileged individuals and families living in various areas of the country, especially in Jleeb Al Shyoukh, Jahra and Sulabiya. Through The Basket, we do our best to reach as many of them as possible to provide them with the things they need most. We are pleased to partner with Agility, a recognized leader in CSR activities worldwide on this Ramadan initiative in Kuwait."

Supported by Agility's Real Estate business, employees and their children accompanied volunteers from The Basket to a dilapidated neighborhood in Jleeb Al Shyoukh to distribute Girgaaan sweets and toys to children living there. The volunteers gave out baskets full of goody bags and toys to 10 families living in the area.

Nader Sakeen, Senior Director of Agility's Real Estate business said: "At Agility, our

Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) program revolves around giving back to the communities in which we live and work. We also encourage our employees to get involved in social causes by volunteering their personal time in community initiatives such as this one. Agility is grateful for the opportunity to collaborate with The Basket to help bring some joy to the children and at the same time, instill our own children with a sense of social

responsibility." Agility has been running a robust CSR program since 2006 with a focus on four key areas that include community volunteerism, disaster response, ethics and fair labor, and the environment. Through its community volunteer program, Agility has completed more than 1,150 community projects in 80 countries that have positively impacted over 600,000 people.

BURGAN BANK'S AIRPORT BRANCH TO REMAIN OPEN

Burgan Bank yesterday announced that its airport branch will resume its normal working hours during the Eid Al Fitr holidays. The branch will commence operations from 8:00 am to 10:30 pm, in an effort to accommodate banking requirements for travelers' and customers during the public holiday. For more information on any products or services, customers are required to contact Burgan Bank's call center 1804080 during the holiday. On this occasion, Burgan Bank extends its best wishes and greetings to the public.

EC SUMMER TIMING RESUMED IN EID

Within preparations for the Eid holidays in its various facilities, The Touristic Enterprises Co (TEC)'s PR and media manager, Sager Al-Bader announced that the Entertainment City would receive its visitors at its usual summer working hours timing; that is 5:00 pm- 1:00 am. Al-Bader added that EC would be closed on Friday if it was the last day of Ramadan but if it would be open if it was the first day of the Eid.



KANNUR KKMCC TO DISTRIBUTE PENSION FUND TO POOR

Kannur District Committee of Kuwait Kerala Muslim Cultural Centre, will distribute Pension - Relief fund to poor and under-privileged families today (28th Ramadan 1436H) at SAVOR Hotel, near to Kannur Bus Stand. Indian Union Muslim League leaders from Kannur will also be attending the event. More than 30 people will be given Annual Pension Plan. This is 5th year Kannur KKMCC is distributing to the deserved people on a humanitarian ground. A grand Iftar event also will be held. Sayyid Ghalib Al-Mashoor Thangal, President of Kannur KKMCC will preside the event while Naser Taliparambana and Hamza pulingom will coordinate the event.

SOUTH AFRICAN EMBASSY CLOSURE

On the auspicious occasion of Eid-Al-Fitr, and in accordance with the Eid holidays announced by the Government of Kuwait, the Embassy of the Republic of South Africa will remain closed from 17 - 20 July, 2015 (Friday to Monday) and will reopen with its routine office timings from 8:00 to 16:00 & the Consular Section operation hours will be from 8:30 to 12:30 on Tuesday, 21 July 2015. In case of any emergencies, please contact: 94924895.



KFH CONTINUES ITS 'FEED A FASTING PERSON' CAMPAIGN

Kuwait Finance House (KFH) continued its 'Feed a Fasting Person' campaign to offer fasters Iftar feasts as part of its charity activities that underline its Islamic identity and firm belief in its social and humanitarian responsibility towards the society.

KFH PR team and a number of volunteers, toured several mosques and crowded locations in Kuwait to offer meals for fasters, which shows that KFH operations are not limited to banking services, but goes beyond that to humanitarian and social relationships. Also, the team continued distributing meals at Bayan Palace that is teeming with people waiting for Maghrib Azan in its efforts to continuously have a key role in the Kuwait society. Moreover, KFH's efforts in the holy month of Ramadan reinforce bank's role in the field of social responsibility, and ease the suffering of low-income segments in the society.

Organizing Al-Qiyam Prayer Meanwhile, KFH public relations team and a number of volunteers contributed to organizing Al-Qiyam prayer at Bilal bin Rabah Mosque and distributed beverages among worshippers and the personnel at the mosque, as part of its social responsibility and in continuation to its Ramadan program campaign.

KFH's team took this step to further bolster KFH relationship with the society, which reinforces KFH's Islamic identity. KFH has been keen to establish strong ties with all sectors of the society, especially during Ramadan, in order to spread brotherhood, participation and solidarity. Such an initiative underlines KFH's interest in having strong social and humanitarian relationships with the society. It is worth noting that KFH's team worked in collaboration with the police, paramedics and the medical staff.

