

# OUT & ABOUT

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## MARK YOUR Calendar

### KIDNEY CARE EXHIBITION

**Date: May 4-6**  
**Venue: The Indian School Bahrain**

Thanal Bahrain Chapter is gearing up for a Kidney Care Exhibition from May 4 to 6 at the Indian School Bahrain with the support of the Ministry of Health (MoH) in order to spread awareness about kidney care and arrange free kidney screening. The organisers said MoH has agreed to loan all the specimens required for the exhibition like human body, kidney and other human organs to exhibit for the educational and demonstration purpose. MoH and Thanal has established a mutual partnership for disseminating awareness initiative among the public in the Kingdom focusing mainly the expatriates.

Thanal is a charitable organization rendering various humanitarian services like dialysis and palliative care centres, medical clinics, ambulance services etc and running the biggest stand alone dialysis facility in India equipped with 80 dialysis machines functioning in four units by doing more than 5,000 dialysis every month, thus benefitting almost 500 under-privileged patients.

The public can register online to attend the event by visiting [www.thanalbahrain.com](http://www.thanalbahrain.com). For further details contact 38384504, 33433530, 39798122, 39605806, 39857759.



### MAMOUN EFFENDI - FUTURE OF ARABS IN LIGHT OF NON-ARAB NEIGHBORS' ENCROACHMENT ON THE REGION

**Date: Today**  
**Venue: Abdulla Alzayed For Bahraini Press Heritage**

A lecture by Egyptian-American Political Science Professor Mamoun Fandy. Currently the Director of the London-based International Institute for Strategic Studies' Middle East and Gulf Security program, Effendi authored several books including "Media and Politics in the Arab World" and "Victims of Modernity: America and the Arabs after September 11".

### MOHAMMED BIN FARIS SONG

**Date: Every Thursday 8pm (Till April 24)**  
**Venue: Mohammed Bin Faris Music Hall**

Every Thursday evening, we set sail with the musical sounds of Mohammed bin Faris Band in a lyrical voyage which regales audiences with tales of a peeling diver's life from festive melodies to working songs and farewell ballads.

In the 13 years that have passed since its establishment, the band has travelled the world to introduce Bahrain's soulful musical identity through the traditional arts. As part of its participation in this year's Spring of Culture, the band will hold a number of concerts, transporting audiences to a time of tradition. Join us at the Mohammed bin Faris Hall in Muharraq, near the Shaikh Ebrahim bin Mohammed Al Khalifa Center for Culture and Research.

### THE PEARLING PATH EXHIBITION

**Date: Till 4 August 2017, 8:00am - 8:00pm**  
**Venue: Bahrain National Museum**

Four years after the inscription of the "Pearling, Testimony of an Island Economy" site on the UNESCO World Heritage List, the exhibition will showcase the built vision for the site through architectural models, images, studies and mock-ups of the different components of the project. From the conservation aspects to the new architectural interventions, the exhibition will give an indepth overview of this unique project that aims to spearhead the rehabilitation of the Old City of Muharraq.

### ROYAL THAI FESTIVAL

**Date: Till April 28**  
**Venue: Gulf Hotel**

Voted Best Thai Restaurant by the Food and Travel awards, Royal Thai presents The Thai Festival! Starting from the 19th till the 28th of April, guests will be treated to a unique

and exotic Thai experience, from the food to the ambiance and the traditional Thai entertainment flown in exclusively from Thailand.

Thai Master Chef Tawatchai, together with his culinary team will bring the exquisite cuisine and warm hospitality from the "Land of Smiles".

During this festival, our team will be using Thailand's native ingredients to serve the most authentic dishes to all Thai food lovers, including the spicy tom-yum soup, rich Thai red and green curry, fresh papaya salad and much more. Said Chef Tawatchai.

### GULF PROPERTY SHOW

**Date: May 9 to 11**  
**Venue: Bahrain International Exhibition & Convention Centre**

The Gulf Property Show is a boutique showcase for the real estate and property development sectors, that aims to highlight present and future developments in the Kingdom of Bahrain and the Northern Gulf, and provide the opportunity to promote Bahrain's property assets as well as regional and international opportunities for investors in commercial and residential real estate. You can be assured of the best property deals and expertise to help make the dream of owning or investing in real estate come true. This event will showcase & promote products & services from Local & International Real Estate Developers, Investors, Service Providers & Consultants.

### THE ART OF SILVERSMITHING

**Date: 29 April 2017, 4:00pm**  
**Venue: Bahrain Fort Museum**

People of Bahrain are known for their silversmithing craft from the Dilmun era until now. In this workshop you will learn more about the craft and you will get to make your own silver ring. Free Admission. Minimum age 18 years old and above. Silversmithing is the art of turning silver sheet metal into hollow ware (dishes, bowls, porringers, cups, candlesticks, vases, ewers, urns, etc.), flatware (silverware), and other articles of household silver, church plate or sculpture. It may also include the making of jewelry.

### JOHN MAXWELL TEAM GLOBAL YOUTH

**Initiative - Bahrain**  
**Date: April 29**  
**Venue: My Gym, Seef**

Today's youth face many challenges - struggles with confidence, fear of failure, and bullying. As parents, teachers, and leaders, we can do something about it! You and your youth are invited to participate in a world-changing youth movement that will empower youth to be the change they wish to see in the world! During Global Youth Initiative week, youth leadership events will be hosted all over the world. Our goal is to reach 500,000 youth. As a certified member of the John Maxwell Team, I am hosting a local Global Youth Initiative event right here in Seef District.

### MUSIC AND MEDITATION

**Date: May 1**  
**Venue: Bahrain Society of Engineers, Juffair**

Sahaja Yoga Bahrain in association with Opel consultants proudly presents Music and Meditation, a vibrant evening filled with enlightening music that will soothe and nourish the soul. As part of our mission in creating awareness about the Inner Power the Energy that exist in all human beings, we have arranged a "Music and Meditation" program on Monday, May 1, at 5:00pm in the Bahrain Society of Engineers, Juffair. The ensemble of eminent artists include Mahuya Mukherjee from India, who is specialized in Hindustani, Thumri and Sufi style of singing, Sangeetha Ramprasad, a renowned Carnatic musician who has performed in numerous classical concerts in Bahrain and India, Sajith Sankaran on Mridangam, Saji Thaarakam on Tabla and Vigneshwar on the Keyboard. Entry is free. The program includes a demonstration on how to awaken the inner energy in us, known as the Kundalini, about the energy centers, known as chakras and how music goes hand in hand with meditation. All are Welcome. For further details contact 39293955, 36685411, 39575301. Sahaja Yoga Bahrain conducts Free Meditation and Stress Management classes in the Kingdom of Bahrain since 1996. This unique method of Meditation, which is practised in over 140 countries, was founded by Mataji Nirmala Devi in the year 1970.

## HIGHLIGHT

### ISB MEGA FAIR & FOOD FESTIVAL 2017

**Date: October 12 & 13**  
**Venue: The Indian School Bahrain**

The Indian School Bahrain (ISB) is gearing up for Mega Fair and Food Festival which will be held on October 12 & 13, 2017 in the Isa Town campus. The Indian School Fair is organized to generate funds to sponsor needy students and for staff welfare. ISB Chairman Prince S Natarajan thanked the community and media for the overwhelming support to the previous fair, which was one of the best in terms of revenue generation and receivables.

Last year around 800 students received benefit in the form of fee concession, he said. The School Fair is a carnival that witnesses a display of colours which include a variety of cultural programmes, orchestra and musical bonanza. It also contains a food festival which is a tasty hit among the crowd that comes in the campus during the carnival. Almost 100 stalls from leading business houses showcase their products and services this year.

ISB Secretary Dr. Shemily P John said that the Fair is a way to reach out to the needy children whose educational future otherwise will be hampered because of non-availability of funds. Being a community school it is the responsibility of the school to support such needy children. Proceeds of the Fair will also go towards staff welfare and creation of a staff contingency reserve.

ISB Fair General Convenor Mohammed Hussain Malim requested the support of the media and the community to make this venture successful. The entire programme will be announced in due course of time. It is a great opportunity to every business and service provider to reach out to a large section of the Bahrain population during the carnival days.

