

US envoys are travelling between Moscow and Kyiv in a renewed US effort to advance peace talks.
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HRH Prince Salman Congratulates Italian PM



His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, sent a cable of congratulations to Italian Prime Minister Giorgia Meloni on her government marking the longest period in office.

HRH Prince Salman also congratulated Meloni on becoming the longest-serving Prime Minister in the history of the Italian Republic.

Green Mobility Cooperation



Fatima Abdulla Al Dhaen, Undersecretary for Land Transport and Post at the Ministry of Transportation and Telecommunications, participated in the Gulf Green Mobility System Lab workshop, which was held alongside the second Gulf Green Mobility Forum in Salalah, Oman.

The workshop discussed policies and regulations for electric vehicle charging, including charging infrastructure and smart-grid integration, as well as using green hydrogen in heavy transport and logistics.

New Rules for Religious Preaching

The Ministry of Justice, Islamic Affairs and Waqf Affairs announced updated procedures governing licences for religious preaching, guidance and related activities, as part of efforts to strengthen the regulatory framework for religious work. The measures are based on Resolution No. 56 of 2011 governing preaching and guidance licences.

Under Resolution No. 74 of 2026, issued by Minister of Justice, Islamic Affairs and Waqf Affairs Nawaf bin Mohammed Al Maawda, practicing preaching, guidance, religious sermons and chanting, as well as related activities and events, will require the relevant licence in accordance with approved regulations and procedures.

Bahrain-UAE Ties Discussed in Abu Dhabi

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His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa met with His Highness Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, President of the United Arab Emirates, and His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President and Prime Minister of the UAE and Ruler of Dubai, during His Majesty's visit to the UAE.

During the meeting, the leaders reviewed Bahrain-UAE relations and discussed means to expand cooperation across various sectors.

Discussions also covered regional developments and ongoing efforts to maintain security and stability in the region.



A Costly Answer to Iran

US Strikes Three Iranian Oil Tankers After IRGC Targets American Warships

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U.S. Central Command (CENTCOM) forces struck three Iranian crude oil tankers after the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC) launched ballistic missiles toward two U.S. Navy warships operating in regional waters.

A U.S. aircraft carrier and a guided-missile destroyer successfully evaded multiple Iranian attacks; CENTCOM reported no American personnel were injured.

Following the failed missile attacks, U.S. forces permanently disabled the IRGC-linked crude oil carriers M/T Downy off the coast of Kharg Island and M/T Stark 1 near Jask.

CENTCOM said American forces also completely destroyed the unladen crude oil carrier



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ADM. BRAD COOPER,
CENTCOM COMMANDER.

M/T Kylo, also known as the Noken, in the Gulf of Oman.

CENTCOM reports the vessel



A still from footage released by U.S. Central Command (CENTCOM) shows the strikes on Iranian oil tankers.

was struck at multiple critical locations after its crew was directed to abandon ship, rendering the tanker inoperable.

The three Iranian crude oil tankers were described by CENTCOM as part of a multi-billion-dollar shadow network that provides funding to the IRGC and its regional proxies.

CENTCOM Commander Adm. Brad Cooper said the strikes were intended to demonstrate

that attacks on U.S. forces would result in significant economic consequences.

"Let the message to the IRGC be clear: If you shoot at two of our ships, we will impose an even higher economic cost — taking out three of yours," Cooper said.

"We will not hesitate to defend American forces, and if necessary, destroy Iran's limited and exposed oil fleet," he added.

Four Global ACI Honours for Bahrain Airport

Bahrain International Airport received four prestigious recognitions from Airports Council International (ACI) for customer experience, arrival services quality, accessibility and public health and safety preparedness.

Mohamed Jameel Al Khenazi Chief Commercial Officer of Bahrain Airport Company, received the recognitions during the Global Airport Experience Summit, which Istanbul Airport (IGA) hosted in Türkiye.

Level 5 is the highest level of the ACI Customer Experience Accreditation programme. Maintaining the accreditation for a second consecutive year places Bahrain International Airport among



the world's airports holding the highest level of recognition. This reflects Bahrain Airport Company's continued commitment to embedding customer experience across its strategy, governance, operations, service design and corporate culture.

The airport also secured the Airport Service Quality Award for

Best Airport Worldwide for Arrivals for the second consecutive year. The award is based on feedback from travellers from around the world and recognises the quality of services provided to arriving passengers and the efficiency of their arrival experience in the Kingdom of Bahrain.

Khalid Hussain Taqi, Chairman

of Gulf Air Group Holding, expressed pride in the achievements. He stated that maintaining the highest level of customer experience accreditation, alongside global recognition for arrival services, public health preparedness and accessibility, demonstrates the success of Bahrain Airport Company's strategy in achieving excellence across all aspects of the airport experience.

He noted that the achievements resulted from the dedication of employees and close cooperation among the airport's partners and operating entities, which strengthens the Kingdom of Bahrain's position as a leading hub in the aviation sector.

Taxis Cross Causeway

Licensed taxis from Bahrain and Saudi Arabia will be permitted to transport passengers across the King Fahd Causeway between the two countries starting September 6, the Ministry of Transportation and Telecommunications announced.

The ministry said the move aims to expand land transport options, facilitate the movement of citizens, residents and visitors, and strengthen connectivity between Bahrain and Saudi Arabia.

Hormuz Impact



Minister of Foreign Affairs Dr. Abdullatif bin Rashid Al Zayani received a phone call from Egypt's Minister of Foreign Affairs, Immigration and Egyptian Expatriates, Badr Abdelatty.

They discussed regional and international developments, including the impact of closing the Strait of Hormuz on international trade and the global economy. The ministers stressed the importance of intensifying regional efforts to support security and stability and exchanged views on issues of mutual interest.

10-Year-Old Boy Dies After Four Days in Well



A 10-year-old boy, Ayoub, was found dead on Saturday after being trapped in a well for four days in Algeria's El Bayadh province, Civil Protection authorities said.

Ayoub fell into the dry well, which was about 80 metres deep and only 40 centimetres wide. Rescue teams faced major difficulties because of the narrow well, soil and hard rocks.

Rescuers used heavy machinery and dug a tunnel beside the well to reach him. Despite their efforts, Ayoub was found dead and his body was recovered.

The World Cannot Ignore Hormuz

MP Hassan Ibrahim Highlights Global Stakes of Strait of Hormuz Disruptions

The strategic importance of the Strait of Hormuz and the need to safeguard freedom of navigation and the uninterrupted movement of vital resources took centre stage at an international parliamentary discussion in Samarkand yesterday.

The issue was highlighted by MP Hassan Ibrahim Hassan, member of the Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU) Bureau of Young Parliamentarians and representative of the Arab Group, who chaired an open interactive session titled “When Maritime Corridors Become a Human Rights Issue: The Role of Young Parliamentarians in Protecting Global Energy Security.”

The session was held as part of the 12th IPU Global Conference of Young Parliamentarians in Samarkand, Republic of Uzbekistan, being held under the theme “Reclaiming Human Rights, Justice and Dignity for All in Turbulent Times.”

The session followed the selection of a proposal submitted by the Bahrain Parliamentary Division for the third consecutive year. The proposal was chosen following strong international competition with Canada, Germany and Malta.

MP Hassan Ibrahim said the escalation and disruption of maritime traffic through the Strait of Hormuz had demonstrated the



MP Hassan Ibrahim at the session

vulnerability of the global economy to threats targeting major international energy routes.

He stressed that the Strait of Hormuz represents one of the world's most important maritime corridors, linking economies and markets stretching from Asia to Europe and connecting interests across the globe.

He underlined that preserving freedom of navigation and ensuring the smooth and uninterrupted flow of resources through the waterway should be regarded as major international responsibilities, given the Strait's significance to global energy security and economic stability.

Bahrain Leads Dialogue



MP Hassan Ibrahim Hassan with IPU President Dr. Tulia Ackson, Chairperson of the Senate of Uzbekistan Tanzila Narbaeva, and UN Assistant Secretary-General for Youth Affairs Felipe Paullier during a high-level meeting in Samarkand.

BIPD Board Charts Next Phase of Political Awareness and National Development



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The Bahrain Institute for Political Development (BIPD) is continuing to advance its programmes and initiatives aimed at strengthening political and constitutional awareness and encouraging informed participation across Bahraini society.

The Institute's Board of Trustees reviewed its ongoing work and plans for the coming period during its third meeting of 2026, chaired by Dr. Ali bin Mohammed Al Rumaihi, Chairman of the BIPD Board of Trustees.

The meeting was attended by members of the Board of Trustees and Eman Faisal Janahi,

Executive Director of the BIPD.

Dr. Al Rumaihi stressed the Institute's role in supporting His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa's vision of strengthening national efforts and promoting political awareness among all segments of society.

He noted that the BIPD's programmes contribute to encouraging informed and responsible participation, while strengthening the values of citizenship and national belonging.

He also affirmed the Institute's commitment to developing its programmes and initiatives in line with the needs of the current phase, supporting its national mission of promoting political and constitutional awareness, enhancing understanding of rights and responsibilities, and develop-

ing national talent capable of contributing effectively to political development.

During the meeting, the Board reviewed the programmes and activities implemented by the Institute between January and August 2026. These included training and awareness programmes, events and initiatives targeting different segments of society.

The Board also examined the results of these activities, participation levels and the benefits gained by participants, as well as their contribution to the BIPD's strategic objectives.

It further reviewed new initiatives and updates to programmes and activities included in the Institute's 2026 plan for the coming period, along with preparations for their implementation.



Steps Up Workplace Safety Efforts

Labour Minister and Minister of Legal Affairs His Excellency Yousef bin Abdulhussain Khalaf chaired the fourth meeting of the Occupational Safety and Health Council via video conference.

The meeting reviewed several matters related to the development of Bahrain's occupational safety and health system and efforts to sustain safe working environments across the Kingdom.

The Council also followed up on the implementation of awareness and guidance programmes concerning occupational safety and health requirements and preventive measures at workplaces.

It was briefed on the latest preparations for the organisation of the sixth National Occupational Safety and Health Conference and Exhibition.

The Council also discussed national efforts to monitor employers' compliance with the decision banning outdoor work during the midday period in summer this year, as part of efforts to strengthen proactive prevention measures at workplaces and production sites.

Applied Science University Aligns Engineering Education with Bahrain's BIM Transformation, Preparing Engineers for the Future of Smart Construction

As the Kingdom of Bahrain advances the adoption of Building Information Modelling (BIM) and digital technologies across the construction, design and infrastructure sectors, Applied Science University (ASU) continues to prepare its Architectural and Civil Engineering students for this evolving professional landscape through programmes that integrate digital engineering, sustainability and modern industry practices.

Bahrain is taking significant steps towards the wider adoption of three-dimensional Building Information Modelling (3D BIM) across its construction, design and infrastructure sectors. This national direction is increasingly linked with the use of artificial intelligence to support smarter project planning, simulation and lifecycle management, identify potential design clashes before construction, optimise the use of resources, reduce costs and contribute to more sustainable infrastructure

development.

Against this backdrop, ASU's Architectural and Civil Engineering programmes are particularly relevant to the future needs of Bahrain's engineering and construction sectors. Students are introduced to Building Information Modelling (BIM) and modern digital engineering tools as part of their studies, enabling them to develop skills that are becoming increasingly important in digitally enabled construction and infrastructure environments.

The programmes are offered through ASU's academic partnership with London South Bank University (LSBU), UK, providing students with an internationally oriented educational experience and the opportunity to graduate with two degrees, one from Applied Science University and another from London South Bank University. This strengthens graduates' professional profiles and enhances their competitiveness in Bahrain, the GCC and international employment markets.

The Architectural Engineering programme covers areas including building design, environmental and sustainable design, structural engineering and construction project management. Students also gain BIM skills digitally required for planning, designing and managing built-environment projects.

Through BIM, students can better understand the coordination of architectural, structural and other engineering elements within an integrated digital environment, helping improve design coordination, project implementation, operational efficiency and the long-term sustainability of buildings.

Sustainability is also embedded within the learning experience. Students explore energy efficiency, renewable energy, responsible resource consumption, water reuse and the conservation of natural resources. These principles are reflected in student design work and graduation projects, where learners are encouraged to develop practical solutions for more sustainable

buildings and communities.

The Civil Engineering programme, meanwhile, prepares students for the design, construction and maintenance of essential infrastructure, including roads, bridges, water networks and construction projects.

Students are also exposed to applications related to storm-water management and drainage design, together with the use of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) to analyse water-flow routes, identify areas susceptible to water accumulation and support data-driven approaches to water management and sustainable infrastructure planning.

The educational experience therefore extends beyond conventional engineering theory. Students engage with technologies, digital tools, design projects and practical applications that help them understand how the engineering profession itself is changing.

Both programmes also benefit from strong professional recognition, being the first Architectural and Civil

Engineering programmes in the Kingdom of Bahrain to receive accreditation from the Chartered Institute of Building (CIOB), one of the world's leading professional bodies for construction, built-environment and project-management professionals.

The combination of BIM, sustainability, digital design, applied engineering, international academic partnership and professional accreditation gives ASU students a strong platform for careers in a construction and infrastructure sector undergoing rapid technological transformation.

To fur-

ther support students wishing to join these programmes, Applied Science University offers additional partial scholarships ranging from 25% to 35%, depending on the student's secondary-school academic performance.

At ASU, engineering students are therefore not only studying how buildings and infrastructure are designed today; they are developing the knowledge and digital skills needed to contribute to the buildings, infrastructure and smart cities of tomorrow, using technologies that Bahrain itself is increasingly adopting across its construction and infrastructure sectors.



Two Young Lives Lost in a Week

Authorities urge motorists, parents and school transport operators to follow safety rules to protect students.

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Ashen Tharaka

The Ministry of Education has expressed deep sorrow over the deaths of two students in separate traffic accidents, as authorities continue to urge motorists, parents and school transport operators to take greater precautions to protect children on Bahrain's roads.

The ministry mourned the death of Ahmed Osama Adel Khamis Zaman, a student at Arad Intermediate Boys School, who died following a traffic accident on Dry Dock Road.

Dr Mohammed bin Mubarak Juma, Minister of Education, extended his heartfelt condolences, on behalf of himself and the entire education community, to Ahmed's parents, family, friends and school community.

The ministry also mourned the death of Salman Kareem Abdulrasoul Muhanna, a student at Shaikh Abdullah bin Isa Secondary Industrial Boys School, who died in a separate traffic accident.

The deaths came amid a series of traffic incidents involving young people.

Authorities renew child safety warnings

Following the incidents, the General Directorate of Traffic continued to stress the importance of following basic road safety measures, particularly when transporting children.

Parents and motorists have been urged to ensure that children are seated in their designated seats and use seat belts and appropriate child seats to reduce the risk of injury.

Drivers have also been reminded to come to a complete stop when students are getting off school buses, allowing them to leave safely before the vehicle moves again.

Authorities have further called on students to board and exit school buses in an orderly manner and without pushing, helping prevent accidents and injuries around school transport areas.



Salman Kareem Abdulrasoul Muhanna



Ahmed Osama Adel Khamis Zaman.



Authorities intensify inspections of illegal student transport services.

Focus on school transport safety

As part of its wider traffic awareness efforts, the General Directorate of Traffic has organised awareness lectures for student transport drivers in both the government and private sectors.

The sessions aim to strengthen compliance with safe student transportation requirements and traffic laws, while promoting greater safety and smoother traffic movement around schools.

The directorate has stressed that student transport drivers must comply with legal speed limits, the authorised number of passengers and designated stopping areas.

Parents urged to check drivers' licences

The authorities have also called on parents to avoid hiring unlicensed drivers to transport their children.

Parents have been urged to verify that drivers have the necessary licence from the Ministry of Transportation and Telecommunications to operate student transport services in accordance with the approved regulations.

The requirements apply to both drivers and vehicles and are intended to ensure that students are provided with safe and



Police officers assist students in safely crossing the road near a school.

reliable transportation.

Bahrain has also intensified its traffic awareness and enforcement efforts, including the deployment of smart cameras and the imposition of fines for traffic violations.

Authorities continue to urge motorists and the wider public to respect traffic rules and regulations, stressing that greater awareness, responsible driving and compliance with safety requirements are essential to preventing accidents and protecting children on the Kingdom's roads.

New Controls on Public Fundraising

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Mohammed Darwish

Public fundraising breaches will carry fines of up to BD10,000 under new rules that also give the Social Development Ministry powers to freeze or take control of money raised in breach of the law.

Three ministerial decisions create a Financial Licensing Office, list nine administrative offences and introduce standard forms for fundraising, donations and transfers to and from Bahrain.

Social Development Minister Osama Al Alawi issued Decisions 51, 52 and 53 of 2026, which give effect to 2025 changes to the 2013 law governing fundraising for public purposes.

Legal entities cannot raise money for public causes without a licence, while individuals can do so only for religious purposes.

Eight of the nine offences carry fines from BD100 to BD10,000. Failure to keep or submit financial records carries a maximum penalty of BD3,000.

Breaches include using unapproved fundraising methods, spending money on another purpose, failing to file reports and breaking rules on funds sent overseas or received from abroad.

Administrative costs cannot exceed 10pc of the amount raised.

The Financial Licensing Office will handle applications to raise money, receive donations without a fundraising licence, send funds abroad or receive



Osama Al Alawi, Minister of Social Development

them from overseas.

It will check applications, seek views from government bodies where required and work with the ministry's Anti-Money Laundering and Inspection Section.

The office can also freeze or take control of fundraising proceeds under the law and direct them towards public-benefit purposes.

Licensed bodies must use a dedicated account at a bank licensed by the Central Bank of Bahrain and file a financial report within 30 days of the end of the licence period or approval of a donation.

Money sent abroad must go by bank transfer, with proof supplied that it reached the beneficiary and was used for the approved purpose.

Financial records must be kept for at least five years.

The rules also bar fundraising for public purposes inside Islamic places of worship, ban the use of children in fundraising and require prior ministry approval before money is spent on a purpose other than that for which it was raised.

- Fundraising: Key Rules
- Overseas Transfers:** Funds sent abroad must be transferred through a bank, with proof of receipt and use for the approved purpose.
 - Record Keeping:** Financial records must be retained for at least five years.
 - Fund Control:** Authorities can freeze or take control of fundraising proceeds and direct them to public-benefit purposes where permitted by law.
 - Places of Worship:** Fundraising for public purposes is prohibited inside Islamic places of worship.
 - Children:** Children cannot be used in fundraising activities.
 - Change of Purpose:** Ministry approval is required before funds are spent on a purpose other than the one for which they were raised.

From The Court

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Rehab Mohammad

German Law Applied in Bahrain Divorce Case

A Bahraini court granted divorce to an Italian woman and German man after a 15-year marriage, applying German law to the case.

The Second High Civil Court ruled that Bahraini courts had jurisdiction despite both parties being foreign nationals. The court found that the re-

quired separation period under German law had been met.

The father was ordered to pay €2,958 monthly in child support for the couple's two children, in addition to their actual school expenses. He was also ordered to pay his former wife €3,400 monthly for five years.

The children will remain pri-

marily with their mother under joint parental authority, while the father was granted visitation on alternating weekends and public holidays.

The court also applied Germany's matrimonial property regime but deferred the division of assets because the couple had not provided complete financial disclosures.

BD10,000 Accident Claim Dismissed Over Waiver

A BD10,000 compensation claim filed by an Asian national injured in a traffic accident has been dismissed after a Bahraini appeals court upheld the validity of a notarized waiver signed by the claimant.

The claimant sought final compensation for injuries and damages following an accident in which the first defendant was convicted of causing injury through negligence, among

other offences.

Although the High Civil Court initially ordered the defendants to pay BD10,000, the Third Civil Division of the High Court of Appeals over-

turned the ruling and dismissed the claim.

The appeals court found that the claimant had previously signed a notarized document relinquishing his criminal, civil and personal rights in the case and had received amicable compensation.

The court ruled that the waiver was clear and binding and could not be revoked years later to pursue another compensation claim.

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Teachers' Day Celebrated With Joy and Gratitude at New Millennium School, Bahrain

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New Millennium School Bahrain, celebrated Teachers' Day with great enthusiasm and fervour on 3rd September, 2026, honouring the dedication, commitment and invaluable contribution of its teachers. The celebration was organised through a vibrant special assembly presented by the Junior and Senior Students' Councils, creating an atmosphere filled with appreciation, love and gratitude. The special assembly commenced with a prayer, highlighting the significant role of teachers in shaping young minds and building a responsible and progressive society. This was followed by a pledge by the students, reaffirming their commitment to respecting, valuing and being obedient to their teachers. The celebrations continued with an engaging array of musical performances, energetic dance presentations and a lively skit, showcasing the students' creativity and



affection for their mentors. Fun-filled activities specially organised for the teachers added to the excitement and created many memorable moments, bringing teachers and students together in a spirit of camaraderie and celebration.

As part of the celebration, the staff members of the school were felicitated in recognition of their dedicated service and contribution to the school community. Addressing the gathering, Principal Dr Arun Kumar Sharma appreciated the Junior and Senior Students' Councils as well as all other



students for their thoughtful efforts in organising a vibrant and entertaining programme. He further expressed his sincere gratitude to the teachers for their selfless dedication, commitment and perseverance in nurturing and guiding students. He also acknowledged that their unwavering efforts play a vital role in enabling NMS students to grow

into confident, capable and responsible individuals who continue to make their mark around the world. The Teachers' Day celebration at NMS was a heartfelt tribute to the school's mentors, reaffirming the enduring bond between teachers and students and celebrating their shared pursuit of knowledge, growth and excellence.

RHF Employees Share Day of Giving



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The Royal Humanitarian Foundation (RHF) organised a special event bringing together its employees and members of the Muharraq Parents Care Home to mark the International Day of Charity, reaffirming its commitment to promoting the values of giving, solidarity and social responsibility.

The event aimed to strengthen the culture of volunteering and charitable giving, foster interaction between different generations, and provide elderly residents with time and attention. It also sought to build stronger connections and facilitate the exchange of knowledge and experiences.

Acting Secretary-General of the Royal Humanitarian Foundation, Engineer Ibrahim Dalhan Al Doseri, said charitable

work represents a shared social responsibility in which government and civil society institutions, the private sector, individuals and volunteers all play complementary roles.

He added that the 25th anniversary of the Foundation's establishment represents an important milestone to reflect on its journey and the development and expansion of its humanitarian work.

The anniversary, he said, also provides fresh impetus to continue developing the Foundation's programmes, strengthening partnerships and creating new opportunities for community participation in line with the needs and aspirations of society.

Bhavans Bahrain Indian School Fuels a Culture of Continuous Professional Growth Through a Power-Packed CPD Series

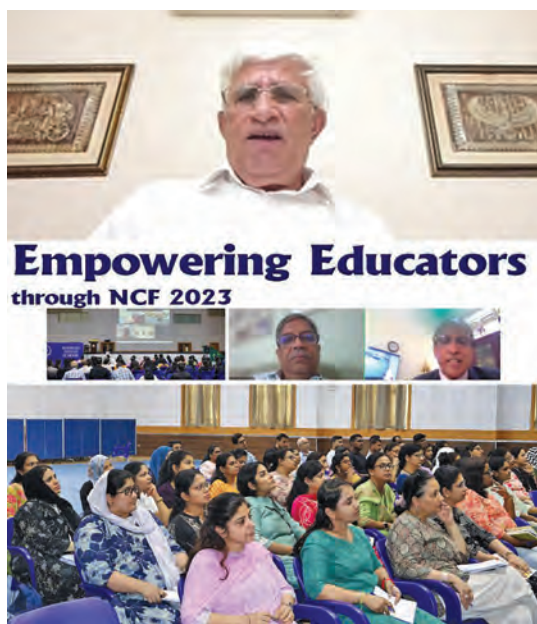
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At Bhavans Bahrain Indian School, the new academic year commenced not merely with preparation, but with purpose, professional renewal and a powerful commitment to excellence in teaching and learning. Welcoming teachers back after the summer break, Principal Mr. Saji Jacob set the tone for an inspiring and purposeful new academic year, ushering in a vibrant week of Continuing Professional Development (CPD) at Bhavans Bahrain Indian School. It brought together educators for an intensive and stimulating series of professional learning experiences designed to sharpen pedagogical practices, embrace

innovation and strengthen classroom impact.

Far more than a conventional orientation programme, the week-long initiative was envisioned as a professional learning journey—one that equipped teachers with contemporary strategies, encouraged reflection on classroom practices and provided opportunities to translate educational concepts into meaningful action.

The carefully curated programme brought together a dynamic blend of contemporary educational themes, including NCF 2023, AI-powered teaching, computational thinking, higher-order thinking, differentiated instruction,



tion, classroom management, teacher wellness, assessment and 21st-century teaching skills. Interactive sessions, hands-on activities and department-wise demonstrations ensured that every learning experience was practical, engaging and classroom-connected. A major highlight was the Workshop on the National Curriculum Framework for

School Education 2023, led by eminent educationist and national-level trainer Mr. N. M. Bhatia. Drawing on his extensive experience with CBSE, NCERT, academic leadership and teacher training, Mr. Bhatia offered valuable insights into translating curriculum vision into effective classroom practice. His engaging approach inspired teachers to embrace competency-based, experiential and learner-centred learning, making the session highly thought-provoking and impactful.

The CPD series further strengthened teachers' professional capacity through sessions on AI, questioning techniques, differentiated learning, assessment beyond marks, classroom man-

agement and future-ready teaching, complemented by immersive demo classes.

Aligned with the school's commitment to quality assurance and BQA expectations, the programme reinforced reflective practice, innovation, teacher competency and learner-centred education. The successful CPD week reaffirmed Bhavans Bahrain Indian School's commitment to continuous professional growth, empowering teachers and enriching learning. The management's strong commitment to teacher development continues to drive this culture of excellence and innovation.

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Madinat Salman Residents Face Higher Housing Bills

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Mohammed Darwish

Residents of Madinat Salman flats have seen monthly payments rise from BD20 and BD40 to as high as BD166, and MP Jalal Kadhem has called for an urgent review of how housing bills are calculated.

Families also complained of backdated sums, new contract terms and added service and maintenance costs after being called in to update their housing files, he said.

Widows, divorcees, pensioners and low-income households risked being hit hardest by sudden rises they could struggle to pay.

Kadhem said some monthly instalments once set at BD20 or BD40 are now quoted at BD97 and BD125, with some reaching about BD166.

He called for each affected case to be checked and said no backdated bill should be imposed until residents were clearly told why it was due



Jalal Kadhem, MP

and the legal basis for charging it.

Kadhem also questioned how the cost-of-living allowance was counted when calculating household income.

The allowance was meant to help people with living costs, he said, rather than result in larger monthly deductions.

He called for adherence to the rules governing its treatment as income and said special care should be taken with widows, divorcees, pensioners and those on low incomes.

Kadhem said he had raised the matter before and would pursue the latest changes with the Housing and Urban Planning Ministry.

He wants the ministry to explain how instalments, service fees and maintenance charges were recalculated, why some sums are sought for past months and the legal grounds for changing original contracts.

'When a citizen received a housing unit, they signed a contract and agreed to what was written in it,' he said.

'Any later change that raises instalments or brings in backdated payments must be clear, rest on lawful procedures and be fully explained to the beneficiary, while taking account of their means and social circumstances.'

Kadhem said he was not seeking to wipe out sums that were lawfully due.

Instead, he said families should not be caught without warning by piled-up bills or steep rises that strain household budgets.

'From Voice to Impact' Programme Set for October

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The Shura Council is preparing to launch the "From Voice to Impact" programme, which aims to attract ideas and initiatives from diverse segments of society to support and enhance legislative work in the Kingdom.

Secretary-General of the Shura Council, H.E. Kareema Mohamed AlAbbasi, said the programme is being developed in line with the directives of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, to achieve sustainable development in the legislative process.

The initiative also aligns with the government's direction, under the leadership of His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Crown Prince and Prime Minister, to strengthen community participation while advancing innovation and digital transformation across government institutions.

Al Abbasi explained that the Council's General Secretariat has adopted "From Voice to Impact" as a sustainable institutional framework for inclusion and dig-



The programme will open a new phase in the sustainable development of legislative work.

H.E. KAREEMA MOHAMED ALABBASI

tional framework is intended to organise and govern digital participation, ensuring the process goes beyond simply receiving ideas and proposals.

Instead, ideas will follow a structured pathway beginning with receiving the idea — the "voice" — followed by its development, evaluation and testing, before moving towards implementation, activating the "impact" and measuring its results.

This approach, she said, will help ensure that high-quality ideas are effectively utilised and transformed into initiatives that add value to legislative outputs in Bahrain.

Among these initiatives was the "Towards Inclusive and Sustainable Economic Development" Forum, held in May 2025. The forum's outcomes contributed to developing recommendations based on the views, ideas and perspectives discussed during its sessions.

Al Abbasi confirmed that the Shura Council will open applications for the programme in October 2026, marking a new phase of sustained efforts to develop legislative work.

ital parliamentary innovation.

The programme will serve as an integrated platform encompassing a range of initiatives and pathways, including digital competitions and challenges, internal innovation programmes, partnerships with educational institutions, and community and professional participation. These efforts are designed to expand the Council's ability to attract ideas and initiatives from diverse sources and sectors.

She said the programme's insti-

National Halal Mark to Boost Bahraini Products

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The Ministry of Municipalities Affairs and Agriculture is continuing efforts to develop oversight and regulatory frameworks for food and halal products, with a focus on raising quality and compliance standards, Assistant Undersecretary for Agriculture and Animal Wealth Eng. Asim Abdul Latif Abdullah said.



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Commercial Registration (CR) registration, halal certification and annual production details are required to use Bahrain's National Halal Mark.

He stressed that the ministry is committed to protecting



consumer interests and supporting national establishments by improving the quality and competitiveness of locally produced goods.

Eng. Asim said Resolution No. (125) of 2026 concerning the National Halal Mark and the licensing requirements for its use represents an important step towards regulating the halal products sector in the Kingdom of Bahrain.

The resolution is also expected to enhance the reliability of products carrying the National Halal Mark among consumers in both local and international markets, he added.

He explained that the resolution establishes a clear legal and regulatory framework gov-

erning the use of the National Halal Mark, ensuring that it is restricted to products that meet approved requirements and standards.

The framework also ensures the authorised and regulated use of the mark, contributing to greater trust and transparency in the halal products market.

Eng. Asim said regulating the National Halal Mark would support the competitiveness of Bahraini products and strengthen their presence in regional and international markets by providing a trusted identity for products that meet halal requirements.

This, he added, would increase their commercial value and support opportunities for Bahraini products to enter foreign markets.

Under the licensing requirements, applicants must be establishments registered in the Commercial Registration (CR). They must also specify the halal products on which they wish to use the National Halal Mark.

Applicants are required to ob-



New regulatory framework aims to strengthen consumer confidence, ensure compliance and enhance the international market presence of halal products from Bahrain.”
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tain a halal certificate issued by halal product auditing bodies for the products for which they seek to use the National Halal Mark.

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Anthropic Reportedly Delays IPO Until October

Anthropic, the artificial intelligence company backed by Google and Amazon, has reportedly delayed its highly anticipated initial public offering (IPO) until mid-October, according to sources familiar with the process.

The company's listing was previously expected to take place earlier, but the reported postponement comes as Anthropic and its advisers work through regulatory disclosures and assess broader market conditions.

One of the key challenges involves Anthropic's status as a Public Benefit Corporation (PBC). The structure requires the company to balance shareholder interests with its mission of developing safe and beneficial AI. Its extensive financial relationships with major technology companies also add complexity to the regulatory review.

The reported delay also reflects a more cautious environment for technology listings. Although AI remains one of the strongest areas of investor interest, concerns over high valuations, market volatility and changing interest-rate expectations have encouraged companies to be more selective about when they enter public markets.



A mid-October debut could give Anthropic additional time to prepare its financial disclosures and present a stronger investment case to institutional and retail investors.

The IPO is expected to attract significant attention because Anthropic is among the leading companies competing in the rapidly expanding generative AI market. Its Claude AI platform has helped the company build a growing presence among businesses and enterprise customers.

A successful listing could provide an important test of investor appetite for AI companies facing enormous computing and research costs.

If Anthropic proceeds with an October offering, its performance could also influence other technology startups considering public listings and potentially help revive the broader IPO market.

Argentina Escalates Legal Fight Over Falkland Islands Oil

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Argentina has intensified its long-running sovereignty dispute with Britain over the Falkland Islands, announcing legal measures and proposed economic sanctions targeting individuals and international companies involved in offshore oil exploration around the disputed archipelago.

President Javier Milei has presented a proposed "national sovereignty defence" bill to Congress that would impose tougher penalties on energy companies, executives, shareholders and logistics providers involved in projects operating without approval from Buenos Aires.

The move marks an escalation in Argentina's efforts to challenge the development of natural resources around the islands, which have been under British control since 1833 but remain



claimed by Argentina.

Milei has linked the measures to changing international political circumstances, including recent comments by US President Donald Trump regarding Washington's position on the sovereignty dispute.

He has also pledged additional funding to strengthen naval and defence infrastructure in Argentina's southern Tierra del Fuego province.

At the centre of the dispute is the Sea Lion oil project, located offshore north of the Falkland Islands. The development is be-

ing led by Navitas Petroleum and Rockhopper Exploration and is considered a major potential oil project in the region.

The companies maintain that they are operating under licences issued by the Falkland Islands government and intend to proceed despite Argentina's measures.

Britain has rejected Argentina's latest actions, reiterating its commitment to the islands and the principle of self-determination for their residents.

While the dispute has remained largely diplomatic since the 1982 Falklands War, the prospect of offshore oil production has added a significant economic dimension to the decades-old sovereignty dispute.

Argentina's latest campaign could further increase tensions with Britain and place international energy companies operating around the islands under greater political and legal pressure.

Global Markets Diverge as Strong US Jobs Data Fuels Rate Fears

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Global markets ended the week on a mixed note as investors weighed stronger-than-expected US employment data against expectations for interest-rate policy and persistent geopolitical risks.

The MSCI World Index fell 0.29% to 4,986.93, reflecting the cautious mood across major markets.

In the United States, August non-farm payrolls increased by 162,000 jobs, exceeding market expectations and raising concerns that a resilient labour market could give the Federal Reserve less reason to ease monetary policy.

The Nasdaq Composite slipped 0.29% to 26,506.99, while the S&P 500 declined 0.38% to 7,718.60. The Dow Jones Industrial Average fell 0.51%, losing more than 270 points.



Asian markets moved in the opposite direction. Japan's Nikkei 225 gained 1.26% to 65,020.94, while Hong Kong's Hang Seng climbed 1.74% to 25,650.87, supported by gains in technology and property stocks.

European markets were more subdued. Germany's DAX edged up 0.17% to 26,046.40, while the UK's FTSE 100 remained almost unchanged at around 10,831.09.

Oil prices also remained vol-

atile amid ongoing tensions in the Middle East. Brent crude traded near \$95.91 a barrel, while WTI stood around \$91.93.

Investors are now turning their attention to upcoming inflation data and central-bank commentary. The figures could determine whether current market volatility remains temporary or develops into a broader reassessment of interest-rate expectations and asset valuations.

Jaguar Land Rover Confirms Voluntary Job Cuts

Automaker launches redundancy programme as it targets £1.7 billion in savings amid weak sales, tariffs and the impact of a major cyberattack

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Jaguar Land Rover (JLR) has confirmed that it is opening a voluntary redundancy programme as the British carmaker looks to cut costs and simplify its operations amid challenging conditions in the global automotive industry.

The company said it needs to achieve around £1.7 billion in savings over the next two years, citing evolving global market conditions and the need to improve efficiency and build greater resilience.

Reports have suggested that as many as 4,000 jobs could be affected, although JLR has stressed that it has not con-

firmed the figure. The voluntary programme is being offered initially to salaried employees and members of the management team.

The announcement comes almost a year after a major cyberattack severely disrupted JLR's operations. The incident forced the company to halt manufacturing at its plants for several weeks in September

2025, leaving production lines across its operations inactive.

The disruption contributed to a 27% decline in overall pro-

duction, while the combined cost of the cyberattack and lost manufacturing was estimated at approximately £1.9 billion.

JLR had already announced plans in June to reduce costs by around £1.7 billion, with savings expected to come from

to protect jobs. The union is expected to meet JLR chief executive PB Balaji and government officials to discuss the impact

areas including materials, warranty expenses and fixed costs.

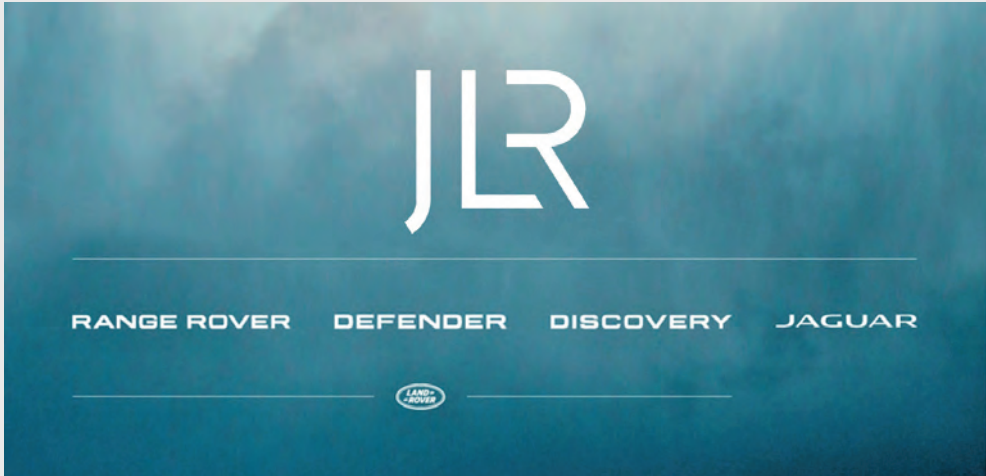
Trade union Unite said it had been warning about mounting pressures facing the automotive sector. General secretary Sharon Graham described the situation as a "perfect storm" and said discussions were under way

on workers.

The UK government said it had introduced measures to support the automotive industry, including lower electricity costs for manufacturers and financial incentives for zero-emission vehicles.

JLR employs around 30,000 people across the UK, with major facilities in Coventry, Solihull, Wolverhampton and Halewood.

The company is not alone in facing pressure. German automaker Volkswagen has announced plans to eliminate around 100,000 jobs globally by the end of the decade, citing US tariffs, Chinese competition and weaker-than-expected electric vehicle demand.



Rescuers reach sunken ship's wreckage off Istanbul



The ALSU oil tanker after it collided with cargo ship Tugberk Imamoglu carrying rolled steel near Silivri in the marmara sea near Istanbul.

AFP | Istanbul, Turkey

Turkey's navy has located the wreckage of a cargo ship that sank off Istanbul after colliding with an oil tanker, leaving 10 crew members missing, officials said yesterday.

In a pre-dawn collision earlier this week, the ALSU, an empty oil tanker, struck the Tugberk Imamoglu, a cargo vessel carrying rolled steel, in the Sea of Marmara near Istanbul.

"The TCG Akin vessel of our Naval Forces Command, which we are currently aboard, has located the wreck of the sunken ship," Istanbul Governor Davut Gul said in a video shared by the governor's office on X.

A naval officer accompanying Gul said the vessel had been located at a depth of 710 metres (2,330 feet).

"At a depth of 710 metres, we obtained four images using an underwater robot deployed near the bow section of the

Tugberk Imamoglu," the officer said.

Showing footage from the wreck, he said: "I am showing a section of the vessel's mid-ship area. A large rupture can be seen."

Officials have said the cargo ship sank "very quickly" in waters about 900 metres (3,000 feet) deep, around 18 nautical miles off Silivri, west of Istanbul, leaving all 10 crew members missing.

Gul said the families of the missing sailors were seeking answers about their fate.

"The families now want to know whether the crew is still inside and how they will be recovered," he said.

"The relevant authorities will continue their efforts on these questions. I extend my condolences to our nation."

According to a marine accident expert report prepared for prosecutors and seen by AFP on Thursday, there were multiple breaches of safety procedures aboard the tanker.

Top US military officials face lie-detectors in leak hunt: reports

AFP | Washington, United States

The Pentagon has launched a lie-detector dragnet to comb through high-ranking military officials and identify who leaked information about US munitions stockpiles, according to US press reports.

In July, reports emerged that the United States was rationing munitions -- its missile interceptors, in particular -- over supply concerns after several months of fighting Iran.

Administration officials vehemently denied those reports, with President Donald Trump saying "we have a lot of ammunition, different types," while acknowledging that "for some of the more sophisticated stuff, we'd certainly like to have more."

Late Friday, The New York Times reported that some 50 members of the military's Joint Staff -- the Pentagon's planning and advisory staff -- were being required to take polygraph tests as part of an investigation into how classified stockpile information made its way into journalists' hands.

CBS News later also reported the wide-scale use of lie detectors, while adding that the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, General Dan Caine, had not been tested.

Both outlets cited unnamed

officials.

Asked by AFP about the reports, the Pentagon's chief spokesman, Sean Parnell, refused to comment on "internal personnel or investigative matters," but said that it "takes all leaks of classified national security information extremely seriously and investigates accordingly."

"Securing classified information is critical to ensuring the security of the United States and of our troops deployed around the world," Parnell added.

Both the Times and CBS noted the scale of the polygraph testing.



CSIS estimates that the U.S. used about half of its initial inventories of Patriot, THAAD and PrSM missiles during the 2026 Iran war, while roughly one-third of its initial inventories of JASSM, SM-2/3/6 and Tomahawk were used. Exact stockpile numbers are classified.

UN agrees text on lethal autonomous weapons

Nearly 130 countries on Saturday agreed on a text defining lethal autonomous weapons systems (LAWS) -- "killer robots" to their critics -- a first step towards talks on a possible international treaty to regulate them.

The text agreed upon has not yet been made public -- but campaign groups following the talks have already criticised leading countries for dragging their feet on the issue.

Dutch Foreign Minister Tom Berendsen announced the agreement, by 128 countries, on Saturday. The Netherlands has been overseeing the talks.

Countries are already developing and using weapons capable of selecting targets and using force against them without human intervention.

But the International Committee of the Red Cross warned in a statement that "the unconstrained development and use of autonomous weapon systems pose serious legal, ethical and humanitarian challenges".

The ICRC and several campaigning groups have called for international legally binding rules to restrict and regulate their



use. Nicole van Rooijen, executive director of Stop Killer Robots, an international alliance of campaign groups, accused the United States, Russia and their allies of trying to weaken the agreed text.

Lex International, a Geneva-based philanthropic group funding work on key policy issues, also criticised some nations' position.

"The United States, Russia, India and

Israel are amongst the key opponents of negotiations," it said.

"The governments of Brazil, Ireland, and Norway are leading efforts to get such negotiations started in November," it added.

UN member states will decide at November talks of the Convention on Certain Conventional Weapons whether to move towards an international treaty regulating such weapons.

US envoys in Moscow as Russia and Ukraine vow not to hit during talks

● The envoys are expected to head for their first visit to Kyiv

● Both the Kremlin and Kyiv vowed not to strike their main cities

AFP | Moscow, Russia

US envoys Steve Witkoff and Jared Kushner were in Moscow yesterday and expected to head to Kyiv the next day, with Russia and Ukraine vowing not to strike each others' capitals during talks on ending more than four years of war.

US President Donald Trump earlier said his son-in-law Kushner and business ally Witkoff were bringing "a proposal to end the war".

The envoys are expected to head for their first visit to Kyiv Sunday, in Washington's latest bid to break a diplomatic stalemate in Europe's deadliest conflict since World War II.

Both the Kremlin and Kyiv vowed not to strike their main cities during the talks, after months of escalating attacks.

"The Russian president, the commander-in-chief, has given the order from midnight tonight not to strike Kyiv for three days," Kremlin spokesman Dmitry Peskov said.

Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky -- who had offered a truce during the US visits -- later said he had spoken to the US envoys and also promised Kyiv would not strike Moscow.

"From now through the end of Saturday, as well as on Sunday and Monday, Ukraine is ready to refrain from strikes on Moscow," Zelensky said on social media.

The Ukrainian leader said the US officials have "already begun working with the Russian side today."

Earlier, he accused Russia of trying to disrupt their visit with



People swim next to the Russian-flagged cargo ship "OMSKIY-107," which was attacked off the coast of Russia, drifted and ran aground off the shore of Sile district in Istanbul

overnight strikes on Kyiv's two airports, as well as on a civilian target in the Dnipro region that killed five people.

"Clearly, these Russian strikes on the airports are a reaction to the discussions and preparations for the possibility of the US side using an aircraft to travel to Ukraine," Zelensky said on X.

It will be the first time that Witkoff and Kushner visit Kyiv since Trump returned to office last year with a pledge to resolve the conflict.

Travelling to Kyiv by plane would be a highly unusual move, with Ukrainian airspace closed since 2022 because of the war. Visiting leaders and officials have generally travelled by train.

The envoys are expected in Kyiv on Sunday, a senior Ukrainian official told AFP, while US outlet Axios reported they would meet Russian President Vladimir Putin in Moscow on Saturday.

Trump told reporters the envoys would seek to gauge whether progress towards peace was

possible.

Peace efforts have stalled, in part because of Washington's war with Iran, while Moscow and Kyiv have intensified long-range attacks, driving up civilian casualties to levels not seen since the start of fighting in February 2022.

"I sent Steve Witkoff and Jared Kushner, two great negotiators. They've done a great job, and we sent them over to see whether or not we can get something done. And there may be a good chance that we'll do it," Trump said.

The US president would not say whether the plan the envoys were bringing involved Ukraine ceding territory as he has previously suggested, but added: "We have an

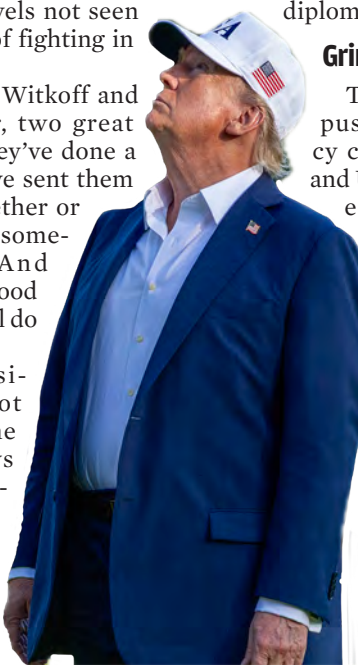
idea for peace."

Witkoff and Kushner, who have been involved in negotiations for ceasefires in Gaza and Iran, have travelled repeatedly to Moscow in previous attempts at diplomacy.

Grinding war

The renewed push for diplomacy comes as Russia and Ukraine pummel each other with long-range missile and drone attacks.

Just hours before Trump's announcement on Friday, a Russian drone struck the headquarters of Ukraine's SBU security service in central Kyiv, according to Zelensky.



1522

Ferdinand Magellan's Spanish expedition, now led by Juan Sebastián Elcano, returns to Seville without its captain after a three-year epic voyage, becoming the first to circumnavigate the globe

1666

After St. Paul's Cathedral and much of the city burned down over four days, the Great Fire of London is finally extinguished



1901

US President William McKinley is shot and assassinated by anarchist Leon Czolgosz while visiting the Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo, New York

1914

World War I: First Battle of the Marne begins as French and British forces prevent the German advance on Paris

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This back-to-school season, the @ObamaFoundation's @GirlsAlliance is pledging \$500,000 to ten girl-serving organizations in my hometown of Chicago. These organizations change lives, and I hope you'll join us to support girls in Chicago and around the world.

@MichelleObama

02



We are proud to partner with @EconforHealth in launching the Alcohol Tax Scoreboard, as part of the @WHO's 3 by 35 initiative aiming to help countries accelerate implementation of health taxes. WHO-produced global price and tax data power the scorecard, providing evidence to advance policies that reduce the burden of cancer, heart disease, and diabetes through higher taxes on alcohol, tobacco, and sugary drinks.

@DrTedros

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President @RTerdogan, I have received with pleasure your message and congratulations for this important milestone.

@GiorgiaMeloni

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I congratulate my friend, Prime Minister Meloni, on becoming the Prime Minister with the longest mandate in the history of postwar Italy. This milestone reflects the trust that the Italian people place in her leadership.

@narendramodi

Disclaimer: (Views expressed by columnists are personal and need not necessarily reflect our editorial stance)

Greek PM rolls out major aid package ahead of elections

Greece's prime minister Konstantinos Mitsotakis announced a 2.2-billion-euro package of aid and tax breaks for 2027, the latest such move by the government ahead of elections next year.

Conservative Prime Minister Kyriakos Mitsotakis, who is seeking a third term in legislative polls due in spring next year, said in a speech that he wanted "the benefits of growth to return to society."

Among the announced measures were the elimination of income tax for farmers earning less than 20,000 euros per year and a cut in workers' social security contributions starting in April 2027.

He also announced an increase in the minimum wage, an annual allowance of 400 euros for pensioners, and a gradual 30-percent reduction in whole-



Greek Prime Minister Kyriakos Mitsotakis delivers a speech during the opening of the annual Thessaloniki International Fair (TIF) in Thessaloniki, northern Greece

sale electricity prices between 2027 and 2029.

This was just the latest package of measures taken by the government ahead of elections.

Last week, prices of more than 1,700 grocery and school supplies items fell by an average of 9.5-percent as a government-backed measure kicked in to confront concerns over purchasing power.

Reductions of prices of petrol and diesel have also been in place for two months.

The Greek economy took a major hit from the decade-long debt crisis that began in 2008, with earnings failing to keep pace with the rest of the EU.

More than 36% of private-sector workers were earning less than 1,000 euros gross per month in 2025, according to the national statistics authority (Elstat).

Nepali woman rescued alive from buried home

AFP | Nuwakot, Nepal

Rescuers pulled a Nepali woman alive yesterday from her home buried under thick mud and debris when the region was struck by massive flooding 10 days ago.

Emergency personnel said earlier they had rescued a Chinese man found alive inside a tunnel of the Upper Trishuli-1 Hydropower Project in Nepal's Rasuwa district.

Members of Nepal's Armed Police Force cheered as the mud-caked 64-year-old woman, Chandrika Shrestha, was pulled from her buried home in Nuwakot district.

"A police team found her as they were clearing the area. She has been airlifted to Kathmandu for treatment," police deputy superintendent Iqbal Hawari told AFP.

A video released by Nepal's Armed Police Force showed only a part of her house visible, with the lower floors complete-



ly submerged by thick sludge.

Emergency response teams have been working relentlessly to find survivors since a tsunami-like wall of water and mud swept through the China-Nepal border following a glacial and rock collapse on August 26.

So far, 1,344 bodies have been

recovered in Nepal, according to the national disaster agency, with about 5,000 people missing. In China, state media said 31 people had been killed and 531 were missing.

That takes the overall death toll to 1,375 people, with more than 5,500 missing.

Masked Protesters Block Dover Port Over Channel Migrant Crossings

TDT | agencies

Hundreds of masked protesters blocked access to the Port of Dover in southern England on Saturday, briefly disrupting ferry traffic between the UK and France.

The protesters, many wearing black and balaclavas, chanted "Stop the boats" as police formed a line nearby. Authorities said the protest was dispersed and no arrests were made.

The disruption left some passengers stranded, including one who said they were stuck on a ferry in Dunkirk for more than 90 minutes.

The protest comes amid Britain's ongoing political battle



over small-boat migrant crossings, which have brought tens of thousands of migrants to southeast England in recent years.

The Labour government condemned the protest, while far-right figure Tommy Robinson

backed it.

The Port of Dover handles more than 10,000 freight vehicles and 15,000 passenger vehicles a day during summer and accounts for around a third of Britain's goods trade with the EU.

CAPTAIN'S CORNER

Going for gold in future workplace

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Bahrain's public education system is celebrating a significant milestone. The Education and Training Quality Authority (BQA) recently awarded its prestigious "Gold" rating to dozens of government schools, earning praise from His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Crown Prince and Prime Minister. This national recognition highlights a shift toward high academic standards, strong leadership, and modern teaching environments across public classrooms.

However, setting a gold standard is only the beginning. Looking toward the future, Bahrain's Ministry of Education is laying out ambitious goalposts to ensure every student—regardless of background—is ready to navigate an increasingly digital global economy.

At the center of this forward-thinking vision is digital equality. The government continues to bridge the digital divide by integrating smart classroom technology, providing high-speed connectivity, and ensuring equal access to electronic learning platforms across all public schools. This ensures that every child, whether in an urban center or a quieter municipal-

ity, develops fluent digital literacy from an early age. Parallel to this push for digital access is a deliberate focus on empowering female students in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics). Building on a legacy as a regional pioneer in female education, Bahrain currently sees young women making up roughly half of all higher-education STEM enrollments. To sustain this momentum, public schools are expanding specialized coding bootcamps, robotics clubs, and mentorship programs geared specifically toward girls. By breaking traditional gender barriers early, the Kingdom is actively cultivating its next generation of female data scientists, engineers, and tech entrepreneurs.

Underpinning these initiatives is a dynamic curriculum redesign aligned directly with future workplace needs. The Ministry is steadily shifting away from traditional rote learning toward critical thinking, artificial intelligence, financial literacy, and green technologies. Partnering closely with economic initiatives like Tamkeen and local industry leaders, school programs now incorporate real-world problem-solving and soft skills like adaptability and cross-cultural communication.

Bahrain's public schools are no longer just teaching history—they are actively shaping the Kingdom's economic future. By combining top-tier quality benchmarks with inclusive, modern education, Bahrain is ensuring its youth are fully equipped to thrive in the workplace of tomorrow.

(Captain Mahmood Al Mahmood is the Editor-in-Chief of The Daily Tribune and the President of the Arab-African Unity Organisation for Relief, Human Rights and Counterterrorism)

Greek military aircraft crashes during airshow, pilots killed

AFP | Athens, Greece

An F-4 Phantom military aircraft crashed yesterday at a base outside Athens during an airshow, killing the two pilots, Greek news agency ANA reported.

The circumstances of the crash were unclear, but the pilots did not eject from the aircraft, local media said.

The aircraft had just taken off when it suddenly lost altitude and crashed, said a journalist from public broadcaster ERT who was at the scene.

There was an explosion immediately after the crash, which happened before thou-

sands of visitors watching the annual "Athens Flying Week".

Several firefighting aircraft were dispatched to the scene to extinguish the blaze caused by the crash, ERT reported.

The airshow was cancelled and Defence Minister Nikos Dendias called off a trip to Thessaloniki's International Fair to visit the scene of the accident.



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No Plans to Force Palestinians Out of Gaza, US Envoy Says

The US ambassador to Israel, Mike Huckabee, said Saturday that there was no plan by Israel or the United States to forcibly remove Palestinians from Gaza, following proposals by senior Israeli ministers to relocate the territory's population.

"I can tell you categorically there is no plan of the Israelis to displace people out of Gaza against their will," Huckabee told reporters during a visit to Palestinian-Americans in the Israeli-occupied West Bank.

His comments came after far-right National Security Minister Itamar Ben Gvir outlined a proposal calling for the departure of 250,000 Palestinians from Gaza during the first year, followed by the relocation of the territory's remaining population over six years.

Defence Minister Israel Katz also said Israel was prepared to remove Palestinians from Gaza by land and sea, while claiming that the United States was discussing possible destinations for those who leave.

Huckabee stressed that Washington supports Palestinians having the option to leave Gaza voluntarily, but rejected the idea of forced displacement. "There is an open-minded-



ness if people wish to leave, that they should have the right to leave," he said, describing restrictions preventing Palestinians from leaving as a "disgrace".

Forced displacement of civilians from occupied territory is prohibited under international humanitarian law and can constitute a war crime.

The debate comes as Gaza's population remains overwhelmingly displaced following Israel's military campaign launched after the Hamas-led October 7, 2023 attack on Israel.

President Donald Trump previously proposed temporarily removing Palestinians from Gaza and transforming the devastated territory into a luxury resort, but later backed away from the proposal following strong international opposition, particularly from neighbouring Egypt.

Iraqis Queue for Fuel as Regional War Disrupts Imports



Drivers formed long queues outside fuel stations in Baghdad on Saturday as gasoline supplies dwindled amid disruptions to imports due to the ongoing regional conflict.

The shortages are particularly striking in oil-rich Iraq, the second-largest oil producer in OPEC. Despite its large crude output, Iraq imports refined petroleum products because its refineries cannot produce enough gasoline to meet domestic demand.

Fuel queues have reappeared every few days in Baghdad and other provinces, particularly at government-run stations. Residents say the shortages are worsening already difficult traffic conditions.

Baghdad resident Ibrahim Hashem said he waited two hours at a fuel station on Friday without success before returning early Saturday.

"It is unreasonable that we produce so many barrels of oil a day, yet still do not have enough gasoline to meet our daily needs," Hashem told AFP.

Iraq's average daily gaso-

line consumption is around 33 million litres, but demand can rise to 38 million litres when motorists panic over possible shortages.

The Oil Ministry said regional events and the continuing conflict were creating logistical difficulties for tanker traffic, delaying shipments reaching Iraqi ports. It urged citizens to purchase only the fuel they need and avoid panic buying.

Oil Minister Bassem Mohammed Khudair described the shortage as temporary and said new shipments would arrive soon.

The disruption is linked to wider regional instability and difficulties surrounding the Strait of Hormuz, through which most Iraqi oil exports pass.

Iraq depends heavily on oil, which accounts for around 90 percent of government revenues. After exports fell sharply during the conflict, oil shipments recovered to more than 2.2 million barrels per day in August, according to the Oil Ministry.

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Philippine Embassy in Bahrain Celebrates ‘Buwan ng Wika’



The Philippine Embassy in Manama, in collaboration with the Philippine Teachers Association Bahrain (PTAB), celebrated Buwan ng Wika (Language Month) with poetry and short story writing contests, culminating in an awards ceremony at the embassy premises. A total of 40 Bahrain-based Filipino expats participated in the competitions, submitting 31 poetry entries and 9 short story entries. Speaking at the ceremony, Ambassador Gines D. Gallaga praised the resilience, unity, and creative talents of the Filipino community in Bahrain. He highlighted that the Filipino language is an integral part of national identity and cultural heritage, serving as a vital medium to express shared experiences and aspirations in the Kingdom. The event was attended by key embassy officials, including Deputy Head of Mission and Consul General Jose L. Garcia III, Vice Consul Charlie Florian Prenicolas, Labor Attaché Orville Ballitoc, Welfare Officer Juvilyn Anns Gumabay, and PTAB President Rowena Desierto, alongside contest participants and community members.

BKS ‘Ruchimela 2026’ Draws Massive Crowd in Bahrain



The Bahrain Kerala Samajam (BKS) successfully hosted ‘Ruchimela 2026’ as part of its ‘Shravanam 2026’ Onam celebrations, attracting nearly 5,000 visitors. The event featured authentic culinary delicacies from across Kerala alongside a special gathering attended by prominent community leaders and dignitaries. The evening featured live musical performances by Anju Joseph, presentations by Raj Kalesh and Hareesh Menon, a live painting display by Ajay Ghosh, and a multi-generational flash mob. Led by Convener Vinod Uthaman, BKS President Radhakrishna Pillai, and General Secretary Varghese Karakkal, the organizers thanked all sponsors, participants, and volunteers, concluding the festival by awarding the best food stalls.

KSCA ‘Samarpanam 2026’ Concludes in Manama; Prestigious Mannam Award Presented



The Kerala Social Cultural Association (NSS Bahrain) successfully hosted ‘Samarpanam 2026’ at the Al Dhurah Hall in Adhara Park, honoring prominent community figures and achievers. Industrialist and philanthropist Pampavasam Nair received the association's prestigious ‘Mannam Award’ during the grand ceremony. The association also presented the ‘Samarpan’ awards across various categories to Baburaj (Karmayogi Award), Sabu Francis (Social Service), Master Muhammad Basil (Sports), Ambilikkuttan Master (Music), and Anil Kumar Muthukulam (Excellence Award for Members). The event was held in the presence of Embassy of India Counselor Rajiv Kumar Mishra and Kerala Government Principal Secretary Dr. Raju Narayana Swamy IAS. KSCA President Rajesh Nambiar, General Secretary Dr. Bindu Nair, General Convener Adarsh Madhavankutty, and Jury Chairman Ajay Krishnan led the proceedings.

The Indian Club Concludes Monthly Members’ Badminton Tournament



The Indian Club, Bahrain, successfully wrapped up the September edition of its Monthly Members’ Badminton Tournament, featuring three days of high-spirited doubles action. The tournament brought together club members and badminton enthusiasts for a series of closely contested matches. The tournament culminated in a grand finale followed by a prize distribution ceremony.

Rajasthani diaspora celebrates Teej with cultural flair



The Women Executive Committee of Rajasthanis in Bahrain, in association with the Rajasthan Foundation Bahrain Chapter, hosted a vibrant Teej Festival at Tanatan, located in the Ramee Grand Hotel & Spa in Seef. Attendees enjoyed an evening of Rajasthan’s traditional music, dynamic folk dances, and interactive games. Dressed in festive attire, participants engaged in various cultural segments throughout the evening.

Annai Tamil Mandram Organizes NRT ID Registration



Annai Tamil Mandram successfully conducted the Non-Resident Tamils (NRT) ID registration drive for the Tamil community in Bahrain. Organized in coordination with the Tamil Nadu Government’s Non-Resident Tamils Welfare and Rehabilitation Department, the initiative aims to provide official identity support and welfare assistance to Tamils residing in the Kingdom. A dedicated team of volunteers facilitated the process, assisting community members with seamless documentation and registration. The ongoing weekly drive has seen active participation from the diaspora, reflecting the community’s strong response to the government welfare scheme.

Beach soccer draw awaits Bahrain

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Bahrain will learn their opponents for the 2026 AFC Beach Soccer Asian Cup when the draw takes place at the Asian Football Confederation headquarters in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, on Thursday.

The kingdom have been placed in Pot Three alongside Saudi Arabia and Vietnam for the ceremony, which is scheduled to begin at 10am Bahrain time.

A total of 12 teams will compete in the 12th edition of the continental championship, to be held in Thailand from November 18 to 28.

Hosts Thailand, Iran and



National beach soccer team

Oman make up Pot One, while Japan, the UAE and Lebanon have been placed in Pot Two. Afghanistan, Iraq and Uzbekistan complete the line-up in Pot

Four. The teams will be divided into three groups of four, with the top two from each advancing to the quarter-finals alongside the two best third-placed

sides. The competition will then move into an eight-team knockout stage as the continent's leading beach soccer nations battle for the Asian crown.

Bahrain face champions Japan after opening loss

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Bahrain face defending champions Japan today as they look to bounce back from an opening defeat at the AVC Volleyball Men's Continental Championship 2026 in Fukuoka.

The kingdom's spikers take on the home side at 1.30pm at Kitakyushu City Gymnasium in their second Pool A encounter. All times are Bahrain.

Ivan Joksimovic's men began their campaign with a 3-0 loss to Australia yesterday, going down 25-20, 25-18, 25-21 in a match lasting one hour and 17 minutes of playing time.

The Bahrainis were competitive in the opening and third sets but struggled to match Australia's attacking output across the contest.

The Aussies converted 44 of their 79 attacks, compared

with 28 from 68 for the nationals, while they also held a 6-4 advantage in blocks and 6-2 in points from serves.

Outside hitter Mahmoud Abdulwahed was Bahrain's leading scorer with 10 points, including nine in attack and one block.

Mohammed Abdulla and Abdulla Mohammed Jaafar each added six points, while Australia's Lorenzo Pope led all scorers with 19.

A tougher



Abdulwahed attacks against the Australian block

test now awaits against hosts Japan, who opened their title defence with a 3-1 win over Oman, taking the match 25-18, 25-13, 20-25, 25-9.

Joksimovic's side will be looking for a response before completing their preliminary-round campaign against Gulf rivals Oman on Wednesday at 4am.

With only three matches for each team in the preliminary phase, Bahrain remain in contention for a place in the knockout stage.

The top two teams

from each of the three pools advance to the quarter-finals, along with the two best third-placed sides.

Elsewhere yesterday, China opened their Pool B campaign with a 3-0 victory over India, winning 25-21, 28-26, 27-25.

Thailand also made a strong start in Pool C, sweeping Qatar 25-22, 25-19, 25-14.

Today's other matches see Iran face India in Pool B at 4am, while Qatar take on Chinese Taipei in Pool C at 7.30am.

The quarter-finals will be played on Thursday and Friday, followed by the semi-finals on Saturday and the medal matches on Sunday.

The champions will earn a direct quota place for the men's volleyball tournament at the Los Angeles 2028 Olympics, while the top three will secure berths at the FIVB Men's Volleyball World Cup 2027.

Seef bow out in Kaohsiung



Dragovic on the attack against Utrecht

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Bahrain representatives Seef bowed out of the Kaohsiung City Challenger 2026 after suffering back-to-back defeats in the preliminary round yesterday.

The kingdom's 3x3 side lost 22-13 to Belgian outfit Antwerp in their Pool A opener before going down 21-8 against Utrecht of the Netherlands later in the day.

Those results ended their hopes of reaching today's knockout stage and securing one of three qualification spots for the Deqing Masters in China on September 26 and 27.

Bogdan Dragovic led the scoring in the opener with nine points, while Naser Alanzo added three and Mohamed Alanzi contributed one.

The Bahrainis remained within striking distance and trailed 8-6 with just over six minutes remaining before their opponents began to pull away.

Dragovic struck successive two-pointers to cut the deficit from 14-7 to 14-11, but Antwerp responded strongly and closed out the contest with 2:53 still on the clock.

Andrej Cuyvers led the Belgian side with nine points, while Dennis Donkor added

eight.

A victory against Utrecht was then required to keep Seef's campaign alive, but the Dutch side took control early and raced into a 5-1 advantage.

The Bahrainis reduced the gap to 8-4 midway through the contest, but their opponents steadily stretched their advantage before reaching the 21-point winning mark with 1:02 remaining.

Hamad Faisal led Seef with four points, while Dragovic and Alanzi added two apiece.

Antwerp and Utrecht consequently advanced to the quarter-finals, joining Barcelona, Shibuya, Raudondvaris Hoptrans, Princeton, Taipei WanBao and Toronto in the last eight.

The early exit also ruled the Bahraini side out of the prize-money places, with \$60,000 on offer to the top five finishers and \$20,000 going to the champions.

The Challenger forms part of the Fiba 3x3 World Tour, which returns to Bahrain with the Manama Masters on November 20 and 21.

It will mark the kingdom's fourth successive year hosting an event on the circuit. Manama previously staged Masters tournaments in 2023 and 2024 before welcoming the World Tour Final last year.

Martin Garrix to perform live at Formula 1 Gulf Air Bahrain Grand Prix in Malaysia on 4 October

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Bahrain International Circuit (BIC) and Sepang International Circuit (SIC) announced that multi-platinum-selling hit-maker Martin Garrix will perform live on Sunday, 4 October, at the Formula 1 Gulf Air Bahrain Grand Prix in Malaysia 2026, taking place from 2 to 4 October.

Concert ticket upgrades will be available exclusively to race weekend ticket holders who purchased their tickets by midnight on 7 September. Ticket holders will be able to upgrade from 8 September for US\$100 per person, subject to availability and on a first-come, first-served basis due to limited venue capacity, for the concert at Sepang International Circuit



following the race. Upgrade instructions will be sent directly to ticket holders by email

Fans wishing to attend the concert are encouraged to purchase their race weekend tickets before the 7 September deadline to take advantage of the

opportunity to upgrade. Race weekend tickets are available from the Bahrain International Circuit website: Bahraingp.com, or by calling the BIC Hotline on +973-17450000.

Martin Garrix is one of the youngest and most successful DJs and producers in pop and electronic music. He has been ranked number one in DJ Mag's Top 100 DJs poll multiple times and has amassed more than one billion streams.

Throughout his career, Garrix has collaborated with some of the biggest names in music, including Dua Lipa, Ed Sheeran, U2, Bebe Rexha, Khalid, Macklemore, Avicii and Madonna.

At just 30 years old, Garrix has already enjoyed a career spanning more than a decade. The Dutch artist achieved his

breakthrough in 2013 with the release of "Animals", which topped charts internationally and helped change the status of electronic dance music within popular music.

Garrix has performed at some of the world's biggest events and festivals, including the Winter Olympics, Coachella, Lollapalooza, Ultra Music Festival and Tomorrowland.

For more information on the Formula 1 Gulf Air Bahrain Grand Prix in Malaysia, visit the Bahrain International Circuit website: Bahraingp.com, or the Sepang International Circuit website: Sepangcircuit.com, call the BIC Hotline on +973-17450000, or follow Bahrain International Circuit and Sepang International Circuit on their social media channels.

Bahrain target crucial win over Afghanistan

Junior men chase Asian Cup qualification in final Group D clash



Players line up for the national anthem ahead of their previous match

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Bahrain will look to bounce back from their latest defeat when they face Afghanistan tonight in their final AFC U20 Asian Cup 2027 qualifier at Khalifa Sports City Stadium in Isa Town.

Ali Aamer's side enter the 8.30pm clash on three points and remain in the race for a place at next year's continental finals in China.

The kingdom's youngsters opened their Group D campaign with a 3-2 victory over Tajikistan, inspired by an Ali Mahran hat-trick, before suffering a 2-1 loss to the Jordanians.

Bader Al Asam had cancelled out Naser Majdi's opener in that match, only for Saoud Feras to score deep into stop-

page time.

Jordan lead the group with six points, with the Bahrainis and Tajikistan on three each. The Afghans sit bottom without a point after losing 1-0 to Jordan and 4-1 to Tajikistan.

Aamer's men will now target victory to move to six points and strengthen their chances of advancing, although their final position will also depend on the earlier meeting between Jordan and Tajikistan at 5pm at the same venue.

The eight group winners qualify automatically, while the seven best runners-up across the eight groups also advance, giving the nationals another possible route to their first AFC U20 Asian Cup appearance since 2016.

Next year's finals will be held in China from March 24 to April 10.

Buitrago narrowly misses Vuelta stage win

Bahrain Victorious rider Santiago Buitrago came within a second of victory after finishing runner-up on Stage 14 of the Vuelta a Espana yesterday.

The Colombian produced a strong ride on the 154.5-kilometre route from Jaen to Sierra de La Pandera, joining teammate Pello Bilbao in the day's

breakaway before challenging for the win on the final climb.

Buitrago made his first move with around four kilometres remaining and attacked again inside the final kilometre before leading into the last 300 metres.

However, Tudor Pro Cycling Team's Marco Brenner passed

him in the closing corners to take the stage by just one second, while Cristian Rodriguez of XDS Astana finished third, 11 seconds behind.

Despite narrowly missing out on the win, Buitrago retained his lead in the mountains classification.

"It was another hard stage

here at La Vuelta, and once again the team was incredible," Buitrago said.

"I didn't want to leave everything to the sprint, so I decided to anticipate in the final metres, but I was beaten at the end. I think I have good legs, and I hope to recover well ahead of next week."

Bahrain name Asian Games basketball squad

● Subotic selects 12-man roster for Aichi-Nagoya campaign

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Bahrain have named their 12-man senior basketball squad for the 20th Asian Games in Aichi-Nagoya, Japan. Although the Games official-

ly run from September 19 to October 4, the men's 5x5 basketball competition gets underway this Thursday, nine days before the opening ceremony. Slobodan Subotic's men have been drawn in Group C alongside defending champions the Philippines, China and Kazakhstan as they target a place in the knockout stage. The kingdom's cagers head to Japan in strong form after completing a perfect first round of the FIBA Asia Cup 2029

Pre-Qualifiers, winning all four of their matches in Dubai. They have since returned to training as preparations continue for the continental multi-sport event. The Bahrain Basketball Association confirmed the final roster as Ahmed Alderazi, Ahmed Bindayneh, Ahmed Salman Haji, brothers Ali Hussain Rashed and Mustafa Hussain Rashed, Ali Jaber Al Haddad, Elijah Thomas, Uros Ilic, Jakarr Sampson, Kelechi Ajukwa, Mohammed Nasser Juma and

Mohammed Bualalay. The nationals open their campaign against the Philippines on September 11 at 1pm Bahrain time before facing China the following day at 10am. They complete their group-stage fixtures against Kazakhstan on September 14 at 4am. All matches will be played at the new IG Arena, officially known as the Aichi International Arena. Elsewhere, hosts Japan headline Group A alongside South

Korea, Saudi Arabia and Indonesia, while Group B features Iran, Jordan, Chinese Taipei and Qatar. Each team will face the other three sides in their group once, with the top two from each pool advancing to the quarter-finals alongside the two best third-placed teams. The last eight will be played on September 16, followed by the semi-finals on September 18 and the third-place playoff and final on September 20.



Bualalay during a training session at the BBA Arena in Umm Al Hassam

Handball team set for Egypt camp

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Bahrain's senior men's handball team will head to Egypt today for an overseas training camp as they step up preparations for this month's 20th Asian Games in Aichi-Nagoya, Japan. The camp will form an important part of the kingdom's build-up under Swedish head coach Robert Hedin, with a number of friendly matches against Egypt included in the programme. The continental showpiece runs from September 19 to October 4, while the men's handball competition will be contested from September 20 to 29.

Nine teams have been divided into two pools for the preliminary round, with Bahrain drawn in a challenging Group B alongside South Korea, Kuwait, Iran and Kazakhstan. Group A features hosts Japan, China, Hong Kong and two-time defending champions Qatar. The nationals will travel to Japan as reigning Asian champions following a hugely successful period under Hedin. They captured their maiden Asian Men's Handball Championship crown in Kuwait in January, adding another major title after winning gold at the Islamic Solidarity Games in Riyadh last November. Their impressive run continued with the handball title at the fourth GCC Games in Doha in May, giving them three major

gold medals in the space of seven months. Attention now turns towards ending their wait for the top step of the Asian Games podium, having medalled at each of the past three editions. Bahrain took bronze in 2014 before finishing as runners-up in both 2018 and 2022, and will arrive in Japan looking to go one better. The tournament will also provide another major test ahead of the 30th IHF Men's Handball World Championship, which will be held in Germany from January 13 to 31 next year. Hedin's side are one of 32 teams set to compete at the global showpiece and have been drawn in preliminary Group H alongside Iceland, North Macedonia and Japan.



Mehdi Abduljabbar Serbian striker to finish from close range. The capital side hit back in the 17th minute as Zachary Hadji raced on to a through ball and slipped his finish beyond the advancing Dziugas Bartkus. Riffa restored their two-goal cushion on the half-hour mark when Yuri delivered a dangerous

set-piece into the area and Samuel Toscas applied the slightest of touches to make it 3-1. Mashaan's men added a fourth in the 74th minute, with Isa producing a superb through ball to release Mehdi Abduljabbar, who calmly picked his spot. It marked a scoring return for the striker, who is back at Riffa after last playing for the club in 2020 before spells with Manama, Al Khaldiya and, most recently, Iraq's Naft Missan. Algerian Tayeb Meziani completed the scoring in stoppage time, firing a deflected effort from the edge of the box into the bottom corner after being found by Yuri. The result moved the Sky Blues on to six points from two matches, level with Al Khaldiya, who remain top on goal difference following their 3-1 victory over A'ali earlier in the round.

Manama, coached by Bahraini Ismael Karami, remain on one point after suffering their first defeat of the campaign. Elsewhere, Al Ahli claimed their first victory of the season with a 1-0 win over Hidd at the National Stadium. After a goalless first half, Sayed Hashim Isa scored the winner in the 65th minute, creating space with a clever feint before guiding a low finish into the far corner. The result lifted Brazilian coach Jorvan Vieira's Eagles to four points, while Chokri Bejaoui's Hidd remain on three. Attention now turns to the third round, headlined by a meeting between the league's two remaining perfect sides when Riffa face Al Khaldiya on Thursday at 7pm. Holders Muharraq take on Manama at the same time.

Riffa hit five to maintain perfect start

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Riffa continued their perfect start to the Nasser bin Hamad Premier League season with an emphatic 5-1 victory over Manama last night. Kuwaiti coach Mohamed Mashaan's side struck three times in the opening half-hour at Al Ahli Club Stadium before adding two more after the break to make it two wins from two. Brazilian Rodrigo Yuri opened the scoring in the 12th minute after compatriot Wellington Moreira worked his way to the byline and delivered into the six-yard box. The initial clearance fell kindly for Yuri, who forced home the rebound. The Blues doubled their advantage just a minute later when Sayed Redha Isa squared for Dejan Georgijevic, allowing the

Al Sayyad wins Saudi Super Cup

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Bahrain handball captain Hussain Al Sayyad added another trophy to his collection on Friday after helping Al Khaleej defeat Al Noor 22-15 to lift the Saudi Super Cup. The triumph marked Al Khaleej's second successive Super Cup crown and fourth overall, while also giving the Saihat-based side their first trophy of the new season. Al Sayyad contributed three goals in the victory at Prince Nayef bin Abdulaziz Sports City Hall in Qatif, where Al Khaleej led 12-10 at half-time following a closely contested opening period. They took control after the break as Al Noor struggled in attack, gradually extending their advantage

before completing a seven-goal victory. The latest success adds to Al Sayyad's collection of honours with Al Khaleej, including the historic 26th Asian Men's Club League Handball Championship in November 2023, when the club captured their maiden continental title and the Bahraini star was named Most Valuable Player. He also helped the Saudi side lift the 22nd Elite Handball Championship Cup in June 2024. There was further Bahraini success last weekend, with Sayed Redha Al Mousawi celebrating his first title as a technical analyst with Al Khaleej's first-team coaching staff. Al Mousawi took up the role this season, succeeding fellow Bahraini Hussain Ali, who left the Saudi club to join Barbar.



Al Nasr crowned champions in Al Ain



Players and officials celebrate as the trophy is lifted

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Bahrain's Al Nasr were crowned champions of the inaugural Al Ain International Youth Volleyball Championship after completing a perfect campaign in the UAE. The kingdom's youngsters won all five of their matches at Khalifa bin Zayed Sports Hall, dropping just one set on their way to the title. Al Nasr opened with successive 3-0 victories over Qatar's Al Arabi and Al Rayyan before beating Kuwait's Burgan by the same score. They followed with a 3-1 win over hosts Al Ain before completing their unbeaten run with a 3-0 victory against Ku-

wait's Al Qadsia. There was further individual recognition for the Bahraini side, with Ammar Yousif named the tournament's Best Blocker and Abbas Matrook receiving the Best Setter award. Al Rayyan finished runners-up, while Al Arabi took third place in the six-team tournament, which ran from August 30 to September 4. Al Nasr were presented with the trophy and gold medals by Al Ain Sports and Cultural Club CEO Juma Mater Khalifa Al Nuaimi, UAE Volleyball Association secretary-general Awad Al Mansouri and championship director Ahmed Sultan Al Nuaimi.

Muharraq dismiss Al Saadoun

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Muharraq have parted ways with head coach Isa Al Saadoun just two matches into the new Nasser bin Hamad Premier League season following a slow start to their title defence. The Bahraini coach returned in July, succeeding Portuguese Nandinho after the Red Wolves

won both the league and King's Cup last season. However, the holders opened with a 1-1 draw against Al Ahli before suffering a shock defeat to newly promoted Al Ettifaq last weekend, leaving them with one point from two matches. The club are now searching for a replacement ahead of Thursday's league meeting with Manama at 7pm, with

an AFC Champions League Two campaign also on the horizon. They have been drawn in Group B alongside the UAE's Al Jazira, Iran's Gol Gohar Sirjan and Turkmenistan's FK Arkadag. Al Saadoun previously enjoyed major success at the club, most notably leading the Bahraini giants to the 2021 AFC Cup title.

