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HM King attends wedding of minister's grandson



His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, accompanied by his sons, attended the wedding of H.E. Shaikh Khalid bin Nasser bin Khalid bin Ahmed bin Salman Al Khalifa, grandson of H.E. Shaikh Khalid bin Ahmed Al Khalifa, Minister of the Royal Court, held at his majlis in Riffa. The Royal Court Minister expressed gratitude to HM the King for attending the wedding of his grandson Shaikh Khalid bin Nasser and for His Majesty's congratulations.

Four arrested for shrimping with banned nets

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The Coast Guard seized 📘 a boat carrying four Asians in possession of shrimp caught using banned bottom trawl nets (karaf), in violation of Ministerial Resolution No. (205) of 2018 prohibiting bottom trawling.

The Interior Ministry announced the arrest was part of ongoing efforts to address violations related to fishing practices and tools, and to ensure fishermen's compliance with laws and regulations.

The Coast Guard explained that the seized boat was found in violation of several other requirements, including covering its registration plates, lacking an Automatic Identification System (AIS) device, safety equipment, and legal documentation related to the vessel and crew.

20,000 sign up for Hajj

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The Supreme Committee for Hajj and Umrah Affairs announced that over 20,000 people have registered for Hajj 1447 AH / 2026 since the electronic registration has opened last Wednesday.

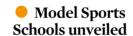
The committee confirmed that those who meet the conditions will receive preliminary acceptance notifications after the registration period ends on September 16.

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Dream Builders

Youth policies link classrooms, careers, and courts



Transitional year proposed

Ministry youth committee leads

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is Highness Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al ing the launch of the Model holders to ensure its success. Sports Schools Project for the 2025–2026 academic year.



HH Shaikh Nasser and HH Shaikh Khalid chair the meeting

The SCYS meeting also re-The project will assign each posal - the introduction of a To Work' Community Partner-

comprehensive educational pro- dation, presented by the Min- merce and Industry. The initi-Khalifa, Representa- gramme that balances academic istry of Legal Affairs, aims to ative, now in its fourth edition, tive of His Majesty the King for rigour with athletic training, give students more clarity on immerses 15 to 18-year-olds in Humanitarian Work and Youth nutrition, and gender-inclusive their academic and profession- private-sector career tracks Affairs and Chairman of the Su-participation. HH Shaikh Nass- al paths, while strengthening ranging from engineering to preme Council for Youth and er described the initiative as "a career guidance and ensuring entrepreneurship and content committee within a government Sports (SCYS), yesterday placed strategic step towards building education aligns with labour creation. The Council directed agency. The move, hailed as a education and sport at the cen- an integrated generation capa- market demands. HH Shaikh the Chamber to widen partic- pioneering step, aims to deepen tre of Bahrain's next phase of ble of excelling in sports and Nasser directed that the proposyouth empowerment, announc- academics," urging all stake- albe submitted to the Education gramme as a national model for professionals and senior lead-Minister for consideration.

In parallel, the Council spotviewed a groundbreaking pro- lighted the expansion of the 'Try

ipation and position the pro- communication between young equipping youth with practical, ership while embedding innomarket-ready skills.

ing's outcomes, the Ministry of other authorities to replicate the participating school a specif- transitional year between school ship Programme, presented by Works received commendation model, highlighting its potential ic sport and combine it with a and university. The recommenthe Bahrain Chamber of Comfor establishing the first youth to reshape institutional culture.

What SCYS Agreed

Launch of Model Sports Schools Project for 2025-2026

Study to create a transitional year before university

Expansion of 'Try To Work' career programme

Establishment of first government youth committee at Ministry of Works

Call for other authorities to set up youth committees

vation and excellence in gov-Adding weight to the meet- ernment work. The SCYS urged

Bahrain witnesses rare 'blood moon' total lunar eclipse











Bahrain was treated to a total lunar eclipse yesterday evening. The Moon turned a deep red as it passed fully into Earth's shadow — an effect popularly known as a "blood moon." The next event of this kind is not expected until December 2028. The partial phase began around 7:30 p.m., totality following shortly after, peaking at 9:11 p.m., and ending at 10:56 p.m. Mosques across the Kingdom held eclipse prayers, following the prophetic tradition observed during solar and lunar eclipses. Worshippers gathered to perform the prayers and reflect on the occasion's religious significance. The spectacle drew wide interest from residents and citizens alike, blending scientific wonder with spiritual meaning. With the Moon draped in red, Bahrain's night sky offered an exceptional natural scene. A total lunar eclipse occurs when the Moon moves completely into Earth's umbra (the darkest part of its shadow), filtering sunlight through the atmosphere and giving the Moon its reddish hue. (Pictures by Aji Mathai)