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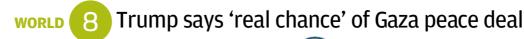
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Serb shrugs off ankle scare and exhaustion to keep Shanghai Masters title hopes alive | **P16**





Selena Gomez 'was crying so hard' during wedding

Kingdoms stand together

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His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa expressed pride in the longstanding relations and close ties between the Kingdoms of Bahrain and Saudi Arabia, based on brotherhood, shared visions, understanding and coordination. HM the King was speaking as he received His Highness Prince Faisal bin Farhan bin Abdullah Al Saud, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, at Al Sakhir Palace. The Minister is on a visit to the Kingdom of Bahrain to participate in the Executive Committee of the Bahraini-Saudi Coordination Council. HM King Hamad highlighted the importance of such visit in enhancing cooperation, coordination and consultation amid regional challenges, commending the efforts of King Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud, the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques, to deepen Bahraini-Saudi relations and the leading role of Saudi Arabia in supporting Gulf and Arab joint action and promoting unity among nations. The meeting reviewed a number of regional and international developments, particularly in the Middle East.

Bahraini lifter Grueso claims three medals at world event



Grueso with her medals

One silver along with two bronze

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Pahraini weightlifter **▶**Ingrid Vanesa Segura Grueso made the Kingdom proud by capturing three medals in the women's 69kg category at the 2025 IWF World Championships in Forde, Norway.

Grueso finished second in clean and jerk event and wound up third best in both snatch and total.

The prized 19-year-old talent shared the spotlight on the podium with Bahrain Weightlifting Federation president Eshaq Ebrahim Eshaq.

Grueso is one of two Bahrainis taking part in this year's edition of the prestigious global competition.

Paris 2024 Olympics bronze medal winner Gor Minasyan is seeing action on Saturday in the men's over-110kg category.

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Leaders strengthen strategic partnership

Meeting highlights shared Gulf vision

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▲ bin Hamad Al Khalifa, sector cooperation. the Crown Prince and Prime Saud, at Gudaibiya Palace, reaf- leadership of HM King Hamad particularly in advancing joint



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Two kingdoms move forward together under visionary leadership

HRH Prince Salman with HH Prince Faisal bin Farhan Al Saud

rojecting unified leader- Saudi-Bahraini Coordination Al Saud, the Custodian of the dination Council. The meeting ship, HRH Prince Salman Council as the engine for multi Two Holy Mosques. His Royal elevated the Council's role, with Salman at the meeting were HH

HRH Prince Salman opened for the ongoing support of His importance in strengthening co- ad Al Khalifa; HH Shaikh Mo-Minister of Bahrain, yesterday the meeting by emphasizing the Royal Highness Prince Moham- operation across key economic hammed bin Salman bin Hamad held talks with Saudi Arabia's "longstanding and enduring" med bin Salman bin Abdulaziz sectors, creating new opportuni- Al Khalifa; HE Shaikh Salman Foreign Minister, His Highness nature of the Bahrain-Sau- Al Saud, the Crown Prince and ties that will help both kingdoms bin Khalifa Al Khalifa, Minister Prince Faisal bin Farhan Al di partnership, backed by the Prime Minister of Saudi Arabia, realize shared aspirations.

firming a renewed focus on the and King Salman bin Abdulaziz initiatives through the Coor- and Islamic interests. Highness extended appreciation HRH Prince Salman stressing its Shaikh Isa bin Salman bin Ham-

HH Prince Faisal bin Farhan, my; along with senior officials.

in response, conveyed greetings from King Salman and Crown Prince Mohammed, and praised Bahrain's commitment to deepening bilateral ties. He expressed hope for continued growth, prosperity and collaboration between the two nations.

Talks also addressed regional and international developments, with special emphasis placed on Saudi Arabia's role in bolstering regional security, driving development, and safeguarding Arab

Accompanying HRH Prince of Finance and National Econo-

Bahrain and Saudi review joint cooperation progress

Council approves new initiatives

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The Executive Committee of the Bahraini-Saudi Coordination Council met yesterday in the presence of delegations from performance, approving nextnew initiatives to deepen bilateral integration.

Minister, and his Saudi counter-



both countries, reviewing joint H.E. Dr. Al Zayani and HH Prince Faisal lead Bahrain and Saudi delegations,

year timelines and endorsing part HRH Prince Mohammedbin His Excellency Dr. Abdullatif Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud, bin Rashid Al Zayani, Minister of the Kingdom. Dr. Al Zayani stitutionalizing and developing the meeting reaffirmed the two of Foreign Affairs; H.E. Shaikh Chaired under the auspices kingdoms' long-standing ties Salman bin Khalifa Al Khalifa, of His Royal Highness Prince and mapped steps to expand Minister of Finance and Nation-Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, cooperation across trade, invest- al Economy; and H.E. Hamad of the Bahraini-Saudi Coordi- said, noting that recent gains rethe Crown Prince and Prime ment and development projects. bin Faisal Al Malki, Minister of nation Council," praising the flect leaders' ambitions to elevate Bahrain's delegation included Cabinet Affairs.



Representing Saudi Arabia concrete outcomes. was His Highness Prince Faisal bin Farhan bin Abdullah Al and its sub-committees have Saud, Minister of Foreign Affairs proven their effectiveness by inwelcomed Prince Faisal and de- joint action to deepen cooperscribed the session as "a contination and enhance integration uation of the blessed journey between the two countries," he sustained royal support that has ties and serve common interests.

driven recent progress.

He hailed the meeting as proof of both countries' "mutual desire and serious commitment to continue enhancing bilateral cooperation, coordination and integration at all levels."

Prince Faisal stressed the council's institutional role in translating political will into

"The Coordination Council