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Rotary Club of Sulmaniya held a regular lunch meeting at the Golden Tulip Hotel on Wednesday. Guest speaker was Ambassador of Sri Lanka Dr A Saj Mendis who spoke about the “New Economic Order of 21st Century”. Raffle tickets were drawn and the meeting



Electricity and Water Affairs Minister Dr Abdulhussain Mirza took part in the opening of the ninth session of the International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA) General Assembly, in Abu Dhabi. The meeting, which comes within the activities of the Abu Dhabi Sustainability Week, was attended by ministers and decision-makers in the field of renewable energy along with more than 2,000 participants from more than 175 member states from across the world. Bahrain is its permanent member since its inception in 2009. In his comments, Dr Mirza spoke of Bahrain's strategy on energy sustainability and about the availability of solar and wind energy. He said the Bahrain government acknowledges the importance of renewable energy and is keen to keep up with the latest available technology in the transition to an era of clean energy.



PAICT celebrated “New Year Damakka” in all its glitz and glamour at Baan Saang Thai



The Bahrain British Business Forum's Special Interest Group for ICT in collaboration with the Labour Fund “Tamkeen” recently hosted a meeting at the Capital Club to discuss the latest trends in ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning) Systems, to enable organisational efficiencies. The event brought experts from leading ERP companies including Oracle and Microsoft to explore how the organisations in the Kingdom of Bahrain can benefit. BBBF's joint head of ICT Special Interest Group Ravi Jayasundera welcomed the guest speakers Gary Brocklehurst (Oracle), Moutaz Al Nairab (Microsoft) and Maan Hussain (Tamkeen) to the meeting.



BDO, a leading professional services firm, conducted a workshop for updating their staff (IFRS), BDO audit methodology and Anti Money Laundering. The annual training session reporting which are applicable to 2018 year-end audits.