

President Trump said a civil nuclear cooperation agreement with Saudi Arabia would depend on Riyadh joining the Abraham Accords. | P6-7

Interior Minister Receives Harvard Graduate



Interior Minister General Shaikh Rashid bin Abdullah Al Khalifa received Shaikh Ali bin Abdullah Al Khalifa and his son Major Mohammed bin Ali, who completed a fellowship programme in International Relations at Harvard University in the United States.

The minister praised continued efforts to support education and training programmes for ministry personnel, enhancing professional capabilities in security fields.

He congratulated Major Mohammed on his academic achievement and wished him further success in his career.

Bahrain, US Discuss Strategic Partnership



The Shura Council's Foreign Affairs, Defence and National Security Committee held talks with US Ambassador to Bahrain Stephanie Hallett on strengthening bilateral relations.

Committee Chairman Dr Ali bin Mohammed Al Rumaihi highlighted the historic ties between Bahrain and the United States, stressing the importance of continued dialogue and cooperation to support regional and international security.

The ambassador reaffirmed Washington's commitment to further developing the strategic partnership between the two countries.

Bahrain Condemns Houthi Attack on Saudi Vessel

Kingdom calls for stronger international action to protect maritime security

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Bahrain strongly condemned a terrorist attack carried out by the Iran-backed Houthi militia targeting a Saudi-owned vessel in the Red Sea, describing it as a serious violation of international law and a threat to global maritime security.

The attack caused a fire on the vessel's bow, but no casualties were reported. Bahrain said the incident represents a breach of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) and poses a danger to maritime navigation, international trade routes, and global energy supplies.



In a statement, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs expressed Bahrain's full solidarity with Saudi Arabia and reaffirmed its support for all legitimate measures taken by the Kingdom to protect its sovereignty, security, and national interests.

The ministry also urged the international community, particularly the United Nations Security Council, to take greater responsibility in preventing further attacks and ensuring accountability for those behind them.



Bahrain stressed the need for firm and deterrent measures to safeguard freedom of navigation in key waterways, including the Bab al-Mandab Strait and the Strait of Hormuz.

GCC, Jordan Unite Against Iranian Attacks

Seven nations reaffirm right to self-defence, condemn strikes on civilian infrastructure

The Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) states and the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan reaffirmed their unified position in condemning "Iranian aggression" and attacks carried out by Iran and its proxies against their territories.

In a joint statement, the seven countries said their position is based on previous resolutions adopted by the GCC Ministerial Council, the Council of Arab League Foreign Ministers, international law, and United Nations Security Council Resolution 2817 (2026).

The countries stated that Iranian attacks targeting their territories, citizens, and civilian infrastructure have continued since February 28, 2026, despite the signing of a memorandum of understanding between the United States and Iran on June 17, 2026.

They said the attacks have intensified, particularly against Bahrain, Kuwait, and Jordan,



targeting vital civilian facilities including energy installations, desalination plants, ports, airports, and other infrastructure.

"serious threat" to regional security

The statement described the ongoing attacks as "clear acts of aggression" that violate the UN Charter, international law, international humanitarian law, Security Council Resolution

2817 (2026), and commitments made by Iran under the memorandum of understanding.

The seven countries warned that such actions represent a serious threat to international peace and security.

They also reaffirmed their "inherent right to self-defence," individually or collectively, under Article 51 of the UN Charter, and stressed their right to take all necessary legal measures to protect their sovereignty, terri-

tories, citizens, commercial vessels, and critical infrastructure.

The GCC states and Jordan also welcomed the decision by the Prime Minister of Iraq to place all weapons under state control by September 30, 2026.

They expressed support for measures taken by the Iraqi government to prevent Iran-aligned factions, militias, and armed groups from continuing hostile operations against countries in the region.

Oil soars above \$100 as Middle East fears grow

Oil prices surged past \$100 a barrel on Thursday as Iran-backed Houthi rebels targeted Red Sea shipping and threats by US President Donald Trump to strike them in return sent equity markets slumping.

The international benchmark Brent North Sea oil contract soared more than six percent over the symbolic \$100 level, as the attacks potentially opened a new front in the Middle East war and Trump threatened the Houthi with "major military punishment".

Iran, meanwhile, vowed to continue striking the Gulf region so long as it remains under attack from US strikes.

Saudi Arabia had been using the Red Sea to export millions of barrels of oil that normally flowed through the Strait of Hormuz, so closing that shipping channel would remove more oil from the market.

"Investors are in a wary mood... as fresh jitters about the ongoing energy crunch hit sentiment," said



Susannah Streeter, chief investment strategist at Wealth Club.

"With both the Strait of Hormuz and the Red Sea now under increasing pressure, markets are bracing for the possibility that the conflict could disrupt key energy

routes (and) keep oil prices elevated," she added.

The prospect of higher oil prices also raises the prospect of higher inflation and interest-rate hikes, adding to weak sentiment, analysts said.

HM King Appoints Endowments Directors



His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa issued Decree (39) of 2026 appointing new directors general at the Council of Islamic Endowments Affairs.

Ahmed Khalil Ebrahim Khairi has been appointed Director General of the General Directorate of Sunni Affairs, while Abduljaleel Ali Ahmed Al Hayki has been appointed Director General of the General Directorate of Jaafari Affairs.

The decree was issued following a proposal by the Minister of Justice, Islamic Affairs and Waqf and Cabinet approval.

'Khaleeji First' Campaign Launched



The Khalifa bin Mohammed Al Khalifa Foundation, in cooperation with MKF Connect, has launched the "Khaleeji First" campaign as part of Youth City 2030 programmes.

The initiative aims to raise awareness about supporting Gulf products and services and highlight the consumer's role in strengthening GCC economies.

The campaign will empower youth to develop creative initiatives, events and media content promoting Gulf-made products and encouraging economic integration across the region.

Road Closure on Shaikh Isa bin Salman Bridge



The Ministry of Works announced the closure of the left and middle lanes on Shaikh Isa bin Salman Bridge towards Muharraq for maintenance works.

The closure will begin at midnight on Friday, July 24, and continue until 5am on Sunday, July 26. Motorists have been urged to follow traffic instructions and use caution while travelling through the area.



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Youth Media Talent Celebrated at Youth City 2030

Media ministry highlights practical training as winners of the ‘8 O’Clock News Challenge’ are honoured.

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Deputy Information Minister Yousif Mohammed Al Binkhalil praised the outcomes of the media programmes at Youth City 2030, highlighting Bahrain’s continued commitment to empowering young people and preparing them to contribute to the Kingdom’s comprehensive development.

Al Binkhalil said the strong support given to Bahraini youth under the leadership of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, and the directives of His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, reflects the Kingdom’s long-standing national vision of developing a skilled and capable new generation.

He also commended the ongoing support of His Highness Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa, His Majesty the King’s Representative for Humanitarian Work and Youth Affairs and Chairman of the Supreme Council for Youth and Sports, for youth-focused initiatives, particularly Youth City 2030.

The remarks came during Al Binkhalil’s visit to Youth City 2030, where he reviewed sev-



eral media programmes and activities organised by the Ministry of Information as part of its participation in the event’s 15th edition, held under the theme “Create Your Media Experience.”

He praised the continued success of Youth City 2030 in providing a practical training environment that helps young people develop their skills, discover their talents and gain hands-on experience across a range of disciplines.

Al Binkhalil said the ministry’s participation reflects its commitment to developing national media talent by offering specialised training programmes that keep pace with the rapidly evolving media in-

dustry. He noted that the initiatives focus on strengthening participants’ professional and creative skills while providing practical experience through direct training and real-world application, helping prepare qualified Bahraini media professionals for the future.

During the visit, the Deputy Information Minister attended the closing ceremony of the “8 O’Clock News Challenge,” one of the ministry’s flagship programmes at Youth City 2030. The challenge enables participants to produce television news bulletins in a professional newsroom setting, guiding them through every stage of news production to simulate real-life work in media organisations.

MP Seeks Warnings on AI Food Images

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A proposal to stop restaurants fooling diners with sloppy AI-generated food pictures has been lodged by MP Maryam Al Dhaen. It would force eateries to place a clear warning beside any computer-made image used on menus or food delivery apps. Ms Al Dhaen said such pictures were now so lifelike that customers could struggle to tell them from real photographs.

The result, she said, was that diners could order one thing and receive something that looked far worse when it reached their door.

‘Burgers appear taller, meat looks juicier and portions seem larger on screen,’ she said.

She said trust was being chipped away as diners grew more wary of slick pictures that made meals look bigger, richer and better than they were. Some customers could feel cheated, she added, while the use of fake food shots could also suggest that a restaurant was cutting corners instead of spending money on the quality of its dishes.

The proposal asks where the line should be drawn when a picture sits beside the name of a meal, its price and an order button. The move rests on Article 6 of Bahrain’s Consumer



Protection Law No 35 of 2012.

The law says sellers and advertisers must give true details about the nature and features of a product and must not create a false or misleading impression. It also bars adverts that leave buyers mistaken or confused.

Though the law does not name generative AI, its wording could cover pictures that give a false view of a meal’s size, look or contents. The proposal also points to rules used in Japan, where food adverts and packaging are judged by the impression they leave as a whole.

Pictures and drawings can breach the rules when they make food look far better than it is.

A small note saying an image is for illustration may carry little weight when the main pic-



‘Burgers appear taller, meat looks juicier and portions seem larger on screen’

- DR MARYAM AL DHAEN, MP

ture still leads buyers to expect something they will not receive.

“One hand is enough” Survivor inspires others through resilience

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Fourteen years after a friend’s reckless driving cost him his right hand, Saif Laila recently sat behind the wheel again for a drift session, this time in a controlled, safe setting. He is quick to say it was not about closure. “I made peace with what happened to me a long time ago,” he told The Daily Tribune in an exclusive interview. “I just wanted to try the experience and share it with people, and of course connect it to what happened to me.”

He was 14 at the time of the accident. He is 28 now, and there is no gap in his memory of it, no blackout that softened the moment. “I didn’t receive the news, I lived through the whole experience,” he said. “There was no loss of consciousness. I woke up and saw the amputation. It happened in that moment.”

Two things carried him through what followed, he said: his faith and the people closest to him. “The belief that this was destiny from God, was the biggest factor,” he said, “along with the role played by my family and the environment around me.” Even so, adjusting took time. Coming to terms with it psychologically took about a year to 18 months, he said, while relearning the practical skills of daily life took three to four years, spread across the years he spent finishing school and then starting university.

Writing was the first real difficulty. He had always written with his right hand and had to learn to do it with his left instead. But the harder challenge,



“You are capable today of changing the way you think, and of seeing that you have far greater capacity than what others may have”

- SAIF LAILA

he said, came after he left hospital, in the way people looked at him. “With God’s grace I overcame it,” he said, “and what used to be a painful look became one I use in a positive way, trying to send a good message to people who see me on the street.”

That shift changed how he saw his own story. He began to notice that people who felt hopeless because of their own circumstances responded differently when they saw what had happened to him. “They were affected positively,” he said. “They saw that there is hope in life.”

He said the misconception he encounters most often, particularly among the families and friends of amputees, is the assumption that losing a limb means losing the ability to cope. Changing that idea is behind his motto, “One hand is enough.”



“It’s about being capable as a person, whatever your circumstances, whatever you’ve lost in life,” he said. “With whatever abilities and resources you have today, you are enough to develop and reach whatever dream you want to reach one day, God willing.” The phrase grew out of conversations with strangers who stopped him in the street, assuming at first that his life must be limited, then realising otherwise once they had spoken to him. Since he cannot speak to everyone who sees him, sometimes hundreds of people in a day, he decided a written message could do that work instead.

Asked what he considers his biggest personal achievement, he pointed first to his own state of mind, the confidence that he can meet any challenge, and the fact that something painful became something that helps other people. Close behind, he said, is being able to support other amputees and their families. He recalled a former teacher, who had helped him through his own recovery at school, calling years later to ask him to help a relative



who had also lost a limb. “It was an unusual feeling,” he said, “the moment I arrived and saw the effect on that person and their family.”

Asked what message he would give the world, Laila said: “You are capable today of changing the way you think, and of seeing that you have far greater capacity than what others may have convinced you of, or made you feel you don’t deserve what you’re hoping for. That is their opinion. But your will and your ability, given to you by God, are far greater than the opinions of the people around you.”

25 Poems in Minutes, Asia Honour at 8

Most children take time to think before writing a poem. Eight-year-old Fella Mehak A. creates one in seconds.

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The Bahrain-based youngster earned the prestigious ‘Grandmaster’ certification from the Asia Book of Records after composing and singing 25 original English poems in just 8 minutes and 22 seconds.

Originally from Kerala, India, Fella achieved the feat at the age of 8 years and 4 months. During the record attempt, she was given random prompt words and, without preparation, transformed each into a three-to-four-line poem before singing it. The achievement was officially confirmed on June 16, 2026.

For Fella, poetry began as a natural expression of her imagination. Her father, Akbar Shah, an engineer with a multinational corporation, told The Daily Tribune that the family first noticed her talent when she was around four.

“When she was about four, we noticed she was always making up little stories about whatever was around her. We saw how much she enjoyed playing with words, so we encouraged her to turn those ideas into short, fun rhymes,” he said.

Fella’s creativity often appears spontaneously rather than through a set routine. “Whenever she’s lost in her own world, like while playing or painting, she’ll suddenly start singing and making up rhymes on the spot in her own words,” Akbar said.

Her mother, Shafna Akbar Shah, an advocate and poet whose work has been published in newspapers, was the first to recognise her ability. The family began giving Fella random words as a creative challenge, and her ability to instantly turn them into rhymes encouraged



Fella’s record-breaking feat of composing 25 poems in just 8 minutes and 22 seconds earns her Asia ‘Grandmaster’ recognition.

them to apply for the India Book of Records, where she was previously recognised.

Living and studying in Bahrain, Fella continues to build on her passion for literature and storytelling. Her latest achievement has taken her talent from national recognition to the Asian stage.

The Asia Book of Records recognised her exceptional command of language, quick thinking and ability to combine imagination, rhyme and melody under pressure.

Her family described the milestone as a proud moment.

“Fella’s ability to express deep imagination with such speed and confidence is truly inspiring. We are immensely proud to see her represent our family, community and country on the continental stage,” they told TDT.

Fella’s record-breaking achievement highlights the importance of nurturing creativity in children and celebrates the remarkable possibilities that emerge when young talent is encouraged to grow.

Muharraq Souq Parking Restored

Planters Removed to Improve Shopper Access

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Parking is being restored along Shaikh Hamad Avenue in Muharraq Souq after authorities began removing landscaped concrete planters that had reduced parking spaces and drawn complaints from traders and shoppers.

The Works Ministry has started modifying and expanding parking along the avenue following coordination with the Muharraq Municipal Council and local traders, Council Chairman Abdulaziz Al Naar said.

The redevelopment project, approved in 2022 and carried out under the Bahrain Author-

ity for Culture and Antiquities, replaced parking bays with landscaped flower beds as part of efforts to beautify the historic market.

While the improvements enhanced the area's appearance, traders said the loss of parking discouraged customers and affected business.

The restoration will provide between 108 and 120 parking spaces near the souq entrance, with an additional 83 spaces planned further along the avenue. A new multi-storey car park is also under construction at the former Muharraq Post Office site to further ease parking shortages.

The move follows repeated calls from shop owners, shop-



During the removal of the concrete planters

pers and MPs to reinstate parking and improve access to one of Bahrain's busiest traditional markets.

Family Office Resolves 436 Cases

Reconciliation Achieves 41% Settlement Rate

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Family and Child Reconciliation Office has resolved 436 family-related cases through amicable settlements since its establishment, achieving a 41% reconciliation rate, according to its latest semi-annual report.

The report was presented to Attorney General Dr. Ali bin Fudhel Al Buainain during a meeting with Head of the Family and Child Prosecution Noora Jamal Al Maalla and Head of the Reconciliation Office Mohammed Abdulhakim Buhaji.

According to the report, the office has handled 1,067 cases since its launch, with assault cases accounting for the high-



est number of referrals, followed by insult and defamation cases.

During the first half of this year, the office received 247 cases and successfully settled 97 through reconciliation, recording a 39% settlement rate.

Attorney General Al

Buainain praised the office's efforts in promoting restorative justice and supporting family stability, highlighting its role in resolving disputes outside the courtroom while safeguarding the best interests of children and easing the burden on the judiciary.

Southern Governor Reaffirms Development Drive

Residents' proposals will be followed up with relevant authorities

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His Highness Shaikh Khalifa bin Ali Al Khalifa, Governor of the Southern Governorate, received community leaders, dignitaries and representatives of civil society organisations at the Governorate Majlis as part of ongoing efforts to strengthen communication with residents.

The meeting was attended by several members of the Council of Representatives, Southern Municipal Council Chairman Abdulla Ibrahim Abdullatif, Deputy Governor Brigadier Hamad Mohammed Al Khayat, along with a number of officers and officials from the Southern Governorate.

Opening the meeting, the Governor welcomed attendees and reaffirmed his support for national efforts to safeguard Bahrain's

security and stability. He praised the work of the Kingdom's security agencies in maintaining public safety amid what he described as Iran's attacks, noting that their efforts have helped reinforce the Kingdom's security and stability.

He said these achievements reflect the vision of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa and the support of His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, in advancing Bahrain's continued development and prosperity.

The Governor highlighted the Southern Governorate's commitment to maintaining close communication with residents through regular meetings, electronic channels and smart platforms, enabling citizens to submit proposals and suggestions aimed at improving public services.



He stressed that the Governorate will continue coordinating directly with government agencies to address residents' needs, advance key development and

service projects, and preserve the area's historical and national achievements while enhancing the quality of services across the governorate.

Bahrain Small Vessel Registrations Reach 9,636

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Bahrain's small vessel registry recorded 8,729 transactions during the first half of 2026, as the total number of registered small marine vessels rose to 9,636, the Ministry of Transportation and Telecommunications announced.

Bader Hood Al Mahmood, Undersecretary for Ports and Maritime Affairs, said 8,814 valid marine driving licences were in circulation by the end of June, reflecting increased maritime activity and stronger compliance with safety regulations.

During the six-month period, the office registered 133 new vessels, renewed 1,366 registrations, issued and renewed 3,624 marine driving licences,



Bader Hood Al Mahmood, Undersecretary for Ports and Maritime Affairs at the Ministry of Transportation and Telecommunications

and carried out 1,499 technical inspections of boats and jet-skis.

Al Mahmood added that 60.6% of all transactions were completed electronically through the small vessel registration portal, highlighting the ministry's progress in expanding digital services and improving user access.

From The Court

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New Car Sale Cancelled After Repeated Defects

Court Orders Dealer to Refund BD7,000

The High Civil Court of Appeal cancelled the sale of a new car after ruling that persistent technical defects made the vehicle unsafe and unreliable.

The court ordered the dealership to refund BD7,000 to the buyer after deducting BD1,675 for the vehicle's use and instructed the buyer to return the car. The dealership was also ordered to pay court costs and legal fees.

According to lawyer Hameed Al Sammak, the buyer experienced repeated faults, including display screen failures,



Lawyer Hameed Al Sammak

transmission issues, and an airbag system defect, despite taking the vehicle to the service centre more than 12 times. The appeal court ruled that the recurring defects during the warranty period justified cancelling the sales contract.

Appeal Set in Fatal Highway Crash Case

Court to Hear Two-Year Jail Sentence Challenge

The Fifth High Criminal Appeals Court set August 5 to hear the appeal of a driver sentenced to two years in prison for causing a traffic accident that killed one person and injured another.

Prosecutors said the defendant failed to exercise proper care while driving a company vehicle on Shaikh Khalifa bin Salman Highway near Saar on May 4, 2026.

The collision occurred after a broken-down vehicle had stopped in the emergency lane and a tow truck driver arrived to assist. Despite seeing the two men ahead, the defendant allegedly failed to slow down, stop or change lanes, striking both victims. One later died from his injuries, while the other was injured. The crash also caused damage to the company vehicle.

Barrier Removed and Al Eker Coast Cleaned

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The barrier blamed for trapping rubbish and polluting the shoreline off Al Eker has been removed by the Ministry of Oil and Environment, and the area has been cleaned after residents raised concerns over worsening conditions along the coast.

MP Mohsen Al Asbool thanked the ministry for its quick and effective response after he referred the complaints to it and



Mohsen Al Asbool, MP



called for the structure to be removed as soon as possible.

The barrier had been built in the sea as part of a mangrove

planting project carried out alongside the expansion of the

Tubli Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Residents said the mangrove trees later died, while the barrier remained in place and caused rubbish to gather along the shoreline. They also reported that the seawater in the affected area had turned a reddish colour.

The structure had been placed around the planting site to protect the mangrove trees, but residents said it hindered the natural flow of water and led to waste and debris building up along the coast.

Capital Councillor Holds Cooperation Talks with Sarajevo Mayor

Discussions centre on urban development, municipal ties and food security

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Capital Municipal Council member Dr Abdulhasan Hasan Al Dairi met Sarajevo Mayor Samir Avdic during a visit to Bosnia and Herzegovina to discuss strengthening cooperation in municipal affairs, sustainable urban development and food security.

Mayor Avdic welcomed the visit and highlighted Sarajevo's interest in expanding cooperation with Bahrain, while encouraging Gulf investment in sustainable

development and food security projects.

Dr Al Dairi reaffirmed Bahrain's commitment to enhancing ties with Bosnia through continued collaboration with the Chamber of Economy of Bosnia and Herzegovina, expressing hope for broader cooperation across multiple sectors.

The Sarajevo mayor also said he hopes to visit Bahrain this year or next to meet government officials and private-sector investors. He presented Dr Al Dairi with publications showcasing Sarajevo's future investment opportunities.



BCFC Spotlights the IMTIAZ Mastercard Corporate Credit Card: Turning Business Spending into Rebates and Rewards

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Bahrain Commercial Facilities Company (BCFC) has highlighted the distinctive value of the IMTIAZ Mastercard Corporate Credit Card, a corporate financing solution offered under the company's IMTIAZ credit card brand and designed to help businesses of every size turn their everyday spending into measurable returns. Built around an exclusive loyalty programme that pairs a monthly rebate with a rewarding annual bonus, the card reflects the company's commitment to delivering innovative financing solutions that create real value for the Kingdom's corporate and SME community.

The card is built on a simple principle: every payment a business makes should give something back. Through the loyalty programme, cardholders receive a monthly rebate credited to their statement, letting companies re-



cover a portion of their spending as they go. This is complemented by an annual bonus that grows with how actively the card is used across the year. Together, these two layers deliver on the card's promise to help businesses turn routine expenses into measurable value.

The IMTIAZ Mastercard Corporate Credit Card is available in two tiers - the World Corporate Credit Card and the Corporate

Executive Credit Card. Across both tiers, rebate and bonus rates are structured to reward businesses across the full range of day-to-day expenditure from local and government to fuel payments, with even higher returns on international spending.

Beyond its returns, the card gives businesses tools that strengthen control and visibility over expenditure, supporting smarter management of corporate

spending. Its Peace of Mind proposition includes a Corporate Liability Waiver that protects the organisation against unauthorised card use by employees, alongside



The IMTIAZ Mastercard Corporate Card helps businesses turn everyday spending into tangible savings through monthly rebates, annual bonuses, and premium corporate benefits.

Kubra Abdulrahman Aghayar, Chief Commercial & SME Officer at Bahrain Commercial Facilities Company

travel risk management focused on employee safety before and during business trips, travel medical and travel inconvenience insurance, and airport lounge access.

The card's value extends well beyond the balance sheet through its Memorable Experience and Cost Savings propositions, which give cardholders access to a curated network of leading global partners across premium hotels, travel, hospitality, car rental and lifestyle experiences, turning business travel and corporate hospitality into opportunities for both savings and distinction.

Kubra Abdulrahman Aghayar, Chief Commercial & SME Officer at Bahrain Commercial Facilities Company, said: "The IMTIAZ Mastercard Corporate Card is designed to give the Kingdom's businesses more

than a means of payment - it gives them a way to make their spending work for them. Through an immediate monthly rebate and a rewarding annual bonus, companies can convert routine expenditure into tangible savings and returns, while enjoying the protection and privileges that support them at home and abroad. It reflects our ongoing commitment to standing alongside Bahrain's Corporate and SME sector with financing solutions that are practical, rewarding and built around their ambitions."

The card forms part of BCFC's broader vision of building a comprehensive and progressive financial ecosystem that empowers individuals, businesses and communities across the Kingdom. By pairing everyday utility with meaningful rewards and dependable protection, the IMTIAZ Mastercard Corporate Credit Card underscores the company's continued focus on innovation, digital financial inclusion and sustainable value creation for its customers.

NBB Introduces Click to Pay Feature on Visa Cards

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The National Bank of Bahrain (NBB) has introduced Click to Pay on its Visa Cards, offering customers a faster and more secure way to complete online transactions.

Click to Pay is a secure online checkout solution supported by major global payment networks. The service encrypts and securely stores card details, allowing cardholders to complete online purchases without manually entering their information each time.

Accepted at thousands of merchants worldwide, Click to Pay makes online shopping faster and easier. At checkout, customers simply select the Click to Pay button where sup-

ported and complete their purchase without entering card details. The cards are securely accessed using a recognised email address or mobile number. Built with security at its core, Click to Pay safeguards payment information, helping protect customers from fraud, identity theft, and unauthorised use.

With the introduction of Click to Pay, NBB continues to expand its suite of digital solutions, providing customers with reliable, secure, and convenient tools to manage their financial transactions. The Bank remains focused on delivering innovations that respond to evolving customer expectations while maintaining a strong foundation of trust and security across its products and services.



Beyon Ranked Third Among the Middle East's Best Workplaces in Technology for 2026



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Beyon has been ranked third among the Best Workplaces in Technology in the Middle East for 2026, according to Great Place to Work® Middle East, in recognition of its commitment to fostering a workplace culture that empowers employees and drives innovation. Only organisations that have first achieved Great Place to Work Certification® are eligible for consideration for this accolade. Beyon has maintained its Great Place to Work Certification® for six consecutive years.

This recognition is based on confidential employee survey data assessing workplace trust, innovation, leadership and company values, as well as how effectively organisations create an inclusive workplace experience for all employees.

Commenting on the achievement, Beyon Chief Human Resources Officer Faisal Al Jalahma said, "Being recognised among the Middle East's

leading technology workplaces reflects the culture we continue to build across the Group, where our people are empowered to innovate, grow and make a meaningful impact. As Beyon continues to expand its digital and technology capabilities, we recognise that our success is driven by the talent, expertise and dedication of our employees. We remain committed to fostering a workplace built on trust, inclusion, collaboration and continuous learning, while developing future-ready talent that supports our ambitions and enables us to deliver value across our diverse portfolio of technology, digital and connectivity businesses. This recognition is a testament to our people and the culture we have built together."

Great Place to Work® is a global authority on workplace culture. Its Best Workplaces in Technology ranking is based on confidential employee surveys and an assessment of workplace practices.

33,707 New Businesses Registered in Bahrain Over Two Years

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Mohammed Darwish

A total of 33,707 businesses were registered in Bahrain in little over two years, with shops, vehicle repair firms and professional services taking almost half of the new entries.

Industry and Commerce Ministry figures covering January 1, 2024, to February 25, 2026, show trade and the repair of cars and motorcycles led the rise with 8,619 businesses, or 25.6 pc of the total.

Professional, scientific and technical work came close behind with 7,884 businesses, accounting for 23.4 pc.

Administrative and support services added 3,530 businesses, while hotels, restaurants and other food and lodging firms accounted for 2,936.

Personal services and repair work recorded 2,173 new businesses, followed by manufacturing with 2,032.

Transport and storage added 1,582, information and communications 1,555, construction

1,443 and property 1,186.

A further 724 businesses were registered in education, 607 in finance and insurance, 389 in health and social work, and 365 in arts, entertainment and recreation.

Mining and quarrying recorded 40 new businesses, water, sewerage and waste work 28, and farming and fishing 13.

The ministry counts each business once under its main commercial registration, even when it runs several branches.

Firms working across several fields are counted under each field in which they trade, meaning the sector figures can overlap.

Trade and vehicle repair also remained the largest part of Bahrain's active business base, with 38,137 firms.

Professional, scientific and technical work followed with 18,290, while manufacturing had 10,346.

Administrative and support services accounted for 10,045



active firms, hotels and food services 9,642, construction 9,157 and personal services and repairs 7,659.

Property had 4,890 active firms, information and communications 4,418, and transport and storage 3,491.

Micro, small and medium-sized firms held 85,700 active commercial registrations, equal to 93.4 pc of the total.

They employed 46,300 Bahrainis by the second quarter

of 2025, according to the Information and eGovernment Authority.

Social Insurance Organisation figures for the first quarter of 2026 show 105,780 Bahrainis working in the private sector, against 478,707 foreign workers.

Bahrainis made up about 18.1 pc of the private workforce. Their average monthly wage stood at BD912, while the median was BD500.

Food security in Gaza improves
but remains fragile: UN



A displaced Palestinian girl, who according to doctors is suffering from chickenpox, stands next to her mother inside the family's tent in Khan Yunis, in the southern Gaza Strip

AFP | Rome, Italy

Food security and child nutrition have improved across the Gaza Strip, but remain fragile because only one aid crossing point is open, the UN's World Food Programme said on Thursday.

The Rome-based organization noted "an improvement in food security and child nutrition across the Gaza Strip," but "cautioned that the progress, driven largely by expanded access to humanitarian food, nutrition, agricultural and health assistance, remains fragile."

"While access into Gaza has improved, only one crossing – Kerem Shalom/ Abu Salem – in the south of Gaza remains

open, limiting the flow of essential goods," the World Food Programme (WFP) said in a statement.

There has been a "significant" increase in food and nutritional aid since the ceasefire agreement was reached in October 2025, it said.

Food parcels were delivered to around 1.5 million people in May, while some 700,000 people received cash assistance and 60 percent of children under-5 were given nutritional support. The UN's aid chief, Tom Fletcher, called last month for the opening of all crossing points into Gaza and the immediate lifting of Israeli restrictions on the entry of goods such as medical equipment and fuel.

Fields medal awarded to four
young mathematicians

AFP | Philadelphia, United States

The Fields medal, among the most prestigious international awards in math, was on Thursday given to two Chinese mathematicians, one American and one Canadian.

Known as the Nobel prize of mathematics, the honor -- which is presented every four years in a different city -- was hosted this year by Philadelphia.

It was awarded to Chinese mathematicians Hong Wang and Yu Deng, American John Pardon, and Canada's Jacob Tsimerman.

The prize is a gold medal-bearer bearing the likeness of Archimedes and comes with an award of 15,000 Canadian dollars (17,000 US dollars). It is given by the International Mathematical Union.

It is a recognition of outstanding discoveries by researchers under the age of 40.

Venezuela quakes caused \$19.6 bn in damage

AFP | Washington, United States

Twin earthquakes that devastated Venezuela last month caused at least \$19.6 billion in direct physical damage, the World Bank said in an estimate Thursday, stressing the need for a rapid increase in public reconstruction fund-

ing to avoid lasting economic effects. Direct damage to residential buildings came in at almost half of the total at \$9.3 billion, according to the Bank's assessment. Non-residential buildings suffered \$5 billion in damage and infrastructure faced \$5.2 billion in total losses.

US House passes symbolic Iran war
rebutal to Trump

AFP | Washington, United States

The US House of Representatives passed a largely symbolic resolution Thursday calling for President Donald Trump to halt military action against Iran, delivering another congressional rebuke as the Middle East war sharply escalates.

The measure -- which passed 214-208 after four Republicans joined opposition Democrats in support -- directs Trump to remove US forces from hostilities against Iran unless Congress explicitly authorizes the war.



WHAT HAPPENS NEXT WITH THE US-SAUDI NUCLEAR DEAL?

1 HAS TRUMP ALREADY KILLED THE DEAL?

Just hours after Saudi Arabia signed the landmark agreement, Trump announced a new caveat to the deal via Truth Social.

The nuclear agreement "will be approved, but is totally subject to Saudi Arabia joining the very respected and successful Abraham Accords" Trump wrote.

Embracing nuclear technology is in line with Saudi policy to address the rapid increase in energy demand in the kingdom while reducing "the reliance on hydrocarbons in order to use petroleum for higher value purposes and export", according to the energy ministry.

If approved by Congress, the deal would also likely provide an economic windfall for US energy companies and further undergird Riyadh's ties with the US.

2 WHERE DO THINGS STAND NOW?

While the actual text of the deal has yet to be released, US Secretary of State Marco Rubio insisted that appropriate safeguards against nuclear proliferation would be cemented in the agreement.

The Wall Street Journal had earlier reported that one provision in the US-Saudi deal would potentially see US companies build a uranium enrichment facility in Saudi Arabia.

However, Trump appeared to pour cold water on the idea, saying in his Truth Social post: "There will be no enrichment of material!"

The US Energy Department made no mention of such a provision and did not offer comment when asked about it by AFP.

3 WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR THE REGION?

For decades, US policymakers have worried about the potential consequences of the spread of nuclear technology and weaponisation of energy programmes, fearing it could spur arms races in places like the Middle East.

For some analysts, the deal is part of a new emerging security context that has begun forming in the wake of the ongoing war with Iran.

"The broader signal is that the post-war Middle East is generating a new set of rules on nuclear cooperation, security guarantees, and great-power competition simultaneously," said Hesham Alghannam, a Saudi security analyst and researcher.

4 WHY THIS DEAL MATTERS

Saudi Arabia's energy needs are soaring. Nuclear power can provide reliable, large-scale energy while freeing oil for higher-value uses and exports.

The deal could unlock billions of dollars in contracts for US energy companies and create thousands of high-skilled jobs.

It would further strengthen the strategic partnership between Riyadh and Washington at a time of global realignment.

But final approval hinges on Congress--and on Saudi Arabia possibly joining the Abraham Accords, a major diplomatic hurdle.

THE ROAD AHEAD: The deal is not done yet. Safeguards, enrichment, Congressional approval and the Abraham Accords caveat could shape its future.

Rubio says Saudis seek 'peaceful, civil nuclear programme'

AFP | Manila, Philippines

US Secretary of State Marco Rubio said yesterday that a landmark nuclear coopera-



tion pact with Saudi Arabia would result only in a peaceful, civilian atomic programme. "Suffice it to say that any agreement that we're going to make with any

country in the world on civil nuclear energy is going to be one that will have safeguards in place to ensure that it can't be turned into a weapons programme," Rubio said on the sidelines of a Southeast Asian

summit in Manila. "Saudi Arabia seeks to have a peaceful, civil nuclear programme," he told reporters, noting a similar deal was in place with the United Arab Emirates.

Trump says Saudi nuclear deal
contingent on recognising Israel

AFP | Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

US President Donald Trump said yesterday that a deal with Saudi Arabia to establish a civilian nuclear programme would be contingent on the kingdom's recognition of Israel.

Israel's Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said recognition by Saudi Arabia, a regional power and home to Islam's holiest sites, would mark a "historic leap" forward for peace in the Middle East.

The deal announced Wednesday to establish a civilian nuclear programme in the Gulf kingdom "will be approved, but is totally subject to Saudi Arabia joining the very respected and successful Abraham Accords", Trump said.

Should it go through, the deal would generate billions of dollars for American companies and would be a major win for Saudi Arabia on both the economic and diplomatic fronts.

But with Trump's latest announcement, it was unclear whether the

MIDDLE EAST WAR LATEST EVENTS

ENERGY & ECONOMY IMPACT

BRENT HITS \$100

- Brent crude soars over 6% to reach \$100 a barrel.
- US crude (WTI) up 5% to \$81.19 a barrel.

LAGARDE WARNS OF MIDEAST INFLATION

Fresh fighting could push inflation higher than expected, says ECB President Lagarde.

WAR DRIVES COAL HIGHER

- Coal-fired power generation set to rise by 1.4% in 2026.
- Driven by gas supply difficulties and soaring prices, says IEA.

STRAIT OF HORMUZ DISRUPTIONS

- Since March 2025, conflict causes regular blockages of the Strait of Hormuz, through which 20% of LNG transits.

RED SEA & DIPLOMACY DEVELOPMENTS

TRUMP THREATENS HOUSTI 'PUNISHMENT'

- Warns of "major military punishment", says U.S. will hold Iran responsible as Houthis are its proxy.

HOUSTI ATTACK OIL TANKERS IN RED SEA

- Yemen's Houthis launch missile and drone strikes on oil tankers in the Red Sea.

EU SLAMS HOUSTI TANKER ATTACK

- EU's top diplomat demands Houthis stop attacks on ships in the Red Sea.

BRITAIN WITHDRAWS LAST IRAN STAFF

- Britain withdraws remaining diplomatic staff from Iran as conflict between Iran and the U.S. escalates.

MILITARY & REGIONAL SECURITY ALERTS

DRONES HIT KUWAIT-IRAQ BORDER

- Drones hit Kuwait's side of the border with Iraq; Iraqi source confirms.
- Kuwait official says Iran was to blame.

SIRENS IN SAUDI

- Saudi's interior ministry says air sirens triggered.
- Iran confirms targeting US assets in Bahrain, Jordan and Kuwait.

JORDAN INTERCEPTS STRIKES

- Jordan's army shoots down 3 Iranian missiles; a fourth falls in an unpopulated area.

KUWAIT INTERCEPTS THREATS

- Kuwait's military intercepts "hostile drone threats" overnight.

deal would ever see the light of day. One provision would potentially see US companies build a uranium enrichment facility in Saudi Arabia, the Wall Street Journal reported.

The US Energy Department made no mention of such a provision and did not offer comment when asked about it by AFP, while Trump added in his Truth Social post that "there

will be no enrichment of material!" The deal will be submitted to Congress for review.

US Secretary of State Marco Rubio said that "any agreement that we're going to make with any country in the world on civil nuclear energy is going to be one that will have safeguards in place to ensure that it can't be turned into a weapons programme".

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The United States currently has agreements governing civilian nuclear cooperation with more than 50 countries.

1534

French explorer Jacques Cartier claims for France the lands around Gaspé by erecting a 30-foot cross at Pointe-Penouille

1567

Mary, Queen of Scots, is forced to abdicate; her 1-year-old son becomes King James VI of Scotland



John Bingham Discovers Machu Picchu

1832 1911

Benjamin Bonneville leads the first wagon train across the Rocky Mountains through Wyoming's South Pass

American explorer Hiram Bingham rediscovers Machu Picchu, the Lost City of the Incas

UK withdraws remaining diplomats from Iran
London, United Kingdom

Britain said on Thursday it had withdrawn remaining diplomatic staff from Iran as the conflict between Iran and the United States escalates. "Due to the security situation, UK staff have been temporarily withdrawn from Iran. Our embassy continues to operate remotely," the Foreign Office said on its website. Britain in June withdrew its embassy staff from Iran, following in the footsteps of other European nations as well as Australia and New Zealand.

US House passes record \$1.15 trillion defense bill
Washington, United States

The US House of Representatives narrowly passed an annual defense policy bill on Wednesday that would authorize a record \$1.15 trillion in funding for the Pentagon, as the divisive Iran war drags on. Though it traditionally sees significant bipartisan support, the 2027 National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) passed the lower chamber in a 216-212 vote, a sign of the growing polarization under President Donald Trump. The bill, which must still pass the Senate, provides approximately \$250 billion more than the 2026 NDAA, including a 5-7 percent pay raise for service members.

US eyes offshore nuclear reactors
Washington, United States

The United States on Wednesday announced it had created a "clear framework" for the eventual deployment of offshore nuclear reactors, as part of the Trump administration's push to drastically ramp up atomic energy output. Although no commercial US project is currently planned or approved, so-called floating nuclear power plants (FNPPs) are an area of growing interest, with Russia currently operating the sole plant, the Akademik Lomonosov in the country's far east. The Department of the Interior's Marine Minerals Administration (MMA) said it signed a memorandum of understanding with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) to advance the deployment of reactors in the Outer Continental Shelf -- 3.2 billion acres off the nation's coastlines that fall under federal jurisdiction.



A cosplayer wearing a Star Wars-inspired mashup costume

US to make tariff announcement as 10% duty soon expires

AFP | Washington, United States

The United States is set to make an announcement on tariffs later Thursday, the White House said, hours before President Donald Trump's 10-percent global duty is due to expire. Asked about the upcoming deadline, White House Press Secretary Karoline Leavitt told reporters that US trade envoy Jamieson Greer will make an announcement "very soon, later today." "I would just tell you to stay tuned for more details," she said at a press briefing. After the Supreme Court struck down a host of Trump's

tariffs in February, the US leader swiftly replaced the blocked duties with a temporary 10 percent levy on imports. But this can only last 150 days, meaning that it expires Friday. The Trump administration has since prepared a volley of new duties targeting 60 economies over what it has deemed forced labor concerns, moving to rebuild the president's tariff wall. But officials have yet to set out a timeline for the imposition of the tariffs, set between 10 percent and 12.5 percent and poised to hit goods from major trading partners including China, the European Union and India. These measures were proposed after a months-long

investigation and are considered more durable than earlier ones. But Greer declined Wednesday to confirm to reporters if the fresh duties will be finalized by Friday's deadline, the Wall Street Journal reported. "We're not focused on any particular timeline. We're focused on fulfilling the legal and statutory requirements," he said. Besides the new proposed tariffs justified by alleged forced labor concerns, Greer has also previously suggested that there could be a basis to reimpose Trump's global levies after their expiration. White House Press Secretary Karoline Leavitt



Modi vows punishment for exam leaks

AFP | New Delhi, India

Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi vowed "stringent punishment" yesterday for anyone involved in leaking exam papers. A series of irregularities has

stoked public anger, including a medical entrance paper being leaked -- forcing millions to retake the exam -- and a failure in an online marking system. In a social media post on Thursday, Modi said that "nothing is more important

than the welfare and future of our youth", promising to set up fast-track courts to punish those involved in the leaks. "Those who try to harm the future of our youth will not

be spared," he said. His post did not mention Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan, whose resignation has been one of the protesters' main demands.



A French Civil Security Canadair CL-415 aircraft flies past flames burning a forest surrounding Cotignac, southeastern France during a wildfire. The fierce fire that struck the Var region and has burned across 2,500 hectares "remains stable" on July 23 morning, announced the Prefect of the Var, Simon Babre, who has authorised the 400 people who were evacuated to return to their homes to "enable the damage to be assessed". Some 650 firefighters were still deployed in the Gros Bessillon area, a mid-altitude mountain range in central Var, one of France's most forested departments.

Comic-Con kicks off with Marvel's return

AFP | San Diego, United States



Cosplayers dressed as Marvel characters

Comic book fans will return to San Diego, California for the latest Comic-Con, with many convention-goers buzzing about this year's return of Marvel. The studio skipped last year's

event, but will be back at the coveted Hall H on Saturday to promote "Avengers: Doomsday," which is slated to premiere in December. Under the Russo brothers' direction, the latest superhero

flick will pick up where 2019's "Endgame" left off, bringing together heroes and villains from X-Men, the Avengers, Black Panther and the Fantastic Four to duke it out once more. The last time Marvel was in Hall H, they stunned more than 6,000 attendees by announcing Oscar-winning actor Robert Downey Jr. would return to the Marvel Cinematic Universe -- or MCU as breathless fans call it -- not as Iron Man, but as the villainous Doctor Doom. DC Studios will also grace Hall H to preview its HBO series "Lanterns," starring Kyle Chandler and Aaron Pierre as small-town Nebraska detectives, which debuts August 16. The flesh-and-blood narrative offers a new take on 2011's "Green Lantern," a Ryan Reynolds-led space adventure movie.



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TWEETS

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"The Civil Nuclear Deal (There will be no enrichment of material!) being made between the United States Department of Energy and Saudi Arabia, which pertains only to non-military use such as the ones that Iran and UAE (and others) already have, will be approved, but is totally subject to Saudi Arabia joining the very respected and successful Abraham Accords..." resident Donald J. Trump @WhiteHouse

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The situation in the Middle East is getting out of control. It's time to step back. My clear & consistent message to leaders: The fighting must stop everywhere. Freedom of navigation must be restored. Diplomacy is the only way forward. @antonioGuterres

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I welcome the agreement on the 21st sanctions package against Russia. At a time when Ukraine has built military momentum, our sanctions continue to weaken the economic foundations of Russia's war effort. @vonderleyen

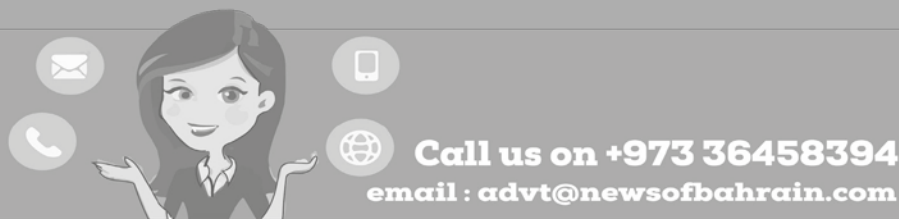
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Held a meeting with the Raytheon company team led by Vice President Joseph DeAnthony. Raytheon is a very strong defense company, and Ukraine has long been using its equipment to protect our people from brutal Russian attacks. @ZelenskyyUA

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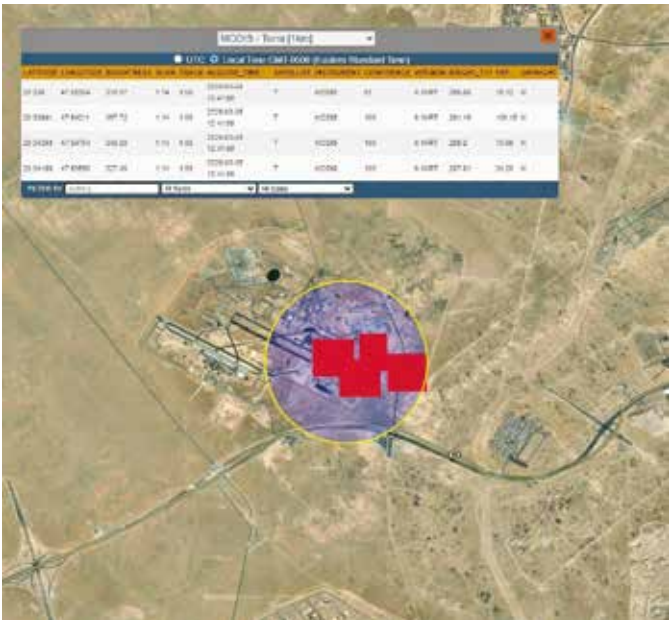
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Drone Strike Hits Kuwait-Iraq Border Crossing, Causing Material Damage

Abdali crossing temporarily closed after attack as Kuwaiti forces secure site



A drone attack targeted Kuwait's Abdali border crossing with Iraq on Thursday, causing material damage but no casualties, the Kuwaiti Army said.

Kuwaiti Ministry of Defense spokesperson Saud Abdulaziz Al-Atwan said the border facility was struck around noon by “hostile drones.”

He added that specialised teams immediately responded to the incident, securing the area and coordinating

with relevant authorities to assess the damage and ensure public safety.

Inspection and explosive ordnance disposal teams from the Kuwaiti Land Force examined the site, removed drone debris and confirmed that the area was clear of any further threats.

The incident comes amid rising regional tensions, with several Gulf countries facing increased security concerns linked to ongoing exchanges of missile and drone attacks in the region.

OIC Condemns Israeli Settler Raid on Al-Aqsa Mosque

Warns Incursions Threaten Religious Tensions in Jerusalem



The Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) has strongly condemned a raid by Israeli officials and thousands of settlers into the courtyards of the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound in occupied East Jerusalem, describing the move as a “flagrant violation” of the holy site’s historic and legal status quo.

In a statement, the OIC General Secretariat said the incursion was carried out under heavy protection from Israeli forces and coincided with events marking what Jewish groups refer to as the “anniversary of the destruction of the Temple.”

The organisation said more than 3,000 settlers entered the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound, accompanied by calls to increase participation in the incursions and perform religious rituals inside the site.

The OIC warned that such actions, along with restrictions placed on Muslim worshippers accessing the mosque, risk escalating religious tensions in the region.

The OIC said the incursions are part of what it described as a “systematic policy” aimed at changing the existing arrangements at Al-Aqsa Mosque and

imposing new realities on the ground.

It reiterated that the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound, known as the Noble Sanctuary, covers 144 dunams and is a site dedicated exclusively to Muslim worship under the historic status quo.

The organisation rejected any unilateral measures by Israeli authorities, saying attempts to alter the character of the holy site violate established international law.

Calls for International Action

The OIC reaffirmed that all measures aimed at changing the historical, demographic and legal status of Jerusalem are “null and void” under international law and United Nations resolutions.

It stressed that East Jerusalem remains part of the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967.

The organisation called on the international community and relevant institutions to take urgent steps to prevent further violations, protect freedom of worship in Jerusalem, and hold Israeli authorities accountable for actions it described as violations of international law.

Heptathlon champion Johnson-Thompson joins list of Commonwealth Games absentees

AFP | Glasgow, United Kingdom

Katarina Johnson-Thompson said yesterday she was “gutted” to have to withdraw from the England team for the Commonwealth Games in Glasgow due to an unspecified injury.

The 33-year-old double defending heptathlon champion -- also a silver medallist at the 2024 Olympics in Paris -- was one of nine withdrawals from the England athletics squad on Thursday.

Team-mates who also pulled out just hours before the opening ceremony in the Scottish city included Johnson-Thompson’s fellow Olympic medallists Dina Asher-Smith, Daryll Neita, Matthew Hudson-Smith and Amber Anning.

Johnson, twice a world heptathlon champion and a bronze medallist at last year’s edition in Tokyo, will now join Olympic 800 metres champion Keely Hodgkinson, who did not pursue Commonwealth selection, in concentrating on next month’s European Championships in Birmingham.

“I’m gutted to have to pull out of this year’s Commonwealth Games,” said Johnson on social media. “I was so looking forward to competing on home soil and having the chance to defend my Commonwealth title!”

“Although the injury I picked up earlier this season has improved, I haven’t been able to get back to the level I need to compete at my best.”

The 33-year-old added: “After discussing it with my team, we’ve made the difficult decision to focus on giving myself the best chance of being ready for the European Championships, so working very hard to be there later this season.”

“Missing a championship is never easy, but I know it’s the right decision. I can’t wait to be back competing again soon.”

Leading international competitors who had previously pulled out of the Games include St Lucia’s reigning Olympic 100m champion Julien Alfred, Hodgkinson’s 800m rival Mary Moraa of Kenya and Olympic swimming medallists Summer McIntosh (Canada) and Kaylee McKeown (Australia).

Katarina Johnson-Thompson

Johnson-Thompson is seen in a photo wearing a blue and white athletic singlet with a Union Jack on the sleeve, looking thoughtful with her hands clasped.



Australia chief floats idea of England Test in India

London, United Kingdom

Cricket Australia chief executive Todd Greenberg is open to the possibility of staging a Test against England in India.

The three nations represent cricket’s ‘Big Three’ -- the sport’s most powerful nations -- but India are the financial powerhouse of the global game, fuelled by the mass enthusiasm for the sport in the world’s most populous country.

Any Australia-England fixture in India would need the backing of both the England and Wales Cricket Board (ECB) and the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI).

“It’s not something that we are planning, but it’s open for consideration,” Greenberg told the BBC in comments published Thursday. “We’d have to be open to considering all options.”

“Our relationship with the ECB and the BCCI is very strong and clearly there are opportunities in India to put more content in certain areas.”

Australia and England played the first Test in cricket history in Melbourne in 1877 and next year they will meet at the Melbourne Cricket Ground for a one-off pink-ball fixture to mark the 150th anniversary of that inaugural clash.

Several former players are understood to have voiced concerns that the showpiece match will be a pink-ball affair but Greenberg said it was not his job “to be popular”.

“We wanted to get as many people for the game as possible,” he said. “Playing that game in the day while people are at work and school would’ve made that difficult.”

“Clearly there’s a commercial imperative with broadcast rights back in the UK and the time zone. Pink-ball Tests for us are hugely advantageous in terms of audience.”

“It will anger some of the traditionalists but we’re in the business of getting more eyeballs on our game.”

But Greenberg said Cricket Australia were trying to strike a balance between celebrating a significant landmark in Test history and ensuring the longer format attracts new spectators.

“We’re trying to balance celebrating 150 years of Test cricket between our two countries but also have an eye on the future and how we can evolve the sport,” he added.



Cricket Australia chief executive Todd Greenberg

Alonso welcomes Aston Martin upgrade

AFP | Budapest, Hungary

Fernando Alonso on Thursday warned that Aston Martin’s long-awaited upgraded chassis, being introduced at this weekend’s Hungarian Grand Prix, was unlikely to change their position as tail-enders.

But, he said, he believed the team would close the gap and may do better once they understand the potential of the package.

An engine upgrade, more critical to a big uplift in performance, is not due until after F1’s summer break when Alonso has said he will make a decision about his own future.

The 44-year-old two-time world champion made clear he has complete belief in Aston Martin under the guidance of F1’s most revered designer Adrian Newey, but he would base his decision on how much fun he experienced as a driver.

“It’s not that I need any answers from the upgrade,” he said.

“I have a pretty clear picture of the team that we will fix all the problems -- it takes time, but I have no doubts. I have zero doubts that Adrian (Newey) will provide the best car on the grid, sooner or later.”

“I would like to see the first step with this package. And it’s just how soon the car will be competitive. That’s the question.”

Alonso

“Maybe the next two races will give us a feeling for that, but for me, I’m relaxed, as I said many times. I’m thinking I need to know what I do next year and the years to come.”

“I feel fresh, motivated, fast, but I need to enjoy what I do.”

As I said in Spa, it was not fun to drive and I think not fun to watch.”

He explained that F1’s chosen direction with the new ‘hybrid era’ did not provide the same experience for drivers.

“It’s not the same adrenaline that I used to have,” he said. “So that’s something I need to put on the table.”

“It’s not a problem for me of the competitiveness of the team. It’s a problem that F1 can give me the adrenaline that I need to live!”

Alonso is seen in a photo wearing a yellow Formula One cap and a green racing suit, looking thoughtful with his hand on his chin.



Verstappen swerves around future questions

AFP | Budapest, Hungary

Max Verstappen yesterday swerved around questions on his future and declared he was taking things race by race with Red Bull as they work to develop their car.

Twelve months on from declaring he was staying with the team for 2026, the four-time world champion chose not to give any clear response about his plans.

“I feel good and from my side what I’m saying -- that there’s nothing to say -- is because there’s nothing going on,” the Dutch driver said ahead of this weekend’s Hungarian Grand Prix.

“For me, I am just focused on trying to get the most from the car and that’s already complicated enough to deal with.”

“That’s what I’m doing. This team is like a second family to me and of course I want to understand our car a bit better and get back to winning.”

Verstappen, who is seventh in the drivers’ standings, added that he felt they were on an “upward trend”.

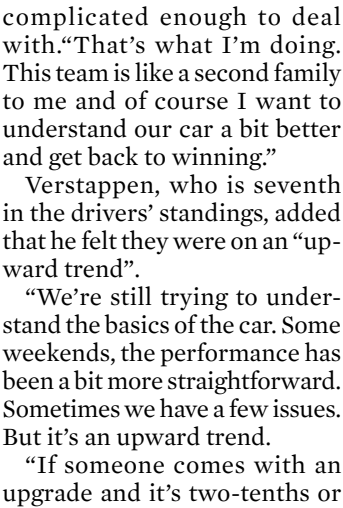
“We’re still trying to understand the basics of the car. Some weekends, the performance has been a bit more straightforward. Sometimes we have a few issues. But it’s an upward trend.”

“If someone comes with an upgrade and it’s two-tenths or three-tenths, it looks a bit different and so we have to take it race by race really.”

Verstappen has a performance clause in his contract which is believed to allow him to leave if he is not a title contender, but in this transitional new ‘hybrid era’ there are no clearly more attractive seats available for him to take next year.

Mercedes, Ferrari and McLaren have all made clear they are happy with and retaining their drivers. Verstappen has also said he might consider leaving F1 if he was not enjoying the racing experience anymore.

Verstappen is seen in a photo wearing a red racing helmet and a black racing suit, looking directly at the camera.



Verstappen

Verstappen is seen in a photo wearing a blue Manchester City jersey, looking excited with his arms raised.



Elliot Anderson

Anderson declares Man City ‘kings of Manchester’ after £116 mn move

London, United Kingdom

Elliot Anderson declared Manchester City the “kings of Manchester” after completing his reported £116 million (\$154 million) move from Nottingham Forest.

City confirmed Thursday the England midfielder had signed a five-year contract at the Etihad Stadium with the option of a further 12 months.

The deal was agreed earlier this month but finalised this week following the player’s return from the World Cup.

Anderson said he was “over the moon” to be signing for “one of the biggest clubs in the world”, with the 23-year-old adding: “I can’t wait to play for this club. It’s a club built to win trophies and compete at the very top of the game. That is exciting for any footballer.”

“I think they’re winners, they’re relentless, and that’s the sort of team I want to be a part of. Over the last 10, 12 years, they’ve dominated, so that’s why I wanted to join.”

Anderson said he was already looking forward to appearing in the Manchester derby, with City facing arch-rivals Manchester United at Old Trafford on September 13.

Sooryavanshi hits maiden 50 as India thump Zimbabwe in T20

AFP | Harare, Zimbabwe

India wonderkid Vaidh Sooryavanshi scored a maiden Twenty20 international half-century in a seven-wicket victory over Zimbabwe in Harare on Thursday.

Put in to bat after losing the toss in the first of three matches, Zimbabwe made a meagre 125-7 in 20 overs with all-rounder Wessly Madhevere (39) top scoring.

Led by 15-year-old prodigy Sooryavanshi, who struck four sixes and four fours in an 18-ball 50, India cruised to 126-3 with 40 balls to spare.

Sooryavanshi became the youngest cricketer to represent India by debuting in a 4-0 T20I drubbing by England this month. He scored 42 runs in three innings.

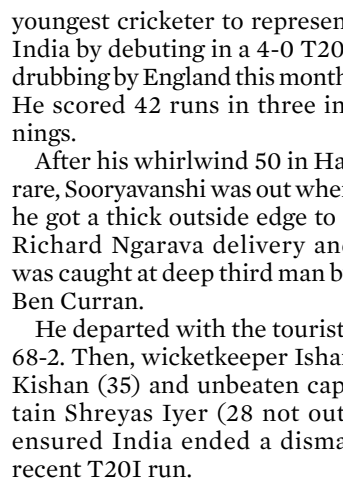
After his whirlwind 50 in Harare, Sooryavanshi was out when he got a thick outside edge to a Richard Ngarava delivery and was caught at deep third man by Ben Curran.

He departed with the tourists 68-2. Then, wicketkeeper Ishan Kishan (35) and unbeaten captain Shreyas Iyer (28 not out) ensured India ended a dismal recent T20I run.

Before four losses in England, one by an Indian record 125 runs, the reigning T20I world champions lost another series 2-0 in Ireland.

Victory at Harare Sports Club was a welcome relief for Iyer -- it ended a seven-match winless run since he inherited the captaincy.

Sooryavanshi is seen in a photo wearing a blue India T20I jersey, looking happy with his arms raised.



Brief scores

Zimbabwe 125-7 in 20 overs (W. Madhevere 39; M. Yadav 2-18, P. Yadav 2-19) v India 126-3 in 13.2 overs (V. Sooryavanshi 50, I. Kishan 35; B. Muzarabani 2-26)

Result: India win by seven wickets

Series: India lead 1-0 ahead of matches on Saturday and Sunday

“I think the boys were tremendous. Could not have been happier with my first win,” the skipper told reporters.

“There was bounce from a good length and it was also variable. I felt it was there in both innings. We are going to play two more matches here, so this performance gives everyone some confidence.”

Madhevere was run out after a 58-run sixth-wicket stand with Tadiwanashe Marumani (27 not out). An unwise attempt to secure a second run led to his downfall.

Bahrain karatekas eye Asian glory in Jordan



TDT | Manama

Eight Bahraini athletes will take on some of Asia's leading young karate talent at the 2026 Asian Cadet, Junior and Under-21 Karate Championships in Jordan from September 7 to 11.

Representing the Ahmed Al Ahmad Karate Centre, the athletes are undergoing intensive preparations under international coach Ahmed Abdulkarim as they target strong results at the continental championship.

Abdulkarim said the team had successfully completed all phases of preparation in accordance with the planned technical programme, with training focused on sharpening technical skills

EIGHT BAHRAINI ATHLETES TO COMPETE IN JORDAN NEXT MONTH

The Ahmed Al Ahmad Karate Centre will be represented by eight athletes across various age categories and weight divisions:

1	Dana Mohammed Fazi	Under-21, Under 75kg
2	Mohammed Ahmed	Under-21, Under 75kg
3	Mohammed Hamid Faraj	Cadet (Under-17)
4	Mohammed Nabil	Under-21, Under 60kg
5	Abdullah Fawaz Al Marbati	Under-17, Under 58kg
6	Abdulghaffar Al Marbati	Under-15, Over 70kg
7	Zakariya Mohammed Shuwaiter	Under-16, Under 50kg
8	Waleed Waheeb Al Nasser	Under-15, Under 50kg

ASSISTANT COACH: Khalid Hamad

and improving physical fitness. "The players are in high spirit and highly motivated to perform at their best during the

championship," he said.

"This tournament offers an important opportunity to gain valuable international experience by competing against some of Asia's top karate athletes."

Abdulkarim expressed confidence that the team could produce commendable results and showcase the technical standards achieved by the centre.

The championship will feature competition across 39 categories, bringing together leading young karate athletes from across Asia.

The Ahmed Al Ahmad Karate Centre said its participation reflects its commitment to developing young talent and preparing athletes for continental and international competition.

Hamilton proud of recovery after hitting rock bottom a year ago

AFP | Budapest, Hungary

Lewis Hamilton expressed pride in himself and Ferrari on Thursday when asked to reflect on last year's Hungarian Grand Prix when he described himself as "useless" and suggested Ferrari should "sign another driver".

The 41-year-old seven-time world champion admitted he was at rock bottom when he made those comments after qualifying and finishing 12th while team-mate Charles Leclerc took pole and finished fourth.

"I'm proud of everyone in the team and I am proud of myself," he said. "For digging myself out of that place that I was in."

"One day, when I do my documentary, I will tell you all about that weekend and what led up to it, but to come from there and into this week... I arrive now worlds away from where I was last year."

Hamilton is second in the drivers' championship, 45 points behind Mercedes' 19-year-old

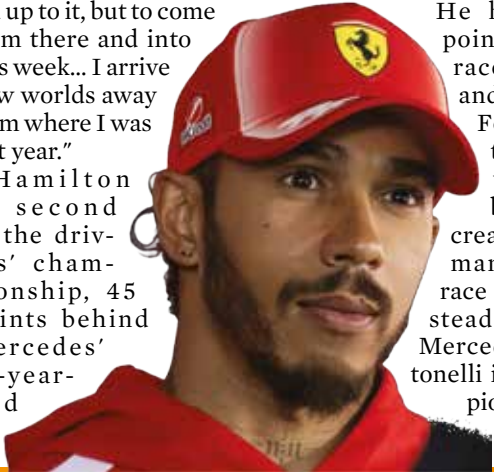
Italian Kimi Antonelli, after claiming five podiums including his first Ferrari triumph, in Spain, this season.

"I am grateful for how we've developed as a team, the pieces to the puzzle that I am moving, coming together, and now we are here with a great car and a great package that we can fight with."

Hamilton has a good chance of improving his position and securing a record-increasing 107th victory on one of his favourite circuits on Sunday in his 20th consecutive Hungarian race.

He has won eight times at the slow, twisting and technical track, 25 km north of Budapest, has been on pole position a record nine times and holds the record for most laps led by a single driver at any venue with 487.

He has scored points in all ten races this year and revelled in Ferrari's return to form with reliability and increasing performance race by race as they have steadily pursued Mercedes and Antonelli in the championship.



Arab champions Bahrain chase Asian Cup return

Hussain Al Maskati
TDT | Manama

Bahrain's Under-18 national basketball team departed for Doha yesterday ahead of the Gulf Basketball Association (GBA) U18 Championship 2026, which gets underway tomorrow and runs until July 30.

The regional tournament was originally scheduled for earlier this month before being postponed, with Qatar now set to host the five-team competition at Al Gharafa Sports Club Arena in Al Rayyan. Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and Oman will join Bahrain and the hosts in the race for the title, while the UAE will not participate. Beyond the regional crown, the tournament also serves as the qualifying event for the FIBA U18 Asia Cup 2026, with three qualification places available for the continental finals, scheduled to take place in Ahmedabad, India, from August 13 to 23.

Bahrain head into the competition with confidence after



successfully defending their Arab U18 Championship title earlier this month in Tunisia, continuing a strong run under head coach Salman Ramadan. The national team is expected to feature a squad similar to the one that lifted the Arab

trophy, led by tournament Most Valuable Player Somto Patrick Onoduenyi and fellow standout Hassan Abdulkadir, who formed one of the competition's strongest frontcourt partnerships.

Bahrain completed their preparations with intensive training sessions at the Bahrain Basketball Association Arena in Um Al Hassam Sports Complex before departing for Doha.

The tournament will be played in a single round-robin format, with Bahrain opening their campaign against Saudi Arabia tomorrow at 6pm Bahrain time. They will then face Kuwait at 4pm, Oman at 4pm, before concluding their schedule against hosts Qatar at 6pm.

The young Bahrainis will be aiming to secure a return to the Asian stage after finishing third in the previous Gulf qualifiers in 2024. A successful campaign in Doha would mark Bahrain's first appearance at the FIBA U18 Asia Cup since the 2018 edition in Thailand.

Russell says Mercedes have solved his power problems mystery

AFP | Budapest, Hungary

British driver George Russell yesterday claimed that Mercedes have found the cause of his car's power management problems and dismissed all suggestions that the team favour Kimi Antonelli.

Speaking to reporters ahead of this weekend's Hungarian Grand Prix, Russell said the team had found something that was "embedded in the cali-



British driver George Russell

bration" of a code in his car's power unit management that had resulted in him losing speed.

The problem undermined him at last Sunday's Belgian Grand Prix where he lost power on the opening lap and collided with former team-mate seven-time champion Lewis Hamilton of Ferrari.

Antonelli went on to win the race and move 50 points clear of Russell, now in third place, in the drivers' championship while Hamilton battled on to finish fourth and move into second, 45 points behind the Italian teenager.

"There was just something deeply embedded in the calibration of the code," said Russell. "I mean, it's almost impossible to see unless you knew exactly what to look for."

"So, I'm glad we have found it. Of course, it's frustrating, but

I'm just looking forward now and that's how the game goes."

He added: "Really, it's just numbers on a computer screen and it has been infinitely harder for the team to understand, with these new regs and some different regulation changes and less sensors in certain places." F1's new 'hybrid era' racing has this year introduced power units split 50-50 between battery power and combustion engine, requiring careful AI-assisted computer software controlled re-charging of the battery during racing.

Garnacho joins Villa on season-long loan from Chelsea

London, United Kingdom

Alejandro Garnacho has completed a season-long loan move to Aston Villa from Premier League rivals Chelsea, it was announced yesterday.

The winger is Villa's fourth signing of the summer transfer window following the arrivals of Johan Manzambi, Joao Gomes and Modou Keba Cisse at the Europa League champions.

"We are delighted with Ale-

jandro," said Villa manager Unai Emery. "He is so talented, young and he showed us his wish to help our project. We are really happy."

Earlier this month, Garnacho was reportedly told by new Chelsea manager Xabi Alonso he would not be guaranteed regular game time at Stamford Bridge.

The 22-year-old leaves the London club after a poor first season following his move from Manchester United.

Bahrain's golden generation targets Asian Games glory

● Bahrainis will face Kuwait, South Korea, Iran and Kazakhstan in the group stage, while Group A features hosts Japan, Qatar, China and Hong Kong.

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Bahrain's men's national handball team have been drawn in Group B for the 20th Asian Games, following the draw held yesterday ahead of the continental multi-sport event in Aichi-Nagoya, Japan. The Bahrainis will face Kuwait, South Korea, Iran and Kazakhstan in the group stage, while Group A features hosts Japan, Qatar, China and Hong Kong. The handball competi-



Captain Hussain Al Sayyad lifts Bahrain's maiden Asian title in January

tion will take place from September 19 to October 4, with Bahrain aiming to build on their historic rise and challenge for a place on the podium. Under Swedish head coach Robert Hedin, Bahrain enter the tournament with growing confidence after a landmark year that saw them secure three major gold medals, including their first-ever Asian Men's Handball Championship title. That historic triumph represented a breakthrough moment for Bahraini handball, while also booking the team's place at the 2027 IHF Men's World Championship in Germany, which will be held from January 13 to 31, 2027. The national team also claimed gold at the Islamic Solidarity Games and the Gulf Games, further cementing their status among the region's leading handball nations.

Carapaz climbs unopposed to Tour de France 18th stage win
Orcières-Merlette, France

Ecuador's Richard Carapaz emerged from a six-man group to climb to victory on the Alpine 18th stage of the Tour de France yesterday. The former Giro d'Italia winner attacked his break-away companions with just over three kilometres to ride and cruised to his second Tour stage victory, with Swiss Mauro Schmid beating American Matteo Jorgenson to second place. Carapaz also closed in on the polkadot jersey for the King of the Mountains competition -- which he won in 2024 when he earned his first stage win. Frenchman Valentin Paret-Peintre came close to stripping race leader Tadej Pogacar of the polkadot jersey, but fell one place and one point short as he came home in fourth. Carapaz is now just seven points behind the Slovenian.



UAE Team Emirates - XRG's Slovenian rider Tadej Pogacar celebrates on the podium with the overall leader's yellow jersey



Bahrain's U21 handball team celebrate a successful preliminary round campaign

Iran stands between Bahrain and World Cup dream

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Salman Al Showaikh in action during Bahrain's Asian championship campaign

Bahrain's junior national handball team will face Iran today in a quarter-final clash at the 19th Asian Men's Junior Handball Championship, with a place in the semi-finals and qualification for the World Championship on the line. The match will be played at 7am Bahrain time, with victory securing Bahrain a place in the last four and guaranteeing qualification for the 26th IHF Men's U21 Handball

World Championship, scheduled to be held in North Macedonia from June 23 to July 4 next year. All four semi-finalists of the Asian championship will earn their places at the global tournament, adding further significance to the knockout stage. The quarter-finals will be followed by the semi-finals on Saturday, which will determine the match-ups for the gold and bronze medal games on Monday, the championship's closing day. Classification matches will also take place during the final two days of the knockout rounds. Bahrain enter the knockout stage full of confidence after an impressive preliminary

round campaign, finishing second in Group A with four wins from five matches. The young Bahrainis defeated Chinese Taipei (39-27), Hong Kong (43-15), Oman (33-23) and hosts China (35-27), with their only defeat coming against group winners Saudi Arabia. Iran advanced after finishing third in Group B with three wins, one draw and two defeats. Under head coach Husam Madan, Bahrain will now aim to continue their strong run by overcoming Iran, reaching the semi-finals and securing their place on the world stage.

Arsenal sign Greece winger Tzolis from Brugge
London, United Kingdom

Arsenal have signed Greece winger Christos Tzolis on "a long-term contract", the Premier League champions announced on Thursday. No fee was disclosed but British media reports said the 24-year-old had arrived from Club Brugge for £34 million (\$45 million), with Tzolis effectively a replacement for Leandro Trossard following his move to Besiktas. Arsenal's third permanent transfer of the current window arrives 48 hours after the Gunners missed out on Morgan Rogers to city rivals Chelsea for a reported £117 million (\$157 million) -- a record for a British player. England midfielder Rogers called Chelsea the "biggest club in London". Tzolis scored 43 goals in 108 appearances for Brugge and featured in the Belgian side's 3-0 Champions League loss to Arsenal last season.



Klopp expected to be named new Germany coach today

AFP | Berlin, Germany

Jurgen Klopp is widely expected to formally take over as the new head coach of the German men's national football team, with the German Football Association (DFB) calling a press conference today.



Klopp, famed for his success during stints as coach at Borussia Dortmund and especially Liverpool, has been in talks with the DFB about trying to lead Germany -- long a football powerhouse -- back to prominence. On Thursday, the DFB invited the media to a press conference on Friday morning at 11am (0900GMT) at its Frankfurt headquarters, without specifying the topic. That is because the DFB's governing bodies have not yet met to formally approve the deal with

Klopp, according to reports from AFP's sports subsidiary SID. According to German media reports Red Bull will release Klopp from his deal without a transfer fee, instead accepting a million-euro (\$1.1 million) donation to Red Bull's Wings for Life charity foundation, which supports research into spinal cord injuries. The DFB dismissed former head coach Julian Nagelsmann after Germany crashed out of this summer's World Cup in disappointing fashion.



Klopp, 59, is among the most decorated football coaches of his generation and is expected to sign a contract with Germany that runs until 2030, the date of the next World Cup.