

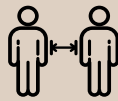
TOWNSVILLE ISLAMIC SOCIETY NEWSLETTER



**JULY 2021
ISSUE 7**

COVID-19 reminders:

- **Maintain a distance of 1.5m between yourself and others**
- **Wash your hands regularly with soap**
- **Stay home if you are feeling unwell**
- **Check in when you arrive at the mosque using the Check In Qld app**



UPCOMING EVENTS

JULY

- 20** Eid Al Adha at Aitkenvale Park
7:45am takbeer, 8am salah
(Based on global moon sighting)
- 21** Eid Al Adha at Aitkenvale Park
7:45am takbeer, 8am salah
(Based on local moon sighting)
- 26** Deadline for reports about serious vilification and racial hate crimes
- 28** Deadline for QPSATT Youth Worker applications

MONTHLY AYAH / HADITH

Volume 7, Book 68, Number 453:

Narrated by Al-Bara:

The Prophet said (on the day of Eid Al-Adha), "The first thing we will do on this day of ours, is to offer the (Eid) prayer and then return to slaughter the sacrifice. Whoever does so, he acted according to our Sunna (tradition), and whoever slaughtered (the sacrifice) before the prayer, what he offered was just meat he presented to his family, and that will not be considered as Nusak (sacrifice)." (On hearing that) Abu Burda bin Niyar got up, for he had slaughtered the sacrifice before the prayer, and said, "I have got a six month old ram." The Prophet said, "Slaughter it (as a sacrifice) but it will not be sufficient for anyone else (as a sacrifice after you)."

Al-Bara added:

The Prophet said, "Whoever slaughtered (the sacrifice) after the prayer, he slaughtered it at the right time and followed the tradition of the Muslims."

Volume 7, Book 68, Number 476:

Narrated by Salama bin Al-Aqua':

The Prophet said, "Whoever has slaughtered a sacrifice should not keep anything of its meat after three days." When it was the next year the people said, "O Allah's Apostle! Shall we do as we did last year?" He said, "Eat of it and feed of it to others and store of it for in that year the people were having a hard time and I wanted you to help (the needy)."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- TIS will be holding two Eid Al Adha salahs on the 20th and 21st of July. Both prayers will be held at Aitkenvale Park with a 7:45am takbeer and 8am salah.
- TIS is looking to hire an administrative assistant who can help manage events and streamline communications for the mosque. This individual would need to be reliable, organised, motivated and confident using various technologies. For more information or to express your interest in this position, please contact the TIS secretary via email at secretary@townsvilleislamicsociety.com.
- The TIS logo was changed in the recent AGM. Seven designs were presented with one winner voted by the majority of attendees. The new logo can be seen on our newsletter and website, and will be used for all future TIS documentation.
- The Islamic Society of Gladstone (ISG) purchased a block of land in 2016 to build an Islamic Centre for their region. Alhamdullilah, \$170,000 of the \$800,000 needed for this project has already been raised. Please donate whatever you can to help the ISG reach their goal, inshaAllah. May Allah SWT reward you for your generosity, especially during these first 10 days of Dhul-Hijjah. Details to donate can be found on the poster below under 'Community News.'
- Please renew your TIS membership ASAP. To renew, either fill out a paper form (located at the front entrance of the mosque in a set of drawers) or email treasurer@townsvilleislamicsociety.com with you name, address, email and phone number. Transfer your membership fee to the TIS general account using the description 'MEM YourName.'
- Weekly Zoom on Wednesdays following Maghrib prayer.
- The Townsville Mosque website is being redesigned and updated. Soon, inshaAllah, the website will have a new look, be easier to navigate and have current information relating to events and activities at the mosque.
- Our Imam Selection Panel is in the process of reviewing references for the final three candidates. InshaAllah, they will be able to select a suitable Imam for Townsville soon.
- We are seeking generous volunteers from the community who are willing to cook and pack meals to sell after Jumu'ah prayer each week. The money raised will be used for our mosque and other important causes. Please contact us at info@townsvilleislamicsociety.com if you are interested.
- Peter Russo MP is collecting information from members of various communities about occasions when they have been victims of hate crime and/or vilification. If you or anyone you know has experienced discrimination due to your race or religion, please contact us at info@townsvilleislamicsociety.com, speak to your community leader or approach any committee member in person. Your experience can remain anonymous if you choose. We need as much evidence as possible of such occurrences so something can be done to prevent them from happening again in the future.
- Br Naseer and Ss Ferzana are planning to begin a tutoring service for school aged children in the Muslim community. Please register your interest by contacting Naseer on 0424 110 111 or Ferzana on 0425 000 822.
- Alhamdullilah, a Townsville Moon Sighting Committee was formed during Ramadan. The committee will be going to the top of Castle Hill on the 29th night of each Hijri month to sight the moon. If you are interested in joining the committee or attending a moon sighting trip, please contact Br Robi on 0422 439 017 or Br Rezaul on 0469 019 274.
- The mosque needs reliable volunteers to help out with events and general mosque maintenance. If you are willing and able to be a volunteer, please provide your name and contact information to Br Abdiaziz on 0432 411 535.
- Message for parents: TIS is considering organising parenting lessons/workshops. If this interests you, please let us know by contacting us via email.
- Farm Works vacancies for men and women. Local labour hire is going to pay workers. Quick registration available via phone 0469 821 393 or email info@uhc-medical.com. Register now to get called first for work. For more information, contact the phone number or email address listed above.
- A local meat industry is looking for a Muslim meat worker. Please contact Professor Usman Malabu (0407 586 026) or Br Ahmed Osman (0435 854 117) for more details.
- Message for TIS members: Please email info@townsvilleislamicsociety.com with your current email address if you wish to receive our monthly newsletter and other important information.

COMMUNITY NEWS



Administrative Assistant: Casual/Part Time Job for Immediate Start

About Us

NQ Ummah Care (NQC) is a registered charity not for profit organisation based in Townsville. Our mission is to care for multicultural communities including assisting them in getting jobs.

Pay Rate: 0.15 FTE @ \$25/hr = \$300/week

Duties and responsibilities

1. Coordinates project activities –daily/weekly updates
2. Organises multicultural farm job opportunities' workshop
3. Coordinates with multicultural job seekers for farm job placements
4. Coordinates with stakeholders for culturally responsive farm jobs
5. Conventional and social media representation and coverage
6. Provides update of the project to the projects committee
7. Provides project progress reports and milestone deliverables
8. Ensures progress and final reporting of the projects are adhered to
9. Organises in liaison with the CEO/Director for successful conduct of the project
10. Undertakes any other responsibilities assigned by the CEO/Director

Requirements

1. Experience in conducting multicultural programs
2. Effective communication with stakeholders/youth refugees
3. Ability to respect diverse cultures
4. Ability to complete duties on time
5. Ability to work effectively under stressful situations
6. Ability to connect with wider communities on social and conventional media
7. Holding principle of multiculturalism
8. Easy going and positive attitude in conducting duties
9. Computer/IT literacy
10. Soccer player or enthusiast would be an added advantage

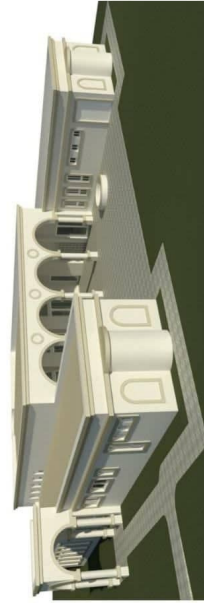
If this sounds like you, we would love to hear from you. Apply with your CV including list of 2 referees and a cover letter to CEO NQ Ummah Care admin@nqc.org
Closing date: 23/07/2021.

Please donate for the construction of
First Islamic Centre in Gladstone, Queensland

FUNDS REQUIRED: AU \$800,000

Your donation makes a difference

Bank Details
Islamic Society of Gladstone
ANZ Bank - BSB: 014 580
Account: 379 453 433
SWIFT CODE / BIC: ANZBAU3M



Proposed Islamic Centre Address: 4 Anson Close, Gladstone, Queensland, Australia

www.islamgladstone.com.au

- Land Purchased (8500 square metre)
- Development Application (DA) Approved by the Court



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Muraliah (مسجد) Address:
9 William Street, Gladstone, Queensland, Australia



MADRASA UTHMAN IBN AFAAN TIMETABLE

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
10am - Dhuhr						Qur'an	Qur'an
Asr - Maghrib	Qur'an	Qur'an	Hadith/Fiqh				
Maghrib - Isha	Qur'an	Qur'an	Zoom			Qur'an	Qur'an

Enrolment age: 5 years and above

Payment: \$30 per child per fortnight. Payment due before the 15th and 30th of each month.

Pick up and drop off: Parents need to walk their children to the madrasa and arrive on time to collect them at the end of madrasa.

DONATE TO THE TIS GENERAL ACCOUNT

BSB: 064-823
ACC: 1077 9034

DONATE TO THE IMAM FUND ACCOUNT

BSB: 064-823
ACC: 1104 4507

JAMA'AT PRAYER TIMES

Fajr 5:45
Zuhr 13:00
Asr 16:30
Maghrib soon after sunset
Isha 19:30
Jumu'ah 13:00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

JUNE

General account - amount received: \$9,891

General account - amount spent: \$15,340

Imam account - amount received: \$3,705

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