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# Welcome

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته

As we step into the new Hijri year this month, we ask Allah to bring you and your loved ones closer to Him and shower you with mercy and blessings.

We hope to continue nurturing the bonds within our community, fostering a supportive and thriving environment for everyone.

Thank you for your continued support and commitment to our community. Together, we aspire to reach new heights and achieve greater things in the year to come.



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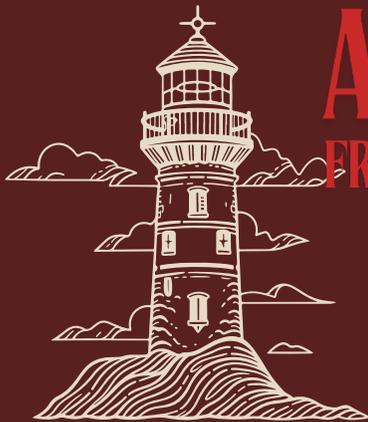
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# ACTOR'S RECITAL EMAN SCHOOLS

SATURDAY, JULY 27TH AT 6:00 PM



# HAMZA'S LIGHTHOUSE ALHUDA GYM



FRIDAY, AUGUST 16TH AT 6:30



LANTERN  
ISLAMIC  
THEATER

PERFORMING OUR DEEN

# THE DAY OF ASHURA

قال ﷺ  
"وَصِيَامُ يَوْمِ عَاشُورَاءَ، إِنِّي أُحْتَسِبُ عَلَى اللَّهِ أَنْ يُكَفِّرَ السَّنَةَ الَّتِي قَبْلَهُ"  
صحیح مسلم

**A**shura, the 10th day of Muharram in the Islamic calendar, the day marks various historical events, including the deliverance of Prophet Musa (Moses) from Pharaoh's tyranny.

Fasting on Ashura is a sunnah, as Prophet Mohammad ﷺ highlighted its value where fasting this one day causes the forgiveness of our last year's sins. Moreover, fasting one day before or after is Mustahab (recommended). The Messenger of Allah (ﷺ) said: When the next year comes, God willing, we would observe fast on the 9th. But the Messenger of Allah (ﷺ) died before the advent of the next year.

As Muslims, we honor Ashura to contemplate the teachings of sacrifice, strength, and divine help shown by Prophet Musa and his followers.

As we observe Ashura, may Allah accept our prayers and grant us His blessings and forgiveness in this blessed month of Muharram.

# KIDS CORNER

## The Story of Prophet Musa



**A long time ago**, in Egypt, there was a cruel king named Pharaoh. He made a harsh rule to kill baby boys born to Bani Israel every other year. One day, a loving mother had a baby boy named Musa. To protect him, she put him in a basket and set it afloat on the Nile River as guided by Allah. Allah commanded the river to be gentle. The basket floated to Pharaoh's palace, where his wife discovered Musa and decided to raise him as her son. Musa grew up in the palace but never forgot his people. With Allah's help, Musa led his people out of Egypt. When they reached the Red Sea, Musa raised his staff and Allah parted the waters, allowing them to cross safely. The sea then closed, keeping them safe from Pharaoh. Musa and his people were finally free.

“وَأَوْحَيْنَا إِلَىٰ أُمِّ مُوسَىٰ أَنْ أَرْضِعِيهِ فَإِذَا خِفْتِ  
عَلَيْهِ فَالْقِيهِ فِي الْيَمِّ وَلَا تَخَافِي وَلَا تَحْزَنِي”

سورة القصص 7

# JUNE

## Past Events

### ▶ BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Basketball tournament on the weekend of Eid

### ▶ EID FESTIVAL

Al Huda's annual Eid celebration

### ▶ EID PRAYER

Unified prayer for Eid Al-Adha at the Indianapolis Convention Center

### ▶ HALAQAHS ARE BACK

Sheikh Nasser's Halaqahs are back on Tuesday and Thursday nights!

### ▶ NEW SEMESTER FOR QURAN PROGRAM



### ▶ DHUL HIJJAH PANEL

Panel to address the importance of Dhul Hijjah

### ▶ THE MAGNIFICENT QURAN TOUR

Quranic recitation & reflections from world-renowned speakers and Qaris

### ▶ DAWAH BOOTH

We talked to people about Islam at Sparkfishers

### ▶ SUMMER CAMP



# Member Recognition

## AHMAD TAYAR



“ يارب لك الحمد ولك المشتكى وبك نستعين ولا حول ولا قوة إلا بالله  
ربنا اتنا في الدنيا حسنة وفي الآخرة حسنة  
رب اغفر لي ولوالدي، رب ارحمهما كما ربياني صغيرا ”

### About Ahmad

Ahmad Tayar, originally from Halab, Syria, now resides in America with his family, consisting of his wife and five children.

### Ahmad's Efforts

His efforts include organizing events, managing logistics, maintaining cleanliness, and overseeing mosque operations.

### His vision for the Masjid

One of the things Ahmad would like to see in the mosque is educational programs, particularly for children focusing on cleanliness, prayer, Islamic jurisprudence (fiqh), and Hadith teachings.

### What he loves the most about what he does

Serving others, especially during Ramadan, seeking spiritual rewards (hasanat) through his efforts.

**Ahmad, your efforts do not go unnoticed, and we are immensely thankful for your ongoing commitment. May your journey continue to be filled with abundant hasanat and blessings.**

# JULY

## Upcoming Events

### ESTEEM

- ▶ Eman Sisterhood Togetherness Empathy Empowerment Muslim  
July 28th | 3:30PM - 5:30PM

### EMERGE BOYS

- ▶ Empowering Muslim Emotional Intelligence Resilience Growth Empathy) Skills training groups  
July 16th | 6PM - 8PM

### REVERT SISTERS QURAN CLASS

- ▶ Every Tuesday after Maghreb

### PRE-MARITAL CLASS

- ▶ Visit our social media for updates on timings.

### SHEIKH NASSER'S HALAQAHS

- ▶ Every Tuesday & Thursday after Maghreb

### SISTER'S QURAN CLUB

- ▶ Every Wednesday 1PM - 2:30PM

### ISLAM IN THE HEART OF EUROPE

- ▶ July 11th | After Maghreb

### JIU JITSU

- ▶ Every Wednesday after Asr (6:30PM)

### AICI BOYS NIGHT

- ▶ Every Friday after Maghreb

### KIDS QURAN PROGRAM

- ▶ Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 4-7pm | Saturday: 10AM - 1PM

### FOOD PANTRY

- ▶ July 13th & 27th | 10AM - 1PM

### QIYAM NIGHT

- ▶ July 27th, after Isha

### JUMMAA TIMES

- ▶ Friday at 1:30PM, 3PM & 4PM

# THE VISION EMAN SCHOOLS

In the diverse tapestry of the West, Muslims hold a unique and vital role. We are called to lead by example, guiding billions towards a path of understanding and enlightenment. This is not just a responsibility, but a profound journey of faith and purpose.

Two decades ago, the Alhuda Foundation was born out of this very mission. One of our most significant milestones has been the establishment of Eman School. It represents a cornerstone of our efforts, for how can we hope to change the world without preparing the generations who will lead this movement?

This month marks a pivotal moment in our journey. Our vision is becoming a reality with the purchase of Visionary Way, and with the will of Allah, we are on the brink of completing a major project. We are deeply grateful to our community, whose unwavering support has brought us to this moment. Together, we are building a future filled with hope, knowledge, and guidance.



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