



Launch of Students Support Fund



The Ag. Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Ahmed A. Ahmed conducting the fund raising for the Student Assistance Fund assisted by the Administrator, Abdi Sirat Osman (Centre) and the Dean of Students, Dr. Ibrahim Bulushi.

The objective of Umma University Student Assistance fund (UUSAF) is a local established charity program mainly intended to help the students of Umma University who have financial constraints. Mr. Hamdi Ibrahim, the director of Academic Affairs under Umma Student Association managed to initiate the concept to the Ag Vice Chancellor; Dr. Ahmed A. Ahmed. On 14th June 2016, Dr Bulushi had an inclusive meeting with the Student Union to discuss about the appointment of the organizing committee which will be steer-heading the event as proposed by the VC. A five member committee was formed comprising of:

- Hamdi Ibrahim Dahir.
- Shabniz Jashmed Anwar
- Amer bin Hariz
- Fatuma Salma
- Said Mohamed Roble

The launching of the event had been pinned on Thursday June 23rd 2016 of the 18th day of Ramadan from 5pm in Kajiado Campus and in Thika Campus on the following day. The university's staff and student both from Thika and Kajiado campus turned up for the event in large number headed by the Vice Chancellor, Dr. Ahmed A. Ahmed and the Deputy Vice Chancellor, Prof. Mohamed Karama, management and staff.

Conclusion

This is one of the great organs for student's sustainability and support for our students at Umma University. I hope this program could be supported from Internal and external means to be successful. The prophet SAW said; "When a man dies all his actions will come to an end except three things that is a pious child who prays for him, a knowledge that he shares and a charity that he gives out". Therefore, The University is urged to take this noble activity to the greater heights. A total of Kshs. 400,000 was raised from the two events.

Kuwait Visitors with the VC at Kajiado



Chancellors Green Project Update



A team from KRCS visited Umma University on 16th June 2016 as part of a planned site identification for the Chancellors Green house project. The team comprised of Mr. Muli the head of Programme, Disaster Risk Management (DRM) at Kenya Red Cross society and Eng. Bett. The team was received by Mr. Ngala, the Estate manager, Umma University and Mr. Mohamed Hussein, Research Fellow in the Directorate of Research, Innovation and Outreach affairs. The site of the proposed green house project was identified and sample of the sewerage treatment Effluent was taken for analysis. The site is to be ploughed and harrowed and the project is to start soon.

ACADEMIC NEWS

MENTORSHIP TRAINING FOR NURSING SERVICES MANAGERS

Umma University held a training for nursing services managers from Kajiado County Referral Hospital (KCRH) on 28th June, 2016. The purpose of the training was to strengthen and implementation of Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), collaboration and partnership between Kajiado County Referral Hospital and Umma University.

CURRICULUM STAKEHOLDERS CONSULTATIVE MEETING

Master of Arts in Islamic studies consultative stakeholders' workshop was held on 28th June, 2016 at the Meridian Hotel. The participants were drawn from other universities including University of Nairobi, Kenyatta University, St Pauls University and Mt. Kenya University.

DEAN OF STUDENTS VISITS MALAYSIA



WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

Umma University joined NEMA and other partners on 5th June 2016 in celebrating World Environment Day (WED) at Isinya town, Kajiado County. The WED is a global event coordinated by UNEP and national environmental agencies. During the celebration, several parts of the town were cleaned, solid waste collected and disposed in environmental friendly manner. Several primary, secondary and community groups also participated in the cleanup and celebration event. The partnership realized was very beneficial as environmental awareness, education and partnership was enhanced. Umma University Environmental Awareness Association and Umma University Red Cross Society participated in the event.

On 21st May 2016, the Dean of students of Umma University Dr. Ibrahim Bulushi visited Malaysia for the purpose of attending a seminar organized by UNIW in Sabah – Kota Kinabalu in Malaysia. The objective of the seminar was to promote participation in the Global Peace and human security. The Dean used the opportunity to establish links between Umma University and Malaysian universities.

Umma University Grand Quran Competition



Iftar for Al-Manaar Primary School

Umma University held a full day programme for the students which culminated to an Iftar in the evening. The day was marked with various lectures by different lecturers on the importance of Ramadhan

Eastleigh Campus students visits Thika Campus

Students from Umma University Eastleigh Campus visited Thika Campus and were taken on a tour of the Campus by the Dean School of Sharia and Islamic Studies, Dr. Ibrahim Maalim Amin (3rd from Left).





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