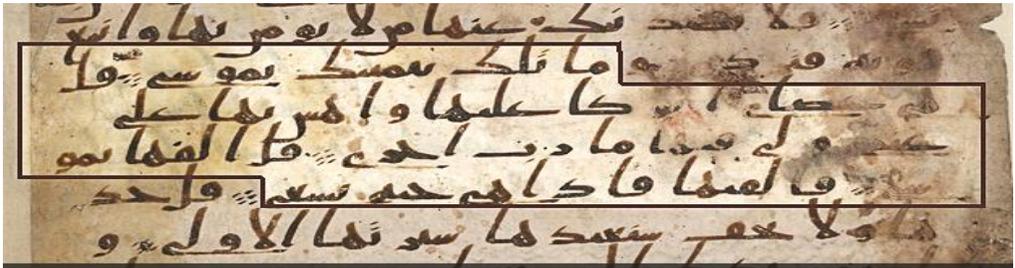




Preservation of the Holy Quran

Verily, We Ourselves have sent down this Exhortation, and most surely We will be its Guardian, (Al-Hijr, 15:10)

This verse of the Holy Quran promises that its text has been safe-guarded in its original form by a divine plan for all times to come. The Quran alone among all revealed Scriptures of the world holds the field as a living book and hence divinely inspired Reformers now appear only among the followers of Islam. The appearance of such reformers in itself constitutes proof of the living power of a religion and its Scripture inasmuch as they are really the fruit of their religion and their appearance proves its efficacy. Recently researchers have found a fragment of the holy Quran in the library of the University of Birmingham. It is written on sheep or goat skin. This fragment was written very close to the time of the Holy Prophet^{saw}. Hopefully this will help the critics to accept the truth of the Holy Quran.



وَمَا تِلْكَ بِيَمِينِكَ يَا مُوسَىٰ (17) قَالَ هِيَ عَصَايَ أَتَوَكَّأُ عَلَيْهَا وَأَهُشُّ بِهَا عَلَىٰ غَنَمِي وَلِيَ فِيهَا مَآرِبُ أُخْرَىٰ (18) قَالَ أَلْقَهَا يَا مُوسَىٰ (19) فَأَلْقَاهَا فَإِذَا هِيَ حَيَّةٌ تَسْعَىٰ (20)

- (17) And what is that in your right hand, O Moses?"
- (18) He said, "It is my staff; I lean upon it, and I bring down leaves for my sheep and I have therein other uses."
- (19) [Allah] said, "Throw it down, O Moses."
- (20) So he threw it down, and thereupon it was a snake, moving swiftly.

Image: Cadbury Research Library, University of Birmingham
Modern standard Arabic and English translation: King Saud University



Tabligh in The Pacific Islands

Jama'at Ahmadiyya New Zealand is keen to spread the message of Ahmadiyyat, the True Islam, in the neighbouring Islands in the Pacific.

Maulana Shafiq ur Rehman and Mr. Muhammad Yasin Chaudhry left for Cook Islands in July, 2015. They spent two weeks in the Island and passed the message of Islam to many local people. By the grace of Allah, before returning to New Zealand, they managed to plant a seed of Ahmadiyyat in the Cook Islands. May Allah reward them for their noble work.

(Pictures, on the right, show their engagement with locals.)



**On the left
Maulana
Shafiq with
a local
convert**

**Maulana
Shafiq and
Mr. Yasin
Chaudhry
during
Tabligh in
CK Islands**



Similarly Maulana Mustansar sahib left for Samoa in August, 2015. Being a new in the pacific, he is learning the Island culture rapidly. He is actively spreading the message of Ahmadiyyat among the local Samoans. He is accompanied by Maulana Naeem Iqbal from Fiji on the trip. In the pictures below he is teaching some of the Ahmadiyya Community members in Samoa.



**Maulana Mustansar (in back row in black)
with Samoan Ahmadis**



**Maulana Mustansar Teaching the local
Ahmadis**

Ansarullah Annual Ijtimah—2015

(pictures, on the right, are of Ijtimah 2014)

Programme

Friday – 16th October 2015
7:00pm Registration
7:10pm Flag Hoisting
7:15pm Opening Session
8:30pm Tarbiyyat Session
10:30pm Lights Out

Saturday 17th October 2015

4:40 Tahajud
8:00am Breakfast
9:00am-1:00pm **Talim session**
Prepared Speech Topics (2 minutes)
1. Da'wat ilallah and our responsibilities
2. Imam Mahdi in the eyes of Holy Prophet ^{saw}
3. Importance of listening to Sermons of Khalifa of the Time
Nazm Competition
Zindagi bakhsh jaam-e-ahmad hai... (This poem from Durr-e-Sameen has only 4 couplets all of which should be memorised.)
2:00 - 4:00pm **Seht-e-Jasmani Session**
4:30 - 5:40 Closing Session

Sadr Ansarullah has requested all Ansars who are working to take half day Friday and full day Saturday off to make it a successful event.

He has also requested for as many people possible to camp at night. Every Ansar is requested to attend.



Flag hoisting in 2014



Quiz between Halqa Teams



Table Tennis competitions



Winning Halqa Zaeem receiving trophy

Qur'an exhibition-Why?

Western Society, at large, has lots of misunderstandings about Islam and its teachings. Most of these people have never seen a copy of the Holy Quran or have discussed Islam directly with any Muslim. Their prejudice and hate of Islam is mainly due to the negative propaganda by churches and media.

Exhibition of Quran and Islamic books provide these people an

opportunity to learn about Islam. Many people, after visiting these exhibitions, openly confess that they were totally in dark about the beauty of Islam. European always appreciates such displays and request for more exhibitions in different areas.

Majlis Ansarullah New Zealand has been organising Quran exhibitions in different parts of the country from last few years. Our next exhibition is in September at Grey Lynn. You are invited to bring your friends and family to this exhibition.



The Holy

Qur'an Exhibition

OPEN FOR PUBLIC VIEWING

- View The Holy Qur'an in 45 major languages of the world.
- New Zealanders' have the opportunity to view the Holy Qur'an in all major languages, including our own Te Reo Maori.
- Understand the true message of Islam.
- Attend the short seminars to have any misunderstandings removed about the Qur'anic myths.

Saturday 19 Sept
10:30 am to 3:30 pm
Grey Lynn Library
474 Great North Road, Grey Lynn

SHORT SEMINARS ON:
QUR'AN AND TERRORISM
SESSION I SESSION II
11:00 – 11:30AM 1:30 – 2:00PM

ALL WELCOME FREE ENTRY
REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

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