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#### A photo from the event.

## ICAI and KAAA sign memorandum of understanding

The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI), a premier statutory accounting body set up under the Act of Parliament having over 265,000 qualified Chartered Accountants as its members, and The Kuwait Accounting and Auditors Association (KAAA) have signed a historic Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) which has been approved Union Cabinet of India. The signing ceremony was held on Nov 21 at the KAAA premises in Kuwait. The President of ICAI CA Prafulla Chajjed, accompanied by

the Vice-President CA Atul Kumar Gupta, flew in to Kuwait from India to sign the MoU. The Chairman of KAAA Faisal AI Tabikh signed the MoU on behalf of KAAA in the presence of its Board members.

The main objective of the MoU is to work together to strengthen the

knowledge base of accounting, auditing and financial management in Kuwait through knowledge sharing, faculty and student exchange programs.

CA Sai Devata, Chairman of Kuwait Chapter of ICAI, expressed his happiness on the signing of

the MoU and profusely thanked all the previous and current committee members who worked tirelessly over the years to make this historic occasion a reality.

As Kuwait seeks to achieve its ambitions of becoming a regional financial hub in pursuit of its 'New Kuwait' Vision document and India's economy expected to be one of the fastest-growing economies in the world, the MoU paves the way to explore various opportunities that may arise in the fields of accounting, auditing and financial management in the near future.







Students pose with their projects.

School wins 3 out of 4 awards

IES steals limelight at Kuwait Children Science Congress



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For further clarification and more details, you may contact the undersigned: Engr Sudhir Kumar Sahoo, General Secretary (Mob: 69030472), Engr Sam Ananth Kumar, Treasurer (Mob: 97604574).

St Paul's Church events: Welcome and consider being part of our upcoming festivity events at the St Paul's Anglican Church, Diocese of Cyprus and the Gulf Friday, Nov 29: Parish picnic day at 11.30 am. Kindly invite friends to relax and have fun. Venue: Egaila Beach. • Friday, Dec 8: Silent Auction for Charity at 12 noon at the church. Kindly come with friends. • Friday, Dec 13: The Nativity Play and Christingle at 10.30 am led by Children and Youth & the Ladies Fellowship.

• Sunday, Dec 15: "Christmas Carols by Candlelight" at 6 pm followed by fellowship refreshments. Guest choirs will perform.

• Friday, Dec 20: Dedication of the New Chapel by Archbishop Michael Lewis at 10 am. Celebration and refreshments will follow.
Tuesday, Dec 24: Christmas Eve

service at 6.30pm.

• Wednesday, Dec 25: Christmas Day service at 6.30 pm. • Tuesday, Dec 31: New Year's Day

Vigil at 11.30 pm. Our church is home to Christians

from Western Europe, North and South America, Eastern Europe, Asia, Africa and India. Members from the Protestant, Reformed, Anglican/Episcopal, Evangelical and other traditions make up a warm and dynamic St Paul's Church family.

Visit our website or contact Revd Michael Mbona (Chaplain and Rector) Mobile: 65960781 or Email: mrm bona@gmail.com

Church location: Cnr 9th Ave & 6th St North, Block 14, Ahmadi, Kuwait.

#### Dec 6

#### IAK 'Walk The Talk' seminar:

Idukki Association Kuwait (IAK) Women's Forum will conduct seminar on 'effective parenting' on Friday, Dec 6, at 5 PM at United Indian School. Abbasiya. Principal Ajith Kumar will inaugurate the seminar.

Idukki Association Kuwait President Thomas Chacko Vezhambasseril together with Women's Forum Chairperson Lancy Babu Parayanickal released the flier of the program. Secretary Akhila Sijo, Joint Secretary Ancy Ivy and Executive committee member Jijimol Thomas were present.

The program named 'Walk The Talk' shall be open and free for all the parents and children. For further details, kindly contact 65939951/ 99072575

KUWAIT CITY, Nov 26: The Indian Educational School (IES) qualified for the nationals with A+ grade and one of the junior groups won the award for their outstanding perfor-mance with 'A' grade at the science international forum Kuwait which was organized under the title Kuwait Children Science Congress 2019 at the Learners Own Academy.

The school also bagged the award for the best presentation among the 15 Indian schools in Kuwait by winning three out of the four awards.

One of the junior teams comprising Ishann K Batta and Ananth Milan of Grade 8 were guided by Physics teachers of IES Sarath Ramachandran Valsala and Lijo P. George. Their project was sustainable development Agricultural Co-Bot and is qualified for nationals. The Agricultural Co-Bot is an electrical vehicle that can run with rechargeable batteries which has a significant effect of usage in the field of agriculture.

Shreya Varsh Arun of Grade 11 and Marushka Rita Fernandes of Grade 10 represented one of the senior teams. They were guided by Chemistry teachers Senthilvelan M. A. and Ms Priyalekshmi Sachin. Their project was Anti Bacto Roaches - organic manure. This project is a follow up of 'Cockroach - a protein feed' that was done last year under the guidance of Ms Anselma Tessy, Senior Vice-Principal, IES and had won an outstanding grade by the same team. The credit for the concept goes to T. Premkumar, Principal, IES.

The third team comprising Vishnu Balram and Aadil Mohamed of Grade 10 were guided by Ms Deepasree T. C., Chemistry teacher and Ms Leena Praveen, Biology teacher. Their project was Waste to Wealth - Human hair as bio-stimulant for the growth of plants.

The fourth team consisting of Aditya Arun Kartha and Sidharth Sudheer of Grade 5 were selected for the outstanding performance with A Grade. They were guided by Ms Aswathy Simil, Faculty of Biology and Ms Neena Clarence Miranda, Faculty of Chemistry. Their project was efficacy of washed rice water or fermented rice water as an alternative to inorganic chemical fertilizers in seed germination and growth of plants. They also won prize for their best presentation.

# WKK painting competition: Wel-

fare Kerala Kuwait (WKK) Salmiya zone is conducting a painting competition with a theme 'My India My Canvas, a Painting against Hatred', in connection



A group photo of IES teachers and officials

'Excellence in School Education Award 2019'

# **Dr Anis Ahmad honored at British Parliament**

KUWAIT CITY, Nov 26: Dr Anis Ahmad, he Director of Salmiya Indian Model School (SIMS), Kuwait has been honored with the 'Excellence in School Education Award 2019' in the British Parliament for his valuable contribution in the field of education.

His services towards teacher empowerment has been internationally recognized by the Indian education authorities and the British council.

The ceremony was organized in collaboration of British Parliament in Churchill Room, House of Commons, British Parliament, London on Nov 20, by Intelligent Mind Trust,

with the 6th anniversary celebration of the organization in Kuwait. Using oil paints or acrylic colours Indians from all states living in Kuwait under the age group 25-38 can participate. The competition shall be held on Dec 6 at Najath



Dr Anis Ahmad receives his award.

School, Salmiya from 2 pm onwards. The organizers are also arranging an exhibition of art works and paintings of renowned artists and these items are available for sale for the visitors. The winners (1st, 2nd and 3rd) of the New Delhi, India.

The dignitaries during the presentation ceremony included Lord Dobe from the House of Lords, Baroness Thornton Labour and Co-operative member of the House of Lords. She was previously Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Health. Ms Seema Malhotra British Labour and Cooperative Party politician who has been the Member of Parliament for Feltham and Heston. Spiritual Guru Gaur Gopal Das, Sanyam Bhardwaj Examination control-ler, CBSE, New Delhi, India and Rajesh Bajaj, Trustee, Intelligent Mind Trust, New Delhi.

competition shall be awarded with gold coins as prizes. There will be a separate motivational training session on painting technics arranged for pre-registered children (100 seats only) on the same day at the venue. For more details and

registration please call Contact Number: +965-95514174, +965-99354375 or use the link : https://forms.gle/GB6JmQB-JRq9pToUN6.

## General

AWL registration: If you were interested in joining the American Women's League (AWL) please check out their website, www.awlkuwait.org, or email them at awl@awlkuwait.org. American women over the age of 17 or wives of Americans are able to join. All other nationalities are welcome as associate members

### **IEI Centenary Engineers Day:**

The Institution of Engineers India, Kuwait Chapter (IEI Kuwait Chapter) will be celebrating the "The Centenary Engineer's day" and "The second international Conference on Engineering Challenges in Gulf countries" on Nov 29 and 30, 2019 at Radisson Blu, Salwa, Kuwait respectively. Apart from HE the Ambassador of India to State of Kuwait, many distinguished guests from Ministries, Universities, KSE, KISR, Engineers, technocrats, consultants, decision makers and business leaders shall be attending this program.

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