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**WNYMuslims wishes everyone a very Happy Eid-ul-Fitr!  
May you all be blessed with a day full of happiness, peace and  
prosperity!**



**WNYMuslims' Promo 2018**

## **Upcoming Events:**

**Chaand Raat:**

*shopping and getting henna tattooing done. Chaand Raat takes place on "the night of the moon". It is celebrated on the eve of the Muslim festival of Eid-ul-Fitr. It is a time for enjoyment and laughter. We are very happy to announce that all our tables have been sold out, and we do not need anymore vendors. Do bring Family and Friends and come and join us in this fun, festive night and have a great and enjoyable time.*

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# Chaand Raat



Thursday, June 14, 2018

Taste of India: 9:30 PM

\$3 (one person), \$5 (two people)

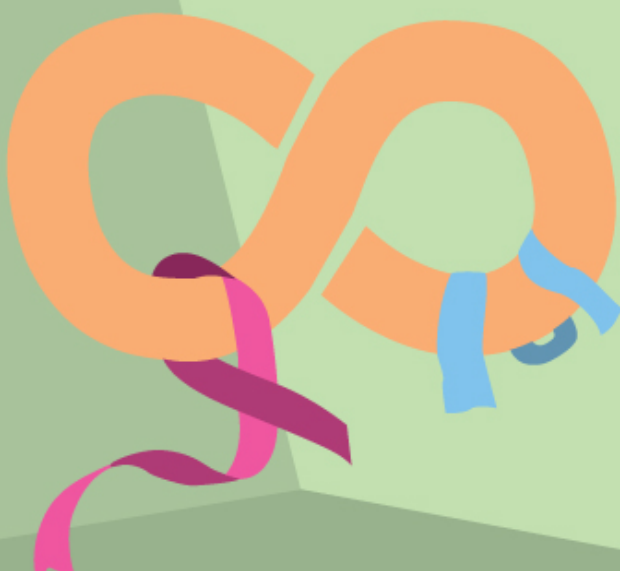
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3192 Sheridan Drive, Buffalo, NY 14226

Clothing, jewelry, henna tattooing,  
fashion items, as well as arts, crafts, and more!

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# Cancer Crusaders



**Lead by: Ali Shah**

June 23, 2018  
University at Buffalo North

To join team or donate, contact  
[wnymuslims@wnymuslims.org](mailto:wnymuslims@wnymuslims.org)  
or call 716-923-4386



## Ramadan:

The 9th month of the Islamic Lunar Calendar is Ramadan. Muslims across the globe observe fasts during this holy month. It commemorates the revelation of the holy Quran on Prophet Muhammad (PBUH).

The Concept behind fasting is to redirect the heart away from worldly activities, to purify the soul by freeing it from negative and harmful activities. Ramadan is the best practice for self-improvement, self control, discipline, empathy and to encourage charity (Zakat) towards the less fortunate.

Ramadan is comprised of 29 to 30 days depending on moon sighting. It is divided into 3

forgiveness), which reflects forgiveness of Allah. The third part is called 'Ashra of Nijaat' (the days of seeking refuge), which reflect safety from the fire of hell (Jahannum). These last 10 days are also considered the most important and superior of all the ashra, as 'Lailatul Qadar' (the Night of Power/Destiny) falls in these days.

Lailatul Qadar is found in the last odd nights of the last 10 days. It is believed that on this night the blessings and mercy of Allah are abundant, sins are forgiven, supplications are accepted, and the annual decree is revealed to the angels who also descend to the earth. In these last 10 days lots of Muslims also practice 'Ihtikaf' (staying in a mosque or seclusion for a certain number of days, devoting oneself to worship and Ibadah during these days and staying away from worldly affairs).

## The 3 Ashras of Ramadan & their Duas

### First Ashra - Days of Mercy:

يَا حَيُّ يَا قَيُّوْمُ بِرَحْمَتِكَ أَسْتَغِيْثُ

"O the Living, O the Eternal, I seek help in Your mercy."

### Second Ashra - Days of Forgiveness

أَسْتَغْفِرُ اللّٰهَ رَبِّيْ مِنْ كُلِّ زَنْبٍ وَ اَتُوْبُ اِلَيْهِ

"I ask forgiveness of my sins from Allah who is my Lord and I turn towards Him."

### Third Ashra - Days of Seeking Refuge

اللّٰهُمَّ اَجْرِنِيْ مِنَ النَّارِ

"O Allah! Save me from the fire."

**Hadith of the Week:**

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Narrated by Abu Huraira

The Prophet said, "The one who looks after a widow or a poor person is like a Mujahid (warrior) who fights for Allah's Cause, or like him who performs prayers all the night and fasts all the day."  
(Source: Sahih Bukhari; Volume 7, Book 64, Number 265)

## **Community Announcements:**

### **ISNF Eid Prayer Announcement:**

#### **Masjid-e-Noor:**

There will be two prayers for Eid at Masjid-e-Noor

Date: **15th June, 2018**

Timings: **8:00 am & 9:30 am**

Address: **745 Heim Road, Getzville, NY 14068**

Date: **15th June, 2018**

Timings: **8:30 am**

Address: **40 Parker Ave, Buffalo, NY 14214**

**We will publish a special bulletin tomorrow, informing you all about the timing of the Eid Prayer in the other Mosques.**

### **Father's Day:**

WNYMuslims wishes all Fathers a joyous and wonderful Father's Day!!

Fathers are real life Super heroes for their families. God Bless all our Fathers.

**Lets celebrate & have a super day with our dads on Sunday the 17th of June!**





# TIGER TAEKWONDO

STARTING 5/16

Presented by  
Jami Royal TKD

Taught by  
Kwanjangnim  
Nancy Fernandez

Sabumnim  
Naheem Fernandez

\$75/ Child  
\$140/ 2 Children  
\$200/ 3 Children

Timings  
wednesdays And Thursdays  
3:45 PM -5 PM

Saturdays and Sundays  
2-4 PM





## **Support Domestic Violence Survivors | RAHAMA Transitional Housing Shelter**

[Click here to donate to Rahama Transitional Home](#)

RAHAMA is proud to share the news that we have purchased a building that will house our transitional housing shelter. We would like to share our plans and update you on the work that we have been doing with the women and children that we serve that are victims of family violence.

We hope you will join us for this important meeting. Come see what we are doing and how you can get involved. We look forward to seeing you at this important event.

Best Wishes to you for the New Year!  
RAHAMA Board

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Open ages 12 and up\*

Starting early April (weather dependent)



## HEIM BIKE CLUB

For registration email  
[bikewny@gmail.com](mailto:bikewny@gmail.com)

Saturday rides at 10:00am  
Thursday rides at 6:30pm

Meet at N. Forest Pathways, N. Forest and Maple  
Roads. Parking available. Routes will vary.

All riders must wear a helmet.  
Must have a dependable bike.  
All children must be accompanied by a parent  
or guardian

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