



**Keeping the Community Aware since 2005**

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## **Upcoming Events:**

[Diversity Cruise:](#)





## **Making Strides- Against Breast Cancer :**

Please join WNY Muslims to help raise awareness against this deadly disease and make a difference. Lets remember the loved ones who fought against this, cheer up our dear ones who are going through the treatment and celebrate the survivors!! Register today and join us raise the awareness. Your presence will mean a lot. To donate and/or to join our team please click on the link below.

[REGISTER NOW or DONATE](#)

# Making Strides Against Breast Cancer



## Team WNY Muslims!

Join our team! Donate today!

October 14, 8:30 AM - 2 PM  
Canalside, Buffalo, NY

For more information, please visit [wnymuslims.org](http://wnymuslims.org) or call 716-923-4386.

### **[Halal For All Soup Kitchen:](#)**

**Alhamdulillah, by the grace of Allah and hard work of our Action Committee, we are able to start the Halal For all Soup Kitchen starting on September 17th, 2017. We will start with a Sunday lunch service to begin with and then expand the timings as needed. We are collaborating with Friends of the Night People who were kind enough to share their chefs and kitchen so that the food can be prepared in the proper manner for the community.**

***(Click the title or the picture for more information)***



# Halal For All Soup Kitchen



Every Sunday for Lunch  
Masjid Al-Eimaan  
444 Connecticut Street  
Buffalo, NY 14213  
Beginning September 17, 12-2 PM  
Volunteers Needed to Serve Food

To donate for this cause,  
visit [wnymuslims.org](http://wnymuslims.org) or call 716.923.4386

## **Continual Events:**

### **Closet of Humanity:**

Alhamdulillah with the help of our community we have received tremendous amounts of clothing, shoes etc. As of right now we are not accepting clothes. We will be asking for your help very soon. If you want to send donations, the donations can be dropped at our office at 4011 Bailey Ave Monday through Friday 9:00am to 5:00pm except public holidays.

For more information please contact us at 716-923-4386 or [wnymuslims@wnymuslims.org](mailto:wnymuslims@wnymuslims.org)

# CLOSET OF HUMANITY



**Clothing must be thoroughly cleaned**



Drop donations off at 4011 Bailey Ave from 9 AM to 5 PM, Monday thru Friday.



Volunteers needed to organize weekly. Saturday & Sunday 12 PM - 3 PM



Closet of Humantiy will be closed on June 25 for EID Carnival.

For weekend drop offs, please call us at 716-923-4386 to make proper arrangements.

[Event Coverage:](#)



## Collective Film Festival

### 2nd Screening Highlights

#### **Hadith of the week:**

##### **Narrated 'Abdullah bin 'Amr:**

A person asked Allah's Apostle . "What (sort of) deeds in or (what qualities of) Islam are good?" He replied, "To feed (the poor) and greet those whom you know and those whom you don't know."

*Reference: Sahih Bukhari*

*Volume 1, Book 2, Number 27*

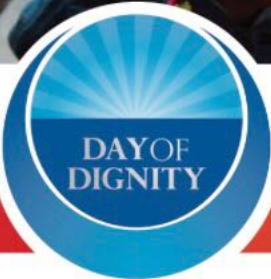
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#### **Community Announcements:**



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





# DAY OF DIGNITY

ISLAMIC RELIEF USA + WNYMBL

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2017 • 1:30 P.M. - 5:30 P.M.

RAIN DATE: SEPTEMBER 9, 2017 • SAME LOCATION

**ADDRESS**

444 CONNECTICUT ST,  
BUFFALO, NY 14213

**CONTACT**

SHAHEED ALI • 917-833-1136  
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WNYMBL@GMAIL.COM



[IRUSA.ORG/DAYOFDIGNITY](http://IRUSA.ORG/DAYOFDIGNITY)

**ITEMS PROVIDED**

SCHOOL KITS, HYGIENE KITS, WINTER CLOTHING, NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS, TOILETRIES AND CUTLERY

**SERVICES PROVIDED**

- ON-SITE YOUTH ACADEMIC TUTORING REGISTRATION - WNYMBL
- ON-SITE ADULT JOB FINDING AND JOB TRAINING ASSISTANCE - BETC (BUFFALO EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING CENTER)
- ON-SITE HEALTHCARE ENROLLMENT - UNITED HEALTHCARE
- ON-SITE HEALTHCARE CHECKUPS - COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE OF BUFFALO
- ON-SITE DENTAL CHECKUP - DENTAL GRADUATES OF THE UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO SCHOOL OF DENTAL MEDICINE
- ON-SITE GROOMING - NAGI BARBER SHOP
- ON-SITE IMMIGRATION/TRANSLATOR/SOCIAL SERVICES ASSISTANCE - ACCESS OF WNY

**INFORMATION & RESOURCES**

JOB TRAINING, EDUCATIONAL AND COUNSELING SERVICES, AND WOMEN'S DRIVER'S LICENSE CLASSES.

**DONATIONS ARE WELCOME** MONETARY AND/OR NON-PERISHABLE ITEMS



Arab American Community Center for Economic and Social Services

609 Ridge Rd•Lackawanna•NY•14218

Phone716-332-5901

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admin@accesswny.org

### Temporary Voter Registration Field Organizer - 16 weeks

**Job Title:** Voter Registration Field Organizer

**Employment Type:** 16 wks -Part-Time–20 hours/week flex -(may include weekends and evenings)

**Salary:** \$13.00/Hour

**Essential duties and responsibilities include but are not limited to the following:**

- Responsible for managing canvassing, tabling, presentations and street team operations in communities with a team of 1-4 volunteers or more with the goal of encouraging minorities to register to vote, commit them to participate in the 2017, 2018 elections and encourage family members to vote.
- You will be expected to recruit, train, manage and motivate a group of volunteers and provide the proper reporting to the State Coordinator or its designee.
- Plan and direct voter registration events and community neighborhood canvassing
- Recruit, direct, and supervise volunteer team during the performance of their daily responsibilities, including but not limited to:
  - Canvass communities in the City of Lackawanna and Buffalo
  - Engage community members and voters around Voter Registration, Voter Education, Vote by Mail and Get Out To Vote
  - Motivate people to commit to vote in the next election cycle
  - Cutting turf for door-to-door activities for their team
  - Submitting nightly reports of doors knocked; contacts and commitment cards engage with community partners regarding advocacy & civic engagement initiatives in Lackawanna and Buffalo and/or national campaigns.
  - Assist in carrying out local advocacy initiatives and broader advocacy campaigns
  - Represent ACCESS WNY at meetings, conferences, and presentations
  - Will travel to voter registration sites

**Qualifications:** A successful candidate must have the ability to work with a variety of different people in various settings and must be bilingual in Spanish, Somali, or Arabic. Must have excellent written and oral communication skills and be well organized. Must be comfortable speaking to large groups of people and is highly positive and outgoing. An understanding of the Arab-American community and the immigrant community at large is preferred. Must have the ability to work with Microsoft office and social media platforms.

**Education/Experience:** The ideal candidate should have a bachelor's degree in political science, public policy or related field and 1-2 years of experience in advocacy, civic engagement, community organizing or government affairs.

To apply for this position, please email your resume and cover letter to [gjamil@accesswny.org](mailto:gjamil@accesswny.org).



### Let's Celebrate

Sunday, September 10th - 12:00pm

(RAIN DATE: September 17th)

Masjid An Noor - 745 Heim Road

Getzville, NY 14068

Come join us for an afternoon festival

#### Featuring

**FOOD:** Hot Dogs, Hamburgers and Chicken Barbeque, Pizza, Ice Cream...

**FUN:** Pony Rides, Dunk Tank, Bounce House, Vendors, Tug-of-War and so much more!

Vendor Tables for \$25.

For more info. or to volunteer, contact Fareena at 636-0735, Seema at 572-9439, or Asra at (630) 340-8690

**SAVE THE DATE!**

# UBEOC

## FALL 2017 PROGRAMS

*Classes are beginning this August apply today!*



### ALLIED HEALTH

- NYS Certified Dental Assistant
- Registered Medical Assistant
- Central Sterilization Technician
- Patient Services Technician
- Certified Nurse Assistant
- Medical Billing and Coding

### ACADEMIC

- High School Equivalency Preparation
- English as a Second Language
- Academic Review
- College Preparation



### IT AND VOCATIONAL

- Customer Service Training
- Digital Literacy
- ATTAIN Lab



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