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**Keeping the Community Aware Since 2005**

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## Celebrations

BUFFALO, NY: Sunday, August 15, 2021, WNYMuslims celebrated its 6th annual Eid Carnival to commemorate the festivities of Eid-Al-Adha along with EC200 (Erie County Bicentennial) & 75<sup>th</sup> Pakistan Independence Day for the children and families of WNY. Our event featured outstanding programs including health awareness information, children's costume competition & activities, clothing and jewelry, henna tattooing, food & ice cream, fashion show, live entertainment, games, arts & crafts, lucky draw, and much more for 500+ attendees during the course of the whole day.



It was held at Island Park, Williamsville between 12:00 pm and 7:00 pm. There was a variety of activities and programs offered for the attendees including a fashion show based on cultural and national attire, costume show for the kids along with arcade games and other activities, live entertainment throughout the event concerted with a special performance by Coke Studio Singer, Sanwal Esakhelvi, diverse variety of food was also available for the attendees to enjoy along with community service recognition ceremony of the community members of WNY and Erie county representatives to commemorate EC200 by WNYMuslims. and lots more. We thank from the bottom of our hearts our following:

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and countless private sponsors and donors, for their generous contributions, without their support it wouldn't have been possible for us to have such a remarkable event.



Our special thanks to the Village of Williamsville for their cooperation. We highly appreciate the media services of Sun Spin Media, facility management services of Hawk Development, and accounting and management services of Manage Your Business before, during, and after the event.

It's the dedication of the founder of the organization, Prof. Faizan Haq, and his family and the commitment and devotion of our volunteers that made this event so successful, for which we are highly indebted.

In the end, we would like to thank everyone who attended and specially volunteered, without their consistent support, we would not be able to hold such a successful event. We are extremely awed by the overwhelming response of the community, and we hope that we'll get the same retort in the future as well.

## Diversity Cruise 2021

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Sunday, September 12, 2021 from  
4 PM to 6 PM.

The ship boards at  
3:30 PM and departs at 4 PM sharp  
From

[Erie Basin Marina at 329 Erie Street in Buffalo](#)

Tickets:

Pre-sale Tickets

\$15 for adults,

\$10 for children,

Free for kids under age 5.

At The Gate

\$20 for adults,

\$15 for children,

Free for kids under age 5.

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## Emergency Rental Assistance Program

Muslims is collaborating with The City of Buffalo and the New York State Office of Temporary, Disability Assistance (OTDA), Buffalo Urban Renewal Agency (BURA) to manage the statewide Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP) that provides up to 12 months of rental and utility assistance to residents impacted by COVID-19.

Learn more about the program, who qualifies, and documentation requirements at [otda.ny.gov/ERAP](https://otda.ny.gov/ERAP) OR call the NYS ERAP call center at 1-844-NY1-RENT. All applicants in need of help in completing the application and accessing the portal can call 2-1-1 for referrals to an application assistance provider or (716) 923-4386 for assistance. Also, please click [here](#) or on the thumbnail below for more details.

**Rent is Still Due!**

The Eviction Moratorium Ends August 31, 2021

**What's Your Plan?**

NEW YORK STATE OF OPPORTUNITY Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance

Once the New York State Eviction Moratorium is lifted August 31, 2021, you may be evicted and face money judgments if you are not up to date with rent payments! Protect yourself, your family, and your future today!

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For other COVID-19 assistance programs visit [standupbuffalo.com](https://standupbuffalo.com)

**STAND UP BUFFALO** BURA

This program is being supported in whole or in part by federal award number 19ACW019 awarded to the City of Buffalo by the U.S. Department of the Treasury.



## Internship and Volunteering Opportunities Summer '21

Interested candidates, please [email](#) us or Click [here](#) for more details.

### Notification

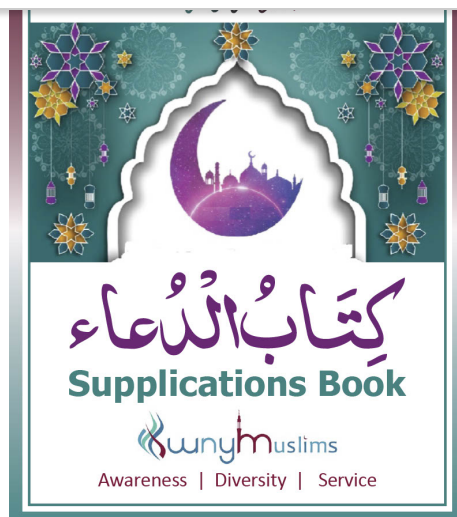
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### *Kitab-ud-Dua*

We are humbly gratified to present our noble gesture, *A Collection of Supplications*, it is our sincere endeavor to express our gratitude towards The Almighty for all the blessings He bestowed upon us and to repent for our sins and to suppliantly pray to our Lord for the eradication of this prevailing pandemic from the face of the earth.

We highly appreciate our community's consistent support, which enabled us to have a strong foothold in the community. We pray that our persistent efforts with our meager resources be accepted by our Creator, and graciously request to everyone to keep us and our loved ones in your prayers as you benefit from this humble effort. May Allah reward you all for your noble actions, contributions and may keep you steadfast in the path of your faith. Aameen.

**Please click on the thumbnail below for the PDF of the book**



## Mosques @ WNY



### Islamic Society of Niagara Frontier



☎ (716) 568-1013



### Masjid An-Noor

📍 [745 Heim Road, Getzville NY 14068](#)

✉ [imamannoor@isnf.org](mailto:imamannoor@isnf.org)

### Announcements

### Summer Refresher Course

Community youth Weekly Crash Course to refresh their Islamic



**Saturday, July 10, 2021, to August 29, 2021**

**10:00AM - 11:30AM**

Registration Fee \$10

**Please click [here](#) to register**

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### Youth Bonfire With Imam

Male and female youth, ages 35 and under, are invited to join the Imam.

**Saturday, July 31st  
from Asr time until 11 pm.**

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### Masjid Taqwa

📍 [40 Parker Avenue, Buffalo NY 14214](#)

[imamattaqwa@isnf.org](mailto:imamattaqwa@isnf.org)

### Eid ul Adha 1442

Saudi Arabia has announced the day of Hajj (Arafah) on

**Monday, July 19th, 2021.**

Therefore,

**Eid ul Adha 1442 will be on Tuesday, July 20th, 2021**

**Prayer at 7:30 AM**

lead by Imam Muslihuddin Ahmad

### Covid-19 Restrictions Lifted

**Starting today July 9 2021 there will be only one Jumma prayer  
starting at 1:30PM.**

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## Muslim Society of Buffalo Jami Masjid

[1957 Genesee St, Buffalo, NY 14211](#)

☎716-300-5040



### Announcements

#### YouTube Page

Jami Masjid's Media [YouTube Page](#),  
please check it out and subscribe.

Easy way to access the duas if you miss the live stream.

More to come, InshaAllah!

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#### After-School Programs

Please check out our new after-school programs.

To register please click [here](#)

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for the details about the program and schedule please click [here](#)

#### Jami Masjid Jumuah Times starting 3/19\*

1st- 1:15pm

2nd- 1:50pm

3rd- 2:30pm

For COVID-19 SOPs, please click [here](#)

For the Prayer Schedule of WNY Major Mosques please click [here](#)

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## Updates

### USA

Total Cases	Cases Last 7 Days	Total Deaths	Deaths Last 7 Days
37,396,282	916,487	624,213	4,805

Source:

[CDC](#)

As of August 20, 2021

### Erie County

Total Cases	Deaths
92,391	1,940

Source:

[ECDOH](#)

As of August 20, 2021

For more details please click [here](#)



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