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Keeping the Community Aware Since 2005

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ASSALAAM ALAIKUM PEACE BE UPON YOU


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WNYMuslims wishes the entire Muslim Ummah a very Happy New Year! May 1440 Hijri be a year full of blessings for everyone!



[Hadith of the Week:](#)



*Hadith
of the
Week*

Narrated by Abu Huraira

Whenever a meal was brought to Allah's Apostle, he would ask whether it was a gift or Sadaqa (something given in charity). If he was told that it was Sadaqa, he would tell his companions to eat it, but if it was a gift, he would hurry to share it with them. (Source: Sahih Bukhari; Volume 3, Book 47, Number 750)

Community Announcements:

Jami announcements:

MUSLIM STUDENT
ASSOCIATION PRESENTS



STRONGER TOGETHER

ISLAM, JUDAISM, AND
CHRISTIANITY

Thursday, September 27th, 2018
Bulger Communication Center
Room 423
5:30pm-7:00pm
SUNY Buffalo State

mojawah01@mail.buffalostate.edu

A great opportunity to ask questions,
learn about the differences within the
religions, and gain spiritual knowledge.

Pizza and
drinks will be
served!

Panelists

Imaam Pasha
Rabbi Sara
Pastor Mannion

Introduction

MSA
Board Members

Vocal Artist

Br. Jaabir

■ JAMI MASJID BUFFALO ■

Open to
committed
brothers and
sisters!

Join Us

INTRODUCTION
to
FIQH

Classes on the Foundation of Islamic Jurisprudence

7:30pm-8:00pm

Monday-Thursday

Br. Tamer Osman

Classes
Begin

SEPT
3

*"When Allah wishes good for someone, He bestows
upon Him the understanding of the religion."*

- Sahih Bukhari

TO REGISTER, PLEASE EMAIL JAMIPROGRAMS@GMAIL.COM



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

Heim Bike Club:

Open ages 12 and up*

Starting early April (weather dependent)



HEIM BIKE CLUB

For registration email
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

Fall Festival by Enas Latif:



Fall festival

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SATURDAY OCTOBER 13TH 12-4PM

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EVENT TIMES

- BALLOONS 12-2
- MAGICIAN 2:30-3:15
- FACE PAINTER 12-2
- ART ON CANVAS 1:30-2:30
(FOR THE FIRST 20 PEOPLE)
- FREE POPCORN
- KIDS COLORING CONTEST
- CORNHOLE
- KAN-JAM
- CIDER & DOUGHNUTS

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Rahama:

Fundraising
BANQUET

**DEVELOPING INSTITUTIONS TO
 SUPPORT FAMILIES**

SEPTEMBER 22ND, 2018
THE MARRIOTT HOTEL | 6:00 PM
 1340 MILLERSPORT HIGHWAY

WITH
**SHAYKH
 YASSIR FAZAGA**



IMAM OF ORANGE COUNTY
 ISLAMIC FOUNDATION AND THE
 FORMER DIRECTOR OF MENTAL HEALTH
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 FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
FAREENA (989-1496) OR APRIL (830-6559)

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 AGE 13 + ONLY

RAHAMA PRE

5K WALK-A-THON

FUNDS RAISED WILL BENEFIT SURVIVORS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE



WHEN: Saturday, October 13th

WHERE: Isle View Park Tribute Garden

TIME: 10-11:30am

General Admission \$15

Children 12 & Under \$8

On Site Admission \$20


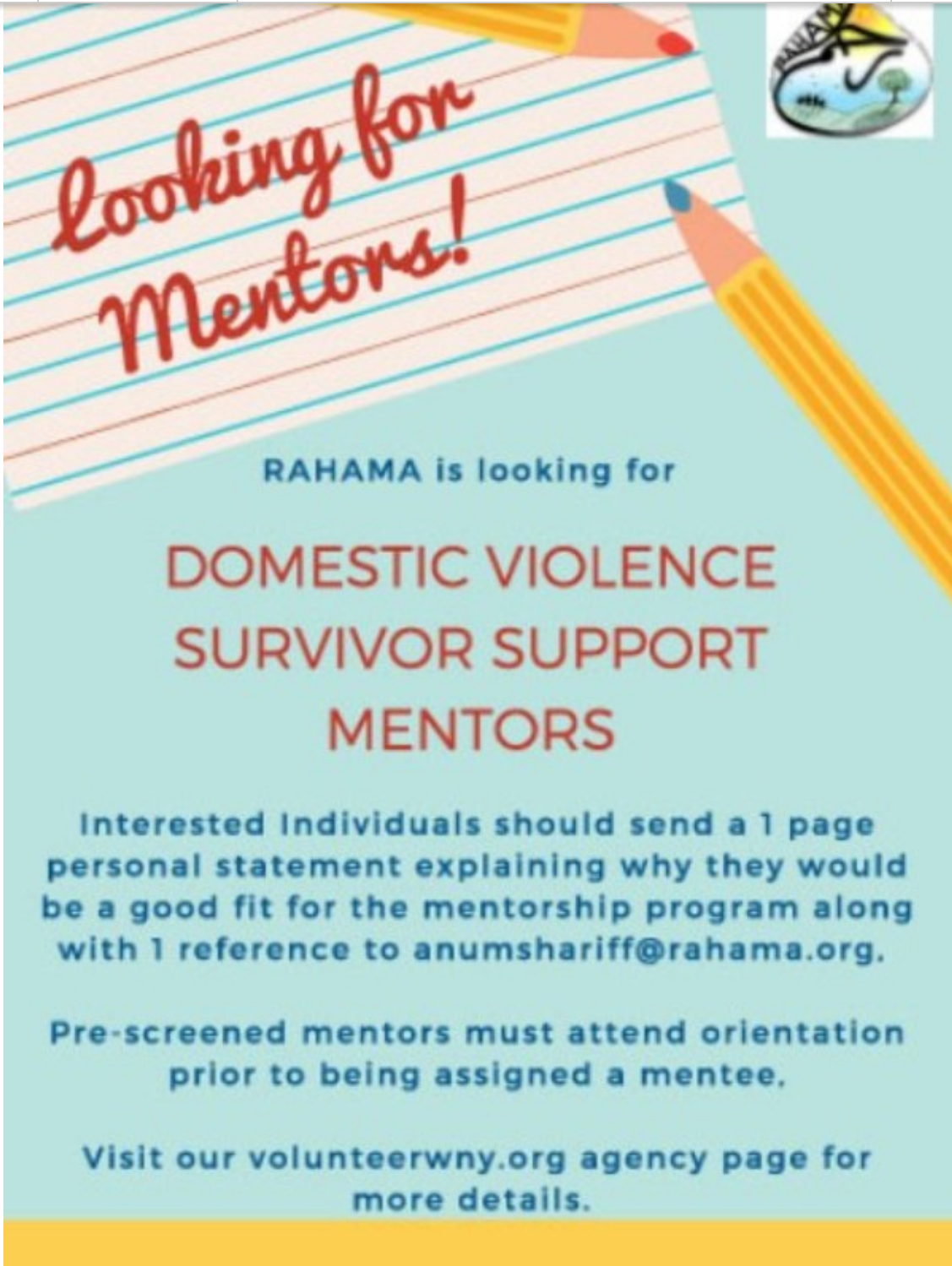
Free T-shirt with registration

Registration must be received by September 26th, 2018

Register at www.rahama.org

Questions: call (716) 224-3486





Looking for Mentors!

RAHAMA is looking for

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
SURVIVOR SUPPORT
MENTORS**

Interested Individuals should send a 1 page personal statement explaining why they would be a good fit for the mentorship program along with 1 reference to anumshariff@rahama.org.

Pre-screened mentors must attend orientation prior to being assigned a mentee.

Visit our volunteerwny.org agency page for more details.

RAHAMA NEWS



Volume 1 — July 7, 2018



Marriott Hotel

October 12, 2018 — RAHAMA Walk-a-thon/5K in Niwanda Park, Tonawanda

RAHAMA Housing

In November 2017, RAHAMA purchased a building that will serve as the site for its transitional housing shelter for women and children affected by domestic violence. The purchase price for the building was \$125K. Our first payment of \$60K was paid at closing; our second installment of \$32K was paid in May 2018 and our final payment will be paid in November 2018. After renovations, the 6,300 sq ft. building will be able to house up to 16 women and children. Permits have been submitted to Buffalo City Hall for approval prior to the start of renovations and we hope to be able to house clients by the beginning of 2019.

Ramadan Launch Good Campaign Raises \$18K

We would like to express our gratitude for all of our supporters that donated and helped to make our fundraiser a success. Funds will be used for the final payment of 32K due in November 2018. The community will then own the transitional housing shelter without having incurred debt. We could not have accomplished this without your help!

**Catholic Health Reapproves its 2018-2019 Community Benefit Grant for RAHAMA.**

In September 2017 RAHAMA hired a part-time case manager through funding provided by Catholic Health's Community Benefit grant. This grant which was just reapproved in July 2018 has allowed us to provide support for the health needs for our clients. Many of the women that we work with have language barriers that make it a challenge for our clients to navigate health and social services. Our case manager works with our clients to link them to resources in the community. Safety planning, accessing food stamps and cash assistance, arranging for medical appointments and medical transportation, goal setting are all offered by our case manager. Strict client confidentiality is maintained for the privacy and safety of our ladies. Case management is by appointment only. Contact 777-3486.

في أيلول (سبتمبر) الماضي ، عينت منظمة رحمة مدير إداري بدوام جزئي. واجبات المدير الإداري تشمل اعداد والحفظ على سجلات المستفيدين بما في ذلك التاريخ الاجتماعي وغيرها من المعلومات المهمة ، المساعدة في تحديد الضروريات والاحتياجات الأساسية و من ثم المساعدة في ايجاد الموارد الاجتماعية. التثقيف حول العنف المنزلي . مساعدة المستفيدات من تحديد الأهداف و العمل على وصول هذه الأهداف ، الدعم المعنوي والنفسي المناسب للسيدات من خلال الاجتماع معن شخصياً. وغيرها من الخدمات الضرورية حسب الحاجة إذا لديكم اي استفسار الرجاء الاتصال بنا على الرقم التالي ٦١٧-٧٧٧-٨٦٤٣



(vegetable and herb garden planted by our Women's Support group)

Women's Bilingual Support Group — English & Arabic

RAHAMA's confidential support group has been operating for almost 2 years and has served women from over 9 different countries. We feature yoga and provide a safe environment where women can heal and support each other. Limited transportation provided. For more information contact: 777-3468.

"We are each links in a chain that makes the other stronger."

**RAHAMA's Fundraising Banquet**

September 22, 2018— Marriott Hotel

Guest Speaker — Shaykh Yassir Fazaga

has a Bachelors Degree in Islamic Studies from the Institute of Islamic and Arabic Sciences in Virginia; and received a Masters Degree in Marriage and Family Counseling from the California State University of Long Beach.

RAHAMA

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www.rahama.org



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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