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WHAT'S ON

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KUWAIT ENGINEERS FORUM TO HOLD KINETIC 2016 ON APRIL 3

KINETIC, an annual event will provide a suitable platform where the engineering community can directly interact with technical experts, research scientists and manufacturers, thereby share knowledge and expertise.

This year, the conference theme is "Sustainable Development - Innovation, Opportunities and Challenges." The conference will highlight the trends and emerging challenges in the areas of Global Economic Sustainability, Corporate Social Responsibility, Clean and Renewable Energy, Cyber Security, E-learning and Automations; which have a special relevance to Kuwait.

Addressing a press conference, KEF office-bearers said there would be technical presentations by experts, professionals and manufacturers. Executives and technologists from a wide range of industrial sectors will be attending the conference and exhibition. The event offers wide networking opportunities to discuss and exchange new ideas and to establish/renew contacts.

Kuwait Engineers Forum has released their technical brochure (call for paper and poster presentation) and their exhibitor/sponsorship brochure. This year, KINETIC has introduced poster presentation for university undergraduates and graduate students, as a unique platform for expressing their talents to present their idea on the conference theme. Further, KINETIC has announced that registration will be free for university students.

The organizers said KEF is looking forward to active participation from technical experts in their respective fields, and also from the Industry to exhibit their products and technologies from Kuwait and the region. Kuwait Engineers Forum (KEF), is a registered association of Indian Engineers working in Kuwait.

Prior to the press conference, KEF held a technical semi-

nar on "Role of Engineers in Green Economy" by Joseph Martin, Ernst and Young.

The meeting was presided by KEF General Convener Anil Kumar K V Ex-officio member Santhosh Kumar G, General Convener-designate Sree Kumar G, Convenor finance Jayaraj Kallumpurath, Convener organization Thomas George, Convenor sponsorship Shyam Mohan, Convenor Arts Sony Francis, Convenor Data management Jeslin Thalapil, Convenor Specialties Edison George, Convenor Food George K John and Convenor Public Relations, Jyothish Natarajan were also present during the meeting.

MALABAR LAUNCHES 5TH EDITION OF GOLD, DIAMONDS FESTIVAL IN GCC, SINGAPORE AND MALAYSIA SHOWROOMS

alabar Gold and Diamonds, the prominent jewelry retailer unfurled details of the 5th edition of 'Malabar Gold and Diamonds Festival' in GCC, Singapore and Malaysia. The festival that runs from 16 December 2015 to 31 January 2016 will display distinctive pieces of jewelry from across the world and offers massive gifts and irresistible offers.

This much-awaited festival is one of the biggest jewelry events in GCC and the customers get unprecedented opportunities to win a total of 250,000 gold coins. A true shopper's delight, Malabar Gold and Diamonds Festival will captivate the customers by exhibiting eye catching designs in gold, platinum, diamonds and precious stones from different parts of the world to flaunt any occasion or event and are well priced too. The festival stands apart from the usual jewelry exhibitions and promotions and as the tag line indicates-'Everyone Wins', i e every customer gets a chance to be a winner through this festival. For every purchase of gold jewelry above KWD 150, the cus-

tomers get a 'Scratch and Win'

coupon through which they can win a guaranteed gold coin or up to 100 gold coins instantly. With every diamond jewelry purchase worth KWD 250, the customers will get 1 gm free gold coin.

To add customer's delight, the group also offers 'Zero Deduction Exchange' scheme through which customers can update their old ornaments to the latest collection of Malabar Gold and Diamonds without any loss. Any 22 ct old gold ornaments can be exchanged with the latest Malabar Gold and Diamonds designs by paying only making charges ensuring they don't lose any value on the rate of gold. Furthermore, 8 gm gold coins can be bought from their outlets with absolutely no making charge during this period.

Keeping up with customer demands, the jewelry chain offers a fabulous collection of gold, diamond and platinum jewelry to suit the tastes of both resident and international customers, skillfully crafted by jewelry specialists from Italy, Singapore, Turkey, Bahrain and India. This is in addition to their exclusive branded jewelry - Mine- Diamonds Unlimited, Era- Uncut Diamond Jewelry, Ethnix- Handcrafted Designer Jewelry, Divine-Indian Heritage Jewelry, Precia- Precious Gem Jewelry and the unique jewelry for kids- Starlet.

Operating 142 retail outlets globally, the group is always at the forefront when it comes to promotions and celebrations. The last four editions of 'Malabar Gold and Diamonds Festival' elicited tremendous response from the jewelry lovers. This time also the customers are excited to be a part of this much awaited festival to witness the rarest collection of jewelry from across the world and to avail fabulous offers.



KFIC SUPPORTS EMPLOYEES RECIPIENTS SPECIALIZED PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATES

continuity in the company's strategic plan to develop the performance and efficiency of its employees and upgrade their professional qualifications is an element a company always aspires. Mohamed Al-Eiban, the Vice CEO and Head of HR and Admin stated that the company supported its perceptive employees in receiving the CFA

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degree, a specialized professional certificate awarded by the Chartered Financial Analyst Institute. This support comes in the context of company's efforts to urge their employees and encourage them to develop their skills continuously according to the latest programs and keep themselves updated on the recent developments in order to provide proficient services to KFIC clients. It is noteworthy that KFIC also sponsored the activities of the CFA Society in Kuwait, which is a member of the Chartered Financial Analyst Institute CFA.





GOLD & DIAMONDS





STANDOX TECHNICAL TRAINING DESIGNED BY PROFESSIONALS FOR PROFESSIONALS

s part of Abdulmohsen Abdulaziz Al-Babtain Company (AABC), commitment and the continuous support with Standox and Al-Wazzan, has recently conducted a Regional Nissan - Module 1 Training -Train The Trainer concept, in one of the world's most modern Standox training centers in Istanbul, Turkey from November 9 - 11, 2015.

Standox brand is recognized around the world as one of the most high-profile, premium brands of refinish paint systems. Two Paint Technicians from Abdulmohsen Abdulaziz Al-Babtain Company (AABC) -NISSAN, KUWAIT successfully completed Nissan Module 1 Training - 'Train The Trainer concept', at Standox training center, Istanbul, Turkey.

The training of refinishers is an investment in the future for body shops. Jovani Parina Cerera and Santosh Kumar Damodaran, are both experienced Paint Technicians from (AABC). Participants were shown the latest products, improved latest application techniques and faster refinishing methods to improve the process in the body shop. Hence, achieving the high quality, efficiency and the customer satisfaction desired. Standox helps professional refinishers achieve right-first-time results.

Nissan Al-Babtain is proud of the high quality produced. What really sets Nissan Al-Babtain apart from other body shops though is the excellent team. After all, the technical skills of at Nissan Kuwait refinishers and technicians make customers happy and the business so tremendously successful. Everyone at Nissan Al Babtain does their utmost to make the customers feel welcome and, perhaps more importantly, reassured as they entrust their cars to Nissan Al Babtain care. For any future body repairs jobs on Nissan vehicles please visit NISSAN Body shop centers in Al-Rai and/or Al-Ahmadi area or call 1804 888 for any assistance.

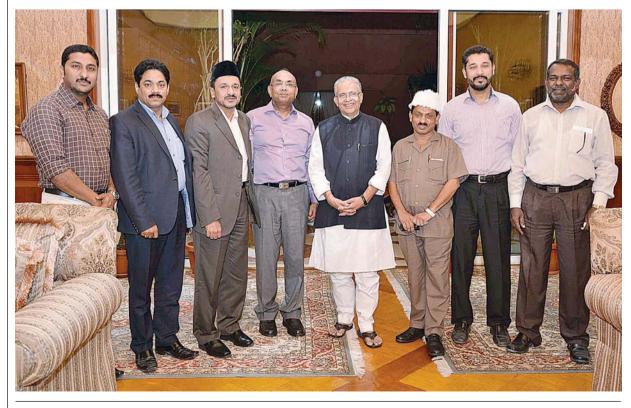
INDIAN MP, KMCC DELEGATION MEET AMBASSADOR

ndian parliament member and former Kerala Education minister E T Muhammed Basheer, Sayed Panakkad Sadikali Shihab Thangal, Sidigali Rangatoor held a courtesy meeting with Indian Ambassador Sunil Jain at the Indian embassy. Sharafudheen Kanneth - President, Kuwait KMCC and Director-NORKA Welfare Board, government of Kerala, Basheer Batha , General Secretary, H Ibrahim Kutty -Treasurer and Naser M R were also with the visiting Indian dignitaries during the meeting. The guests were on a visit to Kuwait to attend Kuwait KMCC "Karunaym

2015" mega conference. They had a cordial reception at the embassy.

They had a detailed discussion regarding the matters related to Indian community living in Kuwait. The historical and cordial relation between both countries were highlighted. Multiple subjects were touched upon. Muhammed Basheer specifically mentioned the matters related to household sector in specific and labor class . The importance of streamlining the recruitment process was also mentioned. He explained the experiences of his visits to other GCC and Western countries and his interactions with concerned. He asserted his commitment to the expatriate causes and assured that he would continue to present the matters to state and national levels. The ambassador mentioned the initiatives taken by embassy to improve the plight of Indian community living in Kuwait and his constant interaction with authorities and sought support from the community to better serve them.

He also commented the excellent work being carried out by Kuwait KMCC and other main stream organizations in liaison with the embassy.



MAHAQUIZZER MIDDLE EAST, KUWAIT ON FEBUARY 5

The 4th edition of annual solo written quiz conducted by National Institute of Technology Calicut Alumni Association (NITCAA-Kuwait) in association with Karnataka Quiz Association (KQA), Bangaluru, India named MahaQuizzer Middle East 2016 will be held on Friday, 5th February, 2016 simultaneously at 3 centers namely Salmiya(Indian English Academy School -Don Bosco), Ahmadi (FAIPS DPS) and Jleeb Shyoukh (United India School) from 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm

This is a solo open general written quiz contest for participants, irrespective of age, nationality. The winners will be receiving attractive prizes. All quiz enthusiasts are welcome to test your quiz talent. For further details and free online registration log on to

http://www.nitcaakuwait.org/mahaquizzer. Registration open from 15th December 2015 to 30th January 2016.