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#### This Is It—the Long-Awaited Ijtima 1000 Is upon Us

The long awaited Ansar National Ijtima is now just a few days away. Nearly 950 brothers have <u>registered</u> online for Ijtima 1000 on 10/10 where for the first time 1000 Ansar brothers will proudly gather at an Ansar platform in the U.S., Insha'allah.

As you are getting ready to travel to the Ijtima, here are a few reminders from the Ijtima team:

- If you have not already done so, please <u>register</u> for the Ijtima.
- If you need transportation upon your arrival or departure, please provide your itinerary <a href="here">here</a>, if you have not already done so.
- The 90 hotel rooms reserved at the Holiday Inn have all been booked by Ansar brothers. A list of the nearby hotels can be found <a href="here">here</a>.
- If you are not traveling by air and staying at the mosque, please do bring your sleeping bag and pillow, and do not forget to bring personal toiletries.
- Do pack a light jacket as it may get a little cold at night.
   The local weather info can be found here.
- Review Ijtima Sports Guidelines and Rules.
- Detailed Ijtima information can be found on <u>Ijtima Portal</u>.

The contact information is provided below. We look forward to seeing you at the Ijtima. May Almighty Allah be your protector. Amin.

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### What's new on the website

- Ijtima Transportation Request
- 2014 National Ijtima Team
- 2014 Ta'lim Test I Results
- 2014 Ta'lim Test II





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# **SCHOLARSHIPS**

#### 2014 Ta'lim Test II

The 2014 Ta'lim Test II is now available online. The deadline for taking the test is **December 14, 2014**. Please make every effort to take the test online atwww.ansarusa.org/TalimTest. The <u>PDF version</u> of the test is also available if you prefer to take the test on paper.



#### Friday, October 10

11:00 Registration

AM Lunch

12:00 Friday & Asr Prayers

PM

#### 1:15 PM Opening Session

Presiding: Ahsanullah Zafar, Amir Jama'at, USA

3:30 PM Recitation of the Holy Qur'an & Translation

Ansar Pledge - Faheem Younus Qureshi, Sadr Majlis

Poem Recitation & Translation

Welcome Address - Sadr Mailis

Opening Address - Ahsanullah Zafar, Amir Jama'at, USA

Announcements - Nazim Program

Silent prayer

#### **Majlis Shura (First Session)**

Presiding: Faheem Younus Qureshi, Sadr Majlis

4:15 PM

#### **Non-Shura Members (Interactive Workshops)**

Planning Your Finances and Writing a Will - Dawood Munir How Do We Facilitate Marriages of Our Children – Mansoor

4:15 PM Qureshi







5:30 PM

**Announcements** 

6:40 PM

Maghrib & Isha Prayers

6:50 PM Dinner

7:15 PM

**Shura Subcommittee Meetings** 

8:00 PM

**Sports Competitions** 

8:00 PM Table Tennis, Darts

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10:30 Lights Out

PM

11:00

PM

Saturday, October 11

5:45 AM Tahajjud Prayer 6:20 AM Fajr Prayer & Dars

8:00 AM Breakfast

**Morning Session** 

Presiding: Nazim Education Competitions

9:00 AM Recitation of the Holy Qur'an Competition

9:45 AM Impromptu Speech Competition

10:30 General Knowledge Competition

AM

**Talqin Amal: Health Talk** 

11:30 Presiding: Qa'id Health

AM

10-Minute Refreshments Break

12:10 Parallel Workshops

PM How to Talk to Our Children so They Will Listen?

Rizwan Alladin (Men's Prayer Hall)

12:20

PM Changing Habits, Achieving Dreams—A Personal

Development Workshop Mazhar Mansoor (Ijtima Gah)





#### Contact Us

- ♦ Sadr Majlis
- **♦** Editor

Zuhr & Asr Prayers

**Group Photo** 

1:20 PM

Lunch

1:35 PM

#### **Sports Competitions**

1:45 PM Volleyball, Basketball Hoops, Darts, Tug of War, 100 Meter Race

2:45

PM - Free medical tests, prepare your will, connecting for jobs, 5:45 PM review annual report, Tabligh, homeopathy (Ansar service booths)

3:00 PM

- Return to Mosque

6:00 PM Sadr Majlis Ansarullah, Canada/Sadr Majlis recognizes and responds to common questions

6:00 PM

Maghrib & Isha Prayers

#### **Big BBQ Dinner, Bonfire, Poetry**

6:50 PM

#### **Majlis Shura (Concluding Session)**

7:15 PM Subcommittee Reports
Conclusion of Majlis Shura

9:00 PM

11:00

PM

#### Sunday, October 12

5:45 AM Tahajjud Prayer 6:20 AM Fajr Prayer & Dars

8:00 AM Breakfast

#### **Morning Session**

9:00 AM Recitation of the Holy Qur'an & Translation 9:15 AM How YOU can become a Man of God - Imam Naseem Mahdi 9:45 AM What does it "really" take to be Men of God? - Facilitator: Imran Hayee

11:00

AM Break

#### 11:15 **Concluding Session**

Presiding: Ahsanullah Zafar, Amir Jama'at, USA AM

Recitation of the Holy Qur'an & Translation

Urdu Poem Recitation & Translation

Prize Distribution

Closing Remarks - Faheem Younus Qureshi, Sadr Majlis Closing Address - Ahsanullah Zafar, Amir Jama'at, USA

Ansar Pledge - Sadr Majlis

Silent prayer

Zuhr & Asr Prayers

1:15 PM Lunch

1:30 PM

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