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Pres. Talal Al Mannai (Seated 3rd from right) with Guest Speaker Mr. Nader Al Makhri (4th from right) with Members of the club

The Four-Way Test
"Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?"



.....Rotary Club of Adliya, President Talal Al Mannai opened the meeting with a welcome to all members, fellow Rotarian & guests. A special welcome was extended to our Guest speaker Mr. Nader Abbas Salman Al Makhri. Sgt-At-Arms Nezar Al Basri then introduced our visiting guests the overseas visiting Rotarian Claus Feyling who is a member at RC Sokndal- Norway and had a club banner exchanged with Club President Talal AL Mannai.. ADG



Khaled Tabbara introduced Our Guest Spekaer Mr. Nader Al Makhri, who give us a brief information as to how the center assists the people of Bahrain. After his talk members had few questions, which were optimistically answered by Mr. Al Makhri. Then on behalf of the club, Pres. Talal thanked Mr. Al Makhri and an Appreciation Certificate was handed over to him.

Announcements

DGN Nijad Al Atassi briefed members on the upcoming Annual Hand-over Gala-Dinner which will be a joint event with the two sister clubs, Rotary Club of Manama & Rotary Club of Sulmaniya and will be held at the Gulf Hotel (Al Zahle Restaurant) on Friday, 27th June 2008. Program of the event will be emailed to you shortly.

Members, we need your generous support & contribution towards Auction items and raffle prizes. Tickets are priced at BD. 20/- per person, and seat are limited, therefore please reserve your seats as earlier as possible, so that you will not be disappointed.

To make this joint Gala Handover dinner memorable and fruitful, your presence with your family and friends is solicited.

The raffle draw was conducted by Hameed Karimi and the winners were: 1) Rtn. Mahmood Al Yousif, Rtn. Saeed Al Alawi & Pres. Talal Al Mannai.

Today - Monday 23rd June 2008
RECOGNITION AWARDS CEREMONY
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Thought for Today

"It's better to ask some of the questions than to know all the answers."

--James Thurber

"I believe the purpose of my life is to learn, grow, and be the best possible person I can be," said a group member. "In order to do that, I must ask big questions of myself and God. I ask questions like What's love? What's my life's work? What's the best way to deal with this problem? How can I best plan for the future? Who and What is God? What constitutes an ideal friendship or marriage? What is the purpose of life? and What's preventing me from reaching my goal?"

"To me, asking big questions makes life an exciting adventure. I look upon everyone and everything as a partial answer to a larger question. Life is never boring to me. Or lonely. I treasure every experience as a means of expanding my knowledge and understanding."

Today I will have more questions than answers. I will ask big questions of God and myself. I will search for, and be receptive to, the answers to my questions in my daily experiences and endeavors.

Object of Rotary



The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- **FIRST-** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- **SECOND-** High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
 - **THIRD-** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
 - **FOURTH -** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



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JUNE



Birthday's

- Pres. Talal Al Mannai 5th June
- PP. Hassan Al Balooshi 22nd June



Anniversary

- DGN/PP Nijad Al Atassi 20th June

Rotary News Basket

ROTARY CALENDAR

JUNE

JUNE

Rotary Fellowships Month

The mission of Rotary International is to support its member clubs in fulfilling the Object of Rotary by:

- Fostering unity among member clubs;
- Strengthening and expanding Rotary around the world;
- Communicating worldwide the work of Rotary; and
- Providing a system of international administration.



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Secretary's report – Regular Rotary Meeting 16th June 2008

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| Members attended | 12 |
| Visiting Rotarian | 1 (Calus Feyling – RC Sokndal- Norway) |
| Visiting Guests | 2 |
| Speaker | 1 (Mr. Nader AL Makhri) |
| Total | 16 |
| Attendance percentage | 46% |
| Members attended are: | Pres. Talal Al Mannai, DGN/PP Nijad Al Atassi, Hameed Karimi, PP. Redha Faraj, IP Nazha Abu Hendi, Faiza Ghabrial, Mahmood Al Yousif, ADG Khaled Tabbara, Laith Shukayr, Dominique Diep & Nezar Al Basri. |

Photo Gallery





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Just for a laugh

Who's Faithful

A cagey man wanted to know if both his wife and girlfriend were faithful to him. So he decided to send them on the same cruise, and then he would question each one about the other's behavior. When his wife returned, he asked her about the trip in general, and casually asked her about the behavior on board. His wife commented; there was this woman "Sally T...." "She was a real tramp. She slept with nearly every man on the ship," A few days later the disheartened man then rendezvoused with his cheating girlfriend to ask her the same questions about his wife. His girlfriend said; you should have been there, there was love every where, specially this woman, "Mrs. Royal, she was a real lady." "How so?" the man asked.

"Well she came on board with her husband and never left his side."

For more information about Rotary and the club, please visit our web site at www.rotary2450.org & www.rotary.org
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