



Under The Slogan of Imam Hussein(P.B.U.H) as: A) Perpetual Rainfall & Bounty Conferer on all

Both Secretariat General of Al – Hussein's & Al-Abbas's Holy-Shrines Establish:
The Thirteenth World Cultural Spring Of Martyrdom Festival

For The Period Between

3rd -7th Of The Blessed Month Of Sha'ban 1438 H.

30April – 4 May 2017 A.D.

The Festival Includes

- 1- Commencement Celebration on Sunday, the 3rd of Sha'ban inside the courtyard of Al-Hussaini Holy – Shrine starting from 4.00 p.m.
 - 2- Quranic Eves:
 - 3- Religious Academy and Academic Studies and Researches.
 - 4- Formal rhymed – Arabic Verse. (A group of Highly Renowned Arab Poets from inside and outside Iraq)
 - 5- Popular Poetry (A Selected Number of Popular Poets)
 - 6- Religious anthems and oratorios
 - 7- Having a round to a number of accomplished projects transacted by both Secretariat General of both Hussein's and Al-Abbas Holy -Shrine
 - 8- Book Fair and Joined discs. (in collaboration with establishments and publication houses inside and outside Iraq)
 - 9- Special activities related to the participating delegates inside and outside the two Holy – Shrines
 - 10- A woman's symposium inside Al-Abbas Holy Shrine (P.B.U.H)
 - 11-Finalizing the celebration on Thursday, the 7th of Sha'ban in 1438 H., taking into consideration that some of these activities will extend alongside with the duration of the Festival such as visiting galleries, and the other parts are to be distributed according to the appointed days of the festival
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The Program of the Thirteenth of the Spring of Martyrdom Festival

The First Day: Sunday 3rd Sha'ban /1438 H. / 30th April / 2017 A.D.

Firstly: The Commencement of the Celebration

Place: The honorable Al-Hussain holy – Shrine's courtyard

Time: 4.00 P.M.

The Program

- 1- Perfumed Recitation of some verses of the holy Quran.
- 2- The Speech of Both Secretariat General of the two holy – Shrines to be delivered by the Legal Authority of Al – Abbas holy – shrine – his Eminence Sayyid Ahmmad As – Safi (May Allah, the Almighty keep him glorified))
- 3- The Speech of the Head office of the Shia's Endowments and Religious Affairs – his Eminence – Sayyid Ala – El – Musawi May Allah, the Almighty keep him glorified))
- 4in the form of traditional Arab Poetry.A Poem
- 5- A Word to be delivered by a representative from: Asian Continent
- 6- A Word to be delivered by a representative from: African Continent.
- 7- A period for the item of (Islamic Recommendations)
- 8- A Word to be delivered by a representative from: (Continent of Europe)
- 9- A Word to be delivered by : (Continent of America)
- 10- Honoring Chiefs of Al-Hussaini Mourning Processions who submitted assistance to the evacuees, the displaced and to the heroes of the holy Popular Mobilization Forces.
- 11- Paying a visit to the International Book Fair.(the area between the two holy-shrines)

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Secondly: Holding an Introduction Session between the members of the delegations in (Sayyid Al-Awsia City) located on the way to holy Karbala-Baghdad street where supper meals will be served in due time and the starting point is from Al-Hussain holy-shrine gate-way locally known (Bab Al-Qiblah) (P.B.U.H.) (Vehicles are ready to take them there).

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The Second Day: Monday 4th of Sha'ban 1438 H. equal to: 1/5/2017 A.D.

- 1- 9:00 a.m. Attendance for worshipping performance at Al-Abbas Holy-Shrine.
 - 2- Time 9:30 a.m. The Starting time of the First Session of Woman's Conference
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held within the festival activities at the hall of Imam Musa bin Ja'far (P.B.U.H.)

3- Time: 10:00 a.m. Imam Hasan (P.B.U.H.) for starting a session of the first researches.

4- Time: 1:30 at noon in response to his Eminence As – Sayyid the Legal Authority of Al-Abbas holy- Shrine (May Allah keep him safe and glorified) and hold a meeting with him and get them blessed by having their lunch at Al-Abbas Holy-Shrine Hospitality House.

5- Time: 4:00 p.m. The second session of Researches at Al-Abbas Holy-Shrine (Sayyid Al-Awsia) Hall.

6- Time: 4:00 p.m. The Second Session of Women's Conference which is to be held within the Festival's activities at Imam Al-Hasan Hall.(P.B.U.H.)

7- Time: 8:30 p.m. Eve of Popular Poetry at Al-Abbas Holy-Shrine.

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The Third Day: Tuesday 5/ Sha'ban 1438H. 2/5/2017 A.D.

First: 9:00a.m. Attendance to worshipping performance at Al-Hussain Holy-shrine

1- Time: 10:00 a.m. The Third Session for Researches at Al-Hussain Holy Shrine / Sayyid AL-Awsia)

2- Time: 1:30 p.m. subservient to the invitation directed from his Eminent Ash-Shaikh Abdul-Mahdi Al-Karbalai(May Allah keep him glorified) and hold a meeting with him and get blessed by having lunch at Al-Hussain holy-shrine Hospitality House.

3- Time: 4:00 p.m. The Fourth Research Session of Al-Abbas Holy-Shrine at Al-Imam Al-Hasan Hall.

4- Time: 8: 30 p.m. The First Quranic Recitation at Al-Hussaini Holy-Shrine

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The Fourth Day: Wednesday 6th / Sha'ban /1438 H.(3/5/2017)

First: Time: 9:00 a.m. Having a round to some programs of both Holy - Shrines.

Second: Time: 4:00 p.m. Poetry Session / Traditionally –Rhymed Verse at Al-Hussaini holy-shrine at (Sayyid Al-Awsia) Hall.

Third: Time: 8:30 p.m. Second Quranic Evening at Al-Abbas Holy-Shrine

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The Fifth Day: Thursday . 7/ Shaaban /1458 H. 4/5/2017 A.D.)

Firstly: Finalizing the Festival Celebration at Al-Abbas Holy-Shrine: Imam Hasan Hall (P.B.U.H.) Time: 4:00 p.m. which includes:

1- Perfumed Recitation of the holy Quran

2- A Speech of both Secretariat General of the Holy-Shrines to be delivered by

the legal Authority of Al- Hussaini Holy-Shrine his Eminence Ash-Shaikh Abdul Mahdi Al-Karbalai (May Allah keep him safe and glorified)

3- A Speech of the participating delegations

4- A poem in the traditional form of Arabic Poetry.

5- A Speech of the Holy-Shrines

6- Honoring the present guests

7- Announcement of the final activities of the Festival

Note:

A- There is a special honorary gift to be offered to the publication houses which were participants in the 13th International Karbala Fair which are within the Festival's activities on Friday 8th of Sha'ban / 1438H./ 5/5/2017A.D.)

At 9:30 a.m. at the area between the two holy shrines.

B- There is also another special gift to be given to the Satellite Channels and other media means , news agencies , broadcasting stations, journals and magazines on Friday 8/Shab'an/1438H.

5/5/2017A.D.at 3:00 p.m. at (Sayyid Al-Awsia Hall)

