



## Hyndburn Inter Faith Forum e-Bulletin N° 81

*Week of 18<sup>th</sup> April 2011*

### Hyndburn Inter Faith Forum (HIFF)

The Forum is holding its next meeting on Monday, 13<sup>th</sup> June 2011 at HV&CRC from 4.00pm – 5.30pm.

The Agenda for this meeting will be on The Network's website in the 'Downloads' section under HIFF, from Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May.

For dates of future meetings see the events section of the website.

If you would like to join the new committee or join HIFF then contact The Network. Alternatively if you would like to join HIFF you could complete the "Join Us Now" form, which can be found in the "Downloads" section of the website, under the HIFF category and return it to The Network.

Link for "Join Us Now" form; <http://tinyurl.com/4pnyy2s>

### RICU

#### RICU Weekly Talking Points

Please find attached this weeks RICU Talking Points paper.

The Talking Points is for Government departments and statutory organisations dealing with counter-terrorism. It is intended to inform you about Counter Terrorism issues that have been covered in the media and to help you to respond to any concerns generated as a result. It is not intended to provide detailed briefing about Government policies, and explaining these issues to the media is the role of relevant departmental press offices.

The paper considers:

Libya and the Qatar Summit  
The French 'burqa ban'

#### RICU Weekly Counter Terrorism Analysis Paper

Please also find attached this weeks RICU Weekly Counter Terrorism (CT) Analysis paper. This paper is intended to provide background information on the CT communications environment.

The Home Office are keen to receive any feedback you may have about either product in order to make them as useful as possible for you and your audiences.

## **Women's Voice Event -Role/Responsibilities of a Muslim Mother. Dialogue**

**7th May 2011, 1.00pm–3.30pm, at Spring Hill Primary School, Accrington.**

**For Women only, Crèche available.**

**If you would like WV to raise issues that concern you and your communities, or for any further information on the present and future topics, please contact Saeda Hussain on 07849 376830 or email: saeda96@hotmail.co.uk**

## **Perspectives of Mohammed from a Christian point of view. Dialogue**

**A talk by Philip Lewis, on 12th May 2011, 7pm-9pm at Blackburn Cathedral (location to be confirmed).**

## **Arranged/Forced Marriages and Honour based Violence. Free Workshop**

**9am-4pm on 18th May 2011, please contact CVS for location.**

**The Forced marriage workshop will cover the difference between arranged and forced marriage, cultural reasons behind it, religious and legal perspectives, indicators, dealing with an incident, and multi-agency working.**

**The Violence workshop will cover concepts and history of honour violence in different societies, results of having or losing honour, dealing with an issue, indicators and multi-agency working.**

**Both are highly inter-active. The environment is relaxed and inspires participation, and Chatham House Rules apply.**

**To book email [susanseymour@hyndburnandribblevalleycvs.org](mailto:susanseymour@hyndburnandribblevalleycvs.org) or telephone 01254 879966 and ask for Susan or Jill.**

## **Communities Together**

**This is a joint project between Hyndburn Community Network and Aawaz. Through our work we are bringing better understanding between communities helping towards integration and harmony. If you would like us to attend on of your meetings to explain more or would like us to have a stand at one of your events please contact the Network.**

**IF YOU OR YOUR ORGANISATION HAS INFORMATION OR MATERIAL THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE INCLUDED IN THESE e-BULLETINS, PLEASE CONTACT US BY EMAIL WITH THE DETAILS:[admin@hyndburncommunitynetwork.org.uk](mailto:admin@hyndburncommunitynetwork.org.uk)**

## **About Hyndburn Inter Faith Forum (HIFF)**

**The Hyndburn Inter Faith Forum was initiated in partnership with Hyndburn Community Network:**

**'to promote positive relations between the faiths in Hyndburn and become a vibrant network to develop better relationships between faiths through discussions, dialogue and sharing information in relation to faith issues'.**

**The Forum works closely with Lancashire Forum of Faiths and other Faith organisations in the North West.**

**The Forum meetings can be seen in the table below, the meetings are currently held in the Hyndburn Voluntary and Community Resource Centre building on Cannon Street. The Forum**

is also going on the road and will be hosting its events at venues throughout Hyndburn, please contact the Network for up to date information on the next event.

Hyndburn Inter Faith Forum	Monday	13/06/11	4:00 PM	5:30 PM
Hyndburn Inter Faith Forum	Monday	18/07/11	4:00 PM	5:30 PM

\*Held in the Network Room at the Hyndburn Voluntary and Community Network Resource Centre,  
Old St James' School, Cannon Street, ACCRINGTON. Tel: 01254 232426

For more information about the Forum please download the Quick Guide on HIFF and event posters from the download section of the [website](#). Also check out the Events page for details of upcoming meetings and events.


### Membership

The Hyndburn Inter Faith Forum is open to anyone to attend the meetings, and has over 30 members.

In-between meetings a wide range of information is disseminated to members on other events, training and relevant opportunities available in the Hyndburn and wider area. If you are interested in attending the Hyndburn Interfaith Forum or would like to join the Forum and receive this regular information please contact the Network: 01254 232426; mobile 07599 106670 or

Email: [admin@hyndburncommunitynetwork.org.uk](mailto:admin@hyndburncommunitynetwork.org.uk)

### Funding

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