

# BANGLADESH ASSOCIATION OF HONG KONG (BAHK) QUARTERLY

# **NEWSLETTER**

## **Observance of the International Mother Language Day on 21 February 2024**

The Bangladesh Association of Hong Kong celebrated International Mother Language Day on February 21, 2024, at the Theatre Hall of Sheung Wan Civic Centre. The event was held in collaboration with the Bangladesh Consulate General in Hong Kong. Distinguished guests including Consul Generals from various countries and members of the community attended the event.







## Islamic discussion at Bangla School on the importance of the Holy Month of Ramadan on 16 March 2024

BAHK and Bangla School jointly arranged an Islamic Discussion on the importance of Ramadan on 16th March 2024 at BAHK Premises. Two famous scholars namely Chief Imam of Hong Kong, Mufti Dr. Nahvi Azhari and Mufti Muhammad Iftekhar discussed the importance of Ramadan and other Islamic topics. Bangla school students recited from the Quran and performed Islamic songs at the event.



#### **Celebration of the Independence & National Day of Bangladesh**

BAHK EC members participated in the Independence and National Day Celebration Program hosted by the Consulate General of Bangladesh in Hong Kong on 26th March to celebrate the program together. It took place at the consulate premises and the Consul General presided over the event. The program was further enriched by the enthusiastic attendance of community members, adding to the spirit of unity and patriotism.





#### Iftaar Fund handover to the Masjid Committees-

To show our unity and commitment to the Muslim community in Hong Kong, BAHK collected Iftar funds from the community members and donated it to the Masjids and Madrasas in Hong Kong that offered free Iftar to the Muslim community during Ramadan.



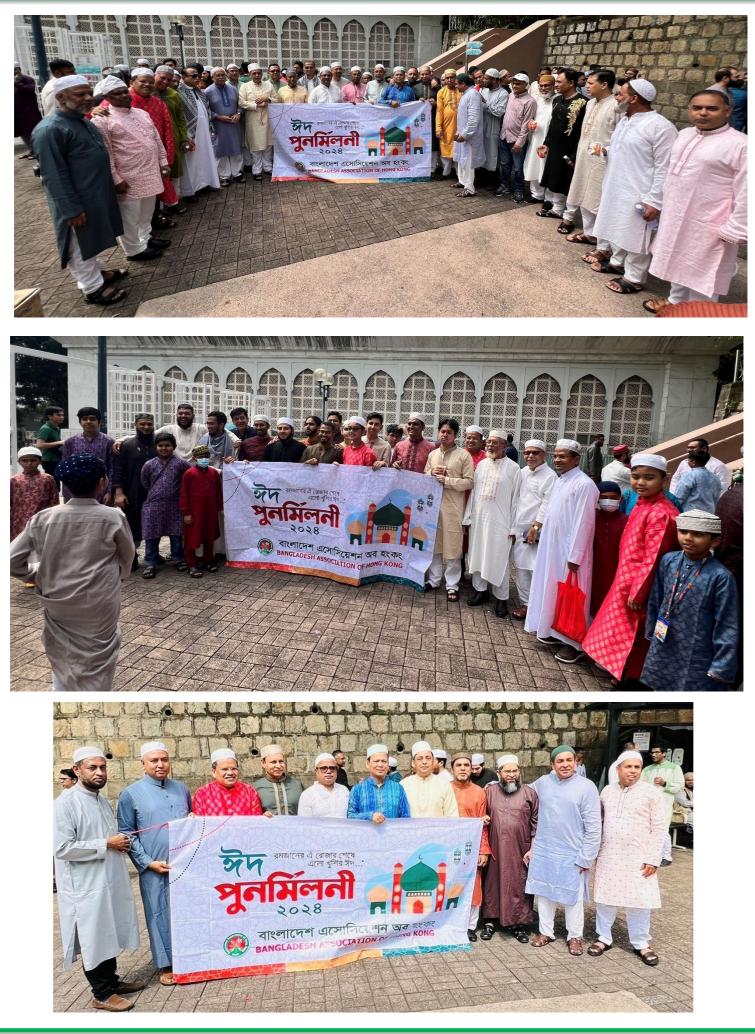


## **'Eid Day' morning gathering at Kowloon Park**

BAHK arranged a get-together at the park adjacent to Kowloon Majid on Eid Day (10th April 2024) after Eid payers for the Bangladeshi community members. Members attended the gathering to meet each other and exchange Eid greetings. Traditional Semai and light refreshments have been served to the participants.



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#### **Eid-ul-Fitr Reunion held on 13 April 2014 at the Pakistan Club**

BAHK organized a vibrant Eid Reunion on 13 April 2023 at the Pakistan Club, bringing the community together in a delightful gathering. The event was attended by community members along with the esteemed presence of the Consul of Bangladesh in Hong Kong. It was an evening filled with the spirit of Eid-ul-Fitr.



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#### Celebration of the Bengali New Year / Phohela Boishakh on 14 April 2024

The Bangladesh Association of Hong Kong celebrated Bengali New Year 1431 on 14 April 2024 at King George V. Memorial Park. The event featured cultural performances, a vibrant Boishakhi Mela, and food stalls with delicious Bangladeshi delicacies. District officials, consulate representatives, and community members joined in the celebration. The district officer of the YTM district, the Consul of Bangladesh Consulate General, Hong Kong, EM leaders, district councillors, and community members participated in this joyous celebration.



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#### Free Influenza Vaccination Day on 27 April 2024

BAHK hosted a 'Free Influenza Vaccination Day' for the community at BAHK premises on 27 April 2024. The event was open to all age groups (6 months and above). Winning Resources LTD (WRL) generously sponsored the vaccination fees for individuals aged 18-49 years. Community members actively participated in this important vaccination initiative. The initiative aimed to promote the health and well-being of community, and BAHK extends heartfelt appreciation to all those who took part in this valuable event.



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