

Enhancing Dental Care in Bahrain

450 participants in Bahrain International Dental Conference and Exhibition

● **Dr Showaiter unveils primary Health care centers' commitment to top-notch dental treatments**

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Dr. Lulwa Showaiter, CEO of Primary Health Care Centers, emphasized the commitment of primary health care centers to deliver top-notch oral and dental treatments during the eighth edition of the Bahrain International Dental Conference and Exhibition.

Speaking during the closing ceremony, she highlighted their focus on regular examinations, raising awareness, ed-



Participants during the conference

ucating the public about best practices, and offering essential treatments.

Dr. Showaiter underscored dedication to regular check-ups, public awareness initiatives, educational outreach on best practices, and the delivery of

essential treatments. She also stressed the ongoing importance of their referral system for specialized dental cases, ensuring that patients in need of specific expertise receive accurate diagnoses and expert care.

Further, Dr Showaiter com-



mended the tireless efforts of the qualified medical team, emphasizing their work in providing preventive, curative, and awareness services to all members of society, contributing to the Kingdom of Bahrain's competitive position in the field of health

services.

Dr. Mohammed Shahda, Chairman of the Conference and Exhibition, spoke about the event's timing amid rising healthcare costs, complexities, and the growing prevalence of chronic diseases. He empha-

sized the crucial role of collaboration and communication among healthcare professionals, highlighting how such cooperation is essential to enhance the quality of healthcare services and ensure proper dental care delivery to patients.

Spanning three days, the Dental Conference aimed to establish an international platform for experts, doctors, and professionals to exchange knowledge and experiences. This edition marked a milestone, receiving accreditation for 20 continuing medical education hours from the NHRA. Notably, the organizers incorporated the colour pink into the event's visual identity for the first time to promote awareness about the importance of gum health maintenance and the prevention of gum diseases.

Large crowd of fans flock to BIC for WEC pit walk, autograph session



Fans have memorabilia signed by WEC drivers in the autograph session

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A large crowd of fans attending this weekend's Bapco Energies 8 Hours of Bahrain at Bahrain International Circuit (BIC) enjoyed yesterday a World Endurance Championship (WEC) pit-lane walk and autograph session.

The race-goers got an up-close-and-personal look at the WEC teams and their cars in



The large crowd in the pit-lane walk

their respective garages and also got a chance to meet the championship's superstar drivers. They took pictures with them and had memorabilia signed.

The pit walk and autograph session are always well attended by motorsport enthusiasts in major international events at BIC, and they are fan favourites as they bring them closer to the heart of the sport.

Police arrest man for stealing jewellery, cash from houses



Representative picture

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A 34-year-old man has been arrested by the Southern police on charges of stealing gold jewellery and money from two houses in the governorate.

The Southern Governorate Police Directorate reported that the individual is suspected of pilfering these valuables and cash from homes located in different areas within the governorate.

The suspect, whose nationality is withheld, was arrested based on a complaint lodged by the victims.

Cops said they formed a team and opened an investigation soon after receiving a report about the burglaries.

Police said they inspected both houses and gathered crucial information that led to the identification and subsequent arrest of the suspect.

Law enforcement successfully recovered the stolen items from the suspect's possession.

All necessary legal procedures have been executed, and the case has been forwarded to the Public Prosecution for further legal proceedings.

This unique roundabout serves as a feathered Oasis!

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The term "extraordinary" hardly seems an exaggeration when describing this remarkable roundabout located in Um Al Hassam, Bahrain.

For, unlike the typical traffic roundabouts, this one serves as an exclusive haven for the Kingdom's feathered inhabitants - pigeons.

Crafted with stone cobbles, this unique roundabout has become a daily congregation point for pigeons and a source of delight for bird enthusiasts.



Unsurprisingly, this avian haven, nestled amidst bustling restaurants, has become a popular destination for bird lovers.

As the pigeons flutter and coo, the ground glistens with scattered seeds thoughtfully provided by local eateries.

Nearby residents eagerly join in by sprinkling grains, seeds, cereal crops,

and plant seeds, despite official warnings.

The community here generously shares leftover bread and seeds, serving as delightful treats for the avian residents.

It thus stands as a shining example of the Kingdom's reverence for animals and its harmonious coexistence with nature.

However, it's important to note that The Daily Tribune previously reported on a campaign launched by officials from the Muharraq Municipality.

This initiative discourages the feeding of animals in the streets and public spaces due to complaints from several locals about attracting pests and vermin.

Signs prohibiting such practices have been posted by the municipality, and fines of 300 BD are now imposed for non-compliance.