### **Experience** the World in **One Place: BIS Multicultural** Fest 2023!

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m havans ext{-}Bahrain\ Indian\ School\ (BIS)\ organ-}$ ised a Multi-Cultural Fest on December 12, 2023. The charitable initiative was organized as a part of the week-long Bahrain National Day Celebration.

This charitable endeavor, which promised a fascinating blend of cultures and a strong sense of community, stood out as a noteworthy event. Festive atmosphere filled the air as students, dressed in the colorful clothing of their respective countries, brought a transformation to the school grounds.

Mr. Himanshu Verma, the director of the school, officially inaugurated the event, which then commenced an elaborate showcase of diverse cultural performances such as dances, songs, and more from various parts of the world.

All day long, the courtyard was vibrant with displays of dances, cuisine, and traditions from 11 different cultures, revealing a plethora of insights. All the grades participated by setting up stalls.

# Spectacular celebration



Young and old share the joy of the occasion







The Southern Municipality decorated a number of major landmarks and public streets on the occasion of the national holidays.

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dents of Madinat Khal- Throne.

ifa the Kingdom of Bahrain's H.E. Deputy Southern Gover- and witnessed broad partici- in the directorate's section in munity partnership in coordi-National Days, in commemo- nor Colonel Hamad Mohammed pation in Bahraini Traditional the tent. ration of the establishment Al Khayyat attended the event, Ardha. of the modern Bahraini State which was held with the sup-

as an Arab and Muslim state port and follow-up of HH South- Kaabi delivered a national poem, gramme of various activities founded by Ahmed Al Fateh ern Governor Shaikh Khalifa bin which was followed by Bahraini from December 10 to 21, out he Southern Governorate in 1783, and the anniversary of Ali bin Khalifa Al Khalifa. The Ardah. The General Directorate of its keenness on community celebrated with the resi- His Majesty's Accession to the event showcased the historical of Media and Security Culture and national participation by

The poet Ahmed Juma Al has prepared an integrated pro-society institutions.

and national heritage of Bahrain distributed Watani magazine strengthening the role of com-

nation with various security and The Southern Governorate governmental agencies and civil

## **RCSI Medical University of** Bahrain reaffirms strong ties with Government Hospitals



RCSI Bahrain President, Professor Sameer Otoo, and Executives with His Excellency Shaikh Hesham bin Abdulaziz Al Khalifa and Government Hospitals delegation

lege of Surgeons in Ireland Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Bahrain, along with members Bahrain, and their new leaderof the University's Executive ship positions. Committee, extended a warm

Associate Professor in Medicine and patient care in Bahrain."

at RCSI Medical University of Bahrain: and Dr. Amer Alderazi, from the Government Hospi- cultivate graduates equipped President of Bahrain Medical tals lauded the significant role with the knowledge and ex-Society. The meeting was also the University plays in the acperience necessary to support attended by several executives ademic and medical training the development of national

Professor Otoom extended con- they emphasized the pivotal gratulations to the delegation role of RCSI Medical Univerfrom Government Hospitals, sity of Bahrain in developing Professor Sameer Otoom, acknowledging the high royal clinical training programs for President of the Royal Col- trust they received from His doctors post-graduation. (RCSI) Medical University of Khalifa, King of the Kingdom of **Expansion plan** 

welcome to His Excellency played by the health sector, Propansion plan by Mr. Stephen Shaikh Hesham bin Abdulaziz fessor Otoom expressed appre- Harrison-Mirfield, Managing AlKhalifa, Chairman of the ciation, stating, "We congratu- Director. Mr. Fadi Ghosn, Head Board of Trustees of Govern- late the Government Hospitals of Recognition, Careers, and ment Hospitals, and Her Excelfor their role in providing opti-Alumni, provided insights into lency Dr. Maryam Al Jalahma, mal health services to the peo- the internship program offered Chief Executive of the Govern- ple of Bahrain. At RCSI Medical to students at the American ment Hospitals. The purpose of University of Bahrain, we value Mission Hospital, while Profesthe gathering was to engage in the longstanding relationship sor Naji Alamuddin, Associate discussions regarding potential and partnerships with the Gov- Professor in Medicine & Depuavenues for further cooperation. ernment hospitals, and we look ty Head of the School of Med-Joining the assembly were forward to strengthening our icine, presented the training esteemed figures such as Profes- collaboration to further enhance programs available to students. sor George Cheriyan, CEO/Chief health services. Together with

At the onset of the session, regional levels. Additionally, and beyond, officials said.

The meeting included up-In recognition of the vital role dates on the University's ex-

Embedded in RCSI Bahrain's Medical Officer of the American the support of our stakeholders commitment to development Mission Hospital; Professor Ju- and partners, we are committed and enhancement is collaboraliane Kause, Advisor to the CEO to expanding the broader impact tion with partners to promote of Government Hospitals and of the University on healthcare teaching and research focused on Bahrain's national health-Responding in kind, officials care priorities. The goal is to and academic faculty members. sectors at both national and healthcare programs in Bahrain

