

In the Name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful

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Official Program

Open Day 24 June 2006 (10am-4pm)

- 12:00** Welcome & Introductions by MC: **Mr. Mohammed Berjaoui**,
President of the Islamic Council of the ACT
- 12:05** Azaan* (Call for Zuhr (noon) prayer**) by a Muslim
- 12:10** Address by **Hon. Jon Stanhope** MLA, ACT Chief Minister
- 12:20** Address by **Mr. Les Hetherington**, Director of the National
Action Plan Section of Multicultural Affairs Branch, Department
of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs
- 12:35** Closing address by **Mr. Mohammed Berjaoui**
- 12:40** Zuhr (noon) Prayer led by **Imam Mohammed Swaiti**

*Azaan (call to prayer)

Allahu Akbar (repeated 4 times)

God (Allah), He is magnificent/the greatest.

Ashahadu an laa ilaha ila-Allah (repeated)

I bear witness that there is no god except God (Allah).

Ashahadu anna Muhammadan Rasulu Allahi (repeated)

I bear witness that Muhammad is the Messenger of God (Allah).

Haya `ala al-salah (repeated)

Come quick to the prayer.

Haya `ala al-falah (repeated)

Come quick to success.

Allahu Akbar (repeated)

God (Allah) He is magnificent/the greatest.

Laa ilaha ila-Allah

There is no god except God (Allah).

** Zuhr is the second of the five daily prayers, it occurs from after noon. The first is "Fajr" at dawn, the third is "Asr" at afternoon from when the shadow is twice the length of an object, the fourth is "Maghreb" at dusk, the final is "Ishaa" at night (1 and a half hours after dusk).

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