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5th Yadudu Workshop Offers Free Liver Disease Tests

The 5th Annual Yadudu Foundation Workshop on Liver Disease has offered a free Hepatitis B virus (liver disease) test to scores of people in order to sensitize them to take preventive care as part of the foundation's magnanimous gesture.

The Management of Yadudu Foundation in collaboration with the Aminu Kano Teaching Hospital organized the 5th Workshop on Saturday 25th May, 2013 at the Aminu Kano Centre for Democratic Research and Training.

The Guest Speaker at the occasion, Dr. M. Alkali Dambam, who is also the Chief Medical Director of Abubakar Tafawa Balewa University Teaching Hospital, Bauchi said 100 different diseases of liver can infect an individual due to some factors like genetics, nutrition and toxins, and its symptoms are excessive tiredness, lack of drive, dark urine, stomach swells and occasional itching. He pointed out that up to 50% of individuals with the disease have no such symptoms.

Dr. Dambam advised people for good nutrition as a way of supporting normal liver function.

While explaining that acute and chronic viral constitute 12% admission in Africa, the guest speaker advised government at all levels and NGOs to continue to create awareness and support the patients with liver disease.

Earlier in his speech, the CMD of AKTH, Professor Aminu Zakari Mohammed, said liver disease does not have any symptom at the child stage, but after a person has grown up, it manifests and kills instantly. He expressed the AKTH's readiness to continue to assist patients with hepatitis B virus and emphasized the need for people to go for proper check-ups.

Chairman of the Yadudu Foundation and father of the late Captain Isma'il Yadudu, Professor Auwalu Hamisu Yadudu, admitted that the idea behind the activities of the foundation was pre-conceived by the late captain, who prior to his demise proposed certain precautions for people against the virus and those who were already infected.

Prof. Yadudu further explained that the deceased was also fond of assisting Islamic schools. "That is why the foundation supports Islamic schools and built boreholes in order to immortalize him". He added that the foundation would in the near future come up with something new that will impact positively on the society.

Chairman of the occasion, Dr. M. M. Borodo, said the foundation and the AKTH organized the workshop to the wider society to provide unique service and sensitize the people on the important prevailing condition.

Dr. Borodo noted that the 25th May, 2013 coincided with the World Hepatitis Day, as such people should make maximum use of the



day to take appropriate medical check-up in order to prevent the infection of the virus.

The Special Guest of Honour and the Commissioner for Health, Kano State, Dr. Abubakar Labaran Yusuf, said journalists have crucial role to play in educating Nigerians about health issues.

The theme of the workshop was: Liver in Health and Disease.

Science Tops Inter-Faculty Games, As SMS Wins Football Event

The Faculty of Science has emerged as the overall winners of the 12th Inter-Faculty/Hall games after clinching three gold medals in Volleyball, Handball and Basketball.

The games, which took place between Monday 20th May and Saturday 25th May, 2013, also saw the Faculty of Social and Management Sciences grab two gold medals in Football and Track and Field.

The football final match between the Faculties of



Players of the Faculty of Social & Management Sciences celebrating with the trophy they won in football

Social and Management Sciences and Engineering marked the closing ceremony of the fiesta and the former won by a 1 – 0 slim victory over the later, thanks to a Thomas Tene's 16th minute goal.

The hard-fighting Faculty of Engineering tried to restore parity but could not penetrate the brick -wall defence of SMS marshaled by Shaaba Musa.

The SMS had their defence maestro, Shaaba Musa, sent off after a second booking barely 10 minutes to the end of the match. This ignited the Engineers to mount pressure in search of the equalizer but the SMS goalkeeper and defenders remained firm till the final whistle.

SMS's Ibrahim Isa (A.K.A. Christiano) emerged as the top scorer with 5 goals after his incredible hat-trick in a 5-1 thriller against the Faculty of Medicine and two ferocious goals in the semi-final against Faculty of Science.



During the presentation of trophies to the winners, the Chairman of the 12th edition, Professor Lasun Emiola, acknowledged the participation of the athletes from various faculties and commended the University Management for its contribution to make the event a success.

Prof. Emiola stated that the games served as an avenue for scouting talented athletes that would represent the University in the upcoming national and international games.

On his part, the elated Dean of the Faculty of SMS, Professor Adamu Ibrahim Tanko, congratulated his players for making the Faculty proud and expressed happiness for the conduct of the games.

Meanwhile, the Faculties of Education, Agriculture and Engineering emerged winners in Badminton, Table Tennis and Chess respectively.

It will be recalled that the 11th edition of the Inter-Faculty games took place in July, 2011 and the Faculty of Science was crowned the overall winner after grabbing 13 gold, 11 silver and 4 bronze medals.

S.U.G. Donates To Children in Partnership With Qahar, Roteract Club

The Student Union Government (S.U.G.) in collaboration with Roteract Club and a non – governmental organization, Qahar Foundation, donated items worth thousands of Naira to indigent children within the University community.

A statement issued by the S.U.G Public Relations Officer, Liman Abdullahi Usman, said the ceremony took place at the Union's Secretariat last week to identify with the indigent children to make them feel part and parcel of the community.

A Roterer, Ibrahim Adeleye, said the main purpose of the event was to commemorate World Children's Day. Items distributed include: toiletries, food items, clothes and slippers.

Some of the beneficiaries who are mostly errand boys known as "Debo Ruwa" expressed appreciation for the gesture.

BUK Commences Students Audit Exercise

The Management of Bayero University, Kano hereby announces the commencement of an audit of all its current students (sub-degree, undergraduate and postgraduate) under the following guidelines:

- 1. Level coordinators shall instruct each student in their level to collect, fill and return the special audit form (being distributed) within 48 hours from the time of collection.
- 2. At the point of collection, students are to sign the accompanied collection register. HODs should produce enough copies of the collection register.
- 3. All components of the audit form must be filled and signed by every student
- 4. The audit is for ALL CURRENT STUDENTS of Bayero University Kano (sub-degree, undergraduate and



- postgraduate), and is not a replacement for the registration exercise
- 5. After submission by students, each form shall be signed by the level coordinator and the HOD, and be kept in the department
- 6. At the end of the exercise, all retrieved forms shall be submitted to the Dean of the Faculty for subsequent collection by the committee.
- 7. The period for the audit exercise is 2 weeks: Friday 31st May to Friday 14th June, 2013.
- 8. This communication should please be treated as URGENT.

The Management Committee on the Students Audit, under the chairmanship of Professor Mustapha Ahmad Isa, seeks the maximum cooperation of all stakeholders in this audit exercise, namely Deans and the Directors of ICE and IIIBF, HODs, level coordinators and students.

Level Three Student Slumps and Dies in Classroom

A Level 300 student of Mathematical Sciences Department has been reportedly dead during an interactive tutorial class with his colleagues. Abdulkarim Ibrahim Yusuf, who hails from Okene Local Government of Kogi State, slumped and died instantly while leading the tutorial class last week.

A statement signed by the HOD of Mathematical Sciences, Dr. Aisha A. Haliru, said Abdulkarim was a hard-working student who exhibited an unenviable sense of patience and commitment to his studies. He died in his third year of studies.

Meanwhile, the Student Union Government (SUG) through its Public Relations Officer, Liman Abdullahi Usman, has expressed its deep sorrow and commiserated with the family of the deceased, his colleagues and the entire members of the University.

The late Yusuf is survived by a pregnant wife, parent and many relatives. He has since been buried according to Islamic rites.

The S.U.G. prayed to Allah to grant him an eternal rest.

Leaders of Tomorrow Training Programme (Phase 3)

This is to inform the underlisted students, who have undergone the Phase One and Two of Leaders of Tomorrow Training Programme organized by the British Council, Nigeria, that they have been selected to represent the University at the Phase Three (Final Phase) of the said programme.

A statement signed by the Director, Academic Affairs, Hajiya Fatima Binta Mohammed, said the programme shall run from June $10^{th} - 14^{th}$, 2013 at African University of Science and Technology, KM 10, Airport Road, Galadimawa, Abuja FCT. All expenses shall be paid by the British Council.

The names of the participants are:

- 1. Ekenechukwu Samuel
- 2. Faith Thaddaeus



- 3. Ibrahim Adeleye
- 4. Muhammad Ahmad
- 5. Iliyasu Muhammad
- 6. Sani Ibrahim

SECURITY ALERT

This is to remind the University community that in our efforts to secure and protect members of the University community and individual properties in the Campuses, the Security Directorate has continued to maintain its operation lines for Units Heads and beats. The lines are on 24 hours alert and members of the University community are advised to contact the relevant officer as they deem fit in cases of distress call and for other emergency response. The distribution of the lines is as follows:

(a) Officers:

1. Director of Security - 08033010383 (Private line) 08095212221 (Official 8pm – 8am)

2.	Deputy Director	08095212202
3.	OIC New Campus Unit	08095210665
4.	OIC Old Campus Unit	08095210641
5.	OIC Outpost Unit	08095212222

(b) New Campus Unit:

1.	Duty Room New Campus	08095210652
2.	Gate 'B' (Main Gate)	08095210649

(c) Old Campus Unit:

1. Duty room Old Campus	08095210646
2. Gate 'B' (Main Gate)	08095210662

Farming Within the University Residential Area

This is to remind members of the University community that the management policy which proscribes farming within the residential areas is still in force. Now that the rainy season has just began, staff members who wish to plant crops **MUST NOT** plant stem growing crops. Any person who violates the policy would have his crops destroyed and might face disciplinary action, a statement from the Directorate of Security Services said.

A team of Security officials will emberk on house to house visits to ensure compliance of this policy. Defaulters would be arraigned before the Staff Disciplinary Committee for appropriate sanction.

Staff Model Primary School

Settlement of Third Term School Charges

This is to inform members of the University community that parents/guardians whose children are attending Staff Model Primary School are hereby requested by the School Management Board to endeavor to settle all school charges by 14th June, 2013.

A statement signed by the School Principal, Haruna Mohammed Shanono, warned that the school will be compelled to apply operation show your receipt at the school gate before the children are allowed into the school premises by 17th June, 2013.



Sale of Primary One & Transfer Admission Forms for 2013/2014 Session

This is to inform the University community and the general public that interested parents and guardians seeking for 2013/2014 session admission for their wards into either primary one new-intakes or transfer cases are to come and purchase the forms from the school accountant as from 3rd June, 2013 and return them to the school on or before 12th July, 2013 at the following rates:

i) University staff - №1,000.00

ii)Non-University staff - N2,000.00

Faculty/Departmental Seminar Series

Department of Education

The Department of Education invites the University community to its seminar series, scheduled to hold as follows:

Presenter 1: Vunti Yakubu Ibrahim

Topic: 'Validation of Total Learning Environment Assessment and Purdue Teacher Option Survey Instrument for Senior Secondary School in Bauchi State.'

Supervisor: Professor S. O. Olubadewo

Presenter 2: Igbaji Clement

Topic: 'Construction and Validation of Measuring Instrument for Implementation of Technical/Vocational Education Policies in Secondary Schools in the North West Geographical Zone of Nigeria.'

Supervisor: Professor S. O. Olubadewo

Date: 5th June, 2013

Time: 11:00am – 1:00pm Venue: Faculty Common Room

Department of Physical & Health Education

The Department of Physical and Health Education wishes to remind staffs and student of this month's "WALK" as follows:

Event: 'WALK FOR LIFE.'

Date: 8th June, 2013

Time: 8:00am

Venue:) Take Off Point (New Site Stadium)

LOST ITEMS

- 1) A wallet containing BUK Staff I.D. card, national identity card, A.T.M card and voter's card belonging to Abdussamad Isyaku of Agronomy Department.
- 2) A wallet containing identity card, bank receipt and passport photograph belonging to Abba Muhammad Ma'aruf.
- 3) A traveling bag containing Bayero University identity card, ATM card and a cheque book belonging to Tasi'u Aminu.
- 4) A bag containing credentials, A.T.M card, computer hard disc, Modem, set of keys and passport photograph belonging to Umar Bala.
- 5) A wallet containing A.T.M card, voters card, passports and student identity card belonging to Abdulhadi Yakubu Musa (SMS/08/ECO/00558).

If found please bring them to the Publications and Documentation Division for onward return to their owners.



List of Non-Teaching Staff Sponsored for Workshops, Seminars & Conferences from January – December 2012 (Part 4)

S/N	NAMES	DEPARTMENT	SEMINAR, CONF.	VENUE	DATE	DURATION
			NATIONAL/WORKSHOP			
59	Abdulkadir Haruna Barnawa	Health Services	National Conference / Scientific Workshop by Environmental Health Officers Ass. of Nig. (EHOAN)	Osogbo, Osun	19th – 23rd Nov. 2012	5 days
60	Muhammad Kabir Shittu	Internal Audit	Mandatory Continuing Professional Development Programme(ICAN)	Akure	3rd -6th December,2013	4days
61	Jamilu Salisu Ahmad	Internal Audit	Mandatory Continuing Professional Development Programme(ICAN)	Akure	3rd -6th December,2013	4days
62	Salisu Ibrahim	CIT	A workshop & meeting of the Nigerian Network Operators Group (ngNOG)	Kaduna Poly	26th Nov. – 1st Dec. 2012	6 days
63	Engr. Muhammad Haruna Saleh	PPD & MS	National Engineering Conference & Annual General Meeting.	Ilorin, Kwara	3rd – 7th Dec. 2012	5 days
64	Abdu Musa Haruna	Bursary	Mandatory Continuing Professional Development Programme (ANAN)	Akure	24th – 27th Dec. 2012	4 days
65	Deborah M. Falola	Bursary	Mandatory Continuing Professional Development Programme (ANAN)	Akure	24th – 27th Dec. 2012	4 days
66	Muhammad Sule Ringim	Bursary	Mandatory Continuing Professional Development Programme (ANAN)	Akure	24th – 27th Dec. 2012	4 days
67	Usman Gomina Ohikere	Bursary	Mandatory Continuing Professional Development Programme (ANAN)	Akure	24th – 27th Dec. 2012	4 days

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List of Non-Teaching Staff that Were Granted Approval For Study Fellowship From January to December 2012 (Part 1)

S/N	NAMES	DEPARTMENT	PROGRAMME	PLACE OF STUDY	DIRATION	WITH EFFECT FROM	REMARK
1	Ladi Benjamin	Staff Model Primary School	B. Ed Social Studies	FCE Kano	3 Years	13 th Jan, 2012	Fellowship
2	Rifkatu Shu'aibu Hildi	Staff Model Primary School	B. Ed Social Studies	FCE Kano	3 Years	13 th Jan, 2012	Fellowship
3	Muhammad Auwal Aliyu Dan-Kumbotso	CSNL	B.A Islamic Studies	National Open Univ. Kano Study Centre	4 years	9 th February, 2012	Self- Sponsorship
4	Usman S. Wada	University Library	Assistant Library Officer	Kaduna State Library Board	9 months	9 th February, 2012	Fellowship
5	Usman Yusuf	University Library	Assistant Library Officer	Kaduna State Library Board	9 months	9 th February, 2012	Fellowship
6	Ado M. Umar	University Library	Assistant Library Officer	Kaduna State Library Board	9 months	9 th February, 2012	Fellowship
7	Aminu G. Bala	Animal Science	HND Animal Production	Audu Bako College of Agriculture	2 years	9th February, 2012	Fellowship
8	Isah E. Iyaji	Registry	Higher Professional Diploma in Computer Studies	BUK	6 months	9 th February, 2012	Fellowship
9	Garba Talle	Physics	Professional Diploma in Computer Studies	BUK	6 months	9 th February, 2012	Fellowship
10	Taibat M. Popoola	Bursary	ANAN Mature Professional Course	Kano Study Centre	2 years	15 th March, 2012	Fellowship
11	Kabiru Bappa	Mechanical Engineering	ND. Mechanical Engineering	Federal Poly Bauchi	2 years	15 th March, 2012	Fellowship

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