

# April 2017

## KZBM Stitched Items

Sat 8 April 11:30 am to 1:00 pm

If you missed buying these at our Mela in March, feel free to catch up on above date and time.

## KZBM PROGRAMME

Picnic at the Turtle Beach

Sunday 16 April



Sunshine and blue sky! Time to relax on the beach and enjoy the refreshing water, with your family and friends. **Due to space constraint, the first 100 names will be accepted, so hurry up and buy your tickets!!**

Kindly bring your own breakfast, water/soft drink, pens for tambola game and mats to sit on. To avoid the sun, carry your own caps/hats and sunscreen lotion.

**Please inform the ticket sellers if you need transport, so arrangements are made accordingly. You may travel in your own car if you wish.**

Venue: Hut No. A-47, Turtle Beach

**Time: 9:30 am sharp coaster will leave from KPI**

Tickets: Rs 1,000 : Children 4-10 years Rs 500/- : Children under 3 years will be free

Tambola card will be sold at Rs 50/-

**Last Date: Friday 7 April 2017 till 1 pm.**

### Tickets available from:

Phiruzza Birdie - 35895057

Zareen Patel - 0321 2628167

Parveen Banaji - 32710015

Fureengeez Tampal - 0300 2300320

Roshan Vannia - 32250127

## Z-CLIPS

### Outstanding Result

#### By Sharmeen Bejan Garshasbi

Sharmeen Bejan Garshasbi successfully completed Masters in Marketing and Innovation Management from Edith Cowan University, Australia in December 2016, with outstanding results in Management Practicum and, Entrepreneurship, Innovation & Creativity.

The University's School of Business and Law has recognised her achievement with the following words:

“As a School, we believe this kind of accomplishment deserves to be recognised and celebrated. We understand the extent of the dedication and commitment required to reach this level of academic achievement and take pleasure teaching students who consistently aim to succeed.”

KZBM wishes Sharmeen an equally outstanding work life!

### Sharing the joy of Navroze

We know that the elderly always delight in the presence of young: Our thoughtful community makes this happen as often as workable. The Zoroastrian students in our two Schools are only a drop, therefore it is difficult for their Principals Furengeez Darius Tampal of the girls' school, and Kermin Soli Parakh of the boys' school to organise anything elaborate.

Yet couple of Zoroastrian students: Parinaz Marazban Talati and little Feroza Adil Vakil with their Zoroastrian Religion teacher Dosi Zubin Cooper of The Mama Parsi Girls' Secondary School visited each resident of BMH Parsi General Hospital with Navroze greens, painted eggs, greeting cards, and treats to bring smiles to all. The greeting cards could be seen fondly displayed on the bed-side unit of many elders. Here are some pictures taken on the occasion.



BVS Parsi High School sent five Zoroastrian students Farhad Mehernosh Dumasia, Fardeen Farshad Felfeli, Siyavash Cyrus Kapadia, Farzad Ardesher Najmi and Faramroze Ardesher Purveyor, with selected boys from the School Choir and their music instructor to entertain the elders at the BMH Parsi General Hospital. A selection of songs from 'King and I' performed by the primary section of the School earlier at their Primary School Concert, some local and western favourites were sung by the group. The students were accompanied by the Primary Headmistress, Perveen Zarir Pohwala and the Zoroastrian Religion teachers: Jasmin Piran Karanjia and Dilnawaz Jamshed Karanjia.

You can see the boys entertaining and later mixing with the elders with some refreshments, and presenting them lovely hand-made tissue box holders as a remembrance of the happy day.



At KZBM's Arman Home, Farzad Vispi Billimoria and Zarvan Aspi Sethna joined the above group of BVS Zoroastrian students, and entertained the residents. Here are some more pictures. At the Arman some guests had also joined in.





May all involved – including those quietly behind the scene – be blessed for the joy they brought. **SFG**

**MILESTONES**

**Maran**

Ex-Karachiite: Homai (Mody) Canteenwalla, W/O Shiawax, M/O Jambi and Zenia, on **24<sup>th</sup> February in Montreal, Canada.**

**Roda Darabshaw Bhagaria**, S/O Roshan Bhagaria, Homai Bhagaria and Perviz Kersi Kapadia and aunt of Dinyar Kapadia on **26<sup>th</sup> February**

**Savak Ardeshir Mistry**, uncle of Shireen Jehangir Shroff, Ardeshir and Sohrabji Mistry on **11<sup>th</sup> March**

**Vahishta Lim Meherjina**, sister of Ronnie Meherjina on **23<sup>rd</sup> March**

**POSTING**

**Roeinton Shroff**

**Mobile: # 0300-2369385.**

For Sukhad, Tacho, Agarbatti , Loban & Khara and dry bores.



**WHAT'S MORE**

## GOOD LIFE

A FACEBOOK POST WRITTEN BY HAVOVIE BOMANJI  
FROM THE UK, ON INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 2017



“Don't be that woman who feels she needs to compete with another woman. You are unique with your own very special gifts (perhaps as yet undiscovered) Keep the faith that your contribution will come and will be valid.

Don't be that woman who feels she needs to gossip about another woman to stay current within a particular inner circle. Be the one to put a tactful stop to it, withdraw from the conversation or better still attempt a more empowering change of topic.

Don't be one of those women who think another woman can steal your man. She can't. She may catch his eye, or have his ear, but steal him away she cannot, not without his full participation and consent.

Don't be a woman who doesn't think before she speaks. It's so easy to retaliate to harsh words with equal anger and hostility. Bide your time, respond when calmer, firmly but gently.

Don't be a woman that smothers her children with 'needy love'. Let them breathe, let them make mistakes, let them learn tough lessons. Encourage their independence of mind and spirit.

Don't be that woman who is afraid of what may lie ahead. Trust in your gut instincts, trust the Universe will provide whatever is required, whenever it is required.

Don't be that woman who is afraid of being alone. For in truth, you never are for a whole host of angels, departed ancestors and spirit guides are always with you. Embrace your solitude, relish your own company and use it to restore yourself.

Don't be that woman who can't admit she can be wrong. Give your apologies freely and humbly.

Don't be the woman who confuses intuition with paranoia. Envy and jealousy, though we are all capable of them at times, are destructive forces. Either choose to trust or not, there can be no half way house in this regard.

Be that woman who keeps her heart open, refusing to build walls around her heart, no matter how many times she may have been let down.

Be that woman who knows her strength lies in her empathy, her compassion and her kindness. Her ability to nurture,

her ability to forgive and not harbour pointless grudges.

Be that woman who understands the importance of nurturing herself. It's not an after- thought, but a priority. It's not selfish, it's essential.

Be that woman who can shine a light on the darkest of corners. Be that woman who knows her worth and embodies it.

Happy Women's Day to every single one of you and to all the men who value, respect and honour all that is a woman..... H xxx”

## OUR FAITH

### Man alone thinks and thoughts make man



Marvellous is the power of thought. Thinking is as natural to man as breathing. Thought has lifted man above the level of the animal world. It has raised him from the savage to the civilized state in life. Man's thought rules the world. The power to think is man's most precious right and his proudest privilege.

Thought is the seed of speech and action. When the seed is sound and strong, it germinates and sprouts and blossoms in the harvest of fine words and deeds.

Man, learns by seeing and hearing and reading the book of nature and studying human nature, but he learns the best by thinking. What he has pondered and thought over fills his mind and enriches it with lasting knowledge.

He lives best who thinks best. Let me then think for myself and let me never think through others. I may have my work done by others for me, but let me never get my thinking done for me by others. Let me think and think well and think deep, let me always think.

**Let me be a man of learning, but let me also be a thinker of original thoughts and creative thoughts. Let reason mould and regulate and control my thinking. Give me a thinking habit and give me clear thinking, before I venture upon bold thinking and profound thinking, Ahura Mazda.**

Let me think good thoughts and great thoughts and noble thoughts and gentle thoughts and beautiful thoughts and virtuous thoughts, and let them all build my character.

Vohu Manah is thy Good Thought, Ahura Mazda. Let him nurture my mind with his good thoughts. Let good thoughts alone ripen into words and deeds and let evil thoughts of Aka Manah wither and perish. Let righteous thoughts and devotional thoughts be my constant companions. Let my pious thoughts, concentrated on thee, be my silent daily prayer, Ahura Mazda.

*From: 'Homage Unto Ahura Mazda' by Dastur Dr M N Dhalla*

## AND...

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Trump- Who is it?

