

Canberra Masjid – Islamic Society of ACT

Ramadhan 1442AH Updates

25 Sha'ban 1442 AH / 7 April 2021

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

Welcome Ramadhan - Lecture this Friday 9 April 2021 after 'Isha'

Shaykh Abu Mouss'ab will inshaAllah be delivering a lecture on Ramadhan this Friday after 'Isha', its preparation and the associated rulings, followed by a Q&A session. Please bring your families and feel free to bring a plate to share afterwards.

Start of Ramadhan announcement - Sunday 11 April 2021

The ACT Imams Council will inshaAllah meet at the Canberra Masjid on 29 Sha'ban (Sunday 11 April) after Maghrib to announce the start of Ramadhan. Please check isact.org.au for updates. If you prefer **SMS updates**, please register by following instructions @ isact.org.au/register-for-sms.

Qari for Taraweeh

A Qari will inshaAllah be leading Taraweeh during Ramadhan. The 'Isha' iqaamah will be at **7.30pm sharp** everyday of the month. Please don't forget to register your entry into the Masjid through the *Check In CBR* mobile phone app.

Canberra Masjid Upgrade - Fundraising Drive

The [Canberra Mosque Fund Limited](http://CanberraMosqueFundLimited.com.au), an independent entity chaired by our esteemed Imam Shaykh Mohammed Swaiti, will inShaAllah continue to collect your donations throughout the month towards the **Canberra Masjid upgrade/extension**. More project progress updates will be provided soon inshaAllah as the extension plans and costings approach finalisation.

- Website: cmfl.com.au
- Donations: Canberra Mosque Fund Ltd | BSB: 062 908 | A/C: 1085 0582 | Commonwealth Bank

Iqaamah/Jama'ah times

Daily jama'ah/iqaamah times can now be viewed @ cbr.zuhd.org in addition to the [ISACT website](http://ISACTwebsite.com). This site has been developed by some volunteers to help the musallis with the timely attendance of the daily congregational prayers.

Ask Imam - Q&A

Questions for the imams can be sent by emailing secretary@isact.org.au throughout Ramadhan and at all other times. Shaykh Mohammed Swaiti will be answering questions in between Taraweeh prayers, as well as responding through email for all remaining questions. Q&A sessions are also held by Shaykh Abu Mouss'ab every Tuesday and Wednesday after 'Isha' outside of Ramadhan.

Zakat al-Fitr and Zakat al-Maal

Whilst Canberra Masjid does not have a preferred/endorsed charity, some charities will be allowed to collect at the Masjid during the month. Please do your due diligence before deciding on your charity of choice.

I'tikaf in the last ten days of Ramadan

Places are limited and allocated on a first-in best-dressed basis. Please contact on 041 7272 041 if interested.

Food packs for families this Ramadhan

Canberra Masjid will inshaAllah be collecting your generous donations of grocery items towards the preparation of **Ramadan Food Packs**. The food packs will consist of a range of typical non-perishable items only, such as:

lentils, rice, oil, pasta, legumes, canned vegetables, canned fish, long life/ powdered milk, sugar, flour, dates, biscuits, honey, cereals, etc.

Please note that this is a Canberra-wide initiative, centrally coordinated by a sincere brother who inshaAllah seeks no public recognition and is working only for the pleasure of Allah Subhanahu wa Ta'ala alone. The brother and his wife are well connected alhamdulillah with the less fortunate within our community through their social work.

If you'd like to donate cash instead, please call on 041 7272 041.

Iftaar and feed the fasting

Due to the current COVID restrictions, the iftaar arrangements at the Masjid will be limited. If you would like to arrange iftaar or donate towards feeding the fasting at the Masjid, please contact on 041 7272 041.

Weekly classes and Canberra Masjid School

The weekly evening classes will resume after Ramadhan inshaAllah.

The Canberra Masjid School, run on Sundays for children aged between 6 and 15 years, will resume after Term 1 school holidays. For more details, please contact on 0431 164 898.

YouTube/WhatsApp updates

The Islamic Society of ACT will post content on its [YouTube Channel](#) during Ramadhan:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMMuMr-n_mhBqz6vn2rVpnQ

All ISACT members will also be added to the WhatsApp groups for Masjid announcements and Daily Ahadeeth. Please opt out of the groups if you do not wish to receive these communications.

COVID Update

COVID restrictions continue to apply at all times including Taraweeh as per the [Canberra Masjid Sha'ban update](#). Upon entry to the Masjid, please register through the *Check In CBR* app by scanning the QR code displayed at every entry.

Volunteers needed

If you can assist with anything at all, small or big, with your time and/or skills, with sincerity only for the sake of Allah, please reach out as we are always short on time and volunteers to assist. Some examples of sought after skills:

- Website - to build a new, more modern and functional website
- Social Media - dissemination of information through various channels
- Building maintenance - for ongoing maintenance of the Masjid such as plumbing, electrical etc. and other capital works

General Canberra Masjid Donations

- isact.org.au/donations
- Account: Islamic Society of ACT Inc. | BSB: 062 913 | A/C No: 1118 2377 | CBA

Jazakumullahu khayran

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