

# Didsbury Friday Circle

Session Log of the Eighteenth Session  
30<sup>th</sup> September, 2016



## In Attendance:

### Organisers:

Ibrahim Arosi  
Faizan Awan  
Kamal Hamdan

### Attendees:

Abdul Rahman  
Mohammad Ali  
Suleman  
Ibrahim  
Omar  
Khalid  
Ahmad  
Saifullah  
Faaris  
Bilal

### Venue:

Main Hall  
Didsbury Mosque  
271 Burton Road  
M20 2WA

### Timings:

Start 7:00 PM  
Finish 9:00 PM

## Brief Report of Session

The session today was back in the Main Hall. Due to it being the 1<sup>st</sup> of Muharram, Ibrahim covered the Hijra of the Prophet (SAW) and the processes involved in it. We discussed the journey through the desert, the hiding in the cave and the miracles along the way.

Faizan then covered the appearance of hypocrites in Madina. These were people who professed to support Islam publically, but in private they were opposed. These people were incredibly dangerous to the future of Islam because they were interested in being popular, making more money, gaining more influence and feeding their ego, rather than the betterment of mankind or the worship of Allah. Allah SWT curses the hypocrites as worse than the unbelievers as they lie to everyone and they will be in the lowest levels of hellfire. The boys were reminded that the Sahabah themselves were so scared of being hypocrites in deeds or faith, that they would fear that the verses in the Quran were written about them.

The boys were asked to remember how to recognise sounds of hypocrisy in themselves and prevent it from growing.

We then played a game called Mafia, in which some of the boys were selected to be mafia members, whilst others were villagers, policemen or doctors. The aim of the game was for the mafia to remain hidden from the villagers whilst killing them off. The villagers were trying to determine who the mafia were before they were all killed. The aim of the game was to show how our judgements can be clouded by assumptions about people, and to avoid these.

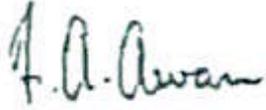
We ate pizza and then allowed the boys to play freely as we'd run out of time following Isha.

**Incidents or Accidents**

None

**Next Session**

Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2016

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**Dr. Faizan Awan**    **Dated:** Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2016