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Deadline extended for MSF trustee nominations

In March, as a result of personal commitments, Rusdi Bustillo regrettably had to resign as MSF trustee. Nominations are now being sought for his replacement. Anyone interested in putting forward their name for consideration needs to be nominated by either his/her national organization, a Zone Representative, an MSF Trustee, or a member of the World Subud Council. The deadline for nominations has now been extended to 10 July 2008.

The term of office for an MSF trustee is for 4 years. The candidate should have an understanding of the Subud organization and be able to work as a member of a team. The trustees are working trustees; the hours of work will vary. Areas of responsibility include investment, application assessments, public relations, fundraising, website maintenance, newsletters, liaising with MSF National Liaisons amongst others. Financial background and/or experience a definite plus.

Candidates need to be able to attend an annual board meeting, and an annual meeting with WSC, which generally coincide. No salary or compensation is paid to trustees, with the exception of airfares and accommodation for the annual meetings.

Candidate trustees should provide a CV and three references. A sub-committee consisting of members of the WSC and MSF trustees will review the CVs and contact the references. The WSA directors will base their final decision on the information received and guidance from testing carried out by the international helpers with the candidates, if present, at the Americas Gathering in Colombia in July [see meeting announcement below].

Please send nominations, accompanied with CV, to Lillian Shulman for distribution to the sub-committee: lillianshulman@netscape.net

MSF 2007 Annual Report now available online at:

<http://www.msubuhfoundation.org/pdf/MSF2007ANNRPT.pdf>

Subud Houses

Many Subud houses around the world have received financial support from the Muhammad Subuh Foundation. This month's edition features beautiful Subud Mayenne:



Mayenne, France

Between 1999 and 2006 about twenty Subud members moved from Britain to Mayenne, near Bretagne, in Northwest France. They did latihan in local houses until, towards the end

of September 2006, after a lengthy search, the group found a small house that needed renovation but seemed adequate for their needs, and cost only €27,000.

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The members of the group raised some €8,000, enough for a deposit. Subsequently, the house was acquired in the name of Subud France, financed by donations from members in France and Britain and shares held by Subud France.

With a grant from the Muhammad Subuh Foundation, the group has renovated the house. Except for the car park, all renovations were done by Subud members free of charge.

They are now waiting for planning permission to extend the building. With the extension, the group will have 70m² of latihan space in two separate rooms, and the facility will later put in two small bedrooms, a toilet, shower, and kitchen. This will enable them to rent out the property to raise funds for its upkeep.

The building, while small, is in a beautiful setting. It will be suitable, eventually, for workshops on subjects such as personal development. The land on which it stands is spacious enough for camps.

Muhammad Subuh Foundation 2007 Grant: €9,555

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If you would like to support the Subud House fund, please visit the MSF website secure giving page: <http://www.msubuhfoundation.org/fundFS.htm>

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Upcoming MSF meeting

The Muhammad Subuh Foundation will hold its annual meeting with the World Subud Council in Amanecer, Colombia, on 29th July - 3rd August 2008.

From the Editor: With regret, the distribution of the May-June issue of the MSF eNEWS is late due to the editor traveling, and so has been combined with the June issue.

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