

Abu Dhabi Hockey News

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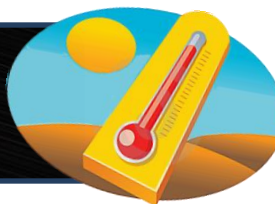


HOCKEY
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Saturday, June 18, 2011

WEATHER FORECAST

40°C



TODAY'S SPECIAL FEATURE

A Great End to a Great Week!



Last night's banquet was a fun and exciting wrap-up of the past week's training and camaraderie. Besides a very delicious dinner a number of skits were performed by the camp participants.

The game officials acted out a skit about their week, which was pretty funny. The medical staff called some players up to the stage to demonstrate the doping testing procedure but fortunately someone forgot to bring the cups! The lucky players got Green Pucks instead.

The coaches treated everyone to some very athletic figure skating off-ice practice moves like elegant jumps and spins. The leadership program participants demonstrated a traditional wedding dance with sticks.

The entertaining equipment managers were showing their unique talents: Bob was jumping over people, chairs and tables, Yi-Long showed us his dance moves and Yousef displayed his colourful wardrobe!

The teams demonstrated their fun and silly dance moves and the volunteers read some Arabic poetry about Sheikh Khalifa and the camp, mentioning the great community atmosphere we enjoyed here this week.

A wonderful banquet with great friends and memories we'll share for a lifetime!

ABU DHABI FUN FACT

The Capital Gate tower at the Abu Dhabi National Exhibition Company is certified as the world's furthest leaning manmade tower by Guinness World Records. It leans at 18 degrees westwards, more than four times that of the Leaning Tower of Pisa.

HOCKEY FUN FACT

The world record for the highest scoring international ice hockey game was set in 1987 when the Australian national team beat the New Zealand national team 58 – 0.

DID YOU KNOW...

Elephants can recognize themselves in the mirror!

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Our greatest glory is not in never failing, but in rising up every time we fall." – Ralph Waldo Emerson

"Never, never, never give up." – Winston Churchill

TODAY'S QUIZ

How many countries whose names are just four letters long can you name? (Hint: there are 10 in total)

Answers upside-down below!

Yesterday's answers:

1. La Paz 2. Venezuela 3. Amazon

Togo, Cuba, Laos, Mali, Peru,

Today's answer: Chad, Oman, Iran, Iraq, Fiji,