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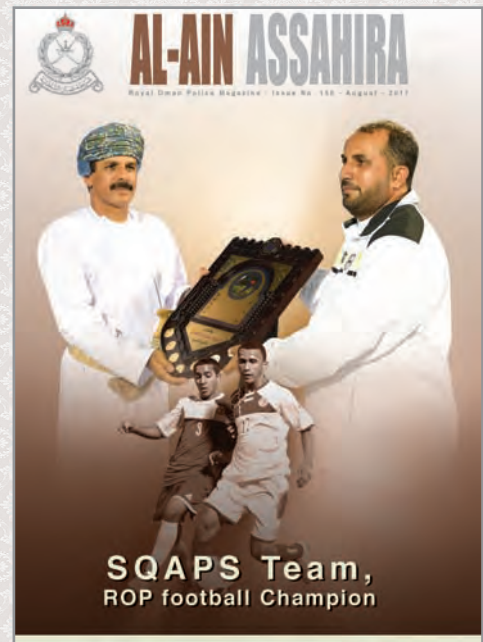
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Police Special Taskforce Command Shifts to New Premises

Inspector General meets ROP Leaders

The Police Special Taskforce Command has shifted to new premises in Seeb ,officially opened in a ceremony held on May 2017 ,17 under the auspices of His Excellency Sayed Khalid bin Hilall Al Bousaidi ,Minister of Diwan of Royal Court, and attended by His Excellency Lt Gen Hassan bin Muhsin Al-Shuraiqi ,Inspector General of Police and Customs.

Batches of new recruits were graduated in the same event ,which was also attended by some ministers ,undersecretaries ,members of the state and shura councils ,local sheikhs and dignitaries.

The new recruits paraded and the security group made shows in front of the grandstand .Then His Excellency the chief guest gave prizes to the top graduates, and thereafter he unveiled the memorial plaque ,a gesture of the official open-



ing of the compound.

The complex consists of a security station ,offices ,classrooms ,parade and training ground, football and other sports fields ,indoor sports and bodybuilding facilities ,swimming pool ,clinic ,residences.

On the sidelines of the

opening ceremony His Excellency the Inspector General met the leaders of the ROP divisions. He overviewed the ROP plans and the projects already completed for the enhancement of performance, and underlined the need for maintaining high standards of services to the public.

He listened to their views and suggestions regarding further improvement of performance.

The Assist. Inspector General of Police and Customs for Administrative and financial affairs, and the Assist. for Operations attended the meeting.



HE Yousuf bin Alawi Launches Oman E-Visa



Royal Oman Police launched on Monday 19 / 6 / 2017 the e-visa service under the auspices of His Excellency Yousuf bin Alawi bin Abdullah, Minister responsible for Foreign Affairs. The launching ceremony was held at the Special Taskforce Police Command in Asseeb, and attended by His Excellency Lt Gen Hassan bin Muhsin Al Shuraiqi, In-

spector General of Police and Customs, ministers, undersecretaries, senior police, armed forces and security officers as well as dignitaries. The ceremony began with a footage showing how to apply and how to get Oman eVisa.

His Excellency Yousuf Bin Alawi commended the e-visa service and

said "It's a big achievement we are proud of. The system ensures the privacy of the visitors' details, and provides easy access to visitors including tourists, businesspersons and students. It's an outcome of the country's stability and constant development. It will open wide horizons for the electronic transformation in the future." He added



that Oman was achieving a leap in modern technology as a result of His Majesty the Sultan's concern for providing easy life for the citizens and residents alike.

His Excellency Ahmed bin Nasser Al Mahrazi, Minister of Tourism said that the e-visa is a qualitative development in the process of getting entry visa easily and immediately. He indicated that the tourism sector in Oman had developed beyond the plans. Three million tourists visited Oman last year, and the number is expected to

leap to 4.7m by 2020, he added.

He added that this big growth in the tourism sector needed to be supported with easy obtainable visa to open Oman for more tourism exporting countries like China, Russia and the USA.

The e-visa service is linked through an integral system with some relevant ministries like the Ministry of Manpower regarding labour permits, the Ministry of Commerce and Industry regarding the validity of the commercial reg-

istration, and the Ministry of Civil Service regarding the government departments visas. Now applicants can apply for, pay the fees and get the visa online, and will no longer need to physically visit the visa counters and do paperwork.

The system is in accordance with the requirements of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) and the International Tourism Organization with regard to the travelers traffic.



Police Special Taskforce Unit Opened in Nizwa

On March 29, 2017 a police taskforce unit was opened and new batches of police recruits passed out in Nizwa, Addakhiliya Governorate.

The opening ceremony was held under the auspices of His Excellency Mohammed bin Salem Attoubi, Minister of Environment and Climate Affairs, and attended by His Excellency Lt Gen Hassan bin Muhsin Al-Shuraiqi, Inspector General of Police and Customs and dignitaries.

The unit consists of a security station, offices, classrooms, parade and training ground, football and other sports grounds, indoor sports and bodybuilding facilities, swimming pool, clinic, residences





Police Station Opened in Al-Qabil

Royal Oman Police opened on 17 / 4 / 2017 a police station in Al-Qabil, North A'Sharqiya Governorate in a ceremony held under the auspices of His Excellency Shaikh Yahya bin Hamoud Al-Ma'mary, Governor of North A'Sharqiya. Present at the ceremony was Maj Gen Hamad bin Sulaiman Al-Hatmi, Assist Inspector General of Police and Customs for Operations, as well as some dignitaries and senior officers of Royal Oman police, military and security organizations.

The official ceremonial functions were followed by folklore songs and dances performed by local citizens.

The establishment of this station came within the ROP strategy to spread security allover the country and provide services to people within their reach.



Directorate of Detention Building Opened in Sohar

Royal Oman Police opened in Sohar on 17/7/2017 the building of the Directorate of Detention, North Al-Batina Governorate. An opening ceremony was held under the auspices of the Public Prosecutor, His Excellency Hassan bin Ali Al-Hilali and attended by Maj Gen Hamad bin Sulaiman Al-Hatmi, Asst Inspector General of Police and Customs, senior police, military and security officers, government officials, notables and citizens.

Royal Oman Police batches performed parading show and music by the police band. Then chief guest officially opened the building and toured its sections.

In a statement to the press His Excellency said the building would enhance security in North Al-Batina, and he praised the ROP for establishing many buildings and facilities manned with qualified personnel to spread security and provide services every where in the Sultanate..



ROP Guests

His Excellency Lt Gen Hassan bin Muhsin Al-Shuraiqi ,Inspector General of Police and customs ,received individually at his office the following guests:

On:2017 / 3 / 21

His Excellency Bassam Al-Khteeb ,Ambassador of the Arab Republic of Syria appointed to Oman.



His Excellency Khoseih Marcos Noghera Fiana ,Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Federal Republic of Brazil appointed to Oman.



On:2017 / 4 / 9

His Excellency Haj Soleni ,Ambassador of Brony Dar Assalam appointed to Oman.



His Excellency Shahreel Effendi .Ambassador of Malaysia appointed to Oman.



On 10 / 5 / 2017 His Excellency Francis Maude, the Rt. Hon. Lord Maude of Horsham, Ex-minister of State for Trade and Investment, UK accompanied by His Excellency Mr. Johnathan Wilkes, British Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman.





التعاون دائم لأمن مستتب
Cooperation improves security



New ROP Systems Shown in Comex 2017



Royal Oman Police took part in the 27th Communications and Information Technology Exhibition (Comex) held at Oman Conference and Exhibitions Centre. ROP exhibited its prominent new electronic projects, and the projects underway.

The systems showed were the recently introduced customs clearance system, and the yet-to-be-completed electronic entry visa system. Also the new ROP website was shown in order to collect visitors' comments, which would be considered before the new

website would be inaugurated.

ROP is among the pioneers in Oman in providing electronic services, and gained many awards locally and regionally.







Oman at Meeting of GCC Undersecretaries of Interior



Oman took part in the 9th meeting of the undersecretaries of the Gulf Cooperation Council ministries of interior held in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia on April 18 – 19, 2017.

Maj Gen Hamad bin Sulaiman Al Hatmi, Assist. Inspector General of Police and Customs for Operations headed Oman's delegation to the meeting, which included senior police officers and the Ministry of Interior

officials.

The meeting discussed the recommendations of the former meeting, and aspects of cooperation between GCC member states on security.

Oman Iran Coastguard Officials Discuss Smuggling, Infiltration



Oman and Iran coastguard leaders met for two days, March 20-21, 2017 at Crown Plaza Hotel, Muscat.

They reviewed means of fostering their cooperation and coordination in security and policing issues,

especially in relation to smuggling and infiltration of illegal immigrants.

Brigadier Badr bin Khalfan Azzidjali, Commander of the Royal Oman Police Coastguard headed Oman's party, while the Iranian party was headed by Brigadier Rukn Jalal Starah, Commander of Iran's Coastguard.

Iran's Coastguard.

ROP at Conference on Cooperation for Security

A conference on cooperation for security was held in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates on March 30, 2017 in collaboration with the International Organization of Criminal Police (Interpol).

Royal Oman Police participated in the conference with a delegation headed by Brigadier Rashid bin Salem Al-Badi, Director General of Enquiries and Criminal Investigations.

Police officials and security experts from all over the world took part in the conference, where they reviewed control of terrorism, vulnerable societies, vehicle thefts, drugs, illegal goods, etc.

ROP Takes Part in Meeting of Chiefs, National Central Bureaus Interpol



Under the banner 'Enhancement of the National Central Bureaus Capabilities', the 13th meeting of chiefs of the Interpol National Central Bureaus was held on March 9, 2017 at the International Organization of Criminal Police Headquarters in Lyon, France.

Royal Oman Police participated by a delegation headed by Brigadier Rashid bin Salem

Al-Badi, Director General of Enquiries and Criminal Investigations.

The meeting reviewed papers presented on the INTERPOL instruments used to reduce crimes and pursuing the culprits in the Organization's member states, and the international, regional police cooperation.



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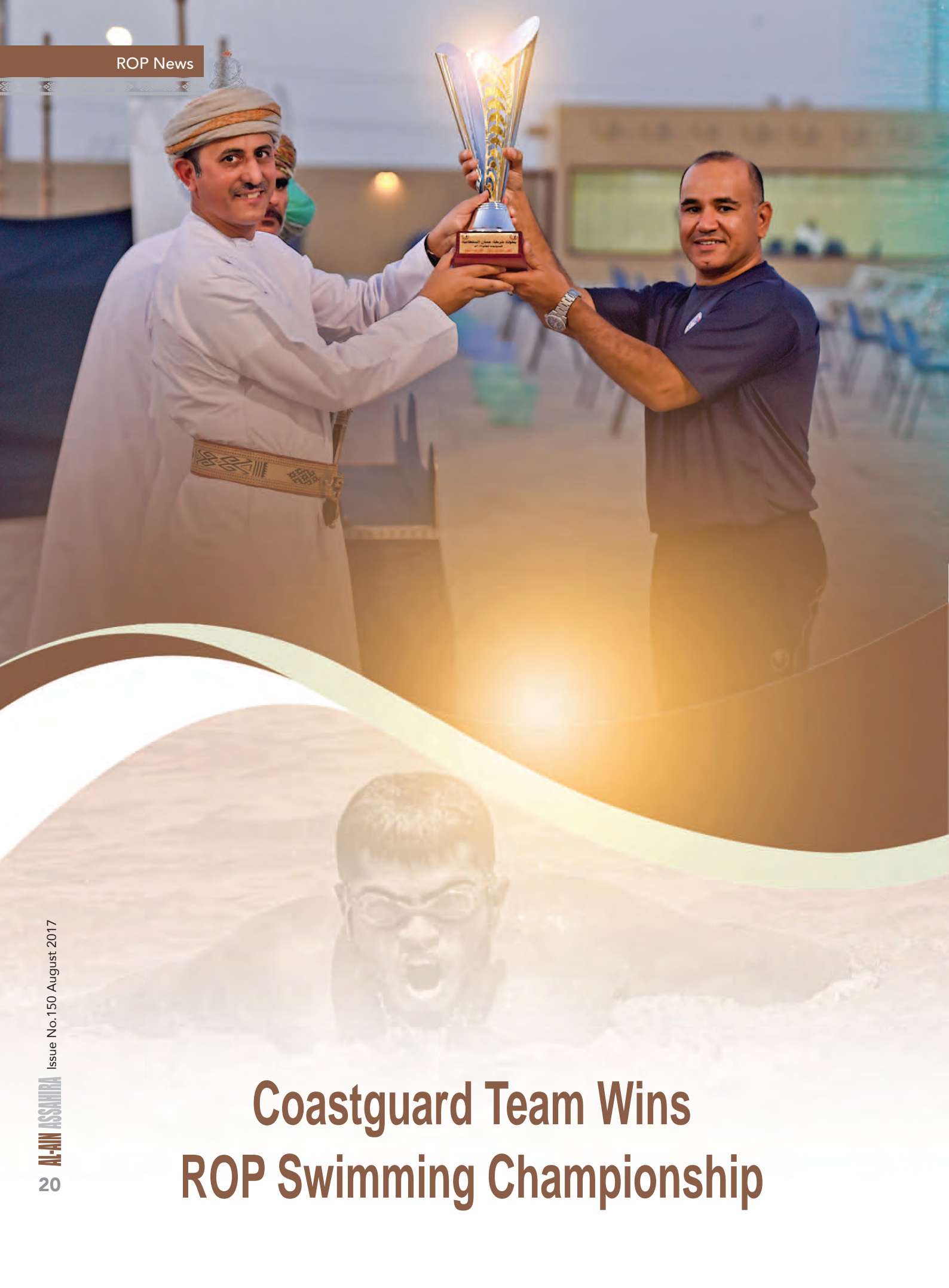
The Sultan Qaboos Academy for Police Sciences football team was crowned champion of the Royal Oman Police tournament 2017 as it beat the Oil and Gas Installations Security team 2-1 in the final match played on April 23, at the ROP Stadium, Wattaya.

His Excellency Lt Gen Hassan bin Muhsin Al-Shuraiqi, Inspector General of Police and Customs was the chief guest of the event.

Forty teams representing various ROP divisions competed in this annual tournament, which started on February 19, 2017.

His Excellency the chief guest honoured the best players, referee, coach, and manager as well as the first three teams in the championship.





Coastguard Team Wins ROP Swimming Championship



The Coastguard Police Command team won the title in the Royal Oman Police swimming championship. Four hundred thirteen swimmers representing 42 teams from ROP divisions competed in the games, which were concluded on 24/5/2017 at the Olympic standard swimming pool at the Special Taskforce Command in Seeb under the auspices of Brigadier Jamal bin Said Attae, Director General of Financial Affairs.

The Special Taskforce Police Command won the 2nd place and the Special Taskforce Police unit, Al Kamel Wal Wafi the 3rd .

The only men competition included freestyle 4X100, 4X50, 100, 50, medley 4X100, 4X50, relay 4X100, butterfly 4X50, 100, 50, breaststroke 100, 50, backstroke 100, 50.