



*Saturday,
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3 - 9 p.m. in Nicollet Commons Park*

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‘TRACKS IN THE SNOW’ THE MINNESOTA MUSLIM EXPERIENCE SINCE 1880 ART EXHIBIT OPENING & RECEPTION

In conjunction with the 2016 International Festival of Burnsville, “Tracks in the Snow” will provide insight into the lives of Burnsville’s Muslim community – one of the most rapidly expanding populations in Minnesota.

Free gallery admission and an artist’s reception will take place at the Burnsville Ames Center on Thursday, July 14 at 6:30 p.m. Attendees will be able to study the lives of Minnesota Muslims relayed through brilliant photography.

The event is free and open to the public. Guests will be able to sample treats from local Tawakal Restaurant featuring Somali and other East African foods, and hear vocal talent from Craig White’s *Elite Music*. Guests who wish to attend are asked to RSVP to burnsvilleinternationalfest@gmail.com.

“Tracks in the Snow” is the International Festival of Burnsville's 2016 Cultural Perspectives art exhibit. The work will be on display June 30 through Aug. 6 during Ames Center gallery hours of 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday and during all ticketed events. Guests will also be able to tour the gallery on Saturday, July 16 during the International Festival of Burnsville.

The International Festival would like to thank the following Platinum and Platinum Plus sponsors: Burnsville Lions Club, Clean Water Land and Legacy Amendment, Kraus Anderson Insurance, Comcast, Minnesota Regional Arts Council and the City of Burnsville.

For more details on the International Festival of Burnsville visit www.intlfestburnsville.org.

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