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ABU DHABI — Due to renovation and extension works at the Abu Dhabi Corniche, parts of the beach area will be closed for visitors till September, a statement from the Abu Dhabi Municipality announced.

The beach area extending between Gate No. 3 and 4 in Al Sahil Maydan will be closed and beachgoers can visit West Beach instead of it..

The municipality has also announced the closure of Al Sahil swimming beach for the public in the sector stretching from Gate No.4 to Gate No. 6. A part of the Family Beach will be opened to all on a temporary basis and

Royal wedding album printed at Dubai press

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DUBAI — A Dubai-based book printing division, Oriental Press, received the unique opportunity to print a compilation of photographic memories from Prince William, the Duke of Cambridge, and Catherine's, Duchess of Cambridge, royal wedding that took place on April 29 at Westminster Abbey, UK.

"We are greatly honoured to have printed a book (album) about an event watched by two billion people across the world," said Javed Hassan Orakzai, a representative from Ori-

The album was printed about a week after the lavish ceremony upon

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receiving a print order from one of UK's leading publishing groups, Carlton Books LTD, who is currently authorised to distribute the album.

"The printing was completed on June 9, and was dispatched to Canada, USA and Australia. The initial urgent job order quantity was 6,000 copies.

We hope to get additional job order request," he said.

Hassan added that the 144-page album is not yet available in the UAE but may be in bookstores in the future.

Oriental Press have been assigned as exclusive printers of the album and will be involved in preparing more copies once they receive an order from the publisher to

As for the cost of the album, he said, "Only the publisher can ascertain the price of the book so we do not know the sales price of this book."

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