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Stay calm and don't suffer with body odour



'So, let's talk about it!'

By Peri Sualp

By Peri Sualp.....

Hello everyone, I'm back like every weekend as usual. Today's article is about the problem of body odour. Do you have a friend who has body odour? Or even worst do you? Well then say no more I'm here for you... Everyone wonders why people smell bad. The truth is everyone has a smell, but certain people unfortunately smell terrible. So why is this?

You have body odour because of ...

1. Sweat
2. Hormones
3. Spicy food
4. Hot weather
5. What you inherit from your family

These are just a few of the main reasons.

You need to sweat.. When your body starts to heat up, whether because of exercise, work or outside temperature, your brain reacts by sending messages to your body to sweat in order to lower your body temperature. Hormones are natural and cannot be controlled, so it is ok to have body odour during adolescence or during special times. Although spicy food is good for you, don't eat too much or else your body will react. Spicy food always makes people smell because it has a different and powerful scent that causes a bad smell when it mixes with your sweat.

Living in Cyprus we all know that hot weather always makes us sweat. Fresh sweat is natural and doesn't always smell bad.

Family genes pass on many things, one is body odour.

However don't worry there are ways you can smell good most of the time.

Here are a few tips,

1. Keep your underarms clean and dry. ...
2. Apply an antiperspirant occasionally during the day ...
3. Try a solution of hydrogen peroxide and water to fight body odour. ...
4. If sweat from working out is your No. 1 cause of body odour, wash your workout clothes often. ...
5. Change your diet....
6. Wear clean underwear each day after you have washed....

Now you know how to avoid bad body smells and why some people smell very bad.

What about the people who always smell bad and are not doing anything about it or even worse they are not even aware of it.

My mother always warns people who smell in a gentle and honest way without hurting their feelings. I once asked, "why do you say such things?" she explained that it was the only way they would learn. Once they learn they will be much more careful about body odour.

In my school there are many young people going through puberty and that's why they SMELL BAD. There is one specific person among my

friends with this problem that you cannot come close to for less than a hundred meters (Obviously I'm not going to give names.). This person really smells awful. I haven't talked to this person yet but I will. Without hurting his/her feelings of course. I think this person is the best choice to start telling people that they have a body odour situation.

Maybe something like...

"I don't want you to take this the wrong way but do you realise that I can smell your sweat?" Or something like that.

No one should have to suffer because some people around smell bad!

Thank you for reading another of my articles.

See you next week.

PS: next week on Sunday 27th January at 18.30pm to 21.30pm, I am having another concert with Mezzo Soprano Katie Economidou, pianist and singer Zara Barkhoudarian and her young talent Edgar Evoyan at The Soulist – Coffee & Music House, Alsancak. Please try and join us.

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Ozersay - US contacts have been fruitful

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay stated that his contacts held in the US had been fruitful in terms of UNFICYP's mandate as well as conveying the views of the Turkish Cypriot side.

Özersay said: "We argued that the two sides could cooperate without waiting for a solution on the issue of hydrocarbons in our meetings and conferences. There is a serious lack of confidence in Cyprus. We expressed that instead of waiting for this lack of confidence to be resolved, we can cooperate on the issues of health and tourism. We said that this trust could turn into a partnership in the future. The Greek Cypriot side is reluctant to cooperate on the issue of natural gas. We will announce this to the international community since they should encourage the Greek Cypriot side to cooperate on the issue of natural gas. Otherwise, if the international community treats the Greek Cypriot side as a government and gives the right to

operate natural gas without reaching a solution, why should they want a solution? If I were them, I wouldn't either".

Pointing out that everyone knows the Turkish Cypriots also have the right regarding natural gas, Özersay added that if there is no cooperation in this region without waiting for a solution, stability in the context of security will be damaged and there will be economic and compensation problems related to natural gas investment. Our meetings were very fruitful in this context as well.

Stating that the initiatives should be evaluated within the context of questioning the status quo, Özersay stressed that UNFICYP has become one of the symbols of the status quo.

Indicating that the UN's current activities could be carried out without troops, Özersay said "UNFICYP observe, write a

report and send it to the UN. The UN also write a report and send it, so it becomes a deterrent. This can be done easily without the UN troops".

Özersay also reminded that the United States wants serious restraint in UN operations worldwide.

Emphasizing that the UN Security Council Resolution 186 which sees the Greek Cypriot side as the

only government, served the status quo, Özersay said: "It is time to question the status quo radically, thus our contacts in the United States have been a positive step in this sense".

"If the UNFICYP were introduced to ensure peace in the island, the Turkish Cypriots would not have been displaced from their homes, and lost their lives and properties from 1964 to 1974," said Özersay.



Girne Municipality Waste Disposal contract



A contract has been signed between Girne Municipality and Tarmac Ltd for the transportation of garbage with TIR.

The contract is for the transfer of waste from Solid Waste Transfer Station to Gungor Solid Waste Landfill.

A tender contract was signed for Girne Municipality Solid Waste Loading and Transfer Work.

The contract was signed by the Mayor of Girne, Nidai Güngördü and Mr. Ali Tosun on behalf of Tarmac LTD. Landfills in

Karaoğlanoğlu Industrial Zone Solid Waste Transfer Station will be loaded into the compressors and transported to Güngör Solid Waste Landfill Facility until 31 May 2020.

Loading and transportation will cost 28.92TL excluding VAT per tonne.



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No one expects us to sit and wait to follow the Greek Cypriot side

Within the framework of his contacts in Washington, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay made a presentation at the Centre for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) which is one of the most prestigious think tank organizations guiding the US foreign policy.

In his speech at the Centre for International and Strategic Research, Özersay gave information and replied to the questions of the participants who were experts, including representatives of the companies licensed by the Greek Cypriot side,

concerning the position of the Turkish Cypriot side on the energy equation in the Eastern Mediterranean, and the proposal of the Turkish Cypriot side.

Özersay answered the questions of the BRT correspondent following the presentation and said: “We put forward a constructive and creative attitude, but no one expects us to sit and wait for us to follow the Greek Cypriot side”

Özersay also spoke to Reuters and Bloomberg the previous day in Washington and he will also meet with some press representatives today (14th January).



Dr. Fazıl Küçük is remembered

The late Leader of the Turkish Cypriot People's struggle for freedom and existence, Dr. Fazıl Küçük, is being remembered today on the 35th anniversary of his death. The first ceremony was organized at Dr. Fazıl Küçük's mausoleum at Anıttepe at 10:27 today (15th January).

The ceremony started with President Mustafa Akıncı laying the wreath at the mausoleum. The flag was lowered to half-mast. The

memorial book was also signed at the ceremony. The ceremony was ended with the speech of President Mustafa Akıncı.

The second ceremony for the late leader was held at the Atatürk Cultural Centre in Lefkoşa.

An exhibition entitled “Dr. Fazıl Küçük and National Struggle” was also opened at the Atatürk Cultural Centre at the Near East University.



Bariş Burcu - UNFICYP

The Presidential Spokesman Bariş Burcu stressed that the continuation of the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus under the same conditions after 55 years is not a sustainable and healthy situation.

Stating that the mandate of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus and the extension of its mandate required the consent of all parties to the dispute as in the whole world as stated in the UN document, Brahimi Report, Burcu stated that this reality and the demands of the Turkish Cypriot side which was not included in the report is a serious shortcoming.

Burcu evaluated the UN Secretary-General Antonio Guterres' report which was distributed to UN Security Council members regarding the extension of the mandate of the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP).

Pointing out that open ended processes which are not result oriented have come to an end in this report and that negotiations should be considered in a foreseeable horizon; Burcu added that this has coincided with President Mustafa Akıncı's determination that he revealed in this direction all along.



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"The UN peacekeeping mission is no longer needed in Cyprus"

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay said that the UN peacekeeping mission is no longer needed in Cyprus and that it should be turned into a civilian mission.

In an interview with Anadolu Agency, Kudret Özersay, who held meetings with UN officials and diplomats in the U.S., said the military mission was no longer necessary, adding the "changing circumstances" required a revision of the current peacekeeping forces on the Eastern Mediterranean Island.

Özersay travelled to New York on January 7 to express the TRNC's views to the UN and members of the Security Council, where the issue is expected to be discussed by the end of January. Özersay said that the functions, powers and number of UN peacekeeping troops on the island need to be revised.

Underlining that the UN Peacekeeping Force has become the symbol of status quo in Cyprus, Özersay said that the presence of approximately 800 UN forces on the island was costly.

Özersay continued: "We believe that there is no need for a military peacekeeping operation that costs nearly \$22-23 million per year," he said, adding that \$54 million is expected to be spent for the UN presence on the island in 2019.

However if it is turned into a civilian mission the cost will be half and the same duties which are observation and reporting will be fulfilled.

The Minister said that there is a general opinion in the UN that the functions, powers and number of

UN peacekeeping troops on the island need to be revised, even if their mandate is extended in February.

Özersay stressed the importance of energy companies reminding the Greek Cypriot Administration that in order to pass to the further stage of drilling activities, the Turkish Cypriot side's approval should be received.

"At least, all these problems and risks can be removed if both sides start to cooperate on the issue of natural gas. A serious financial responsibility will appear in terms of the companies. If the companies continue their activities without receiving the approval of the Turkish Cypriot side, the issue of responsibility will be brought to the agenda.

There are disputed zones in the region. Turkey has put forth its stance clearly that no drilling activity will be allowed.

If the issue is brought to the agenda, the companies can lose money, time and have financial problems. Even tension could arise in the region" Özersay added.

Noting that the companies can start a dialogue between the two sides, Özersay said that the two sides can discuss the energy issue.

Mentioning the natural gas exploration activities of the Turkish Petroleum Corporation in the Mediterranean, Özersay said that the Greek Cypriot side is trying to create a wrong perception as if Turkey conducts natural gas exploration activities in Cyprus.

Underlining that Turkey has a legal right to do exploration activities on its continental shelf, Özersay said:

"Turkish Petroleum Corporation exploration which will be made in the licensed area is not Turkey's exploration activities.

These activities are to be made by a company on behalf of the Turkish Cypriots. Just like Exxon, Total and ENI's activities on behalf of the Greek Cypriots."

Stating that the Greek Cypriot Administration uses TPC activities in order to accuse Turkey, Özersay said: "The Greek Cypriots are trying to draw a kind of victimisation picture by saying that Turkey is a big state here and, as small Southern Cyprus, Turkey suppresses them and usurps their rights."

Reminding that the bi-communal,

bi-zonal federation system has been put forward as a solution in Cyprus for half a century, he continued:

"We do not have a common vision. I don't blame anyone but there is a reality that the Greek Cypriot side is not willing to share the administration and wealth with us.

If you do not want to share governance and wealth you cannot make a federal partnership," he said, adding that cooperation in energy, fighting terrorism, black money laundering and human trafficking could lead to inter-dependency between the two sides and ultimately lead to a comprehensive solution to the dispute.



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Akinci: "All sides seem to be ready in June"

President Mustafa Akinci said that a development to find a solution to the Cyprus problem can be experienced in June, following the EP Elections in May.

Akinci received the UN Secretary General's Special Representative to Cyprus Elizabeth Spehar, ahead of her visit to New York where she will be briefing the UN Security Council. Akinci wished Spehar to convey to the UN Secretary General that the Turkish Cypriot side spends efforts to reach a solution based on equality and the Greek Cypriot side's continuing stance not to accept the political equality of the Turkish Cypriots is not acceptable, and also a disruption to the solution process. Akinci added that Jane Holl Lute, who was appointed by the UN Secretary General as a temporary envoy to work on resumption of the negotiations, is holding meetings with both sides to create the terms of reference, but the

Greek Cypriot side not accepting 'equality' is not acceptable.

Pointing out that they discussed the issue of mandate of UNFICYP at the meeting, Akinci said that he does not have an expectation for UNFICYP to leave the island but he believes that UNFICYP's mandate should be reviewed. Stressing that UNFICYP was deployed on the Island of Cyprus in 1964 for only three months and its mandate is extended every six months by asking only the Greek Cypriot side's view, Akinci said that the presence of UNFICYP in its current state does not contribute to achieving a solution in Cyprus. Expressing that almost half of the expenditure of UNFICYP, 54 million dollars, is supplied by the Greek Cypriot Administration and Greece, Akinci said that this situation creates some weaknesses. Adding that the guarantor countries made an observation that a development will not be

forthcoming until the end of May due to the European Parliament elections, Akinci said that the date when all sides will be ready seems to be June. Stressing that approval of the terms of reference by five parties is important, Akinci said that due to this reason, Lute is holding meetings not only with both parties but the guarantor countries as well. Akinci expressed that the content is more important than the date. If the content is not appropriate, the negotiations may continue for years.

Furthermore, adding that the Turkish Cypriots desire an early solution but they do not desire an open ended and strategic agreement, Akinci said "As long as the current mentality of the Greek Cypriot side for not sharing authority and prosperity does not change, we will have a very troubled process. We are in a process in which the sincerity of the Greek Cypriot side is tested".



7th anniversary of the death of Rauf Raif Denktaş

In his message, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay said: "I commemorate the Founding President Rauf Raif Denktaş on the 7th anniversary of his death, from whom I learned a lot in the context of diplomacy and the Cyprus problem and who believed in the necessity of the state in the most difficult times of the Turkish Cypriot people and made the most important contribution to its establishment."

Founding President Rauf Raif Denktaş was commemorated on the 7th anniversary of his death with a ceremony held at the Turkish Resistance Organization (TMT) Monument.

In his speech at the ceremony, President Mustafa Akinci stated that the Cyprus problem continues to affect the lives of all of us as a problem that has been transferred from one generation to the next.

Emphasizing that the late Founding President Denktaş opposed the efforts of making his community a minority in his struggle for many years, Akinci said that as long as the mind-set problem continues in

Cyprus, they will continue to fight against it.

With these feelings, Akinci once again commemorated the 7th anniversary of the death of the late Founding President Rauf Denktaş, who gave great services to the Turkish Cypriot people.



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Rain and temperature changes in Cyprus



By Ahmet Abdulaziz

I never felt a shortage of topics to write about, whenever I sit to write. Today too, there are too many differing topics in my mind, but right now I am writing about the ongoing rain in Cyprus.

This winter is indeed a tough winter for the people of the island, as we are having a bit too much rain this year. As appeared in the press, the island had not seen such a rainy season for three decades. I cannot say if this information is correct, but what I can say is that I have been living here since 1991, and I have never seen such heavy rains during this time.

December 2018 was somewhat above the normal December that we have been used to. There was rain and cold. In December, last month, we saw some excessive rainfall, particularly in Girne (Kyrenia) and the areas nearby. There was serious loss of public and private property in the area due to heavy rain and storms. But the most serious aspect of the situation was the loss of the lives of 4 young people, whose car had slid from the road, near the Boğazköy area.

That was last December. Now we are just entering into the second half of January 2019. The rain and the wind, has struck again. This time mostly in the eastern part of

the TRNC, the rains have led to the overflowing of the rivers, leading to serious damages everywhere. A number of roads have come under water, leading to complete stoppage of traffic, which has affected the daily lives of people.

All this has led to difficulties for everyone. The daily lives of people have been affected very badly.

It seems that the departments which are supposed to build and maintain the infra-structure had never thought of such a situation. But they must have always prepared themselves for the worst.

Previously rains used to create problems for the Municipalities of the relevant areas, but this time the impact of rain has also affected the roads. This situation has led

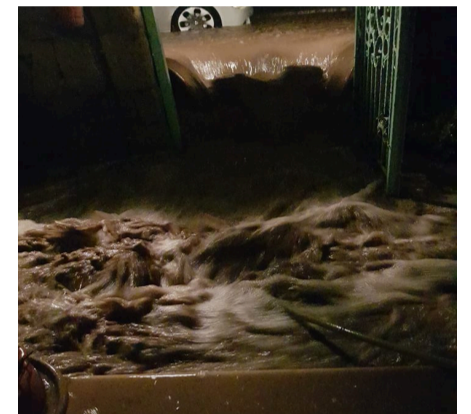


people to raise questions about the quality of our roads. In some places the earth from under the road has washed away. In places the roads have become totally unusable by traffic. There are ditches on the roads. The department of roads and communications is supposed to keep in mind the severe conditions (as we are having now) in their mind while making projects for roads and bridges.

In cities the overflowing of streams is the main problem. In some areas the local authorities had issued construction permits, which had affected the natural flow of these streams. People are raising voices about this situation.

All this is going on, right in the middle of the winter, where mercury is going down and down, as we all sit in rooms heated by a heater or air conditioners. We wear coats and overcoats, whenever we go out of our homes or workplaces. We travel in cars in which we have got air conditioners, which keep it fully warmed.

But while having all these facilities, I am thinking of poor children in different parts of the world, who pass through rainy and cold seasons without proper food and proper



clothes. Mostly they bear the cold for the whole winter season, because their houses do not have heating systems or heaters. In newspapers we see photographs where children in remote areas of different parts of the world, go their schools, without proper shoes and socks, walking in the snow.

My question to myself is to why some people sit in heated rooms and go out in air conditioned cars, and some have to bear the cold without all of this. Who is responsible for this. I think over it repeatedly, I ask you also to think.



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KAR News Update



Thank you Mick and Karen Wells

Kyrenia Animal Rescue Facebook posting ...

To complete this wonderful story that has been playing out since 1st January, when Mick Wells completed 4 laps of his pool (it was 10 degrees). Mick and Karen raised a staggering 2000TL and visited the Centre to hand over a car load of food for the cats and dogs. But the car wasn't empty when they left Welcome to the family Eleanor We at KAR bow down to you both, you truly are KAR Angels and we thank you.

Karen Wells Facebook posting ..

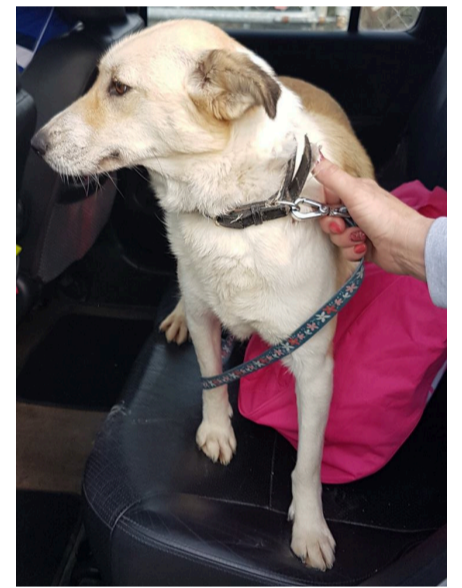
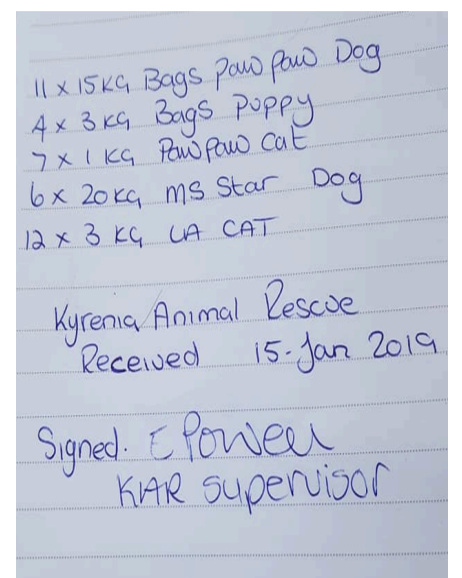
Today we delivered all the dog and cat food up to Kyrenia Animal Rescue, it feels very satisfying to know we have helped in some small way, this was only possible

with everyone's generosity towards the sponsored swim.

I would like to thank everyone who donated towards this and especially thank you to my amazing hubby Mick Wells who actually braved the pool while being full of cold at the time.

But we didn't come away with an empty car, we now have a new fur baby who we have adopted and we have re-named her Kara.

Myself and my hubby Mick Wells would like to personally thank Elaine Powell who to me is a very special lady. She works tirelessly up at the Kyrenia Animal Rescue centre, she knows the name of every beautiful furbaby up there and, with all the work she and her colleagues do, is absolutely amazing.



Items for sale by KAR - House and Home

Electronic keyboard and stand, available from House and Home, Girne. 300TL



Beautiful, barely used bedroom furniture.

Single beds with mattress 500TL (each). Bedside table 100TL. Dressing table with stool 250TL.

Available to view by appointment at House and Home



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KAR - News Update



KAR – A celebration of 2018

The annual Staff & Volunteers New Year Get together was held last Friday 11th January.

treatments and wonderful words of encouragement received that kept us all going.

Margaret Ray thanked everyone for giving the KAR committee the chance to say how much they are appreciated and we applaud and thank them so much.

Elaine our Centre Supervisor and Kim our Pet Travel expert and Office Manager were both presented with flowers. Those volunteers including our Cat Neutering Programme, Charity Shops, Education Team, Office Angels and fundraisers etc were all thanked.

The year was particularly difficult with lots of tears and heartache in working their way through the disastrous loss of so many of our beautiful furry friends. Throughout this difficult year it clearly showed the amount of support by the way of help with medications, funds for

It was a very enjoyable evening with laughter, games, dancing and good food provided by Vicki at the Black Olive Cafe in Alsancak.



Urgently needed - Please help

Due to the large number of mothers and feeding pups at the Centre, we are in desperate need of large plastic beds for the mums to care for their pups.

Please help these mums and puppies to stay warm!!

Beds can be dropped at the centre or at the office in Karakum. Thank you!!



Surprise donation from the South

A surprise visitor from the South of Cyprus called into the Office with a donation of necklaces for us to sell, after reading about us through social media.

Thank you so much for thinking of us.

Selling in the Karakum Office and at the Centre for 30TL



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Update for 3 major events in 2019

By Laurence Floyd ...

A belated Happy New Year to you all. I trust everyone is well and looking forward to an exciting 2019:

Following is an update for 3 major events to enjoy.

Totally Tina **Tuesday April 16th** **Kaya Palazzo Ballroom**

Full Supper Club experience at £50 a ticket to see this extraordinary artist. To date we have 290 ticket reservations...so approx 30 tickets still available. More details to follow soon. The event is in

support of the British Cemetery Committee / Green Hills.

Additional update – Totally Tina

We cannot now accept any more firm reservations for the Totally Tina event on April 16th. With 30 tables we have 330 reservations to date. I am sure there are some duplication of reservations, so we now need to prepare the table plan, and check details with a few people. In the meantime, any requests received for tickets will be placed on a Reserve List. Requests for 2 or 4 tickets will more likely to be able to be accommodated at this stage.

Many thanks for your understanding



Photo courtesy of Ivan Ward Photography

Sing Baby Sing (No.1 tribute to the Stylistics) **Wednesday June 19th** **Colony Garden, Girne**

Full Supper Club experience..

Ticket price held at £55 for 6th year running.

The event in support of Tulips/Help Those with Cancer Association.

Both of the events in April and June will be sponsored by our friends at Creditwest Bank.



Killer Queen **Saturday September 14th** **Girne Amphitheatre**

Tickets will be £25 for the opportunity to see the original and best tribute to the legendary Queen. Killer Queen sell out the same Stadia as Queen did in their day.

The event is in support of Tulips/Help Those with Cancer Association.



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First full opera performance in TRNC



By Heidi Trautmann
www.heiditrautmann.com

'L'Elisir d'Amore' by Gaetano Donizetti

The young year of 2019 has started with a historical event: The first full opera performance in the TRNC, an immense undertaking by the Turkish Cypriot Presidential Symphony Orchestra and the soloists, held in the auditorium of the Atatürk Culture and Congress Hall at the Near East University, with no orchestra pit, and lighting that was not at all perfect but, as we could see with amazement, they did it and they did it wonderfully well.

A second stage floor was set up in the background and on a huge canvas Tuscany landscape images were shown in front of which the love story and its dangers and implications developed and were spun in a setting with a minimum of décor. Bravo.

The members of the orchestra were included in the acting part, the singers - in lovely costumes - wandered in-between the rows of musicians, addressed them directly with their solos, as if they were part of the plot... a perfect solution by the stage director, because in some moments on the auxiliary stage, the singers' voices were 'swallowed' by the orchestra which was right in front of them. To make the best of a situation, that is what the Turkish Cypriots are known for.

The Orchestra:

Conductor: Ali Hoca; 31 orchestra musicians with Nihat Ağdaç as Concert Master... (to give the reader an idea how occupied the stage was...)

Stage Director: Figen Ayhan Karakelle

The Soloists:

Sermin Dikmen Töre, Soprano
Bariş Yanc, Tenor
Arda Aktar, Baritone
Tuğrul Enver Töre, Baritone
Hatice Zeliha, Kökcek

I was very touched by the performance and when I looked around me they all were moved by this extraordinary evening. President Mustafa Akıncı who sat right in the middle of the hall with his wife Meral expressed his

feelings of pride at the end of the evening when they both climbed on stage to thank the performers and to address the audience.

It is a lesson for life, it is not the décor that is important but the contents, it is the joy and love for music.

There was a second performance planned for Famagusta....which, while I am writing this text, will start in about 15 minutes. Break your leg...



Kuzey Kıbrıs Türk Cumhuriyeti
Cumhurbaşkanlığı
Senfoni Orkestrası

Rejisi / Stage Director: Figen Ayhan Karakelle | Şef / Conductor: Ali Hoca | Baş Komandanı / Leader: Nihat Ağdaç

Adına: Sermin Dikmen Töre | Nemorino: Barış Yanc | Belcore: Arda Aktar | Dr. Dulcamara: Tuğrul Enver Töre | Giannetta: Hatice Zeliha Kökcek

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Deja vu and Reincarnation



By Nick Vye
Sanctuary

Deja vu is the feeling of having already experienced a present situation from before. Many people have this feeling, sometime or somewhere, during their lifetime.

This is because, if we accept the theory of reincarnation, then we could have been in that place in a previous lifetime. Of course that area would have changed or that building is no longer there etc. It is the vibrational energy that still exists there, when we were alive then; that we experience in this

lifetime. It is a feeling of knowingness that we can't explain to ourselves.

If total awareness is the God given state of enlightened consciousness, then how can one lifetime's experiences make that possible.

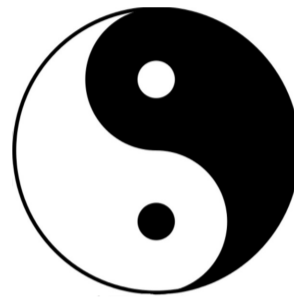
We need to experience all aspects of the world we live in. Examples - Rich or Poor, Sick or Well, Happy or Sad, Good or Bad, Angry or Contented etc etc. This cannot be achieved in one lifetime.

As we are soul (spiritual beings) and planet earth is the kindergarten of learning, we need many lives. Gradually soul develops through these earthly incarnations, to become aware of its true purpose and return to its source, where it was originally created but lacked the realisation of what or where it came from. Hence the need for reincarnation to develop through many lifetimes this realisation.

Many religions mention this in

their teachings, especially the very old ones I will write more on this subject at a later date, which includes the law of karma, cause and effect.

Nick Vye - Sanctuary



FLAME OF LIFE A Poem by Nick Vye, Sanctuary

Let the flame of spirit burn bright,
Let us keep our goals in our sight,
The journey that we must for take,
Is for our own souls development sake,

Sometimes the lessons are very tough,
And we feel like we've had enough,
If the lessons were too easy to learn,
We wouldn't show our proper concern,

It may all seem a very hard task,
But most of them, don't really last,
If you can learn to be in the now,
Then they all don't exist somehow,

So focus your thoughts on your goal,
And discover more of your inner soul,
The experiences in life are your friends,
They'll take you by faith to the end,

And when you finally walk through that door,
The answers to life will all be yours,
Into the light, with the peace from above,
Now surrounded all be it by love,

There's joy and peace in your heart,
This feeling of eternal love that never parts...

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Jazz Breakfast at the Soulist – Sunday 13 January 2019



By Roland Eyerich

Jazz Breakfast at the Soulist – Sunday 13 January 2019

The great William Shakespeare wrote ‘If music be the food of love play-on give me excess of it...’ and it is interesting that those words came to mind during the most recent event at the Soulist Coffee and Music House in Alsancak, where the owner Alper Cengiz, along with Adeleh Mozafari and the team fused Jazz and a wonderful breakfast together to the delight of the sell-out audience.

It was an early start for the Soulist, which has quickly become the premier live music venue in the TRNC, but inspired by the warm and sultry jazz tones of ‘Lady M’ we were taken on a magical journey of music, which was the perfect partner to the tasty food freshly prepared and served by the Soulist team.

The music was beautifully matched to the breakfast, which highlighted the ability of this jazz trio who bring together great individual musical mastery wrapped together as ‘Lady M’ with Miray Çakır on Violin and vocals; Ersen Sururi on Piano; and Nikolai Petrovic on Double Bass.

The audience could not help but fall in love with the delightful blend of food and music and enjoyed the very best start to a Sunday morning in Northern Cyprus. The only request from the audience was that they wanted ‘more of the same’ so expect this to become a regular feature at the Soulist.

The second Jazz Breakfast has been arranged at the Soulist and this will be on Sunday 17th February. We look forward to welcoming all our friends for breakfast and music.



The Jazz Breakfast Team
Nelson, Suzy, Conny, Alper, Adeleh and AK



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Hope 4 Pets - News Update

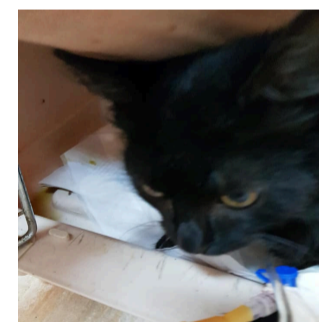
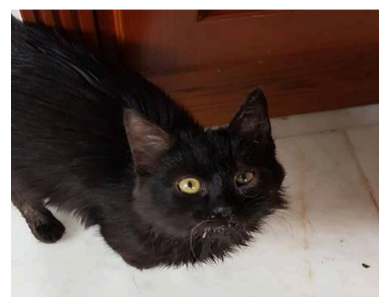


Bob (was Bruce) now at his new home with Michelle and Ian

Facebook Post by Stephanie Harrison-Croft was a sad parting and always is difficult, for me, to let go.

Feeling both sad and happy today (12th January). Little Bob, (was Bruce) was finally well enough to go to his new home with the lovely Ian and Michelle Martin, and Brian of course. However not for Bob who is already settled and sleeping on the sofa. What a little traitor! It is for the best though and Bob and Brian are again re united in no better a family.

After fostering and nursing him for so long and falling in love, it Thank you once again Michelle and Ian xxx



When Bob was Bruce - just look at him now with Michelle



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Coffee morning at Bar33 (The Old Mill), Ozankoy in aid of Hope 4 Pets

Readers mail.....
Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus.....

"Coffee morning at Bar33 at the Old Mill, Ozanköy in aid of Hope 4 Pets on Tuesday, 22 January 2019 from 11:00am-13:00pm.

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CyprusScene.com award to Hope 4 Pets



By Chris Elliott.....

Wherever we may be living, the issue of unwanted street animals is of real concern and it is very uplifting when you meet people who are trying to make a real difference.

I can remember way back when a friend, Maria Chappell, who felt the same, created an animal help Facebook page way back in 2012 to reach out to other people who felt the same.

When Maria returned to live in the UK other friends continued with the work of trying to care for the street animals and created a new Facebook group "Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus" which rapidly gained attention and currently has a 6,000 plus following.

Hope 4 Pets became registered as a charity in both North Cyprus and England & Wales and was then able to seek donations to finance their animal welfare projects.

These donations are raised through a membership scheme and also from various events which are arranged to support Hope 4 Pets like the "Mass Ice Bucket Challenge" which was held way back on Saturday 30th of August 2014 and was inspired and organised by Stephanie Harrison-Croft who is the current administrator of Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus and we were delighted to present to her the CyprusScene.com award on behalf of Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus Team.

So what are the objectives of Hope 4 Pets?

Their main aim is to try and implement FREE neutering for the street animals of the TRNC which in turn will control the animal population growth.

Secondly, no matter what location, they aim to provide as much help to the street animals of North Cyprus as funding will allow, which might be in the form of food, bedding, or veterinary treatment, in some cases. They try and find foster homes, permanent homes. Kenneling is the last option, H4P do not have their own kennel facilities, so they pay for kenneling like anyone else, if they have no one in the area, They have a good working relationship with other animal welfare groups and will contact them to ask for their help.

The foster homes currently in use are provided by members of H4P who open their homes to take in

the most vulnerable. They are desperately in need of new foster homes, for either dogs or cats.

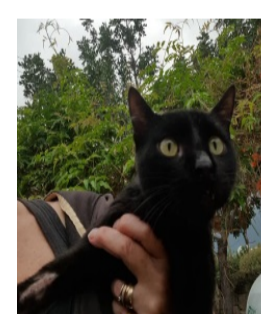
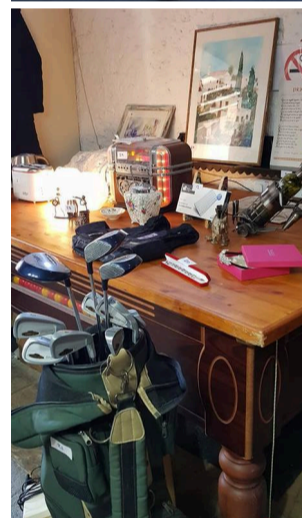
They provide all of their foster families with food donations, kennels, bedding and pay all vet

bills, so please help them in their desire to care for the street animals of North Cyprus.

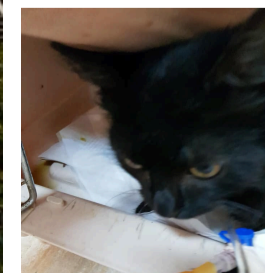
You can learn more of Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus on their Facebook page or website



A glimpse at some of the fundraising events - car boot sale, auction, quiz night, Christmas coffee morning.



Brian (above) and Bruce (now Bob) (below) rescued by Hope 4 Pets, brought back to health, and now together again in their forever home with Michelle and Ian.



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Tatlısu School fundraising night – a great success

By Richard Beale

Last Saturday night (12th January) Tatlısu School Parent and Teachers Association held a fundraising night at the Tatlısu Zambak Koyu Restaurant.

It turned out to be a great success with a great majority of the Tatlısu villagers in attendance along with a sprinkling of expats.

The food presented by the restaurant which is run by Tatlısu Belediyesi was excellent, full kebab with endless mezes, the food kept coming and coming.

A DJ provided Turkish music and you know what the locals are like they were up dancing straight away, they certainly know how to enjoy themselves!

It was also an opportunity for the Esentepe Sewing Group run by Irene Hannan to hand over a cheque for 9,400 TL to the School's Headmaster, Mehmet Erden which were the proceeds raised at a Christmas Bazaar in December held at Seawise Restaurant.

This cheque along with the ticket sales and money from an extensive raffle will go a long way to help raise money for alterations and equipment for the school.

It was a great atmosphere on the night with the locals and it was a privilege to be involved with the community for this worthwhile cause.



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City Silhouette Drawings into Live Silhouette Visuals

By Ahmet Abdulaziz.....

The European University of Lefke (EUL) Faculty of Architecture recently organized an exhibition themed “Student Workshop of City Phantom Drawings and New Year Exhibition”.

The event was held with the leadership of Academician of EUL Faculty of Architecture Assist. Prof. Dr. Ayça Arslan and Dr. Nilay Birsel.

According to the press release of the University Dr. Ayça Arslan provided details of the event. She pointed out that within the scope of the Basic Design Course, the students transformed the drawings of the city skylines given by the lecturers into live 3-dimensional, coloured, textured living silhouette visuals. She further stated that the cities given to the students within the scope of the workshop consisted of famous architectural elements

chosen from the capitals and metropolises of the world, especially in Istanbul, Izmir and Ankara, and they wanted to emphasize these elements in the study.

Arslan said “For example, the Bosphorus Bridge, Maiden’s Tower, Topkapi Palace and Mosques of Istanbul City were created by students in 3-D rendering, 50/70 posters in colour” and added that elements of İzmir such as the famous ruins of Ephesus, Clock Tower and Konak Square were brought to the fore and presented in 3-dimensional colour and lighted poster format. Arslan also said that the symbol of Ankara city, Anıtkabir was transformed into a three-dimensional poster as an architectural element and added that “On the other hand, examples of city silhouettes from abroad were handled for the New Year

exhibition, Amsterdam historical canal houses, Turin’s green nature and ancient Roman structures were transformed into 3D models by students”. Arslan further stated that while preparing the posters of the city silhouettes, the students adorned the building facades with colourful cardboards and used natural elements such as mountains and sea as a backdrop for their projects.

Arslan emphasized that the

students spent a great deal of work on cutting and gluing the urban facades and transforming them into three-dimensional transformations. Pointing out that students had worked hard during the three workshop days, and showed their sacrifices in order to create the New Year exhibition, Arslan said “I would like to congratulate all ARCH 151 Basic Design 1 students for their hard work and wish them continued success”.



NEU and Yeşilada Lions Club exhibition of Cyprus film posters

By Ahmet Abdulaziz.....

As part of the events to commemorate the national struggle in Cyprus, the Department of Radio, TV and Cinema of Near East University and Yeşilada Lions Club organised, an “Exhibition on Cyprus in Film Posters” at the Güzelyurt Atatürk Culture Centre.

A documentary entitled “Pacta sunt servanda, Hope Road Erenköy (Ahde Vefa, Umut Yolu Erenköy)” was also screened.

According to the press release of the Near East University students from Güzelyurt Şehit Turgut Middle School, and Güzelyurt Kurtuluş Secondary School

attended the event. Additionally, Güzelyurt Yeşilada Lions Club authorities, Head of Paphos Turkish Union and teachers attended the event.

It was pointed out that more than thirty film posters were displayed at the exhibition and in addition to the Yeşilçam cinema posters on Cyprus National Struggle films, posters of Hollywood films shot in Cyprus and other various posters of Turkish films which were recorded in Cyprus were all exhibited in the exhibition. It was added that the oldest film poster was from 1959; a film entitled “Kızıl Bela – EOKA” which starred and was produced by a leading Turkish film star, Sezer Sezin.

Moreover, film posters of foreign made films during the years 1950 -1960 (British Colonial period) shot in Cyprus are also being displayed at the exhibition. In fact, films of doyen Turkish directors Metin Erksan, Feyzi Tuna and Ömer Lütfi Akad also recorded a film in Cyprus.

In order to be aware of the films of Cyprus as an unknown Cyprus theme or as a venue, the exhibition of posters of films made between the years 1959-2014 was prepared with the contributions of Turkish Cinema Researches (TSA), which carried out studies within the Foundation of Science and Arts (BISAV) and was presented to the vision of art-lovers.



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EMU - Robosub 2019 Autonomous Submarine competition

By Ahmet Abdulaziz

The Eastern Mediterranean University is all set to participate in "The ROBOSUB 2019 Autonomous Submarine Competition". The competition will take place in California, USA on 1st August 2019. The competition is going to be a really tough one as the most prestigious universities in the world will compete there.

The EMU University has already won the "Mind Control" category of ROBOTEX 2018 in Estonia.

The EMU-IEEE Robotics Team visited EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam along with Electrical and Electronic Engineering Department Chair Prof. Dr. Hasan Demirel in order to discuss their

future projects. EMU-IEEE Robotics Team presented their submarine robot "Caretta2" to Prof. Dr. Osam and asked for his support. Prof. Dr. Osam stated that EMU competes with the world's leading universities and he will provide full support for EMU-IEEE Robotics Team.

-IEEE Robotics Team made the following statement regarding the subject: "ROBOSUB which is organized by one of the world's largest robotics communities ROBONATION, is held with the annual participation of 40 universities. The aim of the competition is to complete the missions given in 15 minutes by the autonomous submarine. These missions are organized within the scope of contemporary scientific research about the continuing

Autonomous Underwater Systems. The largest robotics team in our country, AQUABOTICS, is formed together with EMU IEEE Robotics Team and consists of 15 students from different engineering departments. This team is preparing to compete in the USA to represent our university. Students from the departments of Electrical and Electronic

Engineering, Mechatronics Engineering, Computer Engineering and Industrial Engineering have been assigned to the team. The team prepares for the ROBOSUB competition which will begin on the 1st of August 2019 under the guidance and supervision of Electrical and Electronic Engineering Department Chair Prof. Dr. Hasan Demirel."



"Our Children, Internet and Us" discussed at EMU

By Ahmet Abdulaziz

There is no doubt that the present era is internet era. Internet has become part and parcel of our daily lives. However, the same internet brings with itself a number of problems which directly affect all of us in a number of ways.

The Eastern Mediterranean University organised a panel to

discuss how far the internet affects our daily lives, particularly the children. The panel was conducted by the Rector's Office at the Rauf Raif Denktaş Culture and Congress Center on the 9th of January 2019, at 18:00, Expert speakers informed the audience about important subjects during the event which had a large turnout.

EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences

Department of Psychology Chair Assoc. Prof. Dr. Fatih Bayraktar delivered a presentation entitled "Being a Mediator between the Child and Media".

Faculty of Communication Lecturers Assoc. Prof. Dr. Metin Ersoy delivered a presentation entitled "Social Media Literacy" and Assist. Prof. Dr. Aysu Arsoy talked about "Media and Reality".

Also, Social Media and Web Office Coordinator Dr. Raziye Nevzat made a presentation entitled "Social Media and New Occupations".

Computer Center Directorate Personnel Özlem Görkan Evre and School of Computing and

Technology Lecturer Yeşim Kapsıl Çırak made a presentation entitled "Data Security".

Panel moderator Dr. Raziye Nevzat stated that this panel is a start and they plan to hold this panel in all districts of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC).



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NEU exhibition for 35th anniversary of death of Dr Fazil Küçük

By Ahmet Abdulaziz

On 15th January 2019, the Near East University organised a 'Fazıl Küçük and National Struggle' exhibition at its art centre. The exhibition included 165 art pieces of 92 artists.

The President of TRNC Mustafa Akıncı inaugurated the exhibition.

According to the information provided by the Press release of the University, the opening ceremony of the exhibition at the Atatürk Cultural Centre, Cyprus Art Centre, notable guests included the Commander of Turkish Cypriot Peace Forces Major General Yılmaz Yıldırım, Security Forces Commander Brigadier General Tevfik Algan, Chairman of the Main Opposition Ersin Tatar, Deputies, Dr. Fazıl Küçük's son Mehmet Küçük, Near East University

Founding Rector. Suat Günsel, Rector of Near East University Dr. Ümit Hassan, Chairman of the Board of Trustees Assoc. Dr. Prof. Dr. İrfan S. Günsel, Vice Rectors, Deans, Faculty members and other guests.

The art works in the exhibition covered various topics related to the struggle of the Turkish Cypriots and Dr. Fazıl Küçük. The art works displayed oil and acrylic paintings, ceramic / sculpture works, overlapping techniques, collage, video graphics, digital illustration, digital printing and lino printing techniques.

The exhibition included the display of the hyper realistic silicon sculpture of Dr. Fazıl Küçük and his Official Car, Austin Princess, given to him as a gift by Queen Elizabeth II which received special attention of the visitors.

The hyper realistic silicon statue, which was made with the silicon technique first time used in Cyprus, was made one-to-one with the body dimensions of Dr. Fazıl Küçük, in accordance with his 1960 portrait depicting his body dimensions, 168+69+65 cm in height and body dimensions. On the statue, prosthetic

eyes and real hair were used in the sculpture with real hair technique on face and hands. The statue, which was decorated with a special make-up technique, was dressed in Küçük's original clothes. In order to increase the durability of the statue, a special silicone which is concordant with the climatic conditions, was used.



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Jessic Friends of Karsiyaka School Children presentation

By Margaret Sheard

We were pleased to be invited to a presentation at Karşıyaka Primary School by Mus and Deniz Aziz via their fundraising project of Jessic Friends of Karşıyaka School Children Society which has already achieved so much for the school since they started in 2017. Also present were Malcolm Mitcheson and James Patterson who are also very active in this project.

Fundraising takes place at Jessic Bar & Restaurant in Karşıyaka and 100% of the money raised goes to the projects that directly benefit the children of Karşıyaka. Since its creation the Society has raised over 50,000TL for the first two phases at the school.

We met the headmistress of the school, Yildiz Zayif, who is so enthusiastic about the help the school is receiving for the benefit of the 200 pupils attending. There were many smiling faces as we were shown the Library which is also now being used as the new Media section and then a visit to the Auditorium which has been transformed from one large room into 3 separate sections, one with a huge electric roller door and the other with bifold doors to the stage/playroom. This gives 3 separate classrooms which can all be opened up to create a theatre, if required.

This was included in Phase 1 for the Jessic Friends, as can be seen below.

Phase 1, the set-up of a new media room and upgrade to the auditorium, has now been completed.

- Repairs to the stage, and to the

stage bifold doors, and supplied and fitted an electric roller door to divide the room when needed

- Repairs to plaster work and repainted
- 5 new laptop computers have been purchased
- Wireless connection service for computers has been installed
- A projector and screen have been installed
- Computer carts and carts for library books have been provided
- We have donated many age appropriate English language books for the children.
- The passageway between the classroom and washroom has been re-covered for the kindergarten children, so they'll be protected from all weather.

Phase 2 has now started, and this is where it gets exciting. We will be providing 'Lego' educational electronic technical kits, and arranging for the teachers to learn how to use them. More information on the kits can be found by clicking here:

<https://education.lego.com/en-us/products/lego-education-wedo-2-0-core-set/45300>



These kits are great educational aids to help encourage 'STEM' enthusiasm, as well as teaching teamwork, project management, and most importantly, how to learn from mistakes!

Already used widely in private schools, Karsiyaka will be amongst the first state schools to put them to use.

Please get in touch if you'd like to know more.

English: Malcolm 0533 869 9745

Turkish: Deniz 0533 858 7322

If anyone has any unwanted Lego stored away which is no longer used, this would be of great benefit to the children, so if you would like to donate any items please contact Malcolm or Deniz on the telephone numbers shown.

We were very impressed with the school as a whole, the children all looked very happy and were very well behaved and we are sure they are going to benefit from the efforts of Jessic Friends of Karşıyaka School Children to help them along through their early years and give them a good start to their journey through education.



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North Cyprus Events Calendar 19th January to 4th February 2019

A list of events you can look forward to in North Cyprus. For those charity fund-raisers, venues etc. who would like to include an event in the Weekly Events Calendar, contact Chris or Margaret at cyprusscene.com.

The Events Calendar is published on cyprusscene.com website every week on Thursday so please try to submit information you would like to be included by Wednesday each week.



19th January – Saturday – Football :

Düzkaya v Çetinkaya (Kibris Cup) at Nihat Bağicer Stadi, Catalkoy (Tempo Supermarket). Kick off 1pm.

Dipkarpaz v Mehmetçik (BTM) at Dıpkarpaz Stadi. Kick off 2pm.

Magüsa Türk Gücü v Maraş (Kibris Cup) at Mağusa Canbulat Stadi, Famagusta. Kick off 1pm.

Türk Ocak v Mesarya (Kibris Cup) at 20 Temmuz Mete Adanir Stadium, Girne. Kick off 1pm.

Göçmenköy v Yenicamı (Kibris Cup) at Göçmenköy Stadi (next to Atatürk Stadium), Lefkosa. Kick off 1pm

19th January – Saturday - The Abnormals will be presenting Snow White and the 7 Personalities at Charlies Sports Bar at 8pm. 12TL and 6TL for under 16s. Bookings – call 0533 874 6056 or via Susie L Ford Facebook page

19th January – Saturday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be presenting Salliel Bros and Okan Ersan from 9.30pm. Entrance 40TL.

19th January – Saturday - Charity/Birthday event in aid of Hope 4 Pets and Tulips 7pm at Alvardar Restaurant, Lapta. 50TL per person. There will be an auction, raffle, card bingo, football scratch cards and much more, including music and dancing. Food will be available. Booking essential as places are limited. Call Mo Bruce on 0533 888 9850.

20th January – Sunday – Football :

Esentepe v Karşıyaka (Kibris Cup) at Esentepe Erdal Barut Stadi. Kick off 1pm.

Yonpaş Dumlupınar v Merit Alsancak Yeşilova (Kibris Cup) at Dr Fazil Küçük Stadium, Famagusta. Kick off 1pm.

Gençlik Gücü v Çanakkale (Kibris Cup) at Atatürk Stadium, Lefkosa. Kick off 1pm.

Küçük Kaymaklı v Yeniboğaziçi, (Kibris Cup) at Şht Hüseyin Ruso Stadium, Lefkosa. Kick off 1pm.

Ozanköy v Gönyeli (Kibris Cup) at Mustafa Özkayım Stadi, Ozankoy. Kick off 1pm.

20th January – Sunday - Blakes Lounge Bar and Bistro, Alsancak will be doing their traditional Sunday Lunch from 12.30pm to 4pm and this will be followed by a visit by the Travelling Scots Ceilidh Band starting at 5pm. Now fully booked for lunch. For any information call 0548 839 4007.

22nd January – Tuesday - Bar 33 (The Old Mill), Ozankoy will be having a coffee morning in aid of Hope 4 Pets 11am to 1pm. 15TL includes coffee/tea and cakes. Enjoy cake, chat, clothes, coffee, crafts, jewellery and bingo.

23rd January – Wednesday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be presenting The Lady M Jazz Trio from 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL.

24th January – Thursday - Quiz of the Week with Susie, followed by Karaoke at the Balti House, Esentepe at 8pm. 5TL per person. 2-course quiz menu 40TL. To book call 0542 889 3034.

24th January – Thursday - Classic film event at The Food Lodge in Catalkoy in association with the DVD Shop, Catalkoy. Starting at 5pm you can enjoy Dirty Rotten Scoundrels (1989). 15TL for the film, a soft drink and popcorn. There are also hot dogs and nachos available.. Reservations must be made - call 0533 839 8764

25th January – Friday - Bingo at Charlie's Bar, Esentepe at 8.30pm.

25th January – Friday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be presenting The Gentleman from 9.30pm. Entrance 35TL.

25th January – Friday - Black Olive Cafe, Alsancak will be having their Burns Night themed Fun Quiz, starting at 7pm. To book teams call Vicki on 0533 835 5133

27th January – Sunday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be presenting a classical concert with Katie Economidou, Doors open at 6.30pm and concert starting at 7pm. Entrance 35TL.

28th January – Monday - Friends of the TRNC Emergency Services (112) will now be having their monthly quiz nights at The Black Olive Cafe, Alsancak at 7pm. 35TL for quiz and supper, 10TL for quiz only. To book teams call Brenda on 0533 840 7834.

31st January – Thursday - Quiz of the Week with Susie, followed by Karaoke at the Balti House, Esentepe at 8pm. 5TL per person. 2-course quiz menu 40TL. To book call 0542 889 3034.

31st January – Thursday - Classic film event at The Food Lodge in Catalkoy in association with the DVD Shop, Catalkoy. Starting at 5pm you can enjoy Con Air (1997). 15TL for the film, a soft drink and popcorn. There are also hot dogs and nachos available.. Reservations must be made - call 0533 839 8764

4th February – Monday - Blakes Lounge Bar and Bistro, Alsancak will be having an Alternative Quiz starting at 7pm in aid of the Greenhill Cemetery. 50TL includes food and a 10TL donation to the charity. To book call 0548 839 4007.

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Tanju Aykol exhibition “Romantic Hand of the Soldier in Cyprus”

Girne Municipality Art Gallery, hosted a personal painting exhibition by retired Colonel Tanju Aykol.

Colonel Tanju Aykol's painting exhibition entitled “Romantic Hand of the Soldier in Cyprus” was held between 7-14 January. The opening ceremony of the exhibition at the Girne Municipality Art Gallery was organised by the Commander of the Turkish Cypriot Peace Forces. Dr.

Holy Ozturk. Girne Mayor, Nidai Güngördü, and the public attended. In his speech at the opening of the exhibition Mayor Nidai Güngördü said Tanju Aykol was well-known and the personal painting exhibition created excitement and happiness.

The artist Tanju Aykol thanked Mayor Güngördü and the Girne Municipality for providing the opportunity for the exhibition to be held.



Concert at Girne Chamber Theatre



Turkey Coal Enterprises Turkish Music Chorus, organised a concert with the support of the Municipality of Girne.

The concert took place at Girne Municipality Chamber Theatre under the direction of Celal Abacı, an Ankara singer vocalist and composer.

Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü, said that in 2017 Girne Municipality

Turkish Art Music Ensemble, gave a concert with Ankara Yenimahalle Municipality Coal Enterprises at the Nazim Hikmet Cultural Centre to commemorate Kamran Aziz.

After a long break he said that they were pleased to see and host the Turkish Art Music Conservatory in Girne this time and Güngördü thanked the people who contributed to the concert.

Girne - Asphalt laying on 19th and 20th January

Girne Municipality will carry out asphalt laying between Beylerbeyi Lights and Doğanköy Selvili Street entrance and Mustafa Lefkonuklu and Hasan Obalı Street on 19th and 20th January.

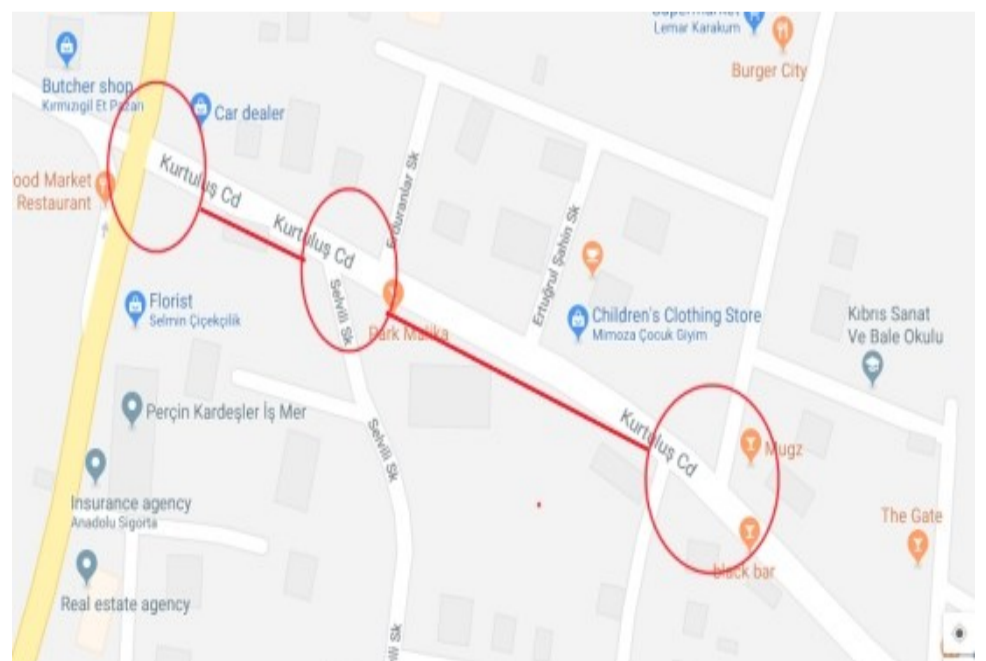
As a part of Kurtuluş Caddesi will

be closed to traffic, Çağra and Olgun Olguncan Street routes can be used as an alternative.

During the road resurfacing works, drivers are advised to comply with traffic signs and markers.



Road closed 19th to 20th January



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Here are the answers to Sudoku on page 25

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How did you do?



Forthcoming Events

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MEETING 1st Wednesday of the month

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NORTH CYPRUS CHEMIST ROTA

19th January – Saturday

Buğçe Eczanesi, Nusmar Market Girne. Tel: 815 0032
Nazim Variş Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad. Alsancak. Tel: 821 3088

20th January – Sunday

Aydin Life Eczanesi, Minimall Plaza Bellapais Road, Doğanşokoy.
Tel: 815 7350
Dünya Eczanesi, Salih Miroğlu Cad. Girne. Tel: 815 0009

21st January – Monday

Arkan Adışanlı Eczanesi, Hz Omer Cad. Karakum. Tel: 815 2062
Kandil Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad Çıçken Planet/GAU.
Tel: 822 3842

22nd January – Tuesday

Aşar Eczanesi, Mustafa Çağalay Cad Girne. Tel: 815 7075
Setenay Bebgisu Eczanesi, Semih Sancar Sokak, Doğanşokoy.
Tel: 816 0082

23rd January – Wednesday

Mehmet Kamiloğlu Eczanesi, Mustafa Çağalay Cad Girne.
Tel: 815 2150
Torensel Eczanesi, Beşparmaklar Cad. Çatalköy. Tel: 824 5713

24th January – Thursday

Defne Eczanesi. Ataturk Cad 20 Girne. Tel: 815 3516
Sule Eczanesi, Dr Salih Miroglu Cad/ Alier Plaza Girne. Tel: 816 1213

25th January – Friday

Sule Eczanesi, Dr Salih Miroglu Cad/ Alier Plaza Girne. Tel: 816 1213
Tören Eczanesi, Zıya Rızıkı Cad. Girne. Tel: 815 8979

26th January – Saturday

Arda Çelik Eczanesi, Zafer Cad Ozankoy. Tel: 815 2069
Mucizem Eczanesi, Naci Talat Cad. Nevzat Center Karaoglanoglu.
Tel: 815 1150

Duty Chemists for the Girne - Alsancak - Lapta areas

Chemist Winter Opening Hours

On weekdays, Pharmacy opening hours change to 8am to 6.30pm Monday to Friday and Saturdays between 8am and 1.30pm until March 31, 2019.



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General 228 3411
Girne 815 2125
Lefkosa 228 3311
Gazi Mağusa 366 5310
Guzelyurt 714 2140
Lapta 821 8512

FIRE

Emergencies **199**
Forest Fire **177**
Girne 815 2111
Lefkosa 227 1259
Gazi Mağusa 366 5389
Guzelyurt 714 2200

AMBULANCE

Emergencies **112**

HOSPITAL

Girne 8152266/815 2254
Lefkoşa 228 5441;
Gazi Mağusa 3662876/3665328
Güzelyurt 714 2125











ELECTRICITY

Electrical faults **188**
Lefkoşa 225 3436
Girne 815 2223
Gazi Mağusa 366 5514
Güzelyurt 714 2122

WATER

Water problems:
Lefkoşa 228 3315
Girne 815 2118
Gazi Mağusa 366 4483
Güzelyurt 714 3516

Kyrenia Weather (from 18th January 2019) 10-day Forecast

TODAY JAN 18	SAT JAN 19	SUN JAN 20	MON JAN 21	TUE JAN 22
 15°/6°C Sunny to partly cloudy	 15°/7° A blend of sun and clouds	 15°/9° Cloudy	 15°/9° A brief morning shower	 14°/7° A passing shower or two
WED JAN 23	THU JAN 24	FRI JAN 25	SAT JAN 26	SUN JAN 27
 15°/9°C Partly sunny	 16°/10° Mostly sunny	 16°/8° An a.m. shower, rather cloudy	 18°/8° Sunshine and patchy clouds	 17°/8° Windy; a few morning showers

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The Sports Quiz

Sports Quiz : 10 questions and this week's "Stinker"

By Richard Beale..

This week's 10 questions are on general sport and I would say that they fit into the HARD category.

The answers will be found on page 31 of this weeks Enewspaper.

The answer to the "Stinker" question will appear in next week's Enewspaper.....**Good Luck!**



Question 1 : Which London football team were known as the "crazy gang"?

Question 2 Which West Indian Test Captain turned out for Antigua in the 1978 Football World Cup?

Question 3.:Which sport uses the lightest ball?

Question 4 Which member of the Royal Family played International Rugby?

Question 5:Which horse racing course in July 2017 celebrated 130 years racing?

Question 6 Which soccer club plays at Rugby Park?

Question 7 What was the "nickname" of the French tennis star Rene Lacoste?

Question 8 What is the maximum time in golf you are allowed to look for a lost ball?.

Question 9: In Rugby Union who are the Pumas?

Question 10 England and West Ham soccer legend Sir Geoff Hurst played one first class cricket match for which county?

This weeks **STINKER**

The answer will be in next weeks Enewspaper

Question:

Men of a certain age like me will remember on the 2nd January 1982 a certain young lady ERICA ROE made herself famous by streaking onto the pitch at Twickenham during an England International Rugby match.

Who were England's opponents that day?

Last weeks **STINKER**:



Cyprus Scene Sports Quiz

The question was:

It was an **EASY** question, which Premier League striker scored 3 successive hat tricks during the 2017-18 season against Watford, Newcastle and Leicester?

Answer:

SERGIO AGÜERO

Up for the Cup!

Richard Beale

Competitive football returns this weekend when the K-Pet Super League and League 1 teams compete in the first round of the **KUZEY KIBRIS CUP**.

Super League teams all play League 1 Clubs so there always is a 'David and Goliath' battle in every match. Normally class prevails but being the Cup there are always shocks.

Pick of the matches are Ozanköy v

Gönyeli, two old rivals, there could be a shock there.

In Göçmenköy Stadium in the shadow of the Atatürk Stadium K-Pet League 1 leaders Göçmenköy play Super League Champions Yenicami again on a small pitch could be an upset there.

Finally current Super League leaders Mağusa Türk Gücü face minnows and neighbours Maraş. Could the Champions elect take this match too lightly?



Selective fixtures for Weekend January 19/20.

PLACE	DATE	L	MATCH
CATALKÖY Nihat Bağicer Stadı	Sat Jan 19	Cup	Düzkaya v Çetinkaya ko 1-00pm (Behind Tempo Supermarket)
DİPKARPAZ Dıpkarpaz Stadı	Sat Jan 19	BTM	Dıpkarpaz v Mehmetçik ko 2-00pm
ESENTEPE Esentepe Erdal Barut Stadı	Sun Jan 20	Cup	Esentepe v Karşıyaka ko 1-00pm
FAMAGUSTA Mağusa Canbulat Stadı Dr Fazil Küçük Stadium	Sat Jan 19 Sun Jan 20	Cup Cup	Mağusa Türk Gücü v Maraş ko 1-00pm Yonpaş Dumlupınar v Merit Alsancak Yeşilova ko 1-00pm
GIRNE 20 Temmuz Mete Adanir Stadium	Sat Jan 19	Cup	Türk Ocak v Mesarya ko 1-00pm.
LEFKOŞA Atatürk Stadium Göçmenköy Stadı (next to Atatürk Stadium) Şht Hüseyin Ruso Stadium	Sun Jan 20 Sat Jan 19 Sun Jan 20	Cup Cup Cup	Gençlik Gücü v Çanakkale ko 1-00pm Göçmenköy v Yenicami ko 1-00pm Küçük Kaymaklı v Yeniboğaziçi, ko 1-00pm
OZANKÖY Mustafa Özkayım Stadı	Sun Jan 20	Cup	Ozanköy v Gönyeli, ko 1-00pm

BTM League Results for Weekend 12/13 January 2019

By Richard Beale..

With the K-Pet League's shut down on their winter break it just left the BTM League, which is the equivalent to the third division.

In the **Red Group** second place Valdili suffered their first reverse of the season losing 2-1 at Türkmenköy. This slip up has allowed Görneç in first place some breathing space being 4 points ahead of Vadili but having played one game more. Görneç were given a fright when Serdarlı took a first minute lead through SALIH KÜÇÜKOĞLU. However the lead did not last long when LEVENT equalised in the 4th minute. ERKAN ÖKTAN gave Görneç the lead in the 74th minute to send their fans home happy.

In the **White Group** both the first and second placed Clubs won, Karaoğlanoğlu lead the table by one goal on goal difference over Denizli.

BTM RESULTS Week 7

RED GROUP

Gaziköy - Mehmetçik	1-6
Geçitkale - Dıpkarpaz	2-1
Görneç - Serdarlı	2-1
Türkmenköy - Valdili	2-1

WHITE GROUP

Aydinköy - Zümrütköy	3-1
Ortaköy - Denizli	1-3
Tatlısu HOSK - Karaoğlanoğlu	2-3
Yimazköy - Lapta	1-2

LEAGUE TABLE (Red Group)

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pt
GÖRNEÇ	8	6	2	0	24	5	20
Vadili	7	5	1	1	17	5	16
Türkmenköy	7	5	0	2	12	9	15
Dört Yol	7	4	2	1	14	6	14
Geçitkale	7	3	0	4	10	10	9
Mehmetçik	7	2	0	5	13	16	6
Serdarlı	7	2	0	5	10	15	6
Dıpkarpaz	7	1	1	5	5	12	4
Gaziköy	7	1	0	6	6	33	3

LEAGUE TABLE (White Group)

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pt
Karaoğlanoğlu	7	5	1	1	19	7	16
Denizli	7	5	1	1	19	8	16
Lapta	7	4	2	1	17	9	14
Tatlısu HOSK	7	4	0	3	12	11	12
Yimazköy	7	2	1	4	8	13	7
Zümrütköy	7	2	1	4	9	20	7
Ortaköy	7	2	0	5	9	14	6
Aydinköy	7	1	0	6	10	21	3



GÖRNEÇ Players celebrating their win - Photo Arenaspor.koilk -Saliray Güvener.

Sports Quiz Answers

Questions on Page 29

Answer 1 Wimbledon.
 Answer 2 Viv Richards.
 Answer 3 Table Tennis.
 Answer 4 Peter Phillips played for Scotland's National School Side v France in 1995.
 Answer 5 Wolverhampton.

Answer 6 Kilmarnock.
 Answer 7 The Crocodile.
 Answer 8 5 minutes .
 Answer 9 Argentina.
 Answer 10 Essex.

Esentepe hit Six, I must be dreaming!

Result: Esentepe KKSK 6 Mesarya SK 1

By Richard Beale

Friendly Match

Saturday, January 12th–
Esentepe Erdal Barut Stadium.

I am awake now and yes Esentepe did score 6 goals, which is almost half of what we scored in 15 matches this season, shame this was only a friendly match but we still enjoyed it.

On a cold wintry afternoon Esentepe's performance warmed the spectators up as they ease themselves into the start of the season in two weeks time.

Both teams provided good entertainment, Esentepe put together some great moves, the players had time and space and there was plenty of good running off the ball.

Mesarya who were promoted from the BTM season during the summer are in a comfortable mid-table position in League 1. They were no slouches either and helped the entertainment value by putting together some good moves themselves especially in the first half.

For Esentepe this was a good morale booster, the team have forgotten how to score goals and the players clearly enjoyed playing in this match. It was only a friendly, the result doesn't matter,



Esentepe in the Green top

(20), Efosa (33), Kaan (47)
Mustafa Günlü (52), Alı Lamin (74)

MESARYA SCORER:

Ahmet Kiyi (22)

ESENTEPE TEAM

Onur (gk), Uğurcan, (Efe 70), Hasan, Mustafa Kiliç, (Şahin 45)
Burak : Hüseyin (Mustafa Günlü 45), Mahmut (Muhammed 45), Yakup (Ali Lamin 45 T) Kaan, (Vurkan 60), Henri Belle (T), Efosa. (T= Triallist)

but it was good to see a smile on the team's faces at the end of the match.

New signing 18year old Nigerian Efosa Francis scored his first goal for the Club and showed some nice touches on the left wing. The best goal of the match was from trial-list Ali Lamin who came on in the second half and hit a tremendous 25 yard shot that flew into the net. All in all a good work out for the teams and more importantly for the spectators who made the effort to come along they were rewarded with a thoroughly entertaining game.

ESENTEPE SCORERS:

Hüseyin Ermiş (17), Mustafa Kiliç

