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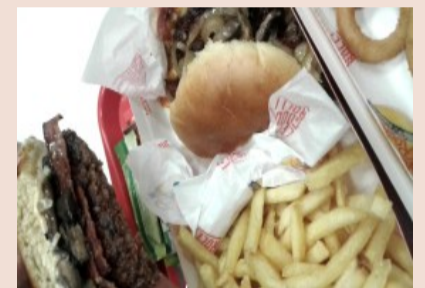
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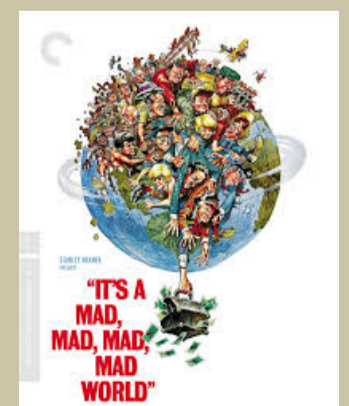
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## BRS Blood Donor Dates for 2020 - it may Save a Life!

We have received the following news from the British Residents' Society which was circulated to their members and many readers will be aware the donation of blood can save lives. After a recent appeal for donations, Harry Fellows MBE of the Anglo Turkish Association who had been hospitalised, is now responding to treatment and hopefully will be able to return to his home in the near future.

*These donor days have proved popular in the past and the donations have contributed to the saving of many lives. We hope they prove equally popular this year.*

*Should you wish to become a blood donor or wish further information, please contact the blood donor team on the link shown below " :*



" For over 20 years the BRS has been at the forefront of the Blood Donor system in Northern Cyprus. We work closely with Girne State Hospital and the Lefkosa Blood Bank to provide 4 blood donor days annually, the dates this year will all be held at Dr Akcicek State Hospital in Girne. The dates for 2020 are detailed below with times to be confirmed:



**7th March.**

**30th May.**

**12th September.**

**5th December.**

[beablooddonor.brstrnc@gmail.com](mailto:beablooddonor.brstrnc@gmail.com)

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Thank you from Anglo Turkish Association

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Following the appeal from the Anglo Turkish Association for Blood Donors to give Blood to help long time member Harry Fellows MBE we are delighted to learn that Harry Fellows is now recovering and will be released from hospital as soon as he has fully recovered.

**GIVING BLOOD  
SAVES LIVES**



[www.angloturkishassociation.com](http://www.angloturkishassociation.com)

10/02/2020

**Some good news about  
OUR 'Arry**

For all of you gave blood, tried to give blood, wished you could have given blood **OR JUST** crossed your fingers and prayed –

**THE LATEST NEWS is good!**

Our beloved friend of all Turkish Cypriots, Expats and Anyone who knows him, our Associations very own **HARRY FELLOWS M.B.E** is out of intensive care!

So on behalf of our Association a  
**BIG THANKYOU**  
to all of you!

Hopefully Harry will, fingers crossed be allowed home within the next few days.

In the meantime, remember there are many others in North Cyprus that if Harry could say it – **would welcome you giving blood for them.**

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## Cancer and the TRNC Ministry of Health Statement

In response to the letter published in the press on the statistics of the Ministry of Health published on the 6th of February, a press release was deemed appropriate as a Ministry.

**Due to the World Cancer Day on 4th February, a statement was made in a newspaper on 6th February. A section of the cancer statistics report published by the Ministry of Health in the relevant article is defined as populism and scandal.**

As we all know, cancer, which is the disease of our century, takes millions of lives worldwide every year. In a sense, it is the duty of the press to raise awareness of states and individuals about this disease and to remind them that they have responsibilities. The aim of the article was probably to highlight Cancer Disease and shed light on what the government should do about it. However, issuing the right news should be the most important goal.

It is an unfortunate fact to record the annual cancer incidence in our country as 549 per hundred thousand, in the newspaper, without mentioning the results made in this study and without mentioning the comparisons made with other neighbours and world countries.

The extent of cancer disease in our country has always been an issue of concern. It is true that the Ministry of Health made a survey to the KADEM research company in 2011. However, with such questionnaires, it was found that scientifically correct and reliable results could not be achieved and it would not be enough to compare our situation with the world.

It has been understood that a structure in the incidence of cancer in the country, which will allow the monitoring of what is happening, that has continuity and validity at the level of international standards, should be established within our Ministry.

For this reason, our Ministry established the Cancer Registration Project in 2013 with the Eastern Mediterranean University Faculty of

Medicine and the project was implemented with the contributions of the Turkish Embassy.

In project scope;

1- Cancer Monitoring and Evaluation and Training Center (KIDEM) was established (It operates on two important topics. One of them is Cancer Registry and the other is Cancer Screenings).

2- With the Cancer Disease Notification Law, cancer reporting is included in the mandatory disease scope (the law was prepared and launched on 22 October 2018).

3- Our Ministry simultaneously with law studies, with the Turkey Cancer Agency to work in this field has conducted training activities for individuals.

4- After the enactment of the law, the first five-year (2012-2016) cancer statistics report of TRNC was prepared and shared with the whole society during the Cancer Week in 2019, and also posted on the Ministry's website.

The standards and methodology of the International Association of Cancer Registers (IACR) of the World Health Organisation were used in the preparation of these statistics. Thus, we had the chance to compare our situation with other countries of the world. While collecting the data, as will be seen in the TRNC statistical report, the data was collected from many sources by an active recording method.

In this report, the incidence of cancer in the country by region, age groups, gender, the most common cancers in women and men, at what stage cancers are diagnosed according to the types of cancer, how many changes have occurred in a hundred thousand people every year. We shared the facts with the community of the people diagnosed with cancer. We compared our country with other countries.

We also shared our 2012 Cancer

Statistics report with world cancer recorders at the IACR meeting held in Utrecht, Netherlands in 2017.

All these studies have been carried on without interruption by the Ministers of Health, who have been in office from 2013 to the present day. During the period of our Ministry, recording has not ceased, currently cancer data for 2017 is actively collected to ensure continuity. The institutions that are obliged to make notifications create the notification files and our Ministry submits their files to cancer registry officers. While conducting these studies, the Law on Privacy of Personal Data is strictly followed and data from institutions is collected through active recording.

While this is the case, it is an unfortunate fact to explain the annual cancer incidence in our country as 549 per hundred thousand, in a newspaper, without mentioning the results of this study and without mentioning the comparisons made with other neighbours and world countries.

In our Cancer Statistics covering the years 2012-2016, our incidence rates were found as 178.2 per hundred thousand for women and 177 for men. The figures given by the Medical Association are also compatible with this rate of development. (Note; When starting cancer registration, it should always be five years previous to the present, to show how the current data is compared to the past.)

In the 5-year report, the phrase "we now know our numerical distributions and concerns turned out to be unfounded" from these statistics it shows that we do not have a cancer rate higher than other countries in the world. There is no cancer in our country that we are not aware of or should ignore. On the contrary, the goal of cancer registry sheds light on the work to be done about all cancers and the precautions to be taken with scientific data.

Cancer data related to Southern Cyprus can be followed from the CANCER

TODAY data of the World Health Organisation IARC (International Cancer Research Organisation). Here, all countries have cancer-related data. When it is examined, it will be seen that there is no different situation in the South from the North.

While this is the case, it is a very unfortunate and unrealistic statement to mention that all the doctors working in Cancer registry, undertaking the treatment of Cancer Patients and contributing with the utmost devotion to the collection of statistical information have forgotten the Hippocratic Oath, and that the past ministers have not done any work.

Much has been achieved in our country in terms of cancer patients' access to treatment and the use of current treatments. But of course there are still things to do. In this sense, many issues such as raising awareness about the preventable causes of cancer, expanding screenings to a wider catchment of the society, establishing IDEM staff, increasing the life quality of patients and increasing the life span of patients, and calculating mortality rates are among the goals of our Ministry.

**While writing about this subject, which is very sensitive to the society, conducting a serious research, presenting the right information to the public, talking about the content of statistics, and making constructive suggestions, if any, are the issues that determine the value of the articles in the press.**

**Source: Ministry of Health  
Translated from Turkish**



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## Visit by Zorlu Töre to Girne Mayor Güngördü

Zorlu Töre, Vice President of the Republican Assembly, visited the Mayor of Girne, Nidai Güngördü.

In the speech made during his visit, Zorlu Töre stated that the new service building which has been constructed befits Girne, which is constantly growing, and wished Mayor Güngördü "good luck". Töre stated that he believes that morale and motivation will increase with the new building.

Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü said that the old building was insufficient to give good service, and now all units are gathered together in the new building.

Expressing that it is thought the population is approaching one hundred thousand in Girne, where tourism and education investments are made, Güngördü pointed out that a census should be held. He explained that the municipality

received contributions from the state and employed personnel according to the 33 thousand population as a result of the census conducted in the past, and noted that there are now occasional difficulties in providing services.

After the speeches, Zorlu Töre presented photos of Dr. Fazıl Küçük and Rauf Raif Denktaş to Mayor Güngördü, and Güngördü presented Töre with a picture of traditional Cyprus doors.



## End of February Semester festivities of Girne Municipality

Half-Year Festivals organised with the slogan of "A Short Break to Education" organised by Girne Municipality, which prepares educational and entertaining activities for children as the schools enter the semester break, ended with the Rhythm Workshop held on 13th February.

The events held at Bandabuliya and Girne Municipality Art Gallery included Painting and Origami

Workshops, Ceramics Workshop, Children's Party, Fairy Tale Workshop, Table Games and Rhythm Workshop. Free activities for all children were met with great interest.

Speaking at the event, Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü said that participation in educational and entertaining activities for children is increasing every year. He stated that a Child Council was recently

established and that children now also contribute to the city administration.

He thanked Ayten Deniz, who provided stationery items for the organisation of the events, and said to the children :

"If you want to live in a better world, love people, animals and nature."



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## A round table meeting to be held in Maraş

A round table meeting entitled “The Legal, Political and Economic Aspects of Maraş Initiative” will be held in Maraş on Saturday the 15th of February 2020.

Prime Minister Ersin Tatar and Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay from the TRNC, Turkish Vice President Fuat Oktay and Turkish Justice Minister Abdulhamit Gül from Turkey and senior officials from both countries will attend the meeting.

A team comprised of experts will come together in order to obtain a concrete road map at the meeting which is being organised by the Turkish Bar Association.

The meeting aims to produce a result that will affect the political decision and comply with the international law.

The round table meeting, which will be hosted for the first time in Maraş since 1974, will continue throughout the day.

Prior to the meeting, Turkish Vice President Oktay, Prime Minister Tatar, Deputy Prime Minister, and Minister of Foreign Affairs Özersay and Turkish Justice

Minister Abdulhamit Gül will give a speech.

**Source :**  
**TRNC Public Information Office**



## Turkish Foreign Ministry emphasised political equality



Turkish Foreign Ministry Spokesperson, Hami Aksoy, repudiated claims that Turkey had accepted the ending of the guarantorship system for Cyprus, under which Turkey stands as a guarantor for the island.

system established by the 1960 London and Zurich Treaties is clear. A just and comprehensive settlement on the island will only be possible by ensuring the Turkish Cypriot's political equality and responding to their security concerns'.

Aksoy answered the questions in a written statement about the allegations in the Greek Cypriot press and said ‘Turkey's position concerning the guarantorship

**Source :**  
**TRNC Public Information Office**

## Limassol Martyrs will be commemorated

Martyrs who lost their lives in the Turkish Cypriots' struggle for existence in Limassol will be commemorated in Girne.

The ceremony will be held in front of the Limassol-Girne Martyrs and Freedom Monument. Following a minute of silence and the National Anthem, speeches marking the significance of the day will be delivered and wreaths will be laid.

**Source :** TRNC **Public Information Office**



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## Thermal Camera System in TRNC Ports

Following the installation of a Thermal Camera at Ercan Airport, thermal cameras have been installed in Girne and Famagusta Ports.

The aim is to detect people with fever embarking from ships through the camera and to evaluate them in respect of the new Coronavirus disease.

While the general practice is that the Ship Master informs the port health officials regarding any sick people on board during the entrance to the port, it was decided to apply the further measures in order to identify sick people during this epidemic period.

**Source :**  
**Ministry of Health**



## More Saplings planted by Girne Municipality

Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü, together with Municipality employees, planted "Olive", "False Black Pepper", "Orchid", "Harnup" and "Poplar" trees in the 8 March International Women's Day Preserve in the Girne Social Housing District.

The Mayor thanked those who attended the sapling planting event and reminded that 30 new parks had been restored in the city since he took office, as well as establishing new playgrounds and wooded areas.

**Source: Girne Municipality**



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## It's a Mad, Mad, Mad, Mad World



By Ahmet Abdulaziz ..

The film with the above title is one of the best comedy films ever produced. Released in 1963, it won a number of awards, though it was the first comedy film produced and directed by Stanley Kramer, who was earlier known for producing drama films about social problems.

The film revolves round a group of strangers, who by chance found themselves in a situation where they went on an adventurous hunt to find 350,000 dollars. In the end, though the treasure was found, none of them could get the money. The suitcase containing money opens, while all 11 men were stranded on a fire escape in an old office building. The money floated down, where passers-by happily collected it.

All these events were shown in a comical way, which made it a very successful film of that era.

Now after a lapse of 57 years, I realise that it was not a comedy film. In fact the film deals with a very serious issue of present times, but presented to the people with a comic touch.

I am sure it is not just me, but

many other people would have found this comedy a very serious one.

Though the film was screened in 1963, and over half a century has passed since then, yet still the main theme of the film is fresh.

As I understand it, the main theme of the film is greed. It is the greed that forces people to do what under normal circumstances they would not. People set aside all their principles, ethical and social values and practices, just to get money. They start behaving in a queer and different way, when their goals of life change. Their changed behaviour when seen indifferently, appear comic to others.

However, the fact is that greed

never brings real happiness, because it leads a few people to get what in fact does not belong to them.

Greed is not just of money only. It is for power too. Don't we see most of the politicians acting in a comical manner, just to win some more public votes, leading them to the corridors of power.

There are politicians who kill millions of innocent people just to gain something. If we read history we find innumerable such instances where one group of people killed large numbers of people, just to occupy their natural resources and get benefit from them.

Not much time has passed since Europe and America were bringing scores of Africans as their slaves to work for them. The mass murders of Aborigines in Australia and of Red Indians are all part of human history. All this evidences the greed of human beings.

However, as the film reaches its



climax we see none of them getting the money, which was ultimately reached by innumerable pedestrians.

I wonder if one day human history would show the climax of the film becoming a reality, and the next generations of the ill-fated nations, who suffered so much in past and present times, would find justice done.

Let's not lose hope, because the climax of the film is near.

However still **"IT'S A MAD, MAD, MAD, MAD WORLD"**.



To view the video : **"It's a Mad, Mad, Mad, Mad World"** - click below.

<https://youtu.be/3BAtxv62H6c>

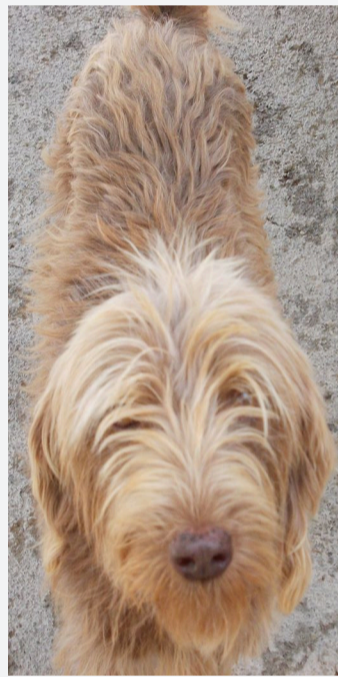
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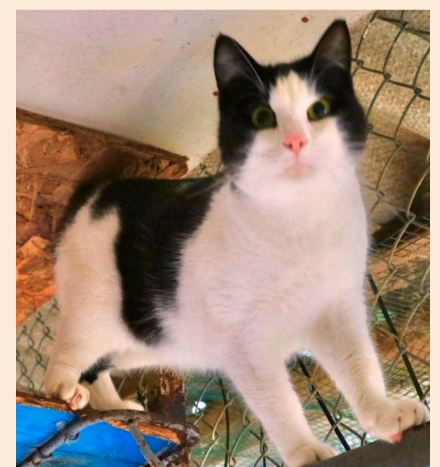
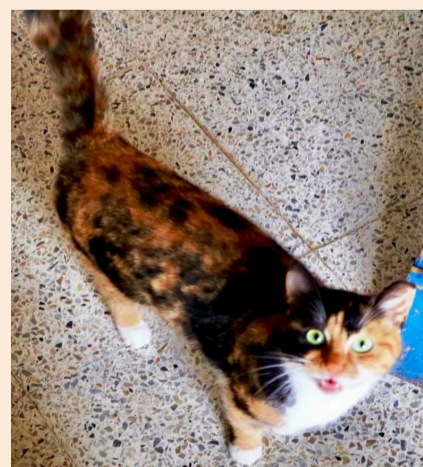
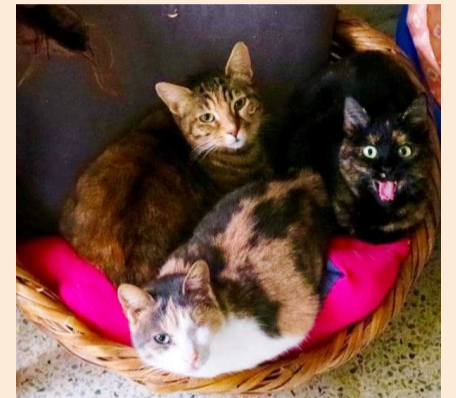
# KAR - News Update



Good morning world, and a happy Tuesday from the Centre.... 8 little faces waiting for that forever home. Email us, or visit and make their dreams come true!! [kartrnc@gmail.com](mailto:kartrnc@gmail.com)



Not forgetting our feline furbabies, a selection still waiting, all vaccinated and neutered. Email the office or visit the centre. They deserve the opportunity of a life free of constraint.



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## KAR - News Update



February 2020 is Responsible Pet Owners Month. Now that doesn't always begin at home. It can begin before a pet goes into its "forever" home. KAR always want our cat/dogs to have the best chance of homing that they can. We also want them to settle and be as happy as possible - as do their owners. Happy Happy Happy is what we want.

It is often difficult for centre dogs to understand what is required of them - they often have no experience of life outside the centre and some things are just totally alien to them and can, quite frankly, spook them. Some examples are mirrors (who is that doggy staring back at me?), stairs (mountains yes - stairs no!) TVs (where did all those people come from??). So we try and socialise them as much as possible and introduce them to new experiences BEFORE they go home.

Our centre staff and volunteers had been doing that recently, along with the help of Dog Mental, to prepare Luna and Frankie (2 teenagers) for home life in the UK.

They had been having regular sessions to help them overcome what may be a worrying thing for them in the UK (sorry but we couldn't do anything about SNOW!!) and reports were sent to Claire (their adopter) about their progress and how to continue to help them to adjust.

It is just so very important that we do everything that we can, not just in terms of physical needs to help them on their way to a happy "forever" home - with responsible owners taking over from us.

It was with absolute delight that we heard, following their recent long journey to the UK, that they were well on the way to having their feet under the table - as obviously the sofa is too small for one long legged one!!

" Frankie and Luna arrived yesterday, we took them to an enclosed field so they could have a run and practice recall with treats. - Hi, they are settling well, the recall is good. Our dogs have had their noses pushed out, but it's getting calmer by the day. Thanks for the process running really smoothly".

Happy Days Frankie and Luna x



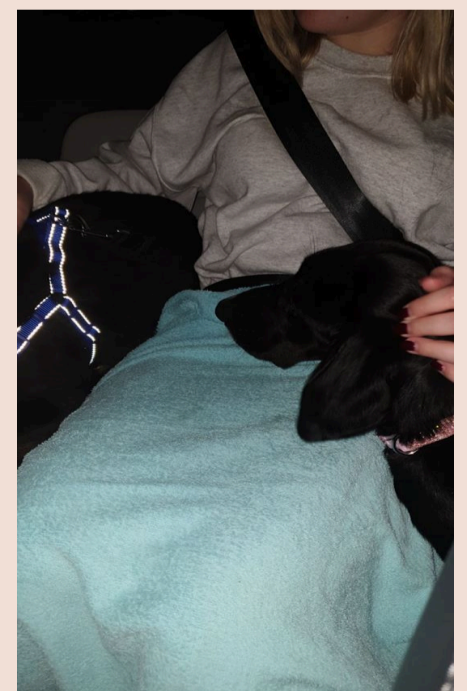
**Pyjama Party!!!**  
Prize for best dressed

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March**  
**7.30pm**  
**at Khans Ozankoy**

**Hot Buffet,**  
**Entertainment with Kerry Bowler**  
**80 TL**

**Raffle, Table Picture Quiz & sit down Bingo**

**Booking essential (limited numbers) via KAR Office in Karakum**  
**0533-869 4098, kartrnc@gmail.com**



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## Royal British Legion Summer Gala at the Merit Crystal Cove

### Readers mail...

#### Royal British Legion, Kyrenia Branch ....

The Royal British Legion, Kyrenia Branch, in association with the Merit Crystal Cove Alsancak, is pleased to announce its Summer Gala to be held on Friday 22nd May 2020.

Paul Bacon is the "ULTIMATE ELTON" .....

Some tribute artists look like their idol, some sound like their idol. Paul, as Elton John, does both! Close your eyes and you won't believe your ears, open your eyes and you won't believe them either! You simply won't find a closer tribute to Sir Elton John.

A lifelong Elton John fan, Paul first started singing and performing

Elton's songs whilst studying Performing Arts at University in the early 1980's. With an extraordinarily similar singing voice to Sir Elton, Paul is able to draw on an amazing back catalogue of hits to produce a truly wonderful celebration of Elton's music. Paul's performances often feature some of Elton's actual clothes, bought from his 'Out of the Closet' sales.

The night will include a three course meal and unlimited local drinks with a drinks reception on arrival. £50 for members and £55 for non-members. To see the three course meal menu, please click here

**Note :** We have an 'Early Bird' offer for tickets purchased in February with a special price of £40 for members and £45 for non-

members. You can reserve by calling Jill on 0548 8273910 and collection can be arranged from the usual pick up points. For more details please check the poster or our Facebook page click here

A 'Pop In' session has been arranged for the 26th February 2020 at Jessic's Bar, Lapta. Come along and meet some of the committee, have a coffee, tea or beer and a chat. Everyone is welcome so we hope to see you all soon.



## Pete's London Marathon in aid of three TRNC charities

### Readers Mail ....

#### From Sue Tilt – Tulips ....

Pete Colledge is running the 2020 London Marathon on 26th April in aid of 3 TRNC charities; Tulips, Karsiyaka Turtle Watch and Taşkent Nature Park.

He is in training now and you can follow his progress on his Facebook page - link shown below

Pete will be posting when and where he is for people to donate. In addition to this Martin Marancos will be having a stall at Lambousa Market from the end of February (date to be confirmed) and will be collecting sponsorship money for Pete.

An alternative way to donate would be to go to his Just Giving page: shown below :

Karsiyaka Turtle Watch have organised an event at the Road House, Alsancak in aid of Pete's London Marathon.

Thank you Pete for all the effort you are putting into raising money for Tulips, we still think you are mad, it is no mean feat to run the London Marathon and we wish you well.

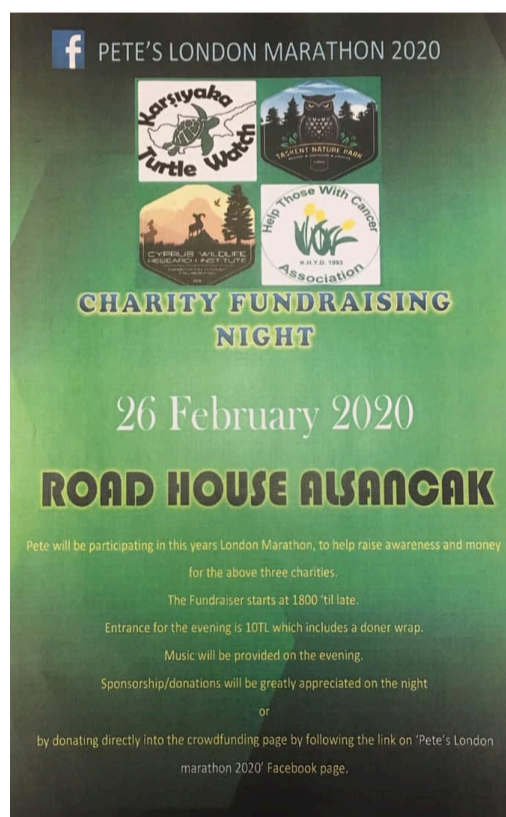
Pete's London Marathon 2020 Charity Fundraising Night will be having an evening of live music at the Road House in Alsancak on February 26th at 1800 hosted by KTW.

This event is to raise as much money and awareness as possible in the run up to Pete's Marathon mission for the 3 charity organisations including;

- \* Karsiyaka Turtle Watch - KTW on behalf of SPOT
- \* Tulips - Help Those With Cancer Association
- \* Taşkent Doğa Parki (Taşkent Nature Park) on behalf of Cyprus Wildlife Research Institute.

The evening of live music will begin at 6pm and end late. The event price is 10tl which includes a döner kebab.

Any donations and sponsorship will be greatly appreciated on the evening. Pete will be there in person to chat about his Marathon mission and to discuss each charity organisation in depth.



<https://www.facebook.com/Petes-London-Marathon-2020-111422260286363/>

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/peter-colledge-1>

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## MC Palace Hotel, Çatalkoy, Valentine's Night Gala Dinner

By Margaret Sheard ....

We made another visit to MC Palace Hotel, Spa, Convention Centre, on the main Çatalkoy road, for a meeting with the owner Mehmet Çangar, at the invitation of Peter and Wendy Toms, and we were also joined by the hotel General Manager, Serdar Oktay.

The main purpose of the meeting was to see how CyprusScene can help to promote the hotel by making people aware of events to be held in the future. Peter suggested many events which could be held throughout the year and would probably attract the British expat community as well as others.

We were told of an event which has been arranged for Valentine's Night on Friday 14th February, 8pm to 11pm, which will be a Gala Dinner with a set 3-course meal and complimentary glass of wine on arrival at 160TL per person, and also a special offer of accommodation and Gala Dinner for 2 people at 700TL. There will be live music entertainment with Brian Delaney to add to the enjoyment of the evening. So if you have not already arranged something for this special occasion

this is a good opportunity to visit, or even stay at, this beautiful new hotel.

The Spa facility offers many different types of massage including, Classical : Medical : Asian :Ayurvedic plus Turkish Hammam. Something to definitely try in the not too distant future I think!

We found Mehmet Çangar to be a very courteous and friendly person who gave us a very warm welcome which made us feel very much at ease. He is a very interesting person and I could have listened to some of his accounts of his life for ages, but he said it would take too long as he has had a very eventful life.

I always like to include something about the person behind a story and gathered that Mehmet was originally from Limassol where his father had a coffee shop and Mehmet was proud to say he has a flair for making Turkish Coffee which he first learned as a small child of 7 years of age. He attended an English School in Nicosia and eventually graduated from Ankara University. The family moved to North Cyprus in 1974 and, at the age of 23, he still

considered himself a student but needed to work. He managed to find work at Episkopi/Happy Valley Refugee Camp, where he remained for 18 months. During this time he also worked at the NAAFI for 2-3 months and then it was suggested to him that he should go to London, which he chose to do and he did well there, so this was the start of Mehmet's incredible journey to become a very successful businessman with Çangar Motors here in North Cyprus.

Mehmet originally purchased the land on which the MC Palace Hotel now stands in 1990, and has recently purchased an adjoining property with 2 donums of land, so he is now thinking about how this is to be developed. On the other side of the hotel there is a large plot of land which will become a car park area which should give parking for around 300 vehicles.

We enjoyed a nice lunch at MC Palace and were more than impressed with the starter which was a lovely soup served in a bowl with a lid which was made entirely of bread, I had never seen anything like this before, it was a very creative item. We then had a main course and a dessert plate from

which there were many choices available. The hotel also holds a Sunday Brunch from 10am to 3pm. Another good excuse to go along and try.

We have the warmer weather to now look forward to and hope to see many events appearing at MC Palace Hotel, especially in their large outside area which is ideal for concerts, themed fun days, special events etc. There is also of course the very large swimming pool and separate children's pool to also enjoy.



**Editor's Note : We hope to bring you a report of this romantic event next week.**

*Valentine's Day ♥ Romeo & Juliet Menu*

**Hot Soups**  
Asparagus, roast beef, cheddar, emmentaler, walnut, apricot, Avocado and salmon  
160 TL

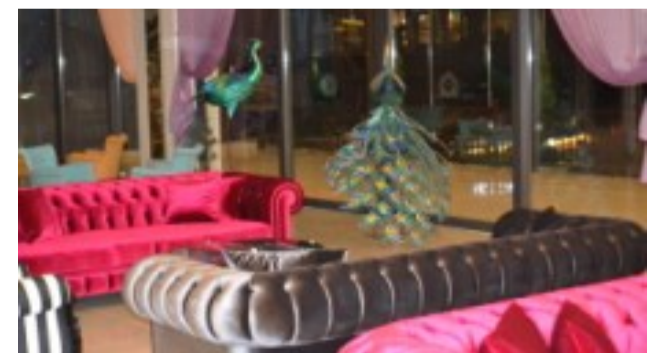
**Hot Appetizers**  
Special Pastry, Julienne Chopped Vegetables with sweet chili sauce  
160 TL

**Salad**  
Seasonal Greens, Avocado With Olive Oil Lemon Dressing  
160 TL

**Main Course**  
Beef, Grevy Sauce with Potatoes Purée and vegetables  
160 TL

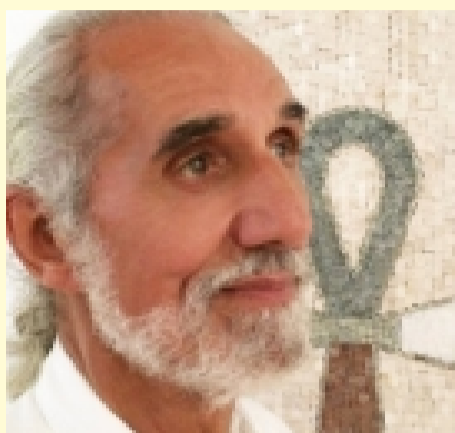
**Dessert**  
Special dessert love patterned cake  
160 TL

2P Chenet Sparkling Wine (Glass)  
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## Poets Corner



## 2 Poems by Nick Vye - Sanctuary

## THE SUN

Standing in the pouring rain,  
 All around looks sad again,  
 Waiting for the golden sun,  
 To shine again on everyone,

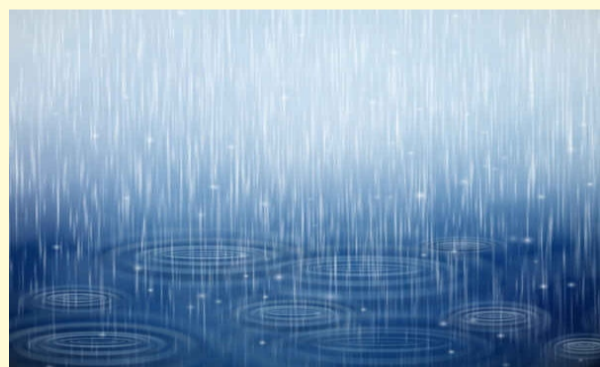
Don't like all this doom and gloom,  
 Like being in an empty room,  
 Waiting for the rain to cease,  
 And the sunshine for release,

Then the clouds begin to part,  
 Sunlight streams to warm my heart,

All around looks clear and bright,  
 Pretty colours now in my sight,

Off I go now feeling high,  
 Letting out a contented sigh,  
 Oh how the sun makes us feel better,  
 Like receiving good news in a letter,

Thank you sun for being up there,  
 With all your goodness for us to share,  
 Without you, we wouldn't exist,  
 So please keep shining, we persist.....



## THE LIGHT



When you finally see the light,  
 And it's shining so very bright,  
 Don't let it out of your sight,  
 Hang on with all your might,

Walk on in through that door,  
 There's so much for you to explore,  
 You couldn't ask for anything more,  
 Now you know it, that's for sure,

Like opening up a stuck gate,  
 It's never too long for you to wait,  
 The time has come, it is the date,  
 It's now or never, not just fate,

You realise now that your home,  
 Never have you been on your own,  
 You have reaped, what you have sown,  
 Now no more walking all alone

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# KUSKOR's efforts to prevent illegal hunting in 2019

### Readers mail...

### Damla Beton - Kuskor....

### Translated from Turkish....

As Bird and Nature Conservation Association – KUSKOR, we started our work to protect the wildlife of our country many years ago.

We make presentations about birds and wildlife, take nature lovers of all ages on bird watching trips, do bird counts, lead many studies on the protection of wetlands, we work hard. At the same time, we are carrying out studies to prevent illegal hunting in our country.

We are trying to intensify our work during times of illegal hunting. In 2019, we strengthened these efforts with the support of international CABS organisation volunteers. Our growing efforts have shown that illegal hunting is done extensively in certain areas, contrary to popular belief.

As a result, as part of our work on the basis of volunteering in the fall-winter period of 2019, we identified 59 mist nets, 56 Limesticks, 21 bird call devices in various regions and provided the necessary information by contacting the regional police.

During these studies, we rescued 344 live birds of 18 different species live from the nets, but unfortunately we found 12 birds dead on the nets. We can also see in international publications that 155 different bird species such as ash, red rhinos and spiderbirds were captured during illegal hunting activities in Cyprus.

During our long-term work, we have seen that in recent months, the Cypriot Ishakbird and other owl species, which are considered to be unique to Cyprus, were caught in the nets during the poaching or killed by an illegal hunter. In some places, we hear

that ambelopoulia are served as appetizers, and sometimes we see it via social media.

Due to increased controls to prevent illegal hunting in Southern Cyprus, we are concerned that illegal hunting and methods will be sought.

In 2020, we will continue our fight against illegal hunting by

strengthening. Anyone who wants to report this matter can contact us.

From the early hours of the night to the first light of the morning, we would like to thank the police friends and military authorities and all nature-sensitive volunteers who do not leave the association's officials alone.



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## Hope 4 Pets - News Update



Dear Members,

It's time to renew your **membership** of this fabulous non-profit charity for **2020**.

Every penny we receive, whether it be donations, membership or sale of donated items ALL goes to the street animals of North Cyprus, none of your money goes on salaries or expenses. Your much needed contributions are used in a variety of ways, neutering/spaying, emergency vet treatment, food, shelter, flea and tick treatment, worming, even the occasional hair cut!

Single	- £15.00
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Lifetime single	- £50.00

It is very easy to renew your membership through PayPal and you can pay your annual subscription via PayPal or credit card which ever you prefer.

If you want to pay directly to our bank account using BACS the details are:-

Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus  
Sort Code 20-11-81  
Account No 23445542

We also still accept cheques made payable to Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus.

If you wish to pay in TL, donations can be given to Stephanie Harrison-Croft who will give you a receipt for your membership donation.

Once you have renewed your membership you will be issued with a new membership card for 2020, but will keep your unique membership number. We hope in 2020 to continue to use your membership donations to help as many dogs & cats as possible, without your very kind support we would not be able to continue.

Kind regards

**The Team at Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus**  
[www.hope4petsnorthcyprus.com](http://www.hope4petsnorthcyprus.com)



### Valerie Merchant to Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus

**10 February at 13:05**

Hello everyone, these beautiful pups were dumped on the side of the ravine in Karsiyaka last night and left to perish in the bitter cold "what an excuse for a human"! My hubby whilst out with my 3 dogs rescued them and brought them back home we presently have 3 rescues and care for around 15 cats & kittens, all of which we've been able to spay and neuter with many thanks to Hope for Pets. Sadly we are due to leave for the UK this weekend as hubby is having surgery, can someone please help by adopting or fostering. They are around 6/8 weeks old now and I'm desperate to know they will be safe. Thank you



### Post by Emma Eminsoy 11th February.

Bouncy, bubbly Baxter is looking for a follow on foster home. His heavily pregnant mom was rescued from the beach as you will remember and Baxter was born last by caesarean after a long hard labour for Mom.

He is fully vaccinated and starts his rabies on Monday ready to go to the UK.

Thank you



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## A delicious Full House Burger at Johnny Rockets Express

By Peter Toms....

After a visit to see our friend Tony Tiga at Tiga Motors, we were urged by Chris Elliott, your kyreniacommentator of CyprusScene.com and his intrepid Editorial Writer and Calendar Girl, Margaret Sheard, to pay a visit to the Erülkü English style supermarket in Minareliköy, Lefkosa near to Ercan airport to experience a burger at Johnny Rockets Express at this store.

They told us the burgers were to die for so off we went with a view to filling a shopping trolley at the supermarket and on to Johnny Rockets.

The supermarket is huge, as many will know, and there is a warehouse style section within the supermarket which is just as large. Not wishing to miss anything we trundled every aisle with our trolley and then trundled every aisle in the supermarket to fill our trolley.

Good workout this! Hunger now at its peak and even Wendy, a non-burger eater, can't wait to get there.

A lovely clean restaurant and very friendly staff, photos of both attached and including hungry diners munching their Johnny Rockets and on their menu was the penultimate Smoke House double burger which should come served with a step ladder.

Upon our dear friends' recommendation we ordered a number 9, a Full House, consisting of turkey, bacon, cheddar cheese, fried egg, grilled mushroom, caramelised onions and Johnny Rockets Rocket Rose sauce. You need a very big mouth to take a bite of this and as Wendy and I don't have very big mouths (some might disagree) but hey ho! what the?

Got to admit we cheated and had it cut in half and what a delicious experience of mingled flavours and juicy elbows.

Great recommendation Guys and this is now on our calendar for a monthly visit for a shop and a stab at the Double Smoke House which I think you would have to sit on first and squash it before you could take a bite.



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## "The Spider and the Ghost of the Fly" - ARUCAD Art Space

### Readers mail....

#### ARUCAD University....

The exhibition "The Spider and the Ghost of the Fly" named from the translation by Gürgeç Korkmazel of the poem by Vachel Lindsay will open with a cocktail reception on Thursday 13th February at 18.30pm at ARUCAD Art Space.

The works of Turan Aksoy, Ali Azhari, Hakan Dağ, Elif Dağ, A.

Ceren Asmaz, Pervin Yiğit, Ömer Paker, Asuman Özdemir and Hüseyin Özinal will be shown and the exhibition will be open to the public from 13th February to 3rd March at ARUCAD Art Space, Mufti Raci Efendi Street, Lefkosa, between 13:30 and 17:30 on weekdays and between 10:00 and 13:30 on Saturdays.

All art lovers are invited to the opening of the exhibition.



## 'Pleasant Arrivals' received standing applause in Girne



The theatre play "Pleasant Arrivals", was shown within the scope of Theatre Days organised by Girne Municipality.

The play, which was applauded for several minutes, was watched with great appreciation and interest by theatre lovers.

The two-act play entitled "War of Independence" was staged by the founder and actor of Theatre Someone, Utku Erişik, with the theme of information which sheds light on a historical process which has not been brought up to date, using some 250 photographs and presented in theatrical language.

Theater Days will continue on 13th February with the play 'Letter K is Enough'.

Tickets for events are 20TL and can be obtained from Girne Municipality ((0392) 650 01 00) and from Girne Municipality Chamber Theater box office : (0533 821 21 44).

Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü spoke at the event and thanked everyone who had contributed to this production.



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## February Festivities organised by Girne Municipality

The semester festivities organised by the Municipality of Girne every February ended with a Rhythm Workshop at the Girne Art Gallery.

In the statement made by the Municipality; following the Children's Party held in the Bandabuliya on Saturday 8th February, a fairy tale workshop was held in the Art gallery and table games were held in Bandabuliya on Tuesday and Wednesday 11th and 12th February.

The children, who created their own fairy tales with the contributions of State Theatre artist Suzan Polat, had hours of fun and education.

Mayor of Girne Nidai Güngördü expressing his belief that children who love nature, animals and people will become good people in the future, said that such activities will also contribute to their development.

Güngördü stated that the Child Council was established in Girne recently and underlined the importance of finding an environment for children to express themselves in urban life.



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## “Maximum Art, Minimum Risk Art Camp 2020”

The "Maximum Art, Minimum Risk Art Camp 2020" exhibition, which was organised for primary school students in cooperation with the Prime Ministry's Anti-Drug Commission, Ministry of National Education and Culture, Girne Municipality and ARTTERAPI (Art Therapy and Personal Development Centre), opened at the Girne Art Gallery.

The opening was carried out by the Minister of National Education and Culture, Nazım Çavuşoğlu, Mayor of Girne Nidai Güngördü and the President of the Prime Ministry's Anti-Drug Commission Hasan Karaokçu. In addition, Bahar Çıralı, Director of Art Therapy and Personal Development Centre, attended the event, and the families of the students were also present.

In her speech, ARTTERAPI Art Therapy and Personal Development Centre Director Bahar Çıralı stated that they were in the 3rd year of the project and that they organised this camp in Girne in 2020 following Nicosia and Famagusta.

Providing information about the activities throughout the camp, Çıralı stated that they spent their February vacations with artistic activities that would support children's self-confidence. Stating that the students were very happy for their interest, Çıralı thanked the Prime Ministry's Anti-Drug Commission, who believed and trusted this project.

Hasan Karaokçu, President of the Prime Ministry's Anti-Drug Commission, stated that they set out with the slogan “We Love Our Children,” since the day they took office, and that they have been working to support children in every way. He added that the Maximum Art Minimum Risk Art Camp is one of them and they have carried out a very productive project under the leadership of Bahar Çıralı for 3 years.

Karaokçu stated that they realise that they can create wonders with such projects, and thanked Nazım Çavuşoğlu, the families, the school administration and Girne Municipality, who gave them confident support.

Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü expressed his pleasure in holding this meaningful event in Girne.

Stating that the commission and Bahar Çıralı have created an important and beautiful project, Güngördü said, “It is very important for children to meet art and get to know the city.”

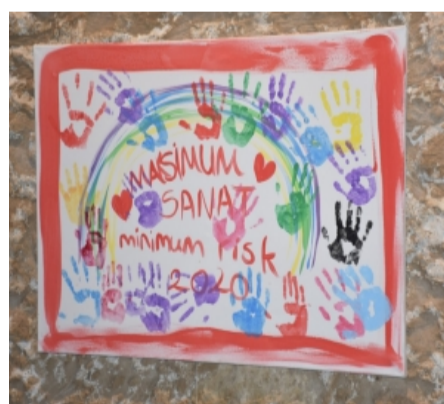
At the end of his speech, Güngördü thanked the children and their families who attended the camp by saying, “Children who grow up with love will love their homeland and respect their country.”

The Minister of National Education and Culture Nazım Çavuşoğlu started his speech by thanking the Prime Ministry's Anti-Drug Commission and Bahar Çıralı, who organized this meaningful camp, as well as Nidai Güngördü, who brought this historical and beautiful structure to the country.

“It would be nice if you touch somewhere. Empowering the next generations with knowledge, equipment, emotion, thought and art, we will shape the future so well”. Emphasising that it is the turn of the next generation of children, Çavuşoğlu added that they are working hard in this direction.

Çavuşoğlu emphasised the sensitivity of the families to the camp and thanked the families and the children who developed their emotions and thoughts with culture and art. He added that as individuals they will bring benefits to the world on behalf of their country.

Çavuşoğlu thanked everyone who contributed to the organisation of this camp at the end of his speech and added that they will continue to support such activities.





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## "Clean School, Clean Future" - project by EUL students

By Ahmet Abdulaziz....

Under the framework of Community Service Practices course of European University of Lefke (EUL), 4th year students recently arranged an event at the playground of the Güzelyürt Özgürlük Primary School, with a project entitled "Clean School, Clean Future".

The students aimed at making the playground of the school cleaner and more useful for the students of the school. They painted the walls of the grounds, and the basketball court. they also worked to bring a new face to the school garden.

These exemplary activities of the students were highly applauded by the management of the school, the children and also their parents.



## English Informative Leaflets About Coronavirus

Source: TRNC Ministry of Health - <http://saglik.gov.ct.tr/>

Reduce your risk of **coronavirus** infection:



Clean hands with soap and water or alcohol-based hand rub

Cover nose and mouth when coughing and sneezing with tissue or flexed elbow



Avoid close contact with anyone with cold or flu-like symptoms

Thoroughly cook meat and eggs



Avoid unprotected contact with live wild or farm animals



### STAY HEALTHY WHILE TRAVELLING

Avoid close contact with people suffering from a fever and cough



Frequently clean hands by using alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water

Avoid touching eyes, nose or mouth



### STAY HEALTHY WHILE TRAVELLING

Avoid travel if you have a fever and cough



If you have a fever, cough and difficulty breathing seek medical care early and share previous travel history with your health care provider



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## TRNC "GÜNSEL" electric car to be launched 20th February

By Ahmet Abdulaziz....

"GÜNSEL", the national electric car of TRNC is ready to be introduced in a befitting ceremony at 19.00 on Thursday 20th February, 2020 at the Elexus Hotel.

The first model of the "GÜNSEL", of which the prototype was introduced in 2016 has now been completed.

According to the information released by the Near East University (NEU) cooperation agreements have been made with 800 companies from 28 countries for production of "GÜNSEL", produced as a result of R&D studies, quality control processes have been carried out by 109

engineers spending over 1.2 million hours, and production will be carried out at the facilities established on the campus of Near East University.

Designed by engineers by



combining over 10 thousand parts featuring high reliability, original design, cost-efficient, and advanced technology, cooperation agreements have been made with the leading domestic and foreign suppliers of the automotive

industry, and it is planned to start the mass production process with 2,000 cars in 2021 and increase the production capacity to 20,000 by 2025.

In the press statement Prof. Dr. İrfan Suat Günsel, the chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University, said that the domestic and foreign agreements made are of great importance for the TRNC and Turkey's automobile industry. He further emphasised that the mass production of GÜNSEL will seriously contribute to the employment and economic developments of our country, and emphasised that a major place will be taken in the electric car industry in the world.

## Male characters in Turkish history, research by academics of NEU

By Ahmet Abdulaziz....

"The Perception of Masculinity and its Socio-Cultural Functions in Turkish Culture from Ancient Epics to Modern Novels" has been published in the journal entitled "Journal of Human Behaviour in the Social Environment" scanned by international indexes Web of Science and Scopus.

This thesis was prepared by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mustafa Yeniasır and Assoc. Prof. Dr. Burak Gökbulut of Near East University (NEU).

According to the information released by NEU, the research conducted by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mustafa Yeniasır and Assoc. Prof. Dr. Burak Gökbulut involved the study of the changes and socio-cultural functions of the male characters in texts from the period of the first texts in Turkish literature to the modern novels of today.

The research carries an in-depth study of male characters throughout Turkish history. The research covers the western influence in Turkish men during the Ottoman period, and afterwards.

The research is based on the novels and books written by famous writers of the time.

As a result, it is possible to say that the Turkish male structure has

shown a significant change and development from the first texts to the present day, and that Arab and Western cultures have played a particular role in the formation of this change and development.



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# Walking the Dogs - 12th February 2020

### Readers Mail ....

#### From Carole King ...

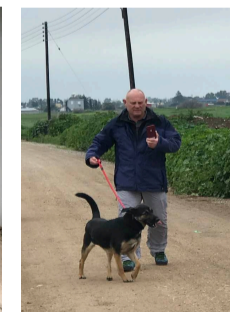
Well we thought that we wouldn't be walking as the rain was horrible on the sea side of the mountains but we did not have any rain the other side and we had 9 walkers who walked 24 dogs. The dogs seemed to have renewed energy this week, maybe because it was cool and they felt energized, who knows, but it was lovely walking them today.

Thank you to our very hardy walkers, Val Maskell, Matt Tanner, Irene and Tony Scott, Adela Warrington and Heather Gordon, Mike Phillips and Mike Bezzant, a great bunch of people giving their time and energies for the dogs, bless you all.

The photos don't cover all the dogs. Special cuddles and treats for Lora, Juliet, Roxy, Samba, Dylan, Karmi, Blue, Sasha, Ellie, Derek, George, Mummy, 2 energetic puppies(!), Jolene, Guthrie, Leah, Meg, Vazen, Capkin, Zak, Dottie and two whose names escape me ha ha....

A massive thank you to Val who had baked a birthday cake for me and arranged for some bubbly, it was lovely and also to just socialise with the walkers for a few minutes as we are normally getting on with it lol.

We missed Carole Lloyd who I suggested should stay at home in the warm in case we did not walk, see you next week xx





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## Events Programme 2020

11/01/20	Tree Planting – Start a Forest
11/02/20	Visit to National Archives
25/02/20	Visit to Lokum (Turkish Delight) factory in Lefkosa
24/03/30	Walking Tour of Iskele
11/04/20	
21/04/20	Visit to Cyprus Mines Corporation in Lefke
05/05/20	Bird Watching
19/05/20	Talk about the Cyprus Railways
02/06/20	Visit to Erson Hocas Organic Farm in Yesilirmak
30/06/20	Visit to Süleyman Pasa Hunting Mansion Palace
01/09/20	Visit to Traditional Chair makers in Lefkosa
22/09/20	Talk about the Lapta Bronze Age Cemetery
06/10/20	Walking Tour of Girne
20/10/20	Hala Sultan Mosque in Haspolat
10/11/20	Walking Tour of Gazimağusa
24/11/20	Talk about Quilt Making
01/12/20	Talk about Wills & Probate



All Events are followed by a meal

For information about any of these Events (or our Foreign Tours) please visit our website:  
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If you would like to join our members on any of these events please email our Events Organisers (Pearl Mitchell & Debbie Bird) at: -  
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**5 Aris Constantinou Trio (Jazz)**  
**7 Naim Korudağ & Friends (Blues/Rock)**  
**9 BREAKFAST WITH JAZZ**  
**12 The Hot Club Of Cyprus (Jazz)**  
**14 Alper Cengiz & Friends (Soul/Rock)**  
**15 Serdar Tuksal Band (Rock)**  
**19 Lady M. Jazz Trio (Jazz)**  
**21 Alper Cengiz & Friends (Soul/Rock)**  
**22 The Great Flood (Blues)**  
**23 Classical Music Concert -Aeterna Trio**  
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**QUIZ Night**

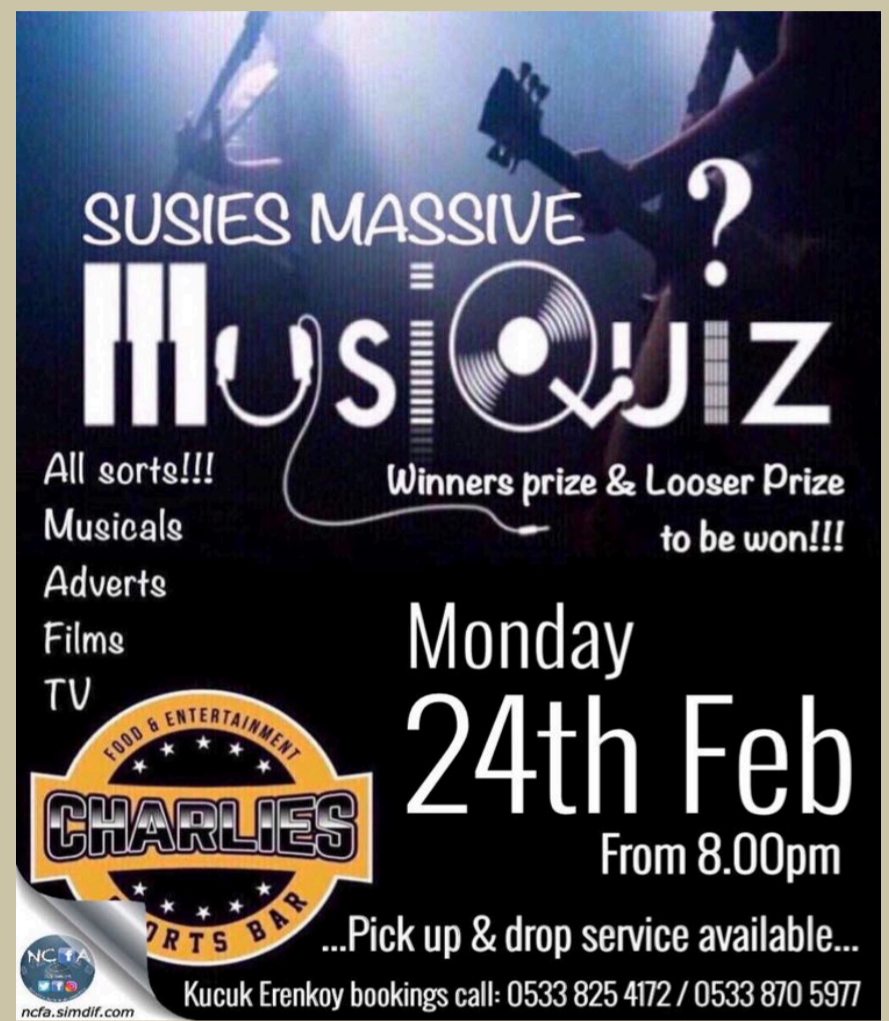
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Quarter Final of 2020 Kibris Cup  
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By Richard Beale....

On Monday 10th February the draw took place at the Football Federation offices for the Quarter Final of the domestic Kibris Cup.

All the remaining teams left in the competition are from the Super League. the draw is as follows:

**Mağusa Türk Gücü v Cihangir GSK. Türk Ocak Limasol v Çetinkaya TSK**  
**Küçük Kaymaklı TSK v Yenıcamı AK. Goçmenköy İYSK v Doğan Türk Birliđi**

The matches will be played over two legs, being played on **February 26th and March 11th.**

14th to 20th February 2020

## North Cyprus Events Calendar 15th February to 28th February 2020

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](http://cyprusscene.com). The Events Calendar is published on [cyprusscene.com](http://cyprusscene.com) website every week on Thursday so please try to submit information you would like to be included by Wednesday each week.



**15th February – Saturday** - Island Studio Art class – Oil painting – “The Kiss” by Rodin. Ozankoy area. 10am to 1pm - 200TL. Call 0548 857 3244 or message Island Studio on Facebook.

**15th February – Saturday** - The Soulist Coffee & Music House present Serdar Tuksal Band (Rock) starting at 9.30pm. Entrance 35TL. For information call 0548 839 8994.

**18th February – Tuesday** - Quiz Night at The Courtyard, Karakum at 6.30pm. 60TL meal and quiz including donation to the British Cemetery Committee for the upkeep of Greenhill Cemetery. To book call Paula on 0533 830 3256 or email [paula.shirley@hotmail.com](mailto:paula.shirley@hotmail.com).

**19th February – Wednesday** - The Soulist Coffee & Music House present Lady M Jazz Trio (Jazz) starting at 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL. For information call 0548 839 8994.

**20th February – Thursday** - The Food Lodge, Catalkoy – Classic Film Evenings – Night Train to Lisbon (2013) starting at 5pm. 15TL for film, soft drink and popcorn. Reservation only call 0533 839 8764.

**20th February – Thursday** - Quiz of the Week with Susie, followed by Karaoke at the Balti House, Esentepe at 8pm. 5TL per person. 2-course quiz menu 46TL. To book call 0542 889 3034.

**21st February – Friday** - Island Studio Painting Party. 6.30pm to 8.30pm. Ozankoy

area. Painting Parties must be reserved, for 4 people or more. Call 0548 857 3244 or message Island Studio on Facebook.

**21st February – Friday** - The Black Olive Cafe, Alsancak will be hosting an Alternative Quiz in aid of FARC in conjunction with Famagusta Street Animals Volunteers.

**21st February – Friday** - Bingo with Martin at Charlie’s Sports Bar, Kucuk Erenkoy at 8pm. 30TL. To book 0533 874 6056.

**21st February – Friday** - The Soulist Coffee & Music House present Alper Cengiz & Friends (Soul/Rock) starting at 9.30pm. Entrance 35TL. For information call 0548 839 8994.

**22nd February – Saturday** - Island Studio Kids Art class – Clay Tiles Part 1. Ozankoy area. 10am to 12noon - 200TL for both classes. Call 0548 857 3244 or message Island Studio on Facebook.

**22nd February – Saturday** - Bar 33 at The Old Mill, Ozankoy will be presenting live music with Andy Reay from 8.30pm. To book a meal call 0548 888 3371.

**23rd February – Sunday** - The Soulist Coffee & Music House present Classical Music Concert with Aeterna Trio. Doors open 6.30pm concert at 7pm. Entrance 40TL. For information call 0548 839 8994.

**24th February – Monday** - Susie’s Massive Music Quiz at Charlie’s Bar, Kucuk Erenkoy at 8pm. To book call 0533 825 4172 or 0533 870 5977.

**25th February – Tuesday** - Anglo-Turkish Association (ATA) visit to Lokum (Turkish Delight) factory in Lefkosa. Contact [atamail13@gmail.com](mailto:atamail13@gmail.com).

**26th February – Wednesday** - RBL will be holding a Beer and Natter event at Jessics Bar,

Karsiyaka. For more information call Jill on 0548 827 3910.

**26th February – Wednesday** - The Soulist Coffee & Music House present Lady M Jazz Trio (Jazz) starting at 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL. For information call 0548 839 8994.

**26th February – Wednesday** - Karsiyaka Turtle Watch will be hosting a fundraising event at the Road House, Alsancak from 6pm. This is Pete's London Marathon 2020 which is in aid of 3 TRNC charities - KTW, Tulips and Taskent Nature Park on behalf of Cyprus Wildlife Research Institute. There will be live music throughout the evening. Entrance 10TL which includes a doner wrap. Pete Colledge will be there to talk about his mission.

**27th February – Thursday** - The Food Lodge, Catalkoy – Classic Film Evenings – Paris when it Sizzles (1964) starting at 5pm. 15TL for film, soft drink and popcorn. Reservation only call 0533 839 8764.

**27th February – Thursday** - Quiz of the Week with Susie, followed by Karaoke at the Balti House, Esentepe at 8pm. 5TL per person. 2-course quiz menu 46TL. To book call 0542 889 3034.

**28th February – Friday** - Island Studio Painting Party. 6.30pm to 8.30pm. Ozankoy area. Painting Parties must be reserved, for 4 people or more. Call 0548 857 3244 or message Island Studio on Facebook.

**28th February – Friday** - Bingo with Martin at Charlie’s Sports Bar, Kucuk Erenkoy at 8pm. 30TL. To book 0533 874 6056.

**28th February – Friday** - ATA have now re-scheduled the date for tree planting - "starting a forest", which will be behind Ercan Airport (location to be confirmed). For more information see link below :

<https://cyprusscene.com/2020/02/13/ata-tree-planting-event-now-taking-place-on-28th-february-2020/>

14th to 20th February 2020

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**POLICE**

Emergencies	<b>155</b>
General	228 3411
Girne	815 2125
Lefkosa	228 3311
Gazi Mağusa	366 5310
Guzelyurt	714 2140
Lapta	821 8512

**HOSPITAL**

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

**ELECTRICITY**

Electrical faults	<b>188</b>
Lefkoşa	225 3436
Girne	815 2223
Gazi Mağusa	366 5514
Güzelyurt	714 2122

**FIRE**

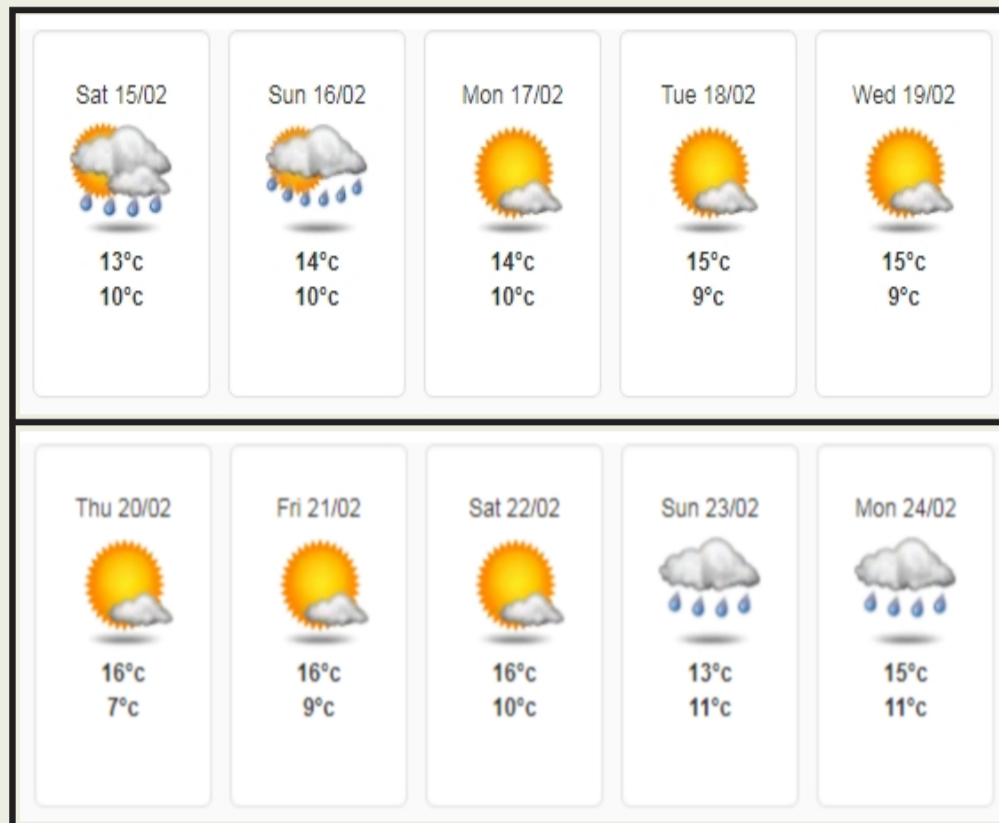
Emergencies	<b>199</b>
Forest Fire	<b>177</b>
Girne	815 2111
Lefkosa	227 1259
Gazi Mağusa	366 5389
Guzelyurt	714 2200

**WATER**

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

**AMBULANCE**

Emergencies	<b>112</b>
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**Kyrenia Weather (from 15th February 2020)****10-day Forecast****K-PET Super League & League 1 Results: 8/9/10 February****K-PET SUPER LEAGUE.**

08/02	Mağusa Türk Gücü	5 - 1	Çetinkaya TSK
08/02	Düzkaya KOSK	1 - 4	Merit Alsancak Yeşilova
08/02	Gençlik Gücü TSK	0 - 4	Gönyeli SK
09/02	Türk Ocağı Limasol	2 - 0	Baf Ülkü Yurdu
09/02	Binatlı YSK	1 - 0	Hamitköy ŞHSK
09/02	Cihangir GSK	2 - 1	Küçük Kaymaklı TSK
09/02	Göçmenköy İYSK	0 - 2	Lefke TSK
10/02	Yenicami AK	4 - 0	Doğan Türk Birliği

**KP PET SUPER LEAGUE TABLE.**

		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1.	Mağusa Türk Gücü	18	14	2	2	56	17	39	44
2.	Türk Ocağı Limasol	18	11	5	2	30	16	14	38
3.	Cihangir GSK	18	12	1	5	47	25	22	37
4.	Doğan Türk Birliği	18	12	1	5	39	24	15	37
5.	Merit Alsancak Yeşilova	18	11	2	5	48	29	19	35
6.	Yenicami AK	18	9	3	6	53	37	16	30
7.	Küçük Kaymaklı TSK	18	9	2	7	36	31	5	29
8.	Lefke TSK	18	7	4	7	29	33	-4	25
9.	Baf Ülkü Yurdu	18	7	3	8	29	40	-11	24
10.	Göçmenköy İYSK	18	6	4	8	25	32	-7	22
11.	Hamitköy ŞHSK	18	6	2	10	35	49	-14	20
12.	Binatlı YSK	18	5	3	10	30	38	-8	18
13.	Gönyeli SK	18	5	1	12	33	51	-18	16
14.	Çetinkaya TSK	18	4	3	11	23	37	-14	15
15.	Düzkaya KOSK	18	3	2	13	24	53	-29	11
16.	Gençlik Gücü TSK	18	2	4	12	21	46	-25	10

**K-PET LEAGUE 1**

	Ozanköy SK	(H) 3 - 0 ***	Doğancı SK
08/02	Bostancı Bağcıl SK	1 - 2	Esentepe KKSK
08/02	L. Gençler Birliği SK	0 - 2	Girne Halk Evi
08/02	Çanakkale TSK	0 - 3	Lapta TBSK
08/02	Görneç KSK	1 - 1	Yalova SK
09/02	Mormenekşe GBSK	2 - 3	Dört Yol SK
09/02	Karşıyaka ASK	0 - 1	Mesarya SK
09/02	Yonpaş Dumlupınar TSK	2 - 0	Maraş GSK

\*\*\* Match awarded to Ozanköy as Doğancı unable this season to fulfil their fixtures.

**K-PET LEAGUE 1 TABLE**

		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1.	Mesarya SK	18	13	4	1	42	12	30	43
2.	Yonpaş Dumlupınar TSK	18	11	3	4	33	6	27	36
3.	Girne Halk Evi	18	10	4	4	35	21	14	34
4.	L. Gençler Birliği SK	18	10	2	6	34	25	9	32
5.	Yalova SK	18	8	7	3	32	16	16	31
6.	Maraş GSK	18	9	2	7	31	24	7	29
7.	Esentepe KKSK	18	7	6	5	27	22	5	27
8.	Dört Yol SK	18	7	6	5	24	22	2	27
9.	Mormenekşe GBSK	18	7	4	7	26	34	-8	25
10.	Görneç KSK	18	6	6	6	31	29	2	24
11.	Karşıyaka ASK	18	6	5	7	19	26	-7	23
12.	Lapta TBSK	18	7	1	10	26	28	-2	22
13.	Ozanköy SK	18	5	3	10	20	34	-14	18
14.	Çanakkale TSK	18	4	4	10	22	41	-19	16
15.	Bostancı Bağcıl SK	18	3	5	10	21	29	-8	14
16.	Doğancı SK	18	0	0	18	0	54	-54	0

## Football Fixtures for weekend 14/15/16 February

### K-PET SUPER LEAGUE The "Star matches " in each division are marked with a \*\*\*

		Home Team	Away Team	Venue
14/02	17:30	Çetinkaya TSK	v Göçmenköy İYSK	Lefkoşa Atatürk Stadium
15/02	14:00	Küçük Kaymaklı TSK	v Türk Ocağı Limasol ****	Lefkoşa Şht Hüseyin Ruso Stadi
15/02	14:00	Gönyeli SK	v Düzkaya KOSK	Gönyeli Stadium
15/02	14:00	Baf Ülkü Yurdu	v Mağusa Türk Gücü	Güzelurt Üner Berkalp Stadium
15/02	14:00	Merit Alsancak Yeşilova	v Cihangir GSK	Karaoğlanoğlu Orhan Dural St.
16/02	14:00	Doğan Türk Birliği	v Binatlı YSK	Gime 20 Temmuz Mete Adanır Stadium
16/02	14:00	Hamitköy ŞHSK	v Gençlik Gücü TSK	Hamitköy Esat Erdoğan Stadi
16/02	14:00	Lefke TSK	v Yenicami AK	Lefke 16 Ağustos Stadium

### K-PET LEAGUE 1

### The "Star matches " in each division are marked with a \*\*\*

		Home Team	Away Team	Venue
15/02	14:00	Gime Halk Evi	v Bostancı Bağcı SK	Gime 20 Temmuz Mete Adanır Stadium
15/02	14:00	Dörtöl SK	v Ozanköy SK	Dörtöl Stadi
15/02	14:00	Mesarya SK *****	v Yonpaş Dumlupınar TSK	Paşaköy 100 Yil Stadi
16/02	14:00	Esentepe KKSK	v Gömeç KSK	Esentepe Erdal Barut Stadium
16/02	14:00	Lapta TBSK	v L. Gençler Birliği SK	Lapta Şht Şevket Kadir Stadi
16/02	14:00	Yalova SK	v Mormenekşe GBSK	Bostancı Tashın Mertekçi Stadi
16/02	14:00	Maraş GSK	v Çanakkale TSK	Maraş Necip Halil Kartal Stadi

### BTM LEAGUE RED GROUP The "Star matches " in each division are marked with a \*\*\*

		Home Team	Away Team	Venue
15/02	11:00	Yeniboğaziçi DSK	v 1461 İskele Trabzonspor	Osman Ergün Mehmet Stadium
15/02	14:00	Mehmetçik TÇBSK	v Geçitkale GSK	Mehmetçik Stadi
15/02	14:00	Dipkarpaz TSK	v İncirli SK	Dipkarpaz Stadi
15/02	11:00	Serdarlı GB	v Yarköy PGSK	Serdarlı 14 Ağustos Stadi
15/02	11:00	Türkmenköy ASK	v Vadili TÇBSK *****	Mehmet Ali Toker Stadi

### BTM WHITE GROUP

### The "Star matches " in each division are marked with a \*\*\*

		Home Team	Away Team	Venue
16/02	11:00	Tatlısu HOBSK	v Zümrütköy SK	Beyerbeyi Dr Ali Özsoy Stadi
16/02	11:00	Ortaköy SK	v Karaoğlanoğlu SB	Ortaköy Stadi
16/02	11:00	Yılmazköy SK	v Dikmen Gücü SK	Lefkoşa Mustafa Üçöz Stadi
16/02	11:00	Gülgün Süt Düzova GSK	v Değirmenlik SK *****	Balkesir Stadi

## BTM League Results and Tables for 8/9 February

By Richard Beale.

Its congratulations to Yeniboğaziçi after thrashing Yarköy, they were crowned Champions of the Red Group with 3 matches left to play. After suffering relegation for two successive seasons (from the Super League and League 1) the good times are back again for them as they will

### BTM LEAGUE RESULTS RED GROUP.

09/02	Vadili TÇBSK	4 - 0	Geçitkale GSK
09/02	Dipkarpaz TSK	3 - 0	Mehmetçik TÇBSK
09/02	Yarköy PGSK	1 - 6	Yeniboğaziçi DSK
09/02	İncirli SK	4 - 2	Serdarlı GB
09/02	1461 İskele Trabzonspor	1 - 2	Türkmenköy ASK

### BTM LEAGUE WHITE GROUP RESULTS.

08/02	Değirmenlik SK	1 - 0	Denizli SK
08/02	Dikmen Gücü SK	4 - 0	Gülgün Süt Düzova GSK
08/02	Yılmazköy SK	3 - 2	Ortaköy SK
08/02	Zümrütköy SK	3 - 4	Karaoğlanoğlu SB

### BTM LEAGUE RED GROUP TABLE.

		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1.	Yeniboğaziçi DSK	15	14	0	1	35	8	27	42
2.	İncirli SK	15	9	3	3	37	15	22	30
3.	Geçitkale GSK	15	9	2	4	40	30	10	29
4.	Vadili TÇBSK	15	8	4	3	45	23	22	28
5.	Türkmenköy ASK	15	7	3	5	27	25	2	24
6.	Mehmetçik TÇBSK	15	4	3	8	28	36	-8	15
7.	1461 İskele Trabzonspor	15	4	3	8	24	39	-15	15
8.	Serdarlı GB	15	4	2	9	24	31	-7	14
9.	Dipkarpaz TSK	15	2	3	10	22	53	-31	9
10.	Yarköy PGSK	15	1	3	11	18	40	-22	6

### BTM LEAGUE WHITE GROUP TABLE.

		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1.	Değirmenlik SK	13	9	3	1	37	10	27	30
2.	Yılmazköy SK	14	8	0	6	20	18	2	24
3.	Tatlısu HOBSK	13	6	3	4	19	15	4	21
4.	Gülgün Süt Düzova GSK	14	6	2	6	25	30	-5	20
5.	Dikmen Gücü SK	13	5	4	4	21	19	2	19
6.	Denizli SK	14	5	3	6	25	26	-1	18
7.	Ortaköy SK	13	5	2	6	32	29	3	17
8.	Karaoğlanoğlu SB	13	4	4	5	19	22	-3	16
9.	Zümrütköy SK	13	1	1	11	19	48	-29	4

## Bad day at the office for Geçitkale

By Richard Beale ..

**Sunday February 9 - BTM League Red Group - Vadili 14 Ağustos Stadium.**

This important match between these two teams fighting it out for a "play off" spot was comprehensively won by Vadili as Geçitkale produced their worst display of the season

With Yeniboğaziçi being crowned Champions today the race for "play off" place is hotting up, with Incirli now in second place on 30 points, Geçitkale dropping one place on 29 points with Vadili right behind them with this win on 28 points with 3 matches remaining.

This was a match too far for Geçitkale, their squad has been crippled by injuries, and today through suspension they were missing their player coach Hüseyin Yesilbaş. and their influential midfield player Hüseyin Özbilen.

This match kicked off on a bitterly cold morning which restricted the crowd to around 50 people. Both sets of supporters were very friendly to me, they must have felt sorry for me as they kept me supplied with regular cups of coffee and tea!

There was one Policemen wearing a T-shirt while all of his colleagues were wrapped up with scarves, balaclava's etc, I asked him aren't you cold? he replied "I had too much whisky last night my insides are still warm!"

**Result: Vadili TÇBSK 4 Geçitkale GSK 0**



**MEHMET ÇİL (left) and ABDULLAH ÇAPAN celebrate after scoring**

Vadili virtually dominated the game, and restricted Geçitkale to the bare minimum of chances. Their top goalscorer Mehmet Çil was a handful to the Geçitkale defence, this vastly experienced journeyman is far too good a player for this league. On the left Abdullah Çapan also tormented Geçitkale and in midfield ÜGUR ÖKELI was the best player on show.

Geçitkale were clearly missing Hüseyin Özbilen in midfield and their Captain Rifat, though he worked hard, could not match Ügur.

Vadili should have taken the lead in the 7th minute when Mehmet Çil set up Atakan who should have done better fired over from a good position.

The first goal was not far away in the 16th minute, MEHMET ÇİL was the scorer heading in at the near post from an Abdullah corner. **1-0**

**18 minutes** Geçitkale came close to equalising following a free kick just outside the box that saw Kolay kick deflected just wide for a corner.

**29 minutes** Vadili made it 2-0 following a breakaway from a Geçitkale free kick that was cleared upfield to Atakan who made inroads before passing to MEHMET ÇİL who beat Gürcan with a fine shot from outside the area. **2-0**

Things got even worse when their Coach Hüseyin Yesilbaş was dismissed from the playing field and banished to the stand in the 40th minute.

**HALF TIME SCORE: 2-0.**

Geçitkale with nothing lose made a better fist of it in the opening 10 minutes, pushing men forward but unfortunately that left them vulnerable at the back and they were caught cold in the 57th minute, ABDULLAH ÇAPAN

beat Gürcan with a low shot. **3-0**

Gürcan the Geçitkale goalkeeper was keeping the score down making a couple of good saves and a brilliant one in the 77th minute saving point blank range from Abdullah.

However he was beaten again, ABDULLAH ÇAPAN would not be denied in the 80th minute when he slotted home the fourth goal. **4-0**

Five minutes from time Geçitkale's Vedat set up substitute Nazimcan but he fired over from a great position to sum up their bad day.

With 3 games to go it's anyone's race for the "play off" spot, Geçitkale must forget about this match, it's history, dust themselves off and prepare to go again next week.

**FULL TIME SCORE: 4-0.**

## Happy start for new Esentepe Coach

By Richard Beale ..

**Result: Bostanci Bağcıl SK 1 Esentepe KKSK 2**

**Saturday February 8, 2020: K-Pet League 1 : Bostanci Bağcıl Stadium.**

New Technical Director KILIÇ ALİ KAHRAMAN got off to a winning start in his first game in charge as Esentepe deservedly overcame bottom but one side Bostanci Bağcıl.

This was a vital win for Esentepe, with all due respects to Bağcıl this is a match that the visitors would have expected to win and target 3 points. Esentepe have some tough and hard matches coming up so the 3 points were very welcome.

Kiliç Ali who took over on Tuesday has had little time to assess the team, but he must have been impressed by the side who tried to play football in trying conditions.

A biting cold wind, enough to cut you in two, was behind Esentepe in the first half. The low temperatures had a marked affect on the gate with only around 25 spectators and 2 dogs being present, controlled by at least 20 Policemen! Only 8 brave souls, including 4 Expats made the 80 minute trip to Güzelyurt.

Esentepe were hit by injuries to key players Goalkeeper Onur and their Captain Vurkan, Görkem Karal took over from Onur making his first senior appearance at League level with Yakup taking over the captaincy making it a first for him.



**Left ERAY (red) opens the scoring for Esentepe and right ŞÜKRÜ adds the second**

Both teams struggled to master the trying conditions, in a poor first half. Little was seen of the Bağcıl attack, Esentepe produced a couple of shots that went wide. Bağcıl would be the happier of the two teams battling against the wind as the first half came to a close,

HALF TIME SCORE : 0-0.

Ali Kaharaman was quite active on the touchline trying to encouraging his team, like all TRNC Coaches he also possesses the usual "Cyprus shrug"!

Luckily for Esentepe the breeze had abated a little as the visitors continued to try and keep the ball on the deck rather than "hoof it "upfield.

They took the lead in the 56th minute with a well worked goal, Uğurcan overlapping made progress into the area, cut to the byline before sending in a low cross that was clinically finished by ERAY.

**0-1.**

**62 minutes** and it was 2-0, Esentepe broke quickly from a Bağcıl corner, with Kaan on the left leading the charge. The winger spotted ŞÜKRÜ unmarked in the middle and he went on to slot the ball over the advancing Gültekin. The talent has never been in doubt with Şükrü, this season he has become more steady in front of goal, and he has started scoring vital goals. **0-2**

**78 minutes** Bağcıl goalkeeper Gültekin made a good blocking save at his far post, to prevent Eray hooking the ball in.

With 10 minutes remaining Bağcıl, at last, exerted some pressure on the Esentepe goal, debutant Goalkeeper Görkem had a relatively quiet match up to now.

**87 minutes** A mix up in the Esentepe defence with defenders thinking it was a goalkeeper's ball

and likewise the goalkeeper thinking it was a defenders ball enabled substitute MUSTAFA GARDIYANOĞLU to get the faintest of touches with his head to pull a goal back. **1-2**

With 4 minutes of added on time being played Görkem who had collected a corner under pressure was bundled into the net by Kaan and Zekai, but quite rightly referee Isendiyyar ruled the goal out for a foul on the goalkeeper.

**FULL TIME SCORE : 1-2.**

**SUMMING UP :**

A deserved win and a hard working team performance. Defender ŞAHİN ŞEKER was my "Man of the Match" giving a typical wholehearted performance making all his experience count helping teenage defender Gürkan Demir and ensuring goalkeeper Görkem had a relatively easy debut.



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