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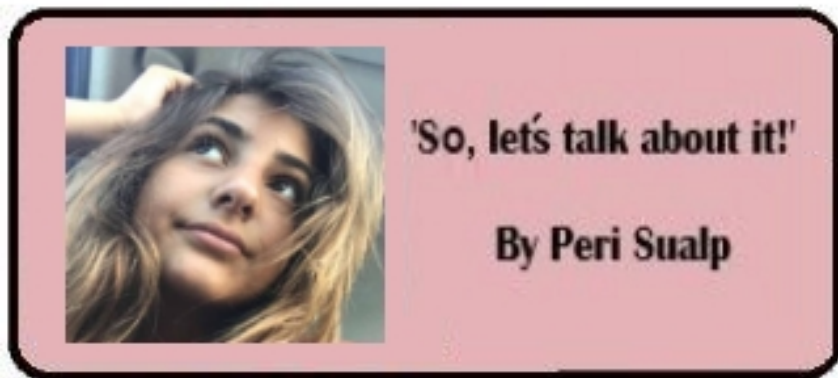


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A Mixture of Topics including a Concert at Karmi Church



By Peri Sualp ...

This week I happened to have many topics that I wanted to write about therefore I have decided to write a little a bit about everything!

TRUST by definition.

Trusting someone means that you think they are reliable, you have confidence in them and you feel safe with them physically and emotionally. Trust is something that two people in a relationship can build together. Trust is both an emotional and logical act. Emotionally, it is where you expose your vulnerabilities to people, but believing they will not take advantage of your openness.

We feel trust. Emotions associated with trust includes love, agreement, relaxation and comfort.

When you trust someone you rely on them that they will not let you down. They will be on your side as much as they can. But trust doesn't mean obedience. The most important thing for being a reliable person is to be yourself. Honesty is one of the most important aspects of trust in a relationship.

It takes a lot of time to trust a person. You need to spend long hours and you need to interact with him/her on many occasions. Sometimes it requires trial and error. Everyone can make mistakes but in the end if there is honesty and goodwill and mutual understanding everything can be talked through. And most

importantly if there is love and respect accompanied by an open heart then there is no reason to not to trust a person.

I hope all the people in your journey of life are trustworthy.

Cracked Finger

You had better be careful with your body parts otherwise your life can turn to a misery!

Two weeks ago I accidentally cracked my right index finger at school. Not only did it hurt a lot but also it ruined my life for a while as I wasn't able to use it. I couldn't write properly, I couldn't go to my dance and piano lessons. Having a bath and washing my hands was really difficult.

This week it feels a lot better so the doctor took out the brace.. Now I can write more easily.

Bad weather

The last couple of days has seen disastrous weather in Cyprus. Thunderstorms accompanied by terrible rain made everyone's life impossible. Due to terrible weather conditions, roads closed down,



fatal accidents happened, houses and shops flooded, lots of pre-planned events were cancelled.

The Ministry of Education officially closed the schools for two days.

This may seem something like fun for kids but unfortunately the reason for closing the schools is not for a good cause it was necessary for people's safety. I wish for a better infrastructure for Cyprus so that none of these unfortunate events happen again.

Karmi Concert

I will be performing for the benefit of The Karmi Church Fund together with the wonderful mezzo soprano, Katie Economidou and amazing accompanist and performer, Zara Barkhoudarian once again.

Last year our concert was a great success so we decided to repeat it again this year. For a change, this year, Zara's award winning 11 year old student, Edgar Evoyan will be performing with us.

Please SAVE THE DATE and join us on 16th December Sunday at 16:00 at Karmi Church for joyful Christmas songs and more.

PS: Don't forget to follow me on instagram @Peri Sualp

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Blue Tears at The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak

By Roland Eyerich

“Blue Tears - Blues & Rock n Roll Band“ are the Dinosaurs of this kind of music in North Cyprus and are one of the most renowned bands here.

One of the highlights this year was their commitment to the 1st "Friends Across Borders Alsancak" Concert at The Soulist on 28th September for the charity organization "Help Those with Cancer Association (Tulips)". Blue Tears helped to make this event a great success for the organisers. Every Wednesday in November they were guests at The Soulist and presented their music.

For a long time jazz, blues, soul and rock has needed to gain a foothold in Northern Cyprus. But there is no real fan base for this kind of music in North Cyprus. It is still in the experimental stage. So the local bands have to prove themselves again and again. One more reason to set up a Blues & Rock n Roll Band.

"Blue Tears" was founded by Naim Korudağ 5 years ago with this ‘extremely talented’ musician on lead guitar/vocals, ‘the animal’ Koray Bali on Drums and Kelvin Burke on Bass... Charlie Harty, Özlem Özenç, Arman Tatlıcioğlu, and Onat Davulcu, are some of the talented local musicians who played in the first 3 years and in the current formation there is Welsh born Bass player/backing vocals Dean Bridges who has been with the band for 2 years.

Blue Tears are not the ordinary cover band, their dynamic approach to music means that the same song is never played the same twice, emotion and feeling

and stepping out of the box and letting the atmosphere dictate where the music goes is a big part of the Blue Tears sound. They play a wide selection of Blues, Rock and some contemporary music including Jimi Hendrix, Eric Clapton, Albert King, BB King, Deep Purple, Bad Company, Santana, Tracy Chapman, Paul Weller amongst a wide repertoire. You can feel the love for music at every gig that Naim brings with his guitar and band members to the audience or even listeners. This Blues & Rock n Roll band is always ready to give a good performance to the audience, whether there are 5 or 100 listeners. They also play, as many musicians here (unless they play in hotels) for actually unacceptable fees.

This is why we need to support our musicians in North Cyprus. For far too long we've had a free ride. It's time to introduce cover charges, or our live music will no longer be available. It might be their passion, but it's also their livelihood. Let's support live music and keep it alive.

Rock on - “The Blues and Rock N Roll will never die”

In 2 week's time the Soulist will have Lost Island Cold Kid (L.I.C.K.) as guests who want to prove that Rock n Roll is still alive. They have played at the 1984Bar in Lefkosa and are now coming to Alsancak's little music house.

This is a young alternative rock band and true to the Neil Young motto "Rock n Roll will never die". They will be a knockout!

Forthcoming Events :

Blues, Rock and Reggae in The Soulist Coffee & Music House (Alsancak)

Friday, 14th December:– The Great Flood (Blues) - 21:30

Friday, 21st December: Lost Island Cold Kid (L.I.C.K) (Alternative Rock) – 21:30

Friday, 28th December: The Healers (Reggae) – 21.30



Photos :

Top - Koray Bali

Middle - Dean Bridges and Naim Korudag

Bottom - The Soulist

Left - Dean Bridges, Koray Bali, Naim Korudag

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Akinci : Deep Sorrow

President Akinci: “We have been struck with deep sorrow caused by the flood disaster and the consequent loss of life”

Stating that the flood disaster our country has experienced, the loss of the lives of three of our young persons and the fact that one person is still missing has greatly saddened us, President Akinci said that following healing the wounds of this pain immediately as a country we have to start the necessary work and this is an irrecusable task.

In his message due to the flood disaster in the country, President

Akinci expressed that he had no doubt that the public will work in solidarity and do all it can to assist these efforts.

On the night of 5th December and the following day (6th December) flood and landslides especially in Girne, Girne Bogazı, Alsancak, Lapta and Dikmen caused loss of life and property.

The bodies of three young people who were swept away by the floods in their car in Girne Bogazı Ciklos area were found in Girne, however there is one person still missing.



Ozersay - Condolences

In a statement he made from his social media account, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay wished condolences and patience

to the families of the young persons who lost their lives due to the flood disaster on the night of 5th December and the following day (6th December).



Greatest sorrow is loss of lives

Prime Minister Erhürman stressed that the flood disaster has caused great sorrow and loss of lives. Erhürman also stressed that the necessary precautions will be taken so that such a disaster in which there is a great loss of property will never be faced again.

The Prime Minister made evaluations in Ciklos, Lapta, and

Dikmen and Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay and Agriculture and Natural Resources Minister Erkut Şahali accompanied him.

Due to the flood disaster a crisis committee has been established and schools were closed yesterday and again today (6th and 7th December).



Ozersay received Kılıçdaroğlu

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay received in his office the leader of the main opposition Republican People's Party (CHP) in Turkey, Kemal Kılıçdaroğlu who has paid a visit to the TRNC today (7th December).

Undersecretary of the Deputy Prime Ministry and Ministry of Foreign Affairs Güneş Onar and

Director of Political Affairs Gülfem Veziroğlu Sevgili were also present at the reception which took place at the Ministry at 12:15.

CHP Vice President İstanbul MP Ahmet Ünal Çeviköz and TRNC representative of CHP Mustafa Yürükçü accompanied the leader of the Republican People's Party (CHP) Kılıçdaroğlu.



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Akinci received Verwey

President Mustafa Akıncı received and met with the Director-General and Head of the Structural Reform Support Service in the European Commission Maarten Verwey and his delegation.

President Akıncı conveyed his views regarding the confidence

building measures and the latest developments in the Cyprus issue.

Akinci also briefed Verwey about his thoughts regarding the trade within the framework of the Green Line Regulation and exchanged views.



PACE Meetings in Paris

The National Unity Party (UBP) MP Hamza Ersan Saner and the Republican Turkish Party (CTP) MP Armağan Candan are attending the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe (PACE) meetings during 3rd to 7th December in Paris.

Refugees and Displaced Persons, Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development Committee and Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination sessions during the week.

The delegation will attend the meetings of the PACE Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media, Committee on Migration,

The reports of the Committees will be discussed at the General Assembly meeting of PACE in June 2019 in Strasbourg.



New garbage collection vehicles for Girne area

The Bel-Paz investment company, which is affiliated with Girne Municipality, bought 6 new vehicles for garbage collection and expanded the vehicle fleet.

2 - 7½ ton capacity, 1 - 12½ ton capacity and 3 open back trucks were included. Approximately 800,000TL was spent on vehicles.

Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü, stated that with the increasing population in the city the intensity of work has resulted in the necessity for additional new vehicles.

Nidai Güngördü stated that in 2016 - 2 garbage trucks, 3 dump trucks, 2 vans, lifts and road sweepers and 2 hand sweepers were purchased and this year 3 road hoists, 3 suction machines for

leaf and cigarette butts.

Gungordu, said the Municipality will be able to deal with the cleaning work more efficiently which will be beneficial to the people.



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Online students permit system

Prime Minister Tufan Erhürman stated that within the framework of the project executed by the Ministry of Interior Affairs with the support of the Ministry of National Education and Culture, Ministry of Health and Police General Directorate, the student permit system is now online.

Prime Minister Erhürman said that thanks to the online system which has been put into force, due to the obligation for registering the students having higher education in the TRNC, the students will be recorded, and it

will also be more convenient for the students. Erhürman also said that the students will be able to make transactions by using the website of the Ministry of Interior Affairs.

Erhürman made a written statement for the student follow up system. In his written statement, Erhürman pointed out that within the framework of this program, the students will be able to make all transactions regarding their health controls and health insurance with the number given to them.



Role of Women

Minister of Labour and Social Affairs Zeki Çeler gave a speech on the second day of the “7th Ministerial Conference on the Role of Women in the Development of the Member States of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC)”, held in Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso.

In his speech, Çeler stated that they gave great importance to the action

plan for the development of the role of women prepared by the Organization of Islamic Cooperation.

Mentioning the projects carried out by the TRNC government, Çeler presented information on the number of women working in the public sector in the TRNC, the positions of women in the total workforce and their educational level.



Özersay speaks to BRT

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay said that instead of insisting on a solution model based on sharing, models based on cooperation can be developed.

Attending the News Program on BRT last night (4th December), Özersay answered the questions of journalist Levent Kutay.

Mentioning the relations between the TRNC and the Greek Cypriot Administration, Özersay said that it is possible for both sides to conduct joint works and this means ‘cooperation’. Indicating that both sides cooperate on many social and humanitarian issues, Özersay said that despite the sine qua non issues,

some other alternative methods can also be found by disregarding name, designation and title.

As an answer to a question ‘Do you support a federation or confederation?’

Özersay said that if a discussion starts on the formula of a solution, the process will get into a dilemma. During the 50 years negotiation process, a federal solution based on a bi-zonal, bi-communal federation was negotiated but the sides always declared different views. Furthermore, Özersay added that ‘content’ is important and developing cooperation and building confidence step by step is the basis.



Robotex 2018 Competition

The EMU Student Branch of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) came first at the “Robotex International 2018” Competition held in Tallinn, Estonia. The Student Branch Robot Team received first prize for the robots they developed named “EMU Crow” at the Mind Control

Robot Competition

EMU IEEE Student Branch was the only team able to complete the competition within 2 minutes which was the standard of the competition with their EMU Crow robots they had designed and developed for this competition during the last year.



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Choices are clear

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay stressed that if a partnership state is to be established, the choices are clear.

In his statement to the Turkish News Agency (TAK) on the issue of the Cyprus problem, Özersay said that if a partnership state is to be established, the Greek Cypriot Administration has to change its mentality towards sharing administration and wealth, and negotiations should continue as not open ended, or a solution model based on cooperation should be negotiated as a not open ended process. "I do not see a change in

the mentality of the Greek Cypriot side towards sharing" Özersay added.

As long as the mentality of the Greek Cypriot Administration does not change, our insistence on negotiating on the federal basis will take us to a continuation of the status quo and new disappointment as well.

A Federation needs an understanding and mentality based on sharing. If everybody accepts that there is not such a mentality, continuing negotiations will mean a continuation of the status quo and will have risks for a new disappointment.



Erdoğan statement

Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan stated that as long as the Greek Cypriot side continue their aggressive policies which ignore the fundamental rights of the Turkish Cypriots, they will continue to take the necessary measures.

Erdoğan held a press conference at the Fairground, where the annual G20 Leaders' Summit was held.

Stressing that the issue of energy is an important issue for Turkey, Erdoğan referred to the issue of hydrocarbon resources in the Eastern Mediterranean and said:

"We shall never let the rights of the TRNC, which is one of the principal owners of the hydrocarbon resources in the Eastern Mediterranean, to be usurped by 'fait accompli'.

Turkey is committed to both protecting its own laws and the rights and interests of the Turkish Cypriot people.

As long as the Greek Cypriot side continue their aggressive policies that ignore the fundamental rights of the Turkish Cypriots, we will continue to take the necessary measures".



Özersay met with Kremp

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay met with the German Ambassador to South Cyprus Franz Josef Kremp last Friday (30th November).

According to a post on his social media account, Özersay said:

"It seems that Germany's role and power within the EU are going to

increase more, particularly after the UK Brexit.

I had a fruitful meeting with the German Ambassador to South Cyprus Franz Josef Kremp.

We discussed the latest developments on the Cyprus problem as well as matters related to the energy issue and we shared our views with him".



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High prices, discounts and plastic bags



By Ahmet Abdulaziz

The year end is approaching, and everyone is thinking of buying New Year's gifts etc. In fact New Year is one special opportunity when people do exchange gifts, and a wholesale social activity engulfs the overall social structure.

Thus the month of December especially, becomes the most awaited period of bumper sales by the traders.

In the capitalistic society, the traders make the best out of this period of the year. In fact the whole season starts in November, where they start advertising campaigns to catch the attention of the ultimate buyers. The competition of traders through their advertising campaigns helps the buyers to form their opinion about the items that they would buy.

However, the most important and decisive factor from the point of view of a common man is the price of the item that he would buy. Yes price is very important as, at times, it becomes more important than the quality of the item, because the price does directly affect the budget of the people.

The month of December, is known as the month of discounts in prices. A large number of people usually wait for the month of December to avail the opportunity of buying the essentials.

This year too the month of December is the month of discounts, and traders are coming up with discounted sales campaigns.

But just hold it for a minute there.

Remember a couple of months back the prices of everything had shot up due to a sudden increase in the exchange rates. The prices of everything had gone up. Even the price of bread, meat, vegetables etc etc had risen. But now the exchange rates have gone down, the foreign currencies are now much cheaper than they were two or three months back.



But where are the prices now? I would like to quote here just one example. The price of bread (ekmek) that used to be 1 Turkish Lira, is now 1,50 and 2 TL. They have not gone down. There are fractional reductions in the prices of petrol and gas, but how far have the prices of other items of daily use gone down? Unfortunately, very few items recorded a fractional reduction in price, otherwise most of the prices have stuck at a higher value.

In this background, we enter the month of December, and the traders have come up with discount and

introduced price sale schemes. In fact I consider it as a joke with the consumers. The traders have come up with a temporary reduction in the prices which were already very high. They have not reduced the prices. Rather they have offered a limited opportunity to the consumer to buy goods at the prices which they had been two months back.

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So the original prices stand at the inflated level, which is not realistic. The traders who had made a good price increase earlier are once again increasing their sales by offering discount on the already inflated price. So where is the real discount to the customers? I do not see any discount to the buyers and consumers.

Once we enter the year 2019, and the discounted sale offers expire, the prices will return back to their inflated level, whereas in fact they should have been taken back to their original level (original price level prior to the rise in exchange rates in the month of August).

But apart from all this, we all are busy going out for shopping daily, where we have come up with a totally



new procedure. Yes, as you can guess, now we have to pay for the plastic bags in the markets. The government has taken this decision to reduce the consumption of plastic bags. I fully agree with this decision, as these plastic bags are the cause of too many problems. The more small and simple items these plastic bags look, the more and bigger problems they create.

It is good to see people slowly returning back to use of cotton canvas bags, which as a teenager I used to carry, during 1960s and 1970s when going out to markets.

My personal opinion is that the campaign against the plastic bags should be taken as the very first step towards a very long and difficult anti-plastic campaign. Plastic, which on one side has brought much ease in our daily lives, has also created many problems too.

I personally believe that the use of plastic in the kitchen must be avoided. Glass and steel can easily replace the plastic boxes in our refrigerators, for securing the eatables. We must avoid heating our food in microwaves, in plastic containers.

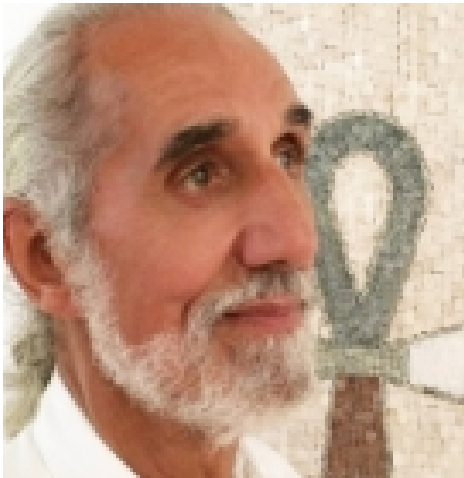
There are too many fields where plastic has become a part of our daily lives. We must try to reduce that.

It is a long way to go, however the initial step to reduce use of plastic bags is one worthy commending step of the TRNC government.



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Unidentified flying objects (UFOs)



By Nick Vye ...
Sanctuary ...

Unidentified flying objects. This really amuses me, as we have been seeing them for over 50 years in recent times and before that ancient civilisations left paintings and drawings and written records of them; more than a thousand years ago. Even religious books like the Bible and many others mention bright lights descending from the skies and whirling, humming sounds etc.

The governments, military, police, air pilots and thousands of people have experienced seeing them. So by now it should read Identified Flying Crafts. Ex-Government officials in the USA, UK, Russia, and Germany have written books

about them, control radar towers at many airports have seen them on their radar screens. Airline pilots are told not to speak about seeing them and we have many such photographs of them. Still we cannot, with all our present day technology, claim they exist. What a joke this is and how stupid do they think the intelligent people of today are.

I believe many that we see nowadays are our own built crafts with the help of advanced races from the universe, who have given us some information of how to build these devices for some years. It isn't that they're only seen at night, so governments can say, you're mistaken it was a satellite etc going round in orbit. They have been seen and witnessed and photographed by professional people as well as the lay man. So come on now tell us the truth.

Astronauts have also admitted seeing them and they have filmed landing and leaving both from Mars and Venus. So what are they trying so hard to conceal from us all. Is it the fact they have made deals with these space visitors to gain advanced knowledge on

technical discoveries etc. Or do they hesitate to admit we are minors when it comes to their technology and we are ignorant of the basic knowledge of their technology. (This is more like it).

Every time they set up a bureau to investigate these sightings, they come up with nothing and shut down again, telling us all they don't exist. They can send rockets to the sun, crafts that land on Mars, even ones that have left our solar system but they still cannot identify U.F.O's etc.

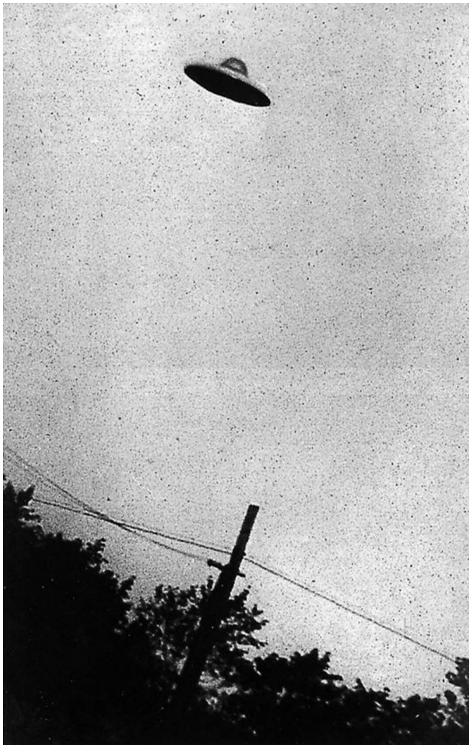
What is it that the major governments of the world, don't want us to know, what is being hidden from us all and why, is the question we should be asking ourselves. It's time now as we approach 20/20 to tell us what is really going on and not try to put down all the relevant sightings and photographs as a hoax. It has now gone on too long, come clean, what are they afraid to tell us. I bet it's more than a greater mystery than U.F.O's.

Yes I admit like anything unusual, there are hoaxes, false reporting, touched up photographs etc, some

of this is done by the governments themselves to play down the attention and answers people are searching for. One day they will come clean, as it's getting harder to suppress this information, let's hope it happens sooner rather than later; so we can all come out of the dark and let the light of true knowledge shine all around us.

This again is my own knowledge and experiences of the above. With love light and peace to you all.

Nick Vye Sanctuary.



A Second Thought
A Poem by Nick Vye

Life is like a swing up and down,
Sometimes our feet are not on the ground,
And each day when we awake,
The most of it, we must make,
It's a journey to the final end,
We should make it, our best friend,
Onwards on our journey we must go,

What might be, we'll never know,
And when our last breath is now due,
Have we lived our lives so true,
Now's not the time to hesitate,
As we stand before heaven's gate,
Our purpose was to reach this goal,
And realize we are just SOUL

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KAR - News Update week ending 7th December



Just an update as many of you have been contacting us as you are worried about the dogs (and cats) at the Centre following the storms.

Luckily the worst of the storms were at a lower level than the Centre and so the damage, so far, has not been too bad. We have a few leaking roofs and saturated ground issues but on the whole it is not too bad.

However the staff and KAR vehicles are facing difficulties getting to/from the Centre. The mountain road is under reconstruction for the new road and the construction work is causing its own issues with rubble, soil etc washing off the mountain onto the road. Visibility last evening was down to near zero. Plus some staff are struggling to get out of their own roads in order to be picked up - the van picking them up was under water to almost the top of

the wheel arches this morning. But the main thing is the cats and dogs are fine.

The Karakum office is open as too are our Charity shops BUT depending on the weather/electricity issues they may have to close early.

Keep safe everyone - we will all be doing our best to keep our cats and dogs dry, fed, warm and SAFE.

Cat Neutering Program

We have SMASHED it.....our amazing cat neutering program has SMASHED all KAR monthly records for neutering to date.

121 - 121 - 121 FANTASTIC number - that is how many cats our programme has neutered in November. This was made up of 75 females and 46 males. 17 of the cats came from Turtle Bay Village.

helped us to achieve this number - Derya our star vet - her assistants, our cat catching team - members of the public who brought their street cats to us - Resco Management along with the residents and volunteers at Turtle Bay Village - you have all helped KAR achieve this FANTASTIC record.

Well done everyone.

Thank you to everyone who has

Go Team KAR. Gone cats bits!

Thank you to Jon and Bob and The Bellapais Lodge

Well done to Jon and Bob our weekly entertainers at the Roadhouse... 1937TL for the month of November.. staggering amount!! 2 more weeks at the Roadhouse, then off stage for Christmas, back end of January!! Thank you guys, amazing achievement!



1000 Euro - that is the fantastic amount unexpectedly received by KAR from The Bellapais Lodge. Thanks do not go anywhere near enough but THANK YOU from all of the KAR cats, dogs and people. What a lovely early Xmas present. THANK YOU



CHRISTMAS BAZAAR 2018

Buy a centre Dog or Cat a Christmas Dinner or a New Years Eve meal 10TL per meal.

Visit our stall at the Bazaar on Saturday 8th December 2018 at the Pia Bella Hotel, Girne 10.30am until 2pm.



KAR CALENDAR

IT'S HERE ... and on Sale at KAR Outlets at 50TL - the KAR Calendar 2019

GladRags/Office, Karakum
No1 Shop/House and Home, Girne
KAR Centre, Arapkoy
Lambousa Saturday Market



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KAR news update



Fab Four Fly Away

Last week saw the pet relocation of a Fab 4 family of dogs - Bella, Sally, Scooby and Toby. All 4 are big dogs and 3 needed our largest pre moulded IATA compliant dog crates. Scooby, however, was too large even for those. He needed a bespoke box larger than the largest moulded boxes available here. We organised that and then began the discussions with Turkish Airlines about suitable flight dates and, in particular, aircraft routing types. This is an important aspect of pet travel as not all aircraft are suitable for all pets. This is complicated further when having to consider not just the Ercan - Istanbul route but also the Istanbul - Heathrow route. 4 big dogs needed the biggest aircraft (to allow for sufficient space in the AVI hold where the dogs travel, to allow for sufficient ventilation concentrations etc). A date was set and flight details organised - albeit this meant in order to keep the 4 together on both legs of their

journey they would spend a couple of hours longer than usual at Istanbul (if they had been split up then their owners would have faced very high additional charges).

The fab 4 ONLY just fitted into their transport van for the trip to Ercan but after completing their airline and customs checks they were off - The Fab 4 had Flown Away.

We had organised onward, Heathrow - North England, delivery for the dogs (the day after they arrived in the UK) and they arrived home, on Friday on time, to a very happy Mammy who was waiting anxiously for them.

As you can see - they are settling very well and we are so pleased that the whole family will be celebrating Xmas all under the same roof.

" The dogs are tired after their long journey from Northern Cyprus - in total it took 2 days for them to get back xx"

" They have settled in great. They have had their dinner and are sleeping on the sofas now."

" They are not letting me out of their sight. I go to the loo and so do the 4 dogs. I go into another room and 4 dogs follow me. They are not letting Mammy out of their sight."

" You don't know how much of a relief, I had never put my family in boxes before and hoped that they got there - Thanks Kim without your help it mightn't have all happened"

" A Big Big thank you to Kim Betts and KAR for all your help and support - it was really appreciated."

Happy Christmas and Happy Days all around.



Wonderful news of Pippa and Pickles

Back in August we were asking for help in homing Pickles and Pippa. The two golden oldies had a run of bad luck. Their owner had to return to the UK for urgent medical attention and was not in a

position, health or finance-wise, to take the dogs with him. He was very distressed as you can imagine. His neighbour/friends (Bob and Gill) decided that they could not ignore the dogs' plight and so agreed to foster them whilst trying to find them a home.

Sadly Bob and Gill also then received some very bad health news and they too had to return to the UK as a matter of urgency.

Pickles and Pippa had to go to our Rescue Centre as there was simply nobody to care for them. Sadly, despite everyone's best efforts, they did not settle well at the Centre and staff were getting very worried for them.


One of our long standing supporters read about them and very kindly offered to foster them temporarily - until a new "forever" home could be found.

On Tuesday this week Pickles and Pippa went to their new FUREVER home - they will be spending their twilight years with Pam and Dave - happy, comfortable, warm and loved.

What more could they want for Christmas and Furever after.



DECEMBER IS FOR DAISY



This month's sponsor is Daisy - Daisy came to us in December 2017 as a 6 month old pup with a badly broken leg, that had to be amputated. She is a quiet little girl, who loves cuddles.

Daisy is waiting for her forever home, but if you can't give Daisy home you can help by sponsoring her for just £10 per month - to sponsor Daisy just drop us a line at kar@kyreniaanimalrescue.org

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North Cyprus Trevor's Tips for December 2018



By Trevor Hughes.....

UK State Pension

The state pension can be very complicated and causes confusion for many.

Britons who have paid enough in national insurance payments will get a pay out in the form of a state pension, once they reach state pension age.

You must have paid a minimum of 10 years in national insurance to get any kind of state pension, and not everyone gets the same amount. So, what happens if your spouse was entitled to a pension and they pass away?

Do you inherit your spouse's state pension?

"It's possible to pass on your state pension payments after death but this can only go to your spouse or civil partner."

If you are only cohabiting with your partner there is no way you can inherit their state pension.

"The main pension rule governing State Pensions in death is whether you reached State Pension age.

This is the case no matter how long you have lived together and if

you have children. Age before or after recent State Pension changes came into effect on 6 April 2016.

"If you reached State Pension age before 6 April 2016 and receive the Basic State Pension, your spouse or civil partner can claim your Additional State Pension, which is based on your National Insurance Contribution record.

"In some instances, it may be possible to pass on a State Pension lump sum on death and your spouse or civil partner could qualify for bereavement benefits." However, the rules have changed for those who reach state retirement age later.

"If you reached State Pension age after 6 April 2016 and (will) receive the new State Pension, your spouse or civil partner may be able to inherit an extra payment on top of your pension.

Will the state pension 2019 rise?

Pensioners will get a £220 increase in their pension pot for 2019/2020, after a fall in inflation activated the government's triple lock policy.

How much state pension will you get?

The full amount Britons may receive is £164.35 per week for 2018 and 2019.

MedAid Medical Technologies

Are you forever being told the volume from your TV is far too high, yet it sounds normal to you? Or you don't seem to enjoy a good conversation with your friends because you can't hear what's being said? Well seeing this specialist may well be the answer!! His name is Mertcan Senol who must be ranked as one of the finest hearing aid specialists in the TRNC. He has moved his surgery to be able to cope with the number of new patients he is seeing, of which many can testify.

His address is...

96, Belediye Bulvarı
Ak Santral, A-Blok Daire:2
Gönyeli / Lefkoşa

He is now promoting and fits the latest version of hearing aid Widex hearing called Beyond. Beyond is the first and only Artificial Intelligent Hearing aid available in the market today.

"The leading Danish hearing aid manufacturer Widex, announces the launch of the ground-breaking WIDEX EVOKE™ – the first

hearing aid to ever feature advanced machine learning technology in real time. Together with major advances in sound technology, WIDEX EVOKE™ provides a clearer and more personal hearing experience than ever before.



Hearing happens in real life, not just in a lab or in a clinic examination room. The challenge of real-life hearing is that it is personal and happens right here, right now. That requires the hearing aid to be able to adapt and adjust seamlessly and instantaneously. For the first time ever, it is now possible for a hearing aid to learn from the user's input and preferences – and even share this learning with other users around the globe.

WIDEX EVOKE is the first hearing aid to give users the ability to employ real-time machine learning, featuring intuitive new controls that quickly and surely guide users to their desired hearing experience. With WIDEX EVOKE users don't have to remember issues with specific listening situations to explain to their audiologist when getting their hearing aid adjusted later."

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Trevor's Tips

We have known this practitioner for a few years and is the only provider of a very specialist aid for my wife Mary, and without it she would be completely deaf.

He is English trained and therefore speaks the language fluently. His patient care is one of the finest of any practitioner I have ever known.

Why put up with hearing difficulties, when a free consultation may well bring you back into the world of sound you once enjoyed and took for granted all those years ago.

There is no need to feel embarrassed about hearing loss, it happens all too often as we get older and affects over 40% of people.

To make an appointment for a free consultation call 0542 850 5451 or 0392 2233751 and see for yourself how he can help you overcome a hearing loss difficulty. If you do decide to make an appointment, tell him you know me and you will get a 15% discount off any hearing aid you purchase from him.

It's That Time of The Year Again and time to service that boiler!

Now the air temperatures are falling, we needed to get our hot water boiler serviced and ready for the winter months, which is something we do each year, going some way to avoiding expensive repairs.

We use AL-TEK KLIMA tel 0533876 1228 who has serviced our boiler many times and included the installation of inverter air conditioning units for us. He is always punctual and keeps to the

agreed time for work to start. He is honest, and his English is well spoken. His prices are very competitive and his work is of a high standard.

Water Purification

We had a standard water purification system fitted in early November. Not only are we seeking a healthier lifestyle, because we are getting older like everybody else, we are feeling the strain of carrying 19 Ltr water bottles into the villa and then lifting it onto the dispenser.

Not only are we saving money by not having to purchase replenishment bottles of water, we have reduced the risk of straining our backs. In fact, one of our readers slipped and fell whilst carrying one of these bottles, seriously injuring his back, resulting in possibly having to go to the UK for corrective treatment.

We have now stopped drinking the water from plastic bottles, which after more than five years old the plastic from which they are made is considered as not being safe and a health danger. We avoid drinking the water from the mains supply and even cooking with it. Our health styles have become significantly improved.

Fitting the system only took two hours and installed under our sink cupboard and out of sight.

Fitment and installation, undertaken by Marco of Vida Verde Green Solutions located in Lapta tel 0548 851 1930.

Back Strains and Injuries Come Free of Charge. Medical Treatment does not!

Fire Extinguishers

We all need to purchase a suitable fire extinguisher as and when the time arises [motor vehicles and Liquid petroleum gas tanks]. The place to purchase or replenish them has moved. They are located near the Gonyeli roundabout in Lefkosa. Directions. Follow the dual carriageway from Girne to Lefkosa, at the large island turn right go around the next island and turn first left on the new estate. Go straight on Atı Koy Sanayi for approximately one half of kilometres and look out for the new unit on the right.



Temporary Residence

The current charge for a one year temporary residence permit is 345 TL and 690 TL for a two year permit.

Despite some comments that the slight change for a first time application is wrong, I remain adamant my information is correct. I have checked with the department myself in Lefkosa who handle all temporary residence applications! Maybe the readers of this part of the change have been confused with renewal and or under 60 years applications.

Bayram Holidays

There are no Bayram holidays this month. The next one is the 1st January next year.

As this is the last News Round for 2018, I would like to wish you all a merry Christmas and a happy and healthy 2019.



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Girne Mayor met with Mayors of Turkish Municipalities

The Mayor of Tepebaşı, Turkey, Dr Ahmet Ataç, visited Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü at his office. During the visit, studies of municipalities were discussed.

Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü, expressed his satisfaction following Mayor Ahmet Ataç's visit, and Ataç thanked Güngördü for the hospitality. At the end of the visit mutual gifts were exchanged.

Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü, also met with Kadir Albayrak, the Mayor of the Metropolitan Municipality of Tekirdag, Turkey.



Nidai Güngördü, welcomed Muharrem Akdemir, the Mayor of Zonguldak, Turkey, and his delegation. Güngördü said that he was happy to see Mayor Akdemir in Kyrenia and he gave information about Kyrenia

Municipality and the city.

Mayor Akdemir also expressed his happiness to be in Kyrenia, and thanked Güngördü for the hospitality.



Girne Mayor receives plaque for World Disability Day



Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü, welcomed the Olive Tree Education and Beneficiary Association (ZAYDER) President Rabia Özcömert and Vice President Gülşen Soykan.

Rabia Özcömert, President of The Olive Tree Education and Beneficiary Association (ZAYDER) presented Girne Mayor, Nidai Güngördü with a plaque of thanks in respect of 3rd December World Disability Day.

ZAYDER President Rabia Özcömert said that they would like to thank the people who understood the 3rd December World Disability Day. She stated that "medication is needed for disabled people, Let's handle it. We are mediators for people with disabilities. We want to remember the most disabled people. Thank you Mayor Güngördü."

Girne Municipality - Art education for children



Art courses for children organised by the Girne Municipality are continuing at the Girne Municipality Cultural Centre.

Courses are offered by Instructor Şenol Özdevrim and are held on Saturdays at the Municipality Cultural Centre.

The art education courses are for children between the ages of 5-8 years from 10.00am to 11.00am

and for children of the ages 9-12 years the courses will be from 11.00am to 12.00 noon.

By combining art with play, it aims to develop children's creativity, individual imagination and handicrafts, with information about contemporary art, study with different materials and techniques, 3-dimensional work and children's psycho-motor skills.

Detailed information about the courses can be obtained by calling 0533 851 3962 or 815 2119 Extension 147 (Cultural Affairs Unit).



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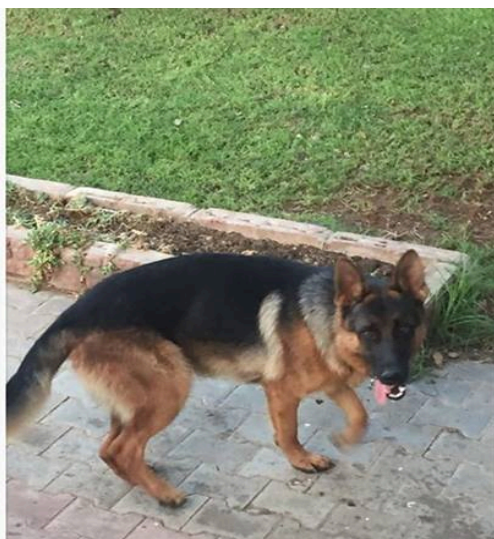


News from Hope 4 Pets



Major, at the vet today (4th December). His eyes are looking fab, he has just one more week on monodox for Ehrlichia, he has also had his 2nd distemper vaccination, we are still looking for foster or forever home for this lovely placid dog who the vets think is around 7 years old.

Funding to the uk is covered. Thank you to Joanna Walker, and Stephanie Harrison-Croft, for spending time helping him.



Escaped from home

in Çatalköy

Male

German Shephard

Contact number

+90 (533) 865 10 51

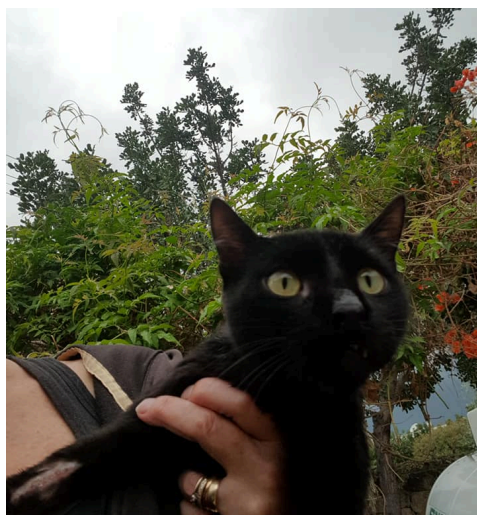
Brian is doing well

Happy Sunday (2nd December) from Brian x

Brian on his return from the vets just now. He is doing really well with his treatment and his rotted mouth is

healing so beautifully he is even managing to eat some biscuits as well now.

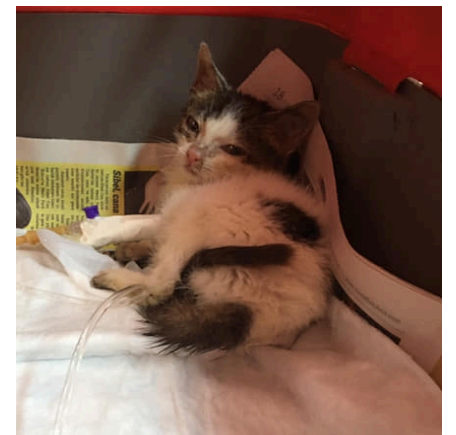
Thank you to everyone who has supported his recovery so far x



Apple

This is Apple - you may remember he was having fits a few weeks ago. He made a good recovery but has now got the sniffles and doesn't have much of an appetite.

If you would like to donate to treatment this can be done in the usual way or direct to Petcross. Thank you.



Appeal for bedding

Does anyone have any spare bedding that can be used for puppies please.

Their room got flooded last night, currently being pumped out and all their bedding is ruined.

If you can help please can you message Lynne Chamberlain.

Thanking you in advance. Catalkoy area



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IAPMA Paper Art Exhibition 'Inspired by Paper' in Famagusta



By Heidi Trautmann ...
www.heiditrautmann.com ...

Eastern Mediterranean University, Cyprus Paper Art Association were hosts for the long-term touring IAPMA paper art exhibition that carried a double message with it. The one message is international communication, exchange of ideas on a broad level and the other is an amazing insight into the philosophy of paper making and paper art.

The president of our local paper art association KKSD/ACPA, and artist Ismet Tatar, opened the exhibition thanking the Rector of EMU Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam and all those supporting the exhibition especially the curator and coordinator Zera Şonya and her team for setting up the exhibition at the Rauf Raif Denktaş Culture and Congress Hall. The Vice Rector Prof. Dr. Sonuç Zorlu of the Eastern Mediterranean University welcomed the guests and expressed the importance of international exchange among artists.

I could not say it better, not give a better overview on IAPMA and paper art, than Helene Tschacher, former President of IAPMA and paper art herself, who had come from Germany for the occasion of the exhibition opening. She is now

retired after many years of service in the matter of this fascinating art form. Helene Tschacher and many IAPMA members have been to Cyprus before for a symposium to celebrate IAPMA's 25th anniversary. Inci Kansu, the very first IAPMA member in Cyprus had organised the event to be in Cyprus in 2018 which I heard will be the last station for the touring exhibition. Two years on the road, my compliments, it takes a lot of organising. And, in order to reach a wide circle of viewers, the exhibition will have another appearance in Nicosia in February 2019 (see details at the end of the text).

Here is Helene Tschacher's opening speech which she kindly sent to me:

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen, dear friends of paper and paper art.

Many thanks for the invitation to the opening of "Inspired by Paper".



This touring exhibition with paper art started in April 2016 in Düsseldorf Germany,

Then the exhibition was shown at further 12 different locations in Bulgaria, Poland, France, Spain, Austria and Italy. So far "Inspired by Paper" has been seen by over 38,000 visitors.

Why was this travelling exhibition with 53 international paper artists sent on a journey all over Europe? The reason is IAPMA

What is IAPMA

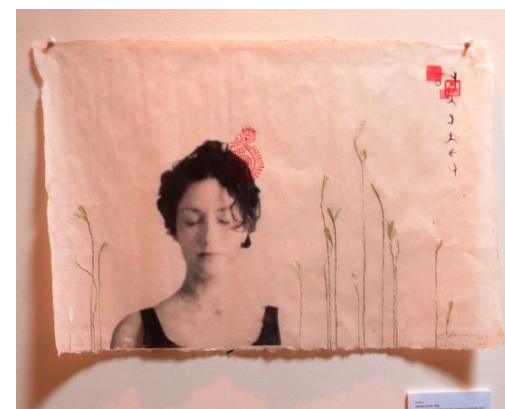
IAPMA (International Association of Hand Paper Makers and Paper Artists) was founded in 1986 and currently has about 480 members in over 42 countries.

The aim of the association is the international exchange of knowledge, ideas and information around the art of papermaking, the different cultural and traditional paper art and inspiration in dealing with paper as an artistic source material.

Through international exhibitions, publications and congresses, IAPMA offers a forum for those who are interested and enjoy paper and paper art. The last Congresses were 2014 Fabriano, Italy, 2016 Brasilia, Brazil, and 2018 Sofia, Bulgaria. A congress is to be held in Japan in 2020.

Paper is a material with a long history, but it was not until the 20th century that it was discovered as an independently valid means of expression for art.

Abstraction in art brought the nature and value of the material into the focus of artistic interest.



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Inspired by Paper

Materials now become pictorial objects. Paper is no longer "only" a carrier material for drawings, printing or colour but is actually "placed in the picture". Cubists and Dadaists used it directly for their collages.

The term "paper art" first appeared in the USA in the 1970s.

Artists such as Rauschenberg and Stella discover the work with "Paper Pulp", from which two- and three-dimensional works of art are created. The technique of "Pulp Painting" also finds its way into their artistic work.

Over the years, "Paper Art" has developed in many directions. Works on, or with paper can be amateurishly pretty and decorative, but also convey complex concepts, ideas, thought-provoking impulses.

Despite its high historical value, the use of paper as a material has become very free and new for artists today.

Paper of all kinds seems to be available without limits.

The handmade "preciousness" has long since become a recycling material that seduces to "indulgence": space-filling installations can be realized. Lasers and plotters open up new processing possibilities. Paper is processed in masses, alienated and combined with foreign materials without fear of contact.

The everyday handling of paper creates lightness towards the material. Its everydayness fulfils our desire to "touch and feel" and does not require excessive respect.

Possibly the access to art made of paper and the confrontation with the "paper" work of art has become less complicated for the viewer.

Paper - located between handmade preciousness and mass product, absolute vulnerability and recycled robustness - gives us the discovery of unexpected emotions and

inspiring challenges.

Let yourself be inspired, stirred, addressed, wrapped up by the works made of paper in the exhibition "inspired by Paper" and find your very own approach to paper art ...

... and perhaps next time before you empty wastepaper baskets into the paper bin, think about all the things that can be realized with such a piece of paper ...



I wish that by this exhibition visiting art lovers, artists and young artists-to-be will be stimulated and inspired by the material paper. teşekkür ederim.

The art works from so many different countries are absolutely fascinating, I heard it said from so many viewers on the opening evening. A photo can hardly show the complexity of each art work, 2- and 3-dimensional objects, very delicate pieces in different techniques.

The show in Famagusta will be until 28 December, 2018. It will be transferred to Nicosia on 04 February 2019, see the details on the poster. The viewing times are according to official office hours.

If you want to learn more about our local association and the many events, enter Heidi Trautmann and KKSD/ACPA, you will find many reviews on interesting events in the past and in the future.

Ziyamet Special Needs School is thriving and doing a great job

Introduction by Chris Elliott....

It was very nice to receive news from Mary Watson about the Ziyamet Special Needs School which Margaret Sheard and I had

visited and written about many times.

Readers mail..

From Mary Watson ...



L to R : Art Watson, Zehra Vurana, Berin Bayır, Ahmet Çağanağa, Duygu Çıl, Bahar Ozyakup

"The school term in September brought new developments to the Ziyamet Special Needs School.

Compared to four years ago, the school is thriving with 28 regular students from Ziyamet and the surrounding villages enjoying the range of facilities available. The increase in numbers demonstrates the success of the school and the fact that more parents appreciate what the school has to offer. It is expected that there will be over 40 students by February next year.

The Acting Head recently went on maternity leave but they have a full complement of 4 teachers with 3

additional young and enthusiastic ones joining the team.

The new physiotherapist Bahar Ozyakup has been with the school for 6 weeks and the students are already starting to see the benefit.

On Wednesday 28th November Art Watson and Claire Lamb visited the school laden with early New Year toys and chocolate and loved watching the children tuck into both. Their smiles had to be seen to be believed and the MAD (Making A Difference) Group are really grateful to Claire for organizing the goodies"

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Saving lives is in your blood in North Cyprus

By Ahmet Abdulaziz.....

“Saving lives is in your blood”, was the slogan of the a blood donation event, recently held at the Ataturk Square of Eastern Mediterranean University.

The event was jointly organised by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Community Involvement Center and the North Cyprus Kızılay.

A good number of people participated and donated their blood, under the full cooperation and monitoring of the medical staff of North Cyprus Kızılay (Red Crescent).

In total 140 units of blood were collected which has been sent to the cold storage blood bank to be used when needed.

Şerife Tutku Cevizci of North Cyprus Kızılay gave a seminar at EMU Faculty of Education FCMS 011 Hall to express the importance of blood donation and increase sensitivity about the topic. In her speech, Cevizci mentioned the mission and visions of both Turkish Kızılay and North Cyprus Turkish Kızılay; and touched upon the points of focus for those who wish to donate their blood.

She stated that the donors should not have any venereal diseases

such as Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C or AIDS and, they should be over 50 kg. Cevizci also said that the male donors can donate four times a year while female donors can donate three times a year. While mentioning the importance for raising awareness of blood donation, Cevizci added that the

rate of blood donors in Turkey and North Cyprus is considerably lower in comparison to other countries.

After stressing the importance of promoting blood donation, Cevizci thanked all the young people in attendance and called upon them to donate.



Inspired by Paper

By Ahmet Abdulaziz.....

As part of the touring exhibition of "The Cyprus Paper Artists Association ", the exhibition of paper artwork recently took place at the East Mediterranean University. This touring exhibition is contributed by the International Association of Hand Papermakers



and Paper Artists (IAPMA). This exhibition entitled “Inspired by Paper”, arrived for the first time in the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) and was hosted by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU).

Inci Kansu, a leading local artist is the Honorary President of the Cyprus Paper Artists Association, played an important role to organise this interesting exhibition.

The opening ceremony of the exhibition was held on November 30th 2018, Friday (18:00) at Rauf Raif Denктаş Culture and Congress Center. EMU Vice Rector for Student Affairs Prof. Dr. Sonuç Zorlu Oğurlu, EMU Center for Cyprus Studies (DAÜ-KAM) Art Coordinator and Exhibition Curator Zehra Şonya, IAPMA Exhibition Supervisor Helene Tschacher and President of Cyprus Paper Artists Association İsmet

Tatar were among notable names attending the ceremony.

During her opening speech, the President of Cyprus Paper Artists Association İsmet Tatar said: “We are happy to have brought this exhibition to Cyprus. It was organised for the 30th anniversary of IAPMA and has been travelling across Europe’s museums for two years. This project was realised with the TRNC, EMU and IAPMA’s cooperation. I thank all supporters of the project”. IAPMA Exhibition Supervisor Helene Tschacher also expressed her joy about the opening of the exhibition and thanked all attendees and EMU. EMU Vice Rector for Student Affairs Prof. Dr. Sonuç Zorlu Oğurlu said the following in her speech: “I thank all the Cyprus Paper Artists Association members who helped EMU host this exhibition. I also want to thank İsmet Tatar and her fellow artists

for their contribution to maintaining art in Cyprus.

The exhibition will be open for visiting on weekdays until December 28th, 2018 during the following hours: 10:00 – 13:00 and 14:00 – 17:00. The second leg of the exhibition’s journey will take it to Nicosia Atatürk Congress Center on February 4th, 2019 at 18:00. There, it will be open for visitors until February 15th, 2019 on weekdays during working hours.

Since its inception in April 2016, the “Inspired by Paper” exhibition has travelled through Austria, Bulgaria, Finland, Germany, Israel, Poland and Sweden and received great attention. IAPMA was formed in Düren, Germany (1986) and has been led by Nicole Donnelly since 2015. The exhibition supervisor is famous artist Helene Tschacher.

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NEU Hospital now capable of performing heart transplant

By Ahmet Abdulaziz....

The Near East University Hospital has added yet another feather in its cap by crossing another milestone. As announced recently, the hospital is now in a position to also carry out heart transplant surgery.

According to the press release issued by the Directorate of Press and Public Relations Office of Near East University, Heart Transplantation Center had been launched within the body of NEU Hospital in line with global standards. It was underlined that the Heart Transplant Center with its state-of-the-art technological infrastructure and highly specialized multidisciplinary organ transplant team had completed all preparations required for performing heart transplantation procedures and

licensed to perform heart transplant operations and provide unmatched lifesaving transplant procedures for patients under risk of losing their lives due to heart failure.

The press statement underlines that NEU Heart Transplant Center is the only health facility in the TRNC capable of carrying out heart transplantation procedures with its multidisciplinary dedicated transplant team consisting of cardiovascular surgeons, cardiologist, heart transplant coordinator, pulmonologist, infectious diseases physician, experienced organ transplant nurses, and anaesthetist. Asst. Prof. Dr. Özlem Balcı, who is a Cypriot cardiovascular surgeon and has performed many successful heart transplant procedures in Turkey so far, is

currently the physician in charge of the Heart Transplant Center. Her expertise in heart transplant has been approved by the Turkish Scientific Board of Heart and Lung Transplantation.

Within the frame of the law that regulates the minimum standards that must be met by all individuals

and organizations involved in organ donation and human cell, tissue and organ transplantation, NEU Hospital with its contemporary infrastructure, cutting-edge high technology and multidisciplinary organ transplant team is ready to perform organ and cardiac transplantation.



EMU (IEEE) Robotics Team Wins Robotex 2018

By Ahmet Abdulaziz.....

Eastern Mediterranean University, Electrical and Electronic Engineering Institute's Student Branch (EMU-IEEE) won first place at the "Robotex International 2018" Competition, held in Tallinn, Estonia.

Electrical and Electronics, Software Systems and Mechatronics Engineering students Hüseyin Çeçe, Shehabeldin E. M. Housein, Farhang Naderi, Burak Özarslan and Yazan M.A.L. Abuaisha were supervised by EMU Faculty of Engineering, Electrical and Electronics Engineering Chair

Prof. Dr. Hasan Demirel during their preparation phase for the competition. The EMU IEEE Student Branch Robotics Team became the pride of EMU by winning the first place with their mind-controlled robot named 'EMU Crow'.

'EMU Crow' for the last year and became the only team managing to finish the competition within the standard 2 minutes.

In Mind Controlled Robotics competitions, the robots are controlled with brain waves detected by sensors placed on the forehead area. The detected electronic signals are transmitted to a computer via Bluetooth. Here, the signals are processed and transmitted to the robot via Wi-Fi Wireless Networking; allowing the robot to move. The competitor wearing the sensor receiver must concentrate and focus since these factors are essential for accurate classification of the signals.

Robotex, the biggest robotics competition in the world, was held this year in Estonia's capital Tallinn for its 18th time. During this year's robotics competition, there was a record-breaking participation of 1750 robots, 35.000 competitors, over 100 companies and 4000 engineers. The competition was held in 25 different categories.

The EMU IEEE Student Branch had been preparing and designing



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TFR advice regarding the terrible storms in the TRNC

We have received the following news issued by The Foreign Residents in the TRNC (TFR) which we are re-publishing to reach a wide audience around the world who may be concerned for friends and loved ones in Northern Cyprus and may wish to reach out to make contact and pass on this important advice.

Readers Mail
TFR Information & Internet Manager

*"Dear members of TFR,
Our members of the TFR-Facebook-group already know it, but all others, especially those who are not on the island at the moment and may have not got the latest news from North Cyprus.*

I have to tell that after the heaviest thunderstorms ever recorded in TRNC it's now official that at least 4 young people have lost their lives in the torrential floods in Girne and surrounding areas. The

damage to houses, cars and infrastructure, especially in the areas Girne, Alsancak and Lapta is devastating.

All those who have property over

here and are abroad at the moment, should contact neighbours, friends, acquaintances etc. to make sure that their houses, cars etc. are not damaged!"



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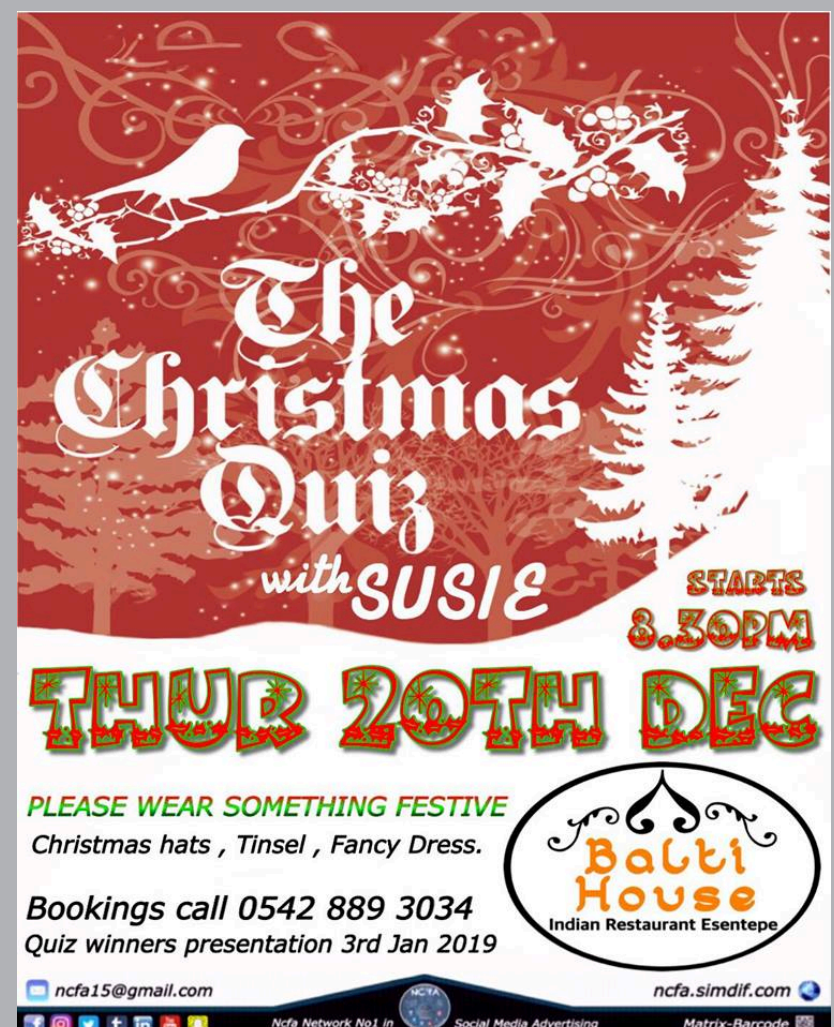


Film Night @ SeAngle Bar
Tonites Film
Monday Nights from 8pm



Kyrenia Academy

This December at
The Black Olive
Christmas Theatre and Choir
Friday 14th



The Christmas Quiz
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Rotary: Pre Christmas and New Year Party

Readers mail...

We have just received news from the Rotary Club of Kyrenia Cosmopolitan about their Pre Christmas and New Year's Eve Dinner Party on Friday 23rd November, which we would like to share with our readers.

"Rotary Club of Kyrenia Cosmopolitan organised and held their Pre Christmas and New Year's Eve Dinner Party on Friday 23rd November, which was held at the Merit Royal Premium Hotel.

Over one hundred guests attended the dinner including several from; Nigeria, England and Holland including our Assistant District Governors; Emilios Tannious and

Vural Vural as well as Past Presidents and Past Assistant Governors from Southern Cyprus. A true Cosmopolitan evening!

On arrival the guests were served cocktails and canapés this was later followed by a mouthwatering meal of smoked salmon, duck with hoisin sauce and finally crème brûlée. Guests enjoyed a mixture of local and international music, the evening was rounded off with a raffle which helped to raise a considerable amount of money.

All the proceeds from this event will be donated to special needs children within our community and to the World Polio Fund to assist with the eradication of polio."



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Esentepe Creative Sewing Group Xmas Fayre

Readers mail....

We have received the following great news and pictures from Diane Loftus about the fundraising event for the Tatlisu School held by the Esentepe Creative Sewing Group at Seawise Restaurant, Esentepe.

"The Esentepe Creative Sewing Group held their Xmas Fayre at Seawise Restaurant, Esentepe on Friday 30th November in aid of the Tatlisu School and it was a brilliant turn out with the headmaster Mr. Mehmet Erden Of Tatlisu School attending and the local Mukhtar Layla opening the event.

Everything at the Fayre had been donated to the stalls, from cakes, bric and brac, dog and cat treats, jewellery, Xmas cards, painted pebbles, plants, clothes, children's stalls and raffle prizes so thank you to all of those who donated these items.

The sewing Group would like to thank Murat at Seawise Restaurant for allowing them to hold the event there and everyone who came along too and supported the event. A big thank you should go to Irene Hannan and the sewing group for organising the event and at the latest count a total of 8,600TL was raised.

Well done everyone."



Tulips Chilly Dippers are getting ready for the chilly splash

Readers mail....

It's that time of the year when all eyes are on the end of year celebrations that are coming and Tulips Help Those With Cancer Association have sent news of this year's Chilly Dippers.

"Hi All,
Once again the Tulips Chilly Dippers are going to take to the sea on 31st December 2018 at The Fly Inn (Lapta) for a minimum of 10 minutes all in aid of Tulips/Help Those With Cancer Association.

This is a fabulous social event so even if you do not fancy dipping your toes into the Mediterranean Sea on New Years Eve then please come down to support those crazy enough to do so for this great charity!

They are looking for more people to join them so if you are interested then please call Jackie: 0533 872 3237 for further information and sponsor forms.

Thank you

Tulips/HTWCA"



Past brave chilly dipping for Tulips

7th December - 13th December 2018

North Cyprus Events Calendar

8th December to 21st December 2018

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.



Until 9th December - Hüseyin Özinal – Fugitive Bodies – Art Exhibition at the ArtRooms Girne. Viewing from 2pm until closing time of The House Restaurant.

Until 28th December - “Inspired by Paper” paper art exhibition at the Rauf Raif Denktas Culture and Congress Centre, Famagusta. Visiting is weekdays 10am-1pm and 2pm-5pm.

8th December – Saturday - Kyrenia Chamber Choir presents Alleluia, It's Christmas at Karmi Church, starting at 5pm. Directed by Iris Langford and accompanied by Rauf Kasimov. Minimum donation of 50TL in support of Dr Burhan Nalbantoglu Hospital Oncology Centre. To reserve contact kyreniachamberchoir@angelic.com

8th December – Saturday - KAR Christmas Bazaar at The Pia Bella Hotel, Girne from 10.30am. Lots of stalls with Christmas items, cakes etc. Grand raffle.

8th December – Saturday - RBL Christmas Party at Blue Song Restaurant, Lapta. 7.30pm. Tickets to be confirmed. Shared event with British Residents Society. 100 maximum reservations.

8th December – Saturday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House will be presenting Esterellas Latinas de Chipre (Latin). Starting at 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL.

8th December – Saturday – Football :

Merit Alsancak Yeşilova v Girne Halk Evi (SL) at Mustafa Hidayet Çalar Stadı, Alsancak. Kick off 2pm

Düzakaya v Karşıyaka (L1) at Nihat Bağicer Stadı, Catalkoy (Tempo Supermarket). Kick off 2pm
Mağusa Türk Gücü v Baf Ülkü Yurdu (SL) at Dr Fazıl Küçük Stadı, Famagusta. Kick off 2pm
Çetinkaya v Gençlik Gücü (SL) at Ataturk Stadium, Lefkosa. Kick off 2pm

9th December – Sunday – Football :

Canakkale v Yalova (L1) at Çanakkale Nuharrem Döveç Stadı, Famagusta. Kick off 2pm
Küçük Kaymaklı v Yenıcamı (SL) at Şht Hüseyin Ruso Stadium, Lefkosa. Kick off 2pm

10th December – Monday – Football :

Türk Ocak v Esentepe (SL) at 20 Temmuz Mete Adanır Stadium, Girne. Kick off 6pm (Floodlight match)

11th December – Tuesday - Bar 33 (The Old Mill), Ozankoy will be holding a Christmas Coffee Morning from 11am in aid of Hope 4 Pets. There will be some extra special jewellery for sale.

12th December – Wednesday - The Black Olive Cafe will be holding a Christmas Bazaar from 12.30 to 3.30pm at their new location in Alsancak, which will be in aid of Tulips.

12th December – Wednesday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House will be presenting Lady M Jazz Trio (Jazz) Starting at 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL.

13th December – Thursday - Spaghetti Junction, Catalkoy, quiz night in aid of Tulips starting at 8 pm. 50 questions and a table top extra. 5TL per person. Quiz split 50/50 to the winning team and Tulips. Raffle 5TL a ticket, winner chooses meal for 2 at Spaghetti Junction, bottle of wine, or money. If money not won it rolls over.

13th December – 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.

14th December – Friday - RBL Quiz Night at the Olive Press, Lapta. 7.30pm. 10TL entry fee, 10TL for game of Stupid Bingo. To book call 0533 880 1196. Food not available at this venue. Event in aid of the 2018 RBL Poppy Appeal.

14th December – Friday - Black Olive Cafe, Alsancak (new location) – Christmas Theatre and Choir with Kyrenia Academy at 7pm. Adults 35TL, children 15TL, including mulled wine and nibbles. Come and enjoy some lovely theatre and Christmas music. To book contact Vicki on 0533 835 5133

14th December – Friday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House will be presenting The Great Flood (Blues) Starting at 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL.

19th December – Wednesday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House will be presenting Lady M Jazz Trio (Jazz). Starting at 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL.

20th December – Thursday - Susie's Christmas Quiz at the Balti House, Esentepe starting at 8.30pm. Please wear something Festive!. Quiz winners presentation on 3rd January 2019.

20th December – Thursday - Spaghetti Junction, Catalkoy, quiz night in aid of Tulips starting at 8 pm. 50 questions and a table top extra. 5TL per person. Quiz split 50/50 to the winning team and Tulips. Raffle 5TL a ticket, winner chooses meal for 2 at Spaghetti Junction, bottle of wine, or money. If money not won it rolls over.

21st December – Friday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House will be presenting Lost Island Cold Kid (LICK) Alternative Rock. Starting at 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL.

21st December – Friday - Bingo at Charlie's Bar, Esentepe at 8.30pm.

21st December – Friday - The Black Olive Cafe will be holding a Christmas Quiz and Party night starting at 7pm. In aid of Greenhill Cemetery. To book teams call Vicki on 0533 835 5133. The party will begin at 9pm



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CyprusScene : Sudoku

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Answers on page 27 - No cheating!

FORTHCOMING EVENTS



the SOULIST presents
ARALIK DECEMBER

5 ALPER CENGIZ & FRIENDS ROCK & BLUES
7 THE RUSTY SLAPS (from Antalya) ROCKABILLY
8 ESTERELLAS LATINAS DE CHIPRE LATIN
12 LADY M. JAZZ TRIO JAZZ
14 THE GREAT FLOOD BLUES
15 ARDA BAYKURT PROJECT ELECTRO-LATIN
19 LADY M. JAZZ TRIO JAZZ
21 L I C K ROCK

THE SOULIST CHRISTMAS MARKET WITH MUSIC
22 16.00 : Gospel Choir - 21.00 : Alper Cengiz & Friends.
23 16.00 : Ali Curukoglu / 19.00: Classical Christmas Concert.

26 THE HOT CLUP OF CYPRUS JAZZ
28 THE HEALERS REGGAE
29 ALPER CENGIZ & FRIENDS ROCK & BLUES

MERRY CHRISTMAS !!!



Christmas bazaar
At
The Black Olive

Wed 12th Dec
12.30 to 3.30

Come along and give your support





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NEW YEAR'S EVE
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Free homemade soup and bread roll for all swimmers

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SOUP AND BREAD ROLL TO WARM YOU UP!

If you are brave enough to take on this challenge please call for a sponsor form on 0533 872 3237



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The Sports Quiz

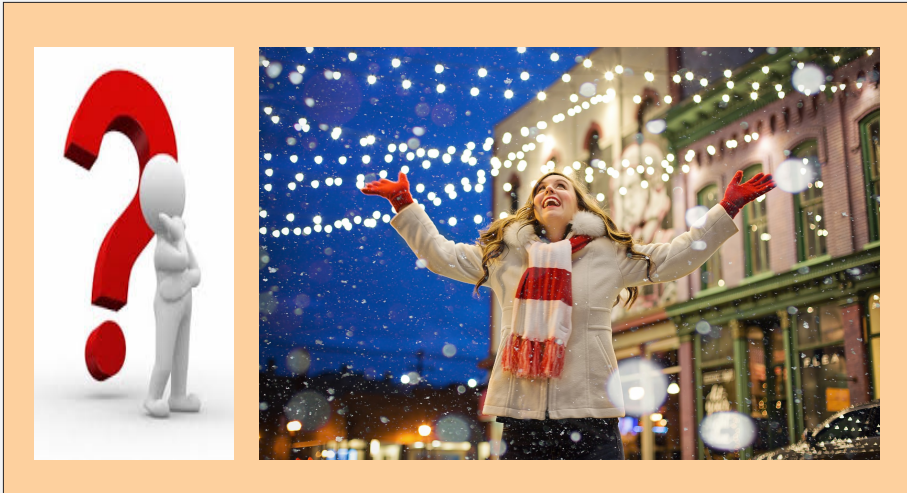
Sports Quiz : 10 questions and this week's "Stinker"

By Richard Beale..

Just identify the “Sportsperson” from the clues given, I would say it is an EASY quiz this week. .

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 and no cheating!



WHO IS THE SPORTSPERSON?

- Question 1 An old Golfer – First name of the author of “The Ghost Train” - surname is the last name of a British Biscuit Manufacturer based in Reading.
- Question 2 Ex Cricketer/ Presenter – touch – surname two parts – a piece of grass/hair and a part of the hand?.
- Question 3. Ex football Manager – a clever person is sometimes known as a smart” ----last name of a famous Tractor Manufacturer?.
- Question 4 Ex Cricketer - “the Baptist’ - Winter weather?
- Question 5 Ex Jockey – Name of 1966 World Cup Mascot – a Wild West City?

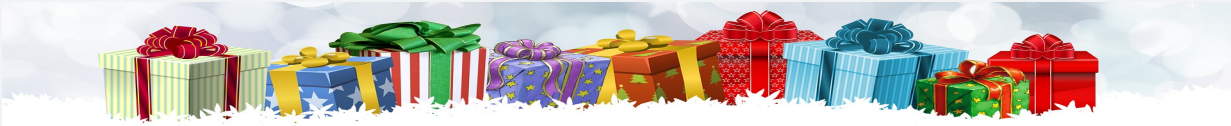
- Question 6 Ex Rugby player – you should make one before you die – a larger?
- Question 7:Old cricketer – last name of a Monty Python film – near?
- Question 8 Tennis player – Liver salt Manufacturer (singular) – a mint?.
- Question 9 Formula 1 driver – was a revolutionary classic car – clothes fastener?
- Question 10 Old Table Tennis player – City on English/Welsh border – first name of the inventor of the Bouncing Bomb?.

This weeks STINKER and its VERY HARD

The answer will be in next weeks Enewspaper

Question:

Who is the only foreign footballer to make over 500 Premier League appearances?



Last weeks STINKER:



Cyprus Scene Sports Quiz

The question was :

How many 2018-19 Premier League clubs have birds on their crests?

Answer:

6 – Brighton and Hove Albion – SEAGULL, Burnley – STORK. Cardiff City – BLUEBIRD, Crystal Palace – EAGLE, Liverpool – LIVER BIRD, Tottenham – COCKEREL

Some people said Newcastle United as their nicknamed being the Magpies, but the bird does not appear on the Clubs crest.

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Here are the answers to Sudoku on page 25

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How did you do?



Forthcoming Events



PALAZZO LUXURY COLLECTION

PALACE MAGNIFICENT CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR

PRESENTS

DECEMBER 24-25



CHRISTMAS

DECEMBER, 1 - 31 CHRISTMAS MARKET
 DECEMBER, 3 CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY
 DECEMBER, 24 CHRISTMAS EVE BALL
 DECEMBER, 24 DRAGON CHRISTMAS EVE DINNER
 DECEMBER, 25 CHRISTMAS BRUNCH

DECEMBER 31



HOGMANAY

A TRADITIONAL SCOTTISH NEW YEAR



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BLACK TIE EVENT. ALL WELCOME

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KAYA PALAZZO
 RESORT & CASINO

7th December - 13th December 2018

NORTH CYPRUS CHEMIST ROTA

8th December - Saturday

Erdoğan Ozikiz Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad. Karaoğlanoğlu.

Tel: 0548 870 8442

Selvin Çağay Eczanesi, Ecevit Cad. Girne. Tel: 815 2025

9th December – Sunday

Defne Eczanesi, Ataturk Cad. Girne. Tel: 815 3516

Torensel Eczanesi, Beşparmaklar Cad. (Tempo) Çatalköy. Tel: 824 5713

10th December – Monday

Güven Eczanesi, Salih Miroğlu Cad. Girne. Tel: 815 2409

Önal Aktolga Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad (Bakkal Supermarket)

Tel: 822 4142

11th December – Tuesday

Eminağa Eczanesi, Ziya Rızkı Cad. Girne. Tel: 815 2248

Nejla Erçal Eczanesi, Üniversite Yolu Sok 63/B Karaman G.A.U.

Tel: 822 3202

12th December – Wednesday

Ahmet Çağır Eczanesi, Ankara Cad. Alsancak. Tel: 821 3434

Başak Eczanesi, Ziya Rızkı Cad. Girne. Tel: 815 3620

13th December – Thursday

Buğçe Eczanesi, Nusmar Market, Zeytinlik Sokak, Girne. Tel: 815 0032

Şifali Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad, Alsancak. Tel: 0533 846 3330

14th December – Friday

Küçük Eczanesi, Canbulat Sokak, Girne. Tel: 815 3626 / 815 6340

Pinar Keklik Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad. Alsancak (TechnoGold)

Tel: 821 3077

15th December – Saturday

Nazim Varış Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad. Alsancak. Tel: 821 3088

Setenay Bebgisu Eczanesi, Semih Sancar Sokak, Doğankoy.

Tel: 816 0082

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.



Emergency Telephone Numbers

mobile numbers are prefixed 0533 or 0542 or 0548

landline numbers are prefixed 0392

POLICE

Emergencies **155**
General 228 3411
Girne 815 2125
Lefkosa 228 3311
Gazi Mağusa 366 5310
Güzelyurt 714 2140
Lapta 821 8512

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

FIRE

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

WATER

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

AMBULANCE

Emergencies **112**

Kyrenia Weather (from 7th December 2018) 10-day Forecast

TONIGHT DEC 7	SAT DEC 8	SUN DEC 9	MON DEC 10	TUE DEC 11
8°C LO	18°/8°	18°/10°	19°/12°	18°/10°
Mainly clear	Partial sunshine	Some sun	An a.m. shower; partly sunny	Partly sunny, showers around
WED DEC 12	THU DEC 13	FRI DEC 14	SAT DEC 15	SUN DEC 16
16°/6°C	15°/8°	18°/10°	17°/10°	18°/9°
Mostly sunny; breezy	Occasional afternoon rain	Clouds and sun, a few showers	A p.m. shower in the area	Periods of rain

Geçitkale too good for Serdali

Result: Geçitkale GSK 3 Serdarli GB 0

By Richard Beale.....

Played at Tatlısu Rauf Raif Denktaş Stadı, December 1

The BTM League season opened last weekend and I attended this opening fixture played on Saturday morning between these two fierce rivals.

In this local "Derby" match Geçitkale were convincing winners despite finishing the match with 10 men after goalkeeper Gürcan was sent off for handling inside his box in the 62nd minute.

In a tight first half the football was a 'little agriculture', lots of effort and passion as these two neighbouring teams fought out a goalless first half. In the second half Geçitkale scored early on in the 47th minute when ONURHAN slotted home following a

good move.

Geçitkale's second goal was scored following a breakaway a minute after they lost their goalkeeper sent off in the 63rd minute scored by MÜDJAT. Serdarlı never recovered from that and despite Geçitkale having another player in goal, the visitors lacked a cutting edge.

MEHMET ERGÜN added a third in the 90th minute from the penalty spot after the Serdarlı keeper İbrahim brought down a Geçitkale player in the box.

Geçitkale were the more skilful team and created the better chances and deserved their win. Serdarlı "huffed and puffed" but only created a few half chances.



Action from Geçitkale v Serdarlı match, Geçitkale are in white

BTM League Results for Saturday 1st December

RED GROUP

Dıpkarpaz 3 Gazıköy 0

Geçitkale 3 Serdarlı 0

Görneç 1 Dört Yol 1

Mehmetçik 1 Valdili 2

WHITE GROUP

Karaoğlanoğlu 2 Yılmazköy 0

Lapta 3 Aydıncık 1

Tatlısu HOSK 1 Ortaköy 0

Zümrütköy 3 Denizli 2

EMU Cup of Nations Basketball Tournament



By Ahmet Abdulaziz....

The opening ceremony of the "Cup of Nations Basketball 2018" tournament was held on 3rd December 2018, at the Lala Mustafa Sports Centre.

The time-honored Cup of Nations Basketball 2018, the international basketball tournament of Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) commenced with an opening ceremony organized on Monday, the

3rd of December, 2018 at 17:00 at Lala Mustafa Paşa Sports Complex.

The 11 men's groups and 6 women's groups are participating in the 8th Cup of Nations Tournament organized this year. The champions of the tournament for each category (men's and women's) will be determined by the Final Matches set to take place on the 14th of December, 2018. Men's Group A consists of 6 teams (Jordan,

Zimbabwe, Turkey, Egypt, Pakistan and Cameroon) and Men's Group B consists of 5 teams (Iran, Nigeria, Palestine, Lebanon and Congo). Women's matches will take place in one group containing 6 teams (Pakistan, Botswana, Turkey, Palestine, Iran and Russia)

The first four teams on the list at the end of the matches in the Women's category will move on to Semi-finals; on the other hand, for the Men's category, the first two teams in each Group will play in the Finals. Matches for the third and fourth places as well as the championship matches will take place on the final day of the events.

Following a moment of silence and the Turkish National Anthem, teams consisting of EMU students from

different countries were introduced to the audience. EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam delivered the opening speech of the event. Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam referred to the event as a bridge between different cultures which reinforces the friendship between and among the countries. During his speech, Prof. Dr. Osam wished all the students an academic year full of success as well as good luck to all participants in the event. EMU Vice Rector for Student Affairs Prof. Dr. Sonuç Zorlu Oğurlu, Vice Rector for Academic Affairs Prof. Dr. Halit Tanju Besler, Rector's Coordinator Assist. Prof. Dr. Arif Akkeleş, Student Affairs Coordinator Assoc. Prof. Dr. Derviş Subaşı and Sports Affairs Director Cemal Konnolu were present during the opening ceremony.

League Football Fixtures 8/9/10 and 14/15/16 December

Richard Beale ..

As you may have only received your copy of CyprusScen E-newspaper on Saturday it may be too late for you to plan going to watch a local football match.

So every week we will publish the current weekend matches plus the following week to make it easier for you to plan ahead.

It's all about "Derby" matches this weekend starting in Alsancak on Saturday the home side take on near neighbours Girne Halk Evi.

There are two "Derby " matches in Lefkoşa where like London it is common, on Saturday Çetinkaya take on Glençlik Gücü at the giant Atatürk Stadium.

And at the Hüseyin Ruso Stadium near the Bus Station Küçük Kaymakli take on Yenicamı.

Ozanköy on Sunday also have a tough match against current League 1 leaders Göçmenköy.



Selective matches for 8/9/10 December.

PLACE	DATE	L	DETAILS
ALSANCAK			
Mustafa Hidayet Çalar Stadı	Sat Dec 8	SL	Merit Alsancak Yeşilova v Girne Halk Evi ko 2-00pm
CATALKÖY			
Nihat Bağicer Stadı	Sat Dec 8	L1	Düzkaya v Karşıyaka ko 2-00pm (behind Tempo Supermarket)
FAMAGUSTA			
Çanakkale Nuharrem Döveç Stadı	Sun Dec	L1	Çanakkale v Yalova ko 2-00pm
GIRNE			
Dr Fazıl Küçük Stadı	Sat Dec 8	SL	Mağusa Türk Gücü v Baf Ülkü Yurdu 2pm
20 Temmuz Mete Adanir Stadium	Mon Dec10	SL	Türk Ocak v Esentepe ko 6-00pm. Floodlight match
LEFKOŞA			
Atatürk Stadium	Sat Dec 8	SL	Çetinkaya v Gençlik Gücü ko 2-00pm
Şht Hüseyin Ruso Stadium	Sun Dec 9	SL	Küçük Kaymaklı v Yenicamı ko 2-00pm

SL = Super League, L1= League 1 BTM = BTM league 1

Selective matches for 14/15//16 December

PLACE	DATE	L	DETAILS
BEYLERBEYİ			
Dr Ali Özsoy Stadium	Sun Dec 16	BTM	Tatlısu HOSK v Aydıncöy ko 11-00
DİPKARPAZ			
Dipkarpaz Sahası	Sat Dec 15	BTM	Dipkarpaz v Serdarlı ko 11-00am
ESENTEPE			
Erdal Barut Stadium	Sun Dec 16	SL	Esentepe v Gönyeli ko 2-00pm
FAMAGUSTA			
Dr Fazıl Küçük Stadı	Fri Dec 14	L1	Mağusa Türk Gücü v Lefke ko 6-30pm Floodlight Match
MARAŞ			
Maraş Stadı	Sun Dec 16	L1	Yonlaş Dumlupınar v Bostancı Bağıl ko 2-00pm
	Sat Dec 15	L1	Maraş v Hamitköy ko 2-00pm
GEÇİTKALE			
Geçitkale Sahası	Sat Dec 15	BTM	Geçitkale v Dörtöy ko 11-00am
GIRNE			
20 Temmuz Mete Adanir Stadium	Sat Dec 15	SL	Girne Halk Evi v Çetinkaya ko 2-00pm
	Sun Dec 16	SL	Doğan Türk Birliği v Küçük Kaymaklı ko 2-00pm
ISKELE			
Cumhuriyet Stadium	Sat Dec 15	SL	Gençler Birliği v Gönyeli ko 2-00pm
KARAOĞLUANOĞLU			
Orhan Dural Stadı	Sat Dec 15	BTM	Karaoğlanoğlu v Denizli ko 11-00am
KARŞIYAKA			
Ergin Cemal Şahdur Stadı	Sat Dec 15	L1	Karşıyaka v Yeniboğaziçi ko 2-00
LAPTA			
Şht Şevk Kadır Stadı	Sat Dec 15	BTM	Lapta v Zümrütköy ko 11-00am
LEFKOŞA			
Atatürk Stadium	Sat Dec 15	SL	Yenicamı v Merit Alsancak Yeşilova ko 2-00pm
Şht Hüseyin Ruso Stadium	Sun Dec 16	SL	Glençlik Gücü v Türk Ocak ko 2-00pm
OZANKÖY			
Mustafa Özkayım Stadı	Sat Dec 15	L1	Ozanköy v Çanakkale ko 2-00pm

A Look at Last Weekend's Local Football Results

By Richard Beale..

Week 11, K-Pet Super League Results

The big match under floodlights in Lefkoşa, between the second and third teams ended a 2-2 draw. Yenicami had a two lead up to the 77th minute, but Cihangir hit back with two late goals from Victory (77) and Salih (84) to share the spoils.

Baf Ülkü Yurdu who were in third place suffered a shock home 0-2 defeat to neighbouring Lefke.

In another “big match” under lights in Girne, leaders Mağusa Türk Gücü edged out Doğan Türk Birliği 1-0.

Week 11 - K-Pet League 1 Result

Leaders Göçmenköy recorded an important win 2-0 away to Ozanköy, never an easy place to win.

There were goals galore last weekend Bostancı Bağcıl hitting 6 away against lowly Maraş.

Değirmenlik miserable run still continues now losing 11 out of 11 matches, they were hammered at home by Yeniboğaziçi 5-1.

K-Pet Super League

				P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PS
Baf Ülkü Yurdu	Lefke	0-2	1	MAĞUSA TÜRK GÜCÜ	11	9	1	1	28	12	16 28
Doğan Türk Birliği	Mağusa Türk Gücü	0-1	2	Yenicami	11	8	2	1	27	12	15 26
Esentepe	Çetinkaya	1-0	3	Cihangir	11	6	3	2	22	18	4 21
Girne Halk Evi	Küçük Kaymaklı	1-1	4	Gönyeli	11	6	1	4	23	17	6 19
Glençlik Gücü	Merit Alsancak Yeşilova	0-2	5	Baf Ülkü Yurdu	11	5	3	3	22	13	9 18
Gönyeli	Binatlı	3-1	6	Doğan Türk Birliği	11	6	0	5	22	15	7 18
L. Gençler Birliği	Türk Ocak	1-1	7	Türk Ocak	11	5	2	4	23	15	8 17
Yenicami	Cihangir	2-2	8	Merit Alsancak Yeşilova	11	5	2	4	19	19	0 17
			9	Lefke	11	4	3	4	19	21	-2 15
			10	Çetinkaya	11	4	3	4	11	14	-7 15
			11	Küçük Kaymaklı	11	2	7	2	11	18	-7 13
			12	Gençlik Gücü	11	2	4	5	20	25	-5 10
			13	Binatlı	11	3	1	7	13	22	-9 10
			14	Girne Halk Evi	11	2	1	8	15	23	-8 7
			15	Esentepe	11	2	1	8	9	23	-14 7
			16	L. Gençler Birliği	11	0	4	7	10	27	-17 4

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				P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
Değirmenlik	Yeniboğaziçi	1-5	1	GÖÇMENKÖY	11	8	0	3	20	12	8 24
Hamitköy	Mormeneşke	4-1	2	Hamitköy	11	7	2	2	33	18	15 23
Karşıyaka	Çanakkale	4-2	3	Düz kaya	11	7	0	4	21	12	9 21
Maraş	Bostancı Bağcıl	2-6	4	Yalova	11	6	3	2	19	11	8 21
Mesarya	Doğancı	4-0	5	Akova Vurdu	11	6	2	3	32	14	18 20
Ozanköy	Göçmenkoy	0-2	6	Karşıyaka	11	5	4	2	20	13	7 19
Yalova	Akova Vurdu	1-0	7	Ozanköy	11	5	3	3	22	19	3 18
Yonpaş Dumlupınar	Düz kaya	0-2	8	Doğancı	11	5	2	4	13	20	-7 17
			9	Mesarya	11	4	3	4	18	20	-2 15
			10	Çanakkale	11	5	0	6	17	23	-6 15
			11	Yeniboğaziçi	11	4	2	5	16	19	-3 14
			12	Bostancı Bağcıl	11	4	1	6	19	22	-3 13
			13	Mormeneşke	11	4	1	6	17	23	-6 13
			14	Y. Dumlupınar	11	3	2	6	21	18	3 11
			15	Maraş	11	2	1	8	14	32	-18 7
			16	Değirmenlik	11	0	0	11	8	34	-26 0

Sports Quiz Answers

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Answer 1 Arnold Palmer (Arnold Ridley and Huntley and Palmer).

Answer 2 Phil Tufnell.

Answer 3 Alex Fergusson.

Answer 4 John Snow.

Answer 5 Willie Carson.

Answer 6 Will Carling.

Answer 7 Brian Close (Life of Brian).

Answer 8 Andrew Murray.

Answer 9 Jensen Button (Jensen Interceptor)

Answer 10 : Chester Barnes (Barnes Wallis).

Yes, I believe in Father Christmas!

Result: Esentepe KSK 1 Çetinkaya TSK 0

By Richard Beale ..

Saturday December 1 2018 :K-Pet Super League – Esentepe Erdal Barut Stadium.

Yes, finally after 7 consecutive defeats a 78th minute goal from midfielder TIDIANE SANE gave Esentepe 3 vital points in this crucial match, which finally we have managed to “get the monkey” off our backs.

Christmas has come early for Esentepe with a present of 3 vital points, though we are still in the bottom three this win has kept us in sight of the clubs above us. As the song by The Hollies says “the road is long with many a winding turn”, Esentepe have climbed back onto the road again and for once this weekend there are smiles on people’s faces not heartaches which we have experienced over the last few weeks. With the Under 21 team also winning 2-1, Esentepe is a happy village this weekend. Ironically we have played better in some of those seven defeats than we played today against Çetinkaya, it is what managers describe as an “ugly win”. Of course I am pleased for the team that has put so much effort into previous games without reward and also for Coach Necati Tilki who has recorded his first win in charge of Esentepe.

The match was not a classic and not helped by some poor refereeing, where once again Esentepe seemed to be on the wrong end of some baffling decisions.

Çetinkaya are a big, powerful team, also a team of considerable experience of playing in the top



Esentepe in Red and Black take a point at last!

League for many a season.

Captain Abbas Osum led his team by example and with his goalkeeper Cenk and fellow defenders Tunç, Abbas and Batuhan restricted Esentepe's chances to a minimum.

In winger African Nwachukwu they had the game's best player. Esentepe defender Uğurcan had to be on top his game to counteract his opponents skills.

Esentepe again put in a hard working team performance and it was their Captain Şahin Seker who put in a ‘Captains’ performance, restricting Çetinkaya as well to minimum chances.

11 mins : After a long clearance by Esentepe defender Hasan, striker Henry Odi fastened onto the ball and stung goalkeeper Cenk’s hand with a powerful shot.

24 mins : Sane receiving the ball outside the Çetinkaya box, created space for himself turned but shot wide.

Çetinkaya were the more confident team, spraying the ball around,

keeping Esentepe back in their half for long periods, but it was the home team relying on breakaways that were creating the better chances.

41 mins : From a Ahmet Karal cross from the right Odi managed to get in a shot which brought Cenk to his knees. **HALF TIME SCORE : 0-0**

Both sides had great chances within a minute of each other, at the start of the second half to break the deadlock.

51 mins : A great ball from Sane sprang Çetinkaya’s effective offside trap, Ahmet Karal fastened onto the ball and looked certain to score, but he took too long on the ball and was disposed by Batuhan.

The ball was immediately transferred to the other end where Hakan in a great goal scoring position shot over the bar.

The game had now deteriorated, with the football suffered accordingly any skilful moments at a premium.

Çetinkaya offside trap was causing frustration to Esentepe and their supporters but it was finally broken when Esentepe took the lead in the

78th minute.

A long free kick from Şahin was only partially cleared to TIDIANE SANE standing just outside the box, the experienced midfielder controlled the ball and rifled a shot past the diving Cenk. **1-0**

The players and fans celebrated wildly and enthusiastically not having experienced this very often this season.

Çetinkaya pushed their skipper, the giant and powerful Abbas, upfront to partner Faye but Esentepe ran down the clock without any scares to record a rare win. **FULL TIME SCORE: 1-0.**

SUMMING UP : Çetinkaya the “big City slickers’ must be kicking themselves being mugged “by their country cousins”. They will be very disappointed with their performance with so much experience and so much talent on show, I think they thought they just had to turn up and the 3 points were theirs for the taking. Esentepe goalkeeper Ali was the quieter of the two keepers as Esentepe restricted Çetinkaya to very few chances.