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Ünal Üstel meets Tour Operators in the UK

Minister of Tourism and Environment, Ünal Üstel, visited London and conducted a comprehensive meeting with tour operators in the UK to strengthen national tourism.

At the meeting, where the problems of the country's tourism were discussed, the opinions of the tour operators were also discussed. In particular, tourism professionals, who mentioned the difficulties in transportation, emphasized that in the past years, promotion and marketing have been neglected. Tour operators also noted the need to establish a new airline.

In his speech at the meeting, Ünal Üstel said that they are aware of the high flight costs and that they have made some initiatives in Ankara to reduce these.

Explaining that there are tourists coming to the country and using Larnaca Airport, Üstel said that the tourists coming to our country via

Larnaca were exposed to the propaganda of the Greeks.

With regard to the possible establishment of an airline with public-private partnership and businessmen in England, Ustel said this should be a part of this formation and everyone should offer as much cooperation as possible.

Focus is being made on digital media and social media advertisements especially in the UK market this year, and Üstel emphasized that the Ministry's

website has been renewed, and most importantly, the 50 most widely read newspapers in the UK have advertised on their websites. Stating that these advertisements will continue until April 2020 he said that the country will see the benefit of it in 2020.

The tourism sector will be able to relax in 2020 with the steps taken in the field of transportation, publicity and advertising, and Üstel said that they will introduce 6 areas of Northern Cyprus separately this year.

Ustel said that it is important for tourists to be able to come to the island in the shortest possible journey time and efforts are being made for travellers to not have to change aircraft as is the case at the moment.

After meeting with the tour operators, the Turkish Cypriot business people gave a reception for Ustel, who said the country's economy has a great contribution from the tourism sector and everyone should show sensitivity.



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“TRNC stands by Turkey in the struggle against terrorism”

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay informed Foreign Affairs Commission, which gathered under the presidency of the Chairman of Foreign Affairs Commission of the Turkish Grand National Assembly, AK Party Istanbul Deputy Volkan Bozkır, on the issue of the "TRNC and Regional Developments".

In his speech at the opening of the meeting, Özersay stated that it is an important opportunity to be able to

express the TRNC's opinions, thoughts, and suggestions.

Stating that there are important developments in the Middle East especially in the Eastern Mediterranean and Syria, Özersay said that the balances have been reshaped and there is a need for a paradigm change in Cyprus in this period.

Özersay continued: "As Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of

Foreign Affairs, I would like to emphasize once more that the TRNC government and the Turkish Cypriot people entirely

stand by Turkey in the struggle against terrorism and for the territorial integrity and security of Turkey.



Özersay: “Three Greek warplanes violated our airspace”



Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay said that three Greek warplanes violated our airspace early morning yesterday (17th October).

In his statement via his social media account, Özersay stated “The mentioned warplanes entered into our airspace by taking off from Crete and flying low over Akıncılar village. The warplanes

returned to the airbase in Crete after a short time”.

Furthermore, Özersay added “We have made the necessary initiatives on the issue of provocative action, including a protest.

Everyone should know that this kind of approach will endanger the stability in the region and a responsible attitude should be maintained”.

Get Well messages for the editor of CyprusScene

By Margaret Sheard ...

Following Chris Elliott's spinal fusion surgery, it was nice to see the good wishes of some of our readers. Chris is now going through the long recovery process and improving day by day.



I am most sorry to hear Chris is in the hospital. I hope he returned to the UK for care.

He has been a fair and honest reporter of events in Cyprus, and champion of peace. Both north and south Cyprus need his reporting. I wish him a speedy recovery with a minimum of discomfort. I hope you will keep readers posted on his progress. Sincerely, Roger Jennings (author of articles published by CyprusScene)

So sorry to hear that Chris has been ill and I hope he makes a speedy recovery please give him my best regards to a full and healthy time ahead that should come with you by his side.

I still think of the time you and Chris took time to take us on a tour to Komi-Kibir and Dhavlos.

Sadly I lost Theresa over 2 years ago but live carries on. I always look forward to your articles and always enjoy the news you and Chris publish.

Take care - Brian Taylor

From Bertil Wedin.

It was great to read in your CyprusScene comment that you are getting better – and even can take walks without a stick, Congratulations.

Cyprus Scene remains a splendid journal. I appreciate its decent presentation and enjoy not least its positive reporting on people who are doing good things.

With best wishes. Bertil

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“We will remove the word “closed” with reference to Maraş ”

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Kudret Özersay stated that as the TRNC government it has been decided to change the name of closed Maraş, and the word “closed” will now be removed with reference to Maraş.

In his speech at a meeting, Özersay also mentioned the issue of Maraş and said: “There is a fact that we do not want to allow the

continuation of this status quo anymore”.

On the other hand, the Greek Cypriot side has received a declaration from the UN Security Council after 35 years and they are happy and relaxed following this, however they display a stance which tries to prevent the rights of their citizens in respect of the city of Maraş.



Taçoy: “ENI’s decision is positive”



Stating that he approves the decision of Italian company ENI in the Eastern Mediterranean, Minister of Economy and Energy Hasan Taçoy said “ENI’s decision should also be followed by the other companies carefully.”

In his written statement, Taçoy evaluated the statements of ENI’s CEO Descalzi.

“Turkey is not a state which only follows and makes statements as in the past. The necessary steps have

been taken in the Eastern Mediterranean by a proactive policy. I think that ENI’s decision is positive. The Italian company has indicated that they will not be affected by provocation of the Greek Cypriots. We want to stress again that we will not allow any steps to be taken in the Eastern Mediterranean which disregard the rights of the Turkish Cypriots and Turkey. I think that ENI’s decision should also be followed by the other companies carefully” Taçoy stressed.

Uluçay in Belgrade

The 141st Assembly of the Inter – Parliamentary Union started in Belgrade, the capital of Serbia within the framework of the Inter-Parliamentary Union meetings.

MPs of the political parties represented in the TRNC Assembly also attended the meeting, at which TRNC was represented by the Speaker of the Assembly Teberrüken Uluçay.

Before the opening ceremony of the meeting Uluçay met with the Speaker of the Turkish Grand National Assembly, Mustafa Şentop.

The meeting, which took place in the conference centre was held firstly tête-à-tête and then between the delegations.

The latest situation in the Cyprus problem, the latest developments on natural gas around the island and the relations between the Assemblies of the two countries came to the agenda during the meeting.

Source :
TRNC Public Information Office



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Turkey reaction to joint declaration of Egypt–Greek-Greek Cypriot summit

Foreign Ministry of the Republic of Turkey has reacted to the joint declaration issued following the Egypt – Greek - Greek Cypriot Administration Summit in a written statement as follows:

“The joint declaration, issued following the trilateral summit between Egypt, Greece, and the Greek Cypriot Administration held in Cairo on 8 October 2019, containing baseless claims against our country, has no meaning and value.

This declaration is the latest example of how the Greek/Greek Cypriot duo involves regional countries and incorporates them into their maximalist and intransigent national policies at the expense of international law.

Since the outset of the Cyprus issue, Turkey has exerted every effort in good faith and has put forward a strong political will for a comprehensive settlement. The party which rejected the Annan

Plan in 2004 and who left the table at the Cyprus Conference in Crans-Montana in 2017 is known to everyone.

The Cyprus issue will remain unsettled as long as the Greek/Greek Cypriot duo’s mindset prevails which ignores the very existence of the Turkish Cypriots, denies their political equality and perceives them as a minority. This mindset is the core reason behind the failure of every negotiation process carried out over the last 5 decades.

On the other hand, Turkey exerts every effort towards the establishment of a mutually acceptable, durable and equitable regime within the framework of international law that upholds the legitimate rights and interests of all parties in all seas, including the Mediterranean.

The maximalist policies of Greek/Greek Cypriot duo, that disregards the principle of “equity” which is one of the most

basic principles of international law and the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) in maritime boundary delimitation, has led to losses in the past in respect of Egypt’s interests regarding its maritime jurisdiction areas. Yet Egypt seems to have turned a blind eye to this abusive treatment by the Greek/Greek Cypriot duo.

Turkey will resolutely continue to protect its own rights and the rights of the Turkish Cypriots in the Eastern Mediterranean. Turkey is ready to talk to all countries in the region, except the GCA, for the delimitation of maritime jurisdiction areas in the Eastern Mediterranean in accordance with the principle of equity. The interlocutor of the Greek Cypriots are the Turkish Cypriots. The 13 July 2019 cooperation proposal of the Turkish Cypriots is an opportunity that should be seized in order to settle the Cypriot dimension of the hydrocarbons issue.

Furthermore, we also strongly reject the baseless and distorted claims against Turkey in the Syria part of the declaration. As the most affected country from Syria-based terror, Turkey has, as is the case in the past and in the future, demonstrated once again, with the operation initiated today, that it will not hesitate to take the measures required by its national security within its rights stemming from international law.

It is far from credible for those have long been serving for the separatist agenda of the terrorist organization PYD/PKK to refer to the territorial integrity of Syria.

Those who are rooting for the purpose of splitting Syria over the terrorist organisations must back down at once for the well-being and the union of the Syrian society.”



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EMU Cooperation Agreement signed

A Cooperation Agreement was approved between the Ministry of Public Works and Transportation and Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) and was signed by Ministry of Public Works and Transportation Minister Tolga Atakan and EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam.

Speaking at the signing ceremony, Minister Tolga Atakan said, "Eastern Mediterranean University is a source of pride, and is one of the leading educational institutions in our country. In order to utilise the information and technology produced in this way for the benefit of the public, we sign this protocol under which we will act together within the framework of the works of our Ministry."

Minister Atakan, stated that the agreement is essentially a country

and society, in general, an island of education, tourism and IT which is a plus for the island. and said, "I would like to thank my colleagues who brought this important agreement to this point and the valuable teachers of EMU. May it be auspicious."

In his speech the Rector of EMU, Dr. Necdet Osam, thanked the Ministry of Public Works and Transportation personnel for the Agreement, where the necessary scientific contribution will be made. Professor Dr. Osam said, "As a state university, our duty is to provide to all the institutions of the state and of course to the social structure. We are very pleased and honoured in this respect. I would like to express my gratitude to the Minister for his cooperation in creating this opportunity for our University."

During the signing ceremony, Kemal Bağzıbağlı, Undersecretary of the Ministry of Public Works and Transportation; Ramadan Beysun, Ministry Special Clerk; Vice Rector for Technical Affairs. Dr. Naciye Doratlı; Director of the School of Computer Technology Assoc. Dr. Nazife Dimililer;

Computer Technology School Director Asst. Assoc. Dr. Emre Özen and Ministry of Public Works and Transportation, Project Research and Planning Officer Vasviye Tunaboğlu, were present.

Source: Ministry Of Public Works and Transportation



"The Fresh Connection" Workshop at Babil Botanical Gardens

Readers Mail

On 1st November between 9am and 1pm at the Babil Botanical Gardens near Lapta there will be an interactive, experiential Personal Growth workshop entitled "THE FRESH CONNECTION". The workshop will be developed and facilitated by Charis Charalambous and Gülşen Kadri (below is information about their background).

It is targeted for men and women aged 35 and above, who see themselves as lifelong learners and who are looking for beyond-the-ordinary opportunities to share their personal wisdom and fine-tune their social and interpersonal skills, while connecting themselves to the outdoors.

If you attend the workshop you can expect to be engaged with customised activities (energizers, team work, discussions, reflection, etc), that will take full advantage of the beautiful setting of Babil Botanical Gardens. By participating you will be making the perfect investment for starting the Fall/Winter season with fresh inspiration, new connections (to one's self and others) and for experiencing a different perspective of a natural location in Cyprus.

The workshop will host a minimum of 10 and a maximum of 16 participants, so hurry up to book your place! The participation fee of 150TL / 25€ pp includes healthy snacks and drinks.

For further information and to

register: reply to (charalca@hotmail.com) or send a message at +357 99318625 (Charis), +90 533 850 59 50 (Gülşen). We will get back to you regarding payment details and what to bring with you.

Charis Charalambous is a female, Counselling Psychologist born and raised in Cyprus. Besides her expertise in Psychology, Charis is a trained and experienced facilitator and life skills trainer, working with youth, adults and professionals in Cyprus and abroad, through experiential learning methods. Charis loves sharing with others the hidden gems of Cyprus and using the outdoors as a learning context.

Gülşen Kadri, a female

Nutritionist/Clinical Dietician, was born in Australia to Cypriot parents and moved to Cyprus in her childhood years. Besides Australia and Cyprus she has also lived and worked in Turkey. Since she was first introduced to the worlds of Drama and Non Formal Education, she has been expanding herself in them, beyond her professional practice as Dietician. Gülşen loves to meet new people all over Cyprus and to try new things and experiences.

Together, Charis and Gülşen recently initiated the Conversation Café Cyprus community.



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Eliud Kipchoge, Finishing a race with a smile



By Ahmet Abdulaziz

I repeatedly watched the video of ELIUD KIPCHOGE of Kenya winning the marathon in Vienna, Austria last week, finishing the marathon in record 1:59:40, to become the first person to create history by bringing the marathon running time below 2 hours.

Of course I enjoy watching his video again and again to witness history in the making, as I still watch the video of 2018 Berlin marathon where Eliud had broken the previous record by completing it in 02: 01 : 39.

What makes me watch these videos repeatedly is the way he smiles, when he finishes the marathon. To me his smile represents his inner feelings. A very interesting way of expressing his inner feelings. However it is not only just his smile, it is his expression of joy and achievement represented by the way he spreads his both arms and looks around towards the spectators, seconds before crossing the finishing line, which is simply worthy of watching.

Every athlete has his own way of expressing his achievement and winning a marathon. For example I like both Kenenisa Bekele and Haile Gebrselassie. Of these two I like the smile of Gebrselassie more. Though Bekele is my

favourite, but he appears to keep his joy inside. His smile is very light and it seems he does not want to express his inner feelings.

However, unfortunately in the heat of creation of a new world record by Eliud Kipchoge, the new world record of BRIGID KOSGEI of Kenya went unnoticed. She created a world record by finishing the Chicago marathon in 2:14:04 on 13th October 2019. She broke the long standing record of Paula Radcliffe, which she had created in 2003 by finishing the London Marathon in 2:15:25.



When I watched the video of Brigid Kosgei, finishing this last marathon and creating the world record, I noticed the lack of smile on her face. She did smile, she expressed her feelings of joy, but not in a way that others do.

However this is her own style of being happy and celebrating victory.

Now when I discuss all this, the name Paula Radcliffe, reminded me of her very unique style of running. Her style in which she constantly moves her face up and down, became her peculiar style. I do not think any other long distance runner adopted such a different style. As right now I once again watch her finishing her London marathon in 2003, I found her totally exhausted. Thus she could neither smile nor jump in joy or open her arms like Kipchoge does. However I know she does have a soft smile on her face while finishing any race.

When I compare smiles and expression of happiness and achievements of long distance runners, there is one person, whom I always watch with a special interest. He is MO FARAH. Though he is not a marathon runner, but is a long distance runner, for me he does have a very

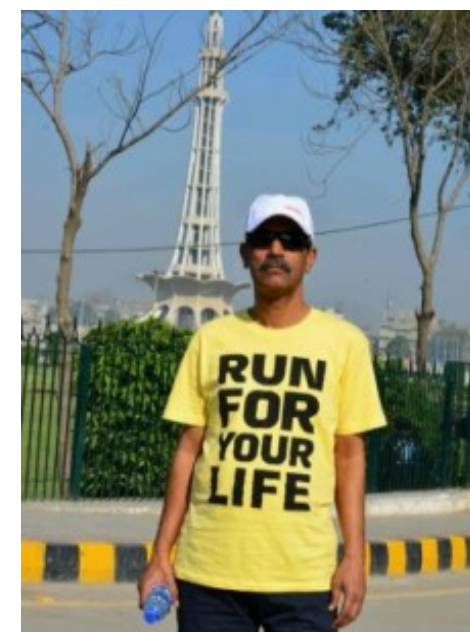
watch videos showing him running.

However, the fact is that none of the above celebrities of long distance running, can compete with me when it comes to joy and expression of finishing a marathon. Yes, I become very happy and much happier than all those who finish the marathon race in the timing somewhere around 2 hours, when I complete the same distance in less than 6 hours time. For me finishing the distance of 42 km and 200m below 6 hours is one wonderful moment of my life.

However when I do this and become happy, I do not smile, I do not open my arms, I do not jump with joy, just because there has never been anyone waiting for me at the unmarked finishing line of the marathon that I run and complete all alone.

Happiness is one thing that can neither be bought nor measured. It differs from person to person. Everyone expresses this feeling in one way or another.

I too have my own way, and I like that.



unique smile. He not only exhibits a broad smile, but also opens his arms. His smile however is not just a simple smile, it's something just less than a laugh. He opens his mouth in joy, looks around like Kipchoge, and usually opens his arms too. But he is very different from others. Unfortunately Mo Farah has never been my favourite, but I always like to

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KAR - News Update



KAR FASHION SHOW – TUESDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2019 – CLUB TROPICANA, OZANKOY

The weather held..... just! For the 4th KAR Fashion show. There was a bolt for the indoors towards the end, but on the whole, a fabulous dry day was had.

The aim? Simple, to continue the work of KAR and improve the facilities at the centre. Since 2017 the Fashion Show has primarily contributed towards the creation of the Vet Room, the quarantine area, shading for the summer and the glorious new play area. Also the October Fashion Show will assist in the vet treatments needed to protect the dogs and cats moving forward into 2020.

To thank everyone individually would take hours and hours. So to everyone involved THANK YOU SO VERY, VERY MUCH.

The laughter, the banter, the sun, the venue, the music. all contributed to this fun day out. The appearance of ‘members of the Royal Family’ at the Garden Party was appreciated as was the flag waving and National Anthem. ‘The Tropicana Flashers’ performed to the Full Monty’s ‘Keep Your Hat On’, with plenty of non PC, wolf whistling, stamping of feet. And they did..... keep it on!!!!

Eric our star from the Centre, enjoyed his day and had lots of love, but is still waiting for his furever home.... So please remember this is ALL for the 300 dogs and 50 cats still waiting for their happy every after.

So..... the amount raised? Another staggering **8,200TL**. So from everyone involved and especially Jacky Kester you are a star, THANK YOU.



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KAR - News Update



THEY ARE BACK, **THE FABULOUS MARTINSON FAMILY...**
WHO OUTDID THEMSELVES THIS YEAR.

WE WILL MISS YOU, THE DOGS WILL MISS YOU MORE!!

7 days, 18 walks and 25 dogs, well 26 when Evie graces you with her presence. As always a pleasure :
Fawna, Vera, Terri, Honey, Ernold, Angie, Pebbles, Eric, Freddie, Hayley, Becky, Hamish, Goldie, Autumn, Tusen, Maya, Goober, Nicky, Mardo, Bonnie, Kylie, Genie and our two favourites, Kiki and BB - until next time pups. Also to Nanny looking after the cats - good girl!



We need your baking skills.... Please, if you can help bake for the **Christmas Bazaar on Saturday 7th December.**

Call the office or email and pledge your wares!!

WE NEED YOU!! 0533 8694098 or kartnrc@gmail.com



AN UPDATE ON TWO PREVIOUS HOUSE GUESTS AT THE CENTRE.....

We love a happy ending!
picture 1: your former guests Ajo (Albert) and Lotta on a walk together in Berlin
picture 2: drink a lot in hot weather ...

BR from Berlin
Askan



This is still the case. We need to re-home cats, dogs, puppies and kittens from the centre, before we can open for intake. Please help us to help the community!



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Johannesburg South Africa 2019 – A journey along memory lane

Editor's Note : This account of Heidi's trip to Johannesburg and meeting up with her old friend Helen after 47 years, is a long and interesting story. We are therefore continuing the story in chapters which is being published over a few weeks. We are sure our readers will enjoy Heidi's account of her visit, the changes she has seen and the experience of introducing her sons to South Africa. **Here is Part Two.**



By Heidi Trautmann
www.heiditrautmann.com

PART 2

Helen's studio is still in the garage with drawers full of graphic work and paintings on paper. She said she slept there on the floor, it was the time after her nearly deadly accident with the artist Bill Ainslie with whom she had worked together and who died in this accident, that was in the 80s. Her back was broken. Around the garage she had planted vegetables which she used for herself and Robin and which she offered to the neighbours as a sort of sign of peace. Her garden is nicely done and in the swimming pool she grows pumpkin and melons.

Helen dresses very consciously to underline her status and character and she often wears national dresses which gives her a very special important air. We had an immediate bond again, older and wiser, but still had the same language. Otto and Robin were quite impressed and respected her but as she tried to exercise an educational tone they would rather go their own ways together with the other Robin, the three

understood each other very well and we heard them laughing together and enjoying themselves.

In the evening she took us to one famous family restaurant established in 1975: Mike's Kitchen, very nice and good food. Here we were for the first time confronted with parking control, secured areas where you left your car under supervision. Wherever we went in the following days, if it were at the supermarket or malls, art galleries or restaurants, there were watchmen and you paid them some Rands when leaving.



So that was Day 1 and we went to bed in our comfy cottages and the next morning we had our breakfast that we found ready in the fridge, with fruit, eggs and everything. We sat in the garden under the spring sun with the Jasmine blossoms spreading their perfume.

Day 2, August 22:

The second day we went, with Helen and Robin, to see the famous traditional art gallery, the Everard-Read Gallery, founded in the early years of last century, it is the oldest art gallery in Africa. I have been following them throughout many years on the internet as I knew that they represented Helen Sebidi for many years, so I was quite curious

to finally visit the place in Rosebank and to meet with the owner Mark Read. Do find their story under the link shown below and also what they wrote about one of their artists, our Helen Sebidi. In the beginning, Helen said, she was very suspicious of having an agent taking care of her affairs but in the end she realised that they were her friends.

The gallery is architecturally well designed and the sculptures of their collections are well placed and are in harmony with their background. There was a very interesting and inspiring exhibition running when we were there and we spent some wonderful hours in the gallery's rooms. Some school classes in blue uniforms – age perhaps 15



or 16 – had a day for the arts with their teacher and I listened to their remarks on the artworks. How well behaved they all were and how interested. Mixed classes, and the black students looked so self-confident, and my thoughts wandered back to the years of apartheid when young black people had no traces of self-confidence in their appearance.

We met Mark Read and his daughter in their office; they were interested to learn about our relationship with Helen Sebidi, how we had met and lived together in the 60s/70s, and how it came about that Helen became interested in the arts. Helen and I told him about our past and what we did together. I gave him one of my books about North Cyprus.



<https://www.everard-read.co.za/gallery>

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continued Johannesburg, a journey along memory lane



Opposite from the Everard-Read Gallery was another big gallery plus another smaller subsidiary of the Everard Read Gallery. There was an exhibition of two artists from Zaire, very interesting, we met them and had a good talk. One complete day for the arts, they were very happy to meet Helen Sebidi in person.

Rosebank is a posh place and we went there more than once, especially for shopping and finding presents for the dear ones at home. We had coffee there in one of the nice street coffee places and we saw beautiful black people walk by, beautiful and smiling and self-confident, this was something we had to get used to. I mean, in North Cyprus we have many students from African countries at our many universities, just as beautiful, but to come to Johannesburg where we have lived in the apartheid days, and see the new Africans I was really happy to see the change in their faces. I mean, 47 years have passed by now, half a century, and there were changes to be expected.

In the evening of our second day we explored the shopping area near our cottages, how delightful, art and antique shops, supermarkets, restaurants, Italian and Indian, and others, and it was the Italian we went to that evening

and it was relaxing and Otto and Robin said: we feel at home here. We did some shopping, extras for our breakfast, and Biltong, sundried meat as a present for home. As we went home we came across many beggars again, but you cannot save them all; one gave to old and disabled people. However, they have big problems, the South Africans, Robin Sebidi had told us about it; the foreigners, as he called them, the Africans from all over Africa, they come to Johannesburg, often on foot, across the savannahs with its wildlife and despite its dangers, and come to live in certain suburbs where others of their kind already live under poor conditions, and they stand on crossroads, red lights, and beg, carrying boards saying that they are hungry. In the beginning Otto opened the windows and gave them money, when Robin Sebidi said, look, they go and buy alcohol or drugs; we don't want them, they bring crime and diseases. And there is crime, we were aware of it while we were in Joburg and Pretoria. A drug dealer had shot a taxi driver who had approached him asking why he would sell drugs to the kids, he just shot him as an answer....and in revenge of this crime, all taxi drivers came together and were uprising and fighting this gang of drug dealers in a certain area of Pretoria and it spread, the news spread and came to other places and

there were street fights in Hillbrow and Yeoville in Johannesburg against 'the foreigners' and I am sure you read about it too. How will they solve this problem? There is a huge wave of migration going on in the world, what will be the outcome? Nobody knows.

Day 3, August 23:

Here we are on day three.... In the morning we went through many of Helen's art works in her studio to select some for us to take with us, I had been given money to purchase some art works, and so we spent

this morning admiring all the so very different techniques she had been experimenting with, oil on canvas and paper, pastel on paper, printing, very expressive and modern, she called it playing, etching, lino cuts....and then her clay sculptures.... She has had many teachers, had tuition abroad and scholarships, and she took everything 'on board' but stayed true to herself. Who can say that of him- or herself? It is hard work to find one's road and place and in many academies students copy their teachers in order to get good marks. I am so glad that one day in our time, I told Helen, you must take a local teacher, don't copy other Westerners. That is what she has done with her life and her vision. She has realised that you must find to your roots and recognize yourself and stay tuned with nature, and that is her vision, she now tries to teach the young people, her students, and her village people in her home place.



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Poets Corner



THE VISITOR
By Nick Vye - Sanctuary

One day from far outer space,
A visitor arrived at my place,
He had the most unusual face,
I was surprised, that was the case,

Around him was a shimmering light,
That was a very beautiful sight,
Like seeing a shooting star at night,
Or a streaking comet, in its flight,

His thoughts he sent to my mind,
They were of the loving kind,
Were there within no measured time,
And also he was reading mine,

He knew that I understood his thoughts,
And all he sent me, I had caught,
The messages that he had brought,
Were lessons ,he had once taught,

I asked him why, he had chosen me,
He said you have the eyes to see,
And also you can let things be,
For your soul is fine and very free,

You have to help bring peace to the land,
All this fighting, is out of hand,
You have to find a different plan,
Or you'll all end up, as grains of sand,

His thoughts went so very deep,
I felt my eyes, begin to weep,
We must awaken from this sleep,
And find the answers that we seek,

So let's accept this message from above,
That came down in a heavenly flood,
And make the peace symbol of the dove,
United together in one world of love.....

LOCAL NEWS - Book sale at Park Cafe, Karsiyaka

Following is the message received from Steve Sydenham (Steve the Book) :

" As most of you are aware I have not been too healthy of late, in fact for the past 18 months or so. So we have decided it is time to sell up and return to the UK, closer to the majority of our family. We have just put our house on the market and fully appreciate we may still be here next year, but hopefully it will happen a bit sooner. We are not in a rush as we have thoroughly enjoyed our time in Cyprus. It is time however to dispose of my books.

We are having a grand sale at the **PARK CAFE in Karsiyaka on MONDAY 28th October** from 12

noon to 6pm. All proceeds to go towards shipping our three dogs and two cats back to the UK with us. There is no way we would even consider leaving any of them behind to fend for themselves, but we could do with a bit of assistance towards our goal as it is going to be expensive..

I am practically giving the books away but I am hoping most will go to good homes as there are so many very good books on offer including Biographies, Non Fiction, Crime, Thrillers, Romance, Adventure, Historical, Children's Books and many, many others. Perhaps when you have finished with them you could consider donating them to TULIPS, the NCCCT or

HOPE FOR PETS or another good cause of your choosing.

I am bulk selling the books as follows:
Any FIVE BOOKS 10tl
Any TEN BOOKS 15tl
Any TWENTY BOOKS 20tl
All additional books over and above 20 will cost just 1tl each. Please bring your own bags to take them away.

I do hope you are able to come along and see what is on offer. I have missed selling my books and missed seeing my customers on a regular basis so it would be nice to have the opportunity to see you again.

You can enjoy tea/coffee or an

alcoholic beverage of your choice and try the delicious Park Cafe Pizzas if you haven't had a chance before. I am advertising this on Facebook but please pass the details on to friends on my behalf if you would be so kind. Take care and hope to see you on the 28th if you are on the Island on that day.
Take care - Steve "



FAB donation to Tulips (Help Those with Cancer Association)

By Margaret Sheard

On Tuesday 8th October, the President of Tulips (Help Those with Cancer Association), Raziye Kocaismail, visited the Soulist Coffee and Music House in Alsancak, where she was presented with the amount of 12,504TL.

This amount was raised at the 3-day music festival “Friends Across Borders” (FAB) held at the Soulist

on 27th to 29th September, where there was music from many bands from both north and south Cyprus and other countries, and also included jazz, young stage and classical music.

The event, which was the second annual festival of its kind, was well attended on all three days and was a great musical success for the organisers, Alper Cengiz and Roland Eyerich, and also as a fundraising event for Tulips.



The Soulist FAB-Team. I-r Cornelia Fischer-Eyerich, Roland Eyerich, Raziye Kocaismail, Alper Cengiz Adeleh Mozafari

KADS Christmas Show 2019 is "Sleigh Bells in the Park"

Readers mail....

Kyrenia Amateur Dramatic Society...

This year KADS presents a Christmas Whimsy, “Sleigh Bells in the Park” featuring the well known favourites, Santa Claus, Fairy Godmother, Inspector Ralph of the Lapland Yard and, of course, Rudolph and the Herd.

The show, written and directed by Beverley Westbrook, will be performed at Korineum Golf and Country Club on Friday 29th November (at 130TL per person)

and at the Black Olive Cafe the following week on 2nd, 3rd and 4th December (at 95TL per person). Ticket prices include mulled wine, a Christmas meal and the performance.

For reservations, please call KADS on 0533 848 5313.



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Hope 4 Pets - News Update



Post by Stephanie Harrison-Croft 17th October

Here we are again with another success story of joy but blighted with sadness.

Today we took the old girl from the Lefkosa Animal Shelter which we posted last week after seeing her and her cell mate when we did our joint fundraising event there (she is the 8th dog H4P have removed from the shelter in just 3 weeks and all are now safe. Some will be going to the UK). She is deaf, blind and been lying in squalor in her own urine and faeces day after day.

We had the unbelievable offer of a home last night so it was all systems go today. Really cannot thank these people enough. What they have done is truly remarkable. Thanks are not enoughxxx

Olive as is now known, on top of everything else has a fungal infection, an eye infection and an ear infection and awful dentition as you can see.

This is the story of joy for little Olive but a story of sadness and despair for her only comfort while being there, who is now alone and still just hanging on in the same cell and situation. I will post separately, in the main for him in the hope another miracle will happen and there is someone else out there that will help this one too.

The pictures depicting Olive shows her day from beginning to end and show how what a little love, care, veterinary intervention and a bath, in the space of a few hours can change the life of even such a case of neglect as it has done for Olive x



Post by Stephanie Harrison-Croft 17th October

As promised here is the poor old boy with no name and very little hope of a home who is heartbreaking so, left behind. His cell mate was so very thankfully removed from the Lefkosa Animal Shelter by H4P and her new loving carers and is now safe and unconditionally loved despite all her awful problems.

This poor lad is now alone and still lies in his own urine and faeces. He is deaf and blind. His coat is matted deep to his skin with flies, buzzing around his sad old body. What lies beneath this I just cannot imagine. He is confused and lost inside an indescribable environment with no comfort whatsoever. He again may not have long in this world but in kind and loving hands the lifespan of this sad and tormented soul would most surely be extended and could have some peace in a caring and loving environment.

I ask if there is anyone out there who would rise up and enable us to get him out of there into a loving home? PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE



Post by Emma Eminsoy 15th October

This lovely girl was found at the GAU campus. She has been taken to the vets by students. She has tested positive for erlichia. This can be treated with daily medication. We have been asked if we can appeal for help with funds for her veterinary bills and she will also need a foster home so she has somewhere to recover.

If you can help in any way large or small, financially or have a place she could stay please contact us or Başak at VetPetite.



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Hope 4 Pets North Cyprus - News Update



Post by Emma Eminsoy 17th October
Four kittens from the Wednesday market (2 boys and 2 girls) neutered today. (Sorry 4th photo was blurred!) Thanks to Hope4Pets.



Post by Elizabeth Stowell 9th September
IT'S HERE! The 2020 Hope 4 Pets Calendar, it will arrive in the TRNC in the next couple of weeks, there is a limited number available, this fabulous calendar includes many of the dogs and cats you will recognise all helped by H4P over the last 12 months. Please support H4P by reserving one today!. PRICE is 60TL or £8.00, postage in the UK is FREE.



Post by Emma Eminsoy 16th October.
I was in the vet surgery yesterday when this poor young kitten was bought in with head trauma after being hit by a car. Whilst the cat was being examined and assessed the people who bought the kitten in just left - dumping the kitten there and not saying anything before they left. If anyone would like to donate to help with the costs you can do directly to VetPetite - Belgi Nasiboğlu or via H4P in the usual way.



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Spinal Fusion at Dr Suat Günsel, University of Kyrenia Hospital

By Chris Elliott....

Tina King recently wrote a very good article for us about Health Screening in the TRNC, "Guidance you have been looking for" and I would like to confirm to our readers the need to investigate fully the options available to you when you need an operation or treatment for a health issue.

A few years ago I had an accident which resulted in me having a replacement hip joint fitted at the Girne State Hospital and in a follow up consultation with my surgeon, I told him I was getting back pain so he promptly sent me to have an MRI scan in Lefkosa and the result showed I had a thickening in 3 vertebrae which was compressing the spinal cord.

Did I do anything about it? No! I carried on with my life until late last year when I was suffering with increasing pain and also loss of mobility to the point where I starting to think about using a walking stick.

2019 started and my New Year resolution was to try and find a cure so I went to Dr Suat Günsel, University of Kyrenia Hospital in Karakum and met with Neuro and Spinal Surgeon, Prof. Dr. Halil Ibrahim Seçer who, after looking at my old MRI scan and other medial notes, explained in great detail what an operation and treatment would do to relieve my condition and sent me to have a new MRI scan etc and said the hospital would write and confirm full details of what was proposed.

As promised 48 hours later I received a quotation by email which was valid for one month so now I needed to seek further advice as this planned operation was far from a simple one and I spoke to 3 friends who all have had similar operations at this hospital and they told me of their experiences and gave advice as well.

So now the task of seeking advice from other hospitals began with friends saying speak to this or that

hospital. I had a CD with my latest test results and started visiting hospitals, and in the case of hospitals in Turkey I emailed my test results. Fine you may think, but trying to get a written proposal proved to be a nightmare with me sending emails and getting the briefest of replies with the exception of one Turkish hospital who gave a very detailed proposal/quotation.

By now my quotation from the University of Kyrenia Hospital had expired and I now needed to wait due to a visit by family planned for a few months later. I went back to see Dr Halil who was very welcoming and arranged further X-rays and MRI scan to check on my deteriorating condition and then a revised quotation was given and accepted with a part payment made and an operation date set for 10th September.

On the 9th September I went into Dr Suat Günsel hospital and was taken to my assigned room and after various other tests I settled down and waited for the operation the next day.

Let me talk about the day and night shift of nurses and others who I will refer to as Chris's Angels, they were brilliant and attentive and wanting to help which is not my experiences of hospitals in the past when the family was expected to do everything except give medication and do the blood checks etc.

D-Day or operation day came and early in the morning, Dr Halil arrived with his usual beaming smile and confidence building manner and between jokes between us said I am

going to the theatre now to prepare with my team for your operation and we will see you at around 9.00 am.

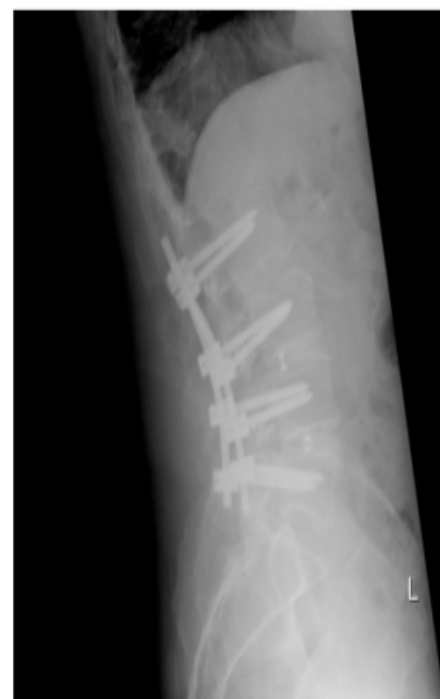
Very soon nurses arrived with orderlies and pushed my bed out of my room and I was greeted with lots of smiles and waves from the rest of Chris's Angels and then we arrived at the operating theatre where a number of people, including Dr Halil, were talking to me from behind their masks and then it was lights out.

The next thing I remember was waking up in the intensive care unit with Dr Halil complete with mask telling me the operation went well and was completed by 2.00pm with the decompression of my spine and the fitting of rods with 8 screws into 4 vertebrae and that I would remain in intensive care until they were ready to return me to my room.

Later that evening I had a surprise visit from Margaret Sheard dressed in a surgical gown and mask, she had been told she could visit for a short time after 5pm, but it took quite a bit of persuasion for her to gain entrance to intensive care, but again the evening staff on duty at that time of the day were very kind and cooperative.

Being in intensive care is an experience which is somewhat hazy and all you are aware of is nurses constantly attaching fresh bottles containing pain killer and anti-infection fluids and it seemed the hourly squeezing of your arm with an automatic machine checking my blood pressure.

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Spinal Fusion

Day 3 arrived while in the Intensive care unit and then after a flurry of activity I was wheeled out and taken up to the 2nd floor where I was greeted by more waves and smiles from the Chris's Angels on duty as I was pushed into my room and put back on the bed. After a while my good friend and saviour Dr Halil arrived with his big smile and words of encouragement and with help from himself and nurses I was helped to sit up (ouch) and after a brace was put around my waist I was helped to stand up and take a few steps away from the bed and return and then it was time to rest.

I have thought about that first pain and the continuation over the next few weeks as the level subsided and, when you consider the 15cm incision in my back, cutting of bones and muscles etc. and fitting of the rods, and screws, pain was inevitable but with pain killers, it was controlled and manageable. There was also a large dressing held in place by strong adhesive tape and I am convinced this also stretched when my body moved and was causing discomfort.

Later on the third day Margaret came and spent time with me and my breakfast arrived with a dinner for Margaret (part of the package for the carer).

Day 4 and 5 came in a continuous process of nurses arriving to check my blood pressure and temperature and change the various intravenous drips and also Dr Halil came and had me getting out of bed and walking along the corridor with his help and words of encouragement to the point where I was then able to hold onto a rail along the wall and take control of my walking and then also sitting in a chair for a short period.

As there was still a slight blood drain from my back it was agreed I should remain in hospital over the weekend and early on Saturday Dr Halil came again to check on me before leaving it to Chris's Angels to check my condition, feed me and have me walking in the corridor. What could be

better than holding hands with 2 lovely young ladies?

Monday 16th arrived with Dr Halil arriving to check me out and change my dressing before releasing me into Margaret's care when I was taken outside in a wheelchair and then helped into our car for the drive home. Margaret removed the dressing after 5 days at home and has been keeping an eye daily on the scar which has healed well and is looking fine and very neat.

Just over four weeks on as I write this report, after spending short periods of time sitting, walking in the house and sleeping for the first 2 weeks, I have been walking further and longer around the house and outside in the garden for the second 2 weeks under Margaret's eagle eye and feeling so much better about it.

During the recent rest periods I have been watching many Youtube videos by people who have had Spinal Fusions of various degrees and their experiences over varying periods and it's clear to me that recovery time is



an individual thing but I am probably looking at three months before I am getting back to normal and even at my vintage age be able to do most of those things I did before and I will write about my progress in due course.

At this point I would like to thank the Dr Suat Günsel, University of Kyrenia Hospital for their great health care and also Neuro and Spinal Surgeon, Prof. Dr. Halil Ibrahim Seğer who delivered an operation result I had hoped for, but then as a Turkish surgeon who came from the Konya area and studied



and taught at the Gülhane Training and Research Hospital (GEAH) or former Gülhane Military Medical Academy (GATA) I was very happy to have been in his very safe hands.

This was a major operation and taking Dr Halil's advice to start swimming, prior to the proposed operation, to enhance the recovery process I would like to thank the Dervis family of Paradise Holiday Bungalows, Çatalköy who encouraged me to swim

most days in their swimming pool for around five weeks and I think the benefit of this mental and physical conditioning prior to the operation is now becoming apparent to me as my recovery continues.

Finally, when I reflect on my experience, I know Northern Cyprus has some fine hospitals and are contributing to the development of health tourism and this was proved to me by Dr Suat Günsel, University of Kyrenia Hospital.



Control check-up with Dr Halil

18th October to 24th October 2019

RBL Alternative Race Day and Catalkoy Poppy Walk

It was good to see that with great enthusiasm the Royal British Legion, Kyrenia Branch held two fundraising events and this is what they had to say about them.

Royal British Legion Kyrenia
RBL ALTERNATIVE RACE DAY

A great afternoon was had by all at The Olive Press on a beautiful sunny afternoon. Fun and laughter was the order of the day with punters participating on the race track.

Thank you to everyone who attended, organised and the Olive Press for making it happen. An amazing **1,600TL** was raised for the RBL



Royal British Legion Kyrenia
Catalkoy Poppy Walk 2019

A great but hot walk in aid of the Poppy Appeal..... Down in numbers, only 20, but not in spirit. Thank you to all who attended, the final figure was an amazing **870TL**

at the Pub, The Grease Monkey in Catalkoy. Well done to Angela Bland for winning 170TL on the money draw



Susie Forster at the other end of the camera



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EMU - 7th EMU-CWS International Conference on Gender Studies

By Ahmet Abdulaziz.....

The Centre for Women's Studies of Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) last week organised a three day long International conference at the "Arsinoe" Meeting hall of the Rauf Raif Denktaş Culture Centre.

According to the information provided by the university the opening ceremony was attended by Prof. Dr. Naciye Doratlı, the Vice Rector for Administrative and Technical Affairs. The festival was attended by the European Women Rectors Association (EWORA) Honorary President and Former Istanbul Technical University Rector Prof. Dr. Gülsün Sağlamer, EMU-CWS Director, Conference President and EMU Education Faculty, Department of Turkish and Social Sciences Education academic staff member Assoc. Prof. Dr. Süheyla Üçışık Erbilin, Ankara University,

Faculty of Languages, History and Geography, Department of Geography Vice-Chair Assoc. Prof. Dr. M. Murat Yüceşahin, students and academic personnel.

In her opening speech following the screening of EMU's promotional film and a musical recital by the Education Faculty, Department of Fine Arts Education, Music Teaching Program academic staff, EMU-CWS Director and Conference President Assoc. Prof. Dr. Süheyla Üçışık Erbilin touched upon their founding purpose and activities.

Indicating that they set off with the slogan "Zero Tolerance to All Types of Violence", Assoc. Prof. Dr. Erbilin emphasized that 220 papers have been presented at their annual conference which is "Gender, Space, Place & Culture" themed this year.

European Women Rectors Association (EWORA) Honorary President and Former Istanbul Technical University Rector Prof. Dr. Gülsün Sağlamer delivered a talk entitled "The Role of Leadership in the Promotion of Gender Equality in Higher Education and Research". This was followed by a talk from Ankara University, Faculty of Languages, History and Geography,

Department of Geography Vice-Chair Assoc. Prof. Dr. M. Murat Yüceşahin entitled "Is It a Man's World? Understanding Feminist Geographies".

The papers presented at the conference will be published as a book by EMU shortly after the conference.



2nd International Environment Conference

The Near East University, 2nd International Environment Conference started with the participation of academics and students. At the conference, which was organized by Prof. Dr. Hüseyin Gökçekuş, Sustainability and Life were discussed.

The conference ended on 11 October 2019. Speaking about the activities in our country with regard to a more liveable environment, Minister Üstel emphasized the importance of the conference by saying "I believe that the Environmental Conference will always guide us in the work of the Ministry".

Üstel continued his speech as follows;

"Today, there is always a reality when environmental problems are discussed in the world. The environment itself is not a problem, it is actually the problems that people create to the environment. Therefore, when discussing the environment and producing solutions against pollution,

focus needs to be made in respect of people-oriented solutions, otherwise, the solutions will be temporary and unresolved.

When we took over the task of the Ministry, we decided that a process which started especially with training regarding the environment would be the basis of all these studies and we gave priority to environmental awareness and education. In the coming period, our studies will continue so that environmental courses can be included in the school curricula in very young age classes. The expansion of these and similar facilities in our country and the increase of alternative disposal methods, which are supported by the Ministry, are among our targets. We are working hard to make the inspection processes related to environmental problems even more effective.

I would also like to inform you that we are continuing to work on harmonization and regulation of

legislation in the field of environment with the European Union. Diversity and richness in the environment and the living things of the country where we live are common values of all of us. The environmental problem is a universal problem. It is not only the problem of our neighbourhood, city and country. We will always look at this issue with this consciousness. The environment is our common legacy.

In this context, in order to reach a more liveable environment, our government will continue our support and determination to protect the environment, which is the common value of humanity.

We are determined to bring about a more liveable environment, a wealth of natural life and a life where human health is protected as much as possible. I believe that we will achieve this by acting together with our environmental organisations.

We will continue our close cooperation with the universities which are the mainstay of our country in the field of environment. We will create a cooperation based on common sensitivity with our universities with regard to environmental problems."

Source: Ministry of Tourism and Environment



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Ese Brume wins bronze for TRNC at Doha World Athletics

By Ahmet Abdulaziz.....

Ese Brume, a young Nigerian athlete, who is a student of the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) is not much known in the TRNC. But she is well known in the world of athletes.

In the 2019 World Athletics Championship, held between 27th September and 6th October 2019, at Doha, Ese Brume, further strengthened her contest to be in the next Olympics, by ending with a 6.91 metres long jump. This jump brought her the bronze medal.

On the night of 8th October 2019, she returned to the TRNC. A good number of her well wishers from the EMU University welcomed her on her arrival at the Ercan airport.

Despite being only 23 years old Ese Brume is already one of the favourites of the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games. Brume is continuing to prepare for the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games with her EMU Sports Affairs Directorate coaches Hasan Maydon and Yaya Kayode.

Regarding her performance and future prospect, her coach Hasan Maydon stated, "Ese Brume was a three year long project. EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam and EMU Sports Affairs Director Cemal Konnolu played important roles in bringing such an important athlete to our country and university. Our aim is for an EMU student to be the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games champion. We would like to thank the EMU Rector's Office for their moral and material support. I believe that our athlete will become an Olympic champion. Her continuous improvement is indicative of her upcoming success."

As well as her sporting achievements, Ese Brume continues to be successful in her studies at the EMU Tourism Faculty.

After returning to the island Brume visited EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam in his office. During the visit, Prof. Dr. Osam stated that he is proud that an athlete of Brume's quality is an EMU student whilst highlighting how important her achievement is for the university and country. Prof. Dr.

Osam concluded by congratulating Ese Brume for her great success. Meanwhile, Brume thanked EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam and the EMU Rector's Office for their

invariable support and dedicated her achievement to EMU and her home country of Nigeria. The visit came to an end with a photo being taken to immortalize the moment.



Gazi Yuksel represented TRNC at Bursa Photography Festival

By Ahmet Abdulaziz....

Gazi Yuksel, a well known name in the world of photography, recently represented the TRNC in the 9th International Bursa Photography Festival, held in Bursa. The Festival was held in collaboration of Bursa Metropolitan Municipality, Bursa City Council and Bursa Photographic Art Association (BUFSAD).

According to the information

provided by the East Mediterranean University, Mr. Yuksel, who is also the Head of the Department of Photography and Cameraman Education, Faculty of Communication, Near East University, exhibited his 12 photographs in the Festival. In his photographs he compared the earth to a large canvas, which nature has used by using its own instruments.

The theme of the Festival for this year was, "Air-Water-Soil Return to Nature". In total 230

photographers from 16 countries participated in the festival with their photographic works.

The Bursa Photography Festival is the largest Photo Fest organization

held in Turkey.

Photographers from America, Russia, India, Uruguay, Italy, Mexico, and Brazil added colour to the event.



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The Abnormals Beatles Tribute at The Balti House, Esentepe

Readers Mail

The Abnormal males started practising months ago to put together a Beatles tribute! The Balti House in Esentepe was packed with over 60 people. They did 3 sets of music, 30 songs in all. Susie Ford hosted the show.

This is a very different take on what The Abnormals usually do but it brought the house down with cheers, applause and people up dancing and singing. The Raffle went down well with a meal for 2 at the Balti House, a free bingo session at Charlie's Bar, bottles of wine, vodka and whiskey.

Thank you to Antony Pavlou and Clarisse Cooper for all your help with the raffle and collecting monies.

Thank You to everyone who came along to support The Abnormals, supporting Tulips. Another job well done Abnormals!!

We raised **1,515TL.** The comments on Facebook have been amazing / until the next time!

The Abnormals Men

Martin Ford
Martin Foster
Dave Lavender
John Montgomery Malloy



NEWS LATEST - BTM Football League Fixtures 26/27 October

By Richard Beale...

As you may have only received your copy of CyprusScene 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 forthcoming weekend matches to make it easier for you to plan ahead.

On October 26/27 the BTM football league starts. This is the third division of the local football leagues, K-Pet Super League and K-Pet League 1 being the others

The BTM League is split into two groups the White and Red. Top teams of the groups automatically are promoted to League 1, with a "play off" for the two teams that finish in second place.

The bottom clubs of each group are automatically relegated to the BTM League 2 (really the 4th division)

Good thing about this League a lot of the matches are a morning kick off, so plenty of time to go to a bar afterwards.



BTM RED GROUP

26/10	11:00	YENİBOĞAZIÇI DSK	V	TÜRKMENKÖY ASK	Osman Ergün Mehmet Stadı
26/10	11:00	SERDARLI GB	V	GEÇİTKALE GSK	14 Ağustos Stadı
26/10	11:00	İNCİRLİ SK	V	1461 İSKELE TRABZONSPOR	Akdoğan Özürlük Stadı
27/10	14:30	DİPKARPAZ SK	V	VADİLİ TÇBSK	Dipkarpaz Stadium
27/10	14:30	YARKÖY PGSK	V	MEHMETÇİK TÇBSK	Iskele Cumhuriyet Stadium

BTM WHITE GROUP

26/10	11:00	YILMAZKÖY SK	V	ZÜMRÜTKÖY SK	Mustafa Ücöz Stadı
26/10	11:00	DENİZLİ SK	V	TATLISU HOBSK	Bilet İyigün Stadı
26/10	11:00	GÜLGÜN SÜT DÜZOVA GSK	V	KARAOĞLANOĞLU SB	Balekstir Stadı
27/10	11:00	DEĞİRMENLİK SK	V	ORTAKÖY SK	Sadık Cemil Stadı



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 12 **Alper Cengiz & Friends**
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 18 **Fake (from İstanbul)**
 20 **Breakfast with Jazz**
 23 **Lady M Jazz Trio**
 25 **Alper Cengiz & Friends**
 26 **Rock Balance**
 27 **Classical Concert "Myrrha Trio"**
 30 **Lady M Jazz Trio**



Island Studio Art Classes

October Calendar	
5 th Still life with charcoal Price: 100tl Time: 9:30-11:30	12 th Moonlight with acrylics Price: 150tl Time: 9:30-11:30
19 th Tribute to Edvard Munch Price: 150tl Time: 9:30-11:30	26 th Gargoyles with charcoal Price: 100tl Time: 9:30-11:30
Have fun! Be creative! Relax!	Keep an eye out for the November calendar!

- Reservations need to be made in advance, please call: 548-857-3244 to reserve a spot.
- 8-person maximum for each class.
- Materials will be provided.
- Recommendations and requests are welcomed.
- Lessons take place at Food Lodge Bakery in Çatalköy.

17. Uluslararası Kuzey Kıbrıs Müzik Festivali
 International North Cyprus Music Festival

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 Elise Küder - Mike Kelley Miray Çakar - Sinem Sadrazam - Püren Eda Gözer

11 EKİM | OCTOBER 20.30
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 Cumhurbaşkanlığı Senfoni Orkestrası

15 EKİM | OCT 20.30
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 Natania HOFFMAN
 Çağrı Cansu ŞANLIDAG
 Soprano - Cello - Piano

17 EKİM | OCT 20.30
 Ennio MORRICONE
 Film Müzikleri Movie Masterpieces
 Lefkosa Belediye Orkestrası
 Nicosia Municipality Orchestra

23 EKİM | OCT 20.30
 3 BASSES
 Zafar ERDAŞ Tuncay KURTOĞLU Teyfik RODOS
 Tulo GAGLIARDO, piano

26 EKİM | OCT 20.30
 Gökhan AYBULUS
 Piyano Recital / Piano Recital

28 EKİM | OCT 20.30
 Beren Kader FIDAN & Emre AKKUŞ
 COLORATURA SOPRANO & TENOR
 Esra POYRAZOĞLU ALPAN, Piano

30 EKİM | OCT 20.30
 Arman RATİP
 Piyano Recital / Piano Recital

1 KASIM | NOVEMBER 20.30
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 Solistler / Soloists Emre Tamer, violin - Ebru Tamer, violin - Leader: Nihat AĞDAÇ
 Cumhurbaşkanlığı Senfoni Orkestrası

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Saturday
19th October



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19th October to 31st October 2019

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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.



1st to 31st October - Tulips 2019 - 4th annual sponsored 'Step-A-Thon'. Help Tulips and enjoy the benefits by doing the 10,000 steps-a-day challenge. To sign up email sue.tilt@gmail.com or call 0542 854 8714

2nd October to 1st November - 17th International North Cyprus Music Festival at Bellapais Abbey.

16th to 22nd October - The Blister Sisters Walking 4 Tulips will be doing their walk "Trail of 3 Cities" raising funds for Tulips. Starting and finishing at Cafe George, Girne. For more information visit the Blister Sisters facebook page.

19th October – Saturday - Island Studio art classes at The Food Lodge, Catalkoy. 9.30am to 11.30am. Bookings must be made in advance 0548 857 3244. This week – Tribute to Edvard Munch. 150TL. Materials provided.

19th October – Saturday - Aruba Bar, Dogankoy will be having a launch party for TAGS property management. Entertainment by Steph at 7.30pm.

19th October – Saturday - The Tulips stall at Lambousa Market will be offering bedding and soft furnishings. Plenty of bargains.

20th October – Sunday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be presenting Breakfast with Jazz at 10.30am. Entrance 75TL.

21st October – Monday - Susie's Massive Music Quiz at 8.30pm at Charlie's Bar, Kucuk Erenkoy. All welcome but please book 0533 874 6056.

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

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

24th October – Thursday - Royal British Legion, Kyrenia Branch, will be starting the Poppy Appeal in Girne Town Centre between 11am and 3pm.

25th October – Friday - Bingo with Martin at Charlie's Sports Bar, Kucuk Erenkoy at 8pm. 30TL. To book 0533 874 6056.

25th October – Friday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be presenting Alper Cengiz and Friends at 9.30pm. Entrance 35TL.

25th to 29th October - Tai Chi Sword Camp, Salamis - 32 Steps Yang Style Tai Chi Sword Camp. Accommodation at Venus Beach Hotel, on a golden beach next to ancient Salamis city. Training in English & Turkish. Bring swimwear, hiking shoes and hat. Friday, 25 October at 18:30 to Tuesday, 29 October at 15:00

26th October – Saturday - Island Studio art classes at The Food Lodge, Catalkoy. 9.30am to 11.30am. Bookings must be made in advance 0548 857 3244. This week – Gargoyles with Charcoal. 100TL. Materials provided.

26th October – Saturday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be presenting Rock Balance at 9.30pm. Entrance 35TL.

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27th October – Sunday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be presenting a Classical Concert with Myrrha Trio. Admission 7pm, concert 7.30pm. Entrance 40TL.

27th October – Sunday - RBL Lapta Poppy Walk, starting and finishing at Ozzie's Place, Lapta. Registration 9.30am, 20TL, 10km walk at 10.45am, 5km walk at 11am.

28th October – Monday - Friends of the TRNC Emergency Services (112) will be having a Quiz Night at the Black Olive Cafe, Alsancak, starting at 7.30pm. 40TL including supper. For the quiz only 10TL. To book teams call 0533 840 7834.

28th October – Monday - Steve the Book will be having a grand book sale at Park Cafe, Karsiyaka 12 noon to 6pm. Huge range of books going very cheap and special bulk purchase prices.

30th October – Wednesday - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be presenting Lady M Jazz Trio at 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL.

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NORTH CYPRUS CHEMIST ROTA

19th October – Saturday

Zehra Kelebek Eczanesi, Mareşal Fevzi Çakmak Cad. Lapta.

Tel: 821 3888

Nurçağ Eczanesi, Şht.Dursun Özaraç Sok. Girne. Tel: 815 1025

20th October – Sunday

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

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

21st October – Monday

Ömrüm Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad. Karaoglanoglu. Tel: 822 2287

Buğçe Eczanesi, Nusmar Market Yani, Zeytinlik Yolu, Girne.

Tel: 0533 849 0008 / 815 0032

22nd October – Tuesday

Tören Eczanesi, Vakıflar Çarşisi, Girne. Tel: 815 1790

Ziya Sencer Eczanesi, Mete Adanir Cad. Magic Tower. Girne.

Tel: 815 4611

23rd October – Wednesday

Şule Yıldızdoğan Eczanesi, Salih Miroğlu Cad. Alier Plaza Girne.

Tel: 816 1213

Setenay Bengisu Eczanesi, Semih Sancar Cad. Doğanköy.

Tel: 816 0082

24th October – Thursday

Öncel Mahmutoglu Eczanesi, Ecevit Cad. Hironde Girne.

Tel: 815 0850

Aydin Life Eczanesi, Kurtuluş Cad. Minimal Plaza Doğanköy.

Tel: 815 7350 / 0533 888 5666

25th October – Friday

İlgen Eczanesi, Bedrettin Demirel Caddesi, Girne. Tel: 815 8118

Emin Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad. Alsancak. Tel: 0533 870 1946

26th October – Saturday

Girne Eczanesi, Işıl Sok. Girne. Tel: 815 1447

Ayşen Altan Eczanesi, Mareşal Fevzi Çakmak Cad. Lapta.

Tel: 0533 858 5208

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Girne	815 2125
Lefkosa	228 3311
Gazi Mağusa	366 5310
Güzelyurt	714 2140
Lapta	821 8512

FIRE

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

AMBULANCE

Emergencies	112
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HOSPITAL

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

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Electrical faults	188
Lefkoşa	225 3436
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WATER

Water problems:	
Lefkoşa	228 3315
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Kyrenia Weather (from 19th October 2019)

10-day Forecast

Sat 19/10  26°c 22°c	Sun 20/10  26°c 21°c	Mon 21/10  26°c 21°c	Tue 22/10  26°c 21°c	Wed 23/10  21°c 13°c
Thu 24/10  24°c 20°c	Fri 25/10  24°c 20°c	Sat 26/10  24°c 21°c	Sun 27/10  23°c 20°c	Mon 28/10  22°c 20°c

Football Fixtures for 18/19/20 October

K-Pet Super League

Date	Time	Home Team	Away Team	Venue
18/10	19:00	ÇETİNKAYA TSK	V KÜÇÜK KAYMAKLISK	Lefköşa Atatürk Stadium
19/10	15:30	MAĞUSA TÜRK GÜCÜ	V MERİT ALSANCAK YEŞİLOVA SK	Gazimağusa Canbulat Stadı
19/10	15:30	TÜRK OCAĞI LİMASOL	V GÖNYELİ SK	Girne 20 Temmuz Stadı
19/10	15:30	BİNATLI YSK	V YENİCAMİAK	Güzelyurt Üner Berkalp Stadı
19/10	15:30	GENÇLİK GÜCÜ TSK	V LEFKE TSK	Lefköşa Atatürk Stadium
20/10	15:30	DÜZKAYA KOSK	V DOĞAN TÜRK BİRLİĞİ SK	Nihat Bağcier Stadı
20/10	15:30	CİHANGİR GSK	V HAMİTKÖY ŞHSK	Cihangir Stadı
20/10	15:30	GÖÇMENKÖY İYSK	V BAF ÜLKÜ YURDU	Lefköşa Atatürk Stadium

K-Pet League 1

Date	Time	Home Team	Away Team	Venue
18/10	19:00	L. GENÇLER BİRLİĞİ SK	V MESARYA SK	İskele Cumhuriyet Stadium
19/10	15:30	OZANKÖY SK	V MORMENEKŞE GBSK	Mustafa Özkayım Stadı
19/10	15:30	KARŞIYAKAASK	V YALOVA SK	Ergin Şahdur Stadı
19/10	15:30	YONPAŞ DUMLUPINAR TSK	V DÖRTYOL SK	Gazimağusa Dr Fazıl Küçük Stadium
20/10	15:30	ESENTEPE KSK	V LAPTA TBSK	Erdal Barut Stadium
20/10	15:30	BOSTANCI BAĞCIL SK	V MARAŞ GSK	Bostancı Bağcil Stadı
20/10	15:30	GÖRNEÇ KSK	V GİRNE HALK EVİ	Üç Şehitler Stadı

Football Results and Tables - 11/12/13/14 October

K-Pet Super League Results at 11/12/13/14/ October

11/10	BAF ÜLKÜ YURDU	2-1	ÇETİNKAYA TSK
12/10	GÖNYELİ SK	1-2	CİHANGİR GSK
12/10	KÜÇÜK KAYMAKLITSK	3-1	MAĞUSA TÜRK GÜCÜ
12/10	MERİT ALSANCAK YEŞİLOVA SK	1-2	TÜRK OCAĞI LİMASOL
13/10	DOĞAN TÜRK BİRLİĞİ SK	2-1	GENÇLİK GÜCÜ TSK
13/10	HAMİTKÖY ŞHSK	3-3	DÜZKAYA KOSK
13/10	LEFKE TSK	0-4	BİNATLI YSK
14/10	YENİCAMİAK	2-3	GÖÇMENKÖY İYSK

K-Pet Super League Table at 11/12/13/14 October

		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1.	TÜRK OCAĞI LİMASOL	5	5	0	0	10	3	7	15
2.	DOĞAN TÜRK BİRLİĞİ SK	5	4	0	1	15	5	10	12
3.	CİHANGİR GSK	5	4	0	1	16	7	9	12
4.	YENİCAMİ AK	5	3	1	1	15	8	7	10
5.	KÜÇÜK KAYMAKLI TSK	5	3	1	1	10	5	5	10
6.	GÖÇMENKÖY İYSK	5	3	1	1	9	7	2	10
7.	HAMİTKÖY ŞHSK	5	2	2	1	13	11	2	8
8.	MAĞUSA TÜRK GÜCÜ	5	2	1	2	13	5	8	7
9.	GÖNYELİ SK	5	2	0	3	6	10	-4	6
10.	BAF ÜLKÜ YURDU	5	2	0	3	9	18	-9	6
11.	GENÇLİK GÜCÜ TSK	5	1	2	2	9	11	-2	5
12.	MERİT ALSANCAK YEŞİLOVA SK	5	1	1	3	9	13	-4	4
13.	DÜZKAYA KOSK	5	1	1	3	6	13	-7	4
14.	BİNATLI YSK	5	1	0	4	9	14	-5	3
15.	LEFKE TSK	5	0	2	3	4	13	-9	2
16.	ÇETİNKAYA TSK	5	0	0	5	6	16	-10	0

K-Pet League 1 Results at 12/13/ October

	DOĞANCI SK	0-3 **	YONPAŞ DUMLUPINAR
12/10	GİRNE HALK EVİ	3-2	ESENTEPE KSK
12/10	YALOVA SK	1-1	OZANKÖY SK
12/10	MARAŞ GSK	3-1	L. GENÇLER BİRLİĞİ SK
12/10	MESARYA SK	4-0	ÇANAKKALE TSK
13/10	LAPTA TBSK	1-0	BOSTANCI BAĞCIL SK
13/10	MORMENEKŞE GBSK	1-1	GÖRNEÇ KSK
13/10	DÖRTYOL SK	0-0	KARŞIYAKA ASK

** Match awarded to Dumlupinar as Doğancı unable to fulfil fixtures.

K-Pet League 1 Table at 12/13/ October

		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1.	MESARYA SK	5	5	0	0	16	2	14	15
2.	YALOVA SK	5	4	1	0	13	2	11	13
3.	L. GENÇLER BİRLİĞİ SK	5	4	0	1	10	5	5	12
4.	YONPAŞ DUMLUPINAR TSK	5	3	1	1	6	1	5	10
5.	MARAŞ GSK	5	3	1	1	7	4	3	10
6.	GÖRNEÇ KSK	5	2	2	1	9	6	3	8
7.	GİRNE HALK EVİ	5	2	2	1	9	7	2	8
8.	KARŞIYAKA ASK	5	2	1	2	8	9	-1	7
9.	DÖRTYOL SK	5	1	3	1	5	7	-2	6
10.	LAPTA TBSK	5	2	0	3	6	9	-3	6
11.	OZANKÖY SK	5	1	2	2	5	6	-1	5
12.	MORMENEKŞE GBSK	5	1	2	2	6	9	-3	5
13.	ESENTEPE KSK	5	1	1	3	5	7	-2	4
14.	BOSTANCI BAĞCIL SK	5	0	1	4	1	8	-7	1
15.	ÇANAKKALE TSK	5	0	1	4	5	14	-9	1
16.	DOĞANCI SK	5	0	0	5	0	15	-15	0

Score 0-0 but not a Boring Match from Dörtyol SK

By Richard Beale..

Result: Dörtyol SK 0 v Karşıyaka ASK 0

Sunday October 13, 2019 : K-Pet League 1 : Dörtyol Stadium...

Despite being a goalless draw this was no way boring, with plenty of endeavor and effort all that was missing was a goal.

With sport on the TV being a little scarce I decided this would be an ideal opportunity in taking in another local football match. Dörtyol that name will seem familiar, yes you go through it if you are heading for the border crossing at Beyarmudu/Pyla, if you turn right at the bend then you will come across a nice newish football stadium on the left. Dörtyol village is football mad, everywhere you go you see kids playing soccer, no electronic games here! They have a thriving soccer academy catering for all ages, they love their football.

I must admit for having a soft spot for them after seeing them get promotion from the BTM League into the K-Pet League 1 during the summer. They have the most enthusiastic supporters on the island, noisy yes, but they create a unique atmosphere in the Stadium. Never a hint of trouble they always make you feel welcome.

Dörtyol are holding their own in the higher standard of football currently 9th place as compared with Karşıyaka in 8th position, so probably a draw would have been inevitable.

Karşıyaka are a big powerful team most of their players are built like tanks! The only player who is not is their midfield player TAHIR SOUVUKOLLIK, who I thought was their best player only a "will of a wisp of a lad" he is hard to knock off the ball, very skilful and has a good engine on him. He came the closest to scoring



Match action, Dörtyol are in the green strip.

and it was a surprise that he was replaced later in the half.

Karşıyaka in the first half had 3 goals disallowed one for a push, one for offside and one an own goal that was erased because of a foul.

The closest Dörtyol came to scoring was in the 17th minute following a corner that was partially cleared to the edge of the box where Mustafa Ali Arslan cut in the area before sending a shot against the post.

HALF TIME SCORE 0-0

Karşıyaka penned Dörtyol inside their own half for the first 20 minutes and in that period they should have been in front.

In the 51st minute Tahir starting the

move in midfield passed to Eyüp and kept on running into the box where he received the return pass, but with only the goalkeeper to beat the diminutive midfielder shot over the bar.

A couple of minutes later Tahir was through on goal again only to see his shot beat the goalkeeper and hit the inside of the far post to be frantically cleared for a corner.

Dörtyol fans suspecting that Karşıyaka were tiring and had "shot their bolt" came to life urging their team on. This got the right response as Dörtyol started putting pressure on, a nice free kick routine in the 73rd minute saw Mustafa Celiç header held by the Karşıyaka goalkeeper Siho.

A sad ending to the match came in injury time when Dörtyol winger

Osman Sanverdi, who had worked his socks off was shown a second yellow card and was given his marching orders.

FULL TIME SCORE : 0-0

SUMMING UP.

A very enjoyable experience on a warm afternoon. Dörtyol are a hardworking team, have a dependable defence and I really think they will survive in this League.

Karşıyaka have seen it all before they know what to expect, because of their physical strength they will be awkward to play against and will be hard to beat.



Frustrated Esentepe see Red!

Result: Girne Halk Evi **3** Esentepe KKS **2**

By Richard Beale ...

Saturday October 12, 2019: K-Pet League 1 : Girne 20 Temmuz Mete Adanir Stadium.

Esentepe saw red when they had their Captain Vurkan sent off in the 54th minute, they saw red again when from the resultant free kick Girne Halk Evi equalised. They saw red when GHE took the lead 5 minutes later and again saw red when they had two appeals for hand ball (one blatant) turned down. Finally that red grew into frustration and anger as after the final whistle, players, spectators and the Police were involved in unsavoury scenes on the pitch.

The 20 Temmuz Stadium is not a happy hunting ground for Esentepe, their last visit ended in tears and anger as they lost a relegation play off match against Binatlı and were banished to League 1. After the match there was trouble as the Officials were chased to the changing rooms.

Although after Saturday's match the officials were not chased, there was again trouble as on a scorching October afternoon tempers boiled over. Sad scenes after the match as players and spectators jostled each other, eventually the Police restored order and calm.

It was a shame that the match ended this way as it was played on the whole in good spirits and was very entertaining.

Referee Mehmet Sezener had control of the game and correctly sent Esentepe Captain Vurkan off in the 54th minute. After that his actions seemed to become more and more bizarre especially on 50/50 decisions as Esentepe frustrations were becoming more and more apparent. This was compounded when in injury



Esentepe in Red Strip have a bad day

time they had a blatant handball decision turned down and this led to further yellow cards being furnished and a good match ended in fury.

Esentepe missing players through injury and suspension, fielded a young looking line up resulting in rare appearances for squad players Mustafa Günlü and Emre Mutlu. Emre was played at an unaccustomed right full back with Mahmut being pushed forward on the right side of midfield.

The new formation took time to settle and it was GHE who dominated the opening exchanges.

MATCH HIGHLIGHTS

14 mins : GHE took the lead following a long throw in from the right by Ulaş that was flicked on at the near post to the far post where CEMAL YAŞİNES swept the ball home. **1-0.**

25 mins : Against the run of play Esentepe equalised and scored a good equalising goal following a free kick, Kaan in space in the middle found MAHMUT on the right despite being crowded finished with an explosive shot. **1-1**

35 mins : Esentepe had now settled down and took the lead following another good move started by Furkan finding Kaan who played the ball up field to Eray. Esentepe lone striker held the ball up well before passing

back to KAAN GÖRNEÇLİ. The midfielder beat Athos with a fine shot from outside the area. **1-2**

36 mins : Immediately GHE retaliated with Bekir bringing a good diving save from Onur and in the next attack Ali Akbulut shot into the side netting.

Esentepe scored from both their chances they created where GHE were guilty of wasteful finishing.

HALF TIME SCORE 1-2

In the space of 10 minutes Esentepe's slender lead would be wiped out and they were then down to 10 men, suffering a "double whammy"

54 mins : Esentepe Captain Vurkan put in a heavy challenge on Muhammed Ali Uçar, after being booked in the first half for a similar tackle it left the referee with no option but to send off the Esentepe player.

55 mins : From the resultant free kick taken by Saydam, Esentepe were further punished as goalkeeper Onur maybe unsighted because of the sun, came for the ball got blocked and MUSTAFA ÇİCEKLİ stole in and sent in a downward header into the net. **2-2**

62 mins : GHE took the lead following another mistake from Esentepe goalkeeper Onur. Following a long free kick from Saydam, Onur

came for the ball, hesitated and was caught in "no mans land" as Bekir hooked the ball goal wards. Esentepe defender Tuğrulsan did well to hook the ball off the line, only to see it fall to YİĞİTCAN AYAZ following up to score. **3-2**

I feared the worse for Esentepe, but credit to the 10 men, they rolled their sleeves up and despite the heat they gamely took the game to GHE.

They introduced young team striker 18 year old Ege Can Açıkpörtlü and he was soon in the affray.

90 + mins : Esentepe continued to press and had two "handball " penalty appeals turned down. one blatant as a Samit shot was blocked with an arm, but the referee refused to be swayed much to the annoyance of their players and spectators.

90 + 8 mins : The game finished with 4 players being booked, and then unfortunately frustrations boiled over.

FULL TIME SCORE: 3-2

SUMMING UP : Cannot fault the team for the effort they put in, yes they did not get the "run of the green", but having 2 sending offs in the last 2 matches they are not helping themselves. An already limited squad is being severely tested with some tough matches coming up.



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