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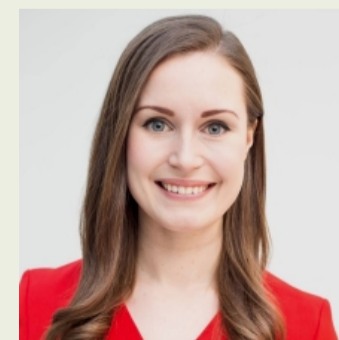
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## December update from BRS : TRNC Residency Regulations



Over the past months, the British Residents' Society have been in consultation with the TRNC Prime Ministry and Ministry of Interior asking questions and offering advice regarding the new TRNC Residency Regulations and following the 23rd October 2019 introduction further discussions were held to fine-tune the regulation requirements.

In the past few days BRS issued a Residency Regulation update to its members and kindly also passed this information to CyprusScene for a wider distribution and understanding.

The following documents are those that have been put on the BRS website and include the following (below) which you can view online and download for future use from CyprusScene.

### RESIDENCY UPDATE

*Following a meeting today with Ugur Culhaoglu, the author of the new Residency Regulations he handed me an update to hopefully assist with the current problems. I have attached this document to this update.*

*He has also provided me with leaflets that the Ministry of the Interior have produced to assist with Residency. These leaflets will be available at the main clinics at Lambousa Market, Lapta; The Hut, Girne; and Creditwest Bank, Catalkoy. Once we obtain further stock, they will also be distributed to the clinics in Esentepe and Bogaz.*

*Finally, we were provided with the Application Forms that you will need to apply for your Residency when you begin the process at the Police Station. One form is for 'Immovable Property' applications and the other is for 'Family Residency' applications.*

*You can access these documents in the Residency section in the member's area of the Website.*

### ENTRY TO THE TRNC & VISA POLICY

► There are 2 types of entry stamps, at the entries to the TRNC.

- 1. Regular entry stamp.
- 2. Visa stamp.

#### ► REGULAR ENTRY STAMP:

*This stamp;*

- Includes only the date of entry. (No visa type or duration)

- Is applied to those with a LEGAL STATUS in the TRNC.

*Who are those with a LEGAL STATUS in the TRNC?*

- Citizens.
- Work Permit and Business Permit Holders.
- Temporary Residency Permit Holders. (Property owners, persons with high income, etc)
- Permanent Residency Permit Holders.
- Persons with an exemption to Residency Permit.

*What happens if I get a REGULAR ENTRY STAMP?*

*When you get this kind of stamp at the entry, you are allowed to stay in the TRNC,*

- Until your legal status expires, or
- Until your legal status is cancelled.

### ► VISA STAMP:

*This stamp;*

- Includes the date of entry, type of visa, duration of visa.

- Is applied to those with NO LEGAL STATUS in the TRNC.

*What happens if I get a VISA STAMP?*

- 1. You are allowed to stay in the TRNC,
- 2. Until your VISA expires, or
- Until your VISA is cancelled.
- 3. Any kind of your employment is FORBIDDEN, until you get a work permit.

► What if I have 1-year grace period?

- 1-year grace period has an effect like LEGAL STATUS in the TRNC. You don't need to get a visa in this period.

*Normally, you should be given a REGULAR ENTRY STAMP in the grace period.*

*But If you are given a VISA STAMP in the grace period, don't take it into consideration.*

*This is just because of the administrative difficulties, like computer systems at the borders.*

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- End to End Residency Process -

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- Residency Application Form – Immovable Property -

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- Residency Application Form – Family Residency -

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- Civil Partnership Application Form -

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## Steps will be taken to protect interests of Turkey, TRNC and Libya

Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan answered the questions of students in a program themed "Every Human is a World" at Bilkent University on World Human Rights Day.

Stating that Greece, Egypt, Israel, and South Cyprus took joint action regarding the step taken in Libya, Erdoğan indicated that Turkey is together with Libya.

Erdoğan also said : "We will do all our research in the Eastern Mediterranean, also will take steps to protect the interests of Turkey, the TRNC and Libya, and these are in accordance with the international maritime law and the international law. We do everything within the framework of law."

Upon a question whether it is possible to conclude a similar

agreement as done with Libya with the other countries on the Mediterranean coast, Erdoğan said that they could take every step with all the riparian countries in the

Mediterranean on the basis of "win win", but they did not consider the understanding of "all should be mine" as being reasonable and fair.



## Solution only possible with a side by side two-state model

Prime Minister Ersin Tatar gave a special interview to Russian media on the National Channel.

In his speech, Tatar stated that the triple meeting held on 25 November in Berlin was an

initiative to restart the negotiation process that collapsed in Crans Montana. Expressing that there is no difference between the Crans Montana process based on the Guterres document and the reference conditions of the Berlin meeting, Tatar said that if there is no difference between the reference conditions, it is not easy to expect an agreement.

Furthermore, stressing that both himself and Turkey do not lean towards a five party conference in

the following process, Tatar indicated that the Guterres document envisages zero troops and zero guarantee in Cyprus but this vision will never be accepted by the Turkish Cypriots due to the fact that Turkish Cypriots experienced very sorrowful days in 1950's and 1960's. Underlining that the Turkish Cypriots will never feel safe without the guarantee of Turkey, Tatar stressed that a solution in Cyprus is only possible with a side-by-side two-state model and cited the Kosovo model as an example.



## Taçoğlu: "You will learn to share and respect the rights"

Stating that the Greek Cypriot side indicated an aggressive policy following the agreement between Turkey and Libya, the Minister of Economy and Energy Hasan Taçoğlu said that these efforts are futile and they (Greek Cypriots) will learn to share and respect the rights.

All balances have changed in the Eastern Mediterranean after the proactive policies of Turkey. All challenges of the Greek Cypriots are in vain.

The relevant states began to understand the Greek Cypriots' game behind the scenes.

Making a statement to Demirören News Agency, Taçoğlu said: "We have always stressed that by usurping Turkey and the Turkish Cypriots rights in the Eastern Mediterranean and in Cyprus, no one can reach anywhere and this is also contrary to the international law.

Following the agreement with Libya it has been obvious that any conclusion cannot be reached in the Eastern Mediterranean considering the present Greek understanding."



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## As long as Greek Cypriots violate our rights, they will hit a wall

Minister of Economy and Energy Hasan Taçoy attended the “OIC High Level Public and Private Investment Conference” organised in İstanbul.

In his speech at the conference, Taçoy made a call to the Greek Cypriots and all other related countries to accept the equality of the Turkish Cypriots in respect of the natural gas on the island and stressed “All of the other options are composed of a dream, as long as they violate our rights, they will hit a wall”.

Adding that the maritime agreement signed with Libya shows that nothing can be achieved in the Eastern Mediterranean without Turkey, Taçoy expressed that the Turkish Cypriot State has a

common past and culture with the member countries and as an honourable observer member depends on the principles of OIC. Furthermore, Taçoy stressed that he is so pleased to express that the

TRNC has developed its relationship with the OIC countries in the areas of trade, education and tourism and also in various other fields.



## Turkey will not make any concessions for its rights and interests

Turkish Vice President Fuat Oktay stated that Turkey would not make any concessions for its rights and

interests neither in Cyprus or the Aegean nor in the Eastern Mediterranean.



In his speech at the General Assembly of the Turkish Grand National Assembly, Oktay stated that they had connected the two shores with the bridge of friendship, by signing a Memorandum of Understanding with Libya, on the restriction of the maritime jurisdiction areas in the Mediterranean Sea.

Turkey and published in the Official Gazette, was also approved by Libya's Government of National Accord (GNA) Presidential Council yesterday (9th December).

Turkey will not make any concession for its rights and interests neither in Cyprus or the Aegean nor in the Eastern Mediterranean” Oktay said.

“This agreement which was approved by the President and the Grand National Assembly of

## We will not tolerate a fait accompli in the Eastern Mediterranean

Turkish Defence Minister Hulusi Akar stated that Turkey will never allow the violation of its own law and rights and also the rights of its Cypriot brothers.

Akar made a statement to the Editor's Desk of the Anadolu Agency (AA) about the agenda and answered questions.

Upon a question of the purpose of reconciliation between Turkey and Libya, Akar reiterated that Libya and Turkey have past cultural and historical ties.

Underlining that Turkey supports good neighbour relations in the Aegean, Eastern Mediterranean and Cyprus, Akar added:

"In this regard, unfortunately, we see some prejudice in our interlocutors regarding the sharing of the hydrocarbon resources as well as sharing the associated maritime benefits. We will not let them. Turkey will never allow the violation of its own law and rights and also the rights of its Cypriot brothers. We will never tolerate a fait accompli in any way.

On the other hand, we want processes in which Turkey is not everyone to know that the solution included will in no way be valid.



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## Tatar stressed that there are two equal peoples in Cyprus

Prime Minister Ersin Tatar made a statement during a television program he attended on CNN Türk in Istanbul.

Stating that the failure of attempts towards a final settlement in Cyprus may lead to separation, Tatar said that the negotiations

were held for a republic of partnership on the basis of the sovereignty and equality of the two peoples, but that the Greek Cypriot Administration brought an agreement full of deception to the table each time.

Tatar indicated that he did not expect a settlement in Cyprus in the near future.

Tatar said, "I personally do not have such an expectation. An agreement is not possible considering the opinion of the other party in the evaluations made with President Mustafa Akıncı. In order to protect our rights, we need to discuss thoroughly at the table."

"Turkey has set a new map by signing agreements with Libya. With this map, it is seen that the Greek-Greek Cypriot duo is unfair to Egypt and even to Israel. According to the Maritime Law, a tiny island country cannot have such demands. Turkey has the longest coastline, about 1800 to 2000 kilometres, in the Eastern Mediterranean. 1960 agreements are obvious. Turkish Cypriots have rights as much as the Greek Cypriots.

The rights and interests of the TRNC will be protected by Turkey. Libya's rights will be also protected through Turkey's attempts" Tatar added.



## Sucuoğlu departed for Istanbul

The Minister of Labour and Social Security Faiz Sucuoğlu departed for Istanbul in order to attend the Organization of Islamic Cooperation's 1st Ministerial Conference on Social Development.

The conference which will be hosted by the Turkish Ministry of Family, Labour and Social Services will be held between the 6-9 December.

Sucuoğlu will address the 1st Ministerial Conference on Social Development today (9th December). Sucuoğlu also met with his counterpart of the Turkish Minister of Family, Labour and Social Services Zehra Zümrüt Selçuk.

During the meeting between the delegations, the issues of cooperation between Turkey and the TRNC in the areas of work,

social security and social services were also discussed.

Sucuoğlu will also participate in the signing ceremony of the

Memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation in General Health Insurance practices between the two ministries.



## Sucuoğlu attended the OIC meeting



The Minister of Labour and Social Security Faiz Sucuoğlu briefed the participants at the Organization of Islamic Cooperation's 1st Ministerial Conference on Social Development regarding the embargoes imposed on the TRNC.

Underlining that this isolation is a human rights violation, Sucuoğlu pointed out the necessity of taking more concrete steps by the

member countries of the Organization for Islamic Cooperation towards lifting the isolations in order to develop bilateral relations with Muslim Turkish Cypriots.

**Source : TRNC Public Information Office**

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## Çavuşoğlu: Response about Turkey's maritime deal with Libya

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Turkish Foreign Minister also said 'In the Eastern Mediterranean, we have said the same thing since the very beginning.

With the exception of the Greek Cypriot Administration, we are ready to have bilateral or multilateral agreements with all countries, but some countries have preferred taking unilateral steps and criticising Turkey. Turkish President Erdoğan told the Greek Prime Minister Mitsotakis that Turkey is ready to make a maritime pact with Greece. We do not recognise Greek Cypriot

Administration, if there will be an agreement in Cyprus in the future we can sign a deal with them. We may make bilateral or multilateral agreements with all countries,

including Egypt and Lebanon, with the exception of the Greek Cypriot Administration, because we are on the side of collaboration in the region.



## If we need to take measures to defend our vessels, we will

Speaking at the 5th MED 2019-Mediterranean Forum in Italy Turkish Foreign Minister Mevlüt Çavuşoğlu said 'We do not want to fight with anyone but if we need to take measures to defend our vessels, we will'.

While he was in Italy for 5th MED 2019-Mediterranean Forum, Minister Çavuşoğlu spoke to the local daily newspaper Corriere della Sera on a variety of topics, including Turkey's S-400

purchase, its anti-terror operation in northern Syria and recent developments in the Eastern Mediterranean region.

Responding to a question as to whether Turkey will use force for its search and drilling activities off Cyprus, Cavusoglu said 'We are the guarantor of the TRNC in the Cyprus Issue. We tried our best to reach a solution. The Greek Cypriot Administration refuses to make an agreement. We rejected

unilateral steps in the Eastern Mediterranean region and suggested the establishment of a commission that will distribute revenues. We made this collaboration call to the Greek Cypriots, Greece, European Union and the United Nations however no party sided with our collaboration calls. Hence we had to send the vessels. Turkey does not want a military escalation in the region nevertheless we are ready to take any measure to defend our vessels if needed'.

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## I believe in the New World Order



By Ahmet Abdulaziz....

Sanna Marin recently became the youngest Prime Minister of her country, Finland. She was born on 16 November 1985, and so is now 34 years old.

Indeed in a world where we see most of the leaders of the world are above 60 years of age, it is a distinction to reach the top at such a young age. She is not the only one who has won this distinction, there are others too, although not too many, who did manage to achieve this distinction in their particular countries. Kim Jon Ung of North Korea, Jacinda Ardern of New Zealand, Oleksiy Honcharuk of Ukraine are some names that come in mind, from among the pre 40s age group.

There are so many news items

about Sanna Marin recently everywhere, which has made her a new social media phenomenon. She is a mom, and has been active in national politics for many years. Most of the ministers of her cabinet are young women, etc, etc, and this information is making her popular in the world.

With all this going on I am sure many like me would be thinking totally differently. For example I ask myself, why could I not be a Prime Minister at the age of 34? This is a question that leads me to many other questions.

For example, why are there too few young leaders in the world presently, or in other words why are there so many old politicians still in charge of their countries? We must ask ourselves and scrutinise the systems, about the

present situation in the world. Does the older generation find it difficult to say goodbye to politics and open ways for young politicians, or is the young generation too hesitant to give the older politicians a tough time?

However, we must not ignore that Sanna Marin has once again brought to light the "women's issue".

She has once again proved that women are able to compete with men in almost every field. This is a challenge which the menfolk usually do not even like to discuss.

In this world where rules have been made, written, approved and implemented by men, it is indeed very difficult for women to reach top posts.

In this world, where most of the girls of third world countries, suffer from lack of education, malnutrition, and lack of opportunities, it is indeed very difficult to challenge the authority of men. Mostly in third world countries men, in general, do not want to grant equality to women. This is what we all know.

However in western societies too, the exploitation of women, though less, exists in different forms.

So this is the time, when all of us must realise that there is a need to encourage young fellows to come forth in different fields, including politics. The older generation is supposed to take the advisory position instead of ruling. The young generation is supposed to listen to the advice of the older generation, and use their experience to the benefit of the people of the respective countries in particular and that of the whole world in general.

Let the new world order be a young smiling face. This is what I believe.



## Karaman Church brings you Christmas and More!



Christmas is coming and there are going to be plenty of opportunities for local readers to enjoy seasonal entertainment in the Kyrenia area and perhaps none more impressive than a concert to be held at Karaman Church.

**Friday 20th December at 7pm.**

Karaman Church brings you Christmas and More!

A seasonal entertainment with music and songs from the classics, shows and more.

Katie Economidou - Mezzo Soprano  
Iris Langford - Soprano  
Susan Carling - Soprano  
Alan Carling - Tenor  
Zara Barkhoudarian - Soprano and Piano

Suggested donation 35TL per person.

Book your seat by email at **Karamanchurch@yahoo.com**

All proceeds to Karaman Church



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KAR - News Update



Never mind the Sasquatch ... KAR needs Big Foot/Feet !!  
We desperately need larger size men's boots/wellies for some of our Centre staff/volunteers.  
As you know conditions up at the centre can be pretty dire in the bad weather and it is very difficult, here to purchase men's boots/wellies over a size 9.  
So please if you have any men's boots/trainers/wellies size 9 and above please donate them to us for our staff/volunteers .  
You can bring your donations into the Karakum office Monday - Friday 9 - 4.



Friday the 13th - superstition marks it as an unlucky day.  
But for our Timmy, it is not.  
  
We featured him last week and today Friday 13th is a lucky day for Timmy - it is the beginning of his new FUREVER life.  
  
Happy days ahead for Timmy (now Jesse)



Jewellery Sale at all KAR Shops

**50% discount**

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> December 2019**

Q - What is 32 x 3 ?  
A - 96

96 is the magic number.....96 stray cats were neutered by KAR in November. 49 males and 47 females. How many unwanted kittens has that stopped ---- LOADS is how many.

Well done Derya and her crew - well done cat catchers - well done members of the public for reporting groups and for bringing in cats for their appointments .... well done TEAM KAR !!!!

Neutering a male cat will, in almost all cases, stop him from spraying, fighting with other males, lengthen his life and improve its quality.

What makes you think the kid is mine?



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## KAR - News Update



## KAR Christmas Bazaar

HOT OFF THE PRESS..... The figures are in, they have been counted and recounted. The day was amazing, it was festive and full of Christmas Cheer.

The supporters, generous as always led to a record breaking amount being raised. The volunteers, the committee, the organizers, the centre staff, the raffle ticket sellers, the businesses who gave generously. We thank you all for this wonderful amount. **36,833.40TL.**

Yes, indeed..... KAR have 36,833,40 reasons to be happy and thankful for all the support given to achieve this.

To all the dogs and cats at the Centre waiting for their chance of a new home, we say, never give up, people love and support you and your furever homes, could be just around the corner.

From everyone at KAR and the Committee we say, humbly, THANK YOU.



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## Girne Municipality Autumn and Winter Culture and Art events

The Autumn and Winter Culture and Art events organised by Girne Municipality continued with the concert of Girne Municipality Chamber Orchestra on the evening of 10th December. The concert, was held in Girne Municipality Chamber Theatre, starting at 20.00.

The Winter Culture and Art events will also include an interview entitled Letters to Children of the World on 13th December and a concert by the Girne Municipality Turkish Classical Music Ensemble on 17th December.

Event tickets can be obtained from Girne Municipality (0392 815 2119 - Extension 101) and Girne Municipality Theatre booth (0533 821 2144). Tickets for events must purchased two days before the event is being held.



## The Soulist Christmas Market : cultural event at the end of the year

**THE SOULIST presents**  
\*\*\*\*\*  
**Christmas Market**  
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*With Music*

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**Aralık / December**

- ACOUSTIC DUO  
Hilmi Özakin  
Ümit Tulumbacı
- GOSPEL CHOIR  
"Alight House"
- HUGH O'NEILL
- ALPER CENGİZ & FRIENDS

**22**  
**Aralık / December**

- KYRENIA CHAMBER CHOIR
- SALİME ATALAR  
(Piano - Vocal)
- CLASSICAL CONCERT :  
"MYRHAA TRIO"

By Roland Eyerich ....

The Soulist Coffee and Music House in Alsancak will build a Christmas Market and on December 21st-22nd, it will be full of live music! just like one of last year's many successful events.

The Alsancak Municipality will be supporting this event and there will be colourful market stalls offering items such as hand made work, arts, foods, glue wine etc.

You are going to enjoy the market with live music performances during the day and evening.

There will be a warm Christmas atmosphere with music waiting for you. Don't miss this special weekend!

**21st December:**  
12.00 opening.

16.00 Akustik Duo : Hilmi Özakin,  
Ümit Tulumbacı

17.30 Alight House Gospel Choir

19.00 Hugh O'Neil

21.30 Alper Cengiz & Friends  
(Blues & Rock) - 35TL

**22nd December :**  
12.00 opening.

16.00 Kyrenia Chamber Choir

17.30 Salime Atalar (piano / vocal)

19.00 Classical Music Concert :  
"Myrrha Trio" - 35TL

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## Statue of 'Democracy' inaugurated in Lefkoşa



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

In August 2018, on my website, I wrote an article when Zehra Sonya was working on the 4 metre high sculpture, which has now been inaugurated by the Mayor of Nicosia Mehmet Harmanci, and the circle of helping hands that have been at the side of Zehra Sonya for two years.

While the statue of 'Democracy' came to life, other Municipality

helpers were creating the beautiful square of Democracy in Küçük Kaymakli with spaces for the citizens to sit listening to the sound of the fountain while reflecting about democracy.

We need to do that more than ever and I am happy that art can help us to come to a conclusion.

Thank you Zehra Sonya...



## Ceramics exhibition "Expressions" at Girne Art Gallery

Ceramic works and sculptures by Fügen Erkoru, her second exhibition, opened on Saturday 7th December at the Girne Art Gallery, in the beautifully renovated old Trafo House. Mystical, theatrical portraits, could be out of a Shakespeare play, melting with the background, all unique pieces, and her new

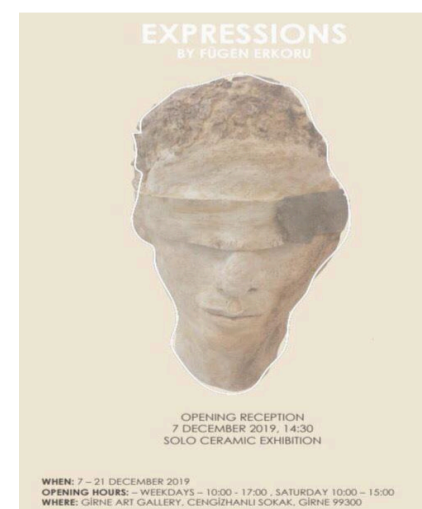
collection of caricature-like images of our neighbourhood, seen through the keyhole, well-observed, charming her small fat people who accept that they are fat but are happy all the same.

How thoughtful to hold the ceremony on a weekend day in the early afternoon and it was full!

People even came from Famagusta, Fügen said, thanks to the daytime opening.

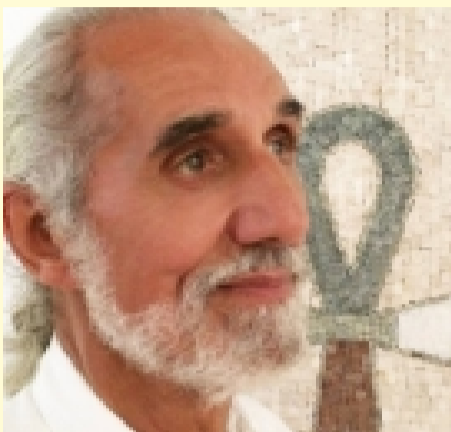
Our Girne Mayor Güngördü gave a well-received speech.

The exhibition will continue until 21st December – opening times are weekdays 10am to 5pm and Saturday 10am to 3pm.



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Poets Corner



THE GIFT  
(Recollection of a dream I had)  
By Nick Vye - Sanctuary

As I walked along the golden beach,  
I thought of things beyond my reach,  
I looked ahead at the sea shore,  
And realised I wanted to know more,

In the shimmering distant haze,  
Amongst the rocks I saw a cave,  
In its opening there shone a light,  
A man appeared all dressed in white,

As he came walking towards me,  
It was so difficult for me to see,  
Then at last he was near,  
And I could see him very clear,

From his eyes came so much love,  
I thought an angel had fallen from above,  
In his hand that was outstretched,  
Was something green he had fetched,

Now I could tell it was a crystal,  
That had powers, so very mystical,  
He said now is the time for you to own,  
This very powerful magic stone,

It was the purest colour emerald green,  
That I before had never seen,  
He told me it was now my time,  
To own this stone, of its rare kind,

The knowledge, released that it will give,  
Will aid you through the life you live,  
I thanked him, with all my heart,  
And now he said, I must depart,

I watched him as he walked away,  
Would I meet him again one day?  
In my hand the crystal made a sound,  
That vibrated through me to the ground,

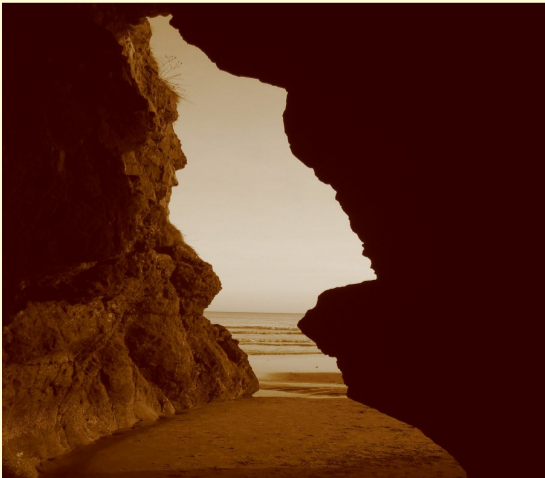
Into my mind a picture appeared on a screen,  
Brought wonderful coloured images like in a dream,  
I saw myself in a different place,  
With future things, from an advanced race,

They showed me many exciting things,  
And also a gold disappearing ring,  
Their knowledge was far beyond mine,  
But said the crystal was from their time,

Use it carefully and with respect,  
And it will teach you what comes next,  
The time soon came for me to return,  
To take and study, what's there to learn,

So on the sand I now stood still,  
With all my power and all my will,  
I felt like I had been reborn,  
As all was quiet and so forlorn,

A duty I had now to do,  
To share all this I have with you..



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## Merry Christmas Eve Party at Merit Royal & Premium Hotel

**It's that time of the year again... Tis the season to celebrate!**  
**This year, jingle bells will rock at Merit Royal & Premium Hotel!**

On 24th of December, join the Hotel at a luxury all-inclusive Christmas Eve Party to make the festive celebration a night to remember. Start in style with mulled wine, festive cocktails, delectable bruschetta's and canapés on arrival.

Feast on a bespoke 5-course traditional Christmas Menu including handcrafted culinary flavours and unlimited drinks all night long.

Finally, dance the night away with live band and DJ to add some sparkle to your festive evening. Surprises and magic await you at this flawless party...

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**Date: 24th December 2019**

**Price: 45 GBP per person**

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**Let this festive season go with a swing as you discover a true winter wonderland at Merit Royal & Premium Hotel**

13th December to 19th December 2019



## Hope 4 Pets - News Update



### Post by Emma Eminsoy

This little kitten has been taken to the vets by one of our members who has asked if we could appeal for any donations to help to pay the costs.

The kitten has a virus and sores in his mouth.

Links to donate are listed below:-

<http://www.gofundme.com/f563ks>

<https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr...>

[http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/hope4petsnc/...](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/hope4petsnc/)

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TRNC bank account. UBAN CT22136094310313040000000581

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Or donations can be made directly to Animates - Firdez

Thank you



### Post by Stephanie Harrison-Croft

I am sure you are all familiar with Dottie and her puppies.

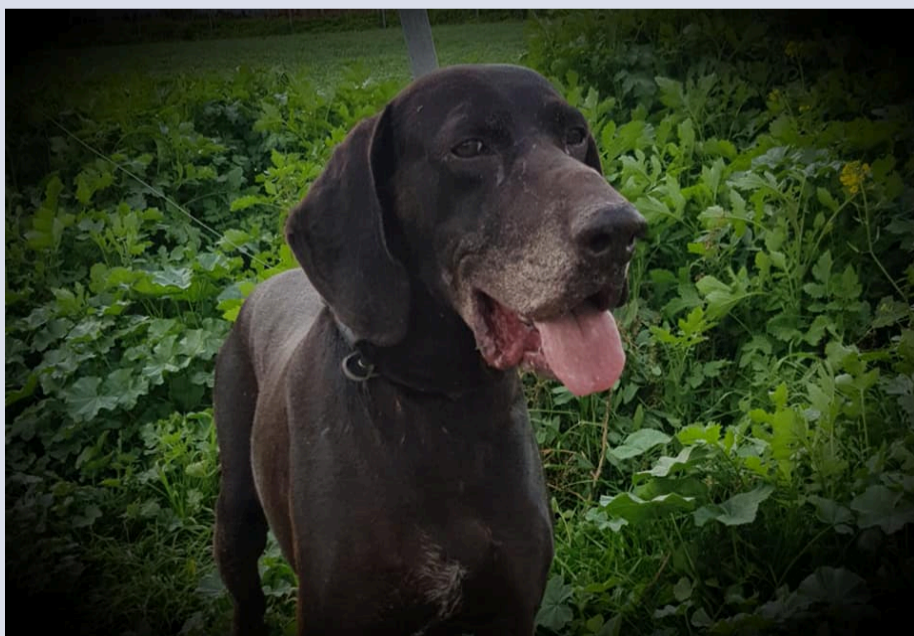
Dottie is now currently safe and in paid private kennels thank you so much to Sam Kitty Murray for her support and taking her under her wing.

H4P have started her travel prep to the UK but she needs a foster care just from 23rd December to 27th December as the kennels were previously booked over the Christmas period when she found her placement.

This is foster for JUST 5 days then she will be home and dry from then on to her next chapter to a loving home. The foster home should be secure and safe.

Please contact us as soon as possible so that we can relieve the continued pressure in helping all these animals.

Thank you



### ZAK - Needs a home.

He is a H4P dog. Rescued from the shelter where he was tied to a tree in a poor way where cried and yearned for love and attention after he was dumped and abandoned by his hunter person.

We tested him for everything and he is now a healthy and robust fine specimen for his breed.

We are funding him in private kennels which is quite costly day to week until he finds the right people to become part of his life.

He takes Alupirinol for his controlled Lishmania and is full of vitality and love. H4P have prepared him for travel to the UK but the right home there or locally will be considered for this STUNNINGLY HANDSOME neutered middle aged man who is great with other dogs and humans.

Please contact admin to arrange a meeting and home check and SHARE xxx

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Hope 4 Pets - News Update



Post by Emma Eminsoy  
11th December

\*Help needed to collect a poorly kitten from Lapta to Girne and sponsorship for his/her treatment. \*

Over the last few months we have been asked for help with numerous cases and where we have been able we have done so and taken these cats on board.

Sadly however despite appeals for help we didn't receive any donations for them.

For example more latterly our help was sought for a cat that had been involved in a car accident and couldn't walk.

Whilst in Lapta picking her up we discovered she was the mom of some kittens and there were more kittens and another mom cat.

These kittens were all suffering from a terrible gastrointestinal virus. They, along with the other mom cat, were collected and taken to the vets. The mom was fine and was spayed and has been returned to Lapta.



The original cat from the traffic accident continues her recovery.

Sadly of the 5 kittens only two have survived. These cats and kittens received a huge amount of veterinary care, medication, special food etc and their bill alone is in excess of 5000TL.

Without donations to support the veterinary needs we will be unable to help the many animals that are reported to us as in need. Everything else is given for free - petrol, time, use of telephones etc.

We have had a poorly little kitten reported to us - again with what seems to be gastrointestinal problems.

We are appealing for someone to pick up the kitten and funds to cover the costs. We are hoping a simple course of medication and specialist food, which is expensive, will help but until the cat is caught and taken to be assessed we simply don't know.

Kitten could need daily drips to help support him/her especially if not eating.

Can anyone help please?

Post by Stephanie Harrison-Croft 11th December

Anyone lost this lovely older girl or know anything about her?  
Close to the Bellapais roundabout.



We have had some lovely unique hand crafted Christmas decorations donated to us We are selling them for just 20TL each on a first come first served basis.

Please acknowledge your interest before you miss out



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# Turkish Cypriot's fundraising for Tanzania children's education

By Margaret Sheard ....

We were invited to attend a fundraising event at the home of Figen Rasmussen who is passionate to help a Masai friend, John Laizer, to complete his dream project of a secondary school in Losinoni, Tanzania.

We arrived at Figen's home to find around 12 people at a beautifully laid out table and were served with chicken curry, vegetable curry and side dishes, followed by profiteroles and apple crumble and custard. There was wine or soft drinks to accompany the meal, which was delicious.

All of the guests made a donation for the meal and raffle tickets were given in exchange, so following our sumptuous feast there was a draw and everyone seemed to receive a parcel from under the Christmas tree. A nice touch. We were told that **1,050TL** was raised from this first event and Figen will be holding others to raise more funds for her friend John to complete his project. Figen would also like to thank a good friend who has said he will double the amount raised.

When most people had said their goodbyes, I asked Figen for some information about how this all came about and she told me that following a trip to Tanzania in 2003

at the invitation of a friend, she found herself looking after a family where the husband had died leaving a wife and 4 children. They were very poor village people and had little in the way of food, and she was devastated at the life these people had, and has continued to sponsor this family over the years.

Figen met John Laizer while she was in Tanzania, he was a young man of about 16 years of age at the time, he is now married and has 2 children of his own. John's education and training in Tanzania to become a teacher was paid for by Figen's dear friends Palle and Ingrid Mork from Denmark.

Once John had obtained his degree he returned to his Masai village of Arusha.

A few years ago John built a small primary school for the local children, with the help of Danish friends and aided by volunteers and sponsorship, which gave the children the chance to receive a much needed education. Now those children need a secondary school. The secondary school has now been built, again with the help of his Danish friends, but John now needs to build toilets for the teachers and boys and girls. He has been working on the now completed school building for the last 18 months but there is more to do with the building of toilet facilities.



continued ....

Education for children in Tanzania

Following is a comment from Figen :

" Had a lovely afternoon with my much loved paying guests. Today we raised **1,050TL**, although, donations should still come in. A great start but our goal is \$7500. So we still have a way to go to build a toilet block like the one shown.

Here is a photo of a school from 2003 when I was in Arusha, Tanzania.

From this to this! "

Following is a comment received from John Laizer :

“ We will have 4 classrooms. Two are finished ready to be used. Two are not yet completed. There will be two offices, the one for the teachers is finished but the one for the Principal is not yet completed. We discussed that the teachers should stay at the Primary School teacher’s house where they have the extra space, but later we will start building houses for the teachers. We are looking for more than 6 teachers.

The district education office told us that the important things are the toilets and desks then the teacher’s houses, laboratory, library and other important things for the school.

Instead of walking 9 km to Oldonyosambu secondary school, the children of the Masai will now walk 3 or 4 km to their new school. The opening day of the school has been scheduled for 6th January 2020.

Right now we need to finish all four classrooms, to build 3 toilet blocks, two teachers houses just to start with. We expect next year soon the children will start Form One. So we need around 44,450 USD dollars for the above to be completed. Welcome all of you who wish to give your support. 'Education for all'!

'Give a man a fish, and you feed him for a day. Teach a man to fish, and you feed him for a lifetime' Lao Tzu.

Thank you to Katrinadal School in Denmark (Gitte Kaersgaard), TANAPA, Finn and Erik, My society, Doctor Mahera from Arusha DC and all of you. We still need more support from you. ”

Editor's Note :

When the project is completed there will be a facility for the education of around 100 children from the villages in the area.

We are overwhelmed by the dedication of John Laizer, who has spent many years working to give the children of his homeland a chance of education in a purpose-built school, firstly a primary school and now a secondary school, to enable them to at least have the opportunity to make something of their lives and in return perhaps also to be able to help the isolated villages and people of the area.



The site for the Secondary School.  
John Laizer in the white shirt

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Tulips Pre Chinese New Year Party at Dynasty Restaurant, Girne

Readers Mail ....  
From Sue Tilt – Tulips ....

What a fabulous night with the wonderful Katie B keeping everyone entertained and on the dance floor with her repertoire of fantastic songs ... thank you Katie for once again offering your services for free to Tulips!

Thank you to Bulent Can, owner of Dynasty Restaurant, Girne for hosting the event and for the donation from the food. We would also like to thank Amanda Shaw for ensuring everything ran smoothly and all the staff at Dynasty who all worked non-stop throughout the evening, you all did a fantastic job.

A huge thank you to all that

attended and parted with their money for both the raffle and the ‘roll a coin’ competition. The ‘roll a coin’ turned out to be a huge hit as the evening ‘rolled’ on. Our gratitude goes to The Roadhouse for supplying us with a bottle of 3 Barrels Brandy. As with everything there can only be one winner so many congratulation to Tuncer Karakurt who held first place with his coin as it was nearest the bottle and no one could knock him off his spot however hard they tried!

Last but not least, a thank you to the companies that provided the prizes for our raffle; Dynasty Girne, Las Hermanas, St Tropez, Hannan Watches, Cutting Room and Selpa Trading.

The total sum raised for the evening was **2,942TL!**

Sue Tilt  
0542 854 8714  
Tulips/ Help Those With Cancer Association  
(Kanser Hastalarina Yardim Dernegi)



TFR Christmas Dinner and Dance, Deniz Kizi Hotel, Alsancak

Readers Mail ....  
By Pamela Tschersich ....

Thank you TFR members for your continued support for this annual event, you once again created an atmosphere which you can’t buy in a bottle!

We danced the night away to the very talented ANDY REAY who entertained us with his wide range of songs, making everyone very happy, you couldn’t fail to have a great time. I had a text from Andy

the following morning saying how much he enjoyed playing for us!!

We also made on our raffle 2000TL for our chosen charity this year which will be given to the Hospice at Kalkanli.

Thank you also to the staff at the Deniz Kizi Hotel who took great care in catering for us...they are always very helpful in trying to get it right for our annual event, it was much appreciated. We will be back!





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## NEU participates in the “Blue Bottle Cap” campaign

By Ahmet Abdulaziz ....

The Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences of Near East University (NEU) participated in the “Blue Bottle Cap” campaign initiated by Cyprus Turkish Association for Orthopedically Handicapped People.

The ongoing campaign aims not just to improve knowledge of the general public about the problems that handicapped people face in daily lives, but also aims to raise funds for wheelchairs.

The members of the Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences paid a courtesy visit to Günay Kibrit, the Chairman of the Cyprus Turkish Association for Orthopedically Handicapped

People, and delivered the blue caps that had been collected by students, academic and administrative staff of the faculty.

Welcoming the delegation in his office, the Chairman of the Association for Orthopedically Handicapped People, Günay Kibrit underlined the key role of the charity events and grants to enable them to sustain their services and provide opportunities for those in need. He noted “All charity events, which are carried out voluntarily, as well as the grants have a significant role in assisting us to maintain the existence of the association. I would like to take this opportunity and extend my cordial appreciation to the faculty members, administrative staff and students of the Faculty of Economics and Administrative

Sciences of Near East University for the importance that they attached on such social responsibility projects.

We have added 12-13 wheelchairs with the money obtained from the blue caps collected every year. However, the “Blue Cap” campaign is a very important event

in terms of providing spiritual contribution to raising awareness rather than providing financial contribution. The interest in the campaign has been increasing year by year and this makes us happy. Each contribution is of importance for us regardless of its size. On behalf of my members, I cordially thank everyone who contributed”.



## Reminder of main rules regarding service offered by TRNC Taxis

Shown below are some issues that taxi users must take notice of in order for the sector to develop and for the service provided to improve to a certain standard.

Below are some main rules that taxi drivers must follow and customers should make sure they are followed:

\* All taxis serve on a single fare. The fare doesn't change according to the destination.

\* Opening the taximeter before the journey is compulsory for all taxis.

\* The amount at the end of the trip is a single fare. This amount cannot be demanded separately from passengers. The taxi driver cannot demand a higher amount than the figure on the taximeter.

\* You are not obliged to pay an extra fee for luggage or belongings that fit into the trunk of the taxi.

\* Taxi drivers do not have the right to choose passengers or destination.

We believe that following the basic rules mentioned above will contribute to the increase of customer satisfaction and the spread of taxi use in our country.

You can send your complaints about taxi and other transportation vehicles to the 1181 ALO TRANSPORT LINE free of charge 24/7.

**Source: Ministry of Public Works and Transportation**



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## Girne Municipality Second Spring members dinner

Girne Municipality Second Spring members gathered for dinner to celebrate the New Year 2020.

For the upcoming New Year Girne Municipality Second Spring Project organised a dinner for the members. About 500 members attended the dinner, they had a nice day and great fun. Members won gifts from the raffle held at the dinner. In addition, all members were given Christmas gifts.

Girne Mayor Nidai Güngördü, celebrating the New Year with the members of the Second Spring Project, said he was happy to meet another new year together.

Nidai Güngördü wished the year 2020 to be full of health and peace in Cyprus and the world.



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## Alvadar Christmas Party and Jenny Brown's Birthday

### Readers mail....

#### Sue Tilt - Tulips/ Help Those With Cancer Association....

Hello readers,

Jenny Brown celebrated her birthday on the 11th December 2019 at the Alvadar, Lapta. Instead of presents she asked her guests to donate to Tulips.

In Jenny's own words; it wasn't a special birthday as all birthdays are special however she was here to celebrate in style.

Thank you to Jenny and Lee and Jan Hickens for supplying a beautiful buffet.

Thank you to Lee for supplying the music, Christmas quiz and some of the prizes, Veni Vici for the meal prize, to Paul at the Alvadar and to all the guests who donated and made this a special night.

The raffle, the quiz and the 'roll a coin' raised the fantastic sum of **2,000TL!**



## Veni Vici Restaurant, Lapta, supporting Tulips

### Readers mail....

#### Sue Tilt - Tulips/ Help Those With Cancer Association.....

Hello Readers,

2019 has been a fabulous year for Tulips/Help Those With Cancer Association with regard to Veni Vici Restaurant in Lapta and their guests supporting our charity.

March 18th 2019 saw the launch of a new campaign called 'You Give, We Give'. On every restaurant bill an additional 2.50TL (approx 36p) was added, this was donated to Tulips. Veni Vici also donated 2.50TL for each table, issuing each table with a Tulips official receipt for 5TL. The 2.50TL added to each bill was a totally voluntary contribution and all guests had the option of either increasing their donation or selecting to opt out of the scheme altogether, the choice was theirs.

This campaign finished on the 9th October 2019 with a magnificent

response from the guests of Veni Vici because a fantastic **13,510.50TL** has been raised.

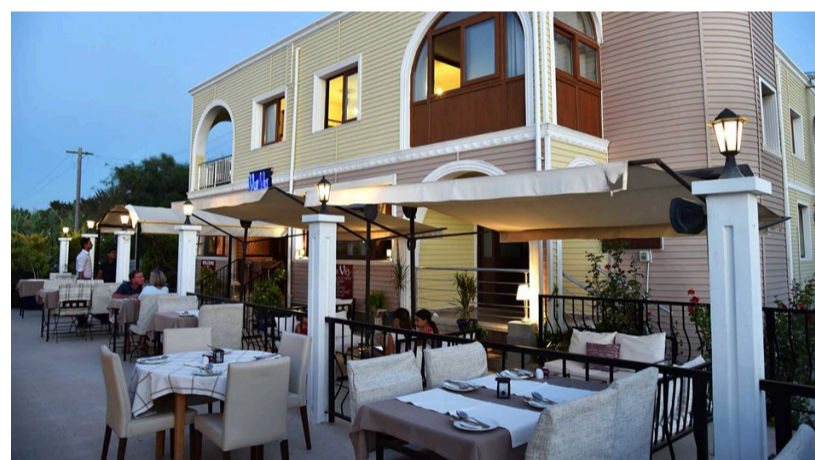
In addition to the 'You Give, We Give' campaign, Veni Vici then decided to run their **2nd Pasta Marathon** in September 2019. It involved an unbelievable amount of work however the rewards were high, beating the first Pasta Marathon's figures.

An amazing 1,143 meals were sold in 12 hours making a net profit of **22,860 TL.**

The total raised in 2019 by Veni Vici is an amazing **36,370.50TL!!!**

We cannot thank Richard and Nadine Muller, owners of Veni Vici, enough for their support and course all of their guests for making this year special, the money raised is unbelievable and Tulips is extremely grateful.

Thank you



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# The Leisure Line

**Be in the Spotlight!**

## **Dogankoy Community Christmas Party at Al Shaheen**

**Pictures courtesy of Imtiaz**



Would you like your event pictures shown in our Leisure Line. Please email them with a description and phone number to:

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## MC Palace Hotel, Spa and Convention, new in Çatalköy

By Margaret Sheard ..

Recently we noticed a new hotel which seemed to have suddenly appeared in Çatalköy on the main road towards the Five Fingers Mountain road, and a little while later it had opened.

We saw an invitation on Facebook for people to go along and view the hotel and so decided to go and see what this hotel had to offer and were very impressed with what we saw. The front aspect of the building is very striking, especially in the evening when it is all lit up. Entering the building is even more impressive with a huge open plan area of seating, bar area, restaurant area, reception etc. A lot of thought has been given to the way in which this large area has been laid out. Beautiful lighting, highly polished floors, free standing shelving with interesting ornaments and really nice seating areas with settees, chairs and coffee tables.

We met with the owner of the hotel, Ulku Çangar, who told us the hotel has 116 rooms with 280 beds, a Spa is soon to be opened which will provide a fitness suite, massage, sauna, and hairdresser.

There is also a convention centre.

The Manager of the hotel is Serdar Oktay, although we didn't have an opportunity to speak to him during our visit. We spent some time enjoying music from Hasan Günyüz and sat with many other



people who were enjoying the occasion.

At the rear of the hotel there is a large garden area, a very large terrace and an enormous pool. This will be a lovely setting when the warmer weather arrives and we could imagine how the area would look filled with guests at the hotel.

We are looking forward to making a further visit to see the new Spa and perhaps be able to see a little more of this new hotel.

We wish the MC Palace Hotel every success for the future.



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## NEU record in TRNC Shooting Federation Airgun Competition

By Ahmet Abdulaziz...

The 2nd Airgun Cup competition has recently been organised by the Shooting Federation of TRNC. In total 13 teams participated.

According to the press information released by the Near East University (NEU) the competition was held in accordance with the standards of World Rimfire and Benchrest Federation (WRABF). In both men and women categories, shooting scores were achieved at the same level of achievements made at the international competitions organised by the WRABF.

The competition not only exhibited the capabilities of the participants but also found a number of records broken.

NEU shooter and national shooter Mehmet Zeybekçi scored 248 over 250 points and achieved the highest ranking and scores ever recorded both in the TRNC and at international competitions; and attained the 8th best rank of all time in international competitions. In the women's category, NEU shooter Elif Tunçel broke the TRNC record and in international competitions, she achieved the second highest ranking of all time in a national competition by women athletes in benchrest discipline.



## The KIBRIS CUP football draw has been made

By Richard Beale....

Last week the draw was made for the KIBRIS CUP, the equivalent to the English FA Cup.

The competition involves all teams from the K-Pet Super League and League 1. Every Cup Tie a Super League side must be drawn against a League 1 side. Therefore as is the norm after the first round very few, if any, League 1 sides are left in the Cup, but hey this is Cyprus, things are done differently here!

Matches will be played on Saturday, December 28th

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Forthcoming Events

| December |                       |         |  |          |   |  |
|----------|-----------------------|---------|--|----------|---|--|
| Sunday   | Monday                | Tuesday | Wednesday  | Thursday | Friday  | Saturday   |
| 1        | 2<br>Private Lessons  | 3       | 4<br>Private Lessons   | 5        | 6<br>Painting party<br>'Groovy chic'<br>6:30-8:30   | 7<br>Girl with a pearl earring in oils<br>10:00-13:00<br>200tl |
| 8        | 9<br>Private Lessons  | 10      | 11<br>Private Lessons  | 12       | 13<br>Painting party<br>'Party time'<br>6:30-8:30   | 14<br>Paint a Cyprus money saver<br>10:00-12:00<br>150tl       |
| 15       | 16<br>Private Lessons | 17      | 18<br>Private Lessons  | 19       | 20<br>Painting party<br>'The old guitarist'<br>6:30-8:30  | 21<br>Glass painting<br>10:00-12:00<br>150tl (3 glasses)       |
| 22       | 23<br>Private Lessons | 24      | 25<br>Merry Christmas  | 26       | 27<br>Painting party<br>'Cactus in a vase'<br>6:30-8:30   | 28<br>Marbling on paper<br>10:00-12:00<br>150tl                |
| 29       | 30<br>Private Lessons | 31<br>  | *Friday painting parties need to be reserved for 4 people or more.<br>*Call 548-8573244 or message Island Studio on Facebook for more information. |          | *Location is in Ozankoy.<br>*All levels are welcomed.<br>*All materials will be provided. *Come empty and leave with an artwork<br>*For more information on private parties or Saturday classes, call 548-8573244 or message Island Studio on Facebook. |  |

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13th December to 19th December 2019

Forthcoming Events



**CHRISTMAS SONG BINGO**



**Thur 19th Dec**  
From 2pm

Grand Christmas Raffle  
Christmas Carols  
+ a visit from Santa  
With music from **MR SMILE & ANDY**

All on behalf of GREEN HILLS Cemetery





**Jessie's Pre Christmas Party**  
21st Dec from 19:30



We are throwing a Pre Xmas Party!  
The Night will include Christmas music with DJ Steve, dancing and a competition for the cheesiest Xmas sweater!

Entrance is 50TL which includes food. Every penny from the entrance fee goes to the KKTC Engelliler Spor Federation!

Christmas sweater optional but there will be a prize for the cheesiest!



Merry Christmas from Imtiaz, Hasan & Staff

**CHRISTMAS DAY MENU**

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13th December to 19th December 2019

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### 14th December to 31st December 2019

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



**14th December – Saturday** - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak presents Fireballs (Rock) from 9.30pm. Entrance 35TL.

**14th December – Saturday** - Island Studio Art class 'Paint a Cyprus' money saver, held the Ozankoy area. 10am to 12noon - 150TL. For more information call 0548 857 3244 or message Island Studio on Facebook.

**18th December – Wednesday** - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak presents Pulse Beat Quartet (Jazz) from 9.30pm. Entrance 25TL.

**19th December – Thursday** - Christmas Quiz with Susie at the Balti House, Esentepe, starting at 8pm. To book call 0542 889 3034. Please wear something festive!

**19th December – Thursday** - Just Nice Restaurant, Ozankoy will be presenting Mr Smile and Andy from 2pm. Raffle, carols and a visit from Santa. The event is in aid of Green Hill Cemetery. To book a table call 0533 888 7430.

**20th December – Friday** - Bingo with Martin at Charlie's Sports Bar, Kucuk Erenkoy at 8pm. 30TL. To book 0533 874 6056.

**20th December – Friday** - Island Studio Painting Party - 'The Old Guitarist'. 6.30pm to 8.30pm. Ozankoy area. Painting Parties must be reserved, for 4 people or more. For further information call 0548 857 3244 or message Island Studio on Facebook.

**20th December – Friday** - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak presents Rock Balance (Rock) from 9.30pm. Entrance 35TL.

**21st December – Saturday** - Island Studio Art class - Glass painting (3 glasses), held the Ozankoy area. 10am to 12noon - 150TL. For more information call 0548 857 3244 or message Island Studio on Facebook.

**21st/22nd December – Saturday/Sunday** - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak will be holding a Christmas Market with Music from 12.00 noon. Evening concerts will be from 4pm – 21st Alper Cengiz & Friends (Rock) 35TL. 22nd Myrrha Classic Trio 35TL.

**25th December – Wednesday - Christmas Day** swim at Acapulco Beach at 10am. In aid of Tulips (Help Those with Cancer Association) and Kemal Saracoglu Foundation for Children with Leukemia and Fight against Cancer. Sponsor forms from Graham Fursman - call 0533 836 3972.

**26th 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.

**26th December – Thursday** - The Red Lion, Alsancak will be holding Boxing Day Alternative Races. First race 2pm, tickets 10TL with proceeds to Royal British Legion Kyrenia Branch. Food available 100TL including unlimited beer, house wine, local spirits and soft drinks, with a donation to RBL.

**27th December – Friday** - Bingo with Martin at Charlie's Sports Bar, Kucuk Erenkoy at 8pm. 30TL. To book 0533 874 6056.

**27th December – Friday** - Island Studio Painting Party - 'Cactus in a Vase'. 6.30pm to 8.30pm. Ozankoy area. Painting Parties must be

reserved, for 4 people or more. For further information call 0548 857 3244 or message Island Studio on Facebook.

**27th December – Friday** - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak presents Alper Cengiz & Friends (Rock) from 9.30pm. Entrance 35TL.

**28th December – Saturday** - The Soulist Coffee and Music House, Alsancak presents Stingray (Rock) from 9.30pm. Entrance 35TL.

**28th December – Saturday** - Island Studio Art class - Marbling on Paper, held the Ozankoy area. 10am to 12noon - 150TL. For more information call 0548 857 3244 or message Island Studio on Facebook.

**31st December – Tuesday** - Tulips Chilly Dippers - New Year's Eve Swim at The Cabin, Lapta. 11am. For sponsor form call 0542 854 8714.

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**We hope all our readers  
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everyone a  
Happy New Year**

13th December to 19th December 2019

## NORTH CYPRUS CHEMIST ROTA

### 14th December – Saturday

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Tel: 0392 815 7350  
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### 15th December – Sunday

Bariş Eczanesi, Şht.Ibrahim Nidai Cad. Lapta. Tel: 0392 8218410  
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### 16th December – Monday

Küçük Eczanesi, Canbulat Sok. Girne. Tel: 0392 815 3626  
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Tel: 0392 822 2287

### 17th December – Tuesday

Aşar Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad. Karaoglanoglu. Tel: 0392 822 3885  
Tören Eczanesi, Ziya Rizki Cad, Girne. Tel: 0392 815 4043

### 18th December – Wednesday

Başak Eczanesi, Ziya Rizki Cad. Girne. Tel: 0392 815 3620  
Günay Varış Eczanesi, Uğur Mumcu Cad. Karakum.  
Tel: 0392 815 2585

### 19th December – Thursday

Arda Çelik Eczanesi, Zafer Cad. Ozanköy. Tel: 0392 815 2069  
Defne Eczanesi, Atatürk Cad. Girne. Tel: 0392 815 3516

### 20th December – Friday

Emin Eczanesi, Karaoğlanoğlu Cad. Alsancak. Tel: 0533 870 1946  
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### 21st December – Saturday

Rizki II Eczanesi, Mülk Plaza, Çatalköy. Tel: 0392 824 5606  
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#### FIRE

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#### AMBULANCE

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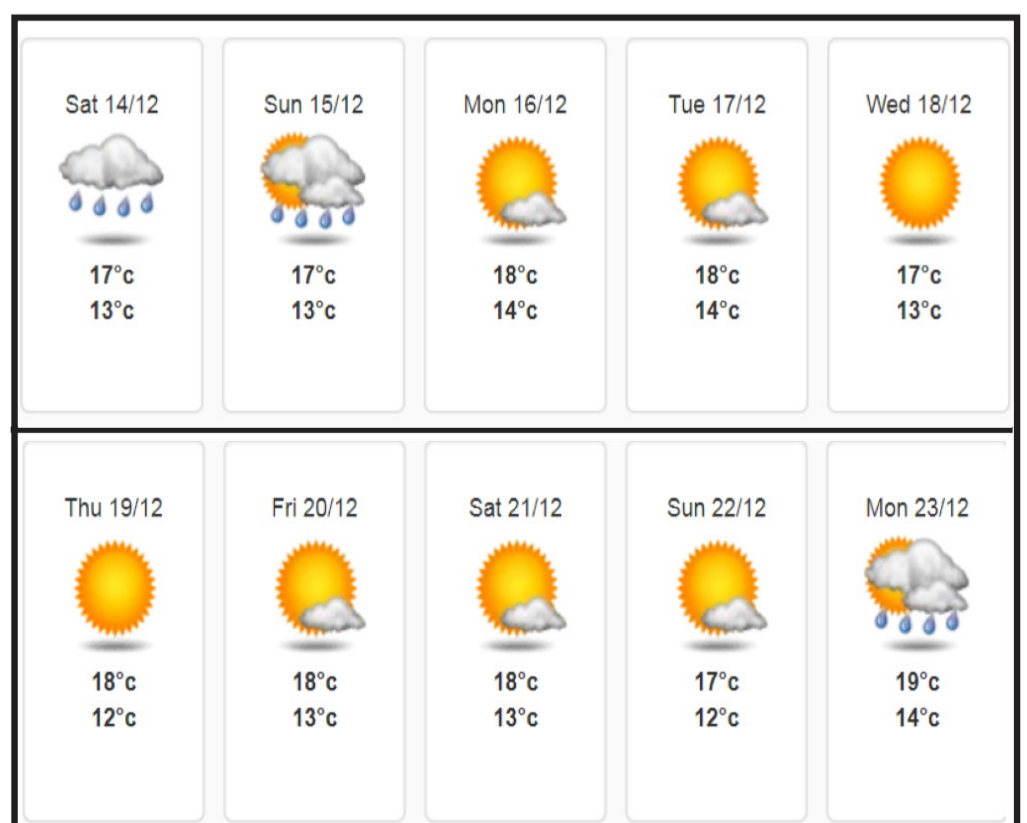
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## Kyrenia Weather (from 14th December 2019)

### 10-day Forecast



13th December to 19th December 2019

## NEU Drift Racing

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The team can't wait for next season!



## BTM Football League Results and Tables 7/8 December

### BTM LEAGUE RESULTS RED GROUP.

|       |                         |       |                  |
|-------|-------------------------|-------|------------------|
| 07/12 | Geçitkale GSK           | 7 - 2 | Mehmetçik TÇBSK  |
| 07/12 | Yarköy PGSK             | 2 - 1 | Serdarlı GB      |
| 07/12 | İncirli SK              | 7 - 0 | Dipkarpaz TSK    |
| 08/12 | Vadili TÇBSK            | 1 - 2 | Türkmenköy ASK   |
| 08/12 | 1461 İskele Trabzonspor | 1 - 3 | Yeniboğaziçi DSK |

### BTM LEAGUE RED GROUP TABLE.

|     |                         | P | W | D | L | F  | A  | GD  | Pts |
|-----|-------------------------|---|---|---|---|----|----|-----|-----|
| 1.  | Yeniboğaziçi DSK        | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 4  | 14  | 21  |
| 2.  | Geçitkale GSK           | 7 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 21 | 10 | 11  | 16  |
| 3.  | Vadili TÇBSK            | 7 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 24 | 12 | 12  | 13  |
| 4.  | İncirli SK              | 7 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 17 | 8  | 9   | 13  |
| 5.  | Türkmenköy ASK          | 7 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 14 | 17 | -3  | 10  |
| 6.  | 1461 İskele Trabzonspor | 7 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 14 | -4  | 10  |
| 7.  | Mehmetçik TÇBSK         | 7 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 14 | 20 | -6  | 7   |
| 8.  | Serdarlı GB             | 7 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 13 | -2  | 4   |
| 9.  | Dipkarpaz TSK           | 7 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 34 | -23 | 4   |
| 10. | Yarköy PGSK             | 7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 10 | 18 | -8  | 3   |

### BTM LEAGUE WHITE GROUP RESULTS.

|       |                  |       |                       |
|-------|------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| 07/12 | Değirmenlik SK   | 5 - 0 | Gülgün Süt Düzova GSK |
| 07/12 | Karaoğlanoğlu SB | 2 - 2 | Ortaköy SK            |
| 07/12 | Zümrütköy SK     | 1 - 2 | Tatlısu HOBSK         |
| 08/12 | Dikmen Gücü SK   | 1 - 0 | Yılmazköy SK          |

### BTM LEAGUE WHITE GROUP TABLE.

|    |                       | P | W | D | L | F  | A  | GD  | Pts |
|----|-----------------------|---|---|---|---|----|----|-----|-----|
| 1. | Yılmazköy SK          | 7 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 6  | 6   | 15  |
| 2. | Değirmenlik SK        | 6 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 19 | 5  | 14  | 12  |
| 3. | Ortaköy SK            | 6 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 12 | 2   | 11  |
| 4. | Dikmen Gücü SK        | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 7  | 4  | 3   | 8   |
| 5. | Karaoğlanoğlu SB      | 6 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 7  | 7  | 0   | 8   |
| 6. | Tatlısu HOBSK         | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 5  | 5  | 0   | 8   |
| 7. | Gülgün Süt Düzova GSK | 7 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 8  | 15 | -7  | 7   |
| 8. | Denizli SK            | 6 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 9  | 12 | -3  | 5   |
| 9. | Zümrütköy SK          | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3  | 18 | -15 | 0   |

## Football Fixtures for 13/14/15 December

### K-Pet Super League

| Date  | Time  | Home Team               | Away Team            | Venue                            |
|-------|-------|-------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| 13/12 | 19:00 | Baf Ülkü Yurdu          | v Binatlı YSK        | Güzelyurt Üner Berkalp Stadium   |
| 14/12 | 14:00 | Mağusa Türk Gücü        | v Düzkaya KOSK       | Gazimağusa Canbulat Stadı        |
| 14/12 | 14:00 | Küçük Kaymaklı TSK      | v Yenicami AK        | Lefkoşa Şht Hüseyin Ruso Stadium |
| 14/12 | 14:00 | Merit Alsancak Yeşilova | v Lefke TSK          | Karaoğlanoğlu Orhan Dural Stadı  |
| 14/12 | 14:00 | Göçmenköy İYSK          | v Hamitköy ŞHSK      | Lefkoşa Atatürk Stadium          |
| 15/12 | 14:00 | Türk Ocağı Limasol      | v Cihangir GSK       | Girne 20 Temmuz Mete Adanır St   |
| 15/12 | 14:00 | Gönyeli SK              | v Doğan Türk Birliği | Gönyeli Stadı                    |
| 15/12 | 14:00 | Çetinkaya TSK           | v Gençlik Gücü TSK   | Lefkoşa Atatürk Stadium          |

### K-Pet League 1

| Date  | Time  | Home Team             | Away Team               | Venue                          |
|-------|-------|-----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 14/12 | 14:00 | Girne Halk Evi        | v Ozkanköy SK           | Girne 20 Temmuz Mete Adanır St |
| 14/12 | 14:00 | Lapta TBSK            | v Mormenekşe GBSK       | Lapta Şht Şevket Kadir Stadı   |
| 14/12 | 14:00 | Bostancı Bağcıl SK    | v Yonpaş Dumlupınar TSK | Bostancı Bağcıl Stadı          |
| 14/12 | 14:00 | Mesarya SK            | v Dörtöy SK             | Paşaköy 100 Yıl Stadı          |
| 15/12 | 14:00 | Esentepe KSK          | v Karşıyaka ASK         | Erdal Barut Stadium            |
| 15/12 | 14:00 | L. Gençler Birliği SK | v Çanakkale TSK         | Iskele Cumhuriyet Stadium      |
| 15/12 | 14:00 | Maraş GSK             | v Yalova SK             | Maraş Necip Halil Kartal Stadı |

### BTM League Red Group.

| Date  | Time  | Home Team        | Away Team                 | Venue                     |
|-------|-------|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 14/12 | 14:00 | Dipkarpaz TSK    | v Yarköy PGSK             | Dipkarpaz Stadı           |
| 14/12 | 11:00 | Serdarlı GB      | v 1461 İskele Trabzonspor | Serdarlı 14 Ağustos Stadı |
| 15/12 | 11:00 | Yeniboğaziçi DSK | v Vadili TÇBSK            | Osman Ergun Mehmet Stadı  |
| 15/12 | 14:00 | Mehmetçik TÇBSK  | v İncirli SK              | Mehmetçik Stadı           |
| 15/12 | 11:00 | Türkmenköy ASK   | v Geçitkale GSK           | Mehmet Ali Toker Stadı    |

### BTM League White Group.

| Date  | Time  | Home Team     | Away Team          | Venue                         |
|-------|-------|---------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| 14/12 | 11:00 | Yılmazköy SK  | v Değirmenlik SK   | Mustafa Üçöz Stadı            |
| 15/12 | 11:00 | Tatlısu HOBSK | v Karaoğlanoğlu SB | Beylerbeyi Dr Ali Özsoy Stadı |
| 15/12 | 11:00 | Ortaköy SK    | v Dikmen Gücü SK   | Lefkoşa Ortaköy Stadı         |
| 15/12 | 11:00 | Denizli SK    | v Zümrütköy SK     | Bilal İyigün Stadı            |

## Football Results and Tables - 7/8 December

### K-Pet Super League Results to 7/8 December

|       |                    |       |                         |
|-------|--------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| 07/12 | Yenicami AK        | 1 - 1 | Baf Ülkü Yurdu          |
| 07/12 | Doğan Türk Birliği | 1 - 0 | Merit Alsancak Yeşilova |
| 07/12 | Binatlı YSK        | 1 - 1 | Çetinkaya TSK           |
| 07/12 | Cihangir GSK       | 5 - 3 | Göçmenköy İYSK          |
| 08/12 | Hamitköy ŞHSK      | 5 - 3 | Gönyeli SK              |
| 08/12 | Düzkaya KOSK       | 1 - 3 | Türk Ocağı Limasol      |
| 08/12 | Gençlik Gücü TSK   | 0 - 3 | Mağusa Türk Gücü        |
| 08/12 | Lefke TSK          | 0 - 1 | Küçük Kaymaklı TSK      |

### K-Pet Super League Table to 7/8 December

|     |                         | P  | W  | D | L | F  | A  | GD  | Pts |
|-----|-------------------------|----|----|---|---|----|----|-----|-----|
| 1.  | Cihangir GSK            | 13 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 41 | 21 | 20  | 30  |
| 2.  | Mağusa Türk Gücü        | 13 | 9  | 2 | 2 | 40 | 14 | 26  | 29  |
| 3.  | Türk Ocağı Limasol      | 13 | 7  | 5 | 1 | 24 | 12 | 12  | 26  |
| 4.  | Doğan Türk Birliği      | 13 | 8  | 1 | 4 | 27 | 16 | 11  | 25  |
| 5.  | Yenicami AK             | 13 | 7  | 3 | 3 | 37 | 23 | 14  | 24  |
| 6.  | Merit Alsancak Yeşilova | 13 | 6  | 2 | 5 | 28 | 22 | 6   | 20  |
| 7.  | Küçük Kaymaklı TSK      | 13 | 6  | 2 | 5 | 20 | 17 | 3   | 20  |
| 8.  | Baf Ülkü Yurdu          | 13 | 6  | 2 | 5 | 25 | 30 | -5  | 20  |
| 9.  | Göçmenköy İYSK          | 13 | 5  | 4 | 4 | 20 | 22 | -2  | 19  |
| 10. | Hamitköy ŞHSK           | 13 | 5  | 2 | 6 | 27 | 37 | -10 | 17  |
| 11. | Lefke TSK               | 13 | 4  | 4 | 5 | 20 | 22 | -2  | 16  |
| 12. | Binatlı YSK             | 13 | 3  | 3 | 7 | 18 | 24 | -6  | 12  |
| 13. | Gönyeli SK              | 13 | 3  | 1 | 9 | 21 | 38 | -17 | 10  |
| 14. | Gençlik Gücü TSK        | 13 | 2  | 3 | 8 | 18 | 34 | -16 | 9   |
| 15. | Çetinkaya TSK           | 13 | 2  | 2 | 9 | 17 | 29 | -12 | 8   |
| 16. | Düzkaya KOSK            | 13 | 2  | 2 | 9 | 17 | 39 | -22 | 8   |

### K-Pet League 1 Results to 7/8 December

|       |                       |         |                       |
|-------|-----------------------|---------|-----------------------|
|       | Doğancı SK            | 0 - 3** | Mesarya SK            |
| 07/12 | Yalova SK             | 1 - 1   | Lapta TBSK            |
| 07/12 | Çanakkale TSK         | 2 - 2   | Görneç KSK            |
| 07/12 | Karşıyaka ASK         | 0 - 0   | Bostancı Bağcıl SK    |
| 07/12 | Yonpaş Dumlupınar TSK | 2 - 0   | L. Gençler Birliği SK |
| 08/12 | Ozanköy SK            | 1 - 1   | Esentepe KSK          |
| 08/12 | Mormenekşe GBSK       | 1 - 2   | Girne Halk Evi        |
| 08/12 | Dörtöy SK             | 0 - 2   | Maraş GSK             |

### K-Pet League 1 Table to 7/8 December

|     |                       | P  | W  | D | L  | F  | A  | GD  | Pts |
|-----|-----------------------|----|----|---|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 1.  | Mesarya SK            | 13 | 11 | 1 | 1  | 36 | 10 | 26  | 34  |
| 2.  | Yonpaş Dumlupınar TSK | 13 | 9  | 2 | 2  | 28 | 2  | 26  | 29  |
| 3.  | Yalova SK             | 13 | 7  | 4 | 2  | 25 | 10 | 15  | 25  |
| 4.  | Maraş GSK             | 13 | 7  | 2 | 4  | 22 | 17 | 5   | 23  |
| 5.  | L. Gençler Birliği SK | 13 | 7  | 1 | 5  | 21 | 16 | 5   | 22  |
| 6.  | Girne Halk Evi        | 13 | 6  | 3 | 4  | 24 | 19 | 5   | 21  |
| 7.  | Görneç KSK            | 13 | 5  | 4 | 4  | 22 | 20 | 2   | 19  |
| 8.  | Lapta TBSK            | 13 | 6  | 1 | 6  | 21 | 20 | 1   | 19  |
| 9.  | Mormenekşe GBSK       | 13 | 5  | 3 | 5  | 18 | 25 | -7  | 18  |
| 10. | Dörtöy SK             | 13 | 4  | 4 | 5  | 14 | 17 | -3  | 16  |
| 11. | Karşıyaka ASK         | 13 | 4  | 4 | 5  | 14 | 21 | -7  | 16  |
| 12. | Esentepe KSK          | 13 | 3  | 6 | 4  | 14 | 14 | 0   | 15  |
| 13. | Çanakkale TSK         | 13 | 4  | 2 | 7  | 18 | 27 | -9  | 14  |
| 14. | Bostancı Bağcıl SK    | 13 | 3  | 2 | 8  | 16 | 21 | -5  | 11  |
| 15. | Ozanköy SK            | 13 | 2  | 3 | 8  | 12 | 27 | -15 | 9   |
| 16. | Doğancı SK            | 13 | 0  | 0 | 13 | 0  | 39 | -39 | 0   |

\*\* Match awarded to Mesarya as Doğancı unable to fulfil their fixtures

## Another Boring Draw!

By Richard Beale ..

**Sunday December 8, 2019: K-Pet League 1: Mustafa Özkayım Stadium.**

I should have expected this with two struggling teams, two teams that struggle to score goals, that this match would end in a draw. An awful match served up by both teams who, although too early to press the panic button, are already looking at a hard battle to avoid the drop

After losing all of their previous 6 home matches, for bottom but one Ozkankoy this was a point gained, maybe a start of their recovery to safety. For 12th place Esentepe this was two points lost, they were expected to win this match, they didn't so this was their fourth successive draw.

Esentepe gave a first senior start to 18 year old forward, EGE CAN AÇIKPORTAL who has greatly impressed in the Under 21 team. KAAAN GÖRNEÇLİ returned after a 3 match absence, though not fully fit Kaan's extra ability on the ball was much needed. Kaan who now has to do his National Service for a year was made Captain for this match.

A mostly grey cloudy day summed up most of this game. A pretty lifeless first 30 minutes, the only action being Ozanköy's Darbaz and Mevlüt having shots wide of the Esentepe goal. Esentepe's only reply was a Kaan snapshot outside the area that brought the Ozanköy keeper Burak into action diving to his right to push the shot away for a corner.

**Result: Ozanköy SK 1 Esentepe KKS 1**



**OKAN (out of picture) header opens the score for Ozanköy and right Esentepe forward ERAY picks the ball up after equalising.**

In the 32nd minute Ozanköy took the lead with a goal from Esentepe resident OKAN KIBAR. A Mevlüt corner was met at the far post by Okan who timed his leap over a static Esentepe defence to perfection sending a looping header over Onur and into the roof of the net, despite Hüseyin on the line trying to head it out. **1-0.**

In the last 5 minutes of the half the game came alive, Esentepe had appeals for a hand ball turned down "a la Freds" in the

Manchester derby, from a Mustafa header, the ball rebounded to Ege whose closed range shot hit the Ozanköy left hand post.

**HALF TIME SCORE 1-0.**

Esentepe equalised in the 50th minute when good work by Mustafa Günlü on the right, saw him cross the ball to Kaan, whose shot was deflected to ERAY ERGİN who reacted quickly to shoot home. **1-1.**

Esentepe were playing much better

now, Kaan set up Eray who shot just wide. In the 70th minute Şükrü who had impressed coming on as substitute had a low cross shot deflected for a corner by the diving Burak.

Esentepe continued to press without ever looking likely to score, like the fading light on a winter's afternoon the match descended into the gloom.

**FULL TIME SCORE: 1-1**



## Goals, Goals and more Goals!

By Richard Beale .....

**Saturday December 7 : BTM League Red Group : Geçitkale Stadium.**

Geçitkale kept the pressure on League leaders Yeniboğaziçi with an emphatic victory over Mehmetçik in as you can imagine a very entertaining game.

Another opportunity of a "Super Saturday", a pint and a kebab in Iskele before tottering off to Geçitkale to take in this 2.00pm kick off. Match finished and back home in time to watch Bournemouth/Liverpool and course later in the evening the Manchester Derby, not bad this retirement lark!

A very pleasant sunny December afternoon greeted me and I was rewarded with a very open and entertaining match. Geçitkale turned in their best performance of the season, but Mehmetçik played their part as well. Both teams a few seasons ago were playing in the K-Pet League 1 football, but have fallen on hard times in recent years, though Geçitkale are making a good fist of trying to get promotion in a very hard and competitive league.

Geçitkale were 3-0 up at half time, though Mehmetçik were unlucky on a couple of occasions with the home Goalkeeper Gurcan pulling off a couple of fine saves. The Mehmetçik Goalkeeper Yasin was no slouch either making some good saves himself.

Mehmetcik in the first half had good appeals for a hand ball and in the second half another strong

**Result: Geçitkale GSK 7 Mehmetçik TCBSK 2**



**Match action Geçitkale are in the white**

penalty appeal turned down by Referee Hüseyin Özaşık.

Fair play to Mehmetçik they pulled two goals back within 10 minutes of the restart of the second half, and you were thinking "aye, aye" then! However their comeback was short lived when Müjat scored within 2 minutes of the Mehmetçik goal to knock the stuffing out of them.

Their resistance finally crumbled when they conceded 3 goals in the

last 30 minutes.

There were many fine performances from the Geçitkale players, two outstanding individuals were their Captain RIFAT EMİRHAN, who had a fine game in midfield and was the architect behind many of the home team's moves. In the Geçitkale defence strongman TANJU KAYA had an outstanding game as well.

For Mehmetçik I was very impressed by their midfielder BARKIN KÖSE, the midfielder ran his socks off for his team.

**GEÇİTKALE SCORERS :**  
NAZIMCAM (13), OSMAN (27), TANJU (30), MÜJAT (57), ONURHAN (62 & 89), VEDAT (87)

**MEHMETÇİK SCORERS :**  
MUSTAFA KELEŞ (pen, 47), FUATCAN (55).





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