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County Council of Kilifi and the Malindi Municipal Council have decided to give name of Vinod Dattani to Kikambala, Matsangoni along Malindi-Gongoni road, Kijiwetanga in Malindi, 18 kilometers from Kilifi Town and Vipingo. Mr Dattani managed to carry out various projects on behalf of local and foreign donors.

He has also been recognised by various county councils for his tireless efforts in initiating and carrying out building of boreholes, constructions of classrooms, donations of schools desks, wheel chairs, blanket, mosquito nets, lanterns etc.

Kilifi Council Council has a road in Dattani name at Kilifi, 18km from Kilifi Town off the main road.

A second road was named after him, 5km from Vipingo Town while the third road was named in Kikambala which has a beach access, 5kms interior.

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[TOP] Wilhelmsen Ships service, Documentation supervisor, Alleen Njue [left] and her operations Manager, Daniel Majiba hands over food donation

to children of St. Patrick's Catholic nursery School in Mombasa. [LEFT] St. Patrick's Catholic Church Father, Nicholas Hennity [left] gives a gift to a pupil of St. Patrick's Catholic nursery School pupil Edmon Onyango at the School in Mombasa. The gifts are donated by Wilhelmsen Shipping service to mark 150 years anniversary of the shipping company.

## Commercial Mediation Training Seminar



The Members of the Shia Imami Ismaili National and Regional Conciliation and Arbitration Board and other leadership from the Aga Khan Council for Kenya attend a training seminar in Nairobi on 'Commercial Mediation' organized by the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators. Chairperson NCAB Nairobi Mrs. Rosemin Bhanji at the forefront. First row [from left] RCAB Mombasa member Gulshan Jivraj, Trainer from CIArb Mrs. Njeri Kariuki, RCAB Nairobi member Amin Jiwa, NCAB Nairobi member Mrs. Guli Adam, Trainer from CIArb Mrs. Jacqueline Kamau, NCAB Mombasa member Shiraz D. Alibhai, NCAB Nairobi member Johny Verjee, RCAB Mombasa Chairman Alnoor Jiwan. Second row: NCAB Nairobi member Salim Alibhai, SWB Nairobi Chairman Farouk Manji, NCAB Nairobi member Mrs. Zainat Mohamed, Administration Secretariat CAB Nairobi Mrs. Shelina Virani, NCAB Nairobi member Mrs. Yasmin Savji, Legal Member Council for Kenya Mrs. Azmina Mulji, NCAB Nairobi member Mrs. Nazira Mawji. Not in the picture: ICAB member Azim Verjee and Member Womens Activities Council for Kenya Mrs. Nasrin Shamji Dewany.



Guardian Bank Cocktail Party - seen [from left] General Manager N. Sabesan, Managing Director V. K. Shetty, the guest Sallish Shah, Branch Manager Imtiaz Harunani, Director Hetul Chandaria, guest Dinesh Trivedi.

## Guardian Bank Cocktail Party

On the evening of the 7<sup>th</sup> of October 2011, the Mombasa (Chinni) Club was the centre of attraction as Guardian Bank Ltd hosted a flamboyant cocktail party for its clients and prospects.

The beautiful ambience was perfected with the warm décor of red and blue which are the corporate colors of the bank.

The special lighting complimented the various banners displayed strategically to highlight the Guardian Bank slogan of "Your Preferred Bank".

The guests were treated to some very tantalizing dishes as they socialized in the relaxed atmosphere and treated with royalty.

This is an annual event organized by the bank to appreciate the support of its clients and well wishers. It is also a time for the Senior Management to interact and socialize with the clients.

The highlight of the evening was the flawless speech by the Managing Director, Mr. Vasant Shetty, who personally thanked all the invited guests for their patronage and excellent support given to Mombasa Branch of the bank.

He began by giving a brief history of the bank, which is owned by the Chandaria Family and how it has progressed in the last 15 years.

He briefly gave an update on the performance and present financial status of the bank and concluded by introducing the new products which have been recently launched.

To mention a few, the bank has introduced a new deposit scheme known as Jaza Jaza deposit.

This is a recurring deposit to assist in planning and saving for

a special purpose. The bank has also launched the Internet Banking Facility as a value added service for its clients. The MD was accompanied by the General Manager, Mr. Sabesan and the Non-Executive Director, Mr. Hetul Chandaria.

The Senior Manager, Mr. Imtiaz Harunani was superb as he introduced his dedicated team to the guests.

With a promise of Royal treatment and Service with a smile, Mr. Harunani assured the clients of his full support as they continue growing their businesses.

Iftar dinner: During the month of Ramadan, the bank also treated its Muslim clients to an iftar dinner at Shehna Resturant. This was the first of its kind and it was well appreciated by the clients.

## Annual Breast Cancer Survivor Day Celebration



Seen Breast Cancer Awareness Support Group committee members - back row [from left] Ajabu Khanbhai, Jayshree Patel, Erica Kulumba, Antonetta Acharya, Khurshid Anjarwalla, Gulzar Somji and Jediddah Ndanu. Sitting front row [from left] Abigail Kinyua, Chairlady of BCASG, Beckie Smith, Management Representative of BCASG Dr. Sultana Sherman, Zehra Bhajji and Nafisa Janoo along with breast cancer survivors attending the Survivor Day Celebration on 3rd November 2011. The event is hosted annually by Sarova Whitesands Beach Resort and Spa.

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**Scorpio** (Oct. 22 - Nov. 21)  
Someone who is sparing with praise will express admiration for your talent. It boosts your spirits to know your work is appreciated. You have a vivid imagination that prompts you to create powerful stories, music, or visual art.

**Sagittarius** (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)  
Work proves to be very rewarding, because it gives you a channel for your nurturing abilities. As a general rule, you don't enjoy coddling people with fragile egos.

**Capricorn** (Dec. 22 - Jan. 21)  
Your charisma opens doors to some influential institutions. If you need an audience with a powerful executive, call and ask for one.

**Aquarius** (Jan. 22 - Feb. 21)  
You don't respond well to pressure and unfortunately, a romantic or business partner is urging you to make a decision. Resist the urge to lash out in anger. You must make your mind up.

**Pisces** (Feb. 22 - Mar. 21)  
Dreams have a powerful effect on your decisions and you sense you could be doing more with your life. Find a way to champion the underdog. This could involve anything from taking a job at a humanitarian organisation to volunteering at an animal shelter.

**Aries** (Mar. 22 - April 21)  
You're very angry at friends who are trying to ruin your good time. It's so frustrating when loved ones keep undercutting your enthusiasms. Although their concern is well meant, it is driving you to distraction.

**Taurus** (April 22 - May 21)  
It's no use bending over backwards for a colleague because no matter what you do or say, you can never please this critic. Instead of feeding their energy, starve it.

**Gemini** (May 22 - June 21)  
You're experiencing a rough patch with your best friend or lover. The two of you have been fighting like cats and dogs. Part of the problem is you don't get the recognition in your private life that you do in your professional one.

**Cancer** (June 22 - July 21)  
Sparks are flying between you and a powerful executive. It's flattering to know such an accomplished person finds you attractive. This just goes to show how much you underestimate your strengths.

**Leo** (July 22 - Aug. 21)  
Spending more time at home eases your mind. Although you're a sociable person, you need the comfort of routines to feel grounded. This would be an opportune time to clear the clutter from your living space.

**Virgo** (Aug. 22 - Sept. 21)  
Arguments over chores will disrupt your domestic life. You're sick and tired of doing all the work and getting none of the credit. It's especially galling when you spend lots of time cleaning or cooking, and have your efforts destroyed in a few moments.

**Libra** (Sept. 22 - Oct. 21)  
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**IMTIAZ ALI'S latest creation Rockstar with the hottest dude in Bollywood, Ranbir Kapoor makes a worldwide opening today at the NYALI CINEMAX.**

All's previous hits have been *Jab We Met* and *Love Aaj Kal*, and the Kapoor Khandan has been at the centre of all his films, whether it is Kareena, Rishi, Neetu Singh in a cameo role, or even now casting grand nephew Ranbir with veteran Shammi Kapoor in his very last acting role before the latter passed on.

*Rockstar* is exactly what the title says - a musical love story with some outstanding scores from the maestro himself A. R. Rahman.

Janardhan Jakhar is a young man in Delhi who aspires to be a musician like his icon Jim Morrison.

Willing to do anything to reach rock star level and fame he is, like most Indians, under the impression that if you get your heart broken in love, the resultant pain is what makes a great musician.

Embarking on this path of self-realisation, he homes in on the most unavailable girl in college and pursues to woo her.

Heer is the girl that everyone in college would love to have as his girlfriend, the only problem is that Heer is not interested in anyone and lives in her own ivory tower.

When Janardhan explains why he wants to start a relationship with her, her wild side that has been suppressed all these years, wakes up and she takes on the challenge.

Renaming him as Jordan, the two embark on a love affair, only to break up at it's peak.

Jordan does succeed in his ambition of being a world-class musician, but the price he pays for it makes him re-think a lot of

the decisions he has taken.

Newcomer Nargis Fakhri plays Heer, while the other stars are Aditi Rao Hydari, Kumud Mishra, Piyush Mishra and Shemaz Patel with the Yahoo star Shammi Kapoor as Ustad Jameel Khan.

Rahman's music will certainly appeal to the younger generation, but of particular interest is the song "Saada haq, aethe rakh" which has a superb beat to it and epitomises the entire story of the film and it's protagonist.

He has brought in American guitarist Orianthi Panagaris, lady who can out-jam any guitarist on the planet.

She was one of the lead guitarists that was to perform alongside Michael Jackson on his final tour in UK and for those who have seen the Jackson docu-film "This is it" you will appreciate the enormous talent this young woman has.

**CINEMAS with Anjum Asodia**

The second new film has an equally delicious lead star in the shape of Orlando Bloom.

Paul W. S. Anderson's direction brings us "all for one and one for all" with the *Three Musketeers* in state-of-the-art three dimension.

Reliving Alexandre Dumas' 1844 thrilling classical adventure of the three French swordsmen, who are sworn to protect the King, Bloom is enjoined with Milla Jovovich, Logan Lerman, Mathew MacFadyen, Luke Evans and Ray Stevenson.

Athos, Porthos and Aramis are just three of the Royal French Guards, the Musketeers.

Renown for their swordsmanship and unwavering loyalty to the king and his protection, the group is thrown apart by the evil cardinal Richlieu who wants to overthrow the king and take over the country and it's riches.

The three are joined by a young lad from the countryside, D'Artagnan who aspires to be like the Musketeers but his short temper and inexperience puts them into trouble more than once.

## Lion Ladies Visit Neema Orphanage

Lions Club of Mombasa Pwani Ladies Auxiliary, first activity for October, 2011 was carried out in the memory of Late Wangari Maathai who was laid to rest on 8th October 2011.

She won the Nobel prize for starting the "Green Belt Movement" in 2004 and inspired rural women to conserve their land and forests.

She was also a political activist who fought for women's rights.

On the 8th of October, 2011, the ladies together with Lion Harshad Galoria visited the Neema Orphanage.

This institution is located 15 kilometers off Bamburi Road and was started in January, 2011.

Thirty one orphans from 5 - 15 years are looked after by twelve people who voluntarily pay for the children's upkeep.

They have opened a small school KG1, 11, 111 and Class 1 and 2, in their compound.

Ration worth K.Shs 7,500/-, included cooking oil, two bales

of maize meal, biscuits, kimbo, beans, grams etc. and 30 Ashoka trees were donated and planted by the ladies, Lion Harshad and the caretaker Mr. Fredrick.

The little children planted a tree for late Wangari Maathai and a special prayer was carried out for her soul to rest in peace.

We will soon carry out our 2nd activity for this month and hope to plant another 70 or more trees.

We request all ladies to join us and will be very grateful if you each donate and plant one or more trees this year. Save the nature save the environment!



Seen [from left] Co-convenor Ladies Auxiliary Lion Kaipana Aggarwal, Lion Lady Zahabya Hamid, Ms. Joyce, Care Taker Mr. Fredrick, Lion Harshad Galoria, Co-Convenor Ladies Auxiliary Lion Lady Shashi D'Silva and Lion Lady Kamini Khanna with the children.

# Nairobi National Museum Is Big Repository Of Kenyan Heritage

**NAIROBI (Xinhua)** -- A visit to the Nairobi National Museum is like a purifying ritual that reinvigorates both mind and spirit.

Kenya's flagship museum is located in an idyllic setting northwest of Nairobi and attracts multitudes who visit there to view rich collection of artifacts, human and animal skulls, photos, sculptures and paintings.

To foreign visitors and Kenyans alike, the museum, built in 1929, is a repository of the country's

people especially archeologists while other visitors may be interested in artworks, paintings or mammals on display.

"Kenyan populace generally seems to appreciate the history exhibition most.

"History gallery has a personal touch to most Kenyans," Kariuki told Xinhua.

Moses Kimani, a Kenyan school teacher, visited the museum every weekend to view sculptures and paintings alongside enjoying a nature walk.

"I admire sculptures on traditional warriors and paints that depict contemporary social topics," Kimani said.

He reiterated that a visit to the museum provided a rare chance for younger generations to learn the country's history.

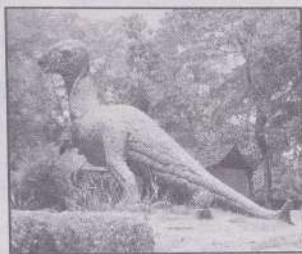
Nick Douglas, a middle aged British tourist said that a visit to Nairobi National Museum fulfills a life long desire to learn the origin of species.

"I have only read from the textbooks that human race originated from Africa.

"Now I have seen the skeletons and skulls of the first human

beings to inhabit this earth," Douglas said.

Jimbi Katana, National Museums of Kenya Chief Curator, told Xinhua that "the role of a national museum is to promote the conservation and sustainable utilisation of natural heritage through generation,



Dinosaur at the Nairobi Museum.

documentation and dissemination of research".

Katana said that the biggest predicament that afflicts museums in Africa is lack of adequate funding.

"Most governments in Africa do not pump in adequate financial resources to their national museums as is required.

Adequate funding and dedicating more interest in national heritage is the only panacea to this problem," he added.

## Report from Christine Lagat and Ben Ochieng

history, natural treasures, culture and contemporary art.

At any given day, there are plenty of activities within the museums hallowed grounds and adjoining halls.

Currently, a photo exhibition sponsored by the U.S. Embassy in Nairobi to showcase American interventions in Somalia has attracted throngs of viewers.

The Nairobi-based World Agroforestry Centre (ICRAF) has also been running an exhibition to demonstrate the critical role of women in promoting this practice.

Sharon Kyungu, the public relations and marketing manager of National Museums of Kenya, said that the museum offers space for both permanent and temporary exhibitions.

"Permanent exhibitions cater for four broad themes that include history, culture, nature and contemporary art," Kyungu told Xinhua in an interview at the museum.

Inside the museum are several galleries showcasing themes catering for different age groups including children, youths, adults, old age and ancestors.

Emmanuel Kariuki, the Exhibition Designer at the museum said that the history gallery is rich with photos of Kenyan communities taken during colonial period.

He discloses that "human origin exhibition is the best to some

# MOMBASA OIL JETTY

**NAIROBI (Xinhua)** -- Kenya is set to construct an offshore oil floating jetty at an estimated cost of 80 to 100 million U.S. dollars beginning 2013 at the port of Mombasa as part of plans to make Kenya the regional transportation hub for petroleum products in East and Central Africa, writes Ronald Njoroge.

State-owned National Oil Corporation of Kenya (NOCK) Managing Director (MD) Sumayya Hassan-Athmani told journalists in Nairobi on Wednesday that a feasibility study on the project is underway and a final report is expected by the end of January 2012.

"The facility, which will take 2 years to complete, will permit the port of Mombasa to allow berthing of supertankers with a capacity of up to 280,000 Dead Weight Tonnes (DWT) up from the current 80,000 DWT limit," she said.

"The Single Buoy Mooring (SBM) will be anchored in the sea and will be connected to the shoreline by sea pipeline as an alternative to the current oil terminal located at Mombasa," Hassan-Athmani said.

She said the country's main petroleum jetty is highly constrained and is unable to handle the ever increasing volumes of petroleum imported into the country thus occasioning long delays as ships have to queue for days to off load cargo leading to high demurrage costs.

Currently Kenya's oil consumption is 4 million metric tonnes annually and the figure is set to grow to 10 million by 2030, according to NOCK.

"Vessels waiting to discharge incur demurrage fees of up to 30,000 dollars pay day due to congestion at the port with costs for all ships ranging from 50 to 100 million dollars annually," the MD said.

The government is advocating for SBM due to the flexibility that it offers.

"SBM will be able to operate in the Mombasa port channel which is characterized by strong winds emanating from Somalia's coastline and high tides, reasonable well," Hassan-Athmani said.

The infrastructure will address supply constraints in Kenya that have kept pump prices relatively high prices.

"By allowing oil supertankers to dock it will increase the amount of petroleum available in the country at any given time as the industry is currently operating with very low levels of inventory leading to frequent shortages," she said.

According to NOCK, the offshore infrastructure will be cheaper than constructing an onshore jetty which will cost about 160 million dollars to put up.

The government will also have an equity stake in the project that will be under taken via a public private partnership arrangement.

In addition, NOCK is positioning the new facility as the preferred export route for Uganda's oil.

"Oil production in Uganda will exceed the region's needs so the jetty will also allow for feeding of tankers to export oil to international markets," Hassan-Athmani said.

Meanwhile the government is blaming high pump price of petroleum products on high interest rate of Treasury bills as well as depreciating dollar, despite reducing international cost of crude oil.

"We finance our purchase of oil products from government Treasury bills whose interest has increased over the past year which is wiping out the gains of lower purchase cost," Hassan Athmani said.

The MD said that most of the country's oil imports are dollar denominated, meaning that the retail price will remain high as long as the shilling, which has depreciated by over 20 percent against the U.S. currency since the beginning of the year, remains weak.

# 'LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD' IS THIS YEAR'S CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME

Pantomimes were first popularised in Britain very early in the 19th Century - long before the first television sets.

Pantomimes formed a traditional part of family Christmas entertainment with some very quirky and humorous elements. Now, 200 years later, pantomimes, with all their quirky traditions still endure.

They are still family favourites.

At the end of this month you will be able to enjoy the Coast Arts and Theatre Society's Pantomime *Little Red Riding*

*Hood* complete with all the traditional elements.

And I must say that they had some pretty strange traditions 200 years ago.

By tradition the Principal Boy is always played by an actress and the Dame is always played by a male actor.

Our hero, the Prince is played masterfully by Lauren Hibbert who is a teacher at Braeburn Mombasa International School and the Dame will be played by none other than Michael Hughes.

And what would a pantomime be without a beautiful Princess?

We have found a beautiful Princess here in Mombasa and her name is Stephanie Goodall.

Stephanie is also a teacher at Braeburn International School and she plays the part of Red Riding Hood with great charm and is bound to make the Prince fall in love with her!

One of the best traditions associated with pantomimes is booing and general heckling of the villain, the baddie.

Poor Alex Shakespeare who plays the evil Count de Cash has been booed so much during rehearsals that it's amazing he

hasn't developed a complex.

Luckily he has 2 assistants to aid him and these are Cringe and Cower played by Alex McGuinness and John Latham.

This pantomime is directed by Ann Marques who is really making an impact on the entertainment scene in Mombasa.

Ann, a talented actress is also a very efficient and creative producer and director and her pantomime promises to be great fun for all the family.

Little Red Riding Hood will take place at the Mombasa Academy School, Nyali.

There are 3 performances in total - On Wednesday November 30<sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm, Thursday December 1<sup>st</sup> at 7.30pm and a final performance on Friday December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7.30pm.

Tickets will be available for purchase from Forget Me Not, Ratna Square from Wednesday November 16<sup>th</sup>.

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There will be more cast details in next week's Coastweek so be sure to check this space.

The Coast Arts and Theatre Society

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## Thirty Two Years Ago

**Coastweek, November 16 - 22, 1979**

His Highness Prince Ayn Mohamed, Chairman T.P.S. and brother of His Royal Highness the Aga Khan, was at the Coast on an inspection tour of Serena Beach Hotel.

Hon. Shariff Nassir (Mombasa Central) and Hon. Said Hemed (North) were both returned to office in the parliamentary elections that were touted as the most peaceful since Independence.

Secretary of the Rotary Club of Mombasa, Narinder Singh received his service club's highest award, the 'Paul Harris' badge for visiting Coast Rotary District Governor Andy Chande, for Narinder's "untiring, selfless and dedicated services rendered to the less fortunate in society".

Sir Wilfrid Havelock, Chairman of Associated Hotel Management Services and Jambo Hotels hosted a pre-high season party at Lawfords Hotel, Malindi, which was attended by over 200 guests.

An Estimated five million shillings was spent in Kenya by the five visiting American warships which included the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Midway, and about 7,000 officers who were on a five day visit.

The Black rhino, for long considered a hunger's 'gold mine' was on the increase in Tanzania, following the government's decision to ban hunting of the precious animal.

Ryan O'neal stole everyone's hearts with the sequel to the very touching 'Love Story' in 'Oliver's Story' at the NAAZ Cinema.

REGAL Cinema was screening the exciting murder thriller 'Death On The Nile' which was written by the Queen of Crime Agatha Christie.

KENYA Cinema was running the last and final shows of 'A Perfect Couple' followed by Shashi Kapoor, Vidya Sinha and Sanjeev Kapoor who made up the love triangle in 'Mukti'.

Jeetendra and Mumtaz show to us that they can turn 'Droplets into Pearls' in 'Boond Jo Ban Gaye Moti' at the CHOX.

Letter writers included S. L. Makwana, Said M. Salim, Chairman Muslim Youth Cultural Society Muallim Said Bin Ahmed, and Najmuddin Hassanali, Eugene and Wendy Chernel, Kim Morby and Fazole Bhanji.

**BLAST FROM THE PAST** - 100 gms Kimbo selling at Shs. 1/40, while the 250 gms. pack selling at a whopping Shs. 3/50.



## Wema Centre Gala Dinner Will Be Held At The Nyali International Beach Hotel

The Wema Centre was founded in 1993 in response to an ever-increasing problem of street children in Mombasa and Coast region.

We are now in our 18th year of operation and have reached over 10,000 children through holistic care and support, including education, shelter and nutrition, vocational training and psychosocial support in Mombasa and poor surrounding communities such as Mwembelegeza, Marimani, Mworoto slums and across boundaries into Thika town in Central Province.

Our achievements in the last one-year include:

successfully tracing and reunifying at least 50 children with their families;

some of our beneficiaries graduated from University, and various tertiary colleges and 300 children were accepted into schools.

We distributed 231 solar study lamps in Marimani and Mwembelegeza thus ensuring 2500 children had light for their evening studies and homework.

Our powerful psychosocial support program reached over 3,500 school children through Scouts clubs established in our partner schools.

We have also partnered with BOMU Medical Clinic to establish a weekly HIV/AIDS treatment clinic at our Bamburi medical facility that supports our beneficiaries and their caregivers from the Bamburi and Mwembelegeza communities.

It would not have been possible to achieve this level of impact in

the lives of so many needy children without the contribution from last year's fundraising dinner.

Our target this year is Kshs. 15 million which will help us meet our goals and continue to transform street children and other disadvantaged young people into fulfilled adults.

It is in this regard that we invite Coastweek readers to participate

in this year's fundraising Gala Dinner to be held at the Nyali International Beach Hotel on Friday, 2nd of December 2011 starting 7.00 pm by making a reservation for a corporate table for 10 at Kshs. 150,000/-

This will offer your company an opportunity to display a pull-up banner and you will receive due recognition and other publicity during the event in addition to

having a fun filled evening.

We look forward to your support and participation.

Together we can make a difference in a child's life.

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## SWEEPING OUR COASTLINE CLEAN

**Hello Environmental Concerned Friends, Citizens, School Boys, Girls, Sponsors, VIPs, Corporate Boss, Politicians, Activist lobbyist, Partners and all our elite Rowers and Paddlers and Medalists:**

Invitation - Join us for, 2011 Uhuru Marine Clean Up And Tree Planting "Homage To Kenyas' Great Environmental Heroine, Warrior And Nobel Peace Prize Winner Prof. Wangari Mathai" on Saturday December 10 at 0800hrs -1200hrs

Join us to pay homage to The great warrior who fought many battles for the sake of protection of our countries environment, Trees And Water Catchment - Prof Wangari Mathai, this "Shujaa" must never be forgotten for what she did for Kenya and for the protection of Global Environment.

Come to Tudor Water Sports Marina, Tom mboya Street, next to St Augustines School Tudor Creek, Mombasa at 8.00 a.m. on 10th December.

We will endeavor to sweep 10 km of our coastline and mangrove forest of harmful plastics and other pollutants from the Sea, Beaches and Mangrove Forests to stop their eventual deposit in to the ocean and beaches and causing damage and deaths to Fish and Corals. We will plant trees to replace mangrove trees and other forests.

There is a lot of garbage that 'Me And You' produce which ends up in the sea, we think collecting ten tons or more of pollutants from the

beach and sea on this day would not be far fetched, we also aim to plant about 1,000 trees with your help and we expect you will one of over 1,000 individuals on this day.

Organized by Kenya Rowing and Canoe Association (KRACA), Confederation of African Canoeing (CAC) in conjunction with Tudor Water Sports Marina and various other Partners.

Do join us. It is the Project of Mombasa Town to revitalize this Scenic area of Tudor Creek for Water Sports, Tourism and Recreation through Tree planting and other beautification measure.

Kindly do not hesitate to offer your support in whatever other ways you wish.

Some of the key Requirements are ; Collection bags, Tree Seedlings, Drinking Water and Soft Drinks, Collection Trucks/Lorry, Motor boats and Fuel for transfer of collected items, Gloves, Wheelbarrows, Spades, Rakes, T-shirts and Certificates for Participants especially as encouragement to our younger volunteers.

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# 'Severin Sea Lodge' Chainé Formal Dinner At Fort Jesus

Chainé des Rotisseurs Mombasa enjoyed an unprecedented formal dinner at the historic Fort Jesus on Saturday 22nd October 2011.

Hosting the dinner was Severin Sea Lodge under the leadership

of the General Manager Mr. Andy Muir who is a Chainé member in his own right.

Mr. Muir and the Severin team paid great attention to the minutest detail from the menu which consisted of Smoked Norwegian Salmon Mouseline served on a bed of Russian red caviar with Melba toast.

A duo of Spinach and Leek cream soup garnished with fresh Chives, delicate poached stuffed Chicken breast with fresh asparagus tips, beetroot juice and a swirl of Saffron sauce.

Palate cleansing fresh Lemon sorbet.

Tender prime champion beef fillet on a classic sauce Robert, minted new potatoes with baby carrots and corn accompanied broccoli flowers.

A medley of desserts served Fort Jesus style, Arabian Coffee and Petit fours.

The service brigade was adorned with newly made Portuguese costumes complete with the tri cone hats.

The lighting was suitably subdued making full use of candlelight and hand held burning torches by staff dressed in the traditional Arab gowns.

The dinner was beautifully presented and served with impeccable precision as is required by the high standards of a Formal Chainé dinner.



Seen [from left] Hon. Secretary Mrs. Ann Maques, Bailli Honoraire Gurdeep S. Nayer, Bailli Mrs. Shabnam Nayer, Chevelier Gilles Shwarzrock, Mrs. Julia Shwarzrock, Vice Gastronomique, Marwan Misbah.

A few surprises included lighting up a giant Chainé logo immediately after the loyal toast to the rich background music of 'Vengelis'.

Beautifully and invitingly laid out loungers complete with Arabic carpets and Sheesha meant that members stayed on long after the formalities of the dinner were over!

Website: Memebrs may view photographs of the function at [www.chainemombasa.com](http://www.chainemombasa.com)



Severin Sea Lodge Service brigade in their beautiful costumes.

## German Reunification Celebration In Mombasa



Kuidip Sondhi making a speech during the Day of German Unity celebration in Mombasa on 8th October 2011. Both members of the German and Kenyan Community attended the function. Looking on are Saleem Ghalla and German Ambassador Mrs. Margit Halwig-Boatle. The event was hosted at the residence of Saleem Ghalla to celebrate the 22nd anniversary of German Reunification 50 years after the Berlin wall was built.

## Distribution Of 'Udhuhia' To Kwale Residents

The day to commemorate the Sunnah of Prophet Ibrahim (PBUH) when he laid his beloved son at the altar to sacrifice was once again remembered by Muslims around the world.

The best deed on Eid-ul-Adha is to offer sacrifice for the sake of Allah (SWT).

Faithful Muslims all over the world submit to the will of Allah (SWT) and sacrifice a part of their wealth for the benefit of the less fortunate.

They give charity to the poor

benefit thousands of men, women and children from the pangs of hunger.

Collectively over 3000 goats/sheep and hundreds of cows and camels were slaughtered throughout Kenya and the meat distributed to the deserving in several poor neighborhoods.

In Mombasa, some members of the Association joined Secretary Shaahid Sheikh in this ritual in rural areas of the Coast.

"As an involved member of the Association, I have experienced the transformative nature that such service can have on

Association Mombasa are doing in our own special way," states Shaahid Sheikh.

Members of the Muslim Association Mombasa and Young Muslim Association drive hours to reach rural villages and are personally involved in ensuring that no individual is overlooked and distribution is orderly.

Ustad Mohamed Matata, Islamic scholar in the Kwale area and through his involvement in the local community in Moyeni along with area Chief and Moyeni Mosque Chairman were present

Mombasa is truly lucky to have workers like Shaahid Sheikh because they understand the pains of the needy. We have been recipients of your many kindnesses.

"May Allah (SWT) bless you all and reward you for all the acts of kindness that we have witnessed. Ameen!



Yasin Gulam Member of Muslim Association Mombasa [second left], Shaahid Sheikh, Secretary Muslim Association Mombasa, Community Elder Mzee Chombo, Islamic Scholar Ustad Mohamed Matata, Arif Riiaz Member of Muslim Association Mombasa and Imam of Moyeni Mosque during the Qurbani (Udhuhia) Program in Kwale District.

and impoverished by making contributions and distributing meat.

These acts certainly spread happiness and good cheer amongst so many individuals and their families, especially during the festival of Eid-ul-Adha when Muslims are in the spirit of celebrations and sacrifice.

The Muslim Association Mombasa in collaboration with the Young Muslim Association, Nairobi once again organized the Udhuhia (sacrifice) program for this season which was carried out in various parts of Kenya to

individuals, and the way it becomes a positive, effective activity.

"It is exciting to see this sacrifice in areas where poverty and hunger persists.

"I have always felt the membership of the Muslim Association Mombasa has made a significant difference in the lives of those in need and the less fortunate.

"I can honestly say, we are making a positive difference in the lives of many around us, because I have been part of what members of the Muslim

to witness the orderly distribution in Kwale district.

On behalf of the community, Ustad Matata thanked and prayed for the members of the Muslim Association Mombasa and the generous donors and stated, "During this time of the year and the month of Ramadhan members of the Muslim Association Mombasa have always given us an unforgettable gift of love and human kindness accorded to the deserving people of our area, we have witnessed how compassion towards the poor is so beautifully being carried out by members of the Association.

"The Muslim Association

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# Champagne And Wine Flowed Freely - And We Were In Extremely High Spirits

The fourth of the 'precious moments' was also in a mass transit setting and this time it was in London.

As in the previous precious moment, the underground in London has its peak hours and its low occupancy times.

However, even in the off peak times the London underground is still fairly busy compared to mass transit systems elsewhere including the one in a heavily populated metropolis like Shanghai.

The latter however boasts that it has the largest number of kilometres of mass transit railway per capita of population than any other city in the world.

Even with this boast, the underground railway system there is very crowded with no standing room during peak hours.

The interchange stations, though spacious and commuter friendly are also crowded during the two peak times in the morning and evening. Back to London.

The underground service is generally reliable and when there are issues, the operators are quite switched on and will announce repeatedly about challenges they are experiencing in delivering a service and advise commuters as to what alternatives they should take or what impact the disruptions will have on their journeys.

The only gripe that I have with this mass transit system is the quality of air.

Whilst it may meet the technical specifications of breathable air it has a residual pong that is unique to the London underground.

It is not offensive and one can get used to it quickly but for irregular visitors like me, the smell sticks out each time we enter for the first time.

After a couple of days of use then one gets accustomed to the smell and life goes on.

It was one late evening after dinner and theatre in the West End with my business hosts and due to the nature of the evening

we had decided that we would not take cars to the outing.

We were celebrating the signing of a major deal with a client in an emerging market in a former Soviet state.

The business model for us was extremely good and we decided to have a ball.

Champagne and wine flowed freely and we were in extremely high spirits at the end of what was a great day for our partnership.

Two of us were staying in the same hotel having come from Africa which is where the source countries for the commodities were.

The rest were locals and scattered in different directions.

As is usual at the late hour of the night, the underground trains were few and far between but they still ran on schedule.

Locals knew the times and the station seemed empty for ages as we waited and then suddenly it seemed to fill up as the more knowledgeable locals arrived on schedule.

They were wither fully sober or in different stages of inebriation.

There was a larger number of the latter and the platform at the station became quite noisy.

As the train arrived and the various groups got into the coaches, the level of noise dropped except for some loud drunk groups that we could hear in other coaches.

Ours was relatively quiet.

As is usual most of the people who were alone preferred to sit away from others and this happened in our coach.

There were relatively few people and enough seats for us to scatter around freely.

My colleague was attracted to a single lady who was sat by herself on one of the seats reading a book.

the normal backward facing baseball cap.

A few minutes after the train took off, he started talking.

Every second word he used was a swear word and he had so many up his sleeve that he did not repeat any for at least a couple of minutes.

He was talking to himself but looked straight at the hapless lady who was sitting adjacent to him.

She could not get up and out as the train was moving and not near a station.

There were also no free seats that she could move to so she had to sit through this swearing demonstration.

The fellow got louder and dirtier and the lady got more and more uncomfortable.

Eventually a couple of fellows got up and went to her rescue.

They were also typical yobs and could only speak in sentences that were liberally sprinkled with four letter words.

They started to admonish the drunk fellow and they entered into a slanging match that was liberally punctuated with swear words.

This was to the amusement of the rest of us in the train coach.

The train stopped at a station and in the confusion, the embarrassed lady was able to extract herself from the corner in which she had found herself and was able to find another seat.

The slanging match continued



The question was why would someone be reading a book at nearly midnight!

We got talking about her and her attributes and she must have realised from the glances and toned down conversation.

She started adjusting various items around her person to cover the discomfort that came with the glances from the two of us.

Several stations down the track, the coach began to fill up a bit and at one of them a fellow got on who appeared to be quite drunk but was relatively quiet as he got in.

He went and sat next to this pretty lady and drooped his head.

He was the typical early twenties specimen with bum holding trousers, loggers boots and plenty of bling.

He topped his appearance with

## Dentist Can Save You Money And Your Tooth

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) -- A meet with a dentist is one thing that many dread. It's a day that no one looks forward to, writes Ejidiah Wangui.**

But to Mary Atabo, that moment when she gathered the courage to visit a dentist, changed her life.

Having been brought up in a small village in Turkana, she was forced to go through an initiation process through which any teenage girl loses more than four

of her front teeth on the lower jaw.

It is a process she says is highly regarded and no one can escape.

"To us, it is taken as a sign of beauty, every girl who undergoes it acquires a new status, we get a sense of belonging as young adults in our societies, but reality hits us later that losing our teeth is not the only way that one can pass as adult," she says.

Atabo, a graduate from the

University of Nairobi and now a girl child rights crusader, says she has spent over 200,000 shillings (around 2,000 U.S. dollars) to replace her teeth.

"When I joined the university, I realized there were more beautiful girls whose teeth were intact, having come from Turkana, I thought of no other beauty, but I am happy now, thanks to technology, my four teeth which I lost have been restored. I can smile with confi-

dence again," she told Xinhua during an interview during a free dental check up recently in Nairobi.

Like Atabo, many other Kenyans have lost one or more teeth in their adulthood.

According to Dr. Amish Doshi, a senior dentist at Lions Dental Unit in Loresho, though replacing a tooth is not as expensive as it were some years ago, many Kenyans lose their teeth due to the failure or lack of having a dental checkup regularly.

Doshi says there are several ways to replace a lost tooth which include removable dentures and fixed bridges even though with technology advancements, one can choose to have an implant which resembles the rest of the teeth.

"Implants feel like your own natural tooth, a dental implant offers comfort and stability, but even with such replacements available, I still call upon Kenyans to realize the importance of visiting dentists," adds Dr. Doshi.

And according to Doshi, dental loss sometimes reduces self confidence and can at times rob off someone's smile. He says Lions Dental Unit seeks to provide ideal and comfortable dental care to all, especially the less fortunate members of the society and to check the emerging cases of oral health problems.

The unit has been of profound help to the needy and poor patients who have benefited from high-quality care at highly-subsidized costs and free to those who cannot afford," says Dr. Doshi.

According to Doshi, many Kenyans are not aware of the importance of visiting a dentist.

"It is very unfortunate that many visit a dentist only when they have a tooth ache.

"Everyone should take it a habit to visit their dentists at least once in an year," says Doshi.

### LIFE IS JUST A LAUGH



"I tried to pay for my Porsche by cheque - but the bank bounced."



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# HIGH COST OF LIVING REALLY HURTS OUR UNIVERSITY STUDENTS

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) --** High cost of living in Kenya caused by increased inflation, a weakening shilling and escalating fuel prices has disrupted lives of millions of people, writes Bedah Mengo.

Top on the list of those worst off by the growing crisis are thousands of students in universities and other institutions who are learning across the East African nation.

With many of them relying on loans and bursaries from the government because of their poor backgrounds, life for the students has hit rock bottom.

Most of them can barely afford to pay their tuition fees, accommodation and still cater for their other needs from the loans they receive from the

## Hassan Faisal Ali Is Now At Sunny Side

Hassan Faisal Ali has been appointed as the Operations Manager for Sunny Side Apartments, Cuba Libre Bar and Restaurant plus Pirates Beach Bar.

Hassan, who was formerly working as Manager at the Tamarind Village, comes with 24 years experience in hospitality industry having previously also worked with Sarova hotels and African tours and hotels.

This corrects last week's muddled report in Coastweek - the error is regretted: ED.

Higher Education Loans Board (Helb), an institution that offers financial support to students both locally and abroad.

The institution operates under a cost sharing policy where a student pays part of his fees and Helb tops it up with the loan.

In Kenya currently, a student at a public university who is under the government sponsored programme is required to pay about 510 U.S. dollars per year.

Out of this amount, according to Helb, it awards a maximum loan of 568 dollars and a bursary of 81 dollars to the neediest students.

This means that most students after paying their fees remain with a paltry 51 dollars, which they are supposed to use the entire year.

"Life has become very difficult in campus because of the rising cost of living in the country.

"Many students can barely afford their basic needs," said Jeremy Gachie on Thursday, a student at Kenyatta University in the capital Nairobi.

Gachie noted that many students are helpless and are suffering in silence.

"We understand that inflation is not affecting only us but the fact that we do not have sources of income has worsened our plight.

"The money that we get can barely last a semester yet we are supposed to use that for the entire academic year, which lasts six months," he said.

According to the student, the loans they get from Helb have not been increased for many years to correspond with rising

cost of living.

"I have a brother who was learning here six years ago and he was getting the same amount of money.

"Then, it was enough and he used to give me pocket money from it."

"Today, I am still getting the same amount of money yet the cost of living has doubled," he said.

Data from Kenya National Bureau of Statistics (KNBS) released in October indicates that the country's inflation rose to 18.91 per cent from 17.32 per cent in September.

This is six times higher than it was in the same period a year ago.

Similarly, prices of various food products have increased significantly.

These include beef, sugar, milk, wheat flour, groceries, rice and cooking fat.

KNBS blamed the increase in the cost of living on a weak currency, high fuels prices, failure of rains, which has affected agricultural production and food shortages.

The institution noted that the rise in prices will continue pushing up inflation to 20 per cent by December.

To survive, Gachie said that most students in universities have devised various strategies.

"Some are skipping meals while others have decided to do away with things like sugar. Many have also cut their budgets on education items.

"They are not buying textbooks," he said.

On the other hand, the lucky

ones have taken up part time jobs to make extra money to survive.

Sadly, they are doing this at the expense of their studies.

Sheila, a third year student at Nairobi University in Kenya's city centre said she has taken a part time job to get extra money.

"I am teaching business English and computer studies at a college in the city centre.

"I have classes every day at the college, which I must attend," she said.

"At the same time, she also has to attend her classes at the university.

"It is a tough act balancing between studies and work.

"Most of the time, I find myself missing classes at the university because of the demands of my work," she said.

From her part time work, Sheila makes 183 dollars a month.

"This is a good amount of money that I use to pay for my hostel fees and cater for my other needs," said the student, who is under a self-sponsored programme at the institution.

"My parents pay for my fees and give me pocket money, which is not enough bearing in mind that prices of items has increased, but I cannot keep on going back to them for more," she added.

Sheila said many of her colleagues are engaging in various ventures to survive.

"There are some who are engaged in saloon business, cooking snacks while others are offering computer services.

"This enables them to get extra money for survival," she noted.



Customer Service Superintendent Dorothy Omamo [second right] shows how to test a vehicle battery. Looking on [from left] are Dominic Mayeye, Judy Nyambura and Mary Nyambura.

## Keeping Dealers Alert On Vehicle Battery Know-How

Chloride Exide Kenya Limited, the largest battery, solar and power back-up systems supplier in East Africa, recently held a two day seminar on car battery knowledge for local dealers.

This was the latest event in the Company's countrywide and year-long series of training sessions on its products and services.

Dorothy Omamo, the Customer Services Superintendent, explained:

"Among the topics that were covered in the conference were battery construction, commissioning, care and maintenance tips. Participants were briefed on the different types of batteries supplied by the Company and their functions."

"The facilitators guided the participants on answering the questions which are frequently asked about Chloride Exide batteries by customers. These included the type and amount of acid required for a battery, the importance of having battery testing tools to help with checking claims, charging automotive and solar batteries before sale and handling questions on battery problems."

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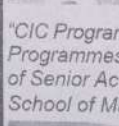
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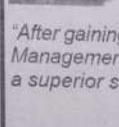
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The operations manager of Leisure Lodge resort John Shaban (left) in a jovial mood after he received Teddy Glatfelder and his wife Edith from Switzerland on arrival at their hotel. The couple has been visiting the country and staying in the hotel for the last seventeen years.



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Joachim Steuerwald from UK and Hellen Onyango pose for a photograph after their wedding ceremony held at Mombasa Continental resort over the weekend. The colourful ceremony was attended by members of family from both sides and invited guests.



Over the past years, Sarova Whitesands Beach Resort and Spa has been buying trees for Christmas Tree Lighting. In an initiative towards Environmental Conservation, and to avoid cutting down of trees the Regional General Manager, Sarova Hotels; Coast Region Mohammed Hersi, came up with a great idea of planting trees that will live on even after Christmas. The exercise that started this year, will be repeated in the years to come. As seen in the picture is the Food and Beverage Team of Sarova Whitesands planting their Christmas tree in readiness for the festive season. Sarova Whitesands Executive Chef Gurpreet Singh (left) and Sous Chef Joseph Mbiti.



Mji wa Salama Children's Home with Rotary Club of Kilindini. Seen (from left) Administrator Mji wa Salama Susan Kuria, baby Ida, Rtn Nizar, Mrs Parker, Rtn Blandina, Mr. David, Rtn Anil Dodhia, President R.C.K. Rtn Rajesh Shukla, baby Montana, Rtn Ramesh Pandya, Hussein and Chairman and Trustee of Mji wa Salama Vinod Dattani.



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The Chairman of Shariff Nassir Foundation Abdullswamad Nassir (left) hands over his donation of lunch boxes to candidates sitting for KCPE to the Secretary General of KNUST Mombasa branch, Ahaya Juma Ahaya. The Shariff Nassir Foundation donate free lunch to over 6,000 candidates, sitting the Kenya Certificate of Primary Education in Mombasa. The examination candidates will each receive a packed lunch consisting of vegetable or egg sandwich, an apple, two bananas and two bottles of drinking water. The food donations were transported to fifty schools is worth KSh2 million and will also feed invigilators and examination supervisors.



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# Two Top Athletes Named In List For 2011 World Athletic Of Year

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) — World marathon record holder Patrick Makau is not surprised not to have made it to the final three for the 2011 IAAF Athlete of the Year.**

Makau, who set a new world record over the 42km of 2:03:38 in the Berlin marathon in September, was among the three Kenyan athletes short-listed for the prestigious award, which will be given to the winners on Nov. 12 in Monaco.

"I have not done enough. Winning the world record and looking at other performances this year shows that I need to do more and maybe if I win the Olympics, then I stand a chance," said Makau, Friday in Nairobi.

Double World 5,000 and 10,000m champion Vivian Cheruiyot and world 800m champion David Rudisha have been named in the final three athletes for each gender after the initial vote that had top ten men and women performers this year.

Rudisha is the male winner in 2010.

This is the second year in a row that Kenyans have dominated the provisional list of selected candidates for the top athletics crown.

Last year, Rudisha and Milcah Chemos were named.

The IAAF had initially announced the list of names of the 10 men and 10 women.



An IAAF panel of eight athletics experts selected the 10 male and female candidates. "With just over one week to go to the celebration of the 2011 World Athletics Gala, the IAAF has the pleasure to announce the three male and three female athletes who are still in contention to become the 2011 World Athlete of the Year.

Following a three-week poll, the three male and three female athletes who gathered the most votes Yohan Blake (Jamaica), Usain Bolt (Jamaica), and Rudisha.

The female are Valerie Adams

(New Zealand), Cheruiyot and Sally Pearson (Australia).

Already Cheruiyot has expressed optimism, she will be crowned the new female athlete of the year.

Cheruiyot's feat has given the world a new imagination joining an elusive group of athletes who have struck gold twice in the same championship.

Cheruiyot claimed both the 5,000m and 10,000m titles in Daegu, South Korea last month.

"I believe the performance was good enough to prove to the world that I was the hottest athlete in 2011.

"I have also won the Diamond League, which makes me the world number one in the 5,000m distance," she earlier said.



Gurbux Singh [left], Green Wood Trophy Winner at NGCC, receives a Trophy from Kelli Mulndi.

## GREEN WOOD TROPHY AND 'NOVEMBER MUG'



Martin Wahome A-Division Winner during November Mug. Receives a Mug from NGCC Vice-Chairman Gurbux Singh.

## COAST BRIDGE with C.P. SHAH

In the following hand Three 'No' Trump was possible to make but careless play by the Declarer made it go one down.

DEALER: NORTH NEITHER SIDE VULNERABLE BIDDING:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
ONE DIAMOND (1)	PASS	ONE 'NO' TRUMP (1)	PASS
THREE 'NO' TRUMPS	ALL PASS		

1. Playing Five Card Majors. Unwilling to give up a cheap Heart trick, West led a Ten of Spades. Declarer played low from hand. East won his King and switched to the Knave of Hearts. Declarer was now sunk. He covered with the King (or Knave would have won

**NORTH**

♠	A Q 8 5
♥	10 4
♦	A K Q 8
♣	A 9 5

**WEST**

♠	10 9 7 2
♥	A Q 6 3
♦	5 3 2
♣	J 2

**EAST**

♠	K 4
♥	J 9 8 5
♦	10 6 4
♣	10 7 6 3

**SOUTH**

♠	J 6 3
♥	K 7 2
♦	J 9 7
♣	K Q 8 4

the trick). West could win the Ace, cash the Queen and follow with a third Heart over East's Nine-Eight. Down One. The indicated play is to rise with the Ace, then play to make Four Club tricks. Cash the Ace, lead the Nine to the King, then, noting West's Knave fall (making it twice as likely that East has the Adjacent Ten - The Principal of Restricted Choice) cross to a Top Diamond and finesse the Eight of Clubs. One further Club and Three more top Diamonds would make Nine tricks and game made.

## Bwibo Claims Fifth Position In Rowing Olympic Qualification

In the Finals of London Olympic games Rowing Qualification held in Alexandria, Egypt, Kelvin Bwibo of Kenya finishes 5th In the Final A, being a photo finish between 3 boats Tunisia, Kenya and Algeria for the last and 4th qualification spot.

Kelvin finishing 5th by a cats' whisker a mere 0.78 seconds behind Tunisia, overall Kelvin finishes 5th out of 15 countries, at this moment not managing to secure the first 4 guaranteed spots for London Olympic Games Continental Qualification.

Diana Natecho of Kenya finishes 6th in Final A and finishing 6th overall out of 12 countries.

However these results are subject to final confirmation International Rowing Federations since some NOC of the qualifiers having not confirmed their athlete's participation in Olympic Games

due to various reasons. Some of the NOC having set certain targets for their athletes as in the case of Tunisia, which is unsure of confirming its rower(s) as was the case in 2008 Beijing Olympic games, in which case Kelvin Bwibo of Kenya would then be confirmed to take the available spot in the London Olympic games.

International Rowing federation will announce the final qualifiers in early January 2012 after compiling all the completed Continental Qualifiers.

Rowing Africa Continental Olympic Qualification: FA Men 1X-2000 M:- 1st EGY; Mohamed Hassnin Nour El Din- 7:09.70, 2nd ZIM; Frasher Mackenzie Jamie- 7:22.65, 3rd CMR; Etia N'doumbe Paul- 7:24.98, 4th TUN; Mejrri Aymen- 7:29.60, 5th KEN; Bwibo Kelvin- 7:30.38, 6th ALG; Boudina Sid Ali - 7:30.76. FA-Women 1X; 2000 M:- 1st ZIM; Thornycroft Micheen- 8:09.70, 2nd ALG; Rouba Amina- 8:16.74, 3rd TUN; Soula Racha- 8:21.88, 4th EGY; Mohamed Abdelaziz

Special Report by Correspondent

## Kenya Airways Defeat Upper Hill In Basketball

Kenya Airways Men Basketball team is the winner of this year's inter-provincial basketball tournament after defeating Upper Hill School by 49- 43 points in the final, writes TOBBY OTUM.

But both teams have qualified to Division one basketball play off after they

reached to finals of the two day tournament played at Mombasa Sports Club at the weekend.

The school boys send airline carrier to panic after the winners lost first quarter with half basket 15-19 and third quarter 10-14 points.

During the second quarters the winners managed to score 13-9 points and last quarter 10-5 points.

The final match was fast moving game, which generated into a sea-saw with both teams displaying classic basketball.

Enroute to the final, the new champions beat under dogs Kiembeni Heats by 48 against 28 while the runners up beat stubborn Kenyatta University popular knows as pirates 45 against 35 points.



## Coast Locals In Bucharest

Fans at a recent Champions league game between Manchester United and Otelul Galati FC in Bucharest were left wondering why these two were carrying a flag which did not relate to the teams playing. For Suhail Malik and Jay Thanki, third year medical students from Mombasa, it was just a patriotic gesture for the motherland they love and miss.

### Right Foot And Putter

IF YOU'RE HAVING TROUBLE KEEPING THE FACE OF THE PUTTER SQUARE ON SHORT PUTTS, TRY THIS EXERCISE. SET UP WITH YOUR RIGHT FOOT AT 90 DEGREES TO THE TARGET LINE. THEN AS YOU TAKE THE PUTTER BACK, TRY TO KEEP THE FACE PARALLEL TO YOUR FOOT. YOU'LL SOON BE KNOCKING IN THOSE THREE FOOTERS.

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MOMBASA AND NAIROBI

EXCLUSIVE - GREG NORMANS' GOLF LESSONS

## KENYA PREMIER LEAGUE

Bandari FC, Now  
The Only Hope  
For Coast Region

Coast representatives in the Kenya Premier League (KPL), Bandari and Congo United will have no fixtures this weekend.

Bandari put up sterling performance to beat Karuturi Sports 1-0 during a match played in Naivasha last weekend while Congo dropped crucial points when they were beaten 4-0 by AFC Leopards at Mumias Sports Complex.

Meanwhile, Congo United supporters have been urged by their club to rally behind Bandari FC in the remaining Kenya Premier League (KPL) matches so that they are not relegated next season.

The Mombasa based non-institutional club was now calling its supporters to ensure that they motivate their counterparts from the region since they have no chance to survive the big drop.

Bandari FC rekindled their hope to remain in the league over the weekend after winning by a solitary goal against the Flower boys, Karuturi Sports.

The Portsmen team is a point away from City Stars and should the team win all the remaining two matches, they will not be relegated.

Congo United Technical director, Aref Baghazally said the 4-2 loss against AFC Leopards had sealed their chances to remain in the league.

"At the moment, we wish Bandari FC the best in their remaining matches at least for the region to have a representative next year," he said.

"To our supporters, it is high time they come out in large numbers to support Bandari FC during their encounter with Thika United on November 18 at Mbaraki Sports Club," said Baghazally.

He said his team's dismal performances especially in recent matches resulted from the difficult environment that they played their matches.

"Despite financial problems, I thank our players for remaining united and put up spirited display regardless of accumulated salaries and allowances," he said.

Asked if they will be ready to participate in the league if they are given a chance, Baghazally responded positively and promised the team to be stronger.

"We've learnt a lot this season and if we get another chance, we are definitely going to perform better," he said.

Special Report by  
Correspondent

IAN DUNCAN LANDS CYN ENERGY BOOST  
AHEAD OF EAST AFRICAN SAFARI CLASSIC

**DEFENDING Champion Ian Duncan anticipates better reliability from his new Ford Capri contraption as the multiple Kenya Champion puts final touches to his Kenya Airways East African Safari Classic Rally preparations, writes SAMSON ATEKA.**

Duncan, who won the KQ Safari Classic Rally in 2009 driving a Ford Mustang and most recently the Kenya National Rally Championship (KNRC) title for the sixth time, remained optimistic after test-driving his new car for approximately a 1000km!

The World's Toughest Rally starts and ends in Mombasa from November 19 to 28.

Duncan got a shot in the arm today when CYN Energy came on board as his title sponsors with an admirable package of Ksh. 1.5million.

Race4Change, Sopa Lodges, Pirelli and Mudheer Engineering Limited are Duncan's support sponsors.

CYN Energy, a recent entrant to the Kenyan oil market, is backing Ian Duncan and Amaar Slach in their defense of the coveted title whose contestants will traverse some of the most

picturesque sites around Kenya and Tanzania.

Yasmin Mughal, the Chief Executive Officer of CYN Energy admits to being a long time fan of Duncan but says that's not the reason the Company is

volumes of his spirited drive and we wish him all the best in the rally. We have no doubt that he will excel again," said Duncan.

After the sponsorship launch, Duncan was all smiles and optimistic that the boost will go a

car is getting really good after recent test drives.

"We've driven it up to a 1000 kilometers and its getting alright. We are still tuning the suspension a bit and it should be slightly better than the Mustang.



CYN Energy Chief Executive Yasmin Mughal signs a dummy Cheque during the sponsorship launch for rally driver Ian Duncan [left] and navigator Amaar Slach.

sponsoring him.

"Duncan's past performance in the rallying scene speaks

long way in boosting his title defense.

"It's really a great honor to be recognized by CYN Energy.

"This rally is a prestigious Rally for the country; so thanks to CYN Energy as we can now cover our entry fee," said Duncan.

Asked if he is under pressure to deliver to his sponsors, Duncan continued:

"It makes it much easier if we have some backing because getting sponsorship in Kenya is quite hard these days but obviously we were going to put all we could in the rally and this makes it more serious that other people are excepting

"Hopefully, the Rally is going to be rough, so we expect that the car is going to work really well on the rough and stay in one piece," offered Duncan.

Duncan is excited by the fact that that the Capri will be more competitive and reliable.

"The last time we build the Mustang was 2005/2006 but then they have changed a lot of the rules and it has become very expensive to change the Mustang into the current day rules; so I found one cheap shell for the Ford Capri and we decided that this is the better way to go," said Duncan.

Navigator Amaar sounded quite febrile on his part: "It's been a couple of good years with Ian

"I started navigating Ian in 2005 and in our first Classic in 2007; we didn't get too far, so we ended up on our roof.

"So from then on we have a good partnership and our ups and downs too.

"This year, we have gone into a competitive Group N car which has actually made us a level playing field with other boys and we won the KNRC in that Group N, but the other years were fun in the pickups which more exciting and more hair-raising."



Amaar Slach, Ian Duncan and CYN Energy Chief executive Yasmin Mughal.

good things from us.

"But that's rallying and anything can happen.

"And yes, we working really hard on the car; we are also working very hard on the logistics," said Duncan.

Duncan is happy that the new

Coach Francis Kimanzi Predicts  
Tough Match Against Seychelles

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) —** Kenya's new Harambee Stars head coach, Francis Kimanzi, on Monday predicted a tough match for the side as the countdown to Saturday's away 2014 World Cup pre-qualifier against Seychelles began.

Kimanzi, who was reappointed to the helm after he was fired in February 2009, reported for his first training session with the team that featured 10 defenders on Monday.

"It will be difficult playing them since I have never watched their video so I don't know how they play but we are going to use that advantage to hit back on Saturday," he said.

The coach who is also in charge of domestic top flight club, Sofapaka appraised the surprise call-up to his team,

youngster Clifton Miheso of Thika United.

"He is a good player I have watched him play, personally I have never trained with him and now that I am here I will make him turn out to be the best because he has the potential and he wants to learn," Kimanzi said.

South Africa based Dennis Odhiambo was the only overseas based player in camp with the rest that include the team captain, Dennis Oliech expected in on Tuesday.

Stars will hold a closed door training session on Wednesday before their departure for Seychelles.

The two sides will face each other in the return leg in Nairobi on Tuesday week with the aggregate winner joining the 2014 World Cup Africa qualifying group that has Nigeria, Malawi as well as either Djibouti or Namibia who will face-off in another pre-qualifier.

Yusuf Chipppo, who was reappointed to the assistant head coach and new goalkeeping trainer, Haggai Azambe were also present.

Francis Baraza, the other assistant coach named by Football Kenya Association had not arrived to take up his position.

Meanwhile, the government employed Harambee Stars Management Board (HSMB) whose mandate was to manage the team is still intact.

Kenya's Sports Minister, Dr. Paul Otuma declared on Monday that the board formed three-years ago had not been de-gazetted and would continue carrying on its duties with the new FKA administration in the interim.

"The mandate to run football lies with the team that has been elected but we also want not to be reckless.

"This team is just coming in, it needs to settle down, it needs a

proper system to hand over, so let us not be rushed, the responsibility is theirs at the end of the day but we cannot de-gazette HSMB, we want this team (FKA) to smoothly transition," Otuma stressed.

He was speaking after holding a consultative meeting with FKA's National Executive Committee led by their president, Sam Nyamweya and HSMB chairman Evans Kidero.

Nyamweya had announced last week that the entire board had stepped down and a new body was to be constituted with Kidero retaining his post.

"Let the board and federation sit quietly and see how the transition will take off.

"We will take over eventually and the chairman of the board and I will sit to see how this will happen," he said following the meeting.

BARAZA, CHIPPO APPOINTED  
AS NEW ASSISTANT COACHES

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) —** Kenya's football authorities have made changes to the national soccer team which is expected to travel to Seychelles later this week for the World Cup qualifying matches on Saturday.

Under the changes announced on Sunday by Football Kenya Association (FKA), Sony Sugar's head coach Francis Baraza and Yusuf Chipppo were appointed as national football team Harambee Stars' assistant coaches.

Sofapaka FC's Haggai Azande was appointed as goalkeeper's coach.

"I needed people I can trust.

"This job requires teamwork and I felt we can work together very well with them.

"I chose Baraza because he can relate well with the players and above all his work at Sony Sugar is testimony of his abilities," head coach Francis Kimanzi said of the appointments.

"I am happy with the appointment.

"I have been praying for this opportunity to help Kenya in a way.

"We will work as a team I thanks him for that faith in me.

"I thank Kenyans," Baraza, 37, said.

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## WARSHIPS SINK SKIFF: ARREST SOMALI PIRATES OFF TANZANIA

**FROM FRONT PAGE** NAVFOR, disrupted a pirate action group comprising a whaler and skiff, 50 nautical miles off the coast of Tanzania.

On detection, the suspect pirates jettisoned their pirate equipment overboard and were detained without resistance.

They have been transferred onboard FGS Koeln and the two pirate boats sunk, preventing their use against merchant shipping in the area.

EU NAVFOR Somalia is a counter-piracy taskforce operating in the area of the Gulf of Aden and the Indian Ocean responsible for repressing acts of piracy and for the safe escort of ships carrying World Food Program aid and vessels of the African Union Mission in Somalia (AMISOM).

Additionally, EU NAVFOR monitors fishing activity off the coast of Somalia.

Meanwhile the Singapore warship R.S.S. 'Endeavour' has disrupted two Somali pirate attacks while conducting counter-piracy operations east of the Internationally Recommended Transit Corridor (I.R.T.C.) in the Gulf of Aden

Combined Maritime Forces

(CMF) warship *RSS Endeavour*, assigned to the mission-based counter-piracy Combined Task Force (CTF) 151, disrupted separate attacks by suspected pirates on merchant vessels transiting the Arabian Sea south of Oman, November 1.

Merchant Shipping Industry Best Management Practices (BMP) encourages merchant vessels to register with the United Kingdom Maritime Trade Organisation (UKMTO) whilst in the high risk area for piracy.

The *MV BW Broker* contacted UKMTO at approximately 8:00 a.m. and stated they were being chased by a suspicious skiff with seven people on board.

A ladder, which is a tool used by pirates to board vessels, was visible in the skiff and this indicated to the crew that it may be pirates.

(CTF) 151 Commander, Rear Admiral Kaleem Shaukat, Pakistan Navy, authorized *RSS Endeavour* to take appropriate steps to respond.

*RSS Endeavour* altered course to intercept the *MV BW Broker* and established direct communication with the merchant vessel.

*RSS Endeavour* also launched

one of its embarked helicopters to rapidly provide direct support to the merchant vessel.

Buoyant with confidence due to *RSS Endeavour's* helicopter support, *MV BW Broker* used speed, evasive manoeuvring and other BMP measures to prevent the suspected pirates from boarding and they broke off their attack.

Less than two hours later, at approximately 10:00 a.m., CTF 151 received another report from a merchant vessel under attack from suspected pirates.

*MV Eika Athina*, in close proximity to the *MV BW Broker*, contacted *RSS Endeavour* via bridge-to-bridge radio and reported that their ship was being approached at high speed by another skiff.

The skiff had five persons on board carrying weapons.

Once again, a helicopter from *RSS Endeavour* was tasked to investigate and again the suspected pirates were deterred from boarding the merchant vessel. *RSS Endeavour's* helicopter then located the suspected pirate skiff and followed it to its mothership.

When the suspected pirate skiff and helicopter both reached the

vicinity of the suspected pirate dhow, communication was established between the helicopter and the suspected pirates.

The dhow was identified as a known pirate mothership that has previously been responsible for acts of attempted piracy.

*RSS Endeavour's* efforts resulted in the suspected pirates abandoning their attack skiff and retreating to their mothership.

*RSS Endeavour's* helicopter destroyed the attack skiff and all associated pirate equipment.

After these successful disruptions, Rear Adm. Shaukat said,

"The goal of Combined Task Force 151 is to deter and disrupt acts of piracy on the high seas.

"This morning's disruptions by *RSS Endeavour* were an excellent fulfilment of that goal.

"I commend the Commanding Officer and crew of *RSS Endeavour* on a job well done, and also thank CMF and the other naval forces in the area that cooperated in this successful disruption.

"Thanks to all of these combined efforts this morning, two merchant crews are safe and their vessels were able to continue to their destinations."

## NO RANSOM PAID TO SOMALI PIRATES FOR ALGERIAN HOSTAGES



The freighter *BLIDA* has been released from Somali pirate control without any ransom payment being made and is now en route to Mombasa. The 20,586 tonne Bulk Carrier *MV BLIDA*, Algerian flagged and owned, was pirated on January 01, 2011 approximately 150 nautical miles South East of the port of Salalah, Oman, while enroute to Dar es Salaam. PHOTO - COURTESY: EU NAVFOR

**ALGIERS (Xinhua)** -- The Algerian-flagged bulk carrier *MV Blida* and its Algerian crew members abducted by Somali pirates are expected to return home on Saturday, the shipowner said Tuesday.

Nacereddine Mansouri, executive officer of the shipowner International Bulk Carrier (IBC) told the local state-run radio station that *MV Blida* is heading

## Abducted Algerian Sailors To Return Home From Mombasa

to the port of Mombasa in Kenya with its crew members, and was due to reach port on Thursday.

The Algerian authorities have reserved a special flight to carry home the 16 Algerian sailors from

Mombasa on Saturday, Nacereddine said.

*MV Blida*, with 27 crew members, was kidnapped in the high seas by Somali pirates in January when it was heading for Mombasa and Dar es Salaam.

Two of the crew members, an Algerian and a Ukrainian, were released in early October, while the others hostage sailors were released last week.

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### KENYA TIDE TABLES

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**FRIDAY** High Water - 3.4 m. at 04.09 hrs. (4.09 a.m.) and 2.9 m. at 16.34 hrs. (4.34 p.m.). Low Water - 0.4 m. at 10.25 hrs. (10.25 a.m.) and 0.5 m. at 22.17 hrs. (10.17 p.m.).

**SATURDAY** High Water - 3.5 m. at 04.37 hrs. (4.37 a.m.) and 2.9 m. at 17.02 hrs. (5.02 p.m.). Low Water - 0.3 m. at 10.54 hrs. (10.54 a.m.) and 0.6 m. at 22.46 hrs. (10.46 p.m.).

**SUNDAY** High Water - 3.4 m. at 05.06 hrs. (5.06 a.m.) and 2.9 m. at 17.31 hrs. (5.31 p.m.). Low Water - 0.4 m. at 11.24 hrs. (11.24 a.m.) and 0.6 m. at 23.16 hrs. (11.16 p.m.).

**MONDAY** High Water - 3.4 m. at 05.36 hrs. (5.36 a.m.) and 2.8 m. at 18.02 hrs. (6.02 p.m.). Low Water - 0.4 m. at 11.57 hrs. (11.57 a.m.) and 0.7 m. at 23.48 hrs. (11.48 p.m.).

**TUESDAY** High Water - 3.3 m. at 06.09 hrs. (6.09 a.m.) and 2.7 m. at 18.38 hrs. (6.38 p.m.). Low Water - 0.6 m. at 12.32 hrs. (12.32 a.m.).

**WEDNESDAY** High Water - 3.1 m. at 06.46 hrs. (6.46 a.m.) and 2.6 m. at 19.20 hrs. (7.20 p.m.). Low Water - 0.8 m. at 00.24 hrs. (12.24 a.m.) and 0.7 m. at 13.11 hrs. (1.11 p.m.).

**THURSDAY** High Water - 2.9 m. at 07.31 hrs. (7.31 a.m.) and 2.5 m. at 20.14 hrs. (8.14 p.m.). Low Water - 1.0 m. at 01.07 hrs. (1.07 a.m.) and 0.9 m. at 13.57 hrs. (1.37 p.m.).

NOTE: Standard Port is Kilindini. ADD 40 minutes for Lamu and ADD five minutes for Malindi. 'No Change' for Kilifi and Diani.