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## GOODWILL VISIT OF INDIAN NAVY TO MOMBASA



INS Tarkash is a frigate equipped with state-of-the-art weapons and sensors.



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To enhance India's bilateral ties with Kenya and to promote maritime security in the Indian Ocean Region, Indian Naval Ships KOLKATA and TARKASH arrived at Mombasa on September 15, 2018 on a three-day goodwill visit. The ships are part of the Indian Navy's Western Fleet based at Mumbai under the Western Naval Command.



Indian Nav Vice Admiral Girish Luthra presents memento to Deputy County Commissioner, Mombasa, Mohammed Salim.

INS Kolkata is a frontline destroyer of the Indian Navy and has been built in India.

The ship is fitted with advanced weapons and sensors to combat threats from all maritime dimensions.

The ship is commanded by Captain Susheel Menon.

INS Tarkash is an equally potent frigate equipped with state-of-the-art weapons and sensors to meet multi-dimensional threats.

The ship is commanded by Captain Ajay Daniel Theophilus.

Both ships are carrying a helicopter as part of their integral outfit.

With maritime security being a key concern to, both, India and Kenya, the two Navies have been maintaining strong relations over the last several decades through regular interactions.

The Commander, Kenya Navy participated in both the Inter-

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national Fleet Reviews hosted by the Indian Navy in 2001 and 2016.

Indian Navy ships have been paying good will visits to Mombasa regularly.

In October 2014, four Indian Navy ships visited Mombasa.

This was followed by a good will visit by two Indian Navy ships in September 2016.

This was a landmark visit as the visiting Indian Naval ships carried out the first ever Passage Exercise with Kenya Navy Ship



Vice Admiral Girish Luthra, Flag Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Western Naval Command, Indian Navy presents a memento to Indian High Commissioner H.E. Suchitra Durai.





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It's time for a new adventure

**Kenya wildlife Service has acquired a fleet of 26 vehicles to be used for rapid response to human-wildlife conflicts and parks management.**

Twenty one of these will be used to facilitate officers address human wildlife conflict, four for security operations, while one will be used by researchers.

The vehicles form part of KWS force modernization programme which is in tandem with the organization's strategic plan 2017-2022.

The vehicles will also complement other measures in conservation activities, including the recently launched 43 kilometers wildlife fence in Rumuruti, Laikipia County, the ongoing Mount Kenya fencing, Meru Park, and the proposed Alia Kasigau fence in TaitaTaveta County.

It is anticipated that the motor vehicles will significantly aid in reducing human-wildlife conflicts, improve security and research around the country.

## KWS Acquires a New Fleet of Vehicles To Aid Conservation

The new fleet of vehicles was procured from internal savings from revenue generated by the organization. Earlier this year KWS acquired another 26 vehicles through assistance from USAID.

Tourism and Wildlife Cabinet Secretary, Najib Balala officially handed over the vehicles to field stations across the country at a brief ceremony at KWS headquarters in Nairobi.

He said his ministry in consultation with the national Treasury will explore ways of enhancing financial allocation to KWS to purchase necessary equipment for conservation activities and to facilitate pending compensation claims.

The Cabinet Secretary

added his ministry will work with other stakeholders in the wildlife conservation and tourism industry through structured engagement in seeking solutions to mitigate human-wildlife conflicts, which remains one of the biggest challenges in wildlife conservation in Kenya.

"My ministry takes a keen interest in wildlife conservation, protection and management because it is an important pillar that supports the "Big four" government agenda", he said.

He added "control of human-wildlife conflicts through crop protection and predation from wild carnivores cushions farmers from crop and livestock losses, ensuring food security in the country".

The Cabinet secretary challenged KWS to deploy all resources at her disposal to address human-wildlife conflicts as it was giving the organization a bad name.

He also urged the management to strive to re-engineer the organization's parks and reserves in terms of products and services offered to stave off stiff competition from private conservancies for tourists.

Mr. Balala reiterated that conservation, protection and research of wildlife are important for promoting tourism, which is a critical sector in generating foreign exchange and employment that the country dearly needs.

## Kenya is to Strengthen Commodity Cooperatives to Improve Food Security

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) — Kenya plans to strengthen commodity cooperatives in order to improve security, a senior government official said on Tuesday.**

Peter Munya, cabinet secretary in the Ministry of Trade and Cooperatives, told a cooperative forum in Nairobi that most farmers are members of cooperative movements critical in aggregating food produce for onward selling.

"The government is focusing on ensuring that cooperatives in various value chains including coffee, fruits, vegetables and cotton are strengthened so as to improve the country's food security situation," Munya said at the official launch of the Kenya Society of Professional Cooperators (KSPC) and unveiling of the curriculum certified cooperative professionals.

Munya said the objective of forming the profession is to address critical gaps that exist in the cooperative service delivery as a result of lack of an organized coordinated think tank of professional practitioners in cooperative development.

"It is envisaged that the cooperators body will professionalism in the sector by safeguarding the principles and values that has made a cooperative entity for socioeconomic development," he observed.

Munya said the government has a responsibility to ensure governance standards of the cooperative sector to attract investment through promotion of member participation and professional service delivery.

The State Department for Cooperatives in liaison with other government agencies is eager to strengthen commodity cooperatives to increase agricultural production and productivity especially small scale farmers.

Munya said over 14 million Kenyans are members of cooperative movements.

He noted that the cooperative movement has a responsibility in supporting the growth and development of Kenyans.

"This is through provision of savings and credit for investment and housing.

"They have also played and will continue to play a key role in food security, health, education and enterprise development," he noted.

He said cooperatives have been identified as important entities that will contribute to the delivery of President Uhuru Kenyatta's Big four agenda on manufacturing, affordable housing, healthcare and food security.

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# LIONS MOMBASA PWANI DONATE FREE WATER BOREHOLES IN SOUTH COAST

Lions Club of Mombasa Pwani donated three Free Water Boreholes in the South Coast on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> September. The boreholes were financed by the Parikh family from Mumbai.



Seen (from left) Vinod Dattani, Lion Mahendra C. Shah, Lion Dr. Mukesh Shah, Lion Pratul Mehta, Lion Rajiv Dubey, Water Conservation Convener Lion Dr. Lata Magon, Lion Lady Marcie Mehta with villagers.



Seen (from left) Lion Lady Marcie, Principal of Jomo Kenyatta Primary School, Lion Mahendra C. Shah, behind - Lion Dr. Mukesh Shah, Vinod Dattani, Mr. Kariuki, Lion Pratul Mehta, Lion Rajiv Dubey and Water Conservation Convener Lion Dr. Lata Magon.

Members went as far as Msambweni which is nearly 60 km away from Mombasa.  
**MUVUANI BOREHOLE**  
The first one was donated to the Muvuani Village in Kwale.

The chief and villagers thanked the club members for the donation.  
**JOMOKENYATTA BOREHOLE**  
Second borehole was donated to Jomo Kenyatta Primary School

The third borehole was donated to Msambweni Primary School. This school also has had no provision of water.



Seen (from left) Vinod Dattani, Lion Mahendra C. Shah, Lion Dr. Mukesh Shah, Teachers of Msambweni Primary School with Water Conservation Convener Lion Dr. Lata Magon, Lion Rajiv Dubey, Lion Pratul Mehta (partly hidden), Lion Lady Marcie with Principle of Msambweni (right).

Nearly 3000 people will benefit from this borehole. Villagers came in large numbers to witness the commissioning of the borehole. Trees were planted around the borehole and all the villagers were given a packet of Maizemeal before we left the place.

where they had had no provision for water. The school has 1500 students. Their parents and the villagers from around that area will benefit also from this borehole. Ten tree saplings were planted in the school and Maizemeal packets were given to all students, staff and parents before we left the place  
**MSAMBWENI BOREHOLE**

## Red Cross Luncheon Party

Planned yearly, since 1978... Mombasa County through the Branch Welfare office hosted Red Cross Luncheon Party 2018 at the Aga Khan Academy premises on 9<sup>th</sup> September.

The event programme started a day prior as we made arrangements for decoration and setting up of venue till late.

The Branch County Coordinator Mr. Mohamed Rafik noted that A total of 18 Special Schools and Old aged home participated as listed herein;

- Portreize school for physically handicapped
- APDK Rehabilitation centre
- Likoni School for the blind
- Mombasa Children Home
- Tudor School for mentally challenged
- Ziwani School for the deaf
- Tom Mboya school for children with cerebral palsy
- Niwasa salama Children's home
- Cerebral Palsy foundation centre
- Ronald Ngala special unit
- Swabur orphanage
- Mother of mercy
- Tabarak centre

- Rehan girls
- Noor boys
- Noor girls
- Mileo special unit
- Alms house Nyumba ya wazee
- Little angels

All together, summing up to 905 as our guests of honor backed up by a task force of 135 volunteers who made this event a success.

Games, breakfast, entertain-ments, lunch and gift hampers were provided to all kids.

We wish to thank all donors who supported the meals, services, gifts, bus companies for transportation, Aga Khan Academy for the venue and not forgetting our backup of 135 volunteers who did a great job.

Invited guests presence added up light into the event.

Speaking to our news desk, Mr. Rafik who is the Branch Welfare Officer said that "the smile from these kids... the joy from their heart, talks, laughter, dance, love... brings the achievement in us of volunteering tirelessly.

"Majority of them hardly have a trip outside their premises and this day sums up the rest of the year", he added.



Branch Welfare Officer Mohamed Rafik Rauf (left) and other members and volunteers of the Red Cross feed a child a cake at the Aga Khan Academy.

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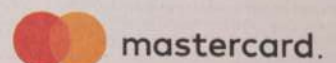
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[from right] is SCSST Secretary Hirjibhai Halai with SCSST Trustee Naranbhai Asani, SCSST Vice Chairman Ravjibhai Dhanani and Conveyor Dineshbhai Asani (left) with other members.



Handing over appreciation certificate to doctors who came to dedicate their volunteering service from India throughout the camp. Seen is Dr. Kalpesh Kantilal Hirani [far right] and Dr. Chauhan Janakkumar Narubhai [centre].

# Free Eye, Shilling and Jigger's Camp at Malindi, Kilifi, Tana River County

**ORGANIZED BY SHREE CUTCHHI LEVA PATEL SAMAJ CHARITABLE TRUST AND SHREE CUTCH SATSANG SWAMINARAYAN TEMPLE CHARITABLE TRUST MOMBASA IN CONJUNCTION WITH KWALE DISTRICT EYE CENTRE AND ST. JOSEPH HOUSE OF HOPE FOUNDATION**

Shree Cutchhi Leva Patel Samaj Charitable Trust and Shree Cutch Satsang Swaminarayan Temple Charitable Trust in conjunction with Kwale District Eye Centre and St. Joseph House Of Hope Foundation organized free eye, shilling and jigger's camp at Malindi – Kilifi and Tana River County Areas Marereni, Ngomeni, Adu, Oda, Ngao, Kongoni, Marafa, Garashi, Baricho and Bombi Dispensaries from 13<sup>th</sup> August 2018 to 19<sup>th</sup> August 2018.

The League's aim and objective was to provide welfare services for the poor, needy and a healthier country.

A survey was done by our voluntary team and the report said people in this area do not only suffer from eye disease or blindness but also from skin diseases like shilling and jiggers.

And the committee decided to go through with a free ailment free camp.

The total Patients attended to for the three ailments are:

- The total of jigger's patients – 511 people
- The total of shilling patients – 5972 people.
- The total of special cataract operation of kids – 14 kids.
- The total of distance glass patients – 44 persons.
- The total screened patients – 3887 peoples.



An appreciation token to the Kwale District Eye Centre is received by the Administrator Mrs. Veronica.

• The total cataract operation 355 eyes.

A team of 30 volunteers made this camp a success and patients were transported to the main venue for operations and treated with all facilities at the main base.

We are indebted to all the past and present Chairmen, Committee Members and all the members who have contributed towards to the growth and success of the League.

It is through their guidance, assistance, foresight and hard work that Shree Cutchhi Leva Patel Samaj Charitable Trust and Shree Cutchhi Satsang Swaminarayan Temple Mombasa has been able to do such magnificent charitable and noble work year after year and thus celebrating this mammoth humanitarian and noble project and it is always been in the heart of the Kutchhi community to donate towards a worthy cause.



[from far right] is SCLPS CT – Vice Chairman Shivjibhai Pindoria, Dr. Kalpeshbhai (India), Ravjibhai Asani (Bolton – UK), SCLPS CT – Secretary Kalyanbhai Asani, SCLPS – Sec./Trustee Hirjibhai Halai, Dr. Janakkumar Chauhan (India) and a member Kiranbhai Halai.



[CLOCKWISE FROM LEFT] Children being treated for jiggers, a patient being operated for cataract and volunteers having dinner after a long tiring day of hard work.

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) --** Jos Maina has been operating an electronics shop in the bustling downtown streets of the Kenyan capital of Nairobi for the last decade and is accustomed to the highs and lows that are a common feature in all businesses.

The middle-aged father of three was in a reflective mood outside his shop as the reality of missing sales targets in the past three days sank.

Maina told Xinhua that sale of electronic merchandise such as phones, still cameras and second hand laptops nosedived early this week

# Traders Across Kenya Feel Pinch As Fuel Tax Hikes Worsen Inflationary Pressures

when a fuel tax hike imposed earlier by the government was enforced.

"It is not a secret that even our loyal customers are cagey about ordering any gadget whose cost exceeds 50 U.S. dollars because they are feeling the pinch of the soaring cost of living occasioned by the new fuel taxes," said Maina.

"We cannot expect an average Nairobi worker to prioritize buying a new phone when their net income can hardly meet the cost of basic necessities like food and rent," he added.

The former technician at

Kenya's public broadcaster left formal employment more than 10 years ago to start an electronics business in downtown Nairobi where a niche market for low income earners is guaranteed.

Maina said that though his business had stabilized a few years ago, it has been experiencing some hiccups linked to rising operating costs, high taxes and staff attrition.

"Initially, we started on a sound footing since I used connections that I generated in my previous work station to secure business deals within Nairobi and elsewhere.

"I had three employees but can only sustain one as overheads and taxes eat into our profits," said Maina.

He disclosed that he has adopted austerity measures like using a public service vehicle as opposed to driving himself to work given the high cost of diesel.

"As a small and medium sized entrepreneurs, we have no option but to embark on belt tightening since the revenue we are generating from our businesses is

shrinking against a backdrop of low purchasing power among clients," Maina said.

He was among hundreds of small-scale traders in downtown Nairobi who looked forlorn outside their business premises as inflationary pressures triggered by a 16 percent increase on value added tax (VAT) on petroleum products, took a toll on their sales.

Kenyan treasury on Sept. 1

## UNBEARABLE SIXTEEN PER CENT FUEL TAX

announced enforcement of the 16 percent hike on fuel levy to help bridge a shortfall on revenue required to finance development projects.

The proposal to hike fuel tax had earlier been rejected by Kenyan lawmakers saying it would hurt low income earners and undermine economic growth.

Kenya's manufacturing and private sector lobbies have also opposed punitive taxation on petroleum products, terming it a threat to industrial growth required to generate new jobs.

President Uhuru Kenyatta has been prevailed upon by lawmakers, consumer lobby groups and investors to postpone appending signature on the fuel tax hike bill until contentious issues were resolved.

Kenyans from all walks of life have in the past three days raised a hue and cry over the increase in the cost of petroleum products that has made them dig deeper into

their pockets to meet the cost of transport and consumer goods.

Josephine Wambua, an elderly groceries trader in an open air market in downtown Nairobi, said sales had dipped slightly in the past few days as her regular customers readjusted their spending priorities in the light of rising cost of living.

"Some of my customers have even been purchasing cereals and fresh vegetables on credit alleging that their savings have been affected by the high cost of transport from home to work," said

Wambua.

The mother of four who lives in the sprawling Nairobi's Kibera slums told Xinhua the cost of commuting home to the open air market had increased by 10 percent.

"I have noticed that my strapped neighbors who were living as casual laborers have abandoned so called luxury items like beer, meat and bread opting for low cost cereals and green vegetables," Wambua told Xinhua.

Gladwell Kahia, a secondhand clothes dealer in her late 30s, confessed to shutting from home to her business premises in downtown Nairobi had in her revenue base due to fares.

"Sometimes we are forced to wake up at dawn and dash to work before public service vehicles fare by about 30 percent," Kahia remarked, adding the anticipated hike in the of basic commodities like maize flour, kerosene and cooking oil will undermine growth of her business.

## THIRTY NINE YEARS AGO

Coastweek, September 14-20, 1979

THE UNITED Nations Information Center was to stage an exhibition featuring the different activities and programmes of the world organization. The two-day show organized with the co-operation of the Aga Khan Education Department, was to be held at the Aga Khan High School with an aim to "acquaint the public with the work of the United Nations and motivate them towards greater support of the United Nations programmes.

A PICTURE of a wide-eyed, regal-looking lion from the Amboseli Game Reserve graced the front page of *Coastweek*. The five-year-old large, wild cat was spotted by Mombasa camera buff Mustafa Nasser during a visit to the teeming wildlife park. The *National Geographic Society* magazine had a full-time correspondent in the Reserve studying the lion's behavior patterns and were expected to feature it in future issues.

The Municipal Fire Brigade reported that at least ten people had died and property worth KSh. 2,777,697.15 had been destroyed in fires since January. The latest figures indicated that there was an average of 23 fire cases a month in Mombasa alone. Insurance companies declined to give figures but admitted that pay-offs made to fire victims ran into millions of shillings.

The Mombasa branch of the Young Men's Christian Association (YMCA) planned to build a new KShs. 7,000,000 hostel in the Kizingo area. The hostel was to have 144 beds and was to cater to all people irrespective of religious following.

POLICE in Tanga were investigating the theft of 68 bags of coffee worth 100,000/- while in transit at the port for export to Europe.

Tanzanians were looking into the possibility of constructing a plant at Songo Songo in Kilwa district to exploit the newly discovered gas for the manufacture of Ammonia and Urea. If the project succeeded, the manufacture of Urea from the 30 billion cubic litres of natural gas pool at Songo Songo gas would provide a rich nitrogenous fertilizer for Tanzania's agriculture.

The C.C.A. League was to get off the ground with the inclusion of Aga Khan and Mombasa Youths, as the suspension on Coast Gymkhana had been lifted.

REGAL Cinema was screening *'Bittersweet Love'*, starring Meredith Baxter (of *'Family Ties'* fame) and Michael Lewis. NAAZ Cinema was ending its run of *'Lawman'* and moving onto another Western, *'Eagle's Wing'*, the story of Kiowa dog soldiers and their constant warfare with the Comanches. KENYA Cinema, meanwhile, was running *'Ruby'*, a horror flick starring Piper Laurie as a teenage daughter possessed by an evil power. At CHOX, Hema Malini and Dharmendra were bound by *'Pratiggya'* (Vow).

TOP Ten on the Charts compiled by 'Disco Bug' were "Double Disco" by Fingers, "I Was Made For Loving You" by Kiss, "Going Through The Motion" by Hot Chocolate, "Pop Music" by M, "Bad Girls" by Donna Summer, "Re-United" by Peaches, "No Good Searchin'" by Eruption, "Disco Rockin'" by Fingers, "Love You So Bad, It Hurts" by John Paul Young, and "Good Times" by Chic.



Amboseli Lion

## Drivers Are Living In Interesting Times With Return Of Boys In Blue Together With Their 'Breathalysers'

In the time that the National Transport Safety Authority or NTSA has been "off" the road in terms of enforcement, we seem to have settled back into the normal rhythm of life with the boys in blue firmly back in charge and the NTSA vehicles now not as feared as they were almost a year ago

What has changed then?

The NTSA had 'arresting' and 'prosecutorial' powers because they had some of the traffic police seconded to the unit.

They had invested in some sophisticated equipment and managed to bring back the 'breathalysers' after a short hiatus when the legality of the instruments had been challenged and the challenger won.

The agency went back to the drawing board and was then able to change the rules and bring in an acceptable model of the instrument whose results could stand in a court of law.

The agency also had sufficient vehicles to show their presence in many parts of the country and they were mobile enough to move from one spot to another in pursuit of miscreant drivers.

This mobility made it look like there were many officers in the agency making the seem almost omnipresent across the whole country.

Perhaps the one thing that lost them their active role was their penchant for hot pursuit of traffic offenders.

They started doing this when drivers began to ignore the signal to stop in the hope that the NTSA was as impotent as the traffic police who waved people down and when one sped away they would gesticulate wildly but would never mount a chase since they did not have the appropriate equipment and presence of mind to set themselves up in that manner.

Several fatal accidents occurred ostensibly because the NTSA enforcement team was in hot pursuit of buses and articulated heavy goods vehicles that had ignored the instructions to stop.

The drivers, who were not used to being pursued by enforcement agencies, panicked when they saw the green, white and yellow vehicles of the agency in their rear mirrors.

Not knowing what to do their reaction was that of flight rather than fight and in the process of flight ended up either overturning or losing control of their vehicles and getting involved in horrendous accidents or they would undertake dangerous overtaking manoeuvres and end up in accidents.

In the year since the NTSA was removed from the roads, the mayhem as we know it on the roads surfaced as the normal traffic police resumed their beat with all its attendant warts and sores.

Clips are again being exchanged on social media showing portly policemen and women being chased by undercover anti-corruption officials who had been trailing them or had them under surveillance for receiving bribes.

In some instances, drivers have installed their own dashboard cams and some also have body cams which they use to record the excesses of the boys in blue and then share on social media as well as with the leadership of the police force.

Recently I was driving to the airport in Nairobi very early one Saturday morning to catch a flight back to Mombasa when I came across slow moving traffic on Uhuru Highway.

At that hour one is more likely expecting to find a car stranded on top of a roundabout or even worse as a mangled wreckage having had an altercation either with another vehicle or with the hardware on the road.

This is the drunk drivers' hour and even those driving, like myself on that day, have to be extra careful in case they become fodder for drunk drivers intent on hitting any object that comes in their way as they navigate the city's streets to get home or to their next alcoholic destination.

However, when I got to the head of the queue, I found that it was actually caused by a traffic police road block.

They were busy checking every car and when it came to my turn, the cop asked me to open the window and he then thrust his head into the car.

A few heavy deep, heavy breaths later he asked whether I had any drink.

I confidently told him no as in fact I had not imbibed any alcoholic beverage for several days.

He asked again and I gave him the same answer.

He asked a third time and added I would be happy to take a breathalyser to prove that I had not taken any alcohol.

I replied in the affirmative. He warned me of my rights under and then told me to wait as he turned towards the waiting vehicle.

After walking a few steps, he came and told me to proceed and this time with a wide smile on his face!

It would seem, from this encounter they are now back in full force with technology that was handed to the NTSA.

They appear they stop you markedly often before. At that time, stopped and immediately I

breathalyser test.

I consider that this approach is a way of handling drivers and also means that one could easily identify themselves during the questioning making it likely that one will be hit by whammy in court should they fall over the limit and tried to call the court.

So, drivers on the road in Kenya especially in the built-up areas of trunk roads, where the pickings should now be careful.

We have different breed of cop duty and with the horrendous uniform that they are about to start we could be faced with interesting a new relationship between the Kenyan driver (who drives a vehicle, is a defective driver) who have decided to make themselves through contamination) and the ugly blue develops.

In order to stay out of their power it is up to us as drivers to up our game make the roads a safer place by playing cat and mouse with the boys.

As Kachumbari says, Tom and Jerry remain in the Disney cartoon world take residence on our roads!

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# A TOP KENYAN VARSITY INKS DEAL WITH A CHINESE FIRM TO BUILD CANCER INSTITUTE

NAIROBI (Xinhua) — The University of Nairobi (UoN), one of Kenya's top universities, on Monday signed an agreement with Guangzhou Cherami China-Africa Investment Management to construct and operationalize a cancer institute in Nairobi.

The proposed University of Nairobi-Cherami Cancer Institute (UNCCI) is envisioned to be the premier cancer diagnosis, treatment and referral centre in Sub Saharan Africa (SSA).

"This center is expected to be a Center of Excellence in medical research in Kenya and the region," Amina Mohamed, the Cabinet Secretary for Education said in Nairobi.

Mohamed noted that once it becomes operational, the institute will be a leader in the provision of cutting edge health care in the country as well as contributing to the realization of the Universal Health Coverage Agenda.

She said with the institute, the university will be able to follow suit and deepen its work on medical research even as it strives to offer clinical services and medical education.

Mohamed said that the initiative will help provide services to the people who are currently struggling to seek treatment elsewhere due to its cost of treatment.

Mohamed urged other universities in the country to collaborate with the private sector to build such institutes so



NAIROBI (Xinhua) — Amina Mohamed, the Cabinet Secretary for Education of Kenya, addresses a signing ceremony to construct and operationalize a cancer institute in Nairobi on Sept. 17, 2018. XINHUA PHOTO: ZHANG YU

He said that it will also help enhance coordination among stakeholders and work in conjunction with the National Cancer Institute to develop a comprehensive National Cancer Registry.

Mbithi said that upon its completion, the institute will comprise the division of laboratory medicine, division of radiology, division of radiotherapy, division of adult oncology and internal medicine, division of paediatrics oncology, division of surgery, division of anaesthesia critical and palliative care, division of nursing, division of pharmacy and division of bone marrow/stem transplant.

Wei Xiaolin, President of Cherami Africa Limited, said that the institution will save patients from travelling abroad for cancer treatment.

"We shall embark on training personnel and also equip the institute with modern and relevant equipment to help save lives of people," Wei added.

He noted that the institute upon completion will be a leading cancer research in the region and Africa in general.

Wei said that through the collaboration, Cherami brings the best of Asian technology, knowledge and funds to meet the most socially impactful demands in Africa.

According to the ministry of health, cancer is now the third leading cause of mortality in Kenya, accounting for some 7 percent of the total deaths, after infectious and cardiovascular diseases.

as to serve the nation better and ensure world-class medical care is available for all Kenyans no matter their location.

"The institute will be a multifunctional facility that offers modern and outstanding teaching, training and research facilities for cancer health-care," Peter Mbithi, the Vice Chancellor of UoN said.

Mbithi added that the institute that will be situated within the university, will offer holistic patient-centred cancer services, provide research and innovations and raise awareness about cancer.

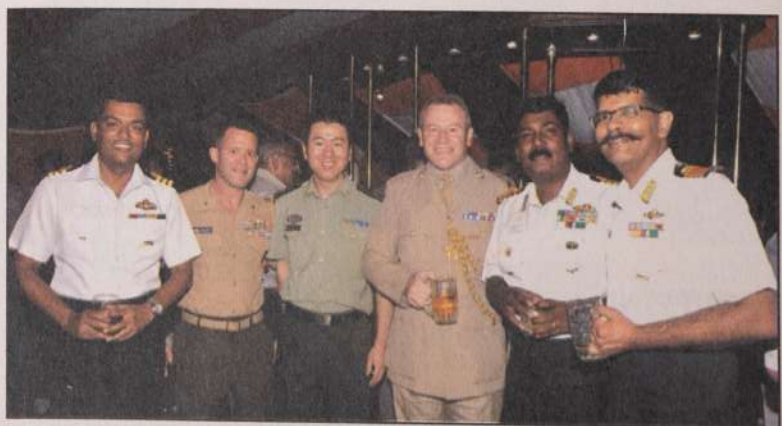
# INDIAN NAVY IN MOMBASA

Vice Admiral Girish Luthra, Flag Officer Commander-in-chief, Western Naval Command, Indian Navy, and Indian High Commissioner H.E. Suchitra Durai hosted an on board cocktail reception during the Mombasa visit of INS Kolkata and INS Tarkash.



RIGHT: INS Tarkash Commander Ajay Daniel Theophilus welcomes H.E. Suchitra Durai, High Commissioner of India on board INS Kolkata.

BELOW: Visiting Defence Attaches from Nairobi are welcomed onboard INS Kolkata and INS Tarkash.



1925 TRIUMPH - The oldest machine in the 2018 CBA Africa Concours d'Elegance is this 1925 Triumph motorcycle which is being prepared by Dominique Antoine [left] and Ferdinand Imball for the event which will be held at the Nairobi Racecourse on Sept 30<sup>th</sup>.

# '1925 Motorcycle' is the Oldest Machine at the CBA Concours

The oldest machine in the entry list for the CBA Africa Concours d'Elegance is a 1925 Triumph motorcycle which is being prepared by Dominique Antoine, a former Chief Judge.

The Concours will be the 48<sup>th</sup> in the series of annual events organized by the Alfa Romeo Owners Club and will be held at the Nairobi racecourse on September 30<sup>th</sup>.

Antoine became the owner of the Triumph when it was gifted to him in 1980 by his uncle who worked in the sugar industry in Chemillil.

Collecting old motorcycles, cars and equipment has been a lifelong interest for Dominique who even owns an ex-Nairobi City Council fire engine!

Talking about the ancient Triumph Dominique said "Spectators at the CBA Africa Concours d'Elegance will be able to view a pageant of motorcycle history in the judging ring."

This will be led by the 1925 Triumph which clearly shows the evolution from a pedal cycle to a motor bike.

The frame is very like a cycle and has the combined oil and petrol tank suspended under the cross bar and the foot pedals bear a close

resemblance to those of a push bike".

Car entries for the Concours have reached the maximum of 70 which is specified in the regulations to help ensure high standards of judging.

There is limited space for motorcycles, the Classic Car and Motorcycle Sale and there are a few vacant plots in the Auto Expo, the motor trade section of the event.

The Classic Sale is open to cars and bikes made 25, or more years ago.

This enables the owners of unwanted machines to offer them for sale to the significant number of spectators who are interested in buying a car, or motorcycle for fun use during weekends, or for preparing for future Concours events.

The machines entered can be in any state ranging from sources of spare parts to good condition.

The Alfa Romeo Owners Club holds the Concours each year to celebrate the Club's anniversary and has the objective of giving the owners of well-kept cars and motorcycles the opportunity to have them assessed by experienced officials.

Competitors like to show their treasured machines to the enthusiastic crowd and to have the chance to win prizes in the 20 classes for all makes and types of cars, SUV's, pick-ups and motorcycles.

# Interpol To Partner With Kenya to Tackle Transnational Crimes

NAIROBI (Xinhua) — The International Criminal Police Organization (Interpol) on Friday vowed to partner with Kenya to fight global terrorism and transnational organized crimes.

General Jürgen Stock described Kenya as a crucial partner in the global regime against international crimes.

Stock, who met with Fred Matiang'i, Kenya's cabinet secretary for interior, said a mega-project that will serve as one of Interpol's global early warning systems is underway

in Nairobi.

He said Interpol has also enhanced interoperability with various national border security systems for greater efficiency.

"It's now possible for border officers to screen people, vessels, and commodities against the millions of records we have in our databases," Stock was quoted as saying.

"Rest assured that no criminal will cross undetected," he said, according to a statement issued after the meeting.

Kenya hosts Interpol Bureau for Eastern Africa, which covers 13 countries.

So far, Stock said, Interpol has implemented a raft of technical measures, including granting access to its databases to security officers at major airports, sea ports, and land border crossings.

At the meeting, Matiang'i expressed Kenya's desire to collaborate with Interpol to build an unassailable cyber environment ahead of the launch of the National Integrated Identity Management System, the statement said.

Matiang'i said Kenya is working with various anti-money laundering agencies across the globe to identify sources and destinations of proceeds of crime.



NAIROBI (Xinhua) — Fred Matiang'i, Kenya's Cabinet Secretary for Interior welcomes visiting International Criminal Police Organization (Interpol) Secretary General Jurgen Stock at his office in Nairobi, Sept. 14, 2018. The Interpol on Friday vowed to partner with Kenya to fight global terrorism and transnational organized crimes. XINHUA PHOTO: ALLAN MUTISO

## SHIPPING IN KILINDINI PORT

CONTAINER VESSEL	ETA	AGENT
MSC MARIA LAURA	18/09/2018 2000	MSC
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KOTA NAZAR	19/09/2018 1500	PIL
SPERO	19/09/2018 1500	DSS
KOTA MANIS	19/09/2018 1800	PIL
EVERDIAMOND	20/09/2018 2300	EVG
LYME BAY	21/09/2018 0700	MAE
PACIFIC VOYAGER	22/09/2018 0500	CMA
GHCHINOOK	22/09/2018 0700	MAE
MSCJEANNE	23/09/2018 0600	MSC
SERVAL	23/09/2018 0600	MAE
SONG HAYDN	23/09/2018 1400	RSS
BATAM TRADER	24/09/2018 0600	DSS
SOFMARINE NYASA	24/09/2018 2100	MAE
NORO	24/09/2018 2300	CMA
GDYNIA TRADER	24/09/2018 2300	DSS
VENETIA	25/09/2018 0600	RSS
KOTA TAMPAN	25/09/2018 0600	PIL
KOTA GUNAWAN	25/09/2018 1300	PIL
MSC DENISSE	26/09/2018 0600	MSC
NORTHERN DEMOCRAT	26/09/2018 0800	MAE
MSC CHERYL 3	27/09/2018 0600	MSC
MAERSK BENTOVILLE	30/09/2018 0600	MAE
MCP KYRENIA	30/09/2018 2300	CMA



MSC MARIA LAURA

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JINSEI MARU	20/09/2018 1500	EAC
AVRA	21/09/2018 0600	NSM
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GRAND DOLPHIN	21/09/2018 0600	DSS
LEONARISSE	21/09/2018 1200	OBJ
BISCAYNE LIGHT	22/09/2018 0600	EXP
MAUD	22/09/2018 0600	EXP
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GRANDQUEST	23/09/2018 0600	SOC
ZOES	24/09/2018 0600	CFS
JOLLY DIAMANTE	25/09/2018 0600	MES
MARIE GRACE	25/09/2018 0600	EAC
ROSINA TOPIC	25/09/2018 0800	ISS
AYIA MARINA	26/09/2018 0600	EXP
BBC KIBO	27/09/2018 0600	ISS
GLOVIS SIRIUS	27/09/2018 0600	SFF
MORNING CELLO	28/09/2018 0600	DSS
MORNING MENAD	29/09/2018 0600	DSS
SEA CONNEDENCE	30/09/2018 0600	ISS
TOMAR	30/09/2018 0600	DSS

TANKERS	ETA	AGENT
AZOV SEA	23/09/2018 0600	CFS
NAVIG8 AMAZONITE	24/09/2018 0600	HAL
MIRACLE	25/09/2018 0600	CFS

OTHER VESSELS	ETA	AGENT
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UNITED SPIRIT 1	24/09/2018 0600	EXP

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## Indian Naval Ships Kolkata And Tarkash Visiting Mombasa In Three-Day Goodwill Call On Kenya

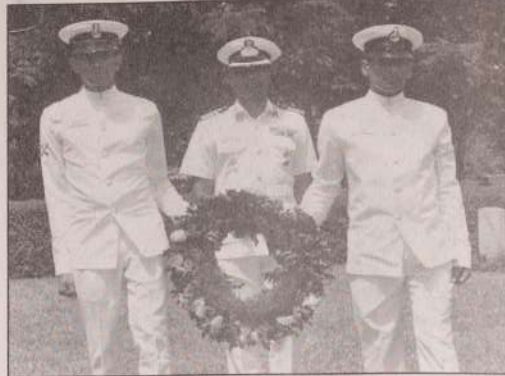
**FROM FRONT PAGE** Jasiri off Mombasa to enhance interoperability between the two Navies.

Recently, *INS Tarkash* also visited Mombasa in July, 2018 and the opportunity was used again to undertake a similar Passage Exercise with Kenya Navy Ship *Jasiri* off Mombasa.

During the official visit of the Cabinet Secretary for Defence to India, the two countries signed an agreement to exchange commercial shipping information to enhance the maritime security in the Indian Ocean region.

Regular good will visits by Indian Naval ships signal the importance attached by India to its relation with Kenya.

To underscore the importance of the current visit, Vice Admiral Girish Luthra, the Flag Officer Commanding-in-Chief of the Western Naval Command, under whom the visiting ships operate,



During three-day Kenya visit of Indian navy ships *INS Kolkata* and *INS Tarkash*, Vice Admiral Girish Luthra, Flag Officer Commanding-in-chief, Western Naval Command, Indian Navy, despatched an Honour Guard to lay a wreath at the Commonwealth War Graves, Mombasa.

## South Sudan Oil Output Increase To Ease Implementation Of Peace Deal

**JUBA South Sudan (Xinhua)** -- South Sudan's increased oil output, if used effectively, could spur economic recovery and ease implementation of the recently signed peace deal, experts said on Thursday.

The experts said the South Sudan's plan to raise oil production would help bring in much-needed funds to revive the country's shattered economy and run the activities of the expanded power-sharing government.

Marial Awou Yol, head of the College of Social and Economic Studies at the University of Juba, said if the war-torn country can resume oil production in full speed, it can help relieve the cash shortage burden on the government and in turn stabilize the economy.

"Our economy is thirsty of resources, we can't import food now.

"We can't supply foreign reserves.

"We need production of oil to go as far as 350,000 (barrels per day).

"If we do that, we can be able to rejuvenate the economy and we will have enough resources to implement peace," the senior economist told Xinhua in Juba.

Leaders of South Sudan's warring parties on last week signed a "final" power-sharing deal in Ethiopia, aimed at ending a civil war that has killed tens of thousands of people and displaced more than 4 million both internally and externally since 2013.

In the deal, the peace partners are expected to form a new transitional unity government in the next eight months.

South Sudan is the most oil-dependent nation in the world, with oil accounting for almost the totality of exports, and around 60 percent of its gross domestic product (GDP), according to the World Bank.

But after the young nation descended into civil war in late 2013, oil production declined amid soaring inflation and economic crunch.

The East African nation recently reopened oilfields that were suspended during the war and it hopes to reach its previous daily output of 350,000 barrels in 2019, petroleum minister Ezekiel Lol Gatkuoth announced recently.

Political analyst James Okuk said oil money is key for setting up and sustaining the new unity government because most foreign donors are still hesitant to support the latest agreement after a similar one was shattered in July 2016.

Okuk said though there are provisions for economic and institutional reforms in the peace agreement, the parties must this time show absolute commitment to implement the deal and stem out corruption in the power-sharing government.

"It (oil) will benefit the country and sustain the peace agreement because it was war that drained our resources and forced us into crisis," Okuk said. If this agreement is implemented in letter and spirit, it can fight corruption in the country."

Yol also agrees that corruption is a major issue that must be addressed during the three-year tenure of the power-sharing government.

"In the short history we have been a nation, we have been a corrupt nation and if we don't stem corruption out, it is not going to let us develop," Yol said.

"We should reform the institutions of the economy as well as the institutions of the government.

"This will encourage foreign investment in our country which we need most," he added.

## Maritime Training And Exercise With Somali Partner



**MOGADISHU Somalia (EU NAVFOR)** -- Mogadishu Military Police unit (MPU) glean knowledge, experience and from their EU maritime colleagues on-board visiting *ESPS Castilla*. Maritime training and exercises with Somali partners are an extremely important aspect of the European Union's integrated approach to help develop capabilities of local maritime forces and to deter piracy off the coast of Somalia. PHOTOS - EU NAVFOR

came on an official visit to Mombasa at the same time.

During the visit, the warships interacted with the Kenya Defence Forces on professional issues towards enhancing cooperation and sharing of naval operations including combating threats of maritime terrorism and piracy.

In addition, the ships undertook several social and cultural engagements during their stay in harbour.

The ships received an enthusiastic response from public and came for onboard visits on September 18 (Sunday) to school children and teachers at a few Mombasa based schools on 17th September 2018 (Monday).

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Seen (from right) is SCSST Secretary Hirjibhai Halai with SCSST Trustee Naranbhai Vekaria, SCSST Vice Chairman Ravjibhai Dhanani and Conveyor Dineshbhai Varsani (left) with other members.



Handing over appreciation certificate to doctors who came to dedicate their volunteering service from India throughout the camp. Seen is Dr. Kalpesh Kantilal Hirani (far right) and Dr. Chauhan Janakkumar Narubhai (centre).

# Free Eye, Shilling and Jigger's Camp at Malindi, Kilifi, Tana River County

**ORGANIZED BY SHREE CUTCHHI LEVA PATEL SAMAJ CHARITABLE TRUST AND SHREE KUTCH SATSANG SWAMINARAYAN TEMPLE CHARITABLE TRUST WITH CONJUNCTION WITH KWALE DISTRICT EYE CENTRE AND ST. JOSEPH HOUSE OF HOPE FOUNDATION**

Shree Cutchhi Leva Patel Samaj Charitable Trust and Shree Kutch Satsang Swaminarayan Temple Charitable Trust with conjunction with Kwale District Eye Centre and St. Joseph House Of Hope Foundation organized free eye, shilling and jigger's camp at Malindi – Kilifi and Tana River County Areas Marereni, Ngomeni, Adu, Oda, Ngao, Gongoni, Marafa, Garashi, Baricho and Bombi Dispensaries from 13<sup>th</sup> August 2018 to 19<sup>th</sup> August 2018.

The League's aim and objective was to provide welfare services for the poor, needy and a healthier country.

A survey was done by our voluntary team and the report said people in this area do not only suffer from eye disease or blindness but also from Skin diseases like shilling and jiggers.

And the committee decided to go through with three ailment free camp.

The total Patients attended to for the three ailments are:

- The total of jigger's patients – 511 people
- The total of shilling patients – 5972 people.
- The total of special cataract operation of kids – 14 kids.
- The total of distance glass patients – 44 persons.
- The total screened patients – 3887 peoples.



An appreciation token to the Kwale District Eye Centre is received by the Administrator Mrs. Veronica.

• The total cataract operation 355 eyes.

A team of 30 volunteers made this camp a success and patients were transported to the main venue for operations and treated with all facilities at the main base.

We are indebted to all the past and present Chairmen, Committee Members and all the members who have contributed towards to the growth and success of the League.

It is through their guidance, assistance, foresight and hard work that Shree Cutchhi Leva Patel Samaj Charitable Trust and Shree Cutchh Satsang Swaminarayan Temple Mombasa has been able to do such magnificent charitable and noble work year after year and thus celebrating this mammoth humanitarian and noble project and it is always been in the heart of the Kutchhi community to donate towards a worthy cause.



Seen (from far right) is SCLPCT – Vice Chairman Shivjibhai Pindoria, Dr. Kalpeshbhai (India), Ashvinbhai Asani (Bolton – UK), SCLPCT – Secretary Kalyanbhai Asani, SCLPS – Sec./ Trustee Hirjibhai Halai, Dr JAnakkumar Chauhan (India) and a member Kiranbhai Halai.



[CLOCKWISE FROM LEFT] Children being treated for jiggers, a patient being operated for cataract and volunteers having dinner after a long tiring day of hard work.

# THIS WEEK IN PHOTOGRAPHS



Englishpoint Marina's Director Mrs. Lella Kanji [second right] cuts the ribbon to officially open the Hotel's Margherita Restaurant which specializes in Italian cuisine. The colorful event was witnessed by the Hotel Director Aryn Kanji [right], Assistant Indian High Commissioner Shyam Sunder Dewani [second right], Group Financial Controller Vykunta Mukku [centre] and Director of Assets Nazir Vinnah [left] among other invited Mombasa guests and patrons. PHOTO TITUS MUSAU



Voyager Beach Resort staff led by the operations Manager Sammy Maende [left centre] celebrates after receiving two trophies which they won in both Coast Region and National Kenya Red Cross Society First Aid just concluded competition held at the organization's Headquarters in Bomas of Kenya, Nairobi. The competitors were drawn from all the country. PHOTO TITUS MUSAU



**MERCEDES BENZ BUSES DELIVERY** - Lee Kinyanjui (left), Nakuru County Governor receives log books for two Mercedes Benz 917 buses from Michael Odera (centre) the DT Dobie Branch Manager and Kenneth Maritim, DT Dobie Sales Manager. The vehicles were purchased by the County Government to transport public school children in Nakuru.



Congratulations to Adnan Rahim Haji from Memon Academy for finishing 3rd position during the Sunrise Bay Sport Cycling Challenge held on Sunday September 16, 2018 at Mama Ngina Drive. Mohammed Khandwalla from Jaffery Academy took the first position and Mohammed Ashfaq from Aga Khan High School was in the second place.



**MATERNITY OPEN DAY** - Lucy Mukindia (right), a Midwife at Aga Khan University Hospital uses a dummy pelvis and to demonstrate the birth process to Anne Kamau, an expectant mother in her 3<sup>rd</sup> trimester during a maternity open day at the hospital. Over 100 expectant women attended the day for informative and interactive sessions with a team of hospital specialists in fetal medicine, options of child feeding during pregnancy, breastfeeding and newborn care.



**NAIVASHA (Xinhua)** — Renato Papale (right), an engineer from Italy who is involved in construction of Olkaria V power plant is welcomed by the Maasai community during an education ceremony in Olkaria village in Naivasha, Sept. 16, 2018. Under the programme in the geothermal rich area, the Baptist Church from Italy has agreed to sponsor girls from poor families from primary to university as one way of addressing the early marriages among members of the Maasai community in Olkaria Naivasha. XINHUA PHOTO: ROBERT MANYARA



Team Leader of the Mombasa based Media16 team; Veteran photo journalist Maarufu Mohamed [centre] joins Taita women elders around a campfire at dinner inside the Sarova Taita Lodges Wildlife Sanctuary in Taita Taveta County last Saturday. The team comprising of Travel and Tourism journalist from various media houses were on a familiarization tour of the County sponsored by several Hotels to promote tourism and also to assist Orphanage Children homes.

# China-Sponsored Project to Ease Water Shortage in Kajiado County

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) — Mercy Mungai credits her resilience and fortitude to the climatic shocks that often strike her village sandwiched between rolling hills that dot Kajiado County.**

The middle-aged mother of four, who ekes out a living through subsistence farming, has been a victim of recurrent droughts that have worsened water scarcity and food insecurity in her hamlet.

Mungai can now afford to put a smile on her face, thanks to the launch of a community water project in her locality by Kajiado county government and China Communications Construction Company (CCCC), which is implementing the Nairobi-Naivasha part of Kenya's Standard Gauge Railway (SGR) project.

The lively small-scale farmer and her two young children attended the ground-breaking ceremony for Kimuka Community Water Aid Project on Thursday at the exit of the 4.5 km SGR Ngong tunnel, where water will be tapped for supply to nearby households.

"Having lived in this county for nearly two decades, I have endured the pain of trekking long distances to fetch water for domestic use.

"This precious commodity has always eluded us due to frequent droughts," Mungai told Xinhua.

She is one of many who would benefit from the project, an initiative of the CCCC and Kajiado county government to help ease water supply challenges in a region inhabited by nomads and small-holder farmers.

Guo Qing, deputy general manager of the CCCC Kenya SGR Project, said that water tanks with total storage capacity of 1,600 cubic meters will be constructed to help quench thirst among thousands of households in Kajiado County.

Clean water, found when the CCCC was building the tunnel, would be channeled to the tanks for community use.

"We are proud to be part of the development of this particular water project that will enable more than 40,000 people in Kimuka area and the larger Kajiado County to access clean water," Guo said.

Mungai said the project will transform the locals' lives.

"I look forward to witnessing clean water gushing from the ever dry tap in my homestead," she said.

"My children will share in this

joy because they have also experienced the pain of acute water scarcity."

Community leaders in the expansive Kajiado County, which is part of Nairobi-Naivasha SGR corridor, praised the CCCC for initiating the project as part of its corporate social responsibility.

"As a community, we are proud to witness the launch of a project that will address critical water needs of people living in villages and fast growing urban centers," said Kajiado Governor Joseph Ole Lenku.

He lauded the CCCC for financing livelihood projects in his county that include feeder roads, health centers and boreholes.

Janet Teiya, Kajiado representative in the National Assembly, said the CCCC-funded water projects will have a profound impact on health, food security and productivity of local population.

"We are happy to have a water project that will greatly benefit vulnerable population groups like women, children and nomads.

"This water can also be harnessed to promote irrigated farming in this region," Teiya said.

Kajiado youth who mainly eke a living from herding cattle or motorcycle transport business are optimistic the CCCC-funded water project would have a lasting impact on the community.

Felix Kelembo, a 22-year-old motorcyclist, said that adequate supply of clean drinking water would stimulate agri-business in high potential sections of Kajiado County.

"The development of this region has been undermined



**NAIROBI (Xinhua) — Richard Munang, United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) Africa Regional Climate Change Programme Coordinator speaks during the African major groups and stakeholder's forum at the UN Environment headquarters in Nairobi. The UN Environment blamed indiscriminate dumping of waste in urban for disease outbreaks, environmental pollution and flooding.** XINHUA: PETER MUTAI

by water scarcity and we are hopeful the scenario will change once this new project is completed.

"Our farmers will be able to grow fresh produce that fetch better prices in urban centers," said Kelembo.

Richard Seteki, a 22-year-old herder, said he plans to take up farming to expand his revenue base once there is adequate water supply in his family homestead.

"I am a witness to how access to clean drinking water can have a transformative effect on households living in semi-arid regions and therefore look forward to harnessing this commodity and embark on profitable farming ventures," Seteki said.

Only 35 percent of households in Kajiado County now have access to clean water.

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"How about a drink to break the ice?"



"Tell me, what's a man like you doing in a nice place like this?"



"Somebody keeps pinching the peanuts."



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**ONE NIGHT FOR TWO** on full board at Sarova Taita Hills Game Lodge, will be awarded to the winner. The next draw for the winning entry will be **26th September, 2018 by 10.00 a.m.** Completed Arrowword should be sent to 'Prize Arrowword' COASTWEEK, P. O. Box 87270 - 80100 Mombasa, Kenya or dropped off at Coastweek offices. **Please write your full name.**

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Small round green bean	Total change of mind (1-4)	Engrave on metal	Arose (3,2)	Rod to hold a towel	
Cause pain to	Drama set to music	Rowing blade			
Real bargain	Out of condition	Angler's lure			

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### SOLUTION TO 'PRIZE SUDOKU' NO.385

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# Mombasa Schools, Clubs Go Head to Head In Road Cycling Championship

All roads will lead to the historic Mama Ngina Drive on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September to witness renewed rivalry between clubs and schools in this year's Café

## Arabika road cycling championships.

For those who do not understand anything about road bicycle racing, here is what it is all about.

Road bicycle racing is the cycle sport discipline of road cycling, held on paved roads.

Road racing is the most popular professional form of bicycle racing, in terms of numbers of competitors, events and

spectators.

The two most common competition formats are mass start events, where riders start simultaneously and race to a set finish point; and time trials, where individual riders or teams race a course alone against the clock.

The Café Arabika main race is going to be a sprint event whereby cyclists are going to cover 30 km at the mama Ngina drive circuit.

The riders will cover 6 laps of the circuit.

Riders from several clubs in Mombasa will battle it out for the prize money and the fame.

Team Arabika, Coast Cycling Club, Coast Wheelers Club, Buffalo Fun and Fitness Club are among the regions teams which have already confirmed their full participation in the event.

Riders from Tanzania, Nairobi, Kisumu and Nyeri have also confirmed their participation as well.

"Due to public demand we have added other categories to the event.

"We have added the hippo category (this is for riders who weigh more than 95 kilograms) and veteran category (men who are over forty years and women who are more than 35 years old)". Said the race director Mohamed Ahmed aka GS.

There will be several other age groups categories for the schools and clubs with cyclist as young as 5 years expected to



Kenya's sensational female Jossette Njeri training for Arabika Championship.

## VOLLEYBALL TEAM DELAY DEPARTURE FOR JAPAN DUE TO LACK OF FUNDING

NAIROBI (Xinhua) — Lack of funds has forced the women's volleyball team to push back by two days their travel arrangements to Japan for the World Championship.

The team, which was due to jet out on Tuesday, will now have to depart on Thursday for a week-long build up exercise in Tokyo as they polish up their skills ahead of the championship, which starts on Sept. 29 to Oct. 20 in six cities in Japan.

A total of 24 teams, grouped into four pools of four teams are up for the battle to dominate the women's volleyball with the top

four teams securing automatic qualification to next year's World Cup. Kenya Volleyball Federation (KVF) President Waitthaka Kioni said it was not their mistake for the delay even as he rued missing chance for the team to train in Japan.

"The team was due to travel on Tuesday, but we had to wait for the government support and they have instructed us to leave on Thursday. We will travel via Ethiopia," said Kioni on Tuesday in Nairobi.

Kenya has been pooled in Group D and will face a baptism by fire as they face off against fellow minnows Kazakhstan in their first match on Sept. 29

before playing giants Serbia.

Other teams in the group are Puerto Rico, former champions Brazil and the Dominican Republic. Only the top two teams from the group will progress to the Main Cup quarterfinals while the rest will be polled in ranking matches.

The Kenya team is made up of 19 players and technical bench will be led by coach Japheth Munala assisted by Josp Barasa.

"We remain grateful to the government for the gesture. I would like to wish the team the best of luck in the three-week event. They are in good shape and raring to go," said Kioni.

The team will now have a reduced training camp facilitated by former Kenya team coach, Sadatoshi Sugawara in Japan where they will play a few selected clubs to gauge their preparedness.

race in the event.

All schools have been invited to take part in the event and as usual we will see coaches and parents cheering and encouraging their kids to push hard.

Everyone will be a winner in the event as participants will be awarded with medallions and certificates in recognition of their efforts.

All participants will be given a

30 per cent discount a Arabika down town during the day when the their race number.

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PASS	PASS		

South's Four Diamond bid was a trial bid. Four Spades and Five Clubs were cue-bids showing First round control.

When North was unable to bid Five Diamonds - which he would have done with the King - South gave up on slam.

West led the Knave of Clubs.

Declarer won the King and cashed the Ace of Clubs

**NORTH**

♠	A	Q	9	
♥	10	7	3	2
♦	Q	4	3	
♣	8	6	2	

**WEST**

♠	J	6	4	3	
♥	6				
♦	J	7	5		
♣	J	10	9	4	3

**EAST**

♠	10	8	7	2
♥	Q	9	5	
♦	K	10	9	
♣	Q	7	5	

and the King of Spades crossed to the Queen of Spades.

Cash the Ace of Spades, discarding a Diamond.

Ruff a Club.

Cash the Ace and King of Trumps exposing a bad break.

Then exit with a Trump.

East is end played to lead a Diamond from the King or a Spade, in which case Declarer can throw a Diamond loser from one hand and ruff in the other.

Either way, the Declarer has to give one Diamond trick and make the contract.

**SOUTH**

♠	K	5			
♥	A	K	J	8	4
♦	A	8	6	2	
♣	A	K			

## GOLF COMPETITIONS HELD IN NYALI



Francis Muthamia (left), winner during the Navy Commander's Cup sponsored by KDF Golf Association, Paramount Group Ltd and SECO, with 38c/b, receives a prize from Brig. Charles Kahariri.



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## Soccer Body KPL Launch Gun Drama Investigation

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) —** The Kenyan Premier League (KPL) was launched on Monday with investigations into an incident where a fan (said to be a law enforcement officer) pulled out a gun in a domestic match between Bandari FC and Zoo Kericho FC on Sunday.

The culprit is accused of rushing towards the Bandari players with a pistol after the final whistle in a game where Zoo scored a 90<sup>th</sup> minute equalizer to force a 1-1 draw in their league encounter at Kericho Green Stadium. In a statement, KPL said they would write to the Inspector General of the Kenya Police Service to look into the matter.

"We proceed with our review of the circumstances leading to the occurrence of this regrettably sad incident, liaise with stakeholders and the general public that we ensure steadfast in ensuring safety and security of players, officials, technical bench officials, and match-going fans during matches played in various venues across the country," KPL said.

"We will verify the facts of the incident and apply the relevant rules firmly and fairly in order to preserve the integrity of the game," the domestic top-flight league management added.

The match played in Kericho, a town located 199km from the Kenyan capital Nairobi, Yema Mwana struck the net for second-placed Bandari in the 22<sup>nd</sup> minute after a cross from the impressive Abdallah Hassan.

Season's league Most Valuable Player, Mike Madoya, led the equalizer in the 90<sup>th</sup> minute for a share of the title in a result that left the home side 13<sup>th</sup> on the log.

A gun drama ensued shortly after the final whistle with several players said to be shaken by the incident.

# Kenya among 12 Teams Lined Up Ahead Of Africa Men's Sevens Rugby Tournery!

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) —** Only 12 teams will compete in the Africa Men's Sevens rugby tournament, which will be held in October in Monastir, Tunisia.

Defending champion Kenya will use the tournament as part of their preparations for the rugby World Series, a 10-leg circuit, which will launch its campaign in Dubai in December.

Abdelaziz Bougja, president of Rugby Africa, said he expects the teams to showcase their best talents and make the tournament entertaining.

"It is a tournament that unites the whole of Africa around the values of rugby."

"We use the opportunity to organize youth tournaments, training sessions, and it is to the benefit of the entire rugby community," Bougja told Xinhua on Tuesday.

The Africa Men's Sevens tournament was renamed after the Rugby Africa's Sevens tournament and will be held on Oct. 13-14.

A total of 12 teams will compete. However, there will be no South African side in the tournament.

The participating teams are Kenya, Uganda, Zimbabwe, Madagascar, Zambia, Tunisia, Senegal, Morocco, Botswana, Ghana, Mauritius and Namibia.

The tournaments will be played over two match days and the winner of "Africa Men's Sevens" will be the 2018 African Champion.

Meanwhile, former Kenya Sevens head coach Benjamin Ayimba believes his countryman Paul Murunga will emerge top in the recruitment process to take over the leadership of the national team after the contract of current coach Innocent Simiyu expires on October 31.

Simiyu has opted not to renew his contract and Kenya Rugby Union (KRU) has advertised the vacant position attracting 12 candidates, seven of which are foreign coaches.

Kenya has only appointed two foreign coaches before for the position, Englishman Mike Friday and South African Paul Treu.

The winning candidate will be named next week to start the team's preparation for both the Africa Men's Sevens tournament and the annual Safari 7s tournament.

"There is no other coach better

placed for the national team than Paul (Murunga). He has achieved locally what no other coach has. I mean winning four out of six legs of the national circuit is not a mean feat and this is something that he has done repeatedly. Give him the job," said Ayimba. "He has worked under me with the national team and club rugby and I know his work ethic, I know what he can do and I know

he can handle this job." Murunga has also said he is ready to take up the challenge and guide Kenya in the World Series.

"I have worked as an assistant coach and I have also worked with the Kenya 15s team. I have learned more along the road and I think I am more than able to take over the job if given the chance," said Murunga.

## KIPCHOGE'S MARATHON MARK WILL LAST LONG, SAYS MAKAU

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) —** Retired marathoner Patrick Makau says it will take a long time and special talent to challenge Eliud Kipchoge's world record mark.

Kipchoge attained in blistering pace clinching the Berlin Marathon title in 2:01.39. His previous best of 2:03.05 had been attained in 2016 in winning the London marathon.

He made two attempts on the world record of compatriot Dennis Kimetto in 2015 and 2017, but missed out owing to poor weather.

However, that wait was worth as he shaved off one minute and 18 seconds off the world mark to write his name in the history book as the first man to run under two hours and two minutes.

"I watched the race for sure he made it look so easy unlike those before him who broke the record on the same course," said Makau, who reclaimed the world mark from Haile Gebreselassie with a time of 2:03.38 back in 2013.

"Kipchoge has put it too far. Anyone targeting that mark will know it will be a hard shot. It will take years before someone does it. I am happy for him because he has been persistent since 2012," added Makau.

Makau, 33, who has been forced to retire because of a tendon and knee injuries saw his mark broken by Wilson Kipsang in 2013 clocking an impressive 2:03.23, but again that went even further down with Kimetto arriving on the scene a year later to take the record to 2:02.57.

In all cases, the elite runners were breaking off seconds off the main mark, but for Kipchoge to slash off 78 seconds, it shows his position as the greatest ever to grace the race.

Kenya's Paul Tergat was the last man to take such a huge step when he broke Khalid Khannouchi's 2:05.38 record in Berlin in 2003 with a time of 2:04.26.

It was also the largest single improvement on the marathon world record since Derek Clayton improved the mark by 2:23 in 1967.

Meanwhile, celebrations continued in Kenya for the iconic performance with calls for the Kenyan government to honor and reward their star athlete.

Makau has run in over 20 marathons, finishing at least 11 of them ever since his debut in Rotterdam in 2008.

## Beijing Marathon Winner, Jemeli Looks Ahead

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) —** Eliud Kipchoge's world record performance in Berlin may have taken the shine off the Beijing Marathon winner, Jemeli. The Kenyan is on course to win the World Championships on Sunday.

women's race at the Beijing Marathon with a time of 2:21:38, ahead of Bahrain's Eunice Chumba (2:26:56) and Ethiopia's Fatuma Sado (2:27:41).

The win secured her 40,000 U.S. dollars. Her main focus is to make the Kenyan team that is heading to the 2019 World Marathon Championships in Doha, Qatar.

"The target is to make the Kenyan team," said Jemeli. "It

was not easy to win in Beijing, but I had the focus and determination to bring change to the finishing order. It feels nice knowing that I am the first Kenyan to win in Beijing."

Jemeli's winning time is the fourth fastest in the history of the race and the quickest time since 2005, but it is two minutes shy of the 2:19:39 course record set by China's Sun Yingjie in 2003.

"It was my first time running the Beijing Marathon," Jemeli said.

"The race was good and the weather was good. Everything was good. I want to say thanks to my pacemaker and my husband (Kenneth Kiplagat Tarus), he did the best job. I am very happy," she added.

Selection for the Kenyan World Marathon Championships team is not automatic. Whereas every athlete strives to produce their best run in top marathons, coaches review each performance.

Jemeli might still need another top performance between January and April to prove her fitness and secure a nod to join the team heading to Doha in 2019.

## Kipchoge, Cherono Look Ahead to World Marathon Championships!

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) —** Berlin marathon champions Eliud Kipchoge and Gladys Cherono have one race to look forward to next year, the World Marathon Championships in Doha, Qatar.

Kipchoge excelled at the Rio Olympics, winning in Rio in 2:01.39. Cherono was forced to withdraw from the Kenyan team owing to leg strain and missed the race. Now, should she be considered for the Kenyan team heading to Doha, Cherono is able to write her name in the history books.

The world championship is far away and I have no time to relax. I just want to relax with my moment. I will be competing with my team and see how next to compete. Winning in Berlin is an option," said Cherono.

Kipchoge, the world record holder, is a crowning achievement in his career. For the past few years, he has been competing in marathons which will take a long time for another runner to equal.

In his efforts, Kipchoge will be the first to run the marathon in less than 2 hours.

In addition to prize money, Kipchoge is also collecting sponsorship fees, sponsorship and course-record fees.



Eliud Kipchoge.



Gladys Cherono.

all but one race since he turned professional in marathon running back in 2012.

His past performances in the marathon saw him win in his debut at the Hamburg marathon (2:05:30) and finish second in Berlin (2:04:05), the only professional loss he has had to suffer over the distance.

He went on to win 10 other races in Berlin, London, Rio, Chicago and Rotterdam.

Widely regarded as the greatest marathon runner of all time, Kipchoge ran a time of two hours, one minute and 39 seconds in Berlin this year to beat compatriot Dennis Kimetto's world best of 2:02:57.

## KENYAN BOXERS CROSS OVER FROM AMATEUR TO PAID RANKS

**NAIROBI (Xinhua) —** Bolstered by the exploits of pugilists like Joseph Akhasamba, Nasser Athumani, Ashira Oure, Conjestina Achieng', and a growing number of activities, boxing is steadily making its presence felt in Kenya again.

The number of Kenyans who held regional and international belts in the past was at one time in the high.

Nasser Athumani was the (WBB) lightweight champion, Joseph Akhasamba held the WBB heavyweight title, Collins Sande Otieno claimed the East and Central Africa Professional Boxing Federation (ECAPBF) super bantam weight slot while Conjestina held fort the women's WBF and IBF middleweight titles.

Given that these titles do not carry as much international acclaim as those of World Boxing Council (WBC), World Boxing Organization (WBO) and International Boxing Federation (IBF), it is nonetheless telling the amount of talent that has been abundant in the country.

For Kenyan boxers, these lesser-known titles are vital chips when knocking on the doors of the top three boxing organizations.

Last week's win by Kenya's Fatuma Zarika over Mexican Yamelith Mercado in the World Boxing Council (WBC) female world super-bantam weight title in Nairobi rekindled exploits of the past.

In the early eighties, when boxers like James

Omondi, Ibrahim Bilali, Chris Sande and others held sway in East and Central Africa, Commonwealth and Olympics, Kenya was known for producing the region's best boxers.

Thomas Wamburu, the proprietor of Punchline Boxing Promotions, however said the boxers fought at the amateur level and did not benefit from the financial rewards professional boxing offered.

"The tide is changing now and those who have curved a name for themselves in the sport are professional boxers. Kenya now has many boxers in the professional ranks and the number is growing steadily," Wamburu told Xinhua on Sunday.

"More and more boxers are hanging the heavy amateur gloves for the lighter professional ones, the main reason being the financial implications involved," he remarked.

Wamburu said the rate at which Kenya is represented at the amateur level is discouraging for many of them in terms of remuneration - that is why the paid ranks provide an attractive option.

A number of boxers who have played in amateur boxing for years have made the crossover, although some of them have been past their sell-by date, at over 35 years.

However, it is women's boxing that has played a great role in getting attention to the sport.

There may not be many women boxers yet, but the few have shown great promise in a game that has only recently wholly accepted women to get involved.

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## Bayern Munich Defeat Port Kilang to Win Machele Cup

Bayern Munich Football Club emerged the winners of the inaugural Machele Cup competition after beating Port Kilang FC 4-2 during the final match played at Fort Jesus playing ground in Mvita Constituency, Mombasa County last Sunday.

In a well attended match,

Bayern took the lead in the 13<sup>th</sup> minute when Tony Obare sent a cracking shot past the helpless Kilang goalkeeper Idris Mohamed.

However, the goal was short-lived as seven minutes later, Kilang equalised during a goalmouth melee through Salim Ali.

In the 40<sup>th</sup> minute, Bayern captain Suhail Abdalla found

the back of the net with a calculated shot.

Bayern led 2-1 at half time.

In the first half, Kilang should blamed themselves for missing three golden scoring opportunities that would have changed the result of the game.

Bayern came back strongly in the second half and it was no surprise when Obare gave

for the score to stand at 3-2 until the 80<sup>th</sup> minute.

Obare was on the mark again, scoring his team's fourth goal through a penalty which led to a temporary stoppage after Kilang players protested that it was not a penalty but the central referee Bashehah Mohamed stuck to his decision.

Towards the end of the final



Machele Foundation patron, Mohamed Soud Machele hands over the Winners' trophy to Bayern Munich FC Captain Suhail Abdalla Said (left) and the Best Player trophy to Hamdan Hamid of Old Town Football Club after the final match of the inaugural Machele Cup played at Fort Jesus playing ground in Mvita constituency in which Bayern beat Port Kilang 4-2.



his team the third goal in the 60<sup>th</sup> minute.

Ten minutes later, Kilang got their second goal via Salim Ali

whistle Kilang mounted pressure but Bayern defence marshaled by the highly promising Hassan Nuzrat and Vitalis Otieno was unbeatable.

Bayern Munich pocketed Sh30,000 while the runners-up got Sh20,000.

Third position went to hosts Old Town FC which went away with Sh10,000.

The organizers of the tournament promised to sponsor this year's annual Pamba Roho tournament to be held at the end of this year.

The one month tournament attracted 20 teams and was sponsored by the patron of Machele Foundation, Mohamed Soud Machele who was the chief guest and presented the teams with cash awards during a colourful ceremony.



## Kenya Wins Big

BERLIN (Xinhua) — Men's gold medalist Eliud Kipchoge and Women's gold medalist Gladys Cherono during the award ceremony of the Berlin Marathon 2018 in Germany, on Sept. 16, 2018. Kipchoge won the men's title with a new world record of 2:01:09. Women's title fell on Gladys Cherono with a result of 2:18:11.

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MOMBASA, September 21 - 20--7, 2018

**FRIDAY** High Water - 2.4 m. at 02.27 hrs. (2.27 a.m.) and 2.8 m. at 14.33 hrs. (2.33 p.m.). Low Water - 1.1 m. at 08.16 hrs. (8.16 a.m.) and 0.9 m. at 20.51 hrs. (8.51 p.m.).

**SATURDAY** High Water - 2.7 m. at 03.02 hrs. (3.02 a.m.) and 3.0 m. at 15.09 hrs. (3.09 p.m.). Low Water - 0.9 m. at 08.56 hrs. (8.56 a.m.) and 0.6 m. at 21.22 hrs. (9.22 p.m.).

**SUNDAY** High Water - 2.9 m. at 03.31 hrs. (3.31 a.m.) and 3.2 m. at 15.40 hrs. (3.40 p.m.). Low Water - 0.7 m. at 09.29 hrs. (9.29 a.m.) and 0.5 m. at 21.49 hrs. (9.49 p.m.).

**MONDAY** High Water - 3.1 m. at 03.59 hrs. (3.59 a.m.) and 3.3 m. at 16.09 hrs. (4.09 p.m.). Low Water - 0.5 m. at 10.00 hrs. (10.00 a.m.) and 0.3 m. at 22.16 hrs. (10.16 p.m.).

**TUESDAY** High Water - 3.3 m. at 04.26 hrs. (4.26 a.m.) and 3.4 m. at 16.38 hrs. (4.38 p.m.). Low Water - 0.3 m. at 10.28 hrs. (10.28 a.m.) and 0.2 m. at 22.41 hrs. (10.41 p.m.) FULL MOON

**WEDNESDAY** High Water - 3.5 m. at 04.54 hrs. (4.54 a.m.) and 3.4 m. at 17.07 hrs. (5.07 p.m.). Low Water - 0.2 m. at 10.58 hrs. (10.58 a.m.) and 0.2 m. at 23.08 hrs. (11.08 p.m.).

**THURSDAY** High Water - 3.5 m. at 05.22 hrs. (5.22 a.m.) and 3.4 m. at 17.36 hrs. (5.36 p.m.). Low Water - 0.2 m. at 11.27 hrs. (11.27 a.m.) and 0.2 m. at 23.34 hrs. (11.34 p.m.).

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