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Galana Goes Green!

RESTAURANT COOKING WITH 'BIOGAS' MADE FROM GARDEN WASTE

'Galana Restaurant' at Mombasa Go-Kart entertainment complex is now cooking with Biogas made from kitchen and garden waste.

our LPG gas in the kitchen. Our gas burners are modified so that we are able to use alternatively Biogas or LPG gas from the cylinders.

At the moment we need the cylinders only during peak hours, the rest of the day we cook solely with Biogas.

It is for me as well as my kitchen staff absolutely fascinating to experience how our daily waste turns on miraculous way into gas."

The Biogas Plant was built by TakaNguvu, the department of renewable energy of JuaNguvu Ltd, Mombasa, which installed already several similar plants in the area. So far all of them are fed with cow manure.

Rolf Lattmann, from TakaNguvu explains: "This biogas-system comes from China, where already thousands of this kind are operating.

Initially designed for cow or pig manure, the one installed at Go-Kart is modified to operate with solid bio-waste.

It is a two-stage plant with two hydrolysis tanks and one fermenter.

The system is very simple and needs a minimum of maintenance.

With the current daily input of about 30 kg kitchen waste, the plant produces about 2m3 of gas daily, which is equal to about 2lit of LPG.

The system is scalable and also suitable for bigger consumers like hotels."

Another advantage of the plant is that commercial kitchens can dispose troublesome waste like vegetable oil from deep fryers or

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Special Report by
Correspondent

The owner of Galana Restaurant at Mombasa Go-Kart near Severin Sea Lodge got tired of ever-coming cooking gas shortages from the suppliers.

Now he is running his own small size Biogas Plant.

Reto Casanova from Mombasa Go-Kart says:

"We feed the plant with our green kitchen waste and the grass cuttings from our garden and can so substitute most of

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'VIRGIN' AT WHITESANDS



Virgin Atlantic Airways Kenya Managing director Mike Higgins [right] plants a palm seedling in the gardens of Sarova Whitesands Beach Resort and Spa during his recent stay at the five star north coast hotel. Looking on is Sarova Whitesands hotel's general manager Mohammed Hersi.

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British Council / World Bank Training For "Debate To Action"

The British Council Mombasa in partnership with the World Bank will train leaders of various community organisations within Coast Province on Millennium Development Goals (MDG).

The training named 'Debate to Action' is aimed at sensitizing youths on their role in achieving the MDGs.

At the end of the training,

participants are expected to know international and national frameworks for development and how to share the knowledge effectively with other young people.

The youths are later expected to participate in periodic videoconferencing with young people from UK and other African countries.

The videoconferencing is aimed at exchange of views on MDGs affecting

youths' world wide including HIV/Aids, youth employment, quality education, gender equity and sustainable development.

The manager of British council Mombasa Ms Mary Stevens said the training is linked to poverty reduction strategies under vision 2030.

"We want to enhance the capacity of young people to become active and effective in helping to achieve the MDGs as well as the country's Vision 2030 through work at local and state levels", said Mary.

She said the training supports good governance by empowering learners and contributing to transparency and accountability.

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LIFE IS JUST A LAUGH



"I'm sorry, but you are not the man I married."



"No, I am not going not going home to my mother - I'm sending you there so that she can sort you out."

Children Are Now Finding 'Hope And Happiness' At Kiembeni 'Tumaini Home'

It was not only horror that gripped Joan Smith on hearing of a 18 month old baby girl with HIV/ AIDS being thrown into a bush to die, but an overwhelming desire to help such children.

That was four years ago and today Joan is looking after 21 orphaned children, most with HIV/AIDS at the Tumaini Children's Home, Kiembeni, on Kenya's north coast.

It opened in January 2006 and has now been running



Joan Smith at Tumaini Children's Home.

successfully for 21 months.

Tumaini means 'hope' and Joan was happy to report that in the last six months two children have gone from being 'positive' to 'negative' - one being 9 months and the other 6 years old.

This change in status she attributes to 'medicine, good food and care'.

Said Joan 'all the children here are healthy and happy.

They also enjoy trips to the beach where they have the opportunity of mixing with other children in the community, the transport being kindly provided by SOMAK, a leading tour operator in Kenya'.

Land for the Tumaini Children's Home was donated by Bamburi Estates Ltd, the principal shareholders being Dalip S. Obhrai and Jaspal Singh Kandhari.

It included space for further developments.

This is currently being utilised by building a school.

The first five classrooms are expected to be completed by Christmas to be followed by nine more classrooms and offices.

This project is being funded by Lauder Livingston Airlines of Italy, via Captain Roberto.

It will be open to children from Tumaini and the local community irrespective of HIV/AIDS.

The 18 month old baby girl who had been thrown into a bush to die had been orphaned when her parents had died of HIV/AIDS.

She had then been placed in the care of an 'Uncle'.

Three years ago Joan was horrified to hear that in Kisauni people lose their lives daily because of AIDS.

They leave children with no

Special Report by NETA PEAL

Ramadhan Generosity By Imperial Bank At "Baluchi Food Festival"



Baluchi Women Community Chairlady Mrs. Khadijah S.K. Issy (far left) receives a cheque donation from Natasha Ali of Imperial Bank. Looking on is Amina Kamalkhan and Fauzia Abdulrazak from the Baluchi Women Community. The donation, which will go towards helping the needy families during the Holy Month of Ramadhan, was made by Imperial Bank during the Annual Food festival at the Baluchi Complex.

one to care for them and the number of AIDS orphans was increasing by the day.

As far as HIV/AIDS is concerned Sub-Saharan Africa is by far the worst affected region.

With many failed attempts to get a Home started Joan turned to Mr A.S. Bhogal and Dalip Obhrai for help.

It resulted in a Board of Trustees being formed which has made Joan's dream come true. Members, who include Joan, were then D.S Obhrai, A.S. Bhogal, Dr U.K. Nathwani and K.M. Pandya.

They had raised the entire capital needed to construct Tumaini.

Joan's UK home is on the border of Kent and London.

For 16 years she had been visiting Kenya 2/3 times a year bringing with her medical aid for the Kilifi Hospital.

She now lives in Kenya looking after the Tumaini Children's Home and future developments also include adding a second storey to enable the home to care for a

total of 250 children from three months to five years.

It was a very happy occasion when the first stone of the Tumaini Children's Home was officially laid on May 16, 2003, by Francis P.

Lenyanhume, Senior District Officer representing the District Commissioner, Mombasa, John R.S. Egesa.

Many more than expected turned up to demonstrate their support.

RAMADHAN TIME TABLE

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28	4.39	6.21	4.37	6.18	4.35	6.16
29	4.39	6.20	4.36	6.18	4.34	6.16
30	4.38	6.20	4.36	6.18	4.34	6.15
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02	4.37	6.20	4.35	6.18	4.33	6.15
03	4.37	6.20	4.35	6.18	4.32	6.15
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We all know that great chefs are 'one sandwich short of a picnic' and they have their own quirks and habits.

Master chef of an up-market Manhattan restaurant, Kate Armstrong is no different.

In and out of the kitchen, Kate has her peculiar and particular habits which everyone is meant to follow.

This, in her opinion is the way to success and staying there.

Things get thrown into a

Nyali Cinemax Cooks Up A "Fantastic Meal"

disarray when Kate has to take on her nine-year-old niece, who of course has her own way of living which totally clashes with that of Kate.

To add the icing on the cake is her new sous chef, who also has her own way in the kitchen, needless to say it goes against every grain of Kate's habits.

Having her personal life disrupted is bad enough, even her roost in the kitchen gets threatened by this good-looking

new chef.

Despite all the animosity she feels for this brash man, Kate is at the same time drawn to him in a way she has never felt before.

All these opposing emotions take their toll and Kate realises that to make peace with her niece Zoe and win over Nick, she has to make some changes and be more spontaneous, something she has never done

before.

The time to begin is always there and Kate starts to teach herself how to live again, free-spirited and without a care.

No Reservations is a Scott Hicks direction and stars Catherine Zeta-Jones, Aaron Eckhart and Abigail

Breslin in the lead. The second new film at the NYALI CINEMAX is **Disturbia** starring Shia LaBeouf (**Transformers**), Carrie-Anne Moss, David Morse, Sarah Roemer and Aaron Yoo.

Young Kale had a content and happy life with his mother and father.

Then an accident results in his father's death and Kale ends up blaming himself to some extent.

The once outgoing and friendly young man becomes morose and withdrawn, keeping to himself and bottling up all his emotions.

One day a teacher brings up the subject of his father and Kale cannot handle it, punching the teacher.

He is saved from going to jail by his mother who pleads with the judge, and is in turn placed under house arrest for three months.

As his mother struggles with two jobs to make ends meet, Kale sits out his jail term at home with just himself for company.

Then a sexy young girl comes to stay next door and like all young men Kale wants to find out more.

The only way he can do that is by spying and stalking her.

It does not take long for her to find out what is going on and for some reason, instead of getting angry joins up with Kale and his stakeouts.

Nocturnal

They notice another neighbour and his nocturnal habits and start to keep him under surveillance.

In no time they are convinced that this neighbour is a serial killer, but will anyone believe them, especially since they have no actual proof.

The days get longer and the

nights are even longer as Kale and Ashley stakeout the neighbour.

A bit of a scary film, **Disturbia** has been rated under 16, so those with a weak heart, please take care.

Steve Carrell plays God's game in **Evan Almighty** as he seems to be re-cast on this planet as the great prophet Noah.

Other stars are Morgan Freeman, Lauren Graham, John Goodman, Jimmy Bennett and Wanda Sykes.

If you want a really good laugh, make sure you go and see Akshay Kumar, Fardeen Khan, Riteish Deshmukh, Vidya Balan and Boman Irani in Sajjid Khan's **Hey Baby**.

Another film that will have you in stitches is **Dhamaal** starring Sanjay Dutt, Arshad Warsi, Riteish Deshmukh, Javed Jaffery and Ashish Chaudhry.

This week's Catch Up films are:

Friday - Last King of Scotland (Forest Whitaker) and **Eklavya** (Amitabh Bachchan, Saif Ali Khan, Vidya Balan, Boman Irani, Sanjay Dutt, Jackie Shroff).

Saturday - Pirates of the Caribbean 3 (Johnny Depp, Orlando Bloom, Keira Knightley) and **Dhoom 2** (Abhishek Bachchan, Hrithik Roshan, Aishwarya Rai)

Malvade

Sunday - Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix (starring Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint, Emma Watson) and **Chak De India** (starring Shah Rukh Khan and Vidya Malvade).

Monday - I Think I Love My Wife (Chris Rock and Kerry Washington) and **Kabul Express** (starring John Abraham, Arshad Warsi and Linda Arsenio).

Tuesday - Fracture starring Anthony Hopkins and Ryan Gosling and **Awarapan** with Emraan Hashmi, Shriya Siran, Mininalini Sharma and Ashutosh Rana.

Wednesday - Déjà vu (Denzel Washington, Val Kilmer) and **Life In a Metro** (Shiney Ahuja, Shilpa Shetty, Kangana Ranaut, Kay Kay Menon, Konkona Sen Sharma).

Thursday - The Pursuit of Happiness (Will Smith, Thandie Newton) and **Honeymoon Travels Pvt Ltd** (Shabana Azmi, Boman Irani, Raima Sen and Kay Kay Menon).

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Libra (Sept. 22 - Oct. 21)
You need to turn your focus to your own and family life. Something is going to be sorted and once you've sorted it, you should be able to take care of it pretty quickly.

Scorpio (Oct. 22 - Nov. 21)
You and your spouse, sweetheart or friend are almost certainly going to butt heads over different details. How to spend your time, but it will just part of a good relationship.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)
Things might be a little strange right now, but not so much that you really need to do a reality check. It is one of those weird phases that makes everything seem a wee bit out of order.

Capricorn (Dec. 22 - Jan. 19)
A burst of great physics and new energy comes to you, as well as the energy of a big success. You are a time coming. It might be a good time to test.

Aquarius (Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)
There's plenty going on under the surface today and that might be going in a new direction. Move here though, it slows you down anyway to figure it out.

Pisces (Feb. 19 - Mar. 20)
Your leaders are pretty much occasionally overlooked - but not today. You need to step into fill a void and get certainly attract attention from the right people.

Aries (Mar. 21 - April 19)
Your management skills are strong right now, so put them to good use. Whether you're inspiring you to do homework or whipping the work place into a somewhat of a state.

Taurus (April 20 - May 20)
Your good energy is giving you a new resonance with a fellow worker or someone else you don't know well - yet. It's a great time to get to know people.

Gemini (May 21 - June 20)
You don't have to be clear today, when someone else is. It's not a good break from being the communications hub every now and then and it will lead to temporary gigs. It's all for the best.

Cancer (June 21 - July 20)
It matters how you're feeling. It's better that it's a somewhat larger than you. See if you can pull yourself back down to earth a bit, especially through sensual.

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GALANA RESTAURANT GOES GREEN

FROM FRONT PAGE
Separators in an environmentally sound way Rolf Lattmann says.

"Vegetable oil is the best food for his Biogas plant. The oil is converted almost 100 per cent into gas." The Biogas plant at Mombasa Go-Kart is a closed loop system with no effluent leaving the plant. What remains from the input is only decomposed green waste, which after composting is an ideal fertilizer and goes back to the green areas at Mombasa Go-Kart. Reto Casanova says: "We are

now trying to increase the gas production, what means that we will feed the plant also with kitchen waste from some nearby restaurants.

"We plan to install a gas-operated fridge, which has the advantage to consume the gas all over the day and not only at cooking hours.

"This to reduce the size of gas-storage as the gas is used while produced."

The plant is built fully in concrete with a fiberglass gasholder.

It took one week only to construct.

The whole investment pays

back in about three years at current gas prices.

But most likely the gas prices will increase in future.

Reto Casanova says: "Since we cook with our self produced gas, my kitchen staff is now using the gas much more economically, because they

know now where the gas is coming from."

For a closer look at the plant everybody is welcomed at Mombasa Go-Kart.

For more information see: <http://JuaNguvu.com/tn> or call 0722 87 37 38

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- Charity Pin Bowling at the Nyali Cinemax Bowling Alley 13th Oct 2007 at 7pm
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- Survivor's Day at the Whitesands Hotel 23rd Oct 2007 from 10am

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Kenya Airways Briefly Suspend Lamu Service

FROM FRONT PAGE
coming week, confirm that the repairs are complete," said Mr Titus Naikuni, the Kenya Airways Chief Executive Officer.

Kenya Airways operates daily flights to Lamu using the 35 seater SAAB 340 aircraft.

Mr Naikuni also announced that Kenya Airways has taken delivery of the second of three Embraer 170 Long Range (LR) jets.

"The jet" he said "arrived on the 8th of September 2007 and made its maiden test flight to Malindi on the 12th of September 2007."

This jet bears the registration 5Y-KYJ and will mainly operate to the regional destinations of

Malindi, Mombasa, Zanzibar and Dar es Salaam.

The Embraer is configured in a comfortable single class layout, seating 72 passengers.

It has four doors and three cabin crew seats and accommodate 72 passengers, four abreast, with two toilets.

The Embraer aircraft are new entrants into the top end of the regional jet airliner market, with a seating capacity spanning 70 and 108.

The planes were formally launched on June 14, 1999 at the Paris Air show.

The first member of the family was the 70-seater Embraer 170 which rolled out on December 29th, 2001 and first flew on February 19, 2002.

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THE TAMARIND THIS WEEK



Dominic Ferszt, [above] holds a present from his friends who traveled with him all the way from UK to celebrate his 40th Birthday at The Tamarind Mombasa. They cruised aboard The Tamarind dhow for a cocktail party and later dined under the stars at the Tamarind's Private Lawn which has a fantastic view of Mombasa's Old Town. The dinner was exquisitely selected from the finest seafood cuisine prepared by our World famous Chef. For Dominic, life has just begun! The Management and staff of Tamarind wishes him all the best in life.

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INTERFAITH COUNCIL OF CLERICS IN KWALE

Coast Interfaith Council of Clerics (CICC) is an initiative that is made up of Muslims, Christians, Hindus and Traditionalists religious leaders.

CICC is made up of regional, district and locational committees within coast province.

These committees have three main aims:

- To facilitate better understanding and tolerance between local communities.
- To promote human rights awareness and
- To reduce the feelings of alienation and marginalization felt by the youth in this area.

To do the above, this local committees engage in workshops and other forums to share experiences and discuss pertinent issues.

The Youth Association project in Kwale District is one of CICC projects meant to articulate the needs and concerns of the youth.

As a way for young people to be heard, the British High Commission is supporting this project with funding of 11.7 million shillings through vocational training and entrepreneurial initiatives.

It aims to assist the un-employed youth to develop a source of livelihood and help reduce their vulnerability to drugs, substance abuse, prostitution and other forms of crime.

The project was officially launched on 5th September 2007 at Ukunda Show Ground by British High Commissioner H. E. Adam Woods.

CICC will always help young people realize their potential since it has recognized the youth as key stakeholders in the prevention of interfaith conflict and is working to provide structures for them to voice their issues, concerns and ideas.

Pleasure To Drive Along Nyali Road

The road from all the way from Nyali Bridge to the junction of Nakumatt has been done.

It is now a pleasure to drive along that road.

The worst patch was from Ratna Square to the BP petrol station.

This patch has been done beautifully.

Some companies who sponsored dustbins along the same road will be in pain to see how mismanaged these bins are.

The bins are not being emptied regularly and therefore have become points of dumping garbage.

Some of the bins have already been vandalized.

Also the junction of the Kogowa vegetable market has turned into a big garbage dump which will soon damage the road.

Please kindly bring this matter to light.

Shanti Shah, Mombasa.



Back (from left): Fransinia Kalume, Elvina Mwaro, Roshni Doshi, Ketan Doshi, Lalit Doshi, Neelam Doshi, Vinod Dattani, Yusra Mohamed (one of the beneficiaries' mother), administrators of APDK, Patience Sidi and Mr Tinga. Front: Alisha Doshi, Shama Doshi.

Polio Clinic Gifts

Mrs. Neelam Doshi has shared her Birthday Celebrations with a surprise contribution to Port Reitz APDK Polio Clinic.

At a very private function, Mrs. Neelam Doshi and only her close family members surprised APDK Polio Clinic by gifting five Special Chairs to the children encountering disability through polio.

(Disability support to deserving children highly recommended by Vinod Dattani an overseer and promoter to Polio Clinic.)

In touching and emotional words Mrs. Roshni Ketan Doshi, daughter-in-law to Mrs. Neelam Doshi added that at this birthday it was the wish of her mother-in-law to overlook party enjoyments and instead benefit the less fortunate children of the society.

Coincidentally, the birthday fell on the first day of Puryushan (Jain Fasting Day).

Jains believe to decorate and distribute in cash and kind to uplift the needy people in the name of their Lord Mahavir in their respective capacity.

Phone Numbers Have Changed For APD.K Rehabilitation Centre

The chairman and management of the apdk rehabilitation clinic wish to express their deep appreciation to all Coastweek readers who have responded partnered with us this year to offer hope and opportunity to children with disability.

Your generosity has provided much needed support to our feeding program, which benefitted more than two hundred children who have been admitted at the clinic for post-surgery management this year.

We would also like to inform you that our telephone numbers have changed.

We can now be reached on:
Tel: 020-2058034, 254-723-732010, 254-733-811605
Email: apdkreha@africaonline.co.ke

EDUCATION PROGRAMME FOR MARGINALISED CHILDREN IN KENYA

"Education for Marginalised Children in Kenya" EMACK II is an initiative of the Ministry of Education of Kenya, in collaboration with USAID and the implementing agency is Aga Khan Foundation (AKF), which

has sublet it to Catholic Relief Services (CRS).

EMACK II commenced January 2007 in the Archdiocese of Mombasa; it is a five-year project running up to 2011.

The main objective of the program is to strengthen a whole school strategy to create a lower primary environment which parents' support, children enjoy and teachers facilitate a quality education for all who attend.

It also aims at sensitizing the community (parents, teachers) on their role in education so that the program is sustainable when donors are not there.

It deals with children who are in marginalized areas (not in towns) and preferably targets orphans and vulnerable children (OVC's), those within school and those who have dropped out of school.

Currently EMACK II is in Kilifi

District covering Bamba and Kaloleni.

Target areas are Coast and Northern Eastern provinces which are considered marginalized areas.

The program has approximately Shs. 8.53 million to carry out its activities in Coast province this year.

So far EMACK II has successfully trained 30 TOT's (Trainer of Trainers).

It has also inducted 18 education officers (EO'S) and faith based educational leaders, and 30 school management committee members (SMC's executive members) in Coast province (Kilifi District), on ways to address and integrate into district and school development plan, issues affecting education for marginalized children especially OVC's and

those affected/infected by HIV/AIDS.

Currently Parent's Association (PA) members from 100 schools in Coast province (Kilifi District) are being inducted on the latter.

The program will also provide small grants to schools to support education of marginalized children; construction of twin VIP latrines in target schools is part of the small grant program to improve learning environment especially for girls.

On July 19, 2007 EMACK II supplied uniforms to children in Maweni primary school as part of their plan of providing uniforms to OVC's.

EMACK II is calling on the communities to redefine themselves and embrace new ways of sorting out problems.

The project is under the Archdiocese of Mombasa

BLESSING

Wishing to all Muslims Ramadan Kareem - indeed this is the best time to remember the unfortunate and poor to give out what Allah has blessed to you so you can achieve to be among those who will be forgiven and rewarded with paradise.

Zakiya Juma Mombasa
zakiya114@gmail.com

Making Profitable Of Time And Wisdom

Wish all the Muslims Ramadan Mubarak and it is an opportunity to be the good Allah, we have to use our time and wisdom with full consideration and awareness of Holy Quran.

Munawwar Juma Mombasa

CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS FOR THE "WHITE SISTERS"

The White Sisters or to use their official name "The Missionary Sisters of Our Lady of Africa" (MSOLA) were founded by Cardinal Charles Lavigerie in 1868 in Algeria to work among Muslims of North Africa.

As their numbers increased, they moved to other parts of Africa. This year the Sisters celebrated the centenary of their presence in Kenya, at Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish, South B, Nairobi, on September 8, 2007.

STAR OF THE SEA CENTENARY 2009

The White Sisters have been in Mombasa since May 23, 1909. Initially they settled in the Holy Ghost Mission compound, where they proposed to build an inter-racial school and dispensary.

A friend of the Holy Ghost Fathers, and the White Sisters, Sr. Ali bin Salim, was responsible for the present site of the Star of the Sea - along Dedan Kimathi Road, and Nyerere Avenue.

The school was initially called "The White Sisters Convent School", until 1954, when the name was changed to "Star of the Sea School."

The White Sisters were the pioneers of the education of girls, and former students of the school are now scattered throughout the world. - Fr. John Correa, Editor "Habari Zetu", Lwanga Communications Centre.

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Late Mr. Mohammedraza Jagani passed away on February 04, 2007, in Mombasa Kenya.

Heralding from the Jagani family, the Late Mr. Jagani was an educationist and renowned orator and had inherited the qualities of a being a powerful auctioneer, associated with Jagani Auctioneers.

The Late Mr. Jagani was an exemplary teacher, having served in the government schools for almost 25 years.

He was at one point in time the Principal of the Tom Mboya Primary School.

After retiring from government service, he joined the Jaffery Academy as the school Adminis-



Late Mohammedraza Jagani

trator for 13 years, from March 1987 to September 2000.

The Late Mr. Jagani was an active member of the Education Board of Khoja Shia Ithna-Asheri Jamaat of Mombasa, having given his dedicated and outstanding services and was instrumental in the establishment of the high academic standards and quality of education at the Jaffery Academy.

After his retirement in the year 2000, the Late Mr. Jagani served in the same Education Board in advisory capacity and at the time of his death was a member of the Boards Academic and Standards committee.

The Late Mr. Jagani also served as a member of the managing committee of the Khoja Shia

Ithna-Asheri Jamaat of Mombasa and was one time vice chairman of this community.

Profoundly known for his oratory skills and prowess, the Late Mr. Jagani will be well remembered as the life and soul of the debating fraternity and besides being a good debater, he took keen interest in training students in the art of public speaking.

Although, physically, he has left us for the better world, all the people whose lives he touched in his own special way will continually remember him.

We pray to the Almighty to grant his soul in the proximity of the Chosen Servants.

CRESTED CRANE SWAHILI WORDS

Greetings from the USA
I believe crested crane is called 'Kambarazi' or 'Korongo' in Swahili.
Ahmad Salim, USA
meholdingan@yahoo.com

Fareen Samji Lights The Way!



American tourists are seen at the Wema Centre with some of the children while presenting their donation of eight boxes of clothes, educational materials and assorted items. Looking on [centre] are Fareen Samji and Lucy Yinda.

WEMA CENTRE DONATION BY AMERICAN TOURISTS

Fareen Samji, formerly of Kenya but who now resides in Canada, brought a group of 10 American tourists to Kenya for a holiday in the game parks and beach hotels. Whilst in Mombasa, the guests

visited Wema Centre where they presented eight boxes of clothes, educational materials and assorted items.

Mrs. Lucy Yinda, the Executive Director of Wema Centre

accepted the donation.

The guests from America were very impressed with the professional manner in which the Centre is looking after the rehabilitation of over 120

orphaned and street children besides feeding another 500 children every day who stay in the vicinity of the Centre.

The guests will also solicit more support when they return home.

TWENTY EIGHT YEARS' AGO

Coastweek, September 28 - October 04, 1979

Mombasa Municipal Commission had failed to resolve the 'Chibuku Saga' which had been brewing for one year.

The Commission agreed to extend the experimental period to sell Chibuku along with other traditional liquors at the Council's canteens but failed to resolve the differences between M/S Nairobi Chibuku and the Commission.

Among the differences were the company's request to be given monopoly, employing their own staff at Municipal canteens and converting the existing Municipal Brewery into a brewery for Chibuku liquor only.

Burundi Transport Minister Barutwanayo Laolisias met with Kenya Ports Authority Chairman Peter Kinyanjui and KPA Deputy Managing Director Jonathan M'turi during his tour of Kilindini Port, when the Minister was assured by the Chairman that priority would be given to Burundi cargo through the port.

Tanzanian zoologist John Kundaali, who was also Programme Officer for Africa at the International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources in Switzerland, warned that the population of the Black Rhino had dwindled to ten per cent over the past decade.

Minister of Education Taita Towett paid a surprise visit to the Mombasa Polytechnic when he addressed staff and students in the Assembly Hall.

The World's leading squash player Jonah Barrington and his wife - former international runner - Madeline were on holiday at Trade Winds Hotel on the South Coast. Barrington took the world by storm when he won the World squash title for six years running from 1966 to 1973.

New Disco King was Sattar Sheikh in the disguise of 'Disco Atlantis' at the Oceanic Hotel. Entrance to the disco was at 15/- per person with ladies being given free entry.

NAAZ Cinema was showing a man you'll never forget 'Patton' (George C. Scott). KENYA Cinema, carried on with another sexy piece 'Sex With A Smile' ending the week with 'Main Tulsi Tere Aangan Ki'. It was Kung Fu time at the REGAL Cinema with 'Tiger From Hong Kong'. 'Zehreela Insaan' (Poisonous Person) was being screened at CHOX with Rishi Kapoor and Neetu Singh.

Letter writers included Nairobi's Peter Wafula Muhindi, J. Mwambeo Montee Junior asking for a good bus service in Mbololo, a Gray Phombeah fan from Dar es Salaam Sylvestus Olympio, Ali Sherman from Kilifi who felt that the five cent coin was now valueless and should be done away with, Kisauni's Solomon Tokali pleading to the Council to repair their road, a 'Food Fanatic' from Kibokoni, and a 'Pen Pal' from Germany.



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Very Special And Much Needed Book Kingdom Opens in Kizingo

Discovering there was an urgent need for youngsters to be assisted in their choice of available reading material, Mrs Farhana Adamji, decided to help by setting up the first children's library 'Book Kingdom' in General Mathenge Road, Kizingo.

Farhana is a teacher by profession and taught at the Mombasa Academy for about seven years.

She found on touring the town there were not many libraries specifically for children.

'Book Kingdom' comprises three spacious rooms, that is

a reception area, Children's Library and a computer area.

To be found under 'Fiction' are 400 books and 300 in the 'Reference' section.

Said Farhana "new stocks are arriving regularly and the inventory growing".

In many cases these days both parents work leaving their children with much unsupervised time on their hands.

At 'Book Kingdom' there are comfortable chairs and tables at which they can browse through books of their choice, while the very young can seek assistance on their selection.

Thus children from age four to 14 can learn to develop a

good reading habit and appreciate the joys of escaping to another world for a few hours.

Books suitable for children at primary level can be found in all sections.

'Fiction' and 'Non-Fiction' are available for adults.

Farhana revealed that 'a Book Club for like-minded adults is also in the brewing'.

Soon to be introduced is Story Telling time, 'Show and Tell' and 'Interactive Discussions' on one Saturday a month for various age-groups.

'Book Kingdom' is open between 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the morning and from 2 p.m. -

5.30 p.m. in the afternoon from Monday to Friday and on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Said Farhana 'hopefully, after Ramadhan, it will be open from 3 p.m - 5 p.m. on Saturday afternoons.

Membership fees are reasonable.

'Book Kingdom' is managed by Mrs Farhana Adamji and assisted by Mrs Fatema Jafferai.

Farhana is sister-in-law to Tasneem Adamji, Managing Director, African Quest Safaris, who is also the Chairperson, Kenya Association Of Tour Operators, Coast.



SEEN AT the Book Kingdom in Kizingo are (from left) Zainab Adamji, Mustafa Dar, Sakina Dar an Aliasgar Dar.

Serena Beach Reach Out To HIV Orphans

SERENA'S HIV/AIDS policy provides for prevention, treatment, and support for those afflicted and affected by the HIV/ virus, this forms the cornerstone of fighting and mitigation of the effects of HIV/AIDS scourge.

Mombasa Serena peer educators reached out to a family in the nearby Mtwapa town.

Just like in so many other such homes, children are left under the care of grandmothers and older children.

The elder sibling found it necessary to go beyond the stigma attached to such families and tell the world about his plight.

His cry fortunately was heard at Serena Beach Hotel and Spa.

He was faced with the responsibility of taking care of his five siblings, his granny and a cousin.

This was after his mother and aunt succumbed to AIDS.

His last-born sister and the cousin are both HIV positive and are on ARV's.

As the company's social responsibility of reaching out, he was given casual jobs at the hotel.

This is empowering the caregiver and eventually reducing the impact of HIV/AIDS in the family setup.

He is a very hard-working employee. The hotel also gave out food provisions and bedding.

The Catholic Church is assisting the first-born sister in an academy in Mtwapa.

A brother and sister are in a nearby public school in class seven.

One of the two small children is in class four and the youngest in kindergarten.

The assistance brought joy and hope to their lives and the granny really appreciated this gesture.

Mr. Macharia, the Human Resources manager told

those in attendance that the little Serena can afford to give cheerfully" and that employing the first-born son would go a long way in aiding the family.

Mr. Mark Rabudi from APHIA 11 Coast advised the elder sibling to seize the opportunity and scale greater heights.


Miriam Gitonga, the Serena wellness coordinator gave the family hope reminding them that a lot of effort is being put to get a cure for HIV.

APHIA 11 pledged to offer help through their Orphans and venerable children initiative.

Mohamedhasnain Khataun Is Top 'Year Ten' Student



The Guest of Honour Mr. Aliraza Karim presenting the 'BEST YEAR 10 BOYS' trophy to Mohamedhasnain Khataun on Graduation cum Prize Giving Day at Jaffery Academy.



Young people active in the community

Position: Global Xchange (GX) Programme Supervisor

Location: Kenya and the UK
Duration: 11 months

Closing date: 12 October 2007
Interview date: 22 October 2007

The Global Xchange (GX) Programme is a programme that works with 18-25 year olds from Kenya and the UK, giving them a unique opportunity to live and work together as volunteers in local communities in Kenya and the UK on a 6-month exchange. The programme builds active global citizens, committed to working for positive change.

VSO Jitolee and British Council Kenya are jointly implementing the GX Programme to start in March 2008. We are seeking applications from Kenyan citizens to fill in the post of **GX Programme Supervisor**. This is a 11 month contract beginning December 2007 and the successful applicant will be expected to spend 8 months in the project host community in Kenya (Mombasa) and 3 months of the project in the host community in the UK.

The successful applicant will have:

- A degree/diploma in community development, social sciences or related studies
- Be between the ages of 26-35 years
- At least 2 years working experience with 18-25 year olds from a wide range of backgrounds
- 2 years working experience of working effectively at community level
- Excellent knowledge of and experience in working with the Kenyan Coastal communities
- 2 years experience of working with youth volunteers in youth groups/clubs/organizations
- At least 2 years experience of working in a supervisory role
- Have direct and substantial experience of working cross-culturally
- In possession of strong communication and report writing skills and be computer literate
- Knowledge of issues which are common to communities in developing countries
- Willingness to live and work outside of own community in Kenya



For detailed job description, assessment criteria, application procedures including application form, please log onto www.britishcouncil.org/kenya or collect a copy of the application procedures and forms from British Council office in Mombasa (Jubilee Insurance Building) or send an email to jitolee.globalexchange@vsoint.org


Applicants must fill in the application form and send to:
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P.O. Box 49843-00100, Nairobi OR
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Please note, CV's & certificates will not be accepted at this stage.

***Please quote the reference number VSOJPS/08 on the envelope or the email subject line. Due to anticipated interest in this post, only short-listed candidates will receive a response.

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Young people active in the community

Positions: Global Xchange (GX) Volunteers (9 positions)

Location: Kenya and the UK
Duration: 6 months

Closing date: 19 October 2007
Interview date: 12 & 13 November 07

The Global Xchange (GX) Programme is a programme that works with 18-25 year olds from Kenya and the UK. Global Xchange gives youth a unique opportunity to live and work together as volunteers in local communities in Kenya and the UK on a 6-month exchange. Mombasa will be the host community for the Kenyan phase of the programme. The programme aims to build active global citizens, committed to working for positive change.

VSO Jitolee and British Council Kenya are jointly implementing the GX Programme to start in March 2008.

We are seeking applications for **GX Programme Volunteers**. This is a 6-month contract starting in mid March 2008. The successful applicants will be expected to spend 3 months in the project host community (Mombasa) in Kenya and 3 months of the project in the host community in the UK

The successful applicant will:

- Be a Kenyan citizen living in the Kenyan Coastal region
- Have completed their secondary school education
- Be between the ages of 18-25 years
- Have the ability to clearly communicate in English
- Have a passion for volunteering
- Have some involvement in community development issues through clubs, youth groups, community based organizations, volunteering etc
- Be able to commit themselves to a full-time 6 month programme away from home

Women are strongly encouraged to apply.



For detailed description, assessment criteria, application procedures including application form, please log onto www.britishcouncil.org/kenya or collect a copy of the application procedures and forms from British Council office in Mombasa (Jubilee Insurance Building) or send an email to jitolee.globalexchange@vsoint.org.

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Tough Nairobi-Mombasa Cycle Race Scheduled For December

A GROUP of cyclists will ride from Nairobi all the way to Mombasa on December 1-8, 2007, writes **ABDULRAHMAN SHERIFF**.

The main objective of this tour is to raise funds to acquire much needed training equipment and modern race worthy bicycles for the talented but needy youths of our community.

The event is being organised by the Buffalo Fun and Fitness Club athletes who see it as their duty to assist others in the best way applicable.

The first day of the tour will see cyclists tackle a 112km stage from Nairobi to Emali.

Day two will be a 109km stage that will see cyclists ride from Emali to Mtito Andei.

The third day of the tour will have a route 97km long that will start at Mtito Andei and end at Voi.

Day four will feature a 40 km hilly route from Voi to Wundanyi through the steepest ascent of the tour, the knee numbing Josa Hill.

However, the pain is soon over as the cyclists are rewarded for their efforts with an exhilarating 20km descent to Mwatate and finally to Voi.

King Of Mountain

This stage will determine the King of the Mountain.

Stage five will feature a ride of 66.4km from Voi to Mackinnon while Stage 6 will cover 84.6km from Mackinnon to Mombasa.

The last two stages will test the cyclists' strength against strong headwinds and crosswinds.

The sponsors so far are Vajih General Agencies, Fulus Bureau de Change, Sonara Budha, TSK Mobiles, Roshina Timbermart, Equator Network, Allies Jewellers, Investment Links Ltd and E Graphics 22.

Other sponsors must not forget that there are younger athletes out there who also need to be looked after.

They must realise that more informed junior and juvenile events are required to motivate the youth to ride.

At the moment, there is a marked lack of infrastructure and facilities (bikes) for the upcoming less fortunate members of the society.

They are not catered for and, as a result, some high talent is lost.

The club lauds the above

Quran Memorisation Contest Commences At Baluchi Hall

An annual Quran memorisation competition started in Mombasa yesterday (Thursday), writes **ABDULRAHMAN SHERIFF**.

Six Tanzanians and a Ugandan are expected to take part in the competition organised for the fourth year by the Muslim Mercy Youth (MMY).

The contest for ladies was done at Baluchi Hall yesterday with the male events to start today to Sunday at Makadara Muslim grounds.

MMY secretary, Mr Said Abeid said they have received two contestants from Mwanza and one each from Dar es Salaam, Tanga, Zanzibar and Pemba (Tanzania) with one participant from Kampala, Uganda.

We are organising the competition annually to encourage Muslims to be able to memorise and recite the Holy Quran," said Mr Abeid.

MMY chairman, Sheikh Abdulrahman Bawazir informed Coastweek that total of 218 entries (168 male and 50 female) participants are expected to participate.

Sheikh Bawazir said participants from Kenya are expected to come from Garissa, Moyale, Nairobi, Mandera, Migori, Nakuru, Ndiwa, Malindi, Lamu and Faza, Kwale, Mombasa and other parts of Coast province.

The Chief Kadhi, Sheikh Hammad Kassim will be the guest of honour.

named sponsors for their continued support over the past half decade.

The club is also calling on all those who wish to support in any way to help and ensure its success this tour to contact us on 0720 704 457 (Coach Mohamed Abdulaziz).



AUTO FINANCE: Mr. Ebrahim Omar [right], of CMC Motors, received a gift from Mr. Naem Shah [left], the Head of Credit of Imperial Bank, and Zahirabbas Khaku [centre], a relationship officer, during a function held by the bank for their auto finance customers in Mombasa.

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Ngomongo Village - ein Themenpark über verschiedene Stämme Kenias

TROTZ DER langen Regenzeit mit heftigen Regenfällen war das **Ngomongo Village** - ein sensationeller Themenpark, wo die Besucher den Lebensstil und die Traditionen von zehn verschiedenen Stämmen Kenias kennenlernen können - nie geschlossen, denn es ist für die Leute, die dort wohnen, ihr ständiges Heim.

Ngomongo Village befindet sich nördlich von Mombasa in Shanzu, 500 m von der Malindistraße entfernt, links an der Straße zum 5-Sterne Serena Beach Hotel.

Es ist ein klassisches Beispiel, wie man unproduktives Land in ein selbst erhaltendes Unternehmen verwandeln kann.

und einen großen Spielplatz.

Der **Trekkers** Komplex ist von einem natürlichen Wald umgeben und bietet eine erholsame Atmosphäre.

Das Essen ist von internationalem Standard.

Restaurant Manager ist **Muriuki Mbicho**, der in mehreren führenden Hotels gearbeitet hat - im **Intercontinental, Whitesands** und **Diani Reef** an der Küste, im **Kenya Safari Club** und **Star Buck Hotel** im Landesinneren.

Angela's Saloon offeriert internationale Küche in kühler und ruhiger Umgebung, während der **Trekkers Grill** auf leckere kenianische Gerichte spezialisiert ist.

Es heißt, dort gibt es das beste **Nyama Choma** (Fleisch vom Grill) in ganz Mombasa.

In Ngomongo gibt es einen Wald, bestehend aus exotischen und einheimischen Bäumen, ein Feuchtgebiet mit drei Seen, in denen Fische und Kokodile schwimmen.

Im Vogelpark sind Strauße, Perlhühner und Kronenkraniche zu sehen.

Trekkers eignet sich für Konferenzen, Hochzeiten, Geburtstage und andere Feiern sowie für Seminare (maximal 100 Personen), aber auch zur Einführung neuer Produkte; auf der neuen ShowBiz Bühne gibt es interessante Vorstellungen.

Um 1992 hatte die Stadtverwaltung von Mombasa diesen verlassenen, ausgedienten Steinbruch als Mülldeponie vorgesehen.

Zum Glück wurde dieser Plan nicht verwirklicht, denn

dadurch wäre der Wasserspiegel, der sich nur vier Fuß unter dem Steinbruchboden befindet, verschmutzt worden wie auch das Marin-Ökosystem im Meeres-Nationalpark, der nur rund 700 Meter entfernt ist.

Die Luftverschmutzung und die verfallenden Abfälle hätten für die Anwohner und Hotels in der Umgebung ein großes Problem dargestellt.

Die einheimischen Fischer und auch die Hotels können sich nun an der reinen Meeresluft und dem gesünderen Korallenriff erfreuen.

Der Eintrittspreis für das **Ngomongo Village** ist angemessen.

Bei Gruppenbuchungen ist ein Unterhaltungsprogramm inbegriffen.

Reisefachleute aus Holland besuchen Kenias Tourismusattraktionen mit Southern Cross Safaris

OAD ist der zweitgrößte Reiseveranstalter in Holland und **Southern Cross Safaris** ist der Agent dieser Firma in Kenia.

Kürzlich kamen 20 ihrer erfolgreichsten Reisefachleute, die am meisten Reisen verkauft hatten, nach Kenia, um das Produkt selbst kennenzulernen.

wie Safaris und Strandhotels.

Ein professioneller Kameramann begleitete die Gruppe, um die ganze Expedition zu filmen.

Sie kamen an einem Sonntag in Mombasa an und flogen am folgenden Sonntag mit einer LTU Chartermaschine zurück.

Sie wurden von **Southern**

Cross Safaris Chauffeurs im **Salao Camp** im Tsavo-Ost-Nationalpark begleitet, wo sie zweimal übernachteten und verbrachten eine weitere Übernachtung im **Severn Kitiro Camp** im Tsavo-West-Park.

TAMARIND RESTAURANT

Die holländischen Reisefachleute genossen auch ein hervorragendes Mittagessen im **Tamarind Restaurant** und wurden am folgenden Tag auf eine Stadtrundfahrt durch Mombasa geführt.

Sie übernachteten jeweils einmal in der **Severn Sea Lodge** und im **Whitesands Beach Resort** und Spa an der Nordküste sowie im **Pinewood Village** und im **Leopard Beach Resort** und Spa an der Südküste.



DIE ERFOLGREICHSTEN Reisefachleute von OAD aus Holland posieren vor den Fahrzeugen von Southern Cross Safaris für ein Gruppenbild am Mama Ngina Drive, Mombasa.

Fortschritte im Kampf gegen Malaria

IM RAHMEN ihres sozialen Hilfsprogrammes **Community Social Investment (CSI)** hat **Barclays Bank Kenya** großzügigweise Kshs 7,5 Millionen für den Kampf gegen Malaria in Kenia gespendet.

Das Geld wird verwendet, um mit Insektizid behandelte Moskitonetze mit langer Lebensdauer (**Insecticide treated Nets - ITN**) zu kaufen und diese in Partnerschaft mit **World Vision** zu verteilen.

Während der Unterzeichnung der Partnerschaft in Nairobi sagte **Adan Mohamed**, Managing Director der **Barclays Bank**:

"Diese Partnerschaft wird viel dazu beitragen, um durch Malaria verursachte Todesfälle zu vermeiden."

Erklärte, dass diese Partnerschaft hauptsächlich bezweckt, die Krankheit und damit verbundene Sterblichkeit von Kindern unter 5 Jahren, von werdenden und stillenden Müttern, Waisen und anfälligen Kindern zu reduzieren in zehn identifizierten Distrikten, nämlich **Garissa, Embu, Kitui, Machakos, Kilifi, Taita Taveta, Kwale,**

Mombasa, Nakuru und Narok.

Nairobi wird ebenfalls in die Partnerschaft aufgenommen.

Personen, die mit HIV/AIDS leben, stellen eine wichtige Komponente darin der Zielgruppe des Projekts.

Der CEO bemerkte:

"Die Verteilung von mit Insektizid behandelten Moskitonetzen ist das wirkungsvollste Mittel zur Bekämpfung von Malaria und damit verbundener Todesfälle; wir sind zuversichtlich, dass mit dieser Partnerschaft die Zahl der Todesfälle noch weiter reduziert werden kann."

Gemäß Informationen von der Weltgesundheitsorganisation WHO sind durch Malaria verursachte Todesfälle bei Kindern unter 5 Jahren von 34.000 im Jahr 2005 auf 16.000 im vergangenen Jahr gesunken.

Deshalb hat WHO die Verteilung und Verwendung von behandelten Netzen für den weltweit geführten Kampf gegen Malaria stärkstens empfohlen.

Wie das Gesundheitsministerium bekanntgab, konnten

durch Verteilung von behandelten Netzen, Spritzen im Innern von Häusern und entsprechende Aufklärungskampagnen die durch Malaria verursachten Todesfälle von Kindern um 44 Prozent reduziert werden.

Dr. Thomas Rotich, Acting Country Director **World Vision**, lobte die Partnerschaft mit **Barclays Bank** und sagte, sie wird die Zusammenarbeit zwischen Organisationen und der Geschäftswelt stärken.

Das Projekt wird dazu beitragen, dass mehr Kinder unter 5 Jahren sowie werdende und stillende Mütter unter behandelten Netzen schlafen, wodurch die Verbreitung von Malaria in Kenia verhindert werden kann.

Der Erfolg im Kampf gegen Malaria kann hauptsächlich der vermehrten Verbreitung von ITN Netzen an die anfälligsten Mitglieder unserer Gesellschaft zugeschrieben werden, aber es gibt immer noch viele Gebiete in Kenia, wo Malaria vorkommt und weitere Opfer dieser Krankheit erliegen, weil nicht genügend

behandelte Netze zur Verfügung stehen.

Dr. Gerald Mwangi Wainfang, Chairman der **NGO Alliance Against Malaria (KENAAM)**, sagte:

"Der offensichtliche Erfolg durch die Verwendung von ITN Netzen ist der starken Partnerschaft zu verdanken zwischen verteilenden Organisationen wie **World Vision** und verantwortungsbewussten Körperschaften wie **Barclays Bank**."

"Es ist wichtig, dass solche Partnerschaften ermutigt und verstärkt werden, wenn das Land den Kampf gegen Malaria gewinnen will."

Im Rahmen der CSI Politik konzentriert sich **Barclays Bank** auf:

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- Finanzielle Unterstützung

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AFTER the quiet months of July and August, CATS are back in full swing. At the latest meeting of the Coast Arts and Theatre Society, it was decided to organise an Annual Chairman's Quiz. This year's Chairman is the ever enthusiastic and talented Caroline Horsey and the Quiz will be

Find Out Mombasa's Strongest Link In 'CATS' Chairman's Quiz

hosted at her residence on Friday, October 5th at 7.30p.m. CATS' members and their guests are invited to form teams of four and to come along with what

promises to be a very entertaining evening. The price is K.Shs. 750 per person and this includes a brain-building supper! Please sms your entries to Jean Hughes on 0733-626264, no later than Tuesday, October 2nd. Further CATS productions to look forward to are Snow White

and the Eight Dwarfs by the ballet students of Jean Hughes and then a murder

mystery entitled *Bitter Sweet*, when the audience will be asked to decide, who done it! So, make a date with CATS and come along on Friday, October 5th to Carly's house in Coral Drive and let's see who turns out to be Mombasa's strongest link!

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"OL PEJETA Conservancy is to host its second annual "Ten 10" Cricket in the Wild Tournament this weekend, with teams entering from UK, South Africa and Kenya to help raise funds for it's community outreach programmes.

"There was never a dull moment in the first tournament I officiated with my colleagues.

Surely, this tournament should go in the Guinness Book of records as it is extraordinary and played in the middle of a Game Sanctuary where even animals come to watch the well organized event from a distance."

Special Report by Correspondent

The tournament begins at mid day on Friday, 28th September with six teams from around the globe.

Spectator entry this year will be free of charge.

The six teams will be split into two leagues to play a knockout tournament.

Facilities include a comprehensive cash bar and food outlet, shade structures and seating, children's entertainment (bouncy castle, face painting and bus trips to Ol Pejeta's chimpanzees and Morani, a tame black rhino).

Each team has raised a minimum of KShs 200,000 to enter the tournament.

"There will be a Saturday night disco and barbeque for those that like to party into the night and great raffle prizes to be won," said Sandra Hill, of the organizing committee.

The tournament will be completed no later than 2.30 pm on Sunday, 30th September followed by a prize giving ceremony that will reward the team that raises the most sponsorship.

Cricket in the Wild last year raised KShs six Million, thanks to extra fund raising efforts by all teams that participated but especially Hugh Crossley's Team from the UK who won the highest fundraising prize.

These funds have been allocated to the building, rehabilitation and development of several secondary schools and medical dispensaries surrounding the conservancy.

The team winning the tournament will be awarded the inaugural trophy - an elephant's head, carved from an old cedar post, holding a cricket ball in its trunk (made by a community member).

The trophy was won last year by a Kenyan team captained by Chris Outram from Gilgil.

"We were very proud that last year's tournament was won by a Kenyan team.

Chris Outram's team will be back again this year to defend their title," said Richard Vigne, Ol Pejeta Conservancy's Chief Executive Director.

"To keep the event light hearted, we will also be awarding a crate of Tusker to the most humorous sledger."

The event is being umpired this year by several members of the Kenya Cricket Umpires and Scorers Association, including renowned cricket umpire Subhash Modi, who have volunteered their services.

Prestigious

This will assist in bringing a higher level of professionalism to the event. Subhash Modi who represents International Cricket Council (ICC) Affiliates Associates International Panel of Umpires said "It is a great honour and privilege for me to be associated with this exciting, prestigious and unique Cricket in the Wild tournament for the second time.

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3	6	4	2	1	5	7	8	9
2	9	3	6	8	4	5	7	1
5	7	8	1	9	2	4	3	6
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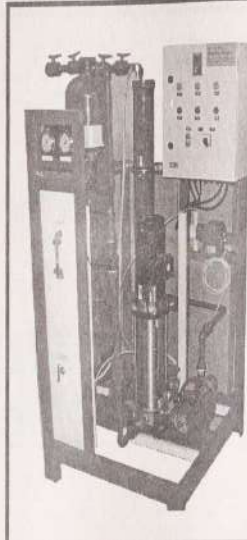
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Stephen Mwangi And Joyce Kiragu Of Nakumatt Win Fast And Dangerous Lake Nakuru Cycle Race

PROFESSIONAL mountain bike racing cyclists drawn from the Nakumatt Holdings team swept the top honours in the fifth edition of the Lake Nakuru Cycle Race with the Rhino challenge.

Fresh from his recent All Africa Games outing in Algeria, Nakumatt's Stephen Mwangi won the mens' 60Km category as teammate Joyce Kiragu sealed a similar feat in the ladies category after finishing 13th overall.

The two who were part of a ten-member Nakumatt team cleared the fast and dangerous course in a time of 2:53:07 and 4:05:15 respectively.

Aside from corporate entries teams drawn from *Standard Chartered Bank, Sarova Hotels, KWS, Carnivore Restaurant and Lake Nakuru Lodge*, the race also featured individual cyclists.

In the men's category, Mwangi cleared the course more than ten minutes ahead of second placed John Njenga and third placed Peter Kangethe, fourth Simon Kumwaka all drawn from the Lake Nakuru lodge team.

Speaking at the finish line, race winner Stephen Mwangi confirmed that the race had served as a worthwhile training platform for him ahead of the forthcoming Cameroon challenge that he's hoping to take part in.

During the race flagged off by

athlete Wilfred Bungei, more than 100 amateur cyclists endured the grueling and fast course inside the Lake Nakuru National park where they at times came face to face with big game such as Rhinos and buffalos.

Notwithstanding the challenges, 34 cyclists managed to make a podium finish.

At the finish line, Shelton Majid also from Nakumatt finished fifth ahead of pre-race favourite Linus Namakhabasa who finished sixth.

Namakhabasa from the Lake Nakuru lodge team won the race last year.

Undeterred by the breakdown of his bike at the 58km point, Namakhabasa opted to run the remaining distance to the finish line where he was heroically

received. Sarova Lion Hill lodge team member Nelson Otieno finished seventh ahead of David Muide and teammate Patrick Macharia who finished eighth and ninth respectively.

The reigning Kenya National Mountain Bike champion Nixon Mwaura who is recovering from a broken collar bone injury sustained during the Safaricom 10-to-4 race earlier this year finished tenth.

Top Ten Finishers- Stephen Mwangi 2:53:07, John Njenga 3:18:25, Peter Kangethe 3:27:19, Simon Kumwaka 3:33:24, Shelton Majid 3:41:37, Linus Namakhabasa 3:47:12, Nelson Otieno 3:52:22, David Muide 3:58:03, Patrick Macharia 3:59:16, Nixon Mwaura 3:59:33



GURBUX SINGH (left) best gross winner of the Monthly Mug at Nyali Golf and Country Club is seen receiving his mug from the sponsor Godfrey Onyango. The Mug was sponsored jointly by Lumatete Muchai and Godfrey Onyango.

BRIDGE RESULTS

Coast Bridge Association Results of Duplicate Bridge played on Monday 24th September 2007 at United Sports Club Mombasa 25th September 2007

Pulin Gandhi : Dr. J. D. Shah 86, Shantilal Shah : Harijal Malde 79, Ketan S. Shah : Panu Savla 78, Mahendra Shah : Koki Shah 75, Rohit Malde : Vibha Shah 73, Tushar Pujara : Bharti Pujara 69, Ashok Dodhia : Kaushika Dodhia 69, Janak Babla : Neemaben Babla 66, Rasik Shah : Manju Shah 53

Despite Rough Weather And Ruffled Seas Michael Smewing Snatches Deserved Double Line Honours

THE UNUSUALLY chirpy and gusty Kusi winds of the past weeks still persist despite the seasonal expected transition towards north easterly Kaskazi.

On Wednesday afternoon of 19 September, four boats on

water out with a force 3-4 gusting wind face and an incoming tide at its peak had it as rough as it can go.

The start from the Club mark on a difficult beat to Likoni was the sampler of what was in store: the two Lasers - *Sihiri* sailed by *Chris Soper* and *Sifu* sailed by *Brian Emmott* followed on close heels of *Centurion* sailed by *Koki Doshi* crewed by *Vimal Shah*.

The Laser 2 *Conways* sailed by *Alfred Okoth* and *John Koyiet* was also triangulating unsuccessfully like the other three boats to maintain a beat, opening up sails a wee bit more and trying to stay on course, or as close to it as possible under the circumstance.

Once rounding the Likoni mark, the Lasers went on ahead to the Green Cable mark at the channel mouth and rounded it on port with a gybe, which was a feat in itself considering the windy weather, costing a capsize to *Sifu*.

Centurion having decided to retire turned her bows towards the Club mark sailing by the lee at the same time.

In doing so she took on her flanks the force 8-10 gust that suddenly arose out of the blue and shook up more than trees on the island, rolled and capsized within a split second totally turtle with *Koki* and *Vimal* in water.

The wind speeds and the weight of the boat on the heaving water face were not favoring the efforts of righting it and they were then hitched up to the rescue boat for a turtle tow towards shore.

Tatters

Precisely at this juncture, *Sifu* sailed uncontrollably due to the same gale and had a fine frisk with disaster at ferry ramp mark with sails in tatters and needing assistance.

The rescue boat decided to leave *Centurion* and go to the rescue of *Sifu* which was in a more needy state.

Centurion with her fleet of two piggy riding the keel with the mast, sails and rigging trailing underwater drifted in-shore with the current and ended up banging the moored barges taking a good beating due to the strong current before being rescued once more after *Sifu* was towed to the safety of Club beach.

Conways too had a death roll but managed to right themselves; but they had gear failure and decided to retire on their own

sail before her skipper and crew came to the assistance of *Centurion*.

The fallen *Centurion* was righted with extreme skill by *Alfred Okoth* and *John Koyiet* with the experienced *Iddi* and *Kelvin* in rescue boat guiding the maneuver and bring her home full of water but with a safe mast and rigging.

Despite the conditions and himself having had more than three capsizes, *Sihiri* and *Chris Soper* decided to finish the rain drenched and wind beaten course to go on and win the race by very well deserved rights.

The Sunday's Ladies Rose Bowl was deferred to a later date due to poor participation and instead the men raced a Scratch race with three boats, all Lasers.

Winds were still the fuming force 3-4 and the going very bumpy.

Michael Smewing's Quicksilver darted off like the legendary silver arrow and tried to maintain the lead ahead of *Chris Soper's Sihiri* and *Olivier Kerneur's Chanzo*.

The battle was fierce with all the three boats gaining the lead and losing it over each other, when *Chanzo* had a death roll on the run back from Likoni mark with the gusty winds playing their rough cards.

Olivier may think of making adjustments to his slim physique and putting on some weight now!

Further on, rounding the Peleleza mark on a tight gybe "a la grand prix style"- a typically French stint, *Quicksilver* scraped *Sihiri* and paid the penalty by doing his 720 degree turn.

After doing his penalty, *Quicksilver* took a risk to continue sailing by the lee in order to regain his distance and position, which he did thanks to the conventional gybe by *Sihiri* between the K1 and K2 buoys

which made him lose the lead and Michael catching up.

Sailing neck to neck once again the two boats fought to reach the M buoy on the south west shore.

Sihiri misjudged the current and wind combination, being short of the mark and lost speed by pointing too much into the wind while trying to avoid the tank.

Ruffled

With excellent tactical acumen *Quicksilver* and *Michael Smewing* sailed on ahead and never again let go of the lead.

Despite rough weather and ruffled seas, *Michael Smewing* even if soaked to the skin managed to snatch a well deserved double Line Honors for the day, sailing first in both the races.

The week that was, offered naturally a race to remember the three boats on Sunday and an experience to forget for the Wednesday sailors.

COAST BRIDGE with C.P. SHAH

In the following hand North - South reached in a small slam contract and excellent defence by East defeated the contract. Dealer: West Neither Side 'Vulnerable'.

BIDDING:

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
'THREE' HEARTS (1)	PASS	PASS	DOUBLE
PASS	'THREE' SPADES	PASS	'FOUR' DIAMONDS
PASS	'FOUR' HEARTS (2)	PASS	'FIVE' CLUBS
PASS	'FIVE' DIAMONDS	PASS	'SIX' DIAMONDS
ALL PASS			

(1) Pre-Emptive (2) Control Bid

West led a Diamond which was won in dummy.

A Spade lead would have defeated the contract.

Declarer played a Club from Dummy and finessed Club Queen, which held the trick.

NORTH

♠	J	10	7	6
♥	A	10	6	
♦	K	10		
♣	J	8	7	6

EAST

♠	A	8	5	2
♥	Q	3	2	
♦	7	6		
♣	K	9	4	3

WEST

♠	K	4	3		
♥	K	J	9	8	7
♦	2				
♣	10	5			

SOUTH

♠	Q	9			
♥					
♦	A	Q	J	9	8
♣	A	Q	2		

He crossed back to Diamond King and played Heart Ace, discarding a Spade from hand.

He ruffed a Heart and ran all his Diamonds.

On the last Diamond East had Spade Ace

and Eight and Club King and Nine.

If he discarded Club then his King would be bare and Dummy's Clubs would be good.

If he discards his Spade Eight then he would be end played when declarer plays a Spade.

So he discarded his Spade Ace and Declarer had to give Spade King and Club King.

One down.

A nice defence.

Bjorn Waldegaard Test Drives Ford Escort For Classic Rally

More Foreign drivers may test their rally cars for the 2007 Kenya Airways East African Safari Classic Rally following the visit to Kenya by Sweden Bjorn Waldegaard earlier this week.

World rally star and former Safari Rally winner Bjorn Waldegaard spent two days in the country as part of his plans to test his Ford Escort for marathon rally which will be run from Mombasa in November.

The Swede used part of the section near the Ngong Hills to test the car he will use in the third edition of the race to be sponsored by Kenya Airways, Access Kenya, D.T. Dobie among others.

Waldegaard was said to be happy with the test programme which was based mainly on the engine and its power out put.

He will form part of a two-car team with Stig Blomqvist which will be entered by David Sutton of the Ford Historic Team.

The Swede's visit comes

on the heels of England's John Lloyd of England who was recently in the country to test a Datsun 260Z hired from Mike Kirkland.

Lloyd drove a Ford Escort in 2003 and a Porsche in 2005.

The first edition proved disastrous after the Escort caught fire as a result of an accident on the final day.

Waldegaard is one of the best known Safari Rally drivers and a great

admirer of the Kenyan event with four victories to his credit, is seeded at number one in this year's edition.

It will be his second Classic event since his debut in the 2005 edition where he drove a Porsche 911.

He won the Safari Rally on four occasions with his first victory in 1977 driving a Ford Escort.

Kenya's number one driver, Ian Duncan is busy preparing his Ford Mustang for the KQ-sponsored rally.

To be navigated by Amaar Slatch, the crew is seeded at number five out of the 59

starters.

This year's plan is regarded as more friendly and kinder to competitors and their service crews and spectators to ensure mechanics do not go without sleep.

The plan will include four days of competitions on each side of prolonged halts.

The first break will be at the Amboseli Lodge by the slopes of Mount Kilimanjaro followed by another at Arusha before cars head for the finish on the sandy beaches north of Mombasa via Tanga.

There will be a ceremonial start on Saturday 24th November 2007 with a small spectator stage in Mombasa.

The rally proper gets under way on the morning of Sunday 25th November 2007 at 6am in the morning.

Cars will pass through Nairobi, Naivasha, Nakuru, Narok, Kericho, ruru, Namanga, Arusha and Tanga among other places before returning to Mombasa via Lungu Lungu

Special Report by Correspondent

Petrol Station Forecourts Court Potential Disasters

IN RECENT weeks we have had several bad road accidents. Most of them have been in the western part of the country and a few have been to the immediate west of Nairobi.

Almost all have in one way or another involved public service vehicles. This brought back into focus the country's expectation that the perceived magic of the Mwakazi rules is beginning to wear off.

What is happening in Kenya is not unusual.

In other countries, the major accidents that catch everyone's attention are the ones that involve many deaths and these are only likely to happen when public service vehicles are involved.

However, multiple fatalities are not the preserve of road accidents.

We also see and hear of examples involving natural disasters such as floods, earthquakes, mud slides, tsunamis and so forth.

Others are due to manmade triggers such as bombings, structures collapsing, failures in manufacturing and construction sites and so forth.

I would like to focus on one area this week which I feel is a neglected one especially in our part of the world.

That is the petrol station forecourt.

Sidindi

In our country I consider that these are disasters waiting to happen and that both the operators and we as the public have a role to play in making them safe locations.

Petrol station forecourts are a potential disaster.

All we have to do is to remember the horrific accident that happened in Sidindi quite some back.

This is where wananchi rushed to a site where a petrol tanker ferrying gasoline overturned spilling product to the ground.

Wananchi came there with whatever container they could find in order to harvest the spilled fuel.

They ended up getting roasted by the fireball that happened when an ignition source was brought top the scene.

This was thought to be some innocent fellow who was passing by smoking a cigarette completely unaware of what could happen due to the temperature at the tip of his cigarette.

The same situation as obtained in Sidindi is present in all fuelling forecourts in the country.

When vehicles are being filled or indeed when fuel is being offloaded there is always fumes

generated and these spread across the forecourt of every single petrol station anywhere in the world.

There is signage in most of them that tells people what they

CoastDrive with Teti Kamugunda



need to do in order to reduce the risk of things catching fire.

Key one is the need to have no ignition sources.

These can come in the form of the vehicle engine, lighting matches, or open flames, mobile phones and so forth.

A lot of motorists see the warning signs on the forecourts but do not respond to them.

The bigger worry is that the attendants at the forecourt are supposed to ensure that their customers and other users of the forecourt adhere to the safety requirements that are posted all over, yet they themselves do not enforce these rules.

I have been in many petrol stations where the attendant fuels a vehicle that has an engine that is still running.

Most common reason for this is that should the engine be switched off then the vehicle will not be able to start from the ignition key but will need pushing.

This is the most common violation of the forecourt safety requirements that I have come across.

This particular one is the most frightening for me as the most common vehicle that has a defective starter mechanism is the matatu and the tuk tuk.

Should the fact that the engine is running whilst it is being fuelled lead to a fire then one has potentially fourteen or more people that could be roasted to death in the one vehicle.

The number could rise should the conflagration spread to the whole forecourt.

One can imagine further and consider passenger buses, school transport and so forth.

This is a major disaster waiting to happen.

The other possibility for forecourts is the people that are passing through the site.

Zealous

Quite often the petrol station is situated on a corner between two main roads.

Pedestrians will cut across the station instead of walking round the paving adjacent to the main road.

The pedestrians walking through the site will not be people who are aware of the hazards presented by the product on the

forecourt.

The reality is that when a station starts then the forecourt attendants are zealous enough to stopping people from crossing.

However, as the site gets busy they begin to relax as stopping passers by conflicts with the business of selling fuels.

The station owner's pressure changes the focus.

We are therefore as motorists regularly visiting sites that are potential bombs and in quite a few instances we could be the ones bringing risk to the site.

Vehicles that have bad ignitions

and need to keep engines running are one such problem.

The other is vehicles whose exhausts are not working properly and are leaking hot gases near where the fuel is likely to be filled in.

Others are those whose exhausts are defective and tend to blast sparks every so often.

Users of mobile phones and other electronic equipment are also bringing dangers to the site.

As Kachumbari says, we all have to be careful and contribute to safety on the sites.

We should take note of the cautions on each of the sites as our contribution to reducing the risks on each site.



BROOKSIDE Sales Manager for Mombasa Depot, Duncan Ndegwa [right] is seen handing over goats to Mwatate MP, Hon Marsden Madoka during the 21km Madoka Half-Marathon held at Ngereny Farmers Training Center in Taita District.

Kikuvi Aces At Safaricom Festival Of Golf

Coast Qualifying for the Safaricom Festival Of golf took place this weekend at Leisure Golf Club.

A field of 103 battled it out to qualify for the national finals being held at Nyali Golf and Country Club on 3rd November 2007.

A very generous sponsor-

ship from Safaricom and the usual level of organization and hospitality from Leisure Lodge made for a great day of golf.

It was an extra special for Aaron Kikuvi who scored a hole in one on number 3 the longest of the par 3's.

Aaron hit his trusted seven

wood to cover the 162-meter distance from tee to hole and aced it with two bounces and a short roll to the hole.

The excited Kikuvi was luckily insured as he was relieved of a substantial amount of his weekend's spending money!

The members and guest appreciated his hospitality as well as that of the sponsor.

Results:

Overall winner: S.Seki 37 (20 & 17) Nyali GCC, Men's winner: J. Reily 36 (18 & 18) Nyali GCC, Runner Up: A. Kamau 35 (17 & 18) Leisure Golf Club, Third: C. Kiragu 34 (16 & 18) Leisure Golf Club (Capt), Fourth: G. Kumar 33 (18 & 15) Leisure Golf Club, Lady Winner: D. Munyao 32 (16 & 17) Mombasa Golf Club, Junior Winner: J. Chebukati 34 (19 & 15) Nyali GCC

HOLE IN ONE No 3 H. Kikuvi, 162 meters with a 7 iron.

Qualifiers: J. Reily, A. Kamau, C. Kiragu, G. Kumar, H. Schmidberger, Ole Kina, P. Krijnen, P. Onyango, C. Sire, A. Kikuvi

Lady Qualifiers: S.Seki, D. Munyao

Junior Qualifier: J. Chebukati

Justin Baya Super Eight Quarter Finals

QUARTER-FINAL matches of the Justin Baya Super Eight Cup Soccer Competition will be played tomorrow (Saturday) and on Sunday, writes **ABDUL-REHMAN SHARIF**.

Kenya Football Federation (KFF) Malindi Sub-Branch Fixture Secretary, Japhet Kaingu said two matches are to take place tomorrow and two others on Sunday at different playing fields in Malindi District.

Kaingu said they have organised the semi finals to be held on October 6 and 7, third place play-off on October 13 and the final set for October 14.

Teams to battle out for top honours are Malanga Heroes of Lango Baya, Super Eagles (Kakoneni), Young Rovers (Kakuyuni), Gabba (Chakama), Lucky Boys (Sabaki), Yanga (Malindi), Zambarani (Gede) and Black Stars (Malindi).

Tomorrow, Gabba will play Lucky Boys at Chakama ground with Zambarani tackling Zambarani at Kakoneni ground.

On Sunday, Malanga Heroes to take on Yanga at Lango Baya ground, and Young Rovers to clash with Black Stars at Kakuyuni ground.

Meanwhile, Clubs taking part in the Coast Premier League (CPL) would hold a meeting with the Kenya Football Federation (KFF) Coast branch at Mombasa Municipal Stadium on Sunday.

KFF Coast branch secretary general, Ismail "Ogolla" Mohamed said the meeting to start at 10 a.m. will deliberate on the progress of the CPL which is in recess due to the fasting month of Ramadhan.

Mohamed said the meeting will also discuss about courses to be organised by his branch for coaches and referees.

He appealed to clubs which reached finals of the Big Apple Cup competition in various districts to also attend the

meeting.

In another development, Mombasa FC under-16 soccer team registered a narrow 2-1 win over Al-Hilal during a thrilling friendly match at Mombasa showground over last weekend.

Mombasa started the game on a fast note taking an early lead in the seventh minute through John Masaulu but Al-Hilal equalised in the 35th minute via Abdalla Omar before Ibrahim Rapsa gave the winners the second goal in the 74th minute.

POOL TOURNAMENT @ HOLLYWOOD BOWL

Curtains finally fell at the pool tournament that lasted two weeks at the Hollywood Bowl Centre, last week on Tuesday evening.

The semi-final qualifiers in the tournament were: Farouk, Charles, Rahim and Himesh, Farouk and Rahim making it to the final stage.

Farouk emerged the winner and the best player, the second runner up was Rahim, third Charles.

Fabulous prizes were given to the best players.

Over the weekend (Saturday) afternoon, the Hollywood bowl had a pleasure to host youths from Crossroads Fellowship Church known as Impact Youth Group.

The group was accompanied by Mr. Matt and Mr. George. The members comprised of Benson, Chris, Maggie, Priscilla, Solomon, Alex, Genuine, Ken, Sebastian, Gmk, James 1, James 2, Michelle, Robert, Rukia and Ulliyan.

Their scores were as follows:- Benson-138 points, Chris-85 points, George-122 points,

Maggie-36 points, Matt-52 points, Priscilla-23 points, Solomon-78 points, Alex-67 points, Genuine-52 points, Ken-88 points, Sebastian-104 points, Gmk-89 points, James 1-57 points, James 2-119 points, Michelle-54 points, Robert-95 points, Rukia-82 points and Ulliyan-59 points.

Though most of the members were familiar with the sport, they could not hide their excitement. They had a wonderful afternoon.

There were new entrants notably in ladies category and under 15 category.

Scores of the week on the board:

Men's: Shiv Morjaria - 246, Habib-235 points, Paresh Morjaria-217 points and Muns-217 points.

Ladies: Mrs. Daksha Morjaria (Paresh Morjaria's wife) - 127 points.

Under 15 years category: Chris- 142 points, Benson-138 points, Harry- 123 points, James-119 points, Sebastian-104 points and Rukia- 82 points.

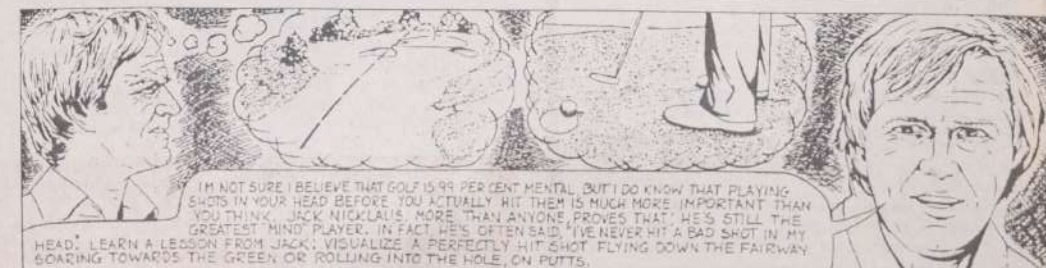
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