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## "Nyali Beach Hotel" Records Remarkable 60 Per Cent Increase In 'Repeat' Bookings

NYALI BEACH Hotel, Mombasa's premier tourist resort has recorded a soaring 60 per cent increase in repeat guests holidaying at the hotel in the last six months ending October, 1995.

A total of more than 300 repeat guests stayed at the hotel during the period between May and October this year, according to hotel statistics.

Most of the repeat guests were British and Kenyan expatriates on business trips.

According to the statistics, an average of 50 repeat guests were at the hotel at each given month, and most of them either had breakfast at the hotel's *L'Orangerie Restaurant* or dinner at either the *Bistro Mchana* or *Mvita Restaurants*.

During the period under review, October recorded the biggest number of more than 77 repeat guests, while September received 37, August 60, July 40, June 45 while May recorded 27.

This was immediately after the Easter repeat guest boom of 62 in April.

Most of the repeat guests show interest of visiting the hotel during the Easter period or towards the end year when Nyali Beach Hotel stages some of world popular carnivals like last year's *Brazilian Copacabana Carnival* which drew big numbers of repeat guests.

The high rate of repeat guests during the Easter period - when many Kenyan Coast hotel are usually buffeted by the low season guest drop - Nyali Beach Hotel's bed occupancy is improved by the big number of repeat guests who choose to visit a that period either due to the attractive low season offers or by the hotel's unrivalled holiday facilities and service.

A six year repeat guest Mrs. Jennifer Ulatowski, from the United States, said she has been accompanying her husband on business trips to Mombasa four times a year and they have always been staying at the Nyali Beach Hotel.

Her husband Steve Ulatowski has been visiting Kenya since 1979 and has made Nyali Beach Hotel his second home here.

Said Mrs. Ulatowski: "I like it here because I feel safe and everyone knows me here so they know what I want before I even ask. It is like my second home".

She said during one of her visits to Tanzania, she was booked at a hotel where she returned from sightseeing excursion to find thieves in her room, and when she called the hotel security for help, they instead accused her of allegedly stealing from herself ...

She said that is why she prefers a hotel like Nyali.

She said they always stay at the same room her husband has been using for the last 17 years at the hotel because it has a big balcony with a panoramic view of the azure Indian Ocean waters.

### ICE CREAM BOWL

"Here you get the sun and a good view of the sea, what else will you want?", she poses.

Saying that her husband is a gambling enthusiast, she noted that the recent addition of a casino to Nyali Beach Hotel's facilities makes her confident that her husband is safe as she does not have to go out of the hotel for gaming.

Another thing, the people at the casino when they see me enter with my husband, they always have a bowl of ice-cream waiting for me.

Nyali Beach Hotel, she says, is the only tourist resort on the Kenyan coast where the real tropical beach holiday is vividly experienced.

"And we will always keep on returning here", she vowed.



"The Undertaker must have left his CallPhone in his coat pocket."



"No, I don't play football!"



"I wonder what the third disaster will be?"



"Have you seen our electricity bill?"



"I welcome this opportunity - probably my last - to say a few words ..."



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FRANK H. NEUGEBAUER, Group General Manager, Diani Homes, is seen presenting a delighted Paresh Shah, Convener of the Ring Us Up programme with Shs. 50,000/-. It came from Restaurant Carnival and Chale Island Paradise, both part of the Diani Homes group. Second left is the Co-Convener, Philip Ilako and on right Zoab Gulamhusein, Chairman, Round Table Number 25. Left is Essa J. Nathu, Chief Accountant, Diani Homes. It is a gigantic effort by Round Tables Number Three and 25 to raise funds to help those in need.

## How A 'Part-Time Actress' Tries Unconventional Methods To Find A 'Full Time' Husband

**'DON'T LOSE the Place!'** a comedy by Derek Benfield is the next entertainment planned for Mombasa's Little Theatre Club.

The play was chosen by the Club's Vice-Chairman Peter Oduor-Odotte and together with Jean Koch they have selected a hard-working, enthusiastic and superbly talented cast.

The story revolves around Sylvia, played by first-time actress, Lynn Whitehead, who decides on a rather unconventional method of finding a replacement boyfriend after her ex-lover Robin has walked out on her.

She carefully arranges a timetable in order to "try-out" various assorted lovers and

Playing the parts of the three would-be husbands are Richard Walden a sports teacher at Mombasa Academy who has also proved himself to be a most capable actor, Michael Hughes who needs very little introduction as he has made himself

a firm favourite with Mombasa audiences and completing the line-up is new-comer Jim Wild who is certainly difficult to tame!

The play commences on Monday Nov. 27 and the final performance is, by way of a change on Thursday, Nov. 30.

Don't be caught out by these dates! The Booking Office is now open.

## Theatre Notes by THESPIAN

assess their suitability before making her final choice of a potential husband.

But time-tables have a way of going wrong and more than one of the contenders arrive unexpectedly on the same evening!

Sylvia has to rely on the ingenuity and quick thinking of her good friend Jemma to enable her to survive the torrent of confusions and mistaken identities that inevitably arise.

Jemma is played by the multi-talented Tanya Smith who delighted everyone during 'Stealing That Extra Bow' and more recently during the plays staged at the Tamarind's dinner theatre.

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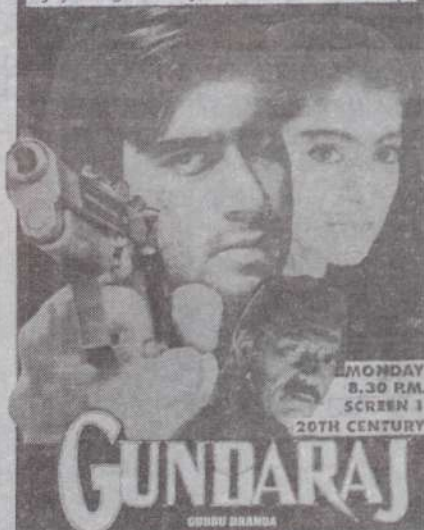
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## GUNDARAJ

\*ING: Ajay Devgun; Kajol; Amrishi Puri; Asrani.

Three girls were raped.  
 One boy was sentenced.  
 A family destroyed.

# "Coppelia" - Once Again Jean Koch And Her Girls Put On A Super Show !

YET ANOTHER five nights of pure magic were produced by the dynamic Jean Koch when she staged "Coppelia" at the Little Theatre Club, November 7 - 11.

A total of 127 children delighted audiences every evening from the opening bars of the lovely music to the slow opening of the curtains to reveal a lovely set (well done Giulia Gschwand, Mary Nicholas and others).

The audience sensed they were in for something special.

The first half saw the two main characters, Swanhilda and Dr. Coppellius dancing alone, together and with villagers and friends.

Swanhilda was danced by Nicky Cleave.

As always, she gave a graceful and polished performance.

Nicky is so professional in everything she does on stage. Dr. Coppellius was danced by Priyal Patel.

Her performance surpassed the excellence she showed recently in "Aladdin".

Priyal had really matured into an accomplished dancer and actress.

Her mime was explicit without being overdone and her stage presence first class.

## POISE AND CONFIDENCE

Her make up, painstakingly applied (and painfully removed) by Dominique Schep set the character off, and was so good one of her friends was heard to ask, 'who is the old man?'

Dominique also involved himself in the make-up of the Pierrot Dolls and other characters.

Besides Nicky and Priyal, Pamela Driessen and Sonia Shah dance with renewed poise and confidence.

The second half saw the inside of Dr. Coppellius' workshop, with various dolls coming to life and performing.

All were charming and amusing in their own way.

The Ballerina dolls, toy soldiers, toy sailors, character dolls and Pierrot dolls, worthy of mention here are Darshna Doshi, who as the Pierrette danced well each night.

The real joys of this half, to me anyway, were Sonia Chandaria and Hannah Marsh.

Sonia as the Prima Ballerina really did look like a little doll.

Her solo was beautifully executed, she made full use of the stage and really is a star of the future.

As a Pierrot doll, she was among older children, but she never put a foot wrong.

She demonstrated a poise, sense of rhythm and timing, far beyond her years.

Hannah Marsh, who spent the whole of the first half motionless on her balcony (not an easy feat) came into her own as "Coppelia" in the second half.

Her solo during the magic scene was graceful, meaningful and superbly danced.

Nerves were overcome as she slowly came to life and filled the stage with movement.

As a character doll too, Hannah danced faultlessly.

Sadly, there is not room to mention everybody involved in the well dressed (thank you Mr. Bhoja, Frouse Driessen Jill Grove and others), well lit (thank you Michael Hughes), well made up and presented show.

Once again Jean Koch and her girls have put on a super show that not only brought money into the ailing little theatre club, but raised over Kshs. 31,000 for the Mombasa

Hospital League of Friends (Fafiks).

What a pity neither the Chairman nor Vice Chairman of the Little Theatre Club were available to say some "Thank You's" on the final night.

But Dominique Schep stepped into their shoes.

The Chairman and Committee have started an ambitious fund raising scheme.

Let us hope the money is put safely in a separate account and not used for department servicing, local overheads and cheap beer.

Also, I feel a definite 'Lease Extension' (the Euphoria raised by the Chairman at "Aladdin" was apparently only a 'Letter of Intent') should be obtained and displayed in the Mombasa Little Theatre Club before any money is asked for.

Again, well done Jean, her ballet girls and all her helpers for trying to keep live theatre alive in Mombasa.

## Theatre Notes by THE SPIAN

# KENYA CINEMA TODAY ! TODAY !

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SCORPIO October 22 - November 21

Don't go panic-buying on Wednesday. All will be well if you think about it. Tolerant attitude works wonders and you wind up getting your own way.

SAGITTARIUS November 22 - December 21

Take life as it comes and don't fret about things that might not happen. Outstanding bills are settled and your mind is eased.

CAPRICORN December 22 - January 21

Circumstances are not likely to change, so make the best of things as they are. Follow a hunch and ignore jealous remarks.

AQUARIUS January 22 - February 21

Thoughts turn to romance although partner may seem indifferent. Don't play the waiting game any longer, but launch out on your own.

PISCES February 22 - March 21

See friends and forget your troubles. Someone does you good turn. Money seems to come more easily after positive decision in midweek.

ARIES March 22 - April 21

Family tends to lean heavily on you, but don't suffer in silence. Particularly industrious week won't come a miss and stand you well in another's esteem.

TAURUS April 22 - May 21

Visitor provides light relief from household chores and even offers to help. Take work as it comes and don't look too far ahead.

GEMINI May 22 - June 21

Break away from routine given opportunity. Diversion provides necessary boost. Chance to mould circumstances to your way. Some money goes missing.

CANCER June 22 - July 21

Some surprise in store, personal and family ones. You cop with any extra work and prove a point.

LEO July 22 - August 21

Others accept your advice and are grateful. Take a bow! You may have to spell out your intentions to your group to get attention.

VIRGO August 22 - September 21

Surprises within family circle. Keep tight rein on your emotions. Work remains interesting and you are inspired to do better things.

LIBRA September 22 - October 21

Not everyone will agree with your decision and you must be prepared for some stick. Someone is losing interest, so watch out for danger signals.

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# Nguu Tatu School Children Enjoy Exciting Safari To The Bamburi Quarry Nature Park

## FROM PAGE ONE

Said Theo 'the children are very happy and told me they had never been to such a nice place.

They have seen very little of Kenya, including this nature park which is just about 15 kms away from Nguu Tatu.

He explained that the outing had been made possible with UTC sponsoring their travel arrangements by providing a big coach (usually used to transfer tourist between airport and hotels).

## WATER SPORTS

For three consecutive weeks on a Tuesday they collected one hundred eager youngsters from the school to take them to the Bamburi Nature Park where admission was 'free'.

Afterwards they were taken by UTC to Bamburi Water Sports owned by Richard Brendhof and Stanley Bouwneester from Holland who gave them a 'complimentary' lunch, with Coast Bottlers

chipping in with ten crates of 'free' sodas.

In the afternoon there was swimming, sports and dancing leaving at 4 pm in UTC's big coach for the ride home after a truly wonderful day.

Declared Theo 'if it had not been for these good-hearted sponsors this outing would not have been possible.

They have our sincerest thanks, as well as the childrens, for making such a great day in their lives possible.

It is something they will always remember'.

Theo and Clazie first came to Kenya ten years ago. They are now retired and living in Mombasa.

Such was the lure of Kenya that they never wanted to go elsewhere and each annual vacation was thereafter spent here.

Said Theo 'we then thought that having enjoyed ourselves so much it was not fair to do nothing to help those in need in the country.

So, in our restaurant 'Concordia'

(meaning co-operation) in Holland we put pictures we had taken here on the wall and explained the dire need in Kenya for more educational and training facilities.

Soon donations started coming in'. A small private organisation, called 'Children of Kenya' was formed and the Concordia Primary School at Nguu Tatu bears testimony to the wonderful contribution which has been made by the people of The Netherlands - all thanks to the very inspired effort by the Helvoorts.



THEO AND CLAZIE HELVOORT are seen at Bamburi Nature Park together with porter Hussein Mbarak (left) and UTC driver Amani Nassir, during the school's recent visit.

## Ajay Devgun's Mission Is Seeking Vengeance To Punish The Guilty!

THREE GIRLS are brutally molested. An innocent young man is sentenced for this horrendous crime. Due to this tragedy, his family is destroyed. The guilty, however, remain unpunished.

After four years, the condemned man is out to seek vengeance, and punish the guilty. Will he succeed or will his search be fruitless?

Come and see Ajay Devgun's unbeatable and powerful stunts in and as Gundaraj at Lotus Cinema.

Kenya Cinema will screen *Veer*, this week.

*Veer*, whose aim is to end evil in his country, is exactly the opposite of his look-alike Ram, who robs people, and makes

Cinema Preview by Hamida Mamujee

fun of them.

In his fight for justice, Veer dies and this makes Ram realise his duty towards humanity.

He vows not to spare a single terrorist and punish all those who are a threat to his country ... and so the mission starts for Ram.

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The company's showroom along the Mohdar Mohammed Habib road (former Kisumu road) next to the old Nation building off Moi Avenue packed with the latest new range of finishing ceramics and traditional clay Roman, Brosley and Mangalore tiles.

The compact showroom's walls are bedecked with colourfully decorated ceramic tiles, corners of its entrance

exhibit meticulously arranged complete bathrooms that would grace any luxury home today.

The company is already well known for producing locally manufactured tiles and bricks for roofs and floors ventilation grilles and partition blocks mainly for the local market.

"We try to supply the latest production and designs bearing in mind cost effectiveness" says Mr. Carlo Vitulli the company's managing director and a renowned ex-rally driver adding:

"In response to the growing local demand for high quality ceramic tiles we now importing a wide range of ceramics".

Carlo says new designs produce a modern and at the same time classical finish, hence the company's concentration in stocking its showroom with the latest selection of tiles, imported ceramics products from well known international companies such as ITS,

Ricchetti, Goldart and Cercom all based in Italy.

These firms produce a wide range of tiles, rich in colour and capable of distinctive decor in any of corner of a building.

Even those with a penchant for intricately designed swimming pools, Miritini has a

## Special Report by George Sunguh

range of mosaic tiles that could befit any taste.

To design a mosaic floor of a swimming pool, all we require is to be provided with an image however complicated, with proper wall and floor plan and the suppliers in Italy will develop the tiling which will be delivered on site ready for fixing," says Carlo.

Also available are products from South Africa's Vaal company which specialises mainly in bathroom facilities,

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Recently the company made a breakthrough into the European market where floor tiles have particularly been exported to Italy, Belgium, Austria, and United Kingdom.

## NAIROBI STOCK MARKET REPORT

Week ending November 10th, 1995

Day	Turnover (KShs)	N.S.E. Index	Shares Traded
MONDAY	21,624,715	3539.17	358,808
TUESDAY	21,276,214	3540.90	426,793
WEDNESDAY	25,573,643	3536.77	496,070
THURSDAY	23,536,275	3523.36	410,381
FRIDAY	41,195,458	3498.32	744,145

Week Total Turnover	= 133,206,305
Change over last week	= + 64 per cent
Week Total Shares Traded	= 2,436,197
Change over last week	= + 55 per cent
Week Average N.S.E. Index	= 3527.71
Change over last week	= + 163.1 points

Top Five WINNERS This Week	Percentage Change Over Last Week	Top Five LOSERS This Week	Percentage Change Over Last Week
CARBACID LIMITED	+ 33.3	I.C.D.C. INVESTMENTS	- 16.2
B.O.C. KENYA	+ 18.5	KEN COM BANK	- 15.0
GEORGE WILLIAMSON	+ 14.7	STANDARD CHARTERED	- 12.2
KENYA POWER	+ 10.5	N.I.C.	- 11.5
FIRESTONE [EA]	+ 10.3	H.F.C.K.	- 10.0

TECHNICAL CORRECTION | As expected last week's word of caution was timely as the market corrected itself downwards.

This is as a result of unsustainable higher demand for shares and hence supply won the week. In this regard, some prices fell while others which had attained higher levels maintained those high levels.

The Nairobi Stock Exchange Turnover was a more respectable average of KShs. 26.6 million daily as the Week Average Index gained 4.8 per cent.

In the FINANCIAL SECTOR, 1,266,385 shares were dealt (a reduced 51.98 per cent) closing with three advances and nine declines.

C.F.C. Bank was surprisingly most active dealing 291,330 shares, H.F.C.K. dealt 253,550 shares and N.B.K. dealt 213,317 shares. All top five losers this week were from this sector. Others losers include Barclays (- K Shs. 12) and Diamond Trust (- KShs. 4).

The INDUSTRIAL SECTOR dealt 461,922 shares (18.96 per cent) with seven advances and four declines.

Carbacid dealt its first deal up 33.33 per cent after the announcement (trading 'oumail') as B.O.C. Kenya jumped significantly.

Demand for Total, Ungea and Kenya National Mills continues as announcements are expected soon. Kenya Breweries and Crown Berger were very active dealing 164,527 and 146,240 shares respectively.

THE COMMERCIAL & SERVICES SECTOR had a total of 452,484 shares dealt (big jump to 18.57 per cent) with three advances and two declines.

C.M.C. Holdings dealt a massive 318,009 shares as Uchumi dealt 65,170. Motor Mart stays up at KShs.89 as Nation also stays up at K Shs. 91.

The AGRICULTURAL SECTOR saw a momentous increase in activity as 255,406 shares were dealt (10.48 per cent) with TWO advances and two declines.

Sasini had a brilliant week dealing 236,628 shares as Eaagads dealing for the first time since the announcement closed at K Shs. 91.

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## Mea Culpa: "I Am Responsible And Apologise!"

DID YOU fax or post Coastweek/BusinessWise surveys this past week?

We sure hope you did, but it's not too late - quite.

We are at present compiling the data from the responses, and will base our BusinessWise column for November 17, on your replies, so watch for it!

Remember: your reply does help - more data means a better picture of what Coastweek readers

- ☑ Want from their jobs.
  - ☑ What's important at work.
  - ☑ How satisfied they are with those aspects of their present work.
- Don't delay - fax or post today! Which brings me to a point.

The tourist seasons is almost upon us: Mombasa temperatures are climbing steadily; schools are gearing-up for the end of term one and exams; and change in general churns away.

Frustrations, hopes for good business, tempers, political heat, the need for money - all are rising, as usual.

I really hope you won't mind if

this week we look at some habits on the Coast (Nairobi will of course, deny it has these habits, and claim it's due to the climate or something) that we could all do to change.

Perhaps you could pin this column up and take some kind of vow or make New Year's Resolutions?

OK; lets own up, make some confessions, adjust responsibility, agree, nod our heads - even if we do it reluctantly - and say, with a smile:

*"Fair catch! Yes, it would make life easier if these things only happened in..."* (please insert the village, town, city or county of your choice).

• **Mombasa - Time!**  
No, we don't mean 'saa kumi na moja', (a calculation that still defeats me despite the best effort of my house keeper to teach).

We mean the time that people show up.

Arrange a meeting or a seminar

for 08.30 hours, and expect 50 percent of the people to arrive at 9.15 hours - if you're lucky.

Now, I've noticed lots of watches including the occasional Rolex and Rado, on the wrists of local residents.

And there are city clocks, Rotary clocks - even a remarkably rusty old clock on the Nyali toll booth that still keeps time; trust the Japanese.

Is there some secret code that people have, some twitch, hand signal, wink, or expression in Gujarati, Hindi, Kiswahili, ... that I don't get?

You know, the one that means 9.15 hours when you said 08.30 hours?

I've looked and listened as hard as I can and don't see a thing!

So please, Mombasans, tell me the secret, or I may end my days thinking that people here don't value my time, only their own.

That would be most disrespectful, and I don't want to believe that - yet.

You know, it's funny, but passengers don't show up at Moi International Airport an hour late (although quite often, they could ... sorry, Kenya Airways's!). It's a puzzle.

• **Any excuse is worth a try.**  
The day I hear "Yes, it was me; I accept responsibility, and apologize."

I will climb to the top of a suitable Minaret in Old Town and cry it over the roof tops.

That might bring thousands out into the streets, but I doubt it.

Admit it, folks, those of you who fall so easily into the old routine of:

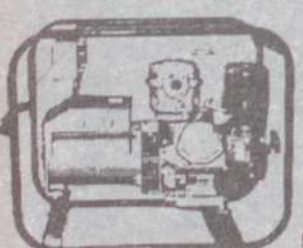
"It was his fault", "The matatu had a crash", "The dog ate it", "My cousin twice removed on my Auntie's side in Nakuru died", or the classic, "Malaria!" and countless others, you are usually fibbing.

I know, it's easier, it makes no waves and we all think (yeah, sure!) privately, but once again, it's sign of disrespect for our time, our planning, and our intelligence.

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## FAMILY CARTER AT SERENA



NAIROBI SERENA GENERAL MANAGER, Peter Mbogua welcomes former US President Jimmy Carter and his wife to the hotel during a recent visit. President Carter has become a regular guest at Serena during his many recent trips around Africa en route to Somalia, Sudan and other countries.



ROTARY CLUB DISTRICT GOVERNOR HENRY KYEMBA is seen with Rotary Club of Kilindini chairman Dash Pal Wadhwa when they were both made Giriama Elders after the official opening of the Gandini Primary School - a project of Rotary Club of Kilindini.

## Chale Island Assist

SPONSORING A 'Duka' in this year's popular 'Ring Us Up' programme in support of the gigantic effort by Round Tables Number Three and 25 in raising funds to help the less fortunate members of society are Restaurant Carneval and Chale Island Paradise - both part of the Diani Homes group.

These programmes cost around Shs. 800,000/- to set up and this year the target is Shs. 2.5 million.

The market place (or Souk) will again be at Bandari College, and for the first time the KBC TV programme will probably be split into two sequences and shown on different days, one being December 17.

In presenting a cheque for shs. 50,000/- to Paresch Shah, Convener of the 'Ring Us Up' programme, Frank H. Neugebauer, Group General Manager, Diani Homes, wished them every success in their very worthwhile endeavours which, he said we are delighted to support.

Among those benefiting will be many Round Table initiated projects which they continue to assist, as well as helping others to be implemented.

They include the Mombasa Secondary School for the Physically Handicapped, APDK's Polio Clinic at Port Reitz, the Haribhai Lakha Clinic, Mtongwe; Ribe Clinic, Kilifi District and Mewa Medical Centre, while a new home is being built by them for street children at the Wema Centre.

## DISTRICT BANNER



ROTARY DISTRICT GOVERNOR HENRY KYEMBA is seen presenting a District Banner to Rotary Club of Mombasa chairman Harish Shah.



IT IS ALL SMILES for Miss Hiteh Vaja, as she receives the first prize she won in a Dandia/Raas Competition organised by the Lohana Mahajan during the Navratri Festival. Presenting the prize is Mr. R.C. Jain of Cable Television Network, sponsors of the competition. Looking on (from left) are Mr. Prashant of CTN, Jaimini Jethwa, winner of the consolation prize Reshma Ruparelia and Mr. Vinod Dattani, Convener of the Entertainment Committee.

### DAYS TO GO

- 1 DAY
- 2 DAYS
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- 5 DAYS
- 6 DAYS
- 7 DAYS
- 8 DAYS
- 9 DAYS
- 10 DAYS
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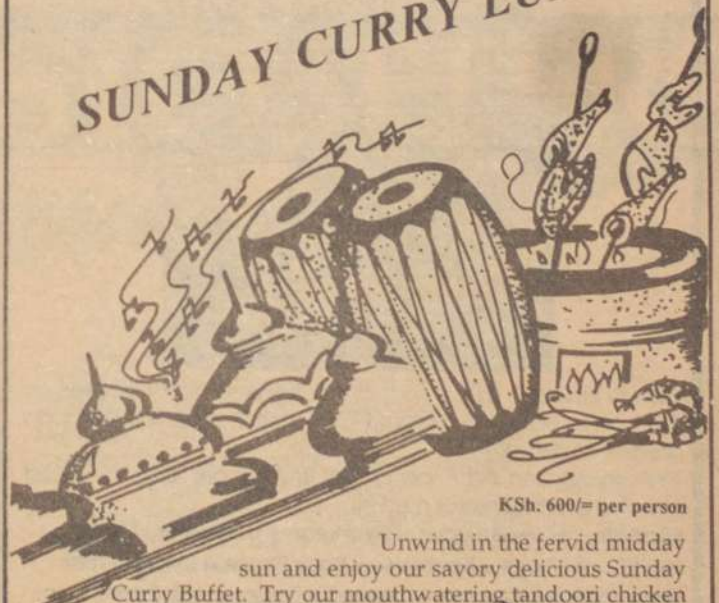
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# ESTABLISHMENT OF A TOURIST POLICE FORCE IS AT ADVANCED STAGE - WITH 30 PERSONNEL NOW 'UNDER TRAINING'

KENYA IS undoubtedly the best tourist destination in Africa and we must clear the problems which impede its growth.

The formation of a Tourism Board will be the major saviour of this industry for if we do not have aggressive and professional marketing strategies, tourism will continue to decline.

So said the Chairman of the Mombasa and Coast Tourist Association, Najib Balala, when addressing a General Meeting at the Tamarind Restaurant on November 6 which attracted a record attendance of members as well as from the Kenya Association of Hotelkeepers and Caterers' and Kenya Association of Tour Operators.

The chairman continued, amid applause 'It is high time Kenya started implementing its projects without undue delay before our competitors capitalise on our minor shortcomings.

He took the opportunity of thanking the Kenyan and Japanese Governments for making possible the extension of Moi International Airport to ease congestion and enhance efficiency there.

The association started under the aegis of East African Tourist and Travel Association in 1948.

Fourteen years later becoming the Mombasa and Coast Tourist Association with a membership comprising hoteliers, tour operators, airlines, travel agents, shops, businesses directly or indirectly benefiting from tourism - the objective being to foster and promote tourism.

It was the first General Meeting MCTA has held since 1991.

It keeps members informed of MCTA projects and progress being made as well as giving them the opportunity of discussing current problems facing the trade and the latest tourism trends.

Reporting on MCTA activities since the last Annual General Meeting, the Chairman said that these had included the formation of three major sub-committees - Marketing and Promotion (Tasnim Adamjee, chairman), Infrastructure and Environmental Affairs (Mr. Nderu, chairman) and Data and Information (Anil Dodhia, chairman).

The first task of the Infrastructure Committee had been to prepare a memorandum to the Commission of Inquiry into Local Government, and Mombasa being granted city status.

Said the chairman 'MCTA suggested that before Mombasa's status can be changed the council needs to upgrade its services to the public'.

He took the opportunity of appealing to council to improve its

services as well as the infrastructure.

Noting that some improvements had been made in the town which included the roundabout in Digo Road and more street lighting, the chairman in thanking the Mayor said 'keep up the good work'.

Adding 'we hope Mombasa will return to her former glory of being clean and peaceful'.

Members of this sub-committee also visited the Public Works Officer with the result that some improvements had been made including the Nyali Bridge lights.

The chairman also mentioned that MCTA had been to the forefront in establishing a standing security committee comprising MCTA, KAHK and KATO which meets often to monitor the security situation.

He revealed that the establishment of a Tourist Police Unit was at an advanced stage and that thirty personnel are presently undergoing training.

Continuing he said 'thanks to the MCTA Executive Committee I was able to join the high powered

delegation for Kenya Tourism Day in London led by the Minister for Tourism and Wildlife, Mr. Noah Katana Ngala.

He considered this move by the Ministry to be highly commendable and that such days should also be staged in Germany, Italy, France, Switzerland, USA etc.

In conclusion he mentioned that in August MCTA had led a tourism delegation to see President Moi at Mombasa.

A memorandum had been presented outlining problems facing the industry and stressing the urgent need for a Tourism Board, Tourist Police Unit and for action to be taken on infrastructural problems.

The President, he said had promised it would receive attention.

**Special Report by NETA PEAL**

## "We Need to Diversify And Re-design Our Product On A Continuous Basis" - Ngala

THERE IS A lot of hard work in front of us in view of changing demands by the more modern traveller, increasing competition from new long-haul destinations and emerging regional destinations, warned the Minister for Tourism and Wildlife, Mr. Noah Katana Ngala.

His speech, read out on his behalf by the Director of Tourism, Mr. Munthi M'Mbui, at the Mombasa and Coast Tourist Association's General Meeting at the Tamarind Restaurant, continued the emergence of new destinations

has eaten into the market share of classical tourist destinations such as ours.

In order to survive in this harsh competition we need to take regular stock of our achievements and weaknesses.

'We need to diversify and re-design our product on a continuous basis, while not losing sight of our traditional products of the safari and beach which have earned this country international fame and a leading tourist destination in Africa south of the Sahara.

We need to bear in mind what we are dealing with a client who has a very wide range of choices for a holiday.

Faced with such a competitive climate our success in tourism in the future depends largely on how well we plan and manage our wildlife and marine resources.

Among the guests at the meeting, under the chairmanship of Najib Balala were the United States Ambassador, Aurelio Brazal, Provincial Police Officer, F. Gichuki, District Commissioner, Ali Korane and the Senior Warden, Kenya Wildlife Service, Mombasa, Ali Kaka.

Turning to the subject of marketing the Minister said 'our economy has gone through a rough patch due to the persistent adverse economic climate worldwide in the last five years.

However, signs of positive growth were evident in 1994 and it is expected that 1995 may realise a better performance.

The fluctuating exchange rate of the Kenya shilling vis-a-vis the major currencies has shown signs of stabilisation.

This, therefore, accords the tourist enterprises an opportunity to plan with optimum pricing.

Although Kenya is reputed for the quality of her tourist products it must be borne in mind that under the present world competition the price tag is always a major element of consideration by the consumer.

Continuing the Minister explained 'for the last two years my Ministry has been re-focussing on up-market tourism, while at the same time paying close attention to environmental considerations.

### QUALITY TOURIST

In pursuit of attracting quality tourists, our future marketing plans are purposely directed towards North America and the Far East while at the same time maintaining the traditional markets.

Here, said the Minister 'I would like to mention that the USA continues to be one of the biggest users of one of our quality products - the safari.

He concluded by reiterating once again to the MCTA chairman, Najib Balala 'my Ministry's appreciation of the amicable working relationship that has existed with MCTA.

In a brief comment before reading

the Minister's speech the Director of Tourism assured the tourism industry represented at the MCTA meeting that 'the Kenya Tourist Board and Tourist Police Unit, for which the industry has been clamouring for some time, are in the pipeline and will be realised very soon.

This news being received with rousing applause.

Addressing the gathering briefly Col (Rtd) J. Nguru, Chief Executive, Kenya Association of Tour Operators, praised the recent image-building exercise in London and Manchester.

He said it is the first time that government and the industry went all out to promote Kenya as a destination at one time. The results have been very positive.

As far as the KWS Beach Management programme is concerned, he said 'we fully support it.

It is a big selling point for Kenya, and doubters should come out and back it too'.

He explained that a Kenya Tourism Federation is being formed to address industry-wide problems, including standards, but it is not going to be a substitution for the Tourist Board.

Said the Chief Executive of the Kenya Association of Hotelkeepers and Caterers, Njeru Kirira 'the promotion of tourism is a joint effort and the industry has shown how it is working together with government to do so.

As far as the KWS Beach Management programme is concerned 'we are for it, and we are serious'.

He went on 'we believe that the Kenya Tourism Federation and Tourist Board will play a big role in its promotion.

We have a fantastic product but competition is growing and we cannot afford to sit back and wait for tourists to come here'.

Adding 'for five years we have been calling for a Tourist Board and hear it will be established soon, also a tourist police unit.

He also paid tribute to Kenya Tourism Day in London, describing it as a very good example by government and the tourism sector of promoting Kenya together.

However, the Italian market remains very depressed.

The District Commissioner, Ali Korane, assured MCTA that government fully supports its efforts in maintaining and promoting tourism and its committed to ensuring that tourists are safe and enjoy their holiday here.

**CERTAIN MARKETS REMAIN "QUIET" BECAUSE OF IMAGE PROBLEM**

POLLMAN'S TOURS and Safaris find that business compared to last winter season is 'down'.

This is based on the market supply from overseas tour operators for whom Pollman's look after the ground arrangements here.

'However, even the recent influx of tourists following the resumption of charter operations into Mombasa by Air Holland and Finnair fails to compensate for the downturn presently being experienced' said Pollman's Managing Director, Karl-Heinz Straus.

In an interview he said 'the tourism industry is facing very difficult times with both the number of tourists coming here, and their spending power, dropping.

In today's very competitive world with the number of attractive long-haul destinations increasing every year it is necessary for Kenya to embark on a large scale 'image-building exercise'.

He went on 'from my discussions with tour operators, travel agents and clients it appears that Kenya has developed an image of being insecure, expensive and not giving value for money.

This 'he said' had stemmed from robberies in national parks, Nairobi and Mombasa, also the wide fluctuation of the Kenya shilling'.

Said Mr. Straus 'Kenya is unique as a tourist destination being able to offer a combination of magnificent wildlife, beaches and breathtaking scenery.

Unfortunately, the country is not doing much in the way of professional and sustained promotion.

### PROMOTION

At the coast 'he went on 'there is a specific problem which overseas tour operators have, especially on the U.K. market.

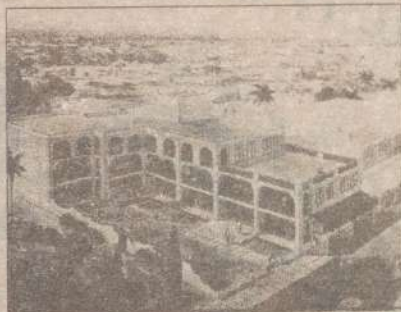
It is that of reduced prices for holidays on the Kenya coast to fill empty aircraft seats, thus giving the impression of a lower quality product being sold through special offers'.

He further explained that 'beach hotels which are very active in marketing and sales promotion, with a product attractive to charter tourists, have good occupancies, while others are suffering.

There is also urgent need to improve security generally, as well as the infrastructure by providing an adequate water and electricity supply, repairing roads and seeing they are properly maintained.

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## Usually The Case Is Where You've Got One Smart Sister That You're After, And One Horror Of A Sister That Pays You All The Attention!

LAST WEEK IT WAS ALL about 'Fast Cat's': well, this week we shall wax on a little about 'Gracious Ladies' - the one in question being the new, and yes, fast luxury passenger liner or if you prefer cruise liner *Silver Cloud* which paid us a visit earlier on this week.

It was in fact her second call to Kilindini, and she'll be returning on the 29th for her third and last call of the season before wandering off on her itinerary India and the Far East.

Present cruises have kept her hereabouts visiting Comores, Seychelles, Zanzibar etc.

(I suppose veteran mercenary Robert Denard and cronies opted for less luxurious transport means on their little effort not so long ago when they decided to pack their suntan lotion and Ray Bans for their brief sight seeing and entertainment tour of the Comores!)

*Silver Cloud*, of which everyone we are led to believe has a silver lining, as some of you might already know is the twin sister of *Silver Wind* which was here earlier on this year, February / March time, on her inaugural visit and tour of these areas, gracing Kilindini with her presence on no less than five occasions.

Messrs. Inchcape Shipping Services are looking/ looked after both ship's while at Mombasa.

Not bad when you've got two equally beautiful sister's to look after.

Usually the case is where you've got one smart sister that you're after, and one horror of a sister that pays you the attention!

Come to think of it, perhaps it was the *Silver Cloud* that got folks attention the other evening steaming off the South Coast, apparently very slowly and not so far from the reef.

Reports of: 'Wow, there's what looks like a passenger vessel in problems, been in one spot for a long time now.'

Others: 'No, all I can see is what might be some fishermen on the reef with a lantern etc.'

The *Ultra* is astern of the *Silver Cloud*, discharging W.F.P. cargo,

### Shipping News with Gordon Cuthbert

and is incidentally also being looked after by Inchcape.

SPICA Marine incidentally, are providing the security or stowaway watch which they catered for on previous visits.

I hear from impeccable source that some nefarious owners who have taken on stowaway watches, and then discovered such onboard on sailing, have (some might say quite rightly) refused to pay for the services not rendered.

However, having considered that, it does appear a little unfair, because stowaways are devious characters, and where there's a will there's a way, and they carry that out to a T.

### STOWAWAY SECURITY ...

So to have an effective and secure stowaway watch would mean increasing watch personnel, which, yes you guessed, increases cost's, which, yes, you guessed right again, the ship owners don't want to pay!

So a bit of a difficult situation there (cept of course if your method is rather than take precaution to prevent stowaways, is to get rid of them, once discovered, by chucking them over the side, then no worries mate).

SO Sauf Efriken commodity brokers are here attempting to buy up our maize etc. Let's hope they leave enough for us.

I see that the tanker *Juan She 31* will by now have moved from her previous residence alongside Amgeco jetty to their dry-dock proper.

*Juan She 31* you might recall found herself with severed prop shaft and brought in by the Murri International salvage tug *Barbara* on Sunday, August 6.

Guess the crew must have picked up a smattering of Kiswahili by now, they've certainly been active raiding the crab-holes along the waterfront at Liwatoni.

I gather they make a pretty good sauce out of the crabs, mostly fiddlers and so on.

## BARCLAYS BANK AID WESU EYE CLINIC



LIONS CLUB OF MOMBASA CENTRAL

LYDIA OTEDO (right) from Barclaycard Mombasa is seen while donating a cheque of Shs. 20,000 to Rt. Himat Soni, Convenor of the Eye/ Dental Camp at Wesu in Taita District from Lions Club of Mombasa Central in the presence of other Rotarians and Manju Mohammedbhai of the bank during a brief ceremony at the Bank along Mombasa's Nkrumah Road recently. The fund was towards assisting the successful project which ended recently. The Rotarians thanked the bank for their untiring support for the needy. PHOTO: PIX LINK MOMBASA.

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## Bhangra Beat At Bamburi Beach ...

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It is of course a night to remember when the doors open at 9.00 pm. with the DJ Zak on the turn-tables ready for Bhangra selections and Frere boy for hip hop.

The house will be on action when everybody will move in a velocity motion on the dance floor to shake their body from the sweet melodies offered by these two professional DJs'.

The Mombasa King of Bhangra Mr. Faiz Upal will also be in the house to give traditional bhangra dance.

Zak, will perform modern bhangra dance, famous in UK as Bhangra hip-hop.

All the roads lead to Breakers this Saturday and all are most Welcome.

## Tatjana Berc Thrills To First Kenya Safari

STARTING WITH a group of twenty-two tourists, Tatjana Berc who owns a tour operating company in Slovenia, plans to bring a charter here next year after seeing Kenya.

It was her first visit here and the first time for her company to bring tourists to Africa.

It is presently the only one in Slovenia to be directly offering holidays to Kenya.

Tatjana has already arranged to bring another group in the New Year.

Her interest in Kenya was aroused after meeting Uschi Pape, Sales and Marketing Manager, African Tours and Hotels, Coast, at this year's International Tourism Bourse in Berlin.

On meeting up again in Mombasa they were planning holiday packages to suit all Slovenian tastes.

In an interview, Tatjana mentioned that there is a big market for holidays in Slovenia, with around 70 per cent of the population taking vacations outside the country.

It was she who established Thaicoo 4½ years ago which has turned out to be a very successful business venture and a member of IATA.

Around two hundred travel agencies are selling Thaicoo's package holidays to destinations all over the world.

Attracting the most bookings at the moment are islands in the Caribbean and the Maldives.

During their twelve days in Kenya, where they stayed at Trade Winds Hotel, Diani, and went on a two day safari to Tsavo National Parks, a video film was made which will be shown to agencies and clients, all to promote holidays here and of fulfilling Tatjana's dream of a charter to Mombasa next year.

The group described Kenya as 'brilliant' and paid tribute to A T and H for organising such an excellent

vacation.

They found Trade Winds - one of the oldest hotels on Kenya's south coast - to be atmosphere loaded and very homey.

There was great excitement during an overnight at Ngulia Lodge to see a leopard.

### EXCITING EXPERIENCE

They described Kenya as a new and exciting experience and were most impressed by the friendliness and kindness of the people as well as by the good food and beaches.

They flew from Slovenia with Adria Airways to Paris, then Air France to Nairobi and Kenya Airways to the Coast.

Tatjana was most impressed when departing from Moi International Airport by the KA Customer Service Officer, Zubeidah M. Ramadhan when meeting with her first customers from Slovenia.

Despite problems over their very difficult names, she kept smiling



TATJANA BEREC (front left) who has her own tour operating company in Slovenia, 'Thaicoo' brought her first group of tourists to Kenya. Next year she plans to bring a charter here after her first visit to Kenya. She is seen at Moi International Airport with Uschi Pape, Sales and Marketing Manager, African Tours and Hotels, Coast, who was wishing them 'bon voyage'. It was A T and H which looked after their ground handling arrangements here. They stayed at Trade Winds Hotel and on safari at Ngulia Lodge where all were thrilled to see a leopard.

## LUNCH IDEAS

AT LA TERRAZZA Restaurant, International Casino, it is always bar-be-que lunch time.

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THE TALENTS for acting, dancing and music were displayed by some gifted students from the Likoni and Ziwayi Schools for the blind and the deaf and dumb respectively, at the Hindu Service Day organised by the Hindu Council of Kenya, Mombasa Branch, at Shree Navrat Vanik Mahajan on November 12.

Mr. Jagmohan Sharma, Assistant Commissioner for India, presiding over the function, appreciated the noble gesture of the organisers and said "The act of human kindness is in consonance with the wishes of the Head of State to be mindful of the less fortunate members of the Society".


Mr. Sharma assured the students that the society as a whole shares their sorrows and cares for their well-being.

He lauded the role being played by the dedicated teachers to impart useful training to the blind, deaf and dumb students.

The Headmaster, Likoni School for the Blind, eulogised the services rendered by the Hindu Community throughout Kenya, for the welfare of the handicapped children.

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# 'Kenya Wildlife Services' At Forefront In Protecting Indian Ocean's Increasingly Rare Turtle Population

THE KENYA Wildlife Service is managing a project at the coast in which the local community is involved in the efforts to conserve turtles.

The community is encouraged to look out for nests along the beaches. Once they report to KWS the sighting of any such nests, the KWS gives the individual reporting the sighting Kshs. 500/- and he or she is encouraged to ensure that there is no interference with the nests.

When the eggs are hatched, the individual member of the community would again call the KWS officials who would then give a token of Kshs. 5/- to the person once the hatching is verified.

The hatched Turtle is then released into the sea by KWS officials in the presence of the visitors and local people.

This system has worked so well and the community seem very enthusiastic in taking part in the turtle conservation projects, perhaps encouraged by the cash incentives.

At Bamburi, just north of Mombasa, private initiative is also being undertaken to protect and conserve the Turtle.

Under this project, hired guides collect Turtle nests along the beaches before they can be destroyed or poached and take them to the artificial protected hatchery at Bamburi.

Once enough small Turtles are hatched, local, tourists and other people visiting the project are encouraged to take part in the ceremony of releasing the Turtles into the sea.

Usually between 100 to 300 people take part in the ceremony with each holding a small Turtle which they then release to the wild almost at the same time.

KWS data indicate that Sea Turtles are widely distributed along the Kenyan Coastline within the 20 mile isobar areas mainly associated with sea grasses and coral reefs.

Turtles are however highly migratory with nesting beaches

These factors coupled with the loss of nesting sites due to beach erosion, predators and pollution severely threatened turtle population in Kenya's waters.

However, recent efforts by the Kenya Wildlife Service and private initiatives by conservation groups

through public participation and public education and by provision of incentives for nest reporting and protection have proved very successful in curbing the illegal exploitation of sea turtles in our waters.

Five species of sea turtles have

been recorded to occur on Kenya's water namely the green turtle (*Chelonia mydas*), the hawksbill (*Eretmochelys imbricata*), the olive ridley turtle, (*Lepidochelys olivacea*), the loggerhead turtle (*Caretta caretta*) and the giant leatherback turtle (*Dermochelys*

*coriacea*).

It is interesting to note that both the KWS and the Bamburi projects have so far proved successful despite the fact that Turtles have over the years been of great value to Coastal people for nutritional, economic and cultural purposes.



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usually located a long way from the feeding grounds.

KWS Scientists recognise that for better conservation of Turtle on our Coast, it will be imperative to collaborate with their counterparts in the Eastern and Southern Africa Coastal range.

Such a collaboration would be geared towards further scientific studies of Turtles and sensitization of the public on the need for Turtle conservation.

So far, only Kenya and South Africa have conducted studies on Turtle yet Turtles are known to migrate throughout the Eastern and Southern African Region.

Sea Turtle population in Kenya waters is estimated to be more than 800 animals comprising resident and migratory population.

This appears to be a significant number, however poaching of eggs and adult turtles, incidental catches and destruction of nesting and foraging habitats, pollution and human encroachment are threatening to disseminate these population.

To check and stop these trends, KWS has taken conservation measures focusing on the protection and management of foraging grounds.

Poaching of the adult nesting female turtles as well as egg collecting had been rampant on our coast.

In some areas incidental catch in fishing nets was a major mortality factor for sea turtles.

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## Deutsch-kenianische Vorweihnachtsfeier

DAS GERMAN INSTITUTE in der Moi Avenue ist zur Zeit mit den Vorbereitungen zu einem deutsch-kenianischen Weihnachtsfest beschäftigt, das am Samstag, den 2. Dezember stattfinden und um 17.30 Uhr beginnen wird.

Das Programm ist wie folgt:

- 1.) Kurze Einführung über die Tätigkeit des Instituts.
- 2.) "Aschenputtel" - ein Weihnachtsmärchen - aufgeführt von einer Theatergruppe, die sich aus Schülern des Instituts zusammensetzt und seit mehreren Jahren in Hotels und an anderen Orten auftritt. Die Schüler haben noch einen Videofilm ganz allein den Text für das Märchen geschrieben und wurden nur leicht von einer Lehrkraft beraten. Das Märchen dauert rund eine Stunde.
- 3.) Dann kommt der Weihnachtsmann und verteilt kleine Geschenke an die Kinder.
- 4.) Nun ist es Zeit, sich dem deutsch-kenianischen Buffet zuzuwenden, das von freundlichen Teilnehmern zur Verfügung gestellt wird, die etwas zum Essen mitbringen.
- 5.) Anschließend gibt es Disco und Tanz bis um Mitternacht.

Karten für das Weihnachtsfest sind im German Institute und im Pstachlo bei Karl und Margrit erhältlich und kosten Shs 50,- pro Person, alles inbegriffen, außer Getränke. Kinder frei.

Weitere Auskünfte erteilt Anja Klohe vom German Institute (Tel. 316251). Eventuelle kulinarische Beiträge sind höchst willkommen.

### Stammtisch 5. Dezember

Ferner wird darauf hingewiesen, daß Ulrike Neubert, die Leiterin des German Institute, auf vielseitigen Wunsch den "Stammtisch" am 3. Oktober (Tag der Wiedervereinigung) wieder eingeführt hat.

Man trifft sich fortan am ersten Dienstag im Monat um 19 Uhr im German Institute, das nächste Mal am 5. Dezember.

Es ist auch geplant, eine Videothek mit Filmen in deutscher Sprache einzurichten.

## 774 freiwillige Helfer nahmen an der 'Strandreinigung' teil

DAS "Centre for Marine Conservation", Washington D.C., organisiert jedes Jahr im September/Oktober eine "Internationale Strandreinigung". An dieser Aktion hat sich Kenia an vier Strandabschnitten beteiligt.

Dieses Jahr fiel die "Reinigung" mit der "Welttourismuswoche" (25.-30. September) zusammen, die am Sonntag, den 24. September mit der großen "Strandreinigung" eingeleitet wurde.

Aus einem Leserbrief an *Costweek* von David Olerido vom Baobab Trust, Koordinator der Reinigungsaktion in Kenia, geht folgendes hervor:

In Mombasa beteiligten sich 548 Personen, die insgesamt 9,8 km Strand reinigten und 257 Säcke mit 1.625 kg Abfall füllten.

Zu den auffallendsten Artikeln unter dem Müll in Mombasa gehörten Toiletensitze, Geschirrschalen, Flip-Flops, Spritzen und zerbrochene Flaschen.

In Watamu nahmen 100 Personen an der Aktion teil, die an rund 13 km Strand 180 Säcke mit 1.800 kg Abfall einsammelten. Darunter waren

ebenfalls Toiletensitze und Spritzen, ferner Schildkröten Eier.

In Kikambala entfernten 72 Freiwillige, darunter Touristen, an 3 km Strand 182,6 kg Abfälle, die 84 Säcke füllten.

An der Südküste reinigten 100 freiwillige Helfer einen 4 km langen Strandabschnitt und füllten 113 Säcke mit 492 kg Müll. Darunter waren Dosen mit Zweitaktmotorenöl einer Marke aus Saudiarabien.

Jedes Jahr wird diese "Internationale Strandreinigungsaktion" durchgeführt mit dem Zweck, die Strände zu säubern und die Abfälle zu registrieren, um herauszufinden, woher sie stammen.

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Donnerstags spielt die "Nightshift Band" (Nachtschicht Band) auf der Galerie über der großen mit schattigen Bäumen gesäumten Terrasse.

Bevor sie zu spielen beginnt, ist die Terrasse bereits voll besetzt und bald schon kann kaum jemand ausrufen, zu ihrer mitreißenden Musik zu tanzen.

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"Nyama Choma" ist sehr beliebt im Manor Hotel, denn das auf dem Holzkohlgroßgerät



Die "NIGHTSHIFT BAND" im Manor Hotel - v.l.n.r.: Ali Mohammed Aluzza (Gitarre), Salim Atani (Schlagzeug), Valerio d'Souza (Bandleiter, Drums) und Masange Iddi (Keyboard).

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Freitags spielt die "Ndago Band", und die "Happy Hour" beginnt um 17.30 Uhr, wenn Bier und Sprudel zu reduzierten Preisen ausgeschenkt werden. Das Manor Hotel hat verschie-

dene Pläne für die Zukunft, unter anderem eine Schönheitskurrenz um, um "Miss Mombasa" zu küren.

Ferner soll für "ältere Semester" Gelegenheit geboten werden, während der "Golden Oldies Night" Walzer, Tango, Foxtrott und Rumba zu tanzen.

Vor dem Manor Hotel sieht es jetzt auch viel besser aus, seit der Gehweg neu gepflastert und Blumenbeete angelegt worden sind, und der Parkplatz hinter dem Hotel mit Verbundsteinen ist der beste auf der ganzen Insel Mombasa.

## Alle Charterflüge aus Großbritannien ausgebucht

NACHDEM DER kenianische Tourismusminister Mr. Noah Katana Ngala, der Polizeikommissar Mr. Shadrach Kiruku und der Direktor des Kenya Wildlife Service Mr. David Western in Großbritannien verschiedene Ansprachen gehalten hatten über die Sicherheit in ihrem Lande, haben die britischen Touristen wieder mehr Vertrauen in Kenia, das sie als ein relativ sicheres Urlaubsland betrachten.

Anfangs November landete eine komplett neu ausgesteute Tri-Star Chartermaschine von Caledonian Airways im Auftrag von Somak Safaris auf dem Internationalen Flughafen von Mombasa.

Die 26 Plätze in der 1. Klasse und die 329 Plätze in der Touristenklasse waren voll besetzt mit Urlaubern, die in verschiedenen Strandhotels absteigen und Safaris gebucht hatten.

Somak Safaris hatte bei der Landung der Maschine auf dem Flughafen von Mombasa eine Willkommensfeier organisiert mit einer

Dudelsackband und Masaitänzern.

Wie Mr. Venkay Lyer, Managing Director von Somak Safaris, Küste, bekanntgab, war dies der Beginn des neuen wöchentlichen Charterflugdienstes von London nach Mombasa; bis zum Jahresende sind alle weiteren Flüge ausgebucht.

Gemäß der Prognose für diesen Charterflugdienst werden im Jahre 1996 rund 50.000 Touristen aus Großbritannien nach Mombasa reisen.

"Somak ist stolz auf diesen Erfolg, denn der Tourismus ist enorm wichtig für Kenia", kommentierte Mr. Lyer. Er ließ auch Emirates Airlines willkommen, die in derselben Woche mit ihren Charterflügen von Dubai nach Nairobi begannen. Somak Travel Limited, Nairobi, wurde mit den Landarrangements in Kenia für Emirates Holidays beauftragt.

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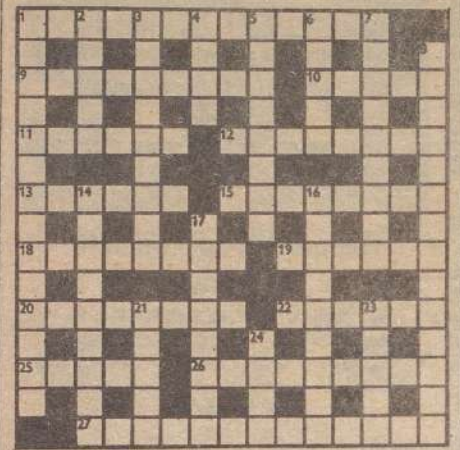
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**ACROSS**

1. Racehorses in a china shop. What are they engaged in? (7,6)
9. Object of pity, and probably hard-up withal (4,5)
10. One of the ups and downs of marriage (5)
11. Rearrange a place much frequented (8)
12. Produce a coarse-grained meal with a flourish (8)
13. To make horseplay in convulsions is anything but amusing (6)
15. Violinist revealing the heathen in me (8)
18. Wound rat (anag.) (8)
19. Oversight, as it were, sounding even more old-fashioned (6)
20. Tortoise of a printer (8)
22. Take a fragment of song, say (8)
25. Nonsense or revolving part (5)
26. Candidate (9)
27. A moving presentation, one would say mechanically (13)

**DOWN:**

1. Hollywood description of a fine building, maybe (14)
2. Performed over and over again in the air (5)
3. Granted to 26 - between television programmes? (9)
4. Carrier to hold on to (4)
5. Not delivered with the object of crippling the batsman, however (3-5)
6. Discipline (5)
7. Calpurnia, we hear, was above it (9)
8. Engineered marriage - and what's holding it up? (9,5)
14. Scene of Scott's last expedition (9)
16. Adding up to being framed? (9)
17. All very friendly, forming a link with members (3-2-3)
21. Repentant builder of the Golden Call (5)
23. The Pope's triple crown (5)
24. Tops up (4)

**ANSWERS TO CROSSWORD NO. 476**

**ACROSS:** 1. Stevedriver 7. To 9. Blast 10. Ditch 11. Underthing 12. Erupt 13. Double 15. Bogeyman 17. Mutually 18. Growth 21. Decay 22. Acropolis 24. Seafaring 25. Extol 26. Yak 27. Sheatanchor  
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A potential Marine turtle nest site was discovered at **Serena Beach Hotel** in late April this year.

The following day, the nest was dug-over and eggs were discovered some 60 cms deep in the sand.

The species of the turtle was believed to be the green turtle (*Chelonia Mydas*).

On the same morning, two square meters hatchery was constructed with chicken wire around the nest site to deter the predators.

Another reason for the was also to inform the hotel guests that they are sharing the **Serena Beach Hotel** with turtles, so as to keep an eye on the eggs hatchlings on the beach.

One afternoon, exactly days, the eggs hatched.

A total of 86 hatchlings were found in the hatchery.

All looked healthy and active and were dark brown on the shell (carapace) almost black and white on the underside (plastron).

The release of the young turtles running to the Indian Ocean was observed. 60 guests from **Serena Beach Hotel** who flock to the beach see this spectacle.

Hotel General Manager **Barry Mwangi**, welcomed all the guests and thanked them for their generous contribution towards conservation of currently endangered marine turtles not only in Kenya but worldwide.

The event was attended by **Sam W. Marine Ecologist** Kenya Wildlife Service, **Mrs. Jane Mbendo** Fisheries Officer and **Godwin Wakaba** Deputy Warden Mombasa Marine Park.

**BAOBAB  
TURTLE  
TRUST**

The event was organized by **Baobab Turtle Trust** special fund for turtle conservation.

In his speech, **Da Olendo** said that in the past the **Baobab Turtle Trust** have rewarded local fishermen KShs. 500.00 for turtle nest report, another KShs. 500.00 for nest protection plus a bonus of KShs. 1.00 for each egg translocated and KShs. 3.00 for each empty turtle egg shell.

Mr. Olendo thanked **Serena Beach Hotel** for their initiative in this project.

He pointed out that the measures that **Serena** has taken is to dim light their beach front, so the turtles can come to the beach to lay eggs.



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# Britain's Pubs Face Upto A Quiet (But Most Welcome) Revolution ...

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**"EXCELLENT"**

**KENYA AIRWAYS**

At London's Heathrow in the scorching heat on August 2 - one of the coolest places to be was on a Kenya Airways Airbus where the air conditioning was delightfully effective.

A delay of one hour due to heavy traffic there - with aircraft queuing for take-off, was no hassle for all enjoyed cooling off for a while.

Dinner in *Economy Class* is most enjoyable these days.

That particular evening it started with a Spanish Salad appetiser, followed by a choice of two Entrees - Cinnamon Chicken or Beef Bourguignon, then came an amazingly delicious dessert.

Before landing the next morning the Continental Breakfast included the lightest ever croissant and fruit which were enjoyed together with the *World News* being screened.

The airport service at Nairobi and Mombasa has greatly improved.

Meeting the Airbus was Kenya Airways' Customer Service personnel and from John Auko came very efficient assistance in dealing with a problem concerning my luggage on the onward flight to Mombasa.

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## AN IDYLIC LIFESTYLE ON THE WATERFRONT



**LUXURY YACHTS**, a local fishing fleet and pleasure craft pack the colourful quayside at Bristol Harbour.

### ENVIRONMENT

Britain has just passed an Environment Act.

It came about as London was put on an Air Pollution alert with forecasts of high levels of traffic fumes aggravated by hot sunny weather.

Calls were made for tighter control on vehicle emissions.

Under the Act, local authorities must carry out surveys detailing pollution hot spots.

The Department of the Environment is also looking into the possibility of introducing 'the spot fines' for vehicles failing emission tests.

### UNEVEN AND BROKEN PAVEMENTS

According to a press report in the UK local authorities are being swamped with compensation claims to pedestrians injured in 'trips and slips' on uneven pavements which are expected to

cost them, and their insurers, £130 million this year - over double the amount paid out three years ago.

Rate and Tax payers say that councils have a 'duty of care' to ensure pavements are properly maintained.

BA students study Yorkshire Pudding

Leeds University is offering students a Bachelor of Arts degree on Yorkshire.

Course work involves learning about the history of the Yorkshire Pudding recipe, 'the origin of fish and chips as the first fast food, and cricket.

### ENGLAND'S FIRST IRON SHIP

One of the big attractions in Bristol, which in Victorian times was a foremost maritime city, is *s.s. Great Britain* - the first propeller driven ocean going iron ship in history which is being restored to her 1843 appearance in the dock in which she was built.

A special charity was set up to do this.

A third of the work has still to be completed.

Over the last 25 years over three million people have visited *s.s. Great Britain*.

Hundreds of individuals and corporations have supported this massive job of her conservation and restoration.

She is described as the 'Flagship of the Steam Revolution' and recently celebrated the 150th anniversary of her maiden voyage to New York.

Isambard Kingdom Brunel was the great designer and wrought iron architect of early Victorian England.

It was he who designed the Clifton suspension bridge.

As the Chief Design Engineer of the Great Western Railway and Bristol Temple Meads Station he first conceived the idea of a ship to ferry GWR's steam train passengers across the Atlantic to America.

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She was beached there in 1937.

Thirty three years later her rescuers floated her on a pontoon for more than 7,000 miles from the South Atlantic to arrive back in dry dock in Bristol to a rousing welcome.

The 150th anniversary celebration coincided with the 25th

anniversary of this event.

The Victorian splendour of her magnificent dining saloon, as well as *Cordon Bleu* cuisine, can be enjoyed by members of the public at monthly dinners there.

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## Controversy On Loss Of Treasure ...

THE MOMBASA "Treasure Hunt" Rally was enjoyed by all but a handful of the participants, this weekend, writes "Finidi" Bob.

The event, which was very well organised by Mr. Sam Ombul was, unfortunately, spoilt by a few (two) disgruntled teams who disputed the result.

The winning team, headed by driver and chief disciplinarian Lawrence Gacheru included Mombasa Sports Club football stalwarts, Tom "Gatekeeper" Nyairo, "Finidi" Bob, and Clement "Bit Foot" Agina.

Unfortunately the complainants ("Legal Term") did not realise that speed is of secondary importance in a "Treasure Hunt".

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Playing conditions were generally good, although the greens were rather unpredictable as they are being treated and prepared for the Nyali Open in December.

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The winner was Jacob Kamau who continues his good form.

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The Hidden Hole went to Provincial Insurance Chairman Mike Harley and the prizes for the drives nearest to the pin at the eighteenth went to Ann McConnell and Paul Obondy.

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Young Anil Shah was runner-up on level par 71 and Jacob Okello and John Njunge both returned 72 to tie for third place.

Provincial Insurance, who have recently merged with a French company and will be known as UAP Assurance in future, were represented by their Chairman Mike Harley, Managing Director Mike Owen Burke and the General Manager James Mugulyi.

Speaking on behalf of the company, Mike Owen Burke

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A VERY INTERESTING Hand occurred in one of the recent weekly sessions held at the Mombasa Sports Club.

BIDDING:

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
		ONE SPADE	ONE 'NO TRUMPS'
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Contract- THREE 'NO TRUMPS'. Lead- EIGHT OF SPADES  
As the cards lie you have eight tricks if you try to establish your Club suit and you go 'One Down'.

East will win the Club lead with his Ace and knock down South's last Spade stopper.

When the Diamond is lead later East will win with the Ace and run his Spade suit.

The bidding indicates that East has five Spades and two minor suit Aces.

The correct line of play is to

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♠	7 4
♥	A Q 4
♦	K 9 6 5 2
♣	8 7 3

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If East goes up with the Ace, you will have nine tricks when you regain the lead. (Two Spades, Three hearts and four Diamonds).

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Vimal's nines were more evenly balanced with 18/19.

Fourth and fifth prizes went to Ben Okello on 35 (16/19) and John Easton, last year's winner, also 35 (18/17).

Shaheeda Sheikh was sixth

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Ann McConnell was ninth (15/18) and Kishor Chohan was tenth (16/17).

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Blue Marlin				
Striped Marlin				
Sailfish				
Wahoo	K. Asherwood	White Bear	24-Sep	38
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MOMBASA, November 17 - 23, 1995.

## Burnley Face Close Shave!

NACET FC. of Ukunda have sharpened their blades to cut deep Burnley FC of Mombasa tomorrow at the Baobab ground in the on going Two Fishes Coast Super League.

Kick off time 4.30 pm.

Placed at half way in the present league standing table, Nacet FC is determined to improve their position on the table.

Goal keeper Razak Siwa's defence of Ali Marumu Mwachaunga, Omar Khamis and Adam Said are always more competent during Nacet's away matches and it seems Athman Kau and Omar Mwaranya are expected to man Nacet's midfield satisfactorily while Said Bageza, Hamis Nyongesa and Hamis Mbembem will do the striking.

On the other hand Burnley FC is very much ready for a tough encounter.

Their strikers Swaleh Tuva (Tyson) informed Coastweek that his team knows very tough side and to that Burnley has done enough preparations.

Tyson played as a goalkeeper for AFC Leopards a National Super League side.

He also did goalkeeping for Two Fishes FC of Ukunda before he decided to settle with his home side Burnley Amateur.

Another defensible personality in the Burnley line up is their team lean tall goalkeeper Swaleh Ngoi

whom many Mombasa teams have been struggling to get.

At the beginning of this season when Ngoi was asked by Coastweek why he had turned down the many offers from big teams who wanted to transfer him from Burnley he stated that he feels very much at home when playing with the Burnley Boys.

This week the Coast Super League fixture is flooded with matches as follows:-

Today 17.11.95 - Dundee vs. Faisal - at the Municipal Stadium; Sunday 19.11.95 - Baobab vs.

Shooting Stars - at Baobab ground; Monday 20.11.95 - M o m b a s a Police vs. Libat Heroes - at the Mombasa Stadium; Tuesday 21.11.95 Mombasa Posta vs. Dundee - at the Municipal Stadium; Wednesday 22.11.95 - Baobab vs. Soweto - at the Municipal Stadium; Thursday 23.11.95 Bayern vs. Mombasa Stars - at the Municipal Stadium.

**Soccer Scene with SERAJ MOHAMED**

Super League

In the one going Kenya National Super League Lake Warriors FC will play Shabana FC at the Mombasa Municipal Stadium tomorrow.

Kick off time 4.00 pm. sharp.

Lake Warriors FC will again play M.O.W. from Kakamega at the Malindi Stadium on Sunday - Kick off time will also be 4.00 pm.

## KENYA POSTAL DIRECTORIES SPONSOR COAST CRICKET KNOCK-OUT TOURNEY

KENYA POSTAL Directories, sponsors of the Coast Cricket Knockout Competition hosted a splendid cocktail party to launch their Coast Fax and Directory Campaign at Mombasa Sports Club, writes Vipul Patel.

This is the first corporate sponsorship for the company, and the choice of the Cricket competition as a recipient was one long in the making.

Present at this event was the Managing Director Mr. Jose Saldanha, the Marketing Manager, Mr. Zakayo. F. Njeru, Mr. M.A. Karim the Chairman of the Cricket Association, Provincial Director of Sports Coast Province Mr. Alex B.K. Mazer as well as the committee members of CCA, and a score of businessmen, participants and sports enthusiasts from various clubs.

Since their inception three years ago, Kenya Postal has published nine editions of the Kenya Telephone Directory - three for the Coast, Nairobi and Inland edition.

In 1996 their fourth edition will be released with updates nationwide.

Forever striving to improve their product, Kenya Postel launched the Official 1995 National Fax directory at the beginning of the year, a product that the business community has voted the most exciting directory yet.

The 1996 edition will prove an



COMMENCING THE FIRST MATCH over for the Kenya Beach Postal Directories 'Sunday 50 overs' Knockout is Mr. Jose Saldanha the Managing Director of Kenya Postal Directories. Looking on are Mr. Bachubhai Patel Vice-Chairman of Coast Cricket Association and the Secretary Mr. Marsh Shah with Mr. Mahesh K. Sanghrajika of Mombasa Sports Club.

even greater success according to the number of names already submitted for entry.

The concept is backed by a

powerful campaign orientated to promote the use of yellow pages, the ease and wisdom of using them.

As previously shown with the

1995 edition, there is a substantial increase in the volume of business.

One business lady received so many enquiries from her entry, she couldn't cope, she had to expand!

The Postel marketing team is currently at the coast discussing entries before the final closing down date of November 20 from which time, no more entries will be accepted - except for the 1997 edition.

This will be followed by the Coast Directory campaign that closes on December 22.

During these few weeks, the Coast Cricket Associations' Sunday '50 overs' Knockout Competition will take place with matches being held in the various grounds on Sundays.

The semi-final will take place on November 26, during which time Kwale District Eye Centre - a charitable self supporting clinic - will also be presented with a donation.

Promoting awareness of a problem afflicting so many in Kenya will enable them to receive treatment even if they cannot afford it.

The finals - to be held on December 10 should be an exciting finish to the Knockout event, one where Mr. Saldanha suggested to the players they 'don't get stumped for a golden duck, bowl them over with your driving and keep the googles coming!'

## SAMMY MUNYAO WINS THE NYALI MARATHON

STIFF COMPETITION marked the annual Nyali Beach Hotel marathon held in the Nyali area.

The hotel's energetic staffed by General Manager John Mutua went out of their way to serve and entertain hotel guests and proved to be seasoned sportsmen by

completing the 16.5 kilometre run.

The marathon started at 6.30 am from the Nyali Beach Hotel, through the neighbouring Mombasa Beach Hotel, Reef Hotel, through the Save Our Souls (S.O.S.) Children's Village, Mamba Village, the BP service station and back to the hotel.

The hotel's Sammy Munyao scooped a shs. 1,500 award after emerging the winner of the marathon when he arrived back to the hotel in 49 minutes and 30 seconds.

Last year's record was 47 minutes.

Second was Robby Ndulu who arrived at the hotel in 50 minutes and 30 seconds pocketing shs. 1,000 while Japhet Gidei who arrived at the same time was third and was prized shs. 7,500 by the management.

Tobby Oguttu alias Jua Kali who arrived at the hotel in 50 minutes and 33 seconds was fourth and went home with shs. 250.

Others were Salim Khamis (5), Kennedy Gunga (6), Willy Kitole (7), Paul Kitue (8) and David Muema all who received shs. 250 each.

Some beach operators along the Nyali beach participated as guest runners.

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"I hate these long 'Beginner Nights'!"

## TIDE TABLES

MOMBASA, Nov. 17 - 23, 1995.

**FRIDAY** High Water - 2.3m at 11.35 hrs (11.35 a.m.). Low Water - 1.4m at 05.32 hrs (5.32 a.m.) and 1.2m at 17.58 hrs (5.58 p.m.).

**SATURDAY** High Water - 2.6m at 00.33 hrs (12.33 a.m.) and 2.5m at 12.55 hrs (12.55 p.m.). Low Water - 1.2m at 06.50 hrs (6.50 a.m.) and 1.0m at 19.01 hrs (7.01 p.m.).

**SUNDAY** High Water - 2.9m at 01.29 hrs (1.29 a.m.) and 2.7m at 13.53 hrs (1.53 p.m.). Low Water - 0.9m at 07.45 hrs (7.45 a.m.) and 0.8m at 19.49 hrs (7.49 p.m.).

**MONDAY** High Water - 3.2m at 02.14 hrs (2.14 a.m.) and 2.8m at 14.40 hrs (2.40 p.m.). Low Water - 0.6m at 08.30 hrs (8.30 a.m.) and 0.6m at 20.31 hrs (8.31 p.m.).

**TUESDAY** High Water - 3.4m at 02.54 hrs (2.54 a.m.) and 3.0m at 15.22 hrs (3.22 p.m.). Low Water - 0.3m at 09.12 hrs (9.12 a.m.) and 0.4m at 21.10 hrs (9.10 p.m.).

**WEDNESDAY** High Water - 3.7m at 03.33 hrs (3.33 a.m.) and 3.1m at 16.02 hrs (4.02 p.m.). Low Water - 0.1m at 09.52 hrs (9.52 a.m.) and 0.3m at 21.48 hrs (9.48 p.m.).

**THURSDAY** High Water - 3.8m at 04.12 hrs (4.12 a.m.) and 3.2m at 16.42 hrs (4.42 p.m.). Low Water - 0.0m at 10.31 hrs (10.31 a.m.) and 0.2m at 22.27 hrs (10.27 p.m.).

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