

## Worlds Collide!

On Tuesday morning, the 3rd of May, at approximately 8am on a misty R501, a truck tried to overtake another vehicle, with dire consequences...

The truck travelling towards Mogwase slammed head-on into an oncoming truck on its way to Thabazimbi! Miraculously both drivers survived but one of the occupants was not so fortunate and was declared dead on scene. Mr. Francois Van Der Merwe, owner of TruckCor (from Ventersdorp) arrived on the scene a few hours later and could not believe the devastation.



# How did you get...?

## Sexually transmitted diseases (STD)

### There are ways to protect yourselves against STDs...

Firstly; you need to remember that no one is to die for. The best way to prevent STDs is to avoid sexual contact with others. If you decide to be sexually active, there are things that you can do to reduce the risk of developing an STD by using a little common sense and a few simple measures. Whether you are a man or a woman, you do have rights to certain information BEFORE you have sex with someone.

#### Your Partner's Partners

Know how many partners your partner has had. Ask if any of their partner's have had an STD. You should also provide the same information. Remember, you not only have sex with your partner, but everyone they have had sex with. The same goes to you. Please; delay having sexual relationships for as long as possible. The younger people are having sex for the first time, the more susceptible they become to developing a STD. The risk acquiring an STD also increases with the number of partners over a lifetime.

#### Health Work-Up & Testing For Diseases

Ask your partner to have an examination for STDs before becoming sexually active. If he/she refuses, tell them you will not have sex with them until they do. Have them provide proof of negative tests. You should also be prepared to have an examination

and provide proof of such to your partner. Have regular checkups for STDs even if there are no symptoms. This is especially important if you have already had sex with someone since your last set of tests. These tests can be done during your yearly check-up – you are doing it for yourself, no one else is going to do it for you!!

#### Learn

Learn the common symptoms of STDs. Get medical help immediately if you develop any symptoms you think may be related to sexually transmitted diseases. It's better to be safe than sorry later, if you postponed or put it off.

#### Make an Agreement

Make an agreement that you will have a mutually monogamous sexual relationship. If you are both unprepared to do this, having sex is not a good idea. There is too much to lose for a few nights in bed, however exiting or enticing it may seem.

#### Practise Safe Sex Even After Test Results Are Negative

Even if everything is fine with both you and your partner; remember there is a window period for some diseases. You still need to practice SAFE SEX. O, and read this article again...it may do you some good.



## MISSING



**Kanana** – 54-year-old KE Mothibakgomo of Kanana was last seen on 30 October 2010. Anyone with any information in this regard is requested to contact the investigating officer, D/Const GR Seboko of Kanana Detective Service on

018-476 1115 or 073-316 6176.

## WANTED



**Mogwase** – A 24-year-old suspect is wanted and the police are urgently looking for this man. The suspect has a slender build, short hair and speaks good Tswana. The suspect's eyes are square and he looks like "Majola's Brother". The I/O

in this case is Cst EV Mills of Mogwase Detective Service. He can be contacted on the following numbers: 018-597 4108/ 082-575 8054.

## MISSING



**Brits** – 38-year-old Matome Thomas Morudu of Brits was last seen on 27 September 2010. Anyone with any information in this regard is requested to contact the investigating officer, D/W/O MN Seemane of Brits Detective

Service on 012-252 3011 or 082-881 4094.

## WANTED



**Potchefstroom** – The Potchefstroom FCS Unit is looking for a man that might be able to assist them in a case of investigation. The man is in his late 20s. He is dark, tall and of slender build. He speaks Sotho. Anyone with any information in this regard us requested

to contact the investigating officer, W/O Chicks Tshabadira on 018-299 7318 or 083 579 0696.

## MISSING



**Pudimoe** – The 18-year-old Keabetswe Khibidu Moholo went missing on the 10th of November 2010. She was last seen in Pudimoe where she lives. Anyone with information in this regard is required to contact the Investigating

Officer, W/O MR Sediti of the Pudimoe Detective Services at 082-469 0334.

## WANTED



**North West Province Klerksdorp** – A male suspect, in his late 30's, is wanted for a case of fraud. The I/O in this case is DWO C E Nepgen of Klerksdorp Detective Service. He can be contacted on the following

numbers: 018-464 5029/ 073-133 3264.

## MISSING



**Rustenburg** – 35-year-old Nelson Fernando Macuacua was last seen on 9 September 2010 during a high jacking incident in the Rustenburg Area. Anyone with any information in this regard is requested to contact the investigating officer, D/Const TF Mafora of the

Rustenburg Trio Task Team on 014-590 4314.

## WANTED



**Klerksdorp** – Mr Harmse, 38 years old, is wanted regarding a fraud case. The I/O in this case is SAO CE Nepgen of Klerksdorp Detective Service. He can be contacted on the following numbers: 018-464 5028/ 073 133 3264.