



One dead and five injured in head-on collision

Mogwase – One man was killed, and five others injured in a head-on collision on the Lerome road near Mogwase on 16 June.

According to an ER24 press release, paramedics arrived on scene at midnight. Unfortunately, nothing could be done for one of the male occupants who was declared dead on arrival.

Two men and two women who had sustained serious injuries, were treated, stabilised and transported to Moses Kotane Provincial Hospital and a private hospital in Rustenburg. A fifth patient who had suffered only minor injuries declined treatment and transport.

We extend our sincerest condolences to the deceased's friends and family.



The two vehicles that collided.

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TWEERIVIERE FIDS



Rustenburg – Tweeriviere Pub & Grill seeks to creatively partner with companies looking to associate themselves with a high-quality event that brings thousands of music lovers together for a one-of-a-kind experience.

The festival is planned to take place on 31 August.

Through this festival Tweeriviere Pub & Grill aims to assist children living with autism. Autism spectrum disorder refers to a broad range of conditions characterised by challenges with social skills, repetitive behaviours, speech and nonverbal communication.

In our community we have a small school who specialises in helping these children.

Tweeriviere Pub & Grill will donate 10% of the profits of the festival to the Kokusa Academy Centre for Autism and related disorders to help parents who can't afford the therapy for their child. The academy is affiliated with Star Academy.

To become a festival sponsor or for more information, contact Martin van Vollenstee on 076 299 7238.

SA FUEL RELIEF, 91 CENTS PER LITRE DECREASE



Retreating oil prices have painted a rosier picture for South African fuel users, than has been the case for much of 2019. This is according to the unaudited mid-month fuel price data released by the Central Energy Fund.

At this stage, we predict a decrease of 91 cents/litre to the petrol, 70 cents to the diesel price, and 62 cents to illuminating paraffin.

The story of the month is definitely oil. Crude laboured above \$70 a barrel for large portions of April and May, as the tug-of-war continued between the OPEC countries, which favour ongoing output restrictions, and the USA, where production is forging ahead.

There had been a remarkable drop in the price of oil since the end of May, with the commodity currently trading around \$61 dollars a barrel.

South Africans are not getting full value though, thanks to Rand jitters in the wake of the ANC top leadership trading jibes over the future of the Reserve Bank. After a period of sustained price stability, the Rand weakened substantially against the US dollar, taking some of the shine off oil's retreat.

The expected price drops are nonetheless substantial, with petrol showing a 91 cent-a-litre drop at month end, with reductions of 70 cents and 62 cents respectively for diesel and illuminating paraffin.

If stability returns to the Rand and oil settles at its lower level, there might yet be more good news in the pipeline.

Automobile Association (AA) press release, 14 June 2019

STUDENT STRIKE AT ORBIT COLLEGE

Rustenburg – Students at the Mankwe Campus of ORBIT TVET College protested last week about several issues which they deem not to be sufficiently addressed by the management of the college. The college's senior management view these complaints in a very serious light and have engaged with the student representative council members to address and resolve.

The most pressing matters include complaints about hostel accommodation at the campus, the expiry of contracts with security and cafeteria service providers and the most crucial concern – being non-payments of NSFAS allowances.

Extracts of ORBIT TVET College press release, 13 June 2019



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MAN NABBED FOR 117KG OF COPPER

Rustenburg – A 36-year old man was arrested by the Rustenburg Police on Tuesday 12 June after failing to produce papers for thousands of Rands worth of copper cables found in his possession, and is set to be tried by the Rustenburg Magistrates' Court. The man was nabbed in Sondela during a police raid to establish if those dealing in scrap metal, second-hand goods, motor vehicles, tyres and cellular phones were conducting their businesses within the confines of the law. Police spokesperson sergeant Ofentse Mokgadi said the raid focused on dealers operating in Tlhabane, Boitekong and surrounding areas.

"The man was arrested for the illegal possession of 117kg of copper cables after he failed to produce the necessary documentation," Ofentse said. The police also suspect that two valves found in the man's possession and could not be accounted for, could be the property of a local mining company.

"Several fines were issued to cell phone dealers who failed to comply with the law," Ofentse added.



Police seized 117kg of copper from the suspect.



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