

# Nowhere to run

# Robbers cornered in high-speed chase

Rustenburg - On Friday 7 May, a man was hitchhiking on the R24 when he was offered a lift by three men travelling in a white Fiat. He soon realised he was sitting in car with robbers, frightened for his life...

Police officers from the protection services unit, doing their rounds in the Kloof vicinity, suspected a hijacking in progress after witnessing the victim being thrown out of a moving vehicle.

"The man ran to the police and told them of his ordeal. The suspects sped off," said police spokesperson sergeant Ofentse Mokgadi in an interview with Platinum Weekly. "A highspeed chase ensued as the police pursued the suspects all the way to Kock street, where the suspects were cornered and arrested. This was after the police shot at and damaged the rear wheel of their vehicle."

The hitchhiker was grateful for the swift reaction of the police officers. His belongings were found inside the vehicle of the suspects. The three suspects aged 18, 20, and 22, appeared before the Rustenburg Magistrates' Court on Monday 10 May on charges of robbery.



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# **VAARWEL** TIAAN

Rustenburg - Tiaan Bezuidenhout, 'n geliefde man, seun, broer, en kranige rugbyspeler is tragies op Saterdag 8 Mei in 'n motorongeluk oppad Rustenburg

Hy het sy hoërskool loopbaan te Hoërskool Rustenburg voltooi waarna hy BEd senior fase in siviele tegnologie aan die Noordwes Universiteit voltooi het. Hier het hy geskitter op die rugbyveld en is in 2017/2018 as kaptein aangewys. Hy en sy vrou Dominique Bezuidenhout het hul in Mbombela gevestig waar hy by LVM Makelaars werksaam was terwyl hy besigheidsbestuur en korttermyn versekering studeer het.

"Hoe sê ek totsiens vir my beste vriend, my man? Hy het my op sy hande gedra en my gewys wat ware liefde is. Ek is so dankbaar vir die tyd saam met hom wat die Here vir ons gegee het," aldus Dominique.

Sy ma, Lazelle Bezuidenhout beskryf hom

as 'n seun op wie sy ongelooflik trots is: "Ons het 'bragging rights' ... ons almal wat hom geken het. Hy was 'n legende van 'n man wat saggeaard, liefdevol, en 'n sterk leier was. Dit was vir my 'n voorreg om sy ma te wees en hom groot te maak van die 3.5kg seuntjie tot 'n merkwaardige man van 26 jaar. Tiaan het elke uitdaging in 'n sukses verander en my so trots gemaak. Ek koester elke oomblik wat ek saam met hom gehad het en gaan ons oproepe elke middag om 16h30 ongelooflik baie mis."

Tiaan se oorwinningsdiens vind plaas op 14 Mei om 11:00 vanuit die Hervormde Kerk Tuine Gemeente, Cuccoolaan Rustenburg. As gevolg van Covid-19 sal die plekke beperk wees en kan bywoning slegs op uitnodiging geskied. U word ook versoek om indien u nie 100% gesond is nie, ook 'n uitnodiging van die hand te wys. Geen verversings sal bedien word nie.

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Foto: Die Bezuidenhout gesin van links: Tiaan, Dominique, Lazelle, en Francois.



# Lodge again

Rustenburg - Two Molokwane Lodge guards Lefaragatlhe near Phokeng. Police are investigating Thursday 6 May.

Police spokesperson captain Elsabé Augoustides confirmed that the assailants accosted the security guards to the main house inside the lodge. The assailants then unmounted the safes that contained valuables and loaded it into the lodge's Toyota Land Cruiser and fled the scene.

were held up at gunpoint by four assailants on a case of house robbery and no arrests have been made thus far.

This is the second instance where the lodge was targeted. On 26 April four armed men held a security guard at gunpoint, robbed employees, and fled the scene with six hunting rifles, two shotguns, and two handguns. The suspects also took off with an undisclosed amount of cash, six laptops, cellular The vehicle has since been recovered in phones, a TV set, a recording machine, and liquor.

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# JACO REALLY NEEDS YOUR HELP

Rustenburg - Jaco Roodt's family is pleading for financial assistance to help cover his soaring medical and other costs.

Roodt is unable to return to work for the foreseeable future. The past few months have been particularly unbearable for Jaco's wife and two children and the hospital bills only add to their sorrows.

It all started on Wednesday 27 January when Roodt was taken for a COVID-19 test after he started exhibiting symptoms of the pandemic. The test came out negative.

Says Jaco's wife: "He started getting very sick and was vomiting, so he went to another doctor for a check-up who then realised that Jaco (who is not a drinker) has a swollen liver and suffered heart failure '

On Friday 5 February he was taken to Tshepong hospital in Klerksdorp where they diagnosed him with hepatitis. He was discharged the following day. On 11 February he went for more tests and would have gone for a sonar on 15 February, but on 13 February Jaco suffered a stroke. We immediately had to pay R3,600 for his assessment by the doctor and a drip but had to voluntarily discharge him as they requested a R50,000 deposit for him to be admitted. "By Sunday we raised R53,000 and Jaco was taken to Medicare by ambulance that Sunday evening."

He was placed in the intensive care unit after his health seriously deteriorated. On 20 February, with rising medical costs and no medical aid support, Roodt's family transferred him to Job Shimankane Tabane (JST) hospital.

When his condition stabilised a few days later Roodt's family voluntarily discharged him from hospital. On Friday 5 March, his family got the fright of their lives when he suffered a massive heart attack at around 03:00. Again, the Roodt family made an emergency trip to Medicare. They stabilised him and his wife had to voluntarily sign him out. That evening Jaco was back in JST.

The next morning Jaco suffered a second massive heart attack. "It looked like my husband died!"



Jaco Roodt (37) needs financial assistance.

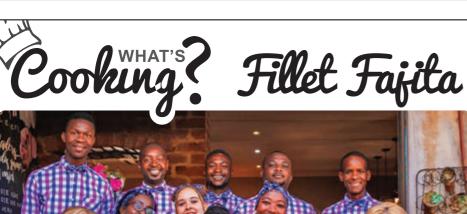
Jaco's wife, Elsabe, said in an interview with Platinum Weekly. He lost consciousness and the doctor struggled to bring Jaco back.

The two heart attacks also caused kidney failure. While the odometer rolled in fast-forward, bills mounted, and emotions heightened, Jaco was finally admitted to the Ga-Rankuwa hospital on 11 May.

His family appeals for financial assistance from those willing to open up their hearts to this worthy cause. He will not be getting a salary at the end of May and his sick leave has now been exhausted. This has put a massive strain on the family's ability to pay school fees for their children as well as meet their day-to-day expenses.

If you would like to assist Jaco Roodt, please use the following banking details: Jacobus Roodt, FNB, Cheque Account, 62862339390, branch code 202009.

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- · 2 Mini tortilla wraps
- 120 Fillet strips
- · A Pinch of paprika
- · A Pinch of Cayenne pepper
- Fresh coriander
- · Hand full of mixed peppers (green, yellow, and red)
- · Half a small onion
- 1 Tablespoon sweet chili sauce
- Cheese
- 1 Tablespoon sour cream
- · 1 Tablespoon guacamole

# Instructions

- 1. Grill the fillet strips in a bit of olive oil.
- Season with salt.
- 3. Add the spices, the mixed peppers, and onion.
- Spread the tortillas with the sweet chili sauce
- In the middle of the tortillas add the fillet mix.
- 6. Add the cheese over the fillet mix.
- 7. Fold the tortillas, holding them together with a cocktail kebab stick.
- Top the tortillas with a dollop of sour cream and quacamole.
- Round off with fresh coriander.
- 10. Serve with a side of chips or salad.

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[Skrywe aan die redakteur]

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Kort na lank het hy 'n draai vir die ergste gemaak en ek het katgriep as jy dit met blousel besef dat hy vergiftig is. Ek moes vinnig plan sien en het 'n ou raad oor rou eiers onthou. Ek het dadelik die twee rou vir jou diere gee. Selfs al werk eiers in sy keel afgegooi en voor ek my oë kon uitvee was Wagter heelwat beter. Later die dag by die dokkie het die Wagter se Eienaar

so bietjie kon wag.

Eiers help vir alles! Ek het die veearts bevestig dat Wagter wel gif ingekry het. My veearts het egter aanbeveel dat sy lewe gered was deur eiers, maar dat as hulle stuiptrekkings begin kry nie. Dit kan dalk veroorsaak dat hulle verstik en dan kan die gif vinniger na die longe versprei. Jy moet dit vang voor die konvulsies begin.

> Maar daai dag het dit Wagter, wat met een voet in die graf gestaan het, vinnig uitgehelp. Blykbaar help dit ook vir en klein bietjie whisky meng... maar maak eers 100% seker by jou veearts voor jy net enigiets dit, maak maar altyd eerste 'n afspraak by die dokkie, al is dit net vir jou eie gemoedsrus.

# No match for law enforcement

### SWIFT RESPONSE LEADS TO ARREST OF 8 COURIER VEHICLE ROBBERS

they were notified about a courier vehicle being robbed on the N4 near the Waterfall Mall on Wednesday 12 May. A Quantum, Ford Ranger, Iveco and Lexus with an unknown number of suspects which matched the description of the suspects' getaway vehicles, were soon spotted close to Krugersdorp. SAPS' Serious and Violent Crimes, Rapid Response Services and other law enforcement agencies were dispatched to Krugersdorp without delay. A high-speed chase ensued when law enforcement caught up with the robbers, followed by a shootout after the suspects opened fire on the cops.

Rustenburg - The police responded immediately after The multidisciplinary team managed to arrest eight suspects, confiscating three unlicensed rifles, a pistol, four stolen vehicles, and suspected stolen property. Six of the suspects arrested were from the Quantum, one from the Iveco, and one from the Ford Ranger. The Lexus was later found abandoned, with a pistol inside.

No injuries from the shootout were reported. The suspects will be charged with armed robbery, possession of unlicensed firearms, attempted murder, the possession of stolen property, and negligent driving. They will be profiled to determine if they are linked to other crimes especially to that of the robbery of courier vehicles.



# I will continue the fight

Rustenburg - Petrus Sithoe and his team take farm murders seriously. With an 'enough is enough' attitude and brave hearts, they raised awareness about this burning issue by walking from town to town sharing the message. Their journey started on Monday 6 April in East London, Eastern Cape.

They landed on our doorstep on Wednesday 5 May. The road is not always easy as they are often ridiculed for their actions. Members of the Rustenburg Community Policing Forum (CPF) escorted them while Rustenburg Exco member Jean Keyser.



moving through the heavy R24 traffic from Olifantsnek through town. "It was an honour to accompany Petrus and his team. We will always continue to serve and assists with protecting the community," said CPF

Petrus's journey ended on 7 May when they reached the Union Building to hand over a memorandum to the President who, much to their disappointment, did not pitch up.

In an interview with Platinum Weekly Petrus said: "Although the President did not show, I'm currently in communication with relevant authorities. I will continue to fight for the farmers and for our food security in this country. We have had enough, and they need to get actively involved to help keep our farming communities safe."

He thanked the Rustenburg community for supporting their cause as well as the CPF for escorting them - and for every bottle of water, food, and other essentials along the way.

# Ambulance coming – veer left or right?

[Letter to the editor]

SA - Whenever I hear sirens, I immediately go on high alert and check around me to see where they are coming from. Because I know every minute counts when it comes to saving lives, so I want to ensure that I am not the one blocking an ambulance. I just wish others had the same courtesy! Veering to the left or right depends if you are on a freeway or not. If not on a freeway, veer to the left and let the ambulance pass. Do not pull to the right or stop in the middle lane when there is room to pull to the left. If on a freeway – make sure you are not in the emergency lane (yellow lane) as it is reserved for police vehicles, fire-fighting vehicles and ambulances. Regulation 298A of the National Road Traffic Act explains that yellow lane driving is not allowed except for a real emergency like a breakdown, a medical emergency, or if you are rushing to a hospital. It may not be used as a passing lane or as a free way. Only emergency vehicles may use the yellow lane with the exception of single-lane carriageways. In this case vehicles may move into the yellow lane to allow faster moving vehicles to pass. So, next time when you hear the sirens, don't be that [insert swear word of your choice here] and move safely out of the way of the ambulance so that they can pass you to save someone's life.

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# SPIKE INCIDENTS SPIKING!



N1/N4 - The Community Policing Forum (CPF) is warning motorists to be aware of the hotspot areas where criminals have been using spikes and other objects to create road hazards before robbing or killing their victims.

Several incidents have been reported between 19:00 and 03:00 in areas along the N4 and the N1. HOTSPOTS: Donkerhoek Plaza (19:00 - 04:00), Solomom Mahlangu interchange (23:00 - 04:00) as well as the Proefplaas interchange (19:00 - 04:00) - all situated along the N4. Incidents have also been reported along the N4 in Brits, M17 at Garankua Bridge, the R101 old Warmbaths road, and the R80 road in Hercules and Shoshanguve.

Motorists must be aware of criminals who put stones on the road or throw it at vehicles from bridges. Cars breaking down in these areas are also at risk.

# Through the barrel of a gun...

Rustenburg - An incident in which a that meeting he handed over a document Rustenburg Local Municipality (RLM) of allegations implicating certain RLM councillor survived an attempt on his life by an unknown gunman on Tuesday 27 April casts a shadow on the dangers that African National Congress (ANC) politicians often face during an election year.

Councillor Zenzele Xhinela of ward 41 was hospitalised after he was shot by an intruder who had gained access into his home in the Seraleng area of Rustenburg.

 Twelve years earlier – on 14 March 2009 to be exact councillor Moss Phakoe was shot dead in a similar fashion.

Xhinela's life, pulled the trigger after gaining access into the councillor's home. Phakoe's death came just two days after he had met with the then Cooperative Governance minister, the late Sicelo Shiceka. During

councillors in corrupt practices with regards to the outsourcing of the Rustenburg Kloof Holiday Resort and Conference Centre. Solly Phetoe, a senior COSATU member in the North West at that time, alleged that Phakoe's death was orchestrated by a rival ANC faction that feared the damage the contents of the document could inflict if made public.

 With the script of Phakoe's murder very similar to Xhinela's shooting, are such shootings random criminal acts or political hits?

His killer, like the one who attempted to take Reacting to Xhinela's shooting, police spokesperson captain Afje Botma could not say whether the shooting could have been politically motivated. She said: "No suspects have been arrested yet. Police are still busy with the investigation."

# A tribute to my mother

Sun City - Tebogo Maloisane was the two days being pampered at Sun City's break away at Sun City where they spent special way," Thebogo said.

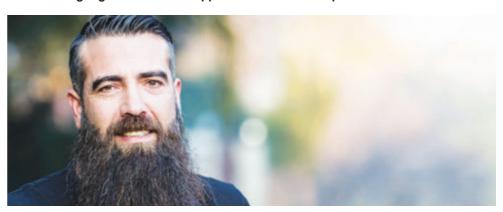
lucky winner of the Sun City and Platinum Cabanas Hotel. "My mother is amazing. Weekly Mother's Day competition. After She really deserves to be treated for all seeing her lovely tribute to her mother, that she has done for me. We enjoyed Lydia Maloisane, there wasn't a dry eye in every bit of it and I'm so grateful to have the office! She and her mother won a lovely had the opportunity to thank her in a very





# Pret, seekos en Jo

Rustenburg - Jo Black tree op Sondag 13 Junie op by de' Strandswerwers op die Rex pad net buite Rustenburg. Dit beloof om 'n dag vol pret te wees met hope aktiwiteite, 'n verskeidenheid stalletjies, lekker kos en natuurlik die talentvolle Jo met sy strelende stem. Kaartjies beloop R170 per persoon en R100 vir kinders onder 12. Vir meer inligting stuur 'n WhatsApp na Natasha Jones op 072 442 2783.



# Single figure fatalities over Easter and holiday period

Bakwena N1N4 route – Bakwena implemented additional measures along their route including six route patrol vehicles recorded along the through their partnership with Motus N1N4 route. Corporation and Kia Motors South Africa from peak hour traffic volumes reached just under 1 April to 3 May during the Easter, Freedom Day and Workers Day public holidays.

Collectively, these six vehicles travelled a distance of 54,142 kilometres, assisted at 48 crashes, issued 1,804 fines, and assisted 70 road users along the Bakwena

which recorded an overall decrease in the traffic authorities as well as SAPS, EMS and number of road fatalities from 2019 figures, Transport minister Fikile Mbalula raised a concern of an increase in pedestrian fatalities by 5% compared to 2019's figures.

school fatalities

2,500 vehicles per hour on the N1 north through Pumulani on Thursday 1 April, and approximately 2,500 vehicles per hour on the N1 south on Sunday 5 April and Sunday 2 May.

Bakwena works very closely with traffic authorities from Tshwane Metro Police, While delivering the preliminary easter report Limpopo, Gauteng and North West Provincial would like to thank them as well as other stakeholders for their ongoing efforts in striving to reduce incidents and fatalities on South Africa's roads

Over the 2021 Easter weekend and April Bakwena N1N4 press release extracts



# 'Time to Play' at Waterfall Mall

restrictions, Waterfall Mall decided to give with fun Play-Doh hampers. their voung shoppers some free time to play at the mall. From Saturday 24 April to Please follow Waterfall Mall on Monday 26 April, Nerf games were held on Facebook or visit www.waterfmall.co.za the roof top parking near entrance 2, while for more information on upcoming Play-Doh creations took place in Waterfall Mall's centre court. Ten lucky winners took

Boikabo Makolomakwe (left) and Joshua Motshego played with Play-Doh at the centre court.

Rustenburg - Following the 2020 lockdown home Nerf blasters and ten walked away

events and competitions.



Alexis Varty having a blast in a Nerf game.

# Oupas and oumas word bederf!

Plooy, Bingle Birth, Sulette Arrow, Food algehele wenner. Lover's Market (Beyers Naude), Shirley Jessica van Staden, Dela Rosa Cleaning & Pest Control, Ja-Nee Williams, André en Ester Viljoen, Ria Janse van Rensburg, Elsa & Caz Light House, Impala Rugby Elmerie Grobbelaar.





Rustenburg – God's Helping Angels het Die skoonheidskompetisie wat deur die bejaarde inwoners van die Kerkstraat Globe Model Look modelle Alisha Roets woonstelle bederf op Saterdag 8 Mei te en Marli du Plessis georganiseer is, Impala Rugby Club. Almal het gesmul het ook vir groot pret gesorg. Pragtige aan 'n lekker bord kos terwyl sangers modelle het die loopplank geopen waarna Riaan Rust en Angelo hul vermaak het. die Oupas en Oumas geleentheid gekry Tussendeur was daar ook stalletjies om van het om hulle danspassies te wys. Daarna te kies en te keur. God's Helping Angels wil het hul ook modeparade gehou waarna graag die volgende mense bedank vir hul Jeanette Stroebel en Frans Rex as bydrae wat van die dag 'n sukses gemaak Moedersdag Ouma en Oupa gekroon het. Alfa Supermark Oos Einde, Ridderpark is. Nina Chadinha is as die senior Slaghuis Oos Einde, Douglas Melkery, algehele wenner aangewys tussen die Biltong Shack Oos Einde, Francois du modelle en Leanay Maritz as die junior

Baie dankie aan die volgende borge vir Breyns, Renette Daniels, Elizabeth and die modelkompetisie... Ga-Ga Photo Matt Watson, Frans Schultz, Susan Kruger, & Printing, Little Divas and Rockstars, Willa Krause, Begin Anywhere Salon, Kea vir die sertifikate, Maribell Design, M&M Designs, Excelsius Beauty and Hair Academy, Aerglo Nails, Faith & Fitness Club and Pub & Grill, Pieter van Dalen, en Studio, Cute-icle Nail Studio, Alicia vir die lekkernye, en Renay Beukes.

# Pest control from hell

[Letter to the editor]

Rustenburg - Just before the 2020 didn't know anything about the botched job lockdown, I phoned around looking for that was done and that promises were made 'professionals' who can spray our house to come and spray again. I then asked him, and yard for termites. A certain well-known company in Rustenburg then said that they can help me. The young Afrikaans speaking man, who apparently also catches snakes, came out to give us a quotation.

He gave us a quote of almost R9,000 and for my mother's house almost R6,000. Both amounts were paid in full, and we received our invoices stating which service he will deliver and that there is a five-year guarantee on the work done.

The day after he sprayed our homes, we noticed termites all over. I contacted him about this, and he said that I must just give it a few days.

A week later, the termites were still munching away - so I contacted him again. A month later we still had termites. He then said he will come and spray again. This never happened. At first, he used the excuse that we must wait for the rainy season to pass. Then he said "after the Covid-19 lockdown" ... Excuses, excuses excuses

Sies man!

Last week I decided to try again. I was informed by the new owner that he bought the business from the 'snake catcher'. Company name and everything was still the same just under new management. The new owner

seeing that it is still the same business that gave me a written five-year guarantee if he will then redo the job? He then said that I do not have a certificate where those specific words are written.

The fact that it is on his company's letterhead. and no private name is mentioned on the invoice, only my name and the company name... does not matter to this new owner. He did not want to give me the Afrikaans speaking person's new number, and he himself also refused to help me.

I hope that this might help other people, to be careful, and not be scammed and cheated the way I was.

**Poisoned Party** 





# Spotlight on preventing veldfires

Rustenburg - The Greater Rustenburg Fire Membership of an FPA is voluntary for Saturday 15 May as a platform to teach the community about how they can play their part in preventing veldfires.

It will be a fun and exciting day for the whole family. Personnel from the Rustenburg Fire Service will conduct a demonstration of how they extinguish grass fires.

of reducing the risk of unplanned and damaging veldfires which threaten lives,

Protection Association (GRFPA) will use the landowners but compulsory for state entities Boeremusiek Fees and Crafters Market on and parastatals such as municipalities and game reserves.

> The GRFPA aims to help people to understand the law around veldfires, how it applies to them as well as their duties and responsibilities, both in the prevention and the fighting of fires.

Landowners are advised to visit the GRFPA The Fire Protection Association (FPA) is a website to familiarise themselves with the law voluntary, but legally constituted, association and learn how best to use the Fire Danger risk of fire

For more information, email grfpa.fire@ property, livelihoods, and infrastructure. gmail.com or visit https://www.grfpa.org/

# Manna boeremark, reuse sukses

geleentheid gehad om hul handgemaakte Elbe op 078 731 4276. produkte uit te stal waarvan markgangers kon kies en keur

Daar is vyf van Elbe Turner se skilderye opgeveil om fondse in te samel en 10% van alle stalletije verkope sal gaan om die dak by Lighthouse Children's Home reg te maak. Die dag was 'n reuse sukses en altesaam is R12,850 ingesamel om die dak projek op die been te bring.

"Baie dankie aan elke persoon wat hier was om die mark te ondersteun. Ons vra ons Groot Hemelse Vader om elke een van julle se besighede te seen met baie voorspoed," aldus organiseerder Elbe Turner.

Die volgende mark sal op 5 Junie plaasvind en organiseerders beoog om genoeg geld in te samel om drie ton kos vir die Rustenburg Dierebeskerming vereniging te voorsien.

deur die gemeenskap vir die gemeenskap. Dinie Estates pad, ongeveer 6km buite Uitstallers het op Saterdag 1 Mei die Rustenburg. Vir meer inligting, kontak



Johann en Annelize Jonker spog met die skildery wat hulle gekoop het.



Michelle Deysel kon nie genoeg kry van die opsies boeke te koop by die Rustenburg Dierebeskerming vereniging se stalletjie nie.



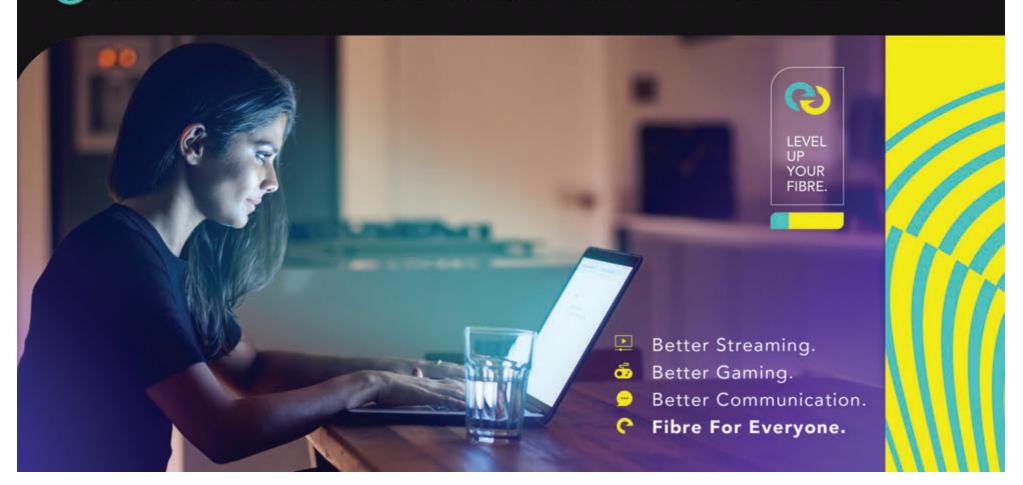
Met Liefde eienaar Chantel van Rensburg met van die pragtige items by haar stalletjie.



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Ambulance / Metro Control 014 777 3500

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(Casualties)

014 784 4100 Fire Department

Rustenburg Local Municipality 014 777 3500 emergencies (fire)

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### PLEASE HELP FIND PARENTS

The social worker is requesting for the names and contact details of the alleged biological fathers of Olerato Kena born (2003-07-06), Odirile Leipego born (2006-04-05), and Koketso Fani Mwale born (2008-05-31). Please contact Pearl Manyathi, social worker at SAVF Rustenburg on 014 592 8568

### **RUSTENBURG CHILD AND FAMILY WELFARE**

In search of the whereabouts of the biological father of the boy child with the surname, Phakedi who is 6 months of age must urgently contact the Social Worker, Geraldine Legobye from Child and Family Welfare Rustenburg on 014 537 2014 or geraldine.legobye@gmail.com.

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St. Martins Private Christian School would like to erect a board next to its premises on 21A Kerk Street. Any concerns or comments from the general public should be emailed to stmartinspry@gmail.com

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# **Department of Arts, Culture, Sports** and Recreation

### **Library Services Directorate Conditional Grants Administration**

NB: These are fixed term contracts ending on the 31st of March 2024, which are reviewed annually based on performance and availability of funds

### Library Assistant (x6 Posts) Salary Level: 5

### Salary Per Annum: R173 703 plus 37% in lieu of benefits

• Centres: • Bojanala District (Ref No: 2021/ACSR/01/NW): Kgetleng Rivier Local Municipality (Redirile Library x 1) • Dr Ruth Segomotsi Mompati District (Ref No: 2021/ACSR/02/NW): Kagisano Molopo Local Municipality (Southey Library x 1); Mamusa Local Municipality (Glaudina Library x 1) • Dr Kenneth Kaunda District (Ref No: 2021/ACSR/03/NW): Maguassi Hills Local Municipality (Makwassie Library x 1) • Ngaka Modiri Molema District (Ref No: 2021/ ACSR/04/NW): Ratlou Local Municipality (Logagane Library x2)

Requirements: • Grade 12 and experience in public/community libraries • A diploma in librarianship will be an added advantage • Computer literacy.

Duties: • Register new members and renew membership • Circulation of library books i.e issuing and receiving books • Receive and assist library users • Shelving and shelf reading • Care and maintenance of library material • Participate in planning and implementing of reading awareness Programmes • Perform general administration work, keeping daily statistics of library usage, filling of correspondence • Receiving new consignments and

Enquiries: Ngaka Modiri Molema District: Mr. L<br/> Mapholo, Cell: 084 609 0170  $\,$ Dr Ruth Segomotsi Mompati District: Mr. J Govender, Cell: 072 291 6306 Bojanala District: Ms. T Makwela, Cell: 014 538 0149

Dr Kenneth Kaunda District: Mr. N Baloyi, Cell: 082 635 2258

### **Librarian: Community Libraries (x8)** Salary Level: 7

### Salary Per Annum: R257 508 per annum plus 37% in lieu of benefits

• Centres: • Bojanala District (Ref No: 2021/ACSR/05/NW): Kgetleng Rivier Local Municipality (Redirile Library x1) Rustenburg Local Municipality (Lethabong Library x1) • Ngaka Modiri Molema District (Ref No: 2021/ACSR/06/NW: Ramotshere Moiloa Local Municipality (Lehurutshe Library x1) • Dr Kenneth Kaunda District (Ref No: 2021/ACSR/07/NW): Maquassi Hills Local Municipality (Lebaleng Library x1) • Dr Ruth Segomotsi Mompati District (Ref No: 2021/ACSR/08/NW): Mamusa Local Municipality (Ipelegeng Libraryx 1); Kagisano-Molopo Local municipality (Southey Libraryx 1; Tlakgameng Library x 1); Naledi Local Municipality

(Stella Library x 1)  $\textbf{Requirements:} \bullet \textbf{Bbibl degree or equivalent qualification} \bullet \textbf{Good interpersonal relations skills} \bullet \textbf{Computer literacy}$ Code B driver's license will be an added advantage

Duties: • Manage day to day operations of the library • Render library user services • Manage library collection • Plan and implement reading awareness programmes • Consolidate and submit monthly library usage reports

· Supervision of subordinates

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# Library Systems Technician (x1)

### Salary Level: 7

### Salary Per Annum: R257 508 per annum plus 37% in lieu of benefits

• Ref No: 2021/ACSR/09/NW • Centre: Dr Ruth Segomotsi Mompati District Library  $\textbf{Requirements: } \bullet \textbf{Matric, A+, N+ or equivalent qualification and a valid (Code B) driver's license} \bullet 3 \ year \ qualification$ 

in Information Technology will be an added advantage • Problem-solving, interpersonal and communication skills Relevant experience and knowledge of networks and or public library environment will be an added advantage. Duties: • Install and maintain computer equipment in the district and community libraries • Provide IT and SLIMS (SITA Library Management System) in the district and community libraries • Provide basic computer literacy and troubleshooting skills to library staff in community libraries • Facilitate connection of libraries including public Internet Access • Facilitate creation of new user accounts for staff in the districts and community libraries Manage hardware, software and other ICT Assets in the district • Monitor and support ICT services in district and community libraries.

Enquiries: Ms. M Magagane, tel. 018 388 3654

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Note: The Department reserves the right not to fill the posts. Applications must be accompanied by a signed new Z83 and recent updated comprehensive CV, certified copies of all qualification(s) and ID document as well as the names of three referees. Failure to submit the requested documents will result in the application not being considered. All qualifications will be verified. Persons in possession of foreign qualifications must furnish this Department with an evaluation certificate from the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA). Position requiring tertiary qualification/s must be accompanied by certified copies of academic record/transcript(s) Candidates must indicate the number of post/reference number in their applications. Candidate requiring additional information regarding an advertised post, must direct their queries to the person reflected as enquiries below the post applied for. It will be expected of candidates to be available for selection interviews on a date, time and place determined by the Department. Applications received after the closing date will not be considered. If you have not received a response from the Department within 3 months of the closing date, kindly consider your application unsuccessful.

The successful candidates will be expected to sign a performance agreement after assumption of duty as well as an employment contract.

Please note: Security clearance will be conducted on all short-listed candidates and the appointments will be subject to positive security clearance results. We encourage all applicants to declare any criminal and/or any

Applications should be forwarded to: The Head of Department, Department of Arts, Culture, Sports and Recreation, Private Bag X90, Mmabatho 2735 or delivered to Gaabomotho Building, between Mmabatho Convention Centre and Broadcasting Centre, for attention of Director:

Human Capital Management.

Closing date: 26 May 2021



# **Department of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs**

### INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME

Programme	Qualification	Ref No.	No. of	Stipend	
			Interns		
Human Resource	National Diploma/Degree in Human	IP/2021/1	2	R6 081.75	
Management	Resource Management/Public				
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Financial Management	National Diploma/Degree B.Com in	IP/2021/2	2	R6 081.75	
Services	Financial Management/Accounting	TD / 0001 /0		D0 001 55	
Municipal	National Diploma/Degree in Public	IP/2021/3	3	R6 081.75	
Administration	Administration/ Public Management/				
	Management Assistant/ Management				
	Organisational Development/Human Resource Development/ Occupational				
	Directed Education Training and				
	Development Practices/Project				
	Manaaement/Loaistics Management				
Integrated Municipal	National Diploma/Degreein Project	IP/2021/4	2	R6 081.75	
Infrastructure	Management/Civil Engineering	IP/2021/4	2	K6 081.75	
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Disaster Management	National Diploma/ Degree in Disaster	IP/2021/5	3	R6 081.75	
Disaster Management	Management/DevelopmentalStudies/	11 /2021/3		100 001.75	
	FireTechnology				
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Risk Management	National Diploma/Degree in Risk	IP/2021/7	2	R6 081.75	
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	Management/Demand Management/				
	Acquisition Management				
Media and	National Diploma/Degree in	IP/2021/9	2	R6 081.75	
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	Public Relations				
Information	National Diploma/Degree in	IP/2021/10	2	R6 081.75	
Communication	Information Technology				
Technology					
Traditional Affairs	National Diploma/Degree Public	IP/2021/11	2	R6 081.75	
	Administration/Public Management/				
	Management				

Applications are invited from unemployed graduates between 18 and 35 years of age. Applicants should be residing in North West Province and should have never participated in an internship programme before in any government departments. Interns will receive a stipend of R6 081.75 per month for a period of 24 months. Applications must be submitted on the newly prescribed Z83 form (fully completed) obtainable from any Public Service Offices accompanied by the following documents: Certified copies of qualifications, Identity Documents and/with full names addresses and telephone numbers of at least three reference to The Director: Human Resource Management and Development, Department of Cooperative Government and Traditional Affairs, Private Bag X2145, MMABATHO, 2735 or hand delivered at Telkom Building, 3366 Bessemer Street, Industrial Site, Mahikeng (behind the Crossing Shopping Complex), for attention: Mr Lesibana Mabusela, on (018) 388 2326/8855/1095/4791.

The applicants must state the Districts and ward the fall under on the application form. Applications received after closing dates will not be accepted. Closing date: 31 May 2021



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# 'Art helped me find my purpose'

Freedom Park/ Rustenburg - Dropping out of gender-based violence." He describes his mother tertiary education because of the inability to meet the financial obligations of higher learning can deal a devastating blow to one's aspirations.

Instead of wallowing in self-pity, Sifiso Qhantsi who dropped out of college before completing his course - kept his cool and decided to pursue his passion for painting with energy and commitment. "Art helped me to find my purpose in life. I feel good and fulfilled whenever I complete a painting or a sketch. It has become a way of life for me," Qhantsi told Platinum Weekly.

This 25-year-old artist, who did his primary education in the Eastern Cape before completing his matric in Freedom Park, said his work reflects nature and the everyday issues that society often grapples with. As a self-employed artist, Sifiso earns money from commissioned portraits.

"It is not much but I'm grateful for the little I earn. With hard work, I'm sure the rewards will also increase," he said. "Art should be used to address societal ills and for me this means highlighting the negative effects of domestic abuse," he added, while holding up a portrait of a woman crying. "Th idea is to change the attitudes and behaviour of our communities and help reduce the high rate of

- who has encouraged him to follow his passion with enthusiasm - as a pillar of strength. With job opportunities becoming scarce as unemployment levels continue to rise, Sifiso describes his creativity as a vital asset



Sifiso Qhantsi's drawings depict various aspects of nature and social life.



# What came first? The colour or the fruit?

The citrus definitely got named first. The 1st recorded usage of 'orange the fruit' in English came from the 1300s and came from the Old French orenge (orange tree).

However, oranges originally come from Asia. The original oranges from South Asia were green in colour. In fact, oranges in warmer regions like Vietnam and Thailand still stay green through maturity. So, colour trumps!



# New appointments at **Grenville School**

Rustenburg - Educators at Grenville High Grenville team. His arrival coincided with School are known for bringing out the best in the appointment of Ms Omolemo Tawana their students.

The school is very excited to welcome on heads. The school wishes all the three board its new deputy principal Mr. Karabo educators the very best as they begin a new Njoro who joined the staff in April. Prior to his chapter in their professional careers and are appointment, Mr. Njoro was at Sunrise View Secondary School and is excited to join the

and Mr. Werner Bossert as departmental confident of their ability to take the school to greater heights.



RSBGO departementele departementshoof Colleen Robbertse.

# Welkom by **RSBGO!**

Rustenburg – Dit is vir Rustenburg Skool vir Buitengewone Onderwys (RSBGO) 'n groot voorreg om Colleen Robbertse as deel van hulle personeel te verwelkom. Colleen sal die amp as departementele departementshoof beklee.

# Lief vir mamma!

Rustenburg - Laerskool Silwerrand Primary het elke leerder se mamma spesiaal laat voel hierdie Moedersdag. Vir die wêreld is hulle net mammas, maar vir die kleingoed is hulle









# It takes a village to raise a child



Rustenburg - Lighthouse Children's Home is a non-profit organisation based in Rustenburg. They offer a haven of safety to vulnerable children and like any other community programme, they need the help of the community to raise these kids.

For the next few months they would like to challenge and plea with business, organisations, and individuals in and around Rustenburg to help with the following items:

- Baby formula Lactogen number 1,2,3 and Nan
- Nappies size 1, 2, 3 and 4
- Baby products
- Cleaning supplies like dishwashing liquid, toilet cleaner, and washing powder
- Toiletries like shampoo conditioner, toothpaste, and sanitary pads
- Pre-paid electricity

Be on the lookout for their trolley in all Rustenburg Clicks stores and help them by donating any Clicks products in trolleys at the doors. To get involved and for more information contact Elsa Doubell on 083 493 5911. You can also drop off donations at 64A Kruger street, Rustenburg.

# **Brinkies se** netball sterre

Rustenburg - Knap gedaan aan Laerskool Dawid Brink leerders Zoey Watt en Lindiwe Mthombeni Noordwes Netbalspan, Zoev sal Noordwes verteenwoording in die O/13 span en Lindiwe in die O/12 span.





# Police give kids safety tips

of trusting strangers by members of SAPS Rustenburg during a visit to the pre-school strangers who befriend them by offering them to trust a person they do not know.

Rustenburg - Children at Klein Wysneusie in sweets or other gifts to gain their trust. Police Rustenburg were warned about the dangers spokesperson captain Elsabé Augoustides said the children, who were excited to see the law enforcement officers, were told about on Friday 16 April. Children are kidnapped by how to identify "stranger danger" and never



# Hospice needs volunteers

Rustenburg - Hospice Rustenburg is urgently looking for volunteers to assist with their ragsproject at their premises



located at 4 Boshoff Street. The income generated through their projects and charity shops, sustain Hospice Rustenburg and the work they do in the community. Hospice Rustenburg is a non-profit organisation which provides palliative care in the greater Rustenburg community and Bojanala district. They rely on support from well-wishers and community members are urged to open-up their hearts for this worthy cause.

For more information contact the Rustenburg Hospice offices on 014 592 8925 or hospiceshop1@gmail.com.

# **18 RUSTIES IN NW-KLEURE**

### Rustenburg -

Baie geluk aan die volgende 18 dogters, van Hoërskool Rustenburg, wat die afgelope naweek tot die onderskeie Noordwes (NW) netbalspanne verkies is:

- · Chrizann Hurn
- Anya Matchett Mia Malan

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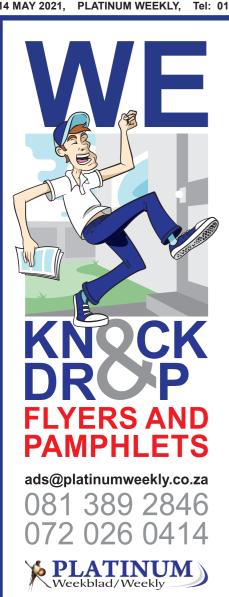
- Kamogelo Molefe
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- · Zane Maritz
- · Talitha du Preez
- · Elsje Gouws
- · Chelize Durie · Carike Arnold

- Danel Gouws
- · Andrya Joubert
- · Landri Janse van Rensburg
- J-dene Krugel
- · Sonika de Bruin Sumarie Vorster

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- · Riandré Botha
- · Bianca dos Santos





# Have your say / Sê jou sê

# Are you on more than 10 WhatsApp groups?

People use WhatsApp groups to collaborate and communicate. It is an easy way to give through information to a several people at the same time. But when does it become too much?



Yes, I'm on more than 10 WhatsApp groups and every single one of those groups are important to me! Five are family groups, two are for business, while three are based on past links.

> **Emmanuel** Musonza



I strongly believe that having more than 10 groups can be a be a bit too much to handle! WhatsApp can be very distractive, especially when you are at work. I'm in seven groups and I think that is enough for me.

Palesa Mokate

# **PUBLIC POLL:** THE RESULTS ARE IN!

Are you on more than 10 WhatsApp groups? NO 29% YES 71%

# **POLL**

# Have you gained more than 5kg since the COVID-19 lockdown started?

A recent survey showed more than half of South Africans gained weight during the pandemic, 69% bordering on obese.

Make yourself heard by sending an email to news@platinumweekly.co.za with the following information before 17:00 on Tuesday 18 May:

- · Yes, I gained more than 5kg since the COVID-19 lockdown started, or,
- No, I didn't gain more than 5kg since
- COVID-19 lockdown started.
- The reason for your answer. · A recent photo of yourself (optional) -
- that we can publish with your answer. Your contact details.

If you do not want your answers to be in the newspaper, just reply to the question: YES/ NO.

The results of the votes will be published in our next issue.

PS - You can also give your opinion by commenting on our Facebook post.





# **MAGALIES ROAD RIDE**



Brits – Entries for the Magalies Road Ride (on 29 May) – a 185km scenic ride that takes competitors around the beauty of Hartbeespoort Dam, Magaliesburg as well as the 'infamous' Hekpoort Climb – are now open. At 2000m ascent, competitors will have to make sure they are in shape because what goes up must come down! It will be an experience to remember for both spectators and competitors alike. There will be bike marshals, four water points and a tasty lunch stop so don't miss out! It will be a good day out for the family as well. For more information on online entries visit drakeevents.co.za.



Rustenburg - Laerskool Rustenburg het op Vrydag 7 Mei 'n fondsinsameling vir die Rustenburg Dierbeskeriming verening (DBV) gehou. Leerders was aangetrek soos superhelde en het al te koddig gelyk in 'n verskeidenheid uitrustings van Superman tot Wonder Woman. Groot hoeveelhede kos en kombersies is ingesamel om die DBV te help omsien na al die diere in hulle sorg.



24°C - 6°C Monday May 2020 May 2020 24°C - 7°C Tuesday

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# SOULFOOD

# **PSALM 16:1-3**

The Hope of the Faithful, and the Messiah's Victory

A Michtam of David.

<sup>16</sup>Preserve me, O God, for in You I put my trust.

<sup>2</sup>O my soul, you have said to the Lord, "You are my Lord, My goodness is nothing apart from You." <sup>3</sup>As for the saints who are on the earth, "They are the

excellent ones, in whom is all my delight."



**NEW KING JAMES VERSION (NKJV)** 





Send your event listing to news@platinumweekly.co.za \*\* Free Placement!

# PLATINUM EVENT DIARY

PW EVENTS	Date	Venue	Tel	Email
Appel Live	14 May '21	Rustenburg: Libertas Rustic Venue	079-495-7043	libertasvenue@gmail.com
Boeremusiekfees & Crafters Market	15 May '21	Rustenburg: Brauhaus	087-098-0641	info@brau.co.za
Paint and Wine	19 May '21	Rustenburg: Mitsos	072-633-3808	mitsos@rustenburg.co.za
Kosterdam Natuuroord Boeremark	29 May '21	Koster: Dam	060-369-3215	kosterdam@koster.co.za
Steve Hofmeyr Live	23 May '21	Hartbeespoort: Dozi's Back to Roots	076-603-3759	info@zinta.co.za
Voer 'n Boer Golf Dag	28 May '21	Mooinooi: Golf Club	067-427-8118	mooinooi@golf.co.za
Marius Dippenaar Live	29 May '21	Rustenburg: Midnight @ Sportsbar	082-536-6141	midnight@sportsbar.co.za
SPCA Golf Day	2 Jun '21	Rustenburg: Golf Club	082-410-2776	treasurer@spcartb.org.za
Rusty Fest	5 Jun '21	Rustenburg: Impala Rugby Club	086-123-4695	support@howler.co.za
Fedhealth Magalies Monster	5 Jun '21	Buffelspoort: ATKV Buffelspoort	082-991-0045	entries@stillwatersport.com

# Taking the long road

**Rustenburg** – Aganang Fitness Club hosted a fun run on Saturday 1 May. They invited other clubs to join them in a run that kicked off at Total Garage in Geelhoutpark and ended at Sun City. It was not an easy 50km but great fun for everyone who participated.

For more information or to join Aganang Fitness Club contact Kabelo Taunyane on 082 805 3551.





# Rainbow Cup SA

### **Sharks vs Lions**

Die Haaie het die beter *ruggas* opgedis en klop die Leeus 34-26 ou grote. Die Sharks verdien weer 'n waardevolle bonuspunt en is na rondte twee nou die voorlopers met 10 punte. Die Leeus verdien ook dam 'n bonuspunt met hulle vier drieë.

'n Oud Rustenburger, PJ Botha, was een van die drie-drukkers vir die Leeus.

Curwin Bosch het weer 'n puik *game* gespeel en slaag ook met vier doelskoppe en twee strafskoppe vir 'n persoonlike bydrae van 14 punte. Die Durbaniete het groot karakter gewys en op 'n stadium met net dertien spelers klaargekom.

Die Sharks speel volgende teen die onoorwonne Bulls in Pretoria. Die Lions moet Kaapstad toe reis om teen die Stormers te loop speel.

# Varsity Cup Bepalings

### Maandag 17 Mei

- Maties vs NMU Madibaz
- UJ vs Wits
- CUT vs NWU
- UCT Ikeys vs UWC
- Shimlas vs UP-Tuks

### Donderdag 20 Mei

- UWC vs CUT
- Wits vs Shimlas
- NMU Madibaz vs UP-Tuks
- Maties vs UJ
- NWU vs UCT Ikeys

### Stormers vs Bulls

In Kaapstad is daar weer 'n doodse stilte en die wyn het weer gevloei want die lieflingseuns kry weer 'n pakslae. Die Bulle het kopgehou en wen hierdie harde stryd 20-16. Die dag het egter aan die Blou Blits, Madosh Tambwe behoort. Die gewese Shark speler het twee skitter drieë gedruk en maar weer gewys spoed en 'n aftrap is nie te koop nie...

Aan die Stormers se kant het die Springbok, Pieter-Steph du Toit gewys sy besering is iets van die verlede en het weer gekook ou grote. *Coach* Jake was maar dikbek oor sy span se swak dissipline maar vat die wen in die Kaap. Die Bulle speel op 15 Mei 18:15 teen die Sharks op Fort Loftus. Dit behoort nogal 'n lekker warm *game* te wees maats. Die Stormers gaan Saterdag om 13:00 teen die Lions in Kaapstad uitdraf.

# Nieu-Seeland Aotearoa

Finaal

Crusaders 24 - 13 Chiefs

# Australian Domestic

Finaal

Queensland Reds 19 - 16 Brumbies Nag ou grote...

# Playing pool is very cool

**Rustenburg** – Do you want to be part of a team that plays the coolest sport ever? Do you want to impress your friends next time there is a pool table in the room?

If your answer is yes to one or both of these questions, contact club representative Juan du Toit on 074 766 1063 to join the Midnight@sportsbar pool club.



