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In remembrance



Join us in mourning the enormous loss and loving life of Derek Duncan (56) He passed away on Monday 6 March 2023. His memorial service will take place at Sonskyn Retirement Village, Koorsboom Street, Rustenburg, on 9 March 2023 at 11:00. For more information contact Cobus on 081 379 8919 or Wilna on 074 200 2687 at Econo Funeral Services. A service with love and dignity by Econo Funeral and Cremation

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Join us in mourning the enormous loss and loving life of Paulus Sonki Mogoshane who passed away on Sunday 5 March 2023. His funeral service will take place on 11 March 2023 in Robega. For more information contact Simon SetIhabi on 078 375 9090 at Econo Funeral Services. A service with love and dignity by Econo Funeral and Cremation Services

Rustenburg - A deceased foetus-estimated to have developed to about six months old-was found abandoned and discarded in the bushes near the low water bridge in Watsonia Avenue on Sunday 5 March 2023. According to an eyewitness, a recycler looking for cans found the foetus and went to a nearby shop where he alerted people to call for help. The witness said that the foetus was wrapped in a blanket and placed in a black bag. ER24 arrived at the scene at 13:07 where they found the foetus next to the towel. ER24 Rustenburg branch operations manager Marchant Jacobs confirmed that the baby was declared dead at the scene. It is estimated that the foetus was left there the previous evening, but the hot weather and insect activity acted as a catalyst to decomposition. Sadly, due to state of the foetus, they were unable to tell if it was a boy or girl. Rustenburg police spokesperson captain Elsabé Augoustides confirmed that police are investigating a case of concealment of birth.

Anyone with information on this case should please contact investigating officer sergeant Tebogo Tshidi on 082 772 8658.

Motorbike driver and motorist collide

Rustenburg - A car and a motorbike travelling along Beyers Naude Drive collided on Wednesday 1 March 2023. The collision resulted in the car ploughing into Auto Africa Investments. The accident occurred at the corner of Beyers Naude and Heystek Street at approximately 16:45. The driver of the car, a white Renault Kwid, was travelling towards the Rustenburg central business district (CBD) while the driver of the motorbike was attempting to cross the busy road from Heystek Street. An eyewitness told Platinum Weekly that the driver of the motorbike was "lucky to be alive." "The young driver of the motorbike shot into the air when the car hit him. I am not sure who had the right of way, but I am relieved that nobody lost their lives," the eyewitness said. A woman who was at



Many people gathered at the scene of the accident after the car crashed into the Auto Africa Investments

the scene of the accident said that she decided to stop after she had identified the white car. "The driver of the Renault was with us at Medicare Hospital. I gave her directions on how to drive out of the hospital complex. Moments later, she got involved in the accident. I spotted her car whilst I was driving past," the woman said. Paramedics from ER24 were at the scene. The woman was treated for shock and was transported to hospital for observation only. The driver of the motorcycle sustained scratches on his hands," said ER24 Rustenburg branch operations manager Marchant Jacobs.

Tragedy strikes twice, partner of murdered farmer attacked on Rex Road

Rustenburg – A 53-year-old medical made inquiries about the whereabouts doctor was ambushed by five men on a farm on the Rex Road on Friday 3 March. The unfortunate victim was on her way to work when she stopped to open her gate, only to be violently overpowered by the group. According to Buffel Sekuriteit and Rustenburg Landelike Diens owner, Charl Visser, the attackers forced her back into her vehicle and demanded that she lead them to her house. Upon arrival, they searched the premises and

of her partner, who sadly passed away in September 2022. The assailants then ransacked the property and fled in her Volkswagen Touareg, stealing various electronics and jewellery. Following the traumatic ordeal, the woman managed to flee to a nearby neighbour's house for assistance. The victim's partner, Frans Venter, suffered a similar fate when he was brutally murdered on the same farm in September 2022. While two of his

attackers Sibos Msiza Maphoza (29) and Nokosinathi Sibanda (27) are currently in custody after they were denied bail, the other two remain at large. The case has been postponed to 16 May 2023.

Meanwhile, the recent house robbery and vehicle theft incident was reported to the police, and a case has been opened. Captain Elsabé Augoustides, the police spokesperson, has confirmed the incident and the ongoing investigation.





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CAR THIEVES HAVE A SHOOTOUT WITH POLICE

Rustenburg/ Olifantsnek - Two car thieves were caught after a shootout with the police at the R24 and R30 junction on Friday 3 March 2023. Police were following up on information regarding a vehicle which had been spotted at several spots where vehicle thefts were reported, when they noticed the same vehicle with four occupants on the R24 heading towards Magaliesberg. The numberplate was traced and came back as fake, so their sirens were activated, and they set chase. According to an eyewitness the suspects made a U-turn and during their attempt to flee, they started throwing tools—presumably used for stealing cars—out of the vehicle's window.

"The vehicle was cut off at the T-junction where it came to a standstill and shots were fired at the police. Police returned fire and a suspect was shot in the face," said Rustenburg police spokesperson captain Elsabé Augoustides. Two arrests were made, namely the injured suspect and one of the other suspects. Unfortunately, the other two suspects managed to escape.

In the vehicle they found more items used to steal cars as well as an unlicenced firearm.



Police apprehended suspected car thieves at

STILL NO CHANGE IN DISASTROUS **SEWAGE CONUNDRUM**

Rustenburg – For more than a month the residents living close to Arend Road have had to put up with the horrible smell of sewage flowing through the streets.

The problem started when a sewerage pipe burst in Arend Road in early February 2023. Several attempts by the Rustenburg Local Municipality (RLM) to repair the damaged pipes in Arend Road have only resulted in more problems as damage was caused to a clean water line, a stormwater pipe, and an additional sewerage line. The clean water supply pipe was repaired, but the damage to the sewerage line and the stormwater pipe caused a new leak and the sewerage line-approximately 4 metres deep-which needed to be replaced from the manhole at the intersection of Loerie Avenue and Arend Road. It soon became clear that the help of a private service provider had to be called in. According to ward 14 Democratic Alliance (DA) councillor Gert du Plessis, the process was delayed due to the pending approval by RLM's supply chain management deviation to make use of a private sector provider to repair the damaged sewerage line.

Du Plessis confirmed on 6 March 2023 that the sanitation unit manager informed him that the supply chain management deviation was approved by supply chain management, but it still needed to be signed off by the acting municipal manager before a service provider could be authorised to replace the damaged Sewerage line.

Platinum Weekly reported on Friday 10 February 2023 about the dead fish that had started to surface at one of Arendskloof's dams while the stench of sewage made life uncomfortable for the members of the secure community. Because sewage significantly reduces the oxygen in clean water, the dam's fish population quickly started to deteriorate. Big Time Construction's owner Jay Jay Esterhuizen, who assists with the maintenance at Arendskloof, luckily had the necessary knowledge and equipment to temporarily deal with the situation. Until repairs have been made, there is nothing they can do but to remove the dead fish. Esterhuizen told Platinum Weekly on 8 March 2023 that one can see spots where the fish are surfacing as they gasp for oxygen.

Removing the dead fish not only costs the complex thousands of rands, but the situation also remains a big health risk for the community. At time of going to print, there was no update from the RLM on the matter.



SHOOTOUT IN MALL PARKING

Rustenburg - A customer was robbed of pause after the sound of the first shot a large sum of cash at Waterfall Mall at approximately 12:00 on Thursday 2 March 2023. Rustenburg police spokesperson captain Elsabé Augoustides told the Platinum Weekly that the victim and two of his colleagues were in Waterfall Mall's underground parking while they waited for one of the colleagues to finish a call.

They were then approached by two armed suspects who held them at gunpoint and forced them to the victim's vehicle. The suspects ransacked the vehicle and took an undisclosed amount of cash, cellphones, 35 rounds of ammunition, and an empty ammunition magazine, after which the victims were instructed to remain still in the vehicle.

However, as the suspects fled the scene, shots were exchanged between the two parties. The suspects managed to flee the scene in white Toyota Hilux.

An eyewitness who is yet to recover from the trauma of the shootout relayed the scene to Platinum Weekly. The witnesswho prefers to remain anonymousdescribed the harrowing ordeal at the basement parking area of the mall.

"It happened a couple of metres away from me," said the man, "when I heard the shots, my first instinct was to lie down on my stomach because it's not wise to remain standing during such a dangerous situation. When I looked up, I saw two men with bags getting into a bakkie before they sped off. Nobody got hurt, but just thinking about the shooting makes me shiver. It was a traumatic experience for all of us who were there," he concluded.

Another eyewitness described how customers fled into his small shop and huddled together as they tried to evade the gunfire. "There was a brief echoed through the basement, then came the second shot and then the rest of the shots started flying," he added.

The Waterfall Mall's tactical team immediately responded to the scene, and no one was injured during the shootout. "Our team is trained to act immediately and are currently assisting SAPS with the investigation. The security team is always on high alert, the safety of both shoppers and tenants is our top priority. Waterfall Mall urges shoppers to not carry large sums of cash and to always remain vigilant. Should you discover that you are being followed, or feel uncomfortable in any way, please report to mall security," said Waterfall Mall marketing manager Jessica Varty.

Captain Augoustides urges the community to not carry large sums of cash with them and to please be vigilant—if something looks suspicious rather drive away or alert security. She confirmed that a case of armed robbery is being investigated.

If you need to report an incident at the mall, or feel unsafe, please contact the Waterfall Mall Security Control Room on 014 537 3600.



Impala expansion empowers suppliers

Rustenburg – Impala Rustenburg celebrated its improved 16-shaft operation with its official launch on Wednesday 1 March 2023 in Kanana. Impala Rustenburg invested just over R40 million to expand the facilities at its 16-shaft operation.

This is to accommodate the company's growth over the past few years, which has seen an additional 2,000 people employed by the platinum group metals producer. The expansion includes modern offices, a change house, and lamp room facilities, which will contribute to improving the 16-shaft morale, culture, efficiency, and productivity.

The project was completed in partnership with a women-owned mine-community SMME from Kanana, Mmakgoge Group. The tender selection criteria required the successful company to be a local, women-owned business, and with significant industry experience. Local sub-contractors from mine-host communities were also employed for the project, further benefitting Impala Rustenburg's communities. The project involved at least 110 employees on site, and the ad hoc use of local sub-contractors exclusively from local communities.

Mark Munroe, chief executive at Impala Rustenburg, expressed his pride in sharing the positive impact of the expansion, saying, "We are excited to announce the opening of our new facilities at 16-shaft. This investment in our operations improves our efficiency and created opportunities for the communities around us. We remain committed to providing safe, sustainable and value-adding mining practices while also investing in the local

business community to ultimately create a better future for all our stakeholders."

Speaking at the launch, executive mayor of the Rustenburg local municipality (RLM) councillor Sheila Mabale-Huma said, "There are many lessons to be learnt from Impala. They have taught me that you can't expect high levels of productivity if you don't take care of your workers. This new facility is testament to Impala's focus on ensuring that workers are happy. I am impressed by Impala's wall of fame, which motivates employees to come to work, work hard and do well. I am equally impressed with Impala's emphasis on ensuring that local communities benefit from procurement and tenders and that a woman in a construction business from a local community was awarded the opportunity to undertake this project."

Impala Rustenburg's investment in the new 16-shaft facilities underscores its commitment to responsible mining practices and supporting local communities. In the face of large-scale unemployment in Rustenburg and throughout South Africa, Impala Rustenburg's continued growth is a positive development. The company is committed to building a sustainable future for the mining industry in South Africa and ensuring continued investment in its local business community. Impala Rustenburg, press release extracts, March 2023

Let's do it for Rustenburg! [Letter to the editor]

Rustenburg - I know the Donkerhoek cemetery does not fall under my ward, but I am asking for help. I'm not writing this message to criticise the Rustenburg Local Municipality (RLM) because I don't know what their obstacles are regarding the cemetery.

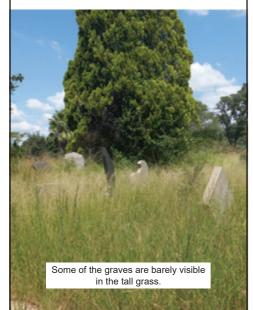
The Rustenburg Crime Combating Forum (RCCF) keep guard at the cemetery on the last Sunday of every month. The reason we do this is so that people have the opportunity to visit the graves of their loved ones without the fear of being attacked. The tall grass in the cemetery is a haven for criminals.

During our last patrol on Sunday 26 February 2023, it was terrible to see the visitors struggling through the tall grass.

Because this area needs urgent attention, I would like to invite all community members and councillors to come together and make a plan to cut the grass and tidy the area.

We are not doing this for RLM, but for the community of Rustenburg. We can also invite RLM to come and clean this place with us, but we need to do something about it!

Kobus Ferreira





Mmakgoge Group director Dineo Modungwa commended Impala Rustenburg for providing opportunities that allow for women empowerment.



From left: Royal Bafokeng administration managing director Dr Kebalepile Mokgethi, Mmakgoge Group director Dineo Modungwa, RLM executive mayor cllr Sheila Mabale-Huma, and Impala Rustenburg chief executive Mark Munroe at the opening of 16-shaft's new and expanded facilities.

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Thereafter, 10 businesses will have the opportunity to exhibit at Waterfall Mall, including exclusive interviews on Pulse FM, editorials in Platinum Weekly and outdoor exposure through Turn Media. The top 10 qualifying businesses will be selected by a panel of judges and business experts. The For queries, please email Waterfall Mall top 10 small local businesses will be announced on 3 April 2023.

Rustenburg - Waterfall Mall has partnered with Two of the exhibiting top 10 businesses will Platinum Weekly, Pulse FM 92.9 and Turn Media be awarded media packages worth R100,000 each and support to elevate their business. One business will be awarded the community choice award and one business will be awarded as the top small local business in Rustenburg. Follow . Waterfall Mall, Platinum Weekly, Pulse FM, and Turn Media for more details and announcements.

Please take note of the qualifying criteria and competition Ts and Cs at https://waterfallmall.co.za/Pages/ <u>GrowYourSmallBusinessTermsAndConditions</u>

marketing manager Jessica Varty on jvarty@ growthpoint.co.za

NOTICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION APPLICATION BY: WESTERN MINERAL (PTY) LTD

Notice is hereby given in terms of EIA Regulation 41(2)(c) of the Regulations, under the Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998)

Western Mineral (Pty) Ltd applied for a prospecting right for mineral chrome in terms of Section 16 of the Minerals and Petroleum Resources Development Act 28 of 2002 as amended. The project will trigger Activity 20 of Listing Notice (LN) 1 of the EIA Regulations "Any activity including the operation of that activity which requires a prospecting right in terms of section 16 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act. as well as any other applicable activity as contained in Listing Notice 3 of 2014, required to exercise the prospecting right.". The applications cover the following farm:

Portion 119, 72 and a certain portion of the farm Waterfall 306 JQ DMRE REFERENCE: NW 30/5/1/1/2/13637 PR.

Located in the magisterial district of Rustenburg Area. You can be involved in the Public Participation Process by:

- · Sending a fax, email or mail with your name, contact details and concerns/ questions relating to the project.
- Providing us with the names of additional people that can be contacted. All correspondence, should be received within 30 days from receipt of these notice will be submitted to the Department of Mineral Resources & Energy (DMRE). All issues raised during the public participation process will responded to in writing to the Interested and Affected Parties (I&APs). I&AP include all parties concerned, who will be affected by the project and interested in the prospecting/exploration project.

CORRESPONDANCE MAY BE DIRECTED TO: KJ Maluleke and VM Mafanele | EMAIL: info@mafanelegeo-enviro.co.za or Postnet Suite 210, Private Bag x 5981 | Polokwane North, 0750 | OFFICE: 26 Thabo Street (AL Smit Building), Polokwane, Limpopo | FAX: 0865 444 911 TEL: 015 590 0393 / 015 023 0412 | CELL: 072 395 9511 | DATE OF NOTICE: 10 March 2023

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NOTICE IN TERMS OF SECTION 29 OF THE NORTH WEST GAMBLING ACT. 2001 (ACT NO. 2 OF 2001), AS AMENDED

APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO PROCURE 100% FINANCIAL INTEREST IN VEGAS SLOTS NORTH WEST (PTY) LTD-RUSTENBURG BY ANSINO (PTY) LTD

Notice is hereby given in terms of the provisions of section 29 of the North West Gambling Act, 2001 (Act No. 2 of 2001), as amended, that the North West Gambling Board ("the Board") received an application for consent to procure 100% Financial Interest in Vegas Slots North West (Pty) Ltd operating in Rustenburg by Ansino (Pty) Ltd.

In terms of the provisions of section 27A(1) of the North West Gambling Amendment Act, 2005, (Act No. 5 of 2005)," any person who, directly or indirectly procures a controlling interest or a financial interest of five percent or more, or any lesser percentage as may be prescribed, in the business to which a license or a registration in terms of section 60 relates shall, within the prescribed period and in the manner prescribed or determined by the Board, apply for the consent of the Board to hold such interest".

ANSINO (PTY) LTD is a company incorporated in the Republic of South Africa in terms of the Companies Act 71 of 2008, with the following Registration No: 2014/162571/07 and licensed to conduct Bingo and Slots Machine operations in the North West Province. The company's registered business address is No. 10 Brown Street, Vryburg.

Please take note that this application will be lying open for public inspection at the offices of the North West Gambling Board at 131 University Drive, Mmabatho, between 08h30 - 16h30, for a period of one (1) month, commencing on 01 March 2023 until 31 March 2023.

Persons wishing to make representations, be it either comments or objections, in relation to any application submitted to the Board, shall do so in writing and such representations shall contain the following information:

a)The name of the objector;

b)The grounds on which representations are made;

c)The name, address, telephone, and facsimile numbers of the person submitting representations; and

d)Whether or not the person making representations wish to make an oral presentation at the hearing of the application.

Written objections should be lodged with the Acting Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Simon Mogapi by facsimile, email, hand delivery or post: Facsimile (018) 384 2290, Email: ceo@nwgb.co.za, Hand delivery or post, North West Gambling Board, 131 University Drive, Mmabatho, 2735, Private Bag X34, Mmabatho, 2735, between 08h30-16h30, during the period 01 March 2023 until 31 March 2023.

Enquiries: Ms. Morongoa Moss, Tel. No: (018) 384 3215/25.





RE ADVERTISEMENT: EXPRESSION OF INTEREST INVITATION TO MILITARY VETERANS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

RAUBEX CONSTRUCTION PTY (LTD) hereby invites Expression of Interest submissions from designated groups being Military Veterans and People with Disabilities from registered EME/QSE subcontractors/suppliers for endorsed project by The South African National Roads Agency SOC Limited (SANRAL). This project is in the province of Limpopo, Waterberg District and in the Thabazimbi Local Municipality

PROJECT NAME AND DESCRIPTION

SANRAL CONTRACT R.510-020'2016/1 FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF NATIONAL ROUTE R.510 SEC TION 2 FROM BIERSPRUIT (KM 6.3) TO THABAZIMBI (KM 33.8) (TOTAL 27.5 KM)

PROPOSED SCOPE OF WORKS **SUBCONTRACTORS**

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TARGETED AREA

- Waterberg District Municipality
- Capricorn District Municipality Sekhukhune District Municipality
- · Bojanala Platinum District Municipality

Only submissions (hard copy) who comply with the definition of a Targeted Enterprise and are at least 51% Black owned and who is an EME or QSE or Cooperatives and are specifically from designated groups of Military Veterans and People with Disabilities and have submitted required documents, are eligible to submit.

CLOSING DATE FOR SUBMISSIONS: 28 March 2023 @ 14h00

Enquiries

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Disrespecting the Dead and Compromising Justice

Rustenburg – In late January 2023, *Platinum Weekly* received news from a family who had a harrowing experience at a forensic mortuary while trying to identify a family member who was initially suspected to have died from unnatural causes. Before we share the family's experience, however, we will provide key definitions, contextualise the status of our local forensic mortuary, and review forensic mortuary health regulations.

Key Definitions:

- Forensic mortuary: a facility where the bodies of individuals who have died from unnatural causes, or suspected unnatural causes, are taken to undergo a post-mortem examination to determine the cause of death.
- Unnatural causes: refers to homicides, suicides, accidents, medical errors, and alcohol or drug overdoses.
- Decomposition of a human body: the natural process in which the tissues of a human body break down and deteriorate after death.
- Autopsy (also known as a post-mortem): the examination of a corpse, or remains thereof, through dissection in order to determine the cause of death.
- Rigor mortis: the stiffening of joints and muscles in a body that occurs a few hours after death.
- Forensic pathologist: a certified individual who performs the post-mortem examination of a corpse.
- Preparation: refers to any action aimed at preparing human remains for a funeral, cremation, export, or other disposal and includes the embalming of such remains.

Our forensic mortuary

The Phokeng Forensic Mortuary used to provide forensic pathology services to the Rustenburg, Kgetleng, and Moses Kotane sub-districts, but was "temporarily" closed in October 2021. According to a press release from the North West Department of Health dated 1 October 2021, the facility faced numerous infrastructure challenges, including water, electrical, building, and fixed equipment breakages, which severely affected the functionality of its forensic services. As a result, the facility was temporarily closed with immediate effect for maintenance.

Forensic services were supposed to be rerouted to the Brits Forensic Mortuary, but in the meantime, a contract was given to a local funeral home in Tlhabane to provide the forensic mortuary services. However, due to limited space at the funeral home in Tlhabane, if a body is not collected or claimed within four days, it is sent to Brits.

More than a year later, the Phokeng Forensic Mortuary is still closed, and the bodies of those who have died from unnatural causes are still taken to the funeral home in Tlhabane, which will be referred to as "the forensic mortuary in Tlhabane" for the purposes of this article.

Hygiene regulations of a mortuary:

The Department of Health's National Health Act, 2003 (ACT NO. 61 OF 2003) includes regulations regarding the management of human remains, and specifies the following requirements for funeral undertakers and mortuary premises (outroots):

 The preparation room must have adequate ventilation and lighting to eliminate obnoxious odours and vapours.

 The temperature of any human remains shall not exceed 5°C within three hours of arrival on the premises and 15°C during preparation.

 Effective backup facilities for electricity must be available in case of power failure.

All solid waste on the premises of a funeral undertaker or mortuary shall be kept in corrosion-resistant and rodent-proof containers with tight-fitting lids and disposed of according to the solid waste management requirements of the relevant local government

 Employees and any other persons involved in handling human remains must be provided with clean and appropriate protective clothing, including surgical gloves, gumboots, plastic aprons designed

to hang over the top of gumboots, face masks, and linen overcoats, and must wear such clothing whenever handling remains.

• The premises must be free of insects, offensive odours, gases, and fumes.

Case study: A family's experience

In late January 2023, a family who resides in Pretoria travelled to Rustenburg to identify the body of a loved one who was taken to the forensic mortuary in Tlhabane. Initially unsure of where to locate the body, they went to the Rustenburg police station, which referred them to the Phokeng police station, which in turn directed them to the forensic mortuary in Tlhabane.

Upon arrival, they were informed that the body was in Brits and had to wait for three hours until the body arrived in Tlhabane. Another family in a similar situation had been waiting for even longer. Although the employees were wearing the necessary attire, including masks and gloves, they were not wearing plastic aprons as stipulated by the department's regulations. The family also received masks, but not gloves.

The family raised a concern about the dirty floors of the mortuary. "To my understanding, mortuaries are supposed to be clean, but this was not the case here. We don't know the cause of the dirty floors, but where we viewed the body, the floors didn't look sanitary at all," said a family member.

The worst moment of their experience was when they viewed the body of their deceased loved one. The family had to use their masks to swat the flies away from the deceased's mouth. The body was also badly decomposed, which made it difficult to identify their loved one, and they had to rely on the scars and tattoos of the deceased to confirm the identity. The family also couldn't obtain the autopsy reports due to a problem with the printers.

The cold hard facts:

Platinum Weekly reached out to a forensic pathology expert to determine the natural stages of decomposition.

- Decomposition begins several minutes after a person passes away, and approximately three hours after death, rigor mortis sets in.
- Within the first 12 hours, blisters appear on internal organs, and the skin's top layer will begin to loosen.
- Within 24-48 hours, the internal organs begin to decompose, and the body begins to emit a strong odour.
- Within three to five days, the internal organs have decomposed, and the skin turns a greenish colour because of decomposing blood. During this stage, bacteria begin to multiply and process bodily materials. They produce gases such as methane, carbon dioxide, nitrogen, and hydrogen sulphide which cause the body
- If insects (for example, flies) are present in the environment surrounding the body, maggots begin to hatch and feed on body tissue causing the skin to slip and the hair to detach.
- To delay the decomposition process, corpses need to be in a refrigerated environment of 3°C and a body's temperature should not exceed 5°C.

How load shedding affects the dead

According to the Funeral Industry Regulation Association (FIRA), loadshedding has a dire effect on the industry. Mortuary refrigerators need to operate at a minimum of 3°C. If mortuaries don't follow the rules and regulations or don't have the necessary control measures installed, the decomposition process won't be delayed.

Not an isolated incident

This family's unfortunate experience is not an isolated incident. A local funeral director told *Platinum Weekly* that he often warns relatives to

prepare themselves for the worst when visiting the forensic mortuary in Tlhabane.

According to one of his clients, when they went to identify a loved one, they were taken to what looked like a passageway for identification, rather than a formal viewing room. Another family reported a bad smell at the mortuary, which could be caused by a lack of ventilation or extractor fans.

Platinum Weekly has also received information that the refrigerators at the forensic mortuary in Tlhabane have reached temperatures close to 20°C. Furthermore, a witness informed us that the generator is only turned on when the pathologist is present to conduct an autopsy.

Dire consequences

If you die from suspicious or unnatural causes, your body will be sent to the forensic mortuary in Tlhabane until an autopsy can be performed. There is no standard time frame for autopsies, but pathologists recommend that they be conducted within 72 hours. "Unfortunately, due to the high number of unnatural deaths and few doctors/ pathologists in South Africa, autopsies may take longer to be performed," said the forensic pathology expert. Identifying a decomposing relative is traumatising, to say the least. However, the situation at the forensic mortuary has even further-reaching consequences. In cases where a deceased person has no means of identification. it is imperative that the body is properly preserved so that they can remain identifiable for longer and their fingerprints can be taken to trace and inform relatives. "Once bloating sets in and there is peeling of the skin, it may be a challenge to take fingerprints," noted the forensic pathology expert.

In cases of homicides, families need justice to be served. FIRA chairman Johan Rousseau emphasised that it is extremely important to ensure that a deceased person is placed in a refrigerated environment as soon as possible. "The longer a corpse is exposed to natural elements like heat and flies, the more evidence may be compromised. How can a pathologist collect efficient evidence during an autopsy if the body has reached the stage where the skin is starting to come off? They can't check for injuries to the organs if the organs are decomposed," said Rousseau.

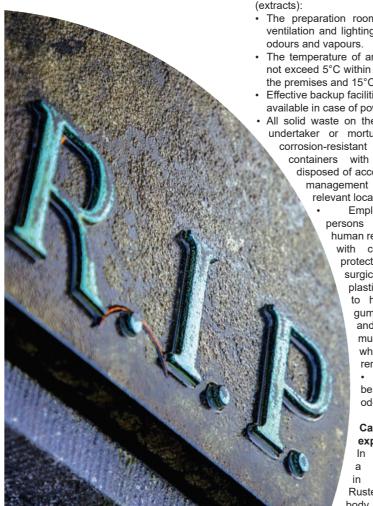
In conclusion

If you were to lose a loved one due to unnatural causes or suspected unnatural causes, you would have to go to an unsanitary forensic mortuary with a suspicious odour, only to see your relative's body in a severe state of decomposition. This matter also raises the question of how many criminals are walking free due to lost forensic evidence.

Are these circumstances unique to Rustenburg, or are there other forensic mortuaries in South Africa operating in the same manner?

Platinum Weekly reached out to a representative of the forensic mortuary in Tlhabane and received the following response: "You can contact the Bojanala Department of Health for a comment on the management of the facilities."

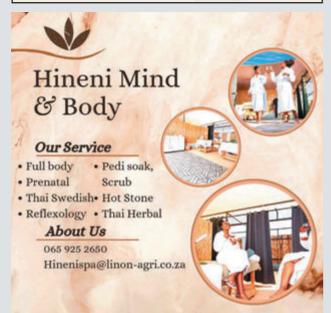
Platinum Weekly sent inquiries regarding the matter to both the North West Department of Health and the Bojanala Department of Health, but unfortunately, we did not receive feedback at the time of going to print.





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Do you give cash to the 'needy'?

The unemployed and homeless often rely on the generosity of others to survive. On the one hand, the money given probably does help a hungry mouth, but on the other hand, it might also enable the needy to keep asking for money at the robots. Where do you stand on this?



No. I think with cash there can be temptations and sometimes the money isn't wisely spent. But because I want to help, I prefer to give them food Therese Schutte



Yes. The religion of Islam believes in giving to charity all the time; whether it's bread, clothes, money, or food parcels. People are really struggling with unemployment and homelessness. You will be rewarded for every penny you give. So, give a little to the needy, and you will see and feel the difference it makes in your life. **Faried Saloojee**



Yes. I do give to the needy when I can see that they are really struggling. I also give them food whenever I can.

Paul Machuisa

Do you give cash to the 'needy'?

Do you try to keep up with evolving slang?

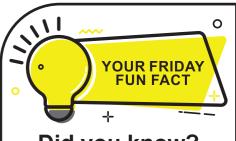
Awe bru, there are many kief word trends out there. Sometimes it's such a bummer to try and keep up, especially when you just want to chillax, be woke, and do more vibe checks with your peeps. Every generation has its own unique slang words, do you try to keep up with the evolving lingo?

Make yourself heard by sending an email to news@platinumeekly.co.za or send us a WhatsApp on 081 579 7000 with the following information before 17:00 on Monday 13 March 2023:

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- · No, I don't try to keep updated with current slang words.
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The Eternal Dwelling of God in Zion A Song of Ascents.

Lord, remember David 1:And all his afflictions; 2:How he swore to the Lord,

And vowed to the Mighty One of Jacob: 3:"Surely I will not go into the chamber of my house,

Or go up to the comfort of my bed;

4:I will not give sleep to my eyes Or slumber to my eyelids, 5:Until I find a place for the Lord,

A dwelling place for the Mighty One of Jacob." 6:Behold, we heard of it in Ephrathah; We found it in the fields of [a]the woods.

7:Let us go into His tabernacle; Let us worship at His footstool.

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Your strength. 9:Let Your priests be clothed with righteousness, And let Your saints

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THE ROAD INCIDENT **MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS AWARDS BOJANALA'S BEST**



ER24 Rustenburg branch operations manager Marchant Jacobs has 25 years' experience in

Rustenburg - The Road Incident Management Systems (RIMS) works towards maintaining the safety levels of South Africa's roads by managing safety responses to road incidents. The excellent service of RIMS role players was awarded on Tuesday 21 February 2023.

Road Incident Management Systems (RIMS) comprehensive and coordinated stakeholders' operational policy for the implementation, recourse and management of all road incidents In 1991, the National Department of Transport initiated RIMS on several national routes within SA. Since then, RIMS has been successfully implemented across South Africa, covering more than 21 000 kilometres of declared national road networks as well as a number of provincial and metropolitan routes. A significant number of resources have been allocated to develop and reconstruct South Africa's road networks.

The ever-increasing traffic volumes, high accident rates, congestion, and the negative impact of incidents on the road systems, has necessitated the development and implementation of a road incident management framework to restore normal capacity and safety levels to all affected road facilities as quickly and efficiently as possible. RIMS role players are trained and measuring tools are implemented in order for role players to adhere to road safety expectations. For this reason, protocols are followed by means of post incident assessments and simulations.



Trauma Rescue's industrial operations manager, Rayno Dempers, was awarded with the best joint incident command post



Department of Community Safety and Transport Management control provincial inspector Johan Esterhuizen received three RIMS awards

North West road incident responders and role players were awarded for their diligent adherence to protocols and excellent service, where the Bojanala-district scooped five of the six awards! The six awards

- Best contributing chairperson
- Best first responder
- Best joint incident command post
- Best implementing district
- Best planned incident simulation
- Best RIMS role player reviving and participating district awarded to Dr Kenneth Kaunda District Bojanala's best

Department of Community Safety and Transport Management control provincial inspector Johan Esterhuizen was awarded for best contributing chairperson, best implementing district and best incident simulation.

ER24, general manager Marchant Jacobs was awarded for best first responder, and Trauma Rescue's industrial operations manager Rayno Dempers was awarded for best joint incident command post.

Rusties op Jacaranda FM



Van links: Kayla Oberholzer, DeNicke Pretorius, Sharni van der Westhuizen, en Jurie Blignaut op Jacaranda FM

Rustenburg - Die Hoërskool Rustenburg se het die Rusties op 6 Maart 2023 uitgedaag, en slimkoppe het op Dinsdag, 7 Maart 2023, hul die Rusties het die uitdaging aanvaar en het verskyning op Jacaranda FM se Breakfast with die oggend oorwin met agt korrekte antwoorde. Martin Bester gemaak om deel te neem aan Die Rustie-gees was aansteeklik met 'n vierkant die #MorningFamilyQuiz. Hoërskool Wagpos propvol trotse Rustie-ondersteuners.

Randjies is tops by die karnaval

– Laerskool Silwerrand Primary se leerders het uitstekend gevaar in die aktiwiteite by die Buffelspoort Karnaval op Saterdag 4 Maart 2023. Brandon Bekker en Donovan Bekker het beide 'n eerste plek in jiu-jitsu ontvang tydens die byeenkoms. Die skool se boogskietleerders het ook 'n kolskoot geskiet in die boogskiet kategorie en het puik gevaar.



Laerskool Silwerrand Primary karate uitblinkers Brandon Bekker (links) en Donovan Bekker.



Laerskool Silwerrand Primary se skuts, agter van links: Haley Edwards, Brandon Bekker, Donovan Bekker, Amy Koekemoer, Nico Kuhn, Doné Lubbe, Pride Manngwe, Simone Naude, Lerato Semele, en Meeke Skinner Voor van links: Alayna Agostinho, Kevin Agostinho, Melissa Henn, Rele Malefetse, Nyakallo Maseko, Kyle van

WELL DONE, **BRINKIES!**

Rustenburg - Laerskool Dawid Brink was exceptionally proud of Olwethu Bacela and Kopo Mosii who qualified to participate in the North West Athletics Championships in Potchefstroom on Friday 3 March 2023. Congratulations to both athletes who did exceptionally well and landed a fourth place in their respective sport codes!



Laerskool Dawid Brink athlete Olwethu Bacela



Laerskool Dawid Brink athlete Kopo Mosii.

NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS FOR THE PROSPECTING RIGHT APPLICATION THAT WILL BE CARRIED OUT ON, SITUATED MOSES KOTANE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, IN THE PORTION 1 AND 2 OF GROENFONTEIN 138 FARM, MAGISTERÍAL DISTRICT OF BOJANALA IN NORTHE WEST PROVINCE.

DMR REFERENCE NO.: NW30/5/1/1/2/13529 PR

Notice is hereby given in the intent to conduct Basic Assessment process for the Prospecting Right Application for Heavy minerals (general), Lead, lithium ore, Magnetite, Manganese ore, nickel ore, Platinum group metal, cobalt, gold ore, silver ore, rare earth, rutile (heavy mineral), aluminium ore, zinc ore, iron ore, vanadium, titanium, sand (manufactured from waste rock dump) and aggregate. Prospecting will be carried Portion RE and 3 of Groenfontein 138 JP farm situated in the Moses Kotane Local Municipality, magisterial district of Bojanala in terms of section 27 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resource Development Act, 2002 (Act 28 of 2008), as amended and Chapter 6 of NEMA, EIA Regulation, 2014. Faruga (Pty) Ltd has appointed Geoluken Consulting (Pty) Ltd as an Independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner (EAP), to undertake the application for an EA, together with the associated Public Participation Process (PPP).

PROJECT LOCATION

The proposed project is located on Portion RE and 3 of Groenfontein 138 JP Farm in the Moses Kotane Local Municipality, the magisterial district of Bojanala in North West Province

OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE Interested and Affected parties are invited to register and provide written comments together with the above reference number, their email address and contact details to the contact person indicated below within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice. The Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme for the above-mentioned project will be made available electronically and in hard copy for public review and comment at the Municipality and Library. Electronic copy may be requested from Lufuno Nengwani (Lufuno@geoluken.co.za) through email.

Contact Person: Lufuno Nengwani | **Tel:** 081 506 4814 / 082 832 9378 Postal Address: PO Box 48231,

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SAVF

SAVF Rustenburg is requesting assistance with finding the biological father of a female child born 2010-09-13 with the surname of Ramatlhape. Urgently contact the social worker Thankxy Motsapi on 014 592 8568 or rustenburg.mwk1@savf.co.za if you have any

FORM JJJ LOST OR DESTROYED DEED (form JJJ added by GNR.62 OF 25 January 2019)

Notice is hereby given in terms of Regulation 68 of the Deeds Registries Act, 1937, of the intention to apply for the issue of a certified copy of DEED OF TRANSFER T79360/2021 in the name of LENNARD HUGO KOEN, Identity Number 860622 5052 08 9, MARRIED OUT COMMUNITY OF PROPERTY AND CORNEL KOEN, Identity Number 940426 0111 08 8, MARRIED **OUT OF COMMUNITY OF PROPERTY** in respect of **REMAINING EXTENT OF ERF 1420 RUSTENBURG** TOWNSHIP, REGISTRATION DIVISION J.Q., PROVINCE OF NORTH WEST MEASURING 1 308 (ONE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND EIGHT) SQUARE METRES HELD BY DEED OF TRANSFER **NUMBER T79360/2021** which has been lost or destroyed. All interested persons having objection to the issue of such copy are hereby required to lodge the same in writing with the Registrar of Deeds at PRETORIA within two weeks from the date of the publication of this notice. Dated at RUSTENBURG this 6th day of March 2023. Applicant: | VISSER STRYDOM INC | 195 KOCK STREET | RUSTENBURG, 0299 aktes2@visserstrydom.co.za | TEL: 014 592 3868.

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Dated at RUSTENBURG on the 08th day of

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NOTIFICATION OF THE SUBMISSION OF AN EXTERNAL ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT REPORT IN TERMS OF REGULATION 34(6) OF THE NEMA EIA REGULATIONS, 2014.

Samancor Chrome Ltd. Recently completed its annual external environmental audit for the Nooitgedacht mine (LP 30/5/2/2/1/10041) as required by regulation 34 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 2014. As part of the compliance process, we hereby notify all potential and registered and affected parties that the audit report has been completed and submitted to the Department of Mineral resources and Energy on the 27 February 2023. Access to the report is available through the Samancor Chrome Website: www.samancorcr.com. If you have any queries or require additional information, please contact: SHEQ (Environmental) Department-Samancor Chrome Ltd-Western Chrome Mines Nooitgedacht Mining Right Telephone: 014 574 600/1 | Email:

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NOTICE OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATION PROCESS FOR THE AMENDMENT OF THE WATERVAL MINE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME REPORT TO INCLUDE THE PROPOSED UG1 OPENCAST PROJECT AND PR 2060 INTO THE MINING RIGHT AREA, AND THE ASSOCIATED WATER USE LICENCE APPLICATION

AVAILABILITY OF THE DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND **ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME REPORT FOR PUBLIC COMMENT** Applicant: Glencore Operations South Africa (Pty) Ltd - Waterval Mine

Location: Remaining extent of Portion 82 of the Farm Waterval 306 JQ near Rustenburg, North-West Province. Project description: Glencore Operations South Africa (Pty) Ltd (Glencore) is the owner of the Waterval Mine located ~3 km east of Rustenburg in the North-West Province. Glencore proposes to amend its approved 2021 Consolidated Environmental Management Programme (EMPr) for the Waterval Mine to include the UG1 opencast project, as well as to include Prospecting Right Area 2060 into the existing mining right area. The proposed UG1 opencast project will include an opencast pit and supporting infrastructure. Waterval Mine has appointed Alta van Dyk Environmental Consultants cc (AVDE) as the independent Environmental Assessment Practitioner to undertake the required environmental-related applications and associated public participation

Authorisations required: Before Waterval Mine may commence with the development of the proposed UG1 opencast project, the following environmental authorisations are required:

A Scoping and Environmental Impact Reporting (S&EIR) process in terms of the National Environmental Management Act (Act 107 of 1998) (NEMA) and the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Regulations (2014, as amended). The competent authority for this process is the Department of Minerals and Energy (DMRE). The following listed activities are triggered: Listing Notice 1 (GNR 983): 12(ii), 19, 21D, 24, 27

Listing Notice 2 (GNR 984): 6, 17 Listing Notice 3 (GNR 985): 4, 12, 14

- Approval in terms of the National Environmental Management: Waste Act (Act No. 59 of 2008) (NEM:WA) (a combined application in terms of NEMA and NEM:WA to be submitted to the DMRE). The following activities are triggered: Category B (GNR 921): 7, 10, 11
- A Water Use Licence Application (WULA) in terms of the National Water Act (Act 36 of 1998). The competent authority for this process is the Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS). The following Section 21 water uses will be applied for: Section 21 (a), (c), (g), (i) and (j)

Availability of Draft Environmental Impact Assessment and Environmental Management Programme Report (EIA/EMPr): The Draft EIA/EMPr is available for public comment for a period of 30 days, from 10 March to 12 April 2023 at the venues listed in the table below. The Draft EIA/ EMPr is also available electronically on the AVDE website: https://www.altavandykenvironmental. co.za/public-documents/

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2023 Varsity Cup

Die studente ruggas rock! Net jammer dat blatante stupidity deur wedstrydbeamptes 'n demper kan plaas op die dag. Spesifiek die game tussen die Pukke en die Maties. Die Pukke is

beroof van 'n wen deur 'n drie van die Maties wat nooit toegeken moes word nie. (in my opinie!)

- Uitslae · Shimlas 26-25 Wits
- NWU 28-3 Maties
- UJ 43-24 UCT Ikeys
- CUT 4-39 UP-Tuks

Bepalings

- Maandag 13 Maart • UJ 17:00 CUT
- UP-Tuks 19:00 NWU
- · Wits 19:00 Maties
- UCT Ikeys 19:00 Shimlas

United Rugby Championship

Die kampioenskap begin einde se kant toe staan. Met net nog drie rondtes oor, is dit net die Stormers en Leinster wat verseker is van 'n tuis kwart-finaal. Met die oorwinning van die Stormers oor die Sharks die afgelope naweek. verower hulle dan die URC Shield vir die SA Konferensie.



- Dragons 20-22 Connacht
- Cardiff 20-42 Ulster Ospreys 20-21 Benetton
- Edinburgh 27-47
- Leinster Bulls 25-29 Lions
- Sharks
- 50-6 Zebre
- Munster 49-42

Die reeks word weer hervat op 24 Maart.

2023 Currie Cup

Die plaaslike gewilde reeks skop Vrydag af.

Bepalings Vrydag 10 Maart

Griekwas 17:00 Cheetahs XV

Saterdag 11 Maart

Sharks XV 13:30

Griffons

XV 15:30 WP Sondag 12

Lions

Maart

• Bulls XV 13:00 Pumas

Stormers 29-23

- Glasgow Warriors

- SA 40-12 Japan

Scarlets

Super Rugby Pacific 2023

en eindig dertiende in Vancouver.

Uitslae

die loa.

Uitslae

Force 20-71 Reds

SA 34-14 Kanada

SA 0-12 Argentinië

SA 12-19 Kenia

- Blues 20-25 Brumbies Fijian Drua 17-46
- Waratahs Moana Pasifika 29-52
- Chiefs
- Hurricanes Crusaders 52-15

Highlanders

Vrydag 10 Maart Chiefs 08:05

· Fijian Drua 05:35

Rebels 33-39

Bepalings

Pasifika

Highlanders

Rebels 10:35

Waratahs

- Saterdag 11 Maart
- Crusaders
- Hurricanes 08:05 Blues
- Brumbies 10:35 Reds Force 13:00
- Moana

Nag ou grote...



World Rugby Sevens - Vancouver Die Blitse se treurmare duur voort

WHAT

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Argentinië het die toernooi gewen en klop Frankryk 33-21 in die

> Platinum Raceway racers Altaaf Tayob and Mohamed Yacoob were ready to race

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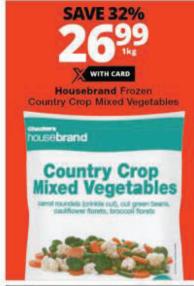












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