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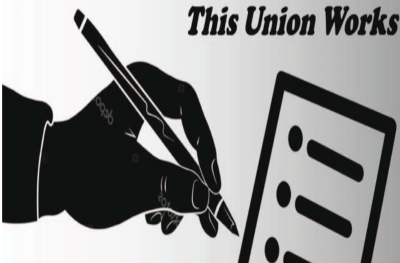


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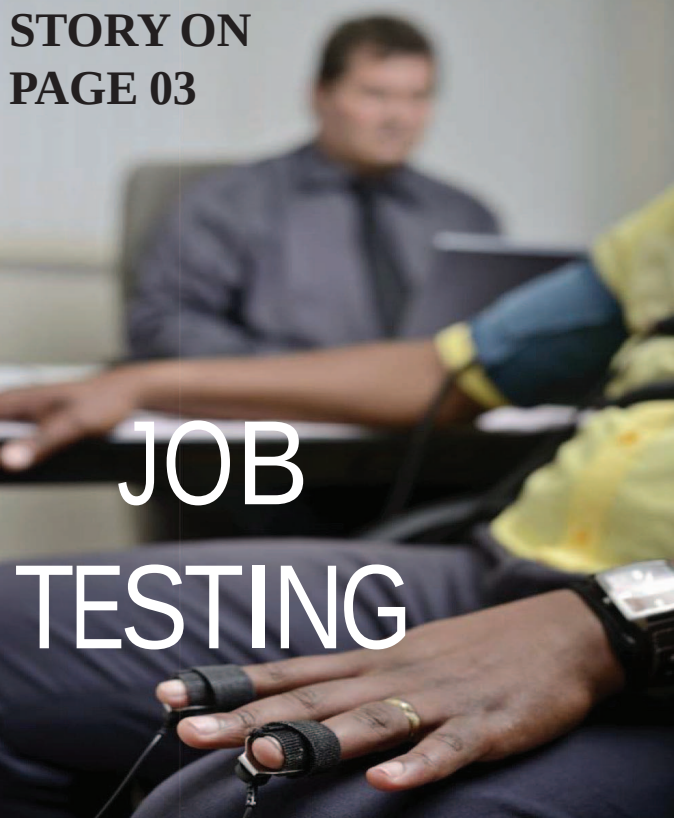
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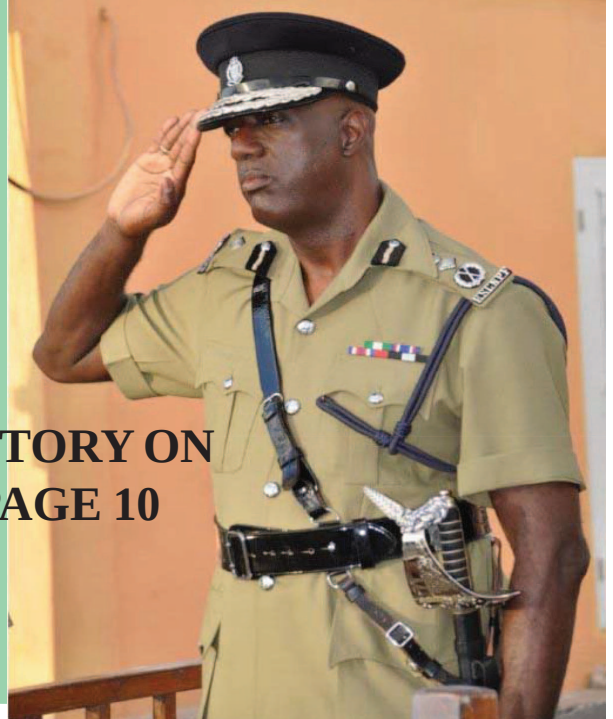


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Editorial

Reflections On A 1950s-Started Trade Unionist

In this week's editorial, further tribute is paid to the late 82-year-old Mr. Stanley Franks Jr., MBE, MH, JP of the St. Kitts-Nevis Trades and Labour Union (SKNT&LU); the union being owner of The Labour Spokesman newspaper.

Below is the SKNT&LU's written tribute expressed on the occasion of his funeral service held on Wednesday, 8th November 2023, at the Wesley Methodist Church.

Comrade (Cde.) Stanley Franks Jr. often spoke with pride in declaring that he has been involved with the organisation since the 1950s.

Such perfectly encapsulates his years of dedication and passion for the philosophy of the Union in championing the cause of workers here in St. Kitts-Nevis.

In sharing stories and giving accounts of events of the past, he made sure to substantiate his knowledge and experience by underscoring his decades of unionism involvement. His 'since the 1950s' recitation poised his resourcefulness and authoritative expertise as one of the longest serving executive committee members which include having served as an officer in the positions of General Secretary and Treasurer during his tenure.

Cde. Stanley was always early to executive meetings and was always FRANK- open, straightforward and direct during discussions. His guidance on the rules of the Union in contributing to the administrative aspect of the

organisation was always useful and welcomed.

Even during his time of health challenges, Cde. Stanley made it his business to keep in touch with the happenings of the union.

Oftentimes he would stop by the office to get updates and was always willing to take a call to discuss matters.

Most recently in August 2023, Cde. Stanley and General Secretary Precious Mills had a sit-down interview session at the union's headquarters - at Masses House on Church Street-with Ms. Jewel Wattley of the Labour Department on topic of her educational pursuits for her thesis in Industrial and Employment relations with the University of Turin of the International Labour Organization (ILO).

With the wealth of knowledge and expertise that he possessed, even now

as the Union charts a new course ahead for its new term, it is automatic to ponder, 'What would Cde. Stanley have to say about this topic or situation?'

His physical presence was definitely missed at the Union's 84th Annual Conference held on Sunday 29th October 2023. Quite naturally, the theme 'Protecting the Common Interests of Workers' would have prompted him to spotlight its significance while recalling past events and sharing future ideas on the topic of keeping the union strong!

The Union is indeed eternally grateful for the significant and invaluable contributions that Cde. Stanley has made over the years.

The management and staff of The Labour Spokesman and by extension the SKNT&LU executive committee, further extends condolences to the family of Cde. Stanley Franks Jr.

Case Number :NEVHPB2023/0056

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

NEVIS CIRCUIT

A.D. 2023

(PROBATE)

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ST. CHRISTOPHER / NEVIS

(NEVIS CIRCUIT)

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In the Estate of Gretta Adina Maynard of Nisbett Development, St. James' Parish, Nevis, deceased

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by EUSTACE JOHNSON of Jessups Village, St. Thomas' Parish, Nevis, for a Grant of Probate of the Will of the above deceased who died on the 18th day of April, 2023 without revoking a will bearing date 11th day of May, 2020 wherein the applicant is named the sole executor.

Any person having an objection to the grant of Probate to the application shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

Dated this 06th day of October 2023

Belva L. Nisbett
Nisbetts, Solicitors

Filed by: Nisbetts, Solicitors, whose address for service is Chapel Street, Charlestown, Nevis.



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Polygraph Testing For Officers Set To Become Regular In-house Feature

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETTERRE, St.Kitts (Thursday 9th November 2023)-Described to be geared towards a multi-agency manpower upgrade, different ranks and fields of officers in St.Kitts-Nevis have participated in a polygraph testing, commonly referred to by many people as 'lie detector' testing, during a four-day exercise carried out 6th to 8th November.

A Ministry of National Security press release dated 8th November 2023, titled 'POLYGRAPH TESTING SET TO BOLSTER PERFORMANCE ACROSS AGENCIES' highlighted that such is set to become part of the internal administrative and management structures in the near future.

"Already a long-established global standard, Polygraph testing is set to become a part of the internal administrative and management structures within the nation's law enforcement and national security agencies in the near future. Such an addition will function to ensure the Federation's national security agencies are properly staffed and suitably structured to best serve the people's needs and interests," it was stated.

It was also explained that "The National Security apparatus of the Federation of St. Kitts and Nevis is currently undergoing a multi-agency manpower upgrade."

"This is being done by way of polygraph testing. Having begun on November 6th, 2023, testing started with the highest ranked officers of the Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force (RSCNPF); the St. Kitts and Nevis Defence Force (SKNDF); His Majesty's Prison; and the Immigration Department. It is being administered by officials from the Regional Security System (RSS) and will continue through to November 9th, 2023," the statement continued.

This media house understands that the type of machinery recently used is well-organised to give the output of accurate responses supported by the style and line of questioning.

Front Page Photo: UseD for illustration purposes only-this image sourced from fbiretired.com shows a polygraph testing session with the person being interviewed hooked up to a machine. The polygraph examiner's identity is blurred.

SKNT&LU STANLEY SALUTE

On Wednesday 8th November 2023, the body of 82-year-old Stanley Franks Jr., a longstanding member of the executive committee of the St.Kitts-Nevis Trades and Labour Union (SKNT&LU)-who served as General Secretary and Treasurer during his tenure- was laid to rest at the Spring Field Cemetery in Basseterre. In this image, SKNT&LU's General Secretary Precious Mills is seen while about to place a wreath on behalf of the organisation. Full feature article in next week's publication.

(Spokesman Snap)



Case Number :SKBHPB2023/0132

FILED
HIGH COURT
ST. CHRISTOPHER / NEVIS
(ST. KITT'S CIRCUIT)

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

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Fees Paid:52.00

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

A. D. 2023

(PROBATE)

SKBHPB2023/

In the Estate of **STACY MELINDA BERGAN** formerly known as **CECIL FRANCES BERGAN** and **CECIL FRANCES BOATSWAIN**, late of West Farm, Saint Christopher, deceased, intestate.

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by Anthony Bergan and Shervin Bergan both of West Farm, Saint Christopher for a Grant of Letters of Administration to the Applicants who are the Intended Administrators of the Estate of Stacy Melinda Bergan formerly known as Cecil Frances Bergan and Cecil Frances Boatswain and two of the beneficiaries of the Estate of the above-named deceased, the deceased having died intestate on the 4th day of May, 2020.

Any person having an objection to the grant of Probate to the application shall file an objection within 14 days of the publication of this Notice.

Dated this 26th day of October, 2023.


Renal Edwards

Law Offices of Sylvester Anthony

Solicitors for the Estate of **Stacy Melinda Bergan** previously known as **Cecil Frances Boatswain** also known as **Cecil Frances Bergan**

Filed by The Law Offices of Sylvester Anthony, Chambers, Unit C16 The Sands Complex, Bay Road, Basseterre, St. Kitts. Telephone (869) 466-5834; Facsimile (869) 466-6851. E-mail lawoffices@sylvesteranthony.com.

The Court Office is at the Sir Lee L. Moore Judicial and Legal Services Complex, East Independence Square Street, Basseterre, St. Kitts. Tel: (869) 467-1335. The office is open between 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Mondays to Fridays.

Invitation to Vendors Meeting

The St Kitts Nevis National Carnival Committee (SKNNCC) invites all registered vendors to a meeting on Wednesday, November 15, 2023, at 5pm at the Players Pavilion in the Warner Park Cricket Stadium. This meeting will discuss plans, terms, and conditions for Vendor participation in Sugar Mas 52.

DCash Named Silver Sponsor and Official Digital Currency Partner of Sugar Mas 52

The excitement for Sugar Mas 52 is reaching new heights as DCash, an initiative of the Eastern Caribbean Central Bank, is warmly welcomed as a Silver Sponsor and the Official Digital Currency Partner of this year's National Carnival extravaganza.

In a gesture symbolising their commitment, Quinn Martin, representing DCash, officially handed over \$30,000 to Clement Ogarro, Carnival Director.

To amplify the celebration, DCash is rolling out an exciting promotion for the initial 1000 ticket purchasers who use the DCash app to secure their National Carnival event tickets. These fortunate



early birds will receive a generous \$10 reduction in their purchase cost, making it more affordable for Carnival enthusiasts to join in the festivities.

To take advantage of this fantastic offer, attendees

may download the DCash wallet (for Apple or Android) and embrace the convenience and security of digital transactions during Sugar Mas 52. DCash will be widely accepted by Sugar Mas vendors, ensuring a seamless and cashless Carnival experience for all.

As the platform prepares for its official launch, more information on how to use DCash for your Sugar Mas experience will be provided. This partnership promises to elevate our National Carnival experience to new heights.

The St Kitts & Nevis Carnival Committee extends its deepest gratitude to DCash for their invaluable support and partnership. Their contribution enhances the Sugar Mas 52 experience

EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

APPLICATION NO. SKBHCV 2015/0194

BETWEEN:

FIRSTCARIBBEAN INTERNATIONAL BANK
(BARBADOS) LIMITED

and

VANICIA A. COOPER
GARY CEDRIC GEORGE COOPER

Applicant

Respondents

NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

The Property described below will be offered for sale by the Registrar of the High Court, St Kitts Circuit by PUBLIC AUCTION at the High Court of Justice, Basseterre, St Kitts

on Thursday the 25th day of January 2024, at
2:00pm o'clock in the afternoon.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: ALL THAT lot piece or parcel of land being Lot No. 31 situate at Cedar Grove Housing Development together with dwelling house thereon in the Parish of St. Peter in the Island of St Kitts bounded and measuring as follows, that is to say:- On or towards the North by lands of T. V. Byron, 77.89 feet; On or towards the East by Road No. 1, 116.30 feet; On or towards the South-East by the junction of Road No. 1 and Road No. 2, 15.49 feet; On or towards the South by Road No. 2, 42.58 feet; and On or towards the West by Lot No. 32, 124.07 feet; and containing by admeasurement 8,036.50 square feet; all as the same is described in a Certificate of Title dated November 8, 2010 and registered in Book J3 Folio 461 of the Register of Titles of the Island of Saint Christopher.

SURVEY PLAN & SATTELITE MAP OF PROPERTY:



UPSET PRICE: The upset price for the above land shall be **EC\$1,208,000.00**

GENERAL INFORMATION: The successful bidder: (1) must publicly declare on whose behalf he or she is bidding; (2) must pay at the time of sale a deposit of one fourth (25%) of his or her winning bid; and (3) must pay the balance within one month from the day of the public auction. The purchaser(s) shall be entitled, by law, to possession of the property after payment of the deposit. The purchaser(s) must pay Stamp Duty (statutorily 6% of the purchase price) and any Property Taxes accrued and unpaid at the time of the transfer of the property. It is recommended that the purchaser(s) instruct legal counsel to conclude the transfer process. Contact the Applicant/Mortgagee's Attorneys-at-Law, Kelsick, Wilkin and Ferdinand (869-465-2440 or law@kwfonline.com) or the High Court Registry (869-467-1102 registryskn@gov.kn) for more details

Dated the 24th day of October 2023

REGISTRAR
OF THE HIGH COURT



Case Number :SKBHCV2023/0042

EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

BETWEEN:

[1] REPUBLIC BANK (EC) LIMITED

and

[1] ORAL CARTY also known as EARL VANLOW
[2] JENIFER CARTY formerly JENIFER LOUARD

Respondents

NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

The Property described below will be offered for sale by the Registrar of the High Court by PUBLIC AUCTION at the High Court of Justice, Basseterre, St Kitts,

on Thursday the 25th day of January 2024, at
2:15pm o'clock in the afternoon.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: ALL THAT lot piece or parcel of land known as Green Tree Housing Development Lot No. 69 bounded and measuring as follows, that is to say On or towards the North-East by Wingfield Drive, 47.02 feet; On or towards the South-East by Lot No. 71, 87.38 feet; On or toward the South-West by Lot No. 70, 47.00 feet; On or towards the North-West by Lot No. 67, 86.97 feet and containing admeasurement 4,097 square feet; all as the same is described in a Certificate of Title dated January 18, 1994 registered in Book T2 Folio 36 of the Register of Titles of the St Christopher Circuit.

SURVEY PLAN & PHOTOGRAPH OF PROPERTY:



UPSET PRICE: The upset price for the above lands and any buildings thereon shall be **EC\$498,938.40**.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

The successful bidder: (1) must publicly declare on whose behalf he or she is bidding; (2) must pay at the time of sale a deposit of one fourth (25%) of his or her winning bid; and (3) must pay the balance within one month from the day of the public auction. The purchaser(s) shall be entitled, by law, to possession of the property after payment of the deposit. The purchaser(s) must pay Stamp Duty (statutorily 6% of the purchase price) and any Property Taxes accrued and unpaid at the time of the transfer of the property. It is recommended that the purchaser(s) instruct legal counsel to conclude the transfer process. Contact the Applicant/Mortgagee's Attorneys-at-Law, Kelsick, Wilkin and Ferdinand (869-465-2440 or law@kwfonline.com) or the High Court Registry (869-467-1102 registryskn@gov.kn) for more details.

Dated the 24th day of October 2023

BY THE COURT

REGISTRAR



KOSCAB St. Kitts Ltd Joins Sugar Mas 52 as Silver Sponsor and Announces Dasani as the Official Water Partner

Our Sugar Mas 52 celebrations have been made even more refreshing as KOSCAB St. Kitts Ltd, the official distributors for Coca-Cola, Sprite, Fanta, and Dasani, has stepped in as a Silver Sponsor for this year's carnival extravaganza.

Adding a splash of hydration to the festivities, Dasani, a signature offering from KOSCAB, is announced as the Official Water of Sugar Mas 52. Carnival-goers can stay refreshed and revitalised with Dasani, making it the perfect companion for the exhilarating celebrations.

Juvita Hazel, Marketing Manager at KOSCAB St. Kitts Ltd, officially handed over a generous sum of \$30,000 to Chair Shannon Hawley of the St Kitts &



Nevis Carnival Committee. This contribution highlights KOSCAB's commitment to making Sugar Mas 52 an unforgettable experience for all.

Their involvement as a Silver Sponsor and the Official

Water Partner of Sugar Mas 52 showcases their dedication to enhancing the carnival experience through refreshing beverages and substantial support. The St Kitts & Nevis Carnival Committee expresses sincere gratitude to KOSCAB St. Kitts Ltd for their valuable partnership.

EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

APPLICATION NO. SKBHCV 2017/0390

BETWEEN:

THE BANK NEVIS LIMITED
(successor to the banking business
of Royal Bank of Canada in St Kitts)

Applicant

and

DENZIL SAUNDERS

Respondent

NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

The Property described below will be offered for sale by the Registrar of the High Court, St Kitts Circuit by PUBLIC AUCTION at the High Court of Justice, Basseterre, St Kitts

on Thursday the 25th day of January 2024, at
2:30pm o'clock in the afternoon.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: ALL THAT lot piece or parcel of land situate at **Mc Knight**, in the Town of **Basseterre**, in the Island of Saint Christopher, and bounded as follows:- On the North by lands of Althea Tyson, 24.17 feet; On the East by lands occupied by Sylvia Penny, 44.00 feet; on the South by alley leading to Shaw Avenue, 29.00 feet; On the West by lands of J. O. Williams, 32.17 feet and Elise Henry, 13.00 feet and containing by admeasurement, **1,191.00 square feet**; all as the same is described in a Certificate of Title dated April 19, 1978 registered in Book D2 Folio 47 of the Register of Titles of the Saint Christopher Circuit.

SURVEY PLAN & SATTELITE MAP OF PROPERTY:



UPSET PRICE: The upset price for the above land shall be **EC\$70,438.40**

GENERAL INFORMATION: The successful bidder: (1) must publicly declare on whose behalf he or she is bidding; (2) must pay at the time of sale a deposit of one fourth (25%) of his or her winning bid; and (3) must pay the balance within one month from the day of the public auction. The purchaser(s) shall be entitled, by law, to possession of the property after payment of the deposit. The purchaser(s) must pay Stamp Duty (statutorily 6% of the purchase price) and any Property Taxes accrued and unpaid at the time of the transfer of the property. It is recommended that the purchaser(s) instruct legal counsel to conclude the transfer process. Contact the Applicant/Mortgagee's Attorneys-at-Law, Kelsick, Wilkin and Ferdinand (869-465-2440 or law@kwfonline.com) or the High Court Registry (869-467-1102 registryskn@gov.kn) for more details

Dated the 29th day of October 2023

REGISTRAR
OF THE HIGH COURT



THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

APPLICATION NO. SKBHCV 2018/0265

BETWEEN:

THE BANK NEVIS LIMITED
(successor to the banking business
of Royal Bank of Canada in St Kitts)

Applicant

and

[1] ALEXANDER ASHLEY BROWNE
(also known as Alex Browne)
[2] LISA MARIE RONBACK

Respondents

NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION (UNIT B5 SANDS CONDOMINIUM)

The Property described below will be offered for sale by the Registrar of the High Court, St Kitts Circuit by PUBLIC AUCTION at the High Court of Justice, Basseterre, St Kitts

on Thursday the 25th day of January 2024, at
2:15pm o'clock in the afternoon.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:

Unit No. B5 of Block B of the Sands Condominium, Bay Road and George Street, Basseterre, in the island of Saint Christopher and bounded and measuring as follows: ALL THAT lot piece of land hereditaments and premises situate at Unit No. B5 of the Sands Condominium, Bay Road and George Street, Basseterre, St Kitts described in a Certificate of Title registered in Book X2 Folio 247 of the Register of titles for the Island of Saint Christopher and contained in the Declaration and Description of the Sands Condominium registered as No. 15 in the Condominium corporation Index on the 7th day of January, 2002, together with an undivided interest in the Common Area appurtenant thereto.

UPSET PRICE: The upset price for the above land and buildings thereon shall be **EC\$464,752.08**.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

The successful bidder: (1) must publicly declare on whose behalf he or she is bidding; (2) must pay at the time of sale a deposit of one fourth (25%) of his or her winning bid; and (3) must pay the balance within one month from the day of the public auction. The purchaser(s) shall be entitled, by law, to possession of the property after payment of the deposit. The purchaser(s) must pay Stamp Duty (statutorily 6% of the purchase price) and any Property Taxes accrued and unpaid at the time of the transfer of the property. It is recommended that the purchaser(s) instruct legal counsel to conclude the transfer process. Contact the Applicant/Mortgagee's Attorneys-at-Law, Kelsick, Wilkin and Ferdinand (869-465-2440 or law@kwfonline.com) or the High Court Registry (869-467-1102 registryskn@gov.kn) for more details

Dated the 27th day of October 2023

REGISTRAR
OF THE HIGH COURT



Seventeen Primary Schools To Complete In 2023 St. Kitts-Nevis National Cooperative League Department Of Cooperatives Quiz Competition



(MOA Basseterre, St. Kitts, November 8 2023);

The St. Kitts Nevis National Cooperative League in collaboration with the Department of Cooperatives will be hosting



the annual St. Kitts Nevis National Cooperative League (SKNNCL) Department of Cooperatives Primary School Quiz 2023 on Thursday, 9th November, 2023.

A total of seventeen primary schools in the federation will be competing in the preliminaries for a chance to snag the championship title from last year's winners- the Joshua Obadiah Primary School. The two schools with the highest scores will advance to the finals which is slated to be held on Tuesday 21st November at the CUNA Caribbean Conference Centre.

The main objective of the quiz is to equip our future leaders with the knowledge of the cooperative sector, and the important contributions cooperatives have made and will continue to make for the federation.

Students will receive care packages which include a snack basket, a participation certificate and a few school supplies.



This year, the zones for the quiz have increased to four, as Nevis joins the competition. The Nevis zone will commence at 9:30 a.m. at the Malcolm Guishard Park. The other zones namely: East, West and Basseterre zones will commence at 3:30 p.m. The Basseterre zone will be held at Beach Allen Primary School. The East zone will be held at the Violet Petty Primary School, while the West zone will be held at Sandy Point Primary.

EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

SKBHCv2014/0125

ST KITTS NEVIS ANGUILLA NATIONAL BANK LIMITED

and

EDRIS BROWNE

- Applicant

- Respondent

NOTICE OF SALE

The Property described below will be offered for sale by The Registrar of the Supreme Court by public auction at the Charles Amory Building, Fortlands, Basseterre, St Kitts, on the 23rd day of November 2023 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

The successful bidder will be required to pay at the time of sale a deposit of one fourth of his accepted bid and the balance within one month from the day of sale.

Possession of the property will be given to the purchaser on payment of the deposit. Any taxes due on the said property must be paid by the Purchaser.

The Purchaser will, after payment in full of the purchase price, obtain from the High Court of Justice, a Certificate of Title to the property.

The Property will be available for inspection prior to the date of sale by appointment with the Registrar of the Supreme Court.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

ALL THAT lot portion of land of Fountain Estate situate in the Parish of Saint Peter being a dismemberment of Fountain Estate in the Island of Saint Christopher bounded and measuring as follows, that is to say:- On or towards the North by Fountain Estate, 14.38 feet; On or towards the North East by Fountain Estate, 170.00 feet; On or towards the South East by lands of Fountain Estate, 122.61 feet; On or towards the East by lands of Fountain Estate, 127.70 feet and 101.60 feet; On or towards the North West by the Estate Road, 88.23 feet; On or towards the South West by way of the Great House, 142.38 feet; and On or towards the West by the Estate Road, 127.81 feet and 97.50 feet and containing by admeasurement 1.00 acre, all as the same is described in a Certificate of Title dated the 17th day of May, 1985 and registered in Book K2 Folio 139 of the Register of Titles of the Saint Christopher Circuit in favour of **EDRIS BROWNE** formerly of Fiennes Avenue, in the town of Basseterre but now residing at Fountain Estate in the Parish of St. Peter, in the Island of Saint Christopher as registered proprietor thereof.

UPSET PRICE

The Upset price for the above property shall be **EC\$809,874.00**

Dated the 14th day of September 2023

Registrar of the Supreme Court

Conserve Water Take Shorter Showers

Authorities: No Gun Found On School Compound

By: Spokesman Newsroom

BASSETERRE, St.Kitts (Monday 6th November 2023)
“According to the report received, some students had allegedly observed what appeared to be a firearm in a storeroom at the school earlier that day. A subsequent search of the storeroom by the school’s security officer yielded no results.”

Such details were given by police in a statement issued on Friday 3rd November 2023.

This topic attracted much public debate.
Information from the Ministry of Education-via a 2nd November press release- indicated that Saddlers Secondary School was moved to remote learning to facilitate the search adding that such would remain until 3rd November, and return to face-to-face instruction on Monday 6th November.

As reported by police, on October 31st, 2023, at approximately 6PM, the Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force (RSCNPF) was officially informed of a possible security breach at the Saddler’s Secondary School.

Police say further that: “Fully acknowledging the serious nature of the report, Police officers went to the school the following day and they supervised the customary entry security screening of students at the start of the school day.”

Further information reveals that on November 2nd, the school compound and its perimeter were thoroughly searched in a joint investigative effort between the RSCNPF and the Customs K9Unit.

Reportedly, this was done to ensure the compound was free of contraband and to further address additional security concerns expressed by students

and staff alike.
“The joint search produced no illegal items or contraband. As the Federation’s primary law enforcement agency, the maintenance of peace, law, and order are paramount priorities for the RSCNPF. All reports made to the Police are regarded with a high level of importance, and even more so when the presence or use of illegal weaponry is [allegedly] involved. Thus, the Force’s staunch “zero tolerance” stance to those who persistently choose to create a life outside our nation’s legal parameters continues to bear fruit. Our quest for justice will neither slow nor cease,” police say.

The local authorities continue to encourage persons who may have information of criminal activity to call the nearest Police station, or the Crime Stoppers’ Hotline, 707.

It was also shared that the RSCNPF “will maintain a high level of vigilance as we work to safeguard the well-being of our communities and the communal assets within that serve and empower our people.”

Celebrating 50 years of Junior Calypso Monarch Competition



Prepare for an electrifying showcase of burgeoning talent, as our junior calypsonians will grace the stage at the 2023 Junior Calypso Monarch Competition, a two-fold event comprising of the Primary School Calypso Monarch and the Secondary School Calypso Monarch. This year, the National Carnival Committee will be celebrating 50 years of the Junior Calypso Monarch competition and it is our pleasure to advise that entry to

this captivating show will be entirely without charge.
This year’s 50th Anniversary production will be a true celebration of creative expression, featuring 5 primary school junior calypsonians, aged 9-12, and 14 secondary school calypsonians, aged 13-17.
These exceptionally talented youths are gearing up for an electrifying showdown of amazing talent.
Adding to the thrill, a vibrant meet and greet session, along with a photo shoot, was held on Saturday, 4th November, at the National Carnival Secretariat Extension. This unique opportunity allowed enthusiasts to get up close and personal with these exceptionally talented youths, and we invite you to look forward to performances from:

Primary School Calypsonians

Princess Kali - Aleijah Hendrickson
Prince Khi - Amaro Roland
Prince DJ - Devon-J Richardson
Lady Faith - Raynecia Hodge
Mighty Zen - Zenobia Johnson

Mighty QJ - Quincy Issac
Erastus - Rajaun Fyfield
Mighty H - Rayjaun Hodge
Princess Nevaeh - Shante Hendrickson
Lega-Z - Zyon - Harding

Important Date Amendment:

Kindly take note that the competition date has been rescheduled from Friday, 8th December to Sunday, 10th December. The venue of this captivating event will be the Marriott Resort Plaza, with the festivities commencing at 5 pm.

We cordially invite you to mark your calendars and ensure your presence for an evening graced by the exceptional performances of our rising calypso talents.

Secondary School Calypsonians

Lady B - Aaliyah Buchanan
Dequon - Dequon Hendrickson
Divi - Divonique Liburd
Mighty J - Edward Williams
Energetic I - Ilovely Pemberton
Junior Jazz - Jazzelle Connor
De Herald - Moving Anthony
Princess Al - Na’Aliyah Smithen
Star Boy Nicholas - Nicholas Petty

THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN SUPREME COURT
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
FEDERATION OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS
SAINT CHRISTOPHER CIRCUIT

A.D.2023
(PROBATE)

PROBATE NO. SKBHPB2023/

In the Estate of **RAYNATO JENNINGS BARTLETTE** late of Lower Bamboo Street, Molineux Site in the Island of St. Christopher, deceased

ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been filed by **TELKA BARTLETTE** of Lower Bamboo Street, Molineux Site in the Island of St. Christopher, for a Grant of Letters of Administration to the applicant who is the Mother, of the deceased **RAYNATO JENNINGS BARTLETTE** late of Lower Bamboo Street, Molineux Site in the Island of St. Christopher the deceased having died intestate on the 21st day of June 2022 in the Parish of Christ Church in the Island of St. Christopher.

Any person having an objection to the Grant of Letters of Administration to the applicant shall file an objection within fourteen (14) days of the publication of this Notice.

Dated this 9th day of August 2023.

VAUGHAN H HENDERSON LAW
Attorney-at-Law for the Estate of **RAYNATO JENNINGS BARTLETTE**

Filed By: VAUGHAN H HENDERSON LAW, Attorney-at-Law, whose address for service is The Circus, Basseterre, St. Kitts (869) 466-4829, Email: info@vhhlaw.com

Caribbean focal points participate in ILO regional meeting on elimination of child labour

The four-day event was a platform for identifying opportunities to scale up and speed up transformative actions for prevention and elimination of child labour.

News | 25 October 2023

Empowering countries to further accelerate their regional tripartite vision through national commitments and local impact was the main focus of the IX Annual Meeting of Focal Points of the ILO Regional Initiative for Latin America and the Caribbean Free of Child Labour.

The tripartite meeting was held between 23 and 27 October 2023 at the Lima-based ILO Regional Office for Latin America and the Caribbean. It brought together government representatives of 31 countries - 11 of them from the Caribbean subregion, and

regional delegations from International Organization of Employers (IOE) and the Trade Union Confederation of Workers of the Americas (TUCA). The ILO Caribbean Office was also represented by Ms. Resel Melville, Programme Officer and member of the Technical Secretariat for the Regional Initiative.

"In today's context, complex issues caused by multiple crises and widening inequalities have

led to socio-economic setbacks across the region. ILO Caribbean pledges its ongoing commitment to working with our constituents to articulate and implement strategic approaches that will overcome these challenges and accelerate progress towards the elimination of child labour, as established in Goal 8.7 of the Sustainable Development Goals," said Ms. Melville.

During the four-day event, participants identified, discussed and decided on comprehensive best practices, partnerships and opportunities for scaling up political, legislative and local-level technical interventions with an aim of achieving the first

generation free of child labour in Latin America and the Caribbean. Among the key cross-cutting topics discussed were supply chains, education and vocational training, the care economy and child domestic work, forced labour and migration.

"The advancement of the fundamental principles of the ILO depends wholeheartedly on an all-stakeholders approach. The recent hosting of the IX Annual Meeting of Focal Points of the Regional Initiative reiterated such. The Government of Saint Kitts and Nevis and its tripartite constituents have been given new hope recognizing we're not standing alone in the fight to eliminate child labour in the region. The South-South partnerships and exchange of good practices and technical assistance will certainly be of substantial interest," said Mr. Jeneve Mills, Focal Point for Saint Kitts and Nevis and Labour Officer at the Ministry of Employment and Labour.

The Regional Initiative continues to provide access to innovative tools and good practices across the region through South-South cooperation opportunities. This has strengthened our understanding of this complex issue and the need for a multi-stakeholder approach to address the prevention and elimination of child labour.

Commenting on the event, Mr. Farouk Mohammed, Focal Point for Trinidad and Tobago, and Chief Labour Inspector Specialist at the Ministry of Labour noted, "The outcomes of the XI Annual Meeting of Focal Points of the Regional Initiative are significant at this critical time in developing innovative actions and solutions to accelerate the pace for the reduction and prevention of child labour."

The event culminated in the presentation of Country Acceleration Plans by the majority of member countries. The Caribbean focal points also crafted and issued a joint reaffirmation statement.



The Government of St. Kitts and Nevis Invites Contractors to Bid on the following Projects:

1) Reconstruction of Joshua Obadiah Williams Primary School

Tender Documents can be obtained at the Public Works Department, Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts, as of Monday November 6th, 2023 for a non-refundable fee of EC\$1500.00 each.

Completed Tender shall be delivered in sealed envelope to the office of:

**Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Friday 15th December, 2023**

Tenderers or their representatives are invited to the Tender Opening.

Eligibility

It is mandatory that Tenderers be locally registered in the Federation of St. Kitts & Nevis. Business License MUST be presented before receipt of Tender Document.

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS



For more information about the Regional Initiative Latin America and the Caribbean Free of Child Labour, please visit: <https://iniciativa2025alc.org/en>

Bank of Nevis Launching New & Improved Online Banking App

Charlestown, Nevis - The Bank of Nevis Limited, (BON), will later this month officially launch its new online banking platform called B-Online which is expected to significantly enhance the experience of customers in St. Kitts & Nevis and overseas.

“We listened to the issues and concerns raised by our customers and as a consequence, we took action to deliver better service and a more satisfying product experience for our customers,” said Mr. Denrick Liburd, Acting CEO.

The new and improved application has been in development since late last year and will replace the previous online platform.

The Acting CEO explained that “The Upgraded platform was developed following extensive research and Mobilearth was chosen as the technology partner due to the company’s strong reputation for delivering personalized, innovative and secure digital banking solutions which will without a doubt reposition



*Mr. Denrick Liburd,
Acting CEO, Bank of Nevis Limited*



Headquarters of the Bank of Nevis Limited, Charlestown, Nevis

The Bank of Nevis as the leader in online banking solutions in St. Kitts & Nevis.”

“The new online banking solution is designed to be intuitive and easy to use, while also providing a high level of reliability and security to protect customers’ sensitive financial information,” said Mr. Liburd.

“When the new App is officially launched on November 22nd, customers will realize that it is comparable to, and in some instances, more efficient than others in the financial market,” said the Acting CEO.

Mr. Liburd also revealed that the new B-Online banking application offers more features and functionalities which makes it easier and more convenient for customers to bank on the go, from anywhere and at any time of the day.

The Bank of Nevis Limited (BON), which was founded on 9th December 1985 and has become one of the most progressive and innovative indigenous financial institutions within the Eastern Caribbean, starting in Nevis where it is the leading provider of banking services and recently expanding its operations with two branches on the island of St. Kitts.

The launch of this new App is a strong show of commitment to BON’s mandate to Improve the Quality of Life for its customers and all the people of the Federation.

Henley & Partners and Insignia Join Forces to Create Unique Membership Offering for Global Citizens

For immediate release: Monday, 6 November 2023

Henley & Partners, the ‘firm of global citizens’ and leader in residence and citizenship advisory, has partnered with the leading ultra-luxury lifestyle management and card services group, Insignia, to create a distinctive and exclusive membership offering. Henley Global Citizens is a bespoke ‘by invitation only’ service designed to meet the specific needs of wealthy transnational families, entrepreneurs, and investors who do business, invest, and live internationally and who identify themselves as citizens of the world.

Besides priority access, personal introductions, and complimentary consultations with trusted international banks, leading private client lawyers and other top industry professionals in all key jurisdictions worldwide, the Henley Global Citizens offering includes a membership card, which is also a Visa payment card for large, unlimited payments and cash withdrawals, and to make international wire transfers in major currencies. More importantly, it provides access to a dynamic global network of wealthy and influential individuals and families, and an annual calendar of high-level closed-door events including private dinners at the WEF in Davos, around the UNGA in New York, the Grand Prix in Monaco, and other major business, geopolitical, sporting, and cultural events around the world.

Members and their families can also benefit from complimentary consultation on global education planning and introductions to the world’s top schools and universities, as well as strategic health advice, access to preventive medicine

and longevity programs, and the scheduling of medical checkups at the most advanced healthcare locations including Switzerland, Germany, Singapore, the UAE, the UK, and the USA.

Dr. Christian H. Kaelin, Group Chairman of Henley & Partners, says bringing together the high-profile clients of both businesses and combining their expertise to create a unique and exceptional international advisory and service offering is a logical extension for ‘the firm of global citizens’. “For those of us who see ourselves as global citizens, we are not foregoing our other identities, commitment and affiliations to our own countries, culture, religious and even political beliefs. These continue to give us meaning and add value to our lives. But because we are living in an intimately connected and interdependent world, and operating in a global market, we have added another layer of global identity, interest and responsibility. The Henley Global Citizens membership acknowledges and supports this identity and lifestyle in a very practical, everyday way that can add tremendous value for its members.”

Nada T. Rouviere, President of Insignia Group, stated, ‘Our partnership with Henley & Partners represents a new era in luxury lifestyle management. At Insignia, we have always been dedicated to providing our members with unparalleled experiences, and the Henley Global Citizens card is the embodiment of this commitment. Together with Henley & Partners we are redefining the meaning of global citizenship, offering an exclusive gateway to a world of limitless possibilities and connections. We look forward to enriching the lives of our members by facilitating their journey as true global citizens.’

Henley Global Citizens will be launched at a bespoke event on Friday, 10 November, following the 17th annual Global Citizenship Conference which takes place this week (8-10 November) at the Shangri-La Hotel DIFC in Dubai, UAE.

The international conference hosted by Henley & Partners, where this year over 400 delegates from over 35 countries are expected to attend, has become the world’s largest and most significant gathering on global private wealth and investment migration, bringing together presidents, prime ministers, senior government ministers and officials, leading academics, private client advisors, family offices, and wealth management professionals, as well as many affluent entrepreneurs and investors.

The 2023 conference program features sophisticated, cutting-edge content on the major developments shaping global wealth planning, investment migration, and geopolitics today.

Former SKN Top Cop C.G Walwyn Gets Chief Position At US College

By: Precious Mills

BASSETTERRE, St.Kitts (Monday 6th November 2023) - A former Police Commissioner of St.Kitts and Nevis, Dr. Celvin G. 'CG' Walwyn, was recently sworn in as the Chief of Police at Coastal Bend College located in Texas, USA.

A swearing-in ceremony was held at the school's campus on Monday 30th October 2023, officiated by County Judge George 'Trace' Morrill III.

With his wife Antoinette 'Toni' Dickerson Walwyn holding the bible on which his right hand was placed, Dr. Walwyn, solemnly swore and affirmed to "faithfully execute the duties of the office of Chief of Police and emergency management of the Coastal Bend College system, and will to the best of my ability as a licensed Texas police officer preserve, protect and defend the constitution and laws of the United States and of the Great State of Texas."

For another segment of the ceremony, with his right hand raised, Dr. Walwyn pledged "on my honour, I will never betray my integrity, my character or the public trust. I will treat all individuals with dignity and respect and ensure that my actions are dedicated to ensuring the safety of my community and the preservation of human life. I will always have the courage to hold myself and other accountable for all actions. I will always maintain the highest ethical standards and uphold the values of my community and the agency I serve."

Thereafter, the new Chief of Police affixed his signature to documents as part of the formality of taking up the new position.

In giving remarks ahead of the swearing-in, President of Coastal Bend College Dr. Justin Hoggard praised Dr. Walwyn's work experience as well as commitment shown to the position.

"We're very fortunate to have Dr. Celvin Walwyn as our incoming chief. He has been on campus for approximately a month, and he has proven to be dedicated; he has a very welcoming disposition and demeanour. The students on campus are



Photo: Dr. Celvin G. Walwyn (right) seen during the swearing-in ceremony as the Chief of Police at Coastal Bend College, located in Texas, USA, officiated by County Judge George 'Trace' Morrill III. Dr. Walwyn's wife Antoinette 'Toni' Dickerson Walwyn looks on while holding the swearing-in bible that his hand is placed on. President of Coastal Bend College Dr. Justin Hoggard (face not visible) also looks on. (Photo credit: Facebook/CoastalBendCollege)

very receptive to 'CG', and it's for us we're very, very fortunate to have someone who has the experience that Dr. Walwyn has."

He continued: "He has a very impressive resume but you can take all that and set it in one bucket, and then you can take another bucket that just says 'I care about what I'm doing. I care about our students.' And this bucket 'runneth over'. In a month, he has clearly demonstrated how much he cares for position...he is [constant] communicator... We're just fortunate to have him and we're so grateful that he came onboard."

Dr. 'CG' Walwyn was appointed Commissioner of Police in St.Kitts and Nevis in 2011 on a three-year contract which ended in August 2014.

Front Page Image: Former Police Commissioner of St.Kitts and Nevis, Dr. Celvin G. Walwyn seen in uniform during his tenure in the Federation.

St. Kitts Tourism Industry Continues to Shine with Global Accolades, Sustainable Growth Agenda and Promising Prospects

Basseterre, St. Kitts (09 November 2023) - The St. Kitts Tourism Industry has once again made waves on the global stage. The destination has been awarded the prestigious 2023 Travel Weekly Magellan Gold Accolade for "Caribbean Eco-Friendly Sustainable Destination". The destination has also been nominated as the World's Leading Dive Destination at the World Travel Awards 2023, a high distinction among global categories. Currently, the destination is gearing up for growth with a strategic and sustainable agenda.

Ellison Tommy Thompson, CEO of the St. Kitts Tourism Authority, commented, "We are thrilled and honoured to receive such a prestigious award that recognizes our sustainable efforts in the sector - sustainability is a top priority, and we are committed to being a role model for other destinations to follow."

The destination's reputation as a leading player in the Caribbean's tourism industry was reinforced when Hon. Marsha T. Henderson participated in the State of the Tourism Industry Conference (SOTIC) hosted by the Caribbean Tourism Organization (CTO). Minister joined a



ministerial panel discussion on Investment Trends, Strategic Partnerships, and the Art of Optimizing Tourism Growth, where she was joined by notable figures in the field, including the Hon. Kenneth Bryan, Chairman of the CTO Council of Ministers, and Hon. Erwin Saunders, Deputy Premier of the Turks and Caicos Island.

The Regional Tourism Youth Congress 2023 also marked another great achievement for St. Kitts as Junior Minister of Tourism, Cam-Rom Audain's representation was exemplary, and she delivered a performance of utmost proficiency.

In addition, the Ministry of Tourism's recent



stakeholder meetings with Restaurants, Bars, and Craft Vendors signaled the Ministry's commitment to enhancing the existing tourism product through valuable dialogue and cultivating local partnerships.

Moreover, Minister of Tourism, Hon. Marsha Henderson recently held a press conference, where she shared the exciting news of a 15% increase in system-wide airlift and prospects of a fruitful cruise season. The Minister also highlighted the island's recognition worldwide and her team's mission of building a Sustainable Island State.

Melnecia Marshall, Deputy CEO of the St. Kitts Tourism Authority, said, "The 15% system-wide increase in flights to St. Kitts is great news for travelers and locals alike. This increase in accessibility will greatly benefit the tourism industry in St. Kitts, as

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SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

The Caribbean Development Bank and the Inter-American Development Bank are pleased to offer scholarships for a total of two (2) candidates to complete the International Master in Public Procurement Management (IMPPM) degree programme at the University of Rome Tor Vergata, Rome, Italy, for the academic year 2024/2025.

The scholarship is open to all citizens of CDB’s borrowing member countries: Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, Barbados, Belize, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Montserrat, St. Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, The Bahamas, Trinidad and Tobago and Turks and Caicos Islands.

Application Deadline: November 16, 2023 at Noon (AST)

Passenger Bus Robbery Under Police Investigation

The Police are investigating a robbery that occurred in Bellevue, St. Kitts, on November 3rd, 2023. The incident occurred between 11:30PM and 12AM.

Preliminary inquiries suggest that a bus driver from Basseterre was robbed by a male and a female who posed as passengers on his bus. When the driver stopped in the area of Black Rocks to let them off, the two (2) assailants accosted him and forced him out of the bus before driving away in it. The vehicle was later found, ransacked and abandoned, on a dirt road in the Estridge area.

The Crime Scene Unit of the Royal St. Christopher and Nevis Police Force (RSCNPF) processed the scene and collected some items of evidential value. The general public will be updated appropriately as the investigation progresses.

Should anyone have information regarding this and/or other criminal matters, the RSCNPF encourages you to call the nearest Police station, or the Crime Stoppers’ Hotline, 707.

St. Kitts Tourism Industry Continues to Shine with Global Accolades...

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more people will have the opportunity to experience all that this beautiful island has to offer. As we head into the peak winter season, we are optimistic that this increase in accessibility will lead to increased tourism and growth in our local economy. We encourage our stakeholders to continue to offer enriching experiences that showcase the beauty and charm of St. Kitts to visitors.”

In anticipation of the new tourism season, the St. Kitts Tourism Authority hosted a Plaque Exchange Ceremony for the inaugural cruise call of the luxury vessel “Seabourn Pursuit”. This cruise call brings several benefits and accentuates St. Kitts’ position as a premier cruise destination for discerning travelers.

With the various commendations bestowed upon St. Kitts, the destination is strategically positioned to continue to be a leading industry player with noteworthy sustainable and strategic growth plans.



The Government of St. Kitts and Nevis Invites Contractors to Bid on the following Projects:

Construction of Roads and Drains at:

- 1) Rawlins Extension, St. Pauls
- 2) White House Phase 1, St. Peters
- 3) Race Course, Newton Ground

Tender Documents can be obtained at the Public Works Department, Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts, as of Monday October 30, 2023 for a non-refundable fee of EC\$500.00 each.

Completed Tender shall be delivered in sealed envelope to the office of:

Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Friday 08th December, 2023

Tenderers or their representatives are invited to the Tender Opening.

Eligibility

It is mandatory that Tenderers be locally registered in the Federation of St. Kitts & Nevis. Business License MUST be presented before receipt of Tender Document.

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Komfo Anokye kola tree: Ghana outrage after 300-year-old tree felled



Published BBC

A kola tree cut down in Ghana

IMAGE SOURCE, EMMANUEL BRIGHT QUACO

The tree was spared during the construction of the highway because of its popularity

By Thomas Naadi

BBC News, Accra

The authorities in Ghana have launched a manhunt for the people who cut down a famous 300-year-old kola tree, which was believed to have healing powers.

The tree dates back to the Ashanti Kingdom, part of modern-day Ghana.

Local people says the tree grew in the spot where renowned priest Komfo Anokye spat a kola nut on the ground in the early 1700s.

Many local people believed the black and white seeds of the kola tree could cure ailments and curses.

Ghanaians expressed outrage as pictures of the felled tree, in the town of Feyiase, circulated online.

The tree was in the middle of a major road linking Ghana's commercial hub Kumasi to Lake Bosomtwe.

It was spared during the construction of the highway because of its popularity and was a tourist attraction for Ghanaians and foreigners alike.

It is not clear why it was cut down now.

The director of research at Manhyia Palace, seat of the Ashanti royal family, Osei-Bonsu Safo Kantanka, told the BBC the site of the tree was significant in the history of the Ashanti Kingdom.

The Battle of Feyiase saw the Ashanti people battling for their independence against the powerful kingdom of Denkyira.

Mr Kantanka said the location of the tree "was the same spot the people of Denkyira were defeated by the Asantes".

Komfo Anokye was a powerful fetish priest - a person believed to act as a mediator between the spirit and living.

Oral tradition says he buried a sword in the ground, which remains firmly in place and can never be removed, on the premises of a hospital in Kumasi that bears his name.

The presence of the tree was a constant reminder of his exploits.



The Government of St. Kitts and Nevis Invites Contractors to Bid on the following Project:

1) Design and Construction of a 100,000 Imperial gallon Steel Tank

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Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts, as of Monday November 13th,
2023 for a non-refundable fee of EC\$500.00 each.**

**Completed Tender shall be delivered in sealed envelope to the office
of:**

**Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Monday 18th December, 2023**

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Mounjaro weight loss jab authorised in UK



Stock image of scales
IMAGE SOURCE, GETTY IMAGES

By Michelle Roberts
Digital health editor

BBC News

A diabetes medicine dubbed the “King Kong” of weight loss jabs has been approved in the UK for treating obesity.

Mounjaro, or tirzepatide, makes you feel fuller so you eat less.

In trials, people on it have lost a fifth of their body weight and UK regulators now say it is safe and effective enough to be sold and prescribed in the UK.

Unlike a similar jab called Wegovy, it is not recommended on the NHS yet.

The NHS can use it for diabetes though.

Healthcare spending watchdog The National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE) is reviewing its use for obesity and should report back in March 2024.

Both Wegovy and Mounjaro, which work in similar ways, come as pre-filled injection pens that patients can self-administer - giving themselves a dose under the skin of their stomach area or thigh.

They can help people shed significant weight.

But, in studies, users often put weight back on after stopping treatment.

These medicines can have side effects though - the most common are nausea, diarrhoea, vomiting and constipation.

And the jabs - widely used in the US and endorsed by

many celebrities - are not a quick fix or a substitute for a healthy diet and exercise.

Experts caution that Mounjaro may affect how well the contraceptive pill works. Women who are on it should consider using extra contraception, such as condoms or switching to a non-oral contraceptive method for four weeks after starting Mounjaro and for four weeks after each increase in dose.

Wegovy shots, which contain a drug called semaglutide, are being offered by some specialist NHS weight-loss management services, as well as some private clinics. There is a plan for GPs to offer it too.

Some High Street chains are prescribing and selling it too, although stocks are limited.

As more doses become available, it could help tens of thousands of patients in England, the NHS says.

In the future, Mounjaro might be added to the list of possible NHS treatments too.

The UK's drugs regulator, the MHRA,

says it can be used by adults who are obese or those who are overweight and have weight-related health problems such as high blood pressure.

Health and Social Care Secretary Steve Barclay said: “Although further approvals are needed to use this in the NHS, Mounjaro has the potential to help thousands of people living with obesity and support those suffering from weight-related illnesses - if used alongside diet and physical activity. Tackling obesity could help cut waiting lists and save the NHS billions of pounds.”



The Government of St. Kitts and Nevis Invites Contractors to Bid on the following Project:

1. Demolition of Building and Structures - Old Ministry of Health, Church Street

Tender Documents can be obtained at the Public Works Department, Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts, as of Monday November 13th, 2023 for a non-refundable fee of EC\$500.00 each.

Completed Tender shall be delivered in sealed envelope to the office of:

**Director of Public Works Department
Wellington Road, Basseterre, St Kitts
on or before 1:00pm Monday 11th December, 2023**

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Eligibility

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THURSDAY
 9th & 16th November, 2023

SCHEDULE
 5PM - 6:30PM

TOPIC OF DISCUSSION
 Developing A Strategy To Further Enhance
 The Apiculture Sector In St. Kitts and Nevis

Large Conference Room
 Department of Agriculture
 La Guerite St. Kitts

869-467-1841
agriculture@gov.kn

Agriculture Department To Engage Stakeholders On Strategy To Develop Apiculture Sector In St. Kitts

(MOA Basseterre, St. Kitts, November 8 2023);

In recognizing the importance of The Department of Agriculture St. Kitts, through its Livestock Division extends an invitation to all Beekeepers and persons interested in becoming apiarists to a series of crucial consultations that will play a pivotal role in shaping the future of the apiculture sector.

Facilitator and Extension Officer with responsibility for Beekeeping, Monroe Tweed will lead the discussion with a presentation that will address the challenges and opportunities within the beekeeping industry.

This consultation serves as a platform for stakeholders to come together, exchange ideas, and collectively work towards a sustainable and thriving apiculture sector. It will also allow beekeepers, researchers, policymakers, and industry experts to engage in meaningful discussions about innovative and eco-friendly

beekeeping practices, the latest advancements in apiculture research, improvement of overall hive health, bee reproduction, equipment, proper hive management, nutrition, basic bee biology and other apiculture related topics.

There is almost an unlimited source of pollen in St. Kitts and Nevis and bees aid greatly in the natural cross pollination of local crops, which is why the government, through the ministry has added this component of beekeeping in efforts to improve the practice, as well as enhance food

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LIQUOR LICENCES ORDINANCES, 1906 SCHEDULE A

To the Magistrate,
District "A"

To the Superintendent of Police.

I, Shericia Liburd now residing in #6 TDC Gardens in the village of Conaree, do hereby give you notice that is my intention to apply on 29th day of December, 2023, to the District Magistrate at Basseterre for a Retail Liquor Licence in respect of my premises in #6 TDC Gardens in Conaree Village in St. Kitts.

Dated this
18th day of October, 2023.

Signed: S. Liburd

LIQUOR LICENCES ORDINANCES, 1906 SCHEDULE A

To the Magistrate,
District "A"

To the Superintendent of Police.

I, Nerissa Huggins now residing in the village of Ottley's Development in Ottley's Village, do hereby give you notice that is my intention to apply on 29th day of December, 2023, to the District Magistrate at Basseterre for a Retail Liquor Licence in respect of my premises in Dessa's Grill Hut in Ottley's Development in Ottley's Village in St. Kitts.

Dated this
01st day of November, 2023.

Signed: N. Huggins

production.

All are asked to attend the consultations to provide insights and expertise which can be invaluable in fostering sustainable practices and ensuring the prosperity of this vital sector.

The meetings are slated to be held on Thursday 9th and 16th November 2023 at 5:00 p.m. in the Large Conference Room at the Department of Agriculture, La Guerite.



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Glenn Maxwell: Where does Australian’s double century rank in greatest men’s ODI innings?

By Sam Drury
BBC Sport
From the sectionCricket

“The greatest ODI knock of all time, without any doubt.”

Michael Vaughan was adamant. Just moments earlier, Glenn Maxwell smashed his 10th six to complete an extraordinary double century and seal an astonishing win over Afghanistan that put Australia in the World Cup semi-finals.

“You are probably going to get people saying it is the greatest innings of all time,” former England captain Vaughan said on BBC Test Match Special.

“I’ve never seen anything like that. Australia had no right at all to win that game.”

Set 292 to win, Australia were 49-4 when Maxwell walked in to face - and just about survive - a hat-trick ball from Azmatullah Omarzai.

Australia then slumped to 91-7. Maxwell was dropped twice, on 24 and 33, and also started to leave the field on 27 before, much to his surprise, he was reprieved after opting to review when given out lbw.

From the moment Mujeeb Ur Rahman spilled the second of those catches, neither Afghanistan’s bowlers, nor back and cramp issues that left him collapsed in agony at times, could stop Maxwell.

With 100 runs needed he was struggling to run, by the time it got down to 75 he could barely move his feet to play a shot.

Not that it mattered. Maxwell’s hand-eye coordination and ball-striking was nigh-on perfect as he finished with 201 not out off just 128 balls - a knock somehow even better than his World Cup fastest century off 40 balls against the Netherlands last month.

Maxwell’s historic innings is the first time anyone has made a double century when chasing in a one-day international and the first by a non-opening batter.

“What Glenn Maxwell has done tonight is a miracle,” said

TMS commentator Geoff Lemon.

Australia captain Pat Cummins, who contributed 12 in an unbeaten stand of 202 with Maxwell, called it “the greatest ODI innings that’s ever happened”.

But is it the best in men’s ODIs?

To help narrow it down we have selected nine other sensational ODI centuries in a winning cause. Read more about them and rank your top 10 below...

Kapil Dev - 175* for India v Zimbabwe, 1983 World Cup

India were 17-5 shortly after Dev arrived at the crease, but the all-rounder struck a then record ODI score of 175 not out off 138 balls at Tunbridge Wells.

It remained the highest score by a batter at number six or below in ODIs until Maxwell’s exploits against Afghanistan.

Viv Richards - 189* for West Indies v England, 1984

Widely regarded as one of the greatest ODI innings, Richards clattered a then record individual score, which would stand until 1997, despite wickets falling around him at Old Trafford.

Richards was on 96 when West Indies fell to 166-9 but put

on 106 with last man Michael Holding to finish unbeaten on 189 off 170 balls.

Aravinda de Silva - 107* for Sri Lanka v Australia, 1996 World Cup final

Sri Lanka fell to 23-2 early on when chasing 242 to beat the favourites Australia in Lahore.

But Aravinda de Silva calmly compiled the only century made while chasing in a World Cup final, against an attack featuring Glenn McGrath and Shane Warne, to lead Sri Lanka to glory.

Herschelle Gibbs - 175 for South Africa v Australia, 2006

In one of the greatest ODIs of all-time, Australia set South Africa 435 to win the deciding fifth and final match of the series in Johannesburg.

Gibbs smashed 175 off 111 balls to set the Proteas on their way to a thrilling one-wicket win in what remains the highest successful chase in ODI history.

Adam Gilchrist - 149 for Australia v Sri Lanka, 2007 World Cup final

Australia opener Adam Gilchrist smacked 149 off 104 balls to put the final beyond Sri Lanka in Bridgetown.

It remains the highest score in a World Cup final, with the left-hander famously batting with a squash ball lodged in his left glove to help his top hand dominate.

Kevin O’Brien - 113 for Ireland v England, 2011 World Cup

Ireland were 106-4, chasing a then record World Cup target of 328 in Bengaluru, when a pink-haired O’Brien arrived to cause one of the biggest shocks in the tournament’s history.

He reached his century off just 50 balls - a World Cup record until South Africa’s Aiden Markram and then Maxwell bettered that mark in this year’s tournament.

Rohit Sharma - 264 for India v Sri Lanka, 2014

India opener Rohit holds the record for the highest individual ODI score for his outstanding 264 off 173 balls in Kolkata.

After reaching his century off exactly 100 balls, Rohit accelerated thrillingly, thumping 33 fours and nine sixes. It was the second of his three ODI double centuries to date - no other player has hit more than one.

Martin Guptill - 237* for New Zealand v West Indies, 2015 World Cup

New Zealand opener Guptill hit the highest individual score in World Cups and second highest in all ODIs - crucially in a World Cup quarter-final in Wellington.

His stunning 163-ball onslaught featured 24 fours and 11 sixes.

AB de Villiers - 149 for South Africa v West Indies, 2015

The South Africa star struck the fastest ODI century, from only 31 balls, showing his ability to hit 360 in spectacular style in Johannesburg.

De Villiers crashed a then joint-ODI-record 16 sixes in an innings that lasted just 44 balls overall. One of the greats at his destructive best.

Tiger Woods has ‘zero issues’ with repaired ankle but other injury problems remain

From the sectionGolf BBC



Tiger Woods’ last major win came at the Masters in 2019

Tiger Woods says he has “zero issues” with his surgically repaired right ankle but other injury problems remain.

The 47-year-old American has not competed since injury forced him to withdraw from the Masters third round in April.

Woods, a 15-time major winner, then had fusion surgery on a bone in his ankle to address post-traumatic arthritis from a previous fracture in the joint.

“That pain is completely

gone,” Woods told the Associated Press.

“My ankle is fine. Where they fused my ankle, I have absolutely zero issue whatsoever.

“But all the surrounding areas are where I had all my problems and I still do. So you fix one, others have to become more hypermobile to get around it, and it can lead to some issues.”

Woods was seen caddying for his son Charlie at the Notah Begay III Junior Golf National Championship earlier this month.

“I’m pretty sore after caddying for four days,” Woods said.

“It was a flat course, thank God.”

In recent years, Woods has also played with his son in the PNC Championship, an exhibition tournament in which major champions play alongside their children or parents.

The next tournament will take place between 14 and 17 December and Woods would be able to use a cart instead of walking the course if he decides to play in the event.

In October, Woods and fellow golfer Rory McIlroy launched an indoor “high-tech league” and the American announced on Tuesday he will co-own one of the league’s teams - Jupiter Links Golf Club - and will play for them when it begins in January 2024.

CWI thanks Sunil Narine for his contribution to West Indies cricket



Sunil Narine during the ongoing CG United Super50 Cup

ST JOHN'S, Antigua - Cricket West Indies (CWI) thanked Sunil Narine for his service to West Indies cricket during his international career. The talented spin bowler announced his retirement from international and regional List A cricket on Sunday, ahead of the final preliminary match for Trinidad & Tobago Red Force in the CG United Super50 Cup.

The 35-year-old made his debut for West Indies in India in 2011 and his last appearance was also against India in Guyana in

2019. He played in West Indies colours in 122 matches, which included 6 Tests, 65 appearances in One-Day International (ODI) and 51 in T20 International (T20I) cricket.

He was a member of the West Indies team which won the ICC Men's T20 World Cup in 2012 when they beat Sri Lanka at the R Premadasa Stadium in Colombo. He played a crucial role with the ball in the victory, with three wickets as West Indies won by 36 runs.

Narine represented the West Indies in all three formats. He played six Tests and took 21 wickets with best bowling figures of 6-91 against New Zealand in Hamilton. In 65 One-Day Internationals he took 92 wickets including a best of 6-27 vs South Africa in Guyana in 2016. He also took 52 wickets in 51 T20 Internationals, with best returns of 4-12 against New Zealand in Fort Lauderdale in 2012 to



Sunil Narine celebrates during the ICC Men's T20 World Cup final in 2012

help secure the series victory.

CWI Director of Cricket, Miles Bascombe said: "On behalf of CWI I would like to thank Sunil Narine for his contribution to West Indies during his time on the international stage. He was the kind of bowler who excited fans and brought them to the game. He was the 'X' factor in the West Indies bowling attack and produced some amazing spells. When at his best he ranked among the very best in the modern era. We all remember the magical bowling performance in Sri Lanka, when he helped the West Indies to their first T20 World Cup title. As he continues his playing career, we wish him more success."

Narine is in the Trinidad & Tobago Red Force squad for the first Semi-Final of the CG United 50 Cup to be played on Wednesday 8 November at the Brian Lara Cricket Academy and he may therefore make his final List A appearance on Saturday 11 November in the Final. The Semi-Finals and Final will be live on ESPN Caribbean.

Cricket World Cup 2023: New Zealand cruise past Sri Lanka and edge closer to semi-finals

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ICC Men's Cricket World Cup, Bengaluru
Sri Lanka 171 (46.4 overs): Perera 51 (28); Boult 3-37
New Zealand 172-5 (23.2 overs): Conway 45 (42); Mathews 2-29
New Zealand won by five wickets

New Zealand all but sealed a World Cup semi-final spot with an easy five-wicket win over Sri Lanka in Bengaluru.

Sri Lanka, who were already eliminated, were bowled out for 171, with Black Caps seamer Trent Boult taking 3-36.

In a chaotic start, they slumped to 70-5 in 9.3 overs, with opener Kusal Perera smashing 51 from 28 balls.

New Zealand reached their target in 23.2 overs to give their net run-rate a significant boost and make it unlikely they can be overtaken in fourth.

Pakistan and Afghanistan can still match the Black Caps on 10 points but would need highly improbable margins of victory over England and South Africa respectively to overhaul New Zealand's superior net run rate.

Sri Lanka could not make the most of a decent pitch after being put into bat, with Perera the only member of the top five to reach double figures.

Only stubborn resistance from final pair Maheesh Theekshana, who made 38 not out from 91, and Dilshan Madushanka, who added 19 from 48, helped them avoid a total capitulation.

The Kiwis started brightly in reply through Devon Conway and Rachin Ravindra's classy opening stand of 86, then losing five wickets for 76 as they looked to seal victory as quickly as possible, before Glenn

Phillips wrapped up the win.

New Zealand bounce back

The Black Caps again went under the radar in the build-up but, having finished runners-up in the past two editions, look set for another World Cup knockout stage.

Their positive start of four wins in a row meant they got in a strong position to reach the semi-finals early on, meaning they could afford the four straight defeats that followed.

Once fourth place is confirmed, it sets up an intriguing encounter against India, who won the meeting in the group stages and are unbeaten, but lost the 2019 semi-final to the Black Caps and are under immense pressure as hosts.

Ravindra, whose 42 here took him back to the top of the run-scoring chart, is the breakout star of the World Cup so far, while there were other positive signs in Conway's return to form and captain Kane Williamson continuing to slot back in effortlessly after injury.

New Zealand have been dealt some injury blows in their bowling attack, with Matt Henry ruled out of the tournament, but they have withstood it all, fighting on in the quiet, dignified way Kiwi sides are admired for.

Boult looked back to his venomous best with the new ball and was backed up by long-time partner Tim Southee, while spinner Mitchell Santner's economical 2-22 took his tally to 15 wickets so far.

They may not go into tournaments as favourites, but they remain a team to fear and will be desperate to make it third time lucky in their quest for World Cup glory.