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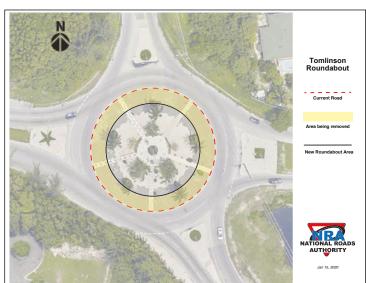
### **Expansion of Chrissie Tomlinson roundabout**

The National Roads Authority wishes to advise the public that expansion of the Chrissie Tomlinson roundabout to three lanes started earlier this week.

The aim of the roadwork, which is expected to last six weeks, is to assist westbound traffic flow from Rex Crighton Boulevard and Shamrock Road to merge smoothly onto Hurley Merren Boulevard. This is similar to improvements at the Red Bay roundabout.

The NRA will undertake the roadworks at low peak times in an effort to minimise disruptions to motorists. However, motorists may encounter some delays and are encouraged to proceed with caution.

Members of the public are asked to contact the NRA at 946 7780 or email nra@nra.ky with any questions or comments regarding this project. The Authority thanks the public for their patience during these roadworks, and looks forward to providing the benefit of these much-needed improvements.



# Judo option for afterschool kids

### By Christopher Tobutt

Elvis Coward, President of the Cayman Islands Judo Association, along with the Ivette Dixon, the Association's Technical Director, want to get school kids across the island more involved in judo, especially during the YMCA-run Government-backed afterschool program. The new judo sessions began at the John A Cumber Primary School in West Bay about five years ago, but now operates at several other primary schools. Mr. Coward would really like to see all the schools in Cayman involved, including secondary schools, so that all school kids get a chance to join

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► Elvis Coward and Ivette Dixon, and the after school judo group



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### **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

### Cayman Music & Entertainment Association Notice

On Sunday 12th of January 2020, several members of the Executive Board held a meeting at George Town's Constitution Hall, and during the course of the meeting, they entertained nominations to elect new Executive Members of the Association. This meeting followed a Resolution by the members mentioned to call an AGM before the annually scheduled meeting of March 1, 2020, and, in violation of the Associations Constitution.

It is therefore with great regret that as the legal President of the Association that I must notify all members of the Association, and the Cayman Public, that the purported AGM as was held on the 12th of January 2020 is null and void. Therefore, a proper constituted Annual General meeting of the Association will be held on March 1st 2020 at Georgetown Constitution Hall at 1 pm. Accordingly, any interaction with the person(s) who claimed to be elected as Executive pursuant to the meeting



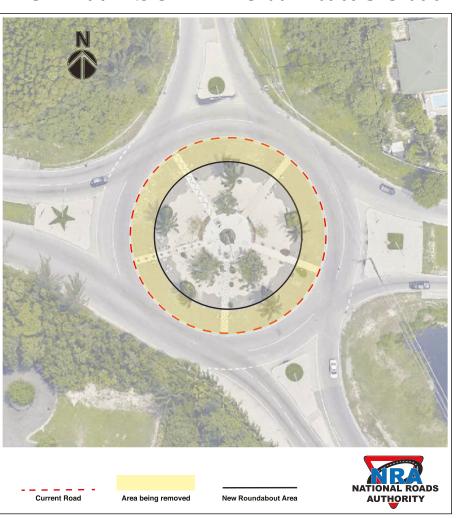
held on January 12th, 2020 will be at the sole risk of those persons so doing.

The Cayman Islands Music and Entertainment Association thanks the Public for their understanding and kind cooperation for these many years that CMEA has been in existence. We look forward to continue working with the Membership and the Public in furtherance of the local Music Industry.

Jean-Eric Smith GMM, GHC

President 😚

### Road Works - Chrissie Tomlinson Roundabout





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### Plan to extend Judo option for afterschool kids

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in Judo. He is founding member of the Cayman Islands Judo Association, is a second-degree black belt, and presently helps show the afterschool kids judo moves for around an hour and a half, John A. Cumber Primary School twice a week. Ms Dixon has been extending the programme first to Red Bay Primary, and three other primary schools, but the dream is to extend the opportunity to all of Cayman's schools. In order to do that, the Association are looking for adult volunteers who are willing to help.

The Association caters for all ages, from six years old to adult, so that all the primary-school kids can take part if they want to. Mr. Coward feels that if they choose to participate in judo, it can do them a lot of good, physically, mentally and socially: "A lot of the kids are at-risk kids, so this will utilize some of the spare time that they have, so it keeps them out of trouble. In addition, it allows them to exercise, teaches them discipline, and it also teaches them sport so they can possibly compete for Cayman if they decide to continue with it," Mr. Coward said. Feedback from teachers suggests that taking part in judo on a regular basis has a positive effect on kids' behavior, Mr. Coward said.

The kids' very first belt is always a white belt, but once they show the right throws and holds, with a particular emphasis on technique, they can progress through yellow, orange, green, blue, brown, and finally black, but there are different degrees of black, belt, too.

We want to extend this programme to all the schools, and in order to do that



▶ Afterschool kids learn self-confidence and respect at John A. Cumber Primary School

we are going to reach out for people who have practiced judo before but are not involved at the moment, to get them to come out as volunteers." But they don't all have to be black belts, and Mr. Coward believes that as long as people are interested, they can be taught: "Once we get some people willing to assist, then we can train them in the proper techniques and oversee them because of course we can't be at every school every day," he said.

YMCA'S Youth Development Coordinator, Liesl Hope, believes that offering judo as an option is a great compliment to the YMCA's other activities: "We aim at developing character in our youth so we have five core values of honesty, caring, responsibility, respect and faith. Judo teaches a lot of self-control, and I think that having that self-control and respect for oneself and others fits in very well with our values," she said.

Busy on the mats, a group of after-school kids were being taught throws and holds by Ms. Dixon. It was Andreanna's very first session. "It's fun," she said. "It makes you get all your anger out of you and you feel much better." Kourtney, in Year 6 has been doing Judo for three years: "It has taught me self-defense and it is a fun experience," she said. Esabella, aged 10, has also been doing judo for three years: "I feel good, and better and great," she said.

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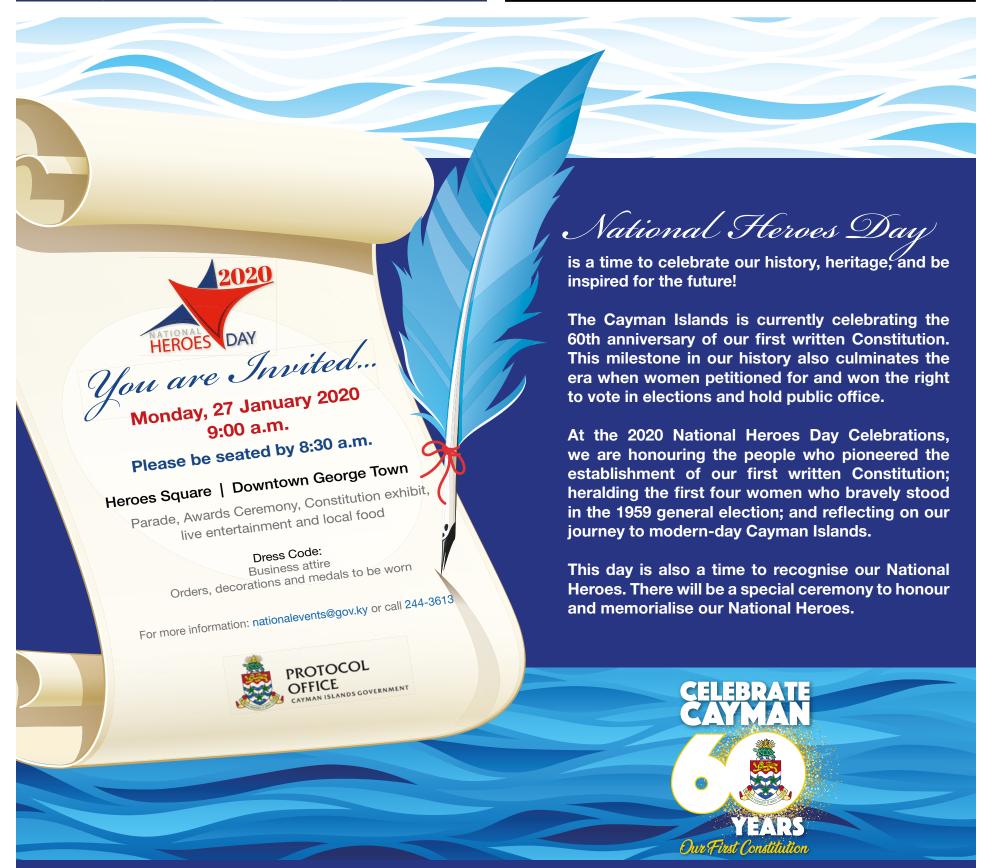
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# Premier off to Cayman Finance NY meeting

Premier Hon. Alden McLaughlin will leave the Cayman Islands on Sunday to attend the 7th Annual Cayman Finance New York Breakfast Briefing on Tuesday, 21 January.

At the meeting the Premier will deliver remarks promoting the Cayman Islands as a reliable and stable jurisdiction in which to do business. Those attending the meeting will learn about the latest developments in the Cayman Islands Financial Services Industry from the Premier and other speakers.

Later that day the delegation will attend the 2nd Cayman Finance New York Reinsurance Round Table. With more than 600 Captive insurance and Rein-

surance companies and several large Reinsurance companies domiciled in the Cayman Islands, this is an important sector for Cayman's Financial Services Industry.

Attending with the Premier will be Attorney General Hon. Sam Bulgin; Financial Services Minister Hon. Tara Rivers; Director of the Department of Financial Services Michelle Bahadur; members of the Cayman Islands Monetary Authority; Ministry of International Trade, Investment, Aviation and Maritime Affairs Chief Officer Eric Bush; Senior Political Advisor to the Premier Roy Tatum; and Personal Assistant Jana Pouchie-Bush.



► Premier Hon. Alden McLaughlin

### POLICE NEWS

# Two Men Charged with Several Offenses in Relation to Sexual Assault Incident

A man, age 29 of East End, has been arrested and charged with several offenses, including Possession of an Imitation Firearm with Intent to Commit an Offence, Wrongful Confinement, Threats to Kill, and several counts of Assault by Penetration. The charges relate to an in-

cident on 30 December where a woman reported she had been threatened with a firearm and forced to perform sexual acts

The man appeared in court yesterday, 14 January, and was remanded into custody.

A second man, age 26 of East End, has also been arrested in connection with the incident. He has now been charged with Wrongful Confinement, Assault by Penetration, and two counts of Rape.

He appears in court this afternoon, 15 January. •



**CAYMANIAN TIMES** 

### TRUMP ON TRIAL

"Donald J. Trump has abused the powers of the presidency..."

"In the history of the Republic, no president has ever ordered the complete defiance of an impeachment inquiry or sought to obstruct and impede so comprehensively the ability of the House of Representatives to investigate 'high crimes and misdemeanours..."

Those extracts from the resolution impeaching President Donald Trump could come to define his legacy and presidency whether or not he is found guilty and thrown out of office, or he survives the impeachment and even goes on to win this year's presidential election.

Being found guilty is a legal possibility, but the attention is focused on the political possibility of his acquittal and the likelihood in that case of him going on to win a second term.

Under normal circumstances, it would have been fairly accurate to say that the noose is tightening around President Donald Trump over the very serious allegations of 'high crime and misdemeanours' that have led to his impeachment.

But these are anything but normal circumstances and politics may well trump the legal process such as it is.

Mr Trump is accused of abusing his power by withholding Congress-approved military aid to Ukraine for his political gain.

He is also accused of obstructing Congress in its investigation of his actions in the matter.

On the surface, the dossier of evidence against President Trump appears not just impressive but quite damning.

The allegations are based on Mr Trump's involvement, knowledge of, or influence through those acting on his behalf, to withhold US \$391 million in military aid to Ukraine in exchange for information on business dealings involving the son of Democratic presidential candidate, former vice-president Joe Biden and his son Hunter Biden.

Biden Jr has business interests in Ukraine.

Mr Trump also stands accused of putting pressure on the Ukrainian president, Volodymyr Zelensky, during a telephone conversation last July to launch the probe into the Bidens.

The US president, who has become only the third American head of state to be impeached, vehemently denies all of the allegations against him.

But as the process takes hold and the volume of information spirals, Mr Trump's refutations, while not muted, have taken on a tone oscillating somewhere between desperation, resignation and foreboding.

In a matter of hours one of the key players on Mr Trump's personal legal team 'spilled the beans' in a series of bombshell media interviews directly implicating the president in what some are now referring to as 'Ukrainegate'.

The term is a reference to the Watergate scandal involving former president Richard Nixon who resigned just before he was formally impeached.

Since then the 'gate' suffix has become the standard media label for investigations into allegations of serious miscon-



▶ US President Donald Trump

duct in high office, especially in American politics.

Mr Trump's repeated denials - including not knowing people whom subsequent evidence seems to suggest otherwise, and claims of a witch-hunt by his political opponents only for new information to emerge - appear to be sounding less and less convincing.

And even before the first witness is called, the US Government Accountability Office on Thursday concluded in a report that the Trump administration "broke the law" by withholding the Congress-approved military aid to Ukraine.

Ukraine itself has now launched an investigation into whether the former US ambassador assigned there was being spied on by American interests acting on behalf of President Trump - with or without the president's knowledge.

Ambassador Maria Yovanovitch was a key witness in the process leading up to Mr Trump's impeachment.

While the impeachment hearing is a legal process, the fact that it will be carried out by the Republican-controlled Senate is being viewed by Democrats and others as being vulnerable to political machinations.

Several Senators are on record questioning the basis for the impeachment.

Conviction requires a two-thirds majority vote in the Senate.

By the same token, pushing through the impeachment by the Democrat-controlled House of Representatives is viewed by many Republicans and others who support the president as a witchhunt, Mr Trump's favourite term to describe the impeachment.

This latest drama in the Trump's presidency as he steps up his bid for a second term in what is already shaping up as a tough campaign for November's presidential election.

And, it could very well be that Mr Trumps faces off against his arch nemesis in the race, former vice-president Joe Biden, around whom the Ukraine misdemeanour allegations against President Trump revolve.

Mr Trump's presidency has without question being the most controversial and scandal-ridden in modern US history.

Yet, he has bulldozed his way through with slight regard for established norms, doubling down on his denials and trying to focus attention on his what he considers his 'record-breaking' record of achievements.

Although many of the president's claims struggle to stand up under the glaring light of scrutiny, his base of support remains solid.

Latest polls show that America is still divided over their temperamental president.

The impeachment might be another act in this Trumpian version of a Shake-spearean drama...but Shakesperean dramas are known to be the bearers of timeless moral messages irrespective of how the story ends.



# New surgeon to expand orthopaedic services at the HSA



The Health Services Authority (HSA) is expanding its specialist orthopedic services with the recruitment of a new orthopaedic surgeon, Dr Allan Larsen who recently joined the staff.

Dr Larsen treats all conditions of the hand, knee and ankle/foot, in addition to specialising in sports traumatology. He has performed 25,000 knee arthroscopies and 40,000 procedures.

Dr Larsen grew up in Denmark, where he obtained his medical degree and later his PhD in sports traumatology and tendon repair with growth factors at Aarhus University. After completing his fellowship training in traumatology and orthopaedics, Dr Larsen served as a senior consultant and head of cartilage transplantation and research in the sports traumatology department at Aalborg University Hospital from 2003-2007. He also opened two private hospitals specialising in knee and ankle/foot surgery and was head of the orthopaedic division in Norway for eight years.

Dr Pekko Kuusela, Head of the HSA's Orthopaedics Department, says Dr Larsen brings a wealth of experience in hand, knee and ankle/foot. His expertise in sports traumatology is also a significant addition to the practice of orthopaedics on island. "Dr Larsen joins the HSA partnering with our highly skilled team of physicians in treating orthopaedic and sports injuries that may be more acute. We are truly excited to welcome him to our team of experts, in order to help expand our orthopaedic services for the benefit of our patients."

"My goal is to ensure that my patients receive the best level of care possible," said Dr Larsen. "This is achieved through developing personalised treatments where we can best address their issues. I look forward to the continued growth and development of the department and the services provided, and working with my colleagues to improve the lives of our patients in Cayman."

The orthopaedic department at HSA provides accessible care to its patients on island, encompassing services such as patient consultations, surgical and nonsurgical treatment options, education on preventative measures and rehabilitation treatments.

Patients requiring orthopedic services can make an appointment to see Dr Larsen or any other HSA specialists at

### OCEANMED WELCOMES DR. DAVID STONE

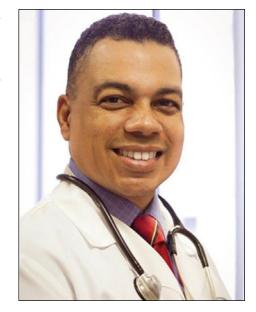
OceanMed has announced that as of Thursday, January 2nd Dr. David Stone joined the team at OceanMed.

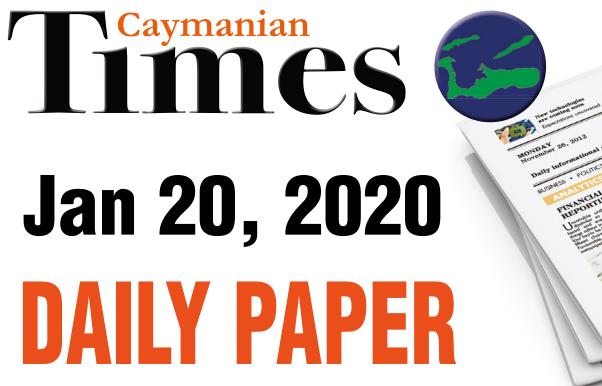
Dr. Stone, has been an Obstetrician Gynecologist in the Cayman Islands for the past 5 years. Originally from Detroit, Michigan, Dr. Stone is a medical professional with over 20 years of experience. Well renowned and respected throughout the Cayman community Dr. Stone has served many women throughout their pregnancies and with a plethora of women's health issues. Dr. Stone's specialties include minimally invasive surgery and advanced laparoscopy, treating women with abnormal uterine bleeding, chronic pelvic pain, uterine fibroids, endometriosis, vaginal prolapse, and infertility.

Shahla Powery, Managing Director of OceanMed, said: "We're thrilled that Dr. Stone has joined our team, he is the perfect addition to OceanMed. We pride ourselves in providing unparalleled service with the highest qualified staff and state-of-the-art technology at competitive rates, and adding Cayman's top rated medical professionals is key to that mission."

In addition to OBGYN care, OceanMed is also an imaging center, accepting requisitions for ultrasounds, mammograms, and biopsies from physicians at any medical facility. It is the only imaging center in the Cayman Islands with an in-house Radiologist who specialized in breast health. Having an in-house Radiologist aids in fast image interpretation and reports, allowing women to know their results sooner, alleviating anxieties and ensuring their health is being taken care of in a timely and efficient manner. It is the first and only healthcare facility in Cayman to focus exclusively on women's health, utilizing the most advanced medical imaging technology systems to provide outstanding services. This allows OceanMed to create a supportive and calming environment for patients while upholding clinical excellence.

OceanMed's utilizes the most advanced medical imaging technology systems to provide outstanding services, allowing them to meet the changing needs of the community in the Cayman Islands, contribute to diagnostic research, and uphold clinical excellence. ③





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▶ Dubadah Boldeau Exhibits Her Art On the Thatch Walk



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# Cayfest 2020 To Showcase the Best of Cayman's Culture

Creative excellence from Cayman's arts and culture community will be on display next month when Cayfest, the Cayman National Cultural Foundation's (CNCF) annual arts and culture festival, gets underway in February. Organisers are looking forward to once again highlighting the cultural diversity and artistic talent that flourishes in Cayman. For those artisans, actors, comics, fashion designers, magicians, food vendors, singers, dancers, instrumentalists, musical groups, poets and storytellers who haven't signed up yet to participate in this special event, there is still time to get involved.

Cayfest is Cayman's finest showcase of talent with an emphasis on local arts and culture, and an eclectic mix of visual arts and crafts, music, theatre, dance, film, fashion design, and cultural discussions. This year's celebrations will kick off on Thursday, 20 February with the 26th annual National Arts & Culture Awards, followed by the signature Red Sky at Night arts festival on 29 February from 4pm to midnight, and culminate with Dress for Culture Day on Friday 13 March, timed to coincide with the week of Commonwealth Day.

"For over 25 years, Cayfest has energised the participation of our artists, weaving several of the strands that make Cayman's arts and culture so delightfully complex. Showcasing film and photography, theatre, comedy, dance,

music, traditional Cayman and the next wave of talent, the festival supports the mission that CNCF undertook over 30 years ago, which is to signify Cayman's heritage and culture, and to give it form, context and meaning. We invite you to not only enjoy what's on offer but also take an active part in any way that you can," said Henry Muttoo, CNCF Artistic Director."

The National Arts & Culture Awards takes place at the Harquail Theatre and is an invitation-only affair. The ceremony recognises those who have contributed to the arts, culture and heritage of the Cayman Islands, attained a level of merit in their artistic discipline and/or supported the work of CNCF. The award categories are the Gold, Silver and Bronze Heritage Cross, the Gold, Silver and Bronze Stars for Creativity, the Chairman's Award and the Outstanding Volunteer Award.

"This is an opportunity for us to shine a light on those who have blazed a trail in building, sustaining and revolutionising Cayman's arts scene and culture, while reminding us from where we've come," said Muttoo.

The festivities continue the following weekend with the very popular Red Sky at Night multicultural arts fair on the grounds of the Harquail Theatre. From steel pan, fiddles and drums to DJs, dance troupes, storytelling and theatre, there is no shortage of entertainment at



▶ Participants in 2019 Parade of Nations at Red Sky

Red Sky. Both established and up-andcoming artistes are welcomed and embraced on the various Red Sky stages.

There will also be dozens of booths with locally made art, crafts, jewellery, clothes and accessories on Thatch Walk, as well as local vendors in the Café Cayman area offering dishes such as Cayman style beef, fish rundown, stewed conch and lobster and desserts including pepper jelly, coconut treats, heavy cakes, ice cream and doughnuts. In addition, the Creative Kids area will provide supervised activities and specialty food

for kids ages three to 12.

Friday, 13 March is Dress for Culture Day, now in its eighth year. This annual 'dress up, dress down' fundraiser celebrates Cayman's multicultural community which is comprised of over 100 nationalities. Schools, businesses and individuals across the Cayman Islands are encouraged to creatively display their homeland pride and cultural attire on that day for a donation of \$5 per adult and \$3 per student. Monies raised go toward CNCF Young at Arts youth

"Being a part of Dress for Culture Day can be as elaborate or as simple as you like. Wear your country colours, a scarf or tie with a particular plaid or design, or a full-fledged costume if the spirit takes you, anything that expresses who you are culturally. You may even find connections with others that you didn't know existed!" said CNCF Managing Director, Marcia Muttoo.

### **GET INVOLVED!**

Vendor registration for Red Sky at Night closes on 31 January so there is still time for local artists and artisans to sign up to promote, sell or display their work. Food vendor spaces are available

Groups can also join the Parade of Nations during Red Sky At Night. It is a beautiful and colourful display of all the wonderful cultures we have right here in Cayman. Every nation is welcome. Anyone who registers a group will receive \$5 off each adult Red Sky ticket for the group.

To register and for more information email cncf@artscayman.org or call (345) 949-5477.

### **TICKETS**

Tickets for Red Sky At Night are \$15 for adults, \$5 for children 12 and under and \$10 for seniors (65+) and students ages 13 to 17, and are available for purchase online now at www.eventpro.ky.

For more information about Cayfest, email cncf@artscayman.org, call 949.5477 or visit www.artscayman.org/cayfest.



▶ Maypole Dancing in the Caymanian Village at Red Sky





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# Provenance Properties Cayman Islands sponsors National Gallery exhibit to celebrate local art

National Gallery's "Cayman Islands National Collection" forms part of a new outdoor art exhibit in Camana Bay

Provenance Properties Cayman Islands, Dart Real Estate's sole real estate brokerage and the exclusive Christie's International Real Estate affiliate in the Cayman Islands, is showcasing an outdoor art exhibit in Camana Bay throughout the winter season.

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Curated by the National Gallery, the installation includes 10 iconic works from the official "Cayman Islands National Collection" developed by the National Gallery, featuring works that were created over the past four decades. The collection features works by well-known and highly respected local artists, such as Gladwyn "Miss Lassie" Bush, that were created over the past six decades.

"Provenance Properties has a direct connection to the art world through its exclusive affiliation with Christie's, the world's leading art auction house, and we believe it's fitting for us to showcase this collection because art, in its many forms, inspires our business," said Jackie Doak, Dart's President Business Development.

Director and chief curator of the National Gallery Natalie Urquhart said the Cayman Islands' National Collection offers an unparalleled record of the islands' rich artistic and cultural history.

"At the heart of the National Gallery of the Cayman Islands is the Cayman Islands' National Collection, samples from which form the basis of this exhibition," she said. "They're a testament to the country's vibrant history of art. The National Gallery is delighted to continue its creative partnership with Camana Bay and Provenance Properties through this exhibition of iconic works."

"The exhibit is beautifully curated," said Doak, who also explained that Provenance Properties' approach to curating its own luxury listings portfolio has many similarities to the way a gallery curator might assemble a collection of works. "Our luxury properties are works of art and we value their form and function. We also share in Christie's high standards by representing some of the world's most desired properties right here in the Cayman Islands.

Doak encourages residents and visitors to head to Camana Bay to experience the exhibit, which can be seen along the Paseo, as well as viewing the original works at the National Gallery of the Cayman Islands. "Everyone should see it and be reminded that you don't need to fly to London or New York to experience fine art - it can be found in our own backyard."

### About Provenance **Properties Cayman Islands**

Provenance Properties is the exclusive Cayman Islands Christie's International Real Estate affiliate, the sole real estate



brokerage for Dart Real Estate and a member of the Cayman Islands Real Estate Brokers Association (CIREBA).

Provenance provides access to a large and growing portfolio of private residences, condominiums, hotel residences and land in the Cayman Islands. In addition to premium entry to the Cayman Islands most desirable properties, Provenance leverages the experience and reputation of the region's premier real estate developer.

For more information, visit provenanceproperties.com, keep up with the latest information on Facebook and follow us on Twitter, Instagram, and LinkedIn.

### **About Camana Bay**

A destination within a destination, Camana Bay is a vibrant town located in the heart of Grand Cayman in the Cayman Islands, a British Overseas Territory.

Situated on 685 acres between Seven Mile Beach and the North Sound, this mixed-use master-planned community is one of the first examples of New Urbanism in the Caribbean.

Developed by Dart Real Estate, Camana Bay offers more than 650,000 square feet of commercial office and retail space as well as 63 luxury apartments available for long-term lease, and condos, townhomes and duplexes at OLEA, Camana Bay's first for-sale residential project. The town also offers public spaces for all to enjoy, world-class shopping and dining, as well as family-friendly entertainment, events and attractions.

For more information, visit camanabay.com and keep up with the latest developments on Facebook and follow us on Instagram.

### About National Gallery of the Cayman Islands

Established in 1996, the National Gallery of the Cayman Islands (NGCI) is the country's leading visual arts museum and education centre, charged with promoting and encouraging the appreciation and practice of the visual arts in the Cayman Islands. The mission is achieved through exhibitions, education and out-

reach programmes, school tours, community festivals, and ongoing research projects. Holding up to six exhibitions annually at our central exhibition space, and satellite venues around Grand Cayman and the Sister Islands, the curatorial team strives to create a balance between exhibitions of quality Caymanian artwork with art from further afield. This is achieved by working with a broad cross-section of artists and ranging from site-specific work to more traditional gallery-based projects. For more information, visit the National Gallery website www.nationalgallery.org.ky.





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# Trini cops: No ganja at carnival

Trinidad and Tobago is preparing for its celebrated carnival season but the police have warned revellers not to openly smoke marijuana even though it has recently been legalised.

Think again about smoking marijuana during a public carnival event this year, the police have warned.

Sgt Orcil Phillip of the Traffic Branch advised against taking a smoke during a fete. "Anyone caught smoking marijuana in a public place will be immediately arrested. Just because a party is private and requires a paid ticket does not make it a private space," he said.

Electronic cigarettes would also be under scrutiny, as Phillip said that officers would be on the lookout for devices which could facilitate the smoking of the substance on Feb. 24 and 25.

Phillip said the police would keep their eyes pried for "any lighted or heated device, pipe or any other product whether natural or synthetic for the inhalation of a substance in any manner or



► Trinidad's carnival will be ganja restricted

in any form and includes the use of an electronic smoking device that creates an aerosol or vapour in any manner or any form or the use of any orally used device for the purpose of inhalation of the substance."

He also reminded the public that several police officers manned these events. Philip also urged drivers to be well rested before taking the roads after the events.

"Tired drivers are considered more dangerous than drunk drivers so please pay attention to how tired you are and how you are feeling after these events," he said.

### Holness enjoys rum tour

Jamaica Prime Minister Andrew Holness recently toured the world-renowned Joy Spence Appleton Estate Rum Experience in Nassau Valley, St Elizabeth.

The tour, which gave an insight into Jamaica's rich history and culture, was conducted by Joy Spence, Appleton Estate's Master Blender, and J. Wray & Nephew directors.

Holness was taken to the mini theatre on the property, which displayed the process and history of Jamaica's rum, a milling station and a molasses station.

He also toured the estate's distillery, warehouse, and viewed the Prime Minister Reserve Collection.

Holness was presented with a 21-year special collection brew, the Prime Minister's Collection. He lauded Spence for her continued contribution to the local spirits industry, having been appointed the first female Master Blender globally and serving close to 40 years in the industry.



► Andrew Holness enjoyed his trip to the rum

"I am certain that you are coaching others to come on board. Your dedication to the industry, your contribution is definitely valued," he said.

Spence said that Appleton Estate prides itself on promoting Brand Jamaica locally and internationally. "Rum and our Jamaican heritage go hand in hand, and so Brand Jamaica is very important in our promotions internationally," Spence said.

### St Lucia Jazz invites Chick Corea

The Saint Lucia Jazz Festival organisers have revealed its line up and Chick Corea will be the biggest name performing. Saint Lucia has been hosting a vibrant jazz festival annually since 1992. It has attracted visitors from around the world for events and concerts celebrating multiple forms of international, Saint Lucian and Caribbean jazz music.

The festival runs from May 7-9. The 2020 Saint Lucia Jazz Festival produced in collaboration with Jazz at Lincoln Centre, New York, will feature the finest names in modern jazz performing in venues throughout Saint Lucia's distinct landscape, including

The Ramp on Rodney Bay and Gros Islet Park.

The three-day festival will feature world renowned artists who have performed on Jazz at Lincoln Centre's season concerts, touring initiatives, and global outposts, as well as throughout Saint Lucia Jazz Festival's 28-year history.

The line-up includes Chick Corea's Vigilette with Carlitos Del Puerto, Marcus Gilmore and special guest; Roy Hargrove Celebration with Willie Jones III featuring Renée Neufville; Alphonso Horne and The Gotham Kings; Ruben Fox's London Brass featuring Theon Cross and Mark Kavuma and Maher Beauroy presents WASHA!



► Chick Corea headlines at the St Lucia Jazz Festival

# Dominica hit by earthquakes

Dominica was hit by two earthquakes in the past fortnight. The second quake took place at 8:17pm, according to the Trinidad-based UWI Seismic Research Centre.

The epicentre of the 4.6 quake was located 39km south east of Roseau, 54 km north of Fortde-France, Marti-

nique and 118 km north of Castries, Saint Lucia. Many Dominicans took to social media to say they felt the quake.

On Monday a 3.3 magnitude tremor shook mostly the southern section of Dominica.



▶ Dominica's earthquakes were felt in Roseau

On January 8, a 5.2 quake took place off the southern coast of Dominica and was felt on several islands.

They were the latest in a series of quakes that has shaken the region in recent weeks.

# Antigua is almost crime free

Antigua and Barbuda recorded a marked reduction in murders and other serious crime last year and claims to be one of the safest places in the Caribbean.

With just three murders recorded in 2019, Acting Commissioner of Police Atlee Rodney said this is a 75 percent decrease from 2018.

"We have recorded the lowest number of murders in the country for almost 20 years. The years that we had less than five murders were in 2000 and 2001, when we had four in both years." he said.

Rodney said gun related and violent crimes decreased by 42 percent. This he said, can be attributed to ongoing anti-crime exercises which include efforts to remove illegal firearms off the streets.

He did note however, a marked increase in the overall number of crimes



► Antigua is relatively safe from crime

reported - 2,836 last year, 634 more than 2018.

He said petty theft, car break-ins, home invasions and malicious damage account for more than half of the crimes reported. Most crimes were committed in Antigua's capital, St John's.

# Jamaica to sue traders over plastic use

Jamaican businesses defying the ban on single-use plastics and Styrofoam products are being taken to court as the government moves to ensure the measure gets complete compliance.

While admitting that there has been overwhelming support for the ban, Daryl Vaz of the Ministry of Economic Growth and Job Creation announced that more than two dozen businesses will have to face the courts soon for failing to comply with the restrictions that took effect on Jan. 1 last year.

He said six businesses have already been fined under the Natural Resources Conservation Authority (Plastic Packaging Materials Prohibition) Order, 2018, and "30 other businesses and individuals will face the courts in the coming weeks, making a total of 36 businesses prosecuted, up to the present".

Vaz said warning notices had been issued to the non-compliant persons and companies before enforcement action was taken.

The Minister said that while prosecution is never the preferred strategy, the government saw the need to put in place fines for those who are non-compliant,



▶ Daryl Vaz announced the plastic use fines

and to ensure that the legislative backing is in place, should enforcement of the ban become a challenge.

The maximum fine is J\$2 million (US\$15,000) and carries a term of imprisonment of two years.

Vaz also disclosed that the Jamaica Customs Agency has also complied at the ports of entry by confiscating banned items, preventing them from entering the trade.

He added that, since the ban, the country has witnessed a pronounced reduction of plastics in the terrestrial and marine environment.

# Barbados launches corruption sweep

Barbados Attorney General Dale Marshall said the government is investigating evidence of corruption at several state entities, and has promised that when the proof is unearthed, some people will face the courts.

Marshall assured that Barbadians will get the "blood" they're seeking, once investigations by London-based law firm Fulcrum Chambers are completed.

He said the Mia Mottley-led administration had engaged the services of the "very reputable law firm" which "has specialised in doing corruption and bribery cases both in England, the United States and other parts of the world", and the firm had completed a three-month scoping study.

That study, the Attorney General said, examined the financial dealings of state enterprises and other departments to identify those areas where there is prima facie evidence of corruption, so as which would inform a more in-depth and intensive investigation stance to be taken by the Government.

He said the consultants from Fulcrum are expected to deliver their



▶ Dale Marshall wants to see corruption curbed

report to the Government early next month.

"I know that Barbadians want blood, I suppose," Marshall said. "They want to know that some people face the courts, and I guarantee, some people will face the court. They have to face the court, but you don't carry to court a man based on hearsay, you carry a man to court based on proof."

Breach of the legislation can result in sentences ranging from BDS\$5,000 (US\$2,500) or two months in prison or both, to BDS\$20,000 (US\$10,000) or two years in prison or both.

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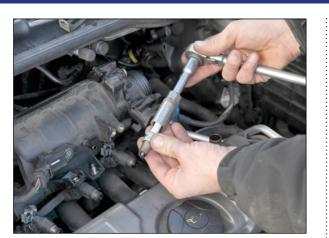
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Bodden Town	Lorna's Rubis	4.66	4.94	4.55
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Savannah	Savannah Rubis	4.69	4.94	4.49
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Red Bay	On The Run ( Brown's Red Bay)	4.68	4.94	4.54
George Town	Peanuts	4.62	4.92	4.54
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George Town	Refuel	4.41	4.59	4.19
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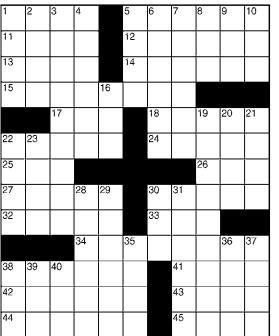
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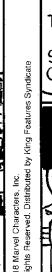
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