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Cayman reels under rampant inflation



► Living in George Town is getting more costly

Cayman Island residents are feeling the effects of widespread inflation, currently running at 11.2 percent overall annually. As many will attest, housing and utilities (20.1%) and transport (15.75%) saw the highest increases in the year from March 2021-22. Food, gas and diesel, energy bills and water costs are going up at an alarming rate with wages stagnant. Many are tightening their belts to cope in these post-pandemic times.

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) increased by 11.2 percent in the first quarter

of 2022 when compared to the same period in 2021. All twelve CPI divisions recorded increases in average prices. Clothing and footwear (8.0%) and household equipment (7.2%) also saw high increases.

In the first quarter of 2022, housing and utilities huge increases was due mainly to average cost of electricity rising by an astronomical 35.0 percent. Water supply costs increased by 25.3 percent, imputed rentals for owner-occupiers rose by 19.7 percent, materials for the maintenance and repair of the dwelling went up by 16.2 percent and

actual rentals paid by tenants soared by 12.3 percent.

The transport index rose by 1.0 percent, and fuel prices climbed by an alarming 29.0 percent. The index for other services regarding personal transport equipment increased by 17.1 percent, and the index for the purchase of motor vehicles also went up by 14.7 percent.


Clothing and footwear rose by 8.0 percent in the first quarter of 2022. That's because there was a 28.0 percent rise in the prices of footwear purchased abroad and a 7.9 percent increase in clothing purchased locally.

Unfortunately for Cayman residents, WorldData.info, lists the Cayman Islands as the third most expensive country in the world for expats behind Bermuda and Switzerland.

At least expats can rest assured that George Town is not one of the world's most expensive places. Hong Kong is the world's most expensive city to live in for foreign workers for a second consecutive year due to higher prices and a stronger currency.

New York and Geneva are second and third in the rankings, according to a study conducted in March by ECA International, a market research company that helps companies to calculate cost-of-living allowances for employees on international assignments. The report ranks 207 cities in 120 countries.

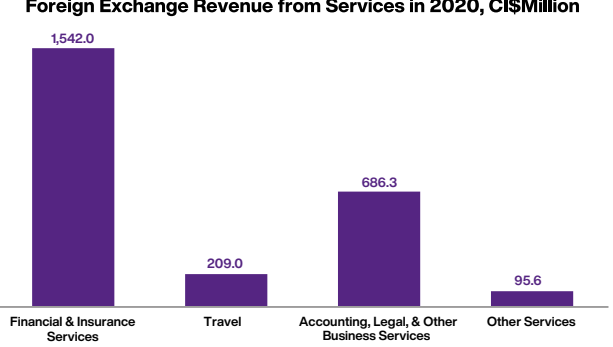
London and Tokyo round off the top five most expensive cities for foreign workers. Steep rent rises were part of the reason with the cost of leasing property in those cities increasing by 20 percent and 12 percent, respectively, according to ECA research.



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In 2020, total foreign exchange revenue from Cayman's export of services totaled CI \$2.5 billion.

Foreign Exchange Revenue from Services in 2020, CI\$ Million



Service Category	Revenue (CI\$ Million)
Financial & Insurance Services	1542.0
Travel	209.0
Accounting, Legal, & Other Business Services	686.3
Other Services	95.6

Did the Cayman Islands revenue on export of services increase or decrease?

The annual Balance of Payments (BOP) Survey collects information necessary in recording the Cayman Islands residents' foreign transactions with the rest of the world.

The survey runs April 11th to June 17th, 2022.


Data collected for the BOP survey is **CONFIDENTIAL** under the Statistics Act (2016 Revision) and is **EXEMPT** from the Freedom of Information Act.

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► Hong Kong is the world's most expensive city



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Miss World Cayman Islands hosts EnviroWalk 2022 5k Walk/Run

[His Excellency Governor will go head-to-head with current titleholder as a friendly competition]



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Environmental 5K Walk/Run

Find out June 26

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The Miss World Cayman Islands Organization (MWCI) invites the community to take part in the 3rd annual EnviroWalk 2022 5K Walk/Run on Sunday, 26th June 2022, 6:30 a.m to 9 a.m at Safehaven Drive, West Bay.

EnviroWalk is an annual fundraising

event for the MWCI pageant and for Girl Power Limited, a non-for-profit organization that trains and mentors young women between the ages of 15 and 27 free of charge. Each year, proceeds from the walk/run go toward a local non-for-profit organization that is working to help bring aware-

ness and protection to the Environment.

"In 2019 MWCI donated \$500 to Plastic Free Cayman and in 2020, \$500 was donated to the Protect our

Future organization," said Pamela Ebanks-Small, Director of MWCI. "The 2021 EnviroWalk was skipped due to the COVID-19 pandemic, so we are very excited that our annual fundraiser is back on the calendar, and more importantly, we are thrilled to play our part in bringing more awareness to our environment." Ms. Ebanks-Small added.

Highlights to look forward to at the event include a 10-minute warm-up session led by MWCI's fitness sponsor F45 just before the 5K Walk/Run begins. Current Miss World Cayman Islands, Rashana Hydes and event supporter, His Excellency Governor Martyn Roper will be leading the 5K Walk/Run. They will both run the 5K course as a friendly competition. Following the event,

participants are welcome to meet and greet the 2022 MWCI contestants.

Participating sponsors include DMS Broadcasting, Radio Cayman, F45, Subway, Execution Sound, High Impact Media, Refuel, and WATA (Jacques Scott Group). Registration fee is \$25 for adults, \$15 for children (under 12). Participants can sign up online at <https://www.ticketsplus.ky/en/event/envirowalk>. There are lots of raffle prizes to be won, thanks to our sponsors and local businesses. The first 100 participants to register will get a free T-shirt. Challenge your company to run or walk for the environment. Company or Group discounts can be made for 10 or more participants.

Follow us on Facebook.com/MissWorldCayman or Instagram @envirowalkcayman and @missworldcayman. For more information on company or group rates or on the event kindly e-mail missworldcayman@gmail.com.



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Cayman Art Week returns with five days of free art events across all three islands, adding new venues and partners in 2022



► Patrons of all ages flocked to local galleries during CAW 2021.



► Open Studios visits will take place again during CAW 2022.

Building on the success of last year's inaugural event, Cayman Art Week is back from 22 to 26 June with another packed programme of exhibitions, panels and parties taking place at 34 venues across the Cayman Islands, all free and open to the public.

Cayman Art Week brings together local galleries, artist studios and pop-up exhibitions to create a platform where art lovers and collectors directly can connect directly with artists, from established names to emerging new talent.

Participating venues are open throughout the week. Each day focuses on a different area of the Cayman Islands with hop-on bus tours making it easy to visit multiple destinations. Up first is 'CAW West' taking place on Thursday 23 June in the Seven Mile Beach and West Bay area. On Friday, the party moves to George Town for CAW Central/Art in the City in partnership with the George Town Revitalisation. On Saturday, buses head to the eastern districts for CAW East, and Sun-

day is an Open Studio Day where artists from across all three islands open their doors to the public.

New this year is the Cayman Art Week Hub at Camana Bay which will feature a pop-up exhibition, meeting space and information centre. The Hub will host a programme of art talks, portfolio reviews and career advice for creative students and emerging artists.

Initially created in response to the impact of the pandemic on the creative sector, Cayman Art Week aims to support the growth of a sustainable art market and raise the visibility of artists in Cayman.

A thriving creative sector aligns with the strategic priorities of the Ministry Youth, Sports, Culture and Heritage who are one of Cayman Art Week's lead partners this year. Minister YSCH Hon. Bernie Bush said, "With its mission to identify and nurture young creative talent and to provide opportunities for young artists to participate in the industry, Cayman Art Week fits closely with my priorities and Ministry's vision. We are committed to empowering a thriving society that values, celebrates and supports its unique culture and to en-

surging access to arts for everyone in our community."

The Ministry of Youth, Sports, Culture & Heritage joins Provenance Properties, the National Gallery of the Cayman Islands and the George Town Revitalisation as lead partners of Cayman Art Week alongside CAW Patron Susan Olde. A full schedule of events can be found at <https://www.caymanartweek.com/events>, plus profiles and artwork samples from featured venues and an easy to use google map.

"In 2021, Cayman Art Week highlighted how much creative potential we have in Cayman, and we are looking forward to a 2022 edition which offers a broader public programme of events and venues across our three islands," says Natalie Urquhart, the founder-director of Cayman Art Week. "We are excited to collaborate with the Ministry to broaden the spectrum even further this year and to create even more visibility for our artists."

For more information about Cayman Art Week, to register an event or to sign up for the schedule, please email info@caymanartweek.com or visit www.caymanartweek.com.



► Artist Gordon Solomon will host a series of events for CAW 2022 week from the Solomon Studio in Cayman Brac.



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Enjoy a Summer Serenade at the Harquail Theatre



► Jon conducting purposefully

Dubbed 'cool music for a warm summer evening', the Cayman National Choir & Orchestra's upcoming concert 'Summer Serenade' will feature some of Cayman's most talented musicians performing a mix of musical genres likely to please a range of music-lovers.

The event, which will take place on Friday 17 June starting at 7.30pm at the Harquail Theatre, will be directed by CNCO's founder Sue Horrocks, along with Jonathan Taylor, the orchestra's Musical Director. The event is a poignant one for the musicians as it will be Jonathan's farewell concert, as he is leaving Cayman and heading back to the UK along with his wife Nicole, the orchestra's Principal Clarinet.

Attendees can expect music from the baroque and classical genres, as well as lighter pieces, featuring a range of soloists from within the choir and orchestra and beyond. In particular, Cayman musicians will be celebrated, their talent and commitment keeping the musical flame burning bright, organisers said.

Flute player Liz Millson will be joining Shauna Basiuk to perform Vivaldi's Double Flute Concerto in C Major and Nicole Taylor will be singing 'My Heart was an Island' from Swiss Family Robinson.

Greta Ecke will be giving the world premiere of a piece of Jonathan's for solo cello and orchestra called 'When you are old'.

Exceptional talent

During the five years under Jonathan's baton, the orchestra has expanded its membership, added a strong percussion section, brought in talented young players and excited concert audiences with the quality of the music, organisers explained. The Symphony Orchestra could now claim to be a leader in its field in the Caribbean, they confirmed.

Sue Horrocks, who founded the CNCO 20 years ago, said: "Jon's musical talents, enthusiasm, energy and ability to communi-



► Sue Jon ensemble facing the audience

cate with his fellow musicians, led me to ask him to take up the mantle. He has led the orchestra to new heights and entertained audiences who will remember his Mancunian 'chats' and love for the music of John Williams."

Sarah Newman, the leader of the orchestra, said: "Jon has helped the orchestra gain a professional sound through his rigorous rehearsal skills and contagious energy. He has always been encouraging, giving me, other orchestra members and local students, the opportunity to perform solos and compositions."

Jonathon studied composition at the Royal Northern College of Music in Manchester before becoming the Musical Director of the Greater Manchester Police Band in 2012. He has composed, arranged and directed music for a wide range of occasions, including directing welcoming fanfares for Her Majesty the Queen. As a performer, he plays piano, percussion and brass, as well as teaching in the Cayman Islands.

Jonathan said the opportunity to conduct, grow and present the fabulous Cayman National Orchestra over the last five years had been "an absolute thrill".

"I am so proud of what this small island has to offer in musical quality and diversity; it really is a centre of the arts in the Caribbean which I hope will continue to go from strength to strength. I would like to give particular thanks to Ms Sue Horrocks

for presenting me with this fabulous opportunity and the CNCO committees over the years for their wonderful support," he stated.

Organisers said they would be very sorry to see Jonathan and Nicole go and would like to thank them for the huge contribution they had made to music in Cayman.

Dawn Eaton, President of the Cayman

National Choir & Orchestra said: "While Jon will be greatly missed, we are eagerly recruiting for a new musical director who can continue to build on the orchestra's success and ensure an exciting future for our members and our community."

Tickets are \$35 adults/\$12 for under-18s and advance bar tickets are available at Eventpro.ky.

COVID-19 - Epidemiological Week 22

The Ministry of Health and Wellness has released this week's Public Health Spotlight on communicable and non-communicable diseases. This week's publication covers data on COVID-19 for Epi. Week 22, monkeypox and the arrival of a new epidemiologist.

The Ministry of Health and Wellness welcomes Epidemiologist Rachel Corbett, who recently arrived from the UK. Rachel will be supporting the monitoring and reporting of infectious diseases in the Cayman Islands, and is working here for the next 6 months.

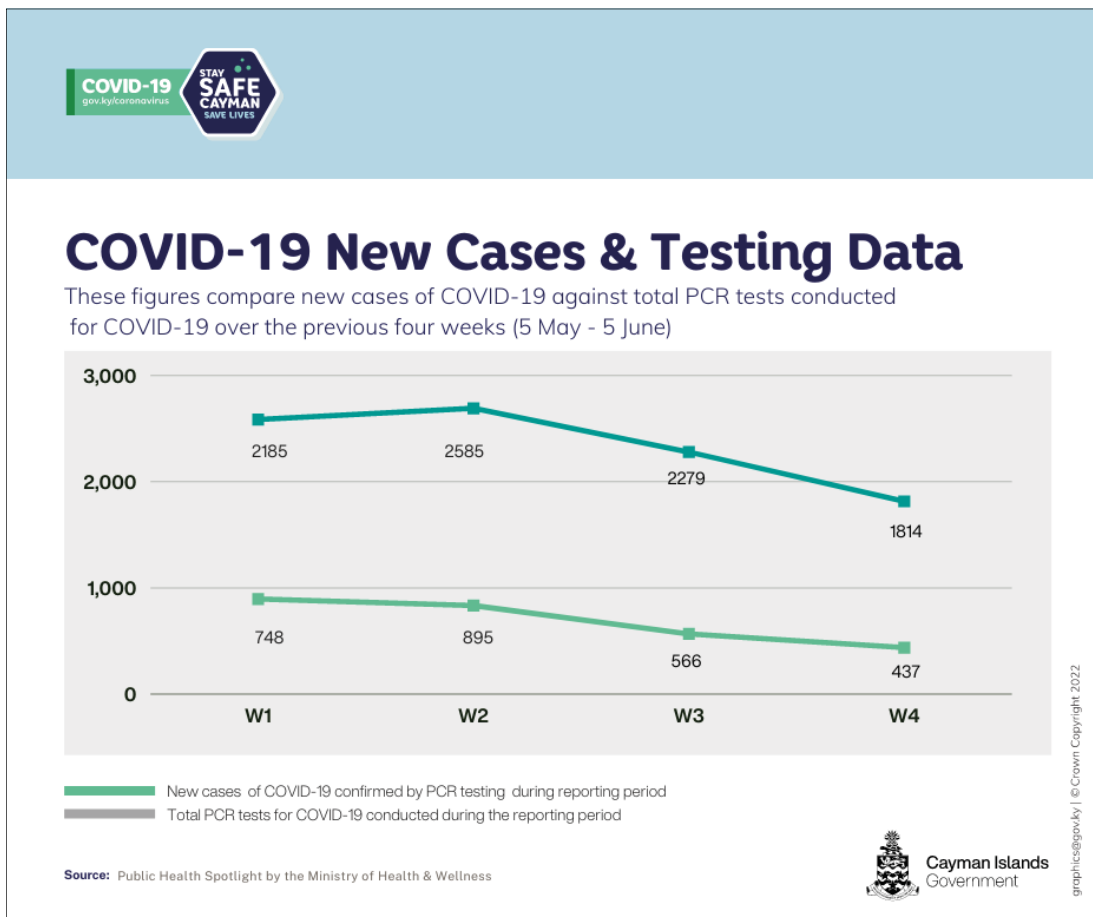
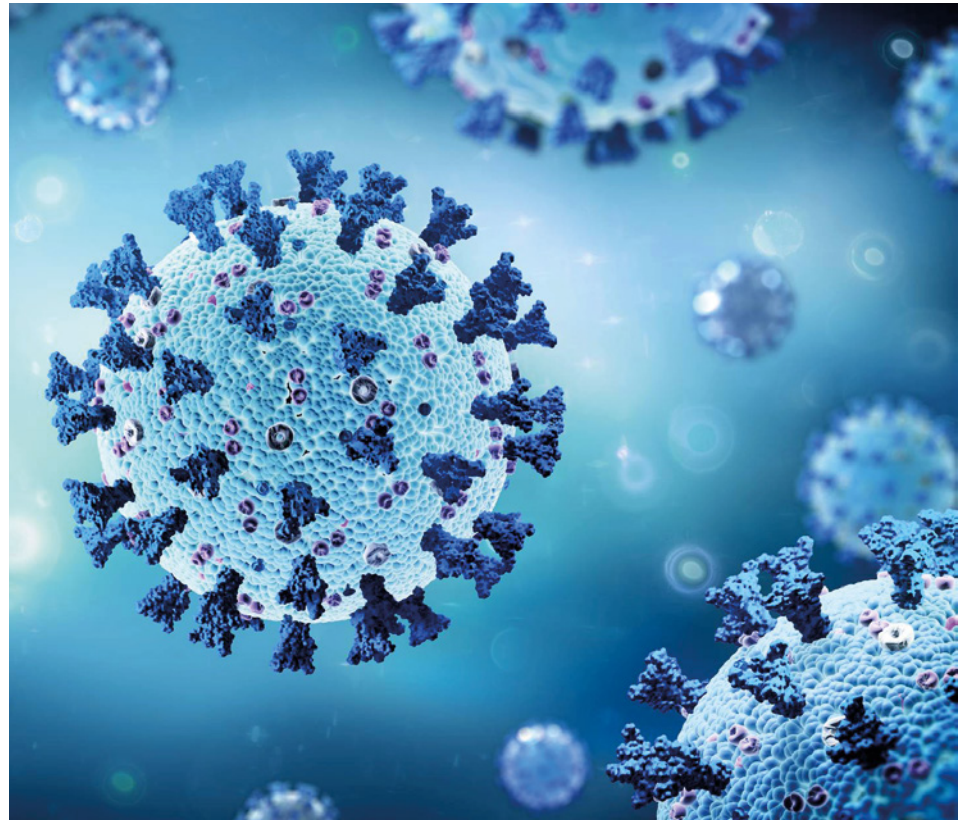
Rachel has previously studied at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine and worked as an Epidemiologist in the UK for over 6 years. She has experience at the local, national and international level.

During the pandemic, Rachel led the International Travel Risk Assessment team within the UK COVID-19 Incident Response to assess the risk of COVID-19 travellers faced when travelling abroad to any country in the world and inform government policy.

You can find the web version here: <https://www.gov.ky/news/press-release-details/public-health-spotlight---issue-ii---9-june>



► Rachel Corbett



International Situation

Internationally, the number of new COVID-19 cases and deaths is decreasing since the peak in January 2022. Regionally, between 30 May and 5 June there was an increase in the number of new weekly cases in the Eastern Mediterranean (+19%) Region and South East Asia Region (+1%), and an increase in new weekly deaths in the Western Pacific Region (+7%). Overall, the global pandemic is improving however the regional variation indicates that continued efforts are still required.

mained stable at 25% in Epi. Week 22 as the number of PCR tests conducted has decreased by 20% from 2,279 to 1,814.

Hospital Admissions

Seven new admissions to the two local hospitals were registered during Epi. Week 22, a slight increase on the previous week where five new admissions were reported. A total of 12 patients required inpatient treatment (two more than the previous week).

Vaccination

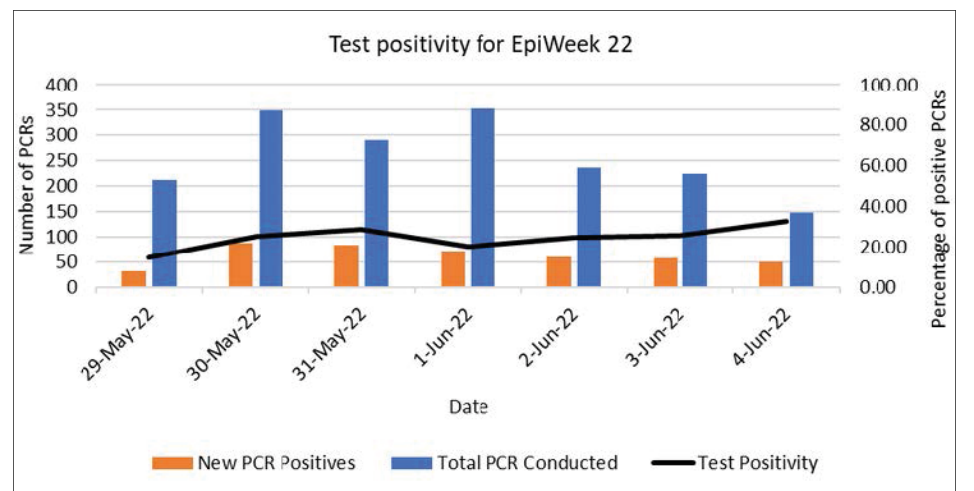
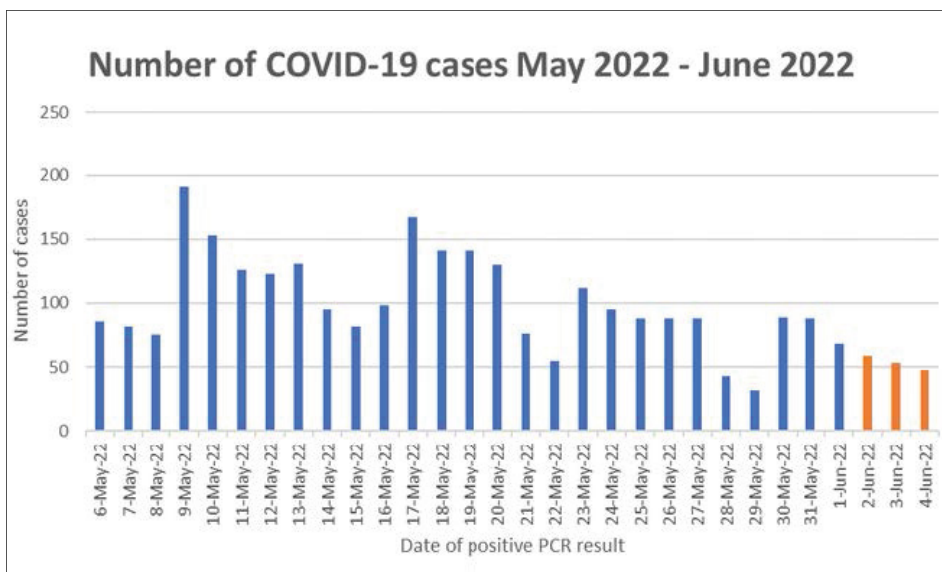
During Epi. Week 21, a total of 53 children received the paediatric COVID-19 vaccine (19 first doses and 34 second doses), bringing the total of vaccines given to children over these last 2 weeks to 182.

Cayman Islands Local Trends

The key indicators continue to decrease in the Cayman Islands, however, there is also a decline in the number of tests conducted. The number of new cases reported in Week 22 decreased by 23% from 566 to 437 cases. The daily new average of new positives fell to 62 from 81, a reduction of 23%. Whilst the number of new cases has fallen, the test positivity rate has re-

Key Message

There continue to be encouraging signals of decline in the current wave of infection, however the level of testing will need to remain sufficient in the coming weeks to confirm this.



► Data refers to the percentage of patients who tested positive via PCR in the prior 7-days. Data as at 07-06-2022

► Orange bars indicate PCR results are pending thus figures may change. Data as of 07-06-2022.

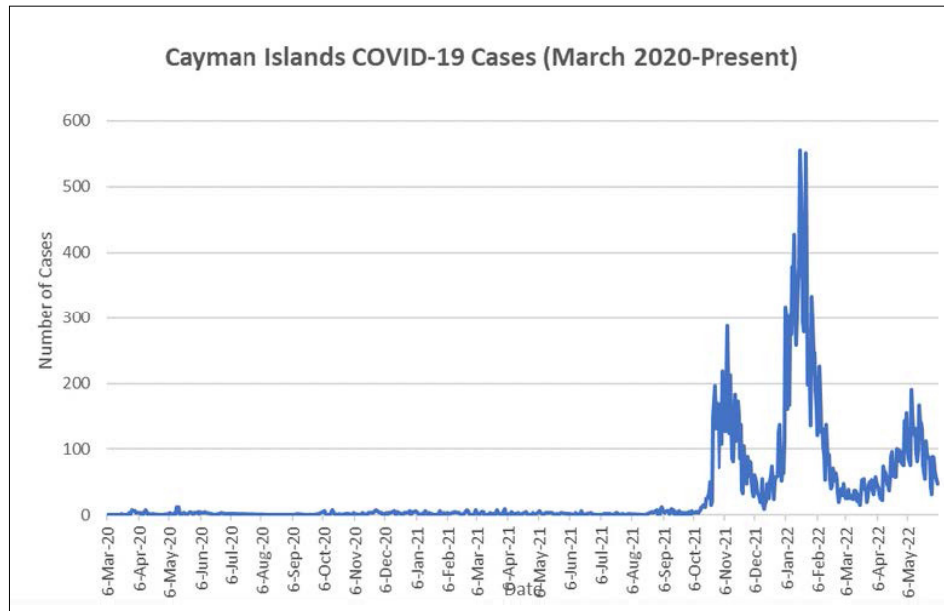
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	Total
Total cases to date (Fig 1)	26,325
Total number of PCR positives last 30 days (Fig. 2)	2,903
Total number of PCR tests conducted	1,814
Total number of new¹ positives	437
Daily average of new positives	62
Test positivity rate² (Fig. 3)	25%
Case Rate³	630

¹ Newly confirmed cases (PCR) reported to Public Health between 00:00 to 23:59 on 29 May 2022 – 4 June 2022.
² Number of new positive PCR results over total number of PCR tests done (new positive PCR results/total number of PCRs conducted)*100
³ Case Rate = proportion of persons who tested positive over population standardized to 100K population (New cases/total population)*100,000

► COVID-19 case numbers (29 May - 4 June). Data as of 07-06-22

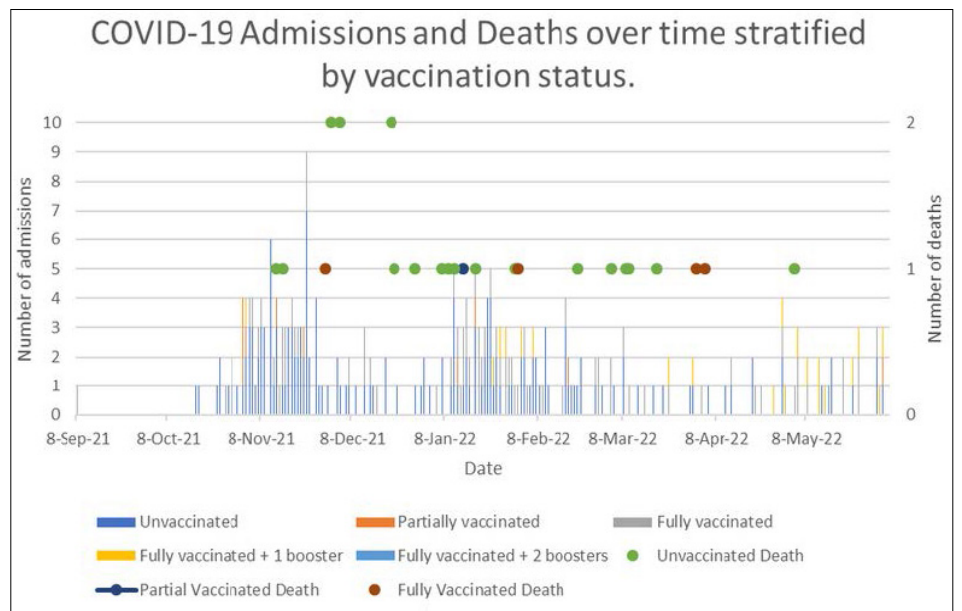


► Total COVID-19 cases since March 2020. Data as of 07-06-22

	Total
Total inpatients for reporting period	12
Percentage of admissions vaccinated(boosted)	14%(29%)
New admissions	7 (*2/7 in hospital for COVID-19)
Number on supplemental oxygen	0
Number ventilated	0
Number in intensive care	0
Number of new deaths	0
Total COVID-19 inpatients since March 2020 to 4 June 2022	295
Total COVID-19 deaths since March 2020 to 4 June 2022	28
Number of COVID-19 inpatients 10 and older (8 Sep 21 – 4 June 2022) (Fig. 5)	250
Number of COVID-19 inpatients below age 10 (8 Sep 21 to 4 June 2022) (Fig. 5)	22

Two out of the seven new admissions to hospital was for COVID-19 morbidity related issues; 5/7 tested positive to PCR for COVID-19 as a result of routine in-patient screening.

► COVID-19 hospitalisations (29 May - 4 June 2022). Data as of 07-06-22



► Current hospitalisations (since 8 September 2021 to 4 June 2022). Data as of 07-06-22

VISTRA CAYMAN CHARITABLE TRUST GIVES A BOOST TO R3

Vistra Cayman Charitable Trust has generously donated US\$75,000 to R3 Cayman Foundation which has been matched by the Kenneth B. Dart Foundation for a total of US\$150,000.

Jeffrey Goddard, Managing Director, Vistra Cayman, said: "At Vistra, doing the right thing is a core value and something we strive towards every day. One way this comes to life is through our sustainability pledges, of which supporting our communities is a priority and a genuine passion of our colleagues across Vistra." He went on to say, "I am delighted that we have been able to donate funds from the Vistra Cayman Charitable Trust on behalf of clients to R3 Cayman Foundation to help COVID-19 recovery efforts in Cayman."

R3 Cayman Foundation Chairman Bryan Hunter said, "The generous donation from Vistra Cayman Charitable Trust will help us (R3) to achieve our goal of bettering the lives

of people across the Cayman Islands who have been, or may be, adversely impacted by an emergency or disaster." He went on to say that R3's short-term goals include "continuing to provide support to the community with food, utility and rent relief programmes, children and family services and wellness and mental health programmes for those who have been most impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic."

Since inception, R3 has donated over US\$4.8 million to more than 25 local non-profit organisations and governmental departments and authorities supporting those who have been severely impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. While R3 continues to support relief efforts island-wide, there is also a focus on the Cayman Islands' readiness to ensure the various local communities and the country as a whole are prepared for any future emergencies and disasters.

As hurricane season is fast approaching, R3 will continue to provide support to programmes that focus on disaster preparedness and awareness, such as CERT Programmes. Mr. Hunter indicated that the foundation is

also working closely with programmes that aim to harden infrastructure and acquire equipment and systems used in the immediate response to hurricanes and other disasters.



► By Hon. G. Wayne Panton, JP, MP

GAS PRICES



Location	Gas Station	Regular	Premium	Diesel
East End	Eastern Star Rubis (Woody's)	6.1	n/a	6.65
NorthSide	Jack's Esso (Jack's II)	6.2	6.4	6.27
Bodden Town	Lorna's Rubis	6.1	6.35	6.5
Bodden Town	Mostyns Esso	6.95	7.14	6.27
Savannah	Savannah Rubis	6.1	6.35	6.65
Red Bay	Barcam	6.92	7.11	6.25
Red Bay	On The Run (Brown's Red Bay)	6.94	7.13	6.27
George Town	Peanuts	6.1	6.35	6.65
George Town	Jose's Escape	6.07	6.27	6.57
George Town	Refuel	5.84	6.04	6.14
George Town	Esso Tigermart 4 Way Stop (JS) H&B 11	6.94	7.13	6.75
George Town	Eastern Avenue Rubis	6.11	6.35	6.65
George Town	Walkers Rd. Rubis	6.1	6.35	6.65
George Town	On The Run (Mike's Walkers Rd.)	6.94	7.11	6.25
George Town	On The Run (Brown's Industrial Park)	6.94	7.13	6.77
George Town	On The Run (Mike's 7 Mile)	6.94	7.11	6.25
West Bay Rd.	H & B Esso (H&B 1 Seven Mile)	6.94	7.13	6.7
West Bay Rd.	7 Mile Rubis (AA 7 Mile)	6.1	6.35	6.65
West Bay	Hell Esso	6.92	7.11	6.15
West Bay	Esso 4 Way Stop (Four Winds)	n/a	n/a	n/a
George Town	Scotts Landing	6.32	n/a	6.38
Cayman Brac	West End	n/a	6.38	7.24
Cayman Brac	Tib Mart	n/a	6.38	n/a
Little Cayman	Village Square	n/a	6.36	7.69

Lowest Prices	Grand Cayman	5.84	6.04	6.14
Highest Prices	Grand Cayman	6.95	7.14	7.24

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TOURISM COULD REPLACE FINANCIAL SERVICES AS LEAD INDUSTRY: DEP. PREMIER

Hon. Deputy Premier Chris Saunders foresees tourism playing an even bigger role in Cayman's economy possibly in the next decade or so, and he wants the industry to be positioned to assume that role.

The sector is currently regarded as the second pillar of the Cayman economy behind financial services.

However, Mr Saunders cautions that the continuing challenges to financial services due mainly to pressure from external agencies could result in less revenue from the government from that industry.

In an impromptu address to members of the Cayman Islands Tourism Association (CITA) at their recent mid-year board meeting, Mr Saunders who is Minister for Finance, Economic Development and Labour, said tourism needs to be positioned and supported to take the lead role in the economy going forward.

"We got to accept that financial services has constantly been under attack for decades. It's just a matter of time before something's going to happen. And the only industry we're gonna have is going to be tourism where in the next 10 to 15 years it is going to be the pillar of this economy."

Considering that prospect, the economy minister is calling for more dynamism from the tourism sector

"We can't wait 10 to 15 years when things go south to start building tourism. We need to start laying the groundwork from now...because this is the second pillar of our industry today and in the next 10 years it's going to be the number one pillar whether you want to accept it or not," he told the CITA board members.

"We need to put the work in today to make sure that we position it for tomorrow."

Mr Saunders is calling for the Cayman tourism sector to be more competitive especially with the challenges it faces from other regional destinations.

"One of the things that makes it challenging for us to compete with other countries is that for those countries, tourism is their bread and butter. I mean, when you see Jamaica and Mexico and all different places fight for tourism, it is be-



► Chris Saunders

cause they need US dollars. So they can buy oil, they can buy food, fuel, they can buy food. For them, tourism is the only way of life."

Also present as a guest at the meeting was the Hon. Minister for Tourism Kenneth Bryan, credited by Mr Saunders as being the best person to drive tourism forward and secure its place of tourism as the future main pillar of Cayman's economy.

"In my opinion, and it's just my opinion back then while I was an opposition, what I saw missing from tourism was a certain hunger was a certain drive by the government. And the fact that financial services did so well that tourism normally took a backseat to financial services. And we wanted a minister that was young, hungry and driven. And I can tell you, in Caucus he takes on the entire room."

For his part, Mr Saunders assured the CITA officials of his commitment to ensuring that government support is in place to underpin the economically vital industry.

"It's important for us that this foundation is laid. Whatever investment we need, I don't look at spending more money on tourism as an expense. We see it as an investment," he said, pointing to spinoff benefits to other economic sectors from a vibrant tourism industry.

"I can tell you, even though the numbers aren't there, what tourism brings to the economy in terms of our livelihood and our ability to link, what we don't re-



► DELTA RETURNS

alise that is when people come and visit and the see other things, it also drives me over financial services industry too," he explained.

"So it's important for us to make the necessary investment now, but one of the things that we can't do is maintain the same mindset where we see this as being secondary. This has got to be something primary," Mr Saunders said

noting the global status of the tourism industry.

"At the end of the day, it is still the biggest industry that creates the most entrepreneurs globally worldwide. So from an economic standpoint, I want to give the assurance that wherever I can support Minister Bryan especially if finances are concerned, you will get support from me, so you don't have to worry about that."



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Due to the high demand for Tesla and Nissan Leaf parts, Premier Automotive Export has made the following changes in the acquisition of parts: Effective immediately, please log on to the Premier Automotive Export website (www.premieraexport.com) and click on the Contact Us link. The information that we will need to get the order right the first time: (1) Vehicle owner information including telephone/email. (2) Vehicle information- year, make model and vin. (3) Specific description of parts required with photo if possible.

Lithium Ion Battery news:

Many of the older Tesla and Nissan Leafs are now experiencing some battery degradation requiring replacement. PAE is an approved vendor for both the Tesla and Nissan Leaf Lithium Ion Battery packs. General Automotive Service has the necessary reprogramming tools to perform the repairs on the island.

In closing, we look forward to serving and supporting the Caribbean community in the adoption of electric vehicle transportation.

Effective immediately, all Tesla-Nissan parts quoted will be a landed cost to Grand Cayman which will include shipping, clearance and duty charges.



► Cayman welcomes back cruise

Birthday Celebrations, Fireworks Close CI Platinum Jubilee Week

With colour, pomp and affection for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, the Cayman Islands closed its extended Platinum Jubilee Weekend celebrations on **Monday, 6 June 2022**.

Her Majesty The Queen is the longest serving Monarch in British history, reigning over 70 years after acceding to the Throne on 6 February 1952. She is also the first British Monarch to celebrate a Platinum Jubilee in service to the people of the United Kingdom (UK), the Overseas Territories and the Commonwealth.

The extended weekend of weather-edited celebrations on Cayman Brac, Little Cayman and Grand Cayman which commenced on **Thursday, 2 June**, closed **Monday 6 June**, on Grand Cayman with hearty community focused activities.

The activities of the day began with a parade comprising eight uniformed contingents who presented their respects to the Monarch with a Royal Salute received by His Excellency the Governor, **Mr. Martyn Roper**, OBE, as they trooped past Government House.

The parade featured sharply ceremonial dressed contingents from the Royal Cayman Islands Police Service (RCIPS), the Cayman Islands Regiment, the Fire and Prison Services, the Cayman Islands Coast Guard, as well as the Girls Brigade, Scouts and Cub Scouts, the Cadet Corps and accompanied by a mass band. As the parade contingent formed up after an impressive entrance, the audience broke into a round of spontaneous and sustained applause in admiration of the precise and smartly attired participants.

Following next was the Queen's honours and awards presentation to six



► Ms Lucille Seymour, BEM, Cert. Hon. is pinned with her MBE award by His Excellency the Governor, Mr. Martyn Roper, OBE, in the company of Ms Jenny Manderson, MBE and Sir Alden McLaughlin, MBE, JP, MP.

awardees who had been honoured by the Queen in 2020, 2021 and 2022. Receiving the awards in person from the Governor and announced by the Deputy Governor, **Hon. Franz Manderson**, MBE, Cert. Hon. JP, were:

Ms Lucille Seymour, MBE, BEM, JP, (who received the MBE for services to

sport, education and the people of the Cayman Islands);

Ms Sharon Smith, MBE, JP, (who was awarded the MBE for services to the former Legislative Assembly of the Cayman Islands);

Ms Angela Marie Tanzillo-Swarts (who received an Honorary MBE for

services to the Islands' COVID-19 response);

Ms Natalie Coleman-Urquhart, BEM (who received a British Empire Medal (BEM) for services to arts and culture in Cayman and wider region);

Mr. Frank Christopher Volinsky, (who received an Honorary BEM for services to the Islands through The Bridge Foundation);

Ms Kim Bullings, Cert. Hon., **Ms Suzette Ebanks**, Cert. Hon. and **Ms Bianca Moore-Downey**, Cert. Hon. (who all received the CI Certificate and Badge of Honour for meritorious services during the COVID-19 pandemic).

A hearty three cheers for Her Majesty led by the Governor and joined enthusiastically by all present, the booming of a 21 gun-salute and a prayer for Her Majesty, led by Pastor Felix Manzanares, were other high points of the celebrations. The programme also included a melodious rendition of the National Song by Mrs. Karen Edie-Turner.

The joyous celebrations continued as members of the public, along with Ministers of Cabinet, Members of Parliament and government officials, enjoyed the Queen's Birthday Garden Party on the grounds of Government House, hosted by the Governor, Mr. Roper and his wife, Mrs. Lissie. The heart-warming occasion allowed community members to sample a fine spread prepared by Government House staff.

One special offering on the menu was the "Cayman Sunrise Cake" created by



► The attendees, led by His Excellency the Governor, Mr. Martyn Roper, OBE, bow their heads in a prayer to Her Majesty the Queen on her 96th Birthday, which was officially celebrated on Monday, 6 June 2022. Pastor Felix Manzanares leads in the prayer

Birthday Celebrations

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Anne Frawley which was the winning dessert from the Cayman Platinum Cake Competition, and prepared by Government House's Chef Mark Lea for all guests to taste. The Governor, during brief remarks, lauded Ms Frawley for her delectable coconut and mango creation. (The Governor's full remarks are attached to this release.)

Noting that to his knowledge, no other Overseas Territory had celebrated the Platinum Jubilee and the Birthday in quite such spectacular fashion as Cayman, the Governor said: "Her Majesty The Queen, and all Caymanians should be proud of the remarkable transformation that has occurred in Cayman over Her Majesty's 70-year reign."

The Governor added "This will be the last Queen's Birthday parade and party that I will have the honour of presiding over, as Lissie and I will sadly be departing Cayman next March.

We have thoroughly enjoyed our time here, getting to know the three beautiful islands and the people that make these islands their homes...But we are not going yet. I still have much to do in my final 10 months."

To close the celebration weekend, fireworks lit up the sky as they were set off in five locations beginning over the waters off the West Bay Public Beach at the northern end all the way to off Hog Sty Bay in George Town as the southern end. The remaining locations were across Seven Mile Public Beach, Governor's Beach and Coral Beach.

Set against a musical soundtrack broadcast by Radio Cayman 89.9FM, the fireworks display punctuated the evening skies with jewel-like brilliance and splendour, much to the delight of the hundreds of spectators present at each location and provided a fitting finale to the Cayman Islands' extended Platinum Jubilee weekend.

The visual treat was enhanced by the accompaniment of the music provided simultaneously using the services of five popular DJs Renato, Silver Fox, Neil Sam, Glenroy and Martino.

Earlier, the week's celebrations began on **Thursday, 2 June** with the Proclamation of the Official Lighting of the Royal Beacon on Grand Cayman read by newly appointed Town Crier, Mr. Craig Merren, Cert. Hon., followed that night by the Official Lighting of the Beacons on Grand Cayman and Cayman Brac, through which the Cayman Islands joined the UK, other territories and Commonwealth Member States in a simultaneous tribute to the Monarch.

Also for the first time ever on Cayman Brac, on **Saturday, 4 June** morning, the Queen's Birthday Parade and Honours Presentation proved a big hit with all at the Aston Rutty Centre.

Receiving their awards in person at the ceremony from the Governor and the Premier, who travelled to Cayman Brac for the events, were:

District Commissioner, **Mr. Bentley "Mark" Tibbetts Jr.**, Cert. Hon. for services rendered to the CI Government; and **Mr. Ralston Dilbert**, Cert. Hon., **Ms Kedine Hyde**, Cert. Hon. and **Ms Su-**



► Fireworks set off from five locations along Seven Mile Beach brought down the curtains on the Queen's Platinum Jubilee and Birthday long weekend; here viewed by the lead party on the beach outside Government House.

zette Young-Watson, Cert. Hon., all of whom received the Cayman Islands Certificate and Badge of Honour for meritorious services rendered during the COVID pandemic.

This was followed by His Excellency the Governor and the Premier planting 3 trees around the District Administration Building. Later that evening, a large audience gathered for celebrations and fireworks at the Spot Bay Community Cove.

Sunday, 5 June saw Services of Thanksgiving and heartfelt prayers for Her Majesty on **all three** islands: the Baptist Church on Little Cayman, the Aston Rutty Centre on Cayman Brac and Elmslie Memorial Church on Grand Cayman.

Other planned events by the Platinum Jubilee Committee such as concerts and an air show had to be postponed due to inclement weather conditions.

Commenting on the extended weekend's celebrations, the Governor said: "Our Platinum Jubilee and Queen's Birthday celebrations along West Bay Road and at Government House were a wonderful spectacle of colour, tradition and pomp. The Parade was outstanding. My thanks to all who came out to enjoy the various events despite the weather.

"So much incredibly hard work goes on behind the scenes to organise these events. Planning started last Autumn. I want to warmly thank all those involved from our excellent Platinum Jubilee

Steering Committee, Protocol, Celebrate Cayman, RCIPS, all our uniformed services, GIS, Public Works, our musical performers, the team in my office and at Government House and many others too numerous to mention who made the events so special.

"The fireworks all along Seven Mile Beach were an excellent way to bring our events to a close. A very fitting tribute to our remarkable and inspiring Queen on 70 years on the Throne."

Select proceedings that took place were live broadcast on the CI Government Facebook, CIG YouTube, CIGTV cable & Radio Cayman 89.9FM. The weekend's celebration video coverage can be viewed as posted at the Cayman Islands YouTube page.

Health Insurance Premium Payment Assistance Programme (PPAP) closes 30 June



The Health Insurance Premium Payment Assistance Programme will end on 30 June 2022 after serving persons who were lacking coverage due to COVID-19, particularly those who were employed in tourism and hospitality.

The programme, which was originally set to close in March 2022, continued to ease the transition for participants who were expected to return to work once travel restrictions were relaxed and tourism began to rebound.

From May 2021 to present, the Ministry of Health & Wellness in conjunction with the Health Insurance Commission (HIC) assisted an average of 878 persons per month who needed help paying their health insurance premiums at a cost of approximately CI\$1,170,195.

"As this programme culminates, I am

grateful that majority of persons who received aid from us have been able to have their healthcare coverage reinstated due to returning to work", said Hon. Sabrina Turner, Minister for Health & Wellness. "I would like to thank the Health Insurance Commission for delivering exceptional service to these persons as they stood in need of support", she added.

Persons who still may require coverage have been directed to utilise other public resources such as the Needs Assessment Unit's indigent insurance programme.

Programme participants have already been notified of the end date, however persons may contact the Health Insurance Commission via email to hic@gov.ky or by phone on 946-2084 for additional details.

Temporary Change for DCI Counter Hours

The Department of Commerce and Investment advises the public of its temporary business licensing counter hours, from 9a.m. to 12p.m. daily, beginning tomorrow 10 June 2022. These hours will remain in effect for the next two weeks.

Clients are encouraged to utilise DCI's online application services, visit

the counter during the operation hours or email info@dc.gov.ky. For convenience, DCI has also placed a dropbox at its counter so that persons may submit completed applications and cheques for processing.

DCI apologises for any inconvenience this may cause.

Flowers and YMCA announce Swim Free

A new programme to give every child in the Cayman Islands the chance to learn to swim



► Swim Free announcement at the Flowers Sea Swim 30th anniversary gala dinner

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During these incidents, items have been taken from construction sites, vehicles, and private residences, and are suspected to then be sold by the culprits directly to other entities or individuals involved in construction.

As such, the RCIPS is advising persons involved in construction work of precautions they can take against such thefts:

- Consider implementing increased lighting on job sites, and potentially hiring on-site security.

- Keep track of who attends the site during the day, and make note of any suspicious or unauthorised persons.

- Containers, structures, or vehicles, where tools and equipment are stored,

should be locked and secured overnight, or whenever left unattended.

- Equipment should not be left out in the open if possible.

- Additionally, it is best to record serial numbers of equipment and to mark items, so that they can be identified more easily if a theft does occur.

- Persons working in these businesses are also encouraged to report any instances of unusual attempts to sell them tools or equipment, as these goods may have been stolen.

For more information about what can be done to protect your home, business, or vehicle, please visit the link: <https://www.rcips.ky/crime-prevention>.

Additionally, if you have any information that you believe can assist the RCIPS with our investigation you can submit a tip via our Confidential Tip Line at 949-7777, or via our website.

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RCIPS Advises the Public of Increase in Theft of Construction Equipment



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Agriculture Ministry Rolls out National Livestock Identification and Tracking System

The Ministry of Agriculture has started to roll out a National Livestock Identification and Tracking System as part of its efforts to modernise the agricultural sector.

The aim is to enhance animal identification and disease surveillance, assist with the procurement and supply of feed and other resources based on livestock population data, and also to monitor genetic and breed variation within the Cayman Islands.

At present, the system tracks imported livestock and include information on identity, ownership and geographic location. All information is stored electronically under the control of the Department of Agriculture's Veterinary Division.

Several head of cattle, which were recently imported to the Islands by the Cayman Islands Agricultural Society with funding support from the Ministry of Agriculture, have been incorporated under the new system.

Visual ear tags have been affixed to each animal by a member of the Veterinary Division with plans in place for an animal passport containing the same identification number as that on the ear tags to be issued to the owner. This document will be required to accompany the animal when moved from one establishment to another.

In commenting on the new development, Minister of Agriculture Hon. Jay Ebanks stated that the national livestock identification and tracking system will bring the Cayman Islands in line with international standards in farm to consumer supply chain trackability.

He further stated, "It is anticipated that in the future when the tracking system



► Cattle recently imported to the Cayman Islands have been tagged as part of the national livestock identification and tracking system.

is fully implemented, livestock across all three Islands will be equipped with electronic identification tags, starting with cattle and goats, so that the movement of these animals, whether by sale or dispos-

al by any means can be monitored by the system".

Farmers interested in having their animals tagged can contact the Department at Agriculture via telephone at

947-3090. The service is free and requires no advance scheduling. Advice on record keeping will be provided to the farmers by staff in the Veterinary Division.

CIIPA Honors ICCI Graduates



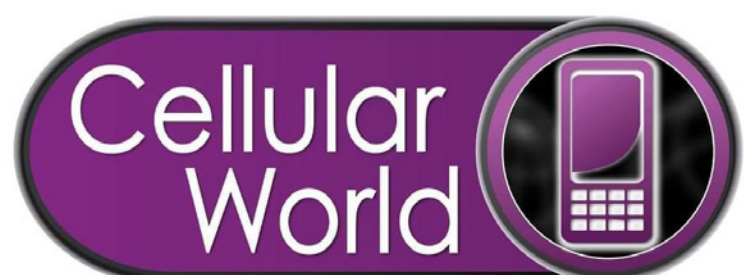
► CIIPA ICCI Graduates

Six graduates of the International College of the Cayman Islands (ICCI) were honored on Saturday night at the Cayman Islands Institute of Professional Accountants (CIIPA) Annual Gala at the Kimpton Seafire & Spa.

Being recognized for completing their Bachelor of Science degree in Business with an Accounting concentration were (from left): Lissette Carter, Mariah Webb, Lucas Byrnes, Steve Miller,

Lisa Royal, and Kimberly Dawson. Most ICCI classes are now available online which is proving convenient for students who are working professionals. The graduates were supported by Dr. Elsa Cummings, President Emerita, Dr. Aleza Beverly, Dean and Chief Academic Officer and Ms. Melisa Bent-Hamilton, Registrar.

Students are welcome to sign up for summer term, which starts 27 June.



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BVI ESCAPES DIRECT UK RULE...for now

The British government has decided against imposing direct rule on the British Virgin Islands, despite the strong recommendations of a Commission of Inquiry it had set up to investigate allegations of corruption and poor governance in the UK overseas territory.

The imposition of direct rule was one of the main recommendations of the inquiry led by British judge Sir Gary Hickinbottom which concluded that there were widespread governance failings and abuses in the territory's administration.

The report's main recommendation of the 48 it presented, was for a two-year suspension of the BVI constitution, suspending ministerial government and having the territory

come under direct rule from the UK, the administering power.

In a statement to the British parliament on Wednesday, Foreign Secretary Liz Truss, responsible for the Overseas Territories, warned that if the BVI failed to implement a series of far-reaching reforms detailed in the Commission's report, it will still face the prospect of direct rule from London.

"If it becomes clear that this approach is not delivering the reform the people of the BVI want and deserve we will take action. This may require the swift implementation of the final report recommendation," she said in the statement.

The new administration in the BVI, recently formed of a cross-party national uni-



ty government, has committed to enacting the recommendations of the Commission of Inquiry.

The UK Foreign Secretary also stated that the new BVI government "should have an opportunity to demonstrate their commitment" but that the British government reserved the right to step in and take decisive action under direct rule if it felt the government was reneging on its pledge.

The territory's new Government of National Unity (GNU), took power in May following a vote of no-confidence in former premier Andrew Fahie who was arrested in the United States in April on drug trafficking and money laundering charges. He is still in prison in Miami awaiting trial.

The BVI government now led by Dr Natalio Wheatley, formerly Deputy Premier under Mr Fahie, has distanced itself from the former leader.

The arrest of Mr Fahie happened after the Commission has completed its report but which up to then had not been published.

The two issues are not linked although Mr Fahie was heavily implicated as the leader of government for many of the governance failings under his stewardship.

In her statement on the anxiously-awaited UK decision, the UK Foreign Secretary Liz Truss wrote: "Since the Commissioner delivered his report there have been a number of significant developments, not least with the removal of Andrew Fahie as Premier through a vote of no confidence and the creation of the new Government of National Unity (GNU). The Governor has also ordered a number of criminal investigations, as recommended in the COI Report."

She also stated that the UK and the BVI Governor John Rankin have worked with the new unity government since its formation "to turn its public commitments to reform into a strong implementation plan with a strict and comprehensive set of milestones that need to be met. If they are, it will protect against corruption and ensure the return of good governance."



PAHO/WHO Strengthens Relationship with the Cayman Islands

Mr. Ian Stein, Pan American Health Organization (PAHO)/World Health Organization (WHO) Representative to Jamaica, Bermuda and the Cayman Islands, was in the country for a two-day visit, last week, to re-engage partnerships affected by the COVID-19 pandemic and bolster public health initiatives.

The PAHO/WHO visit commenced on Monday, 30 May, with a courtesy call to Hon. Premier G. Wayne Panton, Minister for Health, Wellness and Home Affairs Hon. Sabrina Turner and other senior officials; followed by Mr. Stein presenting his credentials as PAHO/WHO representative to His Excellency the Governor, Mr. Martyn

Roper. The Ministry of Health and Wellness also led robust discussions with both local stakeholders and PAHO/WHO officials to advance public health.

"Leadership is key to improving public health. The Cayman Islands is fortunate to have leaders with a clear vision for achieving this goal – that shows demonstrable promise for the future of public health and explains why Cayman has been successful thus far in the pandemic," said Mr. Stein.

He continued, "Now is the best opportunity to improve focus on achievable public health priorities for the coming years. The landscape for population health re-

mains dynamic amidst the impact of climate change, the increase in vector-borne diseases, and the push to refocus on routine health priorities. PAHO/WHO stands ready to support."

The visit by the PAHO/WHO contingent coincided with the observation of World No Tobacco Day, which was celebrated internationally under the theme, "Tobacco: Threat to our environment". It aims to highlight the environmental impact of the entire tobacco cycle, from cultivation, production and distribution to the toxic waste it generates.

"Tobacco has an extremely harmful impact on the body and the environment. While tobacco kills over 8 million persons each year, and incapacitates many more, tobacco products also cause wide-scale pollution; Tobacco waste can reach 40% of litter found on beaches, the butts leach toxic chemicals such as arsenic and lead into the environment, and tobacco production is also responsible for 600 million trees being chopped down to make 6 trillion cigarettes every year, contributing to deforestation," said Mr. Stein.

The Cayman Islands Public Health department has led a successful smoking cessation programme, with a pass rate of eighty-six per cent or higher. The in-depth programme includes biometric testing to assess baseline health levels, group/individual counsel-



► Mr Ian Stein presents his official credentials to His Excellency the Governor Mr. Martyn Roper



► Minister for Health and Wellness Hon. Sabrina Turner; Mr. Ian Stein, PAHO-WHO Representative to Jamaica, Bermuda and the Cayman Islands and His Excellency the Governor Mr. Martyn Roper meet in Governor's Office

ling and pharmaceutical aid.

While the programme moved to remote delivery after the start of the pandemic, patients are still given support from the attending physician and pharmacist.

Visiting and local health professionals also discussed a still-in-development 'quit-line' that will provide 24/7 support to persons who have decided to give up tobacco consumption. Officials explained tobacco dependence remains a major public health threat, and to remain in alignment with the World Health Organization's requirements for the Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (FCTC).

"We have come to have a greater appreciation for preventative health measures due to the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Helping persons to quit tobacco consumption now, and making it more difficult for persons to begin consumption, provides for a healthier future and increased stability for our healthcare system", said Minister Turner. "I am duly grateful to PAHO for their investment, and trust that the people of the Cayman Islands will maximise this resource as we work to become a beacon of wellness within the region".

Mr. Ian Stein commented on the impressive results of the cessation programme as it offered a way out of a deadly addiction.

The quit-line is expected to launch at the end of 2022. For more information, please contact Public Health Promotions Coordinator Ms. Therese Prehay at therese.prehay@hsa.ky.

Haney hailed as new 'Money'

Devin Haney is the new undisputed lightweight champion of the world and looks set to be boxing's latest superstar.

The American, 23, travelled to Melbourne to unify the division and soundly outpointed George Kambozos Jr in Australia. Haney took a unanimous (116-112, 116-112, 118-110) victory in a 12-round bout in front of 41,100 fans at Marvel Stadium, Melbourne on Saturday.

The win means the Las Vegas prodigy retains his WBC belt and takes the lineal/WBA/IBF/WBO crown from the 28-year-old Australian.

Haney took his record to 28-0 (15 KOs) and became the first undisputed lightweight champion since the late Pernell Whitaker in 1990. Haney is drawing comparisons with all-time great Floyd Mayweather Jr.

Haney was forced to leave promoter Eddie Hearn and sign a contract with Top Rank in order to make the fight happen, took a pay cut, agreed to a rematch clause and even travelled to his opponent's backyard without trainer, and father, Bill Haney.

But it was all worth it in the end as he showed his class by producing a masterful performance. He may not be a one-punch knockout artist, but the manner of Haney's victory, his slickness and skill has drawn comparisons with 'Money' Mayweather.

Aged 11, Haney held up the Ring Magazine belt for Zab Judah ahead of the champion's fight with Lucas Matthisse. Now, 12 years on, he holds all four major belts in the division. The childhood dream is achieved.

In an age of social media, Haney - through no fault of his own - was labelled by many as an 'email champion'.

Having held the WBC interim title, he was upgraded to full champion status when Vasiliy Lomachenko was promoted to 'franchise' champion. Put simply, Haney became a fully-fledged world champion outside of the ring.

But the San Francisco fighter has now silenced his doubters. The two fighters shared mutual respect over social media following Haney's win.

Kambozos Jr - who suffered his first defeat in 21 bouts - insists



► Devin Haney is a special talent

he will invoke the rematch clause, scheduled once again to take place in Australia.

Haney stuck to his jab for the majority of the fight, with Kambozos having trouble making adjustments to his opponent's reach advantage and defensive manoeuvres.

Top lightweight contender Ryan Garcia was not impressed with Haney's performance. Garcia returns to action next month against former world champion Javier Fortuna.

Garcia felt Haney's performance was boring. "Congrats to Haney... but it was definitely just a bland

fight. Anyways I'll just say, you know who I want after Fortuna!!! Let them have their rematch lol. Absolutely "NyQuil" type of performance," Garcia stated on social media.

It's not the first time for the pair to trade words. At one point, Garcia and Haney were in line to fight each other - as Garcia had the WBC's interim-title after knocking out Luke Campbell and Haney held the full WBC title at 135.

Before the fight was confirmed, Garcia vacated the title and momentarily walked away from the sport to focus on his mental health.



► Ryan Garcia is taunting Haney

King James is NBA's first billionaire

LeBron James is an 18-time NBA All-Star, four-time NBA champion, four-time NBA MVP, and a two-time Olympic gold medallist. Now, the King is also a billionaire.

Despite a disappointing campaign with the Lakers in 2021-22, which means he must watch the NBA Finals from the side lines after missing the playoffs, James has achieved something no NBA star has ever done. According to Forbes, he has officially become a billionaire while still operating as an active player.

He is the first active NBA player to make the billionaires' list, as Michael Jordan - the only other basketball billionaire - joined the ranks in 2014, nine years after the Chicago Bulls legend retired. James has surpassed the billion mark for his net worth after a year of earnings totalling \$121.2 million.

While Jordan achieved his wealth largely through his iconic Air Jordan brand and his purchase of the Charlotte Hornets NBA franchise, James has maximised his business ventures to make \$1.2 billion in pre-tax earnings. He revealed his plans to execute such a lucrative off-court career back in 2014, when he told GQ he wanted to be a billionaire - and he has now achieved the hefty objective eight years later.

Across his illustrious career, James has secured more than \$385 million in salary from the Cleve-



► LeBron James grew up in abject poverty

land Cavaliers, Miami Heat and Los Angeles Lakers as the NBA's highest-paid active player. Even away from the sport, James has earned over \$900 million in income stemming from other business ventures and lucrative endorsements due to his stature and popularity with fans worldwide.

This path, from teenage prodigy to billionaire active athlete, is particularly impressive given where the King hails from. Born to a 16-year-old single mother in Akron, Ohio, James reportedly moved a dozen times in three years but his

basketball talent shone through as he became the most anticipated high school prospect of all time, which came with a crushing weight of expectation.

Aged 18 in 2003, James turned down offers from Reebok and Adidas to sign a deal with Nike and after more than a decade of success, he inked a lifetime agreement with the brand to pay him tens of millions on an annual basis. Alongside deals with the likes of AT&T, PepsiCo and Walmart, the 37-year-old was the second-highest earning athlete in the world in 2021.

Elaine on course for big meets



► Elaine Thompson-Herah is having another great season

Jamaican sprint queen Elaine Thompson-Herah continued her build-up to the Jamaican National Championships and the World Athletics Championships by breaking her own meet record at Sunday's Diamond League meeting in Rabat, Morocco.

At the Prince Moulay Abdellah Stadium, Thompson-Herah ran 10.83 seconds to win the women's 100m.

A week after she ran a season's best 10.79 seconds at the Prefontaine Classic at Hayward Field in Eugene, Oregon, Thompson-Herah cruised to the win coming off a

cautious start.

"I feel amazing about the race today," Thompson-Herah said afterwards, "This is my third time in Rabat and I'm super excited about the new meeting record of 10.83 seconds."

The five-time Olympic gold medallist and two-time double Olympic sprint champion said she would compete in this week's Rome Diamond League meeting.

Marie Jose Ta Lou of the Ivory Coast was second in 11.04 seconds and Jamaica's Natasha Morrison placed third in 11.22 seconds.

SUDOKU

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Conceptis Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

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CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

- 1 Cell feature
- 5 Declare
- 10 Lake near Buffalo
- 11 More sore
- 12 Writer Uris
- 13 Wall Street worker
- 14 Colbert's gig
- 16 "Well done!"
- 20 Air traffic aids
- 23 Sense of self
- 24 Glorify
- 25 Map ratio
- 27 Maximum amount
- 28 Sandy spots
- 29 Miniature movie
- 32 USO offering
- 36 Stretched square
- 39 Kilauea flow
- 40 Gets the water out of
- 41 Turkey neighbor
- 42 Staff symbols
- 43 Trapper's item

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- 1 Front desk feature
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- 4 Mali
- 5 Boston entree
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- 8 Kicker's aid
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Salary to be between \$11.00 - \$13.00 per hour, depending on qualifications.

Resumes can be mailed to P.O. Box 153, Grand Cayman, KY1-1301 or emailed to: info@surebuilt.ky or faxed to: 949-7140. No phone calls please. Preference will be given to Caymanians, Status holders and legal residents. Only short listed candidates will be contacted.

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Salary range between CI\$50,000 to \$60,000 depending on qualifications and experience.

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IT Security Analyst

CUC is an equal opportunity Company with over 230 employees who are committed to meeting the electrical needs of Grand Cayman and to providing quality customer service.

Reporting to the Manager IT, the successful candidate will be responsible for:

- ▶ planning, designing, implementing, integrating, testing and administering of enterprise security architecture and systems;
- ▶ creating enterprise security documents (policies, standards, baselines, guidelines and procedures);
- ▶ evaluating new and emerging security technologies, features and products to determine their application in the protection of the Company's information assets;
- ▶ participating in the planning and designing of an enterprise business continuity and disaster recovery plan;
- ▶ performing security analysis, including architecture review, baselines, vulnerability assessments and risk assessments to proactively identify security risks and exposures;
- ▶ monitoring security events across the network and ensuring the alerting and resolution of security issues and threats.

Applicants should possess a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Forensics and Security or completion of an Associate of (ISC)²; recognised IT industry security certification (CISSP, Global Information Assurance Certifications (GIAC), CEH, etc.) would be an asset; minimum of five years experience in a cybersecurity role; knowledge of the IS infrastructure (hardware, databases, operating systems, local area networks, etc.) used within the organisation and CoBIT Certification.

Salary is from CI\$6,087 to CI\$7,913 per month.

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Supervisor Human Resources Operations

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- ▶ facilitating goal-setting and performance management processes through Success Factors for the Company;
- ▶ ensuring all reporting relationships are correct through monthly updating of the organisational chart;
- ▶ ensuring updates and changes to the system are current and communicated to employees;
- ▶ acting in the absence of the Manager Human Resources while ensuring work is performed accurately and in accordance with CUC policies and procedures;
- ▶ reviewing the monthly payroll transactions and providing support to the Payroll & Benefits Specialist with monthly payroll processing, as needed;
- ▶ assisting and delivering where appropriate, various management reports and presentations, including for external stakeholders (i.e. auditors, Fortis, etc.);
- ▶ managing the Workers Compensation Programme while ensuring employee FA forms are completed and that any injuries and claims are reported in a timely manner according to Company policies and procedures; facilitating and accompany employees injured on the job to the hospital when necessary;
- ▶ assisting the Manager Human Resources in executing the annual HR Strategy (People Plan).

Applicants must possess Bachelor's degree with a Human Resources concentration (preferred); a minimum of seven years experience in Human Resources with three to five years experience at the supervisory level; a certificate in Human Resources studies (preferably through the local CISHRP); knowledge of current Human Resources best practices, relevant employment legislation and local immigration law is desired; and proven leadership skills as an individual contributor or supervisor.

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Counsellor / Therapist

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Duties and Responsibilities Include:

Provide individual, couples, and family counselling and develop specific treatment goals. Complete comprehensive assessments and documentation with regards to treatment outcome. Document appropriate clinical information in the client record and company database in a timely manner as per organisational policies. Communicates both written and orally with referral sources regarding clinical information, as necessary. Communicates regularly with physicians and psychiatrists regarding clinical issues. Establishes and maintains good working relationships with representatives of EAP member-companies and community stakeholders. Maintains standards of professional and ethical conduct. Actively participates in peer supervision staff development and in-service programs as stipulated. Serves as a role model by demonstrating qualities of service excellence through positive attitudes and behaviours. Must be flexible as schedule varies and may involve evenings

Requirements:

Must be eligible for registration with the C.I. Council for Professionals Allied with Medicine and registered with regulatory body overseas as per Health Regulatory Services Cayman. Master's Degree in Counselling, Psychology, or Social Work from an accredited university with a minimum of five years practical experience working with similar populations. Alternatively, a Bachelor's Degree with a minimum of ten years practical experience working with similar populations. All candidates must have excellent recommendation from their previous employer as well as a successful reference check. (A reputation for confidentiality, maturity, responsibility, honesty, self-discipline and professional integrity). A working knowledge of contemporary mental health care procedures, principles and methods, and both theoretical and practical knowledge of the practice of individual, couples, and family counselling. Clinical experience with processing grief, trauma, anxiety, depression and substance use issues. Culturally sensitive and experienced working within a culturally diverse community. Shall have excellent written and oral communication skills. Proficient in Microsoft Office (word, excel, outlook, publisher, access).

Interested applicants are encouraged to forward their resume and professional references to: Email eap@eapcayman.com prior to 01 July 2022 at 5pm. Only short listed candidates will be contacted.



Applications are invited for the position of:

Executive Secretary

The postholder provides administrative support to the NRA Board of Directors and Managing Director.

Principal Accountabilities: (see JD for full review of these)

- Shall be present at all meetings of the Board and its subcommittees and shall take minutes of the business transacted.
- Shall carry out the administrative work of the Board and its subcommittees.
- Shall provide the secretarial support for the Board, including the distribution of minutes, the coordination of meetings and the communication of decisions for action to the members of the Board and its sub-committees.
- Shall record in the minutes the decisions, resolutions, orders, policies and rules made by the Board.
- As a full-time officer and employee of the NRA, completes a broad variety of administrative tasks for the Managing Director.

Qualifications, Experience and Skills:

- Post holder should possess an Associate's degree in a relevant field OR possess a comparable secretarial Diploma, and/or designation as a first-class wordsmith.
- Postholder should have at least five (5) years working experience in a senior administrative post.
- Excellent verbal and communication skills required.
- Strong computer literacy including proficiency in Microsoft Word, Excel and Powerpoint is essential.
- Excellent organizational and time management skills.
- Proven Minute taking skills.
- Must have good interpersonal skills.
- Familiarity with basic research methods and reporting techniques.
- Must be courteous and professional in interacting with the general public and other Departments.
- Good work attendance, telephone manners, and dependability are essential.
- Confidentiality, honesty, reliability and an industrious and cheerful disposition are essential to the effective performance of this job.

The NRA offers an excellent compensation package, including pension and health insurance. Wage range for this position is CI\$43,812 to CI\$58,920 commensurate with qualifications and experience.

NRA Application form and job description are available online at www.caymanroads.com. **Interested Caymanians can submit a NRA job application and resume in confidence no later than June 30, 2022 to:**

National Roads Authority c/o Board of Directors
P.O. Box 10426
Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands
KY1-1004
Email: NationalRoadsBoard@gmail.com



CAREER OPPORTUNITY



Water Authority - Cayman

Invites applications for the post of

IT Help Desk Technician

The postholder will provide accurate and timely technical support to all IT users and will serve as the first point of contact for internal and external customers seeking technical assistance by phone or email.

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

- An Associate's Degree in Computer Science or relevant technical field
- At least 2 years' experience in a help desk working environment
- Additional qualifications, i.e. MCSE and/or CCNA certification
- A systematic, disciplined and analytical approach to problem-solving
- Excellent interpersonal communication and negotiating skills
- Good overall knowledge of a wide area of information systems concepts and practices with proven knowledge and experience in several areas of specialization, i.e. Network Performance Tuning and Design & Implementation, Lan, Microsoft SQL server, Windows 2008/2012 server, VOIP, MacAfee Products, etc
- A valid Cayman Islands Drivers Licence

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Email: HR@waterauthority.ky

Application Deadline: **30 June 2022**

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NOTICE

GOVERNOR (VESTING OF LANDS) ACT (2005 REVISION)

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 10(1)(a)

DISPOSITION OF CROWN LAND

Notice is hereby given that on the recommendation of Cabinet, His Excellency the Governor is proposing to vest the freehold interest in the Crown property specified in the Schedule below (Block 11D Parcel 92) to Governors Square Ltd, in return for a consideration of US\$2,205,000 (two million two hundred and five thousand United States dollars), and to vest the freehold interest in the Crown property specified in the Schedule below (Block 11D Parcel 94) to the Lime Tree Bay Strata Corporation, in return for a consideration of CI\$ 4,673,333 (four million six hundred and seventy three thousand three hundred and thirty three Cayman Islands dollars).

The dispositions are conditional upon:

- Governor's Square Ltd transferring the lease between the Governor of the Cayman Islands and Governor's Square Ltd of Block 11D Parcel 94 to the Lime Tree Bay Strata Corporation for nil consideration.
- The surrender of the sublease between Governor's Square Ltd and the Lime Tree Bay Strata Corporation of Block 11D Parcel 94.
- Completion of the dispositions within two years of Parliament approval.
- Stamp Duty to be payable and the Government's costs to be repaid.

THE SCHEDULE

The properties more particularly described as:

REGISTRATION SECTION	BLOCK	PARCEL	AREA
West Bay Beach North	11D	92	8.19 acres
West Bay Beach North	11D	94	5.29 acres

The location of the properties may be inspected on the Registry Map at the Lands & Survey Dept public counter, Government Administration Building, 133 Elgin Avenue, George Town, Grand Cayman, or at the Lands Office, 19 Kirkconnell Street, Cayman Brac.

Approved by Cabinet on 8th June 2022.

Jon Hall
Director, Lands & Survey Dept
Cayman Islands Government

Girls Softball – Game Report



Coldwell Banker 10, Pizza Hut 6

The Girls Softball mini-tournament concluded last Wednesday (June 8th), as Coldwell Banker backed up their regular season title with a 10-6 victory over Pizza Hut.

Demae Lee, Stephanie Menko and Jialy Archbold-McLaughlin scored in the top of the 1st to give Coldwell Banker an early 3-0 lead. Stephanie's line drive to right centre deflected off the fielder's glove, scoring Demae on the play and Stephanie would end up at third. Jialy singled her home and she scored minutes later on an RBI grounder by Lorlie Bryan.

Shay Windsor scored for Pizza Hut in the bottom of the inning, reaching on a fielder's choice, and using her speed to round the bases.

Keilah Gordon, Demae and McKenna Knapik all walked in the 2nd inning and Stephanie's towering triple to right field brought them all home. Once again Jialy singled to bring Stephanie home for the fourth run of the inning.

Pizza Hut rallied for three runs in the bottom of the inning. Sisters Withney and Hanna Jackson both walked and scored, executing a perfect double steal in the process. LeiAnnie Dixon singled in Hanna with two outs, and LeiAnni later scored on throwing error.

After neither team scored in the 3rd, Coldwell Banker got three more runs in the top of the 4th. McKenna and Stephanie walked and scored, with yet another RBI single from Jialy. Stephanie and Jialy scored on a two out two run single by Janey right up the middle.

In their final at-bat sisters Rio and Coco Windsor each singled and scored, but Jialy finished off her strong pitching performance by striking out two batters, ending any hopes of a Pizza Hut comeback.

Jialy, Stephanie and Janey were certainly the players of the game for their outstanding offensive and defensive contributions.

Scoring by inning:

TEAM	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	TOTAL
Coldwell Banker	3	4	0	3	10
Pizza Hut	1	3	0	2	6



Girls All-Stars 15, Coaches/Parents 12

The Girls Softball All-Stars played an inspired game on their way to defeating a very capable team of Coaches/Parents, 15-12 on Saturday night.

Jialy Archbold-McLaughlin had three hits and four RBIs to lead a relentless attack by the All-Stars, who built up an early 10-0 lead after two innings.

The Coaches/Parents didn't score in the top of the 1st as the All-Stars played great defense and Demae Lee was sharp on the mound. In the bottom of the 1st, Clara Ramos and Shay Windsor scored on Jialy's double, and Jialy and Madison Malice would later score the third and fourth runs of the inning.

Sofia Watler pitched a fine second inning for the All-Stars, once again holding the Coaches/Parents scoreless. In the bottom of the 2nd the All-Stars tallied six more runs. Sofia reached on an error, Raegan Jefferson walked, Maya Willis was hit by a pitch, and all would score. Demae

reached on a fielder's choice, Clara walked, Shay singled, and Jialy brought the final three runs home with a powerful hit to the fence in left centre.

The Coaches/Parents finally flipped on the switch to start the 3rd, getting on the board with six runs. Lisa Mal-

ice, Jerad Ebanks, and Tania Knapik all singled and scored. Jason Windsor reached on an error, and Marlene Williams and Vaughn Smith pounded back-to-back doubles. Jason, Marlene and Vaughn scored the final three runs of the inning. Although the All-Stars loaded the bases in the bottom of the 3rd, Jerad meant business for the Coaches/Parents as his powerful pitching finally shut down the scoring.

Momentum seemed to be on the side of the adults, but Jialy came in to pitch for the All-Stars and she held the Coaches/Parents scoreless to start the 4th. In the bottom of the inning Withney Jackson led off with a line drive triple to the left field corner and she scored on an RBI single by Demae. Clara walked, Jialy singled, and Coco Windsor had an RBI single as the All-Stars got five runs in the inning. The Parents/Coaches fought back with six runs to make it close. Alikie Kandler walked, Rod Jefferson tripled, Tania singled, and Jason walked. All four would score, with Marlene's RBI double and Vaughn's RBI single being key hits. The adults might have caught up completely, but fantastic catches by Clara and Withney preserved the hard-earned win for the All-Stars!

For further information on Cayman Islands Little League, please visit www.littleleague.ky.

Scoring by inning:

TEAM	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	TOTAL
Coaches/Parents	0	0	6	0	6	12
Girls All Stars	4	6	0	5	-	15

St. Ignatius Catholic secure fifth win in a row

Round 6 of the 2022 Inter-Primary Cricket Competition continued on Thursday, June 9 with games in Zone A making the headlines.

Regular season games have concluded in Zone B although there are a number of key postponed games still to be played prior to the third-place and final games, which are scheduled for Thursday, June 23 and Friday, June 24 respectively.

In Zone A, St. Ignatius Catholic secured their fifth win in a row with a 73 run to 71 run victory over Prospect Primary. In other scores, Edna Moyle Primary secured their first win of the season with a 102 run to 86 run victory over Theoline L. McCoy Primary and East End Primary defeated Joanna Clarke Primary 42 runs to 37 runs. Cayman Prep B were not scheduled to play.

The 2022 regular season concludes this Friday, June 10 with final Round 7 games in Zone A including East End Primary vs. Edna

Moyle Primary (at Edna Moyle Primary), Joanna Clarke Primary vs. Prospect Primary (at Prospect Primary) and Cayman Prep B vs. St. Ignatius Catholic (at Cayman Prep). Theoline L. McCoy Primary are not scheduled to play.

Cayman Prep B can secure top spot in Zone A with a victory over the unbeaten St. Ignatius Catholic but it won't be easy as St. Ignatius Catholic have consistently put together a number of quality performances throughout the season.

In Zone B, the Prospect Primary vs. Theoline L. McCoy Primary game that was postponed on Friday, May 27 has been declared a draw as both schools are unable to replay the game.

The final is scheduled for Friday, June 24 as the winners of Zone A face the Zone B winners to decide the 2022 Inter-Primary Cricket Competition champions and the third-place game will be played on Thurs-



► Action from the Prospect Primary vs. St. Ignatius Catholic game.

day, June 23 with the runners-up in Zone A playing the runners-up in Zone B. Both games are scheduled for the Annex Field

The Inter-Primary Cricket Competition is organised and coordinated by the Depart-

ment of Education Services and the Department of Sports and sponsored by CUC and the Cayman Cricket Association.

Parents and supporters are encouraged to come out and cheer on our young cricketers.