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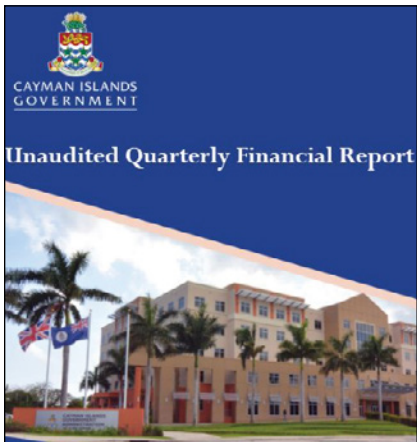
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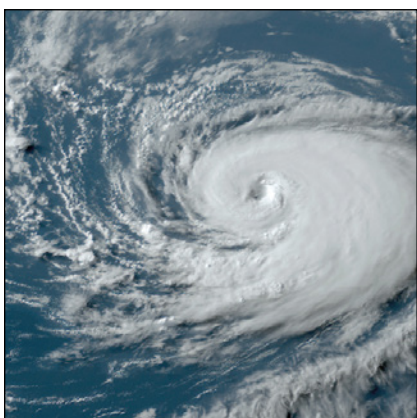
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Heavyweights excel at Powerlifting Competition



► A competitor at the 20th Annual International Powerlifting Federation (IPF) and North American Regional Powerlifting Championship held at the Grand Cayman Marriott Resort from 7th - 11th August, 2023.

By Stuart Wilson

Over 300 athletes from 15 countries attended the Grand Cayman Marriott Resort for the 20th Annual International Powerlifting Federation (IPF) and North American Regional Powerlifting Championship from 7th - 11th, August, 2023.

This is the second time the event has been held in the Cayman Islands, with the first taking place ten years ago, according to IPF Secretary General, Mr. Robert Keller, who thanked Cayman Islands government officials and praised Cayman's Powerlifting Organisation.

"When we came here ten years ago, we only had 100 ath-

letes and we have grown considerably since. I would like to thank the Minister for Sports, Mr. Bernie Bush and the Tourism Minister, Mr. Kenneth Bryan for their support," he said.

Mr. Keller also noted the reason why the Cayman Islands was chosen.

"We chose the Cayman Islands because of our relationship with Mr. Tony McInerney (President of the Cayman Islands Powerlifting Organisation), and his work with the youth and building character. We knew he was going to make an impact in this area," said Mr. Keller.

He added that powerlifting is a sport that requires an immense amount of discipline

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CIG FINANCES LARGELY ON TARGET



By Staff writer

The latest quarterly report on the financial performance of the Cayman Islands Government concludes that the second quarter's performance has positioned the government to be optimistic about its overall performance for 2023.

The unaudited financial results for the Second Quarter of 2023 show a \$165.9 million surplus for the Core Government and a \$166.2 million surplus for the Entire Public Sector (EPS).

Net Assets of the Government were \$2.2 billion, with overall bank account balances of \$398.2 million in cash and deposits.

Surplus

The overall surplus of \$166.2 million was \$22.7 million higher than the 2023

Budget anticipated for the period, a positive variance of 15.8%.

The report says this favourable position was due to actual revenues being higher than budgeted revenues by \$27.4 million for the period.

Additionally, Statutory Authorities & Government Companies (SAGCs) contributed \$0.3 million to the overall surplus for the EPS; exceeding their estimated results for the first half of 2023 by \$9.8 million, when compared to an expected deficit of \$9.5 million.

Comparing year-on-year numbers, the EPS Surplus was \$20.5 million higher than that achieved for the same period in 2022 with SAGC second quarter results being \$13.6 million higher than the prior year.

Tourism leads revenues

On the revenue front, compared to the

same period in 2022, total revenues of Core Government increased by \$19.5 million, largely due to increases in various categories of coercive revenues.

The first six months of 2023 generated revenues of \$621.2 million, which was \$14.1 million more than budgeted expectations and \$7.1 million higher than the 2022 year-to-date actual results.

The tourism sector has had a significant impact on government earnings, according to the document.

"Tourism Accommodation charges coming in at \$12.4 million higher than budget expectations due to the increase in stay-over tourism following the reopening of the borders in 2022 amounting to 84% of pre-pandemic numbers. When compared to the 2022 results, the 2023 revenues from Tourism Accommodation charges are \$19.6 million more."

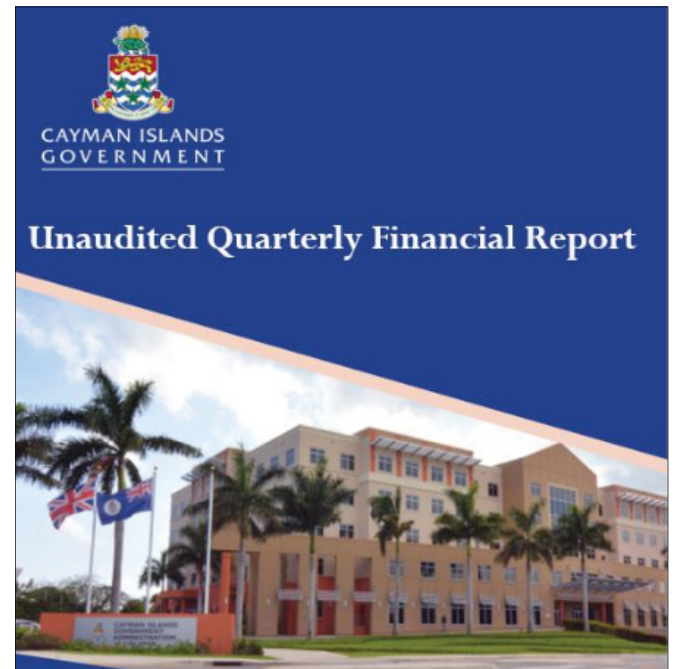
Work Permit Fees collected amounting to \$9.1 million more than anticipated due to continued increased demand for workers following the reopening of the borders and continued economic growth. Revenues in this area increased by \$3.2 million over the same period in 2022.

Meanwhile, motor vehicle charges exceeded forecasts by \$5.3 million due to a higher-than-expected volume of vehicles being imported. However, it is pointed out that notwithstanding the overall favourable results in revenues collected, when compared to the 2023 Budget, there were certain areas that fell short of projected expectations. These included the categories of Other Import Duty(OID) - down by \$8.3 million and Other Company Fees - Exempt Companies with a shortfall of \$7.7 million.

Government spending

Expenses for the first six months of 2023 amounted to \$490.2 million, which was \$14.5 million higher than budgeted with total expenses of Core Government rising by \$12.6 million compared to the same period in 2022.

There were some savings recorded due to unfilled vacancies, the report said, but noted that was offset by higher-than-budgeted levels of expenditure including that incurred by Statutory Authorities and 7 Government Companies(SAGCs).



"Payments to the SAGCs Cayman Islands National Insurance Company (CINICO) and the Health Services Authority (HSA) also exceeded their year-to-date budgets by \$2.5 million and \$4.4 million, respectively. The variance with respect to CINICO is due to higher-than-expected actual costs for the Health Insurance for Civil Service Pensioners while for the HSA that was due to actual costs for the Care of Indigents exceeding the budget by \$6.6 million."

Increased payments for scholarships and bursaries pushed Transfer Payments to \$31.9 million, which is \$5.4 million more than budgeted.

Operating Cash and Deposits were \$222.9 million and Reserves and Restricted Deposits were \$175.3 million, for a total Cash and Deposits balance of \$398.2 million.

Outlook

According to the report, while the Second Quarter's performance has positioned the Government to be optimistic about its overall performance for 2023, it pointed to increased costs as more personnel vacancies are filled and further capital projects come online over the remaining two quarters of 2023.

It advised that these costs would have to be diligently monitored to ensure unnecessary spending is not incurred.

The half-year report also highlighted that Core Government Revenues must exceed the performance of \$978 million set out in the original 2023 budget in order to reach the revised target of \$1 billion detailed in the Strategic Policy Statement tabled in Parliament in April.

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NATIONAL HEALTH SURVEY EXTENDED - PARTICIPATION ENCOURAGED

Cayman Conversations

Cayman is on the home stretch of the important nationwide STEPS health survey and to ensure maximum participation, the project is being extended to September 3rd.

To date, over a thousand persons from randomly selected households have taken part in the first two phases of the three-part exercise which started at the beginning of June and was initially due to be completed at the end of this month.

The purpose of the exercise is to “determine the national prevalence for non-communicable diseases (NCDs), as well as their risk factors, in Cayman,” said a government statement at the launching of the project.

The last time the nationwide exercise was carried out was ten years and the data is now being updated to ensure that Cayman stays on top of trends and threats affecting the health of the population.

Collecting the data involves a three-phase process. The first and second phases have been completed and phase three is now underway.

Chief Medical Officer Dr Nick Gent and Epidemiologist with the Ministry of Health and Wellness, Rachel Corbett, have been outlining to Caymanian Times how necessary it is for the households and persons selected to participate in the third phase.

“What we’ve got is going to be useful, it will be important information, but to get that extra detail we do we do need several hundred more people to be coming through step three as well,” the CMO explained.

He assured that all the data collected from the tests being carried out is confidential and the information is analysed to get a broad understanding of the state of health of the Cayman Islands. No individual or household is identifiable in the analysis.

“It looks like we probably will get the numbers on Steps One and Two,” he said, but is concerned that Step Three is lagging at present.

“It looks like Step Three will be suboptimal, which will be a great shame because that’s probably going to be one of the most important ones to determine diabetes and prediabetes... Step Three is one of those where the information is really going to help



► Chief Medical Officer, Dr Nick Gent

us with some of the health care service planning and teaching.”

“We’re thankful for everyone who’s taken part and given their time,” says Epidemiologist Rachel Corbett, “We need to get a minimum of 1300 with these estimates to give us national prevalences for the whole of Cayman that reflects Cayman. We’re close to that target, so it’d be great to keep pushing and to continue to get a few more through.”

For the third phase, called Step Three, participants are invited to have an appointment with a nurse, for a basic finger-prick blood test. “It just takes about 10 minutes, so it’s very quick and then the individual gets their results back straightaway for their blood sugar and their blood cholesterol.”

According to Epidemiologist Corbett, “We’ve tailored our approach this time around to try and make that easier. We’re offering home appointments to try and

make it more convenient for individuals that we can go to them, and also have facilities spread all over the island, rather than just in Georgetown.”

One issue that has arisen, is participants suggesting that the information could be obtained from their doctor. However, based on doctor-patient confidentiality and data protection that is not allowed.

The importance of the STEPS programme to formulating a national health strategy is key, CMO Dr Gent said. It enables the health authorities to get an early indication of where policies and resources would need to be focused. And already he said, there are some indicators of concern.

“For instance, if we uncover a problem with a lot of people with quite severe weight problems - and that that is almost certainly the case - we’re going to need programmes that go through everything



from the school ages to through to adulthood, that figure in nutrition, access to exercise, and other clinical advice and caring support.”

The CMO further stressed his commitment to ensuring the good health of the people of the Cayman Islands.

“I want Cayman to be the healthiest place in the world, not just in the Caribbean. It’s a beautiful place. And its people deserve to have the best health outcomes. But for me to be able to advocate for that, I’ve got to understand what those underlying problems are, articulate them and measure them. We can then repeat this kind of survey in 10 years time and see whether or not what we’re doing has an impact. We also need a baseline to measure whether or not we’re successful in intervening to try to put things right.”

The ongoing survey, now extended to September 3rd for data collection in Phase Three, is targeted at persons living in Cayman for at least six months and who are between 18 and 69 years old.



Campbells proudly hosts summer interns



Campbells welcomed twelve interns and two scholarship recipients to its annual summer internship programme. The paid internship programme takes place on a rotational basis over an eight-week period, with interns working in various departments across the Firm's Cayman Islands and BVI offices.

The programme is open to students and aims to give them valuable insight into both legal and business support services roles and how they contribute to the overall function of the Firm. We offer placements in the areas of law, marketing, compliance, corporate services, IT and finance, and our programme is overseen by experienced professionals who

are committed to ensuring that each intern receives valuable hands-on experience. The participating interns are in various stages of their studies, all with diverse educational backgrounds.

Campbells is proud to support students pursuing the study and practice of law, as well as those beginning their careers in other areas. "Our internship

programme allows us to identify talented individuals from all backgrounds and give those individuals the experience of working in an international law firm", said Campbells' Partner, Liam Faulkner. "As a firm, Campbells is passionate about creating opportunities for the next generation and making the legal profession more accessible and diverse."

COVID-19 vaccines to be offered seasonally

With cases of COVID-19 on the decline globally and the expiration of the last batch of Moderna vaccines on island, the Public Health Department will transition from administering COVID-19 vaccines monthly to offering it seasonally.

"COVID-19 remains a significant threat to our elderly and clinically vulnerable. As we move into the next phase of living with COVID-19 we will change our rou-

tine immunization programme to include making available annual boosters of COVID-19 vaccine to the elderly and vulnerable alongside our influenza immunization programme," said Chief Medical Officer Dr. Nick Gent.

Similar to the approach with the annual flu vaccines, Public Health will announce the new batch of COVID-19 vaccines once available on island.



HSA and Red Cross partner to offer free HIV testing

The Public Health Department wishes to advise the public that the HSA/Red Cross partnership offering free year-round HIV testing will resume after a three-year hiatus. Testing begins Thursday, August 17, 2023, and thereafter every 3rd Tuesday in each month at the Cayman Islands Red Cross Huldah Avenue George Town, from 10 am to 2 pm. No appointment is necessary. Persons seeking testing or counseling need to indicate to the nurse that they would like to register for free HIV screening. The



results will be available in three working days and will be given to the patient only, who will be contacted directly by the attending nurse.

For more information about Free HIV Testing, contact interim HIV/AIDS Coordinator Jennifer Miller on 938-4703.



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Sustainability Takes Centre Stage at Department of Children and Family Services' International Youth Day Event in Cayman Brac



The Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) was thrilled to participate in this year's International Youth Day with a special event they organized in Cayman Brac on August 8. This annual international event, held on August 12 around the world, aims to recognise and celebrate the invaluable contributions of young people in various areas such as education, culture, politics, economics, and social innovation. This year's theme, "Green Skills for Youth: Towards a Sustainable World," held particular significance for the youth of Cayman.

In a departure from tradition, the DCFS organized their event a few days early, to allow for a group of children from Grand Cayman to travel to Cayman Brac to join the other participants. The event provided an exceptional opportunity for 53 young people to engage in educational and interactive experiences centred around sustainable practices.

Aligned with the theme, the participants travelled to Le Soleil d'Or to enjoy a farm to table breakfast before heading off on a guided tour of the farm, where they learned various methods of growing fruit trees and plants along with the knowledge necessary to care for them. Additionally, the participants gained insights into the vital roles that plants play in the environment and were introduced to technological skills such as hydroponic gardening. As a practical takeaway, each participant received a pot with soil and seeds to continue their practice at home.

The event also featured a presentation and discussion session by a psychologist from the Health Services Authority (HSA), who provided valuable insights and guidance to the participants, empowering them to make informed decisions and contribute to a sustainable future. The day concluded

with a fiercely contested trivia competition followed by a visit to Captains Retreat, where the group were given a tour of the historic house and boathouse by Mr. Daniel Scott and Mrs. Lisa Scott. They learnt about the history of the home, the importance of catboats and the process of making one. The Department of Agriculture also facilitated a discussion on how important agriculture is in our daily lives from the food we eat to the clothes we wear, ensuring a fun-filled, engaging and educational experience for all attendees.

The Premier the Hon. G. Wayne Panton JP, MP, Minister for Sustainability and Climate Resiliency expressed his utmost enthusiasm for the event, stating, "The theme of 'Green Skills for Youth: Towards a Sustainable World' deeply resonates with our youth, who are passionate about protecting our environment. This event equipped them with the necessary knowledge and skills to become agents of change in building a sustainable Cayman."

The Hon. André Ebanks, Minister for Investment, Innovation and Social Development also shared his thoughts, saying, "International Youth Day provided a platform for our young people to showcase their talents and contributions to society. I am delighted to see the Department of Children and Family Services organising this event and providing Grand Cayman resident young people a fantastic opportunity to learn and enjoy some of the wonderful attributes of our Sister Island, Cayman Brac."

International Youth Day was established in 1999 following a conference in Lisbon, Portugal, where political ministers responsible for youth affairs recognized the significant roles that young people play globally. The General Assembly ratified an agreement that August 12 would be observed as Inter-



national Youth Day each year, highlighting the importance of youth in shaping our world through education, culture, politics, economics, and social innovation, including poverty eradication and the preservation of world peace.

The Department of Children and Family Services remains steadfast in its commitment to promoting the well-being and development of children and families in the Cayman Islands. Through various programs

and initiatives, the department strives to provide a safe, nurturing, and supportive environment for children to thrive and reach their full potential.

The Hon. Bernie Bush, Minister for Youth, Sports, Culture & Heritage and his team will be hosting a Family Fun Day in celebration of International Youth Day on Saturday, August 12, at the Scott's dock in Cayman Brac from 3:30pm-9:00pm. For more information, please contact Ventisha at 926-0633.

Suggested Hurricane Supply List

To prepare for the unknown, each home should have a 72-hour Disaster Survival Kit. You will need to pack some essential items to help you and your family survive, whether you stay at home or leave it during a disaster.

Ensure at least three days (72 hours) supply for each person. Do not forget pets where applicable! The following is a minimum suggested list of Survival Kit supplies:

Drinking Water:

- One gallon per person/per day in unbreakable containers, Avoid using containers that will decompose or break, such as milk cartons or glass bottles. A normally active person needs to drink at least two quarts of

water each day. Hot environments and intense physical activity can double that amount. Children, nursing mothers, and ill people will need more.

- Don't forget to add additional water for mixing formula if you have children and for your pets. Rotate the drinking water each year.

- Food preparation and sanitation require another two quarts (minimum) per person daily.

- Purchased bottled water that has been sealed is best for storage. It meets FDA guidelines for food and is not as vulnerable to temperature changes as unsealed water

- **Tip:** Purchase water this year and use it for drinking next year. This allows for rotation on an annual basis and keeps the water fresh. **Yes water can go bad!**

Water for sanitation use:

- Store extra containers of water to be used for flushing toilets, cleaning, and bathing.

- Purchase water purification tablets (Halazone) to be used if you still have running water but are told to boil water before using it. This allows you to fill the bathtub and other containers without purchasing expensive drinking water.

- **Tip:** Keep plastic containers (milk jugs and other containers) and fill them with water when a storm threatens. You can put these items in the freezer to keep food cold longer in the event that the electricity goes out.

Non-perishable Food:

- Maintain at least 3-7 days of food for each member of the family.

- Small, preferably single serving cans (should not require cooking or refrigeration). Dried fruit, peanut butter and jelly, coffee, tea, soft drinks and pet foods.

- Ready-to-eat canned meats, fruits and vegetables.

- Canned juices, milk, soup (if powdered, store extra water).

- Staples – sugar, salt, pepper in water proof containers.

- High energy foods like crackers, granola bars, trail mix.



- Raw vegetables that do not need refrigeration.

- Fresh bread.

- Comfort/stress foods – cookies, hard candy, sweetened cereals, lollipops, instant coffee, tea bags.

- Sterno for cooking.

- Vitamins

- Food for infants

- Paper cups, plates, and plastic utensils

- Non-electric can opener

- Aluminum foil

- Plastic storage containers

- Lots of ice (you can freeze your water supply)

- Pedialyte (to restore hydration if needed)

- **Tip:** Purchase only items that you like to eat and would eat even without a storm. Rotate these items by using them Dec-May each year and purchasing new items Jan-May. This allows you to reduce the cost of buying items for a hurricane kit at one time and keeps the items fresh. **Yes even canned goods have a shelf life!**

Baby Needs:

- Special foods (enough for several days)

- Formula (enough for several days)

- Extra diapers

- Medicines (get a copy of prescription)

- Blankets

- Diaper Rash Ointment

- Baby Wipes

- Powder

- Bottles

- Pacifier

- Favorite toy/blanket

- Medicine dropper

- Diaper-rash ointment

Sanitation

- Toilet paper, towelettes, soap, baby wipes, liquid hand sanitizer

- Liquid detergent

- Feminine supplies

- Personal hygiene items (toothpaste, deodorant, shampoo etc.)

- Plastic garbage bags, ties (for personal sanitation uses)

- Plastic bucket with tight lid

- Household chlorine bleach, disinfectant

- Plenty of absorbent towels

First Aid Kit

- Assemble a first aid kit for your home and one for each car.

- Adhesive bandages various sizes -

- Sterile gauze pads (various sizes)

- Germicidal hand wipes or waterless alcohol-based hand sanitizer

- Non-latex gloves - Adhesive tape - Anti-bacterial ointment - Antiseptic spray

- Cold packs (non refrigerated type) -

- Scissors - Tweezers - Rubbing alcohol

- CPR breathing barrier, such as a face shield - Thermometer, Safety pins.

Non-Prescription Drugs

- Aspirin or nonaspirin pain reliever, Benadryl, peroxide

- Anti-diarrhea medication, Antacid (for stomach upset)

- Syrup of Ipecac (use to induce vomiting if advised by the Poison Control Center)

- Laxative
- Activated charcoal (use if advised by the Poison Control Center)

Prescription Drugs

- Heart and high blood pressure medication

- Insulin (enough for a 30 day supply)

- Hearing Aid and extra batteries

- Prescription drugs

- Denture needs

- Contact lenses and supplies

- Extra eye glasses

- **Tip:** If your insurance will allow, get a 90 day supply of prescriptions and have at least a 30 day supply on hand. Don't wait until a couple of days before a storm to go to the pharmacy for refills you may not get your prescription refilled; the lines are long and they run out of supplies very quickly.

Clothing and Bedding

Include at least one complete change of clothing and footwear per person.

- Sturdy shoes or work boots

- Towels

- Rain gear

- Blankets or sleeping bags

- Pillows

- Hat and gloves

- Sunglasses

- Tent

- Lawn chairs

Entertainment

- Games

- Books

- Cards

- Extra batteries for games Coloring books, crayons.

Miscellaneous

- Wind-up or battery-operated clock

- Paper, pencil

- Needles, thread

- Camping utensils

- Map of the area (for locating shelters) and returning to the area.

- Cash or traveler's checks

- **Tip:** Have enough cash to sustain you through a 2 week period. Without electricity, most businesses (if open) will not accept credit cards and may not accept traveler's checks.

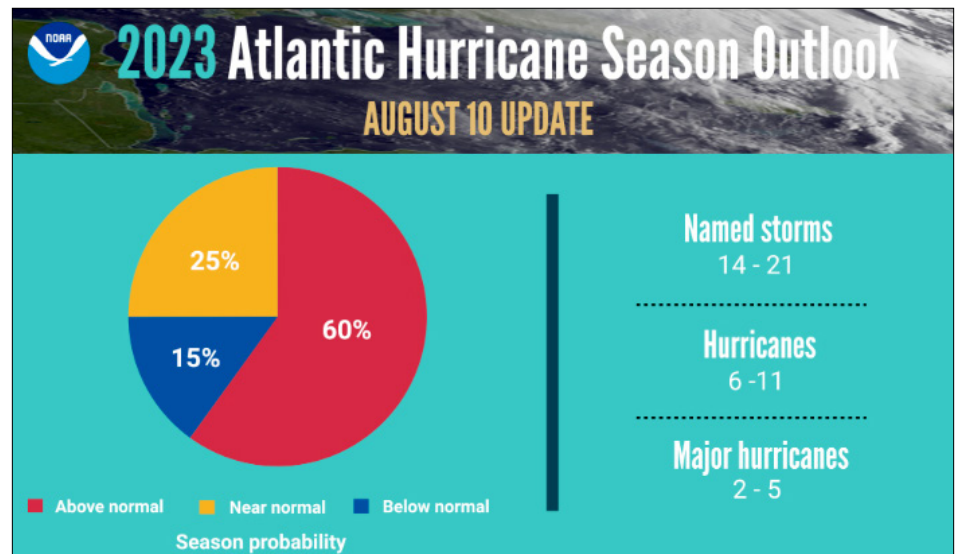
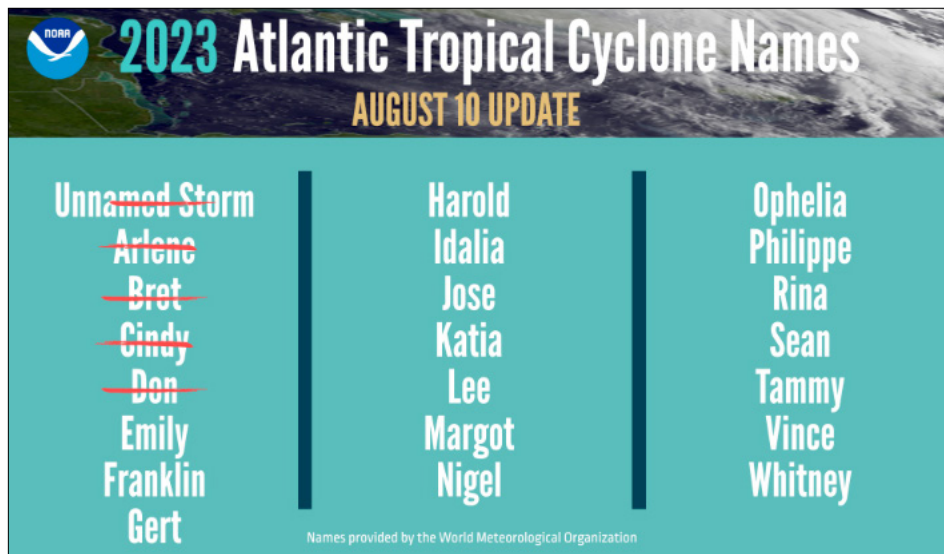
- Emergency preparedness manual

- Citronella candles

Tools and Supplies:

Masking and/or duct tape	Handsaw	Razor knife	Ax or chain saw
Nails and screws	Ladder	Portable generator	Wheelbarrow
Bucket/mop, broom	Fire extinguisher	Hammer	Screwdriver
Pliers/wrenches	Rope caulk	All purpose cleaner	Sandbags
Shovel, rake	Plywood	Plastic sheet/drop cloth	Bleach
Tarps to cover roof	Portable a/c unit	BBQ grill	Extra filled propane tanks
Utility knife	Fire extinguisher: small canister ABC type	Compass	Tape, duct tape
Signal flare	Battery operated radio with extra batteries	Bug repellent	Sun screen
(2-3) Flashlights with extra batteries and bulbs	Matches in a water-proof container	Shut-off wrench to turn off household gas and water	Whistle

HURRICANE SEASON RAISED TO 'ABOVE NORMAL'



By Staff Writer

The official projection for the intensity of the 2023 hurricane season has been raised from 'near normal' to 'above normal'.

The latest update by the US National Ocean and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) on August 11th now includes a 70% chance of 14-21 named storms, of which 6-11 could become hurricanes, and 2-5 could become major hurricanes.

In the update issued on August 10th, NOAA said it had heightened the outlook projection due to current ocean and atmospheric conditions, such as record-warm sea surface temperatures. The previous projection was for a "near normal" season.

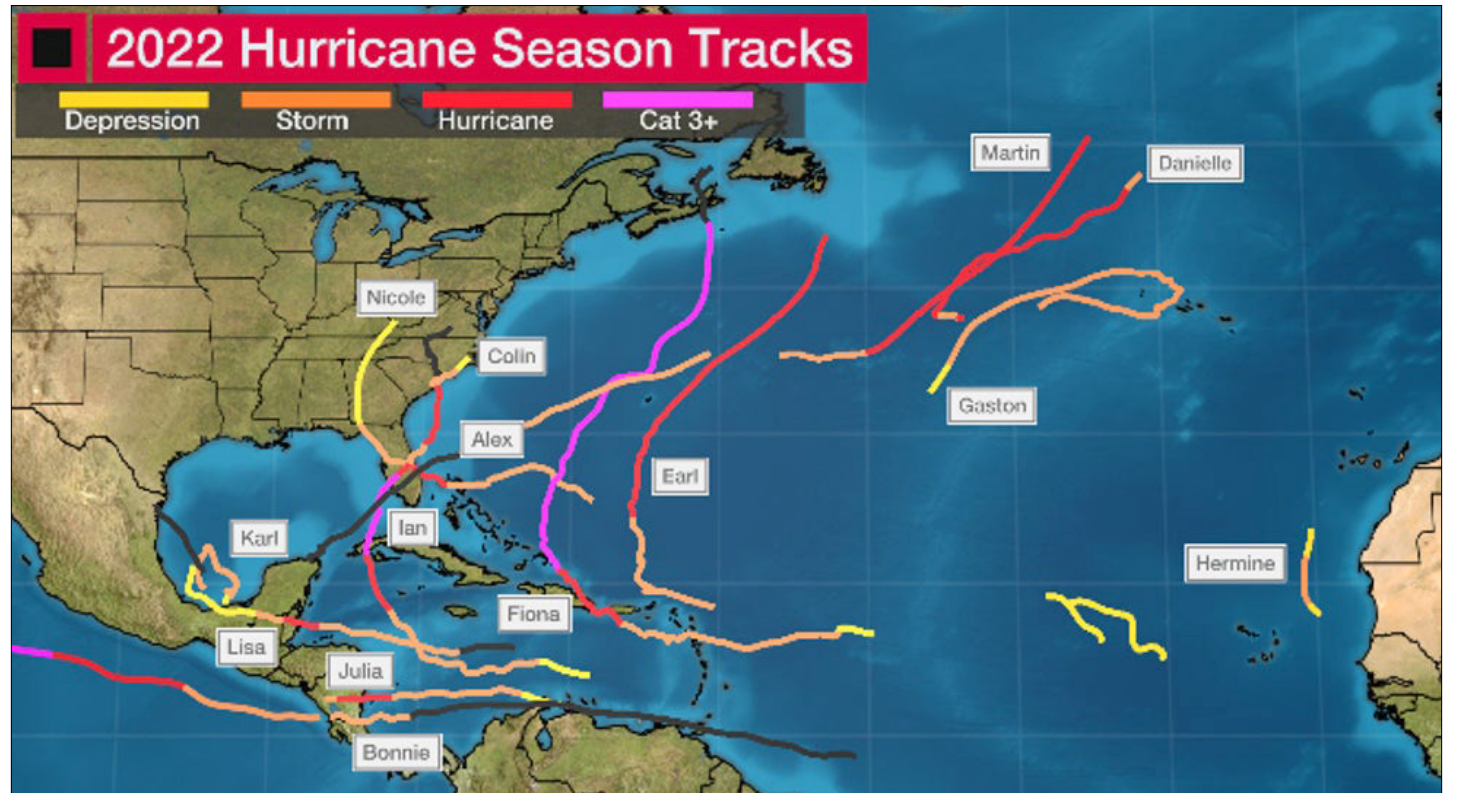
The updated outlook raises the likelihood of an above-normal Atlantic hurricane season to 60%, increased from the outlook issued in May, which predicted a 30% chance. The likelihood of near-normal activity has decreased to 25%, down from the 40% chances outlined in May's outlook. This new update gives the Atlantic a 15% chance of seeing a below-normal season.

NOAA's update to the 2023 outlook — which covers the entire six-month hurricane season ending on November 30th predicts 14-21 named storms (winds of 39 mph or greater), of which 6-11 could become hurricanes (winds of 74 mph or greater). Of those, 2-5 could become major hurricanes (winds of 111 mph or greater).

The Atlantic basin experienced an active start to the hurricane season with five storms that have reached at least tropical storm strength, including one hurricane already. An average hurricane season produces 14 named storms, of which seven become hurricanes, including three major hurricanes.

The next named storm will be called Emily.

"The main climate factors expected to influence the 2023 Atlantic hurricane activity are the ongoing El Nino and the warm phase of the Atlantic Multi-Decadal Oscillation, including record-warm Atlantic sea surface temperatures," said Matthew Rosencrans, lead hurricane season forecaster with NOAA's Climate Prediction Center. "Considering those factors, the updated outlook calls for more activity, so we



urge everyone to prepare now for the continuing season."

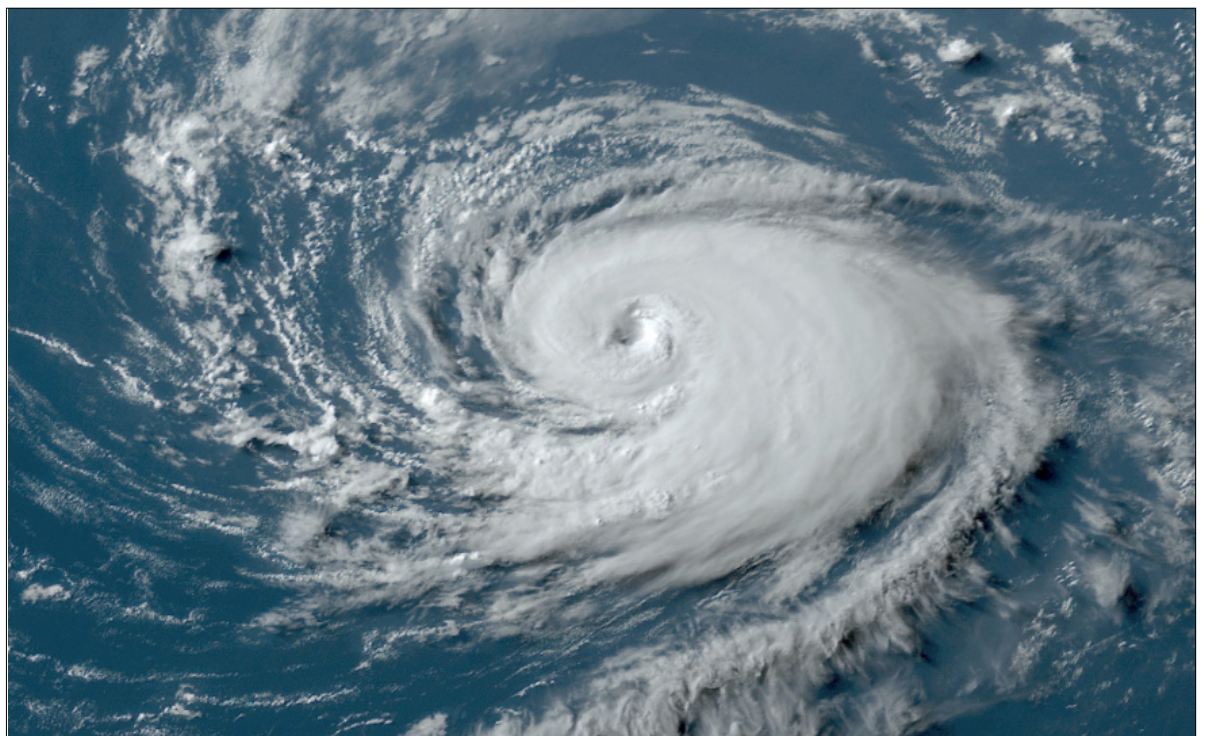
El Nino conditions are currently being observed and there is a greater than 95% chance that El Nino will continue through the Northern Hemisphere winter, according to the Climate Prediction Center. "El Nino usually results in atmospheric conditions that help to lessen tropical activity during the Atlantic hurricane season. So far, those limiting conditions have been slow to develop and climate scientists are forecasting that the associated impacts that tend to limit tropical cyclone activity may not be in place for much of the remaining hurricane season."

The agency also explained that a

below-normal wind shear forecast, slightly below-normal Atlantic trade winds and a near- or above-normal West African Monsoon were also key factors in the decision to update the seasonal forecast.

NOAA stressed that its hurricane out-

looks are forecasts of overall season activity, not landfalls and it is urging residents in vulnerable areas to have a well-thought-out hurricane plan and stay informed through official channels as this season progresses.





► Rolands Ebanks (centre) stands with the Honourable Minister for Sports (right) and an IPF official (left) after collecting the gold medal in his category at the 20th Annual International Powerlifting Federation (IPF) and North American Regional Powerlifting Championship held at the Grand Cayman Marriott Resort from 7th - 11th August, 2023.



► Isabel Ugalda of Costa Rica (left) and Kenedee Rowen of the USA won gold and silver in the Sub-Junior Division at the 20th Annual International Powerlifting Federation (IPF) and North American Regional Powerlifting Championship held at the Grand Cayman Marriott Resort from 7th - 11th August, 2023.

Cayman Hosts 'World-class' IPF Powerlifting Competition



► A powerlifter takes on the challenge in his category at the 20th Annual International Powerlifting Federation (IPF) and North American Regional Powerlifting Championship held at the Grand Cayman Marriott Resort from 7th - 11th August, 2023.



► Minister for Sports, the Honourable Bernie Bush stands with Mr. Lester Horacio Laudra; a powerlifter from Nicaragua, at the 20th Annual International Powerlifting Federation (IPF) and North American Regional Powerlifting Championship held at the Grand Cayman Marriott Resort from 7th - 11th August, 2023.

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and noted that character building is an essential of why the sport is important for youngsters and adults alike.

The week-long competition included 12

Caymanian athletes among the competitors and featured a variety of categories such as sub-junior, junior, open and master, among others.

An array of comments from those on hand for the event, praised what some

called impeccable organisation on the part of the Cayman Islands Powerlifting Organization, whose president, Mr. Tony McInerney spoke exclusively with the Caymanian Times and explained what went into putting the event together.

"...Hard work and a great team. We've had spotters, loaders and persons to set up the venue and managed to do it

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► A powerlifter is flanked by spotters at the 20th Annual International Powerlifting Federation (IPF) and North American Regional Powerlifting Championship.



► Local Retailer Paradise Pump Cayman was represented at the event with an array of products from their lines.



► Cayman Islands Powerlifting Organisation Treasurer Myrnet McInerney welcoming visitors

Heavyweights excel at Powerlifting Competition

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within a short window. There is a lot of weight to bring into the venue, as well and so everyone really pulled together to put it together," said Mr. McInerney, who also competed in the event along with the athletes representing the Cayman Islands.

Among the locals who had a successful outing at the competition, was Caymanian Powerlifter, Mr. Roland Ebanks took home a Gold Medal in his category.

"All of our athletes have done Cayman proud and after this, it's back to training for competition overseas. We hope to send junior lifters to the Commonwealth Games in Arica and so that is something we are working towards," added Mr. McInerney.

Minister for Sports, the Honourable Bernie Bush, noted:

"This is an awesome event with lots of categories. It's been conducted spectacularly, with no injuries and great safety protocols and it has been great for Cayman's tourism product. Just think, 300 athletes,



► USA was represented at at the 20th Annual International Powerlifting Federation (IPF) and North American Regional Powerlifting Championship in Grand Cayman.

many of whom have come along with their family and supporters and everyone is talking about Stingray City and other local attractions; that's a great thing for Cayman."

Among those on hand for the event was Audrey Matura, who was traveling with 18 athletes from the Country of Belize as a press liaison.

Mrs. Matura explained that this was her second trip to Grand Cayman, with her first visit taking place 20 years ago, during her time serving as a Parliamentarian (senator) for the Central American nation.

She said she was amazed at how much progress has taken place since her previous visit and praised the Islands' Powerlifting Organisation for their work and

organizing a 'world-class event'.

"They must be praised for pulling this off. Everything has been on time, with no glitches and absolutely no problems with all of these athletes. We would definitely like to return this amazing hospitality to the Caymanian athletes, who attend the Championships when Belize is hosting in 2026," she remarked.



► Caymanian Powerlifter Roland Ebanks (centre) with his Sponsors, Adonza Harrison of Guardians Alive & Essential Wellness, Sharlene Richardson of Greentech (left) and Herman Charlerly (right).

CIMA, CIIPA sign MOU to strengthen information exchange

The Cayman Islands Monetary Authority (CIMA) and the Cayman Islands Institute of Professional Accountants (CIIPA) recently signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) aimed at helping both organisations strengthen their oversight and regulatory regimes through enhanced information exchange.

The MOU outlines the intent to establish a framework through which to exchange information to create greater oversight and regulation of those performing public accounting services.

"As one of the pillars to the success of the financial services industry, and the gatekeeper, CIMA welcomes this partnership with CIIPA, which will allow both institutions to achieve their statutory obligations," said CIMA Managing Director Cindy Scotland, OBE. "We look forward to building on an already strong continued relationship with CIIPA."

The MOU calls for the sharing of information to enable the enforcement of laws, regulations, policies and professional standards relating to approved audit firms. It is meant to ensure firms meet the required standards of both CIMA and CIIPA and sets out a schedule of correspondence with regards to:

- The registration or approval of firms and licensed practitioners
- Quality assurance reviews
- Removal, limitations and disciplinary action



- Financial crime supervision
- CIIPA will also provide information in relation to quality assurance reviews. "Transparency and ethics are of par-

amount importance in the accounting profession," CIIPA Chief Executive Officer Sheree Ebanks said. "This MOU will allow both CIIPA and CIMA to more

easily meet regulatory requirements, which in turn will help strengthen Cayman's already robust and mature regulatory framework."

TRIBUTE IN LOVING & BLESSED MEMORY OF OUR DEAR PRECIOUS DEVOTED AND WONDERFUL GRANDMOTHER, GREAT-GRANDMOTHER & GREAT-GREAT-GRANDMOTHER, MRS. HETTIE BODDEN, who left us for her Heavenly Home on 8th August, 1973; 50 sad years ago this year, 8/8/2023.



Mrs. Hettie Bodden
22nd Sept. 1887 - 8th August, 1973

Our Dearest Precious Devoted, Wonderful, Loving & Caring Mama & Grandmother-Hettie, as you were affectionately called by your children, grandchildren & great-grandchildren.

God took you home 50 years ago as He needed you and you needed rest. It was the most difficult day of our lives to see you go. We will never ever forget you, and we will forever and ever keep you close in our hearts and in our memory. You did so much for each and every one of us for which we are most grateful.

Rest in Heavenly Peace with all God's Angels and all your loving Family members surrounding you.

Lovingly remembered always by all your loving Grandchildren, Great-Grandchildren & Great-Great-Grandchildren. Sent in by your loving Granddaughter, Mrs. Aline Wood, who will never forget you.

TRIBUTE IN LOVING MEMORY OF OUR DEAR BELOVED Brother, Cousin, Uncle & Friend, EDGAR MERREN, on his 80th BIRTHDAY in Heaven this SATURDAY, 12th August, 2023.



HAPPY 80th BIRTHDAY to Our Dear Precious EDGAR

We're sending you lots of LOVE, HUGS & KISSESS, and want to let you know that you continue to be a big part of many happy memories, and many loving and caring thoughts each day.

We think of you always and wish we still had you here with us, except that we know you are much better off in Heaven than being here with the many unpleasant changes which have taken place in Grand Cayman since you left us.

We all loved you beyond any measure and miss you greatly. We know you wanted to go to Heaven to be with your Lord and Savior and also with other dear beloved family members and we feel sure that they will help you to enjoy your 80th to the fullest and that God is right by your side blessing you abundantly.

Forever in our hearts. We love you and miss you always. Your loving & devoted Sisters - Aline & Chasteen; Brother - James; Special Cousins, Nieces & Nephews, & your Church of God (Universal) Family. REST IN HEAVENLY PEACE, our Dear Edgar, until we meet again.

Biles all loved up again

Simone Biles is only 26 and has just made a comeback to gymnastics after an enforced two-year hiatus, yet she is already undeniably the sport's greatest ever.

Biles is the most decorated gymnast in history, with 25 world championship medals. She made a jaw-dropping comeback last weekend, securing first place overall since the Tokyo Olympics episode. Loved up in gymnastics again and loved up in marriage too.

At the NOW Arena, in Illinois, Biles wrapped up the day with an all-around score of 59.100. After the 2023 US Nationals Camp, she once again showed off her signature Yurchenko double pike on the vault, sporting a leotard with black and white sequins.

The 4ft 8in superstar topped the all-around events by dominating the floor exercise (14.900) and balance beam (14.800), finishing five points ahead of the runner-up overall. Her new husband, Jonathan Owens could not be with Simone as he was on NFL duty. The Green Bay Packers safety was signing a new contract just days after his wedding in May to the 4-time Olympic champion. The deal included the

terms of rigorous training at Green Bay Packers stadium in Wisconsin meaning watching his new wife live was not possible.

Biles often engages with her 6.8 million followers on Instagram and recently, when asked about her long-distance wedding, she posted a long message about the lack of quality time they spend together. The Owens resorted to using face-timing and other forms of virtual contact.

Biles has admitted: "Long distance is tough and both being professional athletes is hard.... for our schedules."

The last time Biles competed was at the 2021 Tokyo Olympics. She prematurely withdrew following a decision made to "focus on her mental health," a statement by USA Gymnastics said then. She was suffering from the 'twisties' - when a gymnast loses orientation in mid-air.

Thankfully, Biles has overcome the twisties. And the motivation behind her comeback is "obvious," she said. At the Tokyo Olympics she was expected to win up to five gold medals, she instead withdrew from five finals, including the team competition after performing on

just one apparatus. The Paris Olympics next year is the obvious goal to redress those setbacks. Biles has still not fulfilled her potential, believing she can achieve more. Pressure from all sides is constant: "When you get married, they ask you when you're having a baby. You come to Classics, they're asking you about the Olympics. I think we're just trying to take it one step at a time."



► Jonathan Owens is her new husband



► Biles returned in triumph

Messi's brilliance means MLS delay



► Lionel Messi has already made a huge impact in Miami

Lionel Messi has had such an impact on the American football scene that he will have to wait a few days longer to debut in Major League Soccer.

Inter Miami's August 20 home matchup against Charlotte FC, long expected to be Messi's first action in MLS, has been postponed.

A postponement was required due to both teams' progress in the Leagues Cup, where Miami will host Charlotte in the quarter-finals on Friday.

Messi's first taste of MLS action now looks set to be on August 26 at the New York Red Bulls. Before that, Miami are

scheduled to travel to FC Cincinnati on August 23 for a US Open Cup semi-final.

Miami and its new No. 10 have been enjoying a dream run in the Leagues Cup.

Messi has scored seven times in just four appearances in the competition following his arrival on a free transfer, helping Miami reach the last eight.

The pressure will be on though when the 36-year-old Argentinian finally makes his MLS bow, with Miami languishing at the foot of the Eastern Conference and with just 12 games remaining to turn things around and secure a playoff place.

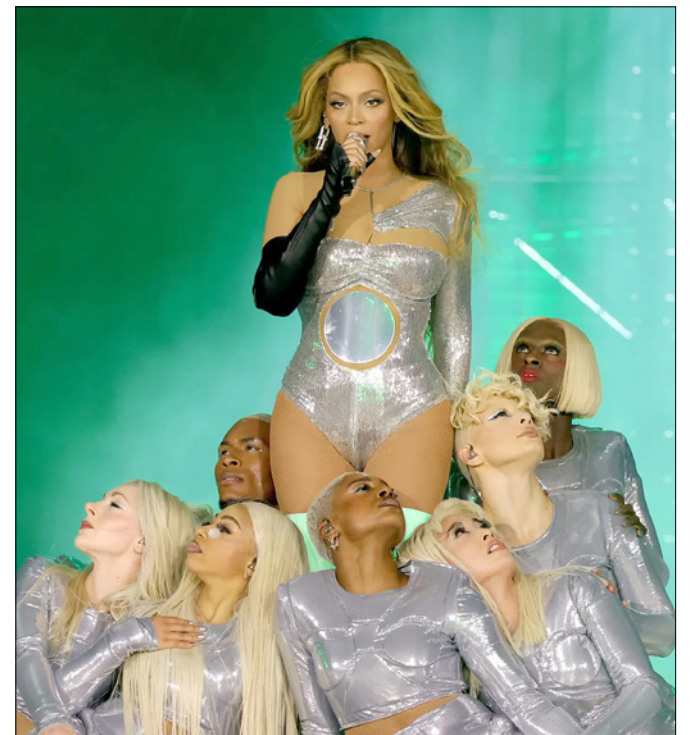
Beyoncé smashes tour records

Beyoncé's Renaissance concerts are on course to set a record for the amount made on a tour for a black artist — and she is only halfway through.

Having conquered Europe and sold out Tottenham Hotspur Stadium for five nights running, the singer is now well into the North American leg.

Official Chart data states that The Renaissance World Tour has made \$296 million — which puts it ahead of Michael Jackson's \$165 million made in 1997. And it is not far behind the £305 million record by Bruno Mars's 24K Magic Tour.

Beyoncé now holds five of the top 10 titles on the all-time list of top-grossing concert tours by black artists, occupying positions two through to five. Two of her entries are the On The Run shows she performed with her husband, rapper



► Beyoncé is raking in millions on tour

Jay-Z.

Beyoncé had by Wednesday performed 33 of her 56 shows, which will wind up in October in Kansas City. As well as her 'mute' sections and costume changes, the singer has also made headlines for spending \$100,000 to keep trains running late on the Washington network to allow fans a safe trip home.

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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Answer to previous puzzle

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Difficulty Level ★★ 5/29

CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

- 1 Less hackneyed
- 6 Some agents
- 11 Wed in haste
- 12 Tennis star Rafael
- 13 Ready for bed
- 14 Tusk material
- 15 Make fun of
- 17 Decline
- 19 Count starter
- 20 All the rage
- 23 "Rebel Without —"

DOWN

- 42 Choose
- 43 Minimal change
- 44 Church areas
- 1 Court divider
- 2 Bulldog backer
- 3 Jotto and Ghost
- 4 Foil's kin
- 5 Token of love
- 6 Sarcastic
- 7 Cover with asphalt
- 8 Ceremony words
- 9 Corn helping
- 10 Devious

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Yesterday's answer

- 16 Wrong
- 17 Fresh
- 18 Biting
- 20 Half of a team's schedule
- 21 Met work
- 22 Grade determiners
- 24 Game caller
- 25 Truck part
- 27 Set sail
- 31 Of little value
- 33 Pull in
- 34 Future paper
- 35 Nile slitherer
- 36 That lady
- 37 Pale
- 39 Great service
- 40 Cozy sts.

Word Search

D	Y	E	X	H	I	B	I	T	I	O	N	P	S	W
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- Album
- Auction
- Cachet
- Cancel
- Catalogue
- Collection
- Country
- Cover
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- Definitive
- Envelope
- Exhibition
- Fiscal
- Forgery
- Gum
- Issue
- Local
- Mint
- Mount
- Overprint
- Perf
- Philately
- Postmark
- Revenue
- Stamp
- Surcharge
- Used
- Value
- Watermark

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions — forward, back, up, down and diagonally.

- 25 Get by
- 26 Rio event of 2016
- 28 Choreography bit
- 29 Burns or Browning
- 30 Toady's answer
- 31 Write hastily
- 32 Argon, for one
- 33 Moon of Jupiter
- 35 Egyptian city
- 38 Ornamental tree
- 41 "Jaws" threat

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CURTIS

By Ray Billingsley

DAD, CAN I HAVE SOME MONEY?

I JUST GAVE YOU MONEY YESTERDAY! WHAT HAPPENED TO THE MONEY I GAVE YOU YESTERDAY?!

DAD, THAT WAS A FULL TWENTY-FOUR HOURS AGO! HOW FAR DID YOU THINK THAT MONEY WOULD TAKE ME?!

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THE AMAZING SPIDER-MAN

By Stan Lee

THIS POISON WILL ENTER WOO'S BLOODSTREAM IN SECONDS.

PUT DOWN THAT HYPODERMIC!

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STAN LEE LARRY LIEBER 6-21

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By Woody Wilson & Mike Manley

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The Captain's Bakery (Cayman) Ltd at 105 West Bay Rd, invites applicants for the following positions: Bread Packer 1, Bread Packer 2, Cleaner 1, Cleaner 2, Dishwasher 1, Dishwasher 2, Cashiers, Counter Clerks, Kitchen Assistant 1, Kitchen Assistant 2, Kitchen Assistant 3, Bakery Assistant 1, Bakery Assistant 2, Bakery Assistant 3 and Driver . Applicants must have a minimum of six (6) years of experience in commercial food preparation or baking, cleaning, cashiering, or serving. Must be honest and possess good interpersonal skills and be able to work as a part of a team. Must be willing to work on Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays and on shifts. Salary is C.I. \$6.00 per hour, plus health and pension benefits. Caymanians, persons married to Caymanians and status holders are being invited to apply for this position. Please apply on the JobsCayman website.



The Children & Youth Services (CAYS) Foundation invites applications from suitable and experienced persons for the position of **Administrative Assistant**.

The CAYS Foundation seeks to hire an Administrative Assistant to provide direct and vital support to the Business Manager in executing the administrative management functions of the Foundation. The post holder must demonstrate initiative and provide a high standard of communication, clerical, and administrative support to staff and CAYS' Managers. The right candidate will be excited about contributing to nation building through their work with a non-profit organization, should embrace the challenges associated with such a role, and should exhibit a proactive, solutions-focused approach to their assigned tasks. The post holder will act as custodian of filing/tracking systems and create new electronic filing systems as needed, will perform general clerical duties, and will support purchasing, ordering, maintaining supplies/inventory, and liaise with vendors as needed.

Specifically, the Foundation is looking for candidates with:

- Good verbal and written communication skills.
- Experience with Microsoft Windows environment, (Word, Excel, PowerPoint), and common internet browsers required.
- Ability to think independently and take initiative where/when appropriate.
- Clean criminal background check and drug screening, and positive professional references.

Qualifications, Knowledge & Experience:

- Applicants must possess either an Associates Degree with 3 years of relevant experience or a high school degree with 5 years relevant experience. Applicants must also be versed in Microsoft Windows environment and common internet browsers. Basic Accounting or Book-keeping background/experience would be an asset. Applicants must have a valid driver's license.

Salary Range: CI\$33,120 - CI\$44,508 commensurate with experience and qualifications.

The benefit package will include a fully funded pension and comprehensive health insurance.

Please submit a cover letter, Resume, and an application form (available on our website: cays.org.ky) to:

CAYS Foundation
Attn: Business Manager
PO Box 30718
Grand Cayman KY1-1203
CAYMAN ISLANDS

Or submit via email to: faa@cays.org.ky

Deadline for receiving applications: August 28, 2023.

NOTICES

Caymanian participation is sought in the ownership and operation of a local customs agent and courier service based in George Town.

The initial capital investment required is in the region of US\$385,000.

Expressions of interest in this project at any level are invited from Caymanian individuals or entities on or before August 18th 2023.

Interested parties should provide evidence of financial ability to participate in a business of this nature supported by a letter from a financial institution within the Cayman Islands.

Any Caymanian interested in making a financial investment in this project should apply to PO Box 10190 Grand Cayman, KY1-1002, Cayman Islands to the attention of Dentons.

A copy of any Caymanian interest must also be sent to the Trade and Business Licensing Board, c/o the Department of Commerce and Investment, Government Administration Building, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands.

In the absence of any Caymanian parties interested and able to participate, an application will be made to the Department of Commerce and Investment/ Trade and Business Licensing Board for the appropriate licenses.

NOTICES

ATLA Cayman Islands

c/o The Civil Aviation Authority
of the Cayman Islands
P. O. Box 10277
Grand Cayman
Cayman Islands

Form 2 – Publication by Air Transport Licensing Authority of particulars of application to operate scheduled air service.

In accordance with the provisions of regulation 9 of the Air Transport (Licensing of Air Services) Regulations, 1977, the Air Transport Licensing Authority hereby publish the prescribed particulars of the under mentioned application to operate a Scheduled Air Service in, to and from the Colony.

Any representations regarding this application or objections thereto, must be made in duplicate to the Air Transport Licensing Authority on or before the 28th August, 2023 and any notice requiring the holding of an enquiry in public for the purpose of determining the application must be received on or before the 04th September, 2023.

Particulars of application to operate scheduled air service

1. Applicant Cayman Airways Ltd.
2. Route applied for as per below
3. Purposes of services (passenger, freight, mails) Passenger, freight & mail services
4. Points of departure, final destination and intermediate points of call as per below
5. Date on which the service is to commence continuation of current services
6. Period for which the license if applied for five years
7. Frequency of flights various according to below flight schedule
8. Provisional time table see below
9. Type of aircraft B737-8 MAX 16 B/C & 144 Y

Date 10 August 2023

Nicoela McCoy, MBA
Secretary
Air Transport Licensing Authority



INTERNATIONAL FLIGHTS - Effective 10 July until 28 October 2023

FLY FROM	FLY TO	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY
CAYMAN BRAC (CYB) - DENVER (DEN)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
440	07:00a	12:20p	SA (1 stop) discontinue 19 AUG	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - CAYMAN BRAC (CYB)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
405	6:05p	6:45p	FR	
122	7:50a	11:40a	SA (1 stop) effective 25 AUG	
CAYMAN BRAC (CYB) - GRAND CAYMAN (GCM)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
440	7:00a	7:40a	SA discontinue 19 AUG	
122	7:50a	8:30a	SA effective 26 AUG	
CAYMAN BRAC (CYB) - MIAMI (MIA)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
122	7:50a	11:40a	SA effective 26 AUG	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - DENVER (DEN)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
440	8:30a	12:20p	SA discontinue 19 AUG	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - HAVANA, CUBA (HAV)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
834	6:00p	8:05p	TH	
834	6:40p	8:45p	MO	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - KINGSTON (KIN)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
600	7:00a	8:10a	MO WE TH SA	
602	12:00n	1:10p	TU FR	
606	5:35p	6:45p	SU FR	
*2600	7:00a	8:05a	TU discontinue 5 SEP	
*2602	12:00n	1:05p	WE discontinue 6 SEP	
*2606	5:30p	6:40p	TH discontinue 7 SEP	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - LA CEIBA, HONDURAS (LCE)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
882	1:00p	1:35p	FR	
2882	1:00p	1:35p	TU discontinue 5 SEP	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - LOS ANGELES (LAX)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
480	3:45p	8:00p	SA	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - MIAMI (MIA)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
102	7:00a	9:40a	FR	
104	11:30a	2:10p	TU WE TH SA	
112	9:30a	12:10p	MO	
122	9:10a	11:40a	SA	
106	4:45p	7:25p	FR	
108	2:00p	4:40p	SU	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - MONTEGO BAY (MBJ)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
*2612	7:35a	8:35a	MO FR discontinue 8 SEP	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - NEW YORK (JFK)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
792	5:00p	10:00p	SU	
792	5:10p	10:00p	WE SA	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - PANAMA (PTY)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
852	11:30p	1:30p	MO TH discontinue 11 SEP	
852	11:30a	1:30p	TH effective 14 SEP	
GRAND CAYMAN (GCM) - TAMPA (TPA)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
200	11:30a	2:20p	MO FR SA SU	
202	2:00p	4:50p	TH	
MIAMI (MIA) - GRAND CAYMAN (GCM)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
103	11:00a	11:40a	FR	
105	3:30p	4:10p	MO TU WE TH SA	
123	12:50p	2:45p	SA (1 stop)	
107	8:40p	9:20p	FR	
109	6:00p	6:40p	SU	
MONTEGO BAY (MBJ) - GRAND CAYMAN (GCM)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
*2613	9:35a	10:30a	MO FR discontinue 8 SEP	
NEW YORK (JFK) - GRAND CAYMAN (GCM)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
793	10:00a	1:00p	MO TH SU	
PANAMA (PTY) - GRAND CAYMAN (GCM)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
853	3:00p	5:00p	MO TH discontinue 11 SEP	
853	3:00p	5:00p	TH effective 14 SEP	
TAMPA (TPA) - GRAND CAYMAN (GCM)				
FLT	DEPARTS	ARRIVES	FREQUENCY	
201	3:20p	4:10p	MO FR SA SU	
203	5:50p	6:45p	TH	

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