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Persons with Disabilities Supported at Marathon

By: Marsha Ebanks

In celebration of International Day for Persons with Disabilities earlier this month, the National Council for Persons with Disabilities

gathered to cheer on over 1,300 participants who turned up for the Cayman Islands marathon. Some of the brave participants included marathoners with visual and physical impairments and invisible disabilities.

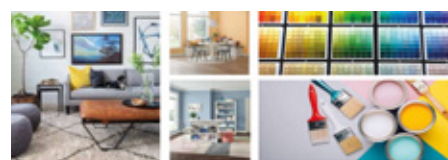
The marathon promotes disability, inclusivity and ensures that all who to take

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HRH King Charles's III Christmas message



► HRH King Charles III

"They are an essential backbone of our society. Their presence meant so much to us both and emphasised the meaning of coronation itself: above all, a call to us all to serve one another; to love and care for all.

"Service also lies at the heart of the Christmas story - the birth of Jesus who came to serve the whole world, showing us by his own example how to love our neighbour as ourselves.

"Throughout the year, my family have witnessed how people of all ages are making a difference to their communities.

"This is all the more important at a time of real hardship for many, when we need to build on existing ways to support others less fortunate than ourselves.

"Because out of God's providence we are blessed with much, and it is incumbent on us to use this wisely.

"However, service to others is but one way of honouring the whole of creation which, after all, is a manifestation of the divine. This is a belief shared by all religions.

"To care for this creation is a responsibility owned by people of all faiths and of none. We care for the Earth for the sake of our children's children.

"During my lifetime I have been so pleased to see a growing awareness of how we must protect the Earth and our natural world as the one home which we all share.

"I find great inspiration now from the way so many people recognise this - as does the Christmas story, which tells us that angels brought the message of hope first to shepherds. These were people who lived simply amongst others of God's creatures. Those close to nature were privileged that night.

"And at a time of increasingly tragic conflict around the World, I pray that we can also do all in our power to protect each other. The words of Jesus seem more than ever relevant: 'Do to others as you would have them do to you.'

"Such values are universal, drawing together our Abrahamic family of religions, and other belief systems, across the Commonwealth and wider world.

"They remind us to imagine ourselves in the shoes of our neighbours, and to seek their good as we would our own.

"So on this Christmas Day, my heart and my thanks go to all who are serving one another; all who are caring for our common home; and all who see and seek the good of others, not least the friend we do not yet know. In this way, we bring out the best in ourselves.

"I wish you a Christmas of 'peace on Earth and goodwill to all', today and always."

"Many of the festivals of the great religions of the world are celebrated with a special meal.

"A chance for family and friends to come together across generations; the act of sharing food adding to conviviality and togetherness.

"For some, faith will be uppermost in their hearts.

"For others, it will be the joy of fellowship and the giving of presents. It is also a time when we remember those who are no longer with us and think also of those whose work of caring for others continues, even on this special day.

"This care and compassion we show to others is one of the themes of the Christmas story, especially when Mary and Joseph were offered shelter in their hour of need by strangers, as they waited for Jesus to be born.

"Over this past year my heart has been warmed by countless examples of the imaginative ways in which people are caring for one another - going the extra mile to help those around them simply because they know it is the right thing to do: at work and at home; within and across communities.

"My wife and I were delighted when hundreds of representatives of that selfless army of people - volunteers who serve their communities in so many ways and with such distinction - were able to join us in Westminster Abbey for the coronation earlier this year.



CUC's New Year's Closures

On **Friday, December 29**, our Customer Service Centre at Caribbean Plaza and our Administrative Offices on North Sound Road will close at noon for New Year's. These offices will reopen for business on **Tuesday, January 2, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.**

Gift Certificates from CUC that can be used towards paying electricity bills are available in denominations of \$25, \$50 and \$100 from our Customer Service Centre.

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Warmest wishes for a safe, prosperous and happy 2024!



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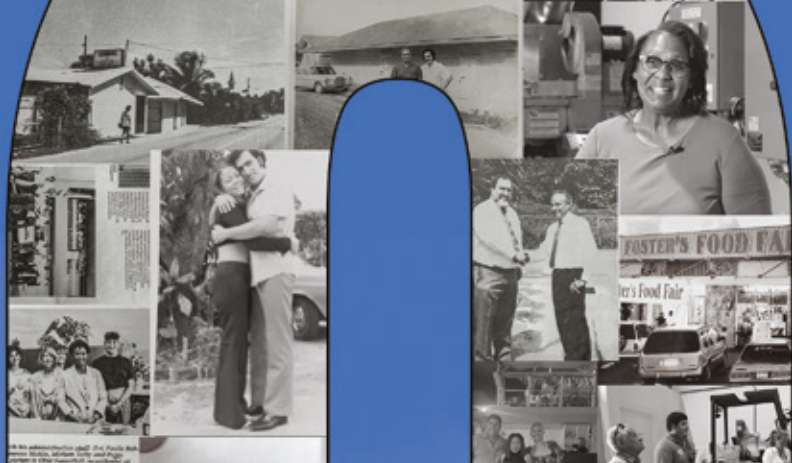
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Minister Meets with Appointees of Immigration Boards

By: Hayley Reid

Premier Hon. Juliana O'Connor-Conolly, Minister for Border Control and Labour, Hon. Dwayne Seymour, Parliament Secretary Hon. McKeever Bush, along with representatives from the Ministry and the Workforce Opportunities & Residency Cayman recently welcomed new and returning appointees of the Immigration Boards at a breakfast meeting held at Grand Old House recently.

The event provided an opportunity for the appointees of the Caymanian Status and Permanent Residency Board, Business Staffing Plan Board and the Immigration Appeals Tribunal to discuss the responsibilities that fall under their remit and share their thoughts on the Islands' immigration policies.

In his remarks to the group, Minister Seymour stated that immigration boards are central to safeguarding the islands' economic, social, and cultural fabric while navigating the complexities of global migration. "Your boards are a crucial part of our national security framework; your work forms a safeguard mechanism by stopping individuals who might pose a



► Minister at MBCL Breakfast

threat to our community from exploiting our immigration facilities. This function comes with great responsibility, and you have a duty to ensure that your decisions

are made within the legal parameters of immigration laws and policies while upholding the integrity of the country's legal system," he emphasised.

Minister Seymour also informed the attendees that in the new year, he intends to propose several amendments to the Immigration (Transition) Act and the Immigration Regulations to streamline the application process, improve transparency and enhance compliance.

Chief Officer in the Ministry, Wesley Howell, reminded the board members to always work prudently and efficiently. "Our immigration system is built on a foundation of protecting Caymanians – both job seekers and business owners. We prioritise the safety of these islands by scrutinising foreign workers before they arrive; we aim to facilitate effective and efficient Immigration Boards with the full support of WORC's administrative, investigative and compliance teams, led by Director Jeremy Scott. By working together, we ensure Caymanian lives are enriched and protected."

The Cabinet approved the Immigration Boards on 5 December. The boards play a pivotal role in managing the balance between ensuring the local community's well-being, improving Caymanian employment, reducing under-employment, and facilitating required foreign talent.

CIDOT Bolsters Team in 2023 with New Hires & New Appointments



► 2023 CIDOT New Hires and Appointments

The Cayman Islands Department of Tourism (CIDOT) is pleased to announce the hiring of a robust cohort of Caymanian talent in 2023.

The CIDOT is proud to welcome eleven talented individuals to the team and to announce the promotion of three dedicated team members, strengthening the department's commitment to excellence in promoting the Cayman Islands.

The CIDOT warmly welcomes to the team:

- Raquel James-Weise as Operations Administrator,

- Faith Powery as Executive Officer I,
- Gabrielle Beckford as Executive Officer I,
- Raejani Lopez as Public Relations Officer,
- Lori-Ann Whittaker as Public Relations Assistant,
- Tatiana Ramoon as Marketing Officer (Events)
- Tyra McField as Marketing Assistant
- Sawyer Clements as Research Officer,
- Marina Payne as Tourism Development Coordinator (Scholarships & Ed-

ucation),

- Hannah Peralta as Tourism Development Coordinator and;
- Oney Soler Gonzalez as Accounts Officer I (Payables).

These new hires bring a wealth of unique skills and experiences to the team, adding fresh perspectives and enhancing the department's ability to promote the distinctive offerings of our destination to a global audience. These new hires and appointments highlight the department's dedication to maintaining a strong work-

force that reflects the vibrant culture of the Cayman Islands.

In addition to the new hires, the CIDOT is also pleased to share the new appointments of three devoted team members, Cindy Powery as Customer Service Representative, Kaleigh Thompson as Tourism Services Supervisor and Alyssa Cayasso as Marketing Officer (Tourism Services).

Director of Tourism, Mrs. Rosa Harris, commented on the new hires and promotions, "The CIDOT continues to take pride in and nurture our local Caymanian talent, and we are thrilled to welcome eleven exceptional individuals to our department this year. As we continue to elevate the Cayman Islands' profile on the international stage, this growth in our team promises to accelerate the department's goals and objectives.

Over the past few months, our new team members have shown a readiness to serve our industry and diligence and commitment in their new roles, and we are delighted to have such hardworking individuals be a part of the department. We look forward to seeing their diverse backgrounds and expertise contribute to our ongoing efforts to position the Cayman Islands as a premier destination."

"I would also like to congratulate our new appointees, Cindy, Kaleigh and Alyssa, whose growth in our department reflects our commitment to fostering the development of our team. We are excited to see you both soar in your new roles and confident you will continue your valued contributions to the team."



IMPORTANT CUSTOMER NOTICE

Notice of transfer of the Cayman business of CG United Insurance Ltd.

CG United Insurance Ltd. (CG United) wishes to advise its policyholders of the transfer of its insurance operations in the Cayman Islands to British Caymanian Insurance Company Limited (CG BritCay), effective January 01, 2024.

Going forward, and subject to receipt of regulatory approvals, all documentation related to existing policies with CG United will change to reference CG BritCay. However, we would like to reassure customers that there will be no impact to the specific terms and conditions of their existing policies with CG United. The only material change will be to the name of the insurance provider.

The office of CG United, situated at Unit #3 The Strand, 46 Canal Point Drive will close permanently on December 22, 2023. After this date, all queries and transactions in relation to CG United should now be directed to the offices of CG BritCay located at BritCay House, 236 Eastern Avenue, George Town.

For more information on this change please direct your queries or concerns as outlined below:

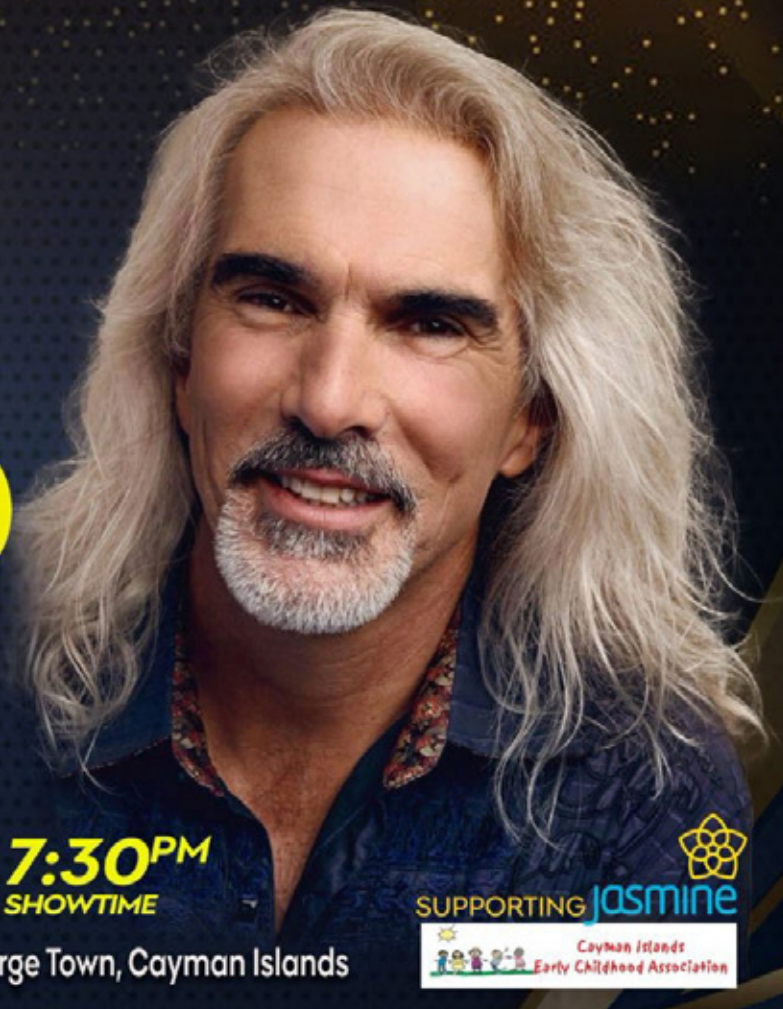
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TOTAL SHIPS - 10
TOTAL PASSENGERS - 33,178

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
31	1	2	3	4	5
Regal Princess	Marella Explorer 2	Carnival Pride	MSC Seascope	Celebrity Beyond	
Eurodam		Disney Fantasy		Disney Dream	
MS Insignia		Norwegian Escape			
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HSA appoints new Deputy Chief Executive Officer

The Health Services Authority (HSA) is pleased to announce the appointment of Dr Vinton Douglas as Deputy Chief Executive Officer (DCEO) effective January 1, 2024. His responsibilities include oversight of Primary Healthcare, Corporate Services, Infection Control, Quality & Risk, Patient Services, Medical Records, Information Technology, Infrastructure and Support Services within the Authority.

Dr. Vinton Douglas has been on the senior management team as Director of Corporate Services at HSA since 2019. Prior to this he also held consulting positions in the accident & emergency department and hyperbaric medicine departments since joining HSA in 2006.

“With 17 years of service committed to the HSA, I am honoured to be taking on the new role of Deputy CEO of the Health Services Authority,” Dr Douglas stated. “This past year

has been monumental for the organisation with the achievement of the Joint Commission International (JCI) accreditation, facility expansion and upgrades, and rebranding to coincide with our 20th anniversary as an Authority. I am looking forward to working alongside the CEO, Ms Lizzette Yearwood, and the rest of the HSA team to make our organisation the local healthcare provider of choice.”

Dr. Douglas pursued studies in medicine at the St. Petersburg Medical University in St. Petersburg, Russia and then completed a Doctor of Medicine (PhD) in Emergency Medicine at the University of the West Indies; a MBA at the University of Liverpool; three master’s degrees in Medical Education, Healthcare Leadership and Sports and Exercise Medicine at the University of South Wales; and a PG Dip in Occupational Medicine at the University of Stellenbosch, South Africa.

Recently, Dr. Douglas played an integral part in the HSA’s achievement the prestigious Joint Commission International accreditation which symbolises health care providers’ commitment to quality and dedication to continuously improving health care quality and safety. Dr. Douglas also received the Cayman Islands Certificate and Badge of Honour for his services to the country during the COVID-19 pandemic.

“The Board and Senior Management team look forward to working with Dr. Douglas in his new role as Deputy CEO,” stated HSA CEO, Ms Lizzette Yearwood. “He has worked at HSA for nearly two decades in both clinical and healthcare administration roles and has proven his dedication to this organisation. We look forward to his leadership as HSA continues our mission to provide the highest quality of healthcare and patient experience in the Cayman Islands.”



► Dr. Vinton Douglas

Public Health monitoring increase in respiratory illness

The Public Health Department is reporting that it is monitoring an increase in respiratory illness and is, therefore, advising the public to take the necessary precautions to remain healthy during the winter season.

Health agencies note that the region in the Americas is currently experiencing increasing circulation of influenza together with COVID-19.

The Public Health Department is encouraging vulnerable groups to get vaccinated against influenza as well as for everyone to protect themselves and others from infections.

For persons wishing to get the flu vaccine this year, they may do so at district health centres from 2pm-4pm December 27-29 and on December 23 at Cost U Less 1pm-5:30pm and December 29 at Fosters (Republic) 5pm-9pm. In the New Year, the flu shot will be available at all district health centres Monday to Friday from 2pm to 4pm.

The Covid-19 vaccines are currently not available on islands. The public will be informed when the vaccines become available.

Dengue

The Public Health Department will also continue to monitor the increased number of dengue cases locally and along with its partner, the Mosquito Research and Control Unit, continue to amplify surveillance for early detection, and appropriate response to the increase in numbers of dengue cases.

Residents are encouraged to take personal responsibility in helping to mitigate the impact in the community by preventing and protecting against further spread of the mosquito-borne disease.

“It is important that we ensure our surroundings are clean and free of mosquito breeding sites. Everyone should take it upon themselves to empty, dispose of, or cover any receptacles or containers capable of storing even small amounts of water. This includes used tyres, water storage drums, flowerpots, and tanks, as these are ideal breeding sites for mosquitoes. Therefore, these key actions will help prevent mosquitoes breeding, thereby keeping yourself, your families and your community safe,” noted Therese Prehay, Health

Promotion Officer.

In the coming weeks, the Public Health Department will be working with communities to mobilise persons in helping to prevent mosquito breeding sites in and around homes.

For further information, visit www.hsa.ky/public-health or contact the Public Health Department on 244-2621/ 244-2889.

Sidebar

Protecting against the flu

If you are high risk: persons including infants and young children, individuals, 65 years and older, pregnant people and people with certain underlying chronic conditions. Vaccination is the best defence in the prevention of influenza and COVID-19.

However, people should also practice everyday preventive measures such as cough, hygiene, or etiquette that is covering your coughs and sneezes, staying away from individuals who are ill, and frequent hand washing or using alcohol gels. People who also may also choose to wear a well-fitting mask as an added precaution.

Practice respiratory hygiene (cover mouth/nose when coughing/sneezing, use masks when appropriate, use tissues and dispose of them properly, wash/sanitise hands before/after touching mouth/nose)

General advice on respiratory illness

Respiratory infections affect everyone in different ways. Your symptoms may be minor, while another person may need immediate medical treatment. The common signs of a respiratory infection include:

- Chest or nasal congestion
- Wet or dry cough
- Runny nose
- Fatigue
- Body aches
- Low-grade fever
- Sore throat

General advice for COVID-19:

Remain at home if symptomatic (febrile -having or showing symptoms of fever), coughing, running nose, muscle aches, chills).

Return to work after being symptom free for a minimum of 24 hours (if febrile, 24 hours from when the fever breaks).

FLU VACCINE SCHEDULE

DECEMBER 2023

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
18 → DISTRICT HEALTH CENTRES 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → GENERAL PRACTICE Smith Road Medical Centre 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → CAYMAN BRAC Aston Rutty Medical Wing 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	19 → DISTRICT HEALTH CENTRES 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → GENERAL PRACTICE Smith Road Medical Centre 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → CAYMAN BRAC Aston Rutty Medical Wing 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm → FOSTERS (Savannah) 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm	20 → DISTRICT HEALTH CENTRES 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → GENERAL PRACTICE Smith Road Medical Centre 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → CAYMAN BRAC Aston Rutty Medical Wing 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	21 → DISTRICT HEALTH CENTRES 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → GENERAL PRACTICE Smith Road Medical Centre 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → CAYMAN BRAC Aston Rutty Medical Wing 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	22 → DISTRICT HEALTH CENTRES 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → GENERAL PRACTICE Smith Road Medical Centre 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm → FOSTERS (Camana Bay) 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm	23 → COST-U-LESS 1:00 pm - 5:30 pm
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* Little Cayman Clinic - Contact 948-0072/916-5395 to make arrangements

Updated December 20, 2023



COVID-19 Vaccines are currently not available on island. Updates will be posted when vaccines become available.

- The Flu Vaccine is available to ALL persons 6 months & over
- NO APPOINTMENT REQUIRED

Scan the code for more information



GRAND OPENING OF AIRPORT CONNECTOR ROAD: JAY BODDEN HIGHWAY



The National Roads Authority (NRA) opened Phase 1 of the Airport Connector Road (ACR) on Friday, December 22, 2023. Officially named the Jay Bodden Highway,

a ribbon cutting ceremony took place at 10:30am, with Phase 1 of the Jay Bodden Highway opening to the public at noon the same day.



The Jay Bodden Highway is a planned four lane divided, two mile long highway that is to provide a direct link between the Owen Roberts Airport and the Esterley Tibbetts Highway. Phase 1 of the JBH extends from the Esterley Tibbetts Highway to the Water Authority Sewage Treatment Plant with internal roads providing access to the North Sound Road and Sparky Drive

intersection.

This comes as part of the National Road Authority's continued effort to provide relief for congestion and improve commute times primarily during rush hour.

The public is kindly reminded to travel along this area with caution and observe signage as they become familiar with this new route.

POLICE NEWS

Police Investigate Shooting in George Town



Shortly before 1:50AM on Saturday, 23 December, officers responded to a report of a shooting incident outside a bar on Printers Way in George Town. Officers attended the location and recovered a number of spent shell casings. It was also reported that one man had attended the hospital with multiple

gunshot wounds as a result of the incident. The man remains in hospital being treated for his injuries, which appear to be non-life-threatening.

The matter is currently under investigation and anyone with any information is asked to contact George Town CID at 949-4222.

Water-Related Death

Shortly before 2:10PM on Friday, 22 December, officers responded to a report of a water-related death. It was reported that a man had been out snorkeling from a vessel in the North Sound when he experienced difficulties and became unresponsive. The man was brought back to the vessel where persons aboard conducted CPR as

he was transported back to shore in the vicinity of Safehaven. Emergency services met the vessel on shore and the man was taken to the Cayman Islands Hospital via ambulance, where he was subsequently pronounced dead.

The man, age 71, is a visitor to the Cayman Islands.

Police Investigate Robbery in George Town

At about 1:30AM on Sunday, 24 December, the 9-1-1 Communications Centre dispatched officers to a report of a robbery which had taken place on Courts Road in George Town. It was reported that a man and woman were seated in a vehicle alongside the roadway when three persons, two men and a woman, approached the vehicle. One of the men pulled the male victim from the vehicle and a struggle ensued. The male victim was struck repeatedly, including with an object, and received injuries to his face and shoulder. The female victim was struck by one of the culprits as well. The culprits then entered the victims' vehicle, which also contained cash and personal items, and drove off.

Police conducted enquiries and were able to track the stolen vehicle to an

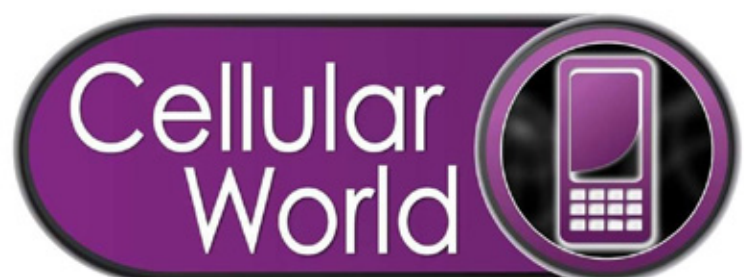
other location nearby and recovered some of the stolen property in the area. The vehicle was secured by officers, however the suspects were not located.

The victims attended the Cayman Islands Hospital for treatment for their injuries.

One of the male suspects was wearing a black shirt and jeans pants, while the other was wearing a black mask. The female suspect is described as being of thick build and was wearing a light-coloured skirt.

The matter is currently under investigation and anyone with any information is asked to contact George Town CID at 949-4222.

Anonymous tips can be provided directly to the RCIPS via our Confidential Tip Line at 949-7777, or via our website.



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GAS PRICES

Gas Prices as at Tuesday 19 December 2023



Location	Gas Station	Regular	Premium	Diesel
East End	Eastern Star Rubis (Woody's)	6	n/a	5.96
NorthSide	Jack's Esso (Jack's II)	C L	O S	E D
Bodden Town	Lorna's Rubis	5.9	6.34	5.82
Bodden Town	Mostyns Esso	5.43	5.52	6.2
Savannah	Savannah Rubis	5.9	6.39	5.86
Red Bay	Barcam	5.4	5.49	6.17
Red Bay	On The Run (Brown's Red Bay)	5.4	5.49	5.83
George Town	Peanuts	5.68	6.08	6.68
George Town	Jose's Escape	5.69	6.09	5.69
George Town	Refuel	5.27	5.47	5.19
George Town	Esso Tigermart 4 Way Stop (JS)H&B 11	5.41	5.5	5.49
George Town	Eastern Avenue Rubis	5.87	6.29	5.95
George Town	Walkers Rd. Rubis	5.87	6.29	5.82
George Town	On The Run (Mike's Walkers Rd.)	5.4	5.49	6.12
George Town	On The Run (Brown's Industrial Park)	5.4	5.49	5.83
George Town	On The Run (Mike's 7 Mile)	5.4	5.49	6.12
West Bay Rd.	H & B Esso (H&B 1 Seven Mile)	5.41	5.5	5.79
West Bay Rd.	7 Mile Rubis (AA 7 Mile)	5.67	6.19	6.1
West Bay	Hell Esso	5.4	5.48	6.12
West Bay	Esso 4 Way Stop (Four Winds)	n/a	n/a	n/a
George Town	Scotts Landing	5.49	6.19	5.99
Cayman Brac	West End	n/a	6.2	6.4
Cayman Brac	The Pit Stop	n/a	6.2	n/a
Little Cayman	Village Square	n/a	6.98	6.77

Lowest Prices	Grand Cayman	5.27	5.47	5.19
Highest Prices	Grand Cayman	6	6.39	6.68

FUEL EXPENSE REDUCTION



Frequent and fast acceleration – Avoid heavy acceleration and drive below the speed limit. Frequent and swift acceleration burns fuel at a faster rate.



Additional Weight – Empty your car trunk of heavy items that can be located elsewhere. Your vehicle will use more fuel when carrying heavier loads.



Vehicle Replacement – Consider replacing your vehicle with a fuel efficient model.

Martyn Bould to climb Mt Aconcagua for Red Cross

One man's efforts to climb Mt Aconcagua in Argentina is merging with a Cayman Islands Red Cross (CIRC) campaign to raise funds for the "Climb for Red" initiative, supporting community programs such as Disaster Management, First Aid/CPR & AED training, Aquatics training (water safety & lifeguard training), Child Protection & Sexuality Education and Thrift Shop Referral Centre.

Martyn Bould, who has lived in Cayman for some 50 years, has been training the last few months for the 6,965m (22,841ft) ascent of the World's tallest mountain outside of Asia.

Bould arrived in Cayman some five decades ago to work as a chartered quantity surveyor and has managed numerous projects both here and throughout the Caribbean since then. He is "passionate about cultural preservation and development", the press release said. He served as founding board member and chairman of the Cayman National Cultural Foundation for almost 40 years and founding board member of the National Gallery and past chairman of the National Trust.

Bould and his wife, Vivian, frequently host cultural events at their home, and in 2012 he was honoured by Queen Elizabeth II with an MBE for cultural preservation.

The Boulds have climbed peaks including Blue Mountain in Jamaica, Pico Duarte in Dominican Republic, Bhutan in the Himalayas, Mount Sopris in Colorado and Martyn Kilimanjaro in 2019 also to raise funds for CIRC. So, Aconcagua was a natural progression.

The mountain, which is one of the Seven Summits is on the border between Argentina and Chile in the Principal Cordillera of the Andes mountain range, in Mendoza Province. It is the highest mountain in the Americas, the highest outside Asia, and the highest in both the Western Hemisphere and the Southern Hemisphere with a summit elevation of 22,841 feet.

To prepare for the challenge, Bould started focused training some 140 days



before the scheduled climb, practising in particular a breathing programme known as "Oxygen Advantage", coupled with altitude training in Colorado and Utah, as well as continuing a daily workout routine with Dottie Rau which he has done for the past 20-plus years

Bould became more familiar with the Red Cross movement following the passing of Hurricanes Irma and Maria through the Eastern Caribbean, and he was able to witness firsthand the response by the British Virgin Islands Red Cross, which received support from the Cayman Islands Red Cross, in the

aftermath of those storms.

"In light of the wonderful work that the Red Cross performs in the traumatic conditions following the passage of a hurricane, climbing for CIRC appealed to me as a natural way to give back," said Bould in the press release.

"I hope my journey brings awareness to the importance of the work of the Red Cross and encourages the community to donate funds to the CIRC, thus enabling their trauma preparedness and response efforts and capabilities."

The eighteen-day trek to the peak of Mt Aconcagua climbs gradually in order to acclimatize to the reducing oxygen levels, with rest days along the way with a summit day requiring a 12 hour climb. Those who make it to the top are treated to one of the most spectacular sights on earth.

"Climb for Red is a bold initiative by the Cayman Islands Red Cross, designed to raise awareness and vital funds for the organisations disaster preparedness and response programs. By scaling Mount Aconcagua, Martyn Bould embodies the spirit of resilience and preparedness we aim to cultivate within our community, particularly when we approach the peak hurricane season in September" explains CIRC Director, Jondo Obi. "At the CIRC, we work hard every day to empower the community, to build its resilience, and to serve the most vulnerable. Having someone like Mr Bould undertake such an amazing journey on behalf of our organisation and our work is truly an honour, and we are sure that this endeavor will help us reach a wider audience" says Obi.

"People can follow his journey on the CIRC's social media accounts, and hopefully while they are cheering him on and donating to our cause, they are also engaging with the information which we will be providing," she added.

Should you wish to donate to the campaign please click the Red Cross link below:

<https://www.caymangiftcertificates.com/ci-red-cross>

CUBA CONTEMPLATES FURTHER BELT-TIGHTENING MEASURES

Cubans are bracing themselves for possible increases in the prices of electricity and fuel or a reduction in state-sponsored rations as the government struggles to cope with a worsening cost-of-living crisis.

This was signalled in remarks by President Miguel Díaz-Canel speaking recently in the Cuban National Assembly.

Saying difficult measures were needed for difficult times, the President's statement came as the government reported that Cuba's economy had contracted between 1% and 2% this year, and inflation was running around about 30%.

"This is a question of complicated measures, as complicated as are these times," President Díaz-Canel said. "I emphatically deny that this is a neo-liberal plan against the people, nor a crusade against small businesses, nor an elimination of the basic market basket," he assured Cubans.

Although subsidised, fuel prices especially are already running unusually high,



with fears that this is having a knock-on effect on the country's vital tourism industry.

Hotel rates and taxi fares are among the hardest hit.

Tourist arrivals are still down compared

to pre-coronavirus pandemic numbers.

There has been a noticeable increase in the number of people leaving the country, many following a complex route via neighbouring islands to Central America, seeking to get into the United States as refugees.

Cuba has been in the grips of a decades-old American trade embargo - since the 1960s - the longest in modern history. It has further complicated attempts to reform the economy despite a series of measures initiated during the Fidel Castro regime and since then.

The country was already hit by dwindling reserves and when the pandemic hit, food production suffered a further setback from which it's still trying to recover.

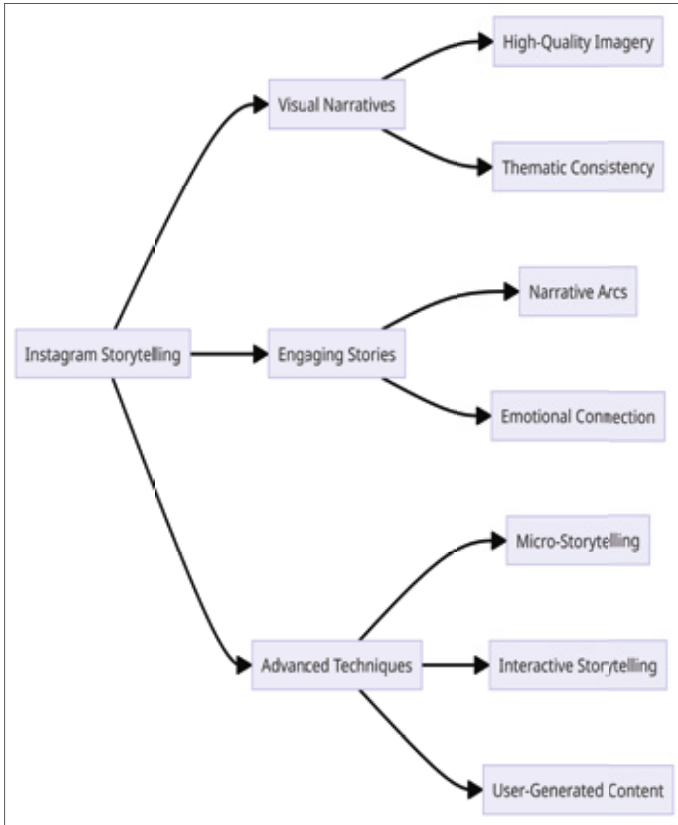
The details of the changes due to come into effect in 2024 have not yet been announced but are expected to be among the most far-reaching in years affecting prices for water, electricity, liquid gas, transportation and fuel.

How Cayman Brands Can Elevate Instagram Presence: Mastering the Art of Instagram Storytelling

By Qamar Zaman, Technology Reporter, Caymanian Times

Introduction

In today's digital landscape, Instagram has become a crucial platform for storytelling, offering Cayman Islands businesses and personal brands unparalleled opportunities to connect with a global audience. Mastering the art of storytelling on Instagram involves more than just sharing content; it's about crafting narratives that resonate, engage, and inspire your followers. This guide explores advanced strategies to elevate your Instagram presence through creative storytelling, tailored for the 2024 vision of Cayman Islands brands.



Understanding the Essence of Instagram Storytelling

Instagram storytelling is an art form that melds aesthetics, narrative, and engagement to create a compelling online presence. For Cayman brands, this means transcending traditional posts and captions to tell stories that captivate and connect with an international audience.

The Power of Visual Narratives

- **High-Quality Imagery:** The visual appeal is paramount on Instagram. Cayman brands should invest in professional-quality photos and videos that capture the unique beauty and culture of the islands.
- **Thematic Consistency:** Developing a consistent theme or style for your posts helps in building a recognizable brand identity, essential for standing out in a crowded digital space.

Crafting Engaging Stories

- **Narrative Arcs:** Consider your Instagram feed as a series of chapters, each post contributing to a larger, captivating story about your brand or personal journey.
- **Emotional Connection:** Stories that evoke emotions foster deeper connections with your audience. Sharing relatable and heartfelt experiences can significantly enhance engagement.

Advanced Storytelling Techniques

Innovative storytelling is key to distinguishing your brand:

The Art of Micro-Storytelling

- **Sequential Posts:** Create a series of posts that collectively tell a story over time, keeping followers engaged and looking forward to the next chapter.

Interactive Storytelling

- **Polls and Questions:** Utilize Instagram's interactive features to involve your audience in your storytelling, increasing engagement and gaining valuable insights.

Leveraging User-Generated Content

- **Community Narratives:** Encourage followers to share their own stories related to your brand, diversifying your content and fostering a sense of community.

Utilizing Instagram's Full Potential

Instagram's features are powerful tools for storytelling:

Stories and Highlights

- **Stories:** Ideal for sharing transient moments and behind-the-scenes glimpses, adding a personal touch to your narrative.
- **Highlights:** Use highlights to categorize and preserve your stories, ensuring they remain accessible to your audience.

Reels and IGTV

- **Reels:** Perfect for short, engaging content with the potential to go viral, showcasing the vibrant life and culture of the Cayman Islands.
- **IGTV:** Offers a platform for longer-form content, allowing for more in-depth storytelling.

Common Pitfalls to Avoid

Storytelling can be powerful, but certain pitfalls can lessen its impact:

- **Over-Promotion:** Strive for a balance between promotional content and genuine storytelling.
- **Inconsistency:** A regular posting schedule is crucial to keep your audience engaged and interested.

- **Ignoring Analytics:** Utilize Instagram Insights to gauge what resonates with your audience and adjust your strategy accordingly.

Creative storytelling on Instagram is a journey that requires authenticity, creativity, and strategic thinking. By embracing these advanced storytelling techniques and leveraging Instagram's diverse features, Cayman brands can create a unique and engaging presence that resonates with a global audience, setting them apart in the digital landscape as we move towards 2024. Learn how to create awareness and attention for your Caymanian personal brand by the author Qamar Zaman by visiting CaymanStory.com



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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Overseas Scholarships for the 2024/2025

Ongoing until 31 January 2024

The Ministry of Education is pleased to announce the opening of applications for Overseas Scholarships for the 2024/2025 academic year. These scholarships provide financial assistance to eligible Caymanians to pursue further education at accredited institutions abroad. The application period closes on Wednesday, 31 January 2024. Successful applicants will be eligible to access funding from September 2024 onwards. To verify eligibility and to apply for an MOE Overseas Scholarship, please visit the Scholarship Secretariat Unit's online application portal at www.moescholarships.gov.ky.

National Gallery - Pop-In Pop-Art for Pre-schoolers & Parents

29 December - Drop into the

National Gallery art studio for free hour-long sessions during the school holidays. Sessions are aimed at preschool children but Reception age are also welcome. Children should be supervised by an authorised parent or guardian. Cost is \$5 for the general public and free for National Gallery members. Call 945-8111 or email education@nationalgallery.org.ky for more information.

New Year's Eve Fireworks

31 December - Ring in 2023 by enjoying the many fireworks displays along Seven Mile Beach and Camana Bay. At Camana Bay, the fireworks show will begin at 8pm.

Happy New Year

1 January - A bright and prosperous New Year to all! New Year's Day is a public holiday in the Cayman Islands. Supermarkets and gas stations will be open.

National Museum - Free entry to Residents

6 January - Residents can enjoy free entry to the National Museum every first Saturday of the month. View two floors of galleries that contain six exhibitions to learn about the unique natural and cultural heritage of our three Islands. Call 949-8368 for more information.

January 2024 Church Services at St. Alban's Church of England, Shelden Road

7 & 21 January - Services of Holy Communion will be held on Sunday, January 7th and Sunday January 21st at 9:30am. Morning Prayers (Matins) will continue on all other Sundays at 9:30am as usual.

One Dog Jog

14 January - Help Save A Life - the One Dog Walk/Jog is back January 14th, 2024. The jog starts at 7:00am, beginning by the road at Safehaven down to the Holiday Inn and back. Pre-register



► Happy New Year!

on Cayman Active or email onedogtimeky@gmail.com. On the day registration is also available from 6pm. This is a child and dog friendly event. All participants get entry into spot draw on the

day. Funds go towards \$11,000 monthly vet costs.

Send your community events to wendy@caymaniantimes.ky

Fight Holiday Pounds

The holidays have arrived with all the high-calorie food and drinks of the season. It's really no wonder why most of us gain weight during the next five weeks.

Sweet temptations are everywhere. Holiday cookies, gingerbread houses, pumpkin pies, and more. Even healthy foods like sweet potatoes and green beans are somehow transformed into high-calorie dishes that will make you want to do nothing but fall asleep.

And don't forget the drinks. Eggnog and alcoholic beverages are loaded with calories.

Want to fight these holiday pounds?

#1) Remember the Reason for the Season

Sure, the holidays bring indulgent foods and drinks, but friends, gatherings, and family traditions aren't only about food. Before a party remind yourself what the holiday season is all about—friends, family, giving, and religious traditions. Then stay focused on the reason for the season rather than the plate full of hors d'oeuvres in front of you.

Also, stay focused on your fat loss goals.

Remind yourself of how far you've come and where you're headed. Keep your goals in the forefront of your mind. A few bites of food aren't worth hours on the treadmill.

Remember that the holidays can be a time of emotional eating. For many people, the holidays bring stress, family conflict, or depression. If these issues start to wear down your will power then find the courage to address the root of your problems with solutions other than food or drink.

#2) Implement Strategize

If you want to keep your diet on track during this season of parties, you'll need to pace yourself. Try the following strategies:

- Don't go to parties hungry, be sure to eat a small low-calorie snack ahead of time. Otherwise, you'll overeat.
- Wear tight-fitting clothes around your waist so there isn't room for expansion.
- Before and after a meal chew gum so you won't be tempted to overindulge in appetizers and desserts.
- During a party, don't stand right next to the food table, but keep a safe distance.
- Choose your plate wisely. Go with a small plate instead of a large dinner plate and don't go back for seconds!

Another important strategy is figuring out how to get in a workout between parties. Leaving room in your busy holiday schedule for exercise will help you fight off the extra weight trying to attach itself to your midsection and rear.

#3) Make Wise Choices

Enjoy the goodness of the season, but in moderation. Trim calories where you can by limiting your trimmings—cheeses, gravy, sauces, creams, and nuts. Be smart about what you choose to eat. Don't deprive yourself of all the foods you love or



► Ernest Ebanks

you'll likely spurge and ruin all your good intentions.

The holidays offer many food choices not available the rest of the year. Because of this, you may want to overindulge before they're gone. Instead of doing this, survey what foods are available and make your choices. Indulge in your favorites and leave the everyday dishes for another time. Only eat what you love, and don't just eat something because it's on the buffet.

Also, be sure to limit the amount of alcoholic beverages you drink. As you likely know, they're filled with calories, too. Try alternating an alcoholic drink with a non-alcoholic drink.

Follow these simple tips, and you will avoid holiday weight gain this season and start the New Year off right!

Exercise is a huge part of the equation when it comes to achieving weight loss.

I am passionate about seeing my clients achieve results—without wasting time, energy and effort on mistakes.

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Cayman is home to many people with substance abuse. As a community we can all make a difference in the lives of those individuals.



REGISTRATION NOTICE

section 13(2)

TAKE NOTICE that –

- (a) Every person who is entitled to be registered as an elector in the **Cayman Brac East and Cayman Brac West & Little Cayman** electoral district(s) and who wishes to have his/her name placed on the Register of Electors for the three month period commencing on the **1st day of April, 2024** shall, unless already registered in the current Register of Electors, apply in writing in Form 4 for registration as an elector, which duly completed form must be received by the registering officer for the said electoral district(s) on or before the registration date, namely the **1st day of January, 2024**.
- (b) Every person not disqualified on any of the grounds set out in the next paragraph of this notice is qualified to be registered as an elector in the said electoral district if he or she –

Qualifications of Electors

90(1) Subject to section 91, a person shall be entitled to be registered as an elector in one electoral district only, but he or she shall not be entitled to be registered as an elector for elections to the Legislative Assembly unless—

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- is a Caymanian; and
 - has attained the age of eighteen years; and
 - is resident in the Cayman Islands at the date of registration; and
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- any post office or sub-post office;
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 - the Elections Office
- (f) The registering officer for the electoral district(s) is **Ellen Lazzari**.

20th December, 2023
DATE

Ellen Lazzari
REGISTERING OFFICER

TAKE NOTICE that –

- (a) Every person who is entitled to be registered as an elector in the **North Side** electoral district and who wishes to have his/her name placed on the Register of Electors for the three month period commencing on the **1st day of April, 2024** shall, unless already registered in the current Register of Electors, apply in writing in Form 4 for registration as an elector, which duly completed form must be received by the registering officer for the said electoral district on or before the registration date, namely the **1st day of January, 2024**.
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20th December, 2023
DATE

E. Patricia Ebanks
REGISTERING OFFICER

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20th December, 2023
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Leisa V. Welcome
REGISTERING OFFICER



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 - the registering office for any electoral district; or
 - the Elections Office
- (f) The registering officer for the electoral district(s) is **Bethany Powery**.

20th December, 2023
DATE

Bethany Powery
REGISTERING OFFICER

TAKE NOTICE that –

Every person who is entitled to be registered as an elector in the **George Town North, George Town West, George Town Central, George Town South, George Town East, Red Bay and Prospect** electoral district(s) and who wishes to have his/her name placed on the Register of Electors for the three month period commencing on the **1st day of April, 2024** shall, unless already registered in the current Register of Electors, apply in writing in Form 4 for registration as an elector, which duly completed form must be received by the registering officer for the said electoral district(s) on or before the registration date, namely the **1st day of January, 2024**.

- (a) Every person not disqualified on any of the grounds set out in the next paragraph of this notice is qualified to be registered as an elector in the said electoral district if he or she –

Qualifications of Electors

90(1) Subject to section 91, a person shall be entitled to be registered as an elector in one electoral district only, but he or she shall not be entitled to be registered as an elector for elections to the Legislative Assembly unless—

- (a) he or she was, on the day immediately preceding the date of commencement of this Constitution, entitled to be registered as an elector; or
- (b) he or she –
- is a Caymanian; and
 - has attained the age of eighteen years; and
 - is resident in the Cayman Islands at the date of registration; and
 - has been resident in the Cayman Islands for a period or periods amounting to not less than two years out of the four years immediately preceding the date of registration;
- or
- (c) on the day of the issue of a writ ordering an election, he or she is otherwise qualified under paragraph (b) but has not attained the age of eighteen, but he or she will attain that age on or before the polling day at the election.

Disqualifications of Electors

91(1) A person shall not be entitled to be registered as an elector in any electoral district who—

- subject to subsection (2) is serving a sentence of imprisonment (by whatever name called) exceeding twelve months imposed on him or her by a court in any country or substituted by competent authority for some other sentence imposed on him or her by such a court, or is under such a sentence of imprisonment the execution of which has been suspended;
 - is a person certified to be insane or otherwise adjudged to be of unsound mind under any law in force in the Cayman Islands; or
 - is disqualified for registration as an elector by any law in force in the Cayman Islands relating to offences connected with elections.
- (2) For the purposes of subsection (1)(a)—
- where a person is serving two or more sentences of imprisonment that are required to be served consecutively he or she shall, throughout the whole time during which he or she so serves, be regarded as serving a sentence exceeding twelve months if (but not unless) any one of those sentences exceeds that term;
 - no account shall be taken of a sentence of imprisonment imposed as an alternative to or in default of the payment of a fine; and
 - no account shall be taken of a sentence of imprisonment imposed by a court outside the Cayman Islands other than a sentence on conviction of an offence constituted by conduct which, if it occurred within the Cayman Islands, would constitute an offence punishable under the law of the Cayman Islands by imprisonment of twelve months or any greater punishment.
- (d) A revised list containing the names, street address and occupation of all persons qualified to vote in the said district –
- whose names appear in the current Register of Electors; or
 - who have submitted to the registration officer a duly completed and signed application for registration in Form 4 will be available at the Elections Office in George Town, the District Administration Office in Cayman Brac and the Post Office in Little Cayman for a period of twenty-one days beginning on the **19th day of January, 2024**.
- (e) copies of Form 4 may be obtained at the following places –
- any post office or sub-post office;
 - the registering office for any electoral district; or
 - the Elections Office
- (f) The registering officer for the electoral district(s) is **Kathryn Myles**.

20th December, 2023
DATE

Kathryn Myles
REGISTERING OFFICER

TAKE NOTICE that –

Every person who is entitled to be registered as an elector in the **Newlands, Savannah, Bodden Town West and Bodden Town East** electoral district(s) and who wishes to have his/her name placed on the Register of Electors for the three month period commencing on the **1st day of April, 2024** shall, unless already registered in the current Register of Electors, apply in writing in Form 4 for registration as an elector, which duly completed form must be received by the registering officer for the said electoral district(s) on or before the registration date, namely the **1st day of January, 2024**.

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 - is resident in the Cayman Islands at the date of registration; and
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 - the registering office for any electoral district; or
 - the Elections Office
- (f) The registering officer for the electoral district(s) is **Kerry Nixon**.

20th December, 2023
DATE

Kerry Nixon
REGISTERING OFFICER

Ravens soar under Lamar

The Baltimore Ravens posted a huge Christmas Day message to the rest of the NFL with a dominant victory at the San Francisco 49ers in the heavyweight meeting of the league's top two teams.

Baltimore won 33-19 as San Francisco quarterback Brock Purdy, a potential most valuable player candidate, endured his worst game since joining the league.

Monday was a triple-header day of pulsating games. The Kansas City Chiefs - watched by Taylor

Swift - earlier missed the chance to win their division as they were stunned 20-14 at home by the Las Vegas Raiders after making a host of errors throughout.

After three straight defeats, the Philadelphia Eagles got back to winning ways, although they had to work hard for their 33-25 success over the New York Giants.

The Ravens emerged as the league's finest and their quarterback, Lamar Jackson, reclaimed his standing as the league's supreme player.

Monday's bold step forward by the swashbuckling Ravens (12-3), who have won nine of their last 10 games and now have the NFL's best record, may come as a surprise to folks who favoured more this season from the Chiefs, Eagles, Cowboys and 49ers.

But Baltimore's defence, which hounded Purdy into four interceptions before he left the game with a nerve injury, is as ruthless as celebrated Ravens' defences were in the past.

The 49ers (11-4) entered the game as clear favourites and Super Bowl frontrunners, but the Ravens, apparently incensed by a perceived lack of respect from the bookies, rolled up a three-touchdown lead and exposed San Fran-

cisco's flaws on a weekend in which the Chiefs (9-6) and Cowboys (10-5) also lost, and the Eagles (11-4) barely scraped by the brittle Giants.

Jackson, 26, is elusive and is underrated for his throwing skills. He won the league's MVP award in his second season, 2019, but lost some lustre when the Ravens were poor and eliminated in their playoff opener that year.

As mobile as Jackson appears, knee and ankle sprains caused him to miss 10 games in the last two seasons. He has won only one playoff game - coming nearly three years ago against the Titans.

Nevertheless, the Ravens signed Jackson to a five-year, \$260m contract extension in April. Only the Chiefs' Patrick Mahomes (\$450m), the Bengals' Joe Burrow (\$275m) and the Chargers' Justin Herbert (\$262.5m) have fatter deals among elite QBs.

Besides awarding him an enormous raise, the Ravens also decided that Jackson could use some help. Coach John Harbaugh, 61, in his 16th season as the Ravens' head coach, brought in a new offensive coordinator, Todd Monken, who had a wealth of top level experience.



► Lamar Jackson has turned it around for the Ravens



► San Francisco 49ers are still Super Bowl contenders

Joshua takes stock after \$100m Wilder fight off



► Anthony Joshua is looking forward to 2024

Former two-time heavyweight champion Anthony Joshua will be at ringside for the undisputed fight between Tyson Fury and Oleksandr Usyk.

The undisputed clash is on February 17 in Saudi Arabia with the winner holding the IBF, IBO, WBO, WBA, WBC titles. The contest has a two-way rematch clause, which makes a second encounter very likely.

Joshua's route to redemption for 2024 completely changed last weekend. The British banger returned to action on Saturday in Saudi Arabia, battering before stopping Otto Wallin in five rounds.

Joshua was already slated to face Deontay Wilder in a long-awaited \$100 million showdown in March. That scenario fell apart when Wilder was unexpectedly upset by Joseph Parker on the same card, outpointed unanimously.

With Wilder out of the mix, the current

frontrunner to face Joshua is unbeaten contender Filip Hrgovic, the IBF's mandatory challenger to the Fury-Usyk winner. There is an outstanding order for the winner of that bout to face Hrgovic.

But because of the contracted two-way rematch clause, the IBF title will likely become vacant in the aftermath of the first Fury-Usyk encounter. That would allow Joshua and Hrgovic to collide for the vacant IBF strap.

With future plans in mind, Joshua wants to be in the mix when Fury-Usyk finally unfolds.

"If it's a fight for the heavyweight championship of the world or fight a big-name opponent, I will always choose the former because that's the creme de la creme. It's the most prestigious title you can win," Joshua said. "Every fight leads toward the final destination. I have bigger ambitions, I don't celebrate when I win these fights, I celebrate when I win world championships."

Embiid injured but still tops MVP list



► Joel Embiid has been brilliant again this season

Philadelphia 76ers star Joel Embiid was ruled out of their Christmas Day clash against the Miami Heat but he remains the leader for the league's MVP.

Embiid appeared to battle through pain after being shaken up during the first quarter of Philadelphia's game against the Toronto Raptors on Friday and missed practice on Sunday.

He had pushed through the pain barrier to extend his 30-10 streak to 13 games, ending with 31 points and 10 rebounds in the Philadelphia 76ers' 121-111 victory over the Toronto Raptors.

But he scored all 31 points after landing awkwardly trying to block a shot

with 5:25 left in the first quarter.

He briefly went to the locker room after scoring just two points in the first quarter but returned in the second quarter and had 11 points at halftime.

He was noticeably hobbling and winced periodically and favoured his right leg, but it didn't slow him down in the second half. He also had nine assists and four blocks.

Embiid's streak is the longest since Kareem Abdul-Jabbar did it for 16 straight games in 1971-72. Only Abdul-Jabbar and Wilt Chamberlain hold longer streaks than the one Embiid currently holds.

Sangster Airport voted No.1

Jamaica's Sangster International Airport has been named Caribbean Airport of the Year in the 10th annual Caribbean Travel Awards. The airport in Montego Bay has seen significant improvements and upgrades recently which won't be completed for a year or so - but has still gained the top honour.

It's a remarkable accolade considering earlier this year, JA Prime Minister Andrew Holness said the problems at Sangster underscored the need to push through the US\$70 million modernisation and expansion project that was already underway.

The work is scheduled to be completed by 2025, and Holness said the improvements at the Caribbean's largest and busiest airport "will make Jamaica more attractive and make Jamaica more competitive with other countries in the region, which have also invested heavily in improving their infrastructure."

The runway was lengthened at a cost of \$34 million which was finished in the summer. Jamaica attracted over four million visitors in 2023, a record. The Tourism

Ministry aims to draw five million visitors annually by 2025. That would be a 35% increase from Jamaica's peak of 3.7 million tourists in 2022.

The award, made by Caribbean Journal, the largest website covering Caribbean travel, highlighted Sangster's exceptional achievements and transformation into one of the Caribbean's premier aviation hubs.

Alexander Britell, editor-in-chief, and founder of Caribbean Journal, declared Sangster International Airport as the standout choice for the prestigious title. The airport has had a recent makeover, resulting in a superior, more digitised passenger experience, enhanced services, and an upgraded food and beverage offering, featuring the world's first-ever Bob Marley-branded restaurant. The commendation also acknowledged Club MoBay, one of the finest airport lounges in the wider Caribbean, and SIA's remarkable contribution to the region's fast-growing airlift networks.

Shane Munroe, CEO of MBJ Airports Limited, said: "We

are thrilled to be named Caribbean Airport of the Year by a publication that focuses on Caribbean travel. This award acknowledges our airport's ongoing growth and development, our commitment to providing an exceptional passenger experience, and a further testament to our dedication to excellence."



► The Sangster International Airport has been upgraded



► The Bob Marley restaurant is popular

LIAT gets \$11m boost as Antigua plans big



► LIAT still operates around the Caribbean

Antigua and Barbuda has allocated around US\$11.1 million from its 2024 budget to bolster failing airline LIAT 2020 Ltd, the new company name of beleaguered Caribbean carrier LIAT 1974 Ltd, Prime Minister Gaston Browne announced.

"Despite hurdles in 2023 including un-serviceable aircraft, unresolved issues for former workers, financial constraints, staff attrition, and disruptions caused by the hurricane season, LIAT 1974 Ltd operated a limited schedule ensuring vital connectivity across destinations with 167 dedicated staff," Browne said in Parliament recently.

Delivering the \$481m national budget to Parliament, Browne said that the airline, which has been under court-appointed administration since July 2020, "has long been an essential thread in the fabric of Caribbean connectivity."

The shareholders of the cash-strapped carrier are the governments of Antigua

and Barbuda, Barbados, Dominica, and St Vincent and the Grenadines. Besides Antigua, Bridgetown in Barbados, Dominica Melville Hall, and St Vincent Argyle International, LIAT also serves Basseterre in St Kitts & Nevis, Grenada on the island of Grenada, St Lucia Vigie in St Lucia, St Maarten on Sint Maarten (the Dutch part of the island), and Tortola in the British Virgin Islands.

Reports emerged in April that Air Peace was ready to acquire a majority stake in LIAT, following an agreement with the government of Antigua and Barbuda to form a joint venture.

The Antiguan government will spend \$10m to "ensure LIAT 2020 Ltd has all the aircraft needed and the appropriate maintenance and operational arrangements are in place for the safe, reliable, and efficient delivery of service to the people of the region," Browne added.

St Lucia's latest golf resort is world class



► Cabot Saint Lucia is in a picturesque spot

Saint Lucia has added a world-class golf resort to its tourism portfolio.








The Cabot Collection, developer and operator of luxury resort and residential golf destinations, has officially opened Cabot Saint Lucia, situated along one-and-a-half miles of breath-taking coastline with striking views of the Caribbean Sea.

Cabot Saint Lucia offers a great Caribbean golf experience, magnificent real estate opportunities and unique amenities on a spectacular 375-acre peninsula at the northern tip of the island.

At the heart of the sprawling property lies Point Hardy Golf Club, featuring a show-stopping 18-hole Coore & Crenshaw golf course. In addition, comfort stations, a food and beverage experience, a retail shop and sports courts are available onsite. Additional amenities to follow include a beach club and restaurant, expansive clubhouse, luxury residences and world-class wellness and fitness facilities.

Recently featured as the cover star of Golf Magazine's November/December issue, the course debuted as No. 76 in its "Top 100 Courses in the World" ranking.

WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST

Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
						
79° / 75°	77° / 74°	78° / 74°	78° / 74°	79° / 73°	82° / 77°	80° / 77°
Cloudy with a couple of showers in the morning, becoming breezy in the afternoon	Winds becoming strong; heavy showers in the morning, dull and dreary	Decreasing clouds and windy	Breezy and pleasant with intervals of clouds and sunshine	Variable cloudiness	Sunshine and patchy clouds	Mostly sunny

Persons with Disabilities Supported at Marathon

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part are able to do so. Participants were able to run, walk or use assisted device.

The cheering section, made up of council members along with community supporters from the Lighthouse School and private sector, were all dressed in yellow, the colour used in recognition of the awareness day.

Chair of the Council, Dr Annette Stephenson shared, "In every corner of the globe, people with disabilities are challenging perceptions on what it means to live with a disability and exercising control over their lives and demanding their human rights. The Cayman Islands marathon was such a great way to show the community what people with disabilities can achieve with the right support. The Council is proud to be able to be a part of this journey here in the Cayman Islands."

In commenting on the participation of members with disability, Premier Hon Juliana O'Connor-Connolly stated, "Disability inclusion is a win-win situation. When



we as a community take a positive approach to disability and inclusion, we reap many benefits to our community including different perspectives, boosted innovation and a better quality of life for all.

She further said, "Our administration has a firm belief that sports is one of the greatest ways to enrich a person's wellbeing. I am proud of the Council for their dedication to equality and inclusion through the support of these events, where the individuality of our disabled community is respected, cheered on, and celebrated as well as their human dignity protected. I look forward to working with the NCPD in the coming months."

Council member and marathon participant Jessica Ebanks, 32, from West Bay, who has spina bifida, said she was incredibly thrilled and grateful to receive the support of the cheering section from various entities in the disability movement in our

society at the Cayman Islands marathon. "It validates our unwavering dedication to promoting the inclusion and empowerment of individuals with disabilities, showcasing the hard work and efforts we put into advocating for their rights and participation in all aspects of society".

The theme for 2023 International Day for Persons with Disabilities, 'United in action to rescue and achieve the sustainable development goals for, with and by persons with disabilities' "aligns with the Cayman Islands National Council for Persons with Disabilities mission to raise awareness, promote recognition and acceptance of persons with disabilities while tackling everyday prejudices, stigma and misunderstandings around disabilities.

The International Day for Persons with Disabilities was an opportunity to mobilise support for issues relating to the inclusion of people living with disabilities and draw attention to the benefits of an inclusive and accessible society for all as a part of sustainable development.

DEATH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Churchill's Funeral Home

We have been asked to announce the passing of Mr. Sven Brett Connor, who passed away in Grand Cayman. Details of a Thanksgiving Service will be announced at a later date.



Condolences can be registered at churchillsfuneralhome.com

Churchill's Funeral Home


We have been asked to announce the passing of Mr. Stefan Michael Brooks, who passed away on December 06, 2023. Details of a Thanksgiving Service will be announced at a later date.



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Churchill's Funeral Home

We have been asked to announce the passing of Mr. Stafford Albert Hunter, who passed away on December 16, 2023. Details of a Thanksgiving Service will be announced at a later date.



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Churchill's Funeral Home

We have been asked to announce the passing of Mr. Dexter Ormann Wood, who passed away on Thursday, December 14th, 2023.



A Service of Thanksgiving will be held at the George Town Seventh-day Adventist Church, 346 Smith Road, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands on Sunday, January 07th, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

No Viewing: Closed Casket
Interment: New Pease Bay Cemetery, Bodden Town

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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

	1	9			6	3	5	7
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Difficulty Level ★★★

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Answer to previous puzzle

2	5	9	1	3	4	6	8	7
4	6	8	7	2	9	1	3	5
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9	8	1	5	7	6	4	2	3

Difficulty Level ★★

CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

- ACROSS**
- 1 Lingerie items
 - 5 Barge site
 - 10 Kilauea output
 - 11 Bach creation
 - 12 Sign
 - 13 Pulled gently
 - 14 Quaint library fixture
 - 16 Firm position
 - 20 Banking experts?
 - 23 Join the crew
 - 24 Wise saying
 - 25 "Alfie" star
 - 27 Architect I.M.
 - 28 Office honchos
 - 29 Animal that eats ants
 - 32 Clutter-clearing event
 - 36 Comparative phrase
 - 39 Scuffle
 - 40 Oberon orbits it
 - 41 Storybook monster
 - 42 Police ID
- DOWN**
- 43 Reactor parts
 - 1 Political alliance
 - 2 Hindu hero
 - 3 Declare
 - 4 Tunnel digger
 - 5 Have the ability to
 - 6 Gabriel, for one
 - 7 Old horse
 - 8 Lunched
 - 9 Young fellow
 - 11 Mixes
 - 15 Destiny
 - 17 Crocus cousin
 - 18 Less than any
 - 19 Some sheep
 - 20 Mama's mate
 - 21 Notion
 - 22 Den
 - 25 Parachute pull
 - 26 Requests
 - 28 Uncovers
 - 30 Fading, as a fire
 - 31 Worth
 - 33 Jason's ship
 - 34 Cooking fat
 - 35 Peepers
 - 36 Deli order
 - 37 Nest-egg account
 - 38 Seething

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Yesterday's answer

THOMAS CROSSWORD BOOKS 1-8! Send \$4.75 (check/m.o.) for each book to 628 Virginia Dr., Orlando, FL 32803

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Word Search

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- Ball
- Bench
- Carousel
- Children
- Enjoyment
- Frisbee
- Grass
- Hopscotch
- Jungle Gym
- Ladders
- Laughter
- Monkey Bars
- Nannies
- Pail
- Parents
- Sand Box
- Seesaw
- Slide
- Smiles
- Spring Horse
- Sun Hat
- Swing

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



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CURTIS

By Ray Billingsley

SAY, A DOCUMENTARY ON CHITA RIVERA! **WOW!**

THE FIRST HISPANIC WOMAN TO RECEIVE A KENNEDY CENTER HONORS AWARD! **Wow wow wow**

I THINK I'VE SEEN HER! DIDN'T SHE ONCE OPEN FOR NICKI MINAJ? **8-2**

MY KID'S OBVIOUS TO ACCOMPLISHMENTS MADE BY ANYONE OUTSIDE THE MARVEL UNIVERSE!

THE AMAZING SPIDER MAN

By Stan Lee

BIND AND GAG HIM WHILE I SPEAK WITH SUWAN. **YES, O GOLDEN CLAW!**

YOU RETURNED WITH PARKER WHEN I HAD SENT YOU AFTER COLLEEN WING. **WE CAPTURED HER THIS MORNING, SIRE. SHE IS RESTRAINED WITHIN-**

-THE PERFECT BAIT FOR IMPLIDENT IRON FIST.

STAN LEE LARRY LEE 8-2

JUDGE PARKER

By Woody Wilson & Mike Manley

I WAS TOLD GODIVA'S DRUG LORD EX IS AN INFORMATION POINT MAN FOR THE CIA IN EASTERN EUROPE. OCCASIONALLY HE GETS PAID IN FAVORS. AND ONE HE WANTED IN PARTICULAR WAS TO HAVE GODIVA KILLED WITHOUT HAVING TO STEP INTO THE U.S.

BUT IN RETURN THE CIA WANTED SOMEONE TO COME BACK AND DO THE JOB. SOMEONE THEY COULD PIN IT ON AND CAPTURE ONCE AND FOR ALL....

MARCELLINO + MANLEY 8/2

Caymanian Times Classifieds



Journalist

Applications are invited from suitably qualified and experienced persons for the position of Journalist at Caymanian Times

Role:

The Journalist will play a vital role in the output of Caymanian Times across several platforms in addition to the printed paper reporting directly to and assisting the Publisher.

Duties and responsibilities include:

- Assisting the Publisher with the complete news and current affairs production process from editorial planning to the final output of multi-platform news and current affairs content
- Produce and present content across the various platforms of Caymanian Times as directed by the Publisher.
- Maintaining news files and archives
- Represent Caymanian Times at news and related events as directed by the Publisher
- Liaise with the production teams across the various content output of Caymanian Times as directed by the Publisher.

Candidate profile:

- Basic qualification in Journalism or relevant field
- Previous journalism experience of at least three years with prior editorial management responsibility is a necessity.
- Portfolio of published articles or newscasts
- Graduate-level proficiency in the English language
- Proficiency to a professional level with news content software and digital production processes across print, online, video and audio including television and radio • Excellent communication and networking skills.
- The successful candidate must be familiar with current socio-economic and political developments in the Cayman Islands, as well as the Caribbean and global news agenda with a focus on how they relate to the Cayman Islands.
- An understanding of the history, culture, and society of the Cayman Islands is desirable. All applicants must have a clean Police Record (no prior convictions or pending judgments), a clean Medical Record, a clean and valid Driver's License and be able to provide at least three suitable references, with two of those being from previous employers.

A strong work ethic and a positive attitude will be required.

Salary Range: CI\$2,750 – CI\$3,750.

An attractive benefits package (including medical insurance, vacation, pension) is being offered to the qualified candidate. All applications received will be reviewed and only candidates meeting the mandatory requirements will be contacted for interview.

Applications should forward a detailed resume quoting reference.

“Journalist” to:

The Publisher
Caymanian Times

Email: ralph@caymaniantimes.ky

ICOA is in need of a Food and Beverage Server

- Must have at least 3 years experience as a Food and Beverage Server
- Must have a basic knowledge of the POS/Lightspeed system

• Knowledge on cocktails and other specialized drinks is an advantage

Salary will be CI\$ 4.50 per hour plus tips and gratuity.

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New Trendz Tailoring Ltd. needs a Multipurpose Assistant for Its Tailoring Establishment.

If you are interested; are Caymanian or permanent resident, and have at least 12 years' experience in tailoring Salary \$1,400 per month please send resume to NEW TRENDZ Tailoring, P.O. Box 11203; KY1-1008, by 5/01/2024

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Applications from Caymanians, Status Holders and legal residents are invited for the full-time position of: **FOOD & BEVERAGE SERVER**

Must have a minimum of 5 years' experience in a fast-paced hospitality environment with excellent communication and customer service skills. A clean Police Record is essential.

Wages will be paid weekly at the rate of KY\$8 per hour as well as statutory benefits and a share of the gratuities.

Submit applications to susan@elite.ky



Senior Sales Associate

Caymanian Times. is seeking a highly motivated sales professional who will develop, work and maintain sales targets and schedule and up sell on quality goods.

Mandatory Requirements:

- The successful candidate must have a minimum of 3 years working in sales and service experience in selling Media and Newspaper Advertisements.
- Must be computer literate and advanced in the use of MS Excel.
- Must have excellent administrative and communication skills.
- Must speak, read, write, and comprehend English fluently.
- Must have the ability to drive.
- A current police record must be submitted.

Duties for the role are:

- Develop, work and maintain Sales Targets.
- Develop and implement in-house and product knowledge training for staff
- Create weekly & monthly sales and customer reports.
- Be able to learn and sell variety of products.

A strong work ethic and a positive attitude will be required.

Salary Range: CI\$2,500 – CI\$3,500.

An attractive compensation and benefits package (including medical insurance, vacation, pension and a 10% commission) is being offered to the qualified candidate. All applications received will be reviewed and only candidates meeting the mandatory requirements will be contacted for interview.

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Newspaper Advertisement 1/3 page	350	4.9 x 8.37
Newspaper Advertisement 1/4 page	250	4.9 x 6.67
Newspaper Advertisement 1/5 page	150	4.9 x 4.96
Newspaper Advertisement 1/8 page	75	4.9 x 3.25 or 3.22 x 4.96
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- Candidates must possess their own trade-related tools
- Provide Employment References
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Salary commensurate with qualifications & experience – range: CI\$12 – 16 per hr. + uniforms & statutory benefits

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Email: info@polarbear.ky

General Manager

P. O. Box 31198

Grand Cayman KY1-1205



St. Ignatius Catholic School

Tel: (345) 949 9250

Email: Recruitment@st-ignatius.com

Website: www.st-ignatius.com

St. Ignatius is a private co-educational Catholic School owned and operated by St. Ignatius Catholic Church as an Apostolic Ministry. It has over 700 students and almost 100 staff comprising many different nationalities, ethnicities, beliefs, and circumstances. Following the English National Curriculum from Nursery to Year 13, the school is well known for its outstanding academic excellence and strong Christian values, characterized by mutual respect, generosity, and service.

We invite applications from fully qualified and suitably experienced Science Technicians to start as soon as possible.

Science Lab Technician (Full time)

Candidates are expected to:

- Have a Science background and demonstrate strong practical skills along with a good understanding of Health and Safety.
- Be proficient in using modern educational information technology systems.
- Be an excellent team player committed to the Catholic ethos, values and aims of the school, and be committed to the holistic education of children.

Key responsibilities will include, but will not be limited to the following:

- Assisting with the preparation of resources and chemicals for practical lessons that meet both the health and safety standards and the requirements of the classes involved.
- Providing general assistance in the safe storage, transit and accessibility of resources, including helping to ensure that stock levels are maintained, and future requirements are identified.
- Providing general assistance in ensuring the smooth running of the administrative side of the department including helping with departmental budgets, textbook issuing, and spreadsheets.
- Ensuring a healthy, safe and productive work environment.
- Providing pastoral, academic and behavioural support for children per school policies and procedures.

Salary and Benefits:

- CI\$35,000 to CI\$45,000 per annum, commensurate with qualifications and experience.
- 100% employer-paid medical, dental and vision insurance coverage for employees.
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Interested applicants must complete the application form in full, which can be found on our website www.st-ignatius.com and send it to recruitment@st-ignatius.com. We will not accept any other form of application.

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