

Vaccine registration for senior citizens open

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - Government on Friday (16 April) launched the Covid-19 vaccine online registration for the public as the Department of Health gears up for phase two of the country's vaccine rollout.

He said citizens must have their ID, medical aid card and ensure they put in the correct cellphone number and residential address where they live. This is how one can register:



No CV's after this date will be considered



According to Health Minister, Dr Zweli vou will need a smartphone, a tablet or Mkhize, the Electronic Vaccination Data a computer; connect to the internet and System (EVDS) is now available to the go to vaccine.enroll.health.gov.za, The general public and all citizens aged 60 welcome screen will guide you though years and above are invited to register for the steps; follow the instructions and put in all the details the system asks for; When you are finished, the system will send an SMS to the phone number you provided. This means that the system now has your details in a queue to be scheduled for your vaccine; you will then receive an SMS with a date and the place where you will be vaccinated. You will be sent to the vaccination centre that is closest to your home. Some of you may be directed to your place of work; if you have problems you may contact the COVID-19 Hotline at 0800 029 999 and citizens will be provided with a proof of vaccination card and receive a confirmation thei phone.





BONUS - RUSTENBURG - Job Shimanakana Tabane Hospital ran a campaign on Saturday (17 April) and Sunday (18 April) for members of the public to collect their spectacles.

at the hospital during the period come and collect their spectacles. April 2019 to October 2020.

the JST eye clinic department would like their spectacles.

The campaign was specifically targeted to extend their gratitude to members of at people who had their eyes examined the public who adhered to the call to

Furthermore, members of the public The campaign was prompted by who have not yet collected their the difficulty in reaching patients spectacles are encouraged to contact the directly through their contact details. eye clinic department on 014 590 5148 to Overall, the campaign was a success and make arrangements for the collection of

Advertising in the Herald is a sure thing, just ask James

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - "One moment I still had to put up with my old exercise bike taking up space, the next moment I was taking my girlfriend out for

James le Grange is very impressed with the results he got after placing an advert in the Rustenburg Herald to sell his exercise bicycle.

"It was so easy to place the advert. I went to the Herald's webpage at https://www.northwestnewspapers. co.za/herald/ and selected the 'Classified Advertisement' section. From there I just follow the simple steps to place my advert. And, because it was only 15 words, it was free," explains James.

Sitting with stuff that clutter up your home? Be like James and place a classified advertisement in the Rustenburg Herald. For 15 words or less, your advert will be free. If your advert contains more than 15 words, you pay only R1,50 for each extra word.



Coronavirus has "high infectivity but low mortality". Mortality rate ranges between 2-3%. Risk of death is only higher in older people (above an age of 60 years) and people with pre-existing health conditions.





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BONUS - RUSTENBURG - A 21-year-old man is lucky to have survived with only minor injuries after his bakkie plunged 50 meters down a cliff face from a lookout point in Safari Gardens, in Rustenburg on Thursday (15 April). Due to the semi-remote location, it was only later that evening at around 21:00 that people heard his cries for help.

Campbell, ER24 spokesperson, paramedics the man from the bottom of the mountain. By to have only suffered minor injuries and was arrived on the scene at 21:15 and could hear this time the Fire Department was on scene able to then walk out with some help to the the man, but could not see the vehicle due to and they and paramedics cut through the bush, waiting ambulance. The was then treated and the thickness of the foliage at the bottom of managing to reach the bakkie by around 22:15. transported through to a private hospital for The door of the bakkie was forced open and further care.

According to information received from Ross the cliff. A decision was made to try and reach the patient examined. Luckily he was found

Alleged rape incident caught on camera

BONUS - PHOKENG - The police have arrested a 36-yearold man for the alleged rape of a 36-year-old woman with mental illness at Kgale section, Phokeng, just outside of Rustenburg.

This arrest follows a video of the incident went viral on social media of the alleged incident. The video has since been condemned by the Provincial Commissioner of North West, Lieutenant General Sello Kwena.

The victim's sister opened a case after coming across the video and the suspect was successfully traced and arrested on Friday (16 April) in Phokeng according to police spokesperson Lt Colonel Amanda Funani.

Meanwhile an investigation has also been instituted against an unknown person who captured the incident. The alleged rape suspect was due to appear in the Bafokeng Magistrates' Court in Tlhabane on Monday (19 April).





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RUSTENBURG HERALD - RUSTENBURG - A group of intrepid travelers have set out his good friend Robbie Elske and the two then from Rustenburg on 5 April.

Their mission: to travel right along the borders of South Africa in their 1980's vehicles. Their aim: to raise money for three very deserving local charities. Thomas Schlotfeldt, from Brauhaus Africa, has had the dream of undertaking this journey for a while now. But with life being busy, it seems that this challenge stayed one step out of reach. But after the year 2020 was, he decided

that tomorrow is not a given, and 'one day'

started their planning for this journey.

But, adds Thomas, they did not just want to will never arrive if you do not set your aim spread hope along their travels, but they also for it purposefully. "We wanted to spread wanted to bring hope back home as well. That a message of hope and of resilience. We as is why they identified three local charities to South Africans - like many around the world benefit from the journey: The Kroondal Home went through a really though time last year for the Aged, the 'Happieklub' of Laerskool and we need to be reminded that we have Rustenburg and the Tshupi Hospice in overcome a lot already and that we should Tlhabane. Rustenburg Herald is bringing you look ahead now," says Thomas. He spoke to a daily video update of the journey.

> Tune in every day to be part of the adventure. Thomas and Robbie are accompanied by wellknown musician, Henning Joubert and along the route some other famous faces also joins in the fun.

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will publish a special supplement to honour mothers. The good news is that advertisers will receive huge discounts for this supplement. Adverts that usually cost a couple of thousand rand, will, for this supplement cost you from just R200!

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Beware of attacks at cemetries

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - In the times we are living in, there is danger in almost everything and the danger often lurks where you least expect it. Pensioners and the aged are often victims of attacks or robbery in broad daylight.

It is worrisome that attacks on people visiting the graves of their loved ones have become common - especially at around dusk or when people are not accompanied by others. Beware of unscrupulous people - do not visit any of the Rustenburg cemeteries at around sunset of especially if you are not accompanied by friends or family members. A notable increase in these type of attacks have been reported to the police in Rustenburg lately.







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First judging of Blank Space art awaits - R1 000 to be-won

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - Artists who have submitted entries in our Rustenburg Herald/Bonus Blank Space Art competition in conjunction with Pick n Pay Rustenburg (Greystone and Beyers Naudé branches) have something exciting to look forward to. Within weeks we will announce the first two quarterly winners in this year's competition who will both be winning a cash prize of R1 000 sponsored by Rustenburg Herald.

In addition and obviously more importantly, the names of these two artists will be in the "hat" from which the two overall winners of the annual competition will be drawn - albeit following a final judging by our Chief judge - Dr Carel van Heerden of Rustenburg. It is old hat that both these overall winners will win valuable shopping vouchers to the value of R10 000 each sponsored by Pick n Pay Beyers

Naudé and Pick n Pay Greystone Crossing. Remember - the closing date for the competition is 24:00 on Thursday, 6 May. Amateur artists are invited to submit their entries in the entry boxes at Pick n Pay Greystone Crossing, Pick n Pay Beyers Naudé or the offices of Rustenburg Herald/Bonus in 13 Coetzer Street, Rustenburg. Good luck with your entries!



Don't be fooled - in addition to the R1 000 cash prize to two quarterly winners in our Blank Space Art competition, there is a main prize of two Pick n Pay Shopping vouchers to the value of R20 000 up for grabs in the final grand judging a the end of the year. If you have great talent in art, this is your chance to win big money!

It's a new year with new challenges and one of those will be to come out tops in Rustenburg Herald's Blank Space Art competition. Total prize-money to the value of R22 000 will be up for grabs to two winners. You can enter at Pick n Pay's Greystone Crossing, Pick n Pay Beyers Naudé and reception at Rustenburg Herald's offices in 13 Coetzer Street Rustenburg. This delightful entry is by Lynette Janse van Rensburg of Wigwam Retirement Village.



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South Africa's best athletes set sights on Olympics

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - The Tokyo Olympics are less than 100 days away. The worldwide Covid pandemic caused the games to be postponed for a year and for athletes across the globe, the impact of lockdowns on their preparation has been devastating.



It is also true for the cream of the crop of South African athletes. A week on from Swimming South Africa holding its national championships behind closed doors, Athletics South Africa followed suit in Tshwane this weekend. Star athletes such as Wayde van Niekerk, Caster Semenya and Akani Simbine showcased their skills during the event. Van Niekerk is continuing his comeback after returning from a potentially career-ending injury. There were fears that the 400m Olympic champion and world record holder would not be present at the University of Pretoria event. He was scheduled to travel to the US to begin his training for the Tokyo Games, but problems with his visa and some Covid-19 restrictions put off his departure. The 28-year-old made the most of the delay as he comfortably won the men's 200m crown in 20.38 seconds. He skipped the 400m race, won by KwaZulu-Natal's Zakithi Nene in 45.54 seconds. Deline Mpiti conquered the women's version in 52.78 seconds

On the advice of his coaching team, Van Niekerk has forgone competing in his favourite distance for now, only competing in 100m and 200m races as he continues to recover from a knee injury that almost shattered his career.

On whether he'll attempt to qualify for both the 200m and 400m races in Tokyo, Van Niekerk hinted that it was unlikely. He did it once before, at the 2017 world championships, returning with silver and gold in the respective distances. But that was before the injury.

Van Niekerk's fellow gold medallist at the last Olympics in Rio de Janeiro five years ago, Caster Semenya, was also present in Tshwane. The double Olympic 800m champion was also competing in another distance, the 5,000m. On her way to victory in the race, she recorded a personal best time of 15:52.28. However, the time was more than 40 seconds off the benchmark for Olympic qualification in the event.

The 30-year-old has until 29 June, the deadline for all athletes, to try for an Olympic qualifying time. In the 100m race, Akani Simbine claimed the national crown with a sub-10-second time of 9.99 seconds. Reabetse Moloi was crowned the new 100m women's champion. Le Roux Hamman claimed the men's 400m hurdles title with a time of 49.70 with fellow Olympian Wenda Nel taking the women's version in 55.60, just missing out on setting a qualifying time for Tokyo. In the men's shot put, Kyle Blignaut and Jason van Rooyen continued their domestic rivalry in a hard-fought battle. Blignaut ultimately came out on top to win the final with a 20.82m heave, with Van Rooyen settling for the runner-up spot (20.60m). South African athletes who have provisionally qualified for Tokyo Olympics thus far is:

Clarence Munyai (200m), long-distance runners Elroy Gelant, Desmond Mokgobu, Gerda Steyn and Irvette van Zyl, Ruswahl Samaai, Cheswill Johnson (both long jump), Wayne Snyman (20km walk), Zazini Sokwakhana (400m hurdles) and Antonio Alkana (110m hurdles).

