



Arts & **Culture** hosts R16 mill party

BONUS - RUSTENBURG While the majority of artists in South Africa is still battling to get reasonably back on their feet after the Covid-19 devastation, the Department of Sport, Arts and Culture hosted a party to the tune of R16 million.

The astronomical amount was spent on a one-day event to honour three Grammy Award-winning musicians. 360 people attended the party - a cost of R45 715,00 per person.

According to Tsepo Mhlongo, the Democratic Alliance Shadow Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture, this is a prime example of wasteful expenditure."It is crucial emphasize that this expenditure was not within the department's allocated budget. The decision to allocate such a significant sum to a single event, without proper justification or oversight, demonstrates a lack of responsible financial management. As representatives of the public, we believe that taxpayer funds should be used judiciously to address pressing issues in this department, such as sport development and funding," Mhlongo said.

ALBERTS HOUTWERKE

Ons spesialiseer nou in die regmaak (herstel) van meubels en hang van







Need CASH fast?

Loan cash against your car, bike or trailer

Loans at 3% interest **Get up to R250 000**

www.securoloan.co.za Call or WhatsApp 06 07 09 1700

NCR registered

Timbati Veld Market goes Grease

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - Saturday, 3 June, will see the next edition of Rustenburg's Timbati Veld Market at the corner of Krokodilriver and Nylrivier Avenue in Cashan 4.



Sandy and Danny- the stars of Grease - the movie that has changed a generation. Grease will be shown on big screen at 18:00 at the Timbati Veld Market on Saturday, 3 June. No entry fee will be charged - regrettably - no cooler boxes, food or beverages will be allowed into the market area.

Rustenburg Poultry

Show!

4997.

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - On Saturday 3 June the Rustenburg Poultry Club will present their yearly show at the Rusties venue on the Rex/

Oorsaak road. As always, there will be a wide variety of chicken breeds and colors that will be displayed and competing for the "Best chicken at the show" award, according to the Saspo breeds standards. A variety of geese, ducks and turkeys will participate as well. Entry is free! Judging will start at 09:00. Come and view the feathered beauties and meet the exhibitors. For more information please contact Dawie on 071 196 7696 or Dieter on 082 809



Timbati Veld Market has recently turned one year old and is gaining momentum as an event that Rustenburg patrons would not want to miss.

As previously, the June 3 market will be a double market. From 09:00 to 14:00 the market will offer family fun with stalls, food, beverages and music and from 14:00 to 20:00 it will be time for a free family movie in the veld when the evergreen "Grease" will be on "big screen" - the movie will start at exactly 18:00 or as soon as it gets dark. Make sure you are happy and settled by then. Bring your blankets, chairs, perhaps your favourite pet (to keep you warm) and all the kids and come experience an unforgettable movie with Timbati's regulars. Please note that no cooler boxers or food or beverages from outside will be allowed in the market area - Timbati calls on our partrons to support the food and beverage stalls. Make a note of Saturday, 3 June, and come and enjoy a day of fun in the sun with Rustenburg's Timbati community!

Time for Farmers Market again

BONUS-RUSTENBURG-Rustenburg's farmers will be at it again this weekend (Saturday, 3 June) with the next edition of the Rustenburg Farmers Market/ Boeremark to be hosted at the well-known Rustenburg Show grounds - agricultural section close to the main entrance.

The Farmers Market recalls the days gone by of the former Rustenburg Show and there is no entry fee. If you are interested in the fine art of home-cooked jams, chutneys, bottled produce, hand-craft articles, spices and herbs, wooden toys, biltong or literally dozens of delicacies prepared by dedicated "traditionalists" - this market is definitely for you!

The Farmers Market is an initiative of the Farmer Production Support Unit in Rustenburg and is a monthly event. On the "menu" for 3 June will be the usual wide range of fresh produce, food, baked goods, hand crafted goods, livestock, music, a cash bar, and much more. The Farmers Market is a lovely shopping outing in a friendly environment with lots of friendly faces and new friends to meet or skills to learn.

Stalls for the market are available at only R100 each and can be booked with Tracy on farmers.tracy.ad@gmail.com. Interested parties are also welcome to phone 072 580 1076 or 078 397 1397. Why not look out for the Farmers Market's Facebook page - Farmer Production Support Unit. The Farmers Market will be open from 09:00 until 15:00. Please feel free to visit and come and support all our people who love to work with their hands and nature.





Rustenburg

Contact us:

Tel: 014 592 8329 Fax: 014 592 1869 E-mail: mailbag@rustenburgherald.co.za Address: 13 Coetzer Street, Rustenburg, 0299

Code of Conduct

The Bonus proudly displays the "FAIR" stamp of the Press Council of South Africa, indicating our commitment to adhere to the Code of Ethics for Print and Online media which prescribes that our reportage is truthful accurate and fair. Should you wish to lodge a complaint about our news coverage, please lodge a complaint on the Press Council's website

www.presscouncil.org.za or email the complaint to enquiries@ombudsman.org.za. Contact the Press Council on 011 484 3612.



Published by North West Newspapers (Pty) Ltd; and printed by North West Web Printers (Pty) Ltd a division of CTP Limited 13 Coetzer Street. All rights and reproduction of all reports, photographs, drawings and all materials published in this newspaper are hereby reserved in terms of Section 12 (7) of the Copyright Act No 96 of 1978 and any amendments thereof. North West Newspapers will assume no responsibility with regard to copyright of material submitted for publication by advertisers/

readers. All artistic or creative work, photographs and advertising material submitted for Newspapers publication are regarded exempt from all liability/claims by third parties











WE ARE CONTRACTED WITH AL





SEE OUR SPECIAL HERE





BIGGER, BETTER, STRONGER! BIBLIO PLAZA PHARMACY RELOCATES TO KLOOF PHARMACY

OUR NEW ADDRESS 56 NELSON MANDELA STREET RUSTENBURG

NISSEN

TEL: 014 592 33387 / 4129 WHATSAPP: 072 482 2159

RIDDER STREET TEL: 014 596 5998

WHATSAPP: 064 691 3989

RUISTENBURG SQUARE

TEL: 014 592 5732 / 2325 WHATSAPP: 082 540 5539

KLOOF

TEL: 014 592 6251 WHATSAPP: 079 852 7782

BIBLIO PLAZA

TEL: 014 592 7984 WHATSAPP: 079 317 3896

NOORDWES MED

TEL: 014 543 2433 WHATSAPP: 067 310 0336

MOOINOOI

TEL: 014 574 3133 / 3796 WHATSAPP: 072 517 6221



cras **BONUS - RUSTENBURG - Emergency**

weekend. Specially on Saturday evening (27 May) with a number of accidents happening

across the city. In one of these accidents, involving a minibus taxi, 15 people were injured.

The accident occurred on the R24 near the Shell service station.

DAGBOEK • DIARY

Deworming for dogs / Toys for cats / Toys for dogs / Dip for cats / Deworming for cats / Deworming for dogs / Toys for cats / Toys for dogs / F10 Ointment / F10 spray / Tin food for dogs / Tin food for cats / Treats for dogs / Treats for cats / Leads for our dogs / Blankets / Beds for dogs / Beds for cats. Do you have **empty bottles** just laying around? Please donate. **Cat litter** and **tinned cans dog and catfood**

RUSTENBURG FARMERS DAY

Dr Fafa Malan will be doing a sheep post-mortem at 14H00. Date: 3 June 2023 from 09:00 - 15:00 Place: Rustenburg Showgrounds, Agricultural Portion Entrance free. Safe parking.

Call or Whatsapp 072 580 1076 Email: farmers.tracy.ad@gmail.com



RUSTENBURG FARMERS MARKET

Fresh produce, food, baked goods, hand-crafted goods, livestock, music, cash bar and so much more! Date: 3 July 2023 from 09:00 - 15:00

Place: Rustenburg Showgrounds, Agricultural Portion Entrance free. Safe parking.

Call or Whatsapp 072 580 1076 Email: farmers.tracy.ad@gmail.com



LIBERTAS RUSTIC

JAN BLOM SE SHOW BUITELUG/ASHTON WHEELER

Wanneer: 1 Junie 2023 17H00 vir 19H00.

Kaartjies: R200 per persoon. Bespreek by 079 495 7043.

Beperkte plek. Geen kos of drinkgoed toegelaat.



A standard advertisement (30 words) in the Rustenburg Herald, Bonus and our website will cost you only R66-00 (Vat incl) and can be placed and paid for on ou website (www.rustenburgherald.co.za) or at the reception offices of the Rustenburg Herald. A maximum of two advertisements combined (60 words) will cost only R132-00 (Vat incl).



Customer stabs robber

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - An armed robber got more that he bargained for during a robbery last week. According to local police spokesperson, Sergeant Ofentse Mokgadi, six armed men entered a Pep Stores in the vicinity of Mbeki and Oliver Tambo Drive just after the store opened on Thursday (25 May).

The men held up the staff and customers.

"An altercation started between a customer and one of the robbers. It escalated to the point where the customer robbers then fled, leaving behind their loot.

stabbed the robber," Sgt Mokgadi said. A shot was fired by the robbers and the customer was hit in the foot. The



BONUS - RUSTENBURG - Residents in the vicinity of Zendeling Street, Boom Street and Steen Street are at their wits' end.

A manhole on the corner of Zendeling Street and Boom Street has been overflowing for days now. It has been reported numerous times - but, apparently to no avail. "Sewage is flowing into my kitchen!" a resident of a complex in Steen Street told Rustenburg Herald on Friday morning (26 May). "23 people have died as a result of cholera in South Africa over the last two weeks; Rustenburg could very well be the next on the list," another resident remarked. The Rustenburg Local Municipality was contacted for comment, but by Monday morning (29 May) no reply was received yet.

Suspects sought after Rex Road attack

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - According to information received, the search is on for at least six suspects after an incident early on Thursday morning (15 May).

It is alleged that a gang descended on a home on a farm along the Rex Road, outside Rustenburg. The six men attacked and overpowered the occupants of the home. Injuries were reported. According to information, the six were all very neatly dressed in blue denims, t-shirts and branded sport shoes. Rustenburg Police have confirmed the incident. Anyone with information should contact the investigating officer, Ben Mogale on 082 772 8332



BONUS - RUSTENBURG - The police in Phokeng request the community's assistance in locating 53-year-old Nakedi Andrew Motene. Motene, also known as Killer, is residing at Chaneng Ramotene Section, close to Phokeng. According to information received, he was last seen by a family member on 1 May 2023.

A search was conducted around the neighbourhood and surrounding areas of Chaneng, without any success. During the time of his disappearance, Motene was wearing a brown T-shirt and brown trousers. He is dark in complexion, with brown eyes, of medium build, short beard and black hair. Anyone with information regarding his whereabouts can contact the Investigating Officer, Warrant Officer, Johanna Masenya, of the Phokeng Detectives on 073 ?801 7173?. Anonymous tip-offs can be communicated via MySAPS App or Crime Stop on ??08600 10111?.

Invitation to council meeting

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - The public is invited to a special council meeting of the Rustenburg Local Municipality this Wednesday (31 May)

The meeting will start at 10:00 and will be held at the Rustenburg Civic Centre.

The following reports will be tabled at this meeting: 1: The final integrated Development Plan (IDP) review

2. The 2023/2024 Medium Term Revenue and

Expenditure Framework (MTREF)

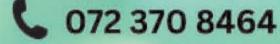
Please note: The meeting will also be streamed live on RLM's Facebook page for public viewing.

* The notice of the ordinary council meeting that was scheduled for Tuesday (30 May) was retracted by the Rustenburg Local Municipality.



22-25 JUNE 2023

Contact Natasha for bookings



NIZAAKSE@GROWTHPOINT.CO.ZA







Because we care



Last chance to enter art competition





This week sees the final opportunity for amateur artists to enter for our Rustenburg Herald (Blank Space) Art competition.

The closing date is 24:00 on Wednesday 31 Mei 2023. You may enter as many art works as you wish and two cash prize of R1 000 each are up for grabs sponsored by Rustenburg Herald. You may use any page as "background" or canvass for your art work. Remember to attach your completed entry form in recent editions of Rustenburg Herald or Bonus. Cut this out, complete and attach this to your art work. Entries could be "posted" in the boxes clearly marked 'Rustenburg Herald (Blank Space) Art competition' at any of the Pick n Pay stores at Greystone Crossing, Beyers Naudé Avenue or Rustenburg Herald's offices in 13 Coetzer Street. Good luck with you entries. The two winning artists will be announced in next week's edition of Rustenburg Herald.



Scheffer ready for Fedhealth Platinum Trail Run debut

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - Celebrating its 10th anniversary at the ATKV Buffelspoort on Sunday 4 June, the Fedhealth Platinum Trail Run has attracted the attention of 'pro trail runner turned roadie turned coach', Rory Scheffer (Hurlingham, Johannesburg).

"I'm looking forward to taking part in my first Fedhealth Platinum Trail Run," says Scheffer. "I've heard that the event attracts quite a competitive field, so I can't wait to

Waterkloof Hills Primary



On 24 May Waterkloof Hills Primary and Secondary schools hosted the annual Book exhibition and the Principal and School Governing Body wish to thank Mr Seth Serapong of Global Publishers for the donation of books to support teaching and learning. Pictured here are Seth Serapong and Principal Delia Rossi.

race some of the strongest trail runners in the area. I've also never been to the area before, so I'm excited to explore the trails there." "My goal is to do as well as I can," confirms Scheffer. "Having not done the event before I will play it safe and run within myself. I'll see where that puts me. Hopefully I'll get a podium finish."

Scheffer will face tough competition from defending Champion, Collin Kanvimo (Pretoria East) and Alberton runner, Retsepile Khotle. When asked about his goal for race day, Khotle replied: "The lion is hungry."

For more information and/or to enter the Fedhealth Platinum Trail Run please visit www. stillwatersports. com or email entries@ stillwatersports. com.



Collin Kanyimo (Pretoria East) claimed gold in the Fedhealth Platinum Trail Run Long Route in 2022 in a fantastic time of 01 hour 27 minutes 18 seconds. (Photo: **Tobias Ginsberg)**





Retsepile Khotle in action at the AfricanX Trailrun 3-Day Stage Race that was hosted in the Western Cape earlier this year. (Photo: Chris Hitchcock)







Total: R6 000

20002227



20001098 DEFY)

15kg Twinmaid Washing Machine DTT151 White/Metallic Free Ironing Board worth R599

Deposit: R630 Total: R10 012

10002505

Save: R1 000 Now:

103 Market street

Tel: 053 927 3031

18 Songozwi Street

Tel: 015 516 5370

GEM MAKHADO





Deposit: R580 Save: R1 000 Total: R9 343

20002192



Dining Room Suite Deposit: R1 600

Total: R22 370 20002139





(DEFY

6 Piece Leyya 1 Action Corner Lounge Suite

(LH Chaise + Console)

CALGAN 20002207

Deposit: R2 900 • Total: R38 176

Save: R4 700

Now:

F740 Side-by-Side Fridge

DFF437/10399

Metallic Water Dispenser

10002154

Save: R2 900

Deposit: R2 070



Deposit: R500 Total: R8 273

20002146

Save: R1 100



GEM AND FAIRS BRANCHES: GEM TZANEEN **GEM VRYBURG**

2 Morgan Street Tel: 015 307 2108 / 2118

GEM VRYBURG

53 Market Street Tel: 053 927 4171 /2

GEM MOKOPANE

47 Thabo Mbeki Drive Tel: 015 491 1347

GEM MAKHADO

29 Songozwi Street Shop 3 Tel: 015 518 4299

GEM POLOKWANE

102 Kerk Street Tel: 015 297 5213/5209

GEM TAUNG

Shop 32 **Taung Mall** Tel: 053 994 1011

GEM HARTSWATER

22 D.F Malan Street Tel: 053 474 2022

GEM TAUNG Plot 3

Taung Station Road Tel: 053 994 1173

GEM POLOKWANE

71 Market Street Tel: 015 295 4169

GEM RUSTENBURG

Berg Street, Shop 4 71 Market Street Midtown Mall Tel: 014 592 0856

FAIRS KURUMAN

8 Beare Street, Tel: 053 712 1450 **GEM VRYBURG**

Tel: 053 927 4171

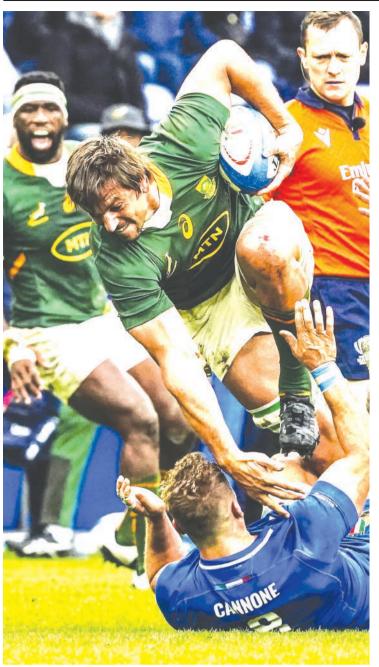
Tel: 018 381 0270/ 0455 **FAIRS PRETORIA** 28 Van der Walt Street Shop 13D

FAIRS MAHIKENG

25 Carrington Street

Tel: 012 324 0102/ VISA 012 325 8541





The 2023 World Cup is so close you can almost smell it. A 33-strong Springbok squad is currently in training to defend their trophy. (Photo: Springboks/Facebook)

Uitsoek-wooneenheid

Herald's levels

33 Springboks announced

BONUS - RRUSTENBURG - With the Rugby World Cup tournament just a few months away, Springbok coach Jacques Nienaber announced a squad of 33 players for their second preparation camp in Durban.

The squad includes 10 players who featured in the Vodacom United Rugby Championship Grand Final in Cape Town and a host of overseas-based players.

All 33 players have been part of the national squad in the last two seasons and, similarly to the last camp, a handful of injured players, including Springbok captain and flanker Siya Kolisi, lock Eben Etzebeth, scrumhalf Jaden Hendrikse and prop Thomas du Toit, were included in the squad where the Bok medical team will continue to monitor their progress and oversee their rehabilitation.

The nine DHL Stormers players invited include experienced props Frans Malherbe and Steven Kitshoff, utility back Damian Willemse, flyhalf Manie Libbok and utility forward Deon Fourie, while the contingent of Japanese players consists of hooker Malcolm Marx, loose forward Kwagga Smith, lock Lood de Jager, utility forward Franco Smith and centre Damian de Allende.

The Boks will begin their preparations for the Castle Lager Rugby Championship at a training camp in Pretoria from Monday 12 to Friday 30 June, with the team slotting into match mode the following week for their opening match against Australia at Loftus Versfeld on Saturday, 8 July.

Nienaber's charges will then depart for New Zealand for their second Test of the condensed version of the competition against the All Blacks at Mount Smart Stadium in Auckland (15 July), before returning to South Africa for their closing match against Argentina in Johannesburg (29 July).

The Springboks will play three Rugby World Cup warmup matches: against Argentina in Buenos Aires (Saturday, 5 August), Wales in Cardiff (Saturday, 19 August) and New

Zealand in London (Friday, 25 August) respectively. They will then make their way to France for the international extravaganza where they face Scotland in Marseille (Sunday, 10 September), Romania in Bordeaux (Sunday, 17 September), Ireland in Paris (Saturday, 23 September) and Tonga in Marseille (Sunday, 1 October) during the pool stages.

Springbok training squad announced, are:

Props: Thomas du Toit (Cell C Sharks), Steven Kitshoff (DHL Stormers), Frans Malherbe (DHL Stormers), Ox Nche (Cell C Sharks).

Hookers: Joseph Dweba (DHL Stormers), Malcom Marx (Kubota Spears), Bongi Mbonambi (Cell C Sharks).

Locks: Lood de Jager (Wild Knights), Eben Etzebeth (Cell C Sharks), Marvin Orie (DHL Stormers), RG Snyman (Munster). Loose forwards: Pieter-Steph du Toit (Toyota Verblitz),

Siya Kolisi (Cell C Sharks), Evan Roos (DHL Stormers), Kwagga Smith (Shizuoka Blue Revs), Marco van Staden (Vodacom Bulls), Duane Vermeulen (Ulster).

Utility Forwards: Deon Fourie (DHL Stormers), Franco Mostert (Honda Heat).

Scrumhalves: Faf de Klerk (Canon Eagles), Jaden Hendrikse (Cell C Sharks), Herschel Jantjies (DHL Stormers), Cobus Reinach (Montpellier), Grant Williams (Cell C Sharks). Flyhalves: Manie Libbok (DHL Stormers), Damian Willemse (DHL Stormers). Centres: Lukhanyo Am (Cell C Sharks), Damian de Allende (Wild Knights), Jesse Kriel (Canon Eagles).

Outside Backs: Kurt-Lee Arendse (Vodacom Bulls), Willie le Roux (Toyota Verblitz), Makazole Mapimpi (Cell C Sharks), Canan Moodie (Vodacom Bulls).

Du Toit, Strydom ready to battle at the Fedhealth Magalies Monster MTB Classic

BONUS - RUSTENBURG - Formerly from Potchefstroom, but now residing in Wellington in the Western Cape, Pieter du Toit and Danielle Strydom will return to the ATKV Buffelspoort with a vengeance this coming Saturday 3 June to defend their titles at the revered Fedhealth Magalies Monster MTB Classic.

Du Toit and Strydom #ConqueredTheMonster and secured victory in the Full Marathon (±65km) in impressive times of 02 hours 49 minutes 15 seconds and 03 hours 33 minutes 32 seconds respectively in 2022. Du Toit admits that this is one of his favourite events.

"The Fedhealth Magalies Monster route is one of my favorites, with the Monster Climb on the Maanhaarrand Pass Road and the super rocky terrain. It's a real challenge and I love it. The vibe after the race is super, while riding through the private farms is nice and basically a 'once a year' experience. With the route being super rocky, I am happy to be riding a Giant Anthem mountain-bike. The bike has a 120mm travel in the front and a dropper post. This helps a lot with the loose rocky gravel descents. I would definitely recommend this event to other mountain bikers. My advice is to pump your wheels a bit harder for the rocks, and pack in one extra energy bar, it might be a long day. My goal on race day is to take the win." Du Toit will face tough competition from 2022 runner up in the Full Marathon, Shaun-Nick Bester from Montana Park, Pretoria. "If my memory serves me right,

I've competed in the Fedhealth Magalies Monster MTB Classic five times,' says Bester. "It's the route and event atmosphere that keeps me coming back for more. The route is one of the toughest in SA and this makes it a very exciting race as anything can go wrong. I would sav that the toughest part of the Marathon route must be the technical descent straight after the Monster Climb. My goal is to try and take home the overall victory."

Danielle Strydom, who has claimed victory thrice at the Fedhealth Magalies Monster Full Marathon (in 2018, 2019 and 2022), says she got to maintain her "local legend" status amongst the North Westers in 2022. "Being from the North West, the Magalies Monster is a sought after race for all our 'local legends'. It's a big thing to be able to say that you've #ConqueredTheMonster. It's also one of the few major events in our area that has such a high level of professionalism and technical aspects. I was extremely proud to win in 2022. It's not just a local win, being the Magalies Monster, it's one to add to the CV." "A lot of people might think that it is the famous 'Monster Climb' that makes this event tough, but for me it's the actual terrain," confirms Strydom.

"It's very rocky and raw; your body takes on a lot. It's also the reason why I love the event so much. I am riding my lovely Liv Pique mountain-bike which is perfect for this race. The brand Liv is dedicated to women, while the bike is

designed to be able to handle the roughest of mountain bike courses with its dual suspension and aggressive angles. Anything rocky and technical is a pleasure when riding this bike. My goal is to successfully defend my title." For more information and/or to enter the Fedhealth Magalies Monster MTB Classic please www.stillwatersports. com or email entries@ stillwatersports.com.





