



The sick girls were transported to Carletonville Hospital in seven Gauteng EMS ambulances. This photo was taken shortly after the girls were dropped off.

Cause of mass matric food poisoning scare still unknown

Adele Louw

Authorities still have no answers for what caused more than 70 matric girls to be rushed to hospital with suspected food poisoning this week.

According to the Gauteng Health Department's spokesperson, Motalale Modiba, the 74 girls from Fochville Secondary School, Badirile Secondary School, and Wedela Technical School had to be rushed to hospital at approximately 09:00 on October 10.

"The learners, aged between 17 and 20 years, were part of a matric camp at Fochville Secondary School. Around 42 learners reported to the Fochville Clinic and 32 learners to the Kokosi Clinic with similar symptoms including stomach cramps and diarrhea. Upon assessment, all affected learners were referred to the Carletonville District Hospital for further medical evaluation. One learner was taken to a private

facility while 73 went to Carletonville hospital," said Modiba.

According to Carletonville Hospital's communication officer, Matabo Letsoalo, the girls were accommodated and treated quickly even though there were so many of them. Gauteng EMS notified the hospital beforehand. During the *Herald's* visit to the hospital during the ordeal all the girls looked comfortable and were constantly checked on by hospital staff. Luckily most of them were in stable condition and, as a result, all of the affected girls recovered so well that they were released by 16:30 the same afternoon.

The question, however, remains of what had caused the girls' illness. As far as could be determined, none of the teachers who attended the same camp and had eaten the same food as the girls got sick.

Meanwhile, some authorities were shifting the responsibility of who is

supposed to determine the cause of the girls' illness.

Although the matric camp was part of activities organised by the Gauteng Department of Education, their spokesperson, Steve Mabona, said that the Gauteng Health Department was investigating the cause of the incident.

"This is a Department of Education matter as learners seem to have eaten something from the school camp, but compliance of kitchens in the community and food establishments is the responsibility of the local municipality. However, our department is working with them to find out what happened," said another communication official of the Department of Health, Thuso Montwedi.

The municipality, in turn, referred all questions to the West Rand District Municipality's Environmental Health Department. Meanwhile, the Gauteng Department of Health gave

some tips on how to prevent food poisoning as several similar incidents occurred in other schools elsewhere in the country this week. In some of the incidents children even died.

"We remind the public to be vigilant about food safety and ensure the proper handling of perishable and non-perishable food items. It is important that food is cooked thoroughly, stored at the correct temperature, and consumed within safe time frames. The washing of hands before handling food and after using the bathroom to avoid cross-contamination is equally important. The public is further advised to consider alternative methods other than pesticides and insecticides to make their properties and gardens unattractive to pests. Where pesticides and insecticides are used it is important to follow the safety instructions and seek urgent medical attention if you suspect poisoning," says Modiba.

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Ongoing sewage problems in Fochville

Adele Louw

Residents on opposite sides of Fochville had to struggle with sewage problems this week.

People who stay in the area of 6 Populier Street complained that a huge amount of sewage have leaked from a manhole in the veld across from this house.

A community leader from the town, Corne van der Merwe, says he has been trying to help people in this area as they have been struggling for most of the past two weeks.

At first, sewage streamed from the manhole into the veld. From here it goes straight into the nearby river.

"I have to make food for my family but one is not even hungry because of this smell. I do not even know what Merafong is going to do about this. I don't know how they expect people to stay here because it is a huge health risk," one of the residents complained.

The matter was also reported to health inspectors at the West Rand District Municipality.

When the *Herald* visited the site this week, the sewage leak had stopped, but there was still a huge amount of dried sewage that had not been cleaned up next to the

manhole. These remains could be smelled from the nearby houses.

Meanwhile, on the opposite side of Fochville sewage was also streaming down Potchefstroom Street in the area of Gars Street. There have been so many sewage leaks in the area before that it has created many deep potholes in the street, which the municipality has also not repaired.

Although the *Herald* asked the municipality about the matter on Monday, no answers were received.



Some of the sewage that leaked from the manhole in the veld next to Populier Street.



A pedestrian walks past the water leak in Kaolin Street.

Municipality leaves water leaks despite restrictions

Although Rand Water has announced water restrictions due to its reserves running low this week, the Merafong City Local Municipality is still not attending to some ongoing water leaks in Carletonville.

By Monday afternoon water was still streaming from the sidewalk next to 45 Kaolin Street. So much water has leaked at the site that the grass on the sidewalk is bright green and much longer than the surrounding grass.

The ongoing leak has already damaged the road surface and there is a permanent puddle of water on the tar. The excess water streams into the nearest stormwater drain.

Meanwhile, just around the corner on Agnew Road, water is also still streaming from another leak near the four-way crossing with Kaolin Street.

Both leaks had already been reported to the municipality more than six months ago.

On October 13, the municipality, however, issued a notice that Rand Water had

implemented stringent measures to conserve declining water reserves. As part of this, they asked that water leaks should be reported to them.

From this week, lawns, gardens and landscapes may only be watered between 21:00 to 04:00. Residents are also encouraged to limit washing their cars to once a week and to use a bucket instead of a hose pipe for this purpose.

The filling or refilling of swimming

pools is prohibited and residents are also advised to keep outdoor swimming pools covered to reduce water loss due to evaporation. Where possible, residents must take showers instead of baths. They are also encouraged to use grey water, where possible, and recycle rainwater.

Their marketing and communications manager, Temba Fezani, did not answer questions about the ongoing water leaks by printing time.



A bakkie driving over the sewage leak in Potchefstroom Street.



The ongoing water leak near the four-way stop in Agnew Road.

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Gruesome accident claims two residents

Adele Louw

Two pensioners from Carletonville died in an accident in Fochville over the past weekend.

According to informed sources, the residents, Ockie Venter and his wife, Martie, were driving back to Carletonville after visiting family in Parys on Sunday afternoon. As they were driving on the R500, nearing the entrance into Losberg Avenue in Fochville, a bus turned into the road, right in front of them.

Ockie was killed instantly while paramedics tried to save Martie's life. Although an ER24 helicopter was called to transport her to Fountain Private Hospital, she passed away before arriving there.

Paramedics from Gauteng EMS also attended the scene. According to sources, the bus driver was arrested at the scene after it was allegedly found that his license had



The deceased Ockie and Martie Venter.

expired. He was also suspected to be under the influence of liquor.

The Venter couple leaves behind children and grandchildren, as well as many friends in the area.

"Martie lived in the area all her life and everyone liked her. She was always friendly and had the nicest laugh," one Fochville resident remembers. "They were our strength and our pride and had been made



The scene of the accident.

strong by the powerful God, our Shepherd and Protector. They helped many people and was a blessing to everyone. May peace rest on them," said their son, Martin, on Tuesday. By printing time their funeral arrangements were not yet



The bus that was involved in the accident.

known. Our condolences to their family and friends.

Although the *Herald* contacted the Fochville station commander, Lieutenant Commander Kgomotso Netshitangani, about the incident, she did not provide feedback.

Watch out for scammers

Adele Louw

The police in Carletonville are again warning residents to be on the lookout for criminals who want to steal their hard-earned money.

They warn that residents must be particularly careful of people phoning them pretending to be bank personnel. The scammers allege that there is something wrong with the victim's account or money has been stolen from it.

They then send an OTP to the victim's

cellphone. If the victim clicks on it, the scammer can take control of their phone and gain access to their bank account.

"We have received three or four such cases in the past week.

All were from Standard Bank," a senior police officer told the *Herald* on Monday.

The police are currently investigating a few of these cases. As far as could be determined, all the suspects are from the Western Cape.

Any person who

allows anyone to use their account to have money transferred into or out of it is also guilty of a crime and can be arrested.

Additionally, if an investigation finds that stolen money has been paid into your account your account will be frozen as it was used to commit fraud.

Residents must still be on the lookout for people coming to them at ATMs and pretending to want to help them, as they can also gain access to your particulars and steal your money.



The area where the robbery took place.

Suspects flee after armed robbery at family store

Adele Louw

A small supermarket in Carletonville was robbed on the night of October 9.

The owner of the Family Mini

Supermarket at the corner of Aster and Lobelia Street was busy inside the shop when two unknown African men walked in at about 18:15. They pulled out firearms

and ordered the owner to lie on the ground.

Money from the cash register, cigarettes, and the owner's cellphone was taken before the suspects fled the scene.

Have you seen this man?

Adele Louw

Police in Carletonville require public assistance after they released an identikit of a rapist.

The matter is being investigated by the Family Violence, Child Protection, and Sexual Offences Unit.

Authorities are working to trace the alleged rapist after two women were attacked recently.

According to information the two women were walking from the Mamchangana Tavern to the 60s section in Khutsong Ext 5 when they were confronted by two men armed with knives.

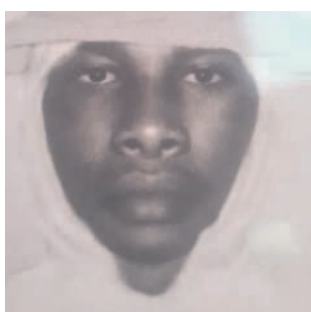
The men each grabbed a woman and demanded their

cellphones. When the women revealed they did not have cellphones with them, one of the men walked away with one of the victims.

The other man started dragging the other woman with him towards the bottom of a bridge. The woman was reportedly threatened to be killed if she did not undress herself. She was forced to cooperate, after which he raped her.

The matter was later reported to the police.

Authorities described the rapist. He is in his early 20s, short and slender. He spoke Setswana and was armed with an Okapi knife. He was very aggressive and smelled of cigarette smoke. At the time of



A facial composition of the man who raped the woman.

the incident, he wore a cream-white hoodie, black Adidas pants, Converse All Star shoes, and a cream-white bucket hat.

Anyone who thinks they have information that can help the police track him down must contact the investigating officer, Constable Jeremiah Chilaule at 061 710 4457.

House robbers strike in Deelkraal

Adele Louw

A resident in Wilge Street was met with two masked robbers when returning to her outside room after taking a late-night shower.

This incident took place on October 7 at around 22:00.

The 37-year-old woman had just walked into her room (the door was not locked) when the armed thugs rushed up to her.

The robbers, who spoke Sotho,

pointed firearms at her and demanded that she go back into the kitchen of the main house.

They then forced her into the bedroom.

They also grabbed two other residents who resided on the property and made them and the woman lie down on the bedroom floor.

They took an undisclosed amount of money and the cellphones of the residents and fled the scene.

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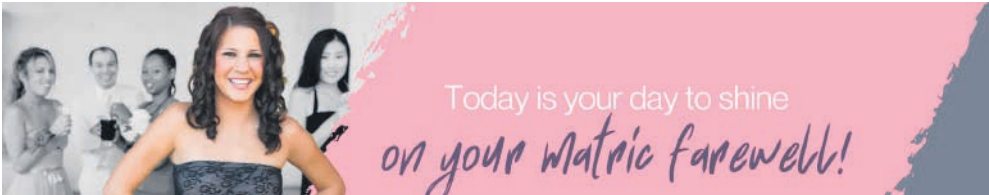
Unathi with the national beauties Erin Jane Miller and Nicole Ramos with the fashion designer Nadine Marx.

Glamorous outing for semi-finalist

Adele Louw

A young woman from our area who is a semi-finalist in a national pageant attended a special event for a good cause this weekend. Unathi Pebe, a semi-finalist in the Miss Teen Glam Gauteng pageant, was invited as a VIP guest at a breast cancer awareness luncheon hosted by Westgate Mall. During the event, she received the opportunity to spend time with finalists in the

Mrs South Africa 2024 pageant. “It was an afternoon filled with heartwarming stories from current and previous Mrs South Africa participants spreading awareness on breast cancer. “To my ladies, I encourage you to do regular check-ups on your body and take care of yourself,” says Pebe. Pebe also did voluntary work at the Hlanganani Primary School in Khutsong Ext 3 recently.



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Ds André Kok, leraar van die NG Kerk

Lees Johannes 14:21-24.

Gelowiges is baie bevoorregte en begenadigde mense om met die opdragte van Jesus Christus bekend te wees, maar dit is nie genoeg nie. Om die seënryke teenwoordigheid van die Here te ervaar moet Sy wil in die daaglikse lewe uitgevoer word.

Jesus het onderskeid gemaak tussen sy opdragte "te hê" en dit "uit te voer" (Joh 14:21).

Dit is dieselfde onderskeiding as dié tussen die "hoor" van die woorde van Jesus en om daarvolgens te "handel" (Matt 7:24).

Om die woorde van Jesus gelowig te aanvaar en dit daadwerklik en met oorgawe te gehoorsaam, is die nuwe kenteken van 'n dissipel wat vir Jesus

volg omdat hy Hom bo alles liefhet en daarom Sy woorde ter harte neem (Joh 14:23).

Die Boodskap sê ook dat die persoon wat Jesus regtig liefhet, sal duidelik uitgeken word omdat hy sal weet wat die Here van hom verwag en dit ook doen.

Jou lewenshouding en lewenswyse toon of jy die liefde van die Here ken en dit altyd in jou hart koester.

As jy die wil en woorde van Jesus ernstig opneem, sal Hy en die Vader, die God van liefde en vrede, op 'n baie intieme manier deel word van jou lewe. Hulle sal by jou kom woon (Joh 14:23).

Die woord "woon" het in die antieke wêreld aangedui dat 'n groep mense in lojaliteit saamgesnoer is deur die hegte band van 'n gesin.

Almal wat die opdragte van Jesus uitleef word as't ware

in 'n nuwe gesin opgeneem.

God wil hê dat Sy kinders in 'n verhouding, soos in 'n gesin, met Hom moet verkeer waar hulle sy teenwoordigheid elke dag en oral kan beleef. Dan word God se nabyheid jou kragbron en jou leefwêreld.

As gesê word dat Jesus Hom aan die gelowiges "openbaar" wanneer Hy by hulle woon, dui dit op die konstante teenwoordigheid in hulle lewe (Joh 14:22).

Die Seun en die Vader word sigbaar in die wêreld gemaak wanneer die groot opdrag om God en die naaste lief te hê uitgeleef word.

Die teenwoordigheid van die Here kan deur jou liefde ervaar word.

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Many beautiful dogs and cats at the Carletonville SPCA (Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals) are looking for new homes.

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Anyone who wants to take a pet home can visit the SPCA's kennels in Beerster Street from 09:00 to 16:00 on weekdays or 08:00 to 11:00 on Saturdays.

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For more information, contact 018 788 6262. The emergency number is 064 752 6035.



There are currently many beautiful cats such as these kittens that are looking for new homes at the Carletonville SPCA.



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A firefighter in action who is part of the dedicated team from Working on Fire-Kishugu Joint Venture battles a wildfire in the West Rand, showcasing their commitment to protecting our land.

40 fires recorded this season

Jade Sateria

The Merafong City Local Municipal area was plagued by wildfires during the past few months. “Merafong has recorded 40 fires this season,” says the Working on Fire-Kishugu Joint Venture’s Gauteng communication officer, Parapara Makgahlela. He says the team based at Fochville fought 24 fires, those at Carletonville four and those at the Abe Bailey base 12 fires. Meanwhile the Working on Fire-Kishugu Joint Venture has reported a staggering 271 wildfires across Gauteng since the onset of the winter fire

season. These fires have consumed an alarming 17 199 hectares of grazing and grasslands, highlighting the persistent threat posed by wildfires in the region. The breakdown of fire incidents reveals a significant concentration of activity, with the West Rand recording 104 fires, Tshwane 139 and the East Rand/Midvaal area experiencing 28 incidents. “Our firefighters have been proactive in responding to fire callouts and remain on high alert as the fire season continues,” stated Makgahlela. Safety remains a top priority. The current conditions leave vegetation

highly susceptible to fires, creating an ongoing risk for agricultural lands and properties. “Through our partnerships with fire protection associations and fire authorities, we are working tirelessly to mitigate the risks and assist landowners,” added the Makgahlela. The impact of these wildfires extends beyond just land loss; they threaten livelihoods, agricultural production, and property. The ongoing battle against wildfires is further complicated by climate change that has intensified the frequency and severity of such incidents.

The Working on Fire-Kishugu Joint Venture remains steadfast in its commitment to fighting these raging infernos, dedicated to preserving lives and safeguarding the environment. As the season progresses, continued cooperation between firefighters, landowners, and local authorities will be crucial in managing this ongoing crisis. For those living in fire-prone areas, awareness and preparedness are essential in the fight against wildfires. The community’s role in this effort cannot be overstated as the season continues where conditions remain dry.

Many unclaimed firearm licenses

Adele Louw

Residents who have applied for firearm licenses must follow up with the police in Carletonville to see whether theirs have not arrived yet. According to the designated firearms officer at the police station, Captain Tefo Madibo, there are currently more than 40 firearm licenses waiting to be picked up. He says that people who have applied early this year or toward the end of last year who have not yet received any communication, must call the firearms office to see whether their license is not there yet. Although the national firearms office sometimes send SMSs to applicants to notify them that their license card has arrived, this does not always happen. Applicants who want to find out more, can call the firearms office at 018 787 9318/9 for more information.



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PROPOSED ACTIVITY: THE PROPOSED PROJECT MINING ACTIVITIES WITHIN SHA OF THE AFFECTED FARM PORTION.

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NOTICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION PROCESS FOR A MINING PERMIT APPLICATION

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APPLICANT NAME: JETLAG HOLDINGS (PTY) LTD
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NOTIFICATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION DMRE REFERENCE NUMBER: GP/30/5/1/1/2/10785PR OCTOBER 2024

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN WITH REGARDS TO THE DECISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY (DMRE) TO GRANT AN ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION TO CYENTU (PTY) LTD FOR THE PROSPECTING RIGHT ON FARMS BOSPAN 56 IQ, PAHTIKI 55 IQ AND WILDFONTEIN 52 IQ, IN THE MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT OF CARLETONVILLE, GAUTENG PROVINCE.

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PROCUREMENT OPPORTUNITY

Project: DRDGOLD Regional Tailings Storage Facility (RTSF)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USING THE QR CODE

Step 1 - Scan QR code with your phone's camera
Step 2 - After the phone identifies the QR Code, it will direct you to the RTSF PROJECT application form.
Step 3 - Click "START NOW". This will direct you to a page with some instructions.
Step 4 - After reading the instructions, press "CLICK TO START." You now have 30 minutes to complete the application.
Step 5 - Fill in and answer all the questions. The Ward Councillor will be asked to confirm your status as a resident in the ward that you have selected.
Step 6 - Press "SUBMIT" - You will receive an SMS confirming your application was received.

Stefanutti Stocks requests applications from vendors for the following equipment hire at the DRDGOLD RTSF Construction Project:

16 000l Water Bowser or larger

Vendors are to be based in the Merafong or Rand West Municipal areas or Poortjie Ward 5.

Prospective applicants are required to ensure the following during the selection process:

1. Completed online application form
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3. Confirmation of local status (Municipality and ward)
4. The equipment complies with Mine Specifications
5. Confirmation of Operator Licence and Competency
6. Operator will complete the following: Criminal record check, Site-specific assessments, Interviews and Mine Medical

Electronic applications submitted via the portal accessed by the QR code at the bottom of this document will be accepted between

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(no late applications will be accepted)



Procurement opportunity link



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The star squash players Ethan and Nathan Metcalfe.

Fochville boys squash champions

Adele Louw

Two boys from Fochville recently scooped up a big award.

The twins Ethan and Nathan Metcalfe, both Grade 11 learners at Potchefstroom Gimnasium, were awarded the Senior Men's Squash Player of the Year award at their school's prize-giving last week. According to their father, Mark they both got North West (NW) colours for squash and their school team also won the school's NW League.

Apart from that they also played in two U19 tournaments this year that took place in Pretoria and Parys. Ethan finished seventh in both, while Nathan finished 10th.

Local artists attend Music Masterclass

Kagiso Segone

Local artists attended a Master class music workshop that took place at the beginning of October at the AMPD Studios based in Newtown, Johannesburg. The workshop featured SA Female Hip Hop queen better known as Nadia Nakai, who is also a media personality and a prominent business woman. The workshop was brought by MTN Pulse in partnership with AMPD Studios and aimed to empower young entrepreneurs through providing a one on one engagement with the superstar. The Boss lady of Hip Hop had a conversation with a renowned entrepreneur Miles Khubeka and shared her journey in the world of music as well as entrepreneurship. She also have tips in regards to building a strong personal brand. Among some of the interesting topics she touched on she also spoke about the importance of artists venturing into entrepreneurship as a way of sustaining their livelihoods. Nakai shared details of the music business as well as challenges she has faced in the fashion industry and manufacturing world. The Master class was very informative as the audience walked away with empowering and exclusive information to help further their careers. There was a chance for the audience to ask questions during the session before the Master class was concluded and the vibrant crowd dispersed. The

platform is making an impact in the lives of upcoming creative people from all walks of life as there are different entrepreneurs and media personalities that have been featured in the Master classes, such as the well-respected DJ Sbu, Palesa Mokubung and many more. The young entrepreneurs are given the opportunities to learn about launching startups or scaling their businesses, real world strategies, harnessing the power of their personal stories for success, building brands, using authenticity as a tool for meaningful connections, growth, turning creativity into money and

leading with confidence and style. AMPD Studios is a Youth Hub that is focused on giving young people a chance to become professionals in the creative industry. It is also a powerful networking space for aspiring artists as well as entrepreneurs with a strong desire to get into the entertainment industry. Hardworking local artists such as Vibration Taylor were very grateful for the opportunity to be invited to join the Master class and to receive game changing knowledge as well as to network with other upcoming artists and entrepreneurs who are establishing their careers professionally.



During the Master class with Nadia Nakai and Miles Khubeka.

Pen Buddy: Ons kan saam 'n verskil vir kinders maak

Carletonville en Fochville Herald het 'n insamelingsprojek begin waar ons die gemeenskap uitdaag om saam met ons ou of gebruikte, of nuwe skryfbehoeftes vir minderbevoorregte kinders insamel.

Meeste ouers koop aan die begin van elke skooljaar vir hul kinders nuwe skryfbehoeftes en word ou skryfbehoeftes weggegooi of in 'n kas gedruk. Daar is baie ouers wat nie skryfbehoeftes vir hul kinders kan bekostig nie. Help ons om diegene in nood te help om gerieflik hulle skoolwerk te kan

doen. Diegene wat aan die projek wil deelneem, kan ou of gebruikte en nuwe skryfbehoeftes in ons Pen Buddy-boks by Brand Corp in Fochville plaas. Deelnemers aan die projek sal ook afslag met hul aankope ontvang.



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Let's Talk About It - Giving your best

Kagiso Segone

We should aim to give our best in what we do and I feel like a few people are willing to go all out for what they want in life.

The few people that strive the most are those known to be successful.

We need to understand that everything we get in life is determined by what we put in.

The majority of society is composed of people with amazing dreams and goals that go unfulfilled and unachieved because most people are not willing to put in the work.

We are all given the power to dream and envision the life we want but the rest is up to us and our efforts.

The only way to reach certain desires is to apply our qualities such as determination, hard work, consistency, and everything else it takes to make it

where we want to be.

Many people may say life is not fair but most of the time it comes as an excuse for not trying enough and not giving our best in what we do.

Anyone with a talent or dream will be challenged at some point and the main problem is that people give up when the going gets tough.

I have also noticed that most people become aware of their talents and skills but do not continue improving because they feel like they have reached their pinnacle.

It is a mistake to put a cap on your skill or talent because it becomes your limit.

What I have learned about the greatest people who have existed is that they kept on working on themselves and applying themselves in the course of what they wanted to

achieve.

We must learn because that is what life is all about.

Once we stop learning we stop growing.

We have so much to learn through meeting different people and the more people we meet the more we become inspired.

We have to keep looking for this inspiration to become better because we want to become more than what we are - this is the mindset that allows growth. The more we give our best the more we grow.

We just have to accept the fact that what we put in is what we get out and the harder we work the more results we will see.

It might not be easy but we have to go through certain struggles to reach certain levels.

The greater the battle, the sweeter the victory. We just need to do our best.



In samewerking met Transnet dra NWU by tot die Phelophepa-treinprojek, wat noodsaaklike gesondheidsdienste soos sielkunde en farmasie aan onderbediende gemeenskappe lewer.



Other members of the Fight St MMA Club also went to support Mpumelelo Mngoma during his fight this week. This photo was taken 10 minutes before the start of his match. From the left are Francois Ackerman, Shihan Chimmy van Winkel (coach), Mngoma and Danie Greyling.

‘Zulu’ triumphs over opponent

Adele Louw

Carletonville's only professional MMA fighter walked over his opponent last week.

Mpumelelo Mngoma (30), affectionately known as 'Zulu' by his fellow team members at the Fight St MMA Club in Carletonville, took on Tyral James Louw, professional MMA fighter from Johannesburg on October 10.

The fact that Louw is also a well-known boxer did not help him against the Carletonville star. Although they were supposed to fight in three rounds of five minutes each, Mngoma first pinned him in a move called a triangle, and from there in an arm bar. This caused

Mngoma to win with a submission during the first minutes of the fight.

According to Mngoma's coach, Shihan Chimmy van Winkel, the flyweight division in which Mngoma fights is the weight division with the most fighters. There are approximately 50 fighters from South Africa, Zimbabwe, Nigeria, Namibia, Botswana and Kenya battling for positions.

Mngoma's win will see him move into the top 20 of this weight category.

"I am very proud of 'Zulu'. He really fought well," says Van Winkel.

He says that if all goes according to plan, Mngoma will have another fight before the end of the year.

Fun football action on Sunday

Adele Louw

The Merafong City Local Football Association (MCLFA) has been holding a special Confederation of African Football License D course. The training sessions are taking place at Carleton Jones High School.

According to MCLFA's chairperson Mbuyiselo Zuwani coaches from all over the area are making use of this opportunity to learn more. The final session, that will include some practical lessons, will take place at the Spades Ground in Khutsong on Sunday.

All members of the public are welcome to attend.

As part of the event the MCLFA will also hold a special celebration for upcoming soccer players age six to 12. Children who want to attend must show up with shorts, tekkies, soccer boots, a hat or cap and a water bottle.

"There will be life skills programmes, small-sided games and many more fun activities," says Zuwani.

The day's action will start at 09:30. For more information contact 078 827 4491 or 071 399 5474.



Some of the experts taking part in the coaching programme are Edwin Johannes, Mbuyiselo Zuwani (MCLFA chairperson) and former National Coach for Banyana Banyana, Augustine Makalakalane.



Many coaches have been taking part in the training sessions during the past weeks.

Vegters staan vir niemand terug nie

Adele Louw

Jong vegters van die XKT Fight St skopboksclub in Carletonville het die afgelope naweek hul staal tydens 'n ontwikkeling kompetisie gaan wys.

Die vegters het Saterdag aan die Barnyard Fight Night in Vereeniging deelgeneem en verskeie medaljes huis toe gebring. Sowat 40 vegters van sover as Kathu in die Noord-Kaap het meegeding.

"Die kompetisie was baie goed aangebied en

van 'n hoë standaard. Dit was die ideale blootstelling vir diegene wat nog nie voorheen in die kryt geveg het nie," sê hul afrigter Shihan Chimmy van Winkel. Hy voeg by dat die kompetisie die ideale voorbereiding is vir die Afrika

kampioenskap wat van 8 tot 12 Desember in Benoni gehou gaan word. Verskeie van die Carletonvillers gaan ook aan dié kampioenskap deelneem en gaan teen opponente van verskeie ander Afrika-lande te staan kom.

Die vegters wat medaljes tydens Saterdag se kompetisie ingepalm het, is voor Tinus van Wyk (goud in low kick) en Reagan Burger (goud in low kick light). Agter is Shihan Chimmy van Winkel (afrigter), Leeroy Robinson (goud in K1), Dewald Greyling (twee goud in low kick en trofee vir vegter van die aand), Nathan Sale (goud in low kick) en Danie Greyling (afrigter).

