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- In order to raise awareness, Movemakers Performing Arts hosted an open day last month at the Rebecca van Amsterdam Hall in Atlantis. Here the public could learn about all their available programmes to become part of the local performing arts community. Pictured here are some of the organisation's talented young people.

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Wesfleur athletics stadium gets R31m facelift



- Mayor Geordin Hill-Lewis flanked by City officials and staff at the recent official opening of Wesfleur Athletic Stadium

STAFF REPORTER

The recently upgraded Wesfleur Athletics Stadium was officially opened on Wednesday, 25 February. The City of Cape Town upgraded the facility at a cost of R31 million. The event was led by Mayor Geordin Hill-Lewis, joined by Francine Higham, Mayoral Committee Member for Community Services and Health.

The large-scale project has delivered a full revitalisation of the stadium's sporting infrastructure. This includes the complete replacement of the tartan running track, along

with major upgrades to the steeplechase arena, triple and long jump areas, hammer throw cage, and javelin zone. Floodlights were improved to enhance visibility, while seating areas, walkways, ablution blocks, and spectator fencing also underwent repairs. A brand-new perimeter fence now surrounds the facility, significantly boosting safety and aesthetics. "This upgrade is about far more than a new track — it's about raising the standard of community facilities and creating spaces residents can be proud of," said Mayor Hill-Lewis. "Facilities like this play a critical role in building

safer, healthier communities by offering young people positive alternatives and real pathways for growth. And we're far from done — this project forms part of our broader commitment to upgrading sports and community facilities across the city." The City said the facility has also been earmarked as a future so called Regional Recreation Hub, with additional enhancements planned in the coming years.

Higham said facilities like the Wesfleur Athletics Stadium play an important role in keeping young people active, safe, and off the

streets. "This stadium belongs to the community, and I call on residents to use it, respect it, and protect it for generations to come," she said during her speech. Other recently completed projects include a R30 million refurbishment of the Blue Downs Athletics Stadium, a R20 million transformation of the Manenberg Sports Ground, and a R13.7 million upgrade to the Fisantekraal Sports Ground.

Stad erken sportvelde in Atlantis is nie op standaard

PETER LATEGAN

Verlede maand het verskeie plaaslike sport-administrateurs hul skok en teleurstelling aan Impact News uitgespreek oor wat hulle beskryf as jare se gebrekkige kommunikasi, verwaarloosing, en swak instandhouding van die dorp se sportfasiliteite deur die Stad Kaapstad.

Die betrokke Burgermeesters-komiteelid, Francine Higham, het erken dat die toestand van sommige sportvelde in Atlantis beslis nie op standaard is nie. "As gevolg van begrotingsdruk was ons nie altyd in staat om elke park en sportveld te onderhou tot die standaard wat ons graag sou wou hê nie. Ons erken dat sommige van die fasiliteite in Atlantis nie altyd op hul beste gelyk het nie, en dit is nie die standaard wat ons vir ons gemeenskappe wil handhaaf nie." Higham het gesê sportvelde in Atlantis word volgens 'n geskeduleerde instandhouding-program skoongemaak en gesny.

Sy het gesê ná 'n onlangse inspeksie is daar nou 'n program begin om die toestand van hierdie velde te verbeter. Dit sluit grondvoorbereiding, gelykmaak, herbegras en bemesting op verskeie velde in om die speeloppervlak se gehalte voor die seisoen te herstel.

Een sportadministrateur, wie verkies het om anoniem te bly, het egter die tydsberekening van die noodherstelwerk bevraagteken. "Hoekom begin hulle nou eers opknappings doen met die koue wintermaande om die draai, wanneer die gras skaars groei? Dis alles goed en wel dat hulle die krieketveld in Robinvale regmaak, maar wat van Protea Park en Mamre wat ook in dieselfde swak toestand is?" Hysê die veld in Mamre het sulke diep gate dat dit baie gevaarlik is vir spelers. Volgens hom is 'n ander groot probleem die lae waterdruk by Robinvale-sportgronde. "Wat is die sin van nuwe gras as daar nie voldoende besproeiing is nie?" het



- Werkspanne besig met opknappings-werk by die Robinvale sportgronde

hy gevra. Volgens Higham sal die Atlantis-fasiliteite oop bly omdat dit glo as veilig vir gebruik beoordeel wass. "Indien dit op enige stadium as onveilig of onbespeelbaar bevind word, sal ons onmiddellik optree, insluitend tydelike sluiting waar nodig. Ons verstaan dat baie sportkodes reeds in hul speelseisoene is, en ons prioritiseer ingrypings waar dit die grootste impak sal hê," het Higham gesê. Sy het gesê die Stad het ook met lede van die plaaslike sportgemeenskap

vergader op Dinsdag 17 Februarie 2026 om hul kommer direk aan te hoor. Sy het onderneem dat die Stad sal voortgaan om instandhoudings en opdaterings-skedules direk met die plaaslike sportgemeenskap te deel as deel van die Stad se normale operasionele prosesse.

Construction to begin on long overdue upgrades at local hospital

PETER LATEGAN

The Western Cape Department of Health and Wellness has announced a major infrastructure upgrade project for Wesfleur Hospital, aimed at improving patient flow, service efficiency and overall user experience at the facility. Details of the upgrades were made at a community engagement held at the end of last month.

The planned improvements include a comprehensive upgrade of the hospital's record room, allowing all active patient files to be stored and managed in one secure, central location. This is expected to ease long-standing pressure on administrative areas and support smoother access to the Outpatient Department. Responding to persistent space constraints,

congestion and infrastructure challenges, the project will introduce several enhancements across outpatient services. These include upgrades to reception and waiting areas, the addition of new and refurbished consulting rooms, improved public ablution facilities, a new TB sputum collection booth, and strengthened access-control and fire-safety systems. According to Dr Meyer Swanepoel, these changes will "improve records management, enhance patient comfort and movement through the facility, and create a safer and more welcoming healthcare environment."

Early site access and the first construction activities are expected to take place between April and June 2026. The full project is scheduled for completion between October and December 2027. Swanepoel

said work will be carried out in carefully managed phases to ensure uninterrupted healthcare services throughout the construction period. Hospital operations will continue as normal, although patients may experience temporary changes to entrances, waiting areas or internal routes. All adjustments will be clearly communicated and supported by hospital staff. Importantly, construction has been planned to avoid disruption to emergency and critical-care services. The department also extended its appreciation to patients, staff and the broader Atlantis community for their cooperation as the upgrade process begins. They said the public are encouraged to obtain reliable updates and information directly from hospital staff or official departmental communication channels



- According to Dr Meyer Swanepoel the upgrades at Wesfleur Hospital will create a more welcoming environment for patients

SASSA grants to increase from April

In his budget speech last month, Finance Minister Enoch Godongwana announced that most of South Africa's social grants will increase in the new financial year, except for the Social Relief of Distress (SRD) grant, which remains unchanged.

These increases are part of efforts to help vulnerable households manage the cost of living, while extending the SRD grant at its current value until at least March 2027. These include:

- Old Age Grant: R2 400 (up from R2 315)
- War Veterans' Grant: R2 420 (up from R2 335)
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Challenges with FLISP subsidies: Why this certificate is a game-changer

"Over the past seven years, while helping first-time buyers with FLISP subsidies - now known as First Home Finance - we often come across estate agents, sellers, and attorneys who were hesitant to accept offers from buyers using these subsidies as they are concerned that the subsidy approval will cause a delay with the property transfer process," says de Waal, who have championed this cause for first time buyers through initiatives like My Budget Fitness, www.flisp.co.za and Rent2buy www.rent2buy.co.za. However, with the First Home Finance Pre-Qualification Certificate, buyers can validate their financial readiness and ability to qualify for a deposit to buy their dream home, which removes the uncertainty and scepticism often associated with subsidy-backed purchases.

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No bail for Stevens as state argues 'lack of remorse'

STAFF REPORTER

The man accused of running over and killing a five-year-old girl in Atlantis has been denied bail in the Atlantis Magistrate's Court on Thursday, 5 March.



Diego Stevens (34) appeared in court for a bail application following the death of five-year-old Lemicah Galant (photo) who was allegedly struck by his vehicle in front of her mother. The tragic incident occurred on Tuesday, 17 February 2026, at 07:50 in Hermes Avenue, opposite Saxonsea Secondary School. He appeared on charges of culpable homicide, reckless and/or negligent driving, as well as driving without a licence. During the bail hearing, Stevens maintained that he was not responsible for the child's death, describing the incident as an accident. However, he declined to explain his version of events in detail and said he had nothing to say to the grieving family when asked in court.

His defence submitted a petition signed by more than 200 people, including family and friends, asking that he be released on bail and describing him as a "people's person". The state opposed the application, arguing that his behaviour suggested a lack of remorse and that he posed a danger to the community. The investigating officer also warned that the accused

could be in danger if released, as friends and relatives of the deceased child had reportedly threatened to take the law into their own hands. According to records, Stevens has had previous run-ins with the law and had previously left the scene of an accident. The magistrate denied bail, bringing relief to the child's family and the community at large. The case has been postponed to 5 May, and Stevens will remain in custody until then, a police spokesperson confirmed.

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Kennisgewing geskied hiermee ingevolge artikel 39(3) van die Wet op Nasionale Omgewingsbestuur: Beskermde Gebiede, 2003 (Wet 57 van 2003) dat die voorgestelde Bestuursplan vir die Franco Three Fountains Natuurreservaat ter insae beskikbaar gestel sal word by die Wesfleur en Table View Biblioteke vanaf 6 Maart 2026 tot 6 April 2026, en dit kan ook aanlyn besigtig word by <https://www.capenature.co.za/protected-areas-and-stewardship>.

Enige kommentaar op en/of besware teen die voorgestelde plan kan skriftelik aan Kaylin Reid gestuur word – per e-pos na kreid@capenature.co.za, per pos na CapeNature, Privaat Sak X29, GATESVILLE, 7766 of met die hand afgelewer by CapeNature, PRWK Gedeelte Dienste-sentrum, h.v. Bosduif- en Volstruisstraat, Bridgetown, 7764 en moet teen nie later nie as 6 April 2026 ontvang word.

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HAVE YOUR SAY! AMENDED SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT (SCM) POLICY

The City of Cape Town invites members of the public and interested parties to comment on the amended SCM Policy.

The policy amendments aim to further align the SCM Policy with improved tender evaluation processes and strengthen reputational risk clauses for the City.

The intended outcomes of the amendments are to safeguard the City from reputational risk from contractors not paying their subcontractors and to take appropriate action against those contractors. Mitigation measures against abuse of the SCM system are further enhanced by extending the period for listing a supplier on the tender defaulters list from five (5) to ten (10) years. In order to align to a Supreme Court of Appeal ruling, the bid validity clause is also being amended to require consent to extend the validity period from responsive bidders only.

In terms of section 17 of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, Act 32 of 2000, the public and interested parties may submit comments to the municipality in respect of the amended policy from 5 March to 7 April 2026.

Comments, recommendations and input may be submitted by:

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Have Your Say Platform



Collaboration Platform

The amended SCM Policy together with an executive summary of the amendments will be available for viewing on the City website: www.capetown.gov.za/haveyoursay. In addition, the executive summary will be available in the three official Western Cape languages at subcouncil offices during the public participation period.

The City's Public Participation Unit will assist people living with disabilities who are unable to submit written comments to have their objections recorded and submitted to the City.

For special assistance contact Zandile Mahlasela on 021 400 5501 or Zandile.Mahlasela@capetown.gov.za.

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ASEZ & TVET College partnership set to unlock more opportunities

STAFF REPORTER

Over the past decade, the Atlantis Special Economic Zone Company (ASEZCo) and West Coast TVET College have worked together on several initiatives aimed at enterprise development, strengthening local skills pipelines, supporting youth development and linking training opportunities to real industry demands.

On Wednesday 4 March 2026, the two organisations formally strengthened their partnership through the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). The agreement marks an important milestone for both organisations and reflects a shared commitment to aligning skills development with industry needs while supporting long-term investment growth in Atlantis and the broader regional economy. It also formalises and strengthens this relationship, reinforcing a joint approach to building an economic ecosystem where skills development,

job creation and investment support one another. The agreement also signals a long-term commitment to ensuring that local talent development remains central to economic growth in Atlantis. "We've spent ten years collaborating, and today we formalise a relationship that turns local potential into a green industrial asset. This is about preparing students for jobs, but it is also aiming to empower them to be the cornerstone of a sustainable, green-tech future for the entire country," said Matt Cullinan, CEO of ASEZCo.

Echoing these sentiments, Lungisa Mbulawa, Principal of West Coast TVET College, said that through this partnership the college is ensuring that their students are not only trained, but positioned to actively shape the economic growth of Atlantis and build a thriving community.



Matt Cullinan, CEO of ASEZCo (left) with Lungisa Mbulawa, Principal of West Coast TVET College

Huis-eienaars het min tyd om hoë waardasies te betwis

Die vrystelling van die 2025 Algemene Waardasie-rol het talle inwoners laat rooi sien, met baie huiseienaars wat aansienlike stygings in hul eiendoms-waardasies gekry het. In baie areas is daar nie net matige aanpassings nie, maar baie groter spronge in waardasie as wat inwoners verwag het.

Die Stad beoog om die impak hiervan gedeeltelik te versag, maar vir huishoudings wie se waardasies hemelhoog is, is dit maar 'n skrale troos. Eienaars word dus aangemoedig om hul waardasie sorgvuldig te laat hersien. Die proses om beswaar aan te teken begin by die nagaan van jou eiendom se nuwe waarde op die Stad se GV2025-aanlyn platform. 31 Maart 2026 is die sperdatum vir persoonlike besware by munisipale lokale, terwyl 30 April 2026 die finale sperdatum vir aanlyn- of e-posbesware is.

Dit is noodsaaklik om die besonderhede deeglik te kontroleer, aangesien foute in erfgrötte, gebouoppervlakte of ander eiendomskenmerke die vasgestelde waarde noemenswaardig kan beïnvloed. Indien die waarde verkeerd of onbillik voorkom, moet die amptelike beswaarvorm - wat op die Stad se webwerf beskikbaar is - voltooi en ingedien word. Ondersteunende dokumentasie is belangrik en eienaars moet waar moontlik vergelykbare verkope, bewys van feitelike onakkuraathede of enige ander relevante inligting verskaf om hul argument te staaf. Nadat die beswaar aanlyn, per e-pos of persoonlik ingedien

is, beoordeel die munisipale waardeerder die voorlegging en gee dan 'n skriftelike uitslag. Indien die uitslag nie bevredigend is nie, kan die saak verder geneem word na die onafhanklike Waarderingsappèlraad. Dit is belangrik dat eienaars nie wag totdat hulle hul eerste verhoogde rekening op die nuwe waardasie ontvang nie. Teen daardie tyd is dit reeds te laat om enige beswaar in te dien, en die vasgestelde waarde word outomaties finaal vir die hele waardasiesiklus. Dit beteken dat die waarde waarop munisipale heffings vir die volgende jare bereken word, nie later bevraagteken kan word nie, selfs al sou die eienaar later ontdek dat die waardasie te hoog was. Slegs in uitsonderlike gevalle, soos wanneer 'n eiendom op 'n toekomstige aanvullende rol verskyn, kan 'n eienaar weer die geleentheid kry om die waardasie te betwis, en dit is geensins gewaarborg nie.

Eiendomseienaars het dus slegs een geleentheid het om hul waardasie te kontroleer en waar nodig te betwis. Indien hulle glo dat die vasgestelde waarde nie die werklike markwaarde van hul eiendom weerspieël nie, is dit noodsaaklik om betyds en deeglik op te tree.

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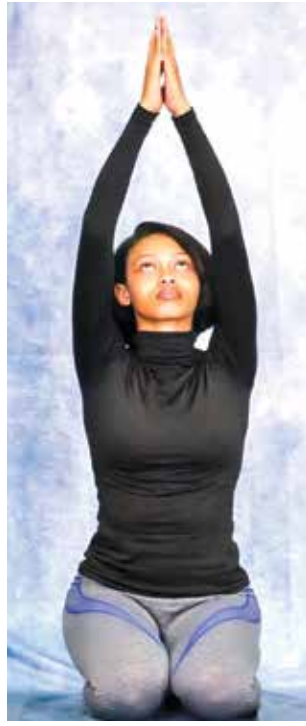
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Movemakers hosts yet another successful open day

COURTNEY ARENDSE



Early last month, excitement and anticipation filled the Rebecca van Amsterdam Hall as young creatives gathered for the first Movemakers Performing Arts Open Day of the year.

The open day aimed to open doors to the creative arts world for Atlantis and its surrounds, showcasing the organisation's commitment to developing artistic talent and creating safe, empowering spaces for young people to express themselves through performance and movement. The organisation was founded after recognising a gap in opportunities for talented youth in modelling, dancing and singing. "Many young people have passion and raw potential but lack practical industry exposure that includes structured training, mentorship and performance opportunities. This is a gap we aim to fill," said Nyasha Njanji, who is part of the marketing department. Unlike traditional recruitment drives, the event created a welcoming environment where prospective members could engage

directly with organisers, learning about available programmes and gaining insight into the journey of becoming part of the performing arts community. Njanji said that their long-term vision is to create a thriving creative ecosystem where youth can develop skills, tell their stories and eventually contribute to shaping the future of the performing arts industry.

While the organisation hosts two official open days annually, opportunities to join are available throughout the year, depending on space and readiness. A once-off joining fee of R50 makes entry into the programme affordable for many families, reinforcing the organisation's commitment to accessibility and community upliftment. Members and interested families can visit the hall on Fridays between 4pm and 6pm or reach out through their social media channels.

Meer inligtingsmateriaal nodig oor tienerswangerskap, sê veldwerkers

COURTNEY ARENDSE

- Molo Songololo se personeel tydens 'n onlangse voorlegging waar hulle leerders oor die voorkoming van swangerskap toegespreek het



Tienerswangerskappebly'n toenemende uitdaging in plaaslike gemeenskappe. Volgens statistiek het meer as 22 000 vroue in 2025 basiese voorgeboortesorg by kliniek in die Kaapstad Metropool fasiliteite ontvang.

Hiervan was 1 230 tieners onder 18 jaar, wat 'n toename van 1,2% vanaf die vorige jaar toon. Amptenare herinner die publiek dat ondersteuning, sorg en advies beskikbaar is vir almal wat dit benodig. Plaaslike veldwerkers sê egter daar is 'n tekort aan voorkomingsinligting in Suid Afrika, veral vir seuns. 'n Maatskaplike werker van Molo Songololose Atlantis-tak, Vathiswa Sithole, sê dat hulle tydens 'n besoek aan 'n plaaslike laerskool gesukkel het om toepaslike materiaal vir seuns te kry. "Ons het met die program begin in Delft waar seuns en meisies aanvanklik saam deelgeneem het, maar later geskei is nadat dit duidelik geword het dat die gemengde benadering nie effektief was nie," noem Sithole. As gevolg hiervan moes nuwe inhoud ontwikkel word, met 'n fokus op geslagsgebaseerde geweld en temas wat relevant is vir jongmense vandag. "By 'n onlangse bewusmakings-sessie by die plaaslike kliniek het

my kollegas 'n bekendstelling gedoen van die dienste wat Molo Songololo aanbied. Dit sluit in beradingsessies vir seksuele mishandeling, ondersteuning vir ouers, groepsessies vir ouers en versorgers, asook jeug -bemagtigingsprogramme in skole en sm. Ons fokus op onderwerpe soos tienerswangerskap en veilige seks, geslagsgebaseerde geweld, kinders se regte en verantwoordelikhede, boeliedrag, en die voorkoming van seksuele uitbuiting en mensehandel van kinders," het Sithole verduidelik.

Hoewel skole en organisasies ondersteuning bied, speel biblioteke ook 'n rol as inligtingsbronne. Die plaaslike Mamre-biblioteek personeel het verduidelik dat daar wel materiaal oor tienerswangerskap en voorkoming beskikbaar is, maar dat die boeke nie gereeld uitgeneem word nie en meestal net gebruik word wanneer leerders dit vir skooltake benodig.

Atlantis SEZ and UWC partners to develop digital talent

The Atlantis Special Economic Zone Company (ASEZCo) recently celebrated another milestone in its growing innovation network through its partnership with the University of the Western Cape and the university's CoLab for e-Inclusion and Social Innovation.

The recent CoLab Cohort 5 Graduation highlighted not only technical achievement, but the power of inclusive digital transformation in preparing young talent for a 4IR and AI-

driven economy. ASEZ supported the Cohort 5 journey by assisting with local recruitment in Atlantis, amplifying access to the programme, and coordinating logistics to ensure students could fully participate. Early outcomes already reflect the programme's value, with graduates contributing to applied innovation and transitioning into real workplace environments. "We congratulate the Future Innovation Lab on the success of Cohort 5 and its continued contribution to e-Inclusion and Social Innovation. These programmes

are developing young digital talent capable of building real solutions for operational environments, strengthening productivity and industry competitiveness," said Selwyn Willoughby, ASEZ Executive for Integrated Eco-systems. ASEZ and UWC CoLab are now gearing up to host the CoLab Cohort 5 Graduate Showcase and AI in Industry Dialogue. The event will give business leaders an opportunity to see firsthand how emerging talent can add measurable value, boost competitiveness, and support

future digital transformation. The initiative positions Atlantis and its business parks as a growing digital ecosystem aligned with AI and 4IR trends.

Business executives interested in attending the showcase may contact Jean Baartman at jean@atlantiszez.co.za.

Best of local high school athletics on display at 2026 inter-schools

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Excitement was in the air for the four local high schools who competed in a series of track and field events over the course of two days on the 19th and 20th of February.

This annual sports event began with field events, which saw the best of local athletic talent compete in events such as shotput, discus, javelin, high jump, long jump and race walking. Some outstanding performances in the field events included Austin Isaacs from Robinvale High, who won first place in the boys under-19 discus final with a 19.36 m throw; Milano Smit from Saxonsea High, who won first place in the boys under-19 high jump

final with a 1.68 m jump; and Joshua Abrahams from Robinvale High, who won the boys under-17 long jump final with a distance of 5.86 m. The main attraction, however, was the track events. These events saw thousands of spectators gather to support our young talent as learners cheered on their schoolmates with chants, songs and banners on display. Outstanding performances in these events included Atlantis Secondary's Nicole Plaatjies, who won the girls under-14 200 m final; Conwan Davids, who secured points for Proteus by winning the boys under-14 400 m final; and Tyler Jacobs from Saxonsea High, who won the boys under-15 800 m final. Individual awards were presented to the best senior and

junior athletes for the day. Neuwin Tango and Jenica Moses, both from Robinvale High, were named Best Senior Male and Best Senior Female athletes respectively. Josh Kali (Proteus) was named Best Junior Male athlete and Rojene Vlotman (Saxonsea) won Best Junior Female athlete. Robinvale High won the day comfortably with 1 034 points.

Saxonsea High took second place with 914 points. Proteus and Atlantis Secondary followed in third and fourth place respectively with 746 and 494 points. aA is the case every year, these athletes showed grit and determination to make the competition a resounding success.

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