

Illegal Gun Possession Lands Guatemalan Man In Jail For The Next Two Years

By: Derric Chan

FRIENDS FOR CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT, Saturday 19 November 2011

Illegal logging has been on the rise in the Chiquibul Forest as a result, one of the primary objectives of the Joint Forces Unit in the Chiquibul Forest is to address this environmental crime.

On Friday, 18 November whilst on an Operation in the area of Tunkul, located about 10 kilometers inside Belizean territory from the western border with Guatemala, the team comprising Belize Defense Force soldiers, Police and Friends for Conservation and Development (FCD) personnel intercepted some loggers in the area.

This area, located south west of the Caracol Archaeological Reserve, has been suspected to be an active zone for illegal logging.

On the day in question, the sound of chainsaws could be heard in the distance. But prior to arriving in the zone of impact, a boy aged 14, extracting xate leaves, was found on one of the tracks along with approximately 12,000 xate leaves. He reported that the xate was being transported to one, **Rudy** from Guatemala.

Minors are normally used to do this type of rigorous work because it is believe that they can easily evade detained and prosecuted.

The boy informed that he had been harvesting the xate from the area of Monkeytail River located about 35 kilometers inside Belizean territory.

Being a child the unit did not handcuff him this turned out to be an operational error as he escape into the jungle later that day.

Upon arriving in the zone of



**The Accused
Evelio Adelso
Romero Coronado, 21**

impact, a commotion occurred as the first Guatemalans who saw the patrol started to shout. This alerted the other loggers, but because of the sound of the chainsaws – one remained, and was caught in the act of cutting a log.

He was detained and gave his name as **Evelio Adelso Romero Coronado, 21**, from the village of Las Brisas de Chiquibul, Peten, Guatemala.

He was found in possession of a rifle and three .22 bullets.

Another firearm and cartridges were found on the scene being a 12 gauge shotgun and five shotgun shells.

The detainee informed that he was cutting lumber to be transported to Nueva Armenia to be sold to one **Carlos Martinez**. The lumber, he informed, is then transported to Guatemala City. According to the detainee, he is paid 125 quetzales per the day (approx Bz\$34.25) for cutting the logs into filches.

The Chiquibul Forest Joint Enforcement Unit personnel estimated that there were at least 8 persons operating in the area.

Evelio was extracted from Tunkul at 11:00 a.m. arriving at the San Ignacio Police Station at 10:15 p.m.

He was later arrested and charge for the major charge of possession of an unlicensed firearm (*Stevens Savage Arm brand point 22 caliber rifle with serial number A361*) and unlicensed ammunition for which he pleaded guilty on Monday, 21 November in the San Ignacio courtroom of **Magistrate Linsbert Willis** and was sentenced to two concurrent years in jail.

He likewise pled guilty to



The Two Guns

other insignificant charges such of illegal entry (\$1,000 - 6 months) by the Immigration Department as well as Forestry Department charges of illegal entry into a National Park (\$150 - 3 months), Illegal conversion of forest products (\$500 - 6 months), Unlawful possession of forest produce (\$500 - 6 months) all of which are to run concurrently which, in effect, means that Coronado will simply serve out the two years sentence for the firearm charge which will automatically cancel every single one of the four other fines and sentences.



The Eight Bullets

Missing Girl Returns Home Safely After Two Days

SAN IGNACIO, Cayo, Thursday, 24 November 2011:

Police reports that **Joanna Lopez**, 15, from Esperanza Village, reported missing two

days earlier, by her mother **Rosannia Lopez**. has at around 10 o'clock this Thursday morning reported to have returned home safely.

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Christopher Morales Accused...

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He was instantly detained and transported to the police station where he was later arrested and formally charged for arson.

The accused **Christopher Morales**, 23, Belizean laborer of a Bullet Tree Road address in San Ignacio Town, appeared in

the San Ignacio courtroom of **Magistrate Linsbert Willis** where he was offered bail in the sum of five thousand dollars and ordered to return to court on 23 March 2012. He was unable to meet bail and was transported to the central prison in Hattieville.

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NEWS

Santa Elena Primary School, Cayo District

Project Status: Completed 



PARTNERS: Santa Elena Primary School; NARCIE; Ministry of Education & Youth
 IMPACT: 1,100 Students & 60 Teachers
 INVESTMENT IN SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE: BZ \$92,758.83
 INVESTMENT IN TEACHER LEADERSHIP TRAINING: BZ \$10,000.00
 IN-KIND CONTRIBUTION OF PARTNERS: 250 Teachers Trained Countywide
 TOTAL INVESTMENT BY THE BNE CHARITABLE TRUST: BZ \$102,758.83
 INAUGURATED: November 9th, 2011

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Project Status: Completed 



PARTNERS: Ladyville Evangelical School; Ministry of Education & Youth
 IMPACT: 320 Students, 15 Teachers, 2 Wardens
 PARTNER'S CONTRIBUTION: In-Kind Support
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 INAUGURATED: November 10th, 2011

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The Time To Save Our Country Is Now

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Guatemalans are invading Belize. It is now high time for the Government of Belize to act expeditiously.

As a citizen of Belize, it is hard for me to read news reports of Guatemalans constantly crossing into Belizean sovereign territory to cut logwood, rosewood, mahogany and take out

other natural resources, such as the xate leaf while it seems like the government and people are just sitting idly by and doing nothing to right this blatant wrong.

Guatemalans have been engaged in this illegal practice for many years. They have been illegally crossing into Belizean territory and squatting on private as well as on government lands. In the process they create new villages and settlements along the border which take years to dismantle. They have been engaged in what can be described as **"Population Invasion"**.

On the contrary, not a single Belizean dares cross into Guatemalan territory and do what the Guatemalans are currently doing in our country. Without a doubt, any Belizean who does so will be instantly shot and killed the Guatemalan Armed Forces

(GAF).

Furthermore, Guatemalans cannot do, in their own country, the things they are doing in Belize because they would suffer the same faith as any Belizean who dare trespass on Guatemalan soil.

The easy access to land is said to be the main reason why Guatemalans and other citizens from neighboring Mexico, El Salvador, Honduras and other Central American Republics, choose to migrate to Belize.

While these recent arrivals are getting away with squatting on Belizean land, thousands of Belizeans have been putting in their land applications and very few are those that end up getting a house lot much less a piece of farmland.

Belizeans in the United States of America and those living in Belize have been watching the unfair treatment of native Belizeans for years and their patience is running thin.

Some black Belizeans are afraid to raise this issue because they do not want to be accused of being racist towards latino neighbors. The latin Belizeans are quiet about this issue, which makes many black Belizeans believe that they condone this type of behavior from these Central American recent arrivals.

As revealed by the recent census, in the last twenty years, the latino population in Belize has grown tremendously and has surpassed the black population by far. This will give the latino population a big advantage over the black people in the political, economic and social realms.

Many black people have left and continue to leave Belize because they do not see this situation getting better but worst.

At the current growth rate it can be safely predicted that in the next twenty years, black people in Belize will fall to less than 15% of the total population.

The only way to counter this population imbalance is to put a moratorium on the influx of latinos into Belize. Another plan would be offer attractive incentives to black Belizeans living in the diaspora to return home.

The economic conditions in Belize in the late 60's and throughout the 70's and even up to current times is the main reason why many black people migrate to the United States of

America.

Statistics has confirmed, that poverty is higher among the Garinagu and the Creoles the two largest black ethnic groups in Belize. While these people continue migrating to the United States of America, the latinos are coming to Belize and they are taking advantage of the opportunity to own land while Belizean citizens are deprived of this opportunity.

It is therefore in the best interest of this government, to make lands available to black Belizeans and in so doing stabilize the population and decrease the disparity that currently exist among ethnic groups.

The Guatemalan government will do nothing to dissuade their citizens who are invading Belize because it works to their advantage.

When their citizens find land elsewhere more land becomes available to the wealthy Guatemalan land owners, the 5% of whom control 95% of Guatemalan land.

Belizeans, latino and black alike, must realize that if Guatemalans continue to invade Belize, their lives will not be the same. In fact on closer observation we are already seeing changes in the political, social and economic relations among the various ethnic groups in our country.

Belize must create a plan to address this incursion crisis immediately. This issue will require getting the Organization of American States, as observers of the sanctity of the Adjacency Zone to act expeditiously and to get the Guatemalans to put their people in check.

If the OAS is not up to the task then they must pack their bags and leave the task in the capable hands of **Prime Minister Dean Barrow** and his able Foreign Minister, **Hon Wilfred Elrington**.

It is a given that Belize might not have the resources to combat this problem on its own therefore UN assistance must be engaged under its universal declaration of the rights of every nation state to its sovereignty and territorial integrity.

I am calling on our government and all Belizeans to put an immediate end to this silent Guatemalan invasion.

It was the late Belizean Patriot **Phillip Goldson** taught us **"The time to save our country is before we lose it"**.

November 22, 2011

The Challenge Gobie Foundation is teaming up this year with Kim Simplis' Special Envoy for Women and children,



the KHHM, Project Cure, and the Ministry of Health as we undertake the project of constructing a state-of-the-art Children's Intensive Care Unit at the Karl Heusner Memorial Hospital in Belize City.

About two weeks ago it was publicly announced through several news sources in Belize that Kim Simplis, the wife of the Prime Minister of Belize, has been diagnosed with breast cancer. They also mentioned that as an official advocate for women and children and someone who has always been supportive of the fight against cancer, Kim thought it important not to conceal her diagnosis from the public.

Kim was supposed to join us for the Challenge Gobie Bike Ride on December 3rd of this year. However, clearly that will not be possible given the circumstances. The Committee has therefore decided to postpone the Bike Ride until February 4th 2012. We are hoping that Kim will be able to help us **"kick off"** the event even if she is not able to ride.

The Challenge Gobie Grand Raffle of the 2012 Wingle Pickup has also been postponed until February 4th, 2012.

The drawing of the raffle will be done after the bike ride as was previously intended.

Please remember that raffle tickets are on sale for \$10 per ticket and \$100 per book. You can purchase tickets from Love FM in Belize City, Miss Bee's Stationery in Belmopan and Hanna's Restaurant in San Ignacio. We will also be announcing different dates we will be in all districts throughout Belize selling tickets.

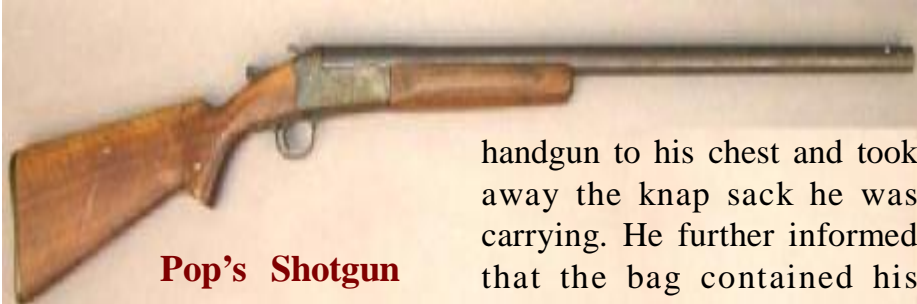
We look forward to your continued support!

Another Shotgun In Illegal Hands

SAN IGNACIO TOWN, Wednesday, 23 November 2011:

San Ignacio police are looking for two persons reported to have stolen a shotgun from a watchmen as he was heading home just before sunset today.

Elias Pop, Guatemalan, naturalized Belizean, watchman, reported to police that at about 5:30 pm on Wednesday, 23 November he was making his way across the wooden bridge



Pop's Shotgun

from San Igancio heading towards his residence in Santa Cruz, Santa Elena when he was approached by two masked male persons. Pop informed that one of the masked men pointed a

handgun to his chest and took away the knap sack he was carrying. He further informed that the bag contained his licensed 16 gauge shotgun valued at \$700. The man ran off with the gun and the bag.

The police reminds the public that it is a serious offence to be caught with an unlicensed firearm.

The police further informs that anyone found in the proximity of any such firearm will be arrested, charged and remanded to jail as magistrates are legally prohibited from offering bail on firearm charges.

Furthermore, all persons



**The Victim
Elias Pop**

found in the pro is asking anyone with information that could lead to the recovery of the gun to please contact the nearest police station or call crimestoppers at 0800-922-8477.

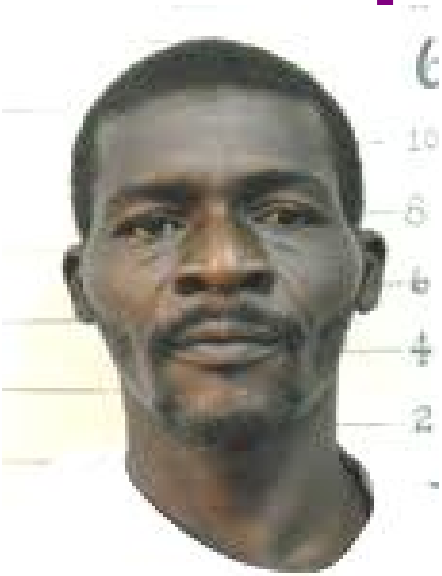
Rudolph Smith Wanted For Rape

BELIZE CITY, Thursday, 24 November 2011:

A massive manhunt is currently underway by Belize City police for **Rudolph Hilbrant "Tuba" Smith**, a resident of Hattieville Village.

Smith is wanted on a rape and aggravated burglary charge which is said to have occurred in Belize City on Tuesday, 22 November.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of the suspect is asked to contact the nearest police station or crimestoppers at 0800-922-8477.



**The Accused
Rudolph Hilbrant
Smith - aka "Tuba"**

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 - Health Fair - Gabriel Hoare market, **Corozal Town**, 8 am – 4 pm
 - HIV testing - Tumul K'in, **Toledo District**
 - Health Fair (HIV testing) - **Orange Walk Technical High School**, 9 am – 4 pm
- **November 28th**
 - HIV testing at Public Works & Town Council - **Punta Gorda Town, Toledo District**
 - Health Fair (HIV testing) - San Lazaro Agricultural School, **Orange Walk District**, 8 am – 4 pm
- **November 29th**
 - Testing and Counseling session for UB faculty and students - **UB Belize City Campus**
 - Health Fair (HIV testing) - In front of **Muffles High School Orange Walk**, 9 am – 4 pm
 - Health Fair (HIV testing) - **Eyle Military Camp Orange Walk District**, 9 am – 4 pm
 - HIV testing - **Police Station and Immigration Department, Punta Gorda Town**
- **November 30th**
 - Walk for HIV and Candle light Vigil (testimonial, poem and song) - **Corozal Town**, 6 pm - 8 pm

- Candle light Vigil (skits & testimonials) - In front of **Orange Walk Town Hall**, 7 pm
- Health Fair (HIV testing) - **Central Park, Punta Gorda Town**
- Peer Support group session with PHIV (closed session) - **Belize City**
- **December 1st**
 - Testing & Counseling (open to general public) - **ITVET campus, Belize City**
 - Testing & Counseling - **Corozal Free Zone**, 8:30 am – 4 pm
 - Health Fair (HIV testing) - **Columbus Park, San Ignacio Town**
 - Walk around Ring Road - **Belmopan**, 6 am
 - Health Fair (HIV testing) - **Queen Victoria Park, Orange Walk Town**, 9 am – 5 pm
- **December 2nd**
 - Testing & Counseling - **Market Area, Belmopan**, 9 am – 3 pm
 - Testing & Counseling - **Golden Princess Casino, Corozal Free Zone**, 8:30 am – 4 pm
 - Workshop for persons with HIV/AIDS - **Orange Walk Town**, 9 am – 4 pm
- **December 4th**
 - **Alpheus Williams Cycling Classic - Belmopan to Belize City**
 - HIV testing and health fair with activities - **San Pedro AIDS Commission and Ministry of Health, San Pedro Town**

CHAPTER 194, LAWS OF BELIZE (REVISED EDITION 2000)

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13

In accordance with Section 13 of the Registered Land Act Chapter 194, Revised Edition 2000, **CESAR DIAZ**, for Registrar of Lands, hereby serves notice that within one month from the date hereof, I intend to register the following parcels of land listed below for which application for first registration have been received.

The attention of the general public is hereby drawn to this notice. Any person whose rights and interest may be affected by the registering of these parcels must get in touch with me before expiry date of this notice between Mondays to Fridays at the Land Registry, Belmopan.


(CESAR DIAZ) (Mr.)
For REGISTRAR OF LANDS

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201103374

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ST MARTIN DE PORRES WEST**, Block No.45 and being Parcels No.1062

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.207 of 2007 dated 4th March, 2007 in favour of **FELIPE FLORES**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113460

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **FORT GEORGE/PICKSTOCK**, Block No.45 and being Parcels No.232

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.82 of 1986 dated 10th July, 1986 in favour of **LEO A. WADE & ELIZABETH L. WADE**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113461

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1521

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.506 of 1996 dated 11th December, 1996 in favour of **NOELIA SUTHERLAND** as administratrix of the Estate of **Nirva Tzul (deceased)**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113468

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN IGNACIO SOUTH**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.938

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.403 of 2003 dated 31st May, 2003 in favour of **CAMILO TORRES**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113469

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN** Block No.23 and being Parcels No.141

This parcel of land is the subject of a Indenture No.418 of 1981 dated 23rd March, 1981 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 4 of 1981 at Folios 1479-1486 in favour of **HIPOLITO NOVELO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113471

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **DANGRIGA SOUTH**, Block No.31 and being Parcels No.1557

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.557 of 1999 dated 18th July, 1999 in favour of **ANNA JANE MARTINEZ**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113472

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section. **DANGRIGA NORTH**, Block No.31 and being Parcels No.170

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.2166 of 1990 dated 28th November, 1990 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 23 of 1990 at Folios 1399.1404 in favour of **GEORGE CUEBAS**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113473

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN**

NARCISO, Block No.1 and being Parcels No.477

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.122 of 1994 dated 24th January, 1995 in favour of **ALFREDO BAUTISTA**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS201 113474

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN JOAQUIN/SAN MAXEMO**, Block No.1 and being Parcels No.66

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.802 of 2001 dated 2nd October 2001 in favour of **STEPHEN NEMBARD & PASTORA MELGAR**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113481

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1739

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.150 of 1977 dated 4th May, 1977 in favour of **NORMA CRUZ**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113482

[his parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN IGNACIO NORTH**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2108

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.25 52 of 2004 dated 1st October, 2004 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 34 of 2004 at Folios 279-290 in favour of **PEDRO ELIAS GARCIA**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113504

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1378

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1600 of 1993 dated 21st July, 1993 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 19 of 1993 at Folios 335-344 in favour of **MARTHA B. BURGOS**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113505

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**. Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1381 & 1382

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1498 of 1991 dated 9th August, 1991 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 17 of 1991 at Folios 47-64 in favour of **GERARDO NOVELO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113506

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1379

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.669 of 1995 dated 6th March, 1995 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 8 of 1995 at Folios 571-578 in favour of **GREGORIA NOVELO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113507

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1380

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1943 of 1993 dated 16th September, 1993 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 23 of 1993 at Folios 21-28 in favour of **GREGORIA NOVELO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113508

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1454

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.385 of 1981 dated 2nd March, 1981 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 4 of 1981 at Folios 961-970 in favour of **ROMMEL CUELLO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113520

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **DANGRIGA**

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Your Weekly Horoscope & Lucky Numbers

ARIES:

March 22 to April 20

This week will see you enter a good phase as far as personal relationships are concerned. Financial gains may also come your way. Do not lose your cool over trivial matters. Your overall positive outlook this week will be seen in all sectors of your life. **Lucky numbers: 04, 22, 57.**

TAURUS:

April 21 to May 21

You will be riding on a high as your new venture kicks off with a lot of promise and excitement. This week may also see you relaxing with family, friends and loved ones. Travel may be on the cards. Make sure to keep your eating habits and health in check. **Lucky numbers: 34, 63, 85.**

GEMINI:

May 22 to June 21

A period of hard work, driven by a specific purpose, lies in store for you. Positive results only make you work harder as you wish to create the best possible environment for your loved ones. There will be a great sense of satisfaction as far as personal relationships are concerned. **Lucky numbers: 07, 51, 83.**

CANCER:

June 22 to July 23

A busy week ahead with possibly positive results. The results of course will depend on how intimidated you are by challenges, how actively you prevent delays and how persistent you are with your efforts. An unusually packed week, but it is better than being idle. **Lucky numbers: 18, 44, 90.**

LEO:

July 24 to August 21

Expression marks the theme of your week. You need to be careful with your choice of words, as they might come out sounding inappropriate or offensive at times. Be careful with expenditure. Check up on all clauses before making investments. Definitely, a tricky week ahead, so watch out. **Lucky numbers: 27, 36, 96.**

VIRGO:

August 22 to September 21

You will soon realise that the past should not be dwelled upon and unpleasant experiences should be forgotten in order to facilitate the process of moving on. The week ahead is mostly defined by work, and your efforts may finally begin to pay off. **Lucky numbers: 24, 32, 33.**

LIBRA:

September 22 to October 23

You will be inclined towards making the most of life. The focus of this week is on relationships and bonding with the people you love. More social outings and activities are on the cards. Good things are ahead for you this week but it will all depends on how well you play your cards. **Lucky numbers: 25, 49, 62.**

SCORPIO:

October 24 to November 21

This week will see you becoming more conscious about your image and reputation. You may have to make some tough choices. Don't let ego get the better of you, especially when dealing with subordinates or loved ones. Keep a cool head and decide objectively. **Lucky numbers: 02, 77, 81.**

SAGITTARIUS:

November 22 to December 21

This week, you may feel different in your surroundings, as well as from the people around. As a result, you may isolate yourself from them. People may think of you as being brash or selfish. Don't be too aggressive as this may not serve your interests. **Lucky numbers: 20, 38, 66.**

CAPRICORN:

December 22 to January 20

The theme of this week is to focus on your own self. Don't get too self-involved, lest you end up ignoring others. Romance and travel may also mark your week. Work may also see some drama, with people-related issues that you may be called upon to solve. **Lucky**

numbers: 65, 72, 95.

AQUARIUS:

January 21 to February 19

Your focus this week will be on family life. You will be keen on strengthening the bonds that you may have ignored till now. Some expenses may also pile up due to a house renovation. Social events, seasonal ailments and allergies are in the offing. **Lucky numbers: 42, 55, 69.**

PISCES:

February 20 to March 21

This week might have you involved in too much analysis and self criticism. Don't make too many assumptions. Steer clear of negative people. Be assertive at work, but aggressive only in an appropriate situation. View situations objectively, lest you make an incorrect judgment. **Lucky numbers: 16, 73, 92.**

★ STAR HUMOR ★

Careful What You Say

A man suddenly woke up out of a mini-coma at the Western Regional Hospital in Belmopan. He had a busted forehead, multiple bruises, two black eyes and the rod of a golf club wrapped tightly around his throat.

Naturally, the doctor asks him what happened.

"Well, it was like this", said the man. "I was having a quiet round of golf in Camalote village with my wife when we both sliced our balls into a pasture of cows. We set off to

look for them. While I was searching around I noticed one of the cows had something white in its rear end. I walked over and lifted up the tail, and sure enough, there was a golf ball with my wife's monogram on itstuck in cow's butt. That's when I made the big mistake."

"What did you do?" asks the doctor.

"Well, I lifted the cow's tail and yelled to my wife, 'Hey, this looks like yours! I don't remember much after that'".

The Four Word Question

Four Sacred Heart College friends were confident about passing their exam on Monday and so they went to Chetumal to party the weekend away instead of studying.

They had a great time. In fact they had such a wonderful time that they decided to extend the party right through to Sunday night. By the time the party ended it was already Monday morning and when they arrived in San Ignacio that Monday afternoon the exam was already over. They rushed to find their teacher to explain why they missed the exam.

They truthfully explained that they had gone to Chetumal for the weekend with the plan to come back early but, the story shifted into the untruth when they said that they had a flat tire on the way back, didn't have a spare, and couldn't get help for

several hours. As a result, they could not make it back in time to sit the exam.

The teacher thought it over for a few minutes and then agreed that since it was still early in the evening they could still sit the test. The guys were elated and relieved.

"The test" said their teacher "will be quite simple. I will give each of you the same four word question. It will be worth 99 points. All of you must give the same answer. However, you will each get zero points if just one of give a different answer. Agreed"

"Yes sir," was the response almost in chorus.

After ensuring that they were secure in separate classrooms the teacher handed each of them a single sheet of paper with the four word question "Which tire went flat?"

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**2nd Prize
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**3rd Prize
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Drawing Date - 17 December, 2011

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NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13

SOUTH, Block No.31 and being Parcels No.2832

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.1806 of 1998 dated 1st July, 1998 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 22 of 1998 at Folios 1-6 in favour of **DENZIL MARK CASTILLO & FERN CASTILLO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113521

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **YO CREEK VILLAGE**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.23 8

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.78 of 1983 dated 10th April, 1983 in favour of **GRACIANO CAL** in trust for **Sergio Cal**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113577

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1618

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.1329 of 2003 dated 16th May, 2003 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 17 of 2003 at Folios 1469-1482 in favour of **RICARDO AMIR FABRO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113578

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2405

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.2 892 of 2002 dated 10th October, 2002 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 34 of 2002 at Folios 6 1-66 in favour of **SIBLEY LESLIE**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011 13579

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN IGNACIO SOUTH**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.411

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.0087 of 2006 dated 20th February, 2005 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 2 of 2006 at Folios 69-78 in favour of **ANTOINETTE BARRERA**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS201 113582

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO/ COROZAL**, Block No.1 and being Parcels No.38

This parcel of land is the subject of Minister's Fiat Grant No.673 of 1992 dated 25th January, 1993 in favour of **JUSTO COB**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113583

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **PORT/ LOYOLAVILLE**, Block No.45 and being Parcels No.65

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.76 of 2006 dated 24th March, 2006 in favour of **KAYLA REYNOLDS & CLIVE LINO** as Administrators of the Estate of **Earlett Jones (deceased)**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113584

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **PORT/ LOYOLAVILLE**, Block No.45 and being Parcels No.1 183

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.590 of 1998 dated 8th June, 1998 in favour of **ANDREW ROLAND**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113585

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1282

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Gift No.1596 of 1980 dated 15th December, 1980 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 17 of 1980 at Folios 933-940 in favour of **JOAQUIN URBINA**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113588

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ALBERT/**

MESOP, Block No.45 and being Parcels No.1582

This parcel of land is the subject of an Indenture No.21 of 1971 dated 30th December, 1970 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume I of 1971 at Folios 217-226 in favour of **MATILDA ALPHOCINA BERNARD**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113590

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1422

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1180 of 1996 dated 14th May, 1996 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 12011996 at Folios 27-38 in favour of **LIN YU YI**

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113591

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN JOAQUIN/SAN MAXIMO**, Block No.1 and being Parcels No.116

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.217 of 1989 dated 21st November, 1989 in favour of **MARTIN GUERRA JR.**

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113601

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section. **TRIAL FARM**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.654

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.951 of 1998 dated 5th October, 1998 in favour of **YADIRA RODRIGUEZ**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113602

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO**, Block No.7 and being Parcels No.7083

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.1349 of 2010 dated 5th July, 2010 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 20 of 2010 at Folios 57 1-588 in favour of **JOSE A.HOARE**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113603

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **FORT GEORGE/PICKSTOCK**, Block No.45 and being Parcels No.14

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.945 of 1995 dated 8th May, 1995 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 11 of 1995 at Folios 155-168 in favour of **JOSE GUILLERMO GUERRA & LILLIAN LEDESMA GUERRA**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113605

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO**, Block No.7 and being Parcels No.7086

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.1734 of 2010 dated 4th August, 2010 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 24 of 2010 at Folios 635-652 in favour of **JOSE A. HOARE**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS201 113606

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO**, Block No.7 and being Parcels No.7085

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1033 of 2009 dated 22nd May, 2009 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 13 of 2009 at Folios 705-718 in favour of **ANNA D. HOARE**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113607

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO**, Block No.7 and being Parcels No.7 124

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1037 of 2009 dated 22nd May, 2009 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 13 of 2009 at Folios 761-774 in favour of **JOHANN JULIANO HOARE**.

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Doroteia Foundation Does It Again

SAN IGNACIO, Cayo, Tuesday, 22 November 2011:

The Doroteia Foundation has done it again. Over the past six years the Foundation has been engaged in worthwhile humanitarian efforts in Belize.

Today, we caught up with the Founation’s Director, **Robert Trausch** and Country Coordinator, **Richard Tzul** as they were distributing a large quantity of medical supplies and equipment from the latest shipment that arrived a day earlier.

The Center for Employment Training in San Ignacio gracefully provided storage facility for the items which included hospital beds, wheel



The Men Behind The Mission
Robert Trausch (L) and Richard Tzul (R)

chairs, medical supplies, kitchen many other items.
utensils and refrigerators among The biggest and most



Working Long And Hard In Assisting To Sort Out The Supplies (L-R) Bertha Moralez, Counselor Sacred Heart College; Richard Tzul, Country Coordinator; Megan Jetter From Washington State University Volunteer With Pro Word On Internship At The Poly Clinic In Benque and Sheila Bohn, Nurse Benque Poly Clinic



(L-R) Wilson Aguirre and Nazim Awe From The Octacia Waight Center For Senior Citizens, Assisting In Transporting Supplies To The Center

expensive part of this year’s shipment was a brand new SIRONA – Orthopus XG Plus DS/Ceph Dental X-ray Unit which, depending on the determination made by officials from the Ministry of Health, will be pressed into service either at the Karl Huesner Memorial Hospital in Belize City or at the Western Regional Hospital in Belmopan.

Some of the much needed supplies were distributed to the Octavia Waight Center for Senior Citizens, the Mopan Clinic in Benque, the San Ignacio Community Hospital, the Western Regional Hospital, the Cayo Center for Employment Training, Sacred Heart College as well as to other school feeding programs.

Robert informed that Doroteia Foundation has likewise done humanitarian work in Haiti. The foundation began in Belize in 2005 with a scholarship program. It has since expanded over the years into providing much needed medical supplies and equipment as well as other useful materials.

The foundation is currently sponsoring scholarships for fourteen students countrywide in pursuit of higher education.

Robert who hails from Chico California additionally informs that he spends at least eight months of the year soliciting donations from relatives, friends and humanitarian organizations in Chico California where the container is loaded for shipment to Belize.

Richard is truly a humanitarian at heart, the community thanks him, the Foundation and of course the generous people of Chico California for their annual aid package.

Doroteia expressed sincere thank you to Health Minister **Hon Pablo Marin**, Cayo West Area Representative **Hon Erwin Contreras** and **Ms Donna Crawford** from the Ministry of Finance for assisting with the importation of the container.

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APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113608

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO**, Block No.7 and being Parcels No.7084

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1035 of 2009 dated 22nd May, 2009 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 13 of 2009 at Folios 733-746 in favour of **JOSE A. HOARE** in trust of **JULIANNIE A. HOARE**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113609

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO**, Block No.7 and being Parcels No.7125

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1036 of 2009 dated 22nd May, 2009 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 13 of 2009 at Folios 747-760 in favour of **JOSE A. HOARE** in trust of **JOSE A. HOARE JR.**

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113627

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN IGNACIO NORTH**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.1542

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.861 of 1983 dated 15th September, 1983 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 11 of 1983 at Folios 701-706 in favour of **ELENA ESPAT**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113694

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.3456

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.598 of 1991 dated 3rd April, 1991 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 7 of 1991 at Folios 487-494 in favour of **SENIDA POTT**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113695

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.3453

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.597 of 1991 dated 3rd April, 1991 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 7 of 1991 at Folios 479-486 in favour of **SENIDA POTT**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113696

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Sections. **ALBERT/ MESOP**, Block No.45 and being Parcels No.624

This parcel of land is the subject of an Indenture No.1364 of 1997 dated 29th May, 1997 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 15 of 1997 at Folios 708-717 in favour of **GERTRUDE TAYLOR**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS201113697

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.1723

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.101 of 1989 dated 14th June, 1989 in favor of **EDNA BRADLEY**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113698

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO**, Block No.7 and being Parcels No.8807

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.419 of 2006 dated 24th August, 2006 in favor of **CARLO ALEXANDER RIVERO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS2011 13768

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2490

This parcel of land is the subject of an Indenture No.457 of 1996 dated

23rd February, 1996 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 5 of 1996 at Folios 451-462 in favour of **TRICIA LICEL PACHECO DE MENDEZ**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 1113781

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2481

This parcel of land is the subject of an Indenture No.2185 of 1999 dated 16th August, 1999 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 26 of 1999 at Folios 221-228 in favour of **DORITA PACHECO CASTANEDES**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113787

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2489

This parcel of land is the subject of an Indenture No.2454 of 1999 dated 8th September, 1999 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 29 of 1999 at Folios 165-168 in favour of **LETICIA P. PACHECO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113788

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2482 & 2483

This parcel of land is the subject of an Indenture No.459 of 1996 dated 23rd February, 1996 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 5 of 1996 at Folios 469-474 in favour of **SARITA ARACELI PACHECO DE SANTOS**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 1113789

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2486

This parcel of land is the subject of an Indenture No.0966 of 2005 dated 5th May, 2005 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 13 of 2005 at Folios 569-578 in favour of **JAIME OMAR PACHECO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113790

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2487

This parcel of land is the subject of an Indenture No.45 8 of 1996 dated 23rd February, 1996 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 5 of 1996 at Folios 463-468 in favour of **HECTOR FRANCISCO PACHECO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113791

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN** Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2491

This parcel of land is the subject of an Indenture No.3366 of 2003 dated 1st December, 2003 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 45 of 2003 at Folios 1041-1048 in favour of **HUGO IVAN PACHECO & INES CARLOTA CAMPOS**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113792

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2492

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.2701 of 1998 dated 12th October, 1998 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 32 of 1998 at Folios 13-18 in favour of **HUGO IVAN PACHECO**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113793

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section. **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2493

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.3367 of 2003 dated 1st December, 2003 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 45 of 2003 at Folios 1049-1056 in favour of **HUGO IVAN PACHECO**.

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Hidden Valley Inn - Planting A Seed

Wednesday, 23 November 2011:

Have you ever planted a seed; watched it grow and reap its yield?

The people at Hidden Valley Inn in the Mountain Pine Ridge, Cayo do so literally and metaphorically.

They plant their own Arabica Coffee and nurture the plant as it grows from tiny seedlings into healthy trees producing cherries which are harvested, roasted and served to their guests.

Hidden Valley Inn is now planting a different kind of seed in the form of education for our children as they grow into tomorrow's leaders of Belize.

For the first time a standard four class from the United Pentecostal School in San Antonio Village, Cayo was invited to visit, explore and learn what Hidden Valley Inn is all about.

The students were guests of the Inn for an entire day. They were afforded the unique opportunity to enjoy the best that the Inn has to offer.

The expedition started off with a mini bus ride from their school to the Inn. They were beyond ecstatic when the vans pull into their school grounds. They were all excited to hop on board and to be taken on a new adventure to learn the value of conservation in the Mountain Pine Ridge.

On the drive to the Inn many questions they asked. They specifically wanted to know about Hidden Valley's efforts in the restoration of the Orange-breasted Falcon.

They were excited about the pool and other amenities on the estate as they were escorted throughout the grounds from the rooms to the dining area and everywhere else in between.

They paid keen interest to the lessons on the importance of trees, birds, snakes and tourism. They were also introduced to the employment prospects that Hidden Valley Inn has to offer as well as the various environmental projects in which the Inn is engaged including the Peregrine Fund's Orange-breasted Falcon Restoration Project and Belize Raptor Research Institute's study on the Stygian Owl as a means of teaching them the importance of conservation of flora and fauna.



The Children Planting A Caribbean Pine Tree Seedling On The Scorched Earth Left By Recent Forest Fire That Ravaged The Pristine Mountain Pine Ridge



Admiring The Water Fall



Displaying Their Certificates Received A Few Days After The Expedition

The children were taken to the highlights of Hidden Valley Inn's estate. Including a hike to the crown jewel, Butterfly Falls, the unique King Vulture Falls where they saw King Vultures and the rare and iconic Orange-breasted Falcon along with a panoramic view of the Tiger Creek Falls.

It was such a joy to see and hear their oooohhh's and aahhhh's and the smiles on their young faces being proof positive of an unforgettable life experience.

They were also taken to Bull's Point for a picnic with gourmet sandwiches and a view like none other. The expedition was not only about fun, it also served as a learning experience.

With the knowledge of a quiz and a prize at the end of the tour, the children's keen attention was maintained throughout the experience. While they all did well on the quiz, only one winner could emerge and the winner was **Lizanni Mesh** who received a one night stay with

her family at Hidden Valley Inn.

The final activity was the presentation of a single Caribbean Pine seedling to each child for them to plant.

They did not hesitate in getting their little hands dirty. For most of them it was the first time they had ever planted a tree. They were reminded that the tree they are planting will generate oxygen which is vital for life. They were also reminded that the tree they were planting will eventually serve to provide shelter and food for several animals. Additionally, they

understood that the tree they were planting was their contribution to the restoration of the pine forest which was severely damaged by recent fire.

Apart from the children, it was a proud experience for the people at Hidden Valley Inn as they have effectively planted a seed of love, as well as a keen sense of the understanding of nature, in the heart of each child, a seed which, like the pine tree they planted, will grow and produce positively towards the development of this beautiful jewel of ours, Belize.



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SHC does well on June CXC 2011 Sitting

The Board of Governors of Sacred Heart College congratulates the 39 graduates who received Certificates of Excellence at the CXC Awards Ceremony on November 23, and the 57 graduates who earned Certificates of Achievement during this year's examinations.

Certificates of Excellence are awarded to CXC candidates who earn six or more passes in General or Technical subjects including English A and Mathematics with grades of I and II. Certificates of Achievement are awarded to candidates who earn six or more passes in General or Technical Subjects including English A and Math with grades of I, II or III, or Basic Subjects with a grade 1.

The Board extends its sincere appreciation to the administration, faculty and staff who work tirelessly to ensure the success of their students!

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APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113794

[his parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2488

11th October, 1986 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 9 of 1986 at Folios 897-904 in favour of **LEANDRO CASTILLA & ELENA ESPAT**.

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.2186 of 1999 dated 16th August, 1999 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 26 of 1999 at Folios 229-234 in favour of **FRANCISCO JAVIER CONTRERAS**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113795

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2502

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 1113872

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **QUEEN'S SQUARE WEST**, Block No.45 and being Parcels No.1385

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed of Conveyance No.0965 of 2005 dated 5th May, 2005 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 13 of 2005 at Folios 559-568 in favour of **EDGARA. PACHECO & MARIA DEL CARMEN PACHECO**.

This parcel of land is the subject of a Deed Of Gift No.438 of 2003 dated 12th February, 2003 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 6 of 2003 at Folios 451-470 in favour of **HERIBERTO ECK, ANHELLITTA ECK, YOLANDA ECK NICHOLAS, PAUL ECK** in trust for **HERIBERTO ECK, ANHELLITTA ECK, YOLANDA ECK NICHOLAS, PAUL ECK, FRANCELLE ECK MENJIVAR, PATRICIA ECK BAPTIST, CONSUELO EK & YVONNE ECK LUNA**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 1113855

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2896

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 1113873

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO**, Block No.7 and being Parcels No.9676

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.170 of 2003 dated 22nd January, 2003 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 2 of 2003 at Folios 1333-1338 in favour of **JOE ADAMS & ARELI ADAMS**.

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1096 of 2003 dated 24th April, 2003 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 14 of 2003 at Folios 1335-1350 in favour of **RONALD JAMES HAYDEN**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113856

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **BENQUE VIEJO DEL CARMEN**, Block No.23 and being Parcels No.2897

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201113885

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SARTENEJA**, Block No.3 and being Parcels No.417

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.1684 of 2001 dated 5th June, 2001 and recorded in Deeds Book Volume 23 of 2001 at Folios 543-548 in favour of **JOE ADAMS & ARELI ADAMS**.

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.1138 of 1998 dated 13th November, 1998 in favour of **GUILLERMO CHAN**.

APPLICATION NO. LRS-2011113857

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **ORANGE WALK TOWN**, Block No.4 and being Parcels No.35 16

APPLICATION NO. LRS-201 113887

This parcel of land is situated in the Registration Section, **SAN PEDRO**, Block No.7 and being Parcels No.9114

This parcel of land is the subject of a Conveyance No.961 of 1986 dated

This parcel of land is the subject of a Minister's Fiat Grant No.92 of 2009 dated 15th April, 2009 in favour of **DORNECIA ROBATEAU**.

Developing Independence In Our Children

By: Russell Turner

Independence is a vital and exciting part of growing up. Allowing our children to develop pride in their competence, experiencing challenges and surviving, experimenting with risks and their own way of doing things all help them gain more control over what happens to them. These are all essential if our children are to grow up to become independent responsible adults.

It is critical that our children have new freedoms and responsibilities, as and when they are ready to cope with them.

The problem is the outside world has become a very dangerous place.

We, as parents are naturally concerned about giving our children greater freedom to play and travel without adult supervision. Because of these

very real dangers, instead of encouraging our children to go off on their own and experiment, giving out responsibility and freedom gradually, we supervise, chaperone, contain, and watch them like hawks.

Fear of things like traffic accidents and molestation mean we drive our children to school and friends' houses.

We sometimes discourage them from playing in the front yard much less the street or the park down the block.

When our children are safely indoors, it frees us from worry and gives us a wonderful feeling of relief. To add virtue to our self-interest, we tell ourselves it is in the best interest of our children. But we have to ask ourselves, is it really in the best interest of our children? Might we be losing a proper sense of balance between security and independence?

When we issue constant reminders of the "*dangers of strangers*" we get in the way of our children's willingness and ability to go places by themselves, even when it's a place we are willing to let them go.

We often give our children mixed messages about how capable they are or should be. We sometimes do it backwards. When they are little we give them lots of independence and choices about things that may give them too much control over what they would like to do. This gives them a fair amount of

power before they really know how to manage it.

Now when our children approach and reach adolescence, a time when they need to feel confident and be taking back some of that control, we tell them it's a mean cruel world out there. This in effect tells them that they can't be trusted at a time in their lives when that's just what we should be doing.

The single best way to acquire the skills needed for independence and coping is through experience.

Experience also builds common sense and lessens fear. For example, if we walked more with our children when they were young by the time they reached adolescence they would have developed "*road sense*" and a healthy attitude toward traffic.

If we are out and about more with our children when they are young they would develop a better sense of what is normal and what is strange behavior and be able to react more confidently and sensibly.

Allowing ourselves and our children to confront these situations in a controlled manner keeps them in proportion. Not confronting them only makes them scarier. Staying indoors and riding in a car are not the best way to acquire life skills. Independence is all about gaining self-reliance and responsibility.

When we give our children

more responsibility, we should also add more rights to go along with it so they learn that both are part of growing up and can be proud that it's happening.

Any time we give our children more rights, we should also add more responsibility to balance everything out. It will help them from becoming self-centered. A good time to add these might be birthdays or other events that acknowledge their increasing maturity. This way, responsibilities are not resented, but accepted with pride as signs of growing up.

Getting started doing this is fairly easy. Make a list of tasks you think they can be responsible for. Feeding the dog, doing the dishes, or whatever you think is appropriate for their age. Balance these new responsibilities with new rights. A later bedtime, more allowance, whatever you think is fair. Then step back and give them the opportunity to accomplish their task. Don't make approval conditional on success especially early on. Don't hover over them while they are doing it. Leave them to their task as a sign of trust. Don't have too high expectations. And finally, let go! Gradually step back and allow them to increase their independence.

This whole concept may take a little while for everyone to master, our children and us. However, Independence is a critical life skill for our children. It is our responsibility to teach it to them.

God saw that he was getting tired and cure was not to be. So he placed his arms around him and whispered, "*Come with me.*" With tearful eyes we let him go as he slowly slipped away. Although we love him dearly; we could not make him stay. A precious heart stopped beating, hard working hands now lay to rest. All his wonderful memories will be kept for endless. For this, God will prove to us, he only takes the "*Best.*" In loving Memory of



MR. ROY ALDANA
Jan. 20, 1934
Nov. 25, 2007

LOST LAND/LEASE CERTIFICATES

Pursuant to Section 37(3) of the Registered Land Act, Chapter 194, Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2000, notice is hereby given of the loss of the following Land and Lease Certificates:-

NAMES	Registration Section Block & Parcel Nos.	Certificate Nos.
BRUNO SERGI() MORENO	San Andres/Ranchito 1/46	567 1/1999 dtd.23/9/1999
ELOISA JUAREZ	Paraiso/Santa Rita 1/447	5090/1990 dtd.5112/1990
MISAEAL V. PEREZ	San Jose Palmar 4/631	6116/2002 dtd.7/8/2002
ORCHID BAY LOT 65A, LIC	Warrec Bight/Freshwater Creek 3/1064	LRS-20 1007666 dtd 23/7/2010

It is proposed to cancel the above Land/Lease Certificates after the expiration of twenty-one (21) days from the appearance of this notice. Any person in possession of the above-mentioned certificates is required to return it to the Belize Land Registry, Ministry of Natural Resources & the Environment, Belmopan.

(CESAR DIAZ) (Mr.)
for REGISTRAR OF LANDS

Stemming The Abuse - Police Gone From Post Paid To Pre Paid Phone

SAN IGNACIO, Cayo, Thursday, 24 November 2011:

In an effort aimed at addressing the mounting telephone bills incurred by the Police Department which one source indicated is regularly going over 90 thousand dollar per month, the Ministry is now taking steps

to address this concern.

Four areas where action has thus far been taken are in Eastern Division in Belize City, San Ignacio, Benque Viejo and Corozal Town.

The post paid 227-2222 number at Eastern Police Division in Belize City is no

longer in use. The new prepaid number is 207-2222.

Additionally, the two former post paid lines into the San Ignacio Police Station have, effective today 24 November, been changed from post to pre paid. These are the 824-2022 line into the police front desk as

well as the 824-3978 line into the personal offices of the commanding officer and the second in command.

San Ignacio police at the front desk can now be pre-paid reached at 804-2022 while the commanding officer and the second in command are now available at 804-3978.

Similarly, the front desk at the Benque Viejo police station can now be reached at 803-2038 while the commanding officer is now at 803-2022. In those cases where the commanding officer is not in the office calls to this number are, after about five rings, automatically redirected to the front desk.

The situation in Corozal Town is somewhat different as the change has shifted away from the regular 2022 police number. The new prepaid number into the front desk at the police station in Corozal Town is now 402-0022.

The general public can expect further changes countrywide as the Ministry continues to implement systems aimed at minimizing abuses within the Department.

Our checks revealed that the pre-paid wave is yet to reach police head stations in Orange Walk Town, Dangriga and Punta Gorda as their main telephone numbers: 322-2022; 522-2022 and 722-2022 respectively, remain unchanged.

The change is not expected to have much effect on the public's attempt to contact the police given that Belize Telemedia has provided the necessary recording to direct callers to these new pre-paid numbers.

Citizens' Safety - A Hemispheric Concern

While there was much opposition propaganda about Police Minister **Douglas Singh** attending a "secret" meeting, in Trinidad, with the US Attorney General, the fact of the matter is that in terms of the regional crime situation, the Organization of American States (OAS) has been organizing a series of meeting with a view of harnessing hemispheric resource in an effort to address this regional concern.

The third such meeting was held on 17 & 18 November in Port of Spain, Trinidad after which the following joint communiqué, for the strengthening of police management in the hemisphere, was released:

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Friday, 18 November 18, 2011 (RM00133E01)

1. Foster the strengthening of information systems, among other measures by improving data collection and record-keeping methods utilizing available technology, promoting investigative cooperation and knowledge-sharing at the sub-regional, hemispheric and international levels consistent with applicable domestic legislation.

2. Promote public trust and confidence in police management organizations by, inter alia, adopting measures to foster responsibility, transparency, effectiveness, citizen and community participation, respect for human rights, and a comprehensive gender perspective.

3. Conduct police training programs that foster respect for human rights in the performance of police functions.

4. Support professionalization and training for personnel with responsibility for public security



and improve, where necessary, professional development and career management systems for the police.

5. Instruct the General Secretariat of the Organization of American States to continue, in consultation with the member states, ongoing education and training programs for police personnel and persons responsible for public security, to help strengthen police management in areas of interest specified by member states, within the framework of the Inter-American Police Training Program and bearing in mind, inter alia, the agreements signed by the OAS General Secretariat.

6. Request the OAS General Secretariat to prepare, update, and publish an inventory of training programs offered by member states to increase awareness of and access to training opportunities, building on the OAS General Secretariat document that compiles best practices and experiences on police management and international cooperation.

7. Encourage awareness and, where appropriate, the use of technologies to promote efficiency in and modernization of police management and training.

8. To encourage member states to consider exchanging civilian and police training program material and instructors to create new areas of cooperation

and training.

9. Request the General Secretariat of the Organization of American States to provide the member states with ongoing technical support in order to achieve the purposes and objectives of these Recommendations.

10. Instruct the General Secretariat of the OAS to inform the relevant international hemispheric, regional and sub regional organizations of the outcomes of the Third Meeting of Ministers Responsible for Public Security in the Americas (MISPA III) and encourage them to consider and, as appropriate, act on these outcomes.

11. Invite member states, permanent observers to the OAS, institutions of the inter-American system, and other international agencies to consider making voluntary financial, technical and/or human resource contributions to achieve the implementation of these Recommendations.

12. Request the OAS Permanent Council to follow up on these Recommendations through the Committee on Hemispheric Security.

13. Welcome with satisfaction the offer of the Government of Colombia to host the Fourth Meeting of Ministers Responsible for Public Security in the Americas in 2013.

14. We, the Ministers responsible for public security in the Americas and the representatives of the member states of the Organization of American States (OAS), also express our appreciation to the Government of Trinidad and Tobago for having hosted this Third Meeting of Ministers Responsible for Public Security in the Americas (MISPA III) in Port-of-Spain, Trinidad and Tobago.

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Brandon Jones' Failed Robbery Attempt

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approached by a male person wearing a black warm cap over his face, a dark color pants and a blue and white long sleeve shirt. The individual, armed with a sawed-off shotgun, pointed the gun at him and shouted "gimmie the money".

Ortiz informed that he did not move, however, one of his friends pushed the shotgun away and it fell to the ground. A struggle then followed with Ortiz joining in. The assailant was eventually subdued but Ortiz and one of his friend emerged with bite wounds to the left and right arm respectively.

The man, identified as Brandon Jones was detained and later handed over to the police along with the shotgun.

He was transported to the head station in Dangriga where he was formally arrested and charged for attempt robbery, aggravated assault, wounding, harm and keeping a prohibited firearm, being a 16 gauge shotgun, with a sawed off barrel, bearing serial number D846439.

Interestingly, despite the police best effort they just simply could not find any cartridge for the

gun, thereby leading investigators to believe that Jones intended to pull off the robbery with an empty shotgun.

Brandon Jones, 21, Belizean fisherman of Silk Grass Village, Stann Creek District will be appearing before Magistrate Richard Bradley on Friday, 25 November.

This is the same Brandon Jones who on 7 November pled guilty in San Ignacio's Magistrate court for causing harm to Cayo cyclist, Shane Vasquez in Georgeville Village four days earlier on 4 November.

In the incident, Vasquez reported that Jones had shot him in the face with a sling shot causing an injury below the left eye.

Jones however denied using a sling shot and told the court that it was actually a punch that caused the injury to Vasquez' face.

He was fined one thousand dollars to be paid by January 31, 2012, in default of payment, three months jail time. He was also bounded to keep the peace for 12 months. With this latest incident occurring just fifteen days later, clearly places him in violation of the sentence.

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