

NEWS IN BRIEF

Christmas fundraiser a success

The Fundraiser for under-privileged children last year was a success. The total amount collected nearly doubled last year's amount. As mentioned before Lps 10,000 went to the Telethon for handicapped children. The remainder of the donations totaled Lps 8,860. Most of this was used to buy fruit and toys for the kids. The money that was leftover was used on candy bars, lollipops and other candy.

70 new channels on cable

Utila will be able to watch about 70 new tv channels at the end of the month. Morgan Satellites will install new channels which will be digital. Some of the channels are long awaited such as BBC, Animal Planet and TV land. The price of cable per month will go up to Lps 300.

Motor bike crash

Andrew Bernard 23 crashed his motorbike in Sandy Bay at 6.30am on New Year's Day. He had had a few to drink and a few things on his mind including his first love, his friend on a bike behind him and the whereabouts of his cell phone! Luckily he avoided any serious injury but he did receive road rash to his face and body.

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La Pirata is open

La Pirata roof top bar & grill in Broussards Plaza is now open from 12 till 12. Menu is coming soon.

Five year old breaks arm

Five year old Kobe D'andre Bush climbed on his dad's stationary truck. From the back of the truck he grabbed a nearby washing line to swing around. The washing line snapped whilst he was swinging and D'andre suffered a broken arm as a result.

List of donors for the Christmas Fundraiser for under-privileged kids

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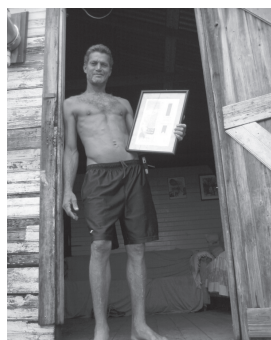
Su presión de sangre estaba normal, y su pulso y respiración también. Pero sus pulmones estaban llenos de agua," dijo Dr. John.

Le dieron oxígeno, un IV y le llevaron al hospital en La Ceiba. Durante el vuelo Mr. Beaudry recubrió la conciencia y creen que recupera completamente. Mr. Beaudry estaba tomando medicamentos contra ataques para epilepsia. El paciente entrego una mezcla de agua y aire como estaba haciendo esnorkueling. La siguiente mañana Mr. Beaudry empezó a hablar. El también piensa que tenía un ataque en el

agua. Dr. Maradiaga le ayudo sin pagamiento algo que es el nunca hace. Sin su ayuda ya no estaba aquí. La familia de Mr. Beaudry dijo que iban a pagar los costos del tratamiento.

Mr. Beaudry decidió regresar a Canadá aunque sus planes eran quedarse en Antigua unas cuatro semanas después de su queda en Utila. Piensa que así será más fácil olvidar esta experiencia. El alcalde elogio las acciones de Lance y Andrew. Sin sus acciones habríamos tenido una muerte trágica en Utila. Probaron que es muy valioso saber RCP. Vivimos en una isla y es vital que todos tenemos habilidades básicas de primeros auxilios.

AWARD WINNING



In the December issue of the Utila East Wind we published a photo of Web with an award on the photo page. We know that since then people have been wondering what this was about. Many of you came up to us to find out what the story behind the picture was. Well he received a Discovery and

an Explorer award for helping with coral and reef research concerning coral bleaching. Because he actually received these awards a few years ago we didn't run the story. However, on the same day the picture was taken his second daughter was born and so was his first grandchild, also a girl!

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