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The latest news of the land of sun and petroleum



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by Fien Spitaels

On Monday 11 March 2019, the grand opening of the new religious space took place in the capital of Soleum, Deüsa. The spiritual residence is a place of worship for the citizens of Soleum, it is a place to relax and a place to think. For the opening of this special location, a few special guests, amongst them the spiritual leader of Soleum, came to celebrate. The festivities started Monday, and lasted for two days.

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The big temple was built by the blue collar workers of Soleum. They worked on it for seven years. The space is decorated in a colourful way. Flowers cheer up the visitors of the temple, and beautiful detailing in the architecture and surroundings make it a unique place to be. The grounds around it are wide and spacious, like a park. There are some hidden locations, to relax and pray in all privacy.

The spiritual leader of Soleum, Don Deüs, was present at the opening of the space. According to his will, the temple is split up in two parts. One for women, and one for men. The reason why they get separated is because they both have a different purpose in life and so it's important that they can pray and think in peace. Women can pray to get pregnant, or relax whilst waiting for the birth of their child. Men can come at ease after a hard day of work at the petroleum site.

The temple will be open for everyone from Monday to Friday, from 9 AM till 9 PM. This location to find inner peace, will bring brightness and joy to everyone in Soleum. To visit this place, is a great reason to travel to Deüsa.

Our economy grows

by Sandra Bilkiewicz

Dear citizen of Soleum,

We are proud to announce that because of our men's hard work and our latest development in the petroleum industry our economy is growing and that's a good thing for all of us.

Significant increase in sales

Since last year the petroleum industry has perceived a significant growth in its sales. As that the sale of petroleum is the biggest source of income in our country we will become wealthier. This increase of sales can be explained the new technology we developed last year to give the product better quality. The petroleum lasts longer and it can't harm the machine that is using it.

Lots of export, little import

As you all know, we are one of the few countries that produces petroleum. Because our product is of a better quality now, more countries who are dependent of importing petroleum prefer our product.



We receive more demand from abroad which means we export more than we used to. Our import is much lower than our export and this leads to an increase of our Gross domestic product (GDP). All of this ensures that, from now on, we will experience a better well-being.

What does that mean for the employment opportunities?

Because of our bigger market share we are able to provide not only a bigger salary for our employees but we are also able to provide more jobs on the petroleum platforms.

Better working conditions can also be offered for our employees. Our petroleum industry becomes richer which means we can invest more in the well-being of our employees. From now on, because we are able to recruit more employees, the shifts will be spread which leads to less workload on our employees so that they can spend more time with their families.

The government of Soleum and the petroleum industry of Soleum want to thank all the scientists who developed the new technology and all the hard-working men on the petroleum platforms who made this possible. We are proud of you.

96th National Yoga Competition

by Laura Bauwens

Last week, the 96th National Yoga Competition was organised by The National Yoga Sports Federation (NYSF), in our capital Deüsa. All week long 40 contestants were given the chance to show the jury their best and most spiritual yoga techniques and poses in four different categories.

Four different categories

Once again several yogis competed against each other for the title of this year's 'Soleum Yogi' in four different categories: Jñāna-yoga (the spiritual practice that pursues knowledge with questions such as "who am I, what am I"), Bhakti-yoga (the spiritual path or spiritual practice focused on loving our spiritual leader), Raja-yoga (the spiritual path focused on finding concentration) and Karma-yoga (a.k.a. the spiritual path of unselfish action, teaching a spiritual seeker to act without being attached to the personal consequences).

This year's winners

On Sunday, the three best Yogis of every category demonstrated their yoga skills during the finals. The winners of this year's competition are Frederick Johnson, Anna Brown, Lewis Smith and Elizabeth Jones. A lot of famous athletes were present during the competition and the winner of every category was given the honour to have dinner with our spiritual leader.