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P.M. Fiame and 2020 Lands & Titles Court Act.

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One of the new Governments' founding principal is to respect the rule of law at all costs.

Under the Fa'atuatua ile Atua Samoa Tutoatasi Political Party's flagship, the new Government leader and Prime Minister Fiame Naomi Mataafa did not make no qualms during a Press Conference to reinstate her Governments' resolve to respect and obey the rule of law.

In light of the issues between the Land and Titles Court President Pepule'a'i Atilla Ropati and Justice Minister, Matamua Vasati Pulufana going south, Prime Minister Fiame told the press that under no circumstance should the issue be misinterpreted as intervention by the Executive Branch.

Instead, she says that in light of the many issues surrounding the three Land and Titles Court legislations approved by Parliament in 2020, her Justice Minister Matamua's position was made in the best interest of the Legislative and Judiciary Branches and ultimately fair justice for the public.

The Prime Minister pointed to the multiple versions of the approved House legislation signed by the Head of State which has been in circulation since it became law.

That matter is now scrutinized by a Parliamentary Commission of Inquiry approved by the House recently.

There are also associated legal issues that must be clarified, she says. For example, the Prime Minister ex-

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Fa'asa'o e le Palemia nisi o mau sesē

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

Ole agina ai i nisi o fa'asalalauga e fa'apea, ua taofia e le Mālō e ala i le Minisitā le auaunaga a le Fa'amasinoga o Fanua ma Suafa, o se mata'upu na fa'aiola e Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa e matuā sesē. "Sa ou manatu e ta'atia atu lava lenei mata'upu i le afioga i le Minisitā, e pei fo'i ona i ai isi fo'i Minisitā o le Kapaneta, e feagai lava latou ma a latou Matāgaluega ma a latou mata'upu e tula'i mai.

"Ae peita'i ona o nisi o fa'asalalauga ua o'o mai, ma o lenei fo'i mata'upu ua o'o i luma o le Fa'amasinoga, ma e lē afaina i le Pule Fa'atonu, o le aiātatau lenā a so'o se tagata Samoa, e 'ave lana mata'upu i luma o le Fa'amasinoga.

"Ae na'o le pau lava o lea, ua tau'ave se mau e sesē ua taofia e le Minisitā le auaunaga a lea itutino o le tatou Mālō.

"Ou te toe fa'amamafa atu lava le mau lenei, e fa'avae ai le gaioiga a le tatou Faigāmālō, e gaioi le Mālō i luga o le Tulafono – Following the Rule of Law.

"E lē avea fo'i le fa'apea o le Fa'amasinoga, e 'ese

ai se isi Tulafono, o le Palestene e galue i lalo o le Tulafono, o le Pule Fa'atonu e galue i lalo o le Tulafono e fa'apenā fo'i i le tatou Fa'amasinoga," o le saunoaga lea a le afioga i le Ta'ita'i o le Mālō. Saunoa Fiame;

"O le matāupu lea i le va o le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o Fa'amasinoga ma Matāupu Tau Fa'amasinoga ma le Peresetene o le Fa'amasinoga o Fanua ma Suafa.

"E pei o lea ua alia'e mai i nisi o fa'asalalauga, o lo'o i ai se mea ua tupu ma se manatu fo'i lea e fa'apea, ua taofia e le afioga i le Minisitā auaunaga a lea fo'i Fa'amasinoga i totolu o le atunu'u.

"E i ai lava le fa'aeteetega ia te a'u i lo'u tulaga fa'ata'ita'i o le Pule Fa'atonu, aemaise o se vaaiga ua fa'atupu e fa'apea, e le gata ua taofia e se Minisitā le fa'atupeina o auaunaga pe i ai fo'i se manatu ua sosopo atu le Pule Fa'atonu i le galuega a le Fa'amasinoga.

"E ao lava ona ou fa'amalamalama, o le tatou Mālō ma le pale mai fo'i o le tatou Vaega Fa'a'upufai o

le Fa'atuatua i le Atua Samoa ua Tasi, o se tasi o fa'avae malosi o lo'o se'e mai ai le faigāmālō lenei, o le faigāmālō e galue i luga o le Tulafono.

"O le mafua'aga fo'i lea o le lāgā ai o se finagalo o le Minisitā, e fa'asoat i le Fa'amasinoga se mea o lo'o i ai lona finagalo ona o se fa'aletonu fa'aletulafono ma fa'afaigatā ai e ia po'o le Mālō ona fa'atino galuega fa'apulega.

"I le tulaga lea e fa'avae uma lava mea i le Tulafono, e o'o fo'i i le Fa'amasinoga e fa'avae uma lava i luga o le Tulafono, ou te fa'amalamalama la e fa'apea le matāupu lenei;

"E le'o le autū o le matāupu o le taofia e le Minisitā o auaunaga po'o ua taofi totogi, e leai se mea fa'apenā ua faia, o lo'o fa'aauau pea tofiga i totolu o le Fa'amasinoga ma latou galuega.

"Na'o le pau le tulaga sa talosaga ai le Minisitā i le Peresetene, ona o le tulaga fa'aletonu o le Tulafono o lo'o i ai nei, ma o lea ua galue ai nei le Komiti Fa'apalemene, e fautuaina le fa'apafala o le fa'ati-

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Samoa's COVID-19 Alert Levels revamped



Health front line staff gearing up to process repatriated Samoans returning home.

**By: Nanai Taofiga Laveitiga
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Be Prepared, (Scouts Motto) is the message between the lines in the revamped COVID-19 Alert levels approved by Cabinet and announced by Prime Minister Fiame Naomi Mataafa during a recent Press Conference.

The revision, according to the Prime Minister was prompted after the January 19th Repatriation Flight scare after imported Omicron Virus positive cases infiltrated the country.

Close to 30 Samoan passengers repatriated from Australia were tested positive not including five registered nurses who provided health care for the incoming passengers since the flight touched down at Faleolo International Airport.

The presence of Omicron Virus cases in double digits for the first time prompted Cabinet to adopt the Scouts Motto- Be Prepared and accordingly restructure Samoa's COVID-19 Alert Levels as follows;

- GREEN- Level zero (0) - when there is a pandemic around the world.
- YELLOW-Level one (1) - when there are imported positive cases and are in managed isolation.
- ORANGE -Level two (2) - when there are multiple cases or when the number of positive cases of

COVID-19 increases within the different isolation centers around the country.

- RED- Level (3) when there is a community transmission. Automatically the nationwide lockdown goes into effect.

Samoa has already encountered the Orange Alert Level 2 when 31 positive cases (26 passengers and 5 front line nurses) imported from the Australia January 19th flight was recorded, Prime Minister Fiame clarified.

Since then, more imported positive cases have surfaced from the last flight from New Zealand which arrived earlier this month.

By Sunday 15 positive cases were recorded since the flight arrived on March 6th, 2022.

All the cases including the frontliners on duty when the flight arrived and the rest of the 172 passengers are well and remain asymptomatic, according to the latest situational report from the National Emergency Operation Center, (N.E.O.C.)

To minimize any chance of a community outbreak, the Prime Minister resounded the no nonsense mandate to isolate every individual passenger including front liners associated to any incoming flight with positive cases.

"There are positive cases from the recent New Zealand flight and everyone

including our frontliners have since been placed in managed isolation," said the Prime Minister.

Including frontline staff in the Isolation Protocol is made in the best interest of their families and loved ones as well as the entire country, reiterated Fiame reassuring the country that when it comes to the national security of the country, her Government will not entertain any unnecessary risks.

"Our frontline workers are in the high risk group because if they are infected, we cannot rule out the possibility of a community transmission outbreak," she explained.

She also echoed the public pleas from the N.E.O.C. and Ministry of Health encouraging residents to complete their Vaccination doses.

"We remind the public, especially those who have not done or completed their two shots of AstraZeneca, Pfizer, and booster shots to please do so.

Vaccination has proven to be a key component of concerted efforts to prevent hospitalization and death from COVID19," reads a Public Notice.

Samoa has so far evaded the wrath of the deadly virus with no hospitalization cases and God forbid no fatalities.



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POST SCHOOL EDUCATION & TRAINING PROVIDERS AND STAKEHOLDERS CONSULTED ON THE DRAFT SQA AMENDMENT BILL 2022

The Samoa Qualifications Authority (SQA) will be consulting all Post School Education and Training (PSET) providers and all stakeholders including Government Ministries and Corporations, Private Sector Employers, Professional Associations, Development Partners as well as Regional and International Organisations on the Draft SQA Amendment Bill 2022.

The consultations will take place from Monday 14th to Wednesday 16th March, 2022 for Upolu Stakeholders and on Friday 18th March, 2022 only for Savaii Stakeholders.

SQA was established under the SQA Act 2006 which was repealed in 2010 to provide more regulatory functions to the Authority. As the SQA implements its regulatory and policy advisory functions, more measures were identified by the Authority to ensure the post school education and training sub sector continues to be strengthened to cater for the needs of students and to meet the expectations and needs

of workplaces.

It is also an opportune time to revisit the existing functions of the Authority to address areas for improvement taking into account lessons learned from years of implementation.

The main objective of the Consultation is for SQA to present the Draft SQA Amendment Bill 2022 for stakeholder feedback to enable finalisation for approval of the proposed Bill prior to its tabling for Parliament this year.

The SQA wishes to acknowledge the support of PSET Providers and all of its stakeholders for their continuous support over the years towards the implementation of SQA/PSET activities and for their valuable feedback in finalising the SQA Amendment Bill 2022.

For more information, please contact the SQA on telephone 20976, email sqa@sqa.gov.ws or visit the SQA Office @ TATTE Building, Level 1, Sogi



GOVERNMENT OF SAMOA

TWO NEW POSITIVE CASES IN QUARANTINE

PRESS RELEASE- 13th March 2022

Two new positive cases have been identified in quarantine following follow up tests on close contacts of the health worker who tested positive on Friday, 11th March 2022.

These cases include a driver and a health worker.

Both were close contacts of the health worker who tested positive on Friday 11th March 2022.

They have been transferred to the isolation ward at Motootua, and they remain asymptomatic.

The number of positive cases has risen to 15 since the flight arrived on March 6th, 2022.

All are well and remain asymptomatic.

The public is encouraged to wear masks, practice social distancing, and wash hands regularly.

Public access to ALL COVID-19 QUARANTINE SITES is strictly prohibited.

We remind the public, especially those who have not done or completed their two shots of AstraZeneca, Pfizer, and booster shots to please do so.

Vaccination has proven to be a key component of concerted efforts to prevent hospitalization and death from COVID19.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL TAXPAYERS ON TAX INVOICE MONITORING SYSTEM (TIMS)

In support of Government's mandate in assisting the development of small sized businesses, Cabinet has now approved that TIMS will not apply to businesses with an annual turnover of less than SAT\$200, 000 tala.

There will be a new category of selected taxpayers below the SAT\$200, 000 threshold that will be monitored by the Ministry under a probationary period. This is to determine whether they will meet the threshold in the near future. Businesses determined by the Ministry to meet the threshold will be announced and shall be required to register for TIMS.

All taxpayers who were previously selected to register and comply with TIMS, and have been confirmed to exceed the SAT\$200,000 threshold, but have yet to complete registration are herein urged to ensure to fully comply with conditions and requirements by 1st July 2022 to fully comply. The Ministry will announce the full list of taxpayers required to comply with TIMS within the next week with registration details.

For all taxpayers who meet and exceed this set threshold and have already registered for TIMS, are required to fully comply by utilising TIMS in all their transactions, pursuant to all conditions.

Furthermore, those taxpayers who wish to voluntarily register are encouraged to contact our Ministry.

For more information, please do not hesitate to contact the Tax Invoice Monitoring System Support Team at Level 4 of the Development Bank of Samoa (DBS) Building contact number 20411 or email: timss@revenue.gov.ws

Thank you.

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GOVERNMENT OF SAMOA

Youth: the future of Voyaging



Samoans were once known as "the great navigators of the Pacific." "O Samoa o tagata folau sili ia i aso ana-mua."

Aiga Folau o Samoa/ Samoa Voyaging Society invites the public to tour their flagship "Gaualofa" on Open Day at Sails i Mulinuu, from 11am to 4pm.

Guests will meet the Captain and Crew of Gaualofa, hear voyagers share their stories, and learn some easy skills used by sailors during voyaging.

The goal of Gaualofa Open Day is to raise awareness and inspire the next generation of voyagers.

Captain Karl (Kalolo) Steffany wants more youth trained in this ancestral traditional voyaging navigation knowledge when Gaualofa sails around Samoa in the next year."

He explains, "Voyaging was the beginning of Samoa, it's people, and our traditions."

"O le amataga lea o Samoa, ma le aganu'u."

Capt. Steffany wants to encourage and inspire our people, youth groups schools and families to value voyaging and describes folau as:

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PUBLIC TENDER

The Government of Samoa through the Samoa Land Corporation hereby invites consultancy services from qualified Companies and Individuals for the Preparation of Concept Design for the New Proposed Flea Market Re-development at Savalalo ("The Work").

All Tender Documents can be uplifted from the Samoa Land Corporation Office at Tuanaimato upon payment of a non-refundable fee of \$150.00. Alternatively, the Tender Documents can also be downloaded from the SLC website at www.samoaland.gov.ws.

A pre-tender conference to inform the Tenderers of the nature of the Project and to answer any queries will be held at SLC Board Room, 1st Floor of SLC Building at the Faleata Golf Course on Monday, 14th March 2022 at 10am.

All tenders are to be submitted in a sealed envelope with all supporting documents as specified in the Tender Documents to:

The General Manager
Samoa Land Corporation
Level 3, SLC Main Building
Tuanaimato, APIA.

Envelope to be clearly marked: "**Tender for CONCEPT DESIGN OF NEW FLEA MARKET BUILDING RE-DEVELOPMENT AT SAVALALO**"

The deadline for submission of tenders is: **11.00AM on Monday, 9th MAY 2022**. Bids will be opened after the closing time specified in the presence of the bidders or designated representatives.

Any bid received after the deadline for submission of bids will be declared late, rejected and returned unopened to the bidder.

Please contact our Office for more information or email: p.vitale@samoaland.gov.ws or inform@samoaland.gov.ws.

GENERAL MANAGER
SAMOA LAND CORPORATION

Address by the Hon Prime Minister Fiame Naomi Mata'afa at the celebration of Commonwealth Day – Sheraton Aggies Apia.



Father Raymond Betham
Cabinet Ministers
Your Excellency David Ward,
Members of the Diplomatic Corps
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Ladies and Gentlemen

It is indeed a pleasure for me to join all of you here to celebrate Commonwealth Day with its theme of 'Delivering a Common Future'.

As a small island developing state member of the Commonwealth, today allows us the opportunity to reflect and highlight how we as the Commonwealth family are 'innovating, connecting and transforming' to help achieve our goals of fighting climate change, promoting good governance and boosting trade.

Currently with the invasion of peace through aggression and war, we look to our membership in the various cluster groups such as the Commonwealth Family to augment and further accentuate what our individual contributions can provide towards our common goals.

In this regard, we acknowledge with appreciation the United Kingdom's Chairmanship of the Commonwealth that is ending.

You have kept our ship steady as we waded our way through the turbulence of the pandemic. Similarly, we had benefited from the counsel and support of the Good Offices of the Secretary General during our difficulties post elections in 2021.

Ultimately, Samoa was able to demonstrate its respect for and upholding the rule of law and the Commonwealth principles and values.

Samoa remains committed to hosting the next Commonwealth Heads of Government meeting following Rwanda's turn as host, which had already been postponed. We continue

to play an active role in the eight member Commonwealth Ministerial Action Group committee.

We have been a part of the Queen's Commonwealth Canopy program for a number of years now; signifying our contribution to the ecological restoration of degraded forests, building resilience against climate change and expanding the 'Two Million Trees Campaign'

Recently we had welcomed the Queen's baton ahead of the 2022 July-August Commonwealth Games. Despite the difficulties and uncertainties of COVID 19 I am sure there are keen sports bodies that have been preparing for months to send representatives to the event.

In closing I also acknowledge the collaboration and cooperation among Pacific island countries and their development partners in maritime surveillance of borders and in particular, IUU fishing which saw the British naval vessel HMS Spey dock in Apia Harbour to coincide with the celebration today, before it departs for her base in Wellington.

Hopefully this cooperation will be enhanced given the fact that Samoa no longer has a patrol boat.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

On behalf of the Government and people of Samoa we wish to offer our congratulations for Her Majesty the Queen's platinum jubilee, marking 70 years of service to the Commonwealth countries.

I wish you all a happy Commonwealth Day celebration – we look forward to again welcoming HMS Spey to our waters in the near future.

Soifua

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P.M. Fiame and 2020 Lands & Titles Court Act.

plained that when the 2020 L.T.C. Act was approved into law amending the 1981 L.T.C. the appointment of L.T.C. judges was also amended.

"According to the 2020 L.T.C. Act the appointment of judges made under the 1981 L.T.C. Act was revoked," attested Fiame. "There is no regulation in the 2020 Act to reappoint L.T.C. judges," she told the Press.

These questionable issues had prompted Justice Minister Matamua to request the L.T.C. President to temporarily suspend the Lands and Titles Court proceedings until the outstanding legislative and legal matters are dealt with according to the rule of law, the Prime Minister continued.

"One of the issues on the Parliamentary Commission of Inquiry's agenda is to request the suspension of LTC Court cases until further notice," she added.

Overall the Prime Minister says that she is also concerned that any decisions by L.T.C. now will have grounds to face civil actions by the public and it will be the Executive Branch held responsible to pay the civil claims and not the L.T.C.

"The end result will see taxpayers as collateral damage," said Fiame.

There is also implications that the Executive Branch has ceased the disbursement of public funds for the L.T.C. operations which the Prime Minister disputed noting that like the appointment of judges stipulated in the 2020 L.T.C. Act, nothing has changed.

This according to the leader of the Executive Branch is to allow the legislative process via the Parliamentary Commission of Inquiry to complete its mandate which should address the outstanding issues.

She says that under these circumstances Justice Minister Matamua cannot fulfil her legal obligations and responsibilities as a Minister of State until the issues are resolved.

Consequently before the Supreme Court are legal actions filed by the L.T.C. President naming the Justice Minister as one of the parties.

Out of respect for the rule of law, the Prime Minister like all of us awaits the outcome of these Court Proceedings.

Peace Corps is assisting the pediatric vaccine rollout in Samoa.

PRESS RELEASE FROM THE U.S EMBASSY IN SAMOA

The Peace Corps Samoa is honored to take part in Samoa's drive to ensure all of its citizens are vaccinated for COVID19.

At the beginning of the week the Samoa Government commenced its campaign to vaccinate for 5 -11 year old children, to which the Ministry of Health requested assistance from Peace Corps Samoa's medical team.

The Peace Corps medical team consists of Dr. Sarah Brown, Dr. Sheila Pierce and Nurse Joyce Collins.

Director of Peace Corps Samoa, Gini Wilderson said that the Peace Corps Samoa is pleased to offer support to Samoa's Ministry of Health under the

new U.S. Peace Corps program, 'Delivering on our Mission During COVID' and the U.S. government's framework for COVID-19 response and recovery. "This is a really important initiative. Our medical team is delighted to play a role in Samoa's important initiative to vaccinate 5 -11 year olds which will in turn protect the health and safety of the country."

Peace Corps is also loaning the use of a Peace Corps vehicle and driver to transport the teams to the school vaccination sites, with plans to continue to assist the Ministry of Health as long as services are needed.

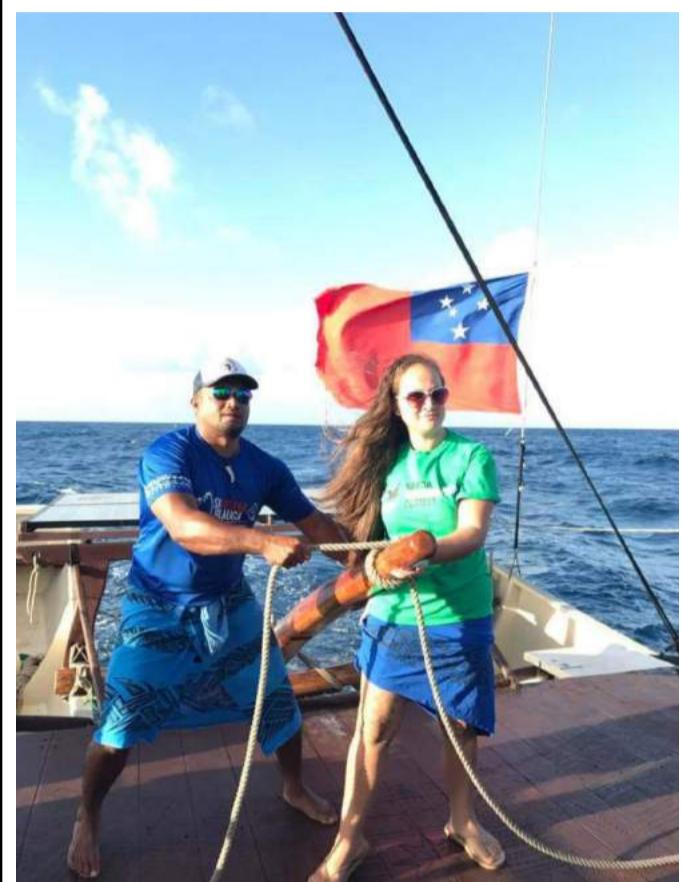
To date, the Peace Corps team have vaccinated 176 children. It is expected that this campaign will continue over the next few weeks.

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Youth: the future of Voyaging



"O le tomai fa'auro lenei a Samoa."

Aiga Folau voyager once said : "Ou te tatalo, ia fa'asusuina i tatou, i le tāua o lenei iloa, o lenei tomai, o le folauga a tua'ā o aso anamua."

(My prayer is that we see the light of the importance of the voyaging knowledge and skills of our ancestors.)

"We must not forget our indigenous knowledge," Captain says. "It is our living traditional form of navigation. And it's all right here, on our Va'atele, Gualofa."

"Voyaging is for anyone, for men, women, youth,"

Capt. Steffany explains. Gualofa's first Samoan captain was a young woman, Fealofani.

He challenges youth to step up to be caretakers of Samoa's traditional knowledge and skills of navigation.

Aiga Folau hopes you will come and see Gualofa and hear the voyagers' stories on Open Day.

"Our greatest hope is that a "seed is planted" in young hearts, minds, and souls will be the future of voyaging for Samoa and its people."

Captain Steffany and Le Aiga Folau invite everyone to come on Open Day to learn more about Gualofa and share our stories.

Capt. Karl and others in the current crew have been sailing since their late twenties and early thirties but now hope to pass the knowledge on to the young people.

He admits, "I took on voyaging in 2010 at the age of 30, knowing nothing about sailing.

I came, I learnt, because I really wanted to know about folauga.

It's deep in my heart and soul. It's amazing - the knowledge our ancestors had."

Join Aiga Folau on Gualofa Open Day on Saturday, 19 March 2022.



SCATAP provide training to Vegetable Model Farmers

PRESS RELEASE

The Samoa China Agriculture Technical Aid Project (SCATAP) held a training course on Vegetable Model Farmer Orientation at the Demonstration Farm in Nuu on Tuesday 8 March as part of the activities under Phase V of the Project.

To highlight the special co-operation between Samoa and China, the Hon. Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries and the Chinese Ambassador were in attendance to officially open the training which was attended by local farmers, Crops Division personnel and the local media.

In his keynote speech the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, Hon. La'aulialemalietoa Leuatea Polataivao Fosi Schmidt stated that Agriculture is the backbone of Samoa's economy and going back to cultivate the land is one way to address the parallel challenges of hunger, poverty, COVID-19 pandemic and climate change.

"I encourage you all to take ownership of our agricultural initiatives....make use of these great opportunities and assistance by our Chinese agricultural experts, so that when the period of the project is over....we are still able to improve and sustain our farms by ourselves".

The People's Republic of China Ambassador to Samoa, H.E. Chao Xiaoliang offered his remarks stating that agriculture is fundamental for food, job, export and income in Samoa.

He said, "The Government of China will continue to provide assistance for the agricultural development in Samoa and Agriculture has become an important area of cooperation between Samoa and China".

One of the beneficiaries of this Project is Fuatino Moli from Faleasiu village, she shared her appreciation of the continued support from the government through SCATAP.

"This isn't my first time to receive support from this Project," said Mrs Moli.

"Of course there has been many challenges, especially with climate change but these new technologies including tunnel houses and irrigation has helped me and my family in sustaining our vegetable production to satisfy the local shops, restaurants and hotels we supply".

Another beneficiary, Hanna Forautonu, who raises livestock and supplies vegetables for local market also expressed her appreciation of the ongoing work of the SCATAP team.

"We have to be prepared and work hard on our farms, especially with the uncertainty of exports (vegetables and meat products) we have to work hard on making sure we have sufficient supply of vegetables and meat as substitute, and this is why we are so appreciative of this assistance from SCATAP" said Ms Forautonu.

According to SCATAP Team leader, Mr. Jim Liu, the Project will install 60 high-quality tunnel houses for 30 vegetable model farmers and provide farm tools and seeds to improve model farmers' vegetable production and increase income, the project will also establish 20 citrus model farms and 6 chicken model farms.

The orientation ended with distribution of some farm tools and seeds before a site visit around the SCATAP Demonstration Farm at Nuu led by Mr. Liu with the assistance of his team and staff.

The main aim of the SCATAP Phase V is to strengthen agricultural extension, build agricultural facilities, provide agricultural machineries, and carry out agricultural training to increase the technical level of understanding and production capacity of vegetables, citrus and broiler farms in Samoa.

ENDS



OFFICIAL LAUNCH OF VAILIMA MARIST INTERNATIONAL SPORTS WEEK 2022 BY THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES - LAAULI LEAUATEA POLATAIVAO FOSI SCHMIDT



I congratulate Marist Saint Joseph's Sports Club in hosting the 34th Vailima Marist International Sevens and the 6th Sports Season. It is vital to the development of sport in Samoa in building the capacity of our local athletes and sports administrators.

CONNECTION TO PATHWAY FOR DEVELOPMENT OF SAMOA 21-26
Marist Sports is important to achieving our Government National Plan. It builds Social Harmony and Provides Safety when the youth are brought together in tournaments, a safe atmosphere is created for our women to develop and excel in sports.

Government is focus on Empowering communities, building resilience and inspiring growth. Marist Sports through the Rugby Sevens, Netball, Boxing, Rugby League, Touch and other sports contribute a huge role in delivering these outcomes for our social and economic development.

Our Government prioritize our people, and in the PATHWAY FOR DEVELOPMENT OF SAMOA, I commend Marist Sports for their part in our KEY STRATEGIC OUTCOMES OF – IMPROVED SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT & DIVERSIFIED AND SUSTAINABLE ECONOMY.

ACKNOWLEDGE DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS
I thank and acknowledge the contribution of our development partners Australia, China, New Zealand and the United Kingdom. Your contribution to the development of Samoa is diversified to cover all sectors of society.

These are important for generating and moving the economy while we face the challenges of the global pandemic Covid 19.

PREPATING OUR ATHLETES FOR INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION

Marist Sports always provide the perfect platform for preparation for international competition such as Pacific Games, Commonwealth and Olympics.

- Marist Boxers - Marion Ah Tong and Ato Faoagali qualified and participated in Tokyo Olympics 2020.

- Our Womens Rugby Sevens for the first time is being represented by all local players as a result of development from Marist.

MARIST SPORTS AWARDS – HONOUR AND CELEBRATE OUR PEOPLE

I congratulate individuals and members of our sports community who will be honoured for their lifetime

service to Sports through Marist and Samoa.

O nai tagata ua leva ona tautua ia Samoa e ala I taaloga ma e faataua e le Malō lenei le amanaia o le sao taua na avea ai ma sui faavaomalo o Samoa.

Lifetime Honorary Award for Service in Sports
Afioga (Mrs) Fiu Mesepi Faamasino-Sialaoa
Former International for Samoa in Netball, Basketball, Rugby and Athletics)

Guest of Honor for Sports
Afioga Galumalemana Gorge Stowers (former Manu Samoa Captain and International)

THANK AND ACKNOWLEDGE OUR BUSINESS COMMUNITY

I thank our Business Community for your continuous support in Sports because you are contributing to the development of our youth, women and people of Samoa. Faamalo le silasila mamao foi.

AS MINISTER OF STATE, ON BEHALF OF GOVERNMENT, (AND PROUDLY A FORMER MARIST HEADBOY AND PLAYER) I OFFICIALLY DECLARE THE MARIST SPORTS SEASON 2022 – OPEN.
FAAFETAI



42,000 fanauiti 5 – 11 tausaga e tatau ona tui

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

I le amata ai o le tuiga mo le tui puipui o le Koviti – 19 mo fanauiti e 5 – 11 tausaga le mātutua, o se tapenaga sili lea a Samoa e saga fa'amautūina ai le atoatoa o ana tapenaga mo le tali atu i lenei fa'ama'i ogaoga.

I le amataga o le vaiaso ua mavae sa fa'agasolo ai lea tuiga mo 'Āoga Tulagalua ma 'Āoga Amata i totolu o le Itumālō Vaimauga mo ua fa'amoemoe o le a fa'asolosolo atu lava i isi 'āoga i le taulaga o Apia ma nu'u i tua i Upolu nei a'o le'i se'e atu mo Salāfai.

Mo fa'amaumauga a le Ofisa o Fa'alavelave Tutupu Fa'afuase'i (N.E.O.C.) ma le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina, ua fa'ailoa ai le lalata i le 22,000 fanauiti ua mae'a o latou ulua'i tui puipui o le Koviti

– 19 ua fa'aigoaina o le Pfizer.

Mo le silafia o lea tuiga e lua tui mo fanauiti e faia, ae fa vaiaso e va ai le tui muamua ma le tui lona lua.

Ua fa'amoemoe o le Aso 21 Mati 2022, ua fuafua e o'o atu ai lea tuiga mo 'āoga uma i Savai'i.

O lea galuega alofa, o lo'o savavali ai le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina i totolu o 'āoga uma i le atunu'u pitoa i fanau läiti nei auā lo latou soifua manuia mo nei ma le lumana'i.

E 34 au ua vaevaeina ai le aufaigaluega, mo lenei tuiga tele.

Fa'ailoa e le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa, o ia

lea tuiga o le a fesoasoani tele lea i le saga fa'amalo-si ma le malu pea o puipuia lautele o Samoa mai le ono pepesi ai i tua o le Koviti – 19.

Mo le silafia o le taimi nei, ua o'o atu i le 15 i latou fou ua a'afia i siama o le Koviti -19 ma o lo'o fa'anofoesea pea i nofoaga fa'apitoa i le Maota Gas-egase i Moto'otua.

Na fa'ailoa fo'i e le Sui Fa'atonu Sili Aoao o le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina ia Tagaloa Robert Thomsen, e le'o toe mamao ona taofi loa lea o le toe aumaia o vailā'au mo tagata mātutua mo a latou tuiga, ona ua autausagā o augani pea le Mālō peita'i o lo'o fa'atamala pea nisi ma ua fetau tonu ma le tatau ai ona se'e le sa o le Matāgaluega i nisi o galuega ua leva ona fuafuina, ua fia fa'ataunu'uina.



Fa'afetaia e le Minisitā o 'Āoga le lagolago a mātua i tuiga o le fanauiti mo le Koviti - 19

Tusia: Taunuuga Toatasi

O lagona o le fiafia ma le fa'afetai sa fa'aalia e le Minisitā o 'Āoga, Ta'alogia ma Aganu'u ia Seu'ula Ioane Tuā'au ona o le lagolago malosi a mātua a'o feagai ai fanauiti 5 – 11 tausaga ma le faia o latou tui puipui o le Koviti – 19.

O le vaiaso lenei o lo'o fa'aaauai ai tuiga o le Pfizer i tua i 'Āoga Tulagalua i nu'u i Upolu nei.

Na amata lea tuiga i le vaiaso ua mavae, i le fa'amoemoe autū ina ia mautinoa o lo'o o'oo'o atu le aquaunaga a le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Mālōlōina, e fa'asopolia ai tamaiti e tatau ona fai o latou tui.

I le feiloā'iga a le Savali ma le Minisitā, sa ia fa'aleo ai lona fiafia tele, ona o le tali mai a mātua o tamaiti e lagolago i taumafaiga a le Malo, mo le fai o tui puipui o le fanau, e puipui mai ai le fa'ama'i o lo'o vevesi ai le lalolagi.

"Ou te fa'afetai i mātua ona o le lagolagosua i tau-mafaiga a le Mālō, i le tu'u mai lea o latou fanau e fai o latou tui puipui o le Pfizer.

"Matou te taunu'u atu i 'āoga lea ei le atu Safata, e lagona le fa'afetai ona o le lagolago a mātua.

"O 'āoga uma lava lea na matou āsia nei, e matuā tumu fale'āoga fa'atasi ai ma hall i le mamalu o mātua e avatu o latou alo e fai o latou tui puipui o le Pfizer.

Na saunoa le Minisitā, o so'o se galuega lava fa'ape-nei, e le 'asa ma ni fa'afitauli e aliali mai ai e pei ona fesiliglia nisi o faiaoga aemaise o Puleaoga sa afea.

O le fa'afitauli e pei ona fa'aalia e le Minisitā, o le tulaga lea i le tu'u lafoa'i atu e nisi o mātua o latou alo e fai o latou tui.

"Ia tatou manatua, o tamaiti nei ei le 5 tausaga aga'i i le 12 tausaga, e mo'omia tele e tamaiti nei mātua e



vaa'ia latou pe a mae'a ona fai o latou tui.

"E tatau ona i ai mātua i le taimi e fai ai tui puipui o latou fanau, ina ia mafai ona ta'ita'i mai le tamaititi pe si'i mai le tamaititi pe a uma ona fai lona tui, ae 'aua tatou te tu'ulafoa'i a tatou fanau.

"E le'o 'āoga uma, ae e i ai lava nai 'āoga lea na fa'ailoa ane e pule'āoga ma fai'āoga le tulaga lea. O se tasi fo'i o fa'afitauli e pei ona fa'aalia e le Minisitā, e i ai tamaiti e leai ni o latou pepa fanau, ma e le'o i ai se fa'amaumauga i mātua.

"E i ai fo'i nisi, latou te le'o talitonu i le tui puipui lea e fai nei mo tatou fanau.

"O le 90% o mātua o lo'o latou lagolagoina le tuiga e pei ona fa'agasolo nei mo tatou fanau, ae to'aitiiti lava i latou e le'o talitonu i le tuiga lea.

"O le fautuaga mo mātua o lo'o i ai le musuā e au-mai o latou alo e fai o latou tui, ina ia silasila ma le toto'a i le ola mālōlōina o tamaiti.

"Afai nei e a'afia se isi o le aiga, e faigofie ona a'afia le fanau ma ma'imau ai o latou ola, ae a fai o latou tui puipui o le Koviti - 19, e le gata e puipui mai ai, ae fa'apea fo'i ona malosi ai o latou tino.

"Ia tautuanā ma tatou le ola mālōlōina lelei o nai o tatou fanau, 'aua tatou te fa'atamala, ma ia aumai o outou alo ma ni matou fo'i fanau, e fai o latou tui puipui o le Pfizer."

Ua fa'ailoa fo'i e le Minisitā, atonu o le a maua fo'i se avanoa e āsia ai 'Āoga Tulagalua i Salāfai, pe a o'o atu i ai le tuiga.

Silasila le Mālō i le toe tatala o malaga masani fa'avaomālō

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga



Ta'ita'ifono o le Komiti o Fa'alavelave Tutupu Fa'afuase'i – N.E.O.C. ia Agafili Tomaimanō Shem Leo

Ua fa'aiola e le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa, le fa'atonuina lea e le Kape-neta o le Komiti o Fa'alavelave Tutupu Fa'afuase'i (N.E.O.C.) ina ia amata sa latou sa'ililiiga e fa'amautū ai sa latou fautuaga talafeagai e fa'amaioio ai ni aiaiga mo le toe tatala ai o faigāmalaga masani fa'avaomālō i le va o Samoa ma isi atunu'u o le lalolagi.

Fa'aiola e Fiame, o lenei taimi ua tatu mautinoa o lenei fa'ama'i e tumau pea i le lalolagi ma e alu aso sau aso, o lo'o tatou ola fa'atasi pea ma le Koviti – 19, o lona uiga e ao ai ona silasila loloto le Mālō i auala o puipuiga fa'alesoi fua mālōlōina mai lea taimi i lea taimi a 'ia lē tuua ai le toe amatalia o femalaga'iga masani fa'avaomālō mo le atunu'u feasasia'i.

O le naunauta'iga fo'i lea o lo'o tulituliloa ai pea e le Mālō le faia o tui puipui o le Koviti – 19, ma ia fa'aso-polia tagata uma, ina ia mautinoa le ititi o se avanoa e ono vaaia ai ni uiga ogaoga o lenei fa'ama'i pe a pepesi i le atunu'u lautele.

I lea lava tapenaga, ua toe fa'atula-ga ma fa'amanino atili ai e le Komiti N.E.O.C. fa'aioloilo ma lanu mo fa'alavelave fa'afuase'i e pei ona i ai le

atunu'u i puipuiga mai le Koviti – 19.

E fa la'asaga ua vaevaeina ai, o le la'asaga #0, o le lanu meamata, o lona uiga ua pepesi le fa'ama'i i le lalolagi, o le la'asaga #1, o le lanu samasama o lona uiga ua pepesi le fa'ama'i i tagata sa malaga mai fafo ma o lo'o fa'anofoesea i nofoaga fa'apitoa.

O le la'asaga #2, o le lanu moli, o lona uiga ua fa'atupulā'ia tagata ua a'afia i le fa'ama'i i totolu o nofoaga o lo'o fa'anofoesea ai.

Ma le la'asaga #3, o le lanu mūmū ua pepesi po'o ua mama i tua le fa'ama'i ma ua sao atu i le atunu'u lautele, o lona uiga ua tatau ona tapunia le atunu'u atoa – lockdown.

O lo'o tumau pea ona fa'auau galuega masani mo le mata'itūina o'i latou sa malaga mai i le faigāmalaga fa'api-toa mai Niu Sila ma o lo'o fa'anofoesea i le taimi nei.

E le'o mautū i le taimi nei, po'o afea o le a ono toe tatala ai faigāmalaga masani e pei ona saunoa ai le afioga i le Palemia i le feiloa'iga ma Tusitala i le vaiaso ua mavae.

Fa'auauina mai le itulau 01...

Fa'asa'o e le Palemia nisi o mau sesē



Afioga i le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa

noina o le faia o ni fa'amasinoga, ona o i, e a'afia ai matā'upu a tagata laut-ele, e le gata la i se vaiga fa'apule-ga, a'o matou fo'i o Sui o le atunu'u, e ao fo'i la ona matou puipui i tagata lautele, ma a latou matā'upu e aumai i luma o le Fa'amasinoga, ae o lea o lo'o i ai se fa'aletonu i le Tulafono o lo'o fa'avae ai.

"O le vaega la na o le Tulafono lea o lo'o fa'aletonu, o lea e manatua uma e tatou Tulafono nei e tolu ua pāsia, o le suiga i le Tulafono Fa'avae, o le suiga i le Tulafono o Fanua ma Suafa ma le suiga o le Tulafono i Fa'amasinoga o Soligatulafono.

"O le a ta'atia le Tulafono Fa'avae ma le Tulafono o Soligatulafono, ae autū se fa'amatalaga i le Fa'amasinoga o Fanua ma Suafa, o le Fa'amasinoga o Fanua ma Suafa i le Tulafono o le 1981, na suia atoa i le suiga lea o le Tulafono o le 2020.

"O le suiga la lenā o le Tulafono i le 2020, na fa'apea mai ai, ua 'ave'esea tofiga o Fa'amasinoga na faia i lalo o le Tulafono o Fa'amasinoga o le 1981.

"The appointments of judges made under 1981, Lands and Titles Court was revoked appointments for judges. "O lona uiga ua le'o toe i ai ni tofiga o Fa'amasinoga, e leai se aiaiga na tu'u i totolu o le Tulafono fou lea, e toe tofiga ai ia Fa'amasinoga, o le 'auga lenā o le fa'afitaui lea o lo'o tula'i mai.

"O lo'o i ai le isi matā'upu o lo'o gafa ma le Komiti Fa'apalemene lenei aga'i lava i Tulafono nei, ae mo le afioga i le Minisitā ma lana galuega, e faigatā tele ona fa'atino lana galuega a'o lea o lo'o ta'atia le Tulafono fou lea, faimai ua fa'alēaogāina tofiga o Fa'amasinoga na tofia i lalo o le Tulafono o le 1981 ae le'o i ai se aiaiga e toe fa'auau ai ia Fa'amasinoga o lo'o i ai nei.

"O le 'auga lenā o le matā'upu, e le'o le taofia, o le agaga o le tama'ita'i Minisitā ma le Mālō matou te taumafai e puipui le Fa'amasinoga ma i latou o lo'o galulue i le Fa'amasinoga e ala i tofi Fa'amasinoga.

"O le agaga la o le Minisitā, se'i fa'apafala te isi, ona o Tulafono o le matāfaioi lenā a le Palemene, e na'o le Palemene fo'i, e mafai ona fai ni teuteuga i le Tulafono i lea mea lea ua iloa nei, ma e le'o i ai se agaga o le Mālō lenei auā ana fa'apea e moni lea mau ua taofia e le Minisitā auaunaga mo le Fa'amasinoga lea, o lona uiga ua leva ona fai i Fa'amasinoga e o loa i o latou aiga, o le sa'o lea.

"Atonu e i ai lava nisi o galuega e tatau ona fa'auauina ae na'o na pau lava le talosaga a le Minisitā tatou ono-sa'i 'ave le avanoa i le Palemene, se'i fai le latou matāfaioi auā e lē mafai ona sui e le Pulega se Tulafono, na'o le Palemene lava e mafai ona suiia le Tulafono."



Fepulea'i Atilla Ropati

PERESETENE O LE FA'AMASINOGA O FANUA MA SUAFA A SAMOA



MINISTRY OF HEALTH

PROTOCOLS FOR ENTERING YOUR HOME

ACTIONS AGAINST COVID-19



When you come home try not to touch anything



Take off your shoes



Leave bag, purse, keys, etc. in a box at the entrance



Take off your clothing and put in a plastic bag



Shower or, if you are not able, wash all exposed areas well



Clean your phone and glasses with soap and water, or alcohol.



Clean the surfaces of what you have brought outside with bleach before storing.



Remove your gloves carefully, throw them away and wash your hands.



Remember that it is not possible to do a total disinfection, the objective is to reduce the risk.



Gagau le manatu fa'apito; PM Fiame

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

Afioga i le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa i lana saunoaga autū e tatala aloā'ia ai le vaiaso fa'apitoa fa'avāomālō o tinā ma tama'ita'i i Samoa ma le lalolagi atoa

O le taofia o le fa'ailogia tagata ma le vaai fa'apito i tinā ma tama'ita'i, o se tasī lea o matā'upu o lo'o silasila toto'a i ai Samoa ma 'ave i ai le fa'amuamua ina ia tineia.

O le fa'amana i ai o le sao tāua o tinā ma tama'ita'i ia Samoa ma le lalolagi atoa, o se itu lelei lea e saga unā'ia ai polokalame fa'alauiloa ma Tulafono mā'oti patino tonu i le fa'atāua e 'ave i tinā ma tama'ita'i ina ia mautinoa o lo'o amanaia ma aloā'ia.

Saunoa le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa, o le taotaomia o le soifuaga o tinā ma tama'ita'i i le avanoa tutusa i auauunaga 'ese'ese o lenei olaga,

o se itu e ao ona saga fa'amalosia le 'ave'esea ma fa'aitiitia, auā o le isi lea faitoto'a e saga fa'aaauau ai pea le vaai mauālalo i lea itupā ma saga fa'aaauau ai sauaga fa'asaga i tinā ma tama'ita'i e le'o toe mana'omia.

O le isi matā'upu o lo'o 'ave i ai le fa'amamafa a le Mālō o le fa'aopoo-poina lea o tinā i totolu o le saofa'iga o Faipule o le Palemene, e pei ona pāsia ai le Tulafono mo le 10% o nofoa o le Palemene e tatau ona i ai tinā ae lē taofia ai pe a sili atu lona aofa'i.

O le agaga atoa o le Mālō e pei ona ta'imua ai le Matāgaluega o Tinā ma Tama'ita'i, Atina'e o Nu'u ma Agafe-

so'ota'i ma nisi o pa'aga fa'avāomālō mai le Mālō Aufa'atasi ina ia gagau nei amioga auā o ni uiga ua masani ai i le tele o tauasaga ua mavae.

O lona uiga e lē avea lea taumafaiga lelei ma ala e ta vavae pe fa'apitoa ai tinā ma tama'ita'i i le avanoa tutusa ma le itupā o ali'i.

O le isi lea vaega tāua o le fa'amana a le Palemia, ina ia o gatasī ma le tu ma le aganu'u fa'aSamoa moni, o le tausisi i uiga tausili o le fetausia'i ma le fa'atino o le tautua fa'aaauau e le gata o galuega fai a'o feso'ota'iga e atagia ai le amanaia o le avanoa tutusa o tagata uma.

Fa'ailoa e le Palemia, o le tele o le nei vaitau ua vaaia le fa'auluulu o nisi o Matāgaluega ma Pisini Tumā'oti a le Mālō i tinā ma tama'ita'i o le pine fa'amu lea o le si'itia o le vaai mauāluga ma le fa'aaloalogia e Samoa o tinā ma tama'ita'i i lo latou sao i so'o se auauunaga, auā o lo'o fa'alupe i le aganu'u Samoa, o le pae ma le auli, o le i'omata ma le fautua i mea sili ma mea lelei.

E le gata i lea a ia mausalī ai fo'i ma le amanaia o tinā ma tama'ita'i e i ai o latou a'afiaga tumau o le soifua i so'o se itu o le soifuaga i totolu o Samoa.



FAI LOU TUI PUIPUI O LE KOVITI-19

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Alofa i a Samoa

DO IT FOR SAMOA.

Aso Fa'apitoa mo Mālō o le Taupulega



Palemia, Sui Palemia ma Minisitā o le Kapaneta fa'apea le susuga i le Ta'ita'i o le Sauniga ma le Hai Komesina o Peretania i Samoa nei

Tusia: Taunuuga Toatasi

Na auai le afioga i le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa fa'atasi ai ma nisi o Minisitā o le Kapaneta i le fa'amanaatina o le aso fa'avāomālō mo Mālō uma o le Taupulega.

E le gata i lea, a'o le fa'amavae atu lea i le va'atau a Peretania o le HMS Sprey lea sa taula i le uafu fa'avāomālō a le atunu'u i Matā'utu - Tai.

O lea fa'amoemoe sa fa'ailoa ai fo'i ma le fa'amae'a o le avea ai o Peretania ma Ta'ita'ifono o le Ofisa o Mālō o le Taupulega.

I le saunoaga a le Afioga i le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa, sa ia toe fa'amamafa ai le galulue fa'atasi o Mālō i

lalo o le fa'amalu o Mālō o le Taupulega.

O le fa'amanaatua ai o lenei aso fa'apitoa, o se aso tatou te toe manatua ai vaega o lo'o tatou finauina ma galulue ai ina ia foia ai fa'afitaui e pei o suiga o le tau, o le ūnā'ia o faigāmālō lelei fa'atasi ai ma le tulaga o fefa'atauā'iga.

Sa momoli fo'i le fa'amālō a le Palemia i le Mālō Tele o Peretania, ona o tausaga sa avea ai lea atunu'u ma Ta'ita'ifono i le Ofisa o le Mālō o le Taupulega.

Sa fa'ailoa ai fo'i e Fiame, le tapena ai o Samoa e talimālō mo le isi fono a

Ta'ita'i o Mālō o le Taupulega.

"E i ai le taofi o le a tatou galulue fa'atasi pea mo le mata'itū o vaega e foia ai nisi o fa'afitaui o lo'o feagai pea ma tatou, e pei o suiga ma'ale'ale o le tau aemaise puipuiga o le fa'ama'i o lo'o a'afia ai le lalolagi."

I le saunoaga a le Hai Komesina o Peretania i Samoa nei ia David Ward, sa ia saunoa ai e fa'apea;

O le 2018 i le fono a Ta'ita'i o Mālō o le Taupulega i Lonetona (London), sa fa'alauiloa fa'alaua'itele ai e le Failautusi o le Mālō o Peretania ia Boris Johnson le latou naunautā'iga ina ia si'itia le faitau aofa'i o Hai Komesina

o UK i atunu'u o le Taupulega.

Lua tausaga talu ona mae'a lea fono, ae fa'atu loa le Ofisa o le Hai Komesina o le UK i Samoa nei i le 2020.

Saunoa David e fa'apea, talu mai ona fa'atu le Ofisa lea i Samoa nei, e ui i le tulaga o le Koviti - 19, o lo'o taumafai pea ma lana aufaigaluega ina ia fa'amalosia ma ūnā'ia le galulue vāvālalata o le Mālō o Samoa ma Peretania Tele.

O va'atau a Peretania o le HMS Sprey ma le MHS Tamar, o le a fa'amautū nei i le Pasefika mo le isi lima tausaga auā le leoleoina o gataifale o le Pasefika.

Tapena le au si'isi'i a Samoa mo ta'alog a Mālō o le Taupulega

Tusia: Taunuuga Toatasi

"Ua lava tapena le tatou au mo ta'alog a le Taupulega."

O le saunoaga manino lea a le Faiaoga a le au si'isi'i u'amea mamafa a Samoa ia Tuaopepe Jerry Wallwork i le feiloā'iga ma le Savali.

"O le fa'amoemoe o le au si'isi'i a le atunu'u ina ia maua se pine auro mai ta'alog a le Taupulega o lenei tausaga.

"Ua leva ona tapena le tatou 'au, ma o lo'o fa'aauau pea toleniga mo nai masina o lo'o totoe ona aga'i atu lea e tausiniō mo nei ta'alog a.

"O tatou e na'o na fuafua, ae tu'u atu lava i le Atua e fesoasoani mai ia tatou, ina ia fa'ataunu'uina ma le manuia le fa'amoemoe o nai a tatou tamafanau.

"E tasi lava le matou fa'amoemoe ia maua ni pine auro, auā Samoa ma lana tapuā'iga.

E to'aono sui o Samoa o le a fai ma 'ave fu'a mo lea fa'agatama.

O i latou fo'i nei ua ausia tulaga e mafai ai (qualify) ona tauvā mo ia ta'alog a.

Saunoa Tuaopepe, o le to'aono lea o le a fai ma sui o Samoa i Ta'alog a le Taupulega, o sui ia ua agava'a.

E i ai le qualify system, ona e lē mafai ona alu so'o se isi.

"O le to'aono fo'i lea, o i latou uma lava ia ua ausia le to'atolu pito i luga (Top 3) i Ta'alog a le Taupulega pe a fa'atulaga (ranking).

"Ia te a'u lava ia o le fai'āoga o le au si'isi'i, o se matāti'a tāua lea mo tatou i le itu tau i ta'alog a.

"Pau le tulaga lea e va'ava'ai aga'i i ai, o le maua o pine auro mo si o tatou atunu'u.

I le au si'isi'i a Samoa, e na'o Feagai-ga Stowers le tama'ita'i o le a tauvā i le Vaega o le 90kg le mamafa.

I le vaega o ali'i, e to'alima, o Nevo Ioane i le paga 67kg, John Tafi i le 73kg, Don Opeloge mo le 96kg, o Jack Opeloge i le 102kg ma Petelo Lautusi e tauva i le 109kg.

Saunoa Tuaopepe e fa'apea, o lo'o fai lava koleniga i le taimi nei, e fa'alua i le aso, pe fa'atolu ona koleni i le aso.

"E leai se mea e ta'u o le ova koleni,

auā o lea e maitau atu i nisi o tagata e fa'apea, ua ova le koleni o 'au a le atunu'u, e leai se tulaga fa'apēnā, e le'o lava le koleni.

Ua mae'a uma tui a tatou au si'isi'i, auā o le vaega lava lea o lo'o fa'atāua mo tagata ta'aalo o le fai o tui puipui o le Koviti - 19, o le fa'aopoopo lea a Tuaopepe.

O lo'o i ai le fa'amoemoe pe a tusa ma le tulaga o le fa'ama'i o lo'o i ai nei, ma o lo'o fuafua e tu'ua e 'au a Samoa le atunu'u i le Aso 15 Iulai 2022.

O Ta'alog a le Taupulega e amata i le Aso 28 Iulai 2022, ae mae'a i le Aso 8 Aokuso 2022 ma o le a fa'ataunu'uina i totolu o Birmingham i Egelani.

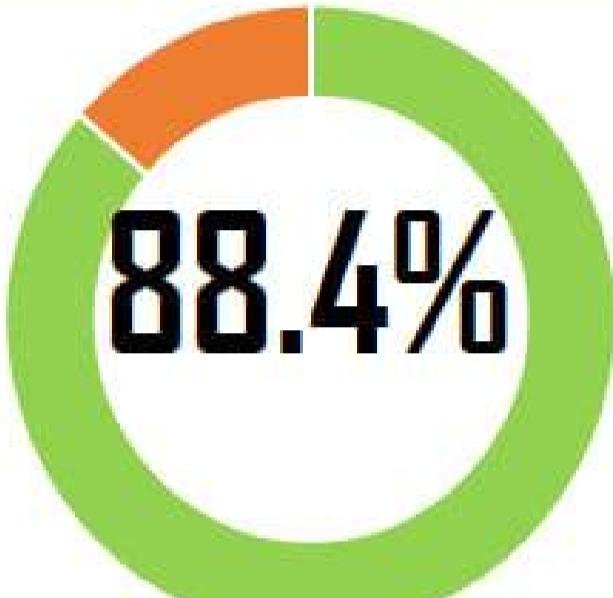


Feiloa'i atu ma momoli atu fa'amaniaga a le afioga i le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa i le au si'isi'i a le atunu'u ua filifilia mo ta'alog a fa'avāomālō a Mālō o le Taupulega o le a faia i totolu o Enelagi i le masina o lulai o lenei tausaga 2022

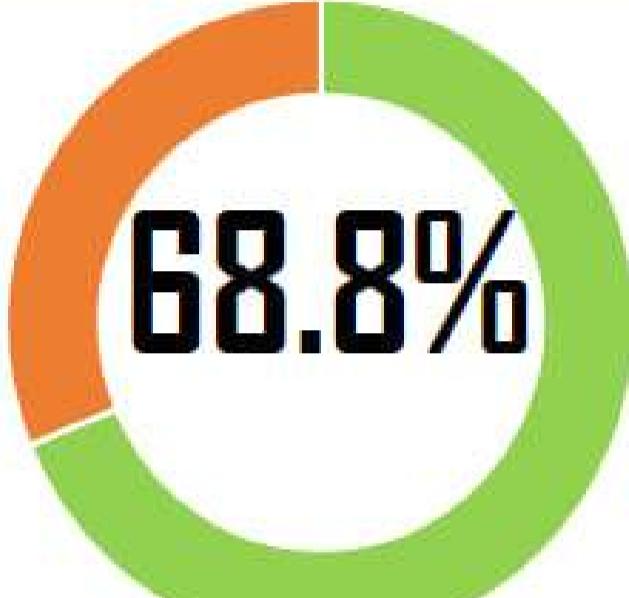
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SAMOA VACCINATION OVERVIEW

(14/03/2022)



TOTAL
VACCINATIONS
ADMINISTERED



168,286 | 131,007

**Had at least
1 dose**

**120,508
98.9%**

**25,935
93.0%**

**21,843
53.7%**

**Fully
vaccinated**

18+ years

**109,321
89.7%**

12-17 years

**21,686
77.8%**

5-11 years

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DO IT FOR SAMOA.

Tofia Dr. Mema Motusaga ma Ofisa Sili Fou o le Matāgaluega o Tinā ma Tama'ita'i, Atina'e o Nu'u ma Agafeso'ota'i

Tusia: Tusiga Taofiga

I le toe taliu mai ai o le Minisitā o le Matāgaluega o Tinā ma Tama'ita'i, Atina'e o Nu'u ma Agafeso'ota'i ia Leota Laki Lamositele mai Niu Sila, sa tu'uina atu ai i le Kapaneta mo lana fa'amaoniga le filifilia ai o se tasi o tamafanau a le atunu'u i le tofiga o le Fa'auluuluga o lana Matāgaluega.

Mo le silafia, o lea tofiga sa i ai le afiofa ia Afamasaga Fa'auiga Multitalo, ae ina ua mae'a lana konekarate ma toe fa'asalalau ai, ma maua ai le i'uga ua suia mai lea tamāli'i i se tasi o tamafanau a le atunu'u, le Foma'i po'o le Dr. ia Mema Motusaga.

Mo le silafia o lea tama'ita'i, sa galue ai o ia i se tasi o Fa'alapotopotoga a le Pasefika, ao luma atu na galue ai i

le Iunivesite Aoao o Samoa ae fa'apea fo'i i le Matāgaluega o Tinā ma Tama'ita'i, Atina'e o Nu'u ma Agafeso'ota'i.

Na momoli fa'amanuiaga a le afiofa i le Palemia, Fiame Naomi Mataafa i le tula'i mai o lea tama'ita'i na te tau'aveina lenei tofiga, na ia fa'ailoa fo'i o le tele o galuega sa galue ai Dr. Mema fa'atasi ai ma lana auaunaga i itutino 'ese'ese i totolu o nu'u ta'itasi o se tapenaga mautū lea i lona silafia ua i ai, na te tau'aveina ai lenei tofiga mo le isi tolu tausaga o lumana'i. Saunoa Fiame;

"Ona o le tatou Matāgaluega lenei, o le Matāgaluega o lo'o tauala atu ai nisi o fesoasoani, o nisi o taumafaiga a le



Ofisa Sili
o Pulega o
le Matāgaluega
o Tinā ma
Tama'ita'i,
Atina'e o
Nu'u ma
Agafeso-
so'ota'i ia
Dr. Mema
Motusaga

Mālō o lo'o fa'apea ona fa'asoaa atu i tua i fesoasoani ma le tamāoā'iga ae-maise lava i le agaga o tupe fa'afaigaluega mo vaega 'ese'ese o le atunu'u (investments in community).

"Ma o le tatou Matāgaluega lea o lo'o gafa ma ia polokalame fou, o lo'o i ai fo'i nisi o tupe fesoasoani e pei o i latou e i ai a'afaga tumau o le soifua ma o lo'o fa'agasolo lea fa'asoaa atu i tua o i fesoasoani.

"O le matā'upu fo'i lea o lo'o feagai pea ma Samoa ma le lalolagi atoa, o le sauāina o tinā ma tama'ita'i, o se tasi lea o polokalame lea o lo'o fa'agasolo ai e le Matāgaluega le miliona talā o lo'o fa'apēnā ona tauala atu i Fa'alapotopotoga 'ese'ese o lo'o fa'ati-

noina tautua e pei o le To'omaga mo e Puapuagātia, o lo'o tu'uina atu ai se vaega tele o lea fesoasoani ma nisi o Fa'alapotopotoga o lo'o fa'apēnā ona tapenaina auaunaga mo le fesoasoani mo i latou o lo'o sauāina.

"Ma o le tula'i mai o le tama'ita'i o le a'auluulu i ai le Matāgaluega, e galulue fa'atasi ma le afiofa i le Minisitā, e telē se galuega ma le fa'amoemoega o le Mālō i lea fo'i Matāgaluega.

"O le Matāgaluega fo'i lea e feso'ota'i ai le Mālō ma le atunu'u, e tauala atu i sui o nu'u ma afio'aga i le itupā o matai fa'apea fo'i tama'ita'i, ae fa'apea le autalavou."



Toalua (2) ua faaopoopo i ai latou ua aafia i le siama o le KOVITI-19



E toalua (2) ua faaopoopo i le numera o i latou ua aafia i le siama o le KOVITI-19.

O i laua nei ua aafia o nisi sa latalata i se tasi o le aufaigaluega a le Matāgaluega o le Soifua Maloloina sa muai pesia i le Aso Faraile 11 Mati 2022.

Ua atoa ai le 15 o i latou ua pesia i le siama talu ona taumu mai le malaga mai Auckland i le Aso Sa, 6 Mati 2022. O loo manua ma e leai ni auga ua aliae mai i ai latou uma nei.

E fautuaina le mamalu o le atunu'ua ia faia talifofoga, mataituna le tu ma le nofo vava, ma ia fufulu lima i taimi uma.

E faamanatu atu foi, e matuā tapu so'o se tagata e uia pe afea nofoaga o lo'o fa'anofoesea ai (Quarantine sites) i latou na faimalaga mai i atunu' mamaao.

E faamanatu atu foi i le mamalu o le atunu'ua, aemaise lava i latou e le'i faia, pe e lei mae'a a latou tui puipui e lula o le AstraZeneca, Pfizer, faapea foi le tui lona tolu (booster); faamolemele ia faatino nei loa a outou tui puipui mo le puipuiga ma le saogalemu o Samoa atoa.

E talosagaina pea le lagolago a le atunu'ua ia tatou tauave fa'atasi lenei fa'amoemoe, mo le puipuiga ma le saogalemu o si o tatou atunu'ua.

Maea

Tāua o masini lele mamaao mo galuega a le fuimū



Nisi o le aufaigaluega a le Pulega o Fuimū sa auai i le a'o'a'oga mo le fa'aāogaina o masini lele mamaao

Tusa: Taunuuga Toatasi

O le fa'aa'upegaina atili o agava'a o le aufaigaluega a le Pulega o Tinemū i le fa'aāogaina o masini lele mamaao (drones), o le 'auga lea ma le fa'amoemoe o se tasi o a'o'a'oga o lo'o fa'atataia mo le aufaigaluega. E tolu aso o lo'o fa'atataia ai lea a'o'a'oga, ma o le aso le aso mulimuli, a'o le'i toe taliu le aufaigaluega e fa'aāoga le tomai ma le agava'a ua maua i lea a'o'a'oga.

O le fa'aāogaina o masini (drones) i fa'alavelave o ni mū ma so'o se fa'alavelave fa'afuase'i e mo'omia ai le auaunaga a le Pulega, e tāua tele ai le silafia e le aufaigaluega o le fa'aāogaina o ia masini.

I le feiloā'iga a le Savali ma le Minisitā o Loleleo, Falepuipui ma le Ola Toe Fuata'ina ia Faualo Lefau Harry Jeffrey Schuster, sa ia fa'aālia ai le tāua tele o nei masini i le galuega a le Tinemū.

O se aseta aogā tele mo le galuega a le Pulega o le Tinemū.

"O se fa'ata'ita'iga o fa'alavelave e aogā tele ai masini nei mo le fa'asoina o soifua ma meatotino, o le fa'alavelave lea na tula'i mai Afiamalu i se tamā ma lona alo sa pa'u mai luga o le mauga i Afiamalu.

"E taunu'u atu le Pulega mo le faia o le fesoasoani muamua, e le'i iloa atu lalo i le vai, o iinā lea sa fa'aāoga

ai loa masini ia (drones) e fa'alele ma va'ava'ai atu ai i le tulaga saogālēmū e mafai ona fai e le aufaigaluega. "E o'o fo'i i vaega tau mu, e mafai ona fa'alele le masini e ta'amilo i le fale e vaai po'o le a se tulaga o i ai se mū, ona iloa lelei lea e le aufaigaluega le tulaga o lo'o i ai le fanua ma le tulaga o lo'o i ai le fa'alavelave."

O le Pulega o le Tinemū o se tasi lea o auaunaga mo'omia tele i taimi e tutupu ai fa'alavelave, mo le fa'asoina o soifua aemaise i meatotino a tagata. I lenei vaitau ua lē misi le mo'omia o le fesoasoani a le Tinemū i tulaga tau i mū, e le gata o maota o aiga, fa'apea fo'i pisinisi ma kamupanī.

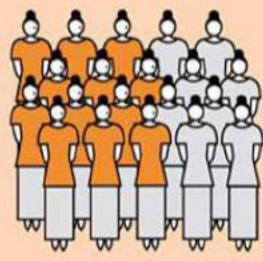
O le naunautā'iga o le Pulega e pei ona saunoa le Minisitā, o le toe autalu ma saga fa'amanatu atili i le aufaigaluega, o le galuega fa'atineimū, e le'o se galuega faigofie.

Ae a atoatoa ma lelei mea faigaluega e fa'aāoga, o le lelei lea o auaunaga fa'atino, ma atoatoa vaega mo'omia i taimi uma.

O lo'o i ai fo'i le naunautā'iga o le Minisitā e pei ona ia fa'aālia, atonu o nisi aso o i luma, o le a fesoasoani mai ai nisi o pa'aga a le Pulega, mo nisi mea faigaluega, ina ia si'itia atili ai lava le taliu atu o le Pulega, i fa'alavelave e tutupu mai i tulaga tau i mū, ina ia mafai ona tineia ma fa'asoina ai soifua o tagata.

TU'U LOU SAUĀ

Onosa'i, pulea lou loto, e filemū ai aiga ma nu'u.
E lē o se tatou aganu'u ma se fa'akerisiano le fasi.



60%

tamaitai i Samoa ua aafia i
sauaga i va faaleulugalii



90%

tamaiti i Samoa sa molimauina
pe aafia i sauaga i totonu o aiga



90%

o matua tausi sa aafia i
sauaga i totonu o aiga



100%

to latou e iai aafiaga tumau
o le soifua sa aafia i sauaga i
tononu o aiga.

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