

LOCAL NEWS

Entrepreneur expresses confidence in island's economy, moving from employee to employer

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After more than two decades at Jiffy Cleaners, entrepreneur Marcia Weir is set to open the doors of Quality Wash and Press this Friday, April 28 in the West Mall Plaza.

In an interview with *The Freeport News* yesterday (Wednesday, April 26) proprietor of the island's newest laundry service said that she is excited about this new business venture,

despite the sluggish economy. "After working at Jiffy's Cleaners for over 20 years, learning and getting on-hand experience, I wanted to try something of my own and assist in rebounding the island's economy," said Weir.

The new business venture will offer its clients wash, press, starch and wet cleaning, and employ three Grand Bahamians in this initial stage.

"Wet cleaning is an alternative for dry cleaning and you can come and get you clothes stiff starched," Weir explained.

Quality Wash and Press will also provide same day service, said the proprietor. "We are grateful to have found this location, because it is in a central area accessible to residents."

Having invested hundreds of thousands of dollars to begin the new business, Weir said that it appears residents are ready for the doors to open. "While renovation and installation of equipment was being done, persons passing by questioned what was

coming to the spot and after being told, they were very receptive.

"So, I am expecting great things for the new business and I am thankful for the support already shown."

Weir said the doors will open at 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Monday to Friday and 8:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Saturdays, and the services will be affordable.

"I thank God and my family for this wonderful journey from long term employee to employer. I am truly grateful to my former employer for the many years of experience and expertise. I intend to go above and beyond to satisfy customers."

"I hope my move would inspire other Bahamians in different fields to empower themselves by making an investment. The facts are stubborn no risk, no reward. I have every confidence in the Grand Bahama economy. Good service, I believe, will amount to good business success."



NEW BUSINESS – Marcia Weir said that after more than two decades of working at Jiffy Cleaners, she wanted to move from employee to employer and as a result she is expecting to open the doors of her new business on Friday, April 28.

(PHOTO: SHARELL LOCKHART)

DEU MAKE LARGE DRUG BUST – BAHAMIAN MAN AND A JAMAICAN WOMAN IN CUSTODY

Consistent with the Commissioner's Policing Plan for 2017, officers from the Drug Enforcement Unit (DEU) struck another blow against organized drug trafficking in The Bahamas, this time with the seizure of a large amount of marijuana and the arrest of two persons on Wednesday April 26, 2017.

Reports are that shortly before 7:00 a.m. a team of officers from the Drug Enforcement Unit acting on intelligence went to a home located at Water Street, Big Pond, where they executed a search warrant and uncovered several large nylon bags containing 390 pounds of marijuana.

Two residents of the home, an adult Bahamian male and an adult Jamaican female, were taken into custody.

The estimated street value of the drugs is nearly \$400,000. Investigations are continuing into this matter.

THE GRAND BAHAMA ENVIRONMENTAL ASSOCIATION

Invites the residents of

Pinder's Point, Lewis Yard, Hunters, Mack Town, Hawksbill and Wellington Pinder Heights

To a service of

Prayer and Praise

Thursday, April 27, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.

at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

in Hunters



PRAYER WALK

Praying for our Upcoming General Election

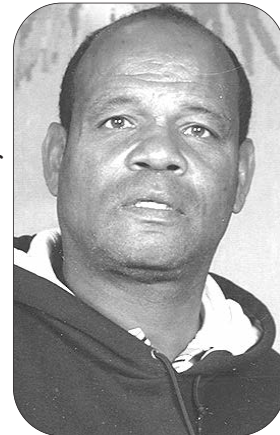
Saturday, April 29, 2017 at 5:00 a.m.

Starting: Eight Mile Rock Corner
Ending: The corner of Sea Grape

Praying against Evil and Praying for Peace
May the will of God be done.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Funeral Services for the late **RONALD REGINALD "AMERICAN BOY" BOWE**, age 63 of Holmes Rock, Grand Bahama formerly of West Palm Beach, Florida, will be held at Shawn Johnson Funeral & Cremation Services, West Palm Beach, Florida, on Saturday, April 29th, 2017 at 12:00 p.m.



He is survived by his **soulmate**: Linda Bowe; **children**: Timothy, Ronique and Tee-Tee Bowe; **granddaughter**: Tre'Jah Baptiste; **brothers**: Rev. Rudolph Bowe (Veronica) and Ricardo Bowe (Darlene); **sisters**: Cynthia Missick; **in-laws**: Danny, Arthur, Lynden, Kay, Lisa and Josephine; **goddaughter**: Toika Russell; numerous **nieces** and **nephews**; **special friends**: Sammy, Minerva and Geno, and the Community of Holmes Rock.

THE LAODICEAN CHURCH

THE SECOND COMMANDMENT

"THOU SHALT NOT MAKE UNTO THEE ANY GRAVEN IMAGE, OR ANY LIKENESS OF ANY THING THAT IS IN HEAVEN ABOVE, OR THAT IS IN THE EARTH BENEATH, OR THAT IS IN THE WATER UNDER THE EARTH:

THOU SHALT NOT BOW DOWN THYSELF TO THEM, NOR SERVE THEM: FOR I THE LORD THY GOD AM A JEALOUS GOD, VISITING THE INIQUITY OF THE FATHERS UPON THE CHILDREN UNTO THE THIRD AND FOURTH GENERATION OF THEM THAT HATE ME;

AND SHEWING MERCY UNTO THOUSANDS OF THEM THAT LOVE ME, AND KEEP MY COMMANDMENTS."

Sacred words from our LORD GOD ALMIGHTY. Words from Heaven showing the Character of God as He asks All mankind to Repent from Sin. It is by this Law that God's Church will be Judged, for Judgment shall come to the House of God First, and then the World, those in Babylon who are outside of God's Church. Disobedience to God's Commandments is why the Plagues will fall on earth. The Commandments of God, the Ten Commandments, controls your prosperity, or your Curse, which is the consequence for Sin. All Mankind will be Judged by this Law.

Take special Heed, the one whose Words created the World. And by His Word shall be destroyed by fire. **THE TEN COMMANDMENTS WAS WRITTEN ON BOTH SIDES, {EXODUS 32:15** "And I saw in the right hand of him that sat on the throne a book written within and on the backside, sealed with seven seals." {REVELATION 5:1} The Ten Commandment written on both sides, the **SEVEN SEALS**, written on both sides.

The Law of God came from Heaven escorted by angels. It is heavenly, this is why Satan wants the Law out of the Adventist Churches, it is the Sanctuary of Strength, once he remove the Law, it will descend, because it has lost its Spiritual eye, its connection to heaven. Galatians 3:24 "Wherefore the law was our schoolmaster to bring us unto Christ, that we might be justified by faith."

Jesus showed me to teach the Law in a dream, I saw beautiful water in the midst of the water I saw blue water bubbling up like a fountain. The color blue in God's Law represent Heaven and God's Law.

God bless
Servant of the Lord Jesus Christ
Princess Diana

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BREAKING BARRIERS!

G.E.M.'s
God's Elegant Model
BREAKING BARRIERS THROUGH SKILLFUL FIGHTING
FRIDAY, APRIL 28TH 2017 | 7:00PM

Dr. Susan Wallace
 SPEAKER

Philisha Storr
 PSALMIST

SATURDAY, APRIL 29TH 2017 | BREAKOUT SESSIONS
 Ages 5-8, 9-12, 13-18, 19-35 and Adults
 8am to 12 noon

Working hard was completely worth it

Congratulations
 to

Chief Superintendent Wendell A. Smith

Keep on going and we wish you all the success as your enter another brighter horizon in your life.

From a grateful family
 on your promotion