

GOOD NEWS, NIGERIA!

"Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier." - Mother Teresa

The nation grows when citizens and government play their respective roles in economic development. Behind every good act are simply men and women being productive in their different capacities.

#OnePerson can and does make a difference!

PARALYMPIANS WINS 10 MEDALS FOR NIGERIA IN TOKYO



The Tokyo 2020 Paralympics which lasted from **August 24 to September 5, 2021**, ended with a colourful closing ceremony at the Olympic Stadium, with Nigeria clinching **10 medals**. Team Nigeria won 3 gold, 1 silver, and 2 bronze medals in powerlifting; 1 gold and 2 bronze medals in athletics; and 1 bronze medal in table tennis.

Team Nigeria also finished **33rd** on the medal table, and **4th in Africa**. Congratulations Nigeria!

ARSENAL SIGNS 9-YEAR-OLD NIGERIAN

Congratulations to **Munir Muhammad Sada**, a **9-year-old Nigerian starkid** who has been signed by **Arsenal Football Club**. Nigeria to the world! His parents are both Nigerians from Kaduna and Katsina states. Munir will be wearing the number 9 jersey and will play for the club's Academy. We wish him success in his football career.



WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO) APPOINTS DR. CHIKWE IHEKWEAZU AS ASSISTANT DIRECTOR-GENERAL



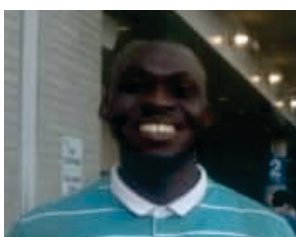
Dr. Chikwe Ihekweazu, the **Director-General of Nigeria Center for Disease Control (NCDC)**, has been appointed by the World Health Organisation (WHO), as the **Assistant Director-General for Health Emergency Intelligence**, effective **November 1, 2021**. "He will lead the work on strengthening pandemic and epidemic intelligence globally, including heading the WHO Hub for Pandemic and Epidemic Intelligence in Berlin," according to **Dr. Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus**, **Director-General, WHO**. He has served Nigeria well and we wish him great success as he joins the fight against COVID-19 on the global stage.

MISSING BAG OF MONEY FOUND BY DRIVER IN THE AIRPORT RETURNED TO OWNER

Meet **Emmanuel Eluu**, a driver at the airside of **Murtala Muhammed Airport, Lagos Terminal Two (MMA2)**, who found a bag containing **\$20,000, N500,000, jewelry, and other valuables worth millions of naira** forgotten inside a bus used for conveying passengers. The bag has since been returned to the owner by Bi-Courtney Aviation Services Limited (BASL), operators of the terminal. Thank you Emmanuel!



FABUSOLA GBENGA PATRICKS LEVERAGES SOCIAL MEDIA FOR A PH.D. SCHOLARSHIP ABROAD



Meet **Fabusola Gbenga Patricks**, a Nigerian who leveraged the power of social media to raise funds to process supplementary fees, flights, and accommodation for his schooling abroad. His story started on Twitter with a post that went viral: **"TWITTER PEOPLE HELP ME O! I just received 3 FULLY FUNDED Ph.D. scholarships abroad. I have invested all my Allawee into this and I have no more money to process supplementary fees, flights, and accommodation. Please, help me keep this dream alive."** He not only raised the funds, but **he also showed accountability by always sharing the amount he got from each donation** with his followers. He has now arrived in the United States to commence his studies. We wish him godspeed in his new quest.

DUCHESS OF CORNWALL BECOMES MIRABEL CENTRE FIRST INTERNATIONAL PATRON

Mirabel Centre, the first **Sexual Assault Referral Centre (SARC)** in Nigeria, has welcomed her first international patron, the Duchess of Cornwall. Mirabel Centre was founded in **July 2013 by Ito Eze-Anaba** to provide medical and psychosocial support to survivors of **Sexual and Gender-Based Violence (SGBV)**. Congratulations!



We are all dealing with bad news on a daily basis, and the effects of the trauma will not be fully understood for many years to come. We are committed to curating **good news**, so share your **good news** with us!

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