**Masthead *as per previous – little girl in I love Compendium T-shirt***

***Rowan’s intro***

**A GLASS AND A HALF**

The heady days of the Soccer World Cup seem long gone, but do not fear the Rugby World Cup is near.

Some bemoan the fact that we’ve shipped a bunch of geriatrics over to New Zealand and are going to be severely punished for this folly. Others see the inclusion of the 2007 World Cup veterans as vital to our campaign for third-time RWC glory.

As South Africans we have strong opinions on just about anything. And sometimes we express those opinions a little too robustly. But we’re a passionate nation of diverse people who won’t settle for half-measures.

At Compendium we like to put this energy to work to make things better. We believe the glass is at least half full and that with just a little bit of vision, dedication and effort, South Africans can make their cups overflow.

Welcome to another edition of Cover2Cover. Let’s celebrate the good stuff and make South Africa great.

Go Bokke!

Rowan Jones - CEO, Compendium Insurance Group

***Lead story – see banner: choose life***

**MEET OUR LIFE DIVISION**

Compendium is well-known for its short term insurance products. Now Compendium has a department dedicated to assurance products, including life cover, investments, medical aid, employee group benefits and more. To meet the team and find out what they can do for you, click here

***[2 columns of 8 pics & intro text that click thru to articles on web]***

**For Special Risks *[fire pic]***

In a world wracked by terrorism, political upheaval and civil strife, you may need an extraordinary insurance to protect your assets. Luckily there is such insurance and all Compendium clients are covered as a matter of course. Learn more …

**Gunning For No. 3! *[Habana pic]***

World Cup Fever is here again, except this time it’s rugby with the Bokke chasing an unprecedented third title. As South Africa unites behind the men in green and gold, we give you the low down on RWC 2011. Read more

**Wot A Lot *[speed pic]***

Dynamic. It’s a word we often use to describe our company and its people. Check out what has been happening recently at Compendium countrywide and catch up (if you can!) with the folks who work hard to keep you covered. Read on …

**Retire In Style *[seniors pic]***

South Africans are notoriously poor savers. This leaves the majority of the population facing a bleak retirement in a country with a limited social security net. Pretoria probably won’t provide, so it’s up to you to take care of your own future. Read more

**On the Move *[truck pic]***

Compendium continues to increase its breadth and depth with acquisitions that add new portfolios and skill sets to the company. The recent addition of specialist broker Fleetcor to the Group is a case in point. Read more

**House In Order *[law-books pic]***

Professional financial services providers, such as brokerages, are increasingly regulated. Compendium’s staff has been hard at work to ensure they are up to speed on the requirements of the legislation. Read more

**Prevent Cancer *[broccoli pic]***

Figures indicate cancer rates are on the rise. Annually seven million people die of the disease across the globe. One in six men and one in eight women in South Africa are likely to get cancer. What can you do to protect yourself? Learn more

**Media Goes Social *[icons pic]***

Unless you’ve been living in a cave, you’ve probably heard of Facebook. But Facebook is merely the most famous of a range of social media sites that are changing the way we work, do business, play and live. Learn more

*[usual sections]*

**SPOT OF SPORT *– will include 2 pics – 1 for golf & one for Mt bike event – will each click through to a gallery with captions – still to come]***

**BITS & BOBS**