

STAFF NEWSLETTER

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Letter from the editor

Dear Colleagues,

It's with great pleasure that I welcome you to the new month, and I hope this letter finds you all in good health and high spirits. We have so much to be grateful for, and I hope you took a moment to reflect on that. As the old Sunday school song goes, "Count your blessings, name them one by one." Let's remember to always be grateful for the good things in our lives.

As we delve into the new month, we are thrilled to bring you all the exciting news and events that took place in February. We've got some fascinating stories lined up that are sure to keep you entertained and informed. We will also be exploring the history and importance of International Women's Day, which is celebrated every year on March 8th. Let us take this opportunity to celebrate and recognize the courage and strength of women all over the world.

To all the women in our workplace, we see you, we appreciate you, and we celebrate you. We are also grateful to all the men who embrace equity and support women in their journeys.

We have a fun trivia challenge for you to try out, and who knows, you might just be our next winner. So be sure to give it a shot!

As we go through this new month, let's remember the words of Hillary Rodham Clinton,

"Always aim high, work hard, and care deeply about what you believe in. And, when you stumble, keep faith. And, when you're knocked down, get right back up and never listen to anyone who says you can't or shouldn't go on."

*Until next time
stay safe*

Fact Box: Women's Day



Imagine a gender-equal world. A world free of bias, stereotypes, and discrimination. A world that's diverse, equitable, and inclusive. A world where difference is valued and celebrated. Together we can forge women's equality. Collectively we can all **#EmbraceEquity.**

Celebrate women's achievements. Raise awareness about discrimination. Take action to drive gender parity.

IWD belongs to everyone, everywhere. Inclusion means all IWD action is valid.

The WOMEN'S DAY aims to uphold women's achievements, recognize challenges, and focus greater attention on women's rights and gender.

RwandAir News:

Nairobi



We wouldn't have gotten here without you!

We delivered a delicious cake to one of our top-selling Travel agencies "FCN" in Nairobi as a token of appreciation.

Dubai

RwandAir participated in the investment promotion roadshows in UAE along with the RDB, and Rwanda Mission in UAE with the bit to explore opportunities between both countries.



Tour du Rwanda



The Tour du Rwanda is one of Africa’s most celebrated cycling events. Its route is across the length and breadth of the visually stunning country of 1000 hills with 8 different stages.

As the official carrier of the tournament, RwandAir rewards & presents the green jersey to the Best African Rider with the fastest cumulative time at the end of every stage.

A round of applause to MULUEBERHAN Henok from Eritrea who captured **Green Jersey “Best African Rider”** from the start of the 15th edition of Tour du Rwanda and fended off other competitors till the end of the tournament.

We also proudly flew the Great Britain Cycling Team from Heathrow London that participated in the Tour du Rwanda posing with Rochelle Atkins our station officer, just after having checked in themselves and their 10 bikes onto the WB711 / 15FEB.



Valentine's Day



On Valentine's Day, our creative agency "Dragonfly" based in Nairobi who were in Kigali for a fam trip, offered roses to the lovely ladies of WB.

Lusaka

We received a special delivery in Lusaka from one of our travel agencies "Voyagers" on Valentine's Day as a token of appreciation.



ACI Africa Kigali



The 69th ACI AFRICA board & Committee Meetings, Regional Conference and Exhibition at the Kigali Convention Center.

We met, and engaged various aviation stakeholders and experts from all four corners of the World.



Brand video!

We have launched a new brand video!
Have you seen it?

You can watch it on our YouTube channel:
<https://youtu.be/fuU80ktVTFQ>



Outstations

Mumbai



RwandAir along with Rwanda Development Board participated in this year's OTM in Mumbai between 2nd - 4th February 2023 at Jio World Convention Center. OTM is India's largest and most international gathering of travel trade buyers and professionals.

VISIT RWANDA was awarded the "The Most Upcoming Destination Award" by the organizers Fairfest Media Ltd.



Employee of the month



MUVUNYI ATHANASE
Dept. SUPPORT SERVICES
Senior Driver

Fun Friday

Employee engagement is the strength of the mental and emotional connection employees feel toward the work they do, their teams, and the organization.



Commercial Department joined by various departments including IT, HR, and Ground Handling continued their traditional Fun Friday activities at the Nyandungu Eco-Park.

Nyandungu Urban Wetland Eco-Tourism Park is nestled in the valley between Kimironko and Masoro-Bumbogo hill in the Ndera sector, separating the districts of Gasabo and Kicukiro.



RwandAir team got to experience first in hand everything the Eco Park has to offer including birdwatching, hiking, & cycling on car-free bike lanes, as well as taking in the sunset over Kigali city while enjoying fresh air.



The team also had a chance to play various games including Speedy walking, Charade, Jumping, and Dancing chairs.

Of course! Revenue Management is still the undisputed champion of Fun Friday after a crunch performance from Innocent Musoni.

Fun Friday: Fun Riddles

1. What has hands but no feet, a face but no eyes, tells but does not talk?

2. What question can you never answer "yes" to?

3. What has teeth but cannot eat?

4. What kind of dog never bites?

5. What wears a cap but has no head?

6. Why is six afraid of seven?

7. It is black, but you say it is clean. It is white, but you say it is dirty. What is it?

8. What's never used until it's broken?

9. What starts with E, ends with E and only has one letter?

10. From what number can one take half and leave nothing?

Trivia winner

A lot of you participated in the last trivia, while we'd want to reward everyone who participated. We can only have one winner.

Drum rolls *

Congratulations to **Alex NTAMBARA** who edged other participants, and won himself 50,000 FRW worth of airtime.

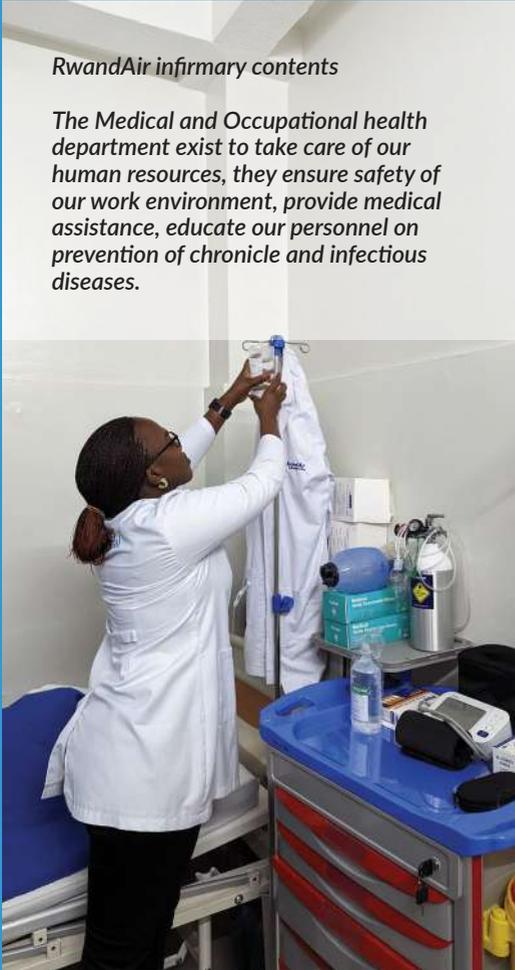
You too can win! Don't miss the next trivia.



RwandAir Infirmiry

RwandAir infirmiry contents

The Medical and Occupational health department exist to take care of our human resources, they ensure safety of our work environment, provide medical assistance, educate our personnel on prevention of chronicle and infectious diseases.



Here is their role:

- They Control and evidence of sick leaves
- They provide first aid to injuries and incidence at work.
- They conduct awareness of the need for better control and co-ordination of the communicable disease issues.
- They train the crew on emergency medical responses during flights on how to deal and manage small and light emergencies to even deaths on board.
- They monitor health and sick leaves of employees.
- They are responsible for immunization planning
- Development of Medical evacuations is also their responsibility

The existence of the recovery room at the head office allows our staff to get checked for blood pressure, weight and height. Next time you feel unwell do not hesitate to pass and get a free check-up. Or call 0787258695 for assistance.

“It is health that is the real wealth, and not pieces of gold and silver.”

- Mahatma Gandhi

Did You Know?

60%

of the lakes on
earth are located
in Canada

The second largest country on the planet is home to 60% of the planet's lakes. Still not amazed? How about we rephrased: the number of lakes in Canada is bigger than the rest of the lakes on the planet combined! The largest lake in Canada is the Great Bear Lake, spreading over 31,153 km² and going as deep as 435 meters.

Quote of the month

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**Don't compromise
yourself. You're all
you've got.**

Janis Joplin