

At a Glance

Weekly Aggregation of Top Crime, Safety and Security News And Preventive Tips





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Yilo Krobo District Hospital experienced another robbery incident, prompting heightened concerns over the safety of healthcare facilities. Authorities are investigating the breach to implement stronger security measures.



Safety Tips

 Hospitals should enhance security systems, including CCTV and patrols, and train staff in emergency response protocols.

Illegal Mining & Environmental Damage

Police Intensify Crackdown on Illegal Mining

The Ghana Police Service has escalated efforts against illegal mining, destroying 120 changfang machines in galamsey operations. This decisive action aims to curb environmental degradation and restore community safety.

<u>Foreign Nationals Arrested at Illegal Mining Site</u>

In the Banda District of the Bono Region, police arrested 13 foreign nationals involved in illegal mining activities. This operation underscores the ongoing challenges of cross-border involvement in unauthorized mining.



Safety Tips

- Avoid engaging in or supporting illegal mining operations.
- Report suspicious environmental activities to the authorities.
- Report suspicious gatherings or mining activities in unauthorized areas. Community vigilance is key.

Community Vigilance: Zongo Youths Raid Criminal Hideouts

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Concerned youths in Zongo communities have taken proactive steps by raiding suspected criminal hideouts. These actions reflect growing community involvement in combating local crime, though authorities advise coordination with law enforcement to ensure safety and legality.



Safety Tips

• Join or support community watch groups, but always coordinate with local police before taking action.

Urban Safety & Institutional Campaigns

<u>Accra Metropolitan Assembly Launches Decongestion Exercise</u>

The Accra Metropolitan Assembly (AMA) commenced a city-wide decongestion initiative on May 20 to enhance urban safety and orderliness. The exercise involves clearing unauthorized structures and enforcing city regulations.

<u>Vivo Energy Ghana Initiates 2025 Safety Campaign</u>

Vivo Energy Ghana has launched its 2025 safety campaign, emphasizing a commitment to a zero-harm culture. The initiative promotes safety awareness and best practices across its operations and the broader community.



Safety Tips

- To prevent legal consequences, respect city regulations and avoid constructing or operating in unauthorized areas.
- Participate in safety campaigns and adopt best practices at work and home to prevent accidents.

Travel & International Safety Alerts

<u>International Travel Advisories Highlight Safety Concerns</u>

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ABOUT MISORNU SAFETY CENTER

Misornu Safety Center is a dedicated non-profit organization committed to creating safer communities through education and collaboration. Our mission enhances community safety and builds trust by offering programs focused on crime prevention, best safety practices, and conflict resolution through mediation. We believe in the power of partnerships and effective communication to address safety concerns, empowering individuals to take an active role in their safety and the safety of others. Join us in fostering a culture of vigilance and preparedness for all.

ABOUT THE FOUNDER

Deputy Commissioner of Police (Rtd) David Senanu Eklu is a seasoned law enforcement professional with extensive experience in crisis management, conflict resolution, strategic communication and public education in crime prevention/security awareness. His academic background in communication studies, peace, security and conflict studies, coupled with hands-on experience in various command positions within the Ghana Police Service from the district, divisional, regional and national levels, as well as foreign training programmes equip him with a unique perspective on promoting the culture of safety and security at the personal, community and workplace levels, among others.

He has over 30 years of experience in policing, at both local and international levels. His most recent position was as a Regional Police Commander until his retirement in May 2024.

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