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NUP MPs-elect to meet over Speaker election; currently the race for speaker of parliament has attracted four hopefuls. These include the current speaker and deputy speaker; Rebecca Kadaga and Jacob Oulanyah respectively both from the ruling National Resistance Movement. **Read More**

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Government issues fresh warning after Kenya's new Covid wave; even with vaccination underway, Ugandans have been warned of the possibility of the country being hit by another wave of the Covid-19 pandemic due to complacency. Read More

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Kenya records 18 more Covid-19 deaths as positivity rate jumps to 26.6pc; Health Cabinet Secretary Mutahi said this in the daily update on Monday, when he announced 902 new cases out of a sample of 3,395 analysed within a day. Read More

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Activists renew demands for pregnant learners to stay in school; according to the education ministry policy, the learners are only given a period of three months to attend school after they are confirmed pregnant. Read More

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<u>Virus likely jumped from bats to humans via animal, WHO report says</u>; an international expert mission to Wuhan has concluded that it was very likely that Covid-19 first passed to humans from a bat through an intermediary animal, while all but ruling out a laboratory leak. <u>Read More</u>

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URA releases tax defaulters' shame list; the public notice containing the names of the tax defaulters warns of possible prosecution against the listed taxpayers that fail to clear their outstanding tax liabilities amounting to billions of shillings. **Read More**

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Agaba, Bagaaya take the day at Jinja Nile Golf Cup; authorities in Jinja used the tournament at their greens to advocate for environmental conservation with a call to golfers' champion efforts against dumping of waste in lakes and rivers. Read More

And finally; Meteorology body warns travelers on the Lake Victoria about thunderstorm; a fierce thunderstorm has been sighted on Lake Victoria by weather experts, pointing to possible dangers for travellers on the lake. Read More

Today's scripture; Psalm 125.

ESKOMorning quote; "When you give joy to other people, you get more joy in return. You should give a good thought to happiness that you can give out." By-Eleanor Roosevelt

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