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Division	Media House	Type of Article	Headline and Page No	Article Summary/Issue Raised	Hyperlinks	Action Required
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Sport Division	Daily Express	Sport News	Minister Watts sees future in sport tourism	Sport and Youth Affairs Minister Phillip Watts says the Government is moving to make sport tourism a major source of revenue as it seeks to reduce Trinidad and Tobago's dependence on the energy sector. Speaking at a pre-budget consultation at the Cunupia Government Primary School in the Caroni East constituency on Tuesday night, Watts said a national sport tourism policy was expected to go before Cabinet within the next month and would form the basis for developing the sector.	https://trinidadexpress.com/business/local/watts-sees-future-in-sport-tourism/article_704aee32-e6ac-4941-ac8a-181101972d42.html	
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Sport Division	Daily Express	Sport News	Winning Exit - T&T Under-14s bow out CFY Challenge despite 4-1 whipping of French Guiana	Trinidad and Tobago ended their 2026 Caribbean Football Union (CFU) Under-14 Boys Challenge campaign on a winning note yesterday, defeating French Guiana 4-1 in the Dominican Republic, but the victory was not enough to secure a place in Friday's Tier One semi-finals.	https://trinidadexpress.com/sports/regional/winning-exit/article_2f8aa158-a09b-4526-be8a-ee5bdead284a.html	
Sport Division	Daily Express	Sport News	T&T cyclists exit World Juniors team sprint in first round	Trinidad and Tobago's men's team sprint trio of Zion Lucas, Cristian Nelson and Kafele De Sormeaux exited the event in the first round at the 2026 UCI Junior Track World Cycling Championships, in Belgium, yesterday.	https://trinidadexpress.com/sports/world/tt-cyclists-exit-world-juniors-team-sprint-in-first-round/article_5607d55f-ad16-4cee-b175-ae1e9cebfe7c.html	

Sport Division	Daily Express	Sport News	SSFL General Council vote to keep Tobago schools in combines Boys Premier Division	THE General Council of the Secondary Schools Football League (SSFL) yesterday confirmed the return of Tobago schools Signal Hill Secondary and Speyside Secondary to the Boys Premier Division for the upcoming season, following a vote by the council.	https://trinidadexpress.com/sports/local/ssfl-general-council-vote-to-keep-tobago-schools-in-combined-boys-premier-division/article_99b87687-e623-4040-a7c3-79ec078b2713.html	
Sport Division	TTT News	Sport News	T&T Dominates Individual and Team Events At Nations Cup Caribbean	Trinidad and Tobago reigned supreme in the individual and team events at the second edition of the Nations Cup Caribbean. The junior go-karting championship featured 13 drivers from across the Caribbean.	https://www.tt.live/tt-dominates-individual-and-team-events-at-nations-cup-caribbean/	

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