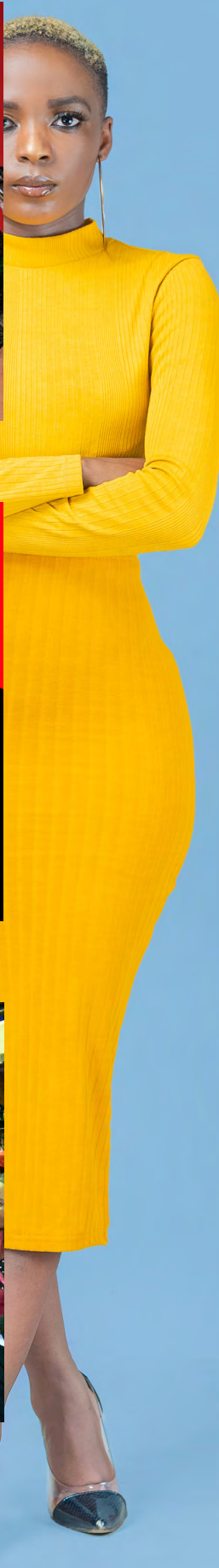




# How Ngugi is making it



Likiliki  
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# COLLEGE FEED



## Graduands protest virtual gala

**S**ome Unima  
Graduands  
across some  
constituent colleges  
of the university have  
written the Unima in  
protest against a virtual  
graduation ceremony  
scheduled for 28 April.

## Brief Gossip

### Has Likiliki outflowed Flaws?

**T**he gist being talked about in some circles: has the Likiliki rap verse overshadowed Physix's Flaws album?

Well. Some Malawians seem to think so – saying,



## Man arrested for cheating beer customers

Police at Mponela Trading Centre in Dowa have arrested 22-year-old Brino Banda for allegedly filling bottles of beer with water, and selling the same to unsuspecting customers.



the rapper had put the album on sale but that has been overshadowed by Likiliki.

This, they say, has made the rapper put the album

out for free...

Coincidentally, the talk this week has been about the verse of the choir-song "Likiliki."



# Get an FYI Feature!

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- A woman with dark skin is shown in profile, looking towards the right. She is wearing a large, wide-brimmed green hat. Her right hand is raised, touching the top of the hat. She is also wearing a patterned scarf with red, white, and brown tones. The background is a solid teal color.
- Magazine
  - Website
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## Blak Jak Dropping Mula

### WHATSUP IN MALAWI?

#### MELANONIA : ORISHAS

**Drops Tonight at 6PM.**

If you preorder before **6PM** you can get it for just **MK2500**.



**PRICE AND FORMATS**

1. Melanonia will be released as a PDF and will be available for **MK3500**.



2. If PDFs are not for you, Melanonia will also be available as an A5, color physical copy for **MK10,000**

### Melanonia dropped

A book titled Melanonia has been released. The book is written by female authors.



### Tiyeni wachema

“Tiyeni” (fun activities) is back as ‘The Dominics’ in BT is hosting a joint on Saturday and SummerJam Gardens hits a return in LLz.

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## Blak Jak Mula

feat. DAREDEVILZ

PREMIERS  
APRIL 5<sup>th</sup> ON  
**MADE  
ON**  
*Monday*



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Chekalonda aka Blak Jak has announced he is releasing a song titled “Mula” featuring DareDevilz.

In a social media post, Blak Jak apologized to his fans for the delay.

Prior to this, the last song the artist dropped – of a project by him – was in 2018 when he released “Ma Rubbish”.

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## **Model of the Week – Ngugi, our cover star (story on page 8).**





# Our rating of Hayze Engolah's fashion sense – 7/10



# How Ngugi is making it

BY Gary Samati



**N**gugi – a Miss Malawi 2018 Second Princess is back on the Malawian entertainment scene – making a name for herself, again.

She is hosting her own show dubbed ‘How I Made It,’ which airs on MBC TV and is later uploaded on YouTube.

But, who, exactly, is Ngugi? Well, we had an interview with Ngugi, real name Chimwemwe Buleya.

**Q: Before you started your own show, what were you up to?**

“I was working with media houses but my last job in Malawi was at National Youth Council as a Communication Intern.”

**Q: You went silent since Miss Malawi 2018. What was with the silence and why all of a sudden are you back in the industry?**

“I was in South Africa for a while that’s why I went silent. I’m back home to do the work I started when I was in SA.”

**Q: Anything else you’d like to add?**

“Please support my clothing brand and follow my social media as well as subscribe to my YouTube channel for my program ‘How I made it’ which broadcasts on MBC TV every Saturday at 9.30am.”

## 5 NGUGI FUN FACTS

1. I love to dance.
2. I love to cook.
3. I like to clean.
4. I’m a sweet soul.
5. I like to have fun.





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## PICTURES OF THE WEEK

## ASK SIBWENI



**2** Down African is dropping a surprise at today! #BreakingNews



1. Saint and Dan Lu in their dope new music vid1. Flames' players celebrating the win they bagged against Uganda this week.
2. April fool's joke – FYI posted a joke-news that touched nerves.
3. An ad that led to some employees at a TZ newspaper getting fired.



“Hello Sibweni. I am a student at the Polytechnic in my 4th year [programme withheld]. However, at my big age, 23, my biological dad, a single parent, buys underwears for me (sometimes). – And pads as well. Is it weird?”

- Anonymous.

“Hello anonymous. Two ways to look at this. First, as a single mother, would you buy boxers for your son at 23? Second, it might be weird – but your father is managing being both a mother and a father. Regardless, my advice is = ask for money and buy undies and pads on your own. Mwakula.”

- Sibweni.

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## INTERNATIONAL NEWS



### Ramos to Miss Liverpool

Real Madrid captain Sergio Ramos is set to miss both legs of the Champions League quarter-final against Liverpool after suffering a calf muscle injury. Last time Ramos played Liverpool, he injured Salah in what a number of people call a deliberate attempt.

## Brief Gossip

### Nike sues company that made 'Satan Shoes' with Lil Nas X

**A**thletic shoe maker Nike Inc on Monday sued a New York based company that produced "Satan Shoes" purported to contain a drop of human blood as part of collaboration with "Old



### Wiz & Burna most streamed artists

Wizkid and Burna Boy have been announced as the most streamed artists on Spotify in Nigeria, in that order. Davido comes third.



Town" rapper Lil Nas X.

Several media outlets reported that the shoe sold out in less than a minute despite costing \$1, 018 per pair.

Nike, in its lawsuit, says the Nike Air Max 97 sneakers

were produced with no approval by Nike.

Those representing the company that produced the shoe, as well as Lil Nas X, are yet to give a comment to USA based media outlets, regarding the issue.

## NEWS RECAP

### 130K+ Vaccinated

**M**ore than 130,000 Malawians have received the Covid-19 vaccine, according to Ministry of Health stats.

### MHRC find former MBC boss guilty

**M**HRC has announced that Aubrey Sumbuleta, former MBC boss, should be investigated and arrested by Malawi Police – due to sexual harassment.

### Teacher stabs ex-wife

**M**HRC is seeking justice for Poly student who died of gunshot wounds after being shot by an MBC guard in the presence of a police officer.

## No Tiyezi Easter



**L**ooks like Easter Celebrations will be spoiled this year, as government say those that break the Covid rules will face the law.

Town, District and City Councils have been directed not to allow celebrations or festivities that attract more than 50 people – as a coronavirus control. Catholics and Anglicans usually conduct joint 'Way of the Cross' on Good Friday events, which attract big gatherings.

Catholics further conduct a night service on Saturday, which also attracts hordes of congregants.

In other circles, people, who love fun, organise Easter parties at the lake or places of their choice.

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# The virtual graduation- will I attend?

BY Yvonne Kunkeyani



**B**efore I answer that question, which I must say I haven't made up my mind on, let me tell you why I have the question in mind.

While in my final semester at Chancellor College, in 2020, the 'Rona put a hold on school for some months.

This also put a hold to the graduation ceremony of those who had just finished school, so, at the time, a virtual gala was proposed.

Later, what we learnt was that they had refused and few months onwards we had the physical ceremony at the college.

It wasn't a big affair like the gala of 2019 that had a lot of cars; people; and food courts, but it was big enough to show the glamour and importance of the day. And that's what these ceremonies are about, right?

For some, it might not mean much to be graduating with a degree. But for some, this is the highest achievement they will ever get.

Some are actually the first to bag a degree in their family and the graduation ceremony is a good affair to show off this level of achievement.

So, must graduands be denied this ceremony?

I should say though, with Covid-19 in mind, I understood why there was a suggestion of having a virtual gala in 2020, but I was nonetheless happy when the physical gala was postponed to a later

date.

Fast forward to 2021, 28th April has been designated as a day to hold a blended virtual graduation ceremony where "all graduands shall graduate in absentia."

I am afraid of looking like a hypocrite when I say I am sad.

To be honest, I would love it if the gala was moved to a later date when most Malawians receive the Covid vaccine.

A gala is a feeling well deserved for people like Otilia, who attended the last semester while pregnant and gave birth just before we started exams but gave her best to make it – acing those exams!

A gala provides a feeling of accomplishment for people like Anne, who lost her mother and had to come to school after, accomplishing something her mother would be proud of.

For people like Michael, who spent 6 instead of 4 years on campus due to breaks in the academic calendar for reasons like Covid, strikes, and academic freedom sagas.

A gala ceremony is important for all of us, who worked really hard for a day like this. A day, it hurts to say – we might not experience in our lifetime.



## SOCIAL MEDIA 24/7

Ahead of, and after, the Malawi vs Uganda game – Malawians had a social media beef with Uganda on Twitter. Here are our 4 of our favourite tweets.



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## ***Super League Resume this Easter***

BY Martin Mpungah

**M**alawi's elite league is back in action this weekend after a 9-week break due to the Corona virus pandemic.

The resumption on Friday has come after the Presidential task force on Covid-19 announced that cases have dropped to 5%.

“The Super League of Malawi (Sulom) hereby writes to confirm that the TNM Super League will resume on 2nd April, 2021. The games shall be played with strict adherence to Covid-19 precautionary measures and without spectators,” they wrote in a memo.

Recently, Sulom confirmed that 72 players from 16 TNM Super League teams tested positive for Covid-19.

