About Deltora Magazine

- The headquarters of Deltora Magazine are situated in Petronia City, with additional offices in the city of Roile.

- The first issue of Deltora Magazine appeared in October 1963. Seven years later, the magazine already had a circulation of 140,000 copies.

- Deltora has 91 employees, working on research, editing and media. On some occasions independent contractors are hired, either for specific tasks, extended research or during busy periods such as elections.

- Deltora Magazine profiles itself as the voice of the 'working majority of Petronia', and tries to inform these groups about social and societal developments, by means of factual reporting.

- Deltora Magazine is a Petronian magazine with a progressive-liberal signature which is published monthly. It is also known for research into the quality of hospitals and schools, but also exposes other social issues. The magazine focuses primarily on higher educated readers, but tries to appeal to a wider audience online.

- Deltora was one of the first media to argue against the high salaries of business and government, as these were based on unclear principles. At the same time, the magazine also has a strong international orientation, with a great deal of attention for problems abroad and international developments.
About Petronia

- The country covers an area of 281.750 km². The Roile River Delta covers about 41.000 km².
- The capital of Petronia - Petronia City - is the largest city of the country, followed by Roile, the second largest.
- There are close to 26 million inhabitants of which 2.3 million live in the capital. About 3.7 million people live in the Roile River Delta, of which 1.6 million in the city Roile.
- The average age in Petronia is 32 years old.
- 31% of the working population live from agriculture business. 18% is working in the Delta’s industrial area.

Economics & politics

- Sarah Sadal, the current prime minister, is in office since 2017. She is the cousin of the previous prime minister, who was in office for over 15 years before he had to leave due to health issues.
- Petronia’s main export product is raw oil. The largest extraction companies are all located in the Roile river delta, as are all the export & transport facilities.
- The national constitution states freedom of speech for all inhabitant of Petronia. In general, journalists are free to do their work, as over 63% of them are working for state owned media companies and the national television & radio broadcaster.
- Over the last decade, the government invested in higher education and science. 2 state universities and a couple of research facilities were found. Main topics are engineering, medicine, economics and chemistry.
- Although the government has been a closed-off institute in the past, since the new prime minister is in office, companies and organisations can formally ask the government, via a court, to release reports, policies and financial data. The State will only agree if the reasons for the applications are sufficiently urgent and well-found.
Sarah Sadal

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Sarah Sadal (1 August 1968 - ) is the Prime Minister of Petronia since November 2017. She has worked as an ambassador of Petronia in the United States of America from January 2002 - July 2016 before returning to her home country in July 2016. After her return she joined Petronia Socialists and ran for office during the 2017 elections. With a majority of 52.3% of the votes Petronia Socialists won the election and Sarah Sadal became the 5th Prime Minister of Petronia.

Born in Petronia City, Petronia, Sadal studied international affairs at the University of Petronia and finished her Master’s degree on International Crisis Management at Harvard, US. After graduating in 1994 Sadal started working for the ministry of foreign affairs of the Petronia government. Sadal worked on several capacities for the ministry of foreign affairs of the Petronia government before becoming the ambassador of Petronia in the United States of America in 2002.

Sarah Sadal is well known in her country for being well educated and her pragmatism. This has also led to some allegations. Sadal, in the past, has been publicly attacked on her actions to bring in big US petrol companies into Petronia. This was later cancelled by the government in fear of large protests.

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Police strikes down rioting farmers north of the Delta
Yesterday evening the Petronia Police force successfully struck down a violent protests by agitators in the Northern Roile Delta. The local agitators demonstrated against the government’s policy to bring much needed economic development to the region, by ways a policy of government investment and the industrial development in the area. Investment in Northern Roile State are expected to generate revenues in access of 20 billion dollar annually for this impoverished part of the country.

Government investing in new industrial harbor in Roile River Delta
The ministry of Financial and economic affairs has agreed on a 1.8 billion dollar investment in port facilities, to facilitate the growth of the new industrial estate of Petronia. These investments—directed towards the Roile State Port—will push cross-border trade and export. In the upcoming months, the ministry is expected to present more detailed plans on the spending of these new investments.

Missing kids found
The three boys who went missing last week in the Singo woods were found in good health by Petronia police and local volunteers. One of the boys stated that they “went to play hide and seek, but it went a bit too well”. Given the circumstances they are doing well and will recover with plenty of sleep and food.

Weather forecast
The sun is shining and there is a light northeastern wind. It will stay dry and it is 20 to 24 degrees this afternoon. During the evening there will be showers and thunderstorms entering the country from the north-west. Tomorrow it will remain cloudy and there can be a shower. The temperature remains 20 to 25 degrees.