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Can-Do People!**

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Qatar Airways to Launch Flights to Asmara

Qatar Airways announced its plan to launch scheduled flights to Eritrea's capital city Asmara, effective 4 December 2014. The Airline made the announcement in a Press Release issued on 13 August 2014.

Turkish Airlines will also start three

times per week flights to Asmara on 19 August 2014.

The new Qatar and Turkish Airways flights supplement the existing flights to and from Asmara by Eritrean Airlines, Egypt Air, Sudan Airways, Yemenia Airways, and Nova Airways.



“Strategically located by the Red Sea, the economy of Eritrea has experienced considerable growth in recent years as the country has capitalised on its extensive deposits of natural resources such as copper, gold, granite, marble, and potassium. Capital city Asmara also has much to offer the leisure traveller being a city steeped in rich architecture and culture.” Excerpts from Qatar Airways Press Release

Eritrea's Nguse Amlosom Makes History at African Championships

On 10 August, Eritrea's Nguse Amlosom won the men's 10,000 meter race at the African Championships held in Marrakech, Morocco. The win made him the first Eritrean athlete ever to win a medal at the African Championships.

Another Eritrean athlete, Abrar Osman, also won Bronze in the 5000 meter race.



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