

DEATH OF A 6-YEAR-OLD CHILD

Flags at half-mast and a break in the school routine on a day of mourning

Some sources report the worsening of the defendant's mental health

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Last Monday, Sant Julià de Lòria experienced a day of community mourning after the tragic death of a 6-year-old girl, allegedly at the hands of her mother, arrested this Sunday by the Mossos d'Esquadra. The parish community expressed its condolences to the family and organized several events in memory of the minor, with the aim of accompanying and offering emotional support to those affected.

This Monday, the Municipality of Sant Julià decreed a day of mourning. The flags of all the municipal buildings flew at half-mast. Also, all official activities were suspended, including a conference scheduled for the evening on promising young athletes. In a statement, the Municipality expressed «deepest condolences to the family and loved ones of the victim» and underlined the sadness this event has caused in the parish.

Several commemorative events were also organized in the Lauredian parish in memory of the minor. Schools paused in their routine to remember her, offering emotional support to her classmates. As part of these initiatives, the students in the minor's class dedicated writings recalling moments shared with her and what they had learned by her side, according to sources consulted. In addition, a minute's silence was observed in all

primary school classes. The teachers gave the students a message of comfort: «Sometimes sad things happen that we don't understand and that don't always have an explanation. The most important thing is that we remember her and you know that we are here for what you need.»

According to sources close to the investigation, the victim's mother, known in Sant Julià for belonging to a family with a long history in the parish, would ha-

As it would seem, the current relationship between the accused and the minor's grandmother would be tense at the moment

ve mental disorders that would have worsened in recent weeks. This is a woman who, together with her family, had run a local supermarket known in the community for years. These same sources indicate that the relationship between the accused and her mother, the minor's grandmother, was strained and that, apparently, the mental situation of the girl's mother had been deteriorating for some time.

The case began on Sunday, when the mother of the minor was arrested in the municipality of Coll de Nargó, in Alt Urgell, where the Mossos d'Esqua-



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dra located the body of the girl. The events have shocked the population, which is now looking to support the affected relatives and friends of the little girl. The authorities have requested respect for the privacy of the family and the school environment, asking for prudence and consideration in the management

of information about an event that has affected the tranquility of Sant Julià de Lòria. However, official sources told this medium that the accused «will be brought to the court between tomorrow and the day after tomorrow», adding that the case is «under summary secrecy», supported the police force. ●

COMÚ DE SANT JULIÀ DE LÒRIA

MUNICIPAL SESSION OF LA MASSANA

SETAP365 closed last winter with a deficit of 4.5 million euros

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COMÚ DE LA MASSANA

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SETAP365, a company in which the municipality of La Massana participates, has recorded a negative result of 4.49 million euros in the consolidated accounts corresponding to the last winter season, as reported on Monday by the Minister of Finance, Agustí Garcia, during the municipal session. This loss is linked to the complications of the past winter season, marked by the lack of snow, which significantly impacted EMAP's operations, generating a deficit of 4.4 million.

«It has been a difficult winter, but we have started working from the beginning to reverse the situation», said Garcia. The Consul Major, Eva Sansa, also highlighted the efforts of the municipal corporation to improve the forecasts for the next winter season, with an intense focus on the commercialization of Pal and Arinsal. «We are committed to working to ma-



The Municipality of La Massana is working on a strategy to rectify the situation and boost Pal and Arinsal for the next season.

ke it a winter tourist reference and to make the next season more positive», assured Sansa.

MUNICIPAL DEBT SITUATION // Garcia also presented the settlement report for the third quarter of 2024, with credit modifications of 10.8 million euros, mostly for investments in the improvement of the water ne-

twork. The current debt is 6.8 million euros, 33% of the maximum allowed by the Municipal Finances law, which sets a limit of 200%. «We keep our debt under control and within the established limits, prioritizing investments that improve the quality of life for residents.»

Finally, the session also approved the modification of the



Eva Sansa

CONSUL MAJOR

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Agustí Garcia

FINANCE ADVISOR

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Municipal Tax Code, which affects the tax on rental income. From now on, owners with incomes of up to 40,000 euros per year will have to pay 2%, while those who exceed this amount will be taxed at 4%. ●

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