

conferred with Lifetime Achievement Award, during the 2017 Ilorin Branch of NBA's Annual Bar Dinner and Award, held at Kwara State Banquet Hall, Ilorin, at the weekend.

Fresh communal clash claims 4 in Benue

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FOUR persons were killed in a renewed clash at Ogobia, Ugboju community of Otukpo Local Government Area of Benue State, on Saturday.

Benue Police Command confirmed the killings of the four persons.

Nigerian Tribune gathered that the community was, in August, embroiled in crisis triggered by two brothers of the same mother, Ijachi Udeh and Benjamin Udeh, who were said to belong to different political parties, leading to the death

of former state chairman of Peoples Democratic Party (PDP).

The cause of the latest hostility was unknown as of the time of filing this report, but it was gathered that the crisis might have been a reprisal of the August attack.

The Police Public Relations Officer in the state, Moses Yamu, who confirmed the recent killings to the *Nigerian Tribune* in Makurdi, said that a clash in the area resulted in the death of three persons on Saturday night while another person was injured and later died on Sunday morning.

According to the command spokesman, "yes there was a clash that claimed the lives of three persons on Saturday night and another injured person gave up today, making four deaths in all. Normalcy has been restored as more patrol teams have been reinforced to the area to support the ones that were there after the August mayhem in that area."

He disclosed that police were yet to establish the motive for the killings but said it might not be unconnected with the incident that happened last August.

"It is likely that Saturday's

clash and killing is connected to what happened in the area recently but we have commenced full investigations to bring the killers to book," the PPRO stated.

He urged the public to provide security agencies with useful information that could lead to the arrest of the killers.

Kano govt to spend on material, child

KANO State government said it was planning to spend over N80 million during the Maternal Newborn and Child Health Week (MNCH).

The state Commissioner for Health, Dr Kabiru Getso, announced this at a

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