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## The first section of the new motorway is here

TWO YEARS AGO, the Autobahn-Gesellschaft Süd-west started

the major construction site for the six-lane expansion of the A8 set up - now a fresh

Asphalt strip of the new route from the rest area to Wurmberger Buckel. Only the final surface of the road is still missing. Opposite the rest area, towards

Stuttgart also already has the outline of the new parking lot with toilet facilities. By the end of 2024

The A8 planners then want to build the entire carriageway – from Kieselbronner Berg via Eutingen

to the already partially completed green bridge on the Waldkuppe in Niefern-Öschelbronn. Then the

Traffic with two lanes in each direction over this route. The lead company will then build

Strabag will build the future roadway on Nieferner side over the valley basin and the Enzberg to the Pforzheim-Nord junction, according to the Planning. rst PHOTO: STEINERT

# How good relationships make strong

ÿ Isabelle from Kapfenhardt Müller and Lisa Federle write book.

ÿ Many stories from the professional life of Doctor.

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"We inspire each other,' say Isabelle Müller and Lisa Federle smiling. From September From 2022 to April 2023, the two women published their book "On Happine of Listening: How Good Relationships Make Us Strong".



## "Can the underpass be considered Can you really trust this part of the school journey?



Every year again worry Parents from Birkenfeld around the safety of their children.

The reason is the consideration: Way to school via traffic island or through

which some consider dilapidated perceived underpass.

Shortly before the start of school, some parents in Birkenfeld are worried about the safety of their children. The reason is the

Underpass at the market square which is on the way to the Ludwig Uhland School, According to



And this is how it happened: Ten years ago, Isabelle Müller's husband Stephan, who runs a large software company in Karlsruhe, already knew Lisa Federle through a mutual friend. This developed into a

good friendship. Last year, Lisa Federle landed with

her autobiography "On crooked paths straight ahead" in the

Spiegel bestseller list, "The first

The book was such a success,

then it was said that the

second book should follow soon", describes Lisa Federle on Saturday during

her visit to the house of

Isabelle and Stephan Müller in

Kapfenhardt the background.

During a hiking holiday in Croatia with family

Müller. Lisa Federle and her Michael Ramroth, the CEO of Bio-test AG. came up with the spontaneous

Idea to write the new book together "I knew that Isabelle has already written several books," says Lisa Federle. "We found each other," adds Isabelle

Müller. Said and done. And it's immediately mentioned in the conversation

clearly noticeable that there are two

Power women working together have gone. "If you Listening to people, as I do in my job, brings a lot of tolerance and foresight," says Lisa Federle, describing her work as a doctor. and emergency physician at a

Cup of coffee with lots of milk and

homemade cheesecake. The two women are connected especially the topic of resilience, because Isabelle Müller has French-born her childhood as a victim of abuse of one's own

The Kapfenhardt author Isabelle Müller and the Tübingen emergency doctor Lisa Federle (from left) have jointly published the book "The Happiness of Listening: How Good Making relationships strong" was written. PHOTO: PROKOPH

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was founded on 31 July 1961 in

physician and since 2004 as senior

Emergency physician. In 2015 she developed

Tübingen born, works there

since 2001 as an emergency

a "mobile doctor's office" for

Providing care for refugees.

During the Corona pandemic

Lisa Federle made a decisive

contribution to the Tübingen

Model. In 2020, she received

In 2021, she founded the initiative

You," to enable disadvantaged

children to participate in sports. ip

"#Bewegt" with Jan Josef Liefers and

the Federal Cross of Merit.

Michael Antwerps.

father in her book "Phoenix

Foundation (a tribute to its

children in Vietnam. Lisa

Federle (born 1961) made

1986 as a mother of four children

written in the evening," explain the

loan for years.

age of 37.

both

to the mobile testing site.

became the mobile doctor's office

Lisa Federle...



### Isabelle Müller...

...on May 25, 1964 in Tours

(France) as the youngest of five children of a Vietnamese woman

and a Frenchman. works as an author, interpreter and translator. Her Biographies "Phoenix Daughter -Hope was my path" and "Loan - From the Life of a Phoenix" already hit high waves. In 2016, the author the non-profit Loan Foundation, which supports educational projects for children of ethnic minorities in Vietnam realized. The book "On Happiness of Listening" will be published soon by Knaur and will be Presented on October 5. ip

The result is 320 daughter" and has been taking care of her Pages many stories from the Federle's professional life. "We both have the same passion Strong Mother Loan) for disadvantaged for writing," emphasizes Müller. And both are committed socially. "I was very moved by their stories and the Abitur at the evening gymnasium the way they personally deal with it and completed her doctorate in 1998 at the dealt with." says Müller. "yes" and "of course" answer the

"We then worked from morning until Both women clearly asked whether there would be a next book together.

Some readers say it is disgusting, filthy, littered, and dark. They also say that people meet

to set off firecrackers down there to let off steam because then it will be "nicely pops." From the outside, the complex also appears to be in need of renovation. Countless children use the underpass instead

often the traffic island on the busy Baumgartenstrasse. Many parents ask

In the course of this, the question of whether the way up over or down through is the safe one.

#### Bringing light into the darkness

Are all worries unfounded? PZ spoke with Katia Erdmann-Bott from the Birkenfeld municipal administration for more details. Her statements are based on

consultation with the Civil Engineering Department. From the Viewed from the street,

the underpass actually an eerie impression. As soon as the steps go down

are entered, several LED lights are activated by motion detectors. Light into the darkness

helps to attract passers-by to take away the fear. In recent years, years in terms of cleanliness. The public works department regularly checks the

underpass for contamination.

as well as pollution and removes them. For a larger clean-up campaign, the municipality even hires three or four a year a specialist company that works with high-pressure cleaners. In this way, approximately Graffiti removed. The former described as "filthy", public

From above, the underpass at the market square in Birkenfeld appears gloomy. Parents find this section of the route to school is too scarv for their children. PHOTOS: MEYER



Contrary to the fears of many parents, the underpass is well-lit and clean inside. Only graffiti adorns the walls and floor of the old building.

#### toilets are now

permanently closed due to vandalism. Instead, the sanitary facilities of the municipal

administration. Against youthful recklessness such as

Firecrackers in the underpass in the The community can do nothing to vent the situation

#### "No need for action"

Currently, Erdmann-Bott sees no need for action. The majority of children use the pedestrian island on Baumgartenstrasse, which has a 30 km/h speed limit.

#### stripes nearby - like the

Market Square bus stop – also reduced the danger. If parents are still concerned

or concerns, they should report them directly to the municipal

administration. Currently, Birkenfeld's focus is on inner-city

development. The road lavout and appearance should be optimized.

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