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CAVITE HELPS RAISE SOCIAL CONSCIOUSNESS ON HIV



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THE Provincial Government of Cavite through the Provincial Health Office in collaboration with the City Government of Tagaytay, the Cavite Positive Action Group and the Department of Health-Region IV-A joined the nation on a mobilization campaign for HIV Awareness through the International AIDS Candlelight Memorial 2019 held at the Tagaytay International Convention Center on May 27, 2019.

Participants to the event who came from different institutions and organizations assembled for "One Big Fight for Health and Rights of People Living with HIV". They all came to support the advocacy of breaking down barriers of stigma and discrimination among individuals diagnosed with the disease, as well as the affected families fighting with them. Students, health workers, and members of the LGBT community participated during the motorcade, showing much support to the efforts of

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DepEd, Australian gov't complete six-year development program

QUEZON CITY -- The Department of Education (DepEd) and the Australian government, through its Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID), formally concluded on Tuesday the Basic Education Sector Transformation (BEST) Program at Crowne Plaza Manila Galleria.

The BEST Program started in 2013 and is headed to complete the entire six-year development process on June 30 this year. The program reflects the ties between the Philippine and Australian governments towards refining the quality of and access to basic education in

the Philippines through enriched service delivery and governance which all formed part of its end-of-program outcomes.

The program also assisted the Philippine education sector in its shift from 10-year to K to 12 curriculum for basic education by supporting major reform areas in the Department, namely: pre-service and in-service teacher development; education leadership and management; curriculum and assessment; development of learning and teaching materials; construction of disaster-resilient, gender sensitive, and disability-inclusive classrooms; context-

specific learning systems; policy and planning; unified information systems; gender and development; and organizational development.

"BEST has helped DepEd build the foundation for K to 12 and opened the paths for further refinements such as curriculum review, which is ongoing already," DepEd Undersecretary and Chief of Staff Nepomuceno Malaluan stated in his keynote address.

Malaluan further added that through the programs of BEST, DepEd has continued to upgrade the professional competencies of teachers and school leaders and has paved the way in building the capability of schools to provide the learning environment towards the delivery

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Cavite province pushes to boost local tourism

CAVITE PROVINCE – The Provincial Tourism and Cultural Affairs Office (PTCAO) is determined to boost the province's tourism as it spearheaded recently some major activities held in key cities here including the Filipino Food Festival at SM City Trece Martires that showcased homegrown food products and delicacies.

About 20 food exhibitors from the small and medium enterprises (SMEs) in the province joined the event, namely: Cafe Amadeo; Ben & Lyn Chocolate, Inc.- Indang made of tablea; GenTri's Best Fresh Buffalo's Milk;

Delfa's, Kimchahong, Tiendas, Nikimat's and The Greener Grins Food Products; Dunong Ani French Style Bangus of Cavite State University-Naic; The Original Tablea Batirol- Alfonso; Ate Bebot Special Puto Bumbong and Bibingka; Goldilocks and Max's Restaurant Goodies and SM Food Products.

The conduct of the event was in collaboration with the marketing department of SM City Trece Martires.

PTCAO also conducted an earlier activity which was the opening of the

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GRAND OPENING OF CTIAC

THE Provincial Tourism and Cultural Affairs Office (PTCAO) opened the Cavite Tourist Information and Assistance Center (CTIAC) on May 17, 2019 at RFC Molino Mall in the City of Bacoor to disseminate tourism-related information, promote the province's tourist destinations, and provide assistance to tourists and tourism enterprises. Provincial Tourism Officer Ms. Elinia Imelda Rozelle S. Sangalang and Owner of RFC Molino Mall Mrs. Estrella C. del Mundo led the ribbon cutting ceremony of the newly opened information and assistance center.

Inside the center, local products manufactured by MSMEs are also offered under the umbrella of the Provincial Cooperative, Livelihood and Entrepreneurial Development Office (PCLEDO) to continuously promote and showcase the food,

delicacies and handicraft products of the province.

While plan for more strategic location is being undertaken, the temporary location inside the Cavite Local Economic and Investment Promotion Center in RFC Molino Mall, Bacoor City hopes to carry out the objectives relative to tourist information and assistance. The said center is also one of the requirements to be qualified for the Seal of Good Local Governance award.

Other guests who are in attendance were officers and members of Cavite Travel and Tours Association (CTTA) and National Association of Independent Travel Agencies (NAITAS)- Cavite Chapter; del Mundo Family, Owner of RFC Molino Mall; and PCLEDO Entrepreneurial Division staff.





PHO SUPPORTS MENDEZ' 2ND BUNTIS CONGRESS

Cavite Provincial Health Office (PHO) supported the 2nd Buntis Congress dubbed as "Happy day, para kay Mommy and Baby" of the Local Government of Mendez-Nuñez spearheaded by the Municipal Health Office (MHO) with their head, Dr. Rosalina Veridiano on May 29, 2019 at the Municipal Covered Court. Almost a hundred pregnant women from the municipality attended the gathering and underwent HIV screening and oral prophylaxis rendered by the medical and dental team of PHO. Highlight of the event was the Ms. Ganda Mo Teh 2019, a beauty contest for pregnant women. Ms. Jean Vera Gueco from Anuling Lejos was crowned as Ms. Ganda Mo Teh 2019, Ms. Mary Jane Nero from Brgy. Asis and Ms. Milka Esguerra of Poblacion 7 got the 1st runner-up and 2nd runner-up, respectively. Winners received cash prize and gift packs from Megasoft Company and the MHO. An audio-visual presentation on family planning, breastfeeding and safe motherhood was also shown to raise awareness among the mothers who were present at the event. Dr. Jose N. Auditor, Municipal Administrator and Dr. Veridiano, emphasized in their message the importance of prenatal visit, nutrition during pregnancy, benefits of exclusive breastfeeding, family planning and responsible parenthood.

OWWA...

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it started when Robinsons offered us a place kung saan puwede magtayo ng satellite office. So we took the opportunity because ito ay isang paraan para makareach-out sa mga place na medyo malayo sa aming office na nasa Calamba City," she explained.

(This partnership started when Robinsons offered us a place where we can put up a satellite office. So we took the opportunity because this is a way to reach out to places which are far from our office in Calamba City.)

According to the Regional Director, the agency aims to extend its services to OFWs and their families.

Calabarzon in particular is one of the regions which has a high number of OFWs.

"Kung anong ino-offer

namin na services sa aming Calamba Office iyon rin ang offered natin sa bagong office. But of course when it comes to processing there would be some documents which will have to be forwarded to Calamba," she added.

(The services offered in the Calamba office will also be offered at the new office. But of course when it comes to processing there would be some documents which will have to be forwarded to Calamba.)

According to Magtibay, Robinsons started partnering with government offices through their Lingkod Pinoy Centers which provide frontline services as early as 2010.

"We started the Lingkod Pinoy Center back in 2010 and the whole idea was to put government offices under one roof especially

those which the public heavily transacts with and along the way we already had a partnership with OWWA in Robinsons Place Iloilo and it has proven to be a very good partnership. So when we were building Robinsons Galleria South in San Pedro City we had an idea to be more active in our partnership with OWWA," said Magtibay.

She added that Robinsons Galleria South is seen to attract crowds including stakeholders due to both the accessibility to government services and unique mall features.

Robinsons Galleria is targeted to open on July 2019 at the Lingkod Center.

Aside from OWWA, Other government offices like Philhealth and Social Security System among others will be opening offices at the forthcoming mall. (GG, PIA4A)

jobs or undereducated and sickly. Based on the two impact studies, the program had positive effects on education and health of children and pregnant women.

The studies showed that program beneficiaries have higher enrolment and attendance rates and lower drop-outs as compared to non-beneficiaries.

As regards health, children-beneficiaries have increased availment of basic health services and reduced severe stunting especially to children from 6 months to 3 years old.

The impact studies also showed that more pregnant women availed of maternal health services and an increased delivery in accredited birthing facilities, as compared to those who are not covered by the program.

Meanwhile, since 2015, the program has paved the way for almost 1 million children-beneficiaries to compete high

DA urges meat importers to patronize local hog raisers

QUEZON CITY—In the wake of the risks posed by the African Swine Flu (ASF), Agriculture Secretary Manny F. Piñol urged meat importers to patronize meats from the local hog raisers.

Piñol said importers should also take precautions from importing processed meat products even from countries not affected by ASF.

"We are not stopping you from doing your business, but we need to be cautious," Piñol said during a meeting on May 28, 2019.

He said that until such time that the high-risk countries are identified, importers should also take precautions from importing processed meat products even from countries not affected by ASF.

"High-risk countries is defined as any country contiguous with an ASF-affected country which may impose potential threat," Piñol stressed.

With about four to five months buffer stock from domestic and cold storage, the Secretary assured the meat importers that local hog raisers are prepared to supply the country's demand.

"The Department of Finance (DOF) approved the importation of about 300,000 metric tons (MT) of yellow corn from the US to support our livestock industry," Piñol said.

Piñol added that the Department targets to develop 100,000-hectare production area for sorghum this year to supplement animal feeds and ultimately increase production of livestock animal and meat.

According to Agriculture Undersecretary for Operations Ariel T. Cayanan, the appeal of DA and hog raisers aims to resolve future food security problems.

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He boasted the country's credit rating upgrade, which he said, is now in the BBB+ category.

"Ibig sabihin, we are just one step ahead. Nagtabla na tayo sa America pati sa Japan, AAA," the President explained.

Economic activities in areas outside Metro Manila are becoming more robust as evidenced by increased bank savings, he noted.

In Davao City in particular, experts are seeing a rising middle class. Real property prices in the city is also now at par with the prices in Metro Manila.

"So 'yan ang indicator mo na gumagana. Kami naman dito, hindi man ako technician, tinitingnan ko lang 'yung

school and more than 30,000 to graduate from college.

As of March 31, 2019, the program covers 41,552 barangays in all 145 cities and 1,483 municipalities in 80 provinces nationwide with 4.18 million active households. (DSWD)

"The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) said that while the temperature or the heat needed to kill viruses is a good parameter, we cannot take this as the sole parameter to be considered. On a regulatory point, it is not yet secured," Cayanan said.

"While ASF will not affect people, we also need to look at the food security concerns of the country," the undersecretary said.

Meanwhile, the FDA has issued Memorandum Order No. 2019-046 for all importers, distributors, retail outlets, dealers to immediately recall all pork meat products imported from countries that might be affected by ASF.

"The moment that these products are displayed in the shelves of supermarkets, the FDA will write the supermarket owners a letter of inquiry and will require them to explain why they have these products," Cayanan said.

The order also calls for the seizure of all imported pork meat products for distribution, offered for sale, transfer, and/or for donation found during the conduct of continuous monitoring of FDA Regulation Officers.

FDA has assured the department that it has already suspended the issuance of registration of processed pork meat products from the identified ASF-affected countries.

Pursuant to DA Memorandum Order no. 30 and 31, FDA expanded its temporary ban of entry of meat and meat products from Russia, Ukraine, Czech Republic, Moldova, South Africa, Zambia, Hungary, Bulgaria, Belgium, Latvia, Poland, Romania, China (including Hong Kong and Macau), Mongolia, Vietnam, and Cambodia. (PIA DA-AFID)

consumption ng electricity, energy, napakataas na," he said.

"So in about five years' time, kung masunod lang sana ng presidente ang ginagawa ko, medyo tuloy-tuloy."

And as he completes his three remaining years in office, President Duterte advised Filipinos to choose the right leader who could continue what he has started.

The President also mentioned the campaign against the proliferation of illegal drugs, which according to him, is now waning as a result of government's relentless campaign.

The fight against corruption, as well as crime, will also continue to fulfill his 2016 campaign pledge.

The President, who is in a four-day visit here, will address today, May 31, Nikkei's 25th International Conference on the Future of Asia.

After that, he will meet Japanese Prime Minister Shinzo Abe in a bilateral meeting before returning to the Philippines. (PND)

DSWD...

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Development Authority (NEDA), in its launch of the 2015 Official Poverty Statistics said, "One of the major factors in this improvement of poverty reduction is the increased budget in government's social development programs, which significantly augmented the income of the poorest households... The regularity of the cash transfer sustained for three years for many CCT beneficiaries has accorded them some resiliency to weather certain shocks. The program also induced more economic activity in the poor barangays given the presence of a cash economy. These conditions may have also encouraged a number of them to diversify their livelihood sources."

Moreover, in its 2017 Socio-Economic Report, NEDA

stated that, "By far, the most comprehensive program to address [...] vulnerability is the Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (4Ps). This program needs to be sustained and even enhanced."

Furthermore, the World Bank in its 2018 assessment of poverty in the Philippines (Making Growth Work for the Poor) reported that "transfers from government social programs [CCT] contributed about 25 percent of the [reduction in poverty incidence between 2006 and 2015.]"

Likewise, impact evaluations on the program done and completed in 2012 and 2014 showed that the program can break the intergenerational cycle of poverty, helping poor families escape the poverty trap of being poor because they have no decent

Fourteen aspiring entrepreneurs successfully finished the last part of BIZ iCREATE

CAVITE'S Responsible Entrepreneurs Aiming Toward Economic Sustainability on May 28, 2019 at PCLEDO Training Area, CaCoDeC in Trece Martires City. The program aims to equip Cavite SMEs with proper training for the enhancement of their knowledge in running a business towards sustainability and economic development.

In the last session, participants divided into two groups presented their business plan to the panel composed of Mr. Rico P. Chavez, Senior Trade and Industry Development Specialist, DTI-Cavite; Ms. Greziel M. Baylous, Marketing Manager of RGER SERVICES; Mr. Zandro M. Catacutan, Faculty Researcher of Cavite State University- Main Campus; Mr. Allan G. Reclusado, Manager/Owner of Aqua Four A Purified/Alkaline Water Station; and Mr. Ashley C. Espino, BSBA Marketing Management graduate of Polytechnic University of the Philippines-San Pedro Laguna Campus. Panelists recommended some essential tips and strategies that can improve their business plan.

Afterwards, the graduation ceremony of BIZ iCREATE Batch 1 was held at the Ceremonial Hall of the Provincial Capitol. Entrepreneurial Division Head Ms. Liza C. Gabatan warmly congratulated the graduates and discussed the overview of BIZ iCREATE. Likewise, Office-in-Charge of PCLEDO Atty. Khervy B. Reyes delivered his inspirational message wherein he echoed that an effective

businessman does not only focus in increasing his net income but also on creating jobs, helping the community and saving the environment. Dr. Aldrin P. Antivola, BIZ iCREATE Resource Person, shared a message of encouragement to the graduates as he compared the success of an entrepreneur to an eagle who uses its wings to soar high and attain success. He also pointed out that everyone should not be a quitter or a camper but be a climber who continues to ascend – someone who is determined to live life to its fullest and always has the spirit of success. On behalf of DTI-Cavite Dir. Noly D. Guevara, Mr. Chavez delivered his words of challenge and assured that the door of DTI is always open to assist and help entrepreneurs. In response, Batch 1 BIZ iCREATE graduate Ms. Angelina M. San Pedro expressed her gratefulness for the success of the training. She reiterated that in order to be successful one must know how to get along and always offer unique and extraordinary products and services to the consumers.

Highlight of the ceremony was the presentation of special awards to the graduates. The Best in Business Plan award were presented to Royette O. Candanido of The Dairy Dose and Angelina M. San Pedro of Precious Knowledge Training Center while Best in Product Innovation award were received by Sheryl Gerona of PRV-357 Trading-Organik Jam and Angelica U. Chongco of Bath & Body Home-Mayumi Organics.

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Also present in the event were representatives from the Australian government headed by Mr. Mat Kimberley, Deputy Head of Mission, and DepEd officials including Undersecretary for Planning, Human Resource and Organizational Development, and Field Operations, Jesus L.R. Mateo; Undersecretary for Legislative Office, External Partnerships, and Project Management, Tonisito M.C. Umali, Esq.; Central Office Directors; Regional and Assistant Regional Directors; Bureau chiefs; and various partners and stakeholders. (DepEd)

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The launching of the CTIAC was attended by members of the Cavite Travel and Tours Association and the National Association of Independent Travel Agencies - Cavite Chapter; Del Mundo Family, owner of RFC Molino Mall; and the Provincial Cooperative, Livelihood and Entrepreneurial Development Office-entrepreneurial division staff. (Ruel Francisco, PIA-Cavite/with reports from PICAD)

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of quality, accessible, relevant, and liberating basic education for all.

"We come together today and celebrate this partnership, the friendships, the journey, and the accomplishments of the BEST education sector transformation program," Malaluan added.

Among the highlights of the event were the ceremonial handover of project outputs and signing of deed of donation, BEST products exhibits, video presentations, panel discussions, and the closing remarks from the directors of BEST regions including the National Capital Region (NCR) and Regions V,

Cavite...

Cavite Tourist Information and Assistance Center (CTIAC) on May 17 at RFC Molino Mall in the City of Bacoor.

The center aims to disseminate tourism-related information, promote the province's tourist destinations, and provide assistance to tourists and tourism enterprises.

CTIAC also shared its office as venue for local MSMEs to exhibit and promote their products.



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the government in giving hope, engaging the community and raising social consciousness on HIV.

Prior to the memorials that include the lighting of candles, OIC-City Health Officer Dr. Liza Fe Capupus welcomed everyone on behalf of Tagaytay City Mayor Agnes Tolentino, and thanked the Provincial Health Office for helping them conduct this year's HIV/AIDS Awareness Program. Dr. Capupus also acknowledged the kind assistance of Provincial HIV/AIDS Program Coordinator

Haydeliza Maderazo; Cavite Positive Action Group (CPAG) Coordinator Joseph Honra and Cristina Capacete from DOH and the rest of the team who voluntarily lectured, counseled and performed free HIV testing during the event. The timely lecture presented was the HIV/AIDS awareness and prevention in light of the alarming increase of HIV/AIDS cases detected particularly among the younger bracket of the population. The simple AIDS Candle Lighting Memorial Ceremony 2019 in Tagaytay City became

a very solemn one. Words of commitment from UGAT-LGBTQ President Randy Alvarez and testimonial from CPAG truly touched the hearts of everyone inside the hall. Messages were sincere, deep enough to create impact, promote and encourage education to further intensify the drive to fight for the health and rights of people living with HIV. The International AIDS Candlelight Memorial which started in 1983 is one of the world's oldest and largest grassroots mobilization campaigns for HIV Awareness, being coordinated by the Global Network of People living with HIV.

CALABARZON IPs create manifesto for community development

CALAMBA CITY, Laguna – CALABARZON Indigenous Peoples (IPs) together with various agencies formulated a manifesto that will serve as driving force to their community's development.

The Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) - 4A Institutional and Partnership Development Officer Ohhara Dulay presented the Manifesto during the recent 2nd Quarter Meeting of the Sectoral Committee on Social Development and Social Protection at the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) 4A Compound, in Milagrosa here. The Manifesto was the output of the Regional Indigenous Peoples (IP) Summit held in Rizal Province last year.

"The main purpose of the event is to focus on alliance-building, raising awareness and duty-bearers towards IP empowerment," she explained.

The Summit gathered Chieftains and Members of the IP Groups including the Dumagats, Aetas and Sama-Bajau as well as National Government Agencies (NGAs), Local Government Units (LGUs) and Non-Government Units (NGOs).

It also served as a venue to raise awareness of stakeholders on the situation of the IPs in the Geographically Isolated and Disadvantaged Areas (GIDAs) with different issue and concern particularly but not limited to the National Government Agencies' programs for IPs; validate their needs and demands; acquire initial commitment and involvement of the national agency through its regional officer and other NGOs, peoples' organization (PO) and business corporate foundation.

Through a dialogue, IPs were encouraged to voice out their grievances and experiences documented by all the present agencies during the summit.

"Makakatulong ito para makamit natin ang ating pangarap sa ating mga katutubo," (This would help our IPs realize their dreams) Dulay said as she read the message of DSWD 4A Officer-in-Charge Annie E. Mendoza.

During the summit,

Mendoza said: "Kayo ang gumagawang paraan para maging maunlad ang inyong buhay. Na hindi umaasa sa iba o sa pamahalaan. With the help of partner agencies, we are with you in achieving your dream."

(You can make a way to help improve your lives without being dependent on anybody or the government with the help of partner agencies, we are with you in achieving your dream.)

Mendoza also highlighted the importance of knowing the IPs real situation in order to achieve the dream of improving the lives of the IP communities in the country. She stressed out the willingness of various agencies to assist them to enable them to live independently from the government and others.

Dulay quoted one of the Dumagat Chieftains from Quezon named Solomon Borris, who said, "Matuto tayong tumayo sa sarili nating mga paa... sapagkat may kakayanan tayong ipaglaban ang ating karapatan... kung hindi, mananatili tayong ganito." (We should learn how to stand on our own because we have the ability to fight for our own rights or else we will continue to remain this way.)

The IP Chieftain urged his fellow-IP to fight for their rights and stand on their own feet to be able to move forward and progress. IPs were able to lay down their situation in their Manifesto. Their educational concerns include high incidence of out of school children and youth and lack of education facilities.

In terms of Health and Sanitation, they experience rise in population, scarcity of medical instruments, unavailability of IP health worker, and lack of their own lavatory.

The IP communities also need sustainable livelihood, agricultural inputs and tools and markets for their products, and decent farm-to-market roads.

They also noted the issues on Ancestral Domain pertaining to the slow process of issuing Certificate of Ancestral Domain Title Number and the cancellation of the Joint Agreement Order between Department of Agrarian

Reform (DAR), National Commission on Indigenous Peoples (NCIP) and Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR).

Another concern is their cultures and practices like early marriage and lack of alternative source of income that results to mendicancy.

Other issues include discrimination, representation of Indigenous People Mandatory Representative (IPMR) in the local government units, existence of solemnizing officers, the wrong perception of military men on IP communities with close interaction with rebel group who are treated as sympathizers, and the need of IPs for support from other stakeholders.

As indicated in the manifesto, in relation to the situation they have laid down, they are likewise taking responsibility to actively take part in improving their community's condition.

They also pledged to cooperate in improving the condition of all the IPs, ensure that their children are sent to school and will finish their studies, help in spreading the importance of health in their community, efficiently utilize the programs and assistance they are receiving, work hard in order to prevent mendicancy, widen their knowledge and share it to their fellow IPs, and to take part in keeping peace and order in their tribes.

Meanwhile, IPs are lobbying for the support of various agencies for the success of achieving progress in all the IP communities.

They urged everyone to prioritize giving them programs that are based on what they really need and for the national and local governments to allocate funds for programs dedicated to them.

The IPs also appealed for an opportunity to have a representative in the Sub-Committee on Social Development of the Regional Development Council (RDC).

And finally, to form a committee comprised of different agencies who will focus on promoting the rights and development of the IPs.

The crafting of this Manifesto, signed and agreed by the IPs themselves and the stakeholders, is seen as a big step towards improving the status of the IPs in the region. (Joy Gabrido, PIA4A)

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EDITORIAL

Clenched fist

They say a picture paints a thousand words.

That photo of the winning senatorial bets during their proclamation last week says it all.

Except for reelectionist Senators Grace Poe and Nancy Binay, the rest of the newly-proclaimed winners did the signature Duterte raised fist salute as they posed for a photo at the Philippine International Convention Center.

Majority of those who won seats in the Philippine Senate are regarded as allies of President Rodrigo Duterte, prompting many to say that the last midterm elections was a fresh mandate for the sitting President going into the last three years of his term.

Instead of raising fists, Poe instead placed her right hand on her chest, while Binay formed a number one sign with her left hand symbolizing her political party, the United Nationalist Alliance.

Out of the 12 elected senators, only Poe, Binay and actor Lito Lapid were not supported by the administration. Poe is an independent candidate, Binay is with UNA and Lapid was backed by the Nationalist People's Coalition.

Some say Poe and Binay stuck out like sore thumbs in the photo although a few netizens commended them for standing up to their independence. It's a statement, they say.

Is this a portent of things to come in the Senate? Many are of the opinion it is. Poe has been known to be independent minded, a trait that has supposedly endeared her to a lot of Pinoys. Binay, although criticized early on in her Senate stint, has acquitted herself rather well on various issues.

But what's in a raised fist really? The signature Duterte salute has been flashed not only by officials allied to the Chief Executive. It has even been tolerated by world leaders whenever they have photo-ops with the President. It's just a way of accommodating one as a symbol of solidarity and support.

The raised fist is not a Duterte original. It has been used in the past to express unity, strength, defiance or resistance, the latter more prominently demonstrated by the leftist groups in the country.

The clenched fist syndrome has not been fully explained yet in major psychiatric textbooks. The phenomenon, instead has been illuminated mainly in journals and textbooks on hand surgery. There is a need, they say, to examine, describe and understand this syndrome from a psychiatric perspective.

The raised fist was frequently used in propaganda posters produced during the May 1968 revolt in France. The symbol has been picked up and incorporated around the world by various oppressed groups. In 2015, it has emerged in the southeast area of Ukraine among the separatists battling the Ukraine Kiev government forces.

The raised fist salute consists of raising one arm in the air with a clenched fist. The meaning, however, can vary based on context.

Different movements sometimes use different terms to describe the raised fist salute: among communists and socialists, it is sometimes called the red salute, whereas among some African-American activists, especially in the United States, it has been called the Black Power salute. During the Spanish Civil War, it was sometimes known as the anti-fascist salute.

Nelson Mandela also used the clenched fist salute upon his release from Victor Verster Prison in 1990. The raised fist is used by officials in Mainland China when being sworn into office.

The fact that it has been made an issue with that proclamation photo-op is not one that should boggle the mind. While their peers demonstrated their openness to working with the administration, Poe and Binay must have thought they should not be coerced into doing the same.

As psychologist Oliver James has suggested, the appeal of the salute is that it allows the individual to indicate that they "intend to meet malevolent, massive institutional force with a force of (their) own," and that they are bound in struggle with others against common oppression.

With only four true-blue opposition senators left, Poe and Binay as well as some other similarly minded colleagues could still make deliberations in the Senate exciting, with or without clenched fists.



KAPIRASONG Kritika

Ni Teo S. Marasigan

Tato on My Mind

Part 1

NITONG Marso 10 ang ika-100 kaarawan ni Renato Constantino — progresibo at makabayang historyador at kritikong panlipunan, at awtor ng maraming mahalagang sanaysay at libro. Bilang paggunita, maraming aktibista ang nag-post, kalakhan sa Facebook, tungkol sa kanyang mga sulatin at sa papel ng mga ito sa kanilang pagkamulat at paninindigan.

Kapag sinabing kaisipang makabayan at anti-imperyalista sa Pilipinas, lalo na matapos ang World War II, isa ang pangalan ni Constantino sa mga laging mababanggit — kasama ang senador na si Claro M. Recto, ang historyador at manunulat na si Teodoro A. Agoncillo, at ang lider-Komunista na si Jose Maria Sison. Guro siya, sila, ng ilang henerasyon ng mga makabayan at aktibista at ng kilusan ng mga ito.

Isa sa pinakahuling nagbanggit ang manunuring pampulitikang si Temario C. Rivera, sa kanyang presentasyong "The FQS (1970) in Philippine History: Impact on Politics" na pinost ng Arkibong Bayan sa Facebook. Mahalaga aniya ang kaisipan ng apat sa pag-alab ng nasyunalismo at kilusang masa noong dekada 60 — na nag-ambag naman sa mga dambuhalang protesta na binungkos sa tawag na First Quarter Storm ng 1970.

Maraming nailathalang sulatin sa kanyang mahaba at produktibong buhay si Constantino. Ang mahahabang sanaysay pa lang niya, panandang-bato na sa iba't ibang usapin, may mga titulong malakas ang dating: "Veneration Without Understanding" (1969) tungkol sa pagiging pambansang bayani ni Jose Rizal, "The Miseducation of the Filipino" (1959), tungkol sa kolonyal na edukasyon sa bansa, "Parents and Activists" (1971) tungkol sa ugnayan ng mga aktibista at kanilang magulang.

Ngayon, mas kilala siya sa dalawang-tomong kasaysayan ng Pilipinas, co-author ang asawa at kapwa-makabayan niyang si

Letizia R. Constantino: ang *A Past Revisited* (1975), saklaw ang pananakop ng Espanya hanggang bago ang World War II at *The Continuing Past* (1978), saklaw naman ang World War II hanggang bago ang diktadurang US-Marcos.

Marami rin siyang librong koleksyon ng sanaysay. Matatandaan ang *Dissent and Counter-consciousness* (1970), na ang titulo'y nagpapahaging ng paniniwalang madalas sabihin ni Constantino, tinatanganan niya, at pinapatunayan mismo ng mga sulatin niya: mahalaga, kung hindi man susi, ang kamalayan sa pagbago o pagpapanatili ng sistemang panlipunan.

Noong dekada 90, pinapabasa na sa klase — ng mga propesor na naging aktibista, saglit o matagalan — ang *A Past Revisited at The Continuing Past*. Puno ng highlight, salungguhit, bilog, at magugulong sulat ng mga nag-aaway na mambabasa ang mga kopya nito na pinapa-Xerox nang walang humpay. Ang mas masipag na estudyante, magbabasa ng iba pang sulatin ni Constantino — mas payapa ang mga pahina, pero magulo pa rin.

Sa panahong iyun, may mga estante sa National Book Store na puno ng iba't ibang akda ng mag-asawa, kasama ang maninipis na libro at mga booklet na tila laan talaga sa mga guro at estudyante. May kolum din si Constantino noon sa diyaryong *Manila Bulletin* — kung saan pinagsusulat ang mga iginagalang ng lipunan pero hindi naman binabasa.

Mahusay na introduksyon sa makabayang kasaysayan, at makabayang kaisipan sa kabuuan, si Constantino. Maipagpapalagay na karaniwang Pilipinong mambabasa ng Ingles ang gusto niyang paliwanagan. Hakbang-hakbang siyang maglatag ng datos at argumento bago tumumbok sa kongklusyon. Nagsisimula siya sa kung nasaan ang mga mambabasa, hindi sa kung saan niya gustong dalhin sila. Tinitimpi ang isip sa pag-aaral dahil mula rito lumalabas ang suklam sa dulo kadalasan, at

ang kagustuhang kumilos.

Pero higit sa lahat, nakakayanig ng isipan ang laman ng mga sulatin niya. Ang mga hiwa-hiwalay na pangyayari, naipapaloob sa kabuuan ng isang naratibo. Ang mga bida, nagiging kontra-bida; at ang kontra-bida, nagiging bida. Ang karaniwan, biglang nagiging makabuluhan; ang banal, nasasadlak sa imburnal. Ang sambayanan, na laging binabanggit sa kasaysayan sa elementarya at hayskul pero hindi naikukwento, sinikap buuin ang kwento.

Kapag nabasa mo si Constantino, hindi ka magdadalawang-isip na sabihing Marxista siya. Pero hindi siya iyung maya't maya ang pagsipi sa mga akda nina Marx. Kapag may prinsipyong Marxista siyang kailangan — halimbawa, ang pagkaugat ng mga pangyayari sa moda ng produksyon, o ang papel ng mga lider at bayani kumpara sa papel ng masa sa kasaysayan — matiyaga niya itong ipinapaliwanag sa simpleng wika. Sapul niya ang esensya, at makakatindig ito, hindi kailangan ng pangalan o sipi.

Sa mga estudyanteng papasok sa mga unibersidad na kilala sa mga protesta, laging may nagsasabing "Huwag kang mag-aaktibista ah." Sa mga akda ni Constantino, makikita ang dahilan, ang mga batayan para maging aktibista. Napakalakas naman pala! Hindi iilan ang nagbaba ng libro niya at ngitngit na nagtanong tungkol sa iba't ibang inhustisya: Bakit ngayon ko lang ito nalaman? Bakit hindi ito alam ng karamihan?

Kung babasahin ang mga libro sa kasaysayan ni Constantino, madaling makitang hindi karaniwan, istandard, akademiko o "obhetibo" na kasaysayan ang isinusulat niya. Malinaw siya sa gusto niyang gawin: mag-ambag sa pagbubuo ng "kasaysayan ng sambayanan" o "people's history," partikular iyung naghahanap, nagpapatampok at nagsusuri sa pagkilos at paglaban ng masa.

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121st Flag Day celebrated in Imus City

By Ruel Francisco

IMUS CITY, Cavite— This year’s celebration of the Philippine Flag Day marks 121 years after the flag was first raised and waved in Imus City.

The event is held yearly at the Dambana ng Pambansang Watawat/Heritage Park, Miguel Santo in Barangay Alapan II-B here in the city.

National government

agency officials from the National Historical Commission of the Philippines, the Department of Education, Armed Forces of the Philippines, Philippine National Police, the Department of Interior and Local Government, the Department of Public Works and Highways and Imus City Mayor Hon. Emmanuel L. Maliksi with Vice Mayor Arnel M. Cantimbuhan graced the event with their

presence and support.

The national hymn was sung by Ms. Bayang Barrios followed by a march of colors by cadets of the Philippine Navy.

Celebrity guest to the event was stage and movie actor John Arcilla who recited the Oath to the Philippine Flag followed by the wreath-laying offered by Ruel T. Maranan, President, Ayala Foundation, Inc. and Dr. Rene R. Escalante, head

of the National Historical Commission of the Philippines.

A welcome message was given by Mayor Maliksi, expressing his appreciation to the people behind this annual celebration, for continuously remembering this historical event to keep patriotism alive in the hearts and minds of the Filipino youth.

Special Assistant to the Governor Mr. Ruperto Sangalang, representing Cavite Governor Jesus Crispin “Boying” Remulla, read the governor’s speech recalling the historical events leading to the uprising in the Battle of Alapan, the first and greatest battle

that fueled the succeeding uprisings against the Spanish conquerors that led to the independence of our people, and the governor’s appeal to the current generation.

“Tayo na po sa patuloy na pagkilos patungo sa isang tunay na paglaya, paglaya sa pangaapi at panggigipit ng ilang makapangyarihang bansa, paglaya sa kamangmangan, paglaya sa gutom at kahirapan ng mga Pilipino.”

(Let us continue to move toward a true liberation, liberation from oppression and harassment of some powerful nations, liberation from ignorance, liberation from hunger and poverty of the Filipinos)

CAVITEVIEW

Game of Thrones Review: The Ending we deserve

By Vangie Minogue

Who would have thought Game of Thrones would end on a goofy note, with Tyrion at the helm of a small council meeting telling jokes about brothels- and Bronn as the newly minted Lord of Highgarden to boot. The Queen of Thornes, Olenna Tyrell, must be rolling in her grave. But I guess everything has become a free-for-all-shitshow in this world where we suddenly have useless, robotic Bran Stark as King. And all along I was secretly hoping the leaks were fake and were meant to mislead all the fans. Hindi pala. The absurd has become the real. Welcome to being fucked up by D&D. Kung saan Joke nalang lahat lahat. When Jon finally kills Dany as the leaks had predicted, the dragon had more pathos than Jon Snow in that scene. Ang hirap lang lulukin na after one talk with Tyrion, naconvinced na agad si Jon to kill the love of his life. Also it defies logic, how could Drogon let Jon get away with killing his mother?!?...no, hindi ako naniniwala na Drogon was a pussy and let Jon Snow just murder his mother ng ganun ganun nang, without fire and blood?! Sabihin eh ksi Targaryen si Jon Snow kaya he got away with it, love sha nung dragon. Chura. Hello, during the Dance of Dragons War, Targaryens and their dragons killed each, one Targ king even had his dragon eat a rival sister in the throne room. Kelangan believable man lang yung eksena maryosep. And making the dragon melt down the Iron Throne instead, anuba, such a fanboy move, para lang “wow cool, in the end, the throne is melted down, ang galing, symbolic...” says moronic fans

and d&d asslickers. As if ganun ang mode ni Drogon in the midst of his grief— to do something symbolic. We all want that fuckin’ throne melted really, but there must be a better way, a better context to enact that scene and its symbolism. This was just ridiculous.

And did he have to stab her in the middle of a kiss?! Ganung level kawalangyaan ng syuta kong si Jon Snow?!? The horror of it. Poor Dany. And poor Jon Snow. Now I fuckin’ hate the cold hearted sonofabitch. And we all hated Olly and Alliser Thorne when they betrayed Jon Snow “for the watch”, now our war hero ended up being worse than the ones who killed him. I need something more compelling, for Jon to cross that line...one talk with Tyrion wasn’t compelling enough for me. So really, Jon Snow came back to life and fell in love. Only to kill that same great love. Guy was always meant to be unhappy as fuck.

The only nice thing here is, that Ghost finally gets to be petted by Jon. Pero yun lang? A single scene of our bida finally petting his dog ang “sweet” na kaya nyong ibuga sa bitterness ng episode na ito? And he goes back beyond the Wall and we hear the tingit balahibo GoT theme and The End. Pweh.

I can’t help but think what was the point of ever being a Targaryen for Jon Snow? All those years of R+L=J theorizing from the fans. Only for the literal “song of ice and fire” to end up being a kinslayer and a queenslayer. Lord.

The montage where the Starks are shown at the end— with Sansa Queen in the North, Bran as King of the Six Kingdoms, Arya on her great adventure and

Jon back in the North, where he supposedly truly belongs was actually a great way to conclude the whole series, we see toward the end how the family who suffered most in the Game of Thrones wins in the end. The pack survives. Sweet justice ika nga. But how they got there, with Sansa as this distrustful, ungrateful and manipulative mini version of Cersei and Littlefinger combined...Bran this robotic individual with whom the audience has no sympathy for whatsoever...Jon our supposed Hero made helpless and mostly useless this season (he did not even get to kill the Night King), and Arya a cold killer who feels nothing and is beholden to nothing— I am not sure these are the protagonists we loved or have cheered for and much like the characters themselves, it all just leaves you feeling cold in the end. Jon especially seemed so cold and out of touch this season, the way he handled Daenerys was cold and insensitive and then without any preamble he just suddenly decides to kill his great love. It all seemed so contrived and well, it made Jon’s character irredeemable for me. This is not the Jon Snow I have rooted for and loved all these years. I

ended up believing that Jon Snow (after Tyrion Lannister) was the worst thing to have happened to Daenerys Targaryen. If she had never met these fuckers perhaps she would still have her friends, her dragons and her career goals all intact and reachable

Ayoko na mag-emote about her death at mapagahalataan lang na Dany fangirl ako mashado, pero let it be said that if they were gonna make her the central tragic figure at the series’ end, they should have at least threshed out the story better, para mas dama ng audience yung tragedy ni Daenerys, her fall from grace should have been one long painful ride for all of us Dany fans...then when Jon Snow finally stabs her in the heart...cathartic man lang sa dulo. A feeling of sadness and rightness to the whole story. This just leaves us shellshocked and feeling dumbed down.

If they wanted to show us all how our heroes can become the villains in the end, they should have spent more time threshing that out. Turning this hero of the past seven seasons the main villain in just two episodes was a ridiculous proposition and its execution was ludicrous to say the least.

Truly we needed more episodes and perhaps two more seasons to have properly pulled off that ending. If according to the show’s logic, Daenerys needed to die in the end, that’s fine. Just make sure it’s a damn good story. Ksi this was just awful. The series built her up all

these years, only to throw her under the bus in the end. She still deserved a better story teller than this. She. Deserved. Better. What they did to her— in around two episodes— was a disgrace.

Daenerys was powerful woman, she showed us how to triumph despite great odds, how to rise above being “sold, raped and defiled,” she freed slaves and helped save a nation from the great existential threat that is the Night King and his army of the dead. To turn that all to dust in the end, have her loose all those she loves, lose her claim to the throne and die betrayed in the arms of the man for whom she sacrificed so much was truly an injustice to this character.

Game of Thrones was a series that became known for its shocking twists and for subverting audiences’ expectations, but how the show ended with plot twists that just seemed to have been formulated solely for the shock value (case in point, Rhaegal’s illogical and pointless— but shocking— death) just alienated its audience further. Add to the the fact that numerous loopholes in the plot left many disbelieving and frustrated with how the story has been told. The End of Game Thrones has left its fans very sad and ultimately, not caring anymore. They ruined it and it will never be redeemed.

Honestly, I’ve read a dozen far better fanfiction than this ending they got here. Here’s to hoping GRRM finishes the books and we can all have the catharsis WE deserve.



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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
MULTIPLE SALA
IMUS, CAVITE

EXTRA-JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE OF
REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE UNDER ACT
3135 AS AMENDED BY ACT 4118

FC No. 16770-19

RCBC SAVINGS BANK
Mortgagee/ Assignee,

-versus-

SPS. RANNIE REY PALATINO AND
MARY KRIS MARQUILENCIA PALATINO
Mortgagors.
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NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under Act 3135 as amended by Act 4118 filed by RCBC SAVINGS BANK, mortgagee/assignee with principal office at 31/F RCBC Savings Bank Corporate Center, 26th & 25th Sts. Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City against SPS. RANNIE REY PALATINO and MARY KRIS MARQUILENCIA PALATINO with residence and postal address at Blk. 18, Lot 6, Phase 4, Wallflower St., Primarosa North Village, Mambog 3, Bacoor, Cavite and/or Blk. 2, Lots 2 & 3 Rosedale Subd., San Sebastian, Kawit, Cavite to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of May 6, 2019 amounts to TWO MILLION ONE HUNDRED TWENTY NINE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED TWELVE PESOS and 37/100 (P2,129,112.37) Philippine Currency, including interest and penalty charges but excluding attorney's fee, sheriff fees and all other charges incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the Undersigned Sheriff IV will sell at public auction on July 2, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. or soon thereafter at the main entrance of the Office of the Clerk of Court, RTC Multiple Sala, Bulwagan Ng Katarungan, Aguinaldo Highway, Imus, Cavite, to the highest bidder, for CASH and in Philippine Currency, the following property with all the improvements therein, to wit;

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 071-2018000882

Lot No: 3, Block No: 2 Plan No: PSD-04-235318
Portion of : Lot 3, Pcs-04-025796; LRC RECORD NO. FREE PATENT
LOCATION: BARANGAY OF SAN SEBASTIAN,
MUNICIPALITY OF KAWIT, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON.

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION

BOUNDARIES:

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT (S)
1-2	NE	ROAD LOT 2, PSD-04-235318
2-3	SE	LOT 4, BLOCK 2, PSD-04-235318
3-4	SW	LOT 6, BLOCK 2, PSD-04-235318
4-1	NW	LOT 2, BLOCK 2, PSD-04-235318

TIE POINT: MON. NO. 3, IMUS ESTATE

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
TO CORNER 1	S. 78° 14' E	539.91 M.
1-2	S. 19° 10' E	7.00 M.
2-3	S. 70° 51' W	9.93 M.
3-4	N. 19° 10' W	7.00 M.
4-1	N. 70° 51' E	9.93 M.

AREA: SIXTY NINE SQUARE METERS (69), MORE OR LESS

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title to the said property and encumbrances thereon if any there be.

Imus, Cavite, Philippines, May 10, 2019

ISRAEL S. MEDINA
Sheriff IV

APPROVED:

REGALADO E. EUSEBIO
Clerk of Court VI
And Ex-Officio Sheriff

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Kawit Cavite

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT
City of Bacoor, Cavite

Foreclosure No. 2019-87
For: Extra-Judicial Foreclosure of
Real Estate Mortgage

HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND,
Mortgagee,

-versus-

HARRY B. BESA JR. Married to
KATHY LYN S. BESA
Mortgagor.

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NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under Act 3135 as amended by Act 4118 filed by the mortgagee, HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND, of 12th Floor JELP Business Solutions Center, No 409 Shaw Boulevard, Mandaluyong City, and against the mortgagor, HARRY B. BESA JR married to KATHY LYN S. BESA, of LOT 5, BLOCK 1, LYNVILLE SUBDIVISION, MOLINO, BACOR, CAVITE, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of February 25, 2019 amounts to NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FORTY EIGHT PESOS AND 36/100 (P971,548.36), Philippine Currency, inclusive of interest, penalties and other charges, the undersigned or her duly authorized representative will sell at the public auction on JUNE 21, 2019 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning or soon thereafter, at the main entrance of the Hall of Justice of Bacoor City, Cavite, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency, the following described properties with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. T-1355041

“A PARCEL OF LAND (LOT 20, BLOCK 10 OF THE CONSOLIDATION-SUBDIVISION PLAN, PCS-04-024007, BEING A PORTION OF LOT 4897, IMUS ESTATE AND LOT 4898-A, PSD-04-159310, LRC RECORD NO. 8843), SITUATED IN THE BARANGAY OF SAN NICOLAS, MUNICIPALITY OF BACOR, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON. X X X CONTAINING AN AREA OF THIRTY SIX (36) SQ. METERS, MORE OR LESS. X X X “

“All sealed bid must be submitted to the undersigned on the above stated time and date.”

“In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on JUNE 28, 2019, without further notice.”

Prospective buyers or bidders are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the titles to the said properties and encumbrances, if any there be.

Bacoor City, Cavite, MAY 27, 2019

ATTY. LIZA D. VICTA
Clerk of Court VI

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MS. CRISTINA A. ESTEPA
12TH Floor JELP Business Solutions Center, No 409 Shaw Boulevard,
Mandaluyong City

HARRY B. BESA JR. Married to KATHY LYN S. BESA
LOT 20, BLOCK 10, VILLA ANTONINA SUBDIVISION, SAN
NICOLAS, BACOR, CAVITE
LOT 5, BLOCK 1,, LYNVILLE SUBDIVISION, MOLINO, BACOR,
CAVITE

WARNING: It is absolutely prohibited to remove, deface or destroy this notice of
Extra-Judicial Sale on or before the date of sale

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EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT AMONG LEGAL HEIRS

Notice is hereby given that the estate of the late GREGORIO SANDOVAL GARCIA, who died intestate on February 22, 2018 at Molino Bacoor City, Cavite leaving FOUR (4) parcel of land covered by Transfer Certificate of Title (TCT) No.: T-1089583, located at Brgy. Molino Bacoor Cavite, Transfer Certificate of Title (TCT) No.: T-132853, located at Brgy. Poblacion Bauan, Batangas, Transfer Certificate of Title (TCT) No.: T-159034, located at Bo. Espelota Muntinlupa, and Transfer Certificate of Title (TCT) No.: T-178349, located at Brgy. Brgy. San Jose Sta. Rosa Laguna, Two (2) Units of Motor Vehicle described as follows: Make: NISSAN, Plate No. TYV-942, Series: URVAN ESCAPADE, MV FILE NO. 1358-00000116336, MOTOR No. TD27-757904, Chassis No. TVP4LEFE24-A297214 Year Model: 2005, CR. No. 9749021-2 and Make: TOYOTA, Plate No. TYS-555, Series: HIACE COMMUTER, MV FILE NO. 1367-00000010151, MOTOR No. 2L-5443043, Chassis No. LH114-7013926 Year Model: 2004, CR. No. 284072773 and a Saving Account with account Number 9012346544at RCBC Saving Bank-Ayala Alabang Branch Amounting to Forty-One Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-Four and 96/100 (P41,234.96) Pesos has been extrajudicially settled by his heirs as per Doc. No. 81; Page No. 17; Book No. LXIV; Series of 2019, Notary Public ATTY. BRIAN B. PELLAZAR

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DENR, MPIC ink pact to rehabilitate Manila's 20 dirtiest esteros

By Susan G. De Leon

QUEZON CITY--The Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) recently forged a five-year partnership deal with MPIC for the cleanup of 20 dirtiest esteros that drain into Pasig River, under the DENR's Adopt-an-Estero/Water Body program.

The water bodies covered by the DENR-MPIC accord are Esteros de Vitas, San Lazaro, Kabulusan, Magdalena, Binondo, Dela Reina, Sampaloc, San Sebastian, San Miguel, Valencia, Uli-uli, Paco, Pandacan, Tanque, Balete, Provisor, Concordia, Sunog Apog, San Antonio Abad and Quiapo.

MPIC would work closely with DENR, local government units and other concerned government and private agencies to clean up these water ways that lead to Manila bay.

The partnership was sealed through a memorandum of understanding (MOU) signed by DENR Secretary Roy A. Cimatu and MPIC president and CEO Jose Ma. Lim.

According to Cimatu, the DENR-MPIC collaboration is a continuation of the battle cry for Pasig River: “rehabilitating a river, restoring life and reviving the pride.”

“Together, we will continue to clean every estero, assess their water quality and identify sources of pollution,” Cimatu said during the MOU signing held at the DENR central office in Quezon City.

“We will take appropriate actions against establishments discharging untreated wastewater to prevent them from further poisoning these waterways,” he added.

For his part, Lim assured that the MPIC—through its subsidiary Maynilad Water Services Inc.—“remains fully committed to protecting the environment.”

“Upon acknowledging the objective of the DENR to promote stewardship among the private sector, MPIC is set to assist government agencies in improving the water quality parameters of the country's water bodies,” Lim added.

Under the MOU, the MPIC agreed not only to fund the rehabilitation and water quality assessment of the adopted esteros, but also spearhead the mobilization of neighboring schools and communities for the cleanup activities.

The diversified conglomerate also assured that Maynilad will fast-track the rehabilitation of its sewer lines, intensify the connection of domestic and non-domestic customers to the existing sewerage network, install collector pipes and easements, and conduct information and education campaigns related to proper wastewater treatment and disposal.

The DENR, on the other hand, will provide the MPIC with all the relevant data for the conduct of the water quality assessment study, issue the necessary permits and approvals to enable the MPIC and Maynilad to perform their responsibilities, and take appropriate action against violators within the adopted esteros.

Established in 2010, the Adopt-an-Estero/Water Body is a flagship program of the DENR in response to the continuing mandamus of the Supreme Court for all concerned agencies to clean up Manila Bay, including all waterways that drain into it.

The program, which was eventually replicated in other parts of the country, is a collaborative undertaking among the estero community, the donor-partner, concerned local government units, the DENR and other government agencies. (PIA InfoComm/DENR)

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the estate of the late ENRICO SAPALICIO DATU, who died on January 27, 2019 at Greenwoods, Paliparan I, Dasmariñas City, Cavite leaving a Two Hundred Twelve Thousand Five hundred Twenty five 89/100 (P212,525.89) plus interest was deposited in PSBank GMA Cavite Branch and Three Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Four Peso (P325,494.00) plus interest was deposited in BDO Bank, GMA Cavite Branch has been extrajudicially settled by his heirs as per Doc. No. 261; Page No. 57; Book No. LXIV; Series of 2019, Notary Public ATTY. BRIAN B. PELLAZAR

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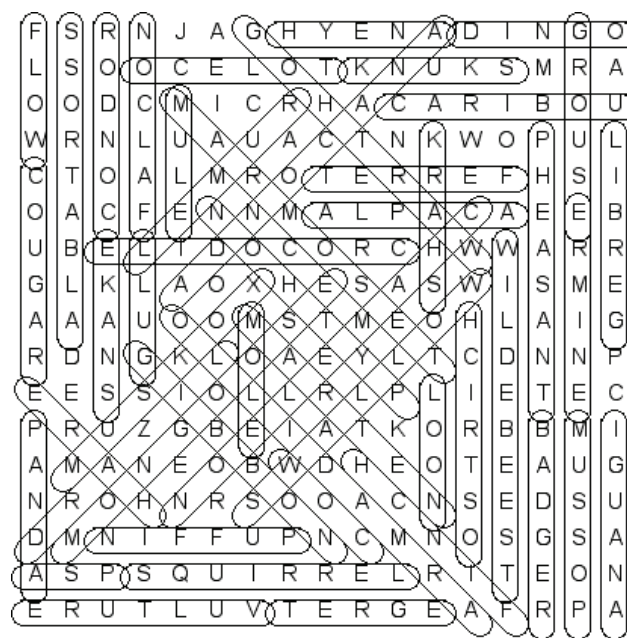
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Fill in the blank squares so that each row, each column and each 3-by-3 block contain all of the digits 1 thru 9.
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Stronger ties with Asia's economic powers to shield PH from uncertainties

TOKYO, Japan—President Rodrigo Duterte said Thursday he believes forging stronger economic relations with Asia's major economic powers would make the Philippines economically stable in the midst of economic uncertainties.

In a speech during his meeting here with the Filipino community, President Duterte said there is waning US global influence.

Currently, both the US and China imposed billions of dollars worth of tariffs on their exports which already disrupted trade and rattled financial markets.

"Kaya kailangan natin ang — at least — at the very least, mawala na lahat kasi ang America is really... Wala ang America it's — hindi — hindi na, it can't sustain. Kaya ayaw na rin ng gulo," he told the OFWs here.

"So kung hindi lang tayo iwanan ng Japan, (South) Korea, pati China, okay tayo."

~~China has promised the~~

Philippines a lot but those were affected by the trade war the President said.

In the middle of global economic woes, he advised Filipinos in Japan to become productive in their host country.

"Kaya kung ako sa inyo is you help Japan. Truly, 'yung in good faith. Sweat it out kasi unang-una they're kind to us and they provide us with so many things," he said.

He spelled out projects donated by Japan in the Philippines, citing Davao City's airport, which was constructed through the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA).

"Japan is a good country. It has — at saka ang mga workers natin dito hindi binabastos. You are really treated here as human being."

In the domestic front, the President reported that the government's economic policies have started to bear fruit.

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President Rodrigo Roa Duterte delivers his speech during the meeting with the Filipino community at the Palace Hotel in Tokyo, Japan on May 30, 2019. JOSEPH RAZON/PRESIDENTIAL PHOTO

OWWA IV-A Satellite Office to open in Robinsons Galleria South

By Kier Gideon Paolo M. Gapayao

CALAMBACITY-- The Overseas Workers Welfare Administration Region IV-A ink a Memorandum of Agreement with Robinsons Land Corporation to establish a satellite office at the Robinsons Galleria South in San Pedro City, Laguna.

OWWA IV-A Regional Director Ma. Luisa Reyes, OWWA Chief for Programs and Services Cynthia Erum, Robinsons Land Corporation Senior Vice President and Business Unit General Manager Arlene Magtibay and Robinsons Land Corporation Regional Operations Manager (Lipa, San Pedro & Las Piñas) R.J. Ramos

signed the agreement at the Xian Tian Di Restaurant, Crown Plaza Hotel, Ortigas on Tuesday.

Reyes said the San Pedro Satellite Office will provide the same services as the Calamba Regional Office so that locals need not travel to the central office in Ortigas or the RO.

"Itong partnership na ito, *continue to page 2*

DSWD welcomes institutionalization of 4Ps

QUEZON CITY -- The Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) lauded the signing into law of Republic Act 11310 institutionalizing the government's flagship poverty reduction program known as the Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program or 4Ps.

4Ps is an investment in human capital which seeks to break the intergenerational cycle of poverty by focusing on education and health of the beneficiaries. It provides conditional cash transfer to poor households around the country. It is being implemented by DSWD, in partnership with other government agencies, such as the Department of Health (DOH), Department of Education (DepEd), and Commission on Higher Education (CHED), among others.

DSWD emphasized that the signing of the law is the realization of the long time clamor of beneficiaries to make the program regular and permanent. It can be recalled that beneficiaries have continuously expressed apprehensions that the benefits they are receiving from 4Ps

might be stopped if the program will not be institutionalized. It is also important to mention that they played a role in achieving this feat by lobbying for the institutionalization of the program.

The Department added that with RA 11310, the continuity and sustainability of the program can be assured. The law makes the program more robust by prioritizing farmers and fisher folks, strengthening livelihood and employment opportunities for beneficiaries, ensuring civil society organizations' seats in the advising councils, and providing automatic coverage to Philhealth. The Department also stated that the law will further boost its goal of helping poor families achieve a better quality of life, thereby, contributing to the reduction of poverty incidence to 14 percent by 2022, as set by the present administration.

4Ps milestones

Since its inception in 2008, 4Ps has achieved several milestones in the areas of poverty reduction, health, and education.

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The Overseas Workers Welfare Administration IV-A and Robinsons Land Corporation ink a Memorandum of Agreement for the establishment of an OWWA Satellite Office at the Robinsons Galleria South which is targeted to open July 2019. (GG, PL44A)