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YOU GOT THE JOB. (Far left) Provincial Public Employment Service Office Project Development Officer I Carlo Galvez with eight out of the 36 who were hired on the spot by SSA Service Cooperative during the recent Job Fair for Local Employment of the Provincial Government of Bulacan through the PPESO that was held at Robinsons Place Malolos, City of Malolos, Bulacan.



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Iprinisinta nina Gob. Daniel R. Fernando, Bulacan Police Provincial Office Provincial Director PCol. Angel L. Garcillano, at Bise Gob. Alexis C. Castro sa mga mamamahayag si Christian Roxas alyan "Lupin", isa sa mga suspek sa kasong pagpatay kina dating Association of Barangay Captains-Bulacan President Ramilito Capistrano at Shedrick Toribio, sa isang press conference na ginanap sa Balagtas Hall, Hiyas ng Bulacan Convention Center, Lungsod ng Malolos, Bulacan ngayong araw. Makikita rin sa larawan si Abgd. Juris Huerta ng Public Attorney's Office.



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Says DOST Chief at INNO.VENTA 2025...

"A NATION THAT DARES TO INNOVATE DARES TO DEFINE ITS DESTINY"

Batangas City — Department of Science and Technology (DOST) Secretary Dr. Renato U. Solidum Jr. emphasized the crucial role of science, technology, and innovation (STI) in driving economic transformation national progress during the opening of Inno.Venta 2025 held at the Batangas State University - The Engineering National University (BatStateU The NEU).

In his keynote message, Secretary Solidum underscored that serves innovation as the nation's engine for inclusive growth, stating that "a nation that dares to innovate dares to define its own destiny." He emphasized that STI are the "engines of economic transformation. societal progress, and resilience," addir national adding that the Philippines' current 50th ranking among 139 economies in the Global Innovation Index (GII) is a testament to the country's growing innovation ecosystem.

2025 Inno.Venta organized by the DOST in collaboration with the Philippine Association of State Universities and Colleges (PASUC) and the Philippine Science High School System, serves as a national platform for bridging research industry, and promoting commercialization scientific discoveries. The event gathered scientists, innovators, entrepreneurs, and industry leaders for discussions, exhibitions, and networking aimed at fostering a stronger innovation ecosystem.

DOST Assistant Secretary Napoleon Juanillo participants welcomed highlighted the and event's commitment creating validated, trustworthy, and globally competitive technologies built on credibility and Meanwhile, integrity. Undersecretary Angel Ignacio from the Office of the Special Assistant to the President for Investment Fconomic Affairs.

described innovation as "the new currency of growth," urging continued investment in the next generation of Filipino innovators.

Tirso A. Ronquillo, PASUC President and BatStateU The NEU President. emphasized that Inno.Venta bridges the gap between invention commercialization. and He introduced his P++ paradigm — Philosophy, Policy, Programs, People, and Place — to strengthen higher education institutions' capacity for industry-based research innovation. innovation to progress, we must invest in people and an environment create where ideas thrive. This is how we build not just careers, but industries," he

In support of these efforts. Oxentia, a technology transfer consultancy founded at the University Oxford, shared a proposed framework standardizing for technology transfer and commercialization the Philippines. Oxentia consultants Dr. Irene Dal Poz and Dr. Fabio Bianchi presented structured models such as the Invention Disclosure Form (IDF) and identified ways to address fragmented research pipelines and weak commercialization linkages in the country. leaders

Industry leaders and representatives from higher education institutions also shared insights on nurturing innovation-driven enterprises and strengthening academe-industry partnerships during a series of forums and panel discussions.

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Funded under Program
PROPEL through the Office
of the Assistant Secretary
for Technology Transfer,
Communications and
Commercialization, DOSTTAPI, and DOST-ASTI,
Inno.Venta 2025 continues
to showcase the power of
innovation as a catalyst
for inclusive growth and
sustainable development.
(Nelson Santos)

Legarda to DPWH: Review and Reallocate Savings from Questionable 2025 Projects to Education

Senator Loren Legarda has urged the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) to conduct a comprehensive review of questionable infrastructure projects in the 2025 budget, emphasizing that potential savings from overpriced or poorly implemented projects should be redirected to urgently needed social especially infrastructure, education.

During the continuation of the Senate Committee on Finance hearing on the DPWH's proposed 2025 budget, Legarda raised concerns over projects amounting to nearly 1 trillion pesos that may still reflect outdated or inflated cost estimates.

"Another source of savings, if I may, would be questionable 2025 projects," Legarda said.

"I believe there is still 1 trillion worth in projects being implemented. So what do you do with those already being implemented but based on the cost of materials alam niyo na naoverpriced? Dapat magrenegotiate, at dapat ay ibaba iyong presyo maski may kontrata dahil puwede naman iyan, may mga provisions naman sa New Government Procurement Act. Hindi tayo dapat patuloy na magpaloko sa mga nago-overprice. Things will not simply straighten out on their own by 2026 if we allow ₱1 trillion worth of projects to remain overpriced," the senator explained.

DPWH Secretary Vince
Dizon acknowledged
Legarda's concerns and
assured the Committee
that the Department has
begun implementing cost
adjustments to reflect the
current, lower prices of
materials.

"For 2025, for those that have not yet been procured, we will apply already the new cost of materials," Dizon said. "For those that have already been awarded and are already ongoing. We will consult on papaano natin mahahabol, if kaya, iyong mga ongoing na at awarded na, but for those na hindi pa, definitely po we will apply the new cost already, we will not wait for 2026, we will apply the new cost already now.

The four-term senator also urged DPWH to submit a district-level breakdown of projects that

can be renegotiated or terminated, consistent with the President's advisory to lower the Detailed Unit Price Analysis (DUPA).

"May we receive from the engineering districts a list of projects not yet implemented that can generate savings from renegotiated contracts based on the President's advisory on lowering the DUPA? Second, for ongoing projects na alam niyong overpriced naman at niloloko tayo, bago pa makapasok ang bagong team, maaari namang i-terminate ang mga ito — nagawa niyo na rin naman ito sa ibang distrito, 'di ba?" Legarda asked.

Legarda emphasized that DPWH has both the authority and responsibility to pursue contract renegotiations and terminations where warranted.

"So the DPWH can actually do a sweep of these projects ongoing for 2025, terminate those that it can terminate, or renegotiate for a lower price based on the President's advisory for a lower DUPA, so that we can generate more savings," Legarda said.

Dizon confirmed that DPWH has already taken action against erring contractors.

"Yes, in fact, we have terminated already based on the cases that have been filed as well as the licenses that have been cancelled," Dizon said

"We have terminated several already, particularly all the contracts of the Discaya companies as well as their joint venture partners, as well as the other companies where we have filed, companies such as Wawao, SYMS. We will consult with the Office of the Solicitor General, and we will see papaano natin mahahabol ito," Dizon added.

As Chairperson of the Senate Committee on Higher, Technical, and Vocational Education, Legarda underscored the need to redirect potential savings toward school infrastructure.

"Iyong savings na sinabi po ni Chair kanina, na gusto niya ngayon na-i-allocate, huwag na pag-antayin ang mga tao, iyong kay Presidente pa lang, 45 o 50 billion na iyon, assuming lang sa classrooms," Legarda said. "I would assume, 'pag classroom, hindi naman siguro madadaya, hindi

PMCJ decries harassment of Toledo community whistleblowers

Cebu City, Philippines — The Philippine Movement for Climate Justice (PMCJ) denounces the reported harassment and death threats against residents of Toledo City, Cebu, following the protest they staged at the Cebu Provincial Capitol last Oct. 15, 2025.

The residents who were greeted by Cebu Governor Pam Baricuatro submitted a seven-page petition to the provincial government. Among the issues raised included farmers' risina land taxes and eviction, undistributed Certificates of Land Ownership Award (CLOA), fisherfolk's declining fish catch, illegal dumping of coal ash, and disruptive illegal large-scale quarry operations along the

Hinulawan River in Toledo

City.

The continuous extraction and transport of riverbed materials have caused serious damage to the river system, posing risks during floods to residents near riverbanks. living Quarry materials are used for the construction needs of Cebu City and Mandaue City, including reclamation projects for the expansion of Toledo coal plants.

PMCJ notes that this is not the first time climate defenders have harassed. In Feb. 2025, PMCJ Cebu leaders reported an attempted intrusion into their office in Cebu City. PMCJ has been assisting communities affected by coal plant operations and development aggression activities not just in Toledo City but across the province. The harassment and death threats against residents only lend credence to the Global Witness report, which for years has ranked the Philippines as the deadliest place for land and environment defenders in Asia, and fifth in the world. PMCJ urgently appeals to the authorities to take immediate action to ensure the safety and well-being of the concerned residents, who are themselves vulnerable to climate impacts. Those who advocate for environmental and climate justice should not face reprisal for their advocacy and vigilance. Instead, perpetrators of environmental crimes should be held to account to break the culture of impunity and end corrupt practices that allow impunity to thrive.

Gentriseños receive free health services during PGC's Medical Mission

A total of 450 residents from Brgy. Panungyanan, General Trias City benefited from a medical and dental mission conducted by Provincial Government of Cavite on October 23. Spearheaded by Office of the Provincial Governor and the Office of the Provincial Health Officer, the activity was successfully carried out in collaboration with the local government

naman siguro ma-ghost, hindi naman siguro subject to anomang anomalya o korapsyon, at magiginhawaan ang ating sektor ng basic education. Sang-ayon ako sa sinabi ng Chair na iyong kaya nang ma-save ngayon, i-reallocate na natin sa ibang imprastraktura, at ang aming $\dot{\text{bias}}$ ay edukasyon, para sa school building.'

Legarda's remarks underscore her commitment to fiscal discipline and prioritizing education in national infrastructure planning.

unit.
Of the total beneficiaries, 339 individuals received medical consultations and treatments, while 69 availed the free dental extractions, 11 underwent x-rays and 31 received ECG services. Additionally, maintenance medicines and essential supplements were distributed to help support the overall health and well-being of the recipients.

Sixth District Board Member Kerby Salazar graced and supported the event, together with City Councilor Kyle Salazar.

The initiative underscores the commitment of the provincial government in delivering accessible healthcare services to its constituents.

— R. Dones (CPIO)

Cavite continues to promote sustainable cooperative growth, enhance leadership capacities, and strengthen the cooperative movement as a key driver of inclusive local economic development. — R. Tanael *(CPIO)*

Editoryal

Magagamit sa wasto ang suot na uniporme

HINDI lang basta maingay sa halip ay sadyang magulo o masalimuot ang mundo ng pulitika sa ating bansa. Kaya nararapat lamang na hindi nagpapaapekto sa ganitong gusot o ingay ang Armed Forces of the Philippines.

Ang mandato ng AFP bukod sa pagpapatupad ng kapayapaan ay ang pagtataguyod ng pambansang interes. Nangangahulugan na hindi lamang bansa bagkus maging seguridad ng mga Pilipino ay nakasalalay sa kanilang mga kamay. Walang puwang dapat sa pagpapatupad ng kanilang tungkulin ang makihalubilo sa larangan ng pulitika. Kung maipapatupad ang pagiging propesyunal ay magagamit sa wasto ang suot na uniporme.

Trece Martires, Philippines -Cavite, ready na ba kayo? Your favorite mall finally has an SM Foodcourt! SM Foodcourt just launched at SM City Trece Martires and it's giving unstoppable food trip. This spot is basically the new "G?" for barkada hangouts, family bonding, and all the sudden cravings you shouldn't ignore. One roof, one mission: be full before you get home.

The roster brings together all the right picks for every

One Spot for All Your Cravings: SM Foodcourt Opens in Trece Martires

kind of Caviteňo foodie. Japanese cravings? Nagomi Zakura got you. Korean hype? Mr. Kimbob and Leo Dosirak said "Annyeong, let's eat." Fruitas is also available for your fresh and fruity glow-up, Siomai Balai for quick-lakas snacks, plus kanlungan Café repping with proud hometown

Turks is in the house, because there is basically no wrong time for a juicy wrap. Kain keeps the Filipino comfort food energy alive, Tops Sizzling brings the hotand-sizzling drama to your plate, and The Crunch Express guarantees crispy happiness every single

SM Foodcourt at SM City Trece Martires is officially the new tagpuan for every Caviteňo in and out of Trece Martires! Spread the word, because this foodie hotspot is too good to stay lowkey. Find SM Foodcourt

at Level 2, SM City Trece

Martires.



Romy Santos 0977-7844136

Pulitiko na hindi takot sa 'multo'

TAPOS na ang paggunita ng Undas, napakabilis talaga ng pagtakbo ng panahon.

Mamamalayan na lamang natin na Todos Los Santos na naman uli at sa mga susunod o darating pang Undas.

lyan ay kung buhay pa tayo at nananatili sa mundo o maaaring kabilang na sa himlayan na dadalawin ng mga kaanak.

Hindi naman kaila na tuwing panahon ng Undas ay naglalabasan ang mga kuwentong kababalaghan o katatakutan.

Nariyan ang tungkol sa mga kaluluwa at maging ang sinasabing multo.

Multo na hindi naman ibig sabihin ay direkta o mismong kabuuang anyo ng mahal sa buhay na namatay ay iyong makikita.

Ang pagmumulto ay sa pamamagitan ng kakaibang pagpaparamdam at pamoso na rito ay ang paghalimuyak ng sampagita o bulaklak at

iba pang pahiwatig.

Makikita lamang
ang buong itsura ng
namayapang kaanak
o kaibigan na animo'y
buhay na buhay sa
panaginip.

Kaya nga ang sabi ay hindi dapat katakutan ang multo pero kung harapan nagpakita ay maaaring ikonsidera na iyon ay dulot ng masamang Espiritu na gawa ng demonyo.

May mga nagsasabi na marami ang natatakot sa 'sariling multo' na ang pakahulugan ay pangamba sa kanilang nagawang mga kalokohan o kasalanan.

Kaya nga nagtataka sila sa ilang pulitiko na punung-puno na ng pagkakasala at hindi na mabilang ang mga nagwang kalokohan ay nanatiling hindi natatakot sa kanilang sariling multo. Saan kaya kumukuha ng tapang ang mga ganitong klase ng pulitiko?

Malamang sa malamang ay sa demonyo dahil sa kawalan ng takot sa ating Panginoong Diyos.

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES **REGIONAL TRIAL COURT FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION** NAIC, CAVITE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT AND EX-OFFICIO SHERIFF

PHILIPPINE BUSINESS BANK, INC. Petitioner- Mortgagee,

FNC-2025-109

-versus-

SPS. ALEX IBASCO LIM and ANNA WU, Respondents-Mortgagors

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Whereas, upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act No. 3135, as amended by Act 4118, filed by PHILIPPINE BUSINESS BANK, INC. Mortgagee, with office address at 350 RIZAL AVE. COR. 8TH AVE., GRACEPARK, CALOOCAN CITY, against SPS. ALEX IBASCO LIM and ANNA WU with postal address at LOTS 33 AND 35 BLOCK 2, 9TH STREET, CERCA DELA PARADISA SUBDIVISION, BARANGAY SABANG, NAIC, CAVITE 4110, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of June 27, 2025 amounts to TWO MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTEEN THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED FORTY FIVE PESOS & 02/100 (P2,715,645.02), Philippine Currency, excluding penalties, Attorney's Fees and expenses of the foreclosure, the undersigned authorized Sheriff IV, will sell at public auction on November 25, 2025 at 9:00 o'clock in the morning or soon thereafter at the Regional Trial Court, Naic, Cavite, to the highest bidder in CASH or MANAGER'S CHECK and in Philippine Currency the property with all the improvements existing thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2018036149

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that certain land situated in BARANGAY OF SABANG, MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON, bounded and described as follows:

LOT NO: 33 **BLOCK NO: 2 PLAN NO:** PCS-04-029373 PORTION OF: LOTS 1 TO 25 BLOCK 1, LOTS 1 TO 27 & 29 BLOCK 2

LOTS 1 TO 13, 15, 17 TO 23 & 25 TO 27 BLOCK 3, LOTS 1 TO 21, 23 TO 25 & 55 BLOCK 4, LOTS 1 TO 10

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION (Continued from page 1) LOTS 1 TO 10 BLOCK 6, ROAD LOT 1, 3 TO 6 PCS-04-005536.

LOTS 1 & 6, PCS-04-027389 & LOTS 1 TO 3 & 15 TO 18

LOCATION: BARANGAY OF SABANG, MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON

BOUNDARIES:

LINE	DIRECTI	ON ADJOINING LOT(S)
1-2	NW	LOT 32, BLOCK 2, PCS-04-029373
2-3	NW	LOT 34, BLOCK 2, PCS-04-029373
3-4	NE	LOT 35, BLOCK 2, PCS-04-029373
4-5	SE	ROAD LOT 2, PCS-04-029373
5-1	SW	LOT 31, BLOCK 2, PCS-04-029373

TIE POINT: MON. # 20, NAIC ESTATE

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
TO CORNER 1	S. 54° 01' E	2532.55 M.
1-2	N. 55° 33' E	7.75 M.
2-3	N. 55° 33' E	1.28 M.
3-4	S. 34° 42' E	19.96 M.
4-5	S. 55° 28' W	8.99 M.
5-1	N. 34° 47' W	19.97 M.

AREA: ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY SQUARE METERS (180), MORE OR LESS

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TULONG MEDIKAL NI CAYETANO, INAALAGAAN ANG MGA NILINDOL SA CEBU

Ramdam ang bayanihan sa patuloy na pagtulong sa mga komunidad na

naapektuhan ng lindol sa Cebu ni Senate Minority Leader Alan Peter

Cayetano, sa pamamagitan ng kanyang Tulong Medikal at

Emergency Response Department (ERD) caravan.

Mula October 21 hanggang 23, 2025, nakatulong ang team ni Cayetano sa 989 residente sa mga lugar ng San Remigio, Medellin, at Tabogon sa pamamagitan ng libreng serbisyo tulad ng stress-debriefing, medical at psychological consultations, gamutan sa mga maliit na sugat, pasa, at bali, antitetanus shots, bagong mga bakuna, at isang buwang suplay ng gamot para sa maintenance at karaniwang sakit.

Namahagi rin sila ng hot meals, tubig, at trapal sa lahat ng mga apektadong residente, kabilang sa mga lugar na kulang ang tulong. Natuwa rin ang mga bata sa mga storytelling at coloring

PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON, bounded and described as follows: LOT NO: 35 BLOCK NO: 2 PLAN NO: PCS-04-029373

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LOCATION: BARANGAY OF SABANG, MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON

BOUNDARIES:

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT(S)
1-2	NE	LOT 37, BLOCK 2, PCS-04-029373
2-3	SE	ROAD LOT 2, PCS-04-029373
3-4	SW	LOT 33, BLOCK 2, PCS-04-029373
4-5	NW	LOT 34, BLOCK 2, PCS-04-029373

TIE POINT: MON. # 20, NAIC ESTATE

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
TO CORNER 1	S. 54° 21' E	2537.85 M.
1-2	S. 34° 39' E	19.97 M.
2-3	S. 55° 28' W	6.71 M.
3-4	N. 34° 42' W	19.96 M.
4-1	N 55° 23' F	6 72 M

AREA: ONE HUNDRED THIRTY FOUR SQUARE METERS (134), MORE OR LESS

All sealed bids 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 $\underline{\text{\bf December 2, 2025}}$ at the same time and at the same place mentioned above without further notice.

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

Municipality of Naic, Province of Cavite, October 1, 2025

JANELLE V. LÄGADON, MBA Sheriff IV

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activities na nagbigay ng aliw at pag-asa sa gitna ng pagsubok.

Lahat ng ito ay ginawa kasama ang suporta nina Cebu Governor Pam Baricuatro, San Remigio Mayor Mariano Martinez, Medellin Mayor Edwin Salimbagon, at Tabogon Mayor Francis Salimbangon. Kamakailan din ay naghatid

ng tulong ang Cayetano team sa bayan ng Borbon para ipamahagi ang mga folding tent at kumot, bilang tugon sa kahilingan ni dating Borbon Vice Mayor Roy Melgo.

Patuloy ang pagbangon ng Cebu — at patuloy ng Cebu — at patuloy ang pagtulong ni Senador Cayetano sa bawat hakbang.

DOST Cagayan Valley Muling Pinagtibay ang Suporta sa mga Kooperatiba sa pamamagitan ng Agham, Teknolohiya, at Inobasyon

Lungsod ng Tuguegarao, Cagayan Muling pinagtibay ng Department of Science and Technology (DOST) Cagayan Valley ang kanilang pangako na paigtingin ang kapangyarihan mga kooperatiba sa pamamagitan ng agham, teknolohiya, at inobasyon (STI) sa pakikibahagi nito sa pagdiriwang ng Tuguegarao City Cooperative Development Summit na ginanap kamakailan sa lungsod.

Ang nasabing aktibidad, na pinangunahan ng Cooperative and Livelihood Development Office (CLDO), ay nagtipon ng mga pinuno ng kooperatiba, mga kinatawan ng mga ahensya ng pamahalaan sa rehiyon, at mga opisyal ng lokal na pamahalaan.

Layunin ng pagtitipon na palakasin ang ugnayan ng mga katuwang, isulong ang inobasyon, at paunlarin ang inklusibo at sustenableng pagunlad ng mga kooperatiba. Ibinahagi ni DOST Region

02 Director Dr. Virginia G. Bilgera ang mga pangunahing programa ng Kagawaran na tuwirang tumutulong sa mga kooperatiba at micro, small, and medium enterprises (MSMEs).

Kabilang dito ang mga pangunahing inisyatiba tulad ng SETUP 4.0, OneLab, OneExpert, ang Community Empowerment through Technology Science and Technology (CEST) program, at Innovation for Filipinos Working Distantly from the Philippines (iFWĎ

Layunin ng mga programang ito na mapataas ang produktibidad, magbigay ng akses sa makabagong teknolohiya, at mag-alok ng teknikal na kadalubhasaan at pondo para sa mga lokal na negosyo.

Binigyang-diin din ni Dr. Bilgera ang patuloy pakikipagtulungan ng DOST sa Pamahalaang Lungsod at sa bagong tatag na Tuguegarao City Cooperative Development Council

Nanumpa ang mga kasapi ng konseho sa nasabing summit, bilang tanda ng kanilang pangako na isulong ang inobasyon, pagtutulungan, at mabuting pamamahala sa loob ng kilusang kooperatiba. "Naniniwala kami na ang tunay na pag-unlad ay nakakamit kapag ang agham ay nagsisilbi sa tao. Layunin naming matiyak na maranasan ng mga kooperatiba ang kongkretong benepisyo ng agham at teknolohiya sa bawat aspeto ng kanilang operasyon, sapagkat ang agham at inobasyon ay hindi lamang para sa mga laboratoryo o industriya— ito ay para sa ating mga komunidad. Kapag umuunlad ang ating mga kooperatiba sa tulong ng teknolohiya, ang buong rehiyon ay sabay na sumusulong," ani Dr. Bilgera. Sa pagtatapos ng summit, muling tiniyak ni Dr. Bilgera ang misyon ng DOST na maisakatuparan ang "Agham

Cagayan Valley. Ipinakita rin ng naturang kaganapan ang matatag na pangako ng Lungsod ng Tuguegarao sa pagpapaunlad at pagpapalakas ng mga kooperatiba. Sa tulong DOST bilang ng na katuwang, patuloy na isinusulong ng lungsod ang inobasyon, produktibidad, at patas na kaunlaran para sa

na Ramdam" sa buong

EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE OF DANILO JR. FLORES OCAMPO WITH WAIVER OF RIGHTS

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of the late DANILO JR. FLORES OCAMPO who died on March 20, 2025 in Las Piñas City as being the beneficiary and lawful owner of parcel of land issued by the National Housing Authority left a parcel of land located at Sec H Blk 13 Lot 10 Tropical Village, Brgy. San Francisco, Gen. Trias, Cavite was extrajudicially settled by the legal heirs, executed before Notary Public Atty. John Manuel B. Bautista as per Doc No. 395; Page 80; Book 9; Series of 2025.

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to Strengthen Protection, Cooperation for Media Workers

Presidential Task Force on Media Security (PTFOMS) and the National Police Commission (NAPOLCOM) formally signed a Memorandum of Agreement , 24 October 2025, marking a significant step toward creating a safer and more supportive environment for media workers across the country. Among the key initiatives the establishment effective an referral and investigation system, designed facilitate quick response and decisive action on incidents involving media workers. A joint monitoring mechanism will also be set up to ensure continuous, real-time sharing information, helping to prevent cases from falling through the cracks.

In addition to investigative processes, the agreement prioritizes the protection of media workers through mechanisms that expedite referrals protective custody and supportpsychosocial ensuring victims of threats or violence receive timely assistance.

Education and awareness will be central to this partnership. Both agencies will review and enhance existing policies on media relations, emphasizing principles of press freedom, the right to information, and responsible communication.

agreement The underscores importance of policy reform, including engaging media workers' groups in decision-making processes strengthening guidelines to better protect their rights. To promote long-term cooperation, regional capacitybuilding activities will be conducted to train law enforcement officers and media personnel, fostering stronger collaboration and respect.

agencies Both advocate with relevant authorities, including the Department of Justice, to ensure investigation credible reports are and hold weight in legal proceedings. They will also hold regular meetings to assess progress, set new targets, and reinforce their shared commitment.

"This agreement is more than just a document; it is a shared vow to protect the rights of media workers, uphold press freedom, and promote transparency and accountability in our society," said Jose Torres Jr., Executive Director of PTFOMS. "Together, we aim to ensure every media practitioner can perform their duties safely, freely, and without fear or obstruction."

The collaborative effort between PTFOMS and NAPOLCOM highlights the Philippine government's strong commitment to safeguarding press freedom and ensuring that media workers can operate in a secure and supportive environment.

PTFOMS, NAPOLCOM Ink Agreement Cavite entrepreneurs empowered through technology and innovation

local entrepreneurs, members various cooperatives Cavite, **Employment Service Office** (PESO) Managers from different local government units, and representatives from various Provincial Government of gathered offices on October 24, 2025, for the event "Empowering Cavite Entrepreneurs Through Technology."

Held at the Admin Function Hall of the New Provincial Government Center, the program was spearheaded by the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) in partnership with Board Member Camille V. Del Rosario, Chairperson of the Committee Transportation and Communications, the Provincial Information Communications Technology Office (PICTO).

Over 150 participants In her welcome remarks, Rosario underscored the significance of information technology as an essential tool in daily life and business. She emphasized that "technology is no longer optional—it a necessity that drives productivity, efficiency, and innovation.'

> A video message from Bagsit, Emelita Regional Director of DOST CALABARZON, inspired participants to see the value of science and technology community economic development. "Science works best when it works for the people," she said, adding that "small innovations can spark big

changes." Provincial Administrator Engr. Gilbert V. Gandia also delivered inspirational message, encouraging participants to fully embrace technological advancements to further improve and grow their businesses. "Let to explore and use technology to enhance productivity and competitiveness," he said.

The event featured indepth discussions programs

initiatives designed to support and empower local During entrepreneurs. Provincial the program, Director Gilda S. De Jesus presented the StartUp Program, highlighting how innovation serves as a key driver in accelerating enterprise growth. This followed by Verjo Angelie M. Śisante, who discussed the Small Enterprise Technology Upgrading Program (SETUP 4.0) and Innovation for Filipinos Working Distantly from Philippines (iFWD emphasizing PH), importance of innovationdriven solutions strengthening Meanwhile, businesses. Ms. Anna Marie S. Daigan elaborated on DOST's Community-Based Project Grants-in-Aids (GIA), Community Empowerment thru Science & Technology (CEST), and the iSTART and SMART Cities and Sustainable Communities Programs, all of which aim to build resilient and sustainable communities through the effective use of science and technology.

An open forum followed the sessions, providing an avenue for participants

engage to the speakers and explore opportunities for partnership and support. The highlight of the event

was the sharing of success stories from Cavite-based entrepreneurs Mr. Noriel Bergonio of Daine 1 & Farmers Association, Inc. and Mr. Harry Binos, of Fish2Go, who both shared how government assistance and DOST programs helped them expand and sustain their businesses.

Board Member Emman Lloyd Jaro, Chairperson of the Committee Cooperatives and Rural Development, delivered Closing Remarks. the commending DOST and all participants for their commitment to empowering local entrepreneurs. He emphasized importance of continuous collaboration between the government and the private sector to ensure inclusive and sustainable growth in Cavite's business landscape.

Through initiatives like this, Cavite continues to strengthen its position as a hub for innovation, technology, entrepreneurship — paving the way for a smarter, more progressive province .--- A. Cabrera (CPIO)

PCEDO head bags Outstanding **Cooperative Development Officer at** CDA Gawad Parangal Awards 2025

CITY OF MALOLOS -Another spotlight has been given to the Provincial Cooperative and Enterprise Development Office (PCEDO) of the Provincial Government of Bulacan as its department head Atty. Jayric L. Amil bagged the First Place in the search for Outstanding Cooperative Development Officer Category) (Provincial during the Cooperative Development Authority (CDA) Gawad Parangal Awards 2025 Ceremony held last October 24, at the Novotel Manila Araneta City.

The CDA-conferred award highlights Amil's admirable performance in leading PCEDO to advancing cooperative movement in the province through dynamic leadership, innovation, and community empowerment.

expressed his gratitude for the award he received and promised to continue his department's mission of extending a helping hand to Bulakenyo cooperatives to further promote and improve their businesses and lives.

"[This] recognition serves as an inspiration for Bulacan's cooperative sector to continue fostering sustainable development strengthening partnerships for inclusive growth," he added.

Governor Daniel Fernando also congratulated Amil for this milestone and committed to support the coop sector by giving them opportunities that will strengthen their business and cooperative capabilities.

"Binabati ko ang ating masigasig na PCEDO Head na si Atty. Jayric Amil para sa katangitanging parangal kanyang nakamit para sa ating lalawigan. Asahan po nating mas lalo pa niyang paghuhusayan serbisyo para sa ang inyo, at gayundin ang inyong lingkod kasama ng buong Sangguniang Panlalawigan, palagi kaming susuporta pamamagitan pagbibigay mga ng oportunidad para sa mga Bulakenyo," Fernando said.

This marks the second time the province of Bulacan received a recognition this month through PCEDO as it also clinched a special citation award at the 2025 Business-Friendly

36 Bulakenyo jobseekers secure immediate employment at local job fair **MALOLOS** CITY OF Thirty-six Bulakenyo

jobseekers walked into the Job Fair for Local Employment at Robinsons Malolos here and walked out with new careers, achieving "Hired on the Spot" (HOTS) status.

This immediate success story, split evenly between 18 males and 18 females, serves as a powerful testament to urgent demand for local talent and quality of opportunities available within

A highly successful event registered 427 drew jobseekers and featured 25 local companies offering a total of 2,420 local job vacancies across various sectors. Such a high

Local Government Unit Awards last October 20 at the SMX Convention Center in Pasay City.

conversion rate also saw 65 additional applicants classified as "nearly hired," indicating a robust pipeline of employment matches.

HOTS success stories were best captured by Bravegio Santos, a 22-year-old from Barihan, City of Malolos, who was hired as a service crew member for Jollibee Sta. Rita, Guiguinto.

"Maraming salamat po sa pagbuo ng event na ito na sobrang madaming matutulungan na gustong maging empleyado at mabigyan ng magandang kinabukasan ang mga taong nakisali sa job fair na ito," Santos said.

In a message delivered by Paombong Councilor James Santos, Governor Fernando Daniel R. emphasized Bulakenyo supporting youth in finding decent and honorable employment is a top priority—a bridge to supporting their families and aspirations.

"Nawa ay makahanap kayo ng trabaho na inyong ipinagdarasal, trabaho na karapat-dapat na para sa inyo. Hindi lamang trabaho na kikita kayo kundi trabaho na magiging extended home kung saan maipapakita ninyo ang inyong husay at galing na lilinangin sa mga darating pang panahon," governor said.

In addition to job matching, this fair featured a valuable "One-Stop Shop" corner, applicant streamlining by providing process essential government including services, Statistics Philippine Authority (PSA), National Bureau of Investigation (NBI), Philippine Health Insurance (PhilHealth), Pag-IBIG, and Social Security System (SSS).

Happy 30th Anniversary, Enchanted Kingdom





Almost 11,000 guests joined the celebration of Enchanted Kingdom's 30th anniversary last October

The magical night featured the Forever Enchanted Live: EK's 30th Anniversary Concert held at EK's very own LaunchPad Concert Grounds. The concert headlined one of OPM's most iconic bands Parokya ni Edgar, together with this generation's top bands Cup of Joe and Over October.

Park goers enjoyed the Wheel of Fate: the Magical Journey of Eldar the Wizard, EK's first ever projection mapping show. The festivities ended with Memories of Magic: Sky Wizardry EKstravaganza, a breathtaking pyromusical show.

The award-winning theme park is celebrating 30 years of creating and providing magical experiences and memories that last a lifetime.

Agri Trucks, PUVs to Enjoy 90-Day Toll Reprieve as CAVITEX Implements New Rates

Board (TRB) ved the toll approved adjustments for the rate Expressway Manila-Cavite (CAVITEX) following petitions filed by joint venture partners CAVITÉX Infrastructure Corporation (CIC) and Philippine Reclamation Authority (PRA) in 2020 and Reclamation 2023. The new rates will take effect on October 28, 2025.

To help ease the impact of the toll increase, CAVITEX' "Abante Program" will be reactivated — a toll reprieve public utility vehicles (PUVs) and agricultural trucks to continue paying old toll rates for 90 days from implementation.

Transport groups not yet enrolled may contact 1-35000 or email customercare@mptc program and how to avail.
"We appreciate com to know more about the

affirmation government's to honor its contractual obligations with the Private Investors and Toll Operators., said CAVITEX management". While the rate adjustments

continued maintenance. safety, and improvement of the expressway, we also recognize the need to support sectors most affected by rising transport costs. The toll reprieve initiative seeks to strike a fair balance between infrastructure sustainability and public welfare.

New Toll Rates

The TRB resolution grants the 2020 and 2023 petitions, authorizing the implementation provisionally approved toll rates to support ongoing upgrades and maintenance

CAVITEX R1 Portion (Seaside to Zapote) - VAT-inclusive rates effective October 28,

Class 1: ₱35 → ₱39 Class 2: ₱70 → ₱78 Class 3: ₱104 → ₱117

CAVITEX R1 Extension Segment 4 (Zapote to Kawit): To moderate the impact on motorists, the rate adjustment

will be implemented in two tranches (2025 and 2026). First tranche rates are as follows:

Class 1: ₱73 → ₱88 Class 2: ₱146 → ₱176 Class 3: ₱219 → ₱264

Infrastructure Improvements CIC and PRA completed major infrastructure projects to ensure the expressway's safety and efficiency, even prior to the approval of toll petitions, including:

Expansion Joint Replacement at the Parañaque Segment Bridges and Imus Viaduct, enhancing ride comfort and structural reliability

Upgraded RFID systems and installation of Automatic License Plate Recognition technology faster and more seamless transactions Ongoing pavement

rehabilitation works in critical portions of both the Kawit and Parañaque segments CIC and PRA reaffirm their

commitment deliver to safe, reliable, and efficient

expressways that support economic growth and regional connectivity.

Note: Due to adjustment at CAVITEX R1 portion,
CAVITEX C5 Link Segment rate will also be adjusted accordingly to the new VAT-inclusive rates: ₱38 (Class

To preserve the siopao business her husband has started, Teodorica Cabales from Calapan City dedicated herself to perfecting a recipe that would win the hearts of many customers.

Originally from San Teodoro, Teodorica later settled in Calapan City with her family. Life was not easy early on. After finishing elementary school, she began working as a household helper for relatives. As she grew older, she continued working as a helper for different families. At 16, she chose to live with her partner, longing for someone she could depend on.

Her husband was a meat butcher, while she became a meat vendor at a local market. The couple spent many years working side by side in the market. Then in 1989, her husband decided to venture into the siopao business.

The story behind the business Teodorica's husband often delivered meat to a siopao store, which sparked his interest in starting a similar business. Encouraged by the idea, he decided to give it a try. However, just a year later, and for some reason, he decided to drop the venture, which pushed Teodorica to take over. With no prior knowledge of siopao making, the process initially proved difficult for her, but she persevered tirelessly until she developed a siopao recipe she was proud of.

To promote her product, she

personally went from place to place, selling at stalls, schools, and neighborhoods. What began with a simple cart eventually evolved into a mobile food cart mounted on a tricvcle in 2018.

With the help of her children, they can produce around 300 pieces of siopao each day. One of her children helps her make the siopao, while the other takes charge of selling it. Their production starts at 10:00 am and ends at 2:00 pm, and they sell it from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm.

Even her other children, now living in Batangas and Laguna, have followed their footsteps and started their own siopao business, carrying on the family legacy.

three decades, For over Teodorica's business has stood the test of time. Through all the years, she has remained

1), ₱76 (Class 2), and ₱114 (Class 3).

committed to maintaining the same quality and taste that customers

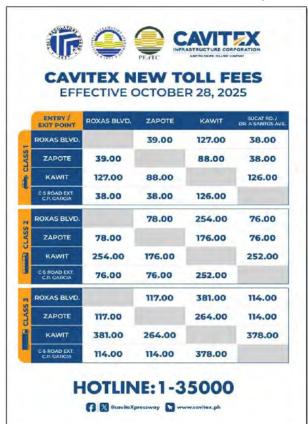
Whenever she falls short on capital, she turns to CARD Bank, a microfinance-oriented rural bank. She became a client in 2007 and has since relied on the institution for business loans to support her siopao business. Currently, she has a loan of PHP 150,000.00, which she uses to purchase raw materials, especially now that prices are continuously increasing.

Teodorica offers her siopao at affordable prices, ranging from PHP 15.00 to PHP 30.00, ensuring that everyone can enjoy and experience the taste of her product.

"For the future of my business, my biggest hope is to have my own store. I am working hard every day, together with my children, to make that dream come true," she concluded.



Teodorica Corables proudly holds out a tray of freshly steamed siopao, a labor of love, perseverance, and hard work.



Sa layuning lalo pang maisapanahon ang kakayahan mga lingkod-bayan ng LGU Valenzuela, aktibo silang lumahok sa Seminar sa Korespondensiya Opisyal (SKO) sa pangunguna ng Komisyon sa Wikang Filipino (KWF) noong 15-16 Oktubre 2025.

Dinaluhan ito ng higit sa 30 kinatawan mulâ sa iba't ibang opisina gaya ng City Agriculture Office, Cultural Affairs and Tourism Development Office, Cooperative Development Population Office. Management Office, Valenzuela City Emergency Hospital (VCEH), City Health Office, Housing and Resettlement Office, Local Economic Development and Investment Office, Office of Senior Citizens Affairs, Valenzuela City People's Park, Persons with Disability Affairs Office, Public Employment Service Office, Valenzuela Command

Karnaper 'naperder karnaper ang alam sa mga opisyal ng

Division

ISANG karnaper ang naaresto ng mga awtoridad at nagresulta pagkakabawi sa motorsiklong ninakaw nito kamakailan sa Dasmariñas City, Cavite.

Gamit ang Alternative Recording Device ay naisakatuparan ang pagkakaaresto sa suspek na si alyas Allan, residente Dasmariñas Citv. dakong alas-2:00 ng hapon nitong Oktubre 26.

Nauna rito, dakong alas-12:00 ng hatinggabi ng nasabing petsa ay ipinarada ng biktima ang motorsiklo nito sa harap ng kanyang tirahan subalit pagsapit ng dakong alas-2:00 ng hapon ay natuklasang nawawala na ito kaya ipinagbigay barangay.

and Cleanliness Office

Public Order and Safety

Group (POSG) Traffic

Waste Management

(PSCO-WMD),

Kasunod nito ay agad nagsagawa ng followup operation ang mga tauhan ng Dasmariñas Component City Police Station sa tulong ng mga opisyal ng barangay.

Nagbunga and isinagawang operasyon dahil ang kinarnap na motorsiklo ay narekober isang excess lot malapit sa covered court Dasmariñas sa Citv na minamaneho pa ng

Positibo namang kinilala ng biktima ang kanyang Yamaha Raider 150 Fi, 2024 model, kulay abo, batay sa mga detalye at pisikal na katangian nito.

Wanted 'nakalawit' ng pulis-Kawit

Most Wanted Person ang naaresto ng mga operatiba ng Kawit Municipal Police Station kamakailan sa Bacoor City, Cavite.

Ang akusadong si alyas John, residente ng Bacoor City, ay nadakip dakong alas-2:40 ng hapon nitong Oktubre 27 sa nasabing lungsod.

Inaresto ang akusado sa bisa ng warrant of arrest kaugnay ng paglabag

sa Seksyon 5 at 11, Artikulo II ng Republic Act (Comprehensive Dangerous Drugs Act of 2002, na inilabas noong Nobyembre 12, 2024 ng Regional Trial Court, Branch 120, Imus City,

Isinagawa ang operasyon ng mga tauhan ng Warrant Section ng Kawit MPS gamit ang Alternative Recording Device.

Paggamit ng Filipino sa mga Opisyal na Transaksiyon ng Lokal na Pamahalaan ng Lungsod Valenzuela, Isinakatuparan Coordinating Center, Management Division at G. Jomar I. Cañega sa

Coordinating Center, Valenzuela City Disaster (TMD), Higher Education Pamantasan ng Lungsod Reduction Risk and Office, Valenzuela, Valenzuela Management City Technological College Veterinary Service Office, Livelihood City Environment and People's Law Natural Resources Office Office, Board Enforcement (CENRO), Finance Offices City Assessor's (PLEB), Valenzuela Anti-Drug Abuse Office, at Valenzuela City Library Office, Geographic Information System-Data Management Office, City Naging tagapanayam sina Office, Digital Budget Bb. Kirsteen D. Abustan sa Communications Office (DCO), Public Information Korespondensiya Opisyal, Dr. Wilbert M. Lamarca sa Office, Motorpool Office, Ortograpiyang Pambansa, Public Sanitation and Office, Cleanliness Sanitation and Public Cleanliness Office - Flood Control Division (PSCO-FCO), Public Sanitation

at G. Jomar I. Cañega sa Introduksiyon sa Salin. Kasama rin sa nagbigay ng pagsasanay at lektura si Dr. Joel B. Lopez hinggil sa Pinagyamang Baybayin. programang pagtalima sa Atas Tagapagpaganap Blg. 335 na humihimok sa mga ahensiya ng pamahalaan na gamitin ang wikang Filipino bilang opisyal na wika ng komunikasyon at korespondensiya sa serbisyo publiko.

2 HVI, tiklo sa mahigit P1-M halaga ng 'bato'

high-value individual (HVI) matapos ang matagumpay na buy bust operation ng pulisya na nagresulta pagkakasamsam ng mahigit sa isang milyong piso (P1-M) na halaga hinihinalang shabu kamakailan sa Dasmariñas City, Cavite.

babaing suspek Ang ay kinilala sa alyas Cel habang ang lalaking suspek ay sa alyas Peter, kapwa residente ng Famy, Laguna.

Naaresto ang suspek ng mga tauhan Dasmariñas City Component Police Station dakong alas-2:40 ng hapon nitong Oktubre 29.

Nabatid na isang pulis ang umaktong poseur buyer at ang operasyon ay isinagawa sa ilalim ng koordinasyon sa PDEA, Alternative gamit ang Recording Device.

Sa nasabing operasyon

sa pag-iingat ng mga suspek ang pirasona heat-sealed transparent plastic sachets at isang knot tie-sealed transparent plastic bag na naglalaman ng puting kristal na substansiya na hinihinalang shabu na may kabuuang tinatayang timbang na 150.00 gramo at standard drug price na ₱1,020,000.00.

Kasama rin nakumpiska isang pirasong P500.00 (genuine) bill; 37 piraso ng P1,000.00 boodle money; at isang Honda Civic na kulay pula, na ginamit ng mga suspek sa iligal na gawain ng mga

Naharap ang dalawang kasong suspek sa paglabag sa Sections 5, 11, at 26, Article II ng Republic Act 9165 (Comprehensive Dangerous Drugs Act of 2002).

MWP, timbog sa GMA MPS

TIMBOG ang isang Municipal Most Wanted Person sa operasyong isinagawa ng pulisya kamakailan sa General Mariano Alvarez, Cavite. Ang akusadong si alyas

Karl, residente ng GMA, ay natimbog dakong alas-11:40 ng umaga nitong Oktubre.

Inaresto ang akusado sa bisa ng warrant of arrest para sa kasong frustrated murder, na may petsang Disyembre 10, 2008, na inilabas ng Regional Trial Judicial Court, Fourth Region, Bacoor, Cavite, na may inirerekomendang piyansa na P200,000.00. Gamit ang Alternative Device Recording isinagawa ng mga operatiba ng warrant section ng General Mariano Alvarez Municipal Police Station and operasyon.

CAVITE HOSTS 4TH CALABARZON **CULTURE SUMM**

Province of Cavite, The through the Office of the Provincial Tourism Officer, hosted the 4th CALABARZON Culture Summit dubbed as "Hibla ng Kamalayan" -Paghahabi ng Malikhaing Diwa: Weaving the Creative Spirit of CALABARZON" on October 23, at the International Convention Center, Cavite State University, Indang, Cavite.

The annual summit gathered hundreds of participants from various local government units, the academe, and other cultural stakeholders across Region IV-A, all united in their commitment to preserve, promote, and enrich the region's diverse cultural heritage.

The event formally open through the welcome remarks delivered by Dr. Ma. Agnes P. Nuestro, President of Cavite State University, expressing her gratitude to the Provincial Government of Cavite and National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) for choosing CvSU as the venue of this year's gathering. She highlighted the importance of academic institutions in safeguarding and culture heritage, emphasizing that universities play a vital role in nurturing the next generation of culture bearers and creative leaders. This was followed by the opening remarks delivered by Ms. Caroline B. Mizal, Head of NCCA Planning and Policy Office, on behalf of Ms. Marichu G. Tellano, Deputy Executive Director of the NCCA. In her message, Ms. Mizal, underscored the significance of the summit as a platform for collaboration, innovation, and dialogue among culture and arts advocates in the region. She noted that weaving the creative spirit of CALABARZON is not just about preserving traditions but also about strengthening the region's identity through shared stories and artistic expressions.

Representing Cavite Governor Francisco Gabriel D. Remulla, Ms. Elinia Imelda Rozelle Sangalang, Provincial Tourism Officer delivered the message of support, extending the Governor's appreciation to all participants and partner institutions for their active role in advancing Cavite's and the region's cultural agenda. She also reaffirmed the Provincial Government's continuous commitment to promoting cultural awareness, creative industries and heritage preservation across Cavite and beyond.

summit featured

rich lineup of lectures and discussions led distinguished experts advocates shared valuable insights on Filipino culture, heritage, and development. The speakers included Prof. Felipe "Jun" De Leon, Jr., former NCCA Chairperson; Ms. Caroline B. Mizal; Ms. Ricamela Palis, Chairperson of Artist, Inc., Mr. Phillip Norbert Ahmad L. Medina, President of the Silang Historical Society; EnP. Lorenz G. Palec of Palec and Amigos Urban Enviro; Mr. Joether A. Francisco from Cavite State University; Mr. Guillermo Ramos, Jr., Managing Director and Founder of the Managing Ugnayan Center for Filipino Gastronomy; and Dr. Carlos P. Buasen, Jr., Regional Director of NCIP IV-A. An engaging open forum followed, allowing participants to interact and exchange perspectives with the speakers.

Another exciting highlight of the event was the announcement of winners for the Digital Photography and Logo-Making Contests, showcased creativity and cultural passion of CALABARZON's artists. Mr. Jeffrey Sandoval won the grand prize in the Digital Photography Contest for his entry "Mga Kamay ng Pamanang Buhay", while Christopher Macerin emerged as the grand prize winner in the Logo-Making Contest for his design that captured the spirit of cultural unity and creativity across the region.

The summit also featured vibrant cultural intermissions that added color and rhythm to the event, with captivating performances by the CvSU Chorale Ensemble, CvSU Cultural Dance Group, Las Cuerdas Caviteños-Rondalla, ARTIST, Inc., and some Indigenous Peoples from Tanay, Rizal.

One of the event's most anticipated moments was the turnover ceremony of hosting responsibilities Provincial Government of Laguna, which will serve as the next host of the CALABARZON Culture Summit.

The program concluded on an inspiring note with Mr. Edward Perez, CALABARZON SCC Co-Chairperson, leading the closing segment, capped off by a heartfelt performance from ARTIST, Inc. The event truly embodied the summit's theme-weaving the creative spirit of CALABARZONcelebrating the region's shared heritage, creativity, and collective cultural pride.

Gwen ng Bohol naka Gintong medalya sa Batang Pinoy 2025 Nakitaan ng determinasyon bina MC Greggy Odal ng Davao Del Sur at Gwen Diaz Babal sa nasabing event na inorganisa ng Philippine Sports Commission, no Republika na Philippine Sports Commission, no Republika na Patangan Philippine Philip

Nakitaan ng determinasyon sina MC Greggy Odal ng Davao Del Sur at Gwen Diaz ng Bohol matapos humablot ng gintong medalya sa Day 2 ng 2025 Batang Pinoy Games na ginanap sa Antonio Acharon Sports Complex,

(PSC) sa pamumuno ni Chairman Patrick "Pato" Gregorio, subalit hindi naging dahilan para masindak sina 16-year-old, Odal at 15 anyos,



GWEN DIAZ HIGH JUMP GIRLS U18 GOLD MEDALIST

GWEN DIAZ HIGH JUMP GIRLS U18 GOLD MEDALIST NAKITAAN ng tibay at lakas ng loob si Gwen Diaz ng Bohol matapos nitong pagwagian ang nilahukan na High Jump Girls U18 at makamit ang gintong medalya sa katatapos Batang Pinoy National Championships na ginanap sa General Santos City, Antonio Acharon Sports Complex. Abala naman sa pag sagot si Gwen makaraang kapanayamin ng sports Media kaugnay ng kanyang kampeon. (REY NILLAMA)

Perpetual panalo sa 3 ulit na overtime kontra San Beda

Kinailangan ng Perpetual Help ng tatlong karagdagang period para matapos ang laro sa kanilang 88-85 na panalo sa triple overtime laban sa San Beda sa San Juan Arena.

Ipinagpatuloy ng Altas ang kanilang dominasyon sa Group A na may kamangha-manghang rekord na 8-1.

"Naubos na ako sa kakasigaw kanina but I'm just proud with the way we fought today," coach Olsen Racela said.

"Nasa unahan tayo sa ikalawang quarter tapos bumalik sila makaraang dikitan na hanggang



PERPETUAL - PATRICK SLEAT VS SAN BEDA

sa huli. Ang galing ni Miller e. Pero ang talunin ang isang talagang mahusay na programa tulad ng San Beda ay isang tunay na tagumpay para sa aming paaralan, para sa aming koponan."

Pagkatapos ng anim na yugto ng palitan ng aksyon, nakita ng Altas ang kanilang sarili na may maliit na humigit-kumulang isang puntos na lamang na kalamangan sa 2:34 marka ng ikatlong övertime, 82-81.

Hawak ni Mark Gojo Cruz ang sitwasyon sa kanyang sariling mga kamay sa pamamagitan ng isang malakas na triple upang mauna ang Perpetual, 85-81, na may 2:16 na natitira. Handang ibuhos ni Agjanti Miller

ang sarili niyang lakas para ilapit ang Red Lions, ngunit isang triple ni JP Boral ang nagbigay-daan sa Perps na lumayo, 88-83, na may mas kaunting minuto na natitira.

Si Miller ay nagtala ng isa pang jumper upang itaas ang kanyang season-high sa 28 puntos ngunit iyon na ang huling pagsisikap ng Lions bago makamit ang 6-2 na rekord sa Group B.

Sa kabila ng pagkatalo, ang San Beda ay nananatiling nangunguna sa kanilang grupo, katulad ng ginagawa ng Altas sa

Ang tambalan nina Patrick Sleat at Gojo Cruz ay nagpakitanggilas sa pinakakailangan, nagtala ng 23 at 20 puntos para sa kanilang panalo. Tumulong din si John Abis sa koponan na may double-double na 14 puntos at 11 rebounds.

Umalalay naman kay Miller sa opensa ng San Beda si Yukien Andrada, na nagtapos ng may 13 puntos at limang rebounds sa isang pagkatalo.



Diaz laban sa mga mas may experience na katunggali.

Nilista ni Odal, panganay sa dalawang magkakapatid ang 6.67 meter sa Under-18 Boys Long Jump sapat upang sikwatin ang ginto sa 6-day competition para sa mga batang may edad 17 anyos

Hindi ko inexpect makakuha ng medal, first time ko lang kasi nakasali sa Batang Pinoy," masayang sabi ni Odal na nangangarap na makapagaral sa University of Sto. Tomas sa Manila para maging

Hinablot naman ni Diaz ang gold medal sa Under-16 Girls High Jump matapos lundagin ang 1.50h, kahapon din ng umaga. Inamin ni Diaz na hindi niya

inakalang makakakuha rin ng gintong medalya.

"Actually ang sport ko talaga ay basketball hindi ko inakalang dito ako lalaban, saad Diaz.

Nakopo ni Iyobosa Eve Omokaro ng Leyte ang silver habang bronze medal ang nahablot ni Erica Faye Casumpang ng South Cotabato.

hinablot Samantala, International Master Christian Gian Karlo Arca ng Zamboanga ang gold medal matapos magkampeon sa Standard Chess Championship 16AC Boys.

Napunta ang silver medal kay Mark Gabriel Usman ng Laguna habang bronze ang naiuwi ni King Lanz Pamplona ng Iloilo.

Bagong pamunuan ng Samahang Basketbol ng Pilipinas itinalaga
Inanunsyo ng Samahang
Basketbol ng Pilipinas (SBP)
ang eleksyon ng kanilang
bagong Lupon ng mga
Tagapamahala, kasunod ng
pagpapatibay sa bagong
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pagpapatibay sa bagong By-Laws ng pederasyon sa National Congress noong Mayo 9, at ang kasunod na pag-apruba nito ng Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC).

Ngayon, binubuo ang Lupon ng SBP ng 17 upuan, kung saan 13 ang napunan sa pamamagitan ng halalan sa pagitan ng 34 aktibong kasapi ng pederasyon upang matiyak ang malawak na representasyon ng sektor sa larangan ng basketball sa Pilipinas.

Ang mga kinatawan ng sektor Any sina Paul Tristan Laus (Hilagang Luzon); abogado Edgar Francisco (Timog Luzon); Robert Uy (Visayas); Renauld Barrios (Mindanao); Jose Franco Soberano (Kebetana); Polisiah Perseel (Kabataan); Dolriech Perasol, Manuel Raymund Castellano, at Frederick Altamirano (Mga Paaralan); Maria Vivian Manila (Kababaihan); at Alfrancis P. Chua, Manuel V. Pangilinan, Victorico P. Vargas, at Archen A. Cayabyab (Komersyal at Propesyonal).

Ayon sa mga by-laws ng SBP, ang natitirang apat na puwesto ay pinunan ng Lupon upang kumpletuhin ang buong komposisyon. Dalawang co-opted na miyembro, sina Jacob Ang at Chaye Cabal-Revilla, ay itinalaga ng Pangulo, habang si Ryan Reyes ay itinalaga bilang Kinatawan ng Mandalaga di Kinatawan ng Manlalaro, at si Peachy Cheng Medina ay pinili bilang pansamantalang Kinatawan ng 3x3 habang naghihintay ng kwalipikasyon ng mga grupo ng miyembro ng 3x3 para sa aktibong pagiging miyembro.

Sampu sa 17 na tagapangasiwa ang nagsisilbi sa Lupon ng SBP bilang mga tagapangasiwa sa unang pagkakataon, na sumasalamin sa muling pagtatalaga ng pederasyon sa mga bagong

parehong pagpapatuloy inobasvon.

Inobasyon.

Ipinahayag din ng SBP na
mananatiling mahalagang
miyembro ng Lupon si
outgoing president Alfredo S.
Panlilio sa bisa ng kanyang posisyon bilang Miyembro ng Pambansang Lupon ng FIBA, na patuloy na nag-aambag ng kanyang pandaigdigang karanasan at pamumuno sa

Pagkatapos ng eleksyon, nagtipon ang bagong Lupon at inihalal ang mga sumusunod na opisyales: Manuel V. Pangilinan (tagapangulo), (tagapangulo), Chaye Cabal-June Cheryl Revilla (pangalawang tagapangulo), Victorico "Ricky" Vargas (pangulo), Robert Uy (pangalawang pangulo), Marievic R. Anonuevo (kalihim ng korporasyon), Lennie G Nocum (kalihim), at Erika T. Dy (direktor ng ehekutibo).

Sinabi ni Vargas na ang bagong Lupon ng SBP "ay isang malusog na kombinasyon ng mga beteranong puno ng karunungan at mga masigasig na batang lider na may iisang layunin – ang bumuo ng mas matatag at mas pinagisang kinabukasan para sa basketball sa Pilipinas."

"Itinatag namin pundasyon para sa susunod na henérasyon ng mga pinuno sa sports upang ipagpatuloy ang paglago at kahusayan na kilala ang Filipino basketball. Binigyang-diin ni Pangilinan ang patuloy na pagsusumikap ng pederasyon para sa pagkakaroon ng inklusibidad at pag-unlad sa lahat ng antas

ng isport.
"Ang bagong Lupon ng
SBP na ito ay isang salamin
kung gaano kalayo na ang narating ng basketball sa Pilipinas mas inklusibo. mas kumakatawan, at mas nakatingin sa hinaharap," sabi ni Pangilinan.



Matapos ang isang linggong aksyon para sa mga kalahok kabataan ng katatapos na Batang Pinoy National Championships 2025 na ginanap sa General Santos City. Isang pormal na pagtatapos ng naturang okasyon ay pinag kalooban ng Plaque of Appreciation nila Philippine Sports Commission Chairman John Patrick Gregorio at Commissioner Olivia Bong Coo si General Santos City Mayor Lorelie Geronimo Pacquiao makaraang sila ang naging punong abala sa nasabing paligsahan. (REY NILLAMA)

Bagong record ng High Jump Boys U18 sa Batang Pinoy 2025

panibagong record si Franklin Catera ng Iloilo City matapos sikwatin ang gold medal sa boys' high jump event sa 2025 Batang Pinoy Games na ginanap sa Antonio Acharon Sports Complex, Huling taon na ni 17 years

Huling taon na ni 17-year-old Catera sa pagsabak sa nasabing event na sa nasabing event na inorganisa ng Philippine Sports Commission, (PSC) sa pamumuno ni Chairman Patrick "Pato" Gregorio pero may iiwanan itong alaala. Binura ni 5-foot-11 at cetudunta sa Tidhayana

estudyante estudyante sa Tigbauan National High School, Catera ang sariling record na 1.98 meter na naitala nakaraang taon na edition sa Puerto Palawan Princesa,

lundagin ang 2.04 meter. Sinubukan ni Catera ang 2.06m subalit matapos ang dalawang talon ay sumenyas na itong kuntento na sa naisumiteng oras.

"Ang sarap po sa pakiramdam na na break ko yung sarili kong record, tinarget ko talaga iyon," masayang sabi ni 5-foot11, Catera.

Kinalawit ni Prince Jhonrey Macuha ng Masbate ang silver medal habang bronze ang naikuwintas ni Ivan Ver

Talplacido ng Manila. Samantala, nasilo naman ni Markeexia Gail Maiquez ng Pangasinan ang gold medal sa Archery matapos nitong umiskor ng 335 points sa Individual Girls 12yo Recurve 1st Distance na nilaro sa Notre Dame of the Dadiangas

University. Nagwagi din ng ginto si Jan Dwayne Malpas ng Tacloban sa swimming competition Boys 12-13 50LC meter freestyle matapos ipasa ang 26.26 seconds, silver si Jericho Gabriel Santos ng Pampanga, (26.89) habang bronze ang naiuwi ni Maverick Longos ng Cagayan de Oro.

Sa cycling, nanaig si Nathaniel Aquino ng City of Pasig sa Boys 16-17 Individual Road habang si Precious Faye Hindap ang pumadyak ng gold medal sa Girls 16-17 Individual Road Race.





SA ikalawang pagkakataon ay binasag ang dating record sa High Jump Boys U18 ng tubong Iloilo na si Franklin Catera sa nilahukan na Batang Pinoy National Championships 2025 Athletics sa General Santos City Antonio Acharon Sports Complex. Sa ibabang larawan kinapanayam ng mga sports media si Franklin. *(REY NILLAMA)*