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**KINATAMPUKAN** sa ginanap na ika-70 sesyon ng United Nations CSW70 ang iba't ibang pahayag ng mga pagtitiyak at pagpapalakas ng access sa hustisya para sa lahat ng kababaihan sa pangunguna ni PCW Philippine Commission Women's Chairperson Ermelita V. Valdeavilla na dinaluhan nina Anika Gran-Ong, Undersecretary Dept of Justice; Atty. Ma. Sophia Isabella De Castro, Philippine Commission on Women; Ricarte B. Abejuela III, Director Department of Foreign Affairs; Rene A. Gandeza Jr., Office of the Presidential Advisor on place Reconciliation and Unity; Marivic Doray, Judge Integrated Bar of the Philippines; at Hannah Manalili, Executive Director DOJ Inter-Agency Council Against Trafficking. **(REY NILLAMA)**

# MATAGUMPAY NA IKA-70 SESYON NG UN CSW70 pahina 2 COMMISSION STATUS WOMEN'S



**ANG** mga opisyal ng NAST Talent Search for Young Scientists at ng NAST Philippines na sina Raul V. Fabella Chair NTSYS Board of Judge, Member NAST Philippine, Rhodora V. Azanza NAST Philippines, Chair, NESA Board of Judge, Maridon Sahagun DOST Usec, Dr. Melecia, Dr. Jaime Montoya President NAST Philippines, Dr. Melecia Antonio-Velmonte, Dr. Rachel June Ravago-Gotanco makaraang ganapin ang NAST Environmental Science Award sa Admiral Hotel, Manila. **(REY NILLAMA) – story p.7**



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**ANG** pagpapaliwanag ni John Vincent R. Pleto ng UPLB kaugnay ng phytoplankton index ng biotic integrity (Phyto-IBI) na kabilang sa participants ng ginanap na NAST Talent Search for Young Scientists sa Admiral Hotel, Malate Manila. **(REY NILLAMA)**



**KWF** Tagapangulo Atty. Marites A. Barrios-Taran at Komisyoner Carmelita C. Abdurahman personal na nakikipagpulong sa Bise Alkalde ng Kalibo, Aklan na si Kgg. Phillip Y. Kimpo Jr. para talakayin ang mga programa at proyekto na magkatuwang na isasagawa ng KWF at LGU Kalibo.



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## MATAGUMPAY NA IKA-70 SESYON NG UN CSW70 COMMISSION STATUS WOMEN'S

Ang ulat ng Pagpupulong sa ika-70 na Sesyon ng United Nations Commission on the Status of Women (UNCSW70) ay matagumpay na ginanap habang tinatapos ng Philippine Commission on Women (PCW) ang malaganap na pakikilahok ng bansa.

Ang CSW70, ang pinakamalaking taunang pagtitipon ng UN tungkol sa pagkakapantay-pantay ng kasarian at pagpapalakas ng kababaihan, ay ginanap noong Marso 9-20, 2026 sa Punong-Tanggapan ng UN sa New York, Estados Unidos ng Amerika.

Ang pangunahing tema para sa taong ito ay "Pagtitiyak at pagpapalakas ng access sa hustisya para sa lahat ng kababaihan at mga babae, kabilang ang pamamagitan ng pagsusulong ng inklusibo at patas na mga sistema ng batas, pagtanggap ng mga diskriminatoryong batas, patakaran, at mga gawain, at pagtugon sa mga istrukturang hadlang".

Ang tema ng pagsusuri ay "Buong epektibong partisipasyon at paggawa ng desisyon ng kababaihan sa pampublikong buhay, pati na rin ang pag-aalis ng karahasan, para sa pagkamit ng pagkakapantay-pantay ng kasarian at pagpapalakas ng lahat ng kababaihan at mga babae (mga napagkasunduang konklusyon ng animnapu't limang sesyon)".

Pinamunuan ang Delegasyon ng Pilipinas ng PCW, ng Kagawaran ng Ugnayang Panlabas, at ng Permanenteng Misyon ng Pilipinas sa UN sa New York.

Ang Delegasyon ng Pilipinas ay binubuo ng mga kinatawan kaugnay sa pangunahing tema. Sa Forum sa Manila Prince Hotel, Laguna, sinabi ni Rep. Maria Rene Ann Lourdes Garcia Matibag (1st District), Tagapangulo ng House Committee on Women and Gender Equality, "Kapag pinoprotektahan natin ang kababaihan at mga bata, pinoprotektahan natin ang ating kinabukasan."

Binanggit ni PCW Chairperson Ermelita V. Valdeavilla na naghain si Pangulong Ferdinand "Bongbong" R. Marcos, Jr. ng kanyang mensahe sa UN General Assembly. Binigyang-diin niya na

hindi lamang tungkol sa paghahain ng mensahe kundi ang paghahain ng makapangyarihang mensahe na isang anyo ng pananagutan.

Sa panahon ng Open Forum na pinangasiwaan ni Yzabelle Ann S. Franco, PCW GAD Specialist II, sinabi ni Department of Justice Undersecretary Majken Anika S. Gran-Ong, "Lumahok kami sa mga mataas na antas ng talakayan sa panahon ng ika-70 Sesyon ng UNCSW."

Sa isang press conference, sinabi ni Chairperson Ermelita V. Valdeavilla ng Philippine Delegation sa UNCSW70, Kami ay naninindigan upang magkaroon ng puwesto sa UN Security Council. "Kami ay nagpapasalamat na kahit na maliit lamang ang aming opisina, kayo ay kasama namin," dagdag niya.

Sinabi ni Executive Director Hannah Manalili, ng DOJ Inter-Agency Council laban sa Trafficking, "Kami ay lumahok sa ika-70 Sesyon ng UNCSW na dinadala ang tinig ng mga kababaihan at kabataan pabalik dito sa ating bansa."

Sinabi ni Judge Marivic Daray (Ret.), ng IBP, na "ang pakikilahok sa ika-70 UNCSW ay parehong propesyonal at personal para sa akin." "Nagsisimula ang katarungan sa bahay," sabi ni Daray.

"Kung gusto natin na mamuno ang mga kababaihan, kailangan nating tugunan ang mga problemang ito. Dapat nating pakinggan mismo ang mga kababaihan," dagdag niya. "Kailangan nating aminin na wala tayong datos tungkol sa mga kaso ng kababaihan at kabataang babae, ngunit hinihikayat ang mga chapter ng IBP sa buong bansa na asikasuhin ang ganitong mga kaso," sabi ni Daray. Sinabi ni Atty. Ma. Sophia Isabella P. De Castro, "Mahalaga ang pagkakaroon ng malalakas na batas, ngunit mas mahalaga kung paano ito ipatutupad. Dapat ang katarungan ay idisenyo batay sa realidad ng kababaihan."

"Sa katapusan ng araw, ang katarungan ay hindi dapat nakadepende sa kung saan nakatira ang mga kababaihan," dagdag niya. "Mayroon tayong mga batas na nagpoprotekta sa mga solo na nanay, ngunit

## Legarda: May mga panukalang batas para suspendihin ang VAT—suportado ba ito ng Palasyo?

Hinimok ni Senadora Loren Legarda ngayong Miyerkules ang Malacañang na maglabas ng malinaw na tindig hinggil sa suspensyon ng value-added tax (VAT) sa produktong petrolyo, matapos ang pahayag na kinakailangan umano ng batas mula sa Kongreso para maisakatuparan ito.

"Hindi puwedeng sabihin ng Malacañang na walang batas. Nag-file na ako noon at nag-refile pa ako ulit ngayon, para wala nang dahilan. Ang tanong ngayon: susuportahan nyo ba? I-cerlify nyo ba na urgent? Kung hindi, malinaw na hindi ito prayoridad at ang gusto ng gobyerno ay tuloy-tuloy na buwisan ang krisis," ani Legarda.

Noong Abril 15, 2026, muling naghain si Legarda ng

## MWP 'natunton' ng pulis-Naic sa Maragondon

**ISANG** Most Wanted Person ang naaresto sa matagumpay na operasyong isinagawa ng mga tauhan ng Naic Municipal Police Station kamakailan sa Maragondon, Cavite. Ang akusadong si alyas Nena, Municipal MWP, at residente ng Maragondon, ay naaresto dakong alas-5:04 ng hapon nitong Abril 21.

Inaresto ang akusado sa bisa ng warrant of arrest na may kaugnayan sa kasong qualified theft.

Inisyu ang naturang warrant ng Regional Trial Court, Branch 15, Fourth Judicial Region, Naic, Cavite, na may inirekomendang piyansa na ₱40,000.00.

ang DSWD ang may mga programa para sa kanila," sabi ni De Castro.

"Mayroon tayong Batas Shariah ang batas sa relihiyong Muslim. Maaari pa rin natin silang kasuhan sa ilalim ng Batas laban sa Maagang Kasal," sabi ni De Castro.

Sinabi ni Direktor Abejuela, "Isa sa mga haligi ng DFA ay ang proteksyon sa mga Pilipinong migrante sa kahit anong bansa sila naroroon at ano man ang kanilang katayuan."

Dagdag ni Abejuela, "Kabilang sa mga Layunin para sa Napapanatiling Kaunlaran ng UN ang Layunin para sa Napapanatiling Kaunlaran Bldg. 5 na layuning makamit ang pagkakapantay-pantay ng kasarian at pagpapigting ng kapangyarihan, kabilang ang de-kalidad na edukasyon."

Senate Bill No. 2043, isang pansamantalang panukala na nagbibigay kapangyarihan na suspendihin o bawasan ang VAT sa petrolyo.

Binigyang-diin niya na dati na niyang inihain ang Senate Bill No. 1942, na naglalayong suspendihin o bawasan ang parehong excise tax at VAT sa petrolyo. Gayunman, isinama

## Dionisio Soliven Bulong, Gagawaran ng KWF Dangkal ng Panitikan 2026

Gagawaran si Dionisio Soliven Bulong ng KWF Dangkal ng Panitikan 2026 sa Katagoryang Indibidwal ngayong pagdiriwang ng Buwan ng Panitikan 2026.

Sa loob ng ilang dekada, si Dionisio Soliven Bulong, manunulat, nobelista, at editor ay naging haligi ng panitikang llokano sa pamamagitan ng kaniyang mga nobela at akda na sumasalamin sa búhay, kaisipan, at damdamin ng mga llokano.

Kabilang sa kaniyang mga kinikilalang akda ang Fighting Pogi 1 at 2 at Matayakon Rosing, na patuloy na minamahal ng mga mambabasa sa loob at labas ng bansa.

Naging mahalaga ang kaniyang papel sa larangan ng publikasyon bilang Punong Patnugot ng Bannawag Magazine mula 1978

na ito sa pagpasa ng Republic Act No. 12316 na tumuon lamang sa excise tax. Giit ni Legarda, hindi na maaaring ipasa ng Malacañang sa Kongreso ang responsibilidad matapos nitong humugan ng direksiyong lehislatibo noon. "Huwag ninyo ipasa sa Kongreso ang problema.

hanggang 2005, kung saan hinubog at itinaguyod niya ang maraming manunulat. Nagsilbi rin siya bilang Tagapangulo ng Patnugutan ng Liwayway Publishing, Inc., at naging Pangulo ng GUMIL Filipinas. Ang Gawad Dangkal ng Panitikan ay ang pinakamataas na pagkilala sa naiambag sa panitikang Pilipino o lifetime achievement award.

Binibigyang-pagpupugay nito ang natatanging manunulat na nagpakita ng pagpapahalaga sa kultura, kaakuan, at kayamanan pamana, bukod sa pambihirang pagkasangkapan sa Filipino at iba pang katutubong wika. Ang gagawaran ay makatatanggap ng busto ni Balagtas, plake, at medalya.

Ang KWF Araw ng Parangal 2026 ay gaganapin sa 29 Abril 2026.

## Wanted, nasilbihan ng warrant sa loob ng piitan

**NAISILBI** ang warrant of arrest sa isang Provincial Level Most Wanted Person sa loob ng piitan kamakailan sa Tanza, Cavite.

Inihain ang warrant laban sa akusadong si alyas Simon, residente ng Tanza, sa loob ng Custodial Facility ng Tanza Municipal Police Station sa Barangay Daang Amaya 1, Tanza, dakong alas-4:10 ng hapon nitong Abril 21.

Inilabas ng Family Court,

Regional Trial Court, Fourth Judicial Region, Branch 5, Trece Martires City, Cavite, ang naturang warrant na may inirekomendang piyansa na ₱200,000.00.

Ito ay para sa kasong Sexual Assault sa ilalim ng Article 266-A ng Revised Penal Code laban sa akusado.

Pinangunahan ng mga tauhan ng Tanza MPS ang pagsisilbi ng warrant katuwang ang Cavite MARPSTA.

## P680K halaga ng shabu, nasamsam sa suspek sa buy-bust operation

**NASA** P680,000.00 ang halaga ng shabu ang nasamsam sa isang drug suspect matapos ang matagumpay na ikinasang operasyon ng kapulisan kamakailan sa Dasmariñas City, Cavite.

Inisagawa ang joint buy-bust operation ng Provincial Drug Enforcement Unit ng Cavite Police Provincial Office at Dasmariñas City Police Station sa Barangay Sta. Lucia, Dasmariñas City, dakong alas-9:30 ng umaga nitong Abril 22, na nagresulta sa pagkakaaresto sa suspek na si alyas Amo.

Narekober ng mga awtoridad sa pag-iingat ng suspek ang dalawang maliit at isang

malalaking heat-sealed transparent plastic sachet na naglalaman ng puting crystalline substance na pinaniniwalaang shabu, na may kabuuang timbang na humigit-kumulang 100 gramo at street value na P680,000.00.

Bukod dito ay nasamsam din ang isang pirasong Five Hundred Peso bill na may serial number na BW891557 na ginamit bilang buy-bust money.

Ang buong operasyon ay ganap na naidokumento at wastong naipaalam sa suspek ang kanyang mga karapatan sa konstitusyon sa wikang naiintindihan niya.

Noong deliberasyon, malinaw na may mga panukala na sa VAT, pero ang itinulak ninyo ay excise dahil una, mas madali daw ito iimplement at pangalawa, agad din daw itong ipapatupad. Nirespeto namin ang hiling ng Ehekutibo dahil sila ang nakakakita ng datos. Eh hanggang ngayon puro pa din usap, kumbaga sa libro, death-by-meeting, tapos ngayon sasabihin ninyo na walang batas? This administration has an 'urgency' and crisis-communication problem," dagdag ng senadora.

Sa ikalawang pagdinig ng PROTECT sa Senado, mismong mga kinatawan ng industriya ng langis ang nagsabing posible at maisasakatuparan ang suspensyon ng VAT. Binalaan ni Legarda na ang pagpapanatili ng VAT sa gitna ng pagtaas ng presyo ay nagresulta sa mas malaking kita ng gobyerno habang lalong nahihirapan ang mamamayan.

"Kung ibababa mo ang buwis, diretso ang epekto sa presyo. Kung ayuda, dadaan pa sa buong proseso, verification, distribution, matagal. Hindi dapat pinapadaan sa mabagal na sistema ang aragang tulong na puwedeng direkta sa presyo ng petrolyo," aniya. Kinuwestiyon din ni Legarda ang polisiya ng pagpapanatili ng VAT upang makalikom ng dagdag na pondo para sa subsidy programs. Giit niya, ang tinatawag na windfall collections ay galing mismo sa dagdag na gastos na pasan na ng publiko.

"Hindi ito usapin kung may pondo o wala. May windfall gains na nga, at sinabi na rin ng pamahalaan na may humigit-kumulang ₱230 bilyong fiscal space. Kung kinakailangan, maaari ring magdeklara ng savings ang mga ahensya mula sa mga proyektong hindi na maipapatupad ngayong taon o yung hindi naman emergency, gaya ng travel, capacity-building activities, events, at iba pang gastusing puwedeng ipagpaliban sa pamamagitan ng mas matalinong paggastos. May kakayahan ang gobyerno na rumesponde sa krisis. Ang tunay na tanong: gagamitin ba ito para agad mabawasan ang pasanin ng mamamayan, o patuloy bang bubuwisan ang krisis bago ibalik bilang ayuda? Para sa akin, hindi dapat binubuwan ang hirap ng tao," diin ni Legarda.

Ipinunto ng senadora na hindi na ito usapin ng fiscal capacity kundi malinaw na polisiya kung agad bang babawasan ang gastos sa pinagmumulan o patuloy na kokolektahin mula sa krisis na pinapasan ng sambayanan.

# Editorial

## Kulang na ba ang pondo ng pamahalaan?

**SA pinakahuling datos ng Commission on Elections ay nasa mahigit tatlong milyong bagong botante na ang nakapagparehistroparasa 2026 Barangay at Sangguniang Kabataan Elections. Itinakda ang halalan sa Nobyembre 2, 2026, na kung matatandaan ay naipagpaliban sa orihinal na petsang Disyembre 1, 2025. Nakaumang ang muling pagpapali-**

**ban bunsod ng suhestiyon ng ilang mambabatas na i-realign ang nakalaang budget sa nasabing eleksiyon bilang katugunansakrisisa enerhiya. Iba't ibang pananaw na kaakibat ang pagpapaliwanag ng tutol at pabor. Binibigyang-diin naman ng Comelec na ang paggamit ng election budget para sa ibang layunin ay ipinagbabawal ng Supreme Court. Bilyun-bilyong piso ang nakalaan para sa naturang halalan na ang katanungan ay ang pagsasakripisyo ba ay nangangahulugan ng kakulangan na ng pondo ng pamahalaan?**

## Weaving her way back

While some discover their skills later in life, others begin honing theirs from an early age. For Eleodora Carreos, at six years old, her tiny hands knew the rhythm of weaving. Although she pursued a career in teaching, life eventually led her back to the craft that has always been part of her.

Before weaving became her story

Eleodora, now 63, from Calamba City, was born and raised in Luisiana, Laguna, where she learned the art of weaving. After graduating, she initially worked as a teacher in Victoria, Laguna, before transferring to a private school in Calamba in 1991. In 1993, her teaching career was interrupted after she was diagnosed with laryngitis. This throat condition causes hoarseness or loss of voice and, if left untreated or worsened by continued teaching, could lead to cancer. As a result, she became a librarian.

Finding her way back to weaving

For nearly two decades, she dedicated herself to her role as a librarian. In 2020, however, the pandemic prompted the school to implement cost-cutting measures, and she

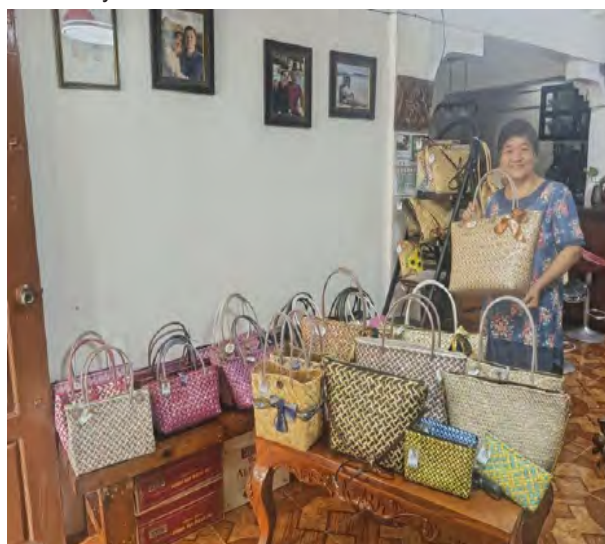
was among those who were laid off. Fortunately, she had established a sari-sari store back in 2005, which became their primary source of income. Instead of dwelling on the setback, she saw it as an opportunity. Drawing on the weaving skills she learned as a child, she turned it into a livelihood by creating woven baskets and bags. Initially, Eleodora used old cartons as raw material, but these proved less durable. She later shifted to pandan leaves and eventually incorporated plastic strips, resulting in sturdier, more durable products. Her business began to flourish after a friend fell in love with one of her handmade products. Through word of mouth, her customer base slowly expanded. Her dedication to the craft earned her recognition as the Most Outstanding Trainee in a weaving workshop she attended.

From her experience, Eleodora shares her advice for those dreaming of starting their business: "Kailangan ikaw mismo alam mo kung paano gawin yung trabaho, magpokus ka kung saan ka magaling at saka ka lamang kumuha ng tauhan kapag kaya na ng iyong negosyo. (Focus

on your strengths, do it yourself, and hire help only when your business is ready)."

Securing her finances

To secure additional capital, she took loans from CARD SME Bank, Inc. (A Thrift Bank) under CARD Mutually Reinforcing Institutions (CARD MRI). Since 2009, the bank has been her trusted partner, supporting both her sari-sari store and weaving products. Some of the bank's staff even became loyal customers of her handmade products. Eleodora also opened a MyWealth Savings account at CARD SME Bank, a savings product designed for senior citizens, allowing her to manage and grow her hard-earned income effectively.



Eleodora Carreos from Calamba City, Laguna, proudly showcases her beautifully handcrafted woven bags.

Through her hard work, she helped her two siblings complete their education and supported three of her nieces and nephews in finishing school. Though they do not have children of their own, she remains deeply grateful for all that life has given her and generously shares her blessings with others.

All the twists and turns in her life came full circle, guiding her back to weaving and turning her childhood passion into a meaningful livelihood. What once began as a simple craft has become one of her sources of income.

For orders and inquiries, those within the area may visit her at Acacia Park Homes, Saimsim, Calamba City, Laguna, or contact her at 0907-206-0570.

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## Opinyon o hula, makakatulong sa imebestigasyon?

**NAGKARON** ng insidente ng pagnanakaw at kayu-kayo ay kanyakanyang hingian o tanungan ng opinyon. Sino sa palagay mo ang nagnakaw, ilan kaya sila o sinu-sino ang sangkot, at may nagutos o mayroon bang mga utak o pasimuno ng nakawan?

Halimbawa sa isang classroom, bawat magkakaklase ay nagtatanungan.

O kaya naman sa isang opisina o kumpanya ay halosi isa ang katanungan ng magkakatrabaho. Pananaw lang naman ang hinihingi ng bawat isa sa kanila kung sa tingin nila ay sino o sinu-sino ang may kinalaman sa naganap na nakawan. Kung may mga estudyante o empleyado na maglalakas ng loob na magbigay ng kanilang pananaw ay hindi naman nangangahulugan na iyon ay panghuhusga na kaagad.

Posibleng mayroon

silang batayan o dahilan sa ibinibigay na opinyon. Maaaring sabihing ang kanilang pananaw ay mistulang hula lamang o pwede ring kutob o hinala.

Pero sa isang banda ay maaaring makakatulong ang opinyon o ang hula maging ang kutob o hinala.

Iyon ay sa pamamagitan ng masusi at malalimang pagsisiyasat na may kaakibat na pag-iingat.

Basta ang pag-iimebestiga ay patas at makatotohanan ay hindi malayong makamtan ang tama at magandang resulta.

Hindi porke na ang isang estudyante o empleyado na nagsusulong ng imebestigasyon ay lusot na siya sa pag-iimebestiga.

Sa pagtatapos ng imebestigasyon at lalantad ang katotohanan ay doon lamang masasabing tama o mali ang bawat opinyon, hula, kutob o hinala.

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Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135, as amended by Act 4118, filed by Petitioner/Mortgagee, SECURITY BANK CORPORATION, with business address at Security Bank Centre Building, 6776 Ayala Avenue, Makati City, against the Respondent/Mortgagor, **GILDA LUMIO MIYAGAWA**, with residence and postal addresses at (1) Unit E Bunag Apartment, Binang, Justinville Real II, Bacoor City, Cavite and (2) Kensington 12, Block 2, Lot 36, Phase 12, Brgy. Navarro, General Trias, Cavite, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of **February 27, 2026** amounts to **FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY SEVEN THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE PESOS and 24/100 (Php457,725.24)**, Philippine Currency, inclusive of interest, penalties and other charges as of said date but exclusive of all other charges incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned Sheriff will sell at public auction on **May 29, 2026** at 10:00 o'clock in the morning until 12:00 noon at the main entrance of the Government Center Building located at the Provincial Capitol Compound, Trece Martires City, to the highest bidder for CASH and in the Philippine Currency the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

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Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135, as amended by Act 4118, filed by Mortgagee, **BDO UNIBANK, INC.**, with business address at BDO Corporate Center, 33rd Floor, BDO Corporate Center Ortigas, No. 12 ADB Avenue, Mandaluyong City, against the Debtor/Mortgagor, **ROELLIZA FAITH A. VILLANUEVA**, with residence and postal addresses at (1) Lot 10, Blk. 9, Madrid Street, Camella Springville Executive II, Annex Barangay Molino 3, Bacoor, Cavite and (2) Lot 2, Blk. 16 Kensington Phase 11, Brgy. Navarro, Gen. Trias, Cavite, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of **November 15, 2023** amounts to **ONE MILLION EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY SEVEN THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY THREE PESOS and 10/100 (Php1,837,853.10)**, Philippine Currency, including interest, penalties and other charges as of said date but exclusive of all other expenses incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned Sheriff will sell at public auction on **May 29, 2026** at 10:00 o'clock in the morning until 12:00 noon at the main entrance of the Government Center Building located at the Provincial Capitol Compound, Trece Martires City, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE  
No. 057-2017041550

**LOT NO: 2 BLOCK NO: 16 PLAN NO: PSD-04-226212**  
**PORTION OF: BLOCK 14, PCS-04-027752, DECREE NO. 4270; LRC REC. NO. 5964**  
**LOCATION: BARANGAY OF NAVARRO, MUNICIPALITY OF GEN. TRIAS, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON**

**BOUNDARIES:**

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT(S)
1-2	NE	LOT 1, BLOCK 16, PSD-04-226212
2-3-4	SE	ROAD LOT 20, PSD-04-226212
4-5	SW	ROAD LOT 19, PSD-04-226212
5-1	NW	LOT 4, BLOCK 16, PSD-04-226212

**AREA: FIFTY NINE SQUARE METERS (59), 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 and time, it shall be held on **June 5, 2026** without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby enjoined to

**Ms. GILDA LUMIO MIYAGAWA**

(1) Unit E Bunag Apartment, Binang, Justinville Real II, Bacoor City, Cavite  
(2) Kensington 12, Block 2, Lot 36, Phase 12, Brgy. Navarro, General Trias, Cavite

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Republic of the Philippines  
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Regional Trial Court  
BRANCH 120  
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OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE JUDGE

**IN RE: PETITION FOR APPLICATION OF APPOINTMENT AS NOTARY PUBLIC FOR AND IN THE PROVINCE OF CAVITE,**

**NP Case No. 00442-26**

**JOHN JOSEPH R. NAME,**  
Petitioner,  
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NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to Section 5, Rule III of the 2004 Rules on Notarial Practice, notice is hereby given that a summary hearing on the petition for notarial commission of **ATTY. JOHN JOSEPH R. NAME** shall be held on **May 28, 2026 at 8:30 a.m.**, at Branch 120, Imus City, Cavite. Any person who has any cause or reason to object to the grant of the petition may file a verified written opposition thereto, received by the undersigned before the date of the hearing.

Atty. Name is directed to publish this notice of hearing once in a newspaper of general circulation in Imus City or Province of Cavite, as may be chosen by raffle. The Clerk of Court, Office of the Clerk of Court-Regional Trial Court, Imus City, Cavite, is directed to post this notice in a conspicuous place in the offices of the Executive Judge and the Clerk of Court. The cost of the publication and posting shall be complied with at least one (1) month prior to the hearing, shall be borne by Atty. Name.

**SO ORDERED.**

March 26, 2026, Imus City, Cavite.

**EMMANUEL S. OCSING**  
Executive Judge

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**Atty. John Joseph R. Name** – Blk 25 Lot 14 Legian 2C Subdivision, Carsadang Bago I, Imus City, Cavite; Room 305, SMMR Apartments, 1957B Bucandala Iv, Imus, City Cavite (jjnamesan@gmail.com)  
**Atty. Armie A. Francisco** – Clerk of Court VI, Office of the Clerk of Court, Regional Trial Court, Imus City, Cavite

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investigate for themselves the title to the said property and encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

Trece Martires City, April 24, 2026

**JOANNAH AVIGAIL C. TIMKANG**  
Sheriff IV

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## Natural Textile Fiber Innovation Hub Opens in Laguna to Boost Local Textile Industry

A significant step toward strengthening the Philippine textile sector was marked with the launch of the Natural Textile Fiber Innovation Hub (NTFIH) Laguna Facility at Laguna University in Santa Cruz, Laguna.

The newly inaugurated facility aims to address the growing demand for natural textile fibers by converting raw agricultural materials directly from the soil into spinnable textile fibers. This innovation is expected to enhance value-adding processes for local resources while promoting sustainable and community-driven production.

In his welcome remarks, Dr. Charlemagne G. Laviña, President of Laguna University, emphasized the institution's role in fostering innovation and collaboration. He noted that universities today must go beyond education and take the lead in driving transformative initiatives that benefit both industry and society.

Delivering the opening remarks, Dr. Julius L. Leaño, Jr., Director IV of the DOST–Philippine Textile Research Institute, highlighted the importance of the facility in empowering communities and strengthening the country's textile value chain. He underscored how the NTFIH Laguna Facility can create opportunities for local producers while contributing to the growth of the Philippine textile industry.

The keynote message was delivered by Dr. Renato U. Solidum, Jr., Secretary of the Department of Science and Technology, who stressed the vital role of science, technology, and innovation in achieving national progress and inclusive development.

Also present at the event, Hon. Benjamin C. Agarao, Jr. underscored the importance of leadership and multi-sectoral partnerships in building a resilient and sustainable local industry. Meanwhile, Ms. Carina F. Macalos reaffirmed the provincial government's commitment to supporting initiatives that

promote innovation and sustainability.

Further emphasizing grassroots impact, Ms. Agnes G. Morales, Provincial Director of DOST–Laguna, highlighted the role of localized innovation in transforming ideas into tangible community benefits.

The establishment of the NTFIH Laguna Facility represents a collaborative effort among academic institutions, government agencies, and local stakeholders. It is expected to serve as a hub for research, development, and capacity-building, ultimately contributing to a more sustainable and globally competitive Philippine textile industry. ( **Nelson Santos** )

## Bringing Civil Registration Services Closer to Communities: CRS Mobile Outlet Initiative in Bauan

In response to the growing public demand and to ensure wider access to essential services, the Philippine Statistics Authority RSSO IV-A participated in the Civil Registration Service (CRS) Mobile Outlet activity in Bauan, Batangas by promoting awareness on Civil Registration Laws and Programs through primers distribution.

This initiative aimed to educate the public related to civil registration provisions and services as well as updates on relevant laws such as Republic Act No. 9048 (An Act Authorizing the City/ Municipal Civil Register or Consul General to Correct a Clerical or Typographical Error in an Entry and / or Change of First Name or Nickname in the Civil Register Without Need of Judicial Order), RA 10172 (An Act Further Authorizing the City or Municipal Civil Registrar or the Consul General to Correct Clerical or Typographical Errors in the Day and Month in the Date of Birth or Sex

## Orientation on the Implementation of Child Budget and Expenditure Tagging and Tracking (CBETT) Conducted for LGUs

The Provincial Government of Cavite through the Office of the Provincial Social Welfare and Development Officer (OPSWDO) in partnership with Council for the Welfare of Children (CWC), and Regional Sub-Committee for the Welfare of Children (RSCWCC) conducted the Orientation on the Implementation of Child Budget and Expenditure Tagging and Tracking (CBETT) for Local Government Units (LGUs) on April 15, 2026, at the New Provincial Government Center in Trece Martires City.

The activity aimed to equip participants with a clear understanding of the CBETT framework and guidelines, enhance their skills in tagging and

tracking child-focused budgets, and promote collaboration between budget officers and LCPC focal persons to strengthen child-responsive budgeting at the local level.

The program formally opened with a message from Ms. Fely Servañez, OPSWD Officer, who welcomed the participants and underscored the importance of

prioritizing children in local governance. She emphasized that through CBETT, LGUs can better ensure that programs and services intended for children are adequately funded and efficiently implemented.

The discussion proper was facilitated by Ms. Julie Ann G. Delen, Planning Officer-CWC, Mr. Elinio L. Bardillon, Division

Chief and Ms. Florida F. Radam, who guided the participants through the technical aspects of CBETT implementation. They elaborated on the processes of identifying child-focused programs, tagging corresponding budget items, and tracking expenditures throughout the fiscal year. The facilitators also shared practical strategies and best practices to help LGUs integrate CBETT into their planning and budgeting systems effectively.

An open forum followed the discussions, providing an avenue for participants to raise questions, seek clarifications, and share their insights and experiences. The interactive session encouraged meaningful dialogue and helped address common concerns related to the application of CBETT at the local level.

The orientation served as a significant step in reinforcing the commitment of the Provincial Government of Cavite to uphold children's rights and welfare. By equipping LGUs with the necessary knowledge and tools, the CBETT initiative aims to ensure that investments for children are prioritized, monitored, and translated into impactful programs that support their holistic development. — **OPIO**

## Libreng Pustiso Program continues to restore smiles across Cavite

The Provincial Government of Cavite, through the Office of the Provincial Governor, continues to restore confident smiles among its constituents through the sustained implementation of its Libreng Pustiso Program, one of the flagship healthcare initiatives of the current provincial administration.

In the municipality of Magallanes, the program began with the fitting of beneficiaries on March 4, followed by trial fittings later in March, and culminated in the awarding of dentures on April 13. A total of 100 beneficiaries successfully received their complete dentures. Municipal Mayor Janessa Ann M. Maligaya-De Ramayo personally graced the awarding ceremony and led the distribution, highlighting the strong partnership between the provincial and local government in delivering essential health services.

In Kawit, beneficiaries underwent initial fitting on March 11, with trial fittings conducted on March 26, and the awarding of dentures held on April 16. A total of 111 residents

the PSA ensures that civil registration remains efficient, accessible and responsive to the public's needs.

benefited from the program.

During the denture fitting on March 11, First District Board Member Romel Enriquez and Jygs Gandia, along with Mayor Cynthia Aguinaldo, and other local officials, graced and expressed their full support for the program, underscoring a unified commitment to bringing healthcare services closer to the community.

All identified beneficiaries in both municipalities were successfully served, reflecting the Provincial Government's unwavering commitment to accessible and inclusive healthcare for every Caviteño. — **OPIO**

## PSA Mobile Civil Registry System (CRS) Outlet in City of Tanauan Batangas

The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Regional Statistical Services Office IV-A, in collaboration with PSA Batangas, successfully conducted a Mobile CRS (Civil Registry System) Outlet activity on April 15, 2026.

The initiative, aimed at reaching citizens in need of vital documents, served residents of Tanauan City and neighboring municipalities. By the end of the day-long event, the team had processed and issued nearly 150 civil registry documents.

Beyond document issuance, the mobile outlet featured a dedicated help

desk to address complex civil registration queries and registration for the Philippine Identification System (National ID).

Bringing PSA services directly to the communities is one of its goal. Through these mobile outlets, we eliminate the barrier of travel and make it possible for every citizen to secure the legal documents they need for school, work, and social benefits.

The Mobile CRS Outlet continues to be a vital tool for the PSA in ensuring that no Filipino is left behind due to geographical or logistical challenges.

## SM City Tanza Hosts Successful SUPER FAM RUN



SM City Tanza recently held its SUPER FAM RUN, bringing together families, friends, and fitness enthusiasts for a day of wellness and community spirit.



The event featured an energetic morning of running activities, culminating in joyful finish line moments that highlighted camaraderie and shared achievement. Participants of all ages filled the venue with enthusiasm, turning the run into a celebration of health, unity, and fun.

## President Marcos admin rolls out relief measures for truckers, shipping operators amid high fuel prices

The government has rolled out relief measures for truck drivers and shipping operators of agricultural products to cushion the impact of rising fuel prices amid the ongoing conflict in the Middle East, Malacañang said Tuesday. Citing information from the Office of Executive Secretary Ralph Recto, Presidential Communications Office (PCO) Undersecretary and Palace Press Officer Claire Castro said that among the measures are cutting key regulatory and terminal fees for truckers who deliver agricultural goods. “Ang sabi niya (Recto) ay naiintindihan niya talaga ang bigat na dinadala ng ating mga truck drivers at shipping operators sa pagtaas ng presyo ng langis kaya agarang gumawa ng hakbang sa utos na rin ni Pangulo,” said Castro.

On the orders of President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr., various government agencies have separately

begun providing financial assistance to public utility vehicle (PUV) drivers and operators.

At the same time, the Maritime Industry Authority (MARINA) approved a 75-percent reduction on key regulatory fees covering permits, safety certificates, vessel registration, and accreditation, said Castro. The Palace Press Officer noted that the reduction in regulatory fees is in addition to slashing the annual tonnage fee to just P1 per gross tonnage for Philippine-registered vessels above 15 gross tonnage for 2025, payable in 2026, while fully exempting vessels with 15 gross tonnage and below. MARINA also suspended the implementation of its January-issued schedule of fees and charges for the period starting April 20, and it will remain in effect for one year or for the duration of the State of National Energy Emergency, unless earlier lifted or revised.

On the part of the

Philippine Ports Authority (PPA), the Palace official said roll-on roll-off (RoRo) terminal fees were slashed to just PhP1 for vehicles transporting agricultural goods, a drastic cut from the current charges ranging from PhP258 to PhP516 depending on the vehicle type.

In addition, she said the Department of Agriculture (DA) and Department of Transportation (DOTr) tollway operators have waived toll fees for DA-accredited cargo trucks, with the DA expecting to generate over PhP100 million in savings for haulers as a result of the measure. The policy will be implemented for a period of one month starting April 20, 2026.

The MMDA and LGUs, on the other hand, are also exempted from the truck ban on vehicles transporting essential and perishable goods, as well as oil tankers, which may operate at any time. | PND

## BOOOST Now Open at SM City Trece Martires

Fitness enthusiasts and mall-goers can now enjoy a healthier way to recharge as BOOOST officially opens at SM City Trece Martires. Known for its protein-packed shakes and refreshing blends, the newest addition offers a convenient option for those with active lifestyles. Shoppers are invited to fuel up and experience a refreshing boost while enjoying their visit at the mall.



## Free Eye Check Now Available at OJO Eyewear in SM City Dasmariñas

Shoppers can now take a step toward better eye health with a free eye check at OJO Eyewear in SM City Dasmariñas. The store offers reliable vision care and expert assistance, making it easier for customers to prioritize their eye wellness while enjoying their mall visit.



## 2026 NAST Environmental Science Award, Dr. Geminiano T. De Ocampo Visionary Award

Ang mga nagwagi ng 2026 NAST Environmental Science Award at Dr. Geminiano T. De Ocampo Visionary Award para sa Pananaliksik Medikal at ang mga finalist ng 2026 NAST Talent Search for Young Scientists (NTSYS) ay pinarangalan sa Admiral Hotel, Malate Manila.

Sa kanyang pambungad na pananalita, sinabi ni Akademikong Jaime C. Montoya, Pangulo ng National Academy of Science and Technology, Philippines (NAST PHL), "sa ngalan ng NAST Philippines, ikinagagalak kong tanggapin ang lahat sa 2026 NAST Environmental Science Award at Dr. Geminiano T. De Ocampo Visionary Award para sa Pananaliksik Medikal."

Binanggit ni Montoya ang pananaw ng Pambansang Siyentipiko na si Angel Alcala, na dating Kalihim din ng DENR. "Bilang bahagi ng mandato ng NAST, nagbibigay kami ng kaalaman at kasanayan para sa mga siyentipiko," sabi ni Montoya. Kinilala ni Montoya ang suporta at tulong ng mga mananaliksik pati na rin ng mga miyembro ng media. Congrats sa mga nanalo. Salamat!" Tinapos ni Montoya. Si Secretary Renato U. Solidum, Jr., ng Department of Science and Technology (DOST), na kinakatawan ni Usec. Iniharap nina Maridon O. Sahagun, at Montoya ang Award sa 2026 NESA Winner at sa 2025 GTO Award Winner.

Si Dr. Rachel June Ravago-Gotanco, mula sa Marine Science Institute ng University of the Philippines Diliman, ay ginawaran ng 2026 NESA para sa kanyang "Complex patterns of genetic structure in the sea cucumber *Holothuria (Metriatyla) scabra* from the Philippines: Implications for aquaculture and fishery management".

Si Dr. Ravago-Gotanco ay tumanggap ng plake ng pagkilala at P150,000 mula sa NAST PHL. Karapatan din niya ang P2 milyong pondo para sa pananaliksik mula sa DOST Secretary's Grant for Environment, na ilalabas kapag pormal na naaprubahan ang kanyang panukala.

Si Dr. Melecia Antonio-Velmonte ang nagwagi ng 2025 GTO Award, mula sa UP Manila, College of Medicine, PGH, para sa kanyang "National Infection Prevention Control Program: Noon at Ngayon".

Binanggit din niya ang mga species ng sea cucumber na may mataas na halaga sa Indonesia at Malaysia. Ipinakita ni Dr. Antonio-Velmonte ang kanyang papel na may pamagat na "National Infection Prevention Control Program: Then and Now." Sa mensahe ni Solidum na ipinahayag ni Solidum ang kanyang pagbati para sa dobleng pagkilala sa mga nagwagi ng 2026 NAST Environmental Science Award at Dr. Geminiano T. De Ocampo Visionary Award para sa Pananaliksik Medikal.

Si John Vincent R. Pleto mula sa UPLB Pagsusuri ng kalusugan ng ekosistema ng Pitong Maar na Lawa ng Lungsod ng San Pablo, Pilipinas gamit ang phytoplankton index ng biotic integrity (Phyto-IBI).

Ang mga nagwagi ng NTSYS ay bibigyan ng mga plake ng pagkilala sa ika-48 Taunang Pagsasagupa na Pang-Agham ng NAST PHL sa Hulyo 9, 2026.

Ang mananalita sa unang gantimpala ay makakatanggap ng P100,000 at may karapatan sa isang pananaliksik na grant na P50,000 mula sa DOST para sa isang aprubadong panukalang pananaliksik.

## PGC HOLDS PARENTS' FAMILY DAY, STRENGTHENS SUPPORT AND RECOGNITION

In celebration of the strength, resilience, and invaluable role of solo parents in society, the Provincial Government of Cavite through the Office of the Provincial Social Welfare and Development Officer successfully conducted the Cavite Solo Parents' Family Day on April 18, 2026, at the New Provincial Government Center, Trece Martires City.

The event gathered more than 200 participants composed of Local Social Welfare and Development Officers (LSWDOs), Solo Parent Focal Persons, solo parent members, and officers from various local government units of the province. The activity aimed to honor the significance of every solo parent, foster stronger support networks among families, and encourage active participation and involvement within the solo parent community.

Aligned with the observance of Solo Parents' Week in the Philippines, which is celebrated every third week of April under Republic Act No. 8972 and strengthened by Republic Act No. 11861 or the Expanded Solo Parents Welfare Act, the initiative underscored the government's continued commitment to promoting inclusive policies and accessible support systems for solo parents. RA 11861 expanded benefits such as flexible work arrangements, additional leave privileges, and increased access to social protection services, further recognizing the unique challenges faced by solo parents.

One of the highlights of the event was a talk show and panel discussion on "RA 11861" facilitated by Ms. Ma. Violeta Malingin, DOLE – Senior Labor and Employment Officer and Ms. Danica Biescas, NHA- Community Support Services Officer. The discussion provided participants with a clearer understanding of their rights, benefits, and the latest provisions under the

law, while also addressing common concerns and encouraging dialogue among stakeholders.

To promote camaraderie and enjoyment, participants engaged in various Larong Pinoy activities, bringing a sense of nostalgia and unity among attendees. Adding entertainment to the celebration was the Wellness Program, titled "Pahinga at Kalinga para kina Juan at Juana," featuring a singing contest dubbed as "Solo Parent: Tinig ng Isang Magulang," which showcased the talents and confidence of participating solo parents. The activity not only highlighted their skills but also served as a platform for self-expression and empowerment.

Through initiatives like the Solo Parents' Family Day, the Provincial Government of Cavite continues to recognize the dedication and sacrifices of solo parents while creating opportunities for connection, learning, and holistic well-being—ensuring that no parent feels alone in their journey.— **OPIO**

## PSA RSSO IV-A Participated on CRS Mobile Outlet Service at Biñan City, Laguna

The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Region IV-A, actively participated in the Civil Registration System (CRS) Mobile Outlet Service conducted in Biñan City, Laguna on 17 April 2026.

The initiative aimed to bring PSA civil registry services closer to the residents of Biñan City, Laguna by providing convenient access to the issuance of civil registry documents such as Birth Certificates, Marriage Certificates, Death Certificates, and Certificates of No Marriage (CENOMAR).

The mobile outlet service activity was conducted from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM and successfully served a total of one hundred

## 59 Young Boys Benefit from Free Operation Tuli in Trece Martires City

A total of 59 young males received free circumcision services during the conduct of Provincial Government of Cavite's Operation Tuli Program on April 14, 2026, held at Barangay San Agustin, Trece Martires City.

The initiative aimed to promote proper hygiene and preventive healthcare among the youth while easing the financial burden on families by providing safe and accessible medical services at no cost.

Present during the activity were 7th District Board Member Camille Del Rosario and Trece

Martires City Mayor Gemma Lubigan, who both expressed their support and gratitude for the health programs that directly benefit the community, especially the younger population.

Prior to the procedure, parents and guardians were given an orientation on proper aftercare to ensure the safe and fast recovery of the beneficiaries. Medical personnel emphasized the importance of hygiene, wound care,

and monitoring to prevent possible complications following the procedure.— **OPIO**

## PGC Distributes P3.88M Educational Aid to 1,944 EARIST Students

On April 16, 2026, 1,944 students from EARIST-Cavite Campus in Gen. Mariano Alvarez, Cavite received ₱3,888,000 in educational assistance.

The distribution was led by Governor Abeng Remulla through the Office of the Provincial Governor—Provincial Scholarship Program, reflecting his

commitment to accessible education. Also present during the event were Vice Governor Ram Revilla Bautista and 5th District Board Members Aidel Paul Belamide and Ivey Jayne Reyes, who expressed support for the initiative.

The initiative was part of the provincial government's ongoing efforts to provide support and empower students, ensuring they have the resources needed to pursue their academic goals and succeed in their studies.— **OPIO**

seventy-seven (177) clients consisting of seventy-two (72) males and one hundred five (105) females. Through the CRS Mobile Outlet Service, clients were able to request and secure their civil registry documents without the need to travel to regular PSA outlets. The activity particularly benefited senior citizens, persons with disabilities (PWDs), and individuals from remote areas who may encounter difficulty accessing PSA services.

In addition to the mobile outlet services, the PSA distributed Information, Education, and Communication (IEC) materials on Republic Act (RA) No. 9048 and RA No.

10172, RA No. 9255, the Philippine Identification System (PhilSys) National ID, and the requirements for legitimation, adoption, and annulment of marriage. IEC materials on Gender and Development (GAD) principles were also disseminated. A total of forty (40) individuals were given IEC materials.

The CRS Mobile Outlet Service is among the PSA's initiatives to make civil registration services more accessible, efficient, and inclusive, in line with its mandate to strengthen the Civil Registration and Vital Statistics (CRVS) system and promote the legal identity of every Filipino.

# Pagpapalawak ng Triathlon Philippines ang sentro ng NTP pagsapit ng 2027

Ang Triathlon Philippines, habang umaayon sa pananaw ng World Triathlon na maging nangunguna sa mga makabagong kapaligiran ng palakasan, ay bubuo ng isang Pambansang Sentro ng Pagsasanay na nakatapon sa Fitness Racing (na mas karaniwang tinutukoy bilang Hyrox matapos ang fitness outfit na unang lumikha at nagpaunlad nito).

Ang Hyrox na itinagat bilang ang pinakahuling hybrid na kompetisyon sa fitness ay lubos na inaprubahan ng World Triathlon noong nakaraang taon sa kanilang World Congress sa Wollongong, Australia kasama ang Swimrun bilang mga bagong disiplinang sa ilalim nito.

Isang pandaigdigang, standard na patimpalak sa loob ng isang lugar na pinagkasama ang 8 kilometro ng pagtakbo sa 8 functional workout stations (hal. sled push, burpees, wall balls). Natatapos ng mga lumalahok ang circuit sa pagitan ng 1.5 hanggang 2 oras.

Ildinisenyo para sa lahat ng antas ng fitness hindi lamang para sa mga elite na atleta at ginaganap sa malalaking bulwagan na kaaya-aya para sa mga manonood.

Kabaligtaran sa aquathlon na binubuo ng tuloy-tuloy na paglangoy at pagtakbo, karaniwang sa format



**TRIATHLON PHILIPPINES PRESIDENT - SENIOR VP ASIAN TRIATHLON - TOM CARRASCO**

na swim-run o run-swin-run, ang swimrun ay isang sports ng pagtitis na kinapapalooban ng alternating, maramihang, at tuloy-tuloy na bahagi ng trail running at ang paglangoy, karaniwang sa mga koponan ay dalawa.

Sinabi ni Tom Carrasco, presidente ng Triathlon Philippines at senior vice president ng Asian Triathlon, na dumalo sa World Triathlon Congress, "Inaalamin ang posibilidad na mag-host ng isang malaking Hyrox event sa susunod na taon sa suporta ng Philippine Sports Commission, Philippine Olympic Committee at Department of Tourism. Bilang paunang hakbang sa aming

mga layunin sa 2027, pinaplano ng TriPhil na magbigay ng pinansyal na suporta sa mga Pilipinong atleta na makakawalipika para sa mga pangunahing milestone ng 2026, kabilang ang World Championships sa Stockholm, Sweden.

Maaaring pasiglahin ng mga kaganapang Hyrox, sa kanilang likas na katangian, ang sports tourism ng bansa, na ginagaya o maaaring mapabuti pa ang mga tagumpay ng 2026 sa Bangkok na naglingkod sa 18,000 kalahok (ang pinakamalaki sa Timog-Silangang Asya) o Singapore na nakahikayat ng 14,000 fitness enthusiasts sa isang makasaysayang tatlong-araw na format.

# Gilas women's 3x3 team silver medalist sa FIBA Asia Cup, sunod na pangarap makapasok sa 2028 Olympics

Sa maagang yugto na ito, ang koponan ng Gilas Pilipinas na kababaihan ng 3x3 ay nasa tamang landas para sa kanilang unang kwalipikasyon sa Olimpiko sa 2028 Los Angeles Summer Games.

Salamat sa malaking bahagi sa makasaysayang pagtatapos na may silver medal sa FIBA Asia Cup at sa pagkamit ng puwesto sa FIBA World Cup, ang bansa ay ngayon naka-rungo bilang pangalawa sa laro sa kalahating korte sa Asya sa likod ng Australia at nasa malakas na posisyon na makapasok sa biyahe patungong L.A.

"Ang malaking pangarap namin ay makapasok sa 2028 Olympics. At ang kampanya para doon ay nagsimula ngayong taon kasi nagsimula na ang qualification process. Kumbaga, lahat ng napapanalunan namin at sinasalihan sa mga FIBA tournaments ay nag-aambag sa Olympic ranking points na siyang magbibigay daan para makapasok kami sa Olympics," diin ni Erika Dy, Executive Director ng Samahang Basketbol ng Pilipinas, sa Philippine Sportswriters Association Forum.

"Ang nangungunang dalawang koponan sa Asia na may pinakamaraming puntos na naipon sa susunod na dalawang taon ay awtomatikong makakapasok sa L.A. Iyon ang hinahabol natin para hindi na tayo dumaan sa Olympic qualifier."

Nagpasalamat si Dy at nagbigay ng pagkilala sa mga miyembro ng Gilas women's 3x3 team para sa pagtatatag ng pundasyon sa likod ng kanilang malakas na pagpapakita sa dalawang torneo na inaprubahan ng FIBA na ginanap sa Singapore.

Kasama ni Dy sina Afril Bernardino, Kacey Dela Rosa, Mikka Cacho, Cheska Apag, at Reynalyn Ferrer sa sesyon sa media room ng Philippine Sports Commission kasama si coach Anton Altamirano

at SBP 3x3 program director na si Ryan Gregorio. Sinabi ng opisyal ng SBP na maraming trabaho ang kailangang gawin upang mapanatili ng Pilipinas ang kasalukuyang ranggo nito sa FIBA.

Sinabi ni Altamirano na marami ang nakaplano para sa koponan ng kababaihan ng Gilas habang ang ilan sa mga miyembro ng pool nito ay aalis patungong Sanya, Tsina para sa Asian Beach susundan ng pagho-host ng bansa ng FIBA 3x3 Women's Series sa Mayo 7-8 sa

SM Mall of Asia Music Hall. "Sa totoo lang, hindi talaga kami humihinto sa aming paghahanda kasi ang dami talaga naming palaran na sasalihan para paghandaan ang World Cup. Tuloy-tuloy ang aming kalendaryo sa 3x3," sabi niya.

Binanggit ni Dy ang mga tulad ng Mongolia, China, at Japan bilang iba pang mga bansa na inaaasahang huhusayan ang Pilipinas para sa nangungunang dalawang puwesto sa Olympics na nakalaan para sa Asya.



**GILAS WOMEN'S 3X3 TEAMS**

**MAKIKITA** sa larawan ang limang miyembro ng Gilas Women's 3 X 3 team na sila Afril Bernardino, Kacey Dela Rosa, Mikka Cacho, Cheska Apag, at Reynalyn Ferrer makaraang dumalo sa lingguhang PSA Forum sa PSC Media Room matapos ang talakayan kaugnay ng patuloy sa kanilang paghahanda upang makalahok sa 2028 Los Angeles Summer Games. Tampok din ang mga naging pahayag nila Coach Anton Altamirano, Erika Dy, Executive Director ng Samahang Basketbol ng Pilipinas at SBP 3x3 program director na si Ryan Gregorio. **(REY NILLAMA)**

# Signal Gandler MVP ng PVL Premier Team

Matapos maging pangunahing puwersa sa muling pag-angat ng Signal, tinapos ni Vanie Gandler ang kanyang kahanga-hangang kampanya sa pamamagitan ng pag-angkin ng Gantimpalang Most Valuable Player upang pamanunang ang Premier Team ng 2026 PVL All-Filipino Conference.

Ang patuloy na pag-angat ni Gandler ang nagpatakbo sa Super Spikers patungo sa ikalawang puwesto na may rekord na 6-3, habang ang kanyang mamunong pagganap sa semifinals ay nagdala sa koponan pabalik sa Finals sa unang pagkakataon sa loob ng dalawang taon.

Ang 25-taong-gulang na outside hitter, na ngayon ay nasa kanyang ikatlong taon sa liga, ay nagtapos sa ika-apat na puwesto sa pag-score sa pagtatapos ng semifinals ang estadistikal na hangganan para sa pinakamataas na individual na parangal na may kabuuang 209 puntos na nabuo mula sa 182 atake, 17 kill blocks, at 10 service aces.

Nanguna rin si Gandler sa ika-siyam na puwesto sa pag atake na may 31.93 porsyento, habang pumuwesto sa ikatlong puwesto sa parehong serving na may 0.23 aces kada set at sa receiving na may 36.59 porsyento, na nagpapakita ng kanyang epekto sa parehong dulo ng court.

Samantala, ang super rookie ng Capital1 na si Bella Belen na napanalunan ang kanyang unang Best Outside Spiker award at ang bituin ng Nled na si Brooke Van Sickle, na nakuha ang karangalang ito sa ikatlong pagkakataon, ay kinilala para sa kanilang kahanga-hangang mga kampanya na nagbigay-lakas sa kani-kanilang mga koponan sa buong kompetisyon.

Si Belen, na pinangalanan din bilang Rookie of the Conference, ay nagtapos sa ikatlong puwesto sa pag-score na may 218 puntos mula sa 199 na pag-atake, walong block, at 11 ace, sa kabila ng Solar Spikers na umabot lamang sa unang round ng play-in stage.

Nakapuwesto rin siya sa ika-apat sa spiking na may 35.16 porsyentong tagumpay at ika-apat sa serving na may 0.31 aces kada set. Karagdagang ipinapakita ang kanyang kabuuang halaga, siya ay pumangalawa sa

kahusayan sa pagtanggap na may 40.84 porsyento at ika-anim sa digging na may 3.06 kada set.

Si Van Sickle, sa kabilang banda, ay nagbigay ng isa pang all-around na pagtatanghal, na nagtapos sa ikatlong puwesto sa scoring na may 175 puntos, ikatlong puwesto sa spiking na may 33.12 porsyentong tagumpay, at ikasiyam sa serving na may 0.22 aces kada set, habang nasa ikatlong puwesto sa receiving efficiency na 40.71 porsyento.

Si Trisha Tubu ng Farm Fresh ay itinanghal na Pinakamahusay na Opposite Spiker sa ikalimang pagkakataon matapos manguna sa liga sa pag-score na may 251 puntos sa 216 na atake, kasabay ng 30 blocks at limang aces. Siya rin ang nanguna sa lahat ng spikers na may 41.70 porsyentong tagumpay at pumangitlo sa blocking na may 0.60 blocks kada set.

Samantala, pinalawak ni Pangs Panaga ng Creamline ang kanyang rekord na panalo sa ika-10 Best Middle Blocker award, habang nakamit ni Riza

Nogales ng ZUS Coffee ang kanyang pangalawang parangal sa posisyon sa isang mahusay na rookie season.

Pinamunuan ni Panaga ang lahat ng middle blockers sa kabuuang kill blocks na may 37 at nagtapos sa ikalawang puwesto sa blocks kada set na 0.76. Samantala, nanguna si Nogales sa liga sa blocks kada set na 0.80 at nagtapos sa ikaapat sa kabuuang blocks na may 28.

Tinapos nina Gel Cayuna ng Signal at Kath Arado ng PLDT ang Premier Team, na dinala ang mga parangal na Best Setter at Best Libero, ayon sa pagkakabanggit.

Nakuha ni Cayuna ang kanyang ikalimang Best Setter award matapos sa ikatlong puwesto sa setting na may 4.48 na mahusay na set kada set, habang nangunguna rin sa lahat ng setters sa service aces na may 0.34 kada set.

Si Arado, sa kanyang bahagi, ay nag-angkin ng kanyang ikaanim na Best Libero award matapos mapabilang sa ikalawang puwesto sa digging na may 4.71 digs kada set



**PVL PREMIER TEAM MVP VANESSA GANDLER / PVL ROOKIE MICHAELA BELEN**

Magkasama sina Signal Super Spikers Vanessa Gandler ang tinanghal na Most Valuable Player award habang tinanghal naman PVL Rookie si Michaela Belen ng Capital1 matapos ang championship game sa pagitan ng Creamline Cool Smashers at Signal sa pagtatapos ng Premier Volleyball League All Filipino Conference sa Araneta Coliseum. **(REY NILLAMA)**



**TOP 3 WINNERS IN PVL ALL FILIPINO CONFERENCE**

**ANG** masayang tagpo sa pagtatapos ng Premier Volleyball League All Filipino Conference 2026 kung saan ay tagumpay ang Creamline Cool Smashers bilang kampeon kontra Signal Super Spikers, habang 2nd runner up naman ang PLDT High Speed Hitters sa pagtatapos nito sa Araneta Coliseum. **(REY NILLAMA)**

# Honorica, target ang SEA Games; humihiling ng suporta matapos ang record-breaking na karera sa Asian tilt

Ang pinakabagong record-holder ng Philippine cycling na si Zedrick Ivan Honorica ay naghahangad ngayon sa mas malalaking internasyonal na kompetisyon habang nananawagan ng mas matibay na suporta kasunod ng kanyang makasaysayang performance sa Asian Track Cycling Championships sa Tagaytay Velodrome.

Inukit ni Honorica ang kanyang pangalan sa kasaysayan matapos magtala ng 10.865 segundo sa men's elite flying 200-meter sprint, binasag ang pambansang rekord at ipinakita ang kanyang galing bilang isa sa pinaka-promising na track cyclists ng bansa.

Ngunint higit pa sa mga numero, mas malalim ang kwento ng 21-anyos na atleta—isang kwento ng tiyaga at pagsisikap. Mula sa pagiging Food Panda delivery rider habang nagsasanay sa limitadong resources, ang pag-angat ni Honorica ay hinubog hindi lang ng kanyang determinasyon kundi ng suporta ng mga taong naniwala sa kanyang kakayahan mula pa noong una.

Isa sa mga ito si Dr. Norman Afable, founder at general manager ng Energy Healthasia by Dr. Odsman, na sumuporta kay Honorica mula pa noong siya ay nag-aaral sa Pamantasan ng Marikina.

"Naging estudyante ko siya, talagang matiyaga, Pandesal boys, anak ng security guard. Tayo naman dahil naging atleta rin tayo, tutulong tayo at hindi naman tayo nabigo at nakagawa siya ng history sa cycling," ani Afable, dating collegiate at commercial basketball star, sa Tabloids Organization in Philippine Sports, Inc. (TOPS) 'Usapang Sports'.

Nagbigay si Afable ng mahalagang suporta kay Honorica sa kanyang formative years, tinulungan siyang mapanatili ang kanyang training at development sa panahong kapos siya sa resources.

Ayon kay Honorica, malaking bahagi ang tulong na ito upang manatiling buhay ang kanyang pangarap sa

kompetisyon. "Malaking bagay po 'yung mga naniwala at tumulong sa akin mula pa noon. Si Dr. Norman (Afa) hindi ako pinabayanan," ani Honorica sa forum na inisponsoran ng Philippine Sports Commission, Behrouz Persian Cuisine, at Pocari Sweat.

Mula sa paggamit ng simpleng iron bike na nagkakahalaga lamang ng P14,000 malayo sa high-end equipment ng kanyang mga foreign rivals binigyan siya ni Afable ng mas maayos na kagamitan at kinuha si dating national team member Perjuful Gerdino bilang kanyang personal trainer.

Sa kabila ng kanyang record-breaking na performance, hindi pa rin nakapasok si Honorica sa podium, na nagpapakita ng agwat sa pagitan ng mga Pilipinong siklista at ng mas well-equipped na kalaban mula sa ibang bansa.

Binigyang-diin niya ang pangangailangan ng mas mahusay

na training programs, access sa world-class equipment, at tuloy-tuloy na pondo upang mapunan ang agwat na ito.

Ngayon, dala ang momentum ng kanyang tagumpay, determinado si Honorica na mas pagbutihin pa ang kanyang performance sa mga susunod na international competitions at makipag-agawan ng medalya.

"Yung time ni Zedric, konti na lang sa SEA Games gold medal. Kaya target namin yung record ng Malaysian na si Anwar sa SEA Games," ani Afable, na sinamahan sa forum ni Health Asia marketing manager Samantha Perdida.

Ang kanyang kwento ng katatagan, tahimik na suporta, at hindi pa lubos na natutuklasang potensyal ay nagsisilbing inspirasyon at panawagan: na sa tamang suporta, kayang makipagsabayang at manalo ng mga atletang Pilipino sa world stage.



**DR NORMAN AFABLE, FOUNDER GENERAL MANAGER ENERGY HEALTHASIA**

**IBINAHAGI** lingguhang TOPS Tabloids Organization in Philippine Sports Usapang Sports ni Dr. Norman Afable, founder at general manager ng Energy Healthasia by Dr. Odsman, ang kwento ng pinaka bagong record sa cycling sa nagdaang Asian Track Cycling Championships sa Tagaytay Velodrome. Kung saan ay todo ang suporta nito para kay Zedrick Ivan Honorica bagama't pagiging siya ay Food Panda delivery rider kung saan nagsasanay lamang sa limitadong resources, ito ilan lamang sa pahayag ng nasabing Afabi sa kanyang pag bisita sa lingguhang TOPS Tabloids Organization in Philippine Sports sa PSC Media Room. Nasa larawan din sina Zedrick at Secretary Samantha Joy Padica **(REY NILLAMA)**