



VICE-MAYOR HOMER SAQUILAYAN
Imus City, Cavite

DepEd official, personnel donate blood for heart's day



HEART'S DAY DONATION. Education Undersecretary Kris Ablan joins other education personnel in the blood donation drive, alongside the celebration of Valentine's Day on Tuesday (Feb. 14, 2023). The DepEd said a total of 75 individuals donated blood during the activity. (Photo courtesy of Facebook page of Kris Ablan)

Vice President Sara Duterte delivers her speech during the Kalinga 28th founding anniversary and 4th Bodong Festival on Monday (Feb. 13, 2023). (Photo courtesy of the Office of the Vice President)

MANILA – Several officials and personnel of the Department of Education (DepEd) on Tuesday donated blood alongside the celebration of Valentine's Day.

In a Facebook post, DepEd undersecretary Kris Ablan said he spent the heart's day morning with other DepEd personnel for a blood donation drive, which

was then followed by several meetings.

"42nd blood donation. My goal is to donate as much as my age. A couple of more

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9-DAY VAX ON WHEELS, INILUSAD SA GENERAL TRIAS



Inilunsad ng the-Wheels Vaccination Drive noong Martes, Office ang 9-Day-on- Pebrero 7, sa Kensington

15 Clubhouse area, Lancaster New City sa Barangay Navarro.

Pinangunahang ni Department of Health Assistant Regional Director Leda Hernandez ang inoculation drive para sa mga residente ng lokalidad

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4 TREATMENT PLANT SA CAVITE, SOLUSYON NG MAYNILAD SA WATER INTERRUPTION

Apat na modular treatment plants ang kasalukuyang ipinapatayo ng Maynilad sa lalawigan ng Cavite upang matugunan ang isyu sa paulit-ulit na water service interruption sa ilang mga lungsod at bayan nito.



Kabilang sa mga ito ang isang planta sa Imus, na kasalukuyang tapos na at kaya umanong maglabas ng 4 milyong litro ng malinis na tubig kada

araw, na inaasahang makakapagdagdag sa kinakailangan suplay at mabawasan ang service interruption sa lungsod.

Dagdag pa rito, kapag natapos na ang isa pang planta na ipinapatayo sa Imus ay nasa

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Naghandog si Mayor Alex Advincula ng tulong pinansyal sa 585 nating kababayang Imuseño sa pamamagitan ng Assistance to Individuals in Crisis Situation (AICS) ng Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) Region IV-A, at sa opisina ni Senator Bong Go na ginanap sa Imus Sports Complex.

Sinisiguro po ang isang gobyernong tutulong at gagabay sa ating mga kababayan lalo't higit sa mga lubos na nangangailangan.



DENR Bio-Remediation Project Pangalagaan natin ang Yamang Tubig-

The City Government of Trece Martires Mayor Gemma Lubigan together with Vice Mayor Bobby Montehermoso, the 11th Sangguniang Panlungsod, CENRO thru Arch. Ronnie Javier in partnership with DENR-EMB CALABARZON conducts the Bio-Remediation Project using Effective Microorganisms and Bokashi Mudballs at Puting Tubig River, Brgy San Agustin, Trece Martires City, Cavite. Effective Microorganisms (EM) can convert source of pollution into source of purification.

EM is a biological product made from a mixed culture of beneficial microbes developed by Dr. Teruo Higa. EMRO is a company established by Dr. Teruo Higa in Japan to spread the technology all over the world.

Be blessed, Be a blessing! Bagong Trece, Puso ng Cavite, Lungsod ng Pag Asa!

DOST-CALABARZON strengthens smart agriculture in the region through SETUP, partners with Bukid Amara Agri Farm to launch fully automated greenhouse



To introduce smart agriculture, specifically for the production of Japanese Musk Melon and other high-value melon varieties, the Bukidamara Agri Farm launched its first fully automated greenhouse on January 30, 2023 in Lucban, Quezon. The technology was funded by the Small Enterprise Technology Upgrading Program (SETUP) of DOST CALABARZON through PSTO-Quezon.

The launching ceremony was graced by the presence of Ms. Emelita P. Bagsit, Regional Director of DOST CALABARZON,

and Mr. Mario Daga, Supervising Tourism Operations Officer of the Department of Tourism CALABARZON, who both served as the opening keynote speakers. Bukidamara Agri Farm was hailed by DOT-CALABARZON as Best Farm Tourism Experience Award 2022.

Joining them were Hon. Augustin "Ten-Ten" Villaverde, Municipal Mayor of LGU-Lucban, Mr. Mat Maderazo, President/ CEO of Planters Product Inc., Mr. Erel Narida, CEO of One Renewable Energy Inc., Dr. Herminigilda A. Gaberman, Asst.

Director, Bureau of Plant Industry-Los Banos, Dr. Rolando V. Maningas, Regional Director of ATI CALABARZON, Dr. Gerardo Marasigan, Provincial Director of TESDA, Engr. Emie Siojo, CEO of Turbulent Drip Sales Inc. and Dr. KyuSeong Lee, Director of Korean Program for International Agriculture (KOPIA). They all gave message of support to Bukidamara Agri Farm.

Also present were representatives/ staff from the local, provincial and national government offices, as well as other farm owners in the CALABARZON region.

In the opening remarks, Mr. Michael S. Caballes, Chief Farmer/ Owner of Bukidamara Agri Farm showed his gratitude to DOST for making his dream possible and he was looking forward to more project collaborations in terms of smart agriculture. Next was a welcome message from Mayor Villaverde. Following this was an overview of the DOST's Small Enterprise Technology Upgrading Program through a short presentation by Ms. Precious R. Monedera, SRS II of DOST-Quezon. Director Bagsit, on her opening keynote speech, highlighted the expected impacts of the approved DOST SETUP project "Adoption of Automated Greenhouse System for the Production of Japanese Musk Melon and Other High-Value Melon Varieties of Bukidamara Agri Farm" amounting to Php 3,000,000.00, which include product quality improvement through automatic dosing of nutrient solution and automatic climate sensing, 169% increase

in production capacity per production cycle, 15-20% savings of nutrition solutions run off, and 20% savings from production and labor cost.

In addition, Director Bagsit, also underscored that DOST and its attached agencies, in collaboration with other stakeholders, are fully supporting the innovations in agriculture through various projects like the project SARAI, ATLANTIS and SPICE Program, among others. As she said during her speech, "We may not be at the forefront for the agriculture sector, but DOST, together with its attached agencies, are continuously supporting efforts on smart agriculture, as these are keys towards food industry competitiveness, food sustainability and food security. To our fellow farmers, agency heads, and visitors today, let us all work together towards this smarter, more innovative future in agriculture here in Quezon and the rest of the country."

The first part of the program was formally closed by Engr. Siojo, by thanking everyone who assisted Bukidamara Agri Farm and mentioning its future plans, in terms of smart agriculture. Engr. Siojo was looking forward to partnering with other state universities and colleges (SUCs), national government agencies (NGAs), and other government agencies to further advance smart agriculture through innovations such as the Internet of Things (IoT), robotics, and so on. Likewise, there were also a few agripreneurs from different provinces in the region present in the said

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MAKATANG KABITENYO
DLSU-DASMARIÑAS AWARDEE
MAKATANG KABITENYO 1999
F&A.M LINCOLN LODGE # 34
DOCTOR OF HUMANITIES (HONORIS CAUSA)
DR. AURELIO PAREDES BAUTISTA

PAGBABAGO NG BABAE

1. Ang batang babae'y mahilig sa laro,
Dala ang manika sa lahat ng dako,
Kung minsan kay Nanay tumulong sa luto,
Maglinis ng bahay at sa ibang dako.
2. Dumating ang oras na nais mag-ayos,
Palaging mabango't mahinhin ang kilos,
May napupusuan dalagitang bubot,
At luha lang pala ang maidudulot.
3. Pinahid ang luha at muling lumakad,
Isa pang binata yaong nakatapat,
Ngayon ay hindi na naging kulang-palad,
At napangasawa ang binatang tapat.
4. Nang dalaga pa siya'y isa nang prinsesa,
At nang mag-asawa, siya ay naging reyna,
Unti-unti siya ay nagbagong porma,
Naging emperatriz nang magka-anak na.
5. Tumibay ang loob nitong dating bata,
Naging tila muog na merong bandila,
Sa kanya pamilya ay umasang lubha
Na ang desisyon niya sa bahay ay tama.
6. Ang kanyang asawa ay nagpaubaya,
Dahil sa paghubog nitong mga bata,
Ina ang malimit kasama sa gawa,
At laging subaybay na mali'y itama.
7. Ang batang nang una'y mahilig sa laro,
Ngayon ay Lola nang mahilig magturo,
Kanyang mga apo'y kinupkop sa dako,
At sila ang sentro sa lahat ng kuro.
8. Ang isang babae'y ganyan nagbabago,
At kahit patuloy ang ikot ng mundo,
Di rin nagbabago yaong papel nito,
Babae'y babae, guro at modelo.

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EAST CAVITE SPORTS UNIT MEET 2023, SINIMULAN!



Opisyal nang sinimulan nitong Sabado, Pebrero 11, ang EAST CAVITE SPORTS UNIT MEET kung saan kalahok ang mga mag-aaral mula sa iba't ibang public elementary at high schools mula sa Carmona, GMA, Silang, at Amadeo.

Ang mga naturang kuha ay ibinahagi ni Carmona Mayor Dr. Dahlia A. Loyola, na nagbigay suporta sa mga manlalaro mula sa kanilang bayan at sa buong distrito.

"Hangad ko po ang



ligtas at matagumpay na pagdaraos ng ESCU Meet ngayong taon. Hinihikayat ko po ang lahat ng ating mga kababayan na magpakita ng suporta sa lahat ng mga Atletang Carmona na kalahok sa nasabing patimpalak. We wish you all the best and may you bring home the bacon," mensahe ng alkalde.(GO CAVITE)

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50 ENDANGERED SEA TURTLES, PINAKAWALA NG PCG SA NAIC



Pinalaya ng Philippine Coast Guard (PCG) at residente ng Naic ang nasa 50 bagong pisa na pawikan sa katubigan ng Barangay Labac noong Huwebes, Pebrero 9 ng hapon.

Ang mga pawikan ay pinakawalan matapos makipag-ugnayan ang mga tauhan ng PCG sa local government unit (LGU) ng Barangay Labac.

Ayon kay Lt. Commander Michael

Encina, PCG-Cavite Station commander, masaya ang kanilang grupo na mapanood kung papaanong maibalik sa kanilang natural habitat ang mga pawikan.

"It is the intent of the Philippine Coast Guard to enrich the marine biodiversity by involving our local government units and the coastal community through continuous and proactive marine environmental

protection activities and vigorous campaigns participated primarily by our people," ani Encina.

Ang mga hatchlings ay sumailalim sa incubation at pinrotektahan ng Barangay Labac's Nesting Facility.

Dagdag ni Encina, "More or less 400 live sea turtles were released by the PCG and the said LGU for the past two years."

Ang aktibidad na ito ay bilang suporta sa Republic Act 9147 o ang Wildlife Conservation and Protection Act of 2001, na naglalayong pangalagaan at protektahan ang mga wildlife species at ang kanilang tirahan upang maisulong ang balanseng ekolohiya at mapahusay ang biological diversity. (GO CAVITE)

Pagbati Mula kina:



Mayor Alex "AA" Advincula
Imus City, Cavite



Cong. Adrian Jay 'AJ' Advincula
3rd District of Cavite



FAMOUS PERSONALITIES

BY

NICO & NIELSEN BAUTISTA

GUGLIELMO MARCONI - Siya ay isang Italyanong inhinyero na umimbento ng wireless telegraphy noong 1896. Siya ay binawian ng buhay noong 1915.



LET THERE BE LIGHT!

By

Eng'r. Vir Campaña Bautista
F & A.M. Luis Olimpo Ferrer Lodge 366

MOSON- Isang lugar sa Mendez na may tanda o batong hangganan.

DepEd official, personnel donate... (from p. 1)

years," he said. Besides Ablan, 74 other blood donors joined the bloodletting activity. "Kabuoang 75 donors ang mga lumahok na empleyado ng central office sa bloodletting activity na naisakatuparan sa tulong ng Veterans Memorial Medical Center (A total of 57 donor-employees at the central office joined the bloodletting activity

which was done with the help of the Veterans Memorial Medical Center," the DepEd said. Teachers' welfare The Alliance of Concerned Teachers (ACT)-Philippines, meanwhile, conducted Valentine's Day protest to increase the salary of teachers and decrease their workload. The DepEd, during the Basic Education Report (BER), has stated

its efforts to address the concerns of teachers, including the hiring of teaching and non-teaching personnel to scrap administrative tasks on their load. Prior to the celebration of heart's day, Vice President and Education Secretary Sara Duterte assured the DepEd is working closely with various sectors to put a premium on ensuring the welfare

of teachers. Duterte made the statement as she joined the 28th founding anniversary and 4th Bodong Festival in Kalinga on Monday. Vice President Sara Duterte delivers her speech during the Kalinga 28th founding anniversary and 4th Bodong Festival on Monday (Feb. 13, 2023). (Photo courtesy of the Office of the Vice President)

Apart from discussions with legislators, the DepEd also tapped the Department of Health (DOH) to respond to calls for free medical check-ups for teachers. Likewise, Duterte said they are also coordinating with the Government Service Insurance System (GSIS) to address several concerns. "At sinasabihan namin sila na dapat po buwan-buwan ay mayroon kaming coordination meeting hanggang sa maayos namin ang mga accounts ng ating mga teaching and non-teaching personnel sa Department of Education (And we're instructing them to have monthly coordination meeting with us until we manage to organize the accounts of our teaching and non-teaching DepEd personnel)," she added.

especially when it comes to issues concerning contracts and loan obligations. "Napakahalagapo na maintindihan niyo kung ano ang pinipirmahan ninyong kontrata at ma-explain sa inyo ng isang abugado kung ano po ang mangyayari kapag kayo po ay in default sa inyong pagbabayad sa inyong loan obligations (It is very important for you to understand what kind of contracts you are signing and for lawyers to explain what will happen if you are in default of your loan obligations)," Duterte said. Meanwhile, Duterte said the community must prioritize investing in the education sector as it serves as the "greatest equalizer" in the community. The DepEd also underscored the need for a collective effort to protect children and the youth who are susceptible to drug addiction and insurgency. (PNA)



CAVITE HIGHLIGHTS

By: Yna Palparan Bautista

The Spanish Marines pursued Gen E. Aguinaldo to capture him. The Battle of Alapan gave a crushing defeat to Spaniards and the Philippine Flag sewn by Marcela Agoncillo in HongKong was waved in victory after the battle.

Mapagmahal at mapagkalinga ang Pamahalaang Bayan ng Naic. Kaya naman ngayong araw, ipinamahagi na ang mga bigas na tulong mula sa Philippine Reclamation Authority. Lubos ang kahalakan ng mga mangingisda at ng kanilang pamilya na naging benepisyaryo ng nasabing Programa. Ipinabot ng Naic LGU ang tauspusong pasasalamat sa Philippine Reclamation Authority sa isang natatanging serbisyo, pagbibigay ng tulong at suporta para sa mga Naicqueños. (Municipality of Naic)

9-DAY VAX ON WHEELS... (from p. 1)

sa pamamagitan ng "Savaxx sa Laban vaccine drive" na dinaluhan ng maraming residente. Layunin ng proyekto na mabakunahan ang mga senior citizen, mga batang edad 5 taong gulang pataas, at ang mga nangangailangan ng booster doses laban sa Covid-19 at iba pang regular na pagbabakuna para sa mga batang edad 0-59 months, gayundin ang mga nasa hustong gulang upang maprotektahan sila laban sa mga sakit na maiiwasan sa tulong ng bakuna. Nagbigay naman

ng kanyang pagsuporta kasama ang ibang lokal sa programa si Mayor na opisyal ng lungsod. Luis "Jon Jon" Ferrer (GO CAVITE)



HUMANITY TRIVIA

(IT TELLS THE DATES OF INVENTION, PLACES OF PLANT ORIGIN AND CURES OF DISEASE)

- Fluorescent paint - 1933
- Suntan cream - 1936
- Avocado - Mexico
- Banana - India
- Duhat - diabetes

DOH ENCOURAGES PRIVATE HOSPITALS IN ILOCOS REGION TO ENTER INTO MOA FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE



DOH-Ilocos Region Assistant Regional Director Rodolfo Alberto M. Alborno urges private hospitals to enter into a MOA with the regional office in order to provide more health care services, especially to indigent patients.



Department of Health - Ilocos Region Assistant Regional Director Rodolfo Alberto M. Alborno told private hospitals to enter into a memorandum of agreement with the regional office to ensure service delivery network and address health inequities through accessible healthcare without disparity during the launching of the Northern Luzon Adventist Hospital's (NLAH) 'Healthy Pangasinan Campaign' held at the in Sison, Pangasinan on February 13, 2023.

"I am confident that NLAH will be part of the Province of Pangasinan's Health Care Provider Network (HCPN) after will continue to cater patients needing medical care and treatment to and from the community in the Municipality of Sison and other nearby municipalities."

"A public-private partnership will contribute greatly to a more improve service

delivery network and help address health inequities by providing more access to healthcare and reducing the financial burden of out-of-pocket expenses by patients," he explained.

Alborno added that partnership with private hospitals will also ensure the effective and efficient implementation and strengthening of the service delivery network through strategies and activities that would address the prevailing burden of various diseases in the province of Pangasinan.

"Dahil tayo ay may Universal Health Care (UHC) na batas, lahat dapat ng sector ng kalusugan ay makasama na upang mabigyan ng tamang access ang lahat ng Filipino sa de-kalidad at abot-kayang serbisyong pangkalusugan nang walang dapat ipangamba sa gastusin, mapa pribado man o pampublikong hospital."

"Ang pagpapagamot ay karapatan ng isang

pasyente at karapatan din nyang mamili kung saan sya magpapagamot. And as health care provider it is our duty to provide care and treatment to those seeking medical treatment and through the UHC, they can avail of the medical assistance they need," he added.

The Northern Luzon Adventist Hospital is a level 1 hospital in District V of Pangasinan and has been serving for 13 years, it is the biggest private hospital in the town of Sison, Pangasinan.

NLAH has shown commitment to be more engaged and committed to the advocacies and programs of the Department of Health as they are among the few private hospitals who attended and actively participated in the technical assistance and orientation in the creation of Public Health Units (PHUs) in all hospitals in the region conducted by the DOH Regional Office last November 2022. (DOH)

4 TREATMENT PLANT SA CAVITE... (from p. 1)

mahigit 22 milyong litro kada araw ang madadagdag sa suplay ng tubig, kung saan manggagaling Julian River ang tubig na ipo-proseso ng planta.

"Itong treatment facility na ito, specifically to address underserved areas namin sa Cavite at 'yong sobra po nito ilalabas din

namin sa ibang lugar," ani Ronald Padua, head ng water supply operations sa Maynilad.

Sa kasalukuyan ay local permit na lamang ang hinihintay upang mapagana ang isang planta sa Imus.

"Yung sa Imus, inaasahan namin [ang] initial production ngayong

summer months of 2023, maybe May, latest na 'yong June... full production [is] September this year," ani Padua.

Samantala, isang magandang balita na mahigit 20 milyong litro ang inaasahan na kayang ma-produce ng planta sa Bacoor pagdating ng 2024.

Health Benefits...

Kaalaman tungkol sa Moras bilang halamang gamot

Ang moras ay isang puno na may katamtamang taas at kilala dahil sa mapula o maitim nitong bunga. Ang dahon ay may tusok-tusok sa gilid at bahagyang bilugan na pahaba. Sa Pilipinas, karaniwan itong makikita sa mga hilagang lalawigan ng Cagayan at Batanes.

Ano ang mga sustansya at kemikal na maaaring makuha sa Moras?

Ang iba't ibang bahagi ng halamang moras ay maaaring makuhanan ng maraming uri ng kemikal at sustansya na maaaring may benepisyos sa kalusugan:

Taglay ng halaman ang ilang substansya gaya ng tannins, phytosterols, sulfur; langis, at saponins.

Ang bunga naman ay makukuhanan ng fat, urease; pectin, citrates, at malates.

Ang ugat ay mayroon ding sterols, flavones, flavanone, stilbene, benzophenone, coumarin derivatives at succinic acid.

Makukuha naman sa dahon ang calcium malate, calcium carbonate, pentosane, tannin, carotin, ash, pati na vitamin C at choline

Anong bahagi ng halaman ang ginagamit bilang gamot, at paano ginagamit ang mga ito?

Maaaring gamitin bilang gamot ang ilang bahagi ng halaman tulad ng:

Dahon. Ang dahon ay karaniwang kinakain o nilalaga upang mainom ang pinaglagaan.

Bunga. Ang bunga naman ay karaniwang kinakain lamang, o kaya ay pinatutuyo bago ilaga at inumin.

Balat ng kahoy. Maaari ding ilaga ang balat ng kahoy ng moras para magamit sa panggagamot.

Ano ang mga sakit at kondisyon na maaaring matulungan ng Moras?

Diabetes. Ang bunga ng moras ay kinakain para matulungan ang kondisyon ng diabetes.

Pananakit ng ulo. Ang pinaglagaan ng dahon ay maaaring gamitin na panglunas sa para sa pananakit ng ulo. Ang pinaglagaan ay iniinom lamang.

Hirap sa pagdumi. Dapat namang inumin ang pinaglagaan ng pinatuyong bunga ng moras para matulungan ang pagtitibi.

Nagpapasusong ina. Ang pagkain sa murang dahon ng moras ay makatutulong sa pagpapalakas ng gatas ng ina.

Lagnat. Inilalaga naman ang balat ng kahoy ng puno para sa maibsan ang mataas na lagnat.

Epilepsy. Makatutulong naman para sa kondisyon ng epilepsy ang pag-inom din sa pinaglagaan ng balat ng kahoy ng punong moras.

Sugat. Ang pinitpit na dahon ay dapat ipantapal sa sugat upang matulungan ito sa mabilis na paggaling.

Rayuma. Ang mga tangkay ng halaman ay kadalasang nilalaga din at pinapainom sa taong dumadanas ng pananakit sa kasukasuan.



Scientific name: *Morus indica* Linn., *Morus alba* Linn., *Morus atropurpurea* Roxb.
Common name: Moras (Tagalog); Mulberry tree (Ingles)

UNIQLO, SM Foundation donate hand washing facilities



Students of Calamba Integrated School (CIS) wash their hands at the new hand washing station from SM Foundation and UNIQLO.



UNIQLO Chief Operating Officer Geraldine Sia visits the winning mural painting in CIS.



Cathleen Antonio, mural painting contest winner in CIS



Representatives from SM group and UNIQLO use the newly installed facility.



Students, staff, and teachers of CIS, UNIQLO representatives, SM malls employee volunteers, and SM Foundation representatives come together for a photo opt to cap the celebration.

In another collaboration for social good, SM Foundation, Inc. (SMFI) and UNIQLO Philippines simultaneously turned over new handwashing through the BalikEskwela Program last January 24, 2023. Advocating hand hygiene and safe resumption of in-person classes, the initiative commenced on December 6, 2022 in 10 schools: Caritan Norte Elementary School in Tuguegarao, Joaquin Smith Elementary School in Baguio, Masamat Elementary School in Pampanga, San Vicente Elementary School in Angono, Calamba

Integrated School (CIS) in Calamba, Maria Clara High School in Caloocan, Villa Esperanza Elementary School in Bacolod, Nabitasan Elementary School in Iloilo, Dadiangas East Elementary School in General Santos, and Cagayan de Oro National High School in Cagayan de Oro.

During the turnover ceremony in Calamba, SMFI Trustee, Engr. Ramon Gil Macapagal shared the pivotal role of partnering with like-minded groups in order to strengthen the foundation's mission of spreading social good.

"In SM Foundation,

we have been working on social good programs and environmental good programs. One way of spreading social good is to be in partnership with people with common mindset—one of them is UNIQLO," Macapagal said. Meanwhile, UNIQLO Chief Operating Officer Geraldine Sia shared that the initiative forms part of their sustainability efforts as they celebrate their 10th year in the country.

"Our goal is to provide our students with the proper facilities conducive to their school experience as they return to on-site study. We at UNIQLO and SM Foundation, through this BalikEskwela program, aim to support our community partners' needs and provide them with necessary resources, helping improve facilities to make both students' and teachers' onsite schooling a more safe and comfortable experience," Sia said.

"By providing handwashing facilities, we helped provide access for them to continue observing health protocols and alleviating the spread of the COVID-19 virus when they are at school," she added.

While upgrading the schools' hygiene fixtures, SM Foundation and its partner also mounted school-wide mural painting contests, banner the theme "How to take care of the Earth and become more sustainable." The

winning art pieces were aptly painted alongside the schools' new hand-washing facilities to promote sustainability and underscore the importance of taking care of the Earth. Hand in hand towards better health

Principal Arlene Garcia of CIS, one of the beneficiary schools and one of the most populated schools in Laguna, lauded the initiative during the ceremony and noted the benefits they have been experiencing.

"We have very few cases of COVID-19 and upper respiratory illnesses, like coughs and colds. Cases of Hand Foot and Mouth Disease were reported in the Philippines, but thankfully we did not record any cases here in our school. We are hopeful that with the additional facilities, the cases of hand hygiene-related and communicable diseases will be mitigated," she said.

"Especially now that the hand washing stations are beautiful and more accessible, I have observed that students enjoy washing their hands. In time, I hope that they will develop this into a habit," she shared.

Moving beyond the scope of the project, SM Malls employee-volunteers spearheaded the repair of several classroom facilities in their respective cities and municipalities and are key in the successful implementation of the joint initiative.(kcht)

DOST-CALABARZON...

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activity including owners and representatives from Uma Verde Econature Farm, Fork and Spade Farm, and Farm Share Prime, all of whom expressed their excitement in partnering with DOST to upgrade their farming technologies and innovations. Highlighting the part two of the program were the blessing ceremony officiated by Msgr. MelecioVerastigue, followed by the ceremonial planting, harvesting and tasting of melons. During the ceremonial planting and harvesting, Mr. Caballes, showed a comparative chart between the 2 nd cycle of production and the current production they harvested. The data given illustrated the irrigation and nutrition

management strategy of Bukidamara Agri Farm on daily climate fluctuations and showed the plant activity during different daily climate shifts.

"These kinds of data, including the climate data we will be generating in future production will give us better intervention strategies, like supplemental lighting, in the future, to assure we get the production right. We will be able to respond to the crop needs better if we know how the crop interacts with the climate," Mr. Caballes said.

The ceremonial tasting of melon, on the other hand, was a prelude to Bukidamara's Agri Farm upcoming Melon Tasting Tour this April to May 2023. Photo credits to: Lucille Javier

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HOMe DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund
 Petitioner-Mortgagee,

-versus-

FnC-2022-156

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 Respondents-Mortgagors.

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nOtICE OF EXtra-JuDiCiaL sALE

WHEREAS, upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act No. 3135 as amended by the Act No. 4118, filed by HOMe DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund, Mortgagee, with postal address at The Petron Mega Plaza Building, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City against FLOrDELiZa saLinAs BarCiaL, marriED t O grEgOriO antiOQuia BarCiaL, Jr. Mortgagors, with postal address at 720 Tramo Road, Brgy. Tejero Compound, Rosario, Cavite, and/or Lot 61, Blk.73, Pasinaya Homes 2 Sabang, Naic, Cavite, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of October 14, 2022, amounted to **FOur HunDrED tHirtY tHrEE tHOusanD tWO pEsOs and 75/100 (pHp.433,002.75)** Philippine Currency, excluding penalties, Attorney's Fees and expenses of the foreclosure, the undersigned authorized Sheriff IV, will sell at public auction on **March 21, 2023 at 9:00 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 thereon, to wt:

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057-2018036591

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that a certain land situated in BARANGAY OF SABANG (FORMERLY TIMALAN), MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON, bounded and described as follows: LOT: 61, BLOCK:; 73, PLAN NO: PSD-04-246095, PORTION OF: SUBD. OF LOT 2933, FLS-986-D, NAIC ESTATE (VS-04-000597) LRC RECORD NO. 8340, LOCATION: BARANGAY OF SABANG (FORMERLY TIMALAN), MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON x x x AREA: TWENTY EIGHT (28) SQUARE METERS, MORE OR LESS XXX.

Prospective bidders are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title of the above- described property and to the encumbrance existing thereon, if any there be.

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 March 28, 2023 at same time and at the same place mentioned above without further notice.

Municipality of Naic, Province of Cavite, January 7, 2023

(sgD)JanELLE V. LagaDOn,mBa
 Sheriff IV

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HOMe DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund- The Petron Mega Plaza Building, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City

Flordeliza salinas Barcial, Gregorio Antioquia Barcial, Jr. 720 Tramo Road, Brgy. Tejero Compound, Rosario, Cavite, and/or Lot 61, Blk.73, Pasinaya Homes 2 Sabang, Naic, Cavite Jeffrey A. Ramietas- Great Source Corporation, 2546 A. Bonifacio St., Bangkal, Makati City

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Contact no. 09273707489

HOmE DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund
(otherwise known as **pag-iBig Fund**),
Mortgagee

-versus-
Foreclosure No. 2023-12
For: Extra-Judicial Foreclosure of
Real Estate Mortgage

marLY C. LOpEga married to mariBETH Q. LOpEga,
Mortgagors.

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nOtICE OF EXtra-JuDiCiaL saLE
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Upon Extra-judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135 as Amended by Act 4118 filed by the mortgagee, **HOmE DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund (otherwise known as pag-iBig Fund)** at The Petron Mega Plaza Bldg. No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Ave., Makati City, and against the mortgagors, **marLY C. LOpEga married to mariBETH Q. LOpEga** at 1602 8th St., Fabie Estate, Paco, Manila, to satisfy the mortgagee indebtedness which as of January 19, 2023, amounts to **FOur HunDrED tWentY FiVE tHousanD FiVE HunDrED EighT sEVEN pEsOs & 06/100 (p425,587.06)** Philippine Currency, inclusive of interest and penalty charges, but exclusive of other fees incident to this foreclosure, the undersigned or her duly authorized representative will sell at the public auction on March 7, 2023 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning or soon thereafter, at the main entrance of the Hall of Justice of Bacoor City, Cavite, to the highest bidder for CASH and In Philippine Currency, the following described properties with all the improvements thereon, to wit;

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057-2013032481

A PARCEL OF LAND (LOT 63, BLK. 4 OF THE CONS. AND SUBD. PLAN, PCS-04-024417, BEING A PORTION OF THE CONS. OF LOT 22 BLK. A, (LRC) PSD- 47834 & LOT 4656, IMUS ESTATE, L.R.C REC. NO. 8843), SITUATED IN THE BRGY. OF MOLINO, MUN. OF BACoor, PROV. OF CAVITE. X X X, CONTAINING AN AREA OF FORTY SIX (46) SQUARE METERS, MORE OR LESS."

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

"In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on **March 14, 2023**, without further notice."

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

City of Bacoor, January 31, 2023.

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By:

DaniLO B. BErLON
Sheriff IV

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HOmE DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund
(otherwise known as **pag-iBig Fund**)
The Petron Mega Plaza Bldg. No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Ave., Makati City

attY. JEFFrEY a. ramEntas C.p .a.
GREAT SOURCE CORPORATION
2546 A. Bonifacio St., Bangkal, Makati City

marLY C. LOpEga married to mariBETH Q. LOpEga
1602 8th St., Fabie Estate, Paco, Manila
Lot 63 Blk. 4 Greensite Homes, Brgy. Molino, Bacoor, Cavite

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

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HOmE DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund
(**pag-iBig Fund**),
Mortgagee/Petitioner,

-versus-
FNC-2023-206
For:Extra-Judicial Foreclosure of
Real Estate Mortgage under Act
3135, as Amended by Act 4118

rappY Q. OrOngan, single
Mortgagor/Respondent.

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nOtICE OF EXtra-JuDiCiaL saLE

Upon Extra-Judicial petition for sale under Act 3135, as amended by Act 4118 filed by HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND (PAG-IBIG FUND), mortgagee/petitioner, with principal office address at The Petron Mega Plaza Building, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City Mandaluyong City, Metro Manila against **rappY Q. OrOngan, single**, mortgagor/respondent, with postal address at #9056 Timalan Lontoc, Tanza, Cavite/Lot 60, Blk. 10, HillsvieW Royale Phase 2, Timalan, Naic, Cavite to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of **september 15, 2022** amounts to **tHrEE HunDrED FOrtY-sEVEN tHousanD EighT HunDrED FOrtY-ninE pEsOs and 17/100 (p347,849.17)** Philippine currency, inclusive of interest, penalties and other charges, the undersigned Sheriff will sell at public auction on **march 13, 2023** at 10:00 o'clock in the morning or soon thereafter at the main entrance of the Office of the Ex-Officio Sheriff at the Hall of Justice formerly Mayor Macario B. Pena Memorial Hall, Naic, Cavite, to the highest bidder, for cash and in Philippine currency, the following described property with all the improvements existing thereon, to wit:

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057-2018036523

A parcel of land (Lot 60 Blk. 10 of the Subd. Plan Psd-04-216489, being a portion of PCN-04-001969, LRC Rec. No. 8340), situated in the Brgy. of Timalan, Mun. of Naic, Prov. of Cavite, Island of Luzon. Bounded on the NE., along Line 1-2 by Lot 59, Blk. 10; on the SE., along line 2-3 by Road Lot 12 (6.50 m. wide); on the SW., along line 3-4 by Lot 61, and on the NW., along line 4-1 by Lot 3, both of Blk. 10, all of the subd. plan x xxx Containing an area of THIRTY-FIVE (35) SQ. METERS.

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above-stated time and date.

Prospective bidders or buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves, the title herein above-described and the encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

In case of the absence of any participating bidder on the above-scheduled date, said auction sale will be reset and finally held on March 20, 2023 at the same place and time above-mentioned.

Naic, Cavite, February 06, 2023.

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Sheriff IV

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Home Development mutual Fund (pag-iBig Fund) The Petron Mega Plaza Building
No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue
Makati City, Metro Manila

rappy Q. Orongan, single
#9056 Timalan Lontoc, Tanza, Cavite/ Lot 60, Blk. 10, HillsvieW Royale Phase 2 Timalan, Naic, Cavite

maria Victoria D. Capiral
c/o Atty. Simeon P. Madrid
Attorney-In-Fact, S.P. Madrid & Associates
Unit 2010 20/F F Herrera Tower, V.A. Rufino cor.
Valero Streets Makati City

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HOmE DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund
Petitioner-Mortgagee,
FnC 2023-216

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Respondent-Mortgagor.

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nOtICE OF EXtra-JuDiCiaL saLE

WHEREAS, upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act No. 3135 as amended by the Act No. 4118, filed by **HOmE DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund**, Mortgagee, with postal address at The Petron Mega Plaza Building, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City against **Ja Y ann garCera gauFO**, Mortgagor, with postal address at 0031 @ (H) M.L. Quezon St., Purok 2, Lower Bicutan, Taguig City and/or Lot 22, Block 12, Pasinaya Homes I Sabang, Naic, Cavite, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of December 23, 2022, amounted to **FOur HunDrED sEVENtY EighT tHousanD tWO HunDrED FiftEEN pEsOs and 85/100 (php.478,215.85)** Philippine Currency, excluding penalties, Attorney's Fees and expenses of the foreclosure, the undersigned authorized Sheriff IV, will sell at public auction on **March 21, 2023 at 9:00 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 thereon, to wit:

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057-2017064311

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that a certain land situated in **SABANG (FORMERLY TIMALAN), NAIC, CAVITE, LUZON**, bounded and described as follows: **LOT NO: 22, BLOCK NO: 12, PLAN NO:PCS-04-030597, PORTION OF: CONS. SUBD. OF LOTS 2935 AND 2936, FLS- 986-D (NAIC ESTATE) (VS-04-000597) LOCATION: SABANG (FORMERLY TIMALAN), NAIC, CAVITE, LUZON x x x AREA: TWENTY EIGHT (28) SQUARE METERS, MORE OR LESS. xxx.**

Prospective bidders are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title of the above- described property and to the encumbrance existing thereon, if any there be.

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 **March 28, 2023** at same time and at the same place mentioned above without further notice.

Municipality of Naic, Province of Cavite, February 14, 2023.

JanELLE V. LagaDON, mBa
Sheriff IV

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HOmE DEVELOpmEnt mutuaL Fund- The Petron Mega Plaza Building, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City

Jay ann garcera gaufo, at 0031 @ (H) M.L. Quezon St., Purok 2, Lower Bicutan, Taguig City and Lot 22, Block 12, Pasinaya Homes I Sabang, Naic, Cavite
Atty. Michael Yancy P. Yngson- Unit C, 10th Floor, Strata 2000 Bldg. F. Ortigas Jr. Rd. Ortigas Center, Pasig City

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ONE TOWN, ONE PRODUCT HUB, BUBUKSAN NA SA BACCOOR CITY

BACCOOR CITY | Opisyal nang bubuksan ang One Town, One Product (OTOP) Philippines Hub sa Main Square Mall, Bacoor City, Cavite sa darating na Pebrero 14.

Ang OTOPI Hub ay bahagi ng inisyatibo ng Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) na nagtatampok sa mga natatanging produkto at serbisyo ng bawat bayan o lungsod sa Pilipinas.



Layon nitong matulungan ang mga Micro, Small and Medium-scale Enterprises (MSMEs) sa lungsod ng Bacoor na maibenta at maipagmalaki ang kani-

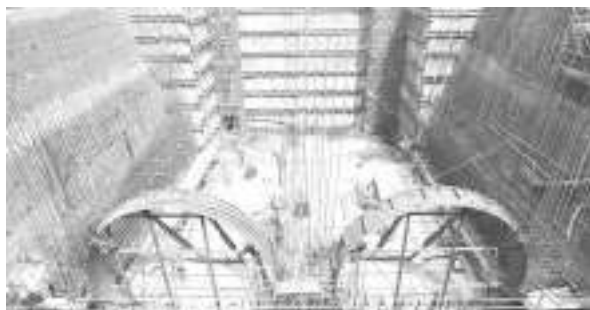
kanilang mga produkto at serbisyo na tatak Bacoreño.

Naisakatuparan naman ang pagpapatayo sa OTOPI Hub ng lungsod sa pakikipagtulungan ng lokal na pamahalaan sa pamumuno ni Mayor Strike B. Revilla at tanggapan ni Congresswoman Lani Mercado-Revilla. | via **City Government of Bacoor, PIA CAVITE**

3-4 PANG SUBWAY SA MAYNILA HANGGANG CAVITE , PINAG-UUSAPAN NG PINAS AT JAPAN-DOTR

Ibinahagi ni Transportation Secretary Jaime Bautista nitong Biyernes na pinaplano ng Department of Transportation (DOTr) at Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) na maglagay ng mas maraming underground railway system sa Metro Manila na aabot hanggang lalawigan ng Cavite.

“As early as now, we are already planning for more subways in Metro Manila because this will ease the traffic,” saad ni Bautista



sa naganap na Philippine Business Opportunities Forum.

Sa isang panayam, sinabi ng pinuno ng ahensya na nagkakaroon na ng mga talakayan para sa mas marami pang mga subway sa bansa.

“Nasa planning stage... mga tatlo

o apat na “yun. Metro Manila lahat hanggang Cavite,” aniya.

Sinabi ni Bautista na ang mga nakaplanong subway ay maaaring konektado sa Metro Manila Subway Project, na kasalukuyang ginagawa.

Nang tinanong

kung kailan gagawin ang mga subway, sinabi ni Bautista na, “Matagal pa ‘yun...”

“We will have to prepare feasibility studies.”

Samantala, sinabi ni Bautista sa forum na dinaluhan ng Japanese business community na ang operasyon ng tunnel boring machines para sa Metro Manila Subway ay nagpapatuloy sa ngayon.

“We hope this will be completed before the end of the term of the President,” pahayag pa niya.

House donates additional P10-M to Türkiye quake victims



MORE AID FOR TÜRKIYE. Speaker Ferdinand Martin G. Romualdez (7th from right) turns over a PHP10-million check to Philippine Red Cross Chairperson Richard Gordon (8th from right) on Tuesday (Feb. 14, 2023) as additional humanitarian assistance of the House of Representatives for earthquake victims in Türkiye. The amount was raised from the voluntary contributions of lawmakers. (Photo courtesy of Office of the Speaker)

MANILA – The House of Representatives on Tuesday donated an additional PHP10 million in humanitarian aid for

thousands of earthquake victims in Türkiye.

The donation, which was raised from the voluntary contributions

of House members, was made through the Philippine Red Cross (PRC).

The amount was in addition to the USD100,000 (about PHP5.5 million) the House, through Speaker Ferdinand Martin G. Romualdez’s Speaker’s Disaster Relief and Rehabilitation Initiative, turned over to Turkish Ambassador to the Philippines Niyazi Evren Akyol on Monday.

Former senator Richard Gordon, who is PRC chair and chief executive officer, received the donation for Turkey’s earthquake victims.

“On this day of love and compassion, we show our love and appreciation to the people of Turkey who helped us, together with friends and other allies, when we needed it most. We understand and feel what they are going through, and we are praying for them,” Romualdez said.

On Monday, Ambassador Akyol extended his gratitude for the humanitarian aid given by the House to his quake-stricken compatriots.

“In an event like this, it’s very good to know you have your friends on your side,” he said. (PNA)

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PRESIDENT: AURELIO PAREDES BAUTISTA

Fellowship with Humanity is a Family-Based Masonic Charity Group registered in Cavite to help in a small way alleviate the conditions of the poor. The funds come from the family income of the Bautista Family members.