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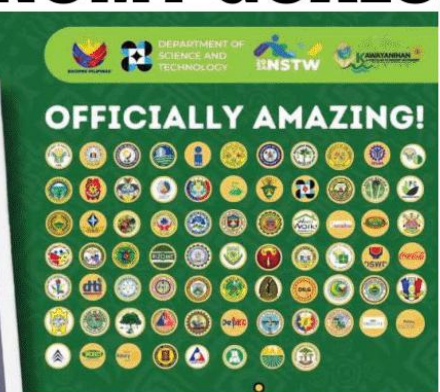
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THE Department of Science and Technology (DOST) has marked another milestone as it broke the Guinness World Record for the "Most People Planting Bamboo Simultaneously in Multiple Venues" during the National Science, Technology, and Innovation Week (NSTW) held last November 28 at the Limketkai Mall in Cagayan de Oro City.

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# DOST breaks Guinness World Records with bamboo planting while advancing circular economy goals

Spearheaded by the DOST and its Kawayanihan partners, the monumental effort involved 2,305 individuals uniting across multiple locations to emphasize the importance of bamboo in sustainability.

Participants in the record-breaking initiative included farmer cooperatives, government agencies, local government units (LGUs), non-profit agencies, and private sector companies, highlighting a diverse and united effort to inspire global recognition of the role of bamboos in promoting environmental and economic sustainability.

Known for its versatility and rapid growth, bamboo was spotlighted as a vital renewable resource that supports industrial value chains, circular economies, and climate resilience.

This collective vision underscores the commitment to foster a greener, more resilient Mindanao by integrating sustainable practices into local development strategies to strengthen the island's environmental stewardship and set a national precedent for collaborative action towards a sustainable future.

The NSTW showcased bold initiatives toward building smart and sustainable communities, bringing together local leaders, policymakers, and stakeholders from various sectors. It underscored DOST's commitment to harmonizing innovation with environmental stewardship and highlighted its vision for a future where economic growth aligns with sustainability and sets a strong foundation for both national and local development.

DOST Secretary Dr. Renato U. Solidum Jr., in his keynote message during the event, emphasized the importance of a circular economy.

"We must love our environment as much

as we love our own children. Where we want them to be healthy, where we want to stay in a peaceful and stable place. To provide that legacy, we must love our environment like how we love our children, otherwise, we will be a civilization that will be gone," he said.

Through the Science, Technology, and Innovation (STI) for circular economy framework, DOST envisions a future where economic growth coexists with environmental preservation. The program focuses on addressing critical global challenges, including environmental degradation, waste management, and resource depletion, and highlights the role of LGUs as vital partners in implementing sustainable innovations to create resilient and smart communities.

Dr. Solidum said: "Initiatives towards smart and sustainable communities will be one of our banner programs because we think that through the local governments, we can implement the innovations that you want to make them smart and sustainable and to make a stabilized world."

The convergence of DOST's circular economy initiatives with the Guinness World Records underscores the agency's leadership in driving sustainable development.

Solidum said that through events like STI Week, DOST continues to demonstrate how innovation can address pressing global issues while fostering a culture of environmental responsibility.

He likewise said that as the Philippines champions initiatives like these, the nation sets an inspiring example of how collective efforts, guided by science and innovation, can pave the way for a sustainable future for generations to come. (Nelson Santos)

## SRA, inilabas na ang inisyal na pinsalang iniwan ng Kanlaon eruption sa mga tubuhan

Inilabas na ang Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA) ang initial report nito kasundod ng isinagawang assessment sa epekto ng volcanic ash na bumagsak sa mga sugarcane plantation sa Negros Island.

Ilan sa mga ito ay ang pagkabalot ng abo ng ilang sakahan, lalo na sa hilagang bahagi ng Kanlaon tulad ng ilang mga barangay sa Bago City. Pero sa mga sakahan sa La Castellana at La Carlota, nananatiling mababa ang bulo ng bumagsak na abo.

Kapansin-pansin din ang pagdikit ng abo sa mga dahon ng mga tubo hanggang sa misingong puno ng mga ito.

Ngayong umaga, Disyembre 11, inilut naman ni SRA Administrator Luis Pablo Azcona na bahagyang natanggal ang mga abo sa dahon ng mga tubo dahil sa mahinang ulan.

Pinangangambahan ding mas maapektuhan ang mga bagong tanim na tubo. Para sa mga mature o malapit nang anihing tubo na nakapitan ng abo, posibleng irekomenda na lamang umano ng SRA ang leaf burning o pagsunog sa mga dahon bago isasagawa ang pag-ani.

Sa kasalukuyan, binabantayan ng SRA ang posibilidad ng pagbagsak ng acid rain na tiyak na magpapataas sa acidity level ng mga lupang tinatamnan ng mga tubo.

## PCG, target na maging pinakamakapang-yarihang coast guard sa Southeast Asia



Target ng Philippine Coast Guard (PCG) na maging pinakamakapang-yarihang coast guard sa buong Southeast Asia sa lima hanggang pitong taon. Inaasahan kasi ng PCG na magkakaroon ng karagdagang 46 na bagong barko sa mga susunod na taon.

Ayon kay PCG Commandant, Admiral Ronnie Gil Gavan, inaprubahan na ng administrasyong Marcos ang pagbili ng limang 97-meter cutters mula sa Japan. Maliban dito, aprubado na rin ang 40-unit ng 35-meter vessel mula sa France.

Isang 60-meter cutter din ang planong gawin sa isang shipyard sa Cebu. Maliban sa 46 na bagong barko para sa PCG, inaasahan din ng ahensiya ang tuluyang paglilipat ng Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) at Philippine Red Cross sa tig-isa nilang barko papunta sa PCG. Ayon pa sa PCG commandant, inaasahan ding masusunod pa ito mula sa pribadong sektor. Ayon sa opisyal, sa pamamagitan ng suporta ng kasalukuyang administrasyon ay posibleng maaabot nito ang inaasam na pinakamakapang-yarihang coast guard sa Timog-Silangang Asiya sa mga susunod pang taon at mapanatili nito ang mas malawak na pagpaparolya sa mga karagatang sakop ng Pilipinas.

Most People Planting Bamboo Simultaneously (Multiple Venues) with 2305 participants across Mindanao

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## A Priceless Gift from DOST: 1st Solar-Powered Water Desalination Facility in Silaki Island

To access potable water, island residents like Mr. Brando Padilla, a member of the Bolinao Task Force Bantay Dagat, often travel on a 15-20 minute boat journey to Santiago Island. The arduous task, combined with additional fuel costs and weather risks, emphasizes the pressing need for a sustainable water solution.

**Providing Solutions:** The Department of Science and Technology Region 1 (DOST-1) has taken a significant step in providing a sustainable and renewable source of freshwater for the island's community through the launch of the solar-powered water desalination facility on October 22, 2024, under the DOST's Community Empowerment thru Science & Technology (CEST) Program.

Dr. Teresita A. Tabago, Regional Director of DOST 1, highlighted the importance of collaborative efforts in making the desalination project a success. The project was made possible with the support of various partners, the DOST 1 CEST Program funded the Solar-Powered Water Desalination System: the LGU of Bolinao, which provided the 100-square-meter lot area and construction of the building, and the Rotary Club of Bolinao, which donated water gallons to the residents. Dr. Tabago emphasized the crucial role of community involvement, stating, "The success of this project hinges on the active participation of the Silaki Island residents."

She expressed gratitude to the community for their cooperation and support.

Engr. Arnold C. Santos, Provincial Director of the Provincial Science and Technology Office in Pangasinan, explained that the desalination facility is a direct response to the community's urgent need for clean water, as identified in a needs assessment conducted in March 2023. The project aims to provide a reliable water source, eliminating the need for residents to travel long distances and spend significant amounts on water.

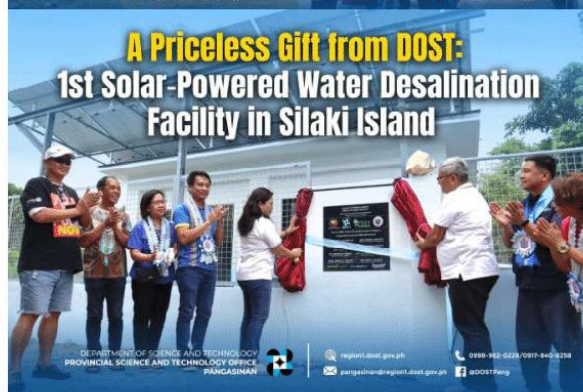
"This is Priceless Gift from Dost 1," remarked Hon. Alfonso F. Celeste, Mayor of Bolinao, Pangasinan. He emphasized the significance of this first-of-its-kind solar-powered desalination facility in the region, particularly for Silaki Island. The mayor urged the community to cherish this vital resource and ensure its long-term sustainability.

To ensure the safety and quality of the water processed in the desalination facility, the water has undergone rigorous testing by Hydrolab Company, a reputable water testing laboratory accredited by the Department of Health and recognized by the Department of Environment and Natural Resources. Dignitaries were the first to drink the desalinated water, setting an example for the community and demonstrating its safety and purity.

Hon. Rufo T. Caasi Sr., Brgy. Captain of Binabalian, and Engr. Olan Roy Celzo, Waterworks System Superintendent I of LGU Bolinao, pledged the local government's commitment to maintaining and operating the desalination facility. They expressed hope for future innovations and projects that would further improve the lives of their beloved community.

**Opening Opportunities:** Dr. Tabago envisions a future where the desalination process can yield additional benefits. She highlighted the potential for salt production using the brine byproduct. Mayor Celeste echoed Dr. Tabago's sentiments, expressing surprise at the nation's heavy reliance on imported salt. This shortage has resulted in a heavy reliance on salt imports, with over 93% of the country's annual salt consumption coming from countries like Australia and China.

Through a strong partnership between DOST 1, the Provincial Government of Pangasinan, LGU Bolinao, and the Rotary Club of Bolinao, Pangasinan will truly live up to its name, "panagasin-an," as a place where salt is made. Dr. Teresita Tabago emphasized the crucial role of collaboration, stating, "We will not achieve this without the support of our partners. Collaboration will be key to our success." (Brenn Justin P. Guevarra)



Silaki Island, a heart-shaped 10-hectare islet located at Brgy. Binabalian, Bolinao, Pangasinan is renowned as a marine conservation haven, home to a thriving 16-hectare population of giant clams. The beauty of the ocean surrounds Silaki Island, but beneath its natural beauty and marine biodiversity lies a pressing challenge: a scarcity of freshwater.

### SRA, sinusuri na ang lawak ng pinsala sa sugarcane farms mula sa pagsabog ng bulkan Kanlaon

Sinusuri na ng Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA) ang lawak ng pinsala sa sugarcane plantations sa Negros Islands na tahanan ng pinakamalaking sakahan ng tubo sa bansa.

Ito ay kasunod ng pagsabog ng bulkan Kanlaon kahapon.

Ayon kay SRA Administrator Paul Azcona, kinailangang lumikas ng kanilang personnel sa research center na nasa paanan ng Kanlaon.

Hindi naman naiwasan ng opisyal na mangamba sa epekto ng pagsabog ng bulkan sa produksiyon ng asukal sa bansa. Aniay, may inisyal na report kung saan isa sa appektado ng pagsabog ang La Carlota na isa sa pinakamalaking lugar para sa mga tubo.

Nasa La Carlota din aniya ang pinakamalaking sugar farmer association sa buong Pilipinas na nagpo-produce ng halos 10 porsiyento ng national production.

Sinabi din ni Adm. Azcona na noong nakaraang pagsabog ng bulkan, minimal lang ang naging pinsala dahil

natanggal ng mga pag-ulan ang along kumapit sa mga sugarcane leaves.

Tiniyak naman ng SRA na tutulungan nila ang mga appektadong sugar farmers gamit ang maiipon o matitipid mula sa mas pinasimpleng paraan ng pagdiriwang ng Pasko ngayong taon.

### NFA ipinagmalaki ang mataas na stocks ng palay

Ipinagmalaki ng National Food Authority (NFA) ang pagkakaroon ng competitive buying prices kay nagkaroon ng pagtaas ng kanilang stocks. Sa buwan pa lamang aniya ng Oktubre aymayroong 2.5 milyon na bags ng mga palay ang kanilang nabili mula sa mga magsasaka. Ang nasabing bilang ay mas mataas ng 263.9 percent kumpara noong nakaraang taon sa parehas na buwan. Ang nasabing bilang ay katumbas ng 79.98 percent ng target ng NFA na 3.1 milyon bags. Isa sa mga naging susi nito ay ang magandang ani sa pangunahing cropping



season. Tiwala sila na tuluyang dadami pa ang volume ng mga palay na kanilang mabibili sa mga magsasaka hanggang sa susunod na taon.

## 2024 Philippine Textile Congress highlights innovations and vision for sustainable future



**THE Department of Science and Technology (DOST) celebrated groundbreaking advancements and a renewed vision for the Philippine textile industry at the 2024 Philippine Textile Congress which brought together leaders, scientists, and policymakers to discuss the role of innovation in transforming the industry and fostering sustainable development in the country.**

In his message, DOST Secretary Renato U. Solidum Jr. cheered the Philippine Textile Research Institute (PTRI) for its commitment to elevating textile research and fostering innovation across the sector.

He also commended PTRI for "rising to the challenge" and producing remarkable innovations, emphasizing the integral role of textiles in daily life.

He likewise extended an invitation to stakeholders and the public to join the nation's journey in advancing the textile sector, highlighting its importance to everyday living

and economic development.

Sen. Juan Miguel F. Zubiri, who was the event's guest of honor, underscored the pivotal role of research and development (R&D) and science and technology (S&T) in driving national growth.

He also expressed his steadfast support for DOST's initiatives, including the National Science and Technology Week (NSTW) and PTRI's robust textile program.

"I believe in Science & Technology," he said as he stressed the importance of exemplary S&T education to cultivate future experts and innovators and also shared his pride in securing an increased budget for DOST to enhance its capacity to provide groundbreaking solutions for Filipinos.

Zubiri likewise called for global patent protection for Filipino innovations, particularly the ylang-ylang plant, to safeguard intellectual properties and boost economic contributions.

Meanwhile, Acd. William G. Padolina of the National Academy of Science and Technology in his keynote lecture outlined PAGTANAW 2050, a science, technology,

and innovation (STI) roadmap aimed at fostering sustainable practices across all sectors. He emphasized the need "to reset our ways, embark on the paths of genuine change" as he called for a paradigm shift in Philippine agriculture by harnessing biodiversity through plant-animal-microbial systems to boost productivity and achieve precision agriculture.

He also underscored the importance of aligning STI initiatives with local conditions, reflecting DOST's grassroots approach to transforming communities for sustainability and progress. The 2024 Philippine Textile Congress showcased insightful lectures from industry leaders, including Dr. Julius L. Leaño Jr., DOST-PTRI Director, who spoke on "Weaving Inclusive Circular Textile Economy;" and Prof. Darwin Absari of UP Diliman, who discussed "Beauty in Islam." The discussions featured the intersection of innovation, sustainability, and culture and exemplified the collaborative efforts of Congress to advance the textile industry and establish a strong foundation for a smarter and more sustainable Philippines. (Nelson Santos)

## 3rd impeachment complaint vs VP Sara, patuloy na hinihintay

Patuloy na hinihintay ang napaulat na umano'y ikatlong impeachment complaint laban kay Vice President Sara Duterte.

Una itong ipinahiwaig ni House Secretary General Reginald Velasco noong nakalipas na linggo matapos ang dalawang magkasunod na

complaint na inihain laban kay VP Sara.

Gayonpaman, hanggang sa ngayon ay wala pa ring naihahain na ikatlong impeachment complaint laban kay VP Sara.

Batay sa impormasyong unang ipinahiwaig ng House official, posibleng ihain ng ilang

religious organization ang ikatlong complaint.

Ngunit sa kasalukuyan ay hindi pa malinaw kung anong grupo ang maghahain nito, at kung sinong kongresista ang mag-sponsor sa naturang reklamo.



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Upon Extra-judicial petition for sale under Act 3135, as amended by Act 4118, filed by **BDO UNIBANK, INC.**, mortgagee, with business address at **33<sup>RD</sup> FLOOR, BDO Corporate Center Ortigas, No. 12 ADB Avenue, Mandaluyong City**, against **SPS. RUSTOM R. PERERAS AND BUENA S. PERERAS**, debtor/s/mortgagor/s, of legal age/s, with residence and postal address at **Block 14 Lot 6, Palmera Spring, Camarin, Caloocan City/Block 7 Lot 7, El Paseo, Camarin, Caloocan City** to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of **November 11, 2024** amounts to **TWO MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED TWENTY SIX THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY EIGHT AND 92/100 (PHP2,726,858.92)** Philippine Currency including/excluding penalties, charges, attorney's fees plus sheriff's fees and all other necessary expenses of Foreclosure and Sale, the undersigned Sheriff hereby gives notice to all interested parties and to the public in general that on **January 28, 2025** at ten o'clock (10:00 am) or soon thereafter, in front of the main entrance of Judicial Complex located at 10th Avenue, Poblacion, Caloocan City, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency, the real estate property/ies with all the improvements existing thereon, to wit:

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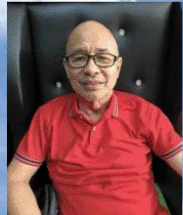

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**John 2:11-12** "For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be the sign to you: You will find a Babe wrapped in swaddling cloths, lying in a manger."

**SINO SI KRISTO SAIYO?**

Some people accept Jesus as a great moral preacher but don't accept His claim as God. This Christmas, let us focus on the very person of Christ that we may receive the true blessing of Christmas and enjoy its celebration through our faith in Him.

C- Christ  
H- Historical  
R- Redeemer  
I- Immortal  
S- Savior  
T- Truth

**Q- Jesus is the Christ prophesied in the bible as the "Anointed One" sent by the Father. He is the promised Messiah for the salvation of mankind.**

**Isaiah 9:6** "For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

**Mathew 1:22-23**: "All this was done that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the Lord through the prophet, saying: "Behold, the virgin shall be with child, and bear a Son, and they shall call His name Immanuel," which is translated, "God

with us."

H- Jesus is a historical figure who walked the road of ancient Israel, gathered disciples, and was executed by the Romans. This is confirmed by the testimonies of the four gospel writers as well as the epistles of Paul and Peter.

**1John 4:14** "And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent the Son as Savior of the world."

Jesus was not a myth but a person of flesh and blood to which the apostles testify.

**2Peter 1:16** - "For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of His majesty."

**R- Jesus is our Redeemer. Through His death and resurrection, Jesus paid the price for our sins and reconciled us to God.**

**Col. 1:20** - "and by Him to reconcile all things to Himself, by Him, whether things on earth or things in heaven, having made peace through the blood of His cross."

He not only died for our sins, but He redeemed us from the power of sin and death.

**Romans 8:2** "For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has made me free from the law of sin and death."

**I- Jesus is immortal. He has no beginning nor end.**

**Rev.22:13** "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End, the First and the Last."

Jesus does not change and will never change.

**Heb. 13:8** "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever."

**S- Jesus is our Savior. There is no one else who can save us but Christ alone.**

**Acts 4:12** "Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."

**T- Jesus is the only Truth. There is no way to heaven except by Him.**

**John 14:6** "Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me."

To God be the glory!

### Nigit 9,400 na residente, nailikas na kasunod ng pagsabog ng Bulkang Kanlaon

Aabot na sa mahigit 2,880 na pamilya o katumbas ng kabuuang 9,403 indibidwal mula sa limang bayan at lungsod sa Negros Occidental ang nailikas na ng mga otoridad matapos na pumutok ang Kanlaon Volcano.

Ang datos na ito ay kinunipirma mismo ng pamunuan ng Office of Civil Defense.

Sa barangay Cabagnaan, Camandang, Sag-Ang, Biaknabato, Mansalanao, Masulog, Manghanoy, at Robles sa bayan ng La Castellana, pumalo sa 5,400 indibidwal o 1,686 na pamilya ang nailikas ng mga kinaaukulan.

Sa ngayon ay pinoproses-

so pa rin ang mga dokumento nito ng mga otoridad sa Indonesia para maiwi dito sa Pilipinas.

Ayon kay Catapang, sa kabila nito ay nakadepende pa rin sa Department of Justice kung saan ikukustudiya si Veloso.

Kahit wala pang desisyon ay naghahanda na ang Correctional Institution for Women sakaling i detain si Veloso sa naturang pasilidad.

Sinabi pa ni Catapang na

Aabot naman sa 385 na pamilya katumbas ng 1,548 indibidwal ang lumikas mula sa barangays Mailum, Ilijan, Binubuhan, at Ma-ao at nagtungo sa mga evacuation centers.

Tinatayang umaabot rin sa 2,019 indibidwal o katumbas ng 673 na pamilya ang na-

evacuate mula sa barangay Yubo at Ara-al sa lungsod ng La Carlota habang 400 katao o katumbas ng 132 pamilya ang inilikas sa dalawang barangay sa Pontevedra.

Patuloy naman ang isinasaganawang paghlikas ng mga otoridad.

ng limang araw.



### Mary Jane Veloso, target na mailipat sa CIW sa oras na dumating sa bansa

Kinunipirma ni Bureau of Corrections Director General Gregorio Catapang Jr. na target nilang maikustudiya sa Correctional Institution for Women sa Mandaluyong City ang drug convict na si Mary Jane Veloso.

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Sinabi pa ni Catapang na bago ipasok si Veloso sa CIW ay susuriin muna ang kanyang kalusugan at iaasolate sa loob



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**NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE**

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under Act No. 3135, as amended by Act No. 4118, filed by **PHILIPPINE NATIONAL BANK**, Mortgagee, with postal address at **PNB Financial Center, Pres. Diosdado P. Macapagal Boulevard, Pasay City, Metro Manila**, against **SPOUSES ARNIE C. OSORIO and KAREN AINA N. OSORIO**; **ARNIE C. OSORIO** is being represented by **KAREN AINA N. OSORIO** as his true and lawful ATTORNEY-IN-FACT, Mortgagors, with postal addresses at **81-I Udings Compound, Km 23 East Service Rd., Cupang, Muntinlupa City** and/or **Lot 2-B, Block 3, Compound Road, Lakeview Homes 2, Brgy. Putatan, Muntinlupa City**, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which, as of September 30, 2024, amounts to **FOUR MILLION EIGHT HUNDRED FORTY SIX THOUSAND FIFTEEN PESOS & 04/100 CENTAVOS (P4,846,015.04)**, Philippine Currency, inclusive of interest, penalty and other charges, the Clerk of Court & Ex-Officio Sheriff of the Regional Trial Court, Muntinlupa City, thru **MR. MELVIN T. BAGABALDO**, Sheriff-in-Charge, shall sell at public auction on **January 14, 2025** at 10:00 o'clock in the morning, or soon thereafter, at the **Muntinlupa City Quadrangle, Muntinlupa City Hall, National Road, Putatan, Muntinlupa City**, to the highest bidder, for CASH and/or MANAGER'S CHECK and in Philippine Currency, the following property/ies with all its improvements to wit:

**TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE  
NO. 014-2021001056**

LOT NO: 2-B, PLAN NO: PSD-00-096711  
PORTION OF: LOT 2, PCS-00-015767  
LRC RECORD NO. 6137  
LOCATION: BARANGAY OF PUTATAN, CITY OF MUNTINLUPA

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION  
PROVINCE OF METRO MANILA, ISLAND OF LUZON

**BOUNDARIES:**

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT (S)
1-2	SW	LOT 2-A, PCS-00-096711
2-3	NW	LOT 1313, MUNTINLUPA ESTATE
3-4	NE	LOT 2-C, PCS-00-096711
4-1	SE	LOT 7, (ROAD, 6.00 M. WIDE), PCS-00-015767

TIE POINT: MON NO. 4, MUNTINLUPA ESTATE, PROVINCE OF RIZAL

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
TO CORNER 1	S. 53° 53' E	828.03 M.
1-2	N. 78° 37' W	5.50 M.
2-3	N. 11° 23' E	5.50 M.
3-4	S. 78° 37' E	5.50 M.
4-1	S. 11° 23' W	5.50 M.

AREA: THRITY (30.33) SQUARE METERS AND THIRTY THREE SQUARE DECIMETERS, MORE OR LESS. X X X

Owner: SPOUSES ARNIE C. OSORIO AND KAREN AINA NAVARRO-OSORIO, BOTH OF LEGAL AGE, FILIPINO CITIZENS

Address: #81-1 UDINGS COMPOUND KM23 EAST SERVICE ROAD ALABANG MUNTINLUPA CITY

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 **January 30, 2025** without further notice.

Prospective buyers and bidders may investigate for themselves the title herein above described and encumbrances thereon, if any, there be.

Muntinlupa City, November 5, 2024.

(SIGNED)  
**MELVIN T. BAGABALDO**  
Sheriff IV

(SIGNED)  
**ATTY. CHARMINE C. APOLINARIO-JIMENEZ**  
Clerk of Court VI & Ex-Officio Sheriff

**WARNING**

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**EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF  
THE LATE ROSETTE MIRANDA  
FERNANDO**

Notice is hereby given that the intestate estate of the late ROSETTE MIRANDA FERNANDO has been extra-judicially settled by and among their heirs as per EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE executed on 20 September 2022 and entered as per Doc. 63, Page No. 13, Book No. 5, Series of 2022 of notarial registry of Atty. Darwin S. Ocampo, a Notary Public commission in Quezon City.

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**AFFIDAVIT OF SELF - ADJUDICA-  
TION OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE  
ROBERTO D. BOQUIREN**

Notice is hereby given that the estate of the late ROBERTO D. BOQUIREN who died without any last will and testament on May 17, 2019, Consisting of Forty square meters (40 sqm.) More or less, located at Block 3 Lot 7 Lydia St. Sta. Monica, Novaliches, Quezon City, more particularly described in LEASE/PURCHASE AGREEMENT from Sama-hang Demokratiko Pagkakaisa ng Maralita HOA INC., Phase 3 ALFONSO PROPERTY, Lydia St., Sta. Monica, Novaliches, Quezon City, represented by the Chairman, ROSENDA G. AGUSTIN, Referred as Lessor has been extra-judicially settled by and among their heirs as per AFFIDAVIT OF SELF - ADJUDICATION OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE ROBERTO D. BOQUIREN executed on September 15, 2022 at City of Manila before Notary Public ATTY. FRANCISCO G. ZARATE as per Doc. No. 283; Page No. 57; Book No. 289; Series of 2022.

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**CWGG -10, tiwala na ma-  
bibigo ang nagsusulong ng  
impeachment case vs. VP  
Sara Duterte**

-Mabibigo lang uma-  
no ang mga personalidad  
na naglalayon na patalsikin  
ng kanyang puwesto si  
Bise-Presidente Sara Duterte.

Kaugnay ito sa layunin  
ng Kamara na alisin sa ka-  
tungkulan si VP Sara sa pam-  
amagitan ng impeachment  
complaint.

Sinabi ni Citizens Watch  
for Good Governance 10 con-  
venor Atty. Antonio Soriano  
na bagamat magtagumpay  
na prosecute ng Kamara si  
VP Sara subalit pagdating sa  
Senado ay iba ang kahitnitan  
ng impeachment case nito.

Ito ay sapagkat kakaunti

lang ng mga senador ang  
mayroong katulad na interes  
na palayasin sa tungkulin si  
Duterte.

Sinabi nito na kung  
ibabata sa kasalukuyang  
bumubuo sa Senado ay ma-  
bigong makakuha ng 16 na  
boto o 2/3 votes ng mga  
senador dahil mas marami  
pa ang mga alayado ni Duterte  
kaysa administrasyon.

Magugunitang kung hin-  
di magbabago ang political  
landscape ng Senado ay hindi  
bumaba sa 16 na senador ang  
posibleng mag-acquit kay VP  
Sara sa usaping impeachment  
case.

**PH, patuloy ang panawagan para sa pagtalima sa 2016 Arbitral Award kasabay ng ika-42 anibersaryo ng UNCLOS**

Patuloy ang paghikayat  
ng Pilipinas sa pamamagitan  
ng Department of Foreign  
Affairs para sa pagtalima sa  
2016 Arbitral Award kasa-  
bay ng ika-42 anibersaryo ng  
United Nations Convention  
on the Law of the Sea (UNC-  
LOS) ngayong araw, Disy-  
embre 10.

Sa isang statement, ki-  
nilala din ng ahensiya ang  
lumalawak na pagkilala ng  
iginawad na Award sa PH bil-  
ang hindi matatawagang par-  
te ng international law.

Nagpahayag din ang ban-  
sa ng pakikiisa sa internat-

al community sa pag-alala sa  
anibersaryo ng UNCLOS.

Sinabi din ng DFA na  
mula sa pagiging isa sa un-  
ang lumagda at nagratipika  
sa Convention, patuloy din  
aniyang inihahanay ng Pilipi-  
nas ang domestic legal frame-  
work nito sa UNCLOS sa pamamagitan ng pagsasabatas  
ng Philippine Baseline Act  
at ang kamakailan lamang na  
Philippine Maritime Zones  
Act at Philippine Archipelag-  
ic Sea Lanes Act.

Biniyang dinin din ng  
DFA na ang pagtalima ng  
bansa sa UNCLOS dispute

resolution mechanisms sa  
pamamagitan ng 2016 arbitra-  
tion at ipinunto na ang claims  
na lagpas sa geographic at

substantive limits ng mari-  
time entitlements sa ilalim ng  
UNCLOS ay walang legal na  
pekto.

**NBI, inaresto ang 3 indibidwal sa ilegal na pagbebenta ng Uranium**

Kinumpirma ng National Bureau of Investiga-  
tion (NBI) ang pag-aresto sa tatlong indibidwal na di  
umano palihim na umaangkat ng Uranium at ilegal  
na binebenta sa bansa.

Ayon sa mga awtoridad, nahuli ang dalawang  
indibidwal na sina Mae Vergel Zagala alyas "Mad-  
am Mae" at Arnel Gimpaya Santiago sa entrapment  
operation sa Pasay, City noong Oktubre 18, 2024  
at nakitaan sila ng nasa 20 kilogram na mga met-  
als at 3 kilograms na black powder, lahat ng ito ay  
nag-positibo sa Uranium-235 at Uranium 238.  
Ilang araw matapos silang mahuli ay naaresto

naman si Roy Vistal, partner ni Zagala, sa Cagayan  
de Oro.

Kaugnay nito, nadiskubre rin ng Philippine Nu-  
clear Research Institute (PNRI) na ang lugar kung  
saan nahuli ang tatlo ay kontaminado ng Uranium  
powder kaya naman kasalukuyan ng nasa proseso  
ng decontamination ang lugar bago ito buksan muli  
para sa publiko.

Ang Uranium ay isang uri ng heavy metal na  
maaaring magamit sa paggawa ng mga bomba at  
panangga. Ngunit, may dulot na banta sa kalusugan  
ang sino mang ma-expose sa naturang uri ng metal.

Sa huli, pinagtibay ng  
PH ang dedikasyon nito sa  
pagtindig sa mga probisyon at  
prinsipyong nakasaad sa UN-

CLOS para sa pambansang  
interes at pagnanais ng sam-  
bayanan para sa kapayapaan  
at kaunlaran.

Haharap ang tatlong naaresto sa kasong pagla-  
bag sa Republic Act No. 5207 o Atomic Energy and  
Liability Act of 1968.





# Taylor Swift's 'Eras Tour' earns P116 billion, the biggest in history



Taylor Swift made history again as her Eras Tour became the first tour in history to earn \$2 billion or P116 billion. According to Variety, Taylor Swift sold an impressive 10,168,008 tickets and generated a staggering \$2,077,618,725 in gross revenue. Her monumental tour included 149 shows across 51 cities in 21 countries.

## Sandara Park is Vogue Singapore's digital cover star

2NE1 member Sandara Park landed the digital cover of Vogue Singapore for its December issue.

In her interview with



Vogue, Sandara opened up about her tour preparations, the evolution of her solo career, and the unbreakable bond she shares with her group members.

"2NE1 has always been somewhat unpredictable," she told the magazine about the different phases of the group's career. "Nothing was planned ahead. Including the sudden breakup, the surprise Coachella performance and the 15th anniversary concert."

Composed of Sandara, CL, Minzy, and Park Bom, 2NE1 recently had their reunion and staged the "Welcome Back" tour in different parts of Asia including South Korea, Philippines, Indonesia, Hong Kong, and Japan to celebrate their 15th anniversary.

The singer delivered over three hours of electrifying performances at each show, showcasing hits from various eras of her career. The setlist included fan favorites like "Cruel Summer", "August", "Love Story", "Look What You Made Me Do", "Delicate", "You Belong With Me", "Lavender Haze", and "Anti-Hero", among many others.

The global pop star performed the Asian leg of the tour in Singapore back in March for six days at the National Stadium.

Taylor concluded her Eras tour in Vancouver, Canada on December 8.

"Vancouver, I want to thank every single one of you for being a part of the most thrilling chapter of my entire life to date, my beloved Eras Tour," she said in the final night of the tour in the city.

She went on: "I couldn't be more proud of you. I just wanted to say you're why this is so special and you supporting me for as long as you have is why I get to take these lovely walks down memory lane every single night because you cared about every era of my entire life that I've been making music so thank

you."

Following the conclusion of her tour, Taylor rewarded her crew with \$197 million or P11.43 billion worth of bonuses on top of their salaries.

Taylor recently released the "Eras Tour" book which sold 814,000 copies in just two days as per Circana BookScan.

It was in October when Taylor announced that a tour book would be released in the US starting November 29 to mark the final leg of the Eras Tour.

"This tour has been the most wondrous experience and I knew I wanted to commemorate the memories we made together in a special way," she announced in October.

She went on: "Well, two ways actually. Excited to announce that The Official Eras Tour Book, filled with my own personal reflections, never-before-seen behind the scenes photos, all the magical memories you guys brought every single night AND... The Tortured Poets Department: The Anthology on vinyl and CD will all be available for the first time ever only at Target."

## Ariana Grande reacts to first Golden Globes nomination: 'I am floored and honored'

Ariana Grande scored her first Golden Globes nomination for Best Supporting Actress for her performance in Wicked.

The actress-singer played the role of Glinda in the movie which is also nominated for Best Motion Picture (Musical or Comedy) for the 2025 Golden Globes.

The singer-actress took to her Instagram Stories to celebrate this new milestone in her career saying, "I am floored and honored to be recognized by members of the @goldenglobes. Crying (of course)... It's impossible to find my words, but I am simply so deeply grateful for this acknowledgement."

She also congratulated her Wicked co-star Cynthia Erivo who clinched the Best



Actress nomination at the Golden Globes for her performance as Elphaba.

"Congratulations to my brilliant, dear sister @cynthi-erivo, and all of our Ozian family on this celebration of our work," Ariana wrote.

In an interview with Variety, Ariana shared that Cynthia was the first person she messaged upon learning about the Golden Globes nominations.

"She was literally the first voice note I sent, and then we FaceTimed immediately. I'm so proud of her and grateful to share this together, and with every single person who has poured their everything into these films. It feels really surreal and beautiful," she said.

Ariana also shared the emotional moment with her mother following her nomination. "I'm so grateful. I have just been crying on FaceTime with my mom, and it's hard to find words. I am so grateful I don't know what to do! I have

tissues in my hand just in case, because I've been crying on and off nonstop," she said.

Aside from Ariana, other stars nominated for Best Supporting Actress are Selena Gomez (Emilia Pérez), Felicity Jones (The Brutalist), Margaret Qualley (The Substance), Isabella Rossellini (Conclave), and Zoe Saldana (Emilia Pérez).

In a previous interview with Yong Chavez of TFC News, Ariana remarked that playing Glinda taught her essential life lessons.

"The way she celebrates herself felt really kind of new for me," she shared. "I was a little shy and apologetic, naturally. Her confidence and her belief in herself really stuck with me and made me notice certain things about myself."

She added: "I was like, 'Oh, I should act like that. I should have a little bit more self-celebration.' Just playing the role was a self-care act in certain ways."

## Komedyanteng si Jose Manalo at EB Babe dancer Gene Maranan 'engaged' na



Masayang ibinahagi ng komedyanteng si Jose Manalo na ito ay 'engaged' na sa dating EB Babe dancer na si Mergene "Gene" Maranan.

Sa kaniyang social media account ay ibinahagi niya ang ginawang proposal noong nakaraang Disyembre 2 sa isang resort.

Matapos na kantahan ni Manalo ang nobya ay doon

binigyan ng bouquet at inalok ng kasal.

Noong Enero 2022 ng pumanaw ang asawa ng actor na si Anna Lyn Santos kung saan mayroon silang apat na anak na kapwa artista na sina Benji at Nicco Manalo.

Bumuhos naman ang pagbati mula sa mga kasamahan ng actor sa showbiz matapos ang pagkalat ng balita.

## Japanese actress Miho Nakayama natagpuang patay sa kaniyang bahay

Natagpuang patay ang Japanese actress na si Miho Nakayama sa edad na 54.

Ayon sa mga otoridad, nakita ang bangkay nito sa kaniyang bahay sa Tokyo.

Hindi kasi ito pumasok sa kaniyang trabaho kay tinungo nila ito sa kaniyang bahay at doon tumambad ang bangkay nito.

Sumikat siya una sa pagiging singer mula 1980 hanggang 1990 sa kasagsagan ng J-pop influence.

Mas lalo pa itong nakilala sa pelikulang "Love Letter" noong 1995.



Patuloy ang ginagawang imbestigasyon ng mga otoridad sa motibo ng kamatayan ng actress.

## Dolly Parton naghahanap na gaganap bilang siya sa isang musical



Naghahanap ngayon ang beteranang singer na si Dolly Parton na gaganap bilang siya

sa nalalapit niyang Broadway show.

Sa hinilabay niyang video, ay inilapat niya ang mga fans, lalo na ang mga gumagaya sa kaniya na subukan ang mag-audition.

Nakatakda kasing ilunsad ang "Dolly: ang Original Musical" sa mga susunod na buwan.

Dagdag pa ng 78-anyos na singer na ang nasabing show ay bilang pagdiriwang ng kaniyang musika, buhay at mga taong nakasalamuha niya.

Ayon naman sa organizers na naghahanap sila ng anumang edad na gaganap bilang si Parton mula sa kaniyang pagkabata hanggang sa kasalukuyang edad nito.





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## DOST R02 Strengthens Efforts Online Exploitation Through RA 11930 Webinar



In line with the nationwide observance of the 18-Day Campaign to End Violence Against Women and Children (EVAWC), the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) Region 2, led by Regional Director and Regional Gender and Development Committee (RGADC) Chairperson Dr. Virginia G. Bilgera, conducted a webinar on Republic Act 11930 today, November 27, 2024.

This is also otherwise known as the Anti-Online Sexual Abuse or Exploitation of Children (OSAEC) and Child Sexual Abuse or Exploitation Materials (CSAEM) Act. This law strengthens protections against online sexual exploitation and abuse of children. In her recorded opening message, Dr. Bilgera emphasized the significance of this year's EVAWC theme, "UNITED for a VAW-free Philippines," highlighting the collective responsibility to eliminate violence and build a just society. She called for intensified efforts to address the alarming increase of online exploitation, emphasizing that the fight against violence must begin at homes, in workplaces, and within communities.

"Ang laban kontra kahirasan ay isang laban para sa dignidad at karapatan ng lahat. Sama-sama, magagawa nating lumikha ng mas ligtas na kinabukasan para sa ating mga kababaihan at kabataan," she underscored.

Atty. Cecilia M. Lazaro, Chief of the Legal Division at the Commission on Human Rights Region 2, led discussions on the provisions of RA 11930. She emphasized its role in fostering

collaboration among parents, educators, law enforcers, and community leaders to safeguard children.

The webinar provided DOST R02 employees with essential knowledge on the implementation and enforcement of RA 11930, as well as practical steps to help create a safer online environment for children. It also served as a platform to discuss how institutions and individuals can work together to combat these crimes.

This activity is part of DOST R02's initiatives under the EVAWC campaign, reaffirming the agency's commitment to promoting safety, equality, and a violence-free future for women and children.



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## Celtics star Jaylen Brown, minultahan ng \$25-K dahil sa 'throat-slashing' gesture



Pinatawan ng \$25,000 na multa si Boston Celtics star Jaylen Brown matapos ang ginawang pagkumpas nitong paghiwa sa kaniyang leeg.

Naganap ang insidente ng mag-dunk ito sa harap ni Detroit Pistons forward Isaiah Stewart.

Matapos ang tila post-er-dunk nito kay Stewart ay isinagawa niya ang "throat-slashing" gesture na hindi naman ikinatuwa ng NBA.

Hindi na ikinabigla ni Brown ang pagmulta sa kaniya dahil sa alam niya ang maring kabinatnan ng kaniyang ginawa.

Si Brown ay pumirma ng limang taon na kontrata sa Celtics na nagkakahalaga ng \$304 milyon.

## Bolick binuhat ang NLEX para pahiyain ang Beermen 104-99

Nagpasabog ng 39 points si Robert Bolick para buhatin ang NLEX at tuluyang talun-in ang San Miguel Beermen 104-99 sa PBA Commissioner's Cup na ginanap sa Ynares Center, Antipolo.

Naging susi rin ang naging siyam na rebounds ni Bolick para mahabol ang 19 points na kalamangan ng Beermen.

Mayroon ng tatlong panalo at isang talo ang NLEX habang ang Beermen ay mayroong isang panalo at isang talo.

Humanga si NLEX head coach Jong Uichico sa galing ni Bolick dahil sa sipag na ipinamalas nito sa laro.

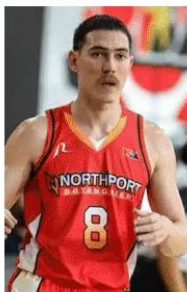
## Freddie Roach emosyonal ang mensahe kay Pacquiao matapos ang pagkapili sa International Boxing Hall of Fame

Patuloy ang pagbuhos ng pagbati kay dating Pinoy boxing champion Manny Pacquiao matapos na mahalal bilang Hall of Famer class of 2025.

Nanguna sa nagbigay ng pugay ang long-time trainer at coach nito na si Freddie Roach.

Sinabi nito na lubos ang kaniyang kasiyahan dahil sa pagkakapasok ng pangalan ni Pacquiao sa International Boxing Hall of Fame.

Kuwento pa ng betera-nong boxing coach, na noong 2001 ng buksan niya ang kaniyang Wild Card Boxing Club ay umaasa ito mayroong susunod sa yapak ni Muham-



Hindi naman umabra ang nagawang 21 points ni Quincy Miller at 20 points ni June Mar Fajardo para sa Beermen.

Si loob ng 20 taon na hawak si Pacquiao ay nasubay-bayan nito ang matagumpay na boxing career nito lalo na sa mga pagkulekta niya ng mga iba't-ibang boxing belt.

Bukod kay Roach ay may ilang kapwa Pinoy boxers at mga atleta ang bumati sa dating senador.

Magugunitang pinas-alaman ni Pacquiao ang pagkakapili sa kaniya dahil sa hindi nalimutan ang mga pagpursige nito para maging matagumpay na boksingero.



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## Jokic's 56 points not enough as Nuggets fall to Wizards

Jokic, who won his third NBA Most Valuable Player award last season, posted a career scoring high -- surpassing a 53-point performance in game four of the 2023 Western Conference semi-finals against Phoenix and a 50-point regular-season best against Sacramento in 2021.

The Serbian big man added 16 rebounds and eight assists but it was all to no avail as Washington, buoyed by 39 points from Jordan Poole, won for the first time since October 30.

Poole made a career-high nine of Washington's 16 three-pointers while the Nuggets connected on just five of their 24 attempts from beyond the arc.

Justin Champagnie scored 23 points and Jonas Valanciunas added 20 points and 12 rebounds for the Wizards, who were without a string of key players including Kyle Kuzma, Malcolm Brogdon and Saddiq Bey.

Washington seized control early against a Nuggets team without five regulars, including Aaron Gordon, Jamal Murray and Dario Saric who were all ruled out hours before the game.

They out-scored the Nuggets 36-29 in the first quarter and led 69-57 at halftime.

Jokic went for broke in

the third in a bid to turn things around, connecting on nine of an astonishing 20 shot attempts and scoring 23 points as the Nuggets whittled the deficit to six points going into the final period.

The Wizards pushed their lead back to 13 early in the fourth with Jokic getting some rest on the bench, and Denver couldn't get the deficit below five points the rest of the way.

"Hearing some MVP chants was kind of cool when the MVP (Jokic) was on the floor," Poole said of the cheers of Washington fans when he went to the free-throw line in the closing seconds.

Meanwhile Evan Mobley scored a career-high 41 points and grabbed 10 rebounds for the league-leading Cleveland Cavaliers in a dominant 116-102 victory over the Charlotte Hornets.

Mobley set the tone with 23 points in the first quarter, when he made five of his six three-pointers and the Cavs pushed their lead to as many as 22 before taking a 63-52 advantage into halftime.

"He didn't hit the rim on the threes," teammate Caris LeVert said of Mobley's effort. "They were all swishes, like the first four or five... it was definitely a sight to see."



The Washington Wizards withstood a 56-point explosion from Denver star Nikola Jokic to beat the Nuggets 122-113 on Saturday and snap their 16-game NBA losing streak.

## Akari overcomes Set 1 blip, defeats Chery Tiggo to halt 3-game skid

Akari has regained its winning ways in the 2024-25 Premier Volleyball League (PVL) All-Filipino Conference. The Chargers, despite squandering a seven-point lead and giving away the opening canto, were triumphant in the next frames, 22-25, 26-24, 25-18, 25-20, on Tuesday at the PhilSports Arena in Pasig City. It looked

as though Set 1 was meant for the Chargers to take after establishing a 20-13 cushion, but the Crossovers rallied their way back, uncorking a 12-2 run to snatch the opener. It was the Crossovers' turn to waste a lead in the second chapter after they put up a 23-20 separation. Miscues from Norman Miguel's wards

and clutch hits from Grethcel Soltones and Cams Victoria allowed the Akari side to claim that set, built on a 6-1 run. The Chargers then orchestrated a six-point, 16-10 lead in Set 4, but they let the Chery Tiggo side come back once more, with the latter tying at 17-apiece off hits from Cess Robles and Ara Galang alongside faults from the Taka Minowa-coached squad. Minowa's cogs finally solved the riddle that is Chery Tiggo after a boost on their net defense, as Fifi Sharma and Victoria both notched kill blocks to reach match point, 24-20, and Soltones smashed the game-winning hit to close out the two-hour, 21-minute volleyball affair. Soltones took charge on both offense and defense, registering 22 points on 20 attacks, one block and an ace to go along with nine excellent digs and seven excellent receptions, while Sharma, on her best game yet in the conference, flexed her might at the net, garnering a total of six kill blocks and had a total of 16 points. Ivy Lacina supported with 15 markers and Kamille Cal steered that offense with 15 excellent sets and also had five blocks. Meanwhile, Galang and Robles delivered 14 points each for the losing cause.

## Philip Sahagun wins PH's first gold in the BIMP-EAGA Friendship Games

Philip Adrian Sahagun fought through the heat as he breezed past his rivals to give the Philippines its first gold in the swimming event of the 11th BIMP-EAGA Friendship Games at the Ramon V. Mitra Sports Complex in Puerto Princesa City on Monday.

Sahagun, a 21-year-old who represents the country's Team A, splashed his way and registered 2 minutes and 13.52 seconds -- just a hairline faster than his closest pursuer in Indonesia's Hidayatullah Aril (2:13.83) -- to capture the boys' 200m IM crown. Aril and Philippines A's Rodolfo Apilado III (2:20.82) captured the silver and bronze honors, respectively, in the 8-man finals.

"I didn't expect to win, kasi two weeks ago kakagaling ko lang ng UAAP and I didn't have [enough] time to prepare for this kasi gusto ko rin po makapag-hinga. One week po ako walang training at all," said the third-year BS Entrepreneurship student of De La Salle University.

"Pero ang mindset ko lang is swim for the Philippines," he added. "Nung last lap, medyo nakaramdam po ako ng sakit ng katawan ko pero nakita kopu 'yong kalaban ko na humahabol kaya i-push ko na. Andoon na po ako sa una kaya sabi ko 'di ko na po ibibigay 'tong gold."

Hours after his feat, Sahagun bagged his second gold medal along with his teammates in the 4x100 boys' 400m freestyle relay where they clocked 3 minutes and 44.05 seconds, beating Malaysia's Team B (3:50.05) and Indonesia (3:55.73).

Up next for the UAAP two-time bronze medalist are 200 IM and 200m backstroke, 100m backstroke events, and the

4x100m medley.

In the women's division, Ateneo and PH's Team A bet Lorah Micah Amoguis impressed as well after snaring the gold in her pet event -- girls' 200m IM -- where she timed in 2 minutes and 30.73 seconds.

Amoguis, a BS Life Sciences freshman, despite nursing shoulder fatigue, stressed her dedication to put up a stellar performance to boost her six-event campaign this year.

"I'm very glad na ito ang first gold ko, 'tong pet event ko, and I dedicated this to the country," said Amoguis.

"First time ko talaga maka-experience ng ganto (injury scare). This is for my coaches, parents, and my family po," she added.

Other Filipino swimmers who reigned in their respective events are June Pearl Dagano (girls' 100m freestyle), John Michael Catamco (boys' 50m butterfly), and Maglia Jaye Dignadice (girls' 50m butterfly).

Meanwhile, Berdard Ganancial heaved 33.95 meters to clinch the gold in the men's discus while his compatriots Jhonmark Sedoripa (33.14m) and Lunasco Alabado (32.58m) secured the silver and bronze.

In shot put, the Filipinos came up short of the top podium finish with PH Team D's Alia Tricia Badajos (9.53m) and Team A's Jerlyn Grace Crismundo (9.25m) settling for second and third place as Malaysia's Daniella Jimil (10.25m) snagged the gold.