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CHR condemns 'abuse' of Aeta folk at Clark



EXCESSIVE FORCE. Heavily armed CDC men hold down Aeta Roldan Aquino during an incident near Clark freeport's Gate 14 last May 6 when the election gun ban was already in effect. CELLPHONE PHOTO BY AN AETA

BY DING CERVANTES

CLARK FREEPORT - The Commission on Human Rights (CHR) has condemned "acts of violence" against Aeta folk in this Freeport, as it vowed to "protect them from all forms of abuse."

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Tourists info center questioned

BY ASHLEY MANABAT

ANGELES CITY – Local tourists as well as stakeholders in the tourism industry here are questioning the authority of the "Tourists Information Center" at Fields Avenue in Barangay Balibago here to give proper information to tourists.

Gilda Padua, former president of the Alliance of Travel and Tour Association of Pampanga (ATTAP), said the so-called Tourists Information Center in Fields Ave. is misleading since it is managed by a private hotel.

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ASIAN REAL ESTATE MOGUL SAYS

Subic is the next Guam

BY MALOU DUNGOG

SUBIC BAY FREEPORT – Tagged as among Asia's icons in real estate and business development, Ronald Wang, chairman of property developer Century 21 Subic Bay, said that the Subic Bay Freeport could be the next Guam.

Wang, who is also chairman and chief executive officer of Century 21 Taiwan, Century 21 Asia Pacific, and Fantai Real Estate Management Co., expressed high hopes for Subic as the next best thing in real estate business.

"Subic is the next Guam in terms of economic growth," Wang said in a statement read here by Dr. Johnson Yang, chairman of the Subic-based Grand Pillar International Development, Inc.

Wang was the guest speaker in the groundbreaking ceremony for Grand Pillar's Mi Casa Terrace, a P170 million three-storey commercial and office building project to be constructed in the Freeport.

Wang said that when he was invited by Dr. Yang to Subic several years ago, he felt the passion in Subic and the opportunity that awaited in terms of leisure and commercial development.

"This is the reason why

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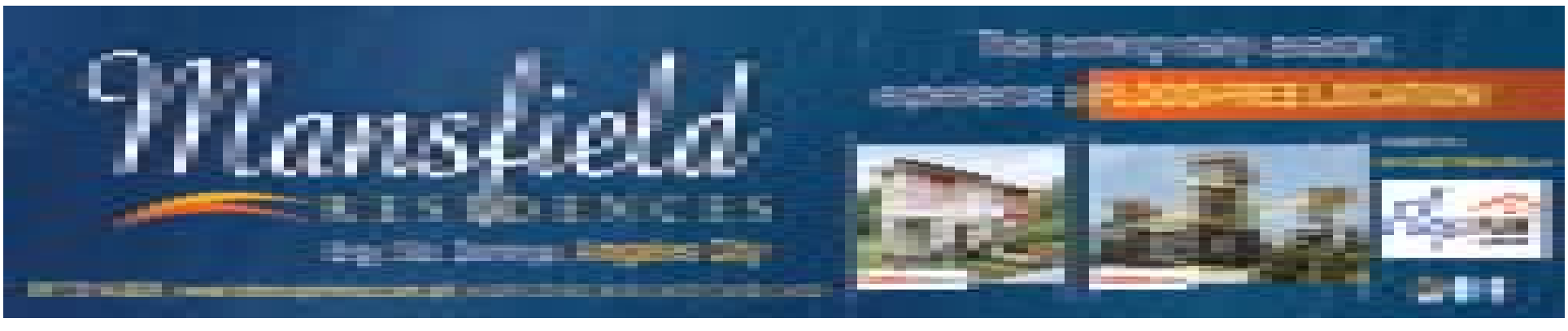
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IN PNOY'S TARLAC

Farmers' group asks Congress to probe P2.18-B dam project

By Ding Cervantes

ANGELES CITY- The Kilusang Magbubukid ng Pilipinas (KMP) yesterday called on Congress to probe Pres. Aquino's pet dam project that has already cost the government P2.18 billion amid negative repercussions to local folk and the environment in the President's home province of Tarlac.

The KMP urged a "no-holds-barred probe" on the Balog-Balog Dam project that led the President to chastise the National Irrigation Administration (NIA) during its recent 50th anniversary.

"We all know where Aquino's frustration is coming from," says KMP secretary general Antonio Flores.

Flores said "the Balog-Balog Dam project is a pet project of the Cojuangco-Aquinos for the benefit of the biggest sugar plantation in Tarlac called Hacienda Luisita despite opposition from farmers due to the dangers posed by the project to the lives of the residents and the environment."

"Worse, the Balog-Balog Dam project will deprive farmers of the land they are tilling," he added.

The dam, dubbed the "Balog-Balog Multipurpose Project," was envisioned to provide irrigation to 39,150 hectares of farmlands in the Tarlac towns of Concepcion, Gerona, Pura, Ramos, Paniqui, La Paz and Victoria, and the city of Tarlac. It was also supposed to mitigate flooding in low-lying areas and provide upland communities with the opportunity to pursue inland fish production on the dam's 2,004-hectare reservoir.

Flores noted that "from 2002-2013, a total of P2.18 billion was already allocated for the Balog-Balog Dam project by the Agriculture and Fisheries Modernization Act (AFMA) budget (2002-2009) and the General Appropriations Act (2010-2011)."

"For this year alone," Flores said, "another P532, 992,000 was allocated by Republic Act 10352 or the General Appropriations Act of 2013."

"Billions of public funds were already spent for this anti-peasant project. What has happened to it? A no-holds-barred probe on this multi-billion project is in order," the peasant leader said.

In a statement, the KMP said that "residents of San Jose and Capas in Tarlac are opposing the project because it will only cause the destruction of the environment since the project will result in the closure of the Busa River to create a more than 2,000-hectare reservoir with capacity of 625 million cubic meters."

The group also noted that "communities in Sta. Juliana, Capas, Pantol, Pisapungan, Pula and Pilyen are also prone to flashfloods because the Buyboy River will be affected by the water level since the landmarks set by NIA in Pantol were placed at the middle of the mountain which is way above the houses in the communities."

"Tarlac City, Paniqui, Moncada, Concepcion and LaPaz are also vulnerable to flooding," said Flores.

The KMP called for an immediate stop to the Balog-Balog Dam project saying "it is a serious threat to the livelihood of more than 500 residents and could worsen the problem of landlessness in the province of Tarlac."

HPG conducts executive motorcycle riding course at Fontana

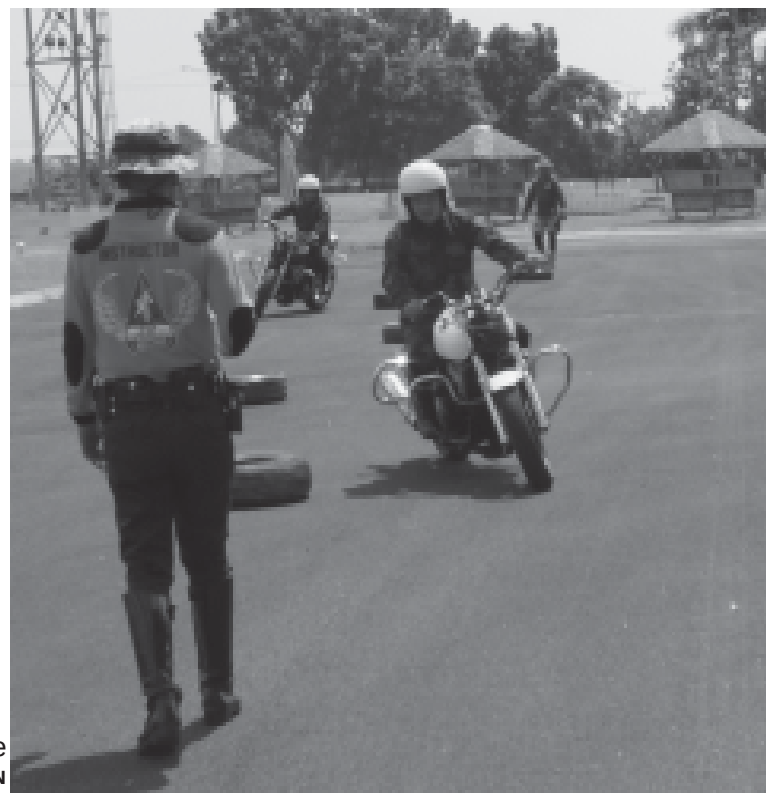
By Ashley Manabat

CLARK FREEPORT – At least 57 Philippine National Police (PNP) personnel from the Highway Patrol Group (HPG) and 26 civilians are currently undergoing a 68-hour basic training course on motorcycle riding at the Fontana Leisure Parks here.

According to Supt. Gregorio Galsim, the training program which is officially called the Executive Motorcycle Riding Course (EMRC), involves comprehensive skills training covering several subjects that develop safe riding skills such as evading traffic hazards on the roadway and skills development on dangerous situations; developing proper posture, accelerator control and calculation; developing flexibility of the waists, accelerator control and correct circulation on stiff situation; riding and passing safely between columns of motor vehicles in motion along the road; overcoming unexpected obstacles/ eventualities; familiarization in the use of motorcycle in the highways.

Fontana CEO Manuel Sequiera, 2013 class president of the PNP-HPG EMRC, said the 68-hour training will run for four weeks with two days each week (Tuesdays and Thursdays) as





EASY RIDER. Trainor guides cop through slalom under the watchful eyes of gaslim and sequera. **Photos by Bong Lacson**

training days. Last Thursday was only the second day of the course, he said.

Galsim said the EMRC is an effective skills training especially for beginners to familiarize themselves with big bikes.

He noted that most road accidents involve small motorcycles which are less than 400 cc which means they do not belong to the big bike category.

Galsim said veteran HPG personnel and graduates of previous EMRC are supervising the riding course.

He explained that riders of the small motor bikes use more of their arms in maneuvering them while riders of the big bikes use their bodies more to maneuver them.

He said after completing the EMRC, confidence in riding and defensive driving will be instilled in the participants which can earn them certificates of completion and rider patches.

Sequiera said Fontana sponsored the venue and "we hope it's going to be a regular event here."

"I hope the participants will learn much from this program from first aid to riding properly and equally important is how to fall off," Sequiera said.

"Hopefully we can use our experience to help others," he added.

US destroyer in Subic Bay for 19th CARAT

By Malou Dungog

SUBIC BAY FREEPORT — The guided-missile destroyer USS Fitzgerald (DDG 62) docked at Alava Pier of former US Ship Repair Facility (SRF), Subic Bay at about 9:00 in the morning Thursday to participate in the 19th Philippines-United States Cooperation Afloat Readiness and Training (CARAT) exercise.

The ship's visit and CARAT highlight the strong historic community and military relations between the Philippines and the United States.



USS Fitzgerald docks at Subic.
Photo by Johnny Reblando

In the US Embassy Information Office advisory, the 19th CARAT is a series of bilateral naval exercises between the U.S. Navy and the armed forces of Bangladesh, Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Timor-Leste.

CARAT Philippines began in 1995, and has since occurred in several locations throught the Phillippines, including Cebu (2009), Subic Bay (2010), Puerto Princesa (2011) and most recently General Santos City in Mindanao (2012).

Training events in each CARAT phase are tailored based on available assets and mutual training goals across a broad range of naval capabilities, the advisory stated.

CARAT Philippines 2013 will focus on maritime security operations, maritime domain awareness and information sharing. The exercise will also feature extensive training in diving and salvage operations, jungle warfare and marksmanship, tactical combat casualty care, civil affairs, riverine and boarding team scenarios, sporting events, community service projects and public band concert.

On Friday (June 28), two more supply ships, USNS Washington Chamber and USNS Salvor will arrive in Subic Bay for the offloading of supplies and equipment for CARAT exercise.

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900 athletes join 5i50 triathlon in Subic

By Malou Dungog

SUBIC BAY FREEPORT – Close to a thousand triathletes, including elite contenders from other countries, conquered on Sunday the 2013 Century Tuna 5i50 Triathlon, acknowledged as the biggest Olympic-distance race in the country today.

Organizers said that local and international triathletes faced the daunting challenge of completing a difficult long-distance course with the Subic Bay providing a picturesque backdrop for the event.

The elite field was represented by participants from 23 countries, including top contenders from the United Kingdom, Canada, Australia, the United States, Singapore, France, Germany, Taiwan, Japan and the Philippines.

Former Ironman champion Luke McKenzie topped the men's pro elite division after completing the course that involved three legs: a 1.5-kilometer swim leg, followed by a 40-kilometer bike leg, and then a 10-kilometer run course.

The Australian champion finished the race in 1 hour 59 minutes and 25 seconds.

McKenzie was followed by Xterra Off Road Triathlon champion Ben Allen who clocked in at 2:02:40 and by Australian triathlete Michael Murphy who finished with 2:05:46.

Meanwhile, Belinda Granger finished first for the women's pro elite with 2:17:33, followed by Michelle Gailey with 2:24:09 and Jaqui Slack with 2:26:05.

John Leerams Chicano led the local bets in the Filipino men's elite with 2:09:45 and finished fifth overall.

Chicano was followed by Jonard Saim with 2:10:29 and Olympic hopeful Nikko Huelgas with 2:11:00. Another local bet, Monica Torres, finished fourth in the women's pro elite with 2:26:19.

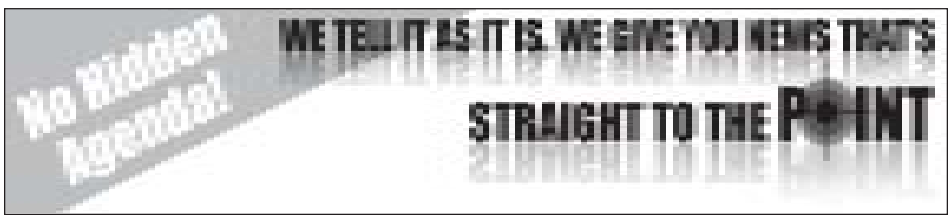
This is the second year that Subic has hosted the 5i50 triathlon. Last year's race was voted by triathletes as the second best triathlon event in the Philippines for 2012.

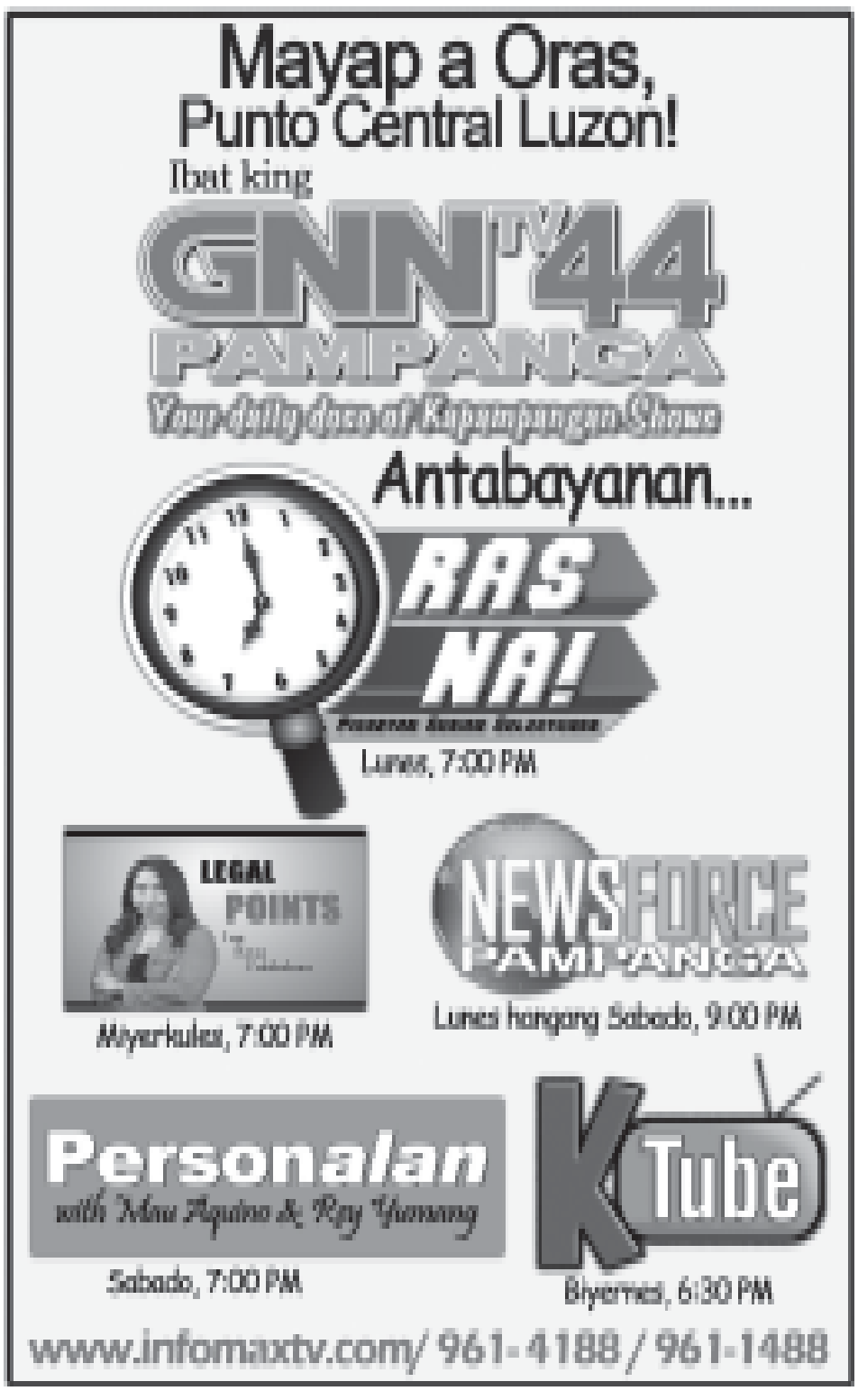
The Century Tuna 5i50 triathlon has become one of the major sports events held in the Subic Bay Freeport, as Subic Bay Metropolitan Authority chairman Roberto Garcia has put his focus on developing Subic as a premier sporting destination in the country.

"The 2013 edition of the Century Tuna 5i50 Triathlon not only featured a scenic and challenging route but also enjoyed a substantial increase of 52 percent in terms of participants, compared to last year'," SBMA deputy administrator for tourism Raul Marcelo said.

According to Marcelo, with SBMA chairman Garcia's focus on sports tourism and environmental protection, Subic Bay has become an environment- and sports-friendly destination.

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Camayan's pristine water beach





Subic Bay Marine Exploratorium Inc. C. E.O. Timothy J. Desmond (in stripes) poses with triathletes and members of Tri Clark team during the awarding ceremony of Yellow Cab DIY Open Water Swim Training Series at Camayan Beach Resort.

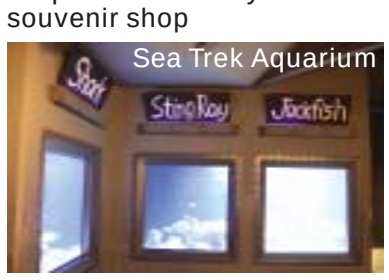
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Of paddles and dolphins

ONE PLACE, two water attractions and lots of contented sporty guests and delighted kids, scenario that amazed me during recent visit to Camayan Beach Resort Subic Bay for the Yellow Cab-Tri Clark Triathlon Team DIY: Open Swim Training Series. A combination of world class ocean adventure and pristine water beach is one big bucket of fun.

In July 2005, CAMAYAN BEACH RESORT AND HOTEL was established by the management team of Ocean Adventure, as a perfect escape destination. Now expanding to a more active family oriented one-stop-shop resort, there's nothing that can't be done at Camayan for every member of the family has its own trusty little nook and even the sporty posses come to paddle, dive, surf, and do water sports. It has a total of 85 comfortable hotel rooms giving splendid view of the idyllic white sandy beach, and it houses two restaurants, The Reef and Sand Bar, offering delicious international fare and a strip of souvenir shops for little shopping.

Albeit others would find it graceful going to this beautiful beach resort, some still look for more exciting adventures and interactive activities. No need to go separate ways because few steps from Camayan is OCEAN ADVENTURE, the only open-water marine themed park in Southeast Asia and a premier destination in Subic. It gives a glimpse of many underwater or sea creatures while staying dry and comfortable in their Discovery Aquarium, Sea Trek Aquarium and Sea Lion under Water Viewing. Ocean Adventure is very keen in entertaining and educating guests with popular Dolphin Friends Show, Sea Lion Marine Patrol Show and WOW (Walk on the Wild Side Show), and for kids to go up close and personal with friendly dolphins, sea lions, and rescued forest and water animals at the Animal Trainer Adventure, Fish Frenzy and Swim-Dive-Photo opportunities. It also houses a souvenir shop offering cute huggable items and fancy restaurant called Ilanin Bay Cafe for refreshing cuisine.

Both Camayan Beach Resort and Ocean Adventure are advocates of environmental awareness education and care for animals. The dive shop is a proud member of Green Fins and Reef Check, programs designed to monitor and protect the fragile marine environment. They work closely with the NGO Wildlife in Need to protect marine and forest animals. In fact, Camayan Beach Resort is the only privately-owned business in Subic Bay to build and operate own sewage treatment plant, one of the most important ways to protect the environment and the health of hotel guests.

What makes it more fun is that 50% discount on the admission rate is now being offered to all local residents of Pampanga, Bataan, Olongapo, Zambales and Subic Bay, employees and locators of SBFZ, members of Subic Bay Freeport Chamber of Commerce and PMAP Subic Chapter, embassy, hotel and airline employees , promo runs until August 30, 2013.

For reservation (047) 252-9000 or 8000, www.camayanbeachresort.com, www.oceanadventure.com.ph, Camayan Wharf, West Ilanin Forest Area, Subic Bay Freeport Zone



Editorial

Arbor Day everyday

SO IT'S past Arbor Day – June 25, last Tuesday. So what, Arbor Day should be observed every single day, given the dire need for trees in our planet.

Consider the findings of Colorado Trees Coalition:

Trees act as a carbon sink by removing the carbon and storing it as cellulose in their trunk, branches, leaves and roots while releasing oxygen back into the air. A single mature tree can absorb carbon dioxide at a rate of 48 lbs. per year and release enough oxygen back into the atmosphere to support two human beings.

Over a 50-year lifetime, a tree generates $31,250 worth of oxygen, provides $62,000 worth of air pollution control, recycles $37,500 worth of water, and controls $31,250 worth of soil erosion.

In one urban park (212 ha.) tree cover was found to remove daily 48 lbs. particulates, 9 lbs. nitrogen dioxide, 6 lbs. sulfur dioxide, and 2 lbs. carbon monoxide ($136 per day value based upon pollution control technology) and 100 lbs. of carbon.

Trees reduce topsoil erosion, prevent harmful land pollutants contained in the soil from getting into our waterways, slow down water run-off, and ensure that our groundwater supplies are continually being replenished.

And here's something specially for the Department of Public Works and Highways, the city government of San Fernando and the Pampanga Chamber of Commerce And Industry – they who have not publicly abandoned their obstinate stand to cut down all the trees along MacArthur Highway:

The asphalt paving on streets contain stone aggregate in an oil binder. Without tree shade, the oil heats up and volatizes, leaving the aggregate unprotected. Vehicles then loosen the aggregate and much like sandpaper, the loose aggregate grinds down the pavement. Streets should be overlaid or slurry sealed every 7-10 years over a 30-40 year period, after which reconstruction is required. A slurry seal costs approximately $0.27 per sq.ft. or $50,000 per linear mile. Because the oil does not dry out as fast on a shaded street as it does on a street with no shade trees, this street maintenance can be deferred. The slurry seal can be deferred from every 10 years to every 20-25 years for older streets with extensive tree canopy cover.

Trees can serve as a buffer between moving vehicles and pedestrians. Street trees also forewarn drivers of upcoming curves. If the driver sees tree trunks curving ahead before seeing the road curve, they will slow down and be more cautious when approaching curves.

Love trees. Keep on planting them. Stop cutting them. Make everyday Arbor Day.

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HIT THE ground running.

So Joseller "Yeng" Guiao promised, and there premised his candidacy for the first congressional district seat.

Right on Day One, Guiao said, he would be first in the *primera fila* at the House's Bill and Index Division with his pet bill – the conversion of the Clark Development Corp. into a Clark Development Authority.

A CDA, he says, will unshackle the Clark Freeport from political chains as well as bureaucratic red tape, vesting in it the autonomy to chart its own course as an engine of national development. No, Guiao did not actually say that verbatim, I sort of verbalized his thoughts and feelings on the matter with all the intensity so characteristic of him.

He said a CDA will level the playing field for investing in Clark, providing equitable incentives to attract more local and foreign investors into the Freeport. This, generating more investments and translating to greater employment opportunities which in turn highlights the need to ensure that the Clark manpower pool matches the skills requirements of every investor locating at the Freeport.

At the recent Regional Development Council-Central Luzon meeting, Guiao so convinced the assembly of governors, city mayors and private sector representatives – primarily businessmen, of the nobility and novelty, of the excellence and efficacy of his CDA advocacy that it was readily adopted as top priority.

No less than the RDC chair, City of San Fernando Mayor Oscar S. Rodriguez, himself an incoming congressman, embraced Guiao's CDA cause as his own: "*Pag naging authority iyon, hindi na mapu-politika ang mga opisyal ng Clark at ang mga empleyado ay magkakaroon ng security of tenure.*"

Yeah, hallelujah!

Not that I want to monsoon Guiao's triumphant CDA parade. but may I just say that he's copycatting – no second rate and trying hard, most certainly though – his House predecessor, the Honorable Carmelo "Tarzan" Lazatin?

On June 8, 2011, listed – as introduced by Lazatin – in the House's Bill and Index Division is House Bill 4843 – "An Act Creating the Metropolitan Clark Freeport Zone and its Governing Body, the Metropolitan Clark Freeport Zone Authority Replacing the Clark Development Corp."

No CDA there but MCFZA just as telling, no mere name-changing but as game-changing, for the Freeport. Consider some of its salient features:

Section 8. Powers and Functions of the Metropolitan Clark Freeport Zone Authority — The Metropolitan Clark Freeport Zone Authority shall have the following powers and functions:

A. To adopt, alter, use a corporate seal; to contract, lease, buy, sell, acquire, own and dispose, movable and immovable as well as personal and real property of whatever nature (including but not limited to shares of stock or participation in private corporations or in limited partnerships, or in joint ventures with limited liability), bonds, precious metals in bullions, ingots, and easily convertible foreign exchange; to sue and be sued in order to carry out its duties, responsibilities, privileges, powers and functions as granted and provided for in this Act; and to exercise the power of eminent domain for public use and public purpose;

B. Within the limitation provided by law, to raise or borrow adequate and necessary funds from local or foreign sources to finance its projects and programs under this Act, and for that purpose to issue bonds, promissory notes, and other form of securities, and to secure the same by a guarantee, pledge, mortgage, deed of trust, or an assignment of all or part of its property or assets;

C. To approve, accept, accredit and allow any local or foreign business, enterprise or investment in the Zone subject only to such rules and regulations as Metropolitan Clark Freeport Zone Authority may promulgate from time to time in conformity with the provisions of this Act and the limitations provided in the Constitution;

D. To authorize or undertake, on its own or through others, and regulate the establishment, operation and maintenance of public utilities, services, and infrastructure in the Zone such as shipping, barging, stevedoring, cargo handling, hauling, warehousing, storage of cargo, port services or concessions, piers, wharves, bulkheads, bulk terminals, mooring areas, storage areas, roads, bridges, terminals, conveyors, water supply and storage, sewerage, drainage, airport operations in coordination with the Civil Aeronautics Board, and such other services or concessions or infrastructure necessary or incidental to the accomplishment of the objectives of this Act: Provided, however, That the private investors in the Zone shall be given priority in the awarding of contracts, franchises, licenses, or permits for the establishment, operation and maintenance of utilities, services and infrastructure in the Zone. ***With regards to airport operations, the Clark International Airport Corporation will be abolished and its control over the Diosdado Macapagal International Airport will be transferred to the MCFZA…*** *(highlighting here, mine)*

G. To protect, preserve, maintain and develop the virgin forests, beaches, coral and coral reefs within the Zone. The virgin forest within the Zone will be proclaimed as a national park and will be covered by a permanent total log ban… Sec. 9. Board of Trustees. — The powers of the Metropolitan Clark Freeport Zone Authority shall be vested in and exercised by a Board of Trustees, hereinafter referred to as the Board, which shall be composed of a chairman, eight (8) members and six (6) ex-officio members.

A. The chairman and eight members of the board shall be appointed by the President of the Republic of the Philippines to serve for a term of two (2) years and confirmed by the Commission on Appointments;

B. The incumbent mayors of Angeles City, Municipality of Mabalacat, Municipality of Magalang, Municipality of Porac, Tarlac City and the Municipality of Bamban are the ex-officio voting members;

Sec. 12. Administrative and Chief Executive Officer — The President of the Philippines shall appoint a full-time professional and competent administrator and chief executive officer for the MCFZ whose compensation shall be determined by its Board of Trustees and shall be in accordance with the revised compensation and position classification system…

Sec. 16: Dissolution of the CDC – Subject to the provisions of the applicable laws and rules and regulations, upon the dissolution of the CDC, all its powers, functions, assets, liabilities, records, appropriations, facilities, equipment, and all other properties shall automatically be transferred to the Metropolitan Clark Freeport Zone Authority.

The current third level employees of the CDC shall be absorbed by the Metropolitan Clark Freeport Zone Authority, while the officials of the CDC shall only be given preference in the appointment to similar positions in the Metropolitan Clark Freeport Zone Authority.

Unsolicited advice to Guiao: Get some briefing – if not coaching – from Lazatin.

After all, he has virtually become your template. First in your promise to transform the Pampanga Agricultural College into a state university which Lazatin already delivered. And now in converting CDC into an authority which Lazatin had already filed in 2011 yet.

Be not afraid of greatness: some men are born great, some achieve greatness and some have greatness thrust upon them. –William Shakespeare

Opinion



Regarding Henry

Henrylito D. Tacio

Struck by *lightning*

DURING the talk show, “Debate: Mare at Pare” in 2000, then President Joseph Estrada called and told one of the panelists: “Iyan ang buong katotohanan. Huwag kang magsinungaling. Baka ka tamaan ng kidlat (That is the truth. Do not lie. Lightning might strike you.).”

The chances of getting hit by lightning are one in 600,000, but in recent years, people have died and more have been hurt in separate lightning strike incidents in different parts of the country.

Last May of this year, a soldier died while another suffered burns when a lightning struck a military outpost in a remote village of Zamboanga Sibugay province. According to the police report, the victims were on duty in the village of Libertad, Tungawan town when lightning suddenly struck the outpost in the early morning.

In 2008, a farmer was killed while his son was injured after lightning struck them during a heavy rain. Investigation showed that the two were doing chores outside the house when it suddenly rained. They sat in the shade and waited for the rain to stop. But a lightning bolt struck from behind and hit a ground wire which was partly buried. The strong electric current hit both victims.

Last year, six men were given their second lives after they survived a lightning. According to one of the survivors said that they decided to harvest shells on the nearby shore in barangay Coronon in Sta. Cruz after the tide ebbed around 8:30 p.m.

But there was a sudden downpour of rain followed by strong winds so they decided to seek shelter under the coconut trees. A lightning struck a tree beside where they stood and some of the victims were electrocuted. Some of the victims fainted and sustained wounds all over the body.

All the victims were thrown in different directions due to the explosion. “We were thrown three meters away,” a survivor was quoted as saying. “The explosion was so strong that it felt like it was a bomb.”

Lightning also took the life of Norbing Murines in 2007. He was the sixth person in the province of Iloilo to have died as a result of being struck by a lightning.

According to a report released by Philippine News Agency, Murines was reportedly doing carpentry job at the roof of a store but sudden rains prevailed, forcing him to stop his work and take shelter under a nearby tree. In a wink of an eye, an ear-splitting thunderstorm simultaneous with the blinding spark of lightning hit the tree that also pinned Murines.

“He sustained severe burns all over his body and was rushed to the nearby hospital where the attending physicians declared him dead on arrival,” the PNA report said.

Now that the rainy season is upon us and especially since more typhoons are coming our way, lightning strikes become more threatening than ever.

Lightning is a massive electrostatic discharge between electrically charged regions within clouds, or between a cloud and the Earth’s surface. The charged regions within the atmosphere temporarily equalize themselves through a lightning flash, commonly referred to as a strike if it hits an object on the ground.

Experts say the electricity a lightning generates can power a 100-watt bulb for three months. Lightning can heat up the air around it to up to 30,000 degrees Celsius.

Lightning occurs approximately 40–50 times a second worldwide, resulting in nearly 1.4 billion flashes per year, according to John E. Oliver in an article which appeared in “Encyclopedia of World Climatology.”

During a seminar workshop held in Davao City last week, Niño A. Relos, senior weather specialist of the Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA), said that lightning are classified into three types: forked lightning, sheeting lightning, and ball lightning.

Forked lightning is a common form of lightning, in a cloud-to-ground discharge, which exhibits downward-directed branches from the main lightning channel. Sheeting lightning appears merely as a general illumination over a broad area, usually because the path of the flash is obscured by clouds.

Ball lightning is a rare form of lightning, consisting of a bright, luminous ball that moves rapidly along objects or floats in the air. A classic example is Saint Elmo’s fire, which Filipinos called as “santelmo.”

Identifying lightning-generating clouds is one of the helpful ways to avoid being struck by a lightning. The weather bureau in a report on GMA News’ Balitanghali told the audience to look out for cumulonimbus clouds, which are thick and are shaped like a cauliflower.

These clouds produce strong winds, rains, thunder, and lightning. “Hindi tayo safe sa buong taon eh, dahil nasa tropics tayo. Tsaka napapaligiran tayo ng tubig so ‘yung weather natin napakabilis na magpalit. Nakakapag-produce sila agad ng cumulonimbus clouds in three hours,” Jori Loiz, PAGASA weather forecaster, was quoted as saying.

As lightning is common during the rainy season, Relos shared these lightning safety precautions:

• Go inside a home or large building, if you can.

• Avoid using electric appliances such as telephones, computers or television sets.

• If stuck outside, do not take shelter under a tall, isolated tree.

• Stay away from bodies of water

• If you trapped in an open field and you feel your hair stand on end, lighting is about to strike. Do not lie flat on the ground.

Run for special kids set

THE DRUGSTORE Association of the Philippines (Pampanga Chapter) will host a run-for-a-cause project dubbed “TAKBOTIKA RUN 2013.” Proceeds of the run will be used for the special children at Holy Trinity in Porac, Pampanga.

The race is divided in to four categories: 3k, 5k, 10k, and the 21k run.

Registration started last May 2, 2013 and will end on June 30, 2013 with registration fees ranging from P350 to P750, inclusive of a race singlet, race bib, timing chip and finisher’s medal.

Interested participants may visit registration centers at Prescripto Kiosk Marquee Mall, Prescripto Outlet Nepo Mall, Gustav Café @ Essel in San Fernando, Le Roux Culinary Academy @ McArthur Highway in Angeles City, FCC Drugstore Magalang, Policarpio Drugstore Mabalacat, Shine Drugstore San Fernando, Pat Drugstore Sta. Rita, Drugs and More D/S Macabebe, Unicare Pharmacy Angeles City, and New Balance Marquee Mall

For more call contact numbers 0905-1005-843, 0933-7204-378, 0917-5516-007, or 0917-8050-312. — ***Nikko Raphael P. Villanueva and Amira T. Garcia, AUF-OJT***



Napag-uusapan lang

Ni Felix M. Garcia

Di mapalad na maituturing, kundi dahil gusto pa rin

MAPALAD umano si Mayor Guerrero
Ng Floridablanca, at siya palang dito
Sa naturang bayan ang kwenta nanalo
Ng tatlong termino nang dire-diretso

Sa pagka-alkalde ng kanilang bayan
Sapol maitatag yan at nakilalang
Ganap sa ganitong naging katawagan,
(Na ‘Pista ng Bulaklak’ ang kahulugan).

Pero para sa ’king sariling opinion
Di matatawag na mapalad si Mayor,
Kundi ng dahil sa siya itong gustong
Maging alkalde ng mga tao roon

At marahil kahit ilang termino pa
Ay pamuli pa ring ihahalal siya
Ng kanyang kabalen pagkat nasa kanya
Ang katangian ng lider na bihasa

At may kakayahang sa bayan umugit
Ng buong talino at may malasakit,
Matapat at sadyang walang bahid dungis
Na pamalakad o ‘genuine public service’

Kaya’t sanhi na rin katangiang iyan
Ni Mayor ay ating masasabing tunay
Na hindi suwerte ang pagkapanalo n’yan
Kundi nang dahil sa tiwala ng bayan!

Ano pa nga naman ang dapat hanapin
Ng taga Florida sa katulad na rin
Ni mayor Guerrero na tunay naman ding
Napakamasugid sa mga gampanin

At talaga naman ding tinututukan
Ng mabait at butihing punongbayan
Sa panahon ng kanyang panunungkulan
Ang lahat para sa kanyang kababayan

Kung saan kabilang sa mga proyekto
Na naipagawa ni Mayor Guerrero,
Kasama ang nakapagpatayo ito
Ng ‘public schools’ at nabigyan din nito

Ng ‘livelihood’ itong walang hanapbuhay
Para magkaroon ng pagkakitaan,
Sa pamamagitan ng pagtitinda riyan
O anumang gusto na maging kalakal

At ang munisipyo ang magpapahiram
Ng pera na siyang magiging kapital
Nitong nagnanais na makapangutang,
Ng walang interes na dapat bayaran.

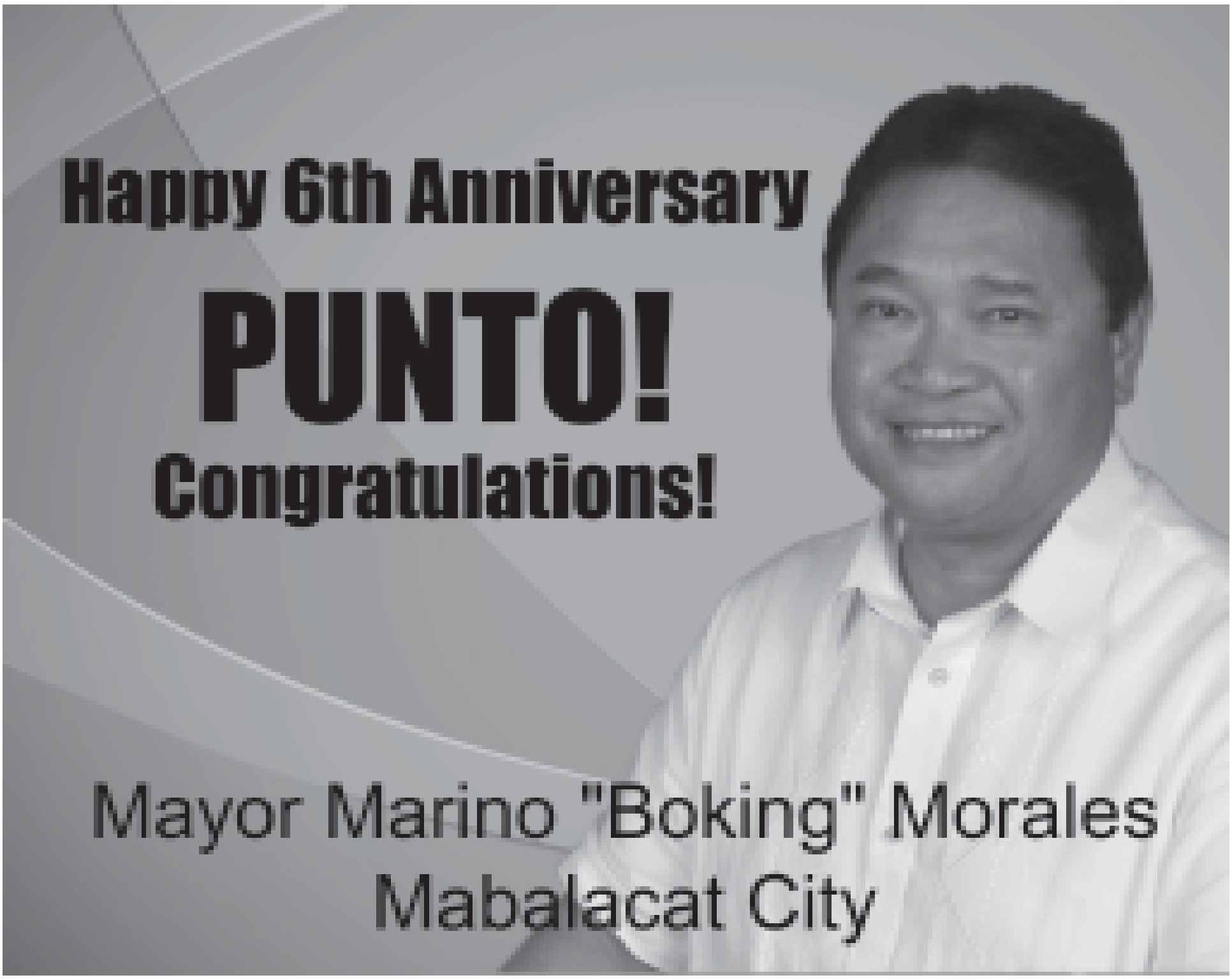
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Sa panahon ng panunungkulan nito,
Na mapaunlad at lumago ng husto
Sa Nabuclod Mountain Resort ang turismo.

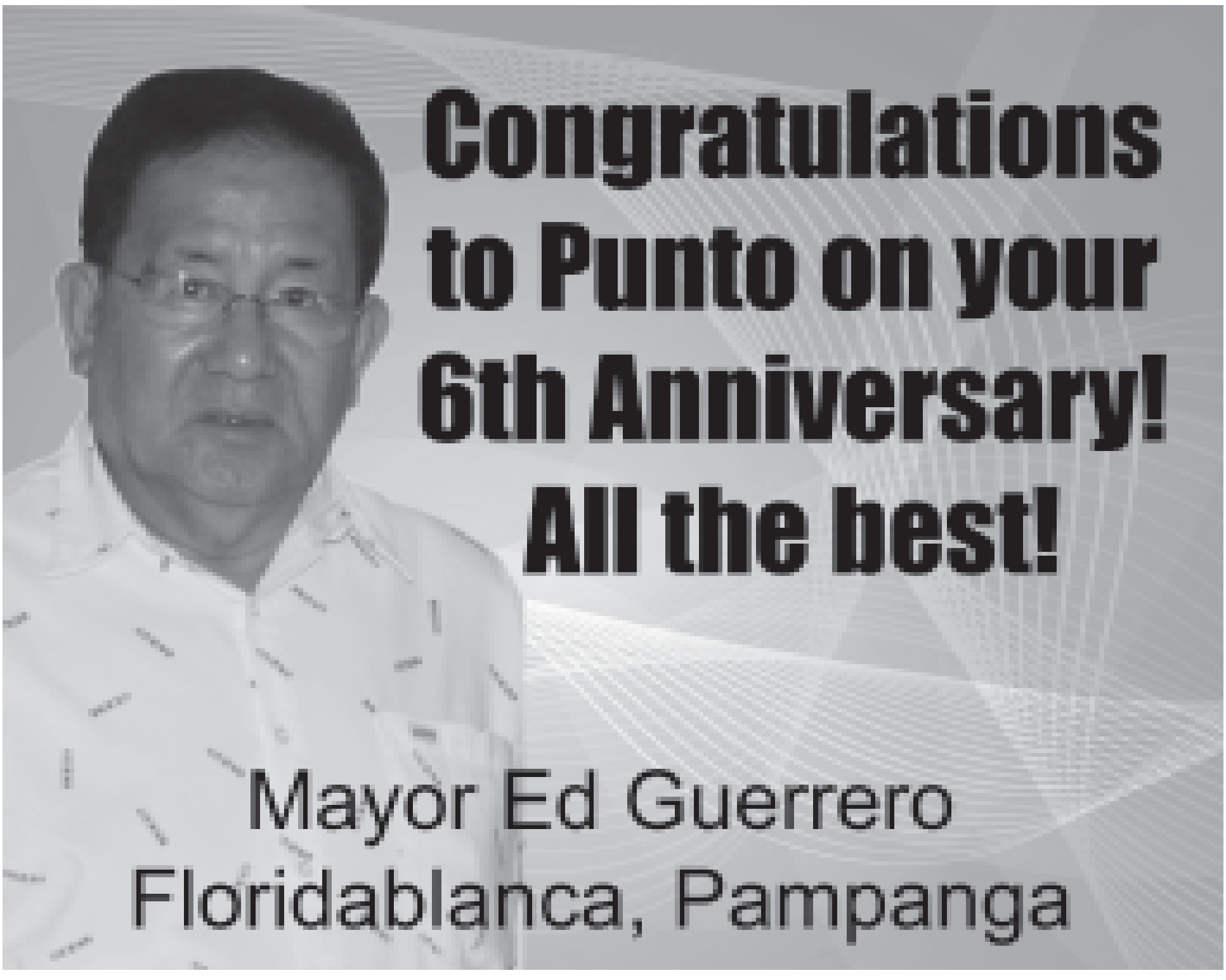
Dagdag ‘public schools’ para sa mahirap
Na mag-aaral ay kasama sa balak
Ipatayo ni Mayor upang ang lahat
Na di makaya ang sa ‘private’ magbayad

Ng napakataas na ‘tuition’ ay mayrung
Matakbuhan at di kagaya nga nitong
Mga may-kaya lang ang puedeng tumuntong
Sa hagdanan nitong mga ‘private schools’

Ang pangangailangan sa pangkalusugan
Ay isa rin ayon sa Alkaldeng bayan
Sa mga programa niyang tinututukan
Upang ang lahat ay mapangalagaan

Laban sa anumang sakit na maaring
Umatake lalo’t ngayong paparating
Ang tag-ulan, at kung saan itong pesteng
Dengue ang siyang unang marapat sugpuin!


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Floridablanca, Pampanga

Townsfolk upbeat over prospect of power reconnection

By Armand M. Galang

PANTABANGAN, Nueva Ecija - Residents of this municipality are upbeat about the prospect of tasting life with electricity after about four months of outage.

Amante Miranda, a resident of Barangay Cambitala here, said that residents who frequented his house to charge mobile phones and rechargeable lamps would talk about hope that the incoming municipal leadership will be able to settle accounts with the First Gen Hydro Power Corp., the power generating company that supplies electricity to Pantabangan Municipal Electric System (PAMES).

Cambitala, an outskirt village of this town, was spared from the cut-off because it belonged to the service area of the Nueva Ecija II Electric Cooperative (Neeco II).

"Masayang- masaya ang mga tao sa bayan namin dahil para sa kanila ay hindi normal ang buhay mula nang mawala ang kuryente," Miranda said, adding only a few moneyed individuals were able to purchase power generator sets for their own business and household requirement.

Shiela Macapagal-Chavez, a 42-year-old housewife from Poblacion East here said her family bought a small gen-set because of her 63-year-old mother in law who is suffering from a heart ailment. "Nahirapan po talaga kami sa pagkawala ng kuryente kaya kung mababalik na uli ay ito na ang pinakamagandang balita sa amin," she said.

Former government employee turned civil society leader Gerardo Sator said they expect FGHPC to reconnect electricity at the town proper for a few hours on June 30, when newly elected local officials take their posts.

But he admitted that there should a lot of "home keeping" to do on PAMES, including correction of lines and electric meters.

Dennis Gonzales, FGHPC vice president, said the firm which supplies electricity to Pantabangan Municipal Electric System (PAMES) keeps its line open for e re-negotiation.

"I think yun yung pinag-iisipan ngayon kung pwedeng kausapin na yung papasok para kung meron mang maayos na agreement baka pwedeng mapabalik yung kuryente," Gonzales said.

FGHPC cut off power in the town on March 7 due to debts incurred by PAMES, the power distributor run by the local government of Pantabangan.

The electricity was temporarily reconnected for the May 13 midterm elections but was cut on May 15.

"Kung willing namang mag-commit yung papalit," Gonzales said in response to questions of possible early reconnection.

Gov. Aurelio Umali has said that offsetting to real property taxes paid by the firm would settle the bills in at least six months.

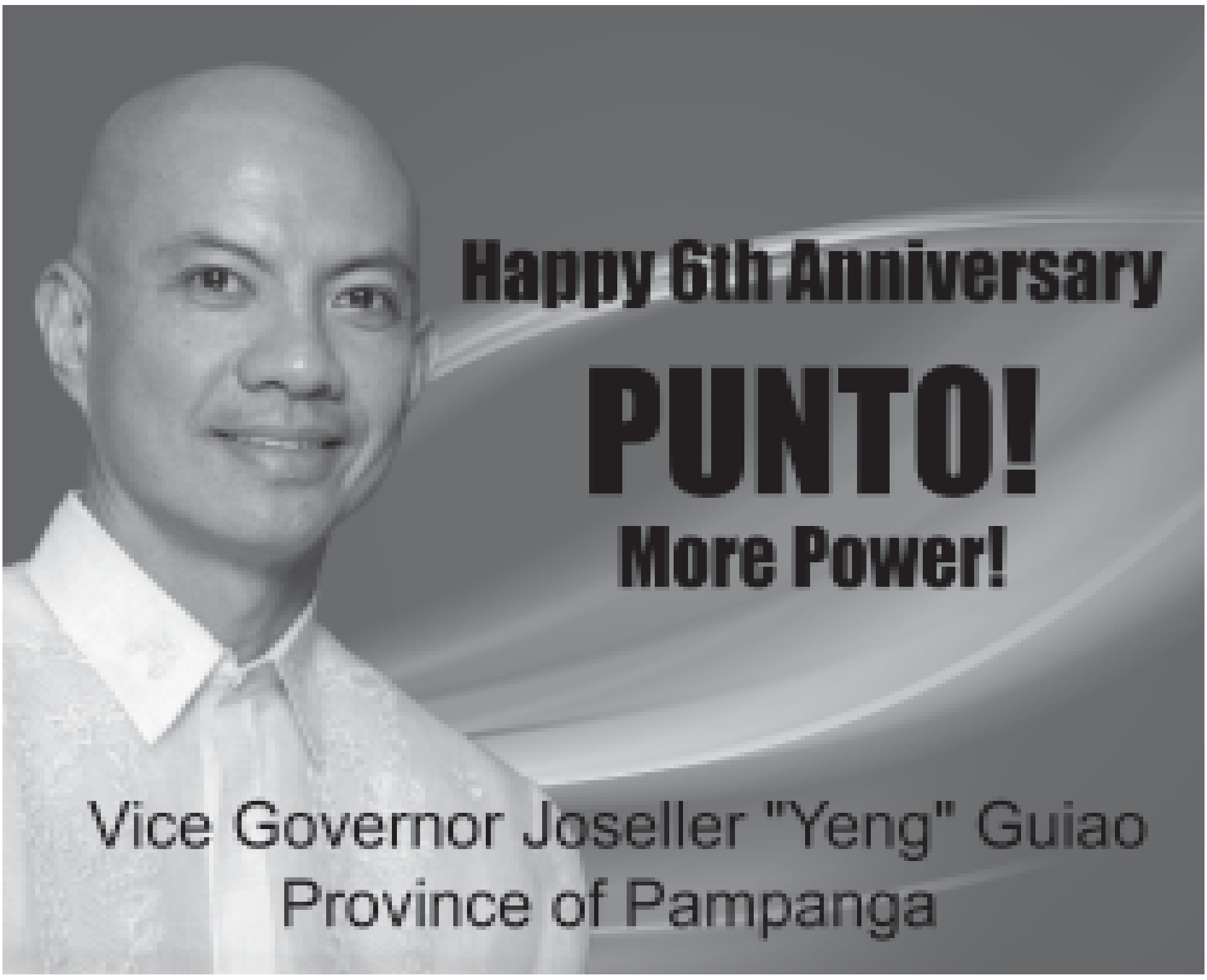
Gonzales said PAMES has a current bill of P5.8 million aside from the outstanding obligation of some P44 million.

The firm, he said, would ask only for the current bill. "Hindi naman malaki. Hindi katulad ng dati na P50 million na pino-pondohan ng property tax," Gonzales said.

He said, however, that negotiations would be subject to the approval of their credit department.

Residents hoped their agony for lack of electricity will end with the election of new officials.





CHR condemns 'abuse' of Aeta folk...

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The CHR expressed such condemnation in a letter to Clark Development Corp. (CDC) President-CEO Arthur Tugade, asking him "to address the compelling concerns" of local Aeta tribal folk who claimed being "subjected to various forms of threat, intimidation, harassment and physical injuries."

This, even as Malacanang directed the National Commission on Indigenous People (NCIP) to look into the Aeta folk's complaint about "a vanished area of their ancestral domain" in the in the vicinity of this Freeport.

In the letter to Tugade, CHR regional director Jasmin Navarro-Regino cited the complaint of Ruvielane Margarito, identified as tribal chieftain of the Mabalacat Aeta Tribal Association (MATA), regarding an incident here last May 6.

Margarito claimed that officers of the CDC, the state firm which runs this Freeport, "demolished their structure intended for hollow block (manufacturing) and where some of the Aeta tribal men were working."

"During the course of the demolition, Roldan Aquino, an Aeta tribesman, was attacked and was forcibly shoved to the ground by four men, which caused panic, threat and fear among the tribal group," Regino told Tugade.

A CDC official had earlier justified the attempt to relocate the Aetas' factory, pointing out that it was built on the Sacobia riverbed and was thus illegal, and that the location also endangered the lives of the tribal folk, especially during the rainy season.

Regino also said that "many if not all of the Aeta tribal group, including women and minors were subjected to various forms of threat, intimidation, harassment and physical injuries."

"This office condemns such acts of violence against the vulnerable sectors in our society, the Aetas in this particular case who, by reason of their vulnerability, are exposed and are highly susceptible (sic)," she said in her letter.

Regino stressed "it is for this reason that the state must protect them from all forms of abuse to evenly balance their interest."

Meanwhile, Malacanang Presidential Action Center director Bobby Dumlao also asked NCIP director for ancestral domain Jonathan Adaci to "take appropriate action" on the complaint of Aeta leader Roberto Serrano, also of MATA, about a "vanished area of their Ancestral Domain covered by Certificate of Ancestral Domain Title No. RO3-BAM-1204-025-A."

Margarito recalled that in 2006, the CDC had asked Aetas living near Clark Freeport's Gate 14 to vacate their areas in exchange for "disturbance fee."

"What we know is that our ancestral domain there covered 121 hectares. But after some Aetas signed up for the disturbance fee which was also coupled with the condition for them never to return to the area, we were told that our ancestral lands there covered only two hectares," she noted.

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Tourists info...

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"Does it really have the right information to provide tourists?" she asked.

Local tourist Rowena M. Zamora,41, who travelled all the way from Bicol with her children to visit a relative here before boarding a budget airline at Clark International Airport to Bangkok last week said she was surprised to find brochures for night clubs and bars instead of being given proper information at the center.

She said she failed to get the needed information from the center when she asked for directions to Plaridel Subdivision.

A restaurant owner said the Tourists Information Center in Fields Avenue has the impression that it is being maintained by the city government but actually it is owned by Swagman Hotel, a private business establishment.

"What is the city doing about it?" he asked. "It seems the city government is insensitive to the plight of local tourists looking for information and direction other than bars and night clubs," he lamented.

Meanwhile, professional photographer Robert Canlas of the Wedding Portrait Photographers of the Philippines (WPPP) said there should be a coordinated city tourism plan in order to improve our image which has gotten a beating from unscrupulous tricycle, jeepney and taxi drivers who prey on hapless tourists local or foreign.

Lai Valiente said a jeepney fare from McDonald's Restaurant near Clark Chapel 2 to Fontana will cost you P150. A taxi ride from the Clark main gate to Fontana costs around P500 or even P600, she said.

Canlas lamented that there is a lot of confusion now due to lack of proper coordination.

Canlas said the WPPP's project entitled, "Wedding Destination Capital Pampanga," is on its fifth year now.

"Last year we booked P13.8 million wedding packages but we don't have Clark in our brochures because they charge so much," he lamented.

"This is our fifth year and in all these years we have not yet produced a wedding portrait shot in Clark because in our second year we were stopped from shooting there," he said.

"If there is proper coordination, maybe they will allow us to shoot because it is for the promotion of the place," he reasoned.

"Much has been said about the Center for Kapampangan Studies (CKS) which is located inside the Holy Angel University (HAU) but when balikbayans come for a visit, they will be dismayed because most of the time they will not be allowed inside the university," he said.

Tourists going inside the university to visit the CKS will have to pass through the tight security protocol being implemented by security guards manning the HAU gates.

Canlas said even tour organizers have a hard time getting inside the university.

Subic is the next Guam

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when I attended the 10th Asian Real Estate Association of America Global Summit held in Hawaii in May [2013], I was inspired and had the confidence to present to all the delegates and participants of the summit that Subic could be the next Guam," he said.

Guam is a tiny island in the Western Pacific, which attracts more than one million tourists annually from Asia and America because of its more than 20 luxury hotels, duty free shops, indoor aquarium, entertainment venues, and several golf courses in what is dubbed as the Pleasure Island District.

Subic is said to have the potential to replicate Guam's real estate boom because of its natural attractions that include mountain forests and a bay.

Subic Bay Metropolitan Authority (SBMA) chairman and administrator Roberto V. Garcia, meanwhile, said that the proposed three-storey commercial building is another manifestation of the increasing demand for spaces intended for tourism-related businesses.

"There is now a continuous increase of tourist arrivals in the Freeport that investors see it as a good sign to start tourism-related businesses," Garcia said.



SBMA investment officer Kenneth Rementilla lowers a time capsule during the ground-breaking rites for the P170-million Mi Casa Terrace commercial building at the Subic Bay Freeport. With him are (L-R) SBMA Senior Deputy Administrator Ramon O. Agregado, SBMA Chairman and Administrator Roberto V. Garcia, and Grand Pillar chairman Dr. Johnson Yang. PHOTO BY MALOU DUNGOG

He also noted that the Department of Tourism (DoT) cited the Subic Bay Freeport in December 2012 as "one of the top destinations in the country" due to the high influx of local and foreign tourists.

The DoT has also announced in October last year its choice of Subic as the "Premier Convention Capital of Central Luzon."

Dr. Yang, for his part, lauded the SBMA chairman and other officials of the agency for the support they have given to Grand Pillar in setting another milestone for the real-estate company.

"I believe that Subic is in the right direction," Yang said. "It is doing great business again," he added.

Safety is highest priority

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travel with us every year.

Further to the CAAP's recommendations, CEB commenced additional initiatives including:

• Enhancement of our current training curriculum to include additional focus on wet runway landings, "go-arounds," specific training for inclement weather and non-precision approaches.

• Implementation of enhanced pilot training curriculum by Airbus standardized trainers at the Philippine Academy for Aviation Training (PAAT), the only facility in the country that belongs to the CAE-Airbus Training cooperation, and with two state-of-the-art full flight simulators. Inaugurated in Clark in December 2012, PAAT is a joint venture with Canada-based CAE. CAE operates the world's largest airline training network.

• An independent review of our flight operation systems and processes by Airbus Industries. Airbus will deploy a team of Safety, Flight Operations and Human Factor experts to Manila for this review.

Overseeing these initiatives is Capt. Jim Sydiongco, Cebu Pacific's Vice President - Flight Operations. His experience in the aviation industry spans over 37 years. Capt. Sydiongco previously headed the Flight Standards Inspectorate Service (FSIS) of the Civil Aviation Authority of the Philippines (CAAP). He also served as Chief Pilot for Safety Standards and Systems at Philippine Airlines (21 years); and as the Senior Safety Supervisor of EVA Air (16 years). His expertise is invaluable to CEB's pilot management team as he oversees all aspects of flight operations, including pilot training.

Moving forward, as we further grow and fly to new destinations using new aircraft, CEB will continue to find ways to serve our passengers better.

NOTICE OF EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the heirs of JUSTINO ROQUE who died intestate on April 10, 1945, TEODORA ROQUE who died intestate on August 29, 1961, ROBERTO ROQUE who died intestate on February 9, 1979 and ANICITA ROQUE who died intestate on October 23, 1953 executed an Extrajudicial Settlement of their estate more particularly described as a parcel of land located in San Juan Nepo, Guagua, Pampanga with Cadastral Lot No. 1944 (Subd. Psu-11-33913) and covered by Tax Declaration No. 07016 1120/Certificate of Title No. 9637.

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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

In compliance with the publication requirement and pursuant to the Administrative Order No. 1 Series 0f 2012 (IRR on R.A. 10172), notice is hereby served to the public that HEGEL REGENCIA LISING has filed with this Office a petition for correction of entry in the date of birth from May 16, 1971 to December 16, 1971 in the Certificate of Live Birth of HEGEL REGENCIA LISING who was born in Lagundi, Mexico, Pampanga and whose parents are ANITA REGENCIA and JOSE LISING.

Any person adversely affected by said petition may file his written opposition with this Office not later than July 5, 2013.

(SGD) ROSANA AGUAS
Municipal Civil Registrar

Punto! Central Luzon: June 21 & 28, 2013



The Gossip-miller

by Cesar Pambid

Freelance na... Richard Gutierrez di na hinahabol ng GMA 7

NAG-EXPIRE na nga ang kontrata niya sa GMA Network last May 28, 2013 pero meron pa siyang kontrata sa GMA Films.

Pero tila walang kontrobersya o mabigat na isyu tungkol kay Richard dahil mukhang wala namang negosasyon para habulin siya ng GMA 7. In comparison sa ibang nawala sa GMA 7 may malaki ng effiort na habulin silang network.

Sa text message na ipinadala ng GMA, nakasaad na, "As mutually agreed upon by both parties, Richard is now a freelance actor for television and still has a live contract with GMA Films. We thank him for the 11 years of being an exclusive Kapuso and wish him well in his future endeavors."

Sasamantalahin naman ni Richard ang panahong wala muna siyang pag-arte o hosting na gagawin. Gusto niyang tuparin ang pangarap na makapag-aral at asikasuhin ang bagong business nilang magkakapatid.

Bale ang premiere night ng My Lady Boss sa Sunday, June 30, ang last public appearance ni Richard Gutierrez dahil pagkatapos nito, pupunta na siya sa Cebu para mag-scout ng papasukang school para sa kukuning Film Directing and Producing.

Hindi pa pala siya sure na sa Bigfoot Entertainment mag-aaral, pero malaki ang posibilidad na doon siya mag-enroll.

Gusto nang mapanood ni Richard ang movie nila ni Marian Rivera bago ang premiere night at regular showing sa July 3.

Pero siniguro nitong maganda ang movie sa direction ni Jade Castro. Marami raw nakakatawang eksena at maraming kissing scene na sa rami, hindi mabilang ng aktor.

Hindi masabi ni Richard kung kailan magsisimula at magtatapos ang "long break" na sinabi niya, pero looking forward na siya dahil ngayon lang siya magbabakasyon nang matagal at walang iisiping trabaho.

Hindi lang pag-aaral ang aasikasuhin ni Richard habang nasa bakasyon, pati na ang mga negosyong hindi niya naaasikaso.

"At least may time na ako to check sa Dillinger (isang steak house sa Greenbelt), Prohibition (isang bar) at Ultimate Fitness (gym) at sa mag-o-open na bar sa 71st floor ng Gramecy sa Makati.

"It will be the highest bar in the country, partners kami nina ate (Ruffa Gutierrez), Raymond (Gutierrez) at iba pang partners. End of the year ang opening," kuwento ni Richard.

Sa loob ng labing-isang taon, walang regrets si Chard sa pagiging Kapuso.

"Wala akong masasabing regrets. Every time I think about my 11 years in GMA, I'm happy and fulfilled.

"Siyempre, maraming mga nangyari. May ups, may downs. Pero mas naaalala ko 'yung achievements ko. Mas naaalala ko 'yung success. The people that I've worked with. 'Yung happy moments ko with the staff and crew and all the production team. 'Yun ang mga nagmamarka sa akin talaga everytime I think about my 11 years in GMA," pahayag ni Chard nang mainterbyu ng press matapos bumisita sa UE-Recto upang i-promote ang My Lady Boss nila ni Marian Rivera.

Hindi ang mga babaing nakasama niya ang mami-miss niya?

"Minsan, minsan! Hahaha!" tugon niya na may kasamang halakhak.

Gustong ma-fulfill ni Richard ang kanyang goals ngayong hindi na sagaran ang kanyang schedule.

"I wanna go to school. Matagal ko nang gustong mag-aral pero hindi puwede because of my contract. Focus on my businesses also. I wanna be hands-on and spend quality time with my family. Now is the right time. Ito ang perfect opportunity to do that," katwiran ng aktor.

May family na ba siya?

"Ha? Hahaha! Nagulat ako!" tugon ni Richard.

"It's time for me to unwind. Relax a bit. Not be under pressure. Not be in any contract," saad ng aktor.

Hindi man nagsalita tungkol sa girlfriend na si Sarah Lahbati, pahapyaw namang natanong ang tsismis na nag-away sila ng bunsong kapatid na si Ritchie Paul.

"Wala. Hindi totoo. Lambingan lang namin 'yon! Ganoon talaga kami. Love ko 'yon! Hahaha!" sambit ni Richard upang pabulaanan ang chikang nag-away silang magkapatid.



Richard Gutierrez

Claudine Barretto nagbalik na sa ABS-CBN

IBINALITA sa Umagang Kay Ganda na naghahanda na si Claudine Barretto para sa kanyang pagbabalik. Dalawang pelikula pala ang nakatakda niyang gawin this year.

Claudine will be doing Eternally, isang romantic drama under Viva Films, at ang isa naman ay mula sa Star Cinema, which means totoo ang mga napabalita noon pa na balik-Kapamilya na ang aktres.

Excited na raw si Claudine sa muling pagbabalik sa pag-arte.

In fact, nagpapayat na nga raw ito bilang paghahanda sa dalawang pelikulang gagawin.

Well, timing naman na ang kapatid niyang si Gretchen Barretto ay may ginagawa ring pelikula na isang indie horror.

Ang pamangkin naman nilang si Julia Barretto ay making waves din ngayon sa showbiz at nasa bakuran din ng ABS-CBN.

As we all know, may malaking rift na namamagitan sa pamilya nila ngayon at ang lahat ay nakaabang kung kailan sila magkakaayus-ayos.

My Husband's Lover sisibakin na sa ere?

NALIGALIG at nagkagulo ang mga beki dahil sa false alarm na lumabas na pinadalhan ng memo ng MTRCB ang GMA Network na tapusin na ang My Husband's Lover dahil sa reklamo ng Catholic Bishops' Conference of the Philippines (CBCP) at Malacañang Palace dahil na rin daw sa reklamo ng viewers.

Ang daming nag-react at nag-isip na ng mga paraan para kontrahin ang pagpapabilis sa pagtatapos ng serye na 16 weeks ang original airing, eh, nasa third week pa lang ito.

False alarm ang memo, pero may sinabi si CBCP Episcopal Commission on Youth executive secretary Fr. Kunegundo Gargantaang na kailangang pag-aralan mabuti ng mga writer ang tema ng ginagawa nilang palabas.

Dahil sa isyung ito, nalamang malaki talaga ang viewers ng MHL at may fans club pa. Pati celebrities, nanunood nito at pati sa ibang bansa kung saan may GMA Pinoy TV, sinusubaybayan din.

Problema rin ng GMA-7 at ni Direk Dominic Zapata dahil marami ang gustong manood ng taping.

Anyway, nag-mall show sa Robinsons Imus ang cast ng My Husband's Lover at kasama si Dennis Trillo dahil nakabalik na ito from Canada.

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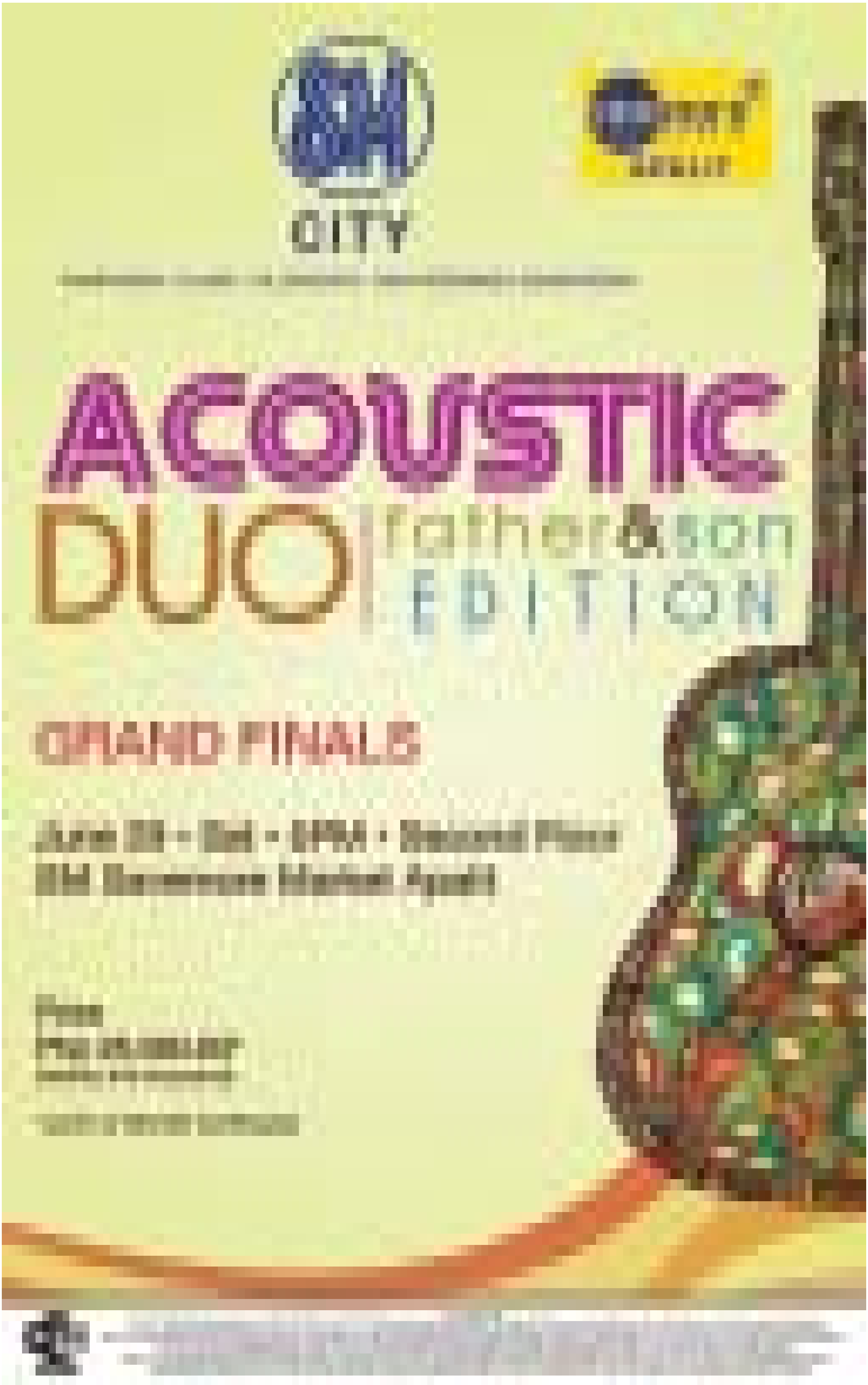
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