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MwNHS Holds its 2nd Moving Up Ceremony

Moonwalk National High School (MwNHS) Main and MwNHS San Agustin Extension together held their Second Moving Up Ceremony last April 3, 2017 at ROMVI Multipurpose Covered Court.
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Moonwalkers Intensify Attitude on Drama

by Michaela T. Garcia



Students and teachers from different secondary schools in the division of Paranaque joined the 2017 English Division-Based Annual Literary Contest held at Paranaque National High School, Baclaran on December 2017.

The said contests are "On the Spot Drama

Contest" (for Grade 7-9), "Shakespearean Solo Singing Contest" for (Grade 10), and "Petrarchan Duet Singing Contest" for (Grade 11-12).

The program started from the elimination rounds by district. The elimination round aimed to find out who would advance to the final

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Tulay Claims Her 3rd Runner-up Prize

by Tom Angelo F. Fernando



Clarissa Mae Tulay won the 3rd runner-up in the Parañaque City Festival of Talents representing Moonwalk National High School for Oratorical Speech Category last September 6 at Baclaran NHS, Baclaran, Parañaque City.

She performed her speech stating the importance of the Filipinos' participation in fulfilling "Ambisyon Natin 2040" and the statistical data stating the present conditions related to the plan.

"I'm so grateful because I become one of the representatives of MwNHS for the first festival of talents here

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MwNHS picks Second Place in Division Contest

by: Sharmaine Timbreza



The Technology and Livelihood Education Department celebrated Nutrition Month with the theme "Healthy Diet, Gawing Habit—For Life!", division level last August 19 at Moonwalk National High School.

Jodan Magalpo STE 7-Herschel and Elaine Yadao 8-Darwin won the second place of Nutri-Quiz Bee category.

Some students of MwNHS also participated in different categories of the contest. Ria Siso of 10- Henry participated in the Child &

Parent Tandem Cooking, Chester Aguirre of STE 9-Avogadro participated in Poster Making, Christian Salutin of STE 10-Armstrong participated in Poster Mosaic, Kyle Joshua Magdaong of STE 7- Halley participated A1 Child and Christian Paul Alingasa and Ria Nicole Siso participated in the Mr. And Ms. TLE.

The Nutrition Month celebration reminded everybody to have a healthy diet and follow a healthy life style in order to acquire a healthy body.

MwNHS Wins From the Crap

by Tom Angelo F. Fernando



Showing her grace in walking, a student from Moonwalk National High School won the first runner up in Trashionista last September 7 at San Antonio Elementary School.

"At first I was happy but nervous because I was only informed few days before the contest and I don't know if I will join there," Michaela Alcazar said

Alcazar was the

school's representative for the contest chosen by her mentor, Sarah O. Matito.

"I was overwhelmed because two days prior to the contest we do not have yet the costume," Matito said.

She added that they constructed the costume from the borrowed clothes in a homeowners near the school and from the parts of the costume of Lyra Escandor, last year's one of the runner-ups

of Mr. and Ms. YES-O of the school, so it wil really look recycled.

"They had some rehearsals last August 30 and September 1 in the venue for the contest," she stated.

Matito said that she was present in the contest proper and told Alcazar that she will win after seeing her walk.

"I chose her because I saw her grace and good
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MwNHS Wins From the Crap

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posture in walking in the kick-off ceremony of the Science Month while presenting the candidates for our school's search for Mr. and Ms. YES-O," she explained.

She was also the chairperson in the school's Mr. and Ms. YES-O in the entire month of September.

She added that she asked Alcazar to join the contest when she met her while walking to somewhere.

"As a part of our improvement, we will have a school-based Trashionista and the one that we will choose will be our representative for its Division Contest," she recommended.

Alcazar acknowledged the people who helped them to make their costume especially

to the Grade twelve students, Escandor and Adriane Bautista, to her mentor, and to the science teachers who were present and watched the contest.

"Good luck to your future contests that you will be joining in," Matito said in her message to Michaela.



MwNHS Holds its 2nd Moving Up Ceremony

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Both schools held together the program due to enough total number of completers accomodating the venue.

Dr. Gerry C. Catchillar, Principal IV of MwNHS Main and Extension, together with Maria Magdalena M. Lim,

CESO V, Parañaque Schools Division Superintendent, lead the confirmation of the students succeeding the statement of the total number of male and female completers and the entire number of students.

The students received their Certificates of Completion as an evidence to their achievements.

The Academic Excellence Awardees also accepted their awards together with Micha Ella A. Villafuerte from MwNHS Main and Jazmin M. Hizon from MwNHS SAExt. who also received the «Vice President Gold Medal for Academic Excellence».

Villafuerte and Hizon both ranked first for this year's batch.

Villafuerte advised her fellow schoolmates in her speech, « Struggles or problems are not the reasons to give up on our dreams, but look at its positive contribution and use it as our strength.»

Hizon also grabbed the chance to speak to the people.

«This is my first time to achieve this award and only this grade ten I experienced for the first time to compete in other schools because since I studied at elementary, I did not stepped in this achievement,» she said in her speech.

The politicians attended the ceremony congratulated the completers for their hardwork. Parañaque City Mayor Edwin L. Olivarez said in his speech that he appreciated the works of the students as they attend this program to receive their rewards.

He was one of the guest speakers in the program.

He also said in his message that there is a plan

in the construction of the Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Parañaque along Coastal Road. Over the past administrations, the city doesn't have any university built for the peoples' convenience.

He also explained the K-12 Program Implementation and stated his visions in the education system in the city and the job status in the Philippines and in abroad.

Parañaque City District II Congressman Gustavo Tambunting also spoke in the participants.

He gave his message to the students and shared his personal experience with his former scholar named Richard. Tambunting has a program helping the economically-poor students to finish their studies until college.

He also said that Richard is raised in a poor family, studied and graduated college as the highest ranked student and as the first to ranked cum laude in the history of Systems and Technology Institute (STI), and recently became a successful employee working in Singapore.

The completers sang «In This Moment» by KC Gan and Alison Yap after the highest ranked students spoke.

The program ended with Mr. Pablito Tura, one of the masters of the ceremony, Guidance Counselor for Grades Seven and Eight and Science, Technology, and Engineering Program Coordinator, advising the students not to throw their handheld fans upward.

Mr. Tura and Ms. Melba Rubia, Guidance Teacher for Senior High School, hosted the ceremony.

MwNHS Student-Journalists Attends Journalism Seminar Workshop

by Tom Angelo F. Fernando

Student-journalists for the division, regional, and national press conferences, participants from Moonwalk National High School attended the Journalism Seminar Workshop last July 8, 15, and 22, 2017 at Parañaque National High School Main.

The workshop had the entire July 8 and half of July 15 for English categories and the other half of July 15 and the whole July 22 for the Filipino categories.

The event had almost 120 high school participants and over 360 elementary participants attending the activity.

Each journalism category in each language had separate rooms and different lecturers.

The guest speakers discussed to the students about the fundamentals of each category and the importance of good communication as they relate them to their categories assigned.

«If we read many newspapers everyday, we enhance our vocabulary and the organization of the news article,» said Rex Arcadio San Diego, one of the guest speakers for the Newswriting Category.

San Diego, as well as the other resource speakers, participated many national conferences as he served as school paper adviser for almost three decades as he said in his lecture.

He added that the one that has a higher interest has a better initiative.

The speakers also gave some drills to determine the student that has a potential in a specific field of journalism.

After each seminar, the participants received their certificates for their participation in the program.

"It was tiring but fun, because even we spent there, sitting, doing activities, and it is only a single subject, and is worth our work because we learn a lot from there," said one participant.

The school paper advisers also had a seminar wherein they discussed about their progress in making their school papers.

They also discussed the upcoming activities and competitions in journalism in the next days that their participants should join.

Alingasa and Siso Win Mr. and Ms. TLE

by Marianne Louise Ong



Christian Paul Alingasa and Ria Nicole Siso won as Mr. and Ms. TLE Last July 14 at Moonwalk National High School-AVR.

They made a marvelous performance from the start until the end of the competition. They also won best in sportswear.

All contestants showcased their talents and guts in representing themselves.

The champions will be competing the division level in Baclaran High School.

This is one of the biggest events of the month.

Moonwalk National High School Participates in Brigada Eskwela 2017

by Gil Daniel Alcera

Moonwalk National High School joins in the fun of the Brigada Eskwela wherein teachers, parents and students partake in helping the school have a new face to the people who come and go. This event started on May 15, 2017 which took place in Moonwalk National High School which had students, teachers, visitors and volunteers land a helping hand to make an institution, that spreads out knowledge and positivity, a new look, feeling and expression. Each individual came to this event

with strength, power, courage. Bravery, confidence and might just to reach success for the event to come to it's edge.

The energy and the power of these students didn't come to a close as the event progressed just to improve the place where they learned a lot of things which can improve them in their day-to-day life. Not to mention, a well-known company known as 'China Bank Savings' or CBS which have donated 10k (10 Thousand) worth of supplies for the whole event. (cont. page 3)

Moonwalk National High School Participates in Brigada Eskwela 2017

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The first day commenced on the 15th of May, 2017, a procession was put at first which made the opening ceremony held by both Mark Jonnie Lapidez and Adriane Bautista Adriyan come after that.

History was made on the opening ceremony, the event begun having the volunteers paint the walls outside of the main building, cut the trees that were over-extending the roof of the golezium and throw the rubbish that were left out in the trash bins. As those were achieved, the 1st day has

come to a close.

As massive progress was done on the first day, the second day has arrived for the volunteers to continue their progress in continuing their tasks.

The second day commenced with most of the activities occurring within the school vicinity.

Volunteers still made it for the third day of the Brigada Eskwela in which the teachers, volunteers and students continued what they have started on the first day.

On the fourth day of the

week long Brigada Eskwela, with the fact that teachers, parents and students are still actively participating for the beautification of our beloved school is quite pleasing, add up the continuous improvement of this project.

May 19, 2017 is when the fifth day has opened for the volunteers to polish what they have started doing ever since the first day. Thus it is too the second to the last day of "Brigada Eskwela" of Moonwalk National High School.



MwNHS-Main Conducts its First GPTA Conference

by Gerriemae Nicole Villarnea

Moonwalk National High School held its first General Parent-Teachers Assembly Meeting and Election of Officers for this school year 2017-2018 last June 23, 2017 at MwNHS Main Multipurpose Hall.

The Election Committee (ELECTCOM), led by Mrs. Karen L. Tapeç as the chairperson, Mrs. Grace B. Santos as the co-chairperson, and four members of each Homeroom PTA Officers, facilitated the election.

Dr. Gerry C. Cathillar, MwNHS - Main Principal, included this election to his required agenda.

GPTA members elected Richard Wilson as

president, Anabel Santos as the vice president, Riza J. Lastimosa as the secretary, Windzel Sese-Macalino as treasurer, and Eufemio Garcia as the auditor.

The board members were Rosalyn R. Aguila, Teodora De la Cruz, Leticia Baco, Nelda Bande, Romeo T. Suaiso, and Maria Fe Helle.

Adelaida Andrada, Elmor Brandes, Joel Tanilong, and Josephine Villaranda were the teacher-representatives.

The parents and advisers of each class also elected their Homeroom PTA Officers.

They discussed in their Homeroom PTA meetings some agenda with regards

Paranaque City Hall Donates Cleaning Materials

by Marianne Louise Ong

Vice Mayor Rico Golez donated speakers and speaker stands for Multi Purpose Hall.

The vice mayor visited during the Brigada Eskwela at Moonwalk National High School last May 17.

Together with the staff, the vice mayor extended his time and effort to participate in the said activity.

The speakers can be used to enhance and improve the sound system inside the Multi-Purpose Hall for the benefits of the school.

Different individuals also donated materials for Brigada. Councilor Ryan Yllana donated waste segregation, Councilor Tess De Asis, Councilor Wahoo Sotto and Councilor Miles Antipuesto donated paint for walls.

Truly the spirit of Filipino solidarity is reflected in times of need.



Moonwalkers Intensify Attitude on Drama

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rounds and would have the chance to be the champion.

The students of Moonwalk National High School-Main, who participated in the "On the Spot Drama" were able to beat the other contestants from District 9.

Moonwalk National High School-Main advanced to the final round with three more competitors from different districts.

Ms. Arceo, the coordinator of the contest gave her message about Shakespeare and the significance of the event. It was followed by the awarding Ceremony. Dr. Rodrigo C. Morales the English Division Coordinator did the honor of announcing the winners.

The students who participated and represented Moonwalk National High School-Main for the "On the Spot Drama" Contest



were Rachele Suazo and Kevin Dela Cruz of STEP Grade 7-Herschel, Meinshie Marie Lagar of STEP Grade 8-Watson, Carl Matthew Regodon of STEP Grade 8-Fleming, Michaela Garcia of STEP Grade 9-Avogadro, and Red Enrigo Ferrer of Grade 9-Thompson.

Ms. Niña Eleonor Gomez, an English Teacher, was the one who trained the students.



Paranaque Conducts Street Dancing

by Estephanie Culentas



Paranaque City conducted Festival of Talents at Baclaran Elementary School last September 5. It was participated by selected students of different schools in Paranaque.

The participants were expected to dance on the street

expected to dance on the street following the theme "Balye sa Kalye" during the parade. But due to unexpected heavy rains the dance on the street and the parade were cancelled. The dance contest was pushed through and held at the covered

court of Baclaran Elementary School instead.

Mayor Edwin Olivarrez was one of the judges of the event. The winner of the street dance will advance to the regional level to compete and they will also perform in Cuneta Astrodome during the Teachers Month Celebration.

Paranaque National High School Main was the champion of the dance competition. The story of lovers was seen to their dance that despite of many obstacles between the couple, they still fight for what they feel.

This kind of activity is the opportunity for the students to develop their talents and show other people that the students of Paranaque are talented.

Literati Display Talents

by Sharmaine Timbreza



As part of the celebration of World Teachers' Day, the English Department conducted a competition with the title "Festival of Literary Talents" at Multipurpose Hall of Moonwalk National High School- Main last October 4. The objectives of this activity are: To give the students a chance to showcase their talents and, to give tribute to the teachers in Teachers' day celebration. Moreover, the activity is also a preparation in the forthcoming English month celebration in December.

The participants came from different sections of grade 7, 8, 9 and 10. The sections that participated were grade 7- Halley, 7- Herschel, 8- Fleming, 8- Watson, 8- Darwin, 8- Pasteur, 8, Mendoza, 9- Graham, 9, 9- Nobel, Kelvin, 9- Thompson, 9- Priestly, 10- Armstrong, 10- Franklin, and 10- Maxwell.

It was an opposite session- Grade 8 and 9 in the morning and grade 7 and 10 in the afternoon.

The program started with the prayer then the participants were asked to choose representative to pick number to know what group to perform first. Afterwards, the competition proper began.

The category contested at grade 7 and 8 level was choral reading. The students were asked to prepare their own piece dedicated for teachers. In grade 9 and 10 was SKITYoupia. The skit was a short and funny story about teachers and students.

The following are the winners in the contest.

Choral Reading
Grade 7
Champion- Halley
First Place- Herschel

Grade 8
Champion- Watson
First Place- Fleming
Second Place- Watson
Third place- Darwin

SKITYoupia

Grade 9
Champion- Priestly and Nobel
First Place- Graham, Kelvin and Thompson

Grade 10
Champion- Armstrong
First Place- Maxwell
Second Place- Franklin

Enjoyment of the entire event was evident on the students' faces as well as their active participation in the program.

It was really instructive and edifying event for the part of the students and the teachers as well.

MwNHS Prepares for The BIG One

by Stephanie Culentas

Moonwalk National High School successfully conducted the 2017 Metro-wide Earthquake Drill last June 29, 2017 despite of some flaws seen by the participants.

The drill consisted of two sessions: the morning drill for Grades seven, ten, eleven, and twelve, and the afternoon drill for grades eight and nine.

The morning and afternoon drills started at 9:40 am and 2:00 pm respectively led by the Supreme Student Government (SSG) Officers, the Boy and Girl Scouts, the teachers, the non-teaching personnel, and the barangay officials.

The participants performed the duck-cover-and-hold procedure while the bell rang indicating an earthquake, then they evacuated in an intersection in Daang Batang St.

and St. Francis St. and stayed there until the teachers allow them to return to school.

During the evacuation, 23 students, 17 in the morning and 6 in the afternoon sessions, felt dizzy and breathe hardly due to compression of students and heat.

The members of Search and Rescue Team responded to the victims and treated their conditions.

One of the victims said that she felt hot, then everything around her turned, her visions blurred and she felt a headache due to great number of people surrounding her.

The victims recovered for over an hour because the surrounding temperature was still high.

Most students were satisfied with this year's earth-

quake drill except for the lack of space, some irregularities in the school's coordination with the barangay, the hazards such as the potential debris and wires, and some students who were not cooperating especially those who were using their phone and who did not treat the drill seriously.

"The drill was fine but the students are compressed and the scouts did not give their best," said one student. Officers-in-charge noticed some changes in both sessions.

"The afternoon drill was better because it was organized, although both sessions are crowded," said Mark Joney Lapidez, Vice President of the SSG.

Due to some flaws, some teachers-in-charge of the event suggested improvements for the next earthquake drills.

Mr. Dennis Reganit, Search and Rescue Chair, recommended to improve the

Paranaque Division Holds Journalism Training

by Rochelle Andrea Rodriguez

Paranaque National High School- Main holds a three- day division training in Campus Journalism on July 8, 15, and 22, 2017.

Campus Journalism and school paper advisers from different public elementary and secondary schools in the division of Paranaque participated in the said training.

Dr. Edwin S. Doria, division Filipino supervisor, and Apple F. Soriano,

principal of Sampaloc Site Elementary School, spearheaded the activity.

The said event aimed to enhance the SPAs with knowledge and information in school paper production and to enhance the journalistic skills of campus writers.

Resource speakers shared their expertise and ideas in various categories and parts of journalism.

Tulay Claims Her 3rd runner-up Prize

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in Paranaque,» Tulay said.

She said that she did not expect that she will win the place because she only had a week-long of preparing the speech and she only had one whole day of rehearsing the two-page piece.

«When Ms. Tulay's name was announced as the 3rd Runner Up, I was surprised because we didn't expect, I didn't expect,» Mrs. Donlayn Nungay said.

Nungay trained her for a span of a week including the making and the revision of the piece, a day of actual practice and another day of finalizing the rehearsal.

"Her piece is really relevant to the theme, and I feel that it is the strong point on her, the theme, plus her memorization," she added.

Nungay, along with two English teachers, Maria Janelle Orsais and Niña

Eleonor Gomez, judged the school elimination before they unanimously selected Tulay.

"The thing that inspires me the most and to strive harder is yes my family, friends teachers and also to prove that even though I am not part of the honor roll I can still manage and to regain what is truly me," Tulay said.

She said that she started as an orator when her teacher in Grade 5 encouraged her, taught her, and trained her to join the oratorical contest.

"I remember that the piece I used is written by Benigno 'Ninoy' Aquino Jr. that states about martial law," she added.

Nungay said that in the next years, since the contest is annual, they will look for a potential contestant just like they train Tulay, and that they will manage their time in training.



training of the volunteers, teachers, and chairpersons of the drill, to have a longer time span, and to have an orientation discussing the procedures of response during and after an earthquake.

As the school ensures the safety of each person, some teachers suggested some safety

practices during an earthquake drill.

"The school must have a better coordination with the barangay regarding the traffic route, and all of the participants must wear safety gears for protection," suggested Ms. Karen Tapeç, Assistant Incident Commander.

EDITORIAL PROPER

Inhuman Acts: Keep It Away!

President Rodrigo Duterte’s wish for the death penalty to be renewed will surely not be a demand on Congress since some of the late president’s had abused their powers regarding this matter. This wish of President Duterte had drawn flak and questions from Catholic and Protestant churches, Amnesty International (AI), and individuals.

The National Council of Church in the Philippines had declared long ago, that the death penalty «violates our deepest belief in God as the creator and the redeemer of human life. In this respect, there can be no assertion or declaration that human can be taken humanely by the state. In the long run, the use of death penalty will increase the acceptance of revenge in our society and will give official sanction to a climate of violence. The NCCP argues that, «execution prevents the repentance and rehabilitation of offenders is contrary to Christian love and violates the sanctity of human life.

According to AI, given the execution as a punishment, the decision and acts done is irrevocable and executing an innocent person is taking such high risks and this can never be terminated.

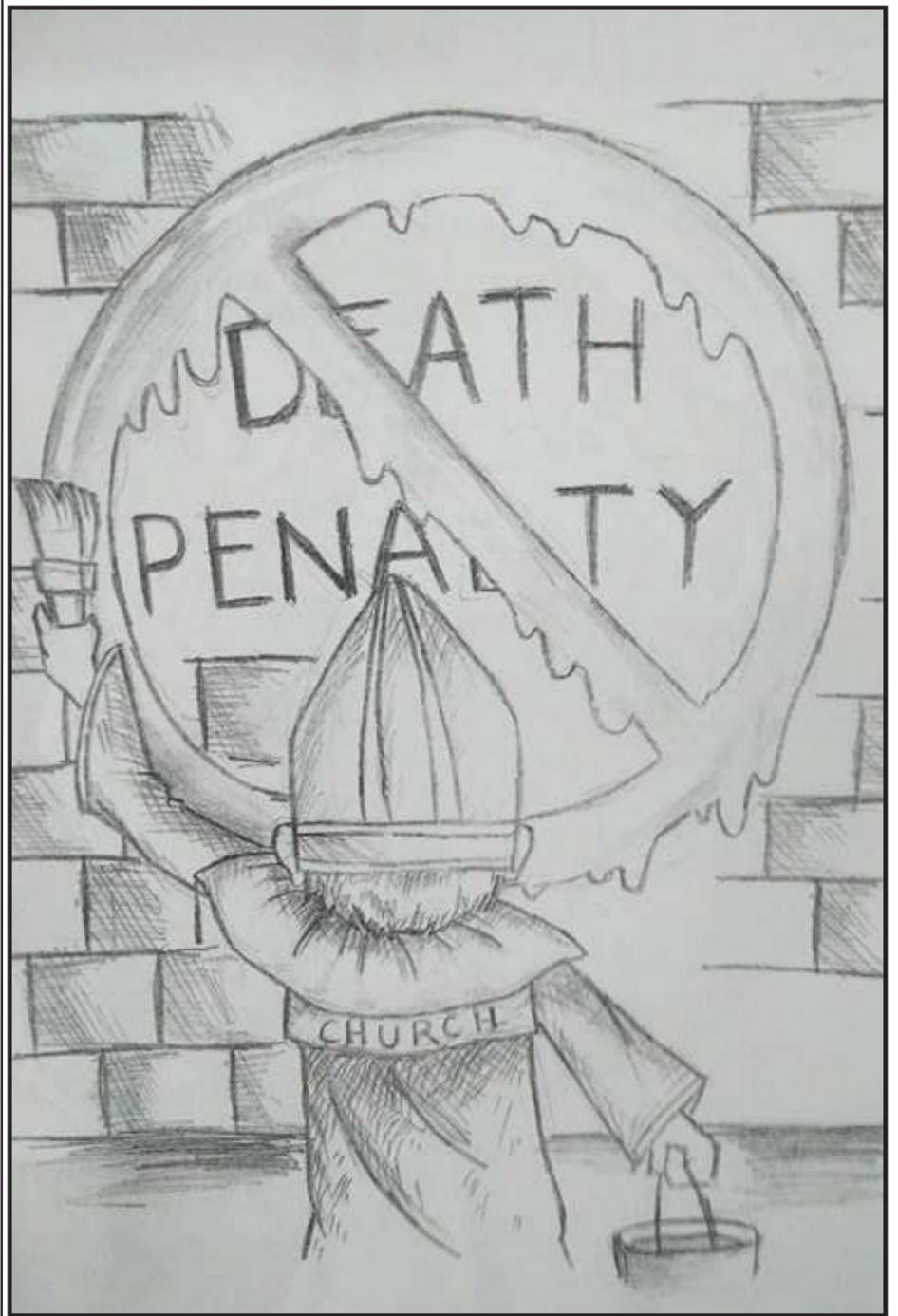
The government likely to say that death penalty is a way to discourage the public from committing such crimes. Many of us disbelieved this quotation repeatedly. After all, we haven’t really proved how sufficient and effective death penalty is and does it really help reduce the crime rate in our country better than putting the culprit behind the bars.

For instance, we should also give attention to other opinions, just like what Buhay Representative Lito Atienza said. He said that, “Our alternative is tantamount to locking up a convict and throwing away the key.”

Giving it a second thought, it is indeed a good idea and it could be a great help and somewhat can lessen the criminality in our country. We should also consider that we have to raise the bound of punishment but, we should not increase the violence rate of the penalty that will be given.

In that way, we can teach the next generation of this country to be more careful of their deeds and acts. Let us make this country safe, free from harm and well secured without the need to waste and shed tears and blood just to achieve justice. Let us not put justice in our own hands. Let the law of the Lord and the law of human according to morals rule. It is never too late to change the swaying and bending policy of this Nation.

Let us punish the real culprit, make the citizens safe, and protect the innocents, based on human rights accordingly.



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Wild Thoughts

Wild at Home: Peculiar Animals as Pets

by: Azizah Cleo Erika Esmail

Should wild animals be in the wild? Should the Exotic animals need to be shot? Does the average person have the necessary training, financial reserves, medical care insight, and animal know-how required to properly care for an exotic pet? Is it legal to own a wild animal?

You're probably familiar with all the typical categories of pet enthusiast. Cats and dogs make nice pets. Canaries and parakeets are popular, and fish are just perfect for some households. Most people make their pet choices from the familiar and accepted. But the charisma of the exotic or unusual critter draws admirers who want to possess the uncommon and extraordinary. If it looks different, acts strange or unusual and makes sounds that aren't barks, meows, chirps or underwater bubble-blowing, it will have a mystique that will fascinate a slice of the population.

Keeping wild animals in homes guarantee a breeding chance for them to increase their population, one sure way to avoid extinction. Even people with less common pets like lizards or ferrets are mostly understood for their fanatic ways, but that's not as unusual as it gets. But would you own a pet skunk, crocodile or lion? Believe it or not, there are many people who do call these unconventional or exotic creatures their pets. Just like Kuya Kim, the host of the TV show called "Matanglawin". He keeps exotic pets in his home. There are snakes, rare birds, all sorts of animals that form part and parcel of our existence. On the other hand, exotic pet enthusiasts believe that if they're capable of providing for the animal in their care, they should legally be able to keep them as pets.

If you're familiar with zoology or wild animals, you may have heard of the Serval cat. They look similar to a leopard, and I was surprised when I learned that some people domesticated them and kept them as pets. While there are many admirable qualities to the Serval, there are also risks involved with keeping one as a pet. This carnivorous animal is a cat native to the African grasslands typically found south of the Sahara Desert. The cat has a lean body and the longest legs and largest ears of any cat breed. It resembles the cheetah in its build and coat pattern, though not in size. The Serval cat shares its adaptations to its marshy habitat with the jungle cat; both cats have large and sharp ears that help in locating the prey efficiently, and their long legs raise them above muddy ground and water. Are Servals dangerous to the public? No, but there's no denying that some of the large species of «wild» cats can easily injure or kill a person but it is

rare that this even happens. The Serval is a medium sized cat that if they do somehow get out they would run from danger. You are more likely to be bit by your neighbor's small dog before being attacked by a Serval.

There is an allure to owning an exotic animal as a pet. In a world where individuality is desired, obtaining and owning something that is unique and somewhat controversial is coveted. Some of the research, it states there that exotic animals often require special permits just to enter the country, let alone to own or possess one. Examples include monkeys, large cats (like lions and tigers), certain reptiles, and various birds. These animals are occasionally kept as pets, but usually they are only legitimately brought into the country for use in the entertainment industry or zoos. Individual ownership is possible, but usually heavily regulated. When an exotic or wild animal attacks someone, the owner may often be held to a higher standard of liability than those dealing with domesticated animal attacks like dog bites. This is because of the nature of the animals involved. One is expected to recognize that a wild animal, especially a large one, is more dangerous and requires a greater level of control than a domesticated animal. As such, those dealing with wild or exotic animal attacks may face not only the standard forms of liability, but may even have to contend with the possibility of punitive damages if it can be shown that the person acted so unreasonably in their handling of the wild animal that an attack was almost inevitable.

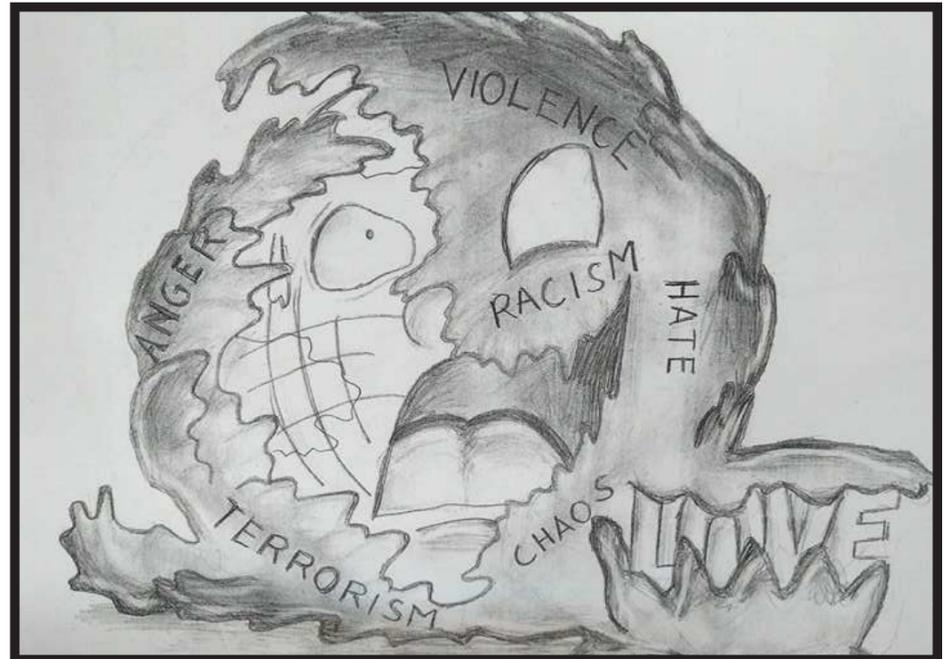
However, animal activists argue that the animals should remain in the wild. Some studies show that wild members of a species are less likely to mate with a captive member of the species, completely debunking the idea of repopulation via captive breeding. Wild animals have evolved to be independent beings, well-suited to survive in the hostile conditions of their native habitats. They have unique needs, behaviors, and instincts that will not simply go away because a well-meaning owner treats the animal in a way he or she considers kind. If you or someone you know has encountered a wild animal that needs assistance, there are a number of programs available to rehabilitate injured wildlife and return them to the wild. Although some wild animals can be tamed, but let us not deny the fact that it is still dangerous to be with. There are many risks surrounding the ownership of these animals, and you should seriously consider all points below before making the decision to bring one into your home as a domesticated pet.

Power of the Message

Where is the LOVE?

by: Azizah Cleo Erika Esmail

Where is the love?
 People killing, people dying
 Children hurt and you hear them crying'
 Can you practice what you preach?
 And would you turn the other cheek?
 Father, father, father help us
 Send some guidance from above
 Cause people got me, got me questioning
 Where is the love?



While listening to the song, I sigh as my thoughts fall on the degrading society that we are having now. The world that we used to live before turns out to be what we aren't expecting for. The question "Where is the love?" paints a picture of chaos in a broken world, it recognizes the world as it is inculcated with the problems such as violence, terrorism, gangs, racism, hate and anger.

The huge forest fires that terrorize countless of species both here and abroad, the perennial garbage problem that embraces the government like a cold pack of harsh ice, the dwindling population of all sorts of mammals and reptiles or the endangered species, terrorist attacks, human-caused environmental degradation, mismanagement and any terms of abuse.

This question "Where is the love?" refers to the fight against racism that took place in our country and even abroad. It talks about how kids are getting involved in gangs, and caught up in a whole lot of mess that should be avoided. People are being killed from these decisions, people are being hurt, nothing good is coming from the surplus of hate that this country has for numerous and absurd things such as war in other countries. We are worrying about problems that are occurring in other countries rather than fixing out situation. We need to fix our situation. We can't be going to war as it says in the song "if you practice what you preach, then you turn the other cheek". This is not only referring to war but also minor issues that take place here in the Philippines whether it be racism or anything at all.

Look around you people, the negative impact of hypocrisy, disrespect, lies, materialism, selfishness, media and a lack of values. The values that should be sought are fairness, equality, understanding, and unity. Beyond these, the greatest value that can overcome this world of pain is love.

I look at the world around me with all its problems and ask one simple question: Where is the love? The question itself reflects a sense that the world ought to be one way, but it is not. If all were as it should be, love would permeate the world. Yet this is not the case. The chorus pleads to the almighty for guidance in surviving a world where love is absent.

Yes, we want to escape from these enigmas. We really want to. But look, it's also us/we who are keeping ourselves chained to the enslaving powers of material riches. Yes, the predicaments around us are more than enough to last a lifetime. There's no way they'll be solved the moment we put our acts together. They may not even be solved in the entire life of this generation. They may not even be solved at all. But let us begin. Let us start now.

And this is where we could start. Instead of being a wet blanket, why not take a positive paradigm shift? This maybe is the breakthrough we have been waiting for. And this could take us somewhere in renovating our home, to say the least.

Telling us what this world of ours is turning into without love, true genuine love. It states all these awful things that are going on in the world. Neither bring you down nor to make you feel guilty but to open your eyes to love people and to



Kalanggaman Island: A Paradise with long side bars

by: Ashley Legaspi



Philippines has been one of those countries that are known for its unique islands found within the borderline of the country. It has also been known for tourist spots that are being visited by various people from all over the world. But as they continue to flood of famous ones, are there any room for other discoveries and perhaps, new paradise?

If you are looking for brand new experience and new sights, Kalanggaman is the right place for you! The island resides in the province of Leyte, within the municipality of Polompon. It is famous for the long side bars that extend to the both sides of the island that is not being engulfed by the water even during high tides.

You can walk freely between the boundaries of the crystal clear water through the white powdery sand. It's also a perfect place for relaxing since the island isn't crowded that much and the view could really take you away. It's a peaceful and calming place that is suitable for camping and trips for the family.

Kalamanggan Island gained more attention after 2013, when a cruise ship stopped by on the island for a few hours to let its passengers reside and enjoy the tranquility of the place. The island is not as wide as others and is being preserved by the government so there is a limit of only 500 tourists a day, and are required first to register at the Palompon Entours Office before going to the island directly.

There has been no permanent resort in the island but the local government provided basic facilities for the island and assures the safety of the tourists by also provided policemen in the area. The island is perfect for camping trips and getaways but be sure to bring your own supplies since there are no available restaurants within the area.

Since the local fishermen there are actually selling their fish to tourists and you are able to feel the fresh meat of fish from the open sea! From this, you can feel the true sense of nature despite the lack of basic necessities and the essence of family and benevolence around the island.

Like any other islands, Kalanggaman also engage to water activities such as swimming, kayaking, snorkelling and a lot more. The Sea Explorers Dive Center in Malapascua as well as other dive shops is actually offering diving and snorkelling tips to the island. The divers are to expect amazing view under the sea as they watch big fishes and corals and perhaps some of shark encounters if you dare!

There are wonderful things to experience with your stay in Kalanggaman Island but always remember to discover new things during your travels. It isn't all about the nice views, the money spent nor the food we eat, but the memories made with people we love and are with us through our journeys. We shouldn't be caged up into one destination and try to discover new things as well as create new memories with the people we care a lot of.

Improving teaching and learning is always of paramount importance to a good school and the key to excellence in teaching lies in teacher effectiveness. The major task of a school head is to ensure a continuous improvement in the quality of teaching and learning in his/her school. Indeed, the term instructional leadership has always been used to mean almost the same thing as principalship and one of the activities being done by the school head is classroom observation.

A classroom observation is a formal or informal observation of teaching while it is taking place in a classroom or other learning environment. Typically conducted by fellow teachers, administrators, or instructional specialists, classroom observations are often used to provide teachers with constructive critical feedback aimed at improving their classroom management and instructional techniques. School administrators also regularly observe teachers as an extension of formal job-performance evaluations.

DIGITAL CLASSROOM OBSERVATION: AN INNOVATION

by

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Digital Classroom Observation is an innovation on instructional supervision that intends to create permanent files on varied teaching strategies and classroom management styles that are being used by teachers of Moonwalk National High School wherein, classroom observations are done digitally or through the use of digital camera. The digital files will facilitate administrators and supervisors to craft interventions such as preparing assessment, improving learning environment and identifying related training for teachers. Likewise, this innovation may also lead teachers to conducting further studies on students' behavior towards application of various teaching strategies.

In addition, teachers are given equal opportunities to watch multiple instances of their own teaching which, may serve as the for one-on-one discussions between teachers

and school head and between teachers and the education program supervisors. At this moment from the time this innovation was implemented, we can report feedbacks from teachers' perspectives:

- Despite teachers' initial discomfort with collecting and watching video of their own instruction, the intervention did shift the mode of classroom observations, from in-person to video. The average treatment teacher had 2 formal observations based on their submitted videos as well as two no-stakes observations by external observations. Treatment teachers also reported fewer in-person classroom observations.

- Teachers perceived their supervisors to be more supportive and their observations to be fairer. They reported fewer disagreements over scoring and were more likely to be able to describe a specific change in their practice resulting from their post-observa-

tion conference. School head reported that their post-observation conferences with teachers were less defensive.

- The opportunity to watch their own lessons seems to have made treatment teachers more self-critical. They rated their own instruction lower than comparison teachers, particularly in terms of time management and their ability to assess student mastery during class.

- We learned that the use of video did not save the school head's time. Similarly, the abili-

ty to watch video did allow the school head and supervisors to shift their observation duties to quieter times of the day or week.

In sum, the use Digital Classroom Observations did seem to improve the classroom observation process along a number of dimensions: it boosted teachers' perception of fairness of classroom observations, reduced teacher defensiveness during post-observation conferences, led to greater self-perception of the need for behavior change and allowed the school head and education program supervisors to time-shift observation duties to quieter times of the day or week.



The Ravishing beauty of Parañaque: Retained its well-urbanized metropolis

by Azizah Cleo Erika Esmail

Binibining Parañaque 2017 Ms. Sofia Jane Panapaanan, a 20 year old Secondary Education Literature Graduate revealed the true beauty of her city as Miss Millennial Parañaque. She spills the aesthetic place by giving information and history of the place and discovering the unexposed beauty of the competitive city in the heart of the South, the Parañaque City. Even in pictures, you can tell that Parañaque has a meaningful diversity and lure of this place that surely has a bit of something for everyone.

Parañaque City was originally known as "Palanyag" meaning "My beloved". It shows the love and concern that original Parañaqueños has towards their environment. Today, Parañaque City is not only known to be the center of economics and politics in Southern Metro Manila but Parañaque City is also known for its beautiful people and wonderful places. Despite the changes that happened in the past 19 years, Parañaqueños still hold on to their values, traditions and history through celebrations and festivities. This city is also considered a prime location for people and it is one of the highly-urbanized and highly-competitive cities in the Philippines.

Based on the history of Parañaque, this highly-urbanized city was once just a simple fishing barangay during the pre-Spanish days of the Philippines. When a Spanish official landed and discovered a small community who lived near the Manila Bay, intermingled with the "taga-palayan", the natives often on little celebrations. The rice farmers wanted to name the place "Palalayan" but the fishermen protested and wanted the place to be named "Palalayag". In order to reach a conclusion, both parties agreed to a compromise and decided to name the place "Palanyag". Years later during Spanish era, the place was renamed "Para Aniya Ake" because of several instances where Spanish soldiers would tell the native coachman "Para Aqui (Stop here)" whenever they reached Palanyag. And it is where they discover the place's name, Parañaque. Until the name of it stuck in the hearts and minds of the inhabitants of old Parañaqueños. And as they improvised the city, the development of Parañaque expand and now it turns out to be the most crowded, exciting, and blossoming city of Parañaque in terms of infrastructures and other upcoming projects. Always a good sign for improving it and also to make the Metro



Manila a very fascinating city.

Parañaque is a big city, but aside from the entertainment centers of Parañaque, there are hidden gems all over the city. It preserved the heritage through Churches, there are also eco-tourism areas and also there are very many talented citizens.

In Parañaque, you'll find almost everything. It has uncountable malls and shops, stores and structures of every kind, nature parks and plazas, numerous condos and townhouses to choose. And in fact, Parañaque's structures were instrumental in improving Parañaque's growing econo-

One of it is the Baclaran, which is where most of the good stores are located; it is the testament of the city's improving dry goods industry and is also the Barangay with the most population in Parañaque. There are also good tourist spot to visit if you are interested in such things. Parañaque City is also home to some of the biggest hotels and Casinos in Metro Manila. Parañaque is also famous for its religious and cultural side; they have the Baclaran Redemptionist Church, St. Andrew Church La Huerta, San Dionisio Chapel, Chinese Temple, etc. Many think that's one of the charms of this place

– its beautiful churches. The said city is also famous for its popular food; Kakanin, where could be found in Parañaque Public Market.

Parañaque has the largest and fast growing industry because of its business and other malls offer stores and shops for everyone's convenience and enjoyment. These features make Parañaque a famous destination for local and international tourists as well as businessmen.

Only time will tell how decision makers in this city will allocate or manage its rich endowment of infrastructure to make the most of it.

I TREAT HER LIKE MY SISTER

By: Rachel Suazo

She is my friend
Friendship will never bend
It's been 5 years
A years full of tears

I'm so happy that I met you
I'm scared that I might lost you
I may not be always with you
But I will always support you

When we are younger we are childish
Moments that I will cherish
I'm so proud that you became my friend
Will always be together until the end

Lunacy Strikes

by Michaela Garcia

I'm drowning...
Can't figure out when,
I was first
Caught off guard

I tried to assert
And protect my heart;
But then opened up
The doors...

My heart...
Isfullofwoundsandblisters
That will take
A lot of time to heal

Wishful thoughts
That maybe somehow...
You're mine
Andnotjustabigpart
Of my wonderland

One Sided Fate

by Michaela Garcia

I have let you in to my
soul
And wonder why...
I want to leave it
as it is
And just let it slide

My thoughts
Are running in
circles
Thinking of what
if's
what
could've

For how many times,
I told myself not
to
But my heart
betrayed me...
And find
myself
Loving you...

It can never be
That easy
For I know...
That you're heart
Never even
belonged
To me...

Friends

By Margareth Pendon

Friends ate like your partners in crime. They can be by your side whenever you need them. They'll be there to comfort or help you with your problems. Friends are like rescue teams trying to save you from falling to a cliff full of problems and lift you up to happiness. Some people say that not all friends are true friends. I can accept that because I had one of those friends before. Fake friends are just like pretending to be a friend but the true thing is that they can either don't like you have something that they wanted for themselves. Most of your friends can be your true friends if they can help you as much as they can. Having friends isn't just helping each other. Friends can give happiness by doing fun things. Fun things that you can do with your friends is playing or bonding together. Your friends can be your mom and dad who can give you advice about your problems or about life. Friends are important to our lives.

I Never Imagined

Kyla Mae Banaga

They say "love is like a rosary, full of mystery." And I believe on that saying because I never imagined that I would fall for someone like you. Of all the people I never thought that it would be you. I don't know how, I don't know when. I like cute and tall boys, but you? You're not that cute and probably not tall. That's why it still remains a mystery for me. I know that you're not the most handsome boy that I met, but still, you are really special one for me. I don't know what it is, but there's something that makes you stand out the most, something that really attracts me. I don't know want you to find out this feelings that I have for you because I'm scared of getting hurt. I hope that you will never find out this feeling I have for you.

Nature Is Everywhere

by Michaela Garcia

The trees are budding
The flowers are blooming
The cocks are cocking
The birds are singing

The beauty of the sunset
The beauty of nature
The sun rises with its beaming
glory
Everyday it starts with a new
story

Get up, thank God, be happy
And tell evryone
Its a beautiful nature

Do We?

by Michaela Garcia

Between me and you,
There is this gap
Called HER...

Will I be able
To erase her
In the picture
Of us? -----

Do we even have that
In the middle
If she wasn't there?

Or maybe...
It was just
Another part
Of my never ending
Fantasy?

Figures for the Future: Realizing AMBISYON NATIN 2040 through Statistics

By: Clarissa Mae Tulay

The moment I spring out of my cocoon, I am faced with the bitterest realities and life suddenly kaleidoscopes before my very own eyes. Realities that unbridled passion and overwhelming determination to be part of the ignition of the intensity to achieve the entire country's ambition – to make Filipinos achieve and enjoy a strongly rooted, comfortable, and secure life – Isang Matatag, Maginhawa at Panatag na Buhay; AMBISYON NATIN by the year 2040.

AMBISYON NATIN 2040 is a long-term vision and aspirations that we, Filipinos, aim for ourselves and for our country. Is this possible? If it is, then, what are the factors that will contribute to its realization?

Having an idea towards the future is great as it can give you an idea on what's going to happen or what the possibilities are in the near future. Though, thinking about the future leaves an absence on the present since we're facing a crap ton of problems these days. For many years, our country is facing different issues and controversies that affect our stability as one nation. Poverty, Unemployment, Drug Addiction, Robbery, Physical Injuries, Rape and Corruption are some of the major problems that we, Filipinos, experience in our daily lives. These can also affect the realization of AMBISYON NATIN 2040.

Based from the survey made by the Dangerous Drugs Board in 2012 there are 1.7 million Filipinos who have been hooked by using drugs. 1,700 of them are dying in each day because of addiction to prohibited drugs. Added to that, the Philippines was ranked 153rd in terms of drug-use related mortalities as revealed by the World Health Organization. In terms of corruption, based from the 2008 Perceptions Index reported by the Transparency International, our country was ranked 141st place in the year 2008, which is the highest rank that our country achieved by being one of the most corrupt country. According to the Philippine Statistics Authority, our country has 26.3% of poverty incidence in the year 2009 and 25.2% in the year 2012. According to the Philippine National Police the number of crimes committed nationwide increases by about 46% from the first six months of the year 2015. Theft, Car Theft, Physical Injuries and Rape are the crimes that have a huge increase as of the year 2015 based from the records showed by the PNP Directorate for Investigation and Detective Management. Another problem that our country faces is the lack of local opportunities to graduates. This result to the rate of unemployed, underemployed and the rate of the Overseas Filipino Workers to increase. According to the 2013 Annual and Employment Status presented by the Philippine Statistics Authority, there is 7.3% recorded unemployment rate by the month of January, April and July of 2013. As for the Underemployment rate, the Philippine Statistics Authority also presented that there is 19.8% out of the 92.7 % of employment rate that is also recorded for the year 2013. The Overseas Filipino Workers were also estimated to be 2.3 million in the same year also based from the facts presented by the Philippine Statistics Authority.

From these past years we can say that our country nowadays had a sudden change that all of us can observe. As of 2017, the current drug users of our country has reached 4.7 million based from the latest report of the Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency, an alarming figure but we can also observe that there is a tight strengthening of campaign against drugs. The government is really serious to eradicate the problem on drugs in our country. As for poverty, based from the latest report on the country's official poverty statistics released by the Philippine Statistics Authority, the general population of the poverty incidence in the Philippines is now 21.6% as of the year 2015. As we can see there is a positive change that hap-

pened from the past years. That the percentage of the poverty incidence from year 2009 to 2012 to year 2015 decreases.. The other issue is the corruption. According to the 2016 Corruption Perceptions Index reported by Transparency International, the Philippines is the 101st least corrupt nation out of 175 countries. If we can see the previous ratings, our country was ranked 141st in the year 2008 which was recorded the highest level that our country achieved. We can say that there is an improvement when it comes to the service of our government officials at present. As for the crime rate, the number of crimes being committed dropped by 13% in the year 2016 based from the records of the Philippine National Police. The data obtained indicates that the total crime volume across the country fell from 675,816 recorded incidents in 2015 to 584, 809 in 2016. However, the rate of unemployed citizens in the country as of 2016 was estimated to be 5.5 % that is from the records presented by PSA for the 2016 Annual Labour and Employment Status. Which we can state that there is 1.8% decrease from the rating of the year 2013 to 2016. The Underemployment rate was also estimated to be 18.3% as of 2016 that is presented by PSA for the Annual Labour and Employment Status. Again, if we take a look at it, there is a decrease of 1.5% on the workers employed in the different jobs that are not in line with their degree. According to the PSA, the number of Overseas Filipino Workers from April to September 2016 was estimated to be 2.2 million. If we compare the estimated population of OFW's from the year 2013 to 2016, there is a decrease in the population recorded as for the latest year.

You see, the aforementioned statistical data are signs and indications that we can achieve what we want in the future, that we can achieve our goals for ourselves and for our country. We can expect to have a better living and experience prosperity, peace and unity. We can have a country free from drugs if our administration is very intense in their campaign to eradicate the users, pushers, drug lords and also to educate the youth about illegal drugs. We can foresee that there will be no more corrupt officials and the government will now be at its stake running with pride, honour, dignity, justice and equality to all the citizens of this country. The number of the poverty incidence will lessen and all people can experience a healthy living. The families that experience poverty can now live safe and sound. There will be no more people getting harmed and the number of criminals will now lessen. Every graduate can now secure their future by getting job that is in line from their courses. Lastly, all the people will now be responsible enough to decide and to do things that can affect our administration, neighbour and society.

It is not impossible for us to achieve what we want: It is only we who think that it is impossible but if we wake up and observe what is happening around us, we can achieve the kind of life that we want to live. In 2040 we will all enjoy a stable and comfortable lifestyle, secure in the knowledge that we have enough for our daily needs and unexpected expenses, that we can plan and prepare for our own future. Our family lives together in a place of our own, and we have the freedom to go where we desire, protected and enabled by a clean, efficient, and fair government.

Realizing AMBISON NATIN 2040 is a great challenge. But if we accept it with open arms, with open hearts and minds, we can make things happen!

So, start now! Do things that can help us to live in the near future to achieve our great goals and great aims. Let our hopes soar high and let us work hard to achieve OUR AMBISYON 2040!

A Family

by: Marianne Louise Ong

This group shows love to each other.
They support one another and they gather.

This group is called a Family.
Together, they play and work happily.

A kindred's love is honest and true,
sense their love and you'll never feel blue!
Each kin shows kindness and they're tender.
When a problem shows up, they never surrender.

At all times, family stays strong.
Our kin always waits,
because their patience is long.
A decision with a relative will never go wrong.

Your family, they give you a place to be,
the place of comfort and glee.

They supply you the required capabilities.
They're the one who teaches you responsibilities.

They help and give you a sign that's encouraging.
They're a great gift and a wonderful blessing!
Each and every relative might be imperfect,
yet they share an amazing effect.

The memories through all the years,
memories made from delightful times and tears.
These memories shouldn't be forgotten,
because they're unique and uncommon.

We all should be thankful,
because of the family we have that's beautiful!
It'll never be the same when they're gone.
Adore and spend the moment with them while you still have the time.

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CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Across

- 1. Learner; one who studies
- 7. Opposite of bottom
- 8. Female deer
- 9. Preposition meaning "over and in contact with"
- 10. For example (Latin abbreviation)
- 12. And the others (Latin abbreviation)
- 14. Exclamation of surprise
- 15. Test; inspect closely
- 18. Not ever

Down

- 1. Tales; short fictional narratives; anecdotes
- 2. 2,000 pounds
- 3. Opposite of down
- 4. Rim; border; lip
- 5. Negative response; opposite of yes
- 6. Instructor
- 11. Conjunction used with comparative adjectives and adverbs
- 13. Vocal or musical sound; a particular pitch in an intonation
- 16. Objective case of the pronoun "I"
- 17. Roman numeral for four

Answers

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SPORTS



Horn Scores Controversial

by Ashley Voloso

SOURCE: www.fightsports.tv

In front of his hometown crowd, Australian welterweight Jeff Horn scored a massive upset over Manny Pacquiao to win the WBO 147 lb. title. The fight went all 12 rounds and featured multiple momentum swings, but in the end Horn's aggression was enough to earn him the score from the judges as unanimous victory.

Horn used his size to bully the smaller Pacquiao. As Horn often leaped into exchanges, there were several accidental clashes of heads that opened wounds for both fighters. Pacquiao in particular was sporting two large cuts throughout most of the fight.

While Horn was the clear aggressor in the bout, he did take some good heavy shots from Pacquiao especially in the middle rounds of the contest. In the ninth round, Pacquiao battered Horn to the point that the referee told the Aussie he would stop the fight if he can't show he can fight. Luckily for him, he was able to continue, as he bounced back to take the following round and eventually win a close — and controversial — decision.

When the scorecards from judges were read in favor of Horn, it was immediately apparent that this would be a heavily disputed decision for months

to come. Many believed that Pacquiao had won the majority of the rounds and landed the harder blows with his stinging counters, but the judges rewarded Horn's constant forward pressure and all three saw him doing enough to win.

The outcome may be controversial, but Pacquiao vs. Horn was a fantastic welterweight prizefight between an aging legend and a hungry underdog. Jeff Horn is the new WBO welterweight champion. There may be a rematch cause its included in match clause, but for now Horn will take pride in the gutsy performance he put on in his home country.

Blue Eagles Ensures Victory Against Tamaraw

by Ashley Voloso

UAAP season 80 continues the Ateneo Blue Eagles continued their winning streak over the FEU Tamaraws, scores of 94-82, on Sunday, September 17 2017 held at Araneta Coliseum.

The Ateneo Blue Eagles showed their unfathomable outside shooting with 7 players receiving their triples into the record sheet. Ateneo held the lead from the first quarter onwards. The Blue Eagles started strong and with cooperation with the 5 players from the team and being able to create outside shots in the first quarter. Anton Asistio got 3 triples in the first quarter alone.

On the other half, Wendel Comboy led the scoring for the FEU Tamaraws in the first half, he got 9 points outside shots. FEU rallied back late in the second quarter, and Comboy scored his third triple to get to within 7.

Nevertheless, in the end of the first half, the Blue Eagles brought it back to a 10-point lead. Arvin Tolentino having most of the points for the Tamaraws in the final frame, the Blue Eagles then ensured their victory into a 12-point lead against Tamaraws. The Blue Eagles remain unbeatable with a 3-0 record, while the Tamaraws fall to a 1-2 record in the UAAP Season 80 men's basketball tournament. Matt Nieto and Anton Asistio followed with 16 points and 11 points, correspondingly. Thirty Ravena continues to lead the Blue Eagles in scoring as he racked up 18 points, 11 rebounds and 5 assists. Both Blue Eagles guards also made 3 triples.



LeBron's absence for Pre-Season

By Gil Daniel Alcera

The four-time NBA Most Valuable Player LeBron James will not be playing in the last Pre-Season game of the Cleveland Cavaliers and is dubious for their match against Boston, Cavaliers coach Tyrone Lue said on Wednesday.

James woke up with a sore left ankle after notching 17 points in his first pre-season appearance with a 108-94 loss against Chicago. Lue declared James to not attend practice on Thursday or even play on Friday in the exhibition match against Orlando.

Lue said: "(James is) pretty mad, pretty pissed off. But I mean, it is what it is."

James hasn't withdrawn a pre-season game in 14 NBA campaigns, but Lue dithered when he was asked about James' presence for the match against Boston next week.

Lue uttered: "(James) has gotten treatment all day today, so I'm not really



sure whether we should be concerned or not."

James said after their pre-season loss to Chicago that the game was to tryout the condition of his ankle after the injury.

"I'm pushing through it right now," James said. "I just wanted to try and test my foot, test my ankle to see how I would come out."

"I definitely wanted to test it knowing that at least if I tested it tonight I have a week until the regular season started if I don't play in the game on Friday."

Lue stated that J.R. Smith was said to start for James on Friday's game with Jose Calderon shifting to the lineup.



Clash with Meralco setup as Ginebra defeats TNT

By Gil Daniel Alcera

Barangay Ginebra San Miguel deserved to face the Meralco Bolts in the finals of the 2017 PBA Governor's Cup after vanquishing the TNT KaTropa 115-105 last Sunday, to conclude the semifinals series in just four games.

Justin Brownlee set his career-high 46 points, while on the other hand LA Tenorio exhibited with 25 markers. Greg Slaughter popped off for 21, while Sol Mercado had 11.

TNT was put to the edge in playing their game as their import, Glen Rice Jr., was lost in the shadows due to him being ejected in the first quarter.

TNT had relied heavily on Troy Rosario and Jayson Castro for 28 and 26 points respectively, as their import wasn't on the scene.

Ginebra were pinned by as many as 18 points during the third quarter, not so until Jayson Castro hit home with the team being 72-54.

9:21 of the fourth mark, was the mark where Justin Brownlee has tied the game 90-all, before Ginebra geared up for a 25-15 score and claim the win.