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Governor Athena Tolentino sworn in as Cavite chief executive



In a solemn ceremony attended by family, friends, and fellow public servants, Governor Athena Bryana D. Tolentino officially took her oath as the new Chief Executive of the Province of Cavite on October 8, 2024, at the Hall of Justice in the Legislative Building in Tagaytay City. She was sworn into office by Judge Racquel V. Aspiras-Sanchez, together with Vice Governor Shernan S. Jaro.

Accompanied and supported by Tagaytay City Mayor Abraham Tolentino, Vice Mayor Agnes Tolentino, 8th District representative Aniela Bianca Tolentino, Aizack Brent Tolentino, their families and fellow public servants, Governor Tolentino and Vice Governor Jaro pledged to continue the initiatives launched by former Governor Jonvic C. Remulla following his appointment as the Secretary of the Department of the Interior and Local Government. They expressed their commitment to serve with compassion, determination, and effective leadership to foster a progressive and brighter future for the province.

Governor Tolentino's appointment marks another historic spot in the political landscape of Cavite, being the first female Governor of the province and the youngest to hold the position at just twenty-five years old. **(J. Reyes)**

OPA Introduces Sustainable Rice Farming with Wood Vinegar in Naic, Cavite

The Office of the Provincial Agriculturist (OPA) assessed the Technology Demonstration project on Rice Production Using Wood Vinegar (Mokusaku) in Barangay Palangue, Naic, Cavite on October 3, 2024.



As part of the progress of the rice crops regular evaluations of the assessment, the OPA team throughout the growing plant health, growth rates, closely monitored the season. This included

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CALABARZON's first Metals and Engineering Innovation Center inaugurated at BatStateU Malvar

The first ever Metals and Engineering Innovation Center (MEIC) in CALABARZON was officially inaugurated at Batangas State University (BatStateU) Malvar campus, Oct. 07.



The center is among the initiatives of the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) to boost engineering research and development in the region by providing advanced facilities for students and industry professionals to collaborate on innovative projects. Its establishment is expected to further strengthen CALABARZON's position as a hub for technological advancements in the metals and engineering sector.

According to DOST Secretary Renato U. Solidum, Jr., MEIC will serve as a key player in driving economic growth and promoting

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Nakita natin ang pagbabago sa Unang Distrito hatid ni Cong. Jolo Revilla sa tulong ni Sen. Bong Revilla at ni Cong. Bryan Revilla ng Agimat Partylist. Kaya naman kasama ang iba pang pinuno ng mga bayan at lungsod sa District 1, sinuportahan natin ang muling pagtakbo ni Sen. Bong at ng Agimat Partylist. Magpatuloy sana ang inyong pagtulong sa ating #RatedTripleA na serbisyo sa Kawit! #RatedTripleA #PusoAtMalasakitParaSaAtingKawit #MayorAguinaldo

MPT South, nakiisa sa International Coastal Cleanup 2024

Santa Rosa City, Laguna—Noong September 21, 2024, ang Metro Pacific Tollways South (MPT South), isa sa mga subsidiaryo ng Metro Pacific Tollways Corporation (MPTC), ay nakiisa sa International Coastal Cleanup 2024 ng Santa Rosa City Environment and Natural Resources Office (CENRO) na ginanap sa baybayin ng lawa ng Laguna, Barangay Caingin, Santa Rosa City, Laguna.

42 empleyado ng MPT South mula sa iba't-bang departamento nito ang lumahok sa International Coastal Clean-up upang ipakita kaniya-kaniyang suporta at dedikasyon para sa environmental initiative na ito.

Ang International Coastal Cleanup 2024 ay dinaluhan ng higit sa isang libong volunteers mula sa iba't ibang kumpanya at organisasyon sa Sta. Rosa upang matugunan ang lumalaking isyu ng polusyon sa plastik at basura na nakakasira sa baybayin at katubigan, at sa mga komunidad na nakapalibot dito. Isinasagawa ang event na ito bawat taon upang alisin ang mga basura mula sa mga baybayin at itaas ang kamalayan ng mamamayan tungkol sa kahalagahan ng pagprotekta ng ating mga katubigan gaya ng ilog, dagat, lawa, at karagatan.

Sa Point B ng baybayin ng Brgy. Caingin itinalaga ang paglilinis ng mga empleyado ng MPT South, kung saan sila tumulong mangolekta ng mga basura at linisin ang bahaging iyon ng Laguna de Bay. Nakahakot ng mahigit na 2,016.5 kg na

basura ang lahat ng naglinis sa Point B ng baybayin. Sa kabuuan, ang lahat ng mga nakolektang basura sa paglilinis ng baybayin ng lawa ay umabot ng 591 sako ng basura, ang mga ito ay naglalaman ng mga sumusunod: 126.5 kg ng PET bottles, 611 kg ng plastic laminates, 2,938 kg ng residuals, at 314.3 kg ng special waste—ito ay nagreresulta sa 3,989.8 kg na basurang nakolekta mula sa baybayin ng Brgy. Caingin.

Ang coastal cleanup ay bahagi ng mas malawak na CSR efforts ng MPT South na nagbibigay-diin sa pangangailangan na protektahan at mapanatili ang natural environment sa mga lugar na pinaglilingkuran nito. Sa pamamagitan ng programang ito, ipinapakita ng kumpanya ang dedikasyon nito hindi lamang upang mapabuti ang transportasyon sa pamamagitan ng mga expressways nito, kundi pati na rin upang maprotektahan ang ecosystems na nakapaligid sa mga komunidad nito.

Ayon kay Ginang Arlette V. Capistrano, Vice President for



Communication and Stakeholder Management ng MPT South, "As a company deeply connected with communities across South Luzon, we take our environmental responsibilities seriously. We look forward to always being a part of the International Coastal Cleanup. MPT South is

dedicated to being a strong advocate for environmental protection and sustainability."

Patuloy na sinusupportahan ng MPT South ang pagkakaroon ng mga environmental initiatives at pagsagawa ng sustainable practices upang makatulong sa mga komunidad at kalikasan. Layon din ng MPT South

na manatiling nakatuon sa environmental protection efforts na isang hakbang tungo sa pagpapataas ng antas ng community development at environmental awareness.

Ang MPT South ay isa sa mga subsidiaryo ng Metro Pacific Tollways Corporation (MPTC), ang infrastructure arm ng Metro Pacific Investment

Corporation (MPIC). Maliban sa mga toll road networks ng CALAX at CAVITEX, ang MPTC's domestic portfolio ay kinabibilangan ng North Luzon Expressway (NLEX), NLEX Connector Road, Subic-Clark-Tarlac Expressway (SCTEX), at ng Cebu-Cordova Link Expressway (CCLEX) sa Cebu.

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On October 4, 2024, the Provincial Government of Cavite successfully conducted a medical and dental mission in Barangay BuroI III, City of Dasmariñas, benefiting 373 residents. The event aimed to provide essential healthcare services to the community, addressing both medical and dental needs. Healthcare professionals from the Office of the Provincial Health Officer (OPHO) delivered a variety of services, including medical consultations, dental check-ups, and tooth extractions. Beneficiaries also received free prescription medications as part of the mission. The initiative was warmly welcomed by the community, with local officials expressing their appreciation for the provincial government's efforts to bring healthcare closer to the people. Residents were thankful for the opportunity to access free medical services, especially those with limited access to healthcare. (OPIO)



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ecosystem. Our donation relief while igniting hope aims to provide immediate for recovery in the hearts

of these communities." Joining the initiative was Maynilad President Ramon S. Fernandez, who reinforced the urgency of supporting the affected fisherfolk during this challenging time. MPT South is a subsidiary of Metro Pacific Tollways Corporation (MPTC). Aside from CAVITEX and CALAX, MPTC also holds domestic concession rights for North Luzon Expressway (NLEX), Subic-Clark-Tarlac Expressway (SCTEX), NLEX Connector and Cebu-Cordova Link Expressway (CCLEX).

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Trade and Industry - Cavite; Ms. Elsie Cajigan, Department of Agriculture - Agricultural Program Coordinating Officer Representative; and Mr. Rodel Vincent T. Bae, OIC-Provincial Agriculturist. During the program, Mr. Bae echoed Governor Jonvic Remulla's words, emphasizing the provincial government's commitment to agriculture: "Huwag mong pabayaang ang sektor ng Agrikultura."

as a recognition of the province's outstanding farmers and agricultural stakeholders. Among the notable awardees were Ms. Marilyn T. Dela Cruz - Outstanding High-Value Crop Farmer (Greens for Growth); Nestor L. Diones (Diones Family) - Outstanding Farm Family; Ms. Josephine S. Bello - Outstanding Agricultural Entrepreneur; Mr. Gabriel A. Arubio - Outstanding Organic Farming Group; and Mr. Rodolfo Tibayan -

Outstanding Rice Farmer. Municipal agriculturists and staff from Indang, Magallanes, Alfonso, and Naic were also present, further underscoring the province's unity in promoting agricultural development. The annual event not only honors the hard work and dedication of Cavite's agricultural sector but also strengthens the ties between the government and its local farmers, fisherfolk, and traders in the shared pursuit of sustainable and inclusive economic growth. (OPIO)



KBL... (FROM PAGE 8)

Ang paglilinaw na ito ay tugon sa mga ulat mula sa ABS-CBN at iba pang mga plataporma sa media na nagsasabing naghain na ng kanilang Certificates of Candidacy (COC) sina Jose Jr. at Nicolas sa ilalim ng KBL. Ang mga ulat na ito ay nagdulot ng kalituhan sa publiko, kaya't minabuti ng partido na itama ang impormasyon.

Binigyang-diin ng KBL na ang mga opisyal na anunsyo hinggil sa kanilang mga kandidato ay ilalabas lamang sa pamamagitan ng kanilang pormal na mga channel. Hinihikayat din nila ang publiko na huwag basta maniwala sa mga hindi beripikadong ulat at manatiling nakatutok sa kanilang mga opisyal na

plataporma para sa tamang impormasyon kaugnay ng halalan. Sa huli, muling pinagtibay ng KBL ang kanilang dedikasyon sa transparency at integridad habang papalapit ang 2025 halalan. Nanawagan din sila sa mga mamamahayag at media outlets na tiyaking tama at beripikado ang kanilang mga ulat upang maiwasan ang pagkalito sa mga botante at sa publiko.



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and overall yields. Farmers were also engaged in feedback sessions to discuss their experiences with wood vinegar application and the Palay Check System, allowing for adjustments based on real-time observations. The monitoring process

highlighted the effectiveness of wood vinegar in enhancing plant growth and mitigating pest issues, while also considering farmers' cultural management practices. Initial results indicate promising improvements in yield and income, demonstrating the

potential of this sustainable approach. OPA's ongoing efforts aim to refine these methods and encourage broader adoption of wood vinegar in rice farming across Cavite, marking a significant step toward improving agricultural productivity while protecting the environment. (R. Tanael)

CALABARZON... (FROM PAGE 1)

sustainable development in CALABARZON. He emphasized the importance of investing in research and development to address the region's evolving engineering needs and challenges. Meanwhile, BatStateU President Tirso A. Ronquillo emphasized the role of MEIC in providing a platform for knowledge exchange and skills development among industry experts and academic institutions. With BatStateU being the country's engineering university, MEIC aims to address the growing demands of the engineering sector and

bridge the gap between theory and practice. Joining Secretary Solidum and President Ronquillo in the inauguration were DOST Undersecretary for Research and Development Dr. Leah Buendia, DOST-MIRDC Executive Director Robert Dizon, DOST Regional Director Emelita Bagsit, and BatStateU Malvar Chancellor Amado C. Gequinto. Also present were representatives from the SUCs in CALABARZON, industry partners, and micro, small, and medium enterprises (MSMEs) in the metals and

engineering sector. During her closing remarks, Director Bagsit challenged the students, faculty members, MSMEs, and industry stakeholders to make the most of the center's partnerships and resources. She stressed that the center should position itself as a collaborative hub to translate innovative ideas into practical applications that address industry challenges and drive technological advancements while promoting sustainable practices. A facility tour was conducted following the ribbon-cutting and marker unveiling ceremonies to showcase the center's innovative equipment and capabilities.



EXTRA-JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE OF SPOUSES MARIO RILLO BILUGAN AND CRESENCIANA VILAFRANCA BILUGAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC THAT This Deed made and executed by and among: 1. LERMA BILUGAN MENDOZA married to Crispin Morter Mendoza; and 2. ANDRES VILAFRANCA BILUGAN, widower, both of legal ages, both Filipino citizens and both residents of Brgy. Urdaneta, Magallanes, Cavite, hereby declare that: **DECLARE AND MAKE MANIFEST:** 1. THAT, we are the only legitimate heirs being the children of the deceased, **SPOUSES MARIO RILLO BILUGAN and CRESENCIANA VILAFRANCA BILUGAN**, who died on November 17, 1985 at Magallanes, Cavite and died on November 11, 1988 at Magallanes, Cavite, respectively. 2. THAT, at the time of their death, the deceased, **SPOUSES MARIO RILLO BILUGAN and CRESENCIANA VILAFRANCA BILUGAN**, were residents of Magallanes, Cavite and died without any obligation to any person or persons and died without any will. 3. THAT, the deceased, **SPOUSES MARIO RILLO BILUGAN and CRESENCIANA VILAFRANCA BILUGAN**, left as their estate a parcel of land declared under Tax Declaration No. AA-12 0016 00394, with Lot No. 5280, located at Brgy. Urdaneta, Magallanes, Cavite, with an area of **Three Thousand Nine Hundred Nine Square Meters and Eighty One Decimeters (3,909.81) square meters, more or less** x x x x. 4. THAT WE, hereby divide and adjudicate as we have hereby divided and adjudicated among ourselves the above-described parcel of land including all our interests and participation, equally, Pursuant to Sec. 1 Rule 74 of the Revised Rules of Court. This has been the subject of **EXTRA-JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE OF SPOUSES MARIO RILLO BILUGAN AND CRESENCIANA VILAFRANCA BILUGAN** duly executed by the HEIRS on April 1, 2024 at Naic, Cavite before NOTARY PUBLIC **ATTY. JOSE A. MENDOZA** as per Doc. No. 354, Page No. 711, Book No. XXIII, Series of 2024.

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GCV SUCCESS PROVES THE PI COINAGE PROCESS COMPLETE



Doris Yin

Dear Global Pioneers, I am thrilled by the understanding and enthusiasm most of you have shown towards the GCV concept. However, I have noticed that some pioneers are unsure about the reasons behind the high price of GCV and find it too steep and unattainable.

This has led to concerns that such a high price may deter potential buyers. Some have even asked me to buy their Pi to convince them that I support GCV. LOL, They thought that a merchant couldn't afford GCV. All of these questions come from a lack of knowledge. They don't understand what Pi is. In reality, we can make GCV a great success without requiring extra

money from merchants. As I stated in our partial Pi payments strategy, we can help merchants increase sales and generate more Fiat profits, and pioneers can benefit by paying less Fiat for their daily life products. We have also created almost 3 million GCV data.

It is important to clarify that the intention behind setting the value of Pi GCV high is to discourage speculative purchasing and to emphasize that Pi is not designed as an investment or speculation tool. Additionally, I have noticed that some cryptocurrency holders have expressed apprehension about the potential success of Pi, fearing that

it may impact the value of their cryptocurrencies. And this is probably the reason many of them attacked Pi and GCV. I would like to address and correct these misunderstandings.

Pi is not designed for speculative trading on exchange markets for such purposes. Instead, it is intended to serve as a benchmark for all cryptocurrencies and fiat currencies due to its stable nature, supported by a robust ecosystem. So please rest assured Pi won't compete with your holding cryptocurrency.

For those who view Pi as a speculative asset, the GCV strategy may indeed act as a deterrent, in line with our aim to discourage speculative purchasing. It is also important for us to understand the concept of coinage which we have successfully done!

In ancient times, governments defined the weight of precious metals, such as gold, silver, or copper in coins, not for individuals to buy large amounts of them and sell them to get profits, but as a means of measuring product prices. Similarly, Pi is positioned as a currency, with its value determined by pioneers rather than traditional market forces. This approach, known as coinage, seeks to shift pioneers' mindsets from mere purchasing to understanding the concept of coinage.

Considering these points, it would be prudent to avoid using examples related to the price of standard products or investments, as Pi operates within a different framework. Nonetheless, it is acceptable to draw comparisons with Bitcoin to gauge the relative value of Pi, which we believe to be significantly greater than that of Bitcoin.

Disclaimer: the above analysis is only my point of view. It is only for community education or reference. I don't represent Pi Network's CT. **(Doris Yin - Founder GCV Movement)**

Lumari, Executive Director of GCV Core Team, Calls on Pioneers to Build a Solid Ecosystem with Pi Network Ahead of Open Mainnet Launch, Emphasizing Agriculture's Vital Role

LUMARI REPORTS



Ms. Lumari

As we approach the historic Open Mainnet launch of the Pi Network, I am making an urgent appeal to merchants across all sectors to join this transformative movement. In particular, I want to underscore the critical importance of the agriculture sector as we work to build a solid and sustainable ecosystem. We are preparing to onboard all merchants ready to partner with Pi and accept partial Pi payments, and agriculture must be at the forefront of this effort.

Agriculture is the backbone of our economy and a vital component of the Pi Network's ecosystem. It is essential not only for ensuring food security but also for creating a sustainable supply chain that benefits all participants. By integrating agricultural businesses into the Pi ecosystem, we can fortify our product chain from the ground up, establishing a resilient foundation for future growth and stability.

As we prepare for the Open Mainnet, I urge farmers, producers, and agricultural merchants to join us. This is an unparalleled opportunity to harness the power of Pi for the agriculture sector, enabling seamless transactions, increased transparency, and more efficient distribution processes. By accepting partial Pi payments, agricultural businesses can engage with a vast community of KYC-verified Pioneers eager to support local farmers and producers.

While agriculture is critical, we must also bring in merchants from other sectors, including manufacturing, retail, healthcare, technology, and education, to create a comprehensive ecosystem. Each sector plays a vital role in supporting the agriculture industry, from logistics to retail. By working together, we can build a well-rounded and resilient economy.

I call on all sectors to collaborate and contribute to this dynamic ecosystem. By embracing Pi Network and accepting partial Pi payments, businesses can tap into new customer bases and foster a culture of sustainability and innovation.

Building a Sustainable Future Together

The time to act is now. By integrating Pi into your operations, you are not just future-proofing your business; you are contributing to the creation of a more inclusive and sustainable global economy. As we onboard merchants—especially from the agriculture sector—we can create a thriving marketplace that supports local economies while benefiting consumers worldwide.

Join Us in This Revolutionary Effort

Are you ready to be part of this groundbreaking initiative? Together, we can build a robust ecosystem that empowers agricultural businesses and transforms the future of commerce through the Pi Network. Let's make agriculture a cornerstone of our success as we prepare for the Open Mainnet launch!

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Here's the list of merchants in the Philippines that have registered and partnered with Pi

- Sunday Tribune News Publishing Cavite
- Rachman Coffee Region 12
- Sante Barley Franchise - Pasig, NCR
- Pcfix Computer Repair Services - Polomolok, South Cotabato
- Dsrt Ave Region 3
- Ifern Da Best - NCR, Manila
- Rose Nail Haven - Cavite
- Marivic Sari-Sari Store - Cavite
- 3J Variety Store - Cavite
- Inday Sari-Sari Store - Cavite
- Gladys Shoppe - Cavite

- Blinds and Curtains Shop - Cavite
- Online Selling
- Jenny's Store - Muntinlupa City, NCR
- Mommy Nhes Store - Cavite
- Mikitzen/Mi Food Package - Region 12
- Domantay Motorcycle Parts
- Angel's Car Rental - Davao
- Yzabielle Flower Shop - Region 12
- Tambilawan Fastfood and Bakeshop - Region 12
- Esperanza's Delicacies - Cainta
- M \$ M RTW - NCR, Tondo
- Sixtyseventh Travel - Caloocan, NCR
- MFI Store - Las Piñas, NCR
- Betty Coquia - Quezon City, NCR
- Joseph Travel/Delivery Services - Batangas
- Homemade Pagkain - Cavite
- Luto ni Nanay - Cavite
- Mela's Store
- Rommel Teñoso General Merchandise - Quezon Province
- Ruben M. Apacible - Quezon Province
- BBQ Cravings - Bulacan
- Jaz Jewelry - Alabang, NCR
- Nhelleony Barber Salon and Spa - Bulacan
- KaRepaip MOTO (Appliances Repair) - Quezon Province
- Princess G Sweet Craft (Cake & Pastries) - Lipa City, Batangas
- Kelly's Smoked and Dried Fish - Alabang, NCR
- Cecil's Tailoring Shop - Echague, Isabela, Region 1
- Live Good Organic Food Supplement - Cavite
- MagSepnad - V Health & Wellness - Cavite
- Onad Onac Fashion Jewerries - Cavite
- All Dance - Cavite
- Leandro Vegetable Store - Pasig, NCR
- Lioness Store - Cavite
- Empower Consumerism - Zambales
- Organic Soap & Amazing Barley - NCR, Manila
- Radiant Beauty - Vito Cruz, Manila, NCR
- NUCARE WIG and Services - Makati, NCR
- Jezonita Curtains and Upholstery - Lipa City, Batangas
- Melany's Sari-Sari Store - Cavite
- Hannabie - NCR, Pasay
- Financial Literacy Education - Cavite
- Cecil's Tailoring Shop - Isabela, Region 2
- Bonenay Store - Region 5, Burias Island
- Somer School and Office Supply - Polomolok, South Cotabato
- Tauried Electronics Repair Services - Polomolok, South Cotabato
- Mhae's Heavenly Bites - Marilao, Bulacan
- Father & Son Computer Repair and Services - Marilao, Bulacan
- Boss Wald Tasty Lechon - Marilao, Bulacan
- Lyds and Beauty Products Wellness and Trading - Polomolok, South Cotabato
- EMDRM Constructions & Services - Rodriguez, Rizal
- Scentzone Perfume - Cavite
- Tagumpay Global Marketing - San Jose, Montalban, Rizal
- Cleparbs Aqua Culture Farming and Services - Region 1
- Mea & Poy Sari-Sari Store - San Francisco, Quezon Province
- Veronz Cosmetics and Beauty Salon - Polomolok, Region 12
- Recovery Garden Organic Herbs and Spices - Polomolok, Region 12 **(Lumari Executive Director GCV Core Team Head GCV Philippines)**

Understanding GCV\$314159: A Journey Towards a Sustainable Future

Dear GCV community and pioneers, We are living in an important transformative period of the GCV movement. Today, I would like to present to you an article aimed at helping us better understand GCV\$314159 and the journey toward building a sustainable future for the Pi Network. The active participation and solidarity of each member in our community will be the key factors for our success. Let's explore and realize these promising goals together!

***Introduction**

In recent months, the GCV (Global Consensus Value) community has witnessed remarkable successes from countries such as the Philippines, Malaysia, and Indonesia. These three countries have achieved significant milestones. As of September 30, 2024, the Philippines recorded 1,200,825 GCV transaction records, while Indonesia had 935,976 GCV transaction records, and Malaysia recorded 500,000 GCV transaction records. We have not yet collected specific data from other countries. However, from the beginning of 2024 to September 2024, considering only these three leading GCV countries, we have a total of approximately 2,636,801 GCV transaction records for the exchange of goods and services. The consistent value for these transactions remains at "314,159 USD." Alongside these achievements, there are still many challenges and misunderstandings within the community that we need to address. This article aims to educate the pioneer community about GCV\$314159, helping them to better understand the value and effectively practice the GCV movement.

***What Is GCV\$314159?**

GCV\$314159 represents both the goal and the achievement that the GCV community has successfully established, meaning that 1 Pi is valued at 314,159 USD. This is not just a random number but a symbol of the community's effort to create a strong economic foundation for future trade transactions. Now, our focus should shift towards developing an ecosystem that puts this established value into practice.

***The Importance of Education**

One of the biggest issues facing the GCV community is the lack of understanding and accurate information. As noted in discussions, many pioneers feel anxious and uncertain about the future of the Pi Network. They often hear rumors and misinformation, leading to skepticism about the project's potential for success. This highlights the importance of education and providing reliable information about GCV.

To help the community better understand GCV\$314159, we need to focus on providing high-quality educational materials. Articles, instructional videos, and webinars can enhance awareness and knowledge about GCV, thereby motivating individuals to actively participate in the movement. It is crucial for pioneers to genuinely

read the articles by Ms. Doris Yin, as they contain valuable insights that can guide their understanding and actions.

***Developing the GCV Ecosystem**

One of the primary goals of the GCV movement is to build a sustainable ecosystem for the Pi Network, where individuals can use Pi for trade transactions. This requires close cooperation between merchants and consumers.

***Concrete Actions:**

1. Merchant Training: Training programs for merchants on how to use Pi and the GCV\$314159 value are essential. They need to understand that accepting payments in Pi is not just a transaction method but a critical step in building a sustainable economy for the community.

2. Encouraging Participation: Promotional programs and incentives for merchants who accept Pi can motivate them to get involved. This will not only enhance acceptance but also build trust within the community.

3. Creating a Collaborative Environment: Encouraging the sharing of experiences and information between different countries and communities is crucial. GCV ambassadors should connect with each other to learn and share successful strategies.

***Addressing Misinformation**

Another significant challenge facing the GCV community is misinformation and skepticism. They often hear criticisms and negative comments, leading to feelings of insecurity.

***To counter this situation, we need to:**

1. Enhance Communication: Provide accurate and timely information about the progress of the Pi Network and GCV\$314159. Articles from GCV leaders, such as Doris Yin, can help clarify the situation and alleviate concerns within the community.

2. Organize Workshops: Create opportunities for community members to interact, ask questions, and share experiences. These meetings will help everyone understand GCV better and strengthen their faith in the project.

***Conclusion**

The GCV movement is at a crucial stage in its development journey. To achieve greater success, we must work together to educate and build a strong community. Understanding GCV\$314159 not only helps us face current challenges but also serves as a foundation for the sustainable future of the Pi Network project. Now that we have successfully established the GCV value, let's take action together, share knowledge, and build a robust GCV ecosystem that serves everyone." (JoJo - Asst. Executive Director GCV CT)

New DILG chief to shut down POGOs 'one by one'

Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) Secretary Jonvic Remulla on Wednesday vowed to shut down all Philippine Offshore Gaming Operator (POGO) hubs in the country.



DILG Secretary Jonvic Remulla (PNA photo by Robert Oswald Alfiler)

"As far as I am concerned, I will get all the list of POGOs and I will personally lock them down, one by one, personally, lahat sila (all of them)," Remulla said after assuming his new post as DILG chief in turnover rites in Quezon City.

He said he has already talked to the officials of the POGO hub operating in Island Cove in Kawit, Cavite, a resort property previously owned by his family.

"They will close down Dec. 15 for good," he added.

Remulla, meanwhile, said all officials of the DILG would remain in their posts for now.

"The instructions of President (Ferdinand R.) Marcos (Jr.) are very clear. One is the recommended structural reforms for the various agencies under the DILG. Next is the increased responsiveness of the local governments (and) last is the safety and security of the candidates and the public for the 2025 elections," he said.

Remulla said he wants to ensure "zero casualty" for next year's midterm elections.

The former Cavite governor recalled some measures he implemented to ensure peace and order in past elections in Cavite.

"What I did was each and every candidate for

mayor (was) always accompanied by (a) mobile patrol vehicle," he said, clarifying that the police officers did not serve as bodyguards of these candidates.

"Maybe we can do (the) same but I don't know if mobility is possible. But we will enlist the help of all agencies of government to make the elections as peaceful as possible."

At least 16 people died during the entire election period in the 2022 elections.

Remulla, meanwhile, said they are looking at areas in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao, Cagayan, Nueva Ecija, and

Palawan as hotspots for next year's midterm polls.

"Those are premature, just off-the-cuff assessments. We will get into a definite list in the next few weeks because filing (of certificates of candidacy or COCs) ended just yesterday (Tuesday). We will give a definite list afterwards," he said.

In a separate press briefing held in Camp Crame, Philippine National Police (PNP) spokesperson Brig. Gen. Jean Fajardo said the filing of COCs was generally peaceful, except for a shooting incident in Shariff Aguak town in Maguindanao del Sur on Tuesday.

The incident, between supporters of mayoral candidates, led to the death of one person and wounding of five others, Fajardo said.

The PNP is conducting a

thorough investigation of the incident, which occurred near the town hall, she said, adding that police personnel who rushed to the scene were also fired upon. Fortunately, no one was reported hurt on the side of the police.

"Hindi pa ito considered ERIs (election-related incidents) kasi wala pa tayo sa (because we are not yet in the) election period. The directive of our Chief PNP, Gen. Marbil, is to intensify police presence and border controls, as well as the conduct of strategic checkpoints, particularly those in areas where there are potential ERIs to prevent a repeat of these incidents, as well as possible violence," Fajardo said.

Army troops reminded: Stay non-partisan

The Philippine Army (PA) on Wednesday reminded all its personnel to remain non-partisan in the coming 2025 midterm elections.

"We also remind all our personnel to remain non-partisan in strict adherence to our constitutional mandate," PA spokesperson Col. Louie Dema-ala said in a statement.

He added that the PA would maintain the highest standards of professionalism, discipline, and integrity as it looks forward to safe, orderly, and peaceful elections.

"As the filing of certificates of candidacy has concluded, the PA assures the Filipino people of its commitment to protect the sanctity of the electoral process," Dema-ala said. (With Priam Nepomuceno/PNA)

PH squash exposes athletes to world-class events

The Philippine Squash Academy is pouncing on the opportunity to boost its stock and expose its players to world-class action by hosting two foreign-spiced tournaments this month.

Squash chief Robert Bachmann told the Philippine Sportswriters Association (PSA) Forum Tuesday that all is set for the Philippine Satellite set Oct. 22 to 25 and the Philippine Challenger Classic on Oct. 27 to 31.

Both events will take place at the PSA Academy inside the Rizal Memorial Sports Complex in Manila.

"Our top athletes can improve their world rankings by competing here and for the rest, this is a chance to get some exposure by playing with the best," Bachmann said during the weekly forum presented by San Miguel Corporation, Philippine Sports Commission and Philippine Olympic Committee.

He said the events will

serve the Philippine team well as it prepares for the 2025 Southeast Asian Games in Bangkok, Thailand; 2026 Asian Games in Nagoya, Japan; and qualifiers for the 2028 Los Angeles Olympics.

Malaysian coach Low Wee Wern, a two-time Asian Games gold medalist in the team event and silver medalist in the singles joined Bachmann at the PSA Forum.

Wern, the former world No. 5, has been at the helm of the Philippine team for seven months now.

"I've seen the progress," Bachmann said in crediting the 33-year-old Wee, who was with the Malaysian team for nearly 20 years.

"We're trying to grow it. I know squash is one of the

smallest sports here but we are working for the future of the sports here and its longevity," the Malaysian said.

Also on deck were Reymar Begornia, the country's top men's player; Jemyca Aribado, the top female player who once carried a world ranking of No. 77; and Christopher Burada, the top Filipino junior player.

Players from Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Bahrain, Hong Kong, Sri Lanka and Egypt will see action in the b a c k - t o - b a c k tournaments.

"It will be a big tournament for us. It's a good opportunity for our players to learn and for the younger ones to watch some of the best players," Wee said. (PR)

2 senior players bid for GM title in FIDE World Senior tourney

For senior players, Chito Garma and Efren Bagamasbad, it's never too late to become a grand master.

The two Filipinos will try to achieve the remarkable feat as they represent the country at the coming 32nd FIDE World Senior Chess Championships in Porto, Portugal from Nov. 16-29.

A two-time Olympian, Garma is competing in the 50-and-over category, Bagamasbad in the 65-plus, and another member in Mario Mangubat is also entered in the 50-plus division.

Garma, Bagamasbad, and Philippine delegation member Marlon Bernardino appeared in Tuesday's Philippine Sportswriters Association (PSA) Forum and gauged the country's chances of competing against the world's best senior chess players next month.

Topping the tournament meant outright grand master title for the Filipinos.

"Masarap pakinggan yung maging world senior champion ka kasi kaakibat niyan yung grand master title (It's good to hear that you're a world senior champion because it's attached to the grand master title)," said Garma, who represented the country in the 1990 and 1992 Chess Olympiad held in Yugoslavia and Manila, respectively.

"Kaya nga ito inspiration din para sa mga bata, kasi kung kami ngang matatanda puwede pa e di lalo na yung mga bata (That's why, this is also an inspiration for young players because even if we are seniors, we can still do it, how much more these young players)," added the International Master who just turned 60 last July.

The two elder players will



GM BID. Chito Garma (left) and Efren Bagamasbad (center) discuss plans in the upcoming 32nd FIDE World Senior Chess Championships in Portugal during the Philippine Sportswriters Association Forum on Tuesday (Oct. 8, 2024). The two senior players will try to achieve remarkable finish in the tournament. (Photo courtesy of PSA)

try to become the Philippine's latest GM after 20-year-old Daniel Quizon, who earned the title after beating GM Igor Efimov of Georgia in the last World Chess Olympiad in Budapest, Hungary.

Both Garma and Bagamasbad earned the right to represent the country in the two-week meet after topping their respective categories in the 12th Asian Senior Chess Championships held in Tagaytay City last year.

During the same meet, both International Masters earned their second GM norms.

Mangubat, a National Master who is based in Cebu, finished third behind Bagamasbad in the same tournament - with IM Aitkazy Baimurzin of Kazakhstan placing runner up - to complete the three-man Philippine team to the annual world competition first played in Germany back in 1991.

"Sisikapin namin ni Chito na makuha yung best finish.

Definitely, we will go out there to do our best. Sabi ko nga kalimutan na ang pressure and just stay focused (Chito and I will try to get the best finish. Definitely, we will go out there to do our best. I said forget the pressure and just stay focused)," said Bagamasbad, a two-time Asian Seniors champion like Garma in the forum presented by San Miguel Corporation, Philippine Sports Commission, Philippine Olympic Committee, Smart/PLDT, Milo, and the country's 24/7 sports app ArenaPlus.

GM John Nunn of England topped the 65-and-over category in last year's edition of the meet in Terrasini, Italy, while countryman GM Michael Adams ruled the 50-and-over category.

"Malaki ang chance natin. Kaya sana we will be fortunate pagdating doon (We have a big chance. So hopefully, we will be fortunate when we get there)," added Garma. (PR)



EXPOSURES. Philippine Squash Academy president Robert Bachmann (center) discusses upcoming tournaments during the Philippine Sportswriters Association Forum at the Philippine Sports Commission in Manila on Tuesday (Oct. 8, 2024). He was joined by (from left) Reymar Begornia, Wee Wern Low, Christopher Burada and Jemyca Aribado. (Photo courtesy of PSA)

Padel Pilipinas eyes more success on world stage

The country's title victory at the recent Asia Pacific Padel Tour (APPT) Grand Slam in Singapore hopes to inspire the youth to learn the sport.

Padel is a racket sport of Mexican origin. It is a mix of tennis and squash and is usually played in doubles on an enclosed court surrounded by walls of glass and metallic mesh.

Last week, Marian Capadocia, a seasoned tennis player, and Tao Yee Tan defeated Japanese Kotomi Ozawa and Indonesian Beatrice Gumulya, 6-2, 1-6, 7-5, in the Pro female category finals.

To reach the championship round, the Philippines conquered Russian pair Victoria Fedorova and Anastasia Ryzhova, 6-2, 6-2, in the quarterfinals, then clobbered Brazilian Natalia Oxley and Portuguese Constanza Kokorelis in the semifinals, 6-2, 6-3.

The tournament, participated in by 165 players from 32 countries, was held Oct. 3-6.

"I am so thankful for all the love, support, and encouragement the Padel Pilipinas team and Play Padel Community have shown me and Coach Tao Yee during our finals match in APPT Singapore," Capadocia said in a press conference at the Padel Play court in Mandaluyong City Thursday afternoon.

She acknowledged the support of Senator Pia Cayetano, president of the Padel Pilipinas, which is recognized by the Philippine Olympic Committee and the Philippine Sports Commission.

"A huge thank you to Senator Pia whose presence, both on and off the court, gave us strength. She cheered with so much passion and belief in us, which helped push us to compete at our best. Facing the top seed was tough, but having such an incredible group of friends, family, and padel fans behind us



HISTORIC WIN. Padel champions Marian Capadocia and Tao Yee Tan (2nd and 3rd from left), winners of the Pro female category of the Asia Pacific Padel Tour (APPT) Grand Slam in Singapore on Oct. 3-6, pose for a photo during a press conference at the Play Padel in Mandaluyong City on Thursday (Oct. 10, 2024). With them are Padel Pilipinas president Senator Pia Cayetano (left) and coach LA Cañizares. (PNA photo by Jean Malanum)

made it an experience we will never forget," said the eight-time Philippine Columbian Association (PCA) Open champion.

"There's a quote: it takes a village to build a champion. This is it. The padel community, Senator Pia Cayetano, Sir Derrick Santos, Sir Duane Santos, and all the coaches and teammates. This is where I feel that I have a village to lean on. We are very thankful sa (to) Play Padel and Padel Pilipinas."

Tan also thanked the Padel Pilipinas community.

"To the entire Padel Pilipinas community, thank you from the bottom of our hearts! Whether you were watching live, sending messages, or cheering us on from afar, your energy kept us going throughout the tournament. It reminds us how special and close our padel family is, and we're so proud to represent you all," she said.

Padel Pilipinas secretary general, lawyer Duane Santos, noted that Capadocia and Tan have only been playing padel for a combined three years more or less.

"Tao Yee with two years and Marian with less than one. That's the reason why

it's even more amazing," he said.

Head coach Bryan Casao commended Capadocia and Tan.

"Their training has paid off in the best way possible. They went in mentally, emotionally, and physically ready. It's not only a win for Padel Pilipinas but for the whole country," Casao said.

The triumph in Singapore and the silver finish of the national team at the Asia Pacific Padel Cup in Bali, Indonesia highlighted the country's future success on the international stage.

"So happy for our girls, Tao Yee and Marian. I couldn't be more proud of what they achieved - the first All-Filipina champs in the APPT!" Cayetano said. "This win inspires not only our country's padel community but also the new generation of young girls watching this."

Padel Pilipinas, which is committed to discovering talents from the countryside and training them to become world-class athletes, will hold an Open tournament at the Padel Play court this weekend. (PNA)

NDA wants return of gov't milk feeding program to its helm

The National Dairy Authority (NDA) on Monday expressed desire to regain supervision of the government's school-based milk feeding program.



The program is currently under the Department of Education (DepEd) with a budget of nearly PHP2 billion.

"Kami po mismo ang nakakaalam kung nasaan ang magaganda at mas maraming source ng gatas. At ito ay makakapagpagaan ng trabaho ng DepEd (We know more sources of good quality milk. And this will help ease the workload) of DepEd," NDA Administrator Marcus Antonius Andaya said in an interview.

Andaya said the NDA is even requesting a budget hike for 2025 since the program can help benefit local farmers.

"Gusto rin namin palakasin ang (We also want to strengthen the) milk feeding program dahil ang

milk feeding program po natin ay isa sa pinakamalakas na source ng livelihood ng ating mga (because it is one of the biggest sources of livelihood of our) farmers," he added.

The NDA has also requested around PHP250 million additional funds for the importation of dairy cattle, which will be placed in their five stock farms expected to be operational in 2025.

Each of the five stock farms can accommodate up to 150 heads of dairy cattle, he said.

Andaya made the remark after the National Federation of Dairy Farmers and Stakeholders' Association (Dairy NatFed) requested Education Secretary Sonny Angara to revert the program's management to

NDA on Oct. 4.

Dairy NatFed president Danilo Fausto said the reversion would mean a "more efficient" implementation, while relieving teachers and non-teaching staff of extra workload.

"In this light and in order to have an effective and smooth implementation of the program, we would like to request the Honorable Secretary of DepEd to allow and delegate to the NDA the implementation of the milk feeding program of the government which is currently being done through the DepEd, provided however, that the PCC (Philippine Carabao Center) managed dairy cooperatives will be allowed equal treatment to participate in the program

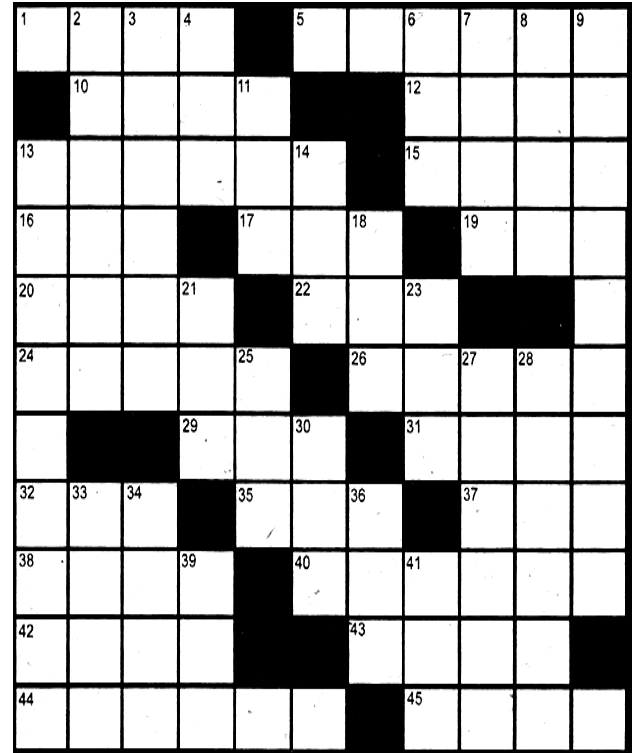
under NDA in accordance with their production capacities," he said in a separate statement.

"Part of NDA's mandate is to encourage the integration of dairy production and local milk and the distribution of dairy products into various rural livelihood and nutrition programs."

Under Republic Act 11037 or the Masustansyang Pagkain Para sa Batang Pilipino Act, national government agencies should work with the Department of Agriculture, NDA, PCC, and Cooperative Development Authority for the incorporation of fresh milk and fresh milk-based products in fortified meals.

Andaya said the DepEd is reviewing the proposal. (PNA)

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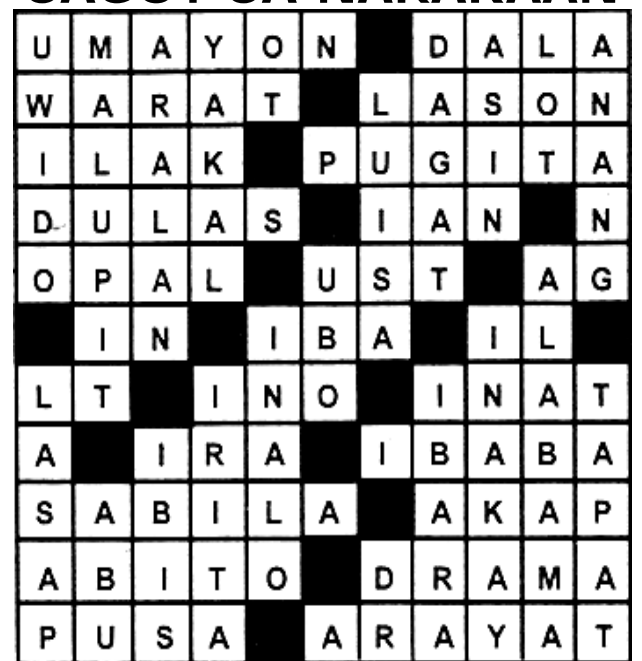


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Governor Jonvic Remulla and Vice Governor Athena Toletino, together with 7th District Board Member Francisco Gabriel "Abeng" Remulla and Congressman Crispin Diego "Ping" Remulla rallies thousands for Kalinga sa Kalikasan clean-up drive in Tanza on October 3, 2024, strengthening Cavite's commitment to environmental Protection. (A. Sarte)

Dagdag Kaalaman



Ang temperatura ng kidlat ay 5 beses na mas mainit kumpara sa surface ng araw!

PGC showcases agricultural excellence at 2024 Agri Trade Fair and Gawad Saka Awards

On October 3, 2024, the Provincial Government of Cavite, through the Office of the Provincial Agriculturist, conducted the 2024 Agri Trade Fair and Gawad Saka Awarding Ceremony at the Provincial Capitol in Trece Martires City. The event, aptly themed "Magsasaka, Mangingisda't Mangangalakal na Kaagapay para sa Kabuhayan, Ating Itanghal at Bigyang Pugay," provided a platform to celebrate the contributions of farmers, fisherfolk, and traders from across the province, while showcasing the best products from various Local Government Units (LGUs).



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The trade fair and exhibits displayed a diverse range of agricultural products, highlighting the innovative and sustainable practices of Cavite's agricultural sector. Exhibitors from different cities and municipalities participated in the event, proudly presenting their goods to the community, government officials, and stakeholders.

Inspirational messages were delivered by Dr. May M. Magno, Provincial Veterinarian; Ms. Libeth M. Chavez, OIC-Provincial Director of the Department of **PGC • 3**

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KBL Pinabulaanan ang Ulat ng Pag-endorso kina Relly Jose Jr. at Richard Nicolas sa Senado

Naglabas ng opisyal na pahayag ang Kilusang Bagong Lipunan (KBL) noong Oktubre 5, 2024, upang linawin na hindi nila inendorso sina Relly Jose Jr. at Richard Nicolas bilang mga kandidato para sa 2025 halalan. Ayon sa partido, walang Certificate of Nomination and Acceptance (CONA) na inilabas para sa dalawa, taliwas sa mga ulat na kumakalat sa media at social media platforms.



Ayon kay KBL National President Hon. Efren A. Rafanan Sr., tanging siya, kasama sina Hon. Crisiliev G. Garrido at Hon. Joeme N. Erroba, ang may kapangyarihang mag-isyu ng opisyal na CONA. Nilinaw din ng partido na hindi kasama sina Jose Jr. at Nicolas sa kanilang listahan ng mga opisyal na kandidato para sa anumang posisyon, partikular sa pagkasenador. **KBL • 3**

METRO PACIFIC TOLLWAYS SOUTH & MAYNILAD JOIN HANDS TO PROVIDE RELIEF TO CAVITE FISHERFOLK AFFECTED BY OIL SPILL

MPT South Corporation, the concessionaire of Manila-Cavite Expressway (CAVITEX) and Cavite-Laguna Expressway (CALAX), in partnership with Maynilad Water Services, Inc., has donated half a million pesos worth of rice to aid the local fisherfolk of Cavite, who have been severely affected by both the recent oil spill and the devastation brought by Typhoon Carina. The relief effort was officially handed over to former Governor Jonvic C. Remulla, benefiting the coastal communities of Cavite City, Bacoor City, and the municipalities of Noveleta, Rosario, Kawit, Tanza, Naic, Maragondon, and Ternate.



The disaster, triggered by the MT Terannova oil spill—which released 1.4 million liters of industrial fuel into the waters—coincided with the wrath of Typhoon Carina, leaving Cavite's coastal areas devastated. Fisherfolk, whose livelihoods depend on the health of these waters, have been hit hardest, struggling to recover from the compounded crises.

"We understand the crucial role fisherfolk play in sustaining both the livelihoods of Caviteños and the province's food supply, said MPT South President and General Manager, Raul L. Ignacio. "The devastation they face during calamities not only disrupts their way of life but also the larger agricultural **METRO PACIFIC • 3**