

"Kids of War" is best picture in 2nd Subic Bay Int'l Film Fest

SUBIC BAY FREEPORT — "Kids of War", which portrayed the hardship and trauma of Filipinos in the Second World War, won the best picture award at the recently concluded Subic Bay International Film Festival (SBIFF).

Directed by Mike P. Silva and starring Richard Quan and Ronwaldo Martin, "Kids of War" poignantly depicted how war could either tear families apart or bond them stronger still.

The film outvoted four other entries: "Tell Me Your Dreams", "Rendezvous", "1957" and "Jesusa".

Meanwhile, the other top awards went to Ronwaldo Martin who won as best actor, and Aiko Melendez (Tell Me Your Dreams) and Sylvia Sanchez (Jesusa) who tied for the best actress title.

Also honored in the festival were: Hubert Tibi (1957), who won the award for best director; Richard Quan (1957), best supporting actor; Ynez Veneracion (Jesusa), best supporting actress; Hubert Tibi (1957), best screenplay; Arvin Viola (Tell Me Your Dreams), best cinematography; Gibert Obispo (Kids of War), best film editing; and Jimmy Tablizo and Roland Robenecia (Kids of War), best production design.

Aside from regular awards, the organizers also gave a special recognition

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Free MRT-3, LRT-2, PNR rides for students starting next month

CLARK, Pampanga -- Students will get free rides in various modes of railway transportation in the country starting on July 1.

This was announced by the Department of Transportation (DOTr) and its attached agencies during the fourth "Transport Talks" held on Thursday at the DOTr conference room here.

DOTr Secretary Arthur Tugade said students from all levels will enjoy free rides from Metro Rail Transit -3 (MRT-3), Light Rail Transit 2 (LRT-2) and Philippine National Railways from Mondays to Fridays, except holidays at select hours in the morning and afternoon.

Likewise, Tugade said that terminal fee in airports and seaports owned and managed by the Civil Aviation Authority of the Philippines and the Philippine Ports Authority (PPA) are also waived for students.

He said the move is part of the department's continuing show of concern to commuters and President Rodrigo Duterte's desire to give comfortable lives to the Filipinos.

"Layon nitong hikayatin ang pagpasok ng maaga ng mga estudyante at baguhin ang commuter culture bilang parte ng mandato ng administrasyon sa maginhawang buhay para sa mga pasahero (It aims to encourage the students to go to school early and change the commuter culture as part of the mandate of the administration to provide comfortable lives to the passengers)," Tugade said.

The LRT-2 will implement the free rides for students from 4:30 to 6 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The MRT-3, on the other hand, will offer free fares for students from 5 a.m. to 6:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Meanwhile, students can avail of free rides from the PNR from 5 a.m. to 6 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Covered are students in elementary, high school and college levels and those taking up vocational and technical courses.

However, students taking up masteral degree courses are not covered by such privilege.

Tugade said initially, students are required to present their school identification card to avail of free rides until such time that they are issued free ride IDs. (PNA)



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Festival directors Vic Vizcocho Jr. and Arlyn dela Cruz presents a special award to SBMA Chairman Amy Eisma (SBMAphoto)

USS Montgomery Arrives in Davao City



USS Montgomery (LCS 8) transits the Pacific Ocean to conduct routine operations and training. (U.S. Navy photo courtesy of Muckley Photography/Released)

Manila — The Independence-class littoral combat ship USS Montgomery (LCS 8) arrived in Davao City on June 29 for the ship's first port visit to the Philippines during her first deployment.

Rear Adm. Joey Tynch, commander, Logistics Group Western Pacific, stressed the importance of the U.S.-Philippine partnership.

"Our navies, just like our nations, have a long history of cooperation and partnership based on mutual trust, respect and decades of friendship," said Tynch. "Every port visit and exercise we complete together continues to strengthen maritime security and regional stability."

During the port visit, Montgomery will host local military and civic leaders.

According to Cmdr. Edward A. Rosso, Montgomery's commanding officer, it is an honor to visit one of the longest-standing U.S. allies in the Indo-Pacific region.

"My crew and I are very much looking forward to visiting Davao City," said Rosso. "Port visits allow us to demonstrate our commitment to maritime security in the region, while strengthening relationships with our friends, partners and allies."

Fast, agile and mission-focused, littoral combat ships are designed to operate in near-shore environments and employ modular mission packages that can be configured for surface warfare, mine countermeasures, or anti-submarine warfare.

The U.S. 7th Fleet conducts forward-deployed naval operations in support of U.S. national interests in the Indo-Pacific area of operations. As the U.S. Navy's largest numbered fleet, U.S. 7th Fleet interacts with 35 other maritime nations to build partnerships that foster maritime security, promote stability and prevent conflict.

LEGAL NOTICE

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT
THIRD JUDICIAL REGION
BRANCH 73
OLONGAPO CITY

IN RE: IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF
MIKAELLA EDODOLLON EDJAN

SP. PROC. NO. 2019-0-11FC

SPOUSES ISABEL EDJAN DUNNAM
AND IVAN L. DUNNAM,
PETITIONERS,
X-----X

ORDER OF HEARING

The verified Petition for adoption filed by petitioners spouses Isabel Edjan Dunnam and Ivan L. Dunnam through Atty. Ericson Chang Aguila prayed that after due notice, publication and trial on the merits, a judgment be rendered granting the present petition for adoption and declaring herein petitioners Isabel Edjan Dunnam and Ivan L. Dunnam for all legal intents and purposes as the adoptive parents of the minor and that said minor shall thereafter be known as Mikaella Edjan Dunnam.

The Petition in essence alleged as follows:

Petitioner Isabel Dunnam is of legal age, a dual Filipino and American citizens, married to her co-petitioner, Ivan L. Dunnam and resident of 1663 A – Payapa Street, Balic Balic Sta. Rita, Olongapo City. Petitioner Ivan L. Dunnam is of legal age, an American national, married to his co-petitioner and is a resident of the same address. Petitioners as married couple are willing and desirous to adopt jointly minor child Mikaella Edodollon Edjan. The minor is the illegitimate child of Ronnie Elpuz Edjan, the brother of petitioner Isabel. Minor’s mother is Marife Laoyan Edodollon. Minor’s parents have been living together as common law husband and wife and without the benefit of marriage and that the minor was conceived out of wedlock and during this common law relation. The parents of the minor have both given their respective consent and conformity for their minor child to be jointly adopted by the petitioners bearing in mind that this petition will redound to the best interest and paramount welfare of said child. The minor has also given her consent and conformity to be adopted by herein petitioners. Petitioners have always been very fond of said minor child and have always treated the minor as their own child. The petitioners have developed parental love and concern over the minor sought to be adopted. The petitioners have all the qualifications and none of the disqualifications to adopt said minor child. Petitioners are physically, mental and psychologically fit and qualified to adopt the said minor. The minor child is physically, mentally and emotionally fit and qualified to be adopted. Petitioners are also financially qualified to support and adopt the minor child. As proof of their legal capacity to adopt, herein petitioners have stated under oath before the Embassy of the United States of America in the City of Manila, Philippines that they have all the qualifications and none of the disqualifications outlined in R.A. No. 8522 to adopt said minor. Petitioner’s children namely Christopher Lee Dunnam and Trexy Joyce Dunnam have executed their respective sworn statements wherein they gave their consent for their parents to adopt the said minor. The adoption of said minor will redound to her best interest and paramount welfare in the event that this petition be granted.

It appearing to be sufficient in form and substance, the Petition is hereby set for hearing on SEPTEMBER 24, 2019 at 8:30 in the morning to be conducted at Branch 73 of the Regional Trial Court, Olongapo City located at the Hall of Justice, 23rd St., West Bajac-Bajac, Olongapo City at which date and time and place, the petitioner shall appear and prove their petition.

All persons interested in the petition are enjoined to appear and to show cause why, if any, the petition should not be granted.

Pursuant to Sec. 12 (5), of A.M. No. 02-6-02-SC, the Court Social Worker is hereby directed to make a Case Study on the adoptee and his biological parents as well as on the adopters and to submit the Child Study Report and Home Study Report (5) days before the date of the hearing directly to the court as the same are strictly confidential.

Let this Order be published, at the expense of the Petitioners, once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the province of Zambales before the scheduled hearing and the same be posted in two (2) public places in the province of Zambales.

Let copy of this Order and petition be furnished the copy the Office of the Solicitor General (OSG), the Office of the City Prosecutor of Olongapo City, the Regional Office of the Social Welfare and Development Office at the City of San Fernando, Pampanga and to the Court Social Worker of the Regional Trial Court, Olongapo City.

SO ORDERED.

June 6, 2019 in Olongapo City.

GEMMA THERESA B. HILARIO-LOGRONIO
Assisting Judge

from



We are deeply saddened by the passing today of veteran Actor Eddie Garcia, recipient of our Philippine Cinema Legacy Award in last year's Subic Bay International Film Festival.

Rest In Peace, Mr. Eddie Garcia, you have done well!

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tion to two child actors for outstanding performances: Shane Patrick Carrera (Kids of War) and Rose Galang, who played the role of an Ayta boy (Tell Me Your Dreams).

Film Entries
Six independent films initially made the cut for this year, but one was dropped due to problems with festival requirement, said SBIFF Festival Director and Managing Partner Vic V. Vizcocho, Jr.

This was the Andi Eigenmann-starrer “The Maid in London”, which was directed by BL Panganiban.

The remaining five films were shown for free public viewing at Cinema Four of the Harbor Point Ayala Mall here, where fans and movie-goers queued for tickets hours before screening time.

“Tell Me Your Dreams” tells the story of a teacher who volunteered to be assigned at an Ayta village. It was directed by Anthony Hernandez and starred the multi-awarded Melendez.

“Rendezvous” is a fantasy love-drama-comedy directed by Marvin Gabas, with stars Jiana Aurigue and Gina Pareño.

“1957” tells about the struggles of farmers who did not own the land they tilled. It was written and directed by Hubert Tibi, and also starred Richard Quan and Ronwaldo Martin.

On the other hand, “Jesusa” is a story of the social struggles of a wife and mother, plated by Sanchez under the direction of Ronaldo C. Carballo, who also penned the story.

Special Honors

The awards night held on June 23 was a star-studded event, with superstar and veteran actress Nora Aunor receiving a lifetime achievement award from the SBIFF organizers.

Another guest of honor, Subic Bay Metropolitan Authority (SBMA) Chairman and Administrator Wilma T. Eisma, was given a special citation for her support to the Subic film festival project.

Commenting on the festival theme of “Riding the Waves”, Eisma noted that the film entries exhibited the resiliency of Filipinos: “We can weather storms, typhoons, and volcanoes. We can rise though all those waves and come out successful.”

“This serves as a challenge to all of us, to ride the waves no matter what happens,” Eisma added. “To be up there in the waves when things go wrong. To stand strong. To stand brave.”

The Subic Bay International Film Festival was established last year to provide a platform for local filmmakers to create their art and to refocus the attention of the international filmmaking industry to the Subic Bay Freeport.



“Future of Cinema” awardees Shane Patrick Carrera and Rose Galang


SUBIC BAY ARBOR DAY



SBMA Chairman and Administrator Wilma T. Eisma (center) plants a bougainvillea on Thursday (June 27) in observance of Arbor Day in the Subic Bay Freeport Zone. With her are (from left): Deputy Administrator (DA) for Engineering Marco Estabillo, DA for Business Kenneth Rementilla, DA for Administration Ruel John Kabigting, and Senior Deputy Administrator for Regulatory Services Amethya dela Llana. Hundreds of SBMA employees and community volunteers planted a total of 150 trees and 2,500 bougainvillea during the event.



SBMA Chairman and Administrator Wilma T. Eisma joins volunteers from the Pastolan Ayta tribe in the Subic Bay Freeport during the observance of Arbor Day

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Notice is hereby given to the public that an **EXTRA-JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE** was made and executed by the sole heirs of the deceased **Dianna Jean M. Dait, who died on May 17, 2019 at Brgy. Consuelo Sur, San Marcelino, Zambales, Philippines 2207** as per Doc no 523, Page No.106 Book No CLVIII Series of 2019 in the notarial registry of Atty. Michael G. Fabunan.

All interested parties, creditors, and persons having money claims against the decedent are hereby required to file their claims with the court appointed executor of their estate.



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AROUND CENTRAL LUZON

BSP warning vs online banking, mobile text scams

SAMAL, Bataan -- Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) is reminding the public to be vigilant against online banking and mobile text scams.

During the launching of Negosyo Serbisyo sa Barangay, BSP San Fernando Branch bank officer Ma. Lourdes Laconsay warned residents of barangay Palili to ensure that they are visiting official bank websites before online cash transactions to avoid being deceived.

"We want to remind everyone to make sure you are engaging online bank transactions with the legit website because we have received reports of this scam wherein the savings in their account are being stolen," Laconsay

stressed.

She also advised the public not to believe in mobile text messages informing them that they have won in a raffle draw and asking about their personal information.

Laconsay said that some of these fraudulent acts are using the name of BSP in order to easily fool the public.

"If you did not join any contest or raffle, don't expect that you'll win a certain amount of money," she added.

BSP is continuously educating the public on financial literacy through seminars and other information dissemination programs. (PIA 3)

Elected gov't officials of Bulacan take oath



OATH-TAKING. Governor-elect Daniel R. Fernando (center) is sworn into office by Executive Judge Olivia V. Escubio-Samar during the mass oath-taking of elected provincial officials held at the Bulacan Capitol Gymnasium on Friday (June 28, 2019). Fernando was accompanied by members of his family during the rites. (Photo by Manny Balbin)

CITY OF MALOLOS, Bulacan -- Governor-elect Daniel R. Fernando on Friday pledged to lead the province to greater heights and asked the help and cooperation of all local officials and full support of the Bulakenyos.

During the mass oath-taking of the newly elected local officials, held at the Bulacan Capitol Gymnasium in this city, the former vice governor also expressed his gratitude for the trust and confidence given to him by former governor and now Vice Governor Wilhelmino Sy-Alvarado and for the opportunity to serve the people of Bulacan.

Fernando took his oath of office before Executive Judge Olivia V. Escubio. He said the mass oath-taking is a perfect venue for all the public servants, regardless of their political affiliations, to unite in leading and serving their constituents in the next three years starting July 1.

The new governor also presented his program of services through "The People's Agenda 10" with focus on health, quality education for the youth, livelihood for every Bulakenyo, agriculture, proactive social services, progressive projects for every town, tourism, nature and environment, peace and order, and good and honest governance.

"Ito po ang ating layuning pangkaunlaran. Tayo ay magpapatuloy sa nasimulang programang pangkaunlaran at palalawakin ito. Ang aking pangarap ay

magandang bunga ang madala sa hapag ng bawat pamilyang Bulakenyo.

Ang kailangan natin ay hindi sa numero lamang bagkus ay kaunlarang nadarama ng bawat isa, maging ng mga maralita sa ating lipunan (This is our goal for development. We will continue the development program that we began and expand it. My dream is to bring good results to the table of every Bulakenyo family. We need not only numbers but progress and development that can be felt by everyone, even the poor ones in our society)," Fernando said.

The new governor also enumerated some of the projects they have lined up that are seen to benefit the Bulakenyos -- the Bulacan Bulk Water Supply, international airport, comprehensive flood control projects, railway system, the Metro Rail Transit - 7, media hub, Bulacan techno hubs, and other infrastructure projects that will ensure jobs and employment for Bulakenyos.

Aside from Fernando, others who took their oath are Alvarado, representatives of the five congressional districts of Bulacan -- Jonathan Sy-Alvarado (1st District); Apol Pancho (2nd District); Lorna Silverio (3rd District); Henry Villarica (4th District); and Rida Robes (Lone District of City of San Jose del Monte), board members, and mayors, vice mayors and Sanggunian members of the province's 23 towns and three cities. (PNA)

Bulacan Military Camp Facilities

SAN MIGUEL, Bulacan—Various infrastructure projects will soon start inside a military camp here as part of the government's continuous support to the soldiers.

Public Works and Highways Secretary Mark Villar on Thursday led the ceremonial groundbreaking of some facilities inside Camp Tecson at the First Scout Rangers Regiment Headquarters in Barangay Tartaro.

He was assisted by Philippine Army Commanding General, Lt. Gen. Macairog S. Alberto, First Scout Ranger Regiment (FSSR) commander, Brig. Gen. William N. Gonzales, DPWH Regional Director Roseller Tolentino, and District Engineer Ramiro Cruz in laying a time capsule to officially signal the start of construction of the facilities.

Villar said the multi-facility project will include the construction of FSSR clubhouse, multi-purpose building and two-storey, 20-door transient quarters for use of Scout Rangers.

He said the DPWH is also set to do asphalt overlaying on the military base perimeter road as part of the project.

"The construction of several infrastructures in Camp Tecson is part of the government's goal to show support to soldiers by modernizing and providing more capable facilities for their proper usage," Villar added.

Tolentino, meanwhile, said all three projects will be completed within the year, except for the clubhouse which is targeted to be completed in 2020.

"We will make sure that we will not renege on the commitment made by the Secretary to provide our soldiers the quality facilities they deserve," Tolentino said.

The First Scout Ranger Regiment is a unit of the Philippine Army specializing in anti-guerrilla jungle warfare, raids, ambushes, close quarters combat, urban warfare, and sabotage. (PNA)

BALITA SA WIKANG PINOY

Retrofitting sa Angat Dam tapos na

LUNGSOD NG MALOLOS -- Mas pinatatag na ang istraktura ng Angat Dam matapos makumpleto ang ginawang retrofitting sa ilalim ng Angat Dam and Dyke Strengthening Project.

Iyan ang iniulat ni Engr. Wilfredo S. Senandrin, Principal Engineer A ng Dams Management Department ng National Power Corporation, sa ginanap na Talakayang Bulakenyo na inorganisa ng Provincial Public Affairs Office.

Taong 2015 nang ilunsad ni noo'y Pangulong Benigno S. Aquino III ang proyekto alinsunod sa rekomendasyon ng Tykin and Taylor, isang malayang nagsuri at nagsaliksik sa Angat Dam noong 2012.

Idinesenyo ang pagpapatatag sa istraktura ng dam upang makaya ang pagyanig ng isang 7.2 magnitude na lindol. May tatlong bahagi ang ginawang pagpapatibay- ang main dam cross section, main dyke cross section at ang secondary dike section.

Ang main dam cross section ay bahagi ng Angat Dam kung saan may dike na nagkakanlong sa pagitan ng mga nakaimbak na tubig at sa kabila naman nakatayo ang Angat Hydroelectric Plant. Ito ang planta ng kuryente na may mga turbinang nagbobomba ng tubig para makalikha ng 246 megawatts na kuryente.

Dito naglatag ng limang metrong dike sa pamamagitan ng pagtatanim ng

malalaking bloke ng bato sa istraktura ng Angat Dam. Dating lupa lamang ang nagsisilbing dike ng Angat Dam na ang nasa ibabaw ay kalsadang nag-uugnay mula sa watershed patungo sa spillway.

Ang watershed ay ang pinagtataniman ng mga puno upang magbigay kontribusyon na mapanatiling may sapat na imbak na tubig sa dam, sa pamamagitan ng katas ng ugat ng mga puno nakatanim dito. Umabot sa 568 metro ang haba ng nilagyan ng dike at may taas na 131 metro.

Limang metro rin ang ikinapal ng dike sa may main dike cross section sa kabilang bahagi ng Angat Dam paglagpas ng spillway, o ang daluyan ng tubig kapag nagpapakawala ng tubig ang dam.

Mas mababaw naman ang bahaging ito dahil 350 metro lamang ang haba ng ikinonkreto habang 40 metro ang taas. Ito na ang upper stream ng Angat Dam. Sa secondary dike cross section naman, kinapalan ng limang metro ang ginawang dike.

Pinondohan ng Angat Hydro Corporation ang proyekto sa halagang 1 bilyon piso. Magkasosyo sa kumpanyang ito ang San Miguel Corporation at ang mamumuhunan mula sa South Korea na K-Water.

Basura ng mga ospital sa Bulacan



Nagpulong sa Kapitolyo ang iba't ibang ahensiya ng pamahalaang nasyonal, pamahalaang panlalawigan, mga pamahalaang bayan at pribadong sektor upang resolbahin ang kasalukuyang usapin tungkol sa pagtatapunan ng basura ng mga pampublikong ospital sa Bulacan. (Shane F. Velasco/PIA 3)

LUNGSOD NG MALOLOS-- Nakahanap na ng alternatibong pagtatapunan ng basura mula sa mga district hospitals ang Pamahalaang Panlalawigan ng Bulacan matapos mahinto ang operasyon ng Wacuman o ang Waster Custodial Management Inc. na nakabase sa Norzagaray.

Ayon kay Gobernador Wilhelmino M. Sy-Alvarado, hinahakot na ang mga basura mula sa Bulacan Medical Center sa Malolos, Emilio G. Perez Memorial Hospital sa Hagonoy at sa Rogaciano Mercado Memorial District Hospital sa Santa Maria patungo sa Metro Clark sa Capas, Tarlac at sa Cavite. Ito'y upang hindi na maimbak pa ang mga basura sa mga nasabing ospital.

Matatandaan na lumabas sa ulat ng Commission on Audit para sa taong 2018 na hindi nakokolekta ang mga basura sa natukoy na mga ospital na pag-aari at pinangangasiwaan ng Pamahalaang Panlalawigan ng Bulacan.

Nakahinto kasi ngayon ang operasyon ng Wacuman Inc. matapos hindi i-renew ng Pamahalaang Bayan ng Norzagaray ang kanilang business permit dahil sa usapin ng pagkakaroon ng epekto sa kalidad ng tubig sa kailugan ng Kaybubuwaya.

Kasalukuyan itong iniimbestigahan ng Environmental Management Bureau sa pamamagitan ng pagsusuri sa tunay na kalidad ng tubig sa nasabing ilog na nasa ibaba ng burol, kung saan matatagpuan ang engineered sanitary landfill ng Wacuman Inc. Ito'y sa kabila ng mayroong Environmental Compliance Certificate o ECC ang nasabing kumpanya. Ipinaliwanag naman ni Depart-

ment of the Interior and Local Government Provincial Director Darwin David na sa mga umiiral na batas, hindi ibig sabihin na may ECC ang isang sanitary facility, ay mauubliga ang isang pamahalaang lokal na magpalabas ng business permit. Tinitingnan din aniya sa pagkakaloob ng business permit kung nasusunod ang mga pamantayan sa ibinigay na ECC.

Naging sanitary landfill ang 18 ektaryang buruling lupa sa Sitio Tiya-kad, Barangay San Mateo sa Norzagaray sa bisa ng Proclamation 1655 na ipinalabas ni noo'y Pangulong Gloria Macapagal Arroyo noong Oktubre 28, 2009. Dito idinedeklara na ang lugar na ito ay isang alternatibong waste disposal facility ng 21 bayan at tatlong lungsod ng Bulacan, mga lungsod sa Metro Manila at mga kalapit na lugar.

Iginilit ni Arthur A. Legaspi, Pangulo ng Wacuman Inc., na ang pasilidad ay umiiral sang-ayon sa Proclamation 1655. Dito rin sila binigyang ng 25 taon upang magamit ang pasilidad na ngayong 2019 ay nasa ika-10 taon na. Kapag natapos na ang 25 taon, ayon kay Christine Halago, Manager ng administration department ng Wacuman Inc., plano ng kumpanya na gamitin ito sa panibagong produktibong paggamit gaya ng Golf Course.

Samantala, tiniyak naman ni Department of Environment and Natural Resources Assistant Regional Director Tirso Parian na mahigpit na paiiralin ang Republic Act 9003 o ang Ecological Solid Waste Management Act at ang Republic Act 9275 o ang Clean Water Act. (PIA 3)

IN THE NAVY



TAMPA, Florida. U.S. Navy Veteran Lt. Isaiah Staley, Team SOCOM, competes against Team Australia in Wheelchair Rugby during the 2019 DoD Warrior Games hosted in Tampa, Fla., June 26, 2019. More than 300 military service members and veterans from the U.S. and partner nations are participating in 14 adaptive sports events. (Photo by U.S. Marine Corps Staff Sgt. Jacob P. Johnson, USSOCOM Office of Communication)



TAMPA, Fla. Navy veteran Chief Petty Officer Joshua Erickson, Team Navy, draws an arrow during the archery finals of the 2019 DoD Warrior Games in Tampa, Florida. The Warrior Games were established in 2010 as a way to enhance the recovery and rehabilitation of wounded, ill and injured service members and expose them to adaptive sports. Approximately 300 athletes are participating in 13 adaptive sport competitions June 21-30. The athletes represent the United States Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force and Special Operations Command. Athletes from the United Kingdom, Australia, Canada, the Netherlands and Denmark will also compete. (U.S. Navy Photo by Mass Communication Specialist 2nd Class Ethan T. Miller)



ATLANTIC OCEAN. The Arleigh Burke-class guided-missile destroyer USS Carney (DDG 64) transits through the Atlantic Ocean with the Santa Maria-class Spanish frigate Numancia (F83) during a war-at-sea exercise, June 24, 2019. Carney, forward-deployed to Rota, Spain, is on its sixth patrol in the U.S. 6th Fleet area of operations in support of regional allies and partners as well as U.S. national security interests in Europe and Africa. (U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist 1st Class Fred Gray IV)



PACIFIC OCEAN. Naval Aircrewman (Helicopter) 2nd Class Matt Braaten, from Lacenter, Washington, flies in an MH-60S Seahawk assigned to the "Dragon Ready Whales" of Helicopter Sea Combat Squadron (HSC) 28, currently attached to the hospital ship USNS Comfort (T-AH 20). Comfort is working with health and government partners in Central America, South America, and the Caribbean to provide care on the ship and at land-based medical sites, helping to relieve pressure on national medical systems strained by an increase in Venezuelan migrants. (U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist 2nd Class Morgan K. Nall)



SUEZ CANAL. The Wasp-class amphibious assault ship USS Kearsarge (LHD 3) transits the Suez Canal. Kearsarge is the flagship for the Kearsarge Amphibious Group and, with the embarked 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit, is deployed to the U.S. 5th Fleet area of operations in support of naval operations to ensure maritime stability and security in the Central Region, connecting the Mediterranean and the Pacific through the Western Indian Ocean and three strategic choke points. (U.S. Navy photo by Mass Communication Specialist 1st Class Michael DiMestico)



U.S. Government Conducts Targeting and Risk Management Training with Philippine Border Security Agencies



Participants from the Bureau of Customs, Bureau of Immigration, and Philippine Coast Guard visited the National Coast Watch Center with course trainers.

Manila — The U.S. Embassy in the Philippines conducted a border security training with 19 officers from the Bureau of Customs, Bureau of Immigration, and Philippine Coast Guard from June 17 to 21. The training provided participants with a thorough understanding of the targeting and risk management process to help identify high-risk shipments as well as high-risk persons entering the country.

The training was funded by the U.S. Department of State's Export Control and Related Border Security (EXBS) program and conducted by U.S. Customs and Border Protection.

During the course, participants learned best practices for collecting, tracking, and reporting data and informa-

tion, as well as analyzing and assessing risks. A visit to the Philippines National Coast Watch Center (NCWC) emphasized the importance of inter-agency collaboration in the targeting and risk management process. While visiting, participants learned about the NCWC's mandate and structure as well as toured its facilities.

The EXBS program seeks to help partner countries build effective national strategic trade control systems. In the Philippines, EXBS partners with the government on improving border security capabilities, strengthening the strategic trade management system, and improving capabilities in preventing proliferation of weapons of mass destruction.

Bataan gov't officials take oath



OATH-TAKING. Re-elected Bataan Governor Albert Garcia (3rd from left) is sworn into office during the mass oath-taking of provincial officials held at the Grand Ballroom of Lou-Is Restaurant in Balanga City, Bataan on Thursday (June 27, 2019). Garcia enjoined all elected government officials to continue working together to achieve more development for the province. (Photo courtesy of the Provincial Government of Bataan)

BALANGA CITY, Bataan -- Municipal, provincial and congressional officials in this province who were elected in the May 13 mid-term polls on Thursday took their oath here in preparation for their assumption of office on July 1st.

Sworn into office were 98 members of the Sangguniang Bayan and Sangguniang Panglungsod, 12 mayors and 12 vice-mayors in 11 towns and a city in rites held at the Grand Ballroom of Lou-Is Restaurant.

Reelected mayors are Maria Angela Garcia of Dinalupihan; Jopet Inton of Hermosa; Efren Pascual Jr. of Orani; Liberato Santiago Jr. of Abucay; Francis Garcia of Balanga City; Antonio Raymundo of Orion; and Cynthia Estanislao of Morong.

Newly-elected are Mayors Aida Macalinao of Samal; Carlos Pizarro Jr. of Pilar; Nelson David of Limay; Jocelyn Castaneda of Mariveles and Ramil del Rosario of Bagac.

Also took their oath were 10 members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan and reelectionists Vice Governor

Crisanta Garcia, 2nd district Rep. Jose Enrique Garcia III and Governor Albert Garcia.

"Tapos na ang eleksyon, tayong lahat ay taga Bataan kaya naman sigurado akong uunahin natin kung ano ang nararapat at dapat para sa ating bayan, para sa ating lalawigan (The election is over. We are all from Bataan, that is why I am sure that we will prioritize what is appropriate and must be done for our town and for our province)," Rep. Garcia said.

Governor Garcia said he was happy that although the elected officials belong to different parties and of different belief, they showed unity during the oath-taking.

"Napakagandang pangitain ito at napakagandang larawan para sa ating mga kababayan. Huwag po nating sayangin ito (This is a wonderful vision and a beautiful picture for our people. Let us not waste it)," the governor said.

Only Rep. Geraldine Roman was not able to attend the oath-taking who is in Spain. (PNA)