

Vice Governor Ram Revilla Bautista Elected NMYL CALABARZON Regional Chairperson

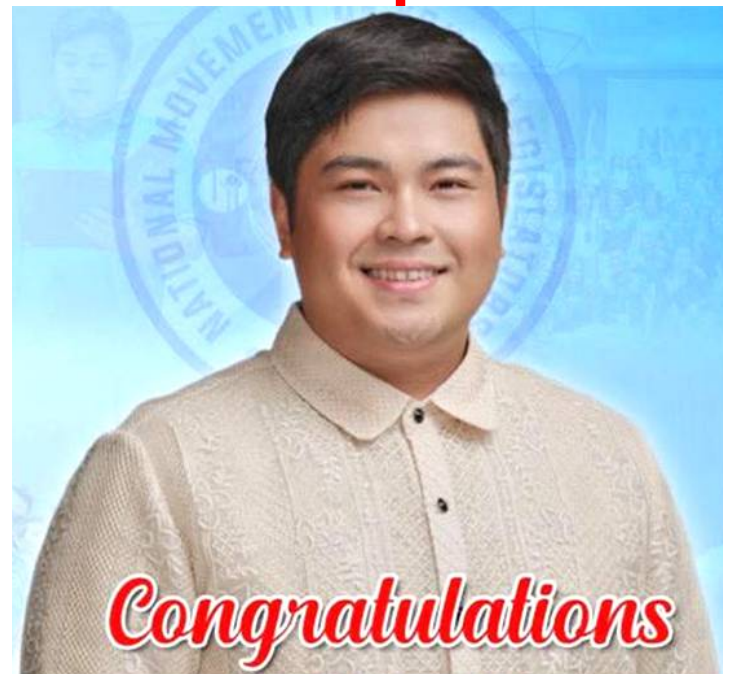
The City of Bacoor and the entire province of Cavite proudly celebrate the election of Vice Governor Ram Revilla Bautista as the new Regional Chairperson of the National Movement of Young Legislators (NMYL) CALABARZON. His appointment marks a significant milestone for Caviteño leadership, reinforcing the province's growing influence in youth-led governance across the region.

Vice Governor Bautista's rise to regional leadership is a reflection of his dedication to public service and his ability to inspire fellow young legislators. Known for his dynamic approach and commitment to inclusive development, he is expected to champion initiatives that promote excellent leadership, transparency, and civic engagement throughout CALABARZON's five provinces—Cavite, Laguna, Batangas, Rizal, and Quezon.

As a proud son of Bacoor, VG Ram carries with him the aspirations of his constituents. His leadership style—grounded in compassion, creativity, and responsiveness—has earned him the trust of both local communities and regional peers.

His new role in NMYL positions him to amplify youth voices and foster collaborative governance across diverse sectors.

In a heartfelt message, his mother expressed her pride and confidence in his continued service: "As your Mama, I am proud of you and I am confident that with this new accomplishment, ▶ **VICE GOVERNOR • 7**



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RAM REVILLA

(Photo Credit : Cong. Lani Mercado Revilla FB Page)

PRA and PEATC Launch Sustainable Development Initiatives in Naic, Backed by SILG Jonvic Remulla



Tanza, Cavite — In a landmark event held at the Tanza Oasis Hotel and Resort, the Philippine Reclamation Authority (PRA) and the Philippine Environment and Aquatic Technology Center (PEATC) formally launched a suite of initiatives aimed at promoting sustainable development in Naic, Cavite. The program brought together national and local leaders, fisherfolk, scholars, and environmental advocates in a unified push toward a more resilient and eco-conscious future. ▶ **PRA AND PEATC • 7**

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Mayor Strike Revilla Leads Inauguration of 12-Classroom Building at Salinas Elementary School



Bacoor City, Cavite — In a resounding affirmation of Bacoor's commitment to educational advancement, Mayor Strike Revilla led the ceremonial opening of a newly constructed 12-classroom building at Salinas Elementary School, a project that underscores the city's vision for inclusive and future-ready learning spaces.

The inauguration was attended by Vice Mayor Rowena Bautista-Mendiola, City Councilors Karen Sarino Evaristo, Noly Galvez, and Levy Tela, along with Schools Division Superintendent Dr. Babylyn M. Pambid and school principal Mr. Feliciano F. De Vera Jr. Also present were Barangay Chairmen Kapitan Nicanor D. Espiritu (Salinas 1) and Kapitan Mark G. Torno (Salinas 2), with Bishop Erik Santos offering a solemn blessing for the new facility. ▶ **MAYOR STRIKE • 7**

Imus Representative Meets with Senators to Push for District Development

In a proactive move to advance the progress of Imus City, the district's representative recently met with several senators to present the city's most pressing needs. The meeting served as a platform to discuss key initiatives aimed at improving infrastructure, expanding social services, and uplifting the lives of every Imuseño.

Among the top priorities raised were road expansion projects, modernization of public facilities, and increased funding for education and healthcare. These proposals form part of the #CONGkretongAJenda—a comprehensive plan designed to deliver efficient, inclusive, and people-centered governance at the local level.

The senators warmly welcomed the delegation from Imus and expressed their full support for the city's development agenda. With national backing, the implementation of these projects is expected to accelerate, bringing tangible benefits to communities across the district.

Under the banner of #AlagangAdvincula, the representative emphasized a commitment to serving all sectors of society—from the youth and senior citizens to workers and small business ▶ **IMUS • 7**



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CvSU Successfully Concludes Hybrid AACCCUP 3rd Survey Visit Phase 2 Across Bacoor, Naic, and CCAT Campuses

Cavite State University (CvSU) proudly marked another milestone in its commitment to academic excellence with the successful completion of the AACCCUP 3rd Survey Visit Phase 2 held from August 27 to 29, 2025. The hybrid accreditation process covered three CvSU campuses—Bacoor, Naic, and CCAT—and was led by distinguished accreditors from various state universities across the country.

At the Bacoor Campus, three academic programs underwent rigorous evaluation. The Bachelor of Science in Computer Science was assessed under the leadership of Dr. Nancy M. Santiago (BuSU), with Dr. Jaime P. Pulumbarit (BuSU) as Lead Accreditor and Dr. Liza M. Tamargo (IfSU) as Librarian. The Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Management was evaluated by a team headed by Dr. Ronald M. Ramirez (CTU), supported by Dr. May Ann C. Pulgo (CTU) and Dr. Tamargo. Meanwhile, the Bachelor of Secondary Education major in English and Mathematics was reviewed by Dr. Job D. Paguio (BPSU) and Dr. Janelyn I. Agbayani (CagSU).

Naic Campus also welcomed accreditors for three programs. The Bachelor of Elementary Education was led by Dr. Elizabeth H. Alonzo (ISU) and Dr. Joey M. Villanueva

(NVSU).

The Bachelor of Science in Business Administration major in Marketing Management was evaluated by Dr. Serapio O. Castriciones (NVSU) and Dr. Richard S. Celeste (MSU Marawi). For the Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Dr. Randy Joy M. Ventayen (PSU) served as Team Leader, with Dr. Aphril A. Alcalde (RTU) as Lead Accreditor.

At CCAT Campus, the Bachelor of Secondary Education major in English, Mathematics, and Science underwent accreditation under the guidance of Dr. Jaime M. Forbes (PSU), Prof. Karen P. Andres (PRMSU), and Dr. Tamargo (IfSU). The collaborative efforts of the CvSU administration, faculty, and staff ensured a smooth and productive evaluation process.

CvSU extends its deepest gratitude to its University President, Vice Presidents, Quality



Assurance Director and Coordinators, Task Force Members, and Admin Council for their

unwavering support and dedication. Their collective efforts reflect CvSU's enduring commitment to

quality assurance and continuous improvement in higher education. The university now looks

forward to favorable results that will further elevate its academic standing.

Press, Public, and Planet: National Press Club and Cavite Press Corps Lead Tree Planting in Noveleta for National Press Freedom Day

NOVELETA, CAVITE — August 29, 2025- In a powerful gesture of solidarity between media and local governance, the National Press Club of the Philippines, under the leadership of National President Boying Abasola, joined forces with the Cavite Press Corps and the Municipality of Noveleta to spearhead a tree planting activity in Sitio Long Beach, Barangay San Rafael IV, Noveleta, Cavite. The event marked the 3rd celebration of National Press Freedom Day, commemorating the enduring role of journalism in shaping a free and responsible society.



The coastal reforestation initiative drew dozens of journalists, civic leaders, and volunteers who planted native tree species along the shoreline, reinforcing both environmental resilience and community engagement. President Abasola emphasized the symbolic power of the activity: "Just as trees take root and grow, so must

our commitment to truth, transparency, and the protection of press freedom."

Mayor Dino Reyes Chua of Noveleta welcomed the collaboration, noting that the partnership between the press and local government reflects a shared mission to serve the public good. "We are proud to host this meaningful event. It's a reminder that freedom of

expression and environmental stewardship go hand in hand in building a sustainable future."

The Cavite Press Corps, known for its active civic involvement, echoed the call for responsible journalism and ecological awareness. The event also served as a platform to honor the legacy of Filipino journalists who have championed press

freedom despite adversity.

National Press Freedom Day, observed every August 30 in honor of Marcelo H. del Pilar, continues to inspire media practitioners to uphold ethical reporting and defend democratic values. This year's celebration in Noveleta stands as a living testament to the press's role not only in informing the public but in nurturing the land and spirit of the nation.

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ALS Completers Honored in Alfonso: Mayor Randy Salamat Reaffirms Commitment to Inclusive Education



ALFONSO, CAVITE — The Municipality of Alfonso proudly celebrated the achievements of the 2024–2025 Alternative Learning System (ALS) completers in a heartfelt ceremony that highlighted the power of second chances and the promise of a brighter future. The event served as a tribute not only to the learners but also to the dedicated teachers and supportive families who stood by them throughout their educational journey.

Mayor Randy Salamat led the celebration, extending his warm congratulations to all the graduates and reaffirming the local government's unwavering support for education. "ALS

is more than an alternative—it's a lifeline for those who dare to dream again," Mayor Salamat said, emphasizing the program's role in empowering Alfonsoños to rise above

life's challenges and pursue their aspirations.

The ceremony also recognized the invaluable contributions of ALS educators and parents, whose guidance and

encouragement helped shape the success of each learner. Their commitment reflects the spirit of community that defines Alfonso—a town where education is a shared responsibility and every milestone is a collective triumph.

Under Mayor Salamat's third term and the banner of Responsableng

Serbisyo, the local government continues to champion inclusive learning through initiatives like ALS, scholarship programs, and community-based education hubs. These efforts aim to ensure that no Alfonsoño is left behind, regardless of age, background, or circumstance.

As the graduates step forward into new chapters of their lives, the Municipality of Alfonso stands proud. "Congratulations to all our ALS completers. You are the hope of our town, and your success inspires us to keep building a future where education is for everyone," Mayor Salamat concluded.

SUSTEX 2025 Opens at SM Aura, Showcasing Breakthroughs in Sustainability and Climate Resilience

Taguig City, Philippines — The SM-DOST Sustainability Expo (SUSTEX) 2025 officially opened today at the SMX Convention Center in SM Aura, drawing together innovators, policymakers, and sustainability advocates from across the country. The event, co-presented by SM Prime Holdings and the Department of Science and Technology (DOST), aims to accelerate the adoption of sustainable business practices through science-driven solutions and scalable technologies.

SUSTEX 2025 centers on five key pillars of environmental performance: waste management, water conservation, energy efficiency, air quality improvement, and disaster resilience. Exhibitors and speakers are showcasing cutting-edge innovations—from rainwater treatment systems and solar-powered infrastructure to advanced recycling technologies and climate-adaptive urban planning tools. These solutions reflect a growing commitment to circular economy principles and climate action across both public and private sectors.

DOST Secretary Renato U. Solidum, Jr. emphasized the role of science and technology in shaping a resilient future. "We are here not just to exhibit technologies, but to build partnerships that empower communities and industries to lead in

sustainability," he said during the opening ceremony. SM Prime Executive Committee Chairman Hans T. Sy echoed this sentiment, highlighting the importance of innovation in achieving long-term environmental goals.

The expo also features interactive forums, policy dialogues, and knowledge-sharing sessions with experts from the academe, government, and international organizations. These engagements aim to foster collaboration and inspire actionable strategies for environmental stewardship, aligned with the EU-PH Green Economy Partnership and the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

SUSTEX 2025 runs until August 30 and is expected to attract thousands of participants, including local government units, youth leaders, and corporate sustainability officers. The event serves as a platform



not only for showcasing solutions but also for

catalyzing inclusive, community-driven change.

(Photo courtesy of Development and DOST-STII's Content Editorial Section)

Career Guidance Orientation Empowers Bulihan Senior High Students Toward Brighter Futures

Bulihan Integrated National High School recently held a dynamic Career Guidance Orientation aimed at preparing senior high school students for life after graduation. The event, made possible through the initiative of Congressman Roy M. Loyola, brought together educators, civic leaders, and youth advocates to guide students as they face critical decisions about college, career paths, and personal aspirations.

The orientation was a collaborative effort that highlighted the importance of early preparation and informed choices. With the active support of Mayor Gentel Carranza, the local government of Silang, Cavite reaffirmed its commitment to youth empowerment and inclusive education. Mayor Carranza's presence and message of encouragement underscored the municipality's dedication to nurturing future leaders and professionals.

Throughout the day, students engaged in interactive sessions, heard inspiring testimonials from professionals, and received practical advice on navigating college applications, vocational opportunities, and scholarship programs. The event also featured open forums where students voiced their dreams and concerns, fostering a supportive environment for dialogue and discovery.

Teachers and guest speakers emphasized the value of resilience, purpose-driven planning, and community involvement. "Ang tagumpay ay hindi lamang



(Photo Credit : Mayor Gentel Carranza FB Page)

nasusukat sa diploma, kundi sa dedikasyon at tamang gabay," one speaker noted, echoing the event's theme of holistic development and lifelong learning.

The Career Guidance

Orientation concluded with a renewed sense of hope and direction among the students. As Bulihan's senior high learners prepare to take their next steps, the community's unified support—led by

Congressman Loyola and Mayor Carranza—serves as a powerful reminder that their journey is not solitary. With the right guidance, their future is not only possible—it is promising.

This initiative stands as a testament to Silang's proactive approach in shaping a generation of #FutureAchievers, ready to contribute meaningfully to society and pursue their dreams with confidence.

CSU, DOST XII, and LGUs Unite for Sustainable Transport in SOCCSKSARGEN

Cagayan State University (CSU) took a bold step toward promoting green technology in transportation by signing two landmark agreements with the Department of Science and Technology Region XII (DOST XII) and local government units. The initiative aims to introduce innovative e-mobility projects across the SOCCSKSARGEN region, offering cleaner and more affordable alternatives to traditional transport systems.



During the ceremonial launch held on August 28, 2025, at the Grand Summit Hotel in General Santos City, CSU officially unveiled two flagship projects: the C-Trike, a community-based electric tricycle for North Cotabato, and the eTram, a 10+1 seater electric tram for Tupi, South Cotabato. These vehicles are designed to reduce emissions and improve accessibility for local commuters.

The event was led by DOST Secretary Dr. Renato Solidum Jr.,

joined by local leaders including Tupi Mayor Romeo Tamayo and Vice Mayor Glenn Hatulan. Representing CSU were Engr. Roger Rumpon and Dr. Audy Quebral, who emphasized the importance of collaboration between academia, government, and communities in advancing sustainable innovation.

These projects are part of the ongoing efforts of CSU's Electromobility Research and Development Center (EMRDC), which champions zero-emission technologies and smart

mobility solutions nationwide. The center continues to push boundaries in research and development to support the country's transition to eco-friendly transport.

With strong partnerships and shared vision, CSU, DOST XII, and participating LGUs are paving the way for SOCCSKSARGEN to become a model region for sustainable transport, proving that innovation and environmental responsibility can go hand in hand.

Cavite City Honors Its Nonagenarian Citizens: A Testament to Lifelong Grace and Community Care

In Cavite City, the value of honoring our elders is more than tradition—it's a cornerstone of compassionate governance. Recently, five distinguished Nonagenarian Caviteños, each aged 90 and above, paid a special visit to the office of Mayor Denver Chua. Their presence was a moving reminder of the strength, wisdom, and faith that have shaped generations of Caviteños.



Mayor Chua warmly welcomed the senior guests, expressing deep admiration for their enduring vitality and spiritual resilience.

> "Kayo po ay inspirasyon sa amin na mamuhay nang simple, malusog, at puno ng pananampalataya upang humaba ang buhay," he shared, reflecting the city's commitment to nurturing lives of meaning and dignity.

Under Mayor Denver Chua's leadership, Cavite City continues to champion programs that uplift senior citizens—ensuring access to healthcare, safe public spaces, and inclusive community activities. His administration remains steadfast in its mission to create a city where every resident, regardless of age, feels valued and supported.

> "Makakaasa po kayo na lalo pa naming

pagbubutihin ang aming panunungkulan upang manatiling masaya, ligtas, at kaaya-aya ang ating lungsod," Mayor Chua affirmed.

This celebration of longevity is more than a tribute—it's a reflection of Cavite City's vision: a historic city by the bay where every generation thrives in harmony.

Because in Cavite City, aging is not just honored—it's embraced with pride.

Eastern Visayas RSTW 2025 Spurs Partnerships for Smarter Communities

Tacloban City, Leyte – Eastern Visayas formally opened the 2025 Regional Science, Technology, and Innovation Week (RSTW) on September 3 at Summit Hotel, with simultaneous exhibits and activities at Robinsons Mall, Marasbaras. Organized by the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) Region VIII, the event brings together government, academe, industry, and communities to showcase how science, technology, and innovation (STI) can shape smarter and more sustainable communities across the region.



The celebration commenced alongside the GeoRisk PH Summit, highlighted by the signing of a memorandum of agreement for the regional rollout of the GeoRisk Philippines Integrated Platform. This digital system serves as a one-stop hub for hazard assessments, mapping tools, and real-time analytics—supporting disaster risk reduction, evidence-based planning, and policy development for local governments and stakeholders.

In his keynote message, DOST Secretary

Renato U. Solidum Jr. stressed the importance of harnessing STI to build resilience and foster inclusive development. He emphasized that through strong partnerships among government, the private sector, and local communities, it is possible to envision a future where disasters are less destructive, renewable energy is widely adopted, agriculture adapts to climate change, and growth opportunities extend even to rural areas.

With the national theme “Siyensiya, Teknolohiya at

Inobasyon: Kabalik at Matatag, Maginhawa at Panatag na Kinabukasan” and the regional banner “Building Smart and Sustainable Communities,” this year’s RSTW highlights how emerging technologies, local innovations, and community-driven solutions can address pressing challenges and drive regional progress. Participants are expected to engage in forums, explore interactive exhibits, and experience technology demonstrations from DOST and its partners.

A major highlight of the week is the 2025 STI Awards, which recognized outstanding beneficiaries of DOST programs such as the Small Enterprise Technology Upgrading Program (SETUP), Community Empowerment thru Science and Technology (CEST), and Grants-in-Aid (GIA). From entrepreneurs developing unique products to farmer groups adopting modern technologies, this year’s awardees exemplify how science and innovation directly uplift lives and strengthen local industries. As Secretary Solidum



noted, the honorees prove that science is not confined to textbooks or laboratories—it is about lives improved, livelihoods uplifted, and futures secured.

Another key feature was the signing of a partnership among the DOST-Philippine Textile Research Institute (PTRI), DOST Region VIII, and the Local Government Unit of Bobon, Northern Samar. The collaboration seeks to enhance fiber extraction technologies from abaca and pineapple,

transforming agricultural by-products into sustainable raw materials for the textile sector while creating new livelihood opportunities in local communities.

Running until September 5, the 2025 RSTW in Eastern Visayas stands as a regional showcase of innovation and collaboration—affirming that science and technology are vital in building resilient, future-ready, and inclusive communities. **(Nelson Santos)**

Akbay Kalikasan-AKESMI partners with stakeholders to heighten community participation on environmental projects

The Akbay Kalikasan for Environmental Society Management Inc. (AKESMI) recently launched a multi-sectoral collaborations through river clean-up drive project “Linis-Ilog at Rio Grande” held in Bacao I, General Trias City, Cavite together with organizations and groups from different sectors to achieve a common goal, to promote environmental conservation, sustainability, climate resilience, and disaster risk reduction through community participation.

“We are thankful to General Trias City Mayor Jon-Jon Ferrer and CENRO for supporting the launching of Coastal and River Clean-Up Drive in Brgy. Bacao I. We hope to replicate this in other communities in Cavite province towns and cities”, Castillo said.

Akbay Kalikasan-AKESMI President/Chairman Prof. Julio Castillo, Jr. welcomed the volunteers from General Trias City Mayor's Office, CENRO, PNP, Phil Army CDC RESCOM, BFP, Phil Navy, Brgy Council Bacao I, Cavite Varsitarians, Guardians, Damayan Gentry Bacao I, CSWD, Toda Bacao I, DENR Ilog Rangers and Rajah At Prinsesa Kalikasan Cavite Pageant Candidates as partners to help in its advocacy to preserve and protect the environment.

“Despite the destructive

effects of climate change like floods, we are already experiencing, now is the best time to unite; it is never too late to join hands to save our planet,” Castillo said.

Akbay Kalikasan-AKESMI recently signed partnership agreements with the CDC-Akbay Reserve Command, Lyceum of the Philippines-Cavite, PUP-Maragondon and Cavite Varsitarians-PK II to promote government environmental programs aligned with the protection, conservation and management of the country's environment and natural resources.

“Akbay Kalikasan-AKESMI will always welcome those who wanted to give their time and resources to participate and collaborate with our Environmental programs such as Linis at Tanim (Eco Gardening), Coastal and



River Clean-Up, Mangrove Reforestation, Tree Planting, Zero Waste at Source Lecture Series, Takbo Kalikasan (Eco-Fun Run Event) and the Rajah at Prinsesa Kalikasan Cavite 2025, a pageant competition for young men

and women pageant that serves as a platform for participants to champion environmental protection and conservation in the community”, Castillo added.

“The coastal and river clean-up campaign is an



important step in its environmental efforts to create awareness on pollution prevention - improving water quality and flood control through various strategies like community cooperation, public education, and

stakeholder's participation”, he said.

We must continue the culture and spirit of “Bayanihan” in our country. Coordination and cooperation are no longer optional but necessary”, Prof. Castillo noted.

MPT South... (FROM PAGE 8)

Provincial Government of Cavite, giving tourists and locals an engaging way to rediscover Cavite's heritage while boosting local businesses. The project serves as a unique tool to encourage travel to the South, aligning with MPT South's advocacy of supporting regional

growth and sustainable tourism.

"We are truly honored to receive this Award of Merit for our 'Biyaheng South' Cavite Tourism Passport. It inspires us to keep creating projects that celebrate local heritage, empower communities, and enrich

the driving experience of every traveler using our expressway," Arlette V. Capistrano, Vice President of Communication and Stakeholder Management of MPT South, said.

With this recognition, MPT South looks ahead to further innovating and championing initiatives that promote inclusivity, cultural appreciation, and

economic growth—making the South not just a destination, but a thriving hub for tourism and development.

About MPT South

MPT South is a subsidiary of Metro Pacific Tollways

Corporation (MPTC), the infrastructure arm of Metro Pacific Investments Corporation (MPIC). Aside from the CALAX and CAVITEX network of toll roads, MPTC's domestic portfolio includes the

concessions for the North Luzon Expressway (NLEX), the NLEX Connector Road, the Subic-Clark-Tarlac Expressway (SCTEX), and the Cebu-Cordova Link Expressway (CCLEX) in Cebu.

Kadiwa... (FROM PAGE 8)

available at reduced prices, directly supporting both consumers and local producers by eliminating middlemen.

Mayor Gemma Lubigan emphasized the importance of inclusive and compassionate governance in her message during the event. "The Kadiwa ng Pangulo is more than just a marketplace—it's a symbol

of unity and service," she said. "We envision a city where every resident has access to quality and affordable living."

The program aligns with the city's advocacy for Good Governance for Better Life (GGBL), promoting a safe, humane, and inclusive community. Through partnerships with agricultural sectors, local vendors, and civic

organizations, Trece Martires continues to strengthen its role as a hub for sustainable development.

Under the banner Bagong Trece: Heart of Cavite, City of Hope, the local government remains committed to delivering heartfelt public service. With initiatives like Kadiwa ng Pangulo, Trece Martires City reaffirms its dedication to uplifting lives through practical solutions and visionary leadership.

GenTri, D0Tr... (FROM PAGE 8)

The agreement paves the way for the LGU to implement vital social and livelihood programs aimed at supporting displaced residents. Among the planned initiatives are community centers, health and daycare services, and skills development programs designed to help families rebuild and thrive in their new environment.

Mayor Antonio Ferrer emphasized the city's commitment to ensuring

that infrastructure projects do not only serve transit goals but also uphold the dignity and welfare of every citizen. "We are here to make sure that every government project brings hope and opportunity, especially for our youth," he said.

The LRT-1 South Extension Project, a major transportation initiative, has necessitated the relocation of several households. Through this

partnership, the LGU seeks to transform the relocation site into a hub of inclusive development, where affected families can access essential services and economic opportunities.

This collaborative effort reflects the city's broader vision of a progressive and compassionate General Trias. Under the banner of #LetsJoinForces and #AlagangGenTriAlagangFerrer, the LGU continues to champion equitable development and community resilience.

SM... (FROM PAGE 8)

Held at SMX Convention Center Aura in Taguig, the Sustainability Expo (SUSTEX) 2025 gathered leaders from government, business, and civil society to showcase scalable solutions for climate resilience, disaster preparedness, and green technology. With the theme Innovation for Environmental Stewardship, the event served as a launchpad for the SM-DOST alliance, which promises to bring science-based sustainability practices to the heart of commercial operations and community development.

SM Supermalls President Steven Tan emphasized the inclusive nature of the partnership, noting that over 70% of SM tenants are MSMEs. "This isn't just SM and DOST—it's SM, DOST, and our tenants," Tan said. "With

DOST providing knowledge, SM offering the platform, and MSMEs applying innovation, we can create real impact." The initiative will empower small businesses to adopt green technologies such as solar energy, water recycling systems, and waste-to-fuel solutions.

Secretary Solidum echoed the sentiment, highlighting the importance of public-private collaboration in addressing environmental challenges. "Through partnerships like this, we can accelerate the adoption of science-driven solutions that benefit both industry and community," he said. DOST will provide technical expertise, research support, and policy guidance to ensure that sustainability efforts are grounded in evidence and accessible to all sectors.

The partnership also

includes plans for innovation hubs, educational campaigns, and joint programs to enhance disaster resilience and climate adaptation. These efforts aim to make sustainability not just a corporate responsibility but a shared national movement. By integrating DOST's scientific leadership with SM's vast infrastructure and influence, the alliance sets a new benchmark for civic and commercial cooperation.

As the Philippines faces mounting environmental pressures, the SM-DOST pact offers a bold blueprint for inclusive progress. With grassroots empowerment, technological innovation, and strategic alignment, this dynamic duo is poised to make sustainability loud, bold, and accessible—one mall, one community, and one breakthrough at a time. **(By Reyland Lopez / PAPI 2025 Highlights)**

Congresswoman... (FROM PAGE 8)

The visit highlighted the appointment of JSUPT Christopher Penilla as Warden of BJMP Bacoar Male Dorm and JSINSP Sally Buguis as Warden of BJMP Bacoar Female Dorm. Both officials were commended for their dedication to upholding humane standards and implementing reformative programs for Persons Deprived of Liberty (PDLs) under their care. Mayor Lani expressed her full support for their leadership, noting that their work aligns with the city's values of compassion, dignity, and second chances.

"Our office is always open to agencies that serve with integrity and heart. We

stand united with BJMP in their mission to uplift lives and restore hope," Cong. Lani said, echoing the spirit of her flagship program, #AlagangAteLani. The initiative continues to champion responsive governance and people-centered service across Bacoar.

The partnership between the City Government of Bacoar and BJMP Bacoar has led to strengthened coordination in areas such as skills training, psychosocial support, and spiritual formation for PDLs. These programs aim to prepare inmates for reintegration into society, fostering a culture of rehabilitation rather than punishment.

This renewed collaboration also reflects the city's broader vision of inclusive development, where every sector—regardless of circumstance—is given the opportunity to grow, heal, and contribute. By opening its doors to BJMP and other civic institutions, Bacoar sets a model for local governance rooted in empathy, accountability, and shared responsibility.

As Bacoar continues to expand its social programs and institutional partnerships, Congresswoman Lani's leadership remains a beacon of proactive service and transformative impact—ensuring that no one is left behind in the journey toward a safer, more compassionate community.

Dasmariñas... (FROM PAGE 8)

Dasmariñas sa Bagong Milenyo and the Green Ladies. The event, held at the city hall grounds, was attended by local officials, community leaders, and members of the beneficiary groups.

Mayor Jennifer Barzaga led the ceremonial turnover, emphasizing the city's commitment to inclusive development and grassroots entrepreneurship. She noted that the sewing machines are not just tools for income generation, but symbols of resilience and creativity among Dasmariñas' women. "We continue to invest in our people, especially our women, who play a vital role in shaping a


progressive and compassionate city," she said.


The Kababaihan ng Dasmariñas sa Bagong Milenyo and Green Ladies have long been involved in various community initiatives, including skills training, environmental advocacy, and social enterprise. With the new equipment, both groups aim to expand their tailoring services, produce school uniforms, eco-friendly bags, and garments, while mentoring younger members in sewing and design.

City officials highlighted that the project aligns with Dasmariñas' broader goals of sustainability and inclusive growth. The Green Ladies, in particular,

plan to incorporate recycled materials into their sewing projects, promoting environmental responsibility alongside economic opportunity. The initiative also supports the city's Gender and Development programs, which prioritize capacity-building for women.

The ceremony concluded with a message of unity and optimism, as the recipients expressed gratitude and pledged to use the machines not only for personal gain but for the betterment of their communities. With hashtags like #SulongNaSulongPaDasmariñas and #OnwardForwardCityofDasmariñas, the event captured the spirit of progress and partnership that defines the city's vision for the future.





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PRA and PEATC... (FROM PAGE 1)

The event was graced by Secretary of the Interior and Local Government Jonvic Remulla, whose presence underscored the national government's support for grassroots innovation and inter-agency collaboration. SILG Remulla commended the efforts of PRA, PEATC, and the local government of Naic, emphasizing that "true progress begins when communities are empowered to lead sustainable change."

Among the highlights was the ceremonial blessing and distribution of newly built bangkas to local fisherfolk. These boats, designed for safer and more efficient coastal navigation, symbolize the government's commitment to strengthening livelihoods while ensuring marine

conservation. Support packages were also distributed, reinforcing inclusive growth and community resilience.

The launch also recognized outstanding scholars from Naic, celebrating their academic achievements and encouraging youth participation in science and sustainability. Complementing this was the introduction of hydroponics farming systems—climate-resilient alternatives to traditional agriculture that promote food security and responsible land use.

Mayor Magbitang, a vocal advocate for environmental reform, praised the collaborative spirit behind the initiatives. "Ang tunay na pagbabago ay nagsisimula sa pagkakaisa," he said, highlighting the role of

Mayor Strike... (FROM PAGE 1)

Mayor Revilla emphasized that the new building is more than just infrastructure—it is a symbol of Bacoor's unwavering belief that education is the foundation of a brighter future. "Sa Bacoor, hindi lang tayo nagtatayo ng gusali. Nagtatayo tayo ng pag-asa, ng kinabukasan para sa bawat batang Bacoreno," he said during his address.

The event also served as a heartfelt tribute to the late Councilor Victorio "Toto" Guerrero Jr., a respected public servant and community pillar in Barangay Salinas. His children, Mr. Victorio "Rio" Guerrero III and Ms. Vina Guerrero-Gandia, joined

the gathering to honor his legacy and contributions to local development.

With the support of the Department of Education and the City Government of Bacoor, the new classrooms are expected to ease overcrowding and enhance the learning environment for hundreds of students. The initiative reflects Bacoor's broader push for sustainable infrastructure and educational equity across its barangays.

As the city continues to invest in youth and education, the rallying call remains clear: As We Strike As One – Dahil Sa Bacoor, At Home Ka Dito!

Vice Governor... (FROM PAGE 1)

you will continue to go beyond the call of duty to serve our kababayans. Congratulations, Ram!" Her words echo the sentiments of many Caviteños who see in him a beacon of hope and integrity.

With Vice Governor Ram Revilla Bautista at the helm of NMYL CALABARZON,

the region looks forward to a new chapter of empowered youth leadership—one that upholds the values of excellence, unity, and public trust.

His election is not only a personal triumph but a collective victory for Cavite and the future of regional governance.

Imus... (FROM PAGE 1)

owners. The dialogue with the Senate highlighted a shared vision of inclusive growth and responsive leadership.

Gratitude was extended to the senators for their time, openness, and pledge of support. The meeting was not only a productive exchange of ideas but also a symbol of

unity in pursuit of a brighter future for Imus.

With strong partnerships and active citizen engagement, Imus continues to rise. Guided by purpose and compassion, the city moves forward—one step closer to becoming a model of progress and resilience.

partnerships in achieving lasting impact. With hashtags like #LetSaveNaicParaSaBatangNaic and #YormeMagbitang gaining traction online, the event concluded with a renewed call to action for civic unity and ecological responsibility.

With PRA, PEATC, and the Department of the Interior and Local Government working in concert, Naic is poised to become a model for integrated, people-centered sustainability—where innovation, education, and public service converge to shape a better tomorrow.



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IN RE: PETITION FOR NOTARIAL COMMISSION IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MENDEZ-NUNEZ, PROVINCE OF CAVITE

ADM Case No. NC 2025-014

ATTY. BENNIC B. ESGUERRA,
Petitioner.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a summary hearing in the petition for notarial commission of **ATTY. BENNIC B. ESGUERRA** shall be held on **23 September 2025** ABC Hall of Justice, Office of the Executive Judge, Naic, Cavite at 9:00 a.m.

Any person who has any cause or reason to object to the grant of the petition may file a verified written opposition thereto, received by the undersigned before the date of the summary hearing.

19 August 2025, Naic, Cavite.

FOR THE EXECUTIVE JUDGE:

(Sgd.) **ATTY. REUEL S. JIMENEZ**
Clerk of Court VI

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Delikado... buwayang pulis!

Buwaya rin ang chairman na'to...

Ultimo kagawad at brgy. tanod buwaya!!!

Dito sa lungga ko... safe ako!!!

ADDICT

Congresswoman Lani Mercado-Revilla Welcomes BJMP Bacoor Officials, Strengthens Local Partnership for Humane Jail Management



Photo Credit : Cong Lani Mercado Revilla FB page

In a continued show of inclusive leadership and civic collaboration, Cong. Lani Mercado-Revilla reaffirmed her administration's commitment to inter-agency cooperation by welcoming key officials from the Bureau of Jail Management and Penology (BJMP) Bacoor. Her office remains open to national agencies working toward public welfare, rehabilitation, and community safety—underscoring the city's dedication to holistic governance. ► **CONGRESSWOMAN • 6**

Kadiwa ng Pangulo Launched in Trece Martires City, Offering Affordable Goods to Residents

Trece Martires City — On August 28, 2025, the City Hall covered court became the venue for the successful launch of Kadiwa ng Pangulo, spearheaded by the Office of the City Agriculturist with the strong support of Mayor Gemma Lubigan. The initiative is part of a national effort to make essential goods more accessible and affordable to Filipino families.

Hundreds of Treceños benefited from the event, which featured a wide array of products including fresh fruits and vegetables, dried fish, dairy items, coffee, native delicacies, and other locally sourced goods. These items were made ► **KADIWA • 6**



Dasmariñas Awards Sewing Machines to Empower Local Women's Groups



In a bid to strengthen community-based livelihood and promote women's empowerment, the City Government of Dasmariñas held an awarding ceremony for the distribution of nine portable sewing machines to two active civic organizations—Kababaihan ng ► **DASMARIÑAS • 6**

MPT SOUTH BAGS QUILL AWARD FOR 'BIYAHENG SOUTH' CAVITE TOURISM PASSPORT INITIATIVE

City of Manila — Metro Pacific Tollways South (MPT South), a unit of Metro Pacific Tollways Corporation (MPTC), proudly received the Award of Merit at the 21st Philippine Quill Awards for its 'Biyaheng South' Cavite Tourism Passport.

The Philippine Quill Awards, organized by the International Association of Business Communicators (IABC) Philippines, is regarded as one of the most prestigious award programs in the country for business communication. It honors outstanding programs, campaigns, and publications that showcase excellence in strategy, creativity, and impact, while also contributing to the growth of organizations and communities alike.

The 'Biyaheng South' Cavite Tourism Passport bagged the Award of Merit under the Communication Skills Division, Publications Category. This project stands out as a creative initiative that promotes Cavite's diverse destinations, from unique local food spots to cultural landmarks.

An improved version of the passport was just recently relaunched on August 1, 2025, in collaboration with the ► **MPT SOUTH • 6**



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SM and DOST Forge Groundbreaking Pact for a Greener Philippines



In a powerful display of synergy between enterprise and science, SM Prime Holdings and the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) formalized a strategic partnership aimed at accelerating sustainability across the Philippines. The handshake between SM's Henry Sy Jr. and DOST Secretary Renato U. Solidum Jr. during the opening of SUSTEX 2025 was more than ceremonial—it signaled a shared commitment to future-proofing the nation through innovation and collaboration. ► **SM • 6**

GenTri, DOTr, LRTA Join Forces to Support Families Affected by LRT-1 Extension



General Trias City—In a recent coordination meeting between the Department of Transportation (DOTr), Light Rail Transit Authority (LRTA), and the local government of General Trias, officials reached a consensus to allow the construction of additional facilities at the designated relocation site for families affected by the LRT Line 1 South Extension Project. ► **GENTRI, DOTR • 6**