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Metro Manila, Cavite at Rizal: babahain sa supply ng tubig?

NORZAGARAY, Bulacan, -- Tinatayang aabot sa 1.6million litro na supply ng tubig ang papasok ngayon kada araw sa buong Metro Manila, Cavite at lalawigan ng Rizal.

Ni francis soriano
Itoy makaraan matapos at pweede nang magamit ang pang-apat na higanteng transmission line na may habang 6.4 kilometro na makapagbomba ng 19 cubic meters per second mula sa Reservoir ng Angat Dam papuntang Ipo Reservoir na inilatag mula sa ilalim ng kabundukan ng Sierra Madre.
Ayon kay Susanne Sta Maria, MWSS Head Technical Assistant na ang lagusan ay padadalin ng proyektong ito ang paghahatid ng suplay ng
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18TH Pahimis Coffee Festival celebrated at Amadeo



2019 ORAL HEALTH MONTH CELEBRATION WITH DAYCARE PUPILS OF TAGAYTAY



Cavite Provincial Health Office (PHO) concluded this year's National Oral Health Month celebration with the 1,279 day care pupils of Tagaytay City who received dental services and oral health kits on February 27, 2019 at the Tagaytay International Convention Center. Mayor Agnes Tolentino awarded certificates of appreciation to the volunteer dentists from PHO for their endeavors in promoting good oral health. Likewise, City Health Officer Dr. Liza Capopus who welcomed guests and participants, thanked Governor Boying Remulla for sponsoring the free fluoride application which was led by PHO Dental Head Dr. Mary-Ann Montenegro. The children also received oral kits sponsored by Colgate Philippines and learned proper brushing techniques from the oral health lecture provided by Doctors Cristina Lim and Yolly Maligayo. Meanwhile, other guests from Amadeo, Mendez, Indang, Gen. E. Aguinaldo and Alfonso Dental Circle who also lent their time and expertise to support this month's theme: "Ngipin na Malusog at ProtektaDOH, Masaya at Maningning na Ngiti and Hatid sa Mundo," reminded everyone the importance of visiting their dentist every six (6) months.

Dubbed as the "Coffee Capital of the Philippines" since it launched the 1st coffee festival in the country in 2002, the local government of Amadeo celebrated the 18th PAHIMIS Coffee Festival on February 22-24, 2019 – a thanksgiving tradition for the abundance of coffee, their prime agricultural crop that fuels growth of the town up to now.

A traditional ceremonial toast that marks the opening program of PAHIMIS 2019 was led by Amadeo Mayor Conrado Viado along with guests from the Department of Tourism, the Philippine Coffee Board, Inc. and the Office of the Provincial Governor.

In his welcome message, Mayor Viado

expressed gratefulness to Senator Cynthia Villar, Congressman Jon-Jon Ferrer and Governor Boying Remulla for their all-out support that made the event possible.

More importantly, the mayor did not forget the coffee farmers who truly deserve all the recognition for their contribution to Amadeo's history and culture through a simple awarding rite to further acknowledge their heroism.

Outstanding coffee farmers were given plaques of recognition to keep their passion for coffee production burning.

On the other hand, DOT Region IV-A OIC Regional Director Marites Castro challenged the province to institutionalize

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Salceda: Housewives deserve compensation for contribution to society

Housewives, the their husbands, or women should now be compensated for their contribution to society, according to a bill filed in the Lower House.

Authored by Albay Rep. Joey Sarte Salceda, the measure, House Bill 8875 stresses that it is high

time to recognize the job of these "stay-at-home women, mothers, and housewives as valuable economic activity" and to highlighting their worth in nation-building, "make payment for their housework and give them wages for the work they continue to bear out at home."

the appropriate mechanisms and identify the beneficiaries.

He said the total annual cost of such a social protection assistance program for stay-at-home women from poor families may reach P35 billion — P32 billion of which will go to married women, P3 billion to single mothers, and the rest to widows, divorcees, and others.

Studies also show that women and men have wage disparity but the gap widens significantly at an average of 32% after a woman gives birth, he added.

The proposed measure is set to break the conventional principle of economics that "work that is not paid for does not count as productive labor." This includes the work of "housewives or stay-at-home who take care of their children, who walk them to school and assist them in their school homework, manage very little family budget, do grocery shopping" and other domestic tasks.

Salceda noted that as of January 2018, an estimated 12 million individuals, 11.2 million of whom were women, were not in the labor force due to unpaid care work, which means they were working at home and tending to the family. Out of this number, 4.168 million have at least one child under 12 years old, with some 1.790 million of them living below the poverty line.

The lawmaker, a noted economist, proposes to focus initially on women with at least one child under 12 years old and living under poverty line and seeks to provide them with a monthly P2,000 compensation until they either graduate from poverty or no longer have children under 12. The bill assigns the Department of Social Welfare and Development to formulate and institute

Salceda observed that Philippine society considers stay-at-home mothers (Turn to page 3)

PGC DEEPENS ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS THRU THE LINGAP SA KALIKASAN PROGRAM



The provincial government of Cavite thru the leadership of Governor Boying Remulla deepens environmental awareness by conducting Lingap sa Kalikasan Program at various cities and municipalities in the province. On February 26, 2019, Governor Jonvic Remulla, on behalf of his brother Governor Boying went to Barangay Kaingen in the municipality of Kawit to spread insightful realization on environmental concerns and issues. Governor Jonvic conveyed his message to the residents of Kawit and ensured his support to strengthen the crusade on environmental protection for the safety of the people. Vice Governor Jolo Revilla, Kawit Vice Mayor Arman Bernal, Councilor Jygs Gandia and some other guests including former Special Assistant to the President Bong Go and actor Philip Salvador were also present during the environmental drive who also brought pleasure to the locals.

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PGC conducts orientation one E-Clip

In order to capacitate local government units and national government agencies in the execution of the reintegration program and achieve reintegration success for former rebels in the community, the Provincial Government of Cavite (PGC) thru the collaborative efforts of Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office (PSWDO) and Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) conducted an orientation on the

Enhanced Comprehensive Local Integration Program (E-CLIP) and Implementing Guidelines for the Provision of DILG- Administered Package Assistance. The orientation on February 27, 2019 was attended by municipal/city social welfare and development officers at the Ceremonial Hall of the provincial capitol in Trece Martires City. OIC-PSWDO Ms. Darylvy Avila acknowledged and warmly welcomed all the participants

while Provincial Administrator for Community Affairs Mr. Alvin Mojica graced the event and delivered his message focusing on the significance of being prepared in providing social welfare services for rebel returnees and their involvement to attain a holistic peace in the province.

The orientation proper was led by Local Government Operation Officer II Mr. Ramon Nedic. He elaborated the contents of DILG-DND Joint Memo-

randum Circular No. 2018-01 focusing on the Implementing Guidelines for the Provision of DILG-Administered Package of Assistance for Former Rebels (FRs) and Militia ng Bayan (MB). The roles of DILG, Local Government Units (LGU), Department of National Defense (DND), Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP), Philippine National Police (PNP), E-CLIP Committee (ECC), Joint AFP-PNP (Turn to page 5)