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## LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT



Dear Reader:

Together with the North Bound editorial team, I would like to extend my warmest greetings to you on your trip to the North.

Northern Luzon possesses a rich geography of history, culture, people, and natural wonders that are just waiting to be discovered, so we bring you a refreshed North Bound designed to help the traveler navigate the amazing destinations the North has to offer.

In this issue, we introduce detailed directions to our suggested destinations, so you can find your way whether you're driving or taking the bus. In the BUY-EAT-STAY-TRY section, we've also classified destinations depending on our travelers' persuasions to make your trip as enjoyable as possible. **4x4 in Pampanga and sailing and mountain climbing in Zambales are just some of the good reads you will find here in our magazine.**

We hope to see you soon on the road NORTHBOUND!

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# 4x4 ADVENTURE IN PAMPANGA

WORDS BY TOBY MARTIN • PHOTOS BY EDSSEL OCHOA

Sometime after the eruption of Mt. Pinatubo, I hung out a lot with Jack, an American who has resided permanently in the Philippines after working all around the world. Like many before, the wiles of Angeles attracted him, and before he could decide on anywhere else to stay, habit had decided for him to settle in Pampanga. In 1991, as soon as the ash stopped falling and the dust has settled, Jack knew what to do with the impromptu desert that fell upon his backyard - he took his Jeep out and drove it as it was meant to.

One time, I found myself almost too quickly in Jack's Jeep, which was loaded with a cooler full of beer and steaks, a sack of charcoal, and a grill barely enough for a man-sized rib eye. We set out on the desert of lahar, layers tens of feet thick on top of each other, towards an area

where the constant flow of water has formed canyons large enough for the Jeep. That the Grand Canyon was cut by the Colorado river over eons tells me that the corridors of lahar we were driving through were eroded too quickly. In the event of a heavy downpour, these volatile canyons can easily turn into channels of quicksand, and here we were kilometers into it. I then decided to alight from Jack's Jeep and run on my own power. Jack scoffed at the idea and quickly drove off to where I would eventually find him - down the canyon, grilling the meat and downing the beer - an odd 5 miles later.

There we were sitting with heat from all directions, thanks to the coals cooking our steaks and the heat of midday. The sun shone unimpeded by clouds, its glow bleaching your vision. If something stayed long enough under it, its color

would eventually bleed away with the light. We were quite literally in the middle of nowhere, for this was a wasteland. Once, it may have had crops growing from its soils. But now, it was lahar, irrigated by streams of water heated by fissures from the volcano's source.

Years later, I would return to Pampanga with motorcades of 4x4s for very different reasons. In one such trip, we drove around ripping up the desert, with the vehicles putting their capabilities to the test. In another, we were taken to the trailhead of the hike to Pinatubo's crater, eventually finding ourselves in a Korean spa to relax after the hike. This place looked remarkably like the one where Jack and I had our picnic, although, without having taken a GPS reading then, I can never be sure. If I was at roughly the same location, it was not the

same place for sure. This time, barbecued ribs were cooked instead on large grills made of halved steel drums, served by liveried employees of the spa. The spa itself was an enigma, tucked away in the middle of a canyon, offering treatments using volcanic sand and hot spring water. Oblivious to the irony of the place, there we were,

a division-sized crowd gathered for a post hike-and-drive barbecue and massage...

Back that day, Jack tired of the scenery, which was beautiful despite its gradient of monotonous shades of grey, and offered me a share of his flask and a drive around Pampanga's churches.

We had finished off the flask when we reached Betis Church in Guagua, Pampanga. Although I cannot remember the details without assistance, the church is said to have Baroque inspirations in its design, having been built in the 17th century. What stands out





was the next “iglesia” in our “visita.” Upon entry, I noted how disproportionately low the ceilings were. It was like walking into a hobbit’s hole, where things seemed properly sized, except that they were according to another aesthetic altogether. The diminutive scale was the result of six meters of lahar sent by Mt. Pinatubo to bury the church. The loyal parishioners did excavate the church halfway, but only to reveal the original “retablo,” leaving the church with a low ceiling and gun port windows. The unusual proportions of the church today are a poignant reminder of the unpredictable destruction nature may bring.

The last stop was the Sta. Rita de Cascia Church, which proved the most interesting because it keeps a relic of its patroness within its walls. The reliquary, which houses a piece of Sta. Rita’s uncorrupted

corporeal remains, is laid open every August 17 for public veneration, which was unfortunate for me as it was mid-April during my visit. Soon, Jack and I had our fill and drove home at the end of the summer day.

It was between drinks, steak sandwiches and religious buildings that Jack shared more of his incredible stories from work stints around the globe. These stories begged the question: why did he settle in Angeles, of all places? Despite the irony of it all, I never did press him for an answer, but a plausible one comes up.

Approximately 16km from Manila, serviced by the NLEX and SCTEX, with enough things to do from outdoorsy to cultural to culinary, Pampanga is the perfect weekend destination to stretch one’s legs and his ride’s mileage. **NB**



## PUNING HOT SPRINGS AND SAND SPA

Found at the end of a canyon, this oasis was cut out of the lahar by the natural flow of water. The spa is a collection of huts, cottages and hot pools built into the slopes, where the hot spring source cascades from a waterfall. Their signature Sand Spa treatment buries the person in hot volcanic sand, the heat of which can reputedly extract toxins out of the body. The tour provided by the spa is an affordable package that includes a short 4x4 drive, a mud pack, a sand spa, a foot massage and a lunch buffet.

in memory, however, is the painted ceiling of the church, which is now touted as the Philippines’ very own version of the Sistine Chapel. It was also worth the drive to see the wooden plank floor, and the Corinthian-style columns that rose from it, supporting the ceiling and the arch-crowned windows of the sanctuary.

The San Guillermo Parish Church in Bacolor

## BETIS CHURCH (ST JOHN THE APOSTLE PARISH CHURCH), GUAGUA, PAMPANGA



An 18th century Augustinian-sponsored Baroque structure, it was named a National Cultural Treasure by the National Museum for its painted ceiling of murals depicting scenes from the Bible, the Holy Family, and a number of Catholic saints. The paintings are said to have been retouched in 1939 by Macario Ligon, a native of San Agustin, then restored once again in the 70s by Ligon’s assistant, Victor Ramos, who was only his teens during the '39 restoration. Also of note are the carved designs over the windows, the Corinthian-styled columns, the “retablo” of saints and the wooden plank flooring.



### TIPS:

Carry a small mirror to save you from a crick in the neck – use it to look at the ceiling’s reflections instead of craning upwards. For photographers, an articulated camera screen may likewise make shooting the ceiling easier, but be advised that flash photography is not allowed in the church.



## SAN GUILLERMO CHURCH, BACOLOR, PAMPANGA

Named after the town’s patron saint, this church was built by the Augustinians in 1576, the same year that the town was established. Coincidentally, it was erected on the lot of one Don Guillermo Manabat, making its name quite apt. The architectural design is in the Baroque style popular at the time, and its interior accents, the main and side “retablos,” and the pulpit were intricately carved and heavily gilded in gold leaf. After being half buried



in lahar during the 1991 Pinatubo eruption, the parishioners excavated the altar and the old “retablo,” had them restored then relocated under the highest point of the church where they fit despite the lahar deposit. The church continues to serve as a place of worship and a tourist attraction to this day.

# Mangan Ta Na! (LET'S EAT!)

Words by and Photos by Tonette Lee

When people learn my mother's family is from Pampanga, the immediate comment is, "You must be a good cook!" It is often assumed that having Kapampangan genes equates to gastronomic skills of the highest order, and that Pampangos know how to eat well, if not cook. While my love for the cuisine of my province may have been inlaid by genetics and family tradition, my own education in

the Pampanga delicacy came mostly through Mang Turing, our driver, during errands that would invariably hit Pampanga during mealtime, and become impromptu lessons in food. My syllabus was a headlong leap into Kapangpangan cuisine. I was ordered to finish a plateful of crickets at Holidayland in San Fernando. I was taught the method to burung talanca (Asian Shore Crab), sprinkled with salt while still alive, pickled and later eaten by

squeezing from the shell onto hot steaming white rice.

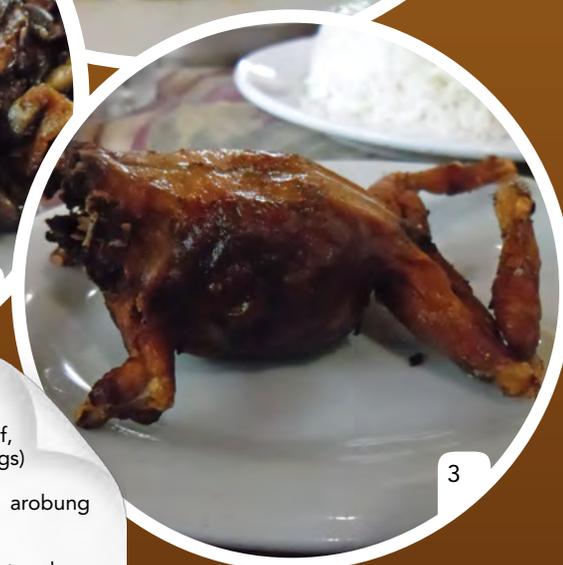
While my taste buds were working Mang Turing explained cooking processes, flavor dimensions to expect, ingredients involved, and the importance of freshness. I learned not only to enjoy eating the food but also how to make it, an important skill for when one gets a hankering for the unique delicacies with which I fell in love.



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1. Everybody's Cafe's morcon (ground meat loaf, stewed in its own drippings)

2. Everybody's Cafe's arobung camaru (fried crickets)

3. Everybody's Cafe's tugak a Betute (fried stuffed frogs)

Sometimes, however, driving is the better skill applied to satisfy such cravings. One such time found me with friends on a road trip mission to eat our way thru Pampanga.

## CARREON'S

Our first stop was Carreon's in Magalang, Pampanga to jumpstart our systems with a sugar rush from pastillas and plantanillas. Since 1946, the Carreon family has been churning out pastillas gatas damulag, or Carabao's milk candy, a soft, rich, creamy, and not too sweet lump of solid Carabao milk. Unlike the more commercial pastillas one finds in pasalubong stores around town Carreon's are not thickly encrusted in sugar, and are a little dryer which makes them last a few days longer and less prone to mold. Plantanillas are vibrant yellow crepes made from egg yolk, flour, and sugar then folded once over a filling of pastillas, bathed in syrup to keep them moist. The flavors and textures assault in layers first the light sticky crepe that soon melts into the milk of the pastillas filling,



together making a third flavor that inspires giddy delight. One might find traditional versions of this dessert filled with latik or macapuno but Carreon's is closer to heaven for me. It's so good we polished off half a tray's worth in five minutes. After one jar of pastillas de leche, one box of pastillas candy and the other half tray of plantanillas, we were back, on our way to San Fernando mainstreet to have an authentic Kapampangan lunch.

## EVERYBODY'S CAFE

Everybody's Café on McArthur Highway, Del Pilar, San Fernando is an ideal place to sample Pampango cuisine as the menu is comprehensive. From

it we ordered kare-kare, pindang damulag (carabeef tapa), ulang (river shrimp), tag-ilo buru, tugak a Betute (fried stuffed frogs), , arohung camaru (fried crickets), and dumara (Candaba duck). If Carreon's was for Willy Wonka, this place spoke Andrew Zimmern, "If it stops moving for two seconds, let's eat it." Some of Pampanga's favorites viands present a visceral hurdle which when surmounted opens up a new world of flavor. Pindang damulag, our interpretation of tapa, is meat seasoned and left to ferment for nature to work its alchemy and break down the meat at the molecular level inside a glass container. After some point of rot, the stench storm

will pass, and the result is a tender, fragrant meat, that when fried gives off the scent of young coconut wine. The frogs are prepared while alive, skinned, stuffed, sewn up then deep fried. Their meat, which many will liken to chicken, is nothing like it, instead it lacks the muscular striations of larger animals, making the meat feel extra tender to the tooth, reminiscent of sausage. Deep fried crickets are expectedly crunchy as you bite into the exoskeleton which then gives way to a unique punchy aftertaste.

While the thought if these might not convert you to our cuisine, my aunt, Des Rodriguez Torres names her list of Pampanga food that will turn you into a fan: tidtad, kilayin (pork and liver stewed in vinegar), asadong matua (pork pot roast), balo balo (burong hipon), tibuk tibuk. The sensory overload of Kapampangan food- the colors of the ulang, the sourness of the sinigang, the aroma of pindang damulag, and the crunch of the camaru -all

conspire to make you want more. And so we had more.

## TERESITA RAZON'S

We went off to look at a few old houses to work up an appetite for the afternoon, and then cooled ourselves with halo-halo at Teresita Razon's, owned by a sister to the Razon's of Guagua. The two brand have similar ideas, limiting their halo to sweet saba banana and macapuno. The clear difference between Teresita's leche flan was the leche flan made with dayap, and very creamy, with no holes in it, which I preferred. Their pansit luglug was also note worthy, with more palabok, or toppings of chicharon and boiled egg than usually expected.

## SUSIE'S CUISINE

We stopped at Susie's Cuisine on McArthur Highway for some tibuk damulag, probably Pampanga's least known kakanin. Similar to the Tagalog maja blanca, it is made of pure carabao's milk and a starch to bind it, scented with dayap,

slow-cooked over a low fire, and topped off with latik, after it has set. Susie's began as a stall in Angeles City, and specialized in Pampango kakanin. Unlike other kakanins on offer at Susie's, tibuk damulag is the only one not shared with other regional cuisines, perhaps due to its unique ingredients. Other tibuk makers offer silkier and softer textures, while that of Susie's is a little firmer and holds its shape on a plate, richly flavored. Imang Salud has a much softer version at the Legazpi Sunday Market in Makati.

It seemed apt to end our trip with a merienda of okay, sampelut (ginataan with glutinous rice balls), lumpiang sariwa, and in turn punctuate our last meal with tibuk, the quintessentially Pampango dessert. It is as pure as the heritage of the cuisine, blended slowly over time, with the flavors and scents, both strong and subtle, identified with old Pampanga. It is food that has roots and always well worth a drive home. **NB**

# Hobie Sailing

ZAMBALES to BATAAN

Words By: Toby Martin

Photos by: Edsel Ochoa

An unusual sight in these parts of Zambales, several sails were silhouetted against the horizon, like shark fins peeking out of the glassy surface of the sea. Perched on the platform of each sail, a crew of two manned the hulls, both of them at

the mercy of the winds and the waves, yet inordinately in control of these elements. With each sailor determined to reach the intended destination, the crafts followed a course that is both unidentifiable and purposeful. Occasionally, the crew wrestled against the wishes of

their vessels, pulling at invisible lines while hanging precariously over the edges, in order to keep the boats upright against the wind. Racing down the shores while Zambales and the rest of Luzon took notice was an expedition regatta, the Hobie Challenge.





The annual Challenge was on its 13th staging, this time along a course down the western coast of Luzon, from Candelaria in Zambales to Bagac in Bataan. The regatta is described as an expedition race, a multi-day event pitting several “catamarans” and their two-man crews against nature and against each other. Independently, the sails are steered from one pre-defined point to another, but all are strung together into the country’s toughest maritime race. It is also an expedition for the racers as most will have laid sight on the terrain for the very first time upon setting sail. Bearing all their experience and knowledge in seacraft-navigation, equipment-handling and fitness, the sailors are challenged to finish the course in the least time. Everyday, they are handed new charts depicting their origin and their destination, which they use to plot the shortest course between the two.



White sandbar of Hermana Mayor island

★NB RECOMMENDS  
**1 DAWAL RESORT,**  
 CANDELARIA, ZAMBALES

Located on the mainland, Dawal Resort, which offers accommodations for those who prefer not to rough it, is a convenient jump off point to nearby Potipot Island. The resort also offers kayaking and windsurfing lessons for beginners and intermediate learners.



★NB RECOMMENDS  
**2 CAPONES VISTA,**  
 BEACH RESORT  
 SAN ANTONIO, ZAMBALES

This resort provides all the amenities one may need, plus an amazing view of Capones Island in the horizon.





★NB RECOMMENDS  
**4 LAS CASAS FILIPINAS DEACUZAR, BAGAC, BATAAN**

Experience living heritage structures from all over the Philippines which have been restored and relocated to this resort compound.



Perhaps, the most salient but often overlooked blessings of sailing are the perspective it offers from the sea, and its dependence on nature. As travelers, we are often transported to our destinations by land. And if by sea, it is often limited to a point-to-point delivery, transported by machine, either insulated by walls or the numbing din of an engine. Sailing, on the other hand, rests at the other extreme. A deliberate form of travel, it succumbs to nature and is slower than most, letting the sailor see the landscape unfurl before him as if by a painter's stroke. It is an intimate way to get to know our country of many islands and long coastlines. The images presented here, captured during the 13th Hobie Challenge, give us a glimpse into that perspective, making a strong argument for us to travel by sea, and by sail. **NB**

**3** Morong  
**BATAAN**  
**4** Bagac



★NB RECOMMENDS  
**3 ANVAYA COVE, MORONG, BATAAN**

Anvaya Cove is a luxurious residential resort and private enclave which is committed to preserving a balance between sustainable development and environmental preservation.



For more info on Philippine sailing, visit [www.phinsailing.ph](http://www.phinsailing.ph) and [www.tlyc.com](http://www.tlyc.com)

BUY

EAT

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# GUIDE TO PAMPANGA, ZAMBALES AND BATAAN

Got nothing to do this weekend? Or making plans for that upcoming holiday? North Bound has selected a few destinations that you will definitely want to put on your itinerary and presented in an easy to use guide. Just check around the map for places that catch your interest, whether it's a foodie, shopping, resort or activity, and follow the page guide to a more detailed description on what to expect and how to get there.



**A** ANAWANGIN COVE - an unlikely convergence of sea, sand and forest, brought together by the great Pinatubo eruption, this outdoor haven offers surf or trail action, and an expansive beach for rest and recreation. (photo by Marcos Caratao Jr. of www.ambot-ah.com)



**G** TREETOP ADVENTURE, ZOOBIC SAFARI, OCEAN ADVENTURE - for those who prefer their adventure in the form of an amusement park ride, you can zip, swing and slide in the trees, see tigers up close from a bus and swim with dolphins in an aquarium.



**H** XTREMELY XPRESSO - started out as a cafe in the Subic Freeport serving reliably good coffee and later full European inspired meals.

**L** ALING LUCING'S SISIG - This is where sisig, the ubiquitous drinking companion, was created, and against which every single one must be measured, so make sure you try the original. (photo from ivanhenares.com)



**M** HOT AIR BALLOON FESTIVAL - the country's biggest airshows launches hundreds of hot air balloons from all over the world into the sunrise. A sight to behold every year.



**B** MAGIC LEFT - a reliably consistent left-handed wave that keeps on coming has made this cove a favorite for beginners and more advanced wave riders alike.



**I** MEAT PLUS - has been attracting discriminating carnivores since it opened. Select a dish from its menu or choose your meat from their freezer and have it cooked as you desire. Cant go wrong either way.



**C** GIANT TACOS AT THE COFFEE SHOP - big appetites find their way to The Coffee Shop not for their brews but for the outsized tacos that do the job to quell a raging hunger. (photo from pinoytravelfreak.com)



**J** LIGHTHOUSE RESORT AND MARINA - Consistently regarded as one of the best hotels in the freeport, Lighthouse is a 3 story boutique hotel known for its well-appointed rooms, particularly their glass-walled bathrooms.

**N** BALE DUTUNG - Claude Tayag's residence, art gallery, and restaurant where he serves authentic Kapampangan cuisine over a long luxuriating lunch while sharing stories of the food, art and his hometown. MORE ON PAGE 28



**E** UACON COVE AND POTIPOT ISLAND - This pair makes for an excellent kayaking or SUP destination if you've got the gear and skills, the cove offers a quiet beach and flat water, while the island has white sands and seclusion.

**K** EL KABAYO EQUESTRIAN CENTER - a horseback riding outfit with stables made to resemble an Old West cliché. Take lessons, or tours, and don't forget your ten-gallon hat, for that precious photo.



**O** SUSIE'S KAKANIN SUSIE'S CUISINE - This genre of Filipino cuisine is characterized by their main, eponymous ingredient - rice or kakanin. A whole range can be had - pichi pichi, tibok tibok, suman, moche and sapin sapin



**D** CAPONES ISLAND - this minuscule spit of land starts out of the sea with a white beach then gently ascends to a hill on which stands a Spanish-era lighthouse; well-worth the 30 minute boat ride that gets you there. (photo from ivanhenares.com)



**F** CASA SAN MIGUEL - This center of the arts nurtures the local youth in various art forms and is home to the Pundaquit Virtuosi, a youth musical ensemble; it also houses a bed and breakfast and a community cafe for visitors.



**P** DECA WAKEPARK - A wakepark in central Luzon bodes well for Filipino wakeboarders and anyone who wants to add watersport into their otherwise landlocked itinerary.





**Q**

**NATHANIEL'S BUKO PANDAN NATHANIEL'S BAKESHOP** - it is at Nathaniel's where they have found the ideal combination of the ingredients to produce the perfect rendition of this well-loved dessert  
(photo from www.jinlovestoeat.com)



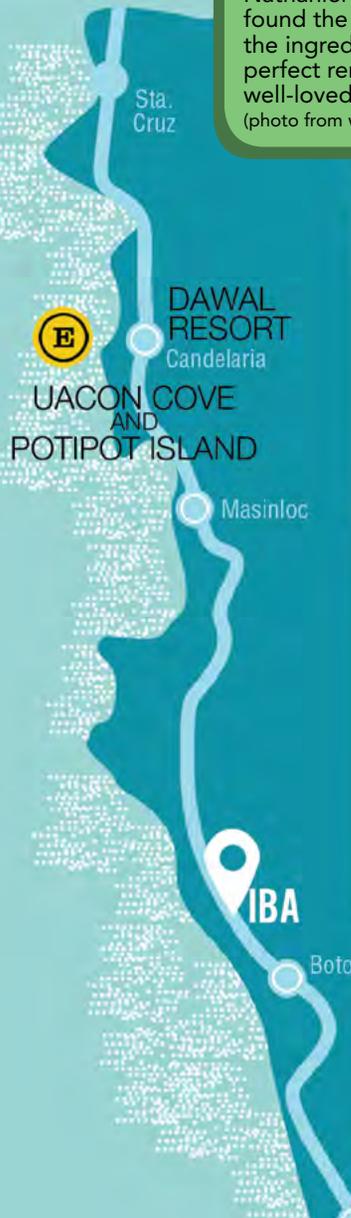
**R**

**ANGELES CITY FLYING CLUB** - the country's premier ultralight aircraft outfitter and school, where one can take to the sky for short trial flights or commit to a course to become a sport pilot.



**S**

**MILA'S TOKWA'T BABOY** - While Aling Lucing claims the original sisig, Mila's holds the crown for best tokwa't baboy. Her most ardent fans will attest that its worth the trip.



**PAMPANGA ANGELES CITY**

- L** ALING LUCING'S SISIG
- M** HOT AIR BALLOON FESTIVAL
- N** BALE DUTUNG
- O** SUSIE'S CUISINE
- P** DECA WAKEPARK
- S** MILA'S TOKWA'T BABOY
- C** ITALIAN DINING

San Fernando  
Bacolor

**ZAMBALES**

EL KABAYO EQUESTRIAN CENTER **K**

Mabalacat

MAGALANG ANGELES CITY FLYING CLUB **R**

SEE INSET

ABE'S FARM  
CARBEON'S





# ANGELES CITY CELEBRATES

## PAMINTUAN HOUSE



In the heart of Angeles, Pampanga, a rather nondescript structure has stood witness to history, not merely by surviving it, but by serving as a home to various historical personalities over time. Built by Don Florentino Pamintuan, Angeles' first millionaire, it welcomed in 1889 Gen Antonio Luna, and served as his headquarters for the first Philippine Army, from which the defense against the advancing American forces was directed. Later, President Emilio Aguinaldo's nomadic government selected it as

its presidential residence after moving here from Nueva Ecija, and the first anniversary of Philippine independence was celebrated here with a parade review of Gen Gregorio del Pilar's forces. It was later occupied by General Douglas MacArthur and his officers, until July 1901. In 1935-36, records show that the American chief executive, Frank Murphy, a friend of the Pamintuans, spent many a weekend at the house. The house then headquartered a contingent of a Japanese cavalry of the Suzuki Butai Regiment up to 1944. In late 1944 to the first week of 1945, the old house billeted the early Kamikaze pilots. On observation, the house seemed to attract the victors, almost like a trophy of success in their campaigns.

These days, it is one of the seven (7) national sites where the Philippine flag is raised every Independence Day, after which Aguinaldo's speech delivery is reenacted. It has since become the ward of the National Historical Commission and is soon slated to house the first Philippine social history museum.

## ANGELES SISIG

Sizzling sisig has become inextricably associated with Angeles that the dish is registered as the most significant product of Angeles in the Department of Trade and Industry's One Town, One Product program. As such, it is the banner product soon to be served in practically every food outlet, in Angeles' Gastronomic Belt. The variations are endless but each celebrates the ingenuity of creating a tasty dish from pork parts otherwise considered discards. The Gastronomic Belt, an area that spans Balibago Strip along MacArthur Highway, to the Fields district, to Don Juico Ave, to Korea town, all the way to Friendship Extension, was conceptualized as a tourist food destination by Christine Nunag, Angeles City tourism officer, a culinary writer, demo host, tour-event specialist, and two-time Doreen Fernandez Awardee.



# FIESTANG KULIAT



### OCTOBER

#### 1 FIESTANG KULIAT 2013 PRESS LAUNCH

11AM · MARQUEE MALL 3RD FLOOR  
Kapampangan Fiesta Buffet (for media)

#### 1 FIESTANG KULIAT 2013 KICK OFF

2PM · MARQUEE MALL ACTIVITY CENTER  
To usher in the month-long October Fiesta Month. An array of cultural, entertainment, video presentations & messages from the Fiestang Kuliati committee.

#### 2 FIESTANG ANGHEL

530 PM MASS · HOLY ROSARY PARISH CHURCH, 630 PM PROCESSION OF ANGELS · STO. ROSARIO/HERITAGE ZONE  
Feast of the Guardian Angels with Procession of Angels attended by little kids wearing angels costumes. The name Angeles came from its old name El Pueblo De Los Angeles, meaning town of angels.

#### 6 3RD PULAYAN TAGALAN (FUN RUN) KENG DALAN 2013

5AM · MARQUEE MALL PARKING GROUNDS (NEAR CITY HALL)  
Fund raising campaign to support the projects of ACPO, ACADAC & ACSO and to strengthen the relationship in obtaining common mission for a healthy and drug free Angeles City.

#### 7-10 2ND KULIAT KABATAANG KABAHASAN

8AM – 5PM · ANGELES CITY LIBRARY  
Series of activities like book fair, on-the-spot assay, and haiku writing, nursery rhymes battle, quiz bee, and fora for librarians.

#### 12 SERENATA

7PM ONWARDS · HERITAGE DISTRICT  
Traditional Brass Bands Face-Off. A romantic night under the stars featuring world-class entertainment by two orchestras in a musical face-off (Battle of Brass Bands).

#### 12 FIESTANG LANAVAL

530PM MASS · HOLY ROSARY PARISH CHURCH, 730PM LA NAVAL PROCESSION · STO.ROSARIO/HERITAGE ZONE  
Evening before La Naval Fiesta. In tribute of the Virgen De La Naval, which is the patron of the town's founder Don Angel Pantaleon De Miranda.

This event is headed by Mayor Edgardo Pamintuan of Angeles City, Chairman of the Fiestang Kuliati 2013 Execom. For more details, contact the Angeles City Tourism Office at (045)625-2286 and 09334606398 and look for Mr. Arcee Suarez or email [ilikeangeles@gmail.com](mailto:ilikeangeles@gmail.com).

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### 15&17 CULTURAL DANCEFEST

2PM ONWARDS · MARQUEE MALL ACTIVITY CENTER

2 Days of Cultural Dance Showdown by teams from private & public schools with ethnic, traditional & modern categories.

### 18-20 BIG BITE! THE NORTHERN FOOD FESTIVAL

10AM-9PM · MARQUEE PARK  
A 3 day ultimate food festival gathering. All the best food vendors and concepts from the Northern Regions.

### 20 PAMANGAN FIESTANG KAPAMPANGAN LUNCH & DINNER · MUSEO NING ANGELES

Sumptuous lunch and dinner by ticket reservation. Tickets available at Museo Ning Angeles.

### 25 FIESTANG APU

MASS 5-9AM, 11AM-12NN, 2-7PM · APUNG MAMACALULU SHRINE MASS 430PM · HOLY ROSARY PARISH CHURCH, PROCESSION 530PM · STO.ROSARIO/HERITAGE ZONE  
Tribute to the Miraculous Apung Mamacalulu, which pilgrims from all over venerate every Friday all-year round. The chapel area is also a well-known destination for thrift shoppers for its ukay-ukays and production over-runs every Friday.

### 26 MAMALUNG TAMU

8 AM ONWARDS · MARQUEE PARK  
Kapampangan Version of Traditional Filipino Street Games. A day of competition between teams from the four school districts of Angeles City, including an open category for visitors.

### DECEMBER

( MOVED DUE TO BARANGAY ELECTION)

### 6 BAGIUS PARADE & STREET DANCE PERFORMANCES

5-10 AM · HERITAGE DISTRICT / MON TANG AVE  
Cultural Component of Central Luzon's Biggest Street Party.

### 6-7 TIGTIGAN TERAKAN KENG DALAN 2013

6 PM ONWARDS (DUE TO BARANGAY ELECTIONS) · MACARTHUR HIGHWAY, BALIBAGO  
2 nights of the biggest annual beer, food & music street party that celebrates Angeles City's triumph over Mt. Pinatubo eruption.

# MOUNT TAPULAO

WORDS BY TOBY MARTIN  
PHOTO BY [trampingphils.com](http://trampingphils.com)

Climbers regard mountains for their differing altitude, their beauty and their difficulty. Not as popular as other summits, it is therefore easy to ignore Mt. Tapulao and exclude it from the pantheon of great mountains in the Philippines, but a climb of the mountain quickly proves her qualifications.

The trail starts out as an old mining road wide enough for large trucks, a wide swath of rock and soil that served as pavement for the trucks to negotiate. Along the route, there is little or no shade from the harsh heat of the day, so an early start is recommended to reduce time out in the open sun. Following the

wide road and the open grasslands is a section of rainforest, followed in turn by a forest of pines, known as “tapulao” in the vernacular. A campsite is then located at the Bunkhouse for overnights, for it is a steep ascent from here to the summit at 2037MASL. It should be interesting to note that while Tapulao's summit sits about 900m below that of Pulag, the roof of Luzon, her trail has one of the greatest elevation gains of any mountain in the country, which is at about 2000m from trail head to summit. Thus, this steep climb and the heat earn her points for difficulty.

Once within the forest line, the mountain

transforms as flora and fauna explode with rich biodiversity, making it a hotspot for nature photography for both macro and telephoto ranges. The temperature begins to drop to anywhere between 5 and 19 degrees C, and the trail becomes more mountain footpath than rocky road. A weathered tree then stretches out its branches to mark the summit for those who make it all the way. Because of the vegetation that thrives there, the summit does not offer expansive views, unlike most of the mountains at similar elevations. But if you know where to point your binoculars on a clear day, the Scarborough Shoal, an area central to

a territory dispute with China, should be in view, as the summit shares approximately the same latitude with it.

While Tapulao may not rank among the more famous mountains in the Philippines, it offers a very rewarding experience for those who humble themselves to climb her trails. She will test you with the heat and uneven surface of the opening kilometers, then challenge you further with the steep grades of her final ascent. But if you pay attention, she encourages you along way, first by cooling the air, then by greening the surroundings, then finally giving you a rare view, as if saving the best only for those who truly dare.

On a practical note, Tapulao's central location, its proximity to the coast, and the viability of a day-hike itinerary make her a good value destination. Altogether, a well-planned climb of Tapulao combined with a stay at Magalawa Island make for a classic Zambales adventure.



# MAGALAWA ISLAND

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A short boat ride away from the mainland, Magalawa Island just sits off the coast of Palauig, Zambales. The isle boasts of white sand beaches and rustic bamboo huts, with not much else unnatural to disrupt your Robinson Crusoe fantasy. There are only two resorts available on the island, so it is suggested that bookings be made in advance. Alternatively, camping is allowed using one's own tents or, if available, those rented out by the resort. Menu is usually based on the day's catch, so it is advised that you bring your own food should you have special dietary preferences other than seafood. As mentioned before, with a carefully planned itinerary, it can be included as a well-deserved payoff after a successful climb up Tapulao. **NB**

## GETTING THERE:

From Manila via Palauig  
Victory Liner to

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ask to be dropped off at Radio Veritas Road, Bgy Pangolian in Palauig, Zambales. Tricycle to Oslet Armada Fishdealer Compound in Bgy Luan.



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# BALE DUTUNG

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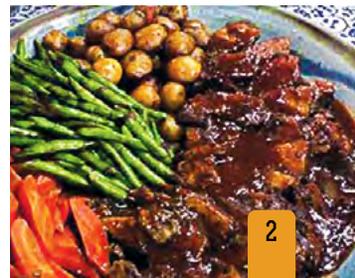
Pampanga's BALE DATUNG, or House of Wood, is a tour de force of Claude Tayag's creativity. The idyllic structure, rebuilt and redesigned after the eruption of Mt. Pinatubo in 1991, now houses his residence, his art collection and his restaurant.

Run like one of the Metro's popular private kitchens, Bale Dutung and its creator hosts guests through an intimate meal. Claude's play on things, however, defies the conventional -- the party must comprise at least ten diners, each of whom will be introduced to four or more hours of Kapampangan hospitality.

Upon reservation, guests get to select a menu of up to 11 courses, from traditional Kapampangan recipes, to creative reinventions of Claude's own making. At an indulgent pace, each dish is taken out from the kitchen, introduced by Claude and his wife Mary

Anne, then left on the table for the guests to partake of. While dining, Claude also shares his voluminous knowledge of Kapampangan cuisine through stories woven with history, heritage, and geography, making the meal a manifold learning experience.

The menu itself is staggering in its variety, with the diner



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surprisingly taken through a gastronomic journey without redundancy in flavor. Especially noteworthy are the Bulanglang Kapampangan na may Tian ng Bangus, Ulang at Tadyang ng Baboy, the Kare-kareng Laman Dagat, the Talangka, Hito at Balo-Balo sushi, the 5-way Lechon and the Paradiso dessert.

The Lechon is served as five dishes – skin alone, pork flakes in tortillas, ribs grilled and served with eggplant salad,

sinigang, and sisig. While the latter three dishes sound commonplace, one is surprised at the richness of flavor rendered by the meat. These dishes, of course, are cooked once again after the pig is roasted whole, creating layers of tastes one preparation cannot achieve.

While the food is the main attraction, Bale Dutung is also a feast for the other senses through different forms of art, a pleasant distraction layered not unlike the

lunch menu. All kinds of traditional and modern pieces, some created by Claude himself, have been curated by the chef to create the complete recipe.

Such is the Bale Dutung experience -- a heuristic journey into food and things Kapampangan, conducted by a masterfully creative impresario. To many, it is an adventure where one learns new things that seem so familiar. To some, it is like coming home. **NB**

1 Claude Tayag preparing Paradiso - an original homemade dessert made of coconut, yam, egg and fresh milk topped with yema (custard), ube and macapuno in a mascarpone sauce

2 Inasadong Lechon Pata - grilled lechon ribs marinated in inasal sauce

3 Ensaladang Pako - a salad of wild ferns and tomatoes topped with half a soft-boiled egg.

BALE DUTUNG  
Villa Gloria Subdivision,  
Angeles City, Pampanga

GETTING THERE :



take Olongapo-Gapan Road,  at McArthur HWY

At the rotunda where right goes to Dau/ Baguio take the left road that goes straight and go past the Carmelite convent, Villa Gloria will be on the left side.



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# Las Casas Filipinas de Acuzar

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PHOTOS BY EDSSEL OCHOA

Located on a seafront estate in Bagac, Bataan, Las Casas Filipinas de Acuzar is a heritage resort that features a collection of 18th to 20th century Philippine houses restored to their pristine condition. The resort is designed to resemble a Spanish colonial-era community, with its cobblestone-paved roads & plazas and adobe bridges.

Hourly walking tours take visitors around the "casas," with guides explaining the history of each house or building. While hardcore architecture and design enthusiasts might find the tour's content a bit cursory, it is perfect for those who wish to appreciate the style of the period. For photographers, return after the tour to shoot the structures free from the crowds.

The experience is enhanced by the rooms' era-inspired furnishings

though, thankfully, the bathrooms have modern-day fixtures and plumbing.

Various dining options cater to different palates, so while heritage cuisine isn't served, one can feast on servings from Filipino, Spanish and Italian restaurants. A convenience store for snacks and fast food is also available as an alternative to a sit-down meal.

Other facilities include a spa and Fotografía de la Escolta, a service where guests can have their photos taken dressed in period costumes. On Saturdays, there is a presentation of Filipino cultural dances for a completely cultural immersion.

The investment of resources in the restoration of these houses is

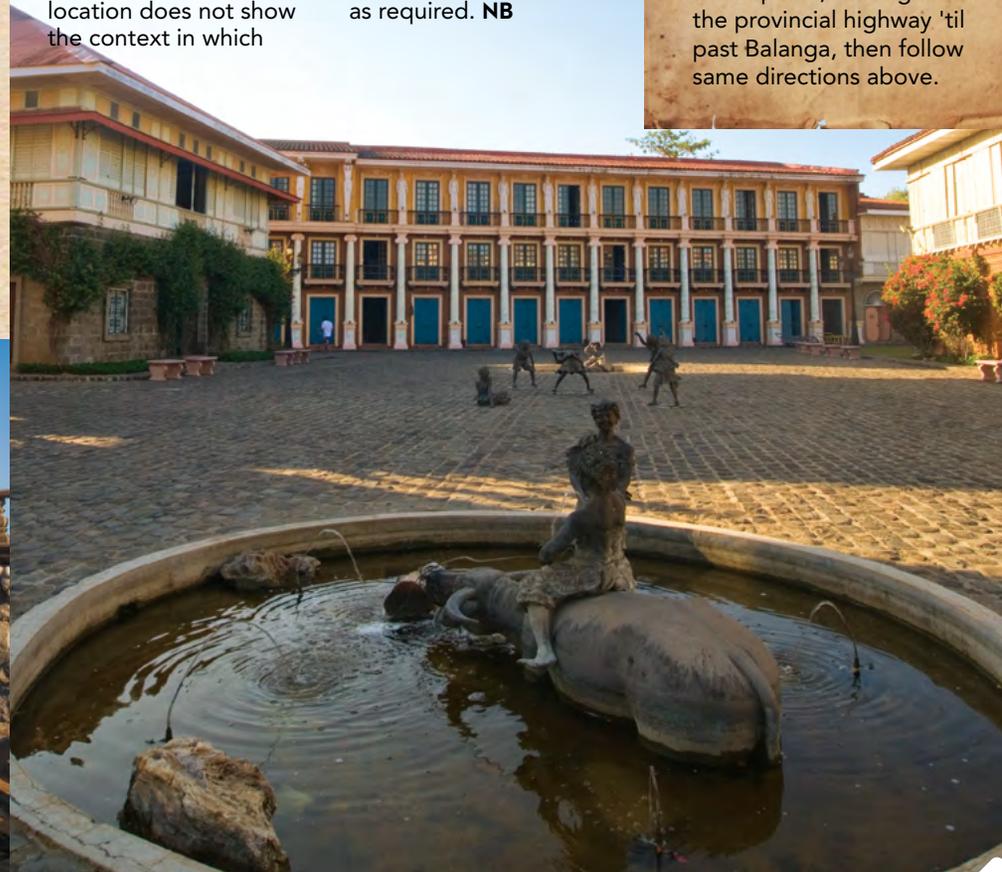
admirable, as is the opportunity it gives to its guests to see the structures as they stood in their time. There is a raging debate among conservationists, however, about the relocation of the structures, and the intent for which they are used. On one extreme, it is argued that the houses cannot be appreciated properly when not located in their original location, as the new location does not show the context in which

they are designed. Others, meanwhile, will argue that the structures cannot be appreciated by all, but rather only by those capable of paying for the experience. But what remains significant in this debate is the proof that such restoration is possible, and with it, a commercial viability, such that, perhaps under different circumstances, the concerns about context and intent can be folded, as required. **NB**

## Getting there:

via NLEX: NLEX San Fernando Exit, take the provincial highway past Balanga, Bataan. Turn right at the sign directing to Mt. Samat Memorial. Turn left at fork at Philippine-Japan Friendship Tower. Follow the signs. Route is shorter but susceptible to traffic jams.

via SCTEX: SCTEX towards Subic, exit at Dinalupihan, turn right at the provincial highway 'til past Balanga, then follow same directions above.





# NLEX : ROAD TRIP ACROSS SAFETY

The North Luzon Expressway (NLEX) connects Metro Manila to the Central and Northern Luzon regions. The 90-kilometer expressway is an example of a world-class expressway designed for your safety, convenience and efficiency and of other motorists and passengers.

To achieve optimum safety for motorists using the NLEX, its builder and concessionaire, Manila North Tollways Corporation (MNTC) has equipped the expressway with world-class systems and infrastructure which would help prevent accidents and, if accidents do happen, would also allow the NLEX operations and traffic management team to act on the incident in the quickest and most efficient way possible.

Here, we take you on a road trip on the new and improved safety features of the NLEX, all of which are at par with international standards.

## SLOWING THINGS DOWN BY THE BARRIERS

Upon entry into the NLEX's Balintawak Toll Barrier, you may notice the gravel bed of the Speed Stopping Lane (SSL) or Emergency Arrester Bed. This facility provides a safe and efficient channel which motorists can use to deliberately slow down and stop their wayward vehicles. The displacement of gravel aggregates on the lane helps the vehicle transfer the impact, thereby slowing it down till it stops. This can help protect motorists and their vehicles from severe damage as well as protect employees and facilities at the toll barrier approach.

Also at the Balintawak Toll Barrier are Impact Attenuators which are of great use during vehicle collisions. Also installed at the Bocaue Toll Barrier, these attenuators have been designed to absorb a wayward vehicle's impact, thereby reducing the damage done to structures, vehicles, and motorists, and will also redirect the vehicle away from the hazard.

## SAFETY WARNINGS DOWN THE ROAD

Once inside NLEX, did you and your car ever experience any rumbling while driving across the Expressway? These may be caused by the Rumble Strips, or what some motorists fondly call "giggle bars," which are perpendicular thermoplastic markings designed to cause noise and vibration when a vehicle passes over them. Rumble strips are installed in several segments of the NLEX to alert motorists to slow down, check brakes and be aware that he or she is approaching a structure.

Accidents are also possible down the freeway, so additional fence systems, barriers and rails have been erected to at least 'soften the blow' for our users. At the San Fernando Interchange Median Area, a facility known as the Brifen Wire Rope Safety Fence System has been installed to absorb the impact of a wayward vehicle. The elastic wire ropes and the posts collapse on impact, and the vehicle comes safely to rest as it is guided along the fence, preventing any major incident should it pass through to the oncoming lanes.



You and your fellow motorists are reminded of speed limits throughout the NLEX, chiefly because most incidents happen among fast-moving vehicles with no chance to react to external forces. That is why the Median Concrete Barrier was built to safely prevent head-on collisions of vehicles traveling at speeds of up to 100kph. That doesn't mean you could try violating the rule, right?

Finally, guardrails are abound throughout the length of the NLEX, including eighteen ET-2000 Guardrail End Treatments at identified priority areas, serving as a safe railing that absorbs kinetic energy from wayward vehicles, thus preventing major damage and loss of life. This safety improvement project can cut down chances of critical injuries and fatalities with its capacity to absorb the impact from vehicles it will encounter.

## GUIDED LANE-BY-LANE WITH LIGHTS AND SIGNS

Whether it's day or night, traveling along the NLEX means visible and enhanced road sections with the installation of high reflective 3M Pavement Studs (Cat's Eye) and 3M Reflective Stickers. These markings are of great use at night time and during rainy periods, so you can clearly see if you're still in your lane. Flexible traffic posts at the Balem Road Section have also been equipped with reflective stickers to prevent vehicles coming from another roadway from executing a hazardous U-turn and sudden entry at the mainline southbound lane, lessening the chances of head-on collisions and sideswipe impacts. Aside from reflective markings, highly-visible lane markings have

been applied at strategic areas of the NLEX to safely direct you to use the proper lane.

In compliance with the recommendation of an international Road Safety Audit, we have also installed a total of 98 internationally recognized informational, directional, and warning signs along the entire stretch of the NLEX. Use these to have a safe and fun trip to the North, as these traffic signs serve as advance notices to increase awareness of the roadway and proper safety driving, thus, avoiding confusion and driving miscalculations.

Likewise, the eye-catching Variable Message Sign will provide you with real-time en-route travel advisories. In cases of heavy traffic due to accidents or road maintenance works, follow its suggested alternate routes so you can get to your destination without hassle.

## ON THE WATCH 24 HOURS A DAY

For your safety, CCTV cameras have been installed on selected areas along the NLEX, along with stand-alone digital video recorders for redundant recording. These cameras help monitor road conditions and provide additional means of detecting road incidents.

The NLEX Team, with the help of these cameras and all the other other safety features, stand ready all-day to help in any incident or situation. Just remember that safety must always come from the motorist, as we are here to provide you with a secure and equipped channel to reach your Northern destination. Have a safe trip!



# TARA NA SA NORTE TOURISM & TRAVEL FAIR

The builder and concessionaire of the 90-km North Luzon Expressway (NLEX), Manila North Tollways Corporation (MNTC) staged a travel fair in Manila sending its hordes of tourists flocking up north.

NLEX Tara Sa Norte Tourism and Travel Fair, was slated last July 12-14 at the Robinsons Place, Manila. It was organized by the Manila North Tollways Corporation (MNTC) to help the northern regions promote their destinations and attractions.

The fair, according to MNTC's Vice President for Marketing – Renato U. Ticzon was co-presented by the Department of Tourism (DOT) and its northern regional offices covering Pangasinan and Ilocos, Cagayan Valley Region, Central Luzon and the Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR). The DOT Northern Regional Offices had their individual booths in the fair to showcase its most attractive tourism destinations and attractions.



TARA NA SA NORTE FAIR: (From left) DOT-Central Luzon director Ronnie Tiotuico, MNTC vice president for marketing Renato U. Ticzon, Assistant Secretary for International Promotions Benito Bengzon Jr. (third from left) of the Department of Tourism (DOT), Cebu Pacific passenger sales director Arlene Tena, MNTC president Rodrigo Franco, and DOT-Cagayan Valley director Bless Diwa.

Manila's 22-million population," Ticzon said.

To get them entertained were such special events as corporate game shows, raffle draws of airline tickets and other gift certificates from hotels and resorts, tourism quiz bee, marketing and product presentations, and cultural shows.

Invited to join the NLEX Tara Sa Norte were North Philippines tourism destinations, hotels and resorts, airlines and air alliances, retirement villages, theme parks and amusement centers, travel agencies and tour operators, travel

magazines and publications, tourism boards, souvenir shops and national and local government agencies, among others.

Swarming the fair were international and domestic travelers, business and trade organizations, corporate and local buyers, travel agents and tour operators, tour planners and organizers, tourism associations, media and bloggers, students and educational institutions and the general public.

The trip to North Philippines has vastly improved with the completion of the NLEX and the Subic-Clark-Tarlac Expressway (SCTEX), consequently increasing the volume of domestic and foreign visitor arrivals in the region and making it the country's next most attractive tourism destination.

The fair was sponsored by Subic Bay Metropolitan Authority (SBMA) and Maynilad Water, Inc and was supported by Robinsons Land Corporation and North Philippines Visitors Bureau (NPVB).



Nueva Ecija CVB

"The four regions hold some of the country's most diverse natural wonders, historical structures, cultural treasures and traditions, which was featured in the exhibits that offered affordable tour packages and services, discounted airfares, travel and leisure destinations, indigenous products, souvenir items, and arts and crafts, all made available to

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Session Road, Baguio City  
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074 442-1006

Department of Tourism   
Governor Pack Road, Baguio City  
074 442-7014

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Mahabang Parang 🏠  
Sta. Maria

Malamig Park Resort 🏠  
#410 Malamig, Bustos  
0917-389-6729 531-4525

Malolos Club Royale Hotel and Resort 🏠  
Mc Arthur Highway Mabolo, Malolos  
791-0378

Marina Resort 🏠  
Cattle Creek  
0920-962-3960

Merryland Resort Pools & SPA 🏠  
Taal, Pulilan

MRC Resort in Fidelis Cruz 🏠  
Tabon, Pulilan  
676-1529

North Riverside Resort 🏠  
Langka, Meycauayan  
984-1930

North Winds Resort 🏠  
Brgy. Kaypian  
632-718-3404 / 725-0496

Ocean's Edge Resort 🏠  
Poblacion, Norzagaray

Pacific Waves Resort 🏠  
KM 31 Gumaok, Sto. Cristo  
02-775-3269

Palm Garden Resort 🏠  
Barihan, Santisima, Malolos  
791-6451/791-5370

Paul Cruz Place 🏠  
Sapang Putol, San Ildefonso  
901-1185

Prince Kevin Resort 🏠  
Gulod, Tigbe, Norzagaray  
0919-293-0610

Princess Rica Resort 🏠  
Malimpampang, San Ildefonso  
677-1803

Pug Pog Resort 🏠  
Balagtas, Pulilan  
676-1984

San Miguel Leisure Farm 🏠  
Biak-na-Bato, San Miguel

Shao King Resort 🏠  
Bullihan, Plaridel

Sibul Spring Health Resort 🏠  
Sibul, San Miguel  
044-678-0250

Sitio Lucia Hotel & Resort 🏠  
Pulong Buhangin, Sta. Maria  
641-2278

Soledad Resort ( Formerly Del Sol ) 🏠  
Bangkal ,Malolos  
682-6970

Sta. Peregrina Swimming Pool 🏠  
Balatog, Pulilan  
676-1984

St. Agatha Resort and Country Club 🏠  
Sta. Rita, Guiguinto  
794-4811, 896-0425/ 794-0236

Stone Bridge Resort 🏠  
Tumana, Sta. Maria  
044-641-0921

Summer Place 🏠  
Tabagan, Bustos  
617-0616

Villa Candido 🏠  
Sta Peregrina, Pulilan  
676-2179

Villa Cecilia 🏠  
Gabihan, San Ildefonso  
0927-960-7669

Villa Cristina Resort 🏠  
Borol 1st, Balagtas  
693-2256

Villa del Carmen Resort & Restaurant 🏠  
Capihan, , San Rafael  
673-2960

Villa Elena Resort 🏠  
Taliptip, Bulakan, Bulacan  
792-1316

Villa Erlinda Resort and Pavilion 🏠  
Town & Country NEV, Marilao  
692-1874 / 711-1872

Villa Filomena Resort 🏠  
Lias, Marilao  
711-1037

Villa Krizelna Resort 🏠  
Coral na Bato, , San Rafael  
969-933

Villa Herrera  
San Vicente, San Miguel

Villa Migueliza  
Maasim, San Rafael

Villa Mikaela Private Resort 🏠  
Ulingao, San Rafael  
673-3951

Villa Maria Ester Pavilion 🏠  
Libtong, Meycauayan  
721-4031

Villa Reina. Resort Inc. 🏠  
Catmon, Malolos  
791-1590

Villa Remedios Resort 🏠  
Sta. Peregrina, Pulilan  
676-1497

Vigjam Resort 🏠  
Sta. Maria, Sta. Maria  
0917-3776295

Villa Rosalinda 🏠  
Caingin, Malolos  
791-5045/791-2768

Villa Sofia 🏠  
Paltao, Pulilan  
676-3529

Villa Virgen Milagrosa Resort 🏠  
Borol 2nd, Balagtas  
693-2525

Villa Natalia Resort 🏠  
RM 39 Pulong Buhangin, Sta. Maria  
0917-981-8508 / 641-9919

Water Land Resort 🏠  
Tabagan, Bustos  
617-0643

3 Kids Pool and Pavillion 🏠  
Metrogate Complex, Meycauayan  
721-4031

8 Waves Water Park Resort & Hotel 🏠  
Ulingao, San Rafael  
766-5262

4 K Garden Resorts, Inc. 🏠  
Catmon, Sta. Maria  
641-0610

### others

Amazing Grace  
Calizon, Calumpit  
675-7213

Pulilan Butterfly Haven  
Pulilan  
676-137

## CAGAYAN



CAGAYAN NORTH CONVENTION AND  
VISITORS BUREAU  
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cor. Blumenritt Sts., Tuguegarao City  
(078) 844-0755.....

### HOTELS / RESORTS / LODGING

Hotel Lorita  
#67 Rizal St. Tuguegarao City, Cagayan  
(078) 844-2179 / 844-1390 / 501-7044

Las Palmas de San Jose  
#20 Saint Anne cor Saint John  
San Jose Village, Cagayan  
(078) 844-8091

Pampagueña Pensionne House  
#43 Caggay Highway Tuguegarao City,  
Cagayan  
(078) 844-4639

**Hotel Candice** 📍  
Blumentritt cor. Luna St.  
Tuguegarao City, Cagayan  
(078) 844-2003

**Hotel Carmelita** 📍  
#9 Diversion Road, Balzain  
Tuguegarao City, Cagayan  
(078) 844-7027

## RESTAURANTS/DINING

**Bed and Breakfast** 📍  
Cor., Luna Mabini Centro 2  
Tuguegarao City, Cagayan  
(078) 846-4743

**Pampagueña Restaurant** 📍  
Brgy Leonardo Maharlika Highway  
Tuguegarao City, Cagayan  
(078) 844-1829

## SPORTS/HEALTH/ RECREATION/SHOPPING

**Abraham-Henrage Shoppersville** 📍  
#55 Blumentritt St. Tuguegarao City,  
Cagayan  
(078) 844-0983

**Bali Leisure Club** 📍  
The Port Bali Leisure Club Pallua Road  
Tuguegarao City, Cagayan  
(078) 846-3283

**Adventure & Expedition Philippines  
Incorporation** 📍  
#29 Burgos St. cor Arellano St.  
Tuguegarao City, Cagayan  
(078) 844-1298

## GREATER CLARK



**GREATER CLARK CONVENTION AND  
VISITORS BUREAU**  
The Boardroom Business Center Bldg.  
7160 Claro M. Recto Highway, Clark  
Freeport Zone, Pampanga  
(045) 499-1146

## HOTELS / RESORTS / LODGING

**Holiday Inn Resort – Clark** 📍  
Mimosa Drive Leisure Estate CFZ  
(6345) 599-8000 / (6345) 845-1888

**Batis Asul Caterers & Resort** 📍  
Mc Arthur Highway, CFZ  
(6345) 888-1499

**PAGCOR – MIMOSA** 📍  
Mimosa Drive,  
Mimosa Leisure Estate, CFZ  
(6345) 599-6069 / (6345) 599-6001

**Hotel Vida** 📍  
5414 M.A. Roxas Highway, CFZ  
(6345) 499-1000 / (6345) 499-0762

**Montevista Villas** 📍  
Golf Academy Lane,  
Mimosa Leisure, CFZ  
(6345) 599-7000 / 584-4047 loc. 2007

**Sa Libis Ng Nayon Resort** 📍  
Magalang Rd. Brgy. Mining,  
Angeles City  
(6345) 322-2829 / (6345) 888-9963

**Oasis Hotel** 📍  
Malabnias, Angeles City  
(6345) 625-8301 to 04

## RESTAURANTS/DINING

**Mr. Frosty Corporation** 📍  
& Ikabud Pagkaing Pinoy  
29-19 S.L. Orosa St. Diamond Subd.  
(6345) 332-1118 / (6345) 625-8232

**C'italian Dining** 📍  
Don Juico Ave., Angeles City  
(6345) 892-4059 / (6345) 892-6993

**Historic Camalig Restaurant** 📍  
292 Sto. Rosario Street Heritage District  
Angeles City  
(6345) 888-1077 / (6345) 322-5641

**Puning Hot Spring & Restaurant** 📍  
Sitio Target Sapang Bato, Angeles City  
(6345) 499-0629

**Pugad Dencio's** 📍  
SM City Clark

**Teriyaki Boy** 📍  
SM City Clark

## TRANSPORTATION

**Pulu Amsic (Balinesean Estate)** 📍  
Brgy. Amsic, Angeles City  
(6345)459-0165

## SPORTS/HEALTH/ RECREATION/SHOPPING

**Angeles Sports & Country Club** 📍  
Hensonville, Angeles City  
(6345) 892-6358

**Fontana Leisure Park** 📍  
CM Recto Highway, CFS  
(6345) 5995000 / (02) 843 9123

**Nayong Pilipino – Clark Expo** 📍  
Clark Expo-CFZ  
(6345) 5997568 / (6345) 477-7408

**El Kabayo Riding Stables** 📍  
Gil Puyat Ave., Cor. Panday Pira Clark  
Freeport Zone Pampanga  
(6345) 499-0920

**Clark Eagle Range** 📍  
West Airfield, Clark Freeport Zone  
Pampanga  
09295976668

**Puning Hot Spring** 📍  
Sitio Target Brgy Sapangbato,  
Angeles City

## ILOCOS NORTE



**ILOCOS NORTE CONVENTION  
AND VISITORS BUREAU**  
Rm.2 Balay da Blas, 10 Giron St.,  
Brgy. 7-B, Laoag City  
(077) 770 4389  
balaydablas@yahoo.com

## HOTELS / RESORTS / LODGING

**Balay da Blas Pension House** 📍  
# 10 Giron St., Brgy. 7-B,  
Laoag City, IN  
(077) 770-4389

**Playa Tropical Resort Hotel** 📍  
Brgy. Victoria, Currimao, IN  
(077) 676-1001 / (077) 676-1088

**Shorestop Inn-Restaurant** 📍  
Brgy. 18, San Isidro, Pasuquin, IN

**Sitio Remedios Heritage Village** 📍  
Brgy. Victoria, Currimao, IN

**Palazzo De Laoag Hotel** 📍  
Brgy. 27 P Paterno St. Laoag City, IN  
(077) 773-1842

**Northview Hotel** 📍  
46 Nalbo, Airport Road, Laoag City, IN  
(077)773-1689

**Texicano Hotel** 📍  
Rizal St., Laoag City, IN  
(077) 772-0290 / (077) 770-5776

**Pangil Beach Resort** 📍  
Bgy. Pangil, Currimao, IN  
(077) 6761229

**Mira De Polaris Hotel** 📍  
Ventura St, Bgy.1, San Nicolas, IN  
(077) 6761647 / (077) 6766830

**Ilocos Rosewell Hotel and Restaurant** 📍  
National Highway, Bgy.1,  
San Nicolas, IN  
(077) 670 6528-9 / (077) 7810450

**Gertes Resort** 📍  
San Nicolas, IN

**Ilocos Norte Hotel** 📍  
and Convention Center  
Bgy. Balacad, Laoag City, IN  
(077) 6708330

## RESTAURANTS/DINING

**Herencia Café** 📍  
Brgy. 14 Sangladan, Paoay  
Tel. No: (077) 614-0214  
Café Shop

**La Preciosa Fine Dining** 📍  
Rizal St, Laoag City  
Tel. No: (077)773-1162

**Stone House Cafe** 📍  
47 Bengcag, Airport Road, Laoag City

**Ravandens Grill and Catering** 📍  
Bgy.6, Rizal st, Laoag City  
Tel. Nos: (077) 773 1366 /  
(077) 676 1535

**Alohaly'n's Place/ Beer Garden** 📍  
Farinas Avenue, Bgy. Calayab,  
Laoag City  
Tel. Nos: (077) 6761867

**Saramsam Café** 📍  
Bgy 7A Laoag City  
0917-5702110

## LA UNIÓN



**LA UNION CONVENTION  
AND VISITORS BUREAU**  
Coconut Grove Beach Resort,  
National Hi-way, Paringao, Bauang  
0917 8020973

## HOTELS / RESORTS / LODGING

**Coconut Grove Beach Resort** 📍  
National Hi-way, Paringago,  
Bauang, La Union  
Tel. Nos: (072) 6076604 / (072) 6076621

**China Sea Resort** 📍  
Paringao, Bauang, La Union  
Tel. Nos: (072) 7050833 /  
(072) 6076607 / (072) 2420822 (fax)

**Hotel Ariana** 📍  
Paringao, Bauang, La Union  
Tel. Nos: (6372) 705-0050 / 705-0080

**Lola Nanny's Resort** 📍  
Urbiztondo, San Juan, La Union  
Mobile No: 0920-4091030

**Marand Resort and Spa** 📍  
McArthur Hi Way, Baccuit Sur,  
Bauang, La Union  
072-607223

**San Juan Surf Shop** 📍  
Urbiztondo, San Juan, La Union  
Tel. Nos: (072) 7200340 / (072)  
7050833

**Thunderbird Corporation** 📍  
Pro Noit, San Fernando City, La Union  
Tel. No: (072) 8887888

## NUEVA ECIJA



**NUEVA ECIJA CONVENTION  
AND VISITORS BUREAU**  
Microtel Hotels and Resorts  
Sta. Arcadia, Cabanatuan City,  
Nueva Ecija  
(044) 464 7777 / 806 2695

## HOTELS / RESORTS / LODGING

**Alumni Bed & Breakfast Hostel** 📍  
CLSU campus, Science City of Muñoz  
044.940.7504

**Amada Plaza Hotel** 📍  
Villa Luz, Cabanatuan City  
044.464.3098

**Hunter Valley Plantation & Resort Inc.** 📍  
Cabu, Cabanatuan City  
(63.44) 806 1671 / 63.928 505 0546/  
63.918 920 0641

**Microtel Hotels Resorts Cabanatuan** 📍  
Sta. Arcadia Cabanatuan City, Nueva Ecija  
(63.44) 464 7777/63.920.938 4569

**Nipa Hut Hotel & Resort** 📍  
Diversion Road, San Leonardo,  
Nueva Ecija  
(63.44) 806.0216/63.927.7768.999

**PCC Hostel** 📍  
CLSU, Science City of Muñoz  
0917.524.4873

## RESTAURANTS/DINING

**Baked by Luna** 📍  
Vergara building, Barangay ACFA,  
Maharlika Highway, Cabanatuan City  
044.940.4463/0922.244.5017

**Chives Café & Patisserie** 📍  
PHILSCAT Building, Maharlika highway,  
Science City of Muñoz  
044.806.3707/0906.384.2928

**Hapag Vicentico's** 📍  
1077 del Pilar st. Cabanatuan City  
(63.44) 600.3237/63.920.901.4919

**Liquid Coffee Bar & Resto** 📍  
Sta. Arcadia. Cabanatuan City  
(63.44) 940 3648/63.917 815 0057

**Yogurtree** 📍  
Moreno Building, Maharlika Highway,  
Cabanatuan City  
0922.825.9206

LGU's

LGU Licab, Nueva Ecija  
Contact Person: Marilyn Mendiola  
0917.647.1612

LGU Pantabangan, Nueva Ecija  
Contact person: Emry  
09176746.0392

LGU Papaya, Nueva Ecija  
Contact Person: Dave Ramos  
0918.587.3444

LGU San Jose City, Nueva Ecija  
Contact Person: Anthony dela Cruz  
0916.746.0392

## PAMPANGA



## CONVENTIONS & VISITORS BUREAU

**PAMPANGA CONVENTION  
AND VISITORS BUREAU**  
Everybody's Café, Mac Arthur  
Highway, City of San Fernando,  
Pampanga  
0917 2454834

## HOTELS / RESORTS / LODGING

**Hotel Gracelane** 📍  
San Agustín, San Fernando  
Tel. Nos: (045) 9613696 / (045)  
8606060

**King's Royal Hotel & Leisure Park** 📍  
Olongapo-Gapan Road, Bacolor  
Tel. Nos: (045) 9617000 / (045)  
9610325

## RESTAURANTS/DINING

**Aling Lucing's Sisig** 📍  
Robinson's Starmills & SM Food Court

**Everybody's Café** 📍  
Mc Arthur Highway, del Pilar,  
City of San Fernando  
Tel. Nos: (045) 8601121 / (045) 8870361

## OTHERS

**Candaba Wetlands**  
Candaba  
09178888794

## FARM

**Abe's Farm** 📍  
Bgy. Ayala, Magalang  
Tel. No:(045) 865-1930

## PANGASINAN



PANGASINAN CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAU  
33 Gov. Antonio Sison St., Lingayen, Pangasinan  
0928 7334798

### HOTELS / RESORTS / LODGING

Borasinta Beach Club   
Uyong, Labrador  
09209503095

Capitol Resort Hotel   
Lingayen, Pangasinan  
(075) 8932 / (075) 6620848

Covelandia Du Labrador   
Tubuan, Labrador  
Tel. No: (075) 5495198 / (0927) 2567573

El Pescador Resort & Hotel   
Poblacion, San Andres  
(075) 554255

El Puerto Marina   
Don Martin, Domingo St. Pangapisan North Lingayen Pangasinan  
Tel. No: (075) 5425328  
Mobile No: (0920) 95068

Hotel Consuelo Resort   
Alvear St., Maramba Blvd.  
Tel. Nos: (075) 5428932 / (02) 6622528

Lenox Hotel   
Rizal St., Dagupan City  
Tel. Nos: (075) 5158889 / 515852

Hundred Islands Mgt.   
(Partner Tour Packages)  
Alaminos City  
09176104144

Las Residencias   
Patar, Bolinao  
(075) 542-5381

Palmas Verdes   
Bonuan, Dagupan City  
09175081266

Puerto del Sol   
Bolinao, Pangasinan  
(075) 696-0530

Punta Riviera   
Ilog Malino, Bolinao  
(075) 6961350 / (075) 6961274

Rock Garden Hotel   
Arnedo, Bolinao  
(075) 544-2876

Star Plaza Hotel   
A. B. Fernandez Ave., Dagupan City  
Tel. No: (075) 5234888

The President Hotel   
Maramba Blvd., Lingayen  
(075) 5423056

Treasures of Bolinao Hotel   
Manila: (02) 4971068  
Bolinao: (075) 6960668

Villa Jireh Japhet Holistic Resort Hotel   
(0920) 5777556

### SPORTS/HEALTH/RECREATION

Mouse House Internet Café  
Dagupan City

Narciso Ramos Sports Civic Center   
Alvear St., Narciso Ramos Sport Civic Complex  
Tel. No: (075) 5425941

### TRAVEL AND TOURISM

Pangasinan Council of Tourism   
& Industries c/o TOPAD  
Tel. No: (075) 5428007

Pangasinan Tourism Office   
Capitol Compd., Lingayen  
Tel. No: (075) 5428007

Tourism Office of Alaminos   
Alaminos City, Pangasinan  
0921-2990696

Tourism Office of Dagupan   
Dagupan, Pangasinan  
Rosemarie Teng-Mejia

### FOOD / RESTAURANTS/ BARS/ CAFES

Matutina Annex 3 Restaurant   
Bonuan, Tondaligan  
Tel. Nos: (075) 6143076 / (075) 6143162

Max's Urdaneta   
Urdaneta City  
Mobile No: (0918) 3131272

### OTHERS

Narciso Ramos   
Sports Civic Center  
(075) 5425941

## SUBIC BAY



GREATER SUBIC BAY TOURISM BUREAU  
2nd floor Subic Bay Exhibition and Convention Center, Efficiency Road, Subic Bay Freeport  
(047) 252-5212

### HOTELS / RESORTS / LODGING

Arizona Int'l Hotel   
47 National Hi-way Brgy.Baretto  
Olongapo City  
(047) 224-4557

Buena Casa Hosteria Subic Bay   
Lot. 8,9,10 Betty Lane St. Subic Bay Freeport Zone, SBMA  
TEL#: (047) 250-0664  
Fax#: (047) 250-0663

Club Morocco   
Cawag, Subic, Zambales  
(047) 252-2724

Courtmeridian   
Waterfront Road,  
Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
(047) 252-2366

Conti's Plaza Apartel   
047-222-3279

Crown Royale Hotel   
Capital Drive San Jose City  
(047) 237 1961 Fax # (047) 237 1961

Crystal Beach Surf Resort   
Brgy. Lapas San Narciso Zambales  
Telfax: 047 913 4309

Grand Leisure Hotel   
Waterfront Road.,  
Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
Tel: (047) 2522764

Joyous Resort And Restaurant   
Doña Francisca Balanga Bataan City  
Telfax#: 047 791 3313

Lighthouse Marina Resort   
Moonbay Marina Complex,Waterfront Road,CBD, SBFZ, Zambales  
(047) 252-5000 / (047) 252-7545

Mbk Grand Leisure Hotel   
Lot MC-9, Waterfront Road SBFZ  
(047)252-2764

Mountain Woods Resort Hotel   
Entremedor St. West Kalayaan, Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
(047) 252-1985/4446  
Fax. (047) - 252-7455

Punta De Ulan   
Pundaquit San Antonio,Zambales  
0918-415-7774

Subic Homes   
56-A Lanzones St., Binictican, Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
(047) 252-1907

Subic International Hotel Corp.   
Bldg. 786, Sta.Rita Road, SBFZ  
(047)252-2222

Subic Mirage Hotel   
60 National Hi-Way Brgy.Baretto  
Olongapo City  
(047) 223-9245

Subic Park Hotel   
Moonbay Marina,  
Waterfront Road, SBFZ  
(047) 2092 Fax. No. (047) 252-2039

Vista Marina Resort   
Blk. 3 Lot 2 Moonbay  
Marina,Waterfront Road

Subic Bay Freeport Zone   
(047) 250-3373  
White Rock Beach Resort  
Matain Subic Zambales  
232-5716 Fax#: 232-2857

### RESTAURANTS/CAFE/BAR

Brew's Bistro   
Magsaysay Drive, Olongapo City  
(047) 223-2588/1682

Casino Filipino  
Magsaysay Drive, Olongapo  
(047)222-4565

City Spa   
#51 Magsaysay Drive, Olongapo  
(047) 223-1682

Extremely Expresso   
No. 1 Dewey St. Cor. Sta.Rita Road,  
Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
(047) 252-7642

Mango's Restaurant   
223-4139

Meat Plus   
Bldg. 65 Samson Road,  
Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
(047)-252-1346

Pier One   
Moonbay Marina Waterfront Road,  
Subic Bay Freeport Zone

Rali's Bar And Grill   
Malabanan Park Argounats Highway,  
Subic Bay Freeport Zone

Ritz Tropical   
Rizal Hiway, Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
(047) 252-3342

Sam's Pizza   
Magsaysay Drive, Olongapo City  
(047) 222-3686

Subic Bay Marine Exploratorium  
Ocean Adventure   
Camayan Beach Resort   
252 - 9000

Subic Bay Yacht Club   
Rizal Hwy Corner Burgos St.  
Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
(047) 252-2588

The Coffee Shop   
2 Rizal St., Barrio Baretto

Tree Top Adventure   
Apari Rd Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
(047) 252 9427

Zoobic Safari   
Tiarra Bldg Crown Peak Garden Hotel  
Subic Bay Freeport Zone  
(047) 252-8638W

## TARLAC



TARLAC CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAU  
Pasalubong Center, Plaza Luisita Center, Brgy. San Miguel, Tarlac City, Tarlac  
(045) 493 0009  
tarlac\_cvb@yahoo.com.ph

### HOTELS/RESORTS/LODGING

Azaya Garden Resort by Coconut Grill   
MacArthur Highway, Estrada, Capas  
(63 45) 985 0045 / 491 2820

Central Park Hotel   
Luisita Business Park, San Miguel  
(63 45) 985 1912 or 24 Fax 985-0683  
cph\_tarlac@yahoo.com.ph

La Maja Rica Hotel & Restaurant   
Mc Arthur Highway, Ligtasan, Tarlac City  
(63 45) 611-2053 to 55

Microtel Inn & Suites   
Luisita Industrial Park Road San Miguel, Tarlac City  
(63 45) 985-1770 / 985-1975

Nick Hotel   
MacArthur highway cor Gerona Pura Road Gerona  
(63 45) 491 5259

Sun Garden Hotel   
Milagrosa St., Aquino Subd., Tarlac City  
(63 45) 982 0688 / 982 9143

### RESTAURANTS/DINING

Coconut Grill Restaurant   
MacArthur Highway, Estrada, Capas  
(63 45) 985 0045 / 491 2820

New Butter World Bakeshop   
Brgy Caturay Gerona  
#478-B M.H. Del Pilar St., Tarlac City  
(63 45) 982 3511

L Paras Pavillion   
San Sebastian, Gate 3,  
Don Gregorio St.,Tarlac City  
(63 45) 982 3715 / 982 3730

La Maja Rica Business Center  
Mac Arthur Highway, Tarlac City  
(63 45) 982 2981/ 611 2044  
Fax 982 3373

Lattétude Café   
3M Bldg. McArthur Highway,  
Ligtasan, Tarlac City  
(63 45) 491 0168 / 982 9143

Latino's Seafood Grill Restaurant   
Mac Arthur Highway San Nicolas Blk 5, Tarlac City  
(63 45) 800 2007

Max's Restaurant Luisita/ SM City   
Mc Arthur Highway Tarlac City  
Robinson's Plaza Luisita, San Miguel Tarlac City  
(63 45) 985 0688

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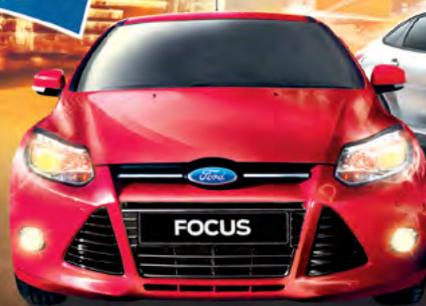
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