

People and Events

FABAG mixer in Glendale



L-R: Mrs. Linda Weaver, Director Philip S. Lanzafame, Captain Kirk M. Palmer, Council member Dave Weaver, Ms. Marlene Cagatao.



From left: Mrs. Ruby De Vera, David Lee from the Pacific BMW, Captain Kirk M. Palmer, Director Philip S. Lanzafame and FABAG President Grace Walker.

THE Filipino-American Business Association of Glendale (FABAG) successfully had a networking mixer held at the Pacific BMW Glendale. Among those who were present to show their support were Councilmember Dave Weaver, who briefly shared with the attendees the various works being undertaken by the City of Glendale; Captain Kirk M. Palmer of the Glendale Police Department, Administrative Services Division, who reported about its various projects being conducted in keeping Glendale a safe and secure City. Director Philip S. Lanzafame from the Department of Development Services discussed the redevelopment plan of the City of Glendale. In the midst of this economic slowdown and inescapable budget cuts, he proudly announced that there are various businesses that will open in Glendale. Among them are Embassy Suites and a possible studio by an undisclosed firm. The mixer attracted almost 40 business people from various ethnicities. This mixer was made possible by the well spirited people of FABAG headed by its current President, Grace Walker from the Commission on the Status of Women, supported by Mrs. Linda Weaver, Mrs. Ruby De Vera and Ms. Marlene Cagatao. ■

Asian Pacific Health Care...

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exclusively benefits the Filipino community. The venue provides a perfect haven for our *kabayans* since the majority of potential beneficiaries of this fair are either newly arrived, unemployed, uninsured and undocumented, or those who may have overstayed their visas.
Some of the free services and activities to be provided at the fair include blood pressure screening, glucose screening, BMI screening, on-site osteoporosis scanning (available only on the first day because of the costs), on-site oral health counseling, and Bone Marrow Donor Registration. Information will also be provided for those who may be interested in assistance with enrollment into public health care programs for

seniors and children from low-income families such as Medical, Healthy Families, Healthy Kids, and Medicare. Information and assistance is also provided for those interested in other health programs such as WIC, Food Stamps, mammograms and papsmear, nutrition education for diabetics and obesity prevention, parenting workshops, CPR training, APHCV clinic services, HIV prevention, family planning and counseling. The Pagpapalaga Sa Kalusugan Ng Pamilya health fair is free and open to the public on a first come, first served basis.
For more details, contact Marilyn Johns, APHCV's Pilipino Community Outreach Worker, at telephone (323) 644-3880 ext. 229 or email MJohns@aphcv.org. ■

The 1st Annual City of Carson Red Ribbon...

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Celebration as a kick off to a year of alcohol and drug prevention in our communities.
Member organizations of the initiative includes MADD Los Angeles County, Philippine Independence Day Foundation, Pacific American Student Services, Boys and Girls Club of Carson, Carson Student Movement, Filipino Student Forum, Carson High Parent Center, Teen Challenge International, Carson Ministry Alliance, St. Philomena Peace and Justice Committee and other concerned citizens of the City of Carson. The initiative hopes that community members can join us.
The week-long awareness campaign starts off on Monday (Oct. 20) at 4:30 pm with a Red Ribbon Week Kick-Off Ceremony in front of the City Hall.
The celebration also includes the following events: Tuesday (Oct. 21): Wear your red ribbon day and community red ribbon tying 4-6 pm. Volunteers are to meet in front

of the Community Center by 4 pm Wednesday (Oct. 22): Forum on Drugs and Underage Drinking, 6-8 pm, Community Center Hall A.
Thursday, Oct. 23: Youth Cultural Night, 4:30-7 pm, Community Center Hall C.
Saturday, Oct. 25: RRW Appreciation and Art/Drawing Contest Award Luncheon, 1-3 pm, Community Center Adult Lounge.
Joining the efforts for drug awareness and prevention through sponsorships are Carson-based businesses such as Watson Land Company, Shell Refinery, Carson British Petroleum, Philippine Independence Day Foundation, Seafood City, Red Ribbon Bakeshop, Chow King, and Double Tree Hotel.
Remember to wear a red ribbon everyday during Red Ribbon Week!
For questions and more information, please contact the City Manager's Office at (310) 830-7600 Ext. 1044 or Richard Bis and Carol Almeda at 323-239-6284. ■

'Message of HOPE' in times of crisis Pastor Apollo C. Quiboloy to speak before thousands in California

IF US Presidential candidate Sen. Barack Obama's famed slogan *Change We Need* has brought a sweeping influence in the lives of millions all over the US, this global television evangelist's "unique message of change" has led millions across the world to "repentance."
Barely two weeks after his mammoth concert in HongKong, the world renowned television evangelist Pastor C. Quiboloy, Executive Pastor of the Kingdom of Jesus Christ The Name Above Every Name, is set to speak before thousands in twin concerts in California on Nov. 2 at the Kingdom of Jesus Christ Worship Center Compound in 14424 Vanowen St., Van Nuys and on Nov. 9 at the South San Francisco Conference Center in San Francisco.
Teresita Dandan, the ministry's administrator for the US said the pastor's growing number of followers and viewers all over the United States are excited to once again hear him speak live in series of concerts.
"In these times when Americans and people from different races here in The United States are in distress because of the economic crunch, the message being delivered by Pastor Apollo is what the people need most. It is a message of going back to the Father's will. It is the change that the people need," Dandan said.
Pastor Apollo has been preaching the powerful message of change he calls Spiritual Revolution for more than 23 years.

This according to him is man's voluntary surrender of his sinful will, to the Father's will upon repentance, by making a promise that not his, but the Father's will be done in his life.
His message may seem radical but it has, for many years, brought change in the lives of his millions of followers.
"All the crisis, the endless disputes, and the hopelessness which people all over the world experience today are brought by the serpent seed," Pastor Apollo stresses in one of the episodes of his popular nightly program, *Give Us This Day*.
"This is the spirit that Satan Lucifer has implanted within man, upon our first parent's fall. Unless this spirit is taken out from within, all the problems that we have in the world today, will never be solved. Change has to happen from the very spirit of man," he says.
From his ministry's home base in Davao City, Philippines, the Pastor is broadcasting his television programs in real time, 24/7 on FREE TV through satellite technology —making his TV network, Sonshine Media Network International (SMNI), the only Filipino channel to reach millions of viewers all over Asia, North America, Europe, Middle East, Australia and Africa on free-to-air TV. His concerts all over North America & Europe have been drawing thousands of people for the past two years.
Sonshine Media Network International,

ACQ-Kingdom Broadcasting Network's carrier, is being transmitted all over North America by GALAXY 25 satellite (formerly TELSTAR 5) direct to millions of household televisions via satellite receiver also called decoder box.
Those subscribing to World TV can easily tune in to ACQ-KBN TV with no subscription or smart card needed. TFC subscribers (using Galaxy 25 satellite) can also tune in to ACQ-KBN TV channel without monthly fee. Viewers in North America need only a satellite dish and a receiver or decoder to receive the channel for free without subscription fee or tie-ups with any service provider. Hotbird 6,7 and 8 or even Orbit subscribers all over Europe and the Middle East can also see ACQ-KBN TV for free.
For more inquiries about Pastor Apollo C. Quiboloy's concerts in California, contact Marlou Tesoro (808) 772-7510, Harry Estalante (818) 391-0032, Cleofe Fortuna (818) 915-8790, Susan Antonio (818) 797-9068 and the Kingdom of Jesus Christ Office in California (818) 787-4466 to those in Los Angeles area.
In the Bay Area call Guia Cabactulan (818) 744-3198, Tony and Medy Aguirre (650) 892-1171 and Anabelle Obligacion (925) 234-5321.
To learn more about the Kingdom, visit www.kingdomofjesuschrist.org, www.sonshineradio.com and www.acqkbn.tv. ■

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