

Enjoy a President's Day Sale at West Covina Nissan



ENJOY a variety of buy-and-lease programs from West Covina Nissan's wide selection of brand new and pre-owned cars this President's Day Sale Event.

They have great rebates, incentives and discounts waiting for you this weekend. Whether you are a first-time buyer or not, West Covina Nissan offers many programs which would fit your needs. Cars are available close to the blue book value. See their ad on Back Page of Section C for details. You will surely save money, especially at this dark economic times when everybody wants to cut back on everything. At West Covina Nissan, the Filipino Fleet Department representatives care for all their customers. The sales people are easy

to talk to and are always ready to help newly arrived kababayans from the Philippines without credit and want to establish credit in the US, also kababayans who are experiencing credit challenges at the moment. So hurry, call your Filipino team now! The team is committed to provide excellent customer service, ask for your kababayans: Roberto Tavera, Rex Samonte, Paul Narvaez, Eugenio Paguyo. West Covina Nissan is located at 205 N Citrus St., West Covina, CA 91791 with toll-free number 1-866-407-5697.

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Globe and Pacific Prime launch new Pinoy phone card in the US

GLOBE continues to bring the Filipino families together through its slew of products and services that provide fast and affordable ways for Overseas Pinoy to stay connected with their families and friends in the Philippines.

Pacific Prime, Inc, the service and network provider for the first Globe Kababayan Phone Card currently distributed in US supermarket chain, Seafood City, recently launched another variant of the Globe Kababayan phone card exclusively distributed in key Filipino touch points namely: Johnny Air Cargo, ePinoy Pinay & Atlas Express Padala.

According to Mr. Alan C. Supnet, Globe's Segment Business Head for Overseas Filipino Communities, "Globe and Pacific Prime have partnered with Johnny Air Cargo, ePinoy Pinay & Atlas Express Padala because they are already considered institutions in the Filipino communities in the US providing world-class service in shipping, telecommunications & remittance. We believe that through the years, they have been able to build the complete trust of the Filipinos in the US which is what we are also aiming to do by offering a myriad of easy and relevant



telcom products that cater to the communication needs of our fellow kababayans. Because of this partnership, we are now able to expand our distribution points for our products in the US even in the East Coast."

The newest Globe Kababayan phone card is available at an affordable price of \$5.00 in all Johnny Air Cargo, ePinoy Pinay & Atlas Express Padala outlets all over the United States. This phone card guarantees 35 minutes worth of international calls to Globe and TM subscribers in the Philippines. With no hidden charges, no connection fees, no daily maintenance fee and surcharges, the phone card allows Overseas Pinoy to remain connected to their loved ones at the most affordable price.

"Sa Globe's worldwidest services, *palagi nang buo ang pamilya*"

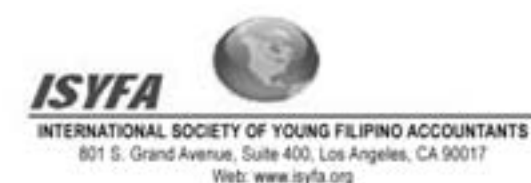
For more information on Globe's services overseas, log-on to www.globekababayan.com.ph

To know more about the Globe Kababayan phone cards powered by Pacific Prime, call hotline numbers 1-888-3008165.

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From left Ms. Filipina Tatlonghari, Ms. Vivian Talambiras-Cruz, Ms. Lavni Acosta, Ronnie Alejandro, Consul General Cecille Rebong, Deputy Consul General Millie Thomeczek, Ms. Marivic Dimaculangan (Cultural Officer), Dr. Allan Isaac.



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Eligibility Requirements: Qualifications vary based on graduate/undergraduate status:

- A declared accounting major with the intention of pursuing the CPA credential
- Have completed at least 30 semester hours of college coursework, including 6 hours in accounting, maintaining a minimum overall and major 3.3 GPA
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