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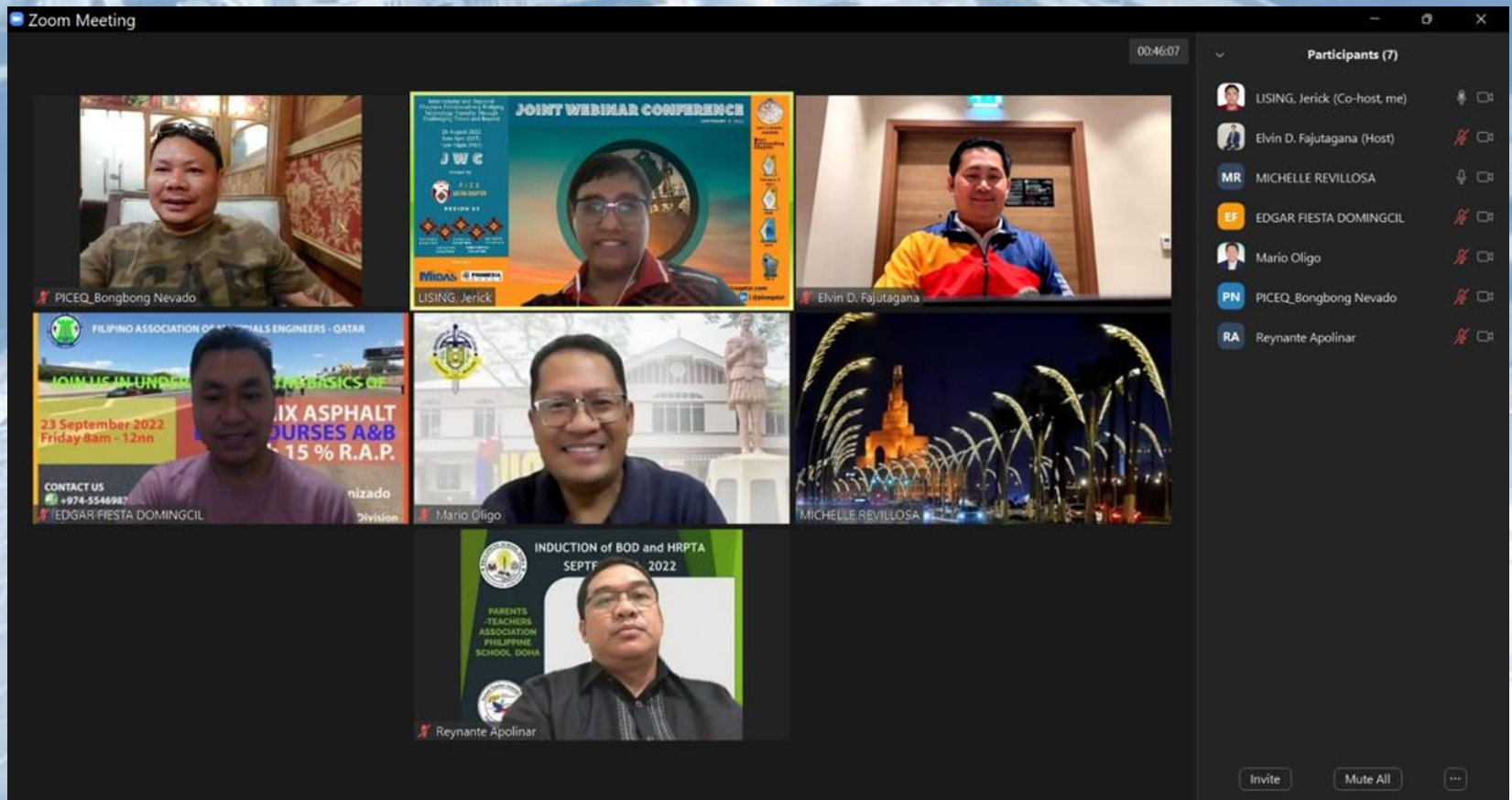
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SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND EVENTS COMMITTEE FOR STUDENTS (SPECS)



SPECS Meeting for the upcoming PICE Qatar Math Whiz Contest in November 2022.

October 3, 2022
Online via Zoom Meeting

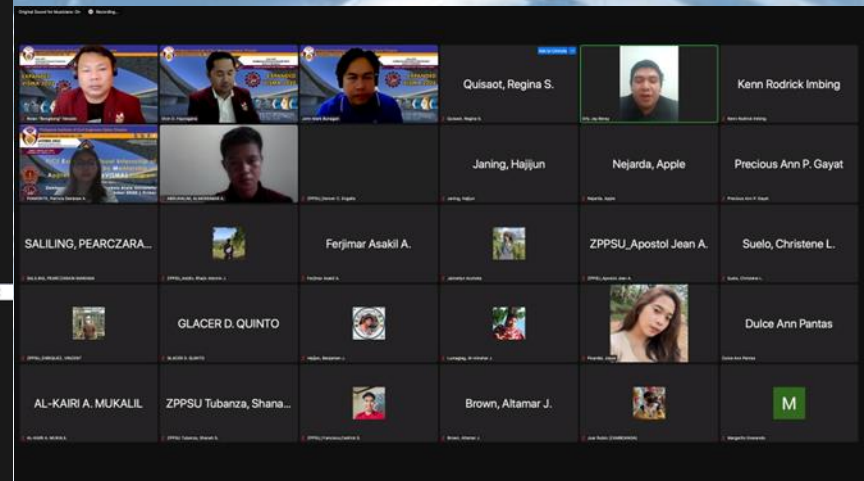
TENTH EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE BOARD MEETING



The 2022 Executive Committee (EXECOMM) of the PICE Qatar Chapter held its tenth regular monthly meeting last October 07, 2022, at dusitD2 Hotel Salwa, Doha Qatar. The meeting was attended by the 2022 Board of Directors, Council of Advisers, and Committee Chairmen. The President presided over the entire meeting and congratulated all committee chairs on their active participation in the success of various September activities. He welcomed the entire 2023 BOD-Elect to the meeting. He congratulated the major events committee on the successful organization of the 16th General Assembly, as well as the election of the 2023 Board of Directors and Officers and the taking of the oath of new members. covering the reporting updates of the Chairmen's respective programs and activities. The meeting started at 8:30 am and finally was adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

October 07, 2022
dusitD2 Hotel Salwa, Doha-Qatar

SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND EVENTS COMMITTEE FOR STUDENTS (SPECS)



PICE EVISMA Program conducted by Engr. Elvin D. Fajutagana and Engr. John Mark B. Bunagan for Zamboanga Peninsula Polytechnic State University civil engineering students.

**October 15, 2022 to October 31, 2022
Online via Zoom Meeting**

SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND EVENTS COMMITTEE FOR STUDENTS (SPECS)



The poster is for the 4th PICE Qatar Math Whiz Contest 2022. It features a red background with a yellow lightbulb shape containing the title. The text is organized into sections: title, date and round information, program details, participant information, mechanics, and contact persons. There are three circular photos: a boy in a white shirt, a man in a white shirt, and a group of three children.

4TH PICE QATAR MATH WHIZ CONTEST 2022

Date: November 18, 2022
Elimination Round: PSD Gym @ 8:00 a.m
Final Round: PSD Gym @ 1:30 p.m

ADOPT A WIZARD PROGRAM

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Participants:
Junior High School (Grade 9 & 10)
Senior High School (Grade 11 & 12)
Category: Team

Adopt-a-Wizard Mechanics:
1. Register your name in the link.
2. Any PICE Qatar Member or Non-Member may adopt a minimum of one team, which SPECS will assign through random selection.
3. Certificate of Appreciation will be given to a sponsor.

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4th PICE Qatar Math Whiz Contest 2022
Adopt-a-Wizard Program Launching

October 25, 2022

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October 1-31, 2022

COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP (COME)



Weekly Meet-ups for
General Membership

Chairman Marian M. Ocampo informed us that six (6) new members joined the Chapter for the month of October 2022. The chapter's most recent membership number now is 3589.

Twenty-nine (29) members updated their memberships as they availed of the chapter's amnesty which was extended up to November 2, 2023, Three (3) regular members also updated their status to Life Membership. As of this month, the chapter has a total of 631 members in "Good Standing" with the following breakdown 56 Associates, 218 Regular, 329 LM, and 28 Fellows of the Institute.



October 5, 12, 19 & 26, 2022
Dairy Queen, Ramada, Doha-Qatar

COMMITTEE ON LIFE MEMBERSHIP, SPECIALISTS AND ADVANCE APPLICATIONS (COLSAA)



The event started with a processional parade of colors, led by the PTC Officials represented by Engr. Federico Monsada (PTC President) and Engr. Romulo R. Agatep (PTC Country Registrar) followed by PICE Qatar Board of Directors, ASEAN Engineers, and ASEAN Engineers Conferees. In his welcome address, Engr. Mario S. Oligo, the event's Overall Chairman greeted all the guests and participants and congratulated all the conferees while acknowledging the time and effort they put in to finally be conferred during the event. This was followed by an opening speech by the PTC Presidential Deputy Adviser and PICE Qatar Founding President Roy L. Baquiran who shared his valuable insights on ASEAN Engineers Registry and activity updates. The next keynote speaker, PTC President Engr. Federico Monsada, explained the mission of PTC, which is to foster the development and advancement of Engineering and Technology, as well as those involved, with a focus on the global recognition of Filipino engineering professionals and their contribution to humanity. The Charging of ASEAN Engineers (AER), Associate ASEAN Engineers (AAER), and ASEAN Engineers Technologist (AE Tech), which will be led by Engr. Romulo Agatep. He then described an Advance Level Engineer as someone who uses professional judgment and demonstrates leadership skills, inventiveness, and originality in the professional engineering environment. He further noted that conferment is done to formally award someone the title of ASEAN Engineer and that the title might be post-nominal or pre-nominal. He then called all the conferees for the official Charging as Advance level Engineers.

October 14, 2022
 dusitD2 Hotel Salwa, Doha-Qatar

COMMITTEE ON PICE QATAR AFFAIRS (COPA)



PICE Qatar Handover of Goods & Outreach Items for Distressed OFWs
 POLO-OWWA-MWOFRC Shelter
 October 21, 2022

Thru the initiatives of Engr. Rammel A. Reyes, PICE Qatar Member & LM PICE, together with SPJV Filipino Friends of Qatar Rails and in coordination with the Philippine Institute of Civil Engineers Qatar Chapter(PICE Qatar) through its Committee on PICE Qatar Affairs (COPA) represented by 1VP Engr. Elvin Fajutagana and Vice Chairman for Outreach Activities, Engr. Emilio Manalo, a handover of goods and outreach items was done at the POLO-OWWA Migrant Workers and other Overseas Filipinos Resource Center (MWOFRC) Shelter, Doha, State of Qatar on October 21, 2022. The essential goods & outreach items were handed over to the POLO-OWWA-MWOFRC Shelter Representative who conveyed words of thanks and gratitude for the goods received.

October 21, 2022
 POLO-OWWA Migrant Workers and other Overseas Filipinos Resource Center (MWOFRC)
 Shelter, Doha, State of Qatar

COMMITTEE ON PICE QATAR AFFAIRS (COPA)



PICE Qatar Chapter participates in "Simsimah Rawda Tree Planting Campaign" in coordination with DEAP & MOECC October 28, 2022 Simsimah Area, Al Khor, State of Qatar

Photo Credits: PICE Qatar COPA whatsapp group chat

Tree Planting Activity at "Simsimah Rawda Tree Planting Campaign" in Coordination with Doha Environmental Actions Project (DEAP) & Ministry of Environment and Climate Change (MOECC), several members of the Board of Directors (BODs)-Executive Committee (EXECOMM) 2022, COPA members and PICE Qatar family members and friends have spared their time to be present and be VOLUNTEERS FOR OUR ENVIRONMENT during the event. Mr. Jose Saucedo, DEAP Organizer started the activity with the introduction of the Rawda Tree Planting Campaign which started 3 years ago and is a continuing program by the MOECC. Later, the different participating organizations and individuals proceeded with planting trees in the identified left-side half-corner of the lot locations. In the end, the organizers-DEAP & MOECC extended gratitude to all attendees who volunteered their time and effort for the noble purpose of environmental protection and support for the programs of the State of Qatar. The tree planting activity is one of the organization's annual continuous programs and is being organized by partnering with environmentally - friendly organizations or government entities since the start of PICE Qatar to enhance the Social Responsibility, Community Involvement, and Environmental Awareness of Civil Engineers, which is one of the PICE Core Values.

October 28, 2022
Simsimah Area in Al Khor, Doha, State of Qatar.

COMMITTEE ON PICE QATAR AFFAIRS (COPA)



To date, the noble amount raised for the good cause coming from personal cash voluntary donations of PICE Qatar members were already sent to Local Government Units (LGU) of identified municipalities in Quezon and Aurora Provinces which shall facilitate the distribution of the needed goods for the typhoon victims. The amount of Php 26,800.00 was sent and acknowledged by the LGU of the Municipality of Burdeos, Quezon thru its Mayor Hon. Freddie C. Aman and Mrs. Ralette Jane Morga-Algozo, Administrative Assistant from Office of the Municipal Mayor. They identified residents of Sitio Maybalite, Brgy. Poblacion, Municipality of Burdeos, Polillo Group of Islands, Quezon Province as the recipient of necessary goods/food packs. Distribution shall be updated. In the same manner, the same amount of Php 26,800.00 was sent and acknowledged by the LGU of the Municipality of Dingalan, Aurora thru its Mayor Hon. Shierwin H. Taay and Mrs. Claudine D. Arenas, Sr. Administrative Assistant III from Office of the Municipal Mayor

October 2022

COMMITTEE ON PICE QATAR AFFAIRS (COPA)



PICE Qatar's Typhoon Karding Donations for Sitio Maybalite, Brgy. Poblacion, Burdeos, Polilio Group of Islands, Quezon Province have finally been distributed to 167 beneficiaries. "Your donation counts however big or small to help them live." Big Thanks to all

October 2022

COMMITTEE ON PICE QATAR AFFAIRS (COPA)



Local Government Unit of Burdeos

Awards this

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to

**PHILIPPINE INSTITUTE OF CIVIL
ENGINEERS (PICE) QATAR CHAPTER**

For the generosity extended in our Municipality in giving cash donation to help the victims of Super Typhoon Karding.

Given this 3rd day of November 2022 at Burdeos, Quezon.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'F. Aman'.

HON. FREDDIE C. AMAN
Municipal Mayor

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION FROM MUNICIPALITY OF
BURDEOS

COMMITTEE ON PICE QATAR AFFAIRS (COPA)



PICE Qatar's Typhoon Karding Donations for Dingalan Aurora, Quezon Province have finally been distributed.

October 2022
Dingalan Aurora, Quezon Province

COMMITTEE ON PICE QATAR AFFAIRS (COPA)



Republic of the Philippines
Municipality of Dingalan
Province of Aurora



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For Helping Dingaleños recover from Disaster (**Super Typhoon Karding**)

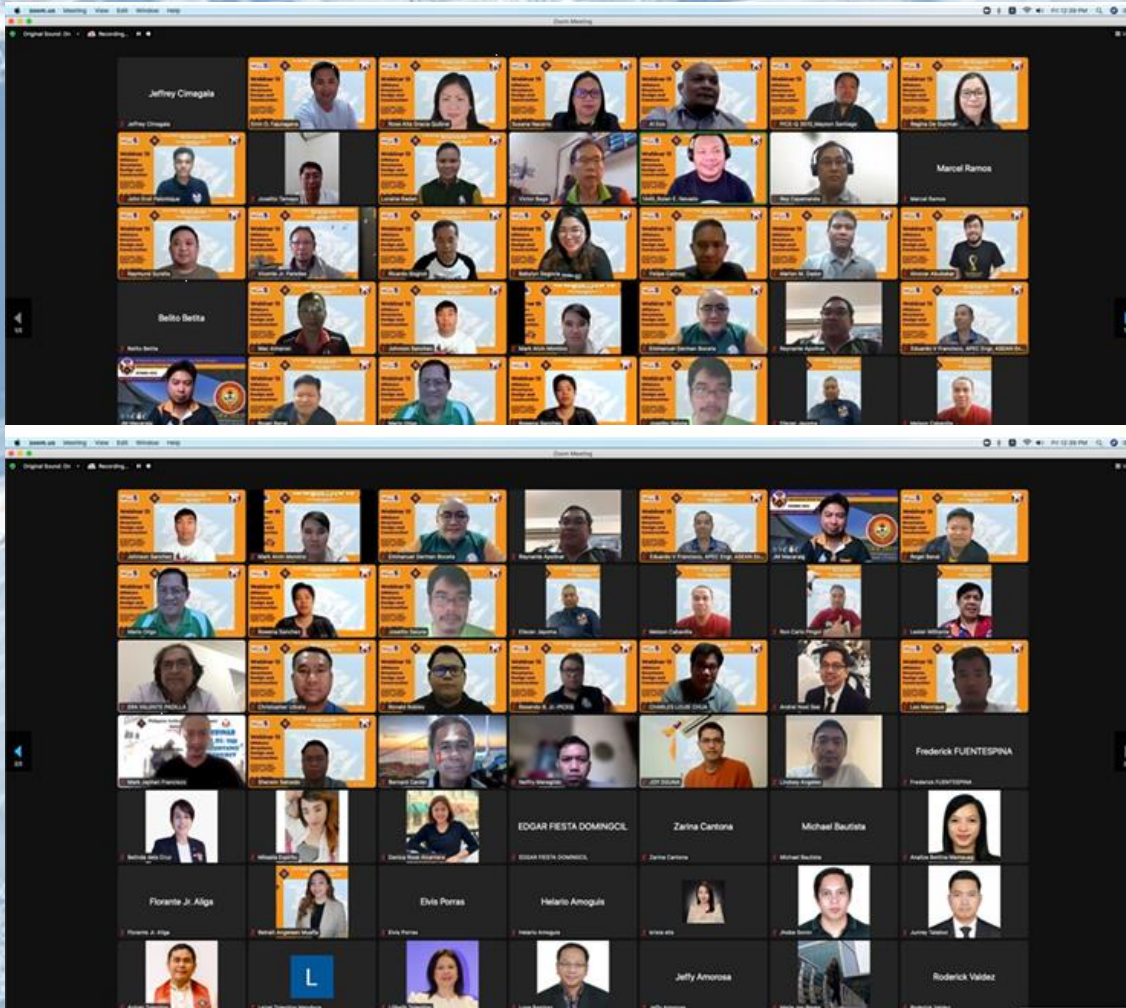
In recognition of your generous donation, we hereby express our sincerest gratitude for your generous contribution in support to all Dingaleños who have been affected by the **Super Typhoon Karding**, providing families with the essential they need to recover and rebuild their lives. We are truly grateful for people like you and may you have been an inspiration to everyone to spread more of the positivity. Maedup!

Given this 18th day of November 2022 at Municipal Hall Dingalan, Aurora.


SHERWIN H. TAAY
Municipal Mayor

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION FROM DINGALAN,
AURORA

COMMITTEE ON CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL ADVANCEMENT (COCPA)



Webinar 13: Offshore Structures Design and Construction

PICE Qatar hosted another free webinar, which was attended by over 70 PICE Qatar members.

The webinar proper began at 8:00 am with the speaker Engr. Al N. Eco. He began by discussing the function, method of construction, and installation of offshore structures. The second part of his presentation focuses on the fundamental forces involved in the in-service and pre-service of offshore structures. Questions were started to be thrown by the participants and gladly answered by our speaker.

This webinar is PRC CPD approved with a 2.0 approved unit and accreditation No. OCE-2010-001-

**October 28, 2022
ONLINE via ZOOM**

PHILIPPINE PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION - QATAR (PPO-Q)



PICE Qatar recently joined the Philippine Professional Organization Qatar (PPO-Q) Sports Fest 2022, with the grand opening held on 07 October 2022 at Al Arab International School, Doha, Qatar. The opening ceremony featured a parade of basketball teams and muses from various organizations. The opening game pitted the PICE Q team against the IECEP team with the PICE Q basketeers winning with a final score of 79 to 54. The seven basketball teams joined the tourney as follows: 1] PICE QATAR, 2] PSME QATAR, 3] NAMPAP-QATAR, 4] AFE QATAR, 5] IIEE-SQC, 6] UAP QATAR, and 7] IECEP QATAR. Elimination games are scheduled every Friday afternoon until November 18th, 2022.

The sportsfest opening day was another success story of PPO-Q under the stewardship of PICE Qatar Immediate Past President and current 2022 PPO-Q Chairman Mark Anthony Abendan.



**October 7, 2022
Al Arab International School, Doha, Qatar**

PHILIPPINE PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION - QATAR (PPO-Q)



In the PPO-Q Badminton Tournament 2022, which was held on the 14th of October 2022 at the New Palestinian School Doha. Members of PICE Qatar as well as their friends participated in the event under the lead of PICE Qatar Sergeant-At-Arms, Victor Bago Jr. and PPOQ 2022 Chairman and PICE Q President 2021 Engr. Mark Abendan.

After eliminations on various levels, some PICE Qatar players and friends managed to reach up to semis but in the end, it was the partnership of Engineers Greg Ballea and Norwin Akot who managed to finish as runner-up in the tight championship game.



Mobile Legends Tournament

The 2nd Mobile Legends Tournament held on October 14, 2022, was won by Team PICE at the expense of Team IECEP Qatar in the final round to advance to the finals. Team Civil Engineers defeated Team Electrical Engineers in the Championship round.

PICE Qatar delegates composed of Engr. Allen Nacario Jr (Rawwr), Engr. Mary Grace Santiago (Meyimeyi), Engr. Brandon Pangilinan (SweetStyleSpaghetti), Engr. Glenn Ilagan (Bembem&TitoyTV), Engr. Mark Alvin Montino (Tokito.Ohma) & Ronald Jason Cabugao (jakeydragonov).

October 14, 2022

Al Arab International School, Doha, Qatar

PHILIPPINE PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION - QATAR (PPO-Q)



PICE Qatar towers sealed its 3rd straight win to the PPO-Q 2022 IOBL after they trounced AFEQ to a score of 100 – 72.

October 28, 2022
Al Arab International Academy, Doha, Qatar

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



On the 4th of October 2022, the groundbreaking ceremony was conducted and was attended by the barangay captain together with officials, MES teacher-in-charge, MES representatives, and, the PICE Q field coordinator.

October 4, 2022
Maygatasan Elementary School (MES), Bayugan City, Agusan
Del Sur

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



PICEQ will provide financial assistance for the construction of one (1) classroom school building including project planning and development in coordination with MES representative throughout the project implementation. The purpose of this project is to sustain the noble campaign to assist the government in reducing the shortage of school buildings while improving the learning conditions of MES students. This also fulfills PICE Q's advocacy in making a positive social impact not only in Qatar but, more importantly, in our home country as well.

October 2022
Maygatasan Elementary School (MES), Bayugan City, Agusan
Del Sur

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



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QATAR CHAPTER
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**CONSTRUCTION OF
1st PICE Qatar
COMFORT ROOM
for Persons With Disabilities (PWD)**

Maygatasan Elementary School
Brgy. Maygatasan, Bayugan City,
Agusan Del Sur

Initiated By:
PICE QATAR COMMITTEE ON SCHOOL
BUILDING / OTHER EXTERNAL
COMMUNITY PROJECTS

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PICE Qatar launched and funded another community project back home in the Philippines, the construction of the “First Comfort Room For Persons With Disabilities (PWD)”. The said project is very essential for sanitation and hygiene and provides a supportive therapeutic environment where Persons With Disabilities (PWD) can use self-help techniques to manage their behavior and emotional state in a safe environment. The venture’s kick-off commenced last October 26, 2022 that was witnessed by MES Principal Mr. Victor De Veyra along with several school staff and graced by the Brgy. Captain Hon. Cirilo Tanjay, Brgy. Councilors Mr. Brigido Tanjay and Mrs. Marilou Viernes. And the completion of the project is expected in not exceeding thirty (30) days from the date of its start-off.

This project was realized through the unwavering support from the chapter’s magnanimous members who responded to the donation drive initiated by the Committee on School Building/Other External Community Project’s Chairman Engr. Leo Manrique and with the assistance of the designated PICE Qatar’s Project Coordinator Mrs. Evelinda Patton, a Philippine Normal University-Mindanao Campus Professor.

October 26, 2022

Maygatasan Elementary School (MES) in Brgy. Maygatasan,
Bayugan City, Agusan Del Sur

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



PICE Qatar once again stretches its influence on the distant province of Surigao del Sur, helping Jacinto P. Elpa National High School in building its own handwashing and drinking water station. The groundbreaking activity was done last 10 October 2022 with the following personages: Ely Jane G. Luna - PTA Federation President, Dr. Evelyn C. Bandyo – Principal IV, Mr. Marlon L. Balansag – Senior Education Program Specialist on Social Mobilization and Networking, Ronelio Tajonera, and Engr. Ignacio Singayan – PICE Qatar Member and representative for the said project. Mr. Balansag networked with PICE Qatar way back in 2021 during the pandemic and asked for assistance to extend help to our less privileged indigenous students in the remote areas in Surigao del Sur. After almost a year of his leadership, Engr. Rolan Nevado continued his assistance to the city by building the fifth (5th) handwashing and drinking water station for JPENHS, through the CSB/OECP team and the entire PICE Qatar.

October 10, 2022
Mahatao Elementary School in Barangay Hanib, Mahatao,
Batanes.

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



The signing of deed of donation and groundbreaking of the PICE Qatar's 6th handwashing/ drinking water station project in Dulli Integrated School located in Brgy. Dulli Ambaguio, Nueva Vizcaya commenced on 18th October 2022. The event was attended by representatives from PICE Qatar Chapter, PICE Nueva Vizcaya Chapter and in coordination with Bayombong Rotary Club.

October 18, 2022
 Dulli Integrated School, Tuplac, Ambaguio, Nueva Vizcaya

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



The Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) of the 7th Handwashing/ Drinking Water Station project in Sta. Margarita National High School located in Brgy. Sta. Margarita, Baggao, Cagayan was signed last September 20, 2022

October 2022
Sta. Margarita National High School - Cagayan

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



The Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) of the 8th Handwashing/ Drinking Water Station project in Quirino General High School located in Brgy. Zamora, Cabarroguis, Quirino was signed last October 5th, 2022. With the target of 20 days for its completion, the groundbreaking ceremony was held on October 26, 2022.

The Construction of the 8th handwashing/ drinking water station at Quirino General High School Barangay Zamora, Cabarroguis, Quirino was funded through the 1st Joint Webinar Conference between PICE Qatar Chapter and PICE Region 2 Chapter.

October 26, 2022
Quirino General High School located in Brgy. Zamora,
Cabarroguis, Quirino

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



The 9th handwashing/ drinking water station MOA was already completed and signed last October 27, 2022. The Groundbreaking ceremony held on the same day was attended by the school officials, PTA representative and PICE Qatar coordinator.

October 27, 2022
Santiago City National High School, Isabela

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



PICE Qatar's 10th handwashing/ drinking water station groundbreaking at Diura Barrio School in Sitio Diura, Barangat Ugoy, Mahatao, Batanes.

The Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) of the 10th Handwashing/ Drinking Water Station project in Diura Barrio School located in Brgy. Uvoy, Mahatao, Batanes was signed last October 20, 2022.

Groundbreaking commenced on October 27, 2022.

October 27, 2022

Diura Barrio School located in Brgy. Ugoy, Mahatao, Batanes

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE



PICE Qatar's 11th handwashing/ drinking water station project at Mahatao Elementary School in Barangay Hanib, Mahatao, Batanes. Groundbreaking was on 27th October 2022. The Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) was signed last October 20, 2022.

**October 27, 2022
Mahatao Elementary School in Barangay Hanib, Mahatao,
Batanes.**

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PICE QATAR TOWERS THRASH AFEQ PROFESSORS
Belinda dela Cruz

Sweet shooting Alan Nacario nailed 24 points including 5 baskets from the rainbow country to lead PICE Qatar Towers to their astonishing lopsided victory over AFEQ Professors in the ongoing PPOQ Inter-Organization Basketball League held at the Al Arab Academy Building No.2 last October 28, 2022. This is the 3rd win of the PICE Q towers in as many games.

The towers started the game strongly from the get-go and never looked back as team members Pagula, Elicano, Dela Rosa and Pedigloria took turns in delivering stab goals from the inside relying heavily on the precise ball play of Manzano, Adlaon and Santiago to take the first half at 46-21. AFEQ finally succumbed as Team Captain Gyrilou Paulin and the rest of the team hammered them from the outside to register 100-72 rout.

PICE Q team was sporting a clean 2-0 win-loss slate coming into the game with previous victories over IECEP and IIEE teams. The PICE-Q team who last held the championship title in the year 2019, is currently co-leading the tourney with PSME.

PICE Q Towers are mentored by veteran coach, Engr. Arnold Paradero.

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PICE Qatar Team recently posted their 3rd win in as many games last 28 October 2022 dumping the AFEQ team in overwhelming fashion, 100-72. It seems that the mighty "tower" is unstoppable in its quest for its second crown in the ongoing PPOQ Inter-Organization Basketball Tourney this year. Judging from their performance in their recent games, the target is not far from reach though they will surely pose a very stiff opposition from their once-rival and 2019 tourney's second runner-up, the PSME team. It will probably be a walk in the park for them until they meet PSME in another "clash of the titans" a few games from now. And when that happens, the "Towers" should be at their very best playing conditions. They have to summon every strength, every player, and most importantly every support that they can get. In their latest game which they won handily, it is noticeable that only eight players were present at the game. What happened to the other players is a question that only the team can answer. Can they still come up victorious against rampaging PSME players with the same undermanned team? And how about the fans? Where are the cheering and supporting members of PICE? Truly they are missed inside the court – they too are important. PICE Sports Team shall promote and advertise this event non-stop to encourage players and members alike to continue coming and playing or the risk of our own team losing against another great team is high.

THE PRESIDENT'S LOUNGE

Message from the President

Rolan Espadilla Nevado
CE, ASEAN Eng., ASEAN Chartered PE, APEC Eng., P.E. M. ASCE
The 15th President of PICE Qatar Chapter



Together Everyone Achieves More

2022 leaders' teamwork, strategic planning and spadework are always the keys to PICE Qatar's activities' success. These help us to identify our goals clearly and make us decide concretely what we need to do to serve the purpose and have the effect on the members and society that we want. Through these, we all understand our goal and what we need to do to reach it by involving everyone in the planning process. In effect, there is always proper coordination and extraordinary decision-making within the organization. These also play an important role in maintaining good control that helps to achieve the objectives of our very own organization. Moreover, these succor us in organizing all available resources, giving the right direction, motivating the working committees and encouraging officers' creativity and innovation. Most importantly, these ensure growth and trust and enables a clear vision of every planned and calendared activity executed accordingly.

PICE Qatar's success in the month of October is one good proof and testament to the excellent execution of the above process of actions and undertakings. We had perpetrated the thriving groundbreaking and kick-off of the 9th Handwashing/Drinking Water Station project of PICE Qatar's several community projects in the Philippines. The 6th school building project at Matagbak Elementary School (MES) in Sitio Matagbak, Brgy. Bagumbayan,

Pililla, Rizal has its mold-breaking came forth last October 04, 2022. Whilst the work execution of the 5th Handwashing/Drinking Water Station project at Jacinto P. Elpa National High School (JPNHS) in Brgy. Telaje, Tandag City, Surigao Del Sur commenced last October 10, 2022. On the other hand, the chores for the 6th Handwashing/Drinking Water Station project at Dulli Elementary School (DES) in Brgy. Dulli, Ambaguio, Nueva Vizcaya was pitched in last October 18, 2022. Also, the tasks ventured program for the 7th Handwashing/Drinking Water Station project at Sta. Margarita National High School (SMNHS) in Brgy. Sta. Margarita, Baggao, Cagayan which was started last September 24, 2022 but was delayed due to heavy rains in the area is still in progress. Meanwhile, the groundbreaking of the 8th Handwashing/Drinking Water Station project at Quirino General High School (QGHs), Brgy. Zamora, Cabaroguis, Quirino has been carried-out last October 26, 2022. Subsequently, the conveyance of the kick-offs for the 9th at Santiago City National High School in Brgy. Calaoan, Santiago City, Isabela, the 10th and 11th Handwashing/Drinking Water Station projects at Diura Barrio School (DBS) in Sitio Diura, Brgy. Uvov, Mahatao, Batanes and Mahatao Elementary School (MES) in Brgy. Hanib, Mahatao, Batanes were instigated last October 27, 2022 simultaneously. Moreover, PICE Qatar has proven again its passion for looking after the primary needs of the special

individuals by funding its 1st Comfort Room for Persons With Disabilities (PWD) at Maygatasan Elementary School (MES) in Brgy. Maygatasan, Bayugan City, Agusan Del Sur having its start-off last October 26, 2022. While back home in the Philippines, at the end of the month of October, we had donated essential amounts that were used to purchase foodstuffs and distributed to the affected communities whipped by super typhoon "Karding", particularly at Sitio Maybalite, Brgy. Poblacion, Municipality of Bordeos, Polillo Group of Islands, Quezon Province, and at the Municipality of Dingalan, Aurora Province.

Much more this month, PICE Qatar has attended the PPO-Q led Courtesies Call for the Charge de affaires/Philippine Embassy to Qatar Officer-In-Charge Ms. Cassandra B. Sawadjaan (KC) last October 06, 2022 at the embassy hall on the ground floor. On top of that, we had wined up a very fruitful 10th BOD-EXECCOMM meeting at Dust D2 Hotel last October 07, 2022 and conducted a series of planning assemblies in preparation for the 2022 Math Quiz contest for PSD and PISQ junior and senior high school student-mathematicians that is set to blow on November 18, 2022 at PSD gymnasium hall as the primary venue. And after several withholdings making headway on the preparation and securing the visas of the Philippine

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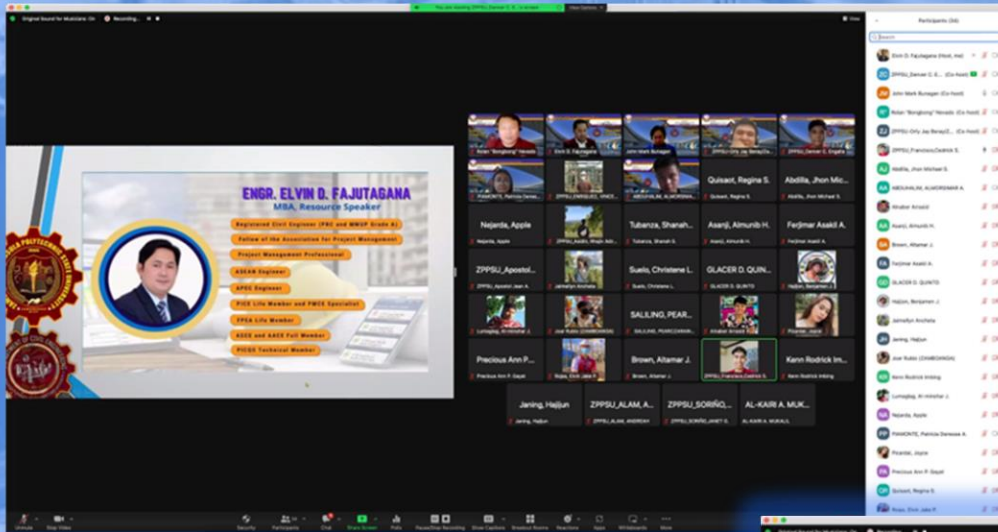
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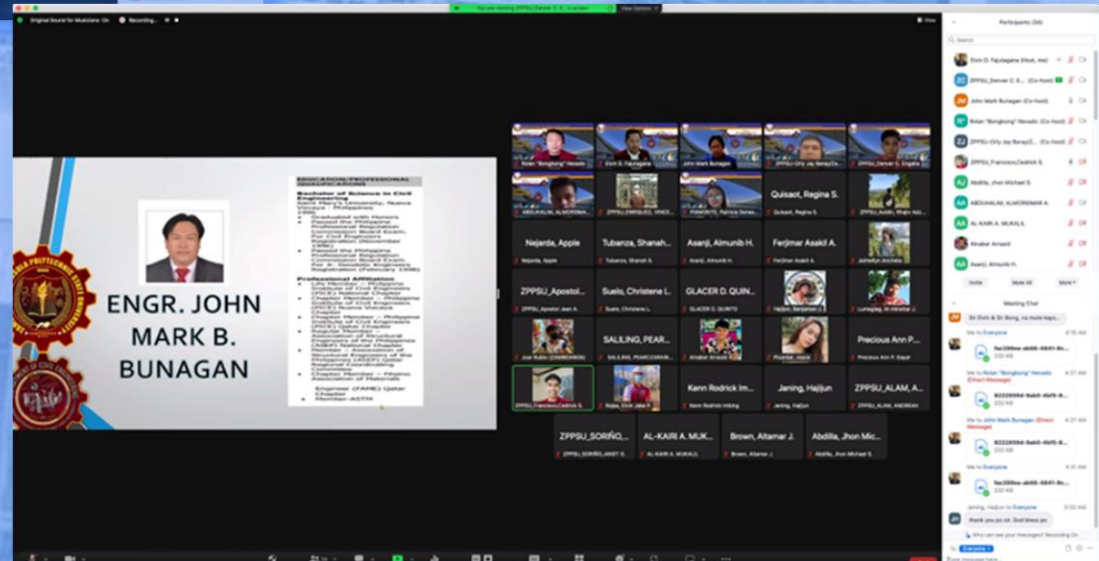
The Philippine Institute of Civil Engineers - Qatar EXECOMM 2022 held its 11th regular meeting on November 4, 2022, Friday at Brilliant Café in Doha, Qatar. It was attended by the 2022 Board of Directors, Immediate Past President, Council of Advisers, and Committee Chairmen. The meeting started at 8:30 am and lasted for approximately 4 hrs. The productive meeting was presided over by President Engr. Rolan Nevado expressed his appreciation and gratitude to the Officers and Committee Chairmen for their substantive reports and updates on the activities and other programs of the Chapter.

**November 4, 2022
Brilliant Cafe, Doha-Qatar**

SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND EVENTS COMMITTEE FOR STUDENTS (SPECS)



PICE EVISMA Program conducted by Engr. Elvin D. Fajutagana and Engr. John Mark B. Bunagan for Zamboanga Peninsula Polytechnic State University civil engineering students.



**November 1, 2022 to November 25, 2022
Online via Zoom Meeting**

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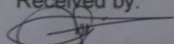


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November 5, 2022

SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND EVENTS COMMITTEE FOR STUDENTS (SPECS)



PICE Qatar Math Whiz Contest is an annual event that focused on helping Filipino High School students enhance their mathematical skills, supporting the schools recognized by the Department of Education in promoting the academic track on Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) and promoting camaraderie among students. The event also provided a forum for introducing PICE Qatar to Filipino Students as an organization in Qatar directly involved in the field of Civil Engineering.

November 18, 2022
 Philippine School Doha (PSD) Gymnasium

SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND EVENTS COMMITTEE FOR STUDENTS (SPECS)



4th PICE Qatar Math Whiz Contest 2022

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PICE EVISMA Program Culminating Activity for the Zamboanga Peninsula Polytechnic State University civil engineering students.

November 26, 2022
Online Zoom Meeting

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3rd PICE Qatar Scholar from Western Mindanao State University (WMSU) passed the November 2022 Civil Engineering Board Examination.

November 28, 2022

COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP (COME)



The weekly meet-up continues for the whole month of November to cater to the concern of the members regarding their membership status.

November 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30, 2022
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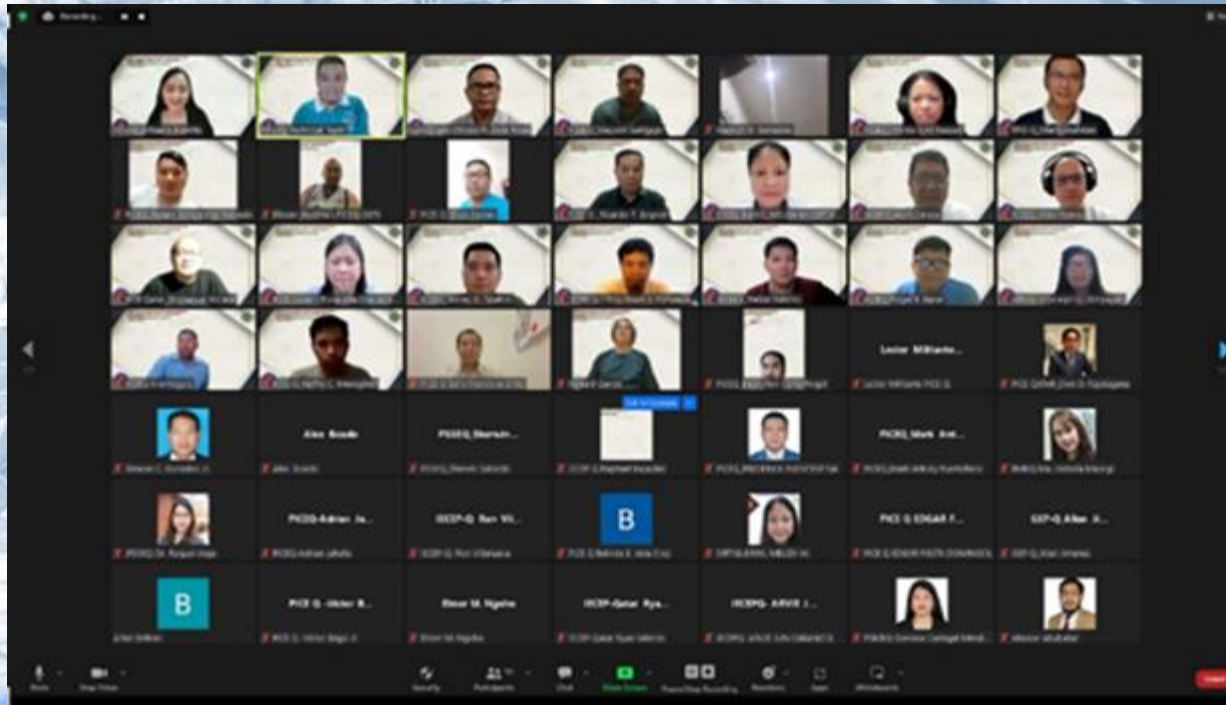


The Philippine Institute of Civil Engineers Qatar Chapter (PICE-Q) joined one of the remarkable programs of the Philippine Professional Organization – Qatar (PPO-Q) through the Association of Filipino Educators in Qatar (AFE-Q) in their free webinar via zoom titled #Course 2.0 – Career Orientation and University Readiness for Students Empowerment. The program involved a 4-hour webinar starting from 1:00 PM – 6:00 PM Philippine time and 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM Qatar time on 11 November 2022 (Friday). The audience which includes Grade 10 and incoming college students from Qatar and the Philippines, was provided with detailed information about several professions and various courses by the professionals themselves.

The program aimed to help Grade 10 students choose their SHS strands, help incoming college students select the college course that will lead them to become professionals, realize the mission of every member of the profession to present their vocation/career, and encourage students to plan their career path, to empower PPO-Q members and other Filipino organizations to inspire the Filipino youth take pride in Filipino ingenuity, and to establish linkage and collaboration with selected high schools in the Philippines.

November 11, 2022
Webinar via zoom

PHILIPPINE PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION - QATAR (PPO-Q)



For professional advancement, PICE Qatar also joined another free webinar conducted by PPO-Q in collaboration with the Geodetic Engineers of the Philippines, Inc. – Qatar Chapter (GEP-Q) dated 30 November 2022 from 7:00 PM – 9:30 PM Qatar Time via zoom. Understanding that now is the ideal time for professionals to venture into business, economic, and technological changes, this webinar focused on land surveying, the practices of geodetic engineering, and all the fundamental information about land titling in the Philippines. This was led by Engr. Mark Anthony P. Abendan (PPO-Q Chairman, PICE-Q Immediate Past President), and Engr. Leo Christo R. Dela Rosa (Resource Speaker, GEP-Q President) and hosted by Engr. Mikaela L. Espiritu (PPO-Q 2nd Secretary, PICE-Q Immediate Business Manager) with a total of 70 participants. This is indeed an enormous source of encouragement and reinforcement to the Filipino community which continues to inspire professionals and would-be professionals alike..

November 30, 2022
Webinar via zoom

COMMITTEE ON PICE QATAR AFFAIRS (COPA)



Beach Clean-Up Activity for 2022 in Dukhan Beach within the premises of Qatar Energy (QE) in Dukhan. The activity also served as one of PICE Qatar's support for "Civil Engineering Month" being celebrated annually every month of November as per Proclamation No. 904, s. 2014 by the President of the Philippines declaring the month of November of every year as "Civil Engineering Month". Likewise, the activity as well aimed to show support for the Qatari Government's Environmental & Sanitation Programs for a clean and healthy environment making it beneficial for its marine resources & people living in the State of Qatar. It thereby signifies PICE Qatar's responsibility in helping Qatar to achieve one of the four pillars of Qatar National Vision (QNV) 2030 which is "Environmental Development". During the event, PICE Qatar acknowledges the support and assistance of Qatar Energy and everyone who has taken part in the success of the endeavor.

November 25, 2022
Dukhan Beach, State of Qatar

CHAPTER UPDATES

PHILIPPINE INSTITUTE OF CIVIL ENGINEERS, INC.
48th PICE NATIONAL CONVENTION AND TECHNICAL CONFERENCE
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	Outstanding Newsletter	Qatar
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AWARDS	WINNER
Most Outstanding Chapter President	Engr. Rolan E. Nevado President PICE Qatar Chapter

On the sidelines of the 48th NCTC, the announcement for the winners of the PICE National Awards disclosed through a formal announcement of the same to the general memberships came a bit later. PICE Qatar once again sweeps almost all the awards, namely: 1) Most Outstanding Chapter President – Category D bagged by proactive PICE Qatar President Rolan E. Nevado and it is the third (3rd) award in a row for the PICE Qatar Chapter since its inception in Fiscal Year (FY) 2020; 2) Most Outstanding Newsletter Award cornered by the PICE Qatar under the Directorship of Engr Danilo Chan and the ever-supportive members and officers of the Committee on Public Information (COPI) and it is the sixth (6) award in a row since the fiscal year, FY-2017 till this FY-2022; 3) Most Outstanding International Chapter Award (Category D) cornered again by PICE Qatar and it is fifth (5th) in a row since FY-2018 till this year FY-2022.

November 11-12, 2022

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PICE QATAR WINS PICE NATIONAL AWARDS ANEW

Dave Sanchez

Winning an award is more satisfying when it is shared with the entire community, which is the commitment of the PICE Qatar Chapter in this year's International awards.

PICE Qatar once again demonstrates that its service to the Organization's members and fulfillment of its mission will lead to greater heights. PICE Qatar's commitment to compassionate service will lead to competence, help build trust among colleagues, and boost others' morale.

PICE Qatar has won the 2022 Most Outstanding Chapter - International award for five years

in a row, beginning in 2018, and Engr. Rolan E. Nevado was named the Most Outstanding Chapter President - International for 2022, following in the footsteps of previous presidents.

The PICE Qatar Newsletter deserves a Hall of Fame award for winning the International Outstanding Newsletter - International for six consecutive years since 2017, but the Awards Committee may have wanted to keep the Chapter's winning streak going.

The Chapter believes and is committed to its mission and vision to advance our members' welfare.

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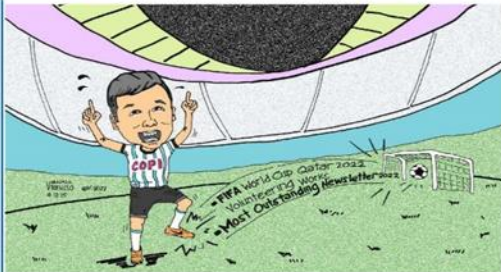
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PICE Qatar and the International Award



PICE Qatar received an early gift this month when “news” about winning the prestigious PICE National Awards started circulating within the PICE Qatar Community on November 13, this year (accordingly, this was announced during the 48th PICE National Convention which most of us missed?). This was later confirmed by PICE National through its Facebook page, finally releasing the complete list of the awardees later in the month.

PICE Qatar Chapter was named Most Outstanding Chapter for the 5th time in a row besting other chapters in Category D. Its “mouthpiece”, the PICE Qatar Newsletter was dubbed as the Most Outstanding Newsletter in the same category, receiving the title for an unprecedented 6 years in a row.

Our very own incumbent President was bestowed as the Most Outstanding Chapter President for 2022, following his predecessors Engr. Mark Anthony Abendan and Engr. Sheila Medel, recipients of the same accolade in years 2021 and 2020 respectively.

Notably absent this year was the Most Outstanding Community Project Award which was won by PICE UAE Chapter. It could have been the 6th time for PICE Qatar to receive such an award – the

best decoration that could have adorned the walls of our office, especially at this time of the year.

The road to the awards was never easy and was full of surprises too. The decision of our able secretary, Engr. Dave Sanchez and the action of the entire Awards Committee to prepare the documents early really saved the day for the chapter when the deadline for the entry submission was announced through an e-mail that the chapter failed to receive on time. But like modern Boy Scouts who are “aging hands”, our brilliant team managed to submit the entry in the nick of time thus averting disaster and saving the day for the chapter.

The PICE National Awards is something that we look up to each year since it started way back in 2017. This is the only avenue we can showcase who we are as a chapter through our leadership, excellent programs, efforts, will, and capacity to implement those programs that would be beneficial to our members and to the whole community. It is not something that we do and brags about all the time but rather for other chapters to learn from us and probably emulate our good deeds.

Congratulations PICE Qatar, its leadership, and members alike!!!!

THE PRESIDENT'S LOUNGE

Message from the President



Rolan Espadilla Nevado
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The 15th President of PICE Qatar Chapter

Together Everyone Achieves More

The month of November in Qatar is packed with a truly outstanding line-up of music and concerts, festivals, and the country’s rich heritage and vibrant cultural activities for everyone to enjoy as the opening of the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022 swiftly approaches, the November edition of the PICE Qatar calendar also showcases plenty of activities while the country is focused on hosting the football pitches. There is no excuse for the 2022 leaders even if the days get shorter and the weather gets colder. In fact, several of the officers are serving as volunteers as well to the most prestigious tournament in the world that only takes place quadrennially, however, this month’s prearranged programs have never been compromised and slowed down. As a starter for the month, the officers and committee members are preoccupied with several meetings that are intended as preparations for the planned activities ahead. We didn’t miss the regular weekly meet-up held every Wednesday that is spearheaded by the Committee on Membership and Committee on Ways and Means together with the parallel assemblies of other committees to do planning and brainstorming.

On November 4, 2022, we had wrapped-up the distinctly back-laid yet high-yielding 11th BOD-EXECOMM meeting at Brilliant Café. Later in the afternoon, several PICE Qatar personalities that are also members of the PPO-Q Sports Committee managed to

supervise and watch the ongoing PPO-Q’s Inter-Organization Basketball League 2022 (IOBL 2022) games at Al Arab International Academy. The virtual PICE International Chapter’s collaborative meeting has been attended as well by our representative, our very own energetic Public Relations Officer Engr. Maria Michelle A. Revillosa. The following day, November 5, 2022, the Committee on Constitutional Amendments and Oversight led by its chairman Engr. Junrey Talaboc had its conclusive meeting of the CY 2022, bringing down the curtain and finalizing its reports and recommendations for CBL improvement after the committee’s extensive reviews of the current PICE Qatar Constitution and By-Laws. And while anticipating the succeeding events to be sorted out, the Committee on Ways and Means celebrate its own version of the Year-end Party that was unfolded on November 10, 2022, at Double Tree-Hilton Doha Downtown. On the early morning of November 11, 2022, the day 1 of the PICE 48th National Convention & Technical Conference via hybrid platform was attended by significant numbers of PICE Qatar officers and members while in the afternoon, a number of officers also plays a significant role into the Association of Filipino Educators-Qatar AFE-Q scheduled COURSE 2.0 (Career Orientation and University Readiness For Students’ Empowerment) in cooperation with PPO-Q.

November 12, 2022, was day 2 and the culmination of the PICE 48th National Convention & Technical Conference via hybrid platform wherein an overwhelming number of members from different chapters all over the globe were present. During this event, the PICE National announced the recipients of the annual national awards wherein PICE Qatar again bagged the Most Outstanding International Chapter, the Most Outstanding Newsletter as well as the Most Outstanding International Chapter President - awarded to yours truly. Moreover, on November 13, 2022, the Committee on Media Relations (COMRE) secured a significant meeting for the final preparation of PICE Qatar’s presentation for the CFO Event - Balinkibayan (PICE Qatar representatives) and through zoom at the virtual lounge, the event was watched by several PICE Qatar delegates. On November 14, 2022, when we attended the PPO-Q 11th Regular Monthly Meeting at POLO-OWWA (one of our obligations is to support the umbrella organization, i.e. PPO-Q). On the other hand, after the very strenuous groundwork, the long wait was over... as on November 18, 2022,

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TWELFTH EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE BOARD MEETING



The PICE Qatar EXECOMM held its 12th regular meeting at the Brilliant Café, in Bin Mahmoud on the 2nd of December 2022. The purposeful meeting was administered by PICE Qatar Chapter President, Engr. Rolan Nevado expressed his sincerest gratitude to the Committee Chairmen for their essential reports and updates on the activities and other programs of the Chapter.

The meeting started at 8:30 am and was attended by the 2022 Board of Directors, Immediate Past President, Council of Advisers, and Committee Chairmen.

December 2, 2022
Brilliant Café, Bin Mahmoud, Doha-Qatar

PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY PROJECTS UPDATE

PICE Qatar's 6th Handwashing/Drinking Water Station

Inauguration/Turnover of the 11 Units of Handwashing/Drinking Water Station in Dulli Elementary School, Brgy. Dulli, Ambaguio, Nueva Vizcaya



Funding for this specific undertaking came from the sponsors and benefactors (proceeds) of the PICE Qatar-led 1st Joint Webinar Conference (JWC) with Region 2 Chapters, with the theme “International and Regional Chapters Collaboratively Bridging Technology Transfer Through Challenging Times and Beyond” conducted on August 26, 2022, PICE Nueva Vizcaya Chapter and in coordination with Rotary Club of Bayombong and Rotary Club of Bayombong Capital. Project Coordinators are Engr. Emmanuel German V. Boceta, Engr. Anthony Q. Patino, Engr. Leo Manrique, Engr. Manolo C. Norial, and with the guidance of PICE Qatar President Engr. Rolan E. Nevado together with the entire PICE Qatar 2022 EXECOMM.

December 2, 2022
 Dulli Elementary School, Brgy. Dulli, Ambaguio, Nueva Vizcaya, Philippines

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December 10, 2022

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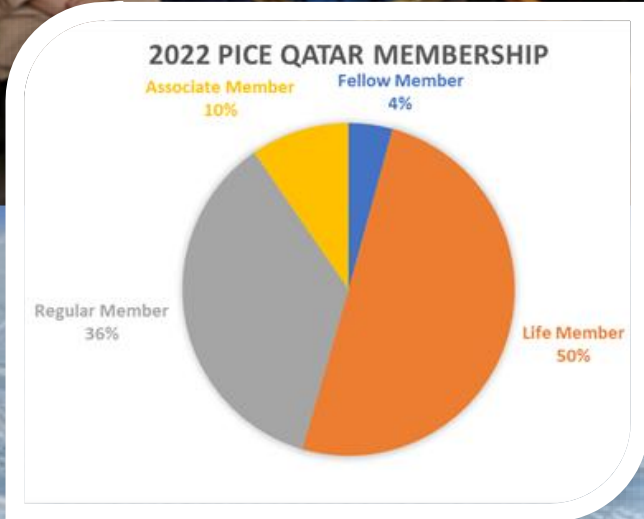
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COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP (COME)

The weekly meet-up continues for the whole month of December to cater to the concern of the members regarding their membership status.



December 7, 14, 21 & 28, 2022
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COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS (COWME)

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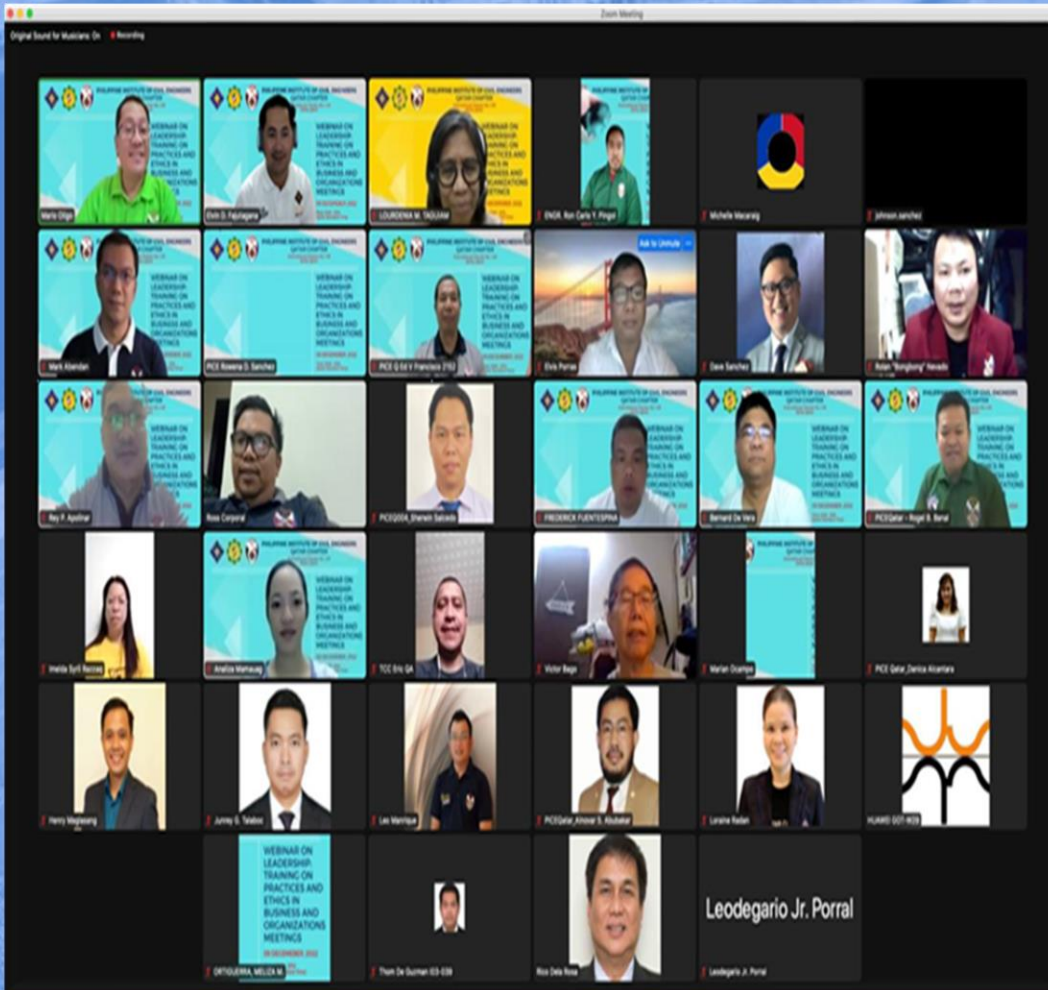


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COMMITTEE ON CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL ADVANCEMENT (COCPA)

The Committee on Continuing Professional Advancement (COCPA) successfully conducted a webinar titled “Leadership Training on Practices and Ethics in Business and Organization Meetings” in preparation for the upcoming term of the new set of Officers and Board of Directors of PICE Qatar Chapter. The program, hosted by presumptive COCPA Director Ron Carlo Pingol, began with President Rolan E. Nevado's opening remarks, which welcomed all participants who tirelessly gave their time and effort to attend the webinar. Engr. Mario Oligo, the incoming Chapter Secretary, then introduced the Speaker, Prof. Lourdenia M. Taguiam. Prof. Taguiam earned her Doctor of Philosophy in Education with a major in Educational Management from St. Paul University Philippines and is currently a university professor at the same institution. Her presentation focused on the practices and ethics of dealing with organizational meetings, as well as the Why, How, and What of Business Meetings. She also stated that the goal of this training is to describe the whatnots of meetings, explain meeting rules, and express appreciation for an orderly meeting. She also discusses the significance of parliamentary procedure in conducting transactions and conducting business meetings. This procedure will aid in the facilitation of business transactions, the promotion of cooperation and harmony, the guarantee that all members have equal rights, privileges, and obligations, and the guarantee that the majority has the right to decide, but the minority has rights that must also be protected.



**December 9, 2022
ONLINE via ZOOM**

COMMITTEE ON PICE QATAR AFFAIRS (COPA)



PICE Qatar Chapter conducts 4th POLO-OWWA Community Outreach for Distressed OFW's

The essential goods & dole-out items were handed over to POLO-OWWA-MWOFRC Assistant Shelter Coordinator, Ms. Merit Germo who conveyed words of thanks and gratitude for the goods received and for the continuous support of PICE Qatar together with sponsors/donors for the activity. There were 100 wards including 2 kids and 3 babies housed at the shelter who benefited from the program during that time. Members of the PICE Qatar Executive Committee (EXECOMM) 2022, COPA members, and the PICE Qatar family have spared their time to be present during the handover of goods. Funding for this specific undertaking came from the "Zumba for a Cause" - a Donation Drive initiated by COPA, and the support of the General Fund of PICE Qatar Treasury also for food sponsor - Lifestyle District Restaurant & Café, owned and managed by PICE Qatar Member, Engr. Jundee Mar Tejado

December 10, 2022

**POLO-OWWA Migrant Workers and other Overseas Filipinos
Resource Center (MWOFRC) Shelter**

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PICE Qatar thru its Committee on Relief and Assistance, COPA, COWME, and Treasury have conducted a Donation Drive for affected communities of Severe Tropical Storm "Paeng" in order to raise funds for the victims. The extensive solicitations during meet-ups and gatherings were completed with funds collected through personal cash and voluntary donations of its members. Later this month, through collaborative efforts of COWME Chairman Engr. Alnovar S. Abubakar who is also a donor, the collected amount was sent to partner humanitarian volunteers/ socio-civic organization - The Zamboanga Sultan Knights Eagles Club (ZSKEC), whose members led by Mr. Erlwin T. Asaali took time to facilitate the preparation and distribution of relief packs and needed goods for the typhoon victims. The distribution of relief goods was done on December 17, 2022, to the affected residents of Brgy. Ayala, Zamboanga City, Philippines.

December 17, 2022
Brgy. Ayala, Zamboanga City, Philippines

Qatar Successfully Hosts the World Cup 2022 - PICE Qatar Members volunteers



420,000
Volunteer applications
from 209 countries

58,000
Interviews

250
tons of uniform

1,300
hours of training

20,000
Volunteers assigned

2,500
Volunteers at the
World Cup final

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November 20 - 22 December 2022

PICE Qatar Members volunteers



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PICE QATAR CHANGED GUARDS
Alfonso Belito Betita

On December 31, 2022, at exactly 12:00 Midnight, PICE Qatar changed guards as mandated by the organization's Constitution and By-Laws. While the official handing over will not be happening until the oath-taking of Officers and the Board of Directors (BODs) slated on 27th January 2023, the past Officers and BODs headed by erstwhile President Rolan E. Nevado slowly faded from the scene. This is after one of the best showings of PICE Qatar Chapter which capped the year's accomplishments by winning the coveted "Most Outstanding Chapter", "Most Outstanding Newsletter" and "Most Outstanding Chapter President" awards for the nth time.

Came to replace them were the individuals who were proclaimed winners of the elections held during the General Assembly on September 30, 2022, headed by then 1st Vice President and now Chapter President, Elvin D. Fajutagana.

The complete list of PICE Qatar Officers and BODs 2023 are as follows:

- President – Engr. Elvin D. Fajutagana
- 1st Vice President - Engr. Maria Michelle A. Revillosa
- 2nd Vice President –

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PICE Qatar and the New Leadership



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The new PICE Qatar leadership officially took over the helm of the organization at exactly 12:00 Midnight on December 31, 2022, signaling the end of an old era and the birth of a new one. For us, members, this change signifies a new beginning and something to look up to.

When the 2022 EXECOMM left the limelight, they left something to the organization and its members, an accomplishment - a legacy, if you may, that is difficult to duplicate. You don't win the "most outstanding chapter", the "most outstanding chapter president" and the "most outstanding newsletter" awards for nothing - these accolades are all testaments of how far the past leadership has once again hurdled the challenges and led the organization to the organization to the pinnacle of success. They had followed the same path that was laid by the leaders before them and that is to bring glory to the organization by way of serving the civil engineering community and others to the

fullest and to the best of the organization's capability.

The departure of the "old" leadership has really left an enormous vacuum that new leadership under the capable hands of veteran leader, Engr. Elvin Fajutagana needs to fill. Members of PICE Qatar will be expecting the same tenacity and volume of activities if not more than what was previously undertaken. Activities, efforts, and services that are not just for the sake of winning the awards, but rather to bring benefits to the civil engineering community and the community of people where we work and live.

Amidst the power, hope, and faith that we, members are giving to the new leaders, let us not forget that they can do nothing without our cooperation and assistance. Members are important in every planning and every step of the way that the leadership and the organization take to advance its objectives. As we already did many times before, we need to be united as one in serving and supporting PICE Qatar.

THE PRESIDENT'S LOUNGE

Message from the President



Rolan Espadilla Nevado
CE, ASEAN Eng., ASEAN Chartered PE, APEC Eng., P. E. M. ASCE
The 15th President of PICE Qatar Chapter

Together Everyone Achieves More

PICE Qatar and its members are one of the many organizations and individuals who praised and thanked the State of Qatar for successfully hosting and serving as the stage for the world's most high-profile single-sports event, the FIFA World Cup 2022. Indeed, despite the many critics, angst, and acrimony, the Middle East's first World Cup and the most compact in competition history has offered plentiful highlights and was one of the best in the century, widely considered a chronicle with a fairy-tale ending. Of course, we can humbly say that we are part of the history especially since several of our colleagues were volunteers of the recently celebrated success of the most prestigious tournament in the world that only take place quadrennially.

But despite the FIFA World Cup 2022 fever, the PICE Qatar 2022 leaders never ceased to fulfill the chapter's mission up to the last day of the year. The lined-up activities for December 2022 were never compromised, as all were put into effect. Though we did abridge the 12th BOD-EXECOMM Meeting last December 02, 2022, at Brilliant Café due to our commitment ahead to the prolonged PPO-Q's Sports Fest activities without disconcerting any from its purpose. We thrivalingly facilitated the "Leadership Training on Practices and Ethics in Business and Organizations Meetings" last December 09, 2022, via virtual

zoom that was attended by almost forty (40) officers and leaders from PICE Qatar and we had Prof. Lourdenia M. Taguam of Saint Paul University Philippines as our resource speaker. As usual, all the concerns of the general membership related to their membership account were catered to and paid attention to by the Committee on Membership (COMEM) team through the regular weekly meet-ups. Moreover, the Special Professional Licensure Examinations (SPLE) review course is carried out continuously every Friday via virtual zoom lounge by the Committee on Honors and Special Professional Licensure Examinations (COHOPLE) since it was resumed last November 04, 2022. With the success of the chapter bagging the Most Outstanding Newsletter award for six (6) consecutive years since 2017, the Committee on Publications and Information (COPI) took a break and celebrated its version of the Thanksgiving Party last December 10, 2022, at Lifestyle District Restaurant. And with PICE Qatar's dedication to boosting the Social Responsibility and Community Engagement of its members, which is one of the institute's Core Values, we successfully held the 4th Outreach Program for distressed Kababayans nurtured in POLO-OWWA shelter last December 16, 2022. Last December 26, 2022, we snatched a few hours apportioned to Committee on Ways and Means (COWME) Special Meeting for merchandise auditing in

preparation for the handover last December 26, 2022, at Figaro Coffee. The said official COWME Handover was accomplished last December 28, 2022, at Dairy Queen. We then supported the arranged meeting last December 27, 2022, at the Dairy Queen (DQ) spearheaded by the 2023 Major Events Committee in preparation for the incoming 2023 Leaders/Officers Induction that is set to come to light on January 27, 2023. Of course, after many tiring and exhausting days and months, before the end of the year, we managed to gratify ourselves simply by celebrating the PICE Qatar Thanksgiving and Christmas Party 2022 at DoubleTree-Hilton last December 29, 2022.

Not to disregard this, with our commitment to pitch the usual support to Philippine Professional Organization-Qatar (PPO-Q), we didn't miss any activity and event of the umbrella organization. As the overall Sports Committee Chairman designated under PICE Qatar, we directed all the tournaments that were organized for the entire PPO-Q protracted Sports Fest. Among the very successful 2022 editions of the tournaments were the Inter-Organization Basketball League (IOBL), 1st Chairman's Cup Basketball League (1st CCB), Mathalining Pinoy-2nd Edition Search for Profzard Mobile Legend, Scrabble, Chess, Billiards, Mini-Football, Darts, Table

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