



De La Salle Alumni Association of Australia (NSW), Inc

Alumnews

**“To unify and promote goodwill & camaraderie
among the alumni within the tradition of St. John
Baptist de La Salle.”**



Religio, Mores et Cultura

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A news letter for the Alumni of the De La Salle Philippines graduates residing in Australia Christmas 2011

Maligayang Pasko, Manigong Bagong Taon



Welcome

Welcome to the latest issue of **Alumnews**. Inside you'll find the news items which we hope will be informative and of interest to you. Our objective is to provide you with a quality newsletter and we would like to enlist the support of members on DLSAA-related issues. To meet this objective and ensure the continued publication of this quarterly newsletter, we would like to encourage the members to support the Association.

As this is your newsletter we would like your feedback. Please write to the Editor at email:

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The Board of your Alumni Association would like to wish everyone and their families a very Merry Christmas and a Happy to Year. May you all have a blessed in St. John Baptist de La Salle Christmas and a safe Holiday season.

The Board would also like to thank everyone who participated in the events and supported the Association over the years. We would also like to see more of you in the coming years and future events.

Breaking News: **“Pinosi” New Book** **out by Ed Gutierrez—** **See page 3**

Coming events on page 2. Please mark your dairies.

Please register your interest. Contact any Board member.

Events being planned for Calender year 2012

Please take note. Please plan to participate.

Main Events:

(1). St John Baptist de la Salle Feast day celebrations

- April 7 Feast day (Friday) or April 30 Birthday (Sunday)
- Special Mass
- May be combined with a picnic afterwards
- More details to follow as plans are finalised.

(2). Ten Pin Bowling Competition

- La Salle and Friends invitational— around July 2012
- UAAP-NCAA competition _____ - August or September 2012
(La Salle to Organise as we are the Champions)
- La Salle Vs Ateneo _____ - date and Venue to be announced
(Ateneo to Organise as they won this year's challenge)
- Most likely format will be teams of two only to make it easier for you to find a playing partner. So start looking for one now. Start practicing now.
- Prizes at this planning stage will most likely be cash instead of trophies.
- More details to follow in the new year as to cost, venue, format and prizes after Consultation with committee.

(3). Golf Competition

- La Salle and friends invitational—Between March and May
- La Salle vs Ateneo—date and venue to be announced
- UAAP-NCAA - to be researched. More details to follow.

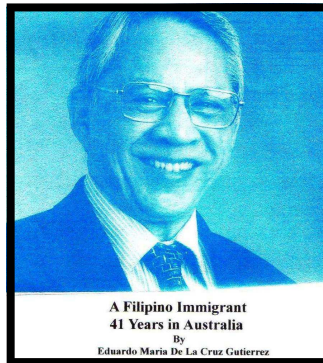
(4). Tenth Anniversary Celebrations - Around October 2012

- Special event— date, time, cost and venue to be announced.

(5). Charity Event—

- Fund raising for a nominated Charity either in the Philippines or In Australia.
- Several events being considered— to be announced.

More details to follow on all of the above. For now please keep in mind. We hope and look forward to seeing you all participate.



PINOSI

By Ed Gutierrez

One of our Alumni members has written a new book about the life and times of a Filipino Migrant in Australia which may be of interest to all of you.

Eddie Gutierrez has written the book in time for Christmas called “Pinosi” (Pinoy Aussie). For more information and order of this pre release book please refer to the website <http://sbpra.com/eduardogutierrez>

This is what Ed has to say about his Magnum Opus as quoted from the website.

“When I started writing this book, I had mainly descriptive narratives in mind. However I found it impossible to narrate and describe the events of my life without philosophising and digging into the background of my culture and society. I do not pretend to be representative of my culture, which, like a jewel, has many facets. I consider my story as just one facet of Filipino culture to which many Filipinos may relate. I wrote also for the benefit of those in host countries who meet any of the 9 million Filipinos overseas and are curious about what makes them tick.”

Also in the book is a short background to Ed’s writing of the book and is quoted here for your interest.

“There was a time when the Philippines was a comfortable orderly place in which to live and earn a living. War and graft and corruption changed this. The author then took his wife and two children to a more comfortable place where two more children were born. They loved hearing the author’s stories and asked that he write a book about it. The author had a career in Insurance, Real Estate and investments and had written three technical textbooks about Real Estate agency and acceded to their request.”

Alumni Members as of November 2011

1	Aguado, Antonio, Dr.	51	Malig, Mercedes
2	Almeda, Melecio Dr.	52	Marasigan Dodie
3	Almeda Ricky	53	Marquez Gilbert
4	Almeda-Barrera, Tonichi	54	Martin, Miguel
5	Andaya-Borje, Luanne	55	Matias, John
6	Atilano Alfie	56	Matias, Mario
7	Balcells Alfonso	57	Melendres, Joey
8	Barandiaran Enrique	58	Mora Enrique
9	Barrera Mike	59	Moran Mike
10	Bautista, Leonides	60	Naguit Henry
11	Bernardo Emi	61	Nubla Ricky
12	Buenaventura Roberto	62	Ortiz-Saulon,Cherrylou
13	Bulan, Mary Angeline	63	Patawaran, Christina
14	Calero Jaime	64	Pintado Antonio
15	Calma, Dondon	65	Pintado Felix
16	Campos Antonio	66	Ramchandani K
17	Carballo Enrique	67	Ramirez, Alfie
18	Carballo Gil	68	Rejante Bert
19	Carballo Tito	69	Reyes Gerry
20	Carceller Allan	70	Reyes, Joey
21	Carpo Maria Nilda	71	Rieth, Fritz
22	Castillo Ma Kristina	72	Roberto, Elsa
23	Costas, Manual	73	Rodriguez Charles
24	Cerro Maitina	74	Roxas Edgardo
25	Crame Frank	75	Ruasol Manuel
26	David Mike	76	Sanchez Vic
27	Davila Edu	77	Sandoval Ceto
28	de los Reyes, Roberto	78	Sarlabus Bart
29	De Oglou Carlos	79	Saulon, Alfred
30	De Sequera Jess	80	Schulze Anja
31	De Villa, Amado	81	Schulze Dicky
32	Franco Anton	82	Schulze Richelle
33	Franco Ramon	83	Schulze-Tsang Maria Elena
34	Franco Rose	84	Singson Carlos
35	Garcia Fred	85	Santamaria, Ernest
36	Garcia Jack	86	Timbol Val
37	Gimenez Chicho	87	Toda Carlos
38	Gonzalez Joaquin	88	Tueres, Geraldine
39	Gutierrez, Eddie	89	Ugarte Emil
40	Joson Eric	90	Ugarte Juan
41	Kaufman Martin	91	Ugarte Xavier
42	Kelly, Andrew	92	Vallejo Johnny
43	Khu Eric	93	Vellejo, Ting
44	Larrauri Pico	94	Vallejo, Jimmy
45	Leones Bobby	95	Ynfante Enrique
46	Lindaya Jose	96	Zabarte Wilfredo
47	Llamas Bert	97	Yuhico, Glen
48	Lupisan, Rolando	98	Zuluaga, Patrick
49	Luzurriaga Allen		
50	Magno, Alex		

Deceased lifetime members

99	John Khu
100	Joe Prieto
101	George Prats
Honorary Members	
102	Father Ed Orilla
103	Brother Ken Ormerod
104	Brother Malachy Yates
105	Anne Jalondo-on Louis
106	Gerard Louis

ALUMNI CONTENT CONTRIBUTIONS.

Alumni are invited to submit content for the newsletter to the Editor. Content should be of high standard and informative and of interest to members.

Rules:

It must be well researched and source referenced. No gossips, dirty jokes, politics or religious topics will be allowed. You may however share your expertise or experience or insights in a particular area of expertise, for example, medical news, Financial news, Auto biography, etc.

Not more than 500-800 words that would be enough to fit in one page.

The Editor reserves the right to reject or adjust any content contribution.

Please advise the Association through any of the board members if you have changed any of your contact details or data. All Information provided will be treated as strictly



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Contact us today!

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anytime. Please
contact any of the
board members if you
are interested.

Who Qualifies to join.

All graduates of De La Salle University in the Philippines, who reside in NSW, Australia, are welcome to join the Association. This includes graduates from all disciplines and schools associated with De La Salle, Philippines.

Alumni Birthdays—Fourth Qtr 2011

(paid up members whose records are on file)

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| 1. Jaime Calero | December 16 |
| 2. Johnny Vallejo | December 27 |
| 3. Enrique Ynfante | December 20 |
| 4. Gilly Carballo | December 26 |

Happy Birthday to all !!!

Merry Christmas and a Happy
New year to all.

Benefits of Membership

1. **Make a difference— Community works, etc.**
2. **Net working— Job or business opportunities, etc**
3. **Social activities - renew old friendships, start new ones**
4. **Officially recognised by DLSU, Philippines**

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