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RESOLUTION No. 34

RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING
THE ENTIRE PHILIPPINE DELEGATION ON THEIR
OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE IN THE 2022
EASTERN ASIA YOUTH CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS
IN BANGKOK, THAILAND

WHEREAS, in the 6th annual Eastern Asia Youth Chess Championships held in Bangkok, Thailand, the Philippines garnered a total of 32 gold medals, 27 silver medals, and 21 bronze medals to emerge as the overall champion in the tournament;

WHEREAS, Team Philippines dominated their opponents across all divisions of the tilt, claiming 12 golds in individual blitz, rapid and standard play and 20 golds in the team event

of all three categories of the event, winning a total of 32 gold medals for the Philippines while acquiring their International Chess Federation (FIDE) titles in the process;

WHEREAS, Team Philippines was also declared as the best Chess Federation in the event over Mongolia and Vietnam who placed 1st and 2nd runner-ups in the event as per National Master Rodolfo Toledo;

WHEREAS, the following young Filipino chess players collected a total of 48 medals in various individual rapid, blitz and standard divisions:

1. Elle Castronuevo from Imus, Cavite – 3 gold medals in the under-8 girls category
2. April Joy Claros from Angeles City, Pampanga – 3 medals (2 gold and 1 silver) in the under-16 girls category
3. Lexie Grace Hernandez from Pampanga – 3 medals (2 gold and 1 silver) in the under-18 girls category
4. Ruelle Canino from Cagayan de Oro City – 3 medals (1 gold and 2 silver) in the under-14 girls category
5. Jemaicah Yap Mendoza from Romblon – 3 medals (1 gold and 2 bronze) in the under-12 girls category
6. Daren dela Cruz from Dasmariñas, Cavite – 2 medals (1 gold and 1 silver) in the under-14 girls category
7. Christian Gian Karlo Arca from Dasmariñas, Cavite – 2 medals (1 gold and 1 bronze) in the under-14 category
8. Bince Rafael Operiano from Oas, Albay – gold medal in the under-10 open category
9. Nathalie Liscano from North Cotabato – 2 silver medals in the under-16 girls category
10. Janmyl Dilan Tisado from General Trias City, Cavite – 2 silver medals in the under-18 open category
11. Mary Janelle Tan from Cagayan de Oro City – 2 medals (1 silver and 1 bronze) in the under-10 girls category
12. Ivan Travis Cu from San Juan City – 2 medals (1 silver and 1 bronze) in the under-14 open category
13. John Cyrus Borce from Zamboanga City – 2 medals (1 silver and 1 bronze) in the under-14 open category
14. Caleb Royce Garcia from Quezon City – silver medal in the under-8 open category

15. Nika Juris Nicolas from Pasig City – silver medal in the under-10 girls category
16. Ashzley Aya Nicole Paquinol from Cagayan de Oro City – silver medal in the under-12 girls category
17. Davin Sean Romualdez from Pasig City – 2 bronze medals in the under-12 open category
18. Franchesca Largo from Santa Rosa, Laguna – 2 bronze medals in the under-16 girls category
19. Michael Jan Stephen Inigo from Bayawan City, Negros Oriental – 2 bronze medals in the under-16 open category
20. Seth David Suico from Dipolog City, Zamboanga del Norte – bronze medal in the under-8 open category
21. Gllasea Ann Hilario from Bulacan – bronze medal in the under-10 girls category
22. Al-Basher Buto from Rizal – 2 silver medals in the under-12 open category
23. Richily Evans Cuizon from Cagayan de Oro – bronze medal in the under-14 girls category
24. Kaye Lalaine Regidor from Santa Rosa, Laguna – bronze medal in the under-14 girls category
25. Ryien Bahita from Negros Oriental – bronze medal in the under-14 girls category
26. Arleah Cassandra Sapuan from Negros Oriental – bronze medal in the under-16 girls category
27. Angella Joelle San Luis from Zamboanga City – bronze medal in the under-18 girls category

WHEREAS, the Philippine delegation also collected 20 gold, 10 silver and 2 bronze medals in the team division of the rapid, blitz and standard games;

WHEREAS, our gifted young chess players gave exceptional performance in their respective teams and further elevated the nation's medal standing. They are:

1. Deandra Castronuevo from Imus, Cavite (U10 Girls)
2. Cyreine Jean Borce from Zamboanga City (U10 Girls)
3. Jury Joaquin Ferrer from Tuguegarao (U8 Open)
4. Seigneur Juancho Ferrer from Tuguegarao (U8 Open)
5. Shan Lester Jamerlan from Pavia, Iloilo (U10 Open)
6. John Curt Valencia from Dasmariñas, Cavite (U10 Open)
7. Oshrie Jhames Reyes from Pampanga (U12 Open)

8. Sebastian Marbas from Cagayan de Oro City (U12 Open)
9. Cedric Kahlel Abris from Mandaluyong City (U16 Open)
10. Wayne Ruiz from Santa Rosa, Laguna (U16 Open)
11. Mark Gabriel Usman from Santa Rosa, Laguna (U18 Open)
12. Robick Vohn Villa from Zamboanga City (U18 Open)
13. Christian Peter Aristorenas from Cavite (U18 Open)

WHEREAS, the entire Philippine delegation at the 6th Eastern Asia Youth Chess Championships deserve the highest praise and commendation for representing our country and reasserting our presence in the world of Chess: Now therefore, be it


Resolved by the Senate of the Philippines, To congratulate and commend the young Athletes who comprise the Philippine delegation that represented our nation in the 2022 Eastern Asia Youth Chess Championships held in Bangkok, Thailand.

Adopted,



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President of the Senate

This Resolution was adopted by the Senate on December 7, 2022.



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Secretary of the Senate