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## Filipino American Association of Clark County & Vicinity



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mula sa  
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Maraming, maraming salamat sa patuloy ninyong pagsangguni sa mga proyekto ng asosasyon upang manatili ang pakikipagkapwa nating mga Pilipino dito sa Amerika

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## CINELAYAN 2010, Friday, Dec 17 at PCC

**CINELAYAN**  
FILIPINO FILM FESTIVAL

DECEMBER 17 (3-8 PM), 2010  
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3PM **PISAY (2008)**  
Amidst the chaos of Martial Law in the 1980's, eight teenagers in the top high school for the sciences discover themselves as they go through the joys and pains of adolescence. — *pinayfilm.com*

3PM **BRUTUS (2008)** GPM  
"A sincere call for environmental protection and the rights of displaced indigenous communities, 'Brutus' sweetens its sometimes labored messages with a charming coming-of-age romance and eye-catching images of threatened beauty on the Philippine island of Mindoro... Picture won the special jury prize at Cinemalaya and the Netpac award at the Hawaii fest." — Richard Kuipers, Variety.com

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time they enter Philippine Science High School to the day they graduate, and all the confusing aches and growing pains in between. By following these precocious and exceptional Filipino youths, it refreshingly defies every stereotype of the quivering impoverished victim or sidekick Filipinos are often portrayed as.

"**Brutus**" is a fictionalized retelling of facts about the environmental degradation of Mindoro: two Mangyan teen-agers are paid by illegal loggers to smuggle wood to the lowlands. What follows is a journey that tests their friendship and their values; and opens up their eyes to a world new to them; a world dictated by ideologies and material need. "Brutus" is an adventure film that has a lot to say about a vanishing culture threatened by man's abuses. It explores the struggle of a people who aspire to live well, with dignity and in harmony with nature.

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"**Pisay**" is a layered chronicle of the high school years of Philippine's adolescent intelligentsia during the waning years of the Marcos' dictatorship and the growing clamor of the EDSA revolution. It is a sanguine look at the lives of seven students from the

## From the Upuan (Chair)



*The Chairwoman*

2010 is another successful year for the Filipino American Association of Clark County and Vicinity (FAACCV).

Thanks to all the Directors of FAACCV for all their time and hard work. Your action shows great pride and enthusiasm in helping promote your heritage as a Filipino in SW Washington and Oregon.

Congratulations to Amy Freedland, Chuck Reidy, Nilda Loriz and Zenny Way for surviving your first year with FAACCV. It must have been a good experience since you're still going for another ride.

Our highlight for the year 2010 was sponsoring the University of the Philippines Concert Chorus. A lot of work and time involved, FAACCV was able to fill up the Skyview Concert Hall in Vancouver.

FAACCV welcomes Lettie Tadeo, Thelma Magno and Conrad Tiolengco, our 2011 incoming directors. FAACCV is honored to have you on board! We hope you are ready for a busy year!

For the upcoming 2011, we are hoping to tackle even bigger productions for all ages!

- Aawitan Kita Sa Amerika, a contemporary Filipino zarzuela by an excellent cast of singers led by multi-awarded actor and producer Armida Siguion-Reyna, with Rachelle Gerodias, Richard Reynoso, Cris Villonco, Miguel Castro, Bayang Barrios, Raul Montesa, Lirio Vital and Bo Cerrudo, under the direction of Carlos Siguion-Reyna.
- Parokya Ni Edgar, this band is famous and most lauded for its original rock novelty songs and often satirical covers of famous songs.
- University of Santo Tomas Singers, "Choir of The World-Luciano Pavarotti Grand Prize at the 2010 Llangollen International Musical Eisteddfod, in Wales, UK -- the oldest and most prestigious choir competition in the world.

If you are interested in lending a hand for any of the said productions, please contact me at [Lourdesandy@hotmail.com](mailto:Lourdesandy@hotmail.com)

*Lourdes Mashinski*

## Your Health:..Protect yourself from the dangers of high blood pressure article from the Southwest Medical Center Nov-Dec Newsletter

You may not notice that you have high blood pressure, but your circulatory system sure does. According to the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, untreated high blood pressure can cause:

- The heart to get larger, leading to heart failure
- Blood vessels in the kidneys to narrow, leading to kidney failure
- Arteries throughout the body to narrow in places, leading to heart attack, stroke, kidney failure or amputation of part of the leg
- Blood vessels in the eyes to burst or bleed, resulting in vision loss

Until serious problems occur, you might not even realize your blood pressure is high. That's why it's so important to get your pressure checked regularly—at least every time you visit your doctor and more often if your doctor recommends it.

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## From Scratch Pad to Launching Pad at the Chicago Toy and Game Fair 2010

Nilda and Doug Loriz, inventors of the newly patent-pending word-board game called "Bull's-eye" and owners of the recently established DNA Family Games LLC in Vancouver, WA are happy to announce that the game will be available very soon. The couple together with their daughter, Anna just came back from their successful trip in Chicago where they exhibited and publicly launched their new game at the Chicago Toy and Game Fair, the biggest Toy Fair that is open to the public held at the Navy Pier, Chicago.

Being a first timer at a huge toy fair, DNA Family Games successfully made a big impression on all the people who had seen and played the game. During the Fair, Nilda was interviewed twice by 2 different local media, mommy blogger and their game was photographed and shown at the NBC Chicago website (pictures no. 18 and 26). Their table was also visited by an Executive from Hasbro and Ms. and Mrs. Illinois International 2010. They successfully got a lot of pre-orders during the Fair and since it was publicly launched also at the Kazoodles Toy Store here in Washington, (see page 8)

## Filipinos for Good Governance with Dr. Tony La Viña

In what could have easily been a coffee table discussion among a small group of intellectuals, over 60 people braved the cold and rainy Friday evening to listen to Dr. La Viña's perspective on good governance and how it can be realized under President Noynoy Aquino's administration. The presentation was held last November 5<sup>th</sup> at St. Therese Catholic Church in Portland, Oregon and was organized by Filipinos for Good Governance, Oregon/SW Washington (FGG).

For over two hours, people were very attentive and focused on what Dr. La Viña had to say about the state of the country, from corruption, poverty, lack of basic services, impact of climate changes, to over population, justice and peace in Mindanao. To counter these known issues, Dr. LaViña indicated that in order to have a successful implementation of good governance, truth-telling is critical, good governance is supported by leadership at all levels of government, supportive of new innovations to im-



Many of those who attended stayed until the end of the 2 hour presentation. Mr. Simeon Mamaril takes a picture; Mr. Jerry Aquino sits to his left (white shirt).

prove the state of the country and most of all, everyone must be united in the cause. Many who attended the presentation stayed longer to discuss how they can help in the process.

Dr. Tony La Viña is Dean of the Ateneo School of Government. He is also an advocate for human rights and environmental issues, and a social entrepreneur. He served as Undersecretary for Legal and Legislative Affairs for the Philippine Department of Environment and Natural Resources.



Dr. Tony La Viña

Also attending the presentation and a special guest of FGG was Jerry Aquino, member of US Pinoys for Good Governance of Northern California and the first cousin of the Philippine President Aquino.

For more information about Filipinos for Good Governance, please contact anyone of its organizers: Jet Pizarro, j.p@comcast.net; Pia De Leon, pia.de.leon@comcast.net; Gary DeLeon, gary\_de\_leon@yahoo.com; Eric/Vivian Tadeo, evcntadeo@msn.com; Aimee Santos-Lyons, aimeesl@wscpx.org; and Gretel Ness, gmn@pbl.net. The Filipino American Association of Clark County and Vicinity Inc. is a supporter of FGG.

Jet Pizarro

## Upcoming Events

### December 11, 2010 -Philippine American Association Annual Christmas Celebration

Saturday / 5:30 pm to 9:30 pm

Sponsor: Philippine American Association (PAA)

Location: Springfield High School Cafeteria, 875 7th Street, Springfield OR

Cost: Donations: \$5.00 per person (children 12 and under free)

Contact: 541.935.2989 541.554.0420

Please bring a dish to share: A-M (main dish) N-Z (salad or desert); Also bring dry or canned goods to be donated to Food for Lane County; Information: 541.935.2989 541.554.0420; Gifts from Santa -- Games -- DJ; PAA will provide letson, rice, pansit, and utensils

### December 11, 2010 – Oregon Coast Filipino American Assn Christmas Party

Saturday / 5:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Oregon Coast Filipino American Association (OCFAA)

Location: City of North Bend: Community Center Park & Recreation  
2222 Broadway St, North Bend, OR (541) 756-8500

Cost: \$5.00/person, Potluck- bring your favorite dish

Contact: RSVP to Food Coordinator: Mila Haun- 541 266-0518

### December 11, 2010 – Pasko Na Naman

Saturday / 6:00 p.m. - midnight

Sponsor: Filipino American Association of Clark County and Vicinity

Location: Sheraton on Airport Way, 8235 Airport Way, Portland OR 97220

Cost: \$45 per person

Contact: Lourdes Mashinski 360-891-8389

lourdesandy@hotmail.com

Vivian Tadeo 360-574-6275 even-tadeo@msn.com

Julius Agbayani agbayani@gmail.com

Annual grand holiday ball for the Filipino American community. 6 pm no host bar. 7 pm dinner. Music by "Band of Colors"

### December 15, 2010 - Annual PACCO Holiday Event

Wednesday / 6-9pm (registration at 5:30pm)

Sponsor: Philippine American Chamber of Commerce of Oregon (PACCO)

Location: OAME - 4134 N. Vancouver Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97217

Cost: \$20/member, \$30/non-member (includes Prime Rib Dinner, Hosted Bar, Game/Casino Tables, Karaoke)

Contact: Lorelei Hosmillo leihosmillo@msn.com or Jaime Lim at (503)285-1994

Companies/businesses are welcome to donate gifts for our raffle for our fundraising for our scholarship program

### December 17, 2010 - Cinelayan 2010 Filipino Film Festival

Friday / 3pm & 6pm showtimes; 5:30 pm reception

Sponsor: PACCO, ABS CBN Intl, West Coast Bank

Location: Portland Community College, Cascade Campus (Terrel Hall 122)  
705 N. Killingsworth St.

Cost: \$10/ person; \$17/ couple

Contact: cinelayan2010@gmail.com (Aimee Santos-Lyons)

Featured films are Pisay and Brutus (see ad on front page)

### December 18, 2010 - Christmas Party (Adults)

Saturday / 6 pm - midnight

Sponsor: Filipino American Association of Portland and Vicinity

Location: Fil-Am Center

Cost: TBA, Contact: TBA

### December 19, 2010 - Christmas Party for Children

Sunday / 2 pm – 5 pm

Sponsor: Filipino American Association of Portland and Vicinity

Location: Fil-Am Center

Cost: TBA, Contact: TBA

### December 19, 2010 – DCFAA Holiday Party/ Induction of Officers

Sunday / 1:00 pm

Sponsor: DCFAA

Location: Douglas County Courthouse Annex,

Cost: None (Potluck)

Contact: Tess Loomis 541 679-8690

## Your Health, cont'd from p2

### What do the numbers mean?

Blood pressure is highest when the heart beats (systolic pressure) and lowest when the heart is at rest (diastolic pressure). Your blood pressure measurement is shown as systolic over diastolic—for example, 120/80—and is measured in millimeters of mercury, or mm Hg. Blood pressure that is less than 120 mm Hg systolic and less than 80 mm Hg diastolic is considered normal. A level between 120 and 139 systolic or 80 and 89 diastolic is in the prehypertension range. This means you're likely to develop high blood pressure unless you take steps to prevent it. And pressure that's 140 or higher systolic or 90 or higher diastolic is generally considered to be high blood pressure. Your chances for developing high blood pressure are greater if you are overweight, over age 45, African American or have a family history of high blood pressure.

### How can I lower my blood pressure?

A few lifestyle changes can make a significant difference in preventing or controlling high blood pressure. It may not always be easy to do, but take the following

suggestions to heart. They're low-cost with a big impact.

- Manage your weight. Lose pounds if you're too heavy.
- Cut down on salt, and eat more fruits, vegetables and low-fat dairy products.
- Exercise at least 30 minutes most or all days of the week.
- Ditch the cigarettes if you smoke.

Your doctor also may prescribe medicines to help bring blood pressure down. Be sure to ask your physician any questions you have about your blood pressure measurements.

To learn about blood pressure screenings at the Southwest Heart & Vascular Center, visit [www.swHeartCheck.org](http://www.swHeartCheck.org) or call 360.514.7755 or 877.501.5055

## Upcoming Events cont'd

Everyone welcome!

### December 31, 2010 - New Year's Eve Party

Friday / 7 pm – 1 am

Sponsor: Filipino American Association of Portland and Vicinity

Location: Fil-Am Center

Cost: TBA, Contact: TBA

More information to follow

### February 5, 2011 - GSFAA Annual Pre-Valentine's Dinner & Dance

Saturday / 5:30 pm

Sponsor: GSFAA

Location: Salem Convention Center  
200 Commercial St. SE, Salem, OR 97301

Cost: \$38.00

Contact: Ramon Ramillosa, Chairperson 503 589-4982 [rv\\_ramillosa@yahoo.com](mailto:rv_ramillosa@yahoo.com); Maryann Gaviola, Co-Chairperson 503 510-7659 [maryanngaviola@hotmail.com](mailto:maryanngaviola@hotmail.com)

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### April 22, 2011 - ARF 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Scholarship & Awards Banquet

Friday / time: TBD

Sponsor: Asian Reporter Foundation

Location: Legin Restaurant

Cost: TBA, Contact: TBA

More information to follow

### May 14, 2011 - Fil-Am Barong N Terno Ball

Saturday / 6:00pm - 12:00midnight

Sponsor: Fil-Am Friendship Club of Oregon

Location: Doubletree Hotel Portland - 1000 Ne Multnomah St. Portland, OR 97232 Phone: 503.331.4905

Cost: TBA

Contact: Nora Madarang: 503-848-8824 or [lalit22@comcast.net](mailto:lalit22@comcast.net)

Bennie Ramirez: 503 524-7229 (no email)

### May 21, 2011 - AsiaFest Portland

Saturday / time: TBD

Sponsor: Asian Reporter Foundation

Location: Oregon Convention Center

## 2011 FAACCV Officers and Board Members

### **Lourdes Mashinski** (Chairperson)

Lourdes will be on her 3<sup>rd</sup> term as Chairman of FAACCV. Lourdes and her husband Andy are blessed with two daughters, Angela and Zoe. Aside from volunteering her time with FAACCV, her church and her children's school; Lourdes is employed at Nordstrom, she has been with the company for the past 21 years.

### **Bernie Gerhardt** (Vice Chair)

Bernie arrived in the US with her family when she was 2. She recently retired after working for the State of Washington for a number of years. She is an active member of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church. She also volunteers with the American Field Service Exchange Program, and recently hosted 2 Filipino High School exchange students from Mindanao. She and her husband, Paul, have 3 grown children : Paul Jr, Taryn, and Amy and also have a granddaughter, Nickole.

### **Julius Agbayani** (Treasurer)

Julius is a CPA and a graduate from Washington State University. He currently works as a Staff Accountant for Houck and Associates, PC. He has two daughters with wife Lielanie, also a board member, and keeps fit by playing pick-up basketball every Saturday morning. He is learning to ski.

### **Lielanie Agbayani** (Public Relations Officer)

Married to Julius, with two girls, Alexa and Adrienne, Lielanie is studying accounting at Washington State University-Vancouver. She enjoys scrapbooking, stamping, and crafts.

### **Bernice Bevard** (Secretary)

Born and raised in Manila, Bernice moved to the US in 2003 to pursue her Masters in Business Administration at Gonzaga University. In 2007, she and her husband Nick, relocated to Vancouver where Nick grew up. Currently, Bernice works as a Financial Analyst for Integra Telecom. In her spare time, Bernice enjoys spending time with her family and friends, traveling, and working on home improvement projects.

### **Rita Schaljo** (Newsletter Editor)

A graduate of the University of the Philippines, Diliman, and earned a Teaching Credential from San Diego State University. Rita and her husband, Steve, are blessed with a daughter, Maria. She teaches Tagalog for Kids in her spare time.

### **Jet Pizarro** (Webmaster)

Jet is a management consultant specializing in IT and healthcare industries. He is married to Ireen Pizarro and they live in West Port-

land. He is an active member of the Filipino-American community, where he is also a Board member of the Philippine American Chamber of Commerce of Oregon and co-founder of US Filipinos for Good Governance, Oregon/SW Washington. Jet is a graduate of Oregon State University in Business Administration with an interdisciplinary minor in Psychology and Computer Science.

### **Vivian Tadeo** (CFAA Representative)

Married to Eric Tadeo, mother to two children and numerous orchids and other plants. Vivian loves being a grandmother and a stay-at-home mom. Her passion for God, people, fun, food and fabric keeps her busy and makes her home the local hub of the Fil-Am association. She creates tote bags and other fabric products, cooks up a feast every now and then, and dabbles in Chinese brush painting.

### **Chuck Reidy** (Auditor)

A mestizo, born and raised at Clark Air Base in the Philippines, is married to Cindy Fernandez Reidy. They have 3 children: Clarissa, Carlo and Cameron (fraternal twins). Chuck graduated from Saint Martin's University, Lacey, WA with a BA in Management Information Systems. Retired from the US Air Force (20 yrs) he is a Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer and now works for Microsoft as a Technical Account Manager for the Veterans Administration.

### **Frances Verzosa** (Director)

Frances is a medical doctor and is an alumna of the University of Santo Tomas and Oregon Health Sciences University and currently has a private practice but also a staff member of Legacy Emmanuel, Good Samaritan Hospital and the Multnomah County Medical Society. Married to Sonny Verzosa, her other



**Mike Llorente, Owner & General Manager**

## 2011 FAACCV Officers cont'd

passions are singing dancing, shopping and traveling with her family.

### **Evelyn Estibar** (Director)

A 'pure Batangueña', Evelyn is married to Sam, with 2 children, Tracy, and Nico. She was a TV news anchor for PTV Channel 4 in Manila in the 80's and now, along with Sam, owns and operates Estibar Adult Care. For several years now, Evelyn has brought various Filipino artists to perform in this part of the country. She "moonlights" as TV host for NBN Ch 4 Manila's special features and programs when she visits the Phils. And also hosted the City of Portland feature on TFC's Adobo Nation.

### **Gretel Ness** (Director)

Gretel, a partner and immigration lawyer with the Portland firm of Parker Bush & Lane, focuses her practice on employment immigration, family immigration, and citizenship issues. Gretel enjoys spending time with her husband, Brian, their 2 children, Aaron and Sydney, and when they get the chance to visit from California, with her stepchildren, Kellan and Kylie.

### **Nilda Loriz** (Director)

Nilda was born in Las Piñas, Metro Manila, and graduated college at Far Eastern University with a Bachelors degree in Mass Communication. She lived and worked in Dubai for 14 years and moved to the United States in 2002. Nilda and her husband, Doug, are blessed with a daughter, Ana. Nilda is an avid photographer and enjoys boardgames, travelling, and gardening.

### **Zenny Way** (Newsletter Co-Editor)

Zenny has been a realtor for over 10 years. She is a graduate of Mira Costa College with a degree in Business Administration. She and her husband, Guy, have 3 children and 2 grandchildren.

### **Amy Freedland** (Director)

Amy emigrated to Hawaii from Ilocos when she was 14. She owned several businesses including a FOREX Cargo franchise. She was named "Entrepreneur of the Year 2002 by the United Filipino Council of Hawaii. She and her husband, Gary, moved to the Northwest in 2003. She is blessed with 2 children and 3 grandchildren.

### **Thelma Magno** (Director)

Thelma graduated from Phil. College of Commerce major in Accounting/Bus.Mgmt. – later graduated from University of Portland with a Masters in Bus. Adm. - President and CEO of Magno-Humphries Labs., in Tigard Oregon since 1982. We manufacture and distribute dietary supplements, OTC Drugs and nutritional supplements to Major Drug Wholesalers, Independent Drug Stores, and various marketers in the US and foreign countries.

### **Lettie Tadeo** (Director)

Lettie is enjoying retirement from SW Medical Center. She held several offices with the FAACCV including president for 2 terms in the 1990's, and has been an active member since 1981

### **Conrad Tiolengco** (Director)

Conrad was a member of a Philippine dance company that toured all over the world in the 70s. He has recently retired from Safeway but works part-time for LBC Cargo

## Simbanggabi 2010 in the Vancouver Area

December 11<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) 11:00 am  
St. James Cathedral, Seattle  
804 9th Ave.  
Seattle, WA 98104  
(206) 622-3559

December 17<sup>th</sup> (Friday) 6:00 pm  
St. Joseph Catholic Church  
400 S. Andresen Rd.  
Vancouver, WA 98661  
(360) 696-4407

December 19<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) 5 pm  
St. Rose de Viterbo Catholic Church  
2571 Nichols Blvd.  
Longview, WA 98632  
(360) 425-4660

December 14<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) 7:00 pm  
Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church  
4723 NW Franklin St.  
Vancouver, WA 98663  
(360) 695-1366

December 18<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) 5:00 pm  
St. John Catholic Church  
8701 NE 119th Street  
Vancouver, Washington 98662-1198  
Phone: 360-573-3325

December 21<sup>st</sup> (Tuesday) 6:00 pm  
St. James Catholic Church  
218 W 12<sup>th</sup> Street  
Vancouver, WA 98660  
(360) 693-3052

December 15<sup>th</sup> (Wednesday) 6:00 pm  
Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
1603 N Parkway Ave.  
Battle Ground, WA 98604  
(360) 687-4515

December 19<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) 11:30 am  
Holy Redeemer Catholic Church  
17010 NE 9<sup>th</sup> St.  
Vancouver, WA 98684  
(360) 885-7780

December 22<sup>nd</sup> (Wed) 6:00 pm  
St. Thomas Catholic Church  
324 NE Oak St, Camas, WA 98607  
(360) 834-2126

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## FAACCV

*To preserve the Filipino values and heritage  
in Clark County and to serve our community*

**Check us out on the Web:  
[www.filamclarkcounty.org](http://www.filamclarkcounty.org)**



## From Scratch Pad to Launching Pad cont'd from page 3

DNA Family games plans to exhibit at the International Toy Fair 2011 which will be held in New York next Feb. 2011. You can check their website at [www.dnafamilygames.com](http://www.dnafamilygames.com) for more information.

Here are some of the many feedback they received:

- “Can’t wait ! Of all the games our 2 families saw, yours seemed the best developed and I want it!”
- “My family really enjoyed seeing your game “Bull’s-eye” at the Chicago Toy and Game Fair. My 11-year-old grandson loved it and has “asked Santa” for it for Christmas”
- “Thank you so much for being part of our Neighborhood Toy Store Day. We heard really good feedback from both stores about your game and how fun it is to play. Jay, our game guru downtown, gave it a thumbs up, and he plays a lot of games. We’ll be excited to see you burst through the door with the finished product”. Kazoodles Toy Store, WA
- “I had so much fun! The fear of not knowing many words was quickly diminished when the first round was

over. I can’t wait for the finished product.”

- “Much more interactive than Scrabble. Playing simultaneously keeps things interesting. If I had twenty thumbs, I’d put them all up.”
- “Great game! I have never played a word game before but I enjoyed this game Bull’s-eye!!!”
- “The mechanics of the game was easy to understand. It was challenging, but still fun.”
- “I liked the strategy of making words AND trying to hit targets using math. Great social game. Easy to learn and fun!”
- “Had a great time. What a quick and simple game for all ages.”
- “Very fast pace. Fun for a family.”
- “I love this game! It’s challenging and fun.”
- “Better than Scrabble!”



Nilda and Doug would like to thank all their families, friends, and the FAACCV friends who helped them especially during the testing period and the soft launching of the game last August.