

## **Activities Undertaken from October 20-24, 2014**

### **Highlights of Accomplishments**

In Pursuance to Presidential Proclamation No. 267, series of 1993, declaring the month of October as the celebration of Children’s Month, the Provincial Government through the office of the PSWD conducted its culminating activity at the provincial level on October 22, 2014 at the FND Sr. Hall Capitol Building with the following objectives:

1. *To develop their ability in decision – making processes in order to enhance their potential as future good leaders.*
2. *To develop among young children the ability to express their ideas in their own point of view.*
3. *To increase awareness of the primary and other caregivers in their vital role relative to the promotion of child rights.*
4. *To develop the children’s talents and skills to their full potential.*

The celebration with this years’ theme: **“Bata, Kasali Ka, Ikaw ay Mahalaga”** was participated by more or less 700 people coming from the different municipalities of the province where Dinapigue as the farthest. The crowd was overwhelmed with group of day care children ages 3 and 4.

The celebration was highlighted by the contest on rendition of poem or “Tula” focusing on the message of the theme, 31 children from different municipalities of the province joined the contested activity. Children listed below are the winners with cash prizes and plaques.

<b>Champion- P3,000.00</b>	<b><i>Sta. Maria</i></b>	<b><i>Alexander Luis Valdez</i></b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Prize – P2,500.00</b>	<b><i>Delfin Albano</i></b>	<b><i>Ralph Davenzer Felipe</i></b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – P2,000.00</b>	<b><i>Echague</i></b>	<b><i>Crizel Anne Abaya</i></b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Prize – P1,500.00</b>	<b><i>Dinapigue</i></b>	<b><i>Glorius Clin Eugenio</i></b>
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Prize – P1,000.00</b>	<b><i>Mallig</i></b>	<b><i>Jillian Pauline Riñopa</i></b>

Aside from the contest, all children delegates from 31 municipalities (with 20 children per municipality) presented their best dance performance.

The Children’s Month celebration was full of surprises to make the event memorable for the kids, we invited performers for free from Manila called the **Yan Kiddie Show** for their **magic tricks** presentation, the children enjoyed the show as heard from their laughter. Each of the children were provided with bags containing colorful kiddie cartoon character towels courtesy of **Gov. Bojie** while the snacks were provided by **Vice Gov. Tonypet**. The non-winners of the “Tula” contest were extended consolation prize of P200 each and a certificate.





*On going construction of the Evacuation and Multi-Purpose Center*

