



### **Red Tamaraws, crowned Laro ng Lahi champions**

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The Red Tamaraws emerged as champions, as the Yellow Tigers, Blue Eagles, then White Hawks trailed behind in the Primary Department’s annual Laro ng Lahi, with the theme: *“Pagpapahalaga sa Kultura: Larong Tradisyunal, Ibalik at Pagyamanin pa,”* held from January 30 to February 1 in the PSD campus.

The following were the standings of the four Laro ng Lahi games per grade level:

#### **GRADE 1 LEVEL**

<b>RANK</b>	<b>Suot-Lusot/Hula-Hoop Relay</b>	<b>Tumbang Preso</b>	<b>Sack Race</b>	<b>Pasahan ng Bola</b>	<b>Bangkang Papel</b>
<b>CHAMPION</b>	Yellow Tigers	Yellow Tigers	White Hawks	White Hawks	Red Tamaraws
<b>1ST RUNNER-UP</b>	Red Tamaraws	Red Tamaraws	Yellow Tigers	Blue Eagles	Yellow Tigers

<b>2ND RUNNER-UP</b>	White Hawks	White Hawks	Blue Eagles	Yellow Tigers	White Hawks
<b>3RD RUNNER-UP</b>	Blue Eagles	Blue Eagles	Red Tamaraws	Red Tamaraws	Blue Eagles

### GRADE 2 LEVEL

<b>RANK</b>	<b>Suot-Lusot/Hula-Hoop Relay</b>	<b>Piko</b>	<b>Sack Race</b>	<b>Pasahan ng Bola</b>	<b>Bangkang Papel</b>
<b>CHAMPION</b>	Red Tamaraws	White Hawks	Blue Eagles	Yellow Tigers	Blue Eagles
<b>1ST RUNNER-UP</b>	Yellow Tigers	Yellow Tigers	Yellow Tigers	Red Tamaraws	White Hawks
<b>2ND RUNNER-UP</b>	White Hawks	Red Tamaraws	White Hawks	Blue Eagles	Red Tamaraws
<b>3RD RUNNER-UP</b>	Blue Eagles	Blue Eagles	Red Tamaraws	White Hawks	Yellow Tigers

### GRADE 3 LEVEL

<b>RANK</b>	<b>Suot-Lusot/Hula-Hoop Relay</b>	<b>Tumbang Preso</b>	<b>Sack Race</b>	<b>Patintero</b>	<b>Bangkang Papel</b>
<b>CHAMPION</b>	Blue Eagles	Yellow Tigers	Red Tamaraws	Red Tamaraws	Red Tamaraws
<b>1ST RUNNER-UP</b>	Red Tamaraws	Red Tamaraws	Blue Eagles	Blue Eagles	Yellow Tigers
<b>2ND RUNNER-UP</b>	White Hawks	White Hawks	White Hawks	Yellow Tigers	Blue Eagles

<b>3RD RUNNER-UP</b>	Yellow Tigers	Blue Eagles	Yellow Tigers	White Hawks	White Hawks
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On the third day of the event, the quest for Mr. and Miss Laro ng Lahi unfolded to further promote Filipino cultural heritage. With their respective awards, the winners were as follows:

Champion (Mr and Miss Laro ng Lahi 2024)	<b>Marko Ethan A. Flores</b> <b>White Hawks</b> -Best in Production Number	<b>Krizea-Ruie S. Odejar</b> <b>White Hawks</b> -Best in Production Number -Ms. Personality
1st Runner-up	<b>Gabriel Philippe E. Sotelo</b> <b>Blue Eagles</b> -Best in Creative Attire -Crowd's Favorite	<b>Frea Ysabelle V. Ramos</b> <b>Blue Eagles</b> -Best in Creative Attire -Crowd's Favorite
2nd Runner-up	<b>Pierre Gabriel M. Salterio</b> <b>Red Tamaraws</b> - Mr. Personality	<b>Naomi Giovanna A. Sabado</b> <b>Red Tamaraws</b> -Director's Choice
3rd Runner-up	<b>Hugo Alfonzo A. Angeles</b> <b>Yellow Tigers</b> -Mr. Photogenic -Best in Laro ng Lahi Portrayal -Director's Choice	<b>Laura Sophia L. Obispo</b> <b>Yellow Tigers</b> -Ms. Photogenic -Best in Laro ng Lahi Portrayal -Ms. Friendship

After the symbolic Formation of Athletic Rings done by the vice principal and the team captains representing the four teams during the first day, School Principal, **Dr. Alexander S. Acosta** officially declared the opening of the Laro ng Lahi, highlighting:

***“The meanings of these rings are all about unity, sportsmanship, and camaraderie.”***

Friendly competitions then ensued with the involved grade levels:

**Grade 1:** Hula-hoop relay, Pasahan ng Bola/Over and Under, and Tumbang Preso

**Grade 2:** Hula-hoop relay, Pasahan ng Bola/Over and Under, and Piko

**Grade 3:** Suot Lusot, Bangkang-papel, Sack Race, Patintero, and Tumbang Preso.

On the second day, various traditional games were divided among the three grade levels. Vying for the trophy, the Yellow Tigers were the frontrunners in Grades 1 and 2, while the Red Tamaraws surged ahead in the Grade 3 category.

The Laro ng Lahi is one of the Primary Department's ways of instilling Filipino values and traditions to its students while promoting solidarity. The department continuously creates opportunities for lifelong learning. The success of the activity is the result of the dedication and commitment of the MAPEH team headed by Janeth M. Sy, the team captains: Blue - Jayson H. De Chavez, Red - Veronica F. Motol, Yellow - Eden Dee A. Anore, and White - Charlotte A. Barcelona, and all the members of the department.



The Primary students of the mighty White Hawks sing the Philippine National Anthem with pride.



A Yellow Tigers player prepares for the Pasahan ng Bola/Over and Under.



Grade 2's Red Tamaraws compete for the win in a game of Suot-Lusot/Hula Hoop Relay.

Grade 3 Tigers and Eagles play a game of Bangkang Papel.



Students of the Red Tamaraws proudly raise their banners, cheering for their team.



Blue Eagles donned matching wings and headdresses, aiming for the top of the rank.



The White Hawks displays passion and skills through a performance.

The roaring Yellow Tigers unitedly perform its cheer.





Pairs of the Mr. and Miss Larong Lahi pageant dress up, reflecting the identity of their teams.

The Primary Department marks the success of the event with the esteemed guests.

