

# MHC COMMUNITY TREK

Philippine/MHC Participation @ the Asian Festival, 9-10 August 2008, Reston, Virginia  
MHC is a patron partner of the Annual Asian Festival in Virginia. MHC's Interactive Tent was one of the Festival's main attractions. . .



3 year old girl Gel Manalang tries the "Agong" of Mindanao while the other kids enjoy the "Kulintang"



The popular Blackbird Pond Band from Norfolk, Virginia visited the MHC Cultural Interactive Tent and delightfully sampled the Philippine "Halo-Halo"

The popular MHC Cultural Interactive Tent also featured beautiful artworks of notable Fil-Am Artists Julian Oteyza and Glen Brown.



Camille Comendador, Julie Quitoriano and Carylle Crisostomo demonstrated "Tinikling" for the whole afternoon until closing time. "All guests wanted to try it so how can we stop?"

Ultimate Eskrima's Vic & Lexi impressed the visitors with their swift style of stickfighting or Eskrima



Juliet Barredo, Elmo, Thomas and Damian with MHC Executive Directors



Lani Travis, Sylvia Nera, Milvy Murray Jenny Hona and Manny Lozada, wearing an authentic "Yakan" costume from Mindanao.



Looie Po was a volunteer for both Fiesta Asia in DC & Asian Festival in Reston

Laughing, this visitor gives up with the eskrima technique taught to her by Senior Master Instructor Wesley Crisostomo.



Fil-Am HeritageDance Ensemble: Alex, Hannah, Paul & Raymund



Who could resist a Mindanao beauty (Milvy) when she's the one clicking the bamboos ?



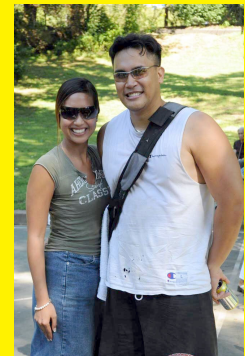
JUST A GLIMPSE OF THE MHC's Kainan, Sayawan, Basketball, Tennis at Iba Pa. Picnic . . . More photos in the next issue. . .



Jeannette Calahong, Denia Calaro & Web Macapacagal had a great time singing: Tess Stoddard, Mario Pagalunan, Judy Campanilla and Ednora Franco danced while Ron Coleman chose to relax and watch the sports and entertainment around him.



3 yr old Elwon Cabrera blowing a balloon. . .



ENGAGED !!!  
Victor Ecarma & Joni Samilin of FYP-DC