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SCREENING OF THE FILM BOSES

The Erasto Films Production announces the screening of the film *Boses*. The film was one of the most-applauded films exhibited in the Cinemalaya Film Festival in 2008. It garnered numerous awards from different award-giving bodies. Also, the film enjoyed positive reviews from its screenings in various festivals abroad, and in different schools and community in the country.

The story revolves around a seven-year old battered child who could not speak because of the abuses he received from his father but was able to overcome it through music. *Boses* echoes a call for the protection and promotion of children's rights. It examines how issues in the families and communities affect child's welfare and upbringing. It also thumbs through matters concerning women such as migration and girl child abuse.

The target viewers of this film are pupils, students and teachers from both public and private elementary and secondary schools.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* as stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.* This activity is also subject to the no-collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546, *An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and/or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges and Universities (Ganzon Law).*

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