

## Rugby

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giving them a head start for skill accusation, rugby intellect and overall development.”

**College recruitment:** “Many colleges actively recruit rugby players, offering scholarships and support. Coaches are doing a better job getting kids in pathway programs.”

**Fitness and athleticism:** “Rugby requires a high level of fitness, strength, and teamwork, basically Guam kids are built to play rugby.”

**Camaraderie and community:** “Rugby fosters strong team bonds and a sense of community, appealing to our island cul-

ture.”

### Tony Costa

Costa is a high school coach, and GRC Barbarians Rugby development manager.

“Although Guam has many talented athletes, it has a significant number of college rugby players because rugby scholarships are more accessible and obtainable than those for other sports. College rugby players outnumber athletes from different sports on scholarships.

“Guam Rugby Club has fostered programs to help develop rugby skills and rugby IQ through local and international training and tournaments. Exposure at this level attracts college

coaches. The athletes ultimately develop a genuine passion for the sport of rugby.

“Other coaches and I try to support and encourage the athletes, showing them that college rugby is a pathway to higher education and that scholarships can help fund their college education.

“Seeing my former athletes succeed proves rugby can open college doors. Rugby offers a chance to leave Guam, compete at the D1 level, and earn a degree while pursuing a sport they love. I’ve urged families to explore rugby scholarships, which have significantly eased financial challenges.

“Guam is filled with talent, and rugby feels ingrained in our culture—almost as though it was meant to be here. Our athletes have what it takes to compete at D1 and beyond. Just look at trailblazers like Zach Pangelinan, Jacob Flores, Stephen Sablan, and Ally Ada. They’ve paved the way in Guam rugby.

“Athletes need support and guidance through the

college landscape, and I have tried to create a support system for them—meeting with countless college coaches, promoting the athletes, matching them with the right schools, and helping develop rugby resumes over the years.

“A strong support network has empowered these athletes to achieve great things through rugby, as evidenced by the number of Guam athletes playing rugby in college.”

### Leonard Calvo

Calvo is a former national player, “Godfather of Guam Rugby.”

“The middle school and high school programs put together by Guam Rugby (Development officer Paul Claros) are the main reasons why Guam is able to put players in college programs.

“There are obviously good athletes and coaches

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Kyle Manibusan plays for Southern Nazarene University.

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#### IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

OF

JOAQUIN LEON GUERRERO AGUON,

Decedent.

PROBATE CASE NO. PR0058-04

#### NOTICE OF HEARING FOR PETITION FOR ORDER AUTHORIZING SALE OF ESTATE PROPERTY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that JOAQUIN S. PANGELINAN, has filed herein the Petition for Order Authorizing Sale of Estate Property, upon the Estate of Joaquin Leon Guerrero Aguon, Deceased, and that on October 1, 2025 at 9:00 a.m., of said day in the Courtroom of the Superior Court of Guam, Hagåtña, Guam, has been set for hearing of said Petition and all persons interested are hereby notified to appear at the time and place set for said hearing and show cause, if any they have, why the Petition should not be granted.

Reference is hereby made to the said Petition for further particulars.

DATED August 19, 2025.

JANICE M. CAMACHO-PEREZ, ESQ.  
CLERK OF COURT  
SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM

By: /s/ Pauline I. Untalan  
Chamber/Courtroom Clerk  
Superior Court of Guam

You may appear in person at the Courtroom of Judge Dana A. Gutierrez, 120 W. O'Brien Drive, Hagåtña, GU or you may participate via Zoom by logging onto <https://guamcourts-org.zoom.us> and enter the Meeting ID: 839 7874 0380 and Passcode: 189701. For technical assistance, please call (671) 475-3207 five (5) minutes prior to the designated hearing time.



#### GUAM BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR OPTOMETRY REGULAR BOARD MEETING

Physical/Mailing Address:  
194 Hernan Cortez Ave. Terlaje  
Professional Bldg. Suite 209  
Hagatna, Guam 96910

Tuesday, September 30, 2025  
at 8:30 a.m. (Guam ChST)

Join Zoom Meeting  
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83282594632?pwd=08v0gSdYOF7xQ3Khg2Hb5YrLdOdEgZ1.1>

Meeting ID: 832 8259 4632  
Passcode: 384872

#### AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Proof of Publications
- IV. Approval of Agenda
- V. Approval of Minutes
- VI. Treasurer's Report
- VII. HPLA Report
- VIII. Old Business
  - a. The Practice Act Revision (TPA) – ongoing discussion
  - b. Rules and Regulations Proposed Revision 2.0 – ongoing discussion
  - c. Complaint GBEO-CO-2025-001
- IX. New Business
  - a. Renewal Applications
- X. Next Board Meeting
- XI. Adjournment

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Christian Manglona, Anita Manglona, Trey Blas Fields, Kwinn Rios, Sage Calvo at a recent Penn State (Rios) vs. Mount St. Mary's (Manglona) Collegiate Women's Rugby Match.