

Tourism

Tourism is travel for recreational, leisure or business purposes. The World Tourism Organization defines tourists as people "traveling to and staying in places outside their usual environment for not more than one consecutive year for leisure, business and other purposes". It has become a popular global leisure activity. Tourism is important, and in some cases, vital for many countries. It was recognized in the *Manila Declaration on World Tourism of 1980* as "an activity essential to the life of nations because of its direct effects on the social, cultural, educational and economic sectors of national societies and on their international relations.

The Philippines is a very blessed nation in terms of its natural attractions. Similarly, Cavite abounds with great objects, and subjects, of culture and history. It is the birthplace of a good number of Filipino heroes and it has an interesting range of sites associated with the Philippine Revolution of 1896. Found in the province is the residence of the first president of the republic, Emilio Aguinaldo, which is also the site where the Philippine Republic was proclaimed on June 12, 1898. Yet Cavite stands proudly as a place with a glorious past. It's warm and friendly people, whose ancestors fought for a noble cause, manifest industry and patience in various skills and professions, openly receptive to the entry and exchange of culture and technology that are of value to this wondrous province.

A province not constrained with living in the past, Cavite teems with natural resources and fantastic landscapes. It is home to Tagaytay City, the Philippines' second summer capital, next to Baguio City. The accessing highway offers a breathtaking sight of the world-famous Taal formation, a crater within an island within a lake. Coconut groves dot the ridges of Tagaytay and classy accommodations give the visiting tourists the pleasures of relaxation, and at the same time, wide opportunities to enjoy the magnificent view of Taal.

Furthermore, Cavite is a land blessed with galore of natural wonders, making it gleaming and a perfect place for a memorable eco-holiday. It is a picturesque, scenic province providing a place conducive for both business and leisure. The province has some of its most superb mountains, cave and falls which can truly fascinate its numerous visitors. Natural wonders in Cavite are mostly found in the upland areas. Meanwhile a number of historical and religious sites are also located in the province, which have defined significant events and have illustrated human creativity and cultural traditions. Each site tells its own

distinctive story. Some of these sites are sacred and some are commemorating battlefields. More importantly, all of these places have contributed a sense of time, identity, and place to our understanding of Cavite as a whole.

Metro Tagaytay Growth Corridor

"Metro Tagaytay" is one major growth corridor of the Province. This would include the Municipalities of Silang, Alfonso, Mendez, Amadeo, Indang, Magallanes, Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo (Bailen), Maragondon, Ternate and Tagaytay City. These municipalities are also the areas with high potential for tourism considering its desirable weather condition and proximity to Tagaytay City, the center of tourism in Cavite.

Since Tagaytay City has its own identity as a popular tourist destination due to its cool environment and attractions, it would be utilized seemingly as a "lead anchor" to tow its adjacent municipalities into prominence as well as a viable tourism alternative, e.g. Alfonso has its Flower festival and Silang known for its fruits. The end view of the tourism undertakings is to entice tourists to prolong their stay in the area and allow them to discover the innate tourism flavor of the province. As a premiere tourist destination where variety of attractions and entertainment facilities are available, Cavite's six (6) cities and seventeen (17) municipalities are clustered into three tourism nodal points for the particular interests of visitors belonging to different market segments:

Metro Tagaytay – Upland Area is famous for natural tourist attractions and is conducive for meditating, sight-seeing, picnicking and other countryside activities.

Ternate - Corregidor - Naic-Maragondon Area is popularly attractive because of the presence of world-class beach resorts complementing the area's historical attractions.

Kawit - Cavite City Area, Cavite's focal point for the pieces of rich historical legacies the great Caviteño forefathers gave for the birth of Philippine Independence.



Visitor Arrivals

According to the Provincial Tourism Office, a total of 1,775,531 visitors have arrived in the province from January to December of 2013. The largest numbers of visitors are domestic travelers with 1,721,257 and foreign tourist with 39,960. Due to the cold weather of Tagaytay City that is a come-on for tourists, they have the most number of visitors at 1,386,456, followed by Kawit with 167,083 tourists and Maragondon with 70,867 (Table 6.48).

Table 6.57. Tourist Arrivals, Province of Cavite: 2013

City/Municipality	Domestic	Foreign	Total
Cavite City	50,810	17,332	68,142
Kawit	165,373	1,710	167,083
Rosario	30,373	440	30,813
City of Imus			14,314
City of Dasmariñas	5,309	301	5,610
Gen. Trias	4,852	129	4,981
Tagaytay City	1,386,456		1,386,456
Magallanes	232		232
Maragondon	69,952	915	70,867
Trece Martires City	7,900	19,133	27,033
TOTAL	1,721,257	39,960	1,775,531

Source: Provincial Tourism Office, Trece Martires City

Major Historical Attractions

From the words of great Caviteño who truly understands history, "every inch of Cavite's soil is historic". It has glorious places of historical legacy such as historical sites, landmarks, houses and museums being the **Cockpit of Philippine Revolution** and **Birthplace and Cradle of Philippine Independence**. Major historical attractions in the province narrate specific stories about the past and have made Cavite the officially recognized **Historical Capital of the Philippines**. Among these historical attractions are described as follows:

Historical Sites

1. Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo Shrine, Kawit – It was in this Aguinaldo ancestral home where Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo proclaimed Philippine Independence from Spain on June 12, 1898. It was also here where the Philippine Flag made by Marcella Agoncillo in Hongkong was officially hoisted for the first time, and the Philippine National Anthem composed by Julian Felipe was played by Banda Malabon. Measuring 1,324 m² with a five-storey tower, this building is actually a mansion renaissance architecture, combining baroque, Romanesque, and Malayan influences. It stands on a sprawling ground of 4,864 m². Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo himself donated the mansion and the lot to the Philippine Government on June 12, 1963, "to perpetuate the spirit of the Philippine Revolution of 1896 that put an end to Spanish colonization of the country". And by virtue of Republic Act No. 4039 dated June 18, 1964 issued by then President Diosdado Macapagal, the Aguinaldo Mansion was declared national shrine.
2. Battle of Binakayan Monument, Kawit – The site of a fierce fighting between the Spaniards and the Filipino soldiers that happened on November 9-11, 1896 depicting one of the shining moments of the Philippine struggle for independence.
3. Gen. Baldomero Aguinaldo Shrine, Kawit – This is the residence of Gen. Baldomero Aguinaldo, Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo's first cousin and right hand. He was the president of the Magdalo Council which was established in Imus, and the first President of the Asociacion de los Veteranos de la Revolucion Filipina. He died on February 14, 1915.
4. Gen. Candido Tirona Monument, Poblacion, Kawit - Built in honor of Gen. Candido Tria Tirona, the first revolutionary Captain Municipal in the Philippines. He is one of the "Heroes of Binakayan Battle" that took place on November 9-11, 1896 in which the Spanish forces under the over-all command of Governor and Capt. General Ramon Blanco were decisively defeated.
5. Belfry of Recoletos Church, Cavite City - There were eight churches in the walled city. But because of the vagaries of time and war not one remains today. Only the belfry of the Recoletos stands as mute witness to the piety of the early Caviteños.

6. Cañacao Bay, Cavite City - Best viewed from Paseo de Barangay at the back of the City Hall, the Bay was port to both the Spanish galleons and the Pan Am Clipper seaplanes. The Skyline of Manila is visible when looking at the mouth of the bay.
7. Cavite City Millennium Capsule Marker, Cavite City - Significant events, great personalities, trivia, etc. happened, transpired and emerged in Cavite City which influenced in small or great measure the history and transformation of not only Cavite City but the whole country as well. These legacies are preserved and immortalized for all times in a capsule in order for the future generation to know.
8. Cavite City Hall, Cavite City – Located in pre-World War II site of Dreamland Cabaret and the "Pantalan de Yangco," this imposing building sits on one end of the City Park. Paseo de Barangay is located at the back of City Hall.
9. Corregidor Island, Cavite City - The largest of five islands guarding the entrance of Manila Bay, a tadpole-shaped Corregidor was once a mere fishing village with a lighthouse and signal station for all ships entering and leaving Manila Bay. American colonizers built full-scale fortifications on the island, complete with long-range tractor guns, anti-aircraft guns, tunnels on underground command center and a hospital for wounded soldiers. In the last Pacific War, Corregidor became a vital combat zone between the Japanese Imperial Army and the allied forces. It was the last stronghold to fall in the hands of the enemy. Today, memorials to peace and to those who died stand alongside the silent cannons and rusting artillery. The island is now a favorite tour destination with a first class hotel and resort facilities.
10. Don Ladislao Diwa Shrine, Cavite City - Don Ladislao Diwa is well remembered as the co-founder of the KKK (Kataastaasang, Kagalanggalangan, Katipunan). The National Historical Institute (NHI) declared his ancestral home as a national shrine. On November 30, 1996, his mortal remains were transferred to the Ladislao Diwa Mausoleum on the grounds of the Shrine.
11. Fort San Felipe, Cavite City - Located at the compound of the Philippine Navy, this 16th century fort is dedicated to San Felipe Neri, the place where the Cavite Mutiny 1872 occurred when Filipino workers were implicated in the armed uprising against the Spaniards. This is also the place where the thirteen Martyrs of Cavite were executed. Located at the top of this wall is the Philippine Navy Museum where miniature of Philippine Naval vessels and other memorabilia are placed.
12. Julian Felipe Monument, Cavite City - A monument stands proud for a great son of a Caviteño, the composer of the Philippine National Anthem - Professor Julian Felipe. The Filipino lyrics of the stirring composition of Don Julian Felipe were supplied by Jose Palma. January 28, the birth anniversary of Professor Felipe was declared Special Public Holiday in the City of Cavite by virtue of Republic Act 7805 approved on July 26, 1993.
13. Muralla, Cavite City - This well lighted bay front offers promenades cool breezes during balmy nights. The view of Bacoar Bay shows the tower of the Aguinaldo Mansion as well as the many oyster beds that dot the bay. This area was once called the isthmus of Rosario and at one time featured a drawbridge.
14. Old Spanish Slipway, Cavite City - Built in 1874, this is where galleons were built. The old steam boiler and other equipment are still operational.
15. Sangley Point, Cavite City - This was used by the Chinese pirate Limahong in 1574 as his refuge when he ran away after a failed attempt to take Manila. Sangley Point was also used as a military base by the American and Japanese troops. It is now occupied by the Philippine Navy for ship repair & dry docking.
16. Sunset View, Cavite City - By the checkpoint of Cavite City, the view offers the mountain of Bataan, the island of Corregidor, the outline of Mt. Buntis and, of course at the end of the day, the world famous Manila Bay Sunset.
17. Thirteen (XIII) Martyrs Centennial Plaza, Cavite City - Built in 1906 to honor Cavite's revered martyrs. The remains of six of the martyrs are still inferred in the monument. Through the assistance of the Department of Tourism, the former monument was transformed into a Centennial Plaza after the celebration of its 100th year anniversary. It is designed to present the picture of their struggle, trial and execution.
18. Zapote Bridge, City of Bacoar - The site where the bloody battle between the revolucionarios under Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo and Spaniards took place on February 27, 1897.
19. The Cuenca Residence "Bahay na Tisa", City of Bacoar - The seat of the Revolutionary Government under Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo.

20. Calero Bridge, Noveleta - It was here where one of the fierce and bloody fights between Filipino and Spanish forces took place.
21. Noveleta Tribunal or Townhall, Noveleta - The place where Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo wrestled with two guardia civiles on duty on August 31, 1896.
22. Battle of Alapan Marker and Flag, City of Imus - The battle site is within the compound of Alapan Elementary School in Imus. Highlighted by a 90-foot tall flag pole, the marker features the statue of a woman called "Inang Bayan" standing on three large rocks and holding up the Philippine Flag proudly waving. The monument commemorates the event when the Philippine Flag was first unfurled by Filipino revolutionaries after the victorious battle in Alapan.
23. Imus Cathedral (Originally part of Cavite El Viejo), City of Imus - Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo's revolutionary army laid siege on the Imus Church (now Cathedral) to capture the friars but found to have fled to the recollect Estate House after the capture of the Tribunal of Kawit on August 31, 1896.
24. Isabel Bridge, Palico, City of Imus - A concrete arch bridge with marker, it signifies the battle that took place during the Philippine-Spanish war.
25. Julian Bridge Boundary of Bayan Luma & Bucandala, City of Imus - A concrete structure with an old battered cannon and bullets where the bloodiest battle against the Spanish conquerors took place in 1899.
26. Pasong Santol Marker, City of Imus - The marker was constructed to commemorate the battle against Spanish forces in 1897.
27. Dasmariñas Catholic Church, City of Dasmariñas - Inside this church, now renovated, hundreds of Filipino families were killed by Spaniards during the Lachambre offensive to recover lost territory in late August, 1897.
28. Santa Cruz de Malabon Church, Tanza - This is where, before a huge crucifix, Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo took his oath of office as the elected president of the revolutionary government.
29. Andres Bonifacio House, Gen. Trias - This antique house was once the residence of Andres Bonifacio, founder of the secret revolutionary society called "Katipunan" and one of the architects of the Philippine Revolution.

Although renovated several times, the original design of this Spanish-style house with its façade of red brick and adobe has been retained.

30. Gen. Trias Municipal Town and Old Church, Gen. Trias - The site of one of the uprisings in Cavite. It was in this old church where the senior band members rehearsed the national anthem, Marcha Filipina before it was played during the declaration of the Philippine Independence on June 12, 1898.
31. Tejeros Convention Site, Rosario - This was the place where the Filipino Revolutionaries held their 115th convention on March 22, 1897 and approved the establishment of a Revolutionary Government headed by Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo.
32. Bonifacio Shrine in Limbon, Indang - It was on this site, in the small barrio of Limbon, Indang where Ciriaco Bonifacio was killed and Andres Bonifacio was captured and wounded.
33. Gat Andres Bonifacio Marker in Indang - A marker was erected, near the municipal town hall of Indang, at the site where Bonifacio was jailed prior to his execution in Maragondon.
34. Bonifacio Trial House, Maragondon - The house where Bonifacio and his brother were court martialed and were sentenced to die by musketry.
35. Gat Andres Bonifacio Memorial Shrine, Mt. Nagpatong, Maragondon - Site of the execution of Andres and Procopio Bonifacio on May 10, 1897.
36. Riego de Dios Ancestral House, Maragondon - Old structure reminiscent of the houses during Spanish Period, this house belongs to the illustrious Riego de Dios clan of Maragondon.
37. Don Vicente Somoza House, Maragondon - A wealthy Chinese Mestizo who also assisted the Revolutionary Government of Pres. Emilio Aguinaldo. He is better known as "One of the founders of the Filipino Chamber of Commerce & Representative of Mati (Davao) in Malolos Congress.
38. Recollect Estate House in Naic - Located near the Catholic Church, this is where Bonifacio and his followers entered into the Naik Military Agreement in which they form an army corps headed by Gen. Pio del Pilar, one of the bravest Generals in the Battle of Binakayan.

39. The Battle of Naik Site, Naic - The place where Aguinaldo's forces decided to defend and make their last stand in Naik Church and made their compact. Signs of Spanish cannonballs may still be found on the façade and sides of the church.
40. 41st Division USAFFE Marker, Kaybagal South, Tagaytay City - Tagaytay was a strategic site during World War II. Filipino soldiers found refuge in its vast forests and ridges. It was used as landing site and sanctuary for paratroopers on their way to the Liberation of Manila.
41. 11th Airborne Division Marker, Tagaytay City - A marker at the Silang-Tagaytay Crossing commemorates events on February 3, 1945, when the 11th Airborne Division of Lt. Gen. William Krueger of the U.S. Army air-dropped military supplies and personnel on Tagaytay Ridge.

Historical Markers

1. Julian R. Felipe – Located in Cavite City and installed 1990. He was the composer of the Philippine National Anthem. He was born January 28, 1861 in Cavite. He created the Philippine National Anthem originally entitled as "Marcha Magdalo". It was played during the proclamation of Philippine Independence on 1898.
2. Ladislao Diwa – Located in Cavite City and installed 1954. Son of Mariano Diwa and Cecilia Nocon born at San Roque, Cavite City on June 27, 1863. Member of La Liga Filipina together with Andres Bonifacio and Teodoro Plata established the Katipunan on June 5, 1892. Led the revolution on 1896 under General Mariano Trias. Exiled in Fort Santiago freed after signing the Pact of Biak na Bato, 1897. Elected Governor of Cavite during the First Republic of the Philippines, 1895. Died in Caridad, Cavite City on March 2, 1930.
3. Ang Bahay ni Aguinaldo – Located in Kawit and installed 1971 Built in 1845 from wood and thatch materials, Aguinaldo mansion was renovated in 1849 and was declared a national shrine in June 1964, shortly after Aguinaldo's death.
4. Ang Bahay ni Baldomero Aguinaldo – Located at Kawit and installed 1983. This national heritage site is the residence of Gen. Baldomero Aguinaldo, Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo's first cousin and right hand. He was the president of

the Magdalo Council which was established in Imus, and the first president of the Asociacion de los Veteranos de la Revolucion Filipina.

5. Tribunal ng Noveleta - Located at Noveleta and installed 1963. This is the site where Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo wrestled with two guardia civil on duty on August 31, 1896.
6. Labanan sa Kalero – Located at Noveleta and installed 1963. The Calero Bridge was also a battle ground during the Philippine revolution where the bravery of Filipinos prevailed over Spanish forces.
7. Padre Mariano Gomez – Located in Bacoar and installed 1971. He was born on August 2, 1799 at Sta. Cruz, Manila. He became parish priest of Bacoar on June 2, 1824. He was executed using Garote on February 17, 1872.
8. Zapote Battlefield - Located in Bacoar and installed 1952. On this site the Filipino Revolutionary Forces fought two decisive battles one against the Spanish Forces 17 February 1897. In which Filipino General Edilberto Evangelista was killed the other, against the American forces, 13 June 1899, led by General H.W. Lawton, who later was killed in San Mateo Rizal, by Filipino General Licerio Geronimo.
9. Battle of Alapan – Located in City of Imus and installed 1998. It was Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo's first victory after returning from overseas (Singapore) on May 19, 1898. Alapan I Elementary School now stands on the site of the battle
10. Enrique Virata – Located in City of Imus and installed 1984. He is the 9th president of the University of the Philippines. His term lasted from 1956-1958.

Natural Attractions

1. Tagaytay Ridge, Tagaytay City - Tagaytay City is known as the country's second summer capital next to Baguio. Its famous Tagaytay Ridge is actually part of the crater of an ancient volcano that collapsed years ago. Within this collapsed volcano are the Taal Lake and Taal Volcano - renowned as the smallest in the world. The Ridge offers a panoramic vista of this natural wonder, as well as picnic spots, accommodations and other recreational facilities.

2. Cabag Cave, Maragondon - The cave with an underground river that runs 50 meters inward is found amidst lush foliage at the foot of a steep slope. A brook forms a small pool at the mouth of the cave.
3. Matala Cave, Limbon, Indang- Good site for exploratory excursion.
4. Palsahingin Falls, Kaytapos, Indang - A 50-ft tall gushing water into a dome-like river. Four chamber caves with stone formations are visible within the falls, three-meter stretch from the entrance.
5. Mts. Palay Palay and Mataas Na Gulod National Park - The lone National Park declared under the National Integrated Protected Areas (NIPAS) Law is located in Ternate & Maragondon. The park covers three (3) peaks, namely Pico de Loro, Mt. Palay Palay and Mt. Mataas Na Gulod. The park is noted for its indigenous and rare species of flora and fauna.
6. Pico de Loro, Maragondon - Highest Peak in Cavite. Has a shape of a sleeping beauty.
7. Piitan Cave, Daine, Indang - Good site for exploratory excursion and camping.
8. Sitio Buhay Unclassified Forest, San Agustin, Magallanes - This forest has natural features such as deep ravines, springs and various flora and fauna species.
9. Balite Falls, Amadeo - Two falls could actually be seen in the area, one of which flows naturally gushing strong clear water while the other one is outfitted with pipes and bamboo tubes to aid the flow of water with a deep part for adults and a shallow part for children.
10. Malibiclibic Falls, Lumipa, Aguineldo - A valley borders of Malibiclibic Falls, where boulders cut across the middle of the gushing river waters cascading from the falls. Other rivers flow near the falls' large pond which could be viewed from atop one of the border hills of the valley. A large pool of water forms at the base of the falls while coconut trees, shrubs and other greenery flank both sides.
11. Timbugan River, Boundary of Lumipa and Kaypaaba, Gen. Aguineldo With over flow bridge that serves as dike to impound water at the upstream of river sufficient for swimming.

12. Utod River and Falls - a natural landscape situated in Barangay Tua, Magallanes.

13. Mt. Marami – A massive and monumental composite of rocky pillars/towers located in Barangay Ramirez, Magallanes. The mountain also has closer pillars called the "Silyang Bato". The name "Marami" is from a literal Filipino word "marami" (many) that is indeed of many rocks visible on the structure of the mountain. The summit offers a panorama of the Maragondon mountains including Pico de Loro, Mt. Mariveles, and even Mt. Banahaw.

Culture and Traditions

Caviteños are proud of their century-old traditions and very rich culture. Aside from the celebrations of town fiestas which are presented at Table 6.49, the province of Cavite celebrates festivals as forms of thanksgiving for bountiful harvest and in honor of its patron saints. Some of these festivals are also observed in honor of the historical legacies passed from one generation to another generation. In fact, the province fetes the renowned Kalayaan Festival which is given a great social importance in commemoration of the heroism of its people.

There are also cultural rituals and special dances of thanksgiving in Cavite which manifest inherent religiosity, God-fearing attitude, warmth & hospitality, and potent greatness of Caviteño citizenry.

Fiestas

Table 6.58. Fiesta Dates by City/Municipality, Province of Cavite

City/Municipality	Fiesta Date	Patron Saint
Alfonso	every May 16	St. John Nepomucene
Amadeo	Last Sunday of April	St. Mary Magdalene
City of Bacoor	2nd Sunday of May	St. Michael the Archangel
Carmona	every March 19	St. Joseph
Cavite City	2nd Sunday of November	San Roque
City of Dasmariñas	every December 8	Immaculate Concepcion
Gen. E. Aguineldo	2nd Sunday of February	St. Joseph
Gen. Mariano Alvarez	4th Sunday of January	Holy Family
General Trias	every October 4	St. Francis Assisi
City of Imus	every October 12	Our Lady of the Pillar

City/Municipality	Fiesta Date	Patron Saint
Indang	2nd Sunday of May	St. Gregory the Great
Kawit	every July 22	St. Mary Magdalene
Magallanes	last Sunday of January	Nuestra Señora de Guia
Maragondon	every August 15	Our Lady of Assumption
Mendez	1st Sunday of May	Saint Agustine
Naic	every December 8	Immaculate Conception
Noveleta	May 2-3	Holy Cross
Rosario	every May 22	Most Holy Rosary
Silang	every February 2	Our Lady of Candelaria
Tanza	every August 28	Holy Cross
Ternate	every January 6	Sto. Niño
Tagaytay City	every February 11	Our Lady of Lourdes
Trece Martires City	every October 28	St. Jude Thaddeus

Festivals

1. Kalayaan Festival - It is a 2 week long province wide event held annually from May 28 to June 12. As its name suggests, the series of events for the festival are held to celebrate the Independence Day season. The festival was launched in 2005 with a variety of activities such as street dancing, float parade, beauty pageant and trade fair. In the morning of June 12 the usual national celebration is held at the balcony of Aguinaldo Shrine.
2. Regada Festival - Also called the "Water Festival", the festival is comprised of games, street dancing, photo exhibit, trade fair, concert and water splashing. The festival is done three days from June 22-24 in celebration of Feast of St. John the Baptist of Cavite City.
3. Live Via Crucis or Kalbaryo ni Hesus – A cultural tradition which is being done during Holy Week. This tradition which started in Cavite City was staged for the first time on Holy Thursday of 1974. It was in response to the challenge of the late priest Msgr. Baraquel E. Mojica of San Roque, Cavite City to create a venue for a more meaningful celebration of the Holy Week.
4. Fiesta de la Reina de Cavite – Celebrated every 2nd and 3rd Sunday of November in honor of Cavite's patroness, Nuestra Señora de la Soledad de Porta Vaga. It is also known as CCavite City fiesta.

5. Sorteo Festival - Local festival in Carmona every February which is held every three years to relive the old practice of distributing agricultural lots to deserving farmers through raffle draws.
6. Sumilang Festival - Recognized as an agriculture event in Silang every February 1-3. The occasion is participated in by dancers who come from agricultural sector.
7. Kawayan Festival - Held every 7th day of September in Maragondon wherein a group of street dancers parade in indigenous materials. An exhibit of bamboo products is likewise done in the town plaza.
8. Pahimis Festival - Also Called the "Coffee Festival" as way of thanksgiving for abundant harvest of coffee in the municipality of Amadeo. It is held every 2nd week of February. Trade fair, street dancing, beauty pageant, and coffee convention are the usual activities done during the occasion. Free flowing drinking of coffee is offered to everybody.
9. Wagayway Festival - Every household display of Philippine flag is encouraged during the festival, and simultaneous waving of flags in the streets of Cavite. Different activities such as exhibits, trade fair, product display are held. This is held every May 28.
10. Irok Festival – Done every November 30 to December 2 during the celebration of Indang Day. Float parade, street dancing, sports activities, lantern contest made out of irok leaves and a grand parade are held in the town plaza.
11. Sapyaw Festival - Street dancing are done all over the streets of the municipality of Tanza every August 20 with their attractive and very colorful costumes. Various barangays join the dancing in honor of the feast of St. Augustine.
12. Mardicas – Held in the municipality of Ternate every January 18. Fluvial parades carrying the image of Sto. Niño are held and continue in the streets of the municipality and ends in the churchyard. Karakol and street dancing in beautiful and colorful costumes with marching band music are held.

13. Hijas de Maria - A month long celebration in General Trias every May 1-31 held in honor of their patron saint. Church is decorated with beautiful flowers.
14. Tahong Festival - Different cuisines with tahong as main ingredient are on exhibit at the Bacoor town plaza every September 29. Culinary contests are held annually. Various activities are done such as beauty contest. Tahong symposium and seminars are held for culture of Tahong.
15. Marching Band Festival – To promote the musical heritage of the city and boost tourism through its number of marching bands around the country. Celebrated every 2nd weekend of May in honor of St. Michael the Archangel and Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary.
16. Tinapa Festival – The festival is celebrate in the town to promote and perpetuate te image of Rosario as the place where smoked fish called "Tinapang Salinas" originates. Celebrated every October (no definite date).
17. Fiesta de la Reina de Caracol – Held every 3rd weekend of May and 1st weekend of October. It celebrates the feast of the town patroness Nuestra Señora Virgen del Santissimo Rosario, Reina de Caracol starting with traditional Caracol or "Karakol", which has two parts, the sea Caracol or fluvial procession and the Caracol on land. Caracol started in Rosario town and years after, spread to the whole province.
18. Maytinis - Re-enactment of Christ's birth on midnight of December 24 in Kawit wherein participants wear colourful costumes in beautifully adorned floats. Usually there is "ama" and "ina" who acts as spouses for the whole event.
19. Kakanindayog Festival – The festival is celebrated to promote the native kakanin and other delicacies which the city is well known for such as Puto Lunsong. Celebrates every month of October in honor of the city's patroness Nuestra Señora del Pilar and the founding anniversary of the city through street dancing and the traditional "Karakol" procession.
20. Pista ng mga Puso Festival - Festival held annually on Valentine's Day in celebration of their Patron Saint feast day. There are Karakol dancers parading and marching all over Tagaytay City.
21. Kabutenyo Festival – A March 13 celebration in Gen. Mariano Alvarez and thanksgiving in honor of Patron saint for bountiful mushrooms. Activities include street dancing, trade fair and culinary contest with mushroom as main ingredients.
22. Paru-paro Festival - Beautiful and colorful costumes will feed your eyes during this festival in Dasmarinas. People from all walks of life gather around the City to watch the parade of costumes of butterfly led by the local elected officials. Done every 26th of November with a series of activities that last for a week.
23. Bihisaka Festival - The festival celebrates the feast of San Isidro Labrador, patron of farmers. Carabaos and other farm animals are dressed, painted colorfully and adorned with other produce from the farm. People gather in a vacant space to watch the parade of these farm animals. The ritual is done every year as a way of thanksgiving for a bountiful harvest. The festival committee led by their parish priest solicits the assistance of their kababayans abroad to provide prizes for the competition. Done every 22nd day of December at San Roque, Naic,Cavite
24. Sapyaw Festival – Thanksgiving celebration for the ountiful harvest of our fishermen and farmers for the whole year honoring our miraculous patron, Saint Augustine, popularly known as Tata Usteng.
25. Silang Prutas Festival – A celebration and thanksgiving for bountiful fruits harvested in the said municipality. Activities includes street dancing, trade fair and culinary contest with fruits as the main source of income. Celebrates every February 2 in honor of the town's patroness Our Lady of Candelaria.
26. Sumilang Festival - Recognized as an agriculture event. The occasion is participated in by dancers who come from agricultural sector.
27. Naigkikan Festival – A festival celebrated every 1st day of May.
28. Kawayan Festival - First conceive and staged on September 7, 2003 coinciding with the Maragondon Day Celebration with group of street dancers paraded in indigenous materials , exhibit of bamboo products in the town plaza.

Cultural Rituals and Special Dances

1. Mardicas Dance - A war dance that has become a custom in the town of Ternate.
2. Karakol Dance - A street dancing with their patron saint being paraded on the streets followed by fluvial procession.
3. Sanghiyang/Sayaw sa Apoy - A pre-colonial ritual celebrated by firewalkers of Indang and Alfonso. It combines elements of folk religion, magic and Christian faith. It is a gesture of thanksgiving and a rite to cure the sick. People conducted "Sanghiyang" rituals as an offering to Bathala for a bountiful harvest, thanksgiving for a recovery from illness, or deliverance from death. The ritual is believed to have started from Naic long before the arrival of the Spaniards and the friars suppressed its observance. The people learned to incorporate same Catholic elements into the rituals and the majority of the spirits invoked are presumed Christian saints. Celebrated every 2nd week of December.
4. Live via Crucis or Kalbaryo ni Hesus - A cultural tradition which is being done during Holy Week. This tradition which started in Cavite City was staged for the first time on Holy Tuesday of 1974. It was in response to the challenge of the late parish priest, Msgr. Baraquiell E. Mojica of San Roque, Cavite City to create a venue for a more meaningful celebration of the Holy Week.

Churches

Cavite's old churches stand as glorious reminders of how the Catholic faith bloomed from the time Spain conquered our dear province until the time that Caviteños revolted to achieve freedom. These places did not only serve as places of worship but as silent refuge and witnesses of revolutionary activities. Likewise, today's generation can enjoy the bliss of seeing museums where the precious treasures of Cavite's past, norms, culture, and lifestyle are housed and showcased for viewing and appreciation.

The following are the old churches in the province:

1. San Pedro Apostol Church, Cavite City - a revival of the old church of the same name which was put up between 1586 & 1591

2. Our Lady of Candelaria Church, Silang - built in 1595
3. Our Lady of Assumption Church, Maragondon - Built in 1618. Declared by the NHI as historical and cultural site; One of the 26 Oldest Churches in the Philippines; Noted for its intricate retablos, unique features are the impressive doors with very interesting curving.
4. St. Francis of Assisi Church, Gen. Trias - built as early as 1611
5. St. Mary Magdalene Church, Kawit - Built not earlier than 1618 but not later than 1629. It was in this church where the first president Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo was baptized
6. San Roque Church, Cavite City - built in 1632
7. Sto. Niño Church, Ternate - built in 1692
8. St. Gregory the Great Church, Indang - The structure originated from a chapel which was built in 1611. Construction of the church was completed before 1710
9. Our Lady of the Pillar Church, City of Imus - built between 1825 – 1837.
10. Holy Cross Church, Tanza - built in 1839 and restored in 1873 after a strong earthquake had caused its collapse. The original structure was the site where Emilio Aguinaldo took his oath as President of the Revolutionary Government.
11. St. John Nepomucene Church, Alfonso - built on January 20, 1861
12. La Purisima Concepcion Church, Naic - built between 1867-1888
13. St. Michael the Archangel Church, City of Bacoor - Established as a parish in 1752

Table 6.59. Cavite Churches by Vicariate: Province of Cavite: 2013

Parishes	Titular	Priests
1st District		
Episcopal Vicar - FR. ROMEO O. NER		
Vicariate of St. Michael. The Archangel		
Vicar Forane - FR. CONRADO N. AMON		
Bacoar Proper	St. Michael the Archangel	Fr. Sharkey J. Brown
		Fr. Tadeo A. Angcao
		Fr. Roberto C. Capino
		Fr. Dominador C. Duroy Jr.
Aniban	San Lorenzo Ruiz	Fr. Conrado N. Amon
		Fr. Jerry C. Belen
San Nicolas/Bayanan	The Holy Trinity	Fr. Maximo B. Bermudez
Perpetual Village VII	Our Mother of Perpetual	Fr. Teodoro B. Villanueva
Salinas	Our Lady Queen of Peace	Fr. Alex Melchor P. Tupas
Andrea	St. Martin de Porres	Fr. Jose S. Demoy
		Fr. Samuel D. Lubrica
Vicariate of Sto Niño		
Vicar Forane - FR. PERCIVAL L. SAPIN		
Molino	Sto Niño de Molino	Fr. George A. Morales
		Fr. Geoffrey G. Zacarias
Citihomes Subdivision	Our Lady of the Sacred	Fr. Ginu Pathiyakam MSFS
		Fr. Abey Antony MSFS
Addas Subdivision	Nstr. Sra de la Paz Y	Fr. Percival L. Sapin
Soldiers Hills	Our Lady of Fatima	Fr. Efen M. Bugayong
Queen's Row	Our Lady Queen of Peace	Fr. Antonio A. Roxas
		Fr. Carlito J. Laureta
		Fr. Emmanuel B. Colmenar
Vicariate of Our Lady of the Pillar		
Vicar Forane - FR. GEOFFREY E. EBALOBO		
Imus Cathedral	Our Lady of the Pillar	Fr. Allan C. Valero
		Fr. Randy de Jesus
		Fr. Marco Cyril R. Convento
		Fr. Ryan Serafin P. Sasis
Anabu	Our Lady of Fatima	Fr. Teodorico. D. Santiago
		Fr. Gilbert G. Villas
Bucandala	Immaculate Heart of Mary	Fr. Paul D. De Leon
		Fr. Benjamin A. Francisco
Malagasang II	Mary Mother of God	Fr. Geoffrey E. Ebalobo
Buhay na Tubig	St. James the Greater	Fr. Lordencio D. Honrada
Vicariate of St. Mary Magdalene		
Vicar Forane - FR. TEODORO B. BAWALAN		
Kawit Proper	St. Mary Magdalene	Fr. Romeo O. Ner
		Fr. Renato C. Alegre

Parishes	Titular	Priests
Sta. Isabel, Kawit	Nuestra Sra. Dela Soledad	Fr. Elorde T. Gomez
Binakayan	Our Lady of Fatima	Fr. Teodoro B. Bawalan
Noveleta	The Holy Cross	Fr. Mario G. De Leon
San Pedro, Cavite City	San Pedro Apostol	Fr. Dominador B. Medina
San Antonio, Cavite	San Antonio de Padua	Fr. Gilbert L. Reyes
San Roque, Cavite	San Roque	Fr. Dominador Medina
		Fr. Francisco D. Frane
		Fr. Daniel F. Polzer
Vicariate of Holy Cross		
Vicar Forane - FR. CALIXTO C. LUMANDAS		
Rosario	The Most Holy Rosary	Fr. Gilberto D. Urubio
		Fr. Christian B. Borabo
Ligtong, Rosario	San Isidro Labrador	Fr. , Emmanuel O. David
Tanza Proper	Holy Cross	Fr. Calixto C. Lumandas
		Fr. Mayolene Joseph G.
Amaya, Tanza	Our Lady of the Holy Rosary	Fr. Eleomer G. Dendiego
Julugan, Tanza	The Ressurrection	Fr. Leonardo R. Bagos
Paradahan, Tanza	San Antonio de Padua	Fr. Orlando R. Santos
		Fr. Dionisio Vargas C.
Vicariate of the Chaplains of Migrant Workers		
Austria, Vienna		Fr. Bong Alejo
Nice, France		Fr. Guerrero Clavero
Barcelona, Spain		Fr. Tony Laureta
2nd District		
Episcopal Vicar - FR. AGUSTIN BAAS		
Vicariate of our Lady of the Assumption		
Vicar Forane - FR. ORLANDO A. JIMENEZ		
Magallanes	Nuestra Sra de Guia	Fr. Alain P. Manalo
		Fr. Michael P. Dulnuan
Maragondon	Our Lady of the Assumption	Fr. Lino N. De Castro
		Fr. Jose Ma. Enrique M.
Bucal, Maragondon	San Antonio de Padua	Fr. Ferdinand P. Alvarez
Ternate	Sto Niño de Ternate	Fr. Benito D. De Castro
San Roque, Naic	San Isidro Labrador	Fr. Orlando A. Jimenez
Bancaan, Naic	Sto Niño de Bancaan	Fr. Monico E. Tagulao
Naic Proper	Immaculate Conception	Fr. Virgilio S. Mendoza
Vicariate of St. Francis of Assisi		
Vicar Forane - FR. ARIEL M. LISAMA		
Trece Martires City	St. Jude Thaddeus	Fr. Bernardo I. Gacelo
		Fr. Eric M. Orcullo
Gen. Trias Proper	St. Francis of Assisi	Fr. Inocencio, B. Poblete Jr.
		Fr. Antonio P. Perez Jr.
		Fr. Joel Rosales

Parishes	Titular	Priests
Pasong Camachile	The Annunciation	Fr. Doroteo S. Andres
		Fr. Maximo S. Pangilinan
Manggahan	St. Vincent Ferrer	Fr. Ariel M. Lisama
		Fr. Miguel R. Conception III
Javalera, Gen. Trias	Our Lady of Guadalupe	Fr. Reuel D. Castañeda
Vicariate of Immaculate Conception		
Vicar Forane: FR. NONILON B. TIBAYAN		
City of Dasmariñas	Immaculate Conception	Fr. Danilo C. Tiong
		Fr. Glenn C. Dela Peña
		Fr. Jesus G. Nasinopa
Salitran	Our Lady of Fatima	Fr. Danilo B. Paraiso
Palapala	Ang Mabuting Pastol	Fr. Nonilon B. Tibayan
Burol, Summerwind	San Lorenzo Ruiz	Fr. Hermogenes G. Rafal
		Fr. Aloysius Joseph M. Cosina
Langkaan, Dasmariñas	St. Paul	Fr. Engelbert A. Bagnas
Vicariate of Our Mother of Perpetual Help		
Vicar Forane - FR. LEOBEN O. PEREGRINO		
DBB-A	Our Mother of Perpetual	Fr. Leoben O. Peregrino
		Fr. Dennis B. Beltran
DBB-C	Sacred Heart of Jesus	Fr. Rodolfo A. Pascual
DBB-E	St. Mary Euphrasia	Fr. Claro P. Sumague
Bautista (Luzviminda IV)	Hesus Nazareno	Fr. Paulus Sinalatuan SVD
		Fr. Romeo Castro SVD
Paliparan	Kristong Hari	Fr. Marino P. Limbag
		Fr. Frederick A. Tacderas
Salawag	Mary Immaculate	Fr. Alan T Ybanez SHMI
Vicariate of Our Lady of Candelaria		
Vicar Forane - FR. ARIEL A. DELOS REYES		
Carmona	San Jose	Fr. Armando P. Manaog
Lantik, Carmona	Nuestra Sra. Del Santisimo	Fr. Ronel D. Ilano
GMA	The Holy Family	Fr. Honorato N. Naty
San Jose, GMA	St. Joseph the Worker	Fr. Agapito M. Feniz OFMCap
		Fr. William T. Bustamante
Silang Proper	Our Lady of Candelaria	Fr. Marty A. Dimaranan
		Fr. Henrico T. Tagalog
		Fr. Armando C Timajo
Bulihan	The Risen Christ	Fr. Ariel A. De los Reyes,
Pook, Silang	San Antonio de Padua	Fr. Alvin C. Chavez
		Fr. Dennis P. Dueñas
Westgrove, Silang	San Benito	Fr. N. Isagani P. Aviñante
Lalaan II, Silang	St. John Marie Vianney	Fr. Arnel R. Valderama
Vicariate of Seven Archangels		
Vicar Forane - FR. LUISITO S. GATDULA		

Parishes	Titular	Priests
Gen. Aguinaldo	St. Joseph	Fr. Herminigildo M. Asilo
Alfonso Proper	St. John Nepomucene	Fr. Luisito C. Gatdula
		Fr. Adrian Nicolas L. Rañola
Kaytitinga, Alfonso	St. Joseph	Fr. Hector S. Arellano
Lumampong, Indang	St. Vincent Ferrer	Fr. Nestor P. Chavez
Indang Proper	St. Gregory the Great	Fr. Agustin M. Baas
		Fr. Alfredo A. Maramara
Mendez	St. Augustine	Fr. Melencio F. Sandoval
		Fr. Efren S. Araracap, Jr.
Sungay, Tagaytay City	Ina ng Laging Saklolo	Fr. Arnold B. Montealto
		Fr. Paulino U. Velasquez
Lourdes, Tagaytay City	Our Lady of Lourdes	Fr. Jefferson Agustin OFMCap
		Fr. Roberto Peralta OFMCap
Amadeo	St. Mary Magdalene	Fr. Oliver L. Genuino
		Fr. Avelino Abueg (attached)

Special Assignments		
Rector	Our Lady of the Pillar	Fr. James M. Andes
Spiritual Director	Formation House, Buhay na Tubig, Imus, Cavite	Fr. Alex Varias
Rector	Tahanan ng Mabuting Pastol	Fr. Michael Reuben R. Cron
Spiritual Director	Seminary, Mag-asawang Ilat Tagaytay City	Fr. Randel M. Marero
Chaplain	DLSU-Health Sciences	Fr. Ferdinand A. Leaño
	City of Dasmariñas	
Chaplain	De la Salle University, City of Dasmariñas	Fr. Mark Anthony T. Reyes
Chaplain	DLS-UMC, City of Dasmariñas	Fr. Manuelito L. Villas
	St Paul Hospital, DBB-A,	.
Healing Minister	Pinagpalang Kamay Healing Center, Binakayan, Kawit,	Fr. Corsie S. Legaspi
	Labor Ministry c/o Workers' Assistance Center, Rosario	Fr. Jose P. Dizon
Superintendent	Catholic Schools/Catholic Education c/o Bishop's House	Fr. Alain P. Manalo
	City of Imus	
DEACONS:		
	St. James the Greater Pastoral Center, Buhay na Tubig, City of Imus	Rev. Randy De Jesus
	St. Jude Thaddeus Parish, Trece Martires City	Rev. Dennis Beltran

Source: Imus Cathedral, City of Imus

Retreat Houses

1. Light of The World Retreat Center - Brgy. Pasong, Silang Cavite
2. Bahay San Rafael Order Of The Hospitaller - Salaban, Amadeo, Cavite
3. Daughters Of St. Joseph Of Caburlotto - Buho, Amadeo, Cavite
4. San Ricardo Pampuri Center Order Of The Spitaliers , Salaban, Amadeo Cavite
5. Talita' Kumi - Brgy. Bilog, Alfonso, Cavite
6. Angels Hills - #17 Arnoldus Rd. Maitim II East, Tagaytay City
7. Barnabites Clerics Regular Of St. Paul San Jose - Purok 163 San Jose, Tagaytay City
8. Canossa House Of Spirituality/Canossan Daughters Of Charity - Silang Crossing East, Tagaytay City
9. Cbcp - Nassabec Dev't. Center - Asisan, Tagaytay City
10. Contemplative Sisters Of The Good Shepherd - Km 59 Sungay West, Tagaytay City
11. Daughters Of St. Dominic - Mendoza St. Country Homes I Silang Crossing East, Tagaytay City
12. Dominican Of Virgin Mary Immaculate - Bo. Sungay West Tagaytay City
13. Franciscan Immaculate Sister - San Jose Tagaytay City
14. Franciscan Missionaries Of Mary Immaculate Heart Of Mary Convent - Crossing Silang San Jose, Tagaytay City
15. Holy Spirit Mission Service Center Missionary Servant Of The Holy Spirit - San Jose, Tagaytay City
16. Landas Buhay Retreat House Franciscan Missionaries Of Mary - San Jose, Tagaytay City
17. Little Angels Home Orphanage House Of Spirituality - Silang Crossing, Tagaytay City
18. Merciful Sisters/Mother Of Mercy Spiritual Center - Brgy. San Jose Svd Rd. Mag-Asawang Ilat Tagaytay City
19. Mission Society Of The Philippines - Msp Seminary Bo. Mag-Asawang Ilat, Tagaytay City
20. Munting Bukal Community Missionaries Of Charity - Munting Bukal Golden Rd. Maitim II East, Tagaytay City
21. Pink Sisters Adoration Of Convent Of Divine Mercy - Holy Spirit Drive Bo. Maitim II East, Tagaytay City
22. Religious Missionaries Of St. Dominic - Tolentino West, Tagaytay City
23. Saint Augustine Major Seminary Apostolic Of Vicariate Of Calapan - San Jose Tagaytay City
24. Saint Paul Seminary - Lalaan I, Silang Cavite
25. San Pablo Theological Formation House - San Jose Tagaytay City

26. Sister Of The Angels Holy Trinity Novitiate - San Jose Tagaytay City
27. Society Of The Devine Word - San Jose, Tagaytay City
28. St. Mary's House - Brgy. San Jose, National Road, 4120 Tagaytay City
29. Tahanan Ng Mabuting Pastol - Mag-Asawang Ilat Svd Rd.
30. Ursuline Sister Of The Agonizing Heart Of Jesus - 212 Maitim II East, Tagaytay City
31. Bounty Harvest Farm - Ilog Ulo Road, Buna Cerca, Indang

Museums

1. Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo Shrine - A National Shrine located in Binakayan, Kawit , Cavite. It was in this house where Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo proclaimed Philippine Independence on June 12, 1898. The Shrine houses Gen. Aguinaldo's memorabilia and depicts his patriotic ideals.
2. Gen. Baldomero Aguinaldo Museum – Located in Binakayan, Kawit, Cavite. This was the residence of Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo's first cousin and right hand who became the president of the Magdalo Council which was established in Imus, Cavite.
3. Geronimo Berenguer de los Reyes, Jr. (GBR) Museum - This unique collection housed at the 174-hectare industrial estate in General Trias, Cavite of real estate tycoon Geronimo de los Reyes, Jr. includes more than 3,000 vintage paintings and photographs of the Philippines clocks, antique maps and imperial glass pieces from China and other vintage articles.
4. Fort San Felipe Museum (also referred to as Philippine Navy Museum) - This is located in Fort San Felipe, Cavite City where show models of Philippine naval vessels and other memorabilia are placed.
5. Andres Bonifacio House - The antique house was once the residence of Andres Bonifacio, founder of the secret Revolutionary society called "Katipunan", and one of the architects of the Philippine Revolution. This house in General Trias, Cavite has been renovated several times but its original design as a Spanish-style house with a façade of red bricks and adobe has been retained.
6. Imus Historical Museum - Inside the museum is a series of moving tableaux, reliving historical scenes with realistic life-size figures set amidst painstakingly recreated settings.

7. Museo de la Salle - The lifestyle museum is dedicated to the preservation of 19th century Philippine ilustrado culture. The collection includes antique family heirlooms such as furniture, decorative objects, and examples of fine and applied arts displayed in faithfully recreated rooms. The museum is located in De La Salle University, City of Dasmariñas.
8. Cavite City Library Museum - Has an exhibition of photographs of Cavite City's heroes like the XIII Martyrs, Julian Felipe, Ladislao Diwa and other prominent Caviteños. Likewise, exhibits of old photographs, memorabilia, relics of old furniture and household objects provide a glimpse of Cavite City up to the American occupation.
9. PNPA Museum – houses the collection of military equipment and photos of their Officers who have served PNP.

Accommodation, Entertainment & Leisure Facilities

Complementing Cavite's wide variety of tourists attractions are prominent and world-class hotels and resorts, training institutions, and other tourism establishments such as health clubs and spas, tourist inns and apartelles which ease stress as experienced by visitors who come from the busy streets of Manila and the neighboring towns and provinces. Visitors are captivated by the beauty of Tagaytay City, the highest point of the province which is famous for its Taal Volcano view, the smallest active volcano in the world. Moreover, a legion of accommodation facilities offered in the coastal towns and the historic Corregidor Island are also best suited to particular preferences of guests belonging to different market segments.

Hotels

1. Island Cove Hotel & Leisure Park - Binakayan, Kawit
2. Kartini Hotel - Centennial Rd, Gahak, Kawit
3. Mount Sea Resort & Hotel & Restaurant – Rosario
4. Pendulum Hotel – Zapote I, Bacoor
5. Casa Verde – Bayan Luma, City of Imus
6. Hotel de Gloria – Langkaan I, City of Dasmariñas
7. Manila Southwoods Manor – Southwoods Ave., Carmona
8. CMK Prince Hotel – By-pass Rd., Biga, Silang
9. Green Papaya Hotel – Lalaan I, Silang
10. La Freva Hotel – Silang Crossing East, Silang

11. Phil Oasis Hotel & Resort - Biluso, Silang
12. Villa Luz Hotel & Resort – Biga I, By-pass, Silang
13. Vinna Hotel & Restaurant – Sabutan-Kaong Rd., Silang
14. Chateau Hestia (Bed & Breakfast) – Bukal, Silang
15. La Traviesa Hotel & Resort – Buenavista II, General Trias
16. Tanza Oasis Hotel & Resort – Capipisa East, Tanza
17. Alfonso Hotel Farm – Royal Tagaytay Estate, Alfonso
18. Aroma Hotel - San Jose, Tagaytay City
19. Camp Benjamin – Taywanak Ilaya, Alfonso
20. Skyview Hotel & Conference Center – Nasugbu Tourism H-way, Alfonso
21. Sunrise Holiday Mansion – Royal Tagaytay Estate, Alfonso
22. Sunrise Hotel – Royal Tagaytay Estate, Alfonso
23. Hill Creek Garden – Tagaytay-Alfonso Rd, Alfonso
24. Andanita Taj of Tagaytay – Laurel Metro Tagaytay
25. Bali Village Hotel Resort – Kaybagal South, Tagaytay City
26. Casa de Carlo – Crossing Mendez West, Tagaytay City
27. Casa Marcosa Bed & Breakfast – San Francisco, Tagaytay City
28. Character Hotel – Kaybagal South, Tagaytay City
29. Crisantas Bed & Breakfast – Tagaytay City
30. Country Chateau Bread & Breakfast – Maharlika West, Tagaytay
31. Crosswinds Resort Hotel – Mahogany Rd., Tagaytay City
32. Days Hotel – Silang Crossing, Tagaytay City
33. Discovery Country Suites – San Jose, Tagaytay City
34. Dolores Hotel – Kaybagal South, Tagaytay City
35. Emiramona Garden Hotel - Maitim II East, Tagaytay City
36. La Bella Tagaytay – Maglabe Drive, Tagaytay City
37. Lake Garden Hotel - Sungay East, Tagaytay City
38. Lee Boutique Hotel - San Jose, Tagaytay City

Inn/Apartelles/Pension

1. Corregidor Inn – Corregidor Island, Cavite City
2. Destiny Drive-Inn Hotel - Tirona Hi-way, Habay I, City of Bacoor
3. Fedulum Hotel - Zapote Rd, Zapote II, City of Bacoor
4. Madiblue Hotel - Maligaya St., Dulong Bayan, City of Bacoor
5. Arina Royale Motel & Restaurant - Panapaan IV, City of Bacoor
6. Marjas Hotel - Dulong Bayan, City of Bacoor
7. Mariche Apartelle - Molino V, City of Bacoor
8. Chula Vista Inn - Aguinaldo Hi-way, Salitran, City of Dasmariñas
9. Quatro Pasos Resort And Inn - Aguinaldo Highway, Dasmariñas, Cavite (In Front Of Waltermart Dasmariñas)

10. Apink Paradise Apartelle - Golden City, 4114, City of Dasmariñas
11. Asiatel INN - #2 Governor's Drive, Asiatel INN Compound, Carmona
12. Monti Lodge - Carmona, Cavite
13. D-Zone Backpackers Inn - Aguinaldo Highway, Buho, Silang, Cavite
14. Microtel Inn & Suites - Javalera, Gen. Trias
15. Mc Mountain Home Apartelle - Km 68.9 Tagaytay-Nasugbu Highway, Buck Estate, Alfonso
16. Hostel Tropicana - Cavite State University - Cvsu Indang, Indang
17. Sabang Apartelle - Governor's Drive, Brgy. Sabang, Naic
18. Amora's Home - Kaykulot Rd. Sungay East, Tagaytay City
19. Angel's View Apartelle - Mendez Crossing West, Tagaytay City
20. Aroma Apartelle - San Jose, Tagaytay City
21. Balai Taal - Sungay West, Tagaytay City
22. Binayaran Hotel - Mendez Crossing East, Tagaytay City
23. Blessed Genesis Tourist Inn - Tagaytay Crossing West, Tagaytay
24. Brookline - Kaybagal South, Tagaytay City
25. Casa Blanca - Maharlika East, Tagaytay City
26. Casa Marcosa - Francisco, Tagaytay City
27. Inn At Cliffhouse Tagaytay - Maharlika East, Tagaytay City
28. Citta Vivere Suites - Sta. Rosa Road, Santa Rosa - Tagaytay Road
29. Cool Breeze Hotel - Maharlika East, Tagaytay City
30. Country Sampler - Mendez Crossing East, Tagaytay City
31. Conventry Hotel - Sungay East, Tagaytay City
32. Crisantas Inn - Neogan, Tagaytay City
33. Discoverycountry Suites - San Jose, Tagaytay City
34. Dorm 21 - Olivarez Plaza, Tagaytay City
35. Elpaso Inn - Brgy. Francisco, Sta. Rosa Road, Tagaytay
36. Four C Apartelle - Mahogany Ave., Tagaytay City
37. Jessar Apartelle - 213 Tagaytay Sta. Rosa Rd. Brgy. Francisco
38. Lazea Tagaytay Inn - Tolentino East, 4120 Tagaytay City
39. Le Freva - Silang Crossing West, Tagaytay
40. Monalisa Tourist Inn - Brgy. Francisco
41. One Monical Place - Tagaytay Country Homes
42. Overlook Inn
43. Rehm Inn - Brgy. Francisco
44. Radiant Star Apartelle - Silang Crossing West Tagaytay
45. Royal Taal Inn - Iruhin Central
46. S Lodge - Brgy. Asisan, Tagaytay
47. Sierra Traveller's Inn - Mendez Crossing East
48. Starflower Tourist Lodge - Km 62 Mendez Crossing West
49. Street Apartelle - Kaybagal South

50. Summer Terraces Corp.
51. Tagaytay Econo Inn - Hollywood Subdivision, Tagaytay City, Cavite
52. Tagaytay Mar-A-Lago Pension - Iruhin Central
53. The Inn At Cliffhouse Tagaytay - Km. 58 Aguinaldo Hi-Way, Tagaytay City
54. T-House - Brgy. Sungay West
55. Tirona Hotel - Silang Crossing
56. Traveller's Inn - Mendez Crossing East
57. View Park - Sungay East
58. Viewpoint Inn - Neogan
59. Villa Concordia - Guinhawa South
60. Windy Ridge Hotel - San Jose

Training Centers and Convention Areas

1. Tagaytay International Convention Center - Kaybagal South, Tagaytay
2. International Institute for Rural Reconstruction (IIRR) Training Center - Biga, Silang
3. Iglesia Evangelica Unida de Cristo (UNIDA) Center - Biga, Silang
4. Don Filemon Rodriguez Training Center (PHINMA) Training Center - Iruhin West, Tagaytay City
5. Center for Ecozoic Living & Learning (CELL), Tagaytay City
6. Development Academy of the Philippines, Sungay east, Tagaytay
7. Angel Hills, Maitim II East, Tagaytay City
8. Brahma Kumaris, Magallanes Drive, Silang Crossing, Tagaytay City
9. Canossa House of Spirituality, Aguinaldo H-way, Tagaytay City
10. Poveda House of Spirituality, Poveda Drive, Tagaytay City
11. GSP, Sungay East, Tagaytay City
12. Philippine Judicial Academy, Silang Crossing, Tagaytay City
13. PNRC, Kaybagal South, Tagaytay City
14. Sokka Gakai International, Sungay West, Tagaytay City
15. Tagaytay Country **Hotel & Convention Center**, Olivarez Plaza, Tagaytay City

Health Spa and Wellness

1. Nurture Tropical Spa & Café - Maitim West, Tagaytay City
2. Sonya's Secret Garden - Buck Estate, Alfonso
3. Tagaytay Dacha - Iruhin West, Tagaytay City
4. Le Petit Paradis Medical Spa & Resort - Sungay West, Tagaytay
5. La Costa Spa - Olivarez Plaza, Tagaytay City

6. Discovery Country Suites Luxury Spa – San Jose, Tagaytay City
7. Banahaw Heals Spa – with several branches all over Cavite
8. Bali Village Spa – Tagaytay City
9. Island Spa – Island Cove Resort & Leisure Park, Kawit
10. Kamuno Spa & Massage – Batong Dalig, Kawit
11. Linden Spa – Gahak, Kawi
12. Balai Relax Spa – Carmona
13. Olabe Spa Massage & Theraphy –Indang & Trece Martires City
14. Casa de Carlo – Crossing Mendez, Tagaytay City
15. The Spa & Lodge – Highlands, Tagaytay City
16. T House Spa – Calamba Road, Tagaytay City
17. Touch Point Spa – Foggy Heights, San Jose, Tagaytay City
18. Asmaras Spa (Ylang-Ylang Spa) – Taal Vista Hotel, Tagaytay City

Restaurants

1. Asiao Grill And Restaurant - 318 P. Burgos St. Cavite
2. Asiong's Carinderia & Café - 712 P. Paterno St. Caridad, Cavite City
3. Aurora's Snacks And Steakhouse - P. Burgos Ave Loro, Cavite City
4. Café Antix - P. Burgos Ave., Cavite City.
5. Che- Foo - 945 Padre Burgos St. Cavite City
6. Doña Felisa - 557 P. Burgose Ave. Caridad, Cavite City
7. Flames To Go Grill - P. Burgos Ave., Cavite City, Cavite
8. Lago De Dalahican - Msp Petron Gasoline Station, Dalahican, Cavite
9. Ozzy Cozzy - 1076 Nr. Cabuco St., Lapu-Lapu Caridad, Cavite City
10. Patio- Encarnation - Cavite City
11. Samala Kitchen Delights And Restaurant - Padre Pio Cavite City
12. Santis Café And Restaurants - 52 Aguinaldo Highway Buho, Cavite
13. Cedz - Gahak, Kawit Cavite
14. Esterobina - Binakayan Kawit Cavite
15. Hidden Tapsi - Wakas, Kawit Cavite
16. Pelican Bleu - Binakayan Kawit, Cavite
17. Steak House Countryside - Binakayan Kawit, Cavite
18. Sueno Sips & Bites Café - 118 Del Rosario St. Kawit, Cavite
19. Leslie's Forest Garden Restaurant Inc. - Epza Diversion Road, Noveleta, Cavite
20. Malen's (Fine Dining) - Noveleta, Cavite
21. Chibugan - 172 Marseilla, Rosario, Cavite
22. Servando's Restaurant - Km. 30 Gen. Trias Drive Rosario, Cavite
23. Angel Blossoms Bar And Restaurants - Niog 1, Bacoor
24. Bessie's Restaurant - 195 Molino 2, Bacoor
25. Bialetti Café - Revilla Business Park, Aguinaldo, H-Way Bacoor, Cavite
26. Bobby Velasco's Café De Malate – Bacoor
27. Buona Vita Restorante Italiano - Greenborough Bldg. Verdana Vill. Cntr. Bacoor, Cavite
28. Casa Iberica -Green Borough Bldg. Daang Hari Road, Verdana Bacoor
29. Dcmv - Dulong Bayan, Bacoor Cavite
30. Digman's Special Halo-Halo - 82 Rumilo St. Brgy. Digman, Bacoor
31. Hidden Tapsi - Dulong Bayan, Bacoor
32. Kainan Sa Balsa - Evangelista Street Banalo, Bacoor
33. Men At Work Grill - Cuevasville Commercial Bldg., Daang Hari Rd, Bacoor, Cavite
34. Ming's Garden - Sm City Bacoor
35. Kreuters German Cuisine -7065 Gen Tirona Highway, Bacoor, Cavite
36. The Paradiso Terrestre - Molino Highway, Bacoor
37. Water Village Restaurant -Aguinaldo Hi-Way Panapaan Bacoor
38. Aling Tonya's Seafood Restaurant - Imus, Cavite
39. Café Marcello Bar And Resto - 123 Gen. E. Topacio St., 4103 Imus
40. Chefboy Logro Restaurant - Imus, Cavite
41. Bacolod Chicken House Express - Governors Drive, Dasmariñas
42. David's Hot Pot & Tea Hauz - Aguinaldo Hi-Way, Dasmariñas
43. Friomix Restaurant - Congressional Restaurant Dasmariñas
44. Giligan's Restaurant - Governor's Drive Pala-Pala, Dasmariñas
45. Glaemssall Enterprise Wine Cellar - Dasmariñas, Cavite
46. Hap Chan Restaurant - Dasmariñas, Cavite
47. Jardin De Dasmariñas Resort And Restaurant - Sabang, Dasmariñas City
48. Max's Restaurant - General Emilio Aguinaldo Highway Dasmariñas
49. Mi Ga Restaurant - Pala-Pala, Dasmariñas Cavite
50. Rsm Lutong Bahay - Sampaloc Iii Dasmariñas, Cavite
51. Pizza Hut - Brgy. Zone Iv Dasmariñas Cavite
52. Popay Grill - Mangubat Ave. Dasmariñas Cavite
53. Seferino's Shabu-Shabu - 2nd Level Robinsons Dasmariñas
54. Max's Restaurant - Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo Highway Dasmariñas
55. Le Garden Hongkong Seafood Restaurant - Governor's Drive (Paseo De Carmona)
56. Sac-I Sizzling Hauz
57. Rsm Lutong Bahay
58. Mbalinsasayaw (Fine Dining) - Aguinaldo Hi-Way Via Pass Silang
59. Chef Babylyn's Kumedor Home Of Asian Cuisine - Aguinaldo Highway, Biga 1, Silang, Cavite
60. Café Amadeo (Coffee Shop) - Lalaan, Silang, Cavite

61. Caffe' Sant' Antonio (Coffee Shop) - Km. 51.8 Aguinaldo Hi-Way Lalaan 2 Silang, Cavite
62. Gourmet Café - Km. 52 Lalaan 2nd Silang Cavite
63. Santis Deli Delicatessen - Kilo 62 Buho Silang, Cavite
64. The Domaine Restaurant - Patindig Araw Street, Purok 1, Malabag, Silang, Tagaytay City
65. The Dining Room - Km 52, Aguinaldo, Lalaan Ii, Silang
66. ming's Garden Restaurant - Brgy. Pasong Langka Silang, Cavite
67. Chateau Hestia Garden Restaurant - Purok 5, Brgy. Bukal, Silang
68. Calle Real Restaurant & Catering - Sta. Cruz, Tanza
69. Towns Delight – Tanza
70. Chicboy - Gen. Trias, Cavite
71. King Bee Restaurants - Gen. Trias, Cavite
72. Lolo Claro's Restaurant - Governor's Drive San Agustin Pob. Trece Martinez City
73. Cavite Republic - San Agustin, Trece Martires City
74. Marcia Adams Restaurant - J.P.Rizal St, Brgy Sikat, 4123 Alfonso
75. Lime And Basil Thai Restaurant - 9014 J. Rizal St., Brgy. Sikat, Alfonso, Cavite
76. Sonya's Bed & Breakfast Inc. - Buck Estate, Alfonso Cavite
77. Flowers And Bees - Location: Elmia Bldg. San Gregorio St., Poblacion I, Indang
78. A Taste Of Heaven Food House - Neogan, Tagaytay City
79. Amaroma Ristorante Italiano Inc. - Tolentino East, Tagaytay City
80. Andanita Taj Of Tagaytay - 5059 Aguinaldo Highway Laurel, Metro-Tagaytay, Tagaytay City
81. Ano? Bar & Grill - Sungay West, Tagaytay City, Cavite
82. Antonio's Farm & Restaurant - Neogan Tagaytay City, Cavite
83. Antonio's Grill - Silang Crossing West, Tagaytay City
84. Army Navy Burger Inc. - Maharlika, Tagaytay City, Cavite
85. Avengoza's Asian Fusion Restaurant - Maharlika East, Tagaytay City, Cavite
86. Bacolod Chicken Inasal - Level 2 Summit Ridge Tagaytay City, Cavite
87. Bag Of Beans - Mendez Road, Tagaytay City
88. Barrio Fiesta (Panama) - Silang, Crossing Cavite
89. Balbakuwa - Tagaytay City, Cavite
90. Bali Seafood Paluto - Tagaytay City
91. Bo's Coffee Club - Vista Point, Tagaytay City, Cavite
92. Buon Giorno Café And Bistro - Maharlika East, Tagaytay City
93. Bulalo Point - Vista Point, Tagaytay City, Cavite
94. C2 Classic Cuisine Inc. - Summit Ridge Complex, Tagaytay City
95. Casa Marcosa Bed And Breakfast - Francisco Rd., Brgy. Francisco Tagaytay City, Tagaytay City
96. Café Breton - Cliffhouse, Tagaytay City, Cavite
97. Carlos Pizza Restaurant - Silang Crossing West, Tagaytay City
98. Casa De Carlo - Las Bisas De Tagaytay Crossing Mendez West, Tagaytay City
99. Celina's Restaurant - 5915 Aguinaldo Highway, Barangay Kaybagal, 4120 Tagaytay, Tagaytay
100. Chandlers Restaurant - Neogan, Tagaytay City, Cavite
101. Chf Donatello - Pagcor Casino Tagaytay
102. Chicboy - 168 Aguinaldo Hi-Way Silang Crossing Tagaytay
103. Chine Bar & Restaurant - Tagaytay City, Cavite
104. Cliffhouse - Maharlika, Tagaytay City, Cavite
105. Craving Food Services - Summit Ridge Hotel, Aguinaldo Hi—Way
106. Cravings Food Services Inc. - Summit Ridge Complex, Tagaytay City
107. Crisanta Of Tagaytay Inn & Restaurant – 163 Aguinaldo
108. Emillins Cuisine (Shabu-Shabu) - Hillcrest Plaza Aguinaldo Hi-Way Tagaytay City
109. Coventry Hotel - Tagaytay City
110. Colossian Gardens - Location: Neogan, Tagaytay
111. D' Banquet - Location: Aguinaldo Highway, Cor. Arnoulduz Road Maitim 2nd East, Tagaytay
112. Eway's Grill - Aguinaldo H-way, Crossing Mendez East Tagaytay City
113. Filbert's Food Giligan's Resto - Summit Ridge Robinson Place Maharlika West, Tagaytay City
114. Firelake Grill - Maharlika East, Tagaytay City
115. Gemma's Kitchen And Pasalubong - Sta.Rosa Road Barangay San Francisco, Tagaytay City
116. Gerry's Grill - Maharlika West, Tagaytay City
117. Green Ats Bulalohan Restaurant - Aguinaldo H-Way Brgy. Sambong, Tagaytay City
118. Hap Chan Tea House - Crossing Silang Junction, Grandview Complex, Tagaytay City, Cavite
119. Hawaiian Barbeque Grill - 45 Aguinaldo H- Way Crossing Silang East, Tagaytay City
120. Joaquins Bed & Breakfast, Tagaytay City
121. John Peter Bed & Breakfast - 52 Aguinaldo Hi-Way, Crossing Mendez East, Tagaytay City
122. Josephine Restaurant (Fine Dining) - Km. 58 Maharlika East Tagaytay City
123. Jt Manukan Grill & Resto - Kaybagal South, Aguinaldo Highway, Tagaytay City

124. Kon Tiki Bar And Restaurant - Silang Crossing West, Tagaytay City
125. Kubo-Kubo Restaurant - Kaybagal South, Tagaytay
126. La Trobada Restaurant - Aguinaldo Hi- Way Mendez Crossing, Tagaytay City
127. Le Bistro Coffee Shop - Pagcor Casino Tagaytay
128. Lee Botique - Tagaytay Calamba Road, San Jose Tagaytay City
129. Leslie's Restaurant (Fine Dining) - Silang Crossing East, Tagaytay City
130. Mano's Greek Tavern - Tagaytay - Calamba Road | San Jose, Tagaytay, Luzon, Philippines
131. Max's Restaurant - 4120 Maharlika East Tagaytay City
132. Memory Lane - Magallanes Drive, Tagaytay City
133. Mile Hi Diner - Silang Crossing West, Tagaytay City
134. Moon Garden - Svd Road, Brgy. San Jose Tagaytay
135. Morlaix Inc. Café Breton - Cliff House Maharlika East, Tagaytay City
136. Mushroom Burger (Fast Food) - Kaybagal South, Tagaytay City
137. Pamana Restaurant (Fine Dining)- 1315 Aguinaldo Hi-Way Crossing Silang East, Tagaytay City
138. Pancake House Inc. - One Destination 168 Aguinaldo H-Way Silang , Junction, Tagaytay City
139. Platoo Coffee Shop - Cliff House General Emilio Aguinaldo H-Way, Tagaytay City
140. Pasta Romanza - Aguinaldo Highway, Robinson's Summit Ridge Promenade, Tagaytay City, Cavite
141. Puritan Services Inc. Resto - Casino Filipino Building Aguinaldo H- Way South, Tagaytay City
142. Restaurant Verbená - Discovery Country Suites, 300 Calamba Rd Tagaytay City,
143. Rsm Seafoods Garden (Fine Dining) - Tagaytay City
144. Sanctuary - Sta. Rosa Road Brgy. San Jose, Tagaytay City, Cavite
145. Station 15 Restobar - Maharlika West, Tagaytay City
146. Summer Breeze Restaurant Inc. - Silang Junction North Road, Tagaytay
147. T-House - Sungay West, Tagaytay City
148. Taaleña Restaurant (Fine Dining) - Casa Taal Km 54 Silang Crossing West, Tagaytay City
149. Taj Of Tagaytay - National Road After Tagaytay Zoo (Residence Inn), Tagaytay City
150. Ted's Oldtimer Lapaz Batchoy - Summit Ridge Robinsons Maharlika West, Tagaytay City
151. The British Bulldog Pizza Pub And Sports Bar - 5950 Aguinaldo Highway Tagaytay

152. The Boutique Bed And Breakfast - 45 Aguinaldo Hi - Way Crossing Silang East, Tagaytay City
153. Tootsie's Tagaytay Restaurant - Silang Crossing West, Tagaytay
154. Top Hotel Spa & Restaurant - Tagaytay City, Cavite
155. Tower Ground Bulalohan - Brgy. Sambong Tagaytay City
156. Wat Chang Tea House - Aguinaldo Highway, Across Olivarez Plaza, Tagaytay City
157. W&W Foods Corp. - Kaybagal South, Tagaytay City
158. Vanilla Suites - 52 Emilio Aguinaldo Highway, Tagaytay
159. Viewsite Restaurant (Fine Dining) - Tagaytay City
160. View Point Inn And Restaurant - Km 64 National Hi-Way, Brgy. Niyogan, Tagaytay City
161. Villa Ibarra Bed Breakfast & Banquet - 130 Gen E. Aguinaldo H-Way, Brgy. Maharlika East, Tagaytay City

Golf Courses

For golf enthusiasts, Cavite has internationally-known golf courses which are becoming the favorite sports hubs of the Asians

1. Eagle Ridge Residential and Golf Estate – Located at Javalera. Gen. Trias with an area of 304.386 hectares. It features a 72-hole Championship Golf Course with generous fairways and bent grass greens. A natural pinelands look is maintained throughout the course presenting breathtaking views and bluffs to complete the visual imagery.
2. Manila Southwoods Residential Estate Golf and Country Club - Manila Southwoods is a 480 hectares land located at the CALABARZON area of Barangay Cabilang Baybay, Carmona, Cavite. It is approximately 34 kilometers south of Metro Manila via the South Expressway.

The club features two 18-hole golf courses - east course - the Masters, and the Legends. Both are designed for world-class tournament championship play.

The Manila Southwoods Golf and Country Club is designed to be the consummate golf and leisure experience, an environmentally responsible haven for enjoyment with a world-class reputation for service excellence, a pride and inspiration of the Filipino Nation.

3. Orchard Golf and Country Club - Nestled in what used to be mango orchard in historic Cavite, 27 kilometers Southwest of Manila, are two world-class, and 18-hole championship courses designed by two golf legends: Arnolde Palmer and Gary Player.

The Palmer Course was the venue for the 1995 Johnnie Walker Classic and the 1996 Johnnie Walker Super Tour, participated in by the likes of Ernie Els, Vijay Singh, Freddie Couples, Greg Norman, Nick Faldo, and many others from the PGA.

The Player Course was the venue of the 1997 Tour Qualifying School of the Asian PGA. The 280 hectares Orchard which is located in Salawag, City of Dasmariñas has been designated as a bird and wildlife sanctuary with its teeming foliage and various species of birds

4. Puerto Azul Golf and Country Club – With the development of tourism golf, Puerto Azul Golf and Country Club is one of the early developments. It is one of the early championship golf courses in the country with an area of 100 hectares located in Ternate, Cavite.

A regular par-71 layout, it is famous for its scenic courses having a combination of mountain and sea. Its signature hole is the famous 17 which is delineated by one of the deepest water hazards in Philippine Golf, the China Sea.

5. Riviera Golf Course and Country Club - The Riviera Golf Club, Inc. is an exciting concept unparalleled in the Philippines for its vision to be among Asia's most outstanding golf courses. This 18 holes golf club with an area of 102.9 hectares is destined to be a golf Mecca and at the same time providing the ultimate in comfort and elegance.

Found amidst the breathtaking landscape of cool Silang, Cavite, The Riviera Golf Club, Inc. is the ideal course for all ages and skills. The courses promise to be friendly to beginners as well as challenging for the more skilled players. It is also combined with residential amenities and facilities for the whole family fully integrated into a resort lifestyle.

6. Royale Tagaytay Country Club - It's the ambience that counts. Royale Tagaytay is first and foremost a country club and the nine-hole layout is but part of a larger leisure complex that has facilities for other sports like basketball, tennis, badminton, swimming, bowling and table tennis.

Located in Buck Estate, Alfonso, Cavite with an area of 93 hectares, it is self-described as garden golf course. The flowers and plants create a relaxing atmosphere that complements a course with a total yardage of only 3,079. There are two par-4s and they can be easily reached with a long accurate pop off the tee. You needn't worry about teeing off at dusk on Royale Tagaytay, it is the only lighted golf course outside of Manila, so you can enjoy Tagaytay's cool golfing weather even at night.

7. Sherwood Hills Residential Estate and Golf And Country Club – Sherwood Hills is located in Governor's Drive, Trece Martires City with an area of 308.62 hectares. It is a Jack Nicklaus signature course with wide fairways and good size greens. All 18 holes are fully exposed to the players. The wind dictates the difficulty of the course which could result in 3 to 4 club difference.
8. Tagaytay Highlands International Golf Club/Tagaytay Midland – Situated in Barangay Sungay Tagaytay City amidst a dense forest 1,000 feet above Taal Lake, Both 18 holes, Tagaytay Highlands & Tagaytay Midlands Golf Club boasts of a championship golf course with a picture-perfect view of the Taal Lake and volcano.

Leisure/Recreational/Relaxation Facilities

Paradizoo, Mendez

Paradizoo offers a variety of educational, outdoor and group outing programs for nature, flower and animal lovers. With its cool, invigorant climate, the farm is an ideal venue for learning about the sources of man's food supply and how they are inter-related. They breed and take care of different animals and nurture various trees, vegetables and flowers since the town has the appropriate climate for growth and productivity. The place is a theme destination dedicated to all children for pleasure, learning and healthy living. It is located on 10 hectares of rolling terrain along a quiet stream which offers a unique relaxing farm and garden experience.

The place is full of rich gardens and animals. Some of those animals are roaming free to your delight, others are behind their fences. A visit to Paradizoo, the theme park cum farm zoo, is always a feast to the senses. The climate is cold, and nature appears at its untainted best—with both flora and fauna co-existing in harmony in this agri-tourism enclave. That's not all. If you are an agriculture enthusiast, there are a million and one things to discover in Paradizoo. There are activities to interact with a llama, camels, miniature horses, ostriches, Greyhound and Labrador dogs. You can also ride a cart drawn by an Albino carabao.

At Pet Me Home, guests may buy cute and cuddly animals such as rabbits, hamsters and lovebirds. See and buy Dorper sheep (black head, white head or Dalmatian color combinations), Boer, Kalahari and Saanen dairy goat, Russa spotted deer and turkey from Australia which are also available for sale. Plant Me Home features potted herbs, strawberries, flowers and vegetable plants for purchase. Guests may also select and pick vegetables from the garden plots to take home.

For adults, there are the Bromeliad and Orchid Pavilions which are close to each other, the Pavilions are events-oriented, as they can house up to 150 people for picnics and family outings, weddings and birthdays, school celebrations, team building seminars and practical anything that has to do with outdoor fun. Nearby is a meditative area, so very Zen, with its central focus, the Infinity Pool of Positivism. Ducks splash in the water and with the breeze gently blowing, the quiet only broken by animal sounds and children laughing, it is an area conducive to meditation and contemplative and inspirational workshops.

Paradizoo actively promotes healthy living. With the large space for vegetation, guests are informed and encouraged to practice organic farming. Some of the sharing and learning that Paradizoo offers under the Agritech project is known as clean vegetable farming practices were seedling techniques, plant nutrition, cultural management, and irrigation and water management. Almost all of the animals in Paradizoo are for sale. Same goes for the vegetable harvest. Honeybees and honey-pineapple vinegars are also being merchandised.

Residence Inn Zoo, Tagaytay City

Kiddie amusement parks and discovery center, this place may not be in the immediate vicinity of the south, we do have something much better wide open spaces where kids can run wild and free with clean, fresh air to boot. There is always the satisfaction of knowing you will be surrounded by blue skies and green grass which trumps noisy mall arcades. Just an hour's drive from Manila through the South Luzon Expressway, one can enjoy a stunning view of Taal Volcano from the view deck rooms. The showcase of exotic animals, birds and serpents at the Mini Zoo never fails to surprise and amuse guests. The Mini Zoo has Serpentarium, Birds Aviary, Honey Bee Farm, Bonsai Garden, Game Room, Activity Area, Playground, Souvenir Shops and Food Kiosks. There's an amazing Magic and Pantomime show during weekends and holidays.

There is the very popular fast-paced zip for the adventurer's adrenaline fix, then a slower paced ride at the cable car for the nature wanderer. Taal's pristine landscape is simply a breathtaking view from the zip.

A great place is never complete without great food. The restaurant serves up deliciously unique dining experiences with menus featuring fresh, local ingredients from growers and artisan food producers from Paradizoo Farm.

Aside from home-grown specialty dishes, Residence Inn's restaurant offers stunning sunsets overlooking Taal Lake.

Residence Inn provides rooms for overnight accommodation. It also offers an ideal venue for planning sessions, conferences, and seminars. Each function room can accommodate a maximum of twenty five (25) delegates. Each delegate is assured of a memorable experience uniquely captured by Residence Inn's great combination of location, accommodation, customer service, and variety of amusement facilities.

Animal Island Mini Zoo, Island Cove, Kawit

An actual working farm, where one can discover a multitude of flora and fauna. The Animal Island has one of the most notable and largest zoos in Cavite. It is

home to different species of reptiles, mammals, and birds. Have a chance to feed crocodiles, monkeys, and come face to face with ostriches, Bengal tigers, deer, bear cats, and rabbits. Take a leisurely stroll along pathways lined with fragrant, colorful flowers inside the Butterfly Farm. Regular visitors get to see how the animals are bred and grown from birth to adulthood. Visit the nursery where a variety of greenery are grown and sold. Learn how to sow and reap your favorite plant. Take them home and start a nursery of your own. Attractions include a Butterfly Farm, a Crocodile Farm and Monkey Island, and a Petting Zoo.

Ponderosa Leisure Farm, Silang

Ponderosa Leisure Farms is a 53-hectare residential flower garden community located in Silang, Cavite, collaboration between the 20-year-old Ponderosa Farms and developer Landco Pacific Corporation. The second Leisure Farms development, it is another "first of its kind" - a garden community with residential resort features in the country.

Adorned in rustic Mexican Spanish beauty, features and amenities include the soon-to-rise Villa Ponderosa Clubhouse, El Refugio Meditation Garden, Campo Verde Campsite, the Las Rosas outdoor dining restaurant, and the Plaza Maravilla with its flower produce market, and food and retail stores. The Leisure Farm features round-the-clock security as well as Maintenance and Care Services for hassle-free gardening.

The village is divided into a 1,000 sq.m. lots, on gently rolling terrain with cool Tagaytay weather. Just one hour from Makati, the project is a gem of a location, featuring 2 different access routes: through Tagaytay proper, or from the Sta. Rosa Exit, via the South Superhighway.

San Lazaro Leisure Park, Carmona

San Lazaro Leisure Park is the first "racing" facility in Asia. It is a 77-hectare (190 acres) prime property located in Carmona, Cavite, about 36 kilometers south of Metro Manila. The facility is managed by the Manila Jockey Club Inc.

The casino area is situated at the fourth floor of the grandstand and is managed by Casino Filipino. The casino offers a splendid view of the sprawling racetrack, which can be compared to the best racing facilities in the world today.

Canyon Ranch (San Lazaro Leisure Park), Carmona

Canyon Ranch is the only first-class, private residential community in the Philippines that is ideally complimented with exceptional terrain, location and climate. It is situated in the most prime location in Carmona, Cavite, and is part of the sprawling 77-hectare San Lazaro Leisure Park. Its high elevation provides stunning views of landmark surroundings.

Perched on the foothills of Carmona Cavite and built 10 storeys above ground, Canyon Ranch is part of the San Lazaro Leisure Park. This master-planned community is spread out over 17 hectares of pristine land and offers spectacular views of Laguna de Bay, Antipolo, Mount Makiling and the world-class Manila Jockey Club. Just 25 minutes from Makati via South Luzon Expressway and conveniently close to everything – schools, shopping malls, sports and recreation facilities.

The elevation of Canyon Ranch affords crisp, fresh air and cool breezes. Canyon Ranch is only one degree warmer than Tagaytay. At Canyon Ranch, we create lasting memories in a community that works, functions and interacts like family. It's a place to grow up, live, raise a family, and grow old – all in a distinctive warmth and charm like no other.

Carmona Kart Racing Circuit, Carmona

Situated in Carmona, this Kart racing venue hosts international racing competitions from countries like Malaysia, Indonesia and Thailand. During races families troupe the venue who wish to experience adventure and excitement. Race are scheduled but everybody can visit the place anytime as racing karts are available for rent and try outs.

Showbiz celebrities are sighted here who are enthusiasts of this activity.

Para Gliding Site, Carmona

Situated in Brgy Lantic, Carmona, Cavite in an open field. Philippine Paragliding Association discovered this place very ideal for paragliding. Season starts as soon as "hangin Amihan" comes during the last week of October and ends early April.

The flight will take about 15 minutes on air gliding along the areas of Carmona and the South Expressway where one can experience the adrenalin rush. Still unknown to many but others who have tried highly recommends to try.

Gratchi's Getaway

Gratchi's Farm is a 6-hectare stretch of natural landscape conveniently located near Tagaytay area, five minutes away from Tagaytay-Calamba Road. Blessed with a wide range of natural features and refreshingly cool breeze of fresh mountain air, this farm resort is the perfect venue for events, conferences, seminars, team-building activities, educational tours, workshops or simply for leisure, relaxation and wellness. The place man-made features allow visitors to take full advantage of its clean, green environment.

A Bulwagan is a pavilion surrounded by 360 degrees view of nature for parties, events, seminars and conferences. There is also a large infinity pool which has two cascading waterfalls where guests can cool off anytime. A High Rope Challenge is also available where you can test your nerves with 10 challenges in the sky. Safety helmets and harness included along with trained guides. There is also a Talon, Takbo, Gulong which is an obstacle course for team building activities with a great view of People's Park. It consists of 11 challenges including the crowd favorite the mudslide. Guests can also try the ATV/Bike Trail – ride the extreme All-Terrain Vehicle through their jungle trail.

Camp Benjamin, Alfonso

Camp Benjamin or CB as all fondly call it is situated in Barangay Taywanak, Alfonso. The place started with the dream of a man, yes, named Benjamin. He envisioned a highly secured place where the soul of men can be restored and trained towards godliness and service – a learning facility at its core and a place of rest for the battle weary. The man Benjamin died praying and saving money for the facility but never saw it built.

There were the initial seeds of Camp Benjamin but it took the courage and passion of the next generation after them to see what Camp Benjamin is today – a 4.7 hectare multi-purpose facility with an adjacent 8 hectares integrated natural farm. While many are gifted with vision and insight, it took a youthful bunch of people yearning for the redemption of this country to make the dream come true. Driven by their passion to see the youth lead this country towards its God-given promise and salvation – wellness to the body, emotion and spirit – they moved their feet and hands, mind and spirit, families and friends, and all they literally and figuratively have to bring glory to God and hope for this nation. Camp Benjamin is a hotel, resort, convention center, campsite/team building haven, integrated farm and eco-tourism facility in one. It is a center for wellness and transformation, a learning and rejuvenation facility at its core. They use all

the facilities described and coupled with well trained and service oriented staff that restlessly drive to understand their clients' challenges so they can offer the most appropriate program to meet their individual needs.

The Coffee Farm House, Alfonso

The Coffee Farm House is a farm and garden located on the peaceful outskirts of Tagaytay in Palumlum-Matagbak Road, Palumlum, Alfonso. A serene setting of coffee trees and flowering plants creates the perfect ambiance for relaxing stay. Whether you wish to discover the charm of a country lifestyle or treat your family and friends to a homelike atmosphere, or hold a seminar in a more intimate setting. The Coffee Farmhouse will let you experience a refreshingly new way to have a vacation.

The farmhouse has three residences decorated with tasteful rustic furnishings and designed to give you the country experience. You will appreciate the small details that all together create a cozy setting in our residences. There are a total of eight rooms with different room configurations and sleeping capacities. The Liberica Main House has two rooms, which are ideal for seven people each. The Robusta Duplex has two adjoining units with each unit ideal for two persons. For larger groups, we recommend the Excelsa Guest House which has four rooms, each having a sleeping capacity of ten persons. All the rooms are naturally ventilated and have their own toilet and bath with water-heaters.

It has several recreational facilities that cover a wide range of interests like swimming, scooters, basketball, bicycles, volleyball, darts, board games, table tennis, badminton, billiards, camping, swings & hammocks and gazebo bonfire sites.

The Coffee Farm House is a family farm that prides itself for its quality coffee harvest. As you are guided through the private orchard, you will certainly enjoy its unique country lifestyle. As birds chirp overheard, you will walk through rows of evergreen coffee trees and savor the fragrance of white coffee flowers and the beauty of ripe berries. The tour is as much a sensory journey as an educational one.

Tagaytay Picnic Grove, Tagaytay City

Sightseeing and having picnics are the most popular activities to do when in Tagaytay. People troop to Tagaytay usually on weekends to take a break from

their workloads. Many go to the Tagaytay Picnic Grove with their family and friends to get together and have a picnic, and enjoy the picturesque and marvelous view of Taal Lake and Taal Volcano. This activity is not too costly and very affordable, entrance fee is just Php25 and cottages range from Php100 – 250 depending on the size of the cottage. Visitors can bring their own food and just rent a cottage or picnic table inside. A barbeque place is also provided near the cottages for people who would want to grill their foods. A restaurant and other food stands are available inside the premises for people who would not want to bring their own food. The Tagaytay Picnic Grove is also a popular destination among lovers because of the scenic view of the Taal Volcano and the coastal towns of Batangas and of course the fresh mountain breeze.

Aside from sightseeing and picnics, the Tagaytay Picnic Grove also offers very affordable horseback riding activities both for kids and adults. There are available personnel to assist kids and adults who are not skillful in horseback riding. There are many horses available for this activity that will fit every guest's need, skill and even body built.

An eco-adventure trail is also available for nature lovers inside the premises of Tagaytay Picnic Grove. The Philippine Tourism Authority has developed part of the complex to promote ecological conservation and environmental preservation. This 404-meter Eco-Adventure trail provides a very good view of the Taal Volcano, numerous plants and butterflies, and at the end is a view deck. Located at the midway of the trail is the hanging bridge. Tagaytay City is no longer just a place of rest and relaxation. These days, Tagaytay City is also a place of excitement and thrill. People seeking some adrenaline rush now troop to Tagaytay City to try the city's newest craze...The Zipline and Cable Car Rides.

There is also the Tagaytay Ridge Zipline and Cable Car located inside the Picnic Grove. It is a thrilling ride experience of soaring up to 300 feet above ground in an approximately 60km/hr speed on a zipline course of 250 meters long with the scenic Taal Lake and Volcano as backdrop. It is a chance to experience how it is to fly and live out childhood fantasies of being Superman even for just about 20-30 seconds. Pictures taking while enjoying the ride for a minimal fee can also be enjoyed. Rides are open from 9am to 6pm every day.

People's Park in the Sky, Tagaytay City

The Palace in the Sky was to be a presidential mansion and guest house of former Philippine president Ferdinand Marcos and former first lady Imelda

Marcos. It was not completed because the Marcoses were overthrown in 1986 as a result of the people's power revolution.

It was since then converted into a park and as a testament to the Marcos regime extravagant ways. It has been opened to the public and is now also known as People's Park in the Sky. It would be nice however if the government will enhance this place as opposed to leaving it to rot as it is because the park has so much potential than just being a vista point.

The park is an excellent vista point at over 2100 feet above sea level with a 360 degrees view of its surroundings. To its north is the Manila Bay, to the east is Laguna de Bay, to the west is the South China Sea, and to its south is the picturesque Taal Lake and Taal Volcano. On a clear day, all of these can be viewed from the park and it has an excellent vantage for photographers. The air seems to be cool even during the hot summer months so the Palace in the Sky is also a good place to relax and cool down. It would be best to be there during a clear sunny day to have the best views of its surroundings. It is the second most visited place in Tagaytay City in the Philippine Islands behind Picnic Grove and it also has a vantage view of the Tagaytay Highlands, Taal Lake, and Taal Volcano.

Casino Filipino – Tagaytay City

One of the most popular casinos in the Philippines located in Tagaytay City. It is situated in front of Taal Vista Hotel and just beside McDonald's. People from different places try their luck in this place when they are in Tagaytay City, still others would specifically head to Tagaytay City to play in this place. Aside from the many casino games offered in Casino Filipino Tagaytay like baccarat, super six, poker, roulette, and slot machine among other games this place also offers its guests a lot of entertainment and places of fine dining. The place also holds special events like concerts of local and foreign artists and charities. One will not miss the impressive Casino-Filipino in Tagaytay as its structure has a very large colorful crown that travelers can easily be seen when traveling on the roads of Tagaytay. In front of the main lobby there is a beautifully landscaped small garden with a charming wishing well. People would love to throw a few coins with their wishes on this well for good luck before trying out their luck inside the casino. Still others would just like to have their picture taken in this beautiful place.

Sky Ranch, Tagaytay City

Sky Ranch is a leisure park that is envisioned to be one of the definitive Tagaytay experiences for local and foreign tourist alike. Rise within a prime 5-hectare property beside the Taal Vista Hotel along Aguinaldo Highway in Tagaytay. It is a complete day destination for families and groups of friends. It will offer activities such as horseback riding and Mini-amusement Park for kids. A varied selection of restaurant will provide dining with prime views of the famed Taal volcano.

Additionally, a spacious 2,000 sq. m. - plus events tent will serve as a venue for rent for various events such as conferences, exhibits, concerts, expos, and even for social gatherings such as parties and reception.

Ample paid parking spaces will be provided for visitors and guests. Dining can also be arranged at the numerous gazebos located along the ridge. Most importantly, with the park's proximity to the Taal Vista Hotel, visitors to Sky Ranch can enjoy an unhurried leisure experience by opting to stay the night at the hotel.

Balay Indang, Indang

Balay Indang is a quiet and secluded bed and breakfast inn as well as a regular retreat house inconspicuously located in Indang, Cavite. The best way to get there is to follow the Tagaytay route, straight thru the town of Mendez and into Indang. Most people will miss it as there are no signs outside the gate except for the numbers 88.

Balay Indang.... is Ilokano for Bahay.... and is a calm, quiet and relaxing resort.... this vast area... had 17 rooms in around 4 different cottages.... there were trees and flowers and green everywhere. The place is like a garden in a farm with several small houses prepared across a hectare of lot. There are several cavañas and cottages within pockets of garden as well as a swimming pool with a recreation or yoga area.

The rooms are spacious – some with air conditioning while others have ceiling fans. You won't be needing them anyway as it is always chilly there and the breeze just creeps right thru the window. An old and rustic design with Bali and Chinese influence completes the entire package.

Hacienda Isabella, Indang

You want to pay good money for a nice place. But somehow every other resort feels too generic, same old cabanas, same old bungalows. As if it would hurt to have just a little more uniqueness and style.

You need to feel refreshed and recharged after, not tired out and exhausted.

You've realized that taking a break is as much a need of the spirit as it is of the body. It isn't about running away and spending all your money and burning out. It's about coming home to a place that allows you and your family to be the best people you can all be, in a place where true luxury is that of choice.

Hacienda Isabella... the possibilities are endless...

Dream weddings, power team buildings, intimate parties, fabulous events and enchanting moments.

The Nusa Dua Farm Estate, Tanza

This fertile 200-hectare residential farm features Balinese-inspired homes with expansive living spaces, as well as a backyard farms where you can nurture your own produce. At Nusa Dua, you can enjoy the comforts of home and the pleasures of hobby farming. The farm estate will have a Balinese theme, thus the name Nusa Dua". The word "Nusa Dua" means "authentic paradise" or "beautiful place".

Recharge by plugging into the potency of the earth. Indulge in the joys of hobby farming at Nusa Dua. Fertile fields, warm sunshine and fresh air promise an unforgettable experience in enriching the soul and fostering family ties.

Farming at Nusa Dua is for everybody; a relaxing and enjoyable activity for kids and adults alike. There are experts ready to teach you all the things you need to know about farming, with tools and equipment within your reach. Practically everything flourishes here – vegetables, fruit-bearing trees, herbs and spices – even flowers and ornamental plants. Nusa Dua definitely brims with endless possibilities of working the soil, from horticulture to aquaculture and other farming endeavors.

Experience the thrill of seeing your backyard harvest going directly to your dining table. Embrace a new lifestyle, a new enterprise, your second wind... all in this thriving farm community called Nusa Dua.

The Puzzle Mansion, Tagaytay City

Nestled in the Tagaytay hills is a well-kept secret - a bed and breakfast with a special magnetic attraction: the biggest collection of rare and popular puzzles of a wide range of sizes, genres, sources, subject matter and art forms.

Spread over more than one-hectare of property, this new tourist destination in Tagaytay also has a 400 square meter function room that can accommodate 400 guests, an infinity pool, 24 hour cafe, cable TV, wifi hot spot for net activity and massage area. All these are set against a scenic backdrop of grass and a colorful riot of wildflowers growing in abundance. And of course there is the cool, kind weather of Tagaytay.

Gourmet Farms

Gourmet Farms, Inc. has proven to be one of the premier suppliers to leading supermarket, hotels and restaurants.

Today, GFI's coffee roasting and tea packaging facilities as well as its test kitchen operates in the midst of 11 hectares of lush farmland that is dominated by the windmill which brings water collected in its pond to irrigate the vegetable and herb plots.

A half hectare of landscaped gardens was carved out for "The Sanctuary," a favorite venue for spiritual or executive corporate retreats. Up to 20 people can sleep comfortably in the 10-room guesthouse that is fronted by a duck pond, and triangulates with a conference center for 30 people and a chapel for 50. Open-air pavilions and gazebos complete the complex structures that is otherwise surrounded by the park of lushly manicured flowering plants and trees.

A short walk away is The Dining Room, a white pillar less room perfect for indoor receptions, or the Al Fresco and Upper Gardens, perfect for outdoor receptions.

And what used to be the "old log cabin" is now a Country Store and coffee cafe - perfect for finding a perfect cup of coffee...as well as popular GFI products like its signature lettuce chips or variety of bottled salad dressings. A vast selection of salad greens, food snacks, fresh fruits, potted plants, baked goods and fine gifts for kitchen, home or garden are also offered.

Sonya's Garden

Time was when rumors of a secret garden tucked in the gentle rolling hills of Tagaytay inevitably sneaked into conversations of Manila's inner circle on what is new and exotic. Stories were told in awe and delight about a flower garden planted in "organized chaos" yet soothingly pleasing to the eye, as if choreographed with artistic perfection. And then there is the simple yet incredibly filling country cuisine with fresh and organically grown ingredients from the garden, served in fine tableware that complements the idyllic setting. Then there is Sonya herself with her memories of growing up in her grandmother's country garden in the Philippines, her life as an expat in Europe and the US, and her dreams of carving out a place in the country where she can live her philosophy on "the art of doing nothing".

Table 6.60. Department of Tourism (DOT) Accredited Tourism Establishments, Province of Cavite

Entity Name	Address	Classification	E-mail Address	Tel/Fax Number	Gen. Manager
HOTELS					
Tall Vista Hotel	Km 60 Gen. E. Aguinaldo H-way, Tagaytay City	First Class 261 Rooms	susana.magpantay@taalvistahotel.com	(046) 484-5703	Mr. Walid Wafik
Discovery Country Suites	300 Clamba Rd., Brgy. San Jose, Tagaytay City	Standard 7 Rooms	Dayala@discovery.com.ph	(046)413-45-67	Mr. David Rene Pardo Ayala
Hotel Kimberly	Amadeo Rd., Brgy., San Jose, Tagaytay City	Standard 52 Rooms	cherry.resurreccion@hotelkimberly.com	(046) 483-8888	Ms. Natalie Ng
RESORT					
Circle Island Resort	Molino 3, City of Bacoor	Class "A"	reservations.circleisland@yahoo.com	(046)485-4514	
Water Camp at Josephine Resort	Josephine Village, Panamitan, Kawit	Class "A"	info@watercampresort.com	(046) 413-1000	Mr. Potenciano Punzalan
RESTAURANTS					
Taaleña Restaurant	Km. 24, Silang Crossing West, Aguinaldo H-way, Tagaytay City	400 Seats	taalenaresto@yahoo.com.ph	046-413-2519	Ms. Lilia Galicia
Santis Delicatessen	Km 52 Aguinaldo H-way, Tagaytay City		wic@werdenberg.com	(049)414-1694	
MEDICAL TOURISM					
Nurture Spa	7310 Pulong Sagingan, Brgy. Maitim II West, Tagaytay City	Spa	info@nurture.com.ph	(000) 584-4228	Ms. Catherine B. Palma
TRAINING CENTER					
Philippine Japan Hilot Assn.	2F Beehive I Bldg., Pakistan St., Ph II, Sarreal Village, Bucandala, City of Imus	Tourism Training Center	rgcomon@piha-hilot.com	(046) 686-2348	Mr. Rolando Comon
Development Academy of the Philippines Conference Center	Sungay East, Tagaytay City	Tourism Training Center	patayanw@dap.edu.ph	(0460) 483-1290	Ms. Ermarie Mondejar
SPORTS AND RECREATIONAL CENTER					
San Lazaro Leisure Park	Governor's Drive, Carmona		sanlazaroleisurepark@manilajockey.com	(02)844-8344	
TOUR GUIDE					
Benedicto, May	Blk. 12., Lot 15, Sta Fe, City of Dasmariñas	Tour Guide Japanese	havana_ko@yahoo.com	(046) 416-3992	
Medel, Baytan	289 Marulas, Kawit	Tour Guide English	mmedel@gmail.com	(46) 434- 2880	
Atienza, Rolando B.	St. John Valley Subd., Payapa Galicia 3, Mendez		Rolando_atienza2010@yahoo.com	(0918)738-7512	
Caritativo, Pearl Joy	31 Aquino St., Ph 4A, Brgy. Pinagbuklod, City of Imus		pearl.caritativo@gmail.com	(046)477-0359	
Higa, Takashi	181 Gen. Trias Dr., Poblacion, Rosario		akitoaliza@gmail.com	(046)438-1791	
TOURIST TRANSPORT OPERATOR					
Garfield Tourist Transport Corp.	Blk 6 Lot 9, Southern City Subd. Ilo-ilo St., City of Imus	TTO 8 cars & 6 vans	garfieldtransport@yahoo.com	(046) 471-7731	Ms. Ma. Aurora Mendoza
TOUR OPERATORS					
Aerovil Travel and Tours	Gf New City Hub Habay I, Tirona H-way, City of Bacoor		Aerovil_travel10@yahoo.com	(046)489-6858	
E-MC One Tours Co., Ltd.	Unit 120 Maraudi Bldg., Niog 2, Aguinaldo H-way, City of Bacoor		e.mc1tours@yahoo.com	(046)484-8971	
East Avian Travel and Tours	3 rd Floor FRC Supermall Palico IV, Aguinaldo H0way, City of Imus		marketing@awntravel.com	(046)970-1073	

Entity Name	Address	Classification	E-mail Address	Tel/Fax Number	Gen. Manager
LTF Travel and Tours	B1L1, Kalayaan St. Kalayaan Homes, Molino 2, City of Bacoor	Tour Operator Local/Inbound Tour	lfftravels@yahoo.com	(046) 477-3979	Ms. Ma. Theresa Fernando
A Whole New World Travel Express	Blk 9 Lot 6, Perpetual Vill 8, City of Bacoor	Travel & Tour Agency Local/Inbound Tour	marketing@awnwtravel.com	(046) 9701073	Ms. Liezl Joya
APD Travel & Tours Services	SM Center Molino, Unit 17, Service Lane Molino IV, City of Bacoor	Travel & Tour Agency Local/Inbound Tour	apdtravel8@yahoo.com	(046) 489-6287	Ms. Amie Demapindan

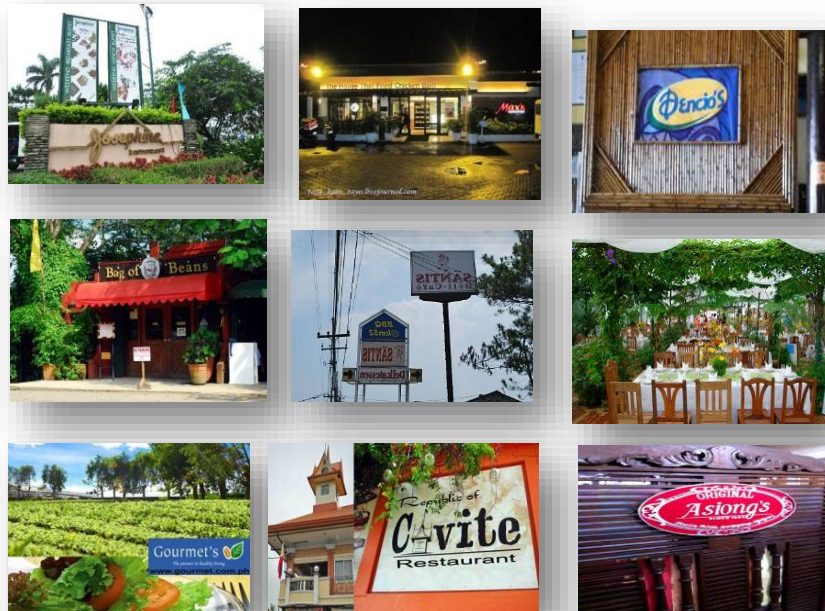
Source: Department of Tourism, Manila

Countryside Tourism

With the advent of the Metro Tagaytay Program, it is envisioned that there will be significant tourism development programs on the way. The Caviteños' warm affection, hospitality, diligence and persistent determination to keep and enhance the countryside landscapes thru multi-crop and selected farming technologies have earned a high recognition for the upland area of Cavite to be an excellent place for "home stay program" which is categorically a component of "Countryside Tourism." This program poses a very high potential to augment the tourism industry in Cavite. Under this program, visitors are given an opportunity to get a vigorous and enthusiastic stay in the countryside during an agreed short period of stay where farm owners serve as hosts and guides as they willingly share their homes and their farm skills with the visitors. Under the local government unit's Adopt-A-Farm Project, Coffee farms in Amadeo have become perfect tourist destinations for coffee lovers and interested farmers and researchers. Flower and vegetable farms along the windy slopes of Tagaytay Ridge, and in the fertile soils of Alfonso and Silang, where an impressive variety of flowers bloom and crisp green, plum tomatoes and other vegetables are plenty, have also been identified and recognized by the Department of Tourism as good stop-over points and home stay areas.

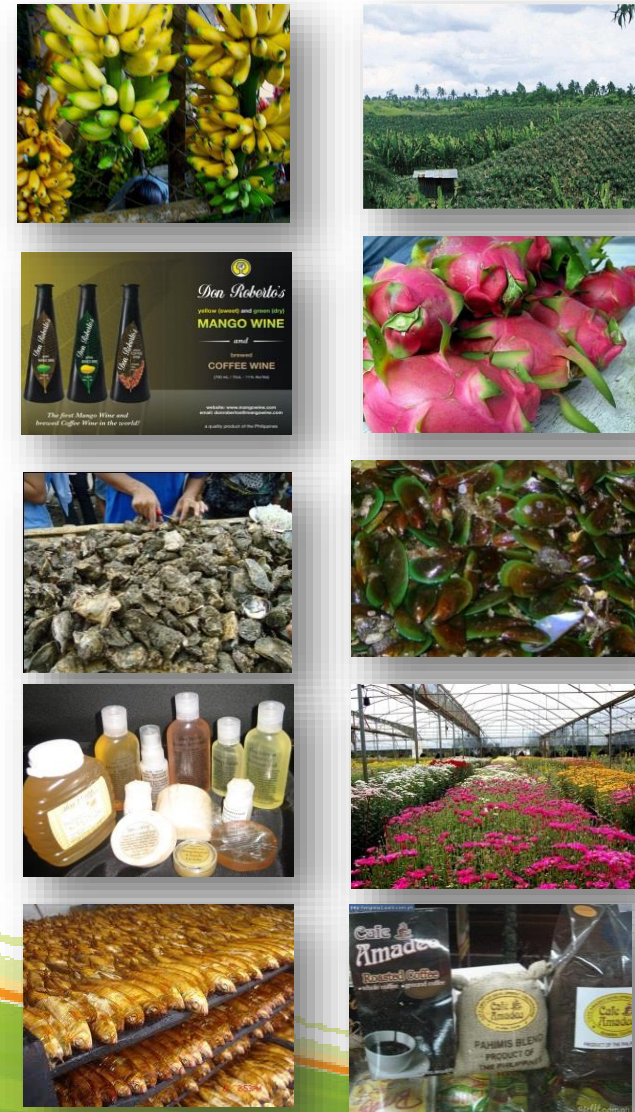
Best Buy Souvenir Items and Home Grown Products

Cavite's home-grown products and native delicacies perfectly complete the guests' visit in the province. Along their exciting travel, lots of grand restaurants and simple eating houses which offer flavorful dishes and delicacies can fully catch everybody's sense of taste. They can dine at Mushroom Burger House, Josephine's Restaurant, Max's Restaurant, Dencio's, Santi's Deli, Viewsite, Bag of Beans and in other food chains along Tagaytay Ridge. Meanwhile, visitors especially vegetarians, prefer to take the delicious, fresh salads and other dishes made with ingredients straight from the backyard farms at Gourmet Café in Silang and Sonya's Garden in Alfonso. There are also restaurants running on the coastal towns which serve fresh and hearty seaside fares. For people who want to experience Vietnamese cuisines, BAWAIS Restaurant is the place to visit which offers authentic Vietnamese food and other varieties. To experience Europe, try visiting Chateau Hestia just 20 meters away from Bawais, a must try is their wide array of sausages, wines and delectable pizza. Another experience to try is the taste of authentic Cavite dishes that one can find in Asiong's Restaurant, Cavite Republic, Malen's and much more eating places that serve those mouthwatering dishes. There are also fine dining restaurants that can cater to the needs of high end markets such as Antonio's, Massimo's, Cliffhouse Inn.



Along the major roads of the province are stands selling varieties of local fruits, greenhouse flowers and organically-grown vegetables. Home decors, native bags and other handcrafted products are also sold in shops in the major thoroughfares. Meanwhile, health and beauty products made from honey bee pollen and other honeybee products are readily available at Ilog Maria Honeybee Farms in Silang. The seaside towns also catch the likings of sea-food lovers for their live oysters (talaba), mud crab (alimango), mussels and smoked fish (tinapa). For those busy hands, Cavite offers pottery-making in Silang, experience the hands on the wheel to make your own handcrafted pots, cups, vases, wind chimes, and ceramic décor that will truly amaze everyone. Cruising along Governor's drive down to the municipality of Carmona, one will find the big producer of handmade and machine made bolo owned and maintained by the Hebron Brothers. A wide variety will pop out of your eyes once you visited the store. Produced products are distributed all over the country as far as Nueva Ecija and Bicol to name a few.

Finally Cavite's unique blend of coffee, mango wine, vinegar, virgin coconut oil and dragon fruits, which are currently processed to produce health products, can genuinely hook the taste of visitors giving them full of life and spirits as they jaunt around the province.



And if you are visiting Tagaytay, one should not expect any shopping mall like Robinson's or SM anywhere within the city because there's none. Tourists mostly flock here due to the cold and crisp climate which is only an hour and a half away from the bustling Metro Manila. Although, shopping malls are almost non-existent in Tagaytay, it cannot be said that shopping here is not pleasurable. Most of the goodies that can be found here are consumables like;

1. Fruits and Vegetables - Along the highway within the main Tagaytay, a short line of fruit and vegetable vendors can be seen where you can get fresh fruits and vegetables at a reasonable price. Tagaytay fruits and vegetables are known to be really fresh because of the cold climate in the city which further enhances the feature and flavor of the fruits and vegetables. Feel free to stop by along the way to get some pineapples, bananas, mangoes, guyabanos and other fresh commodities, either to bring home with you or munch along the way.



2. Buco Tarts, Buco Pies and assorted pastries - Tagaytay has two popular places to get these yummy goodies: Rowena's and Amira's Buco Tart Haus. Both pastry shops sell delicious and fresh, homemade buco pies and tarts which are made from real coconut flesh slices. Aside from buco, their pies and tarts also come in other variants like pineapple, ube, mango, apple and the ube yummy egg tarts. You can also buy individual tarts which costs around 25php each or 180php for a box of 8. Take-away goodies like boat tarts, tamarind preserves and assorted biscuits can also be found within these two establishments. A definite must-visit place especially if you have a sweet tooth.



3. Good Shepherd Convent Ube Jam Originally from Baguio City, the ube jam from Good Shepherd Convent which is made by the nuns from Tagaytay is also a popular must-buy. Although they say that the original ones from Baguio is still the best, the ones from Tagaytay is also equally delicious and well-known especially to locals who's craving for



an ube jam without heading for a grueling 5-7 hour trip going to Baguio. Quality is assured in each bottle of ube jam as they are made really fresh and uncapped upon purchase. The nuns from the store will explain to you when can you seal the bottles.

4. Pink Sisters' Angel Cookies - Angel cookies are delicious cookies which literally melts in your mouth and the nuns from the Pink Sisters Convent in Tagaytay are an expert in making these. For those who frequently visit Tagaytay or to first-timers, this is a favorite must-buy. Aside from the fact that you can enjoy this tasty treats, buying cookies from the Pink Sisters will also contribute in helping the maintenance of the convent.



5. Samala Rice Cakes has the original and pinipig variants. It's made of glutinous rice, sugar and coconut milk. The "gata" [coco milk] is flavorful enough you can distinctively taste, yummy and mouthwatering, although too sweet for your fairy tooth, the pinipig relish makes you munch and chew for more you even forget.



6. Jacobina - In the 1940s after the Second World War. Noceda Bakery was founded by Paterno Noceda. He set up a small bakery within his house in Mendez, Cavite and began baking delicious bread. In 1947, he discovered the square biscuits and named it JACOBINA®. It has become the best-selling biscuit of Noceda Bakery.

