

## **Xian, Xian, careful, careful**

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Hindi na bago na tuwing sumisikat ang isang artista, kasama na rin ang chismis na lumalaki ang ulo nito. Gano'n ang usap-usapan lately about Xian Lim, among showbiz insiders. Balita ko lumalaki na ang ulo ng handsome young star, a very gwapong "ulo" at that. Anyway, sabi-sabi na ayaw na raw itong kunin ng ibang writers, because of his attitude problem. I hope this isn't true but if it is, sana'y maging careful si Xian, we all know na walang magandang patutunguhan ang paglaki ng ulo ng mga artista. Dahil kahit you're at the very height of your fame today, it doesn't mean that you'll still be there tomorrow.

Maraming artistang gwapo at may talent pero bibihira lang ang artistang tunay na humble.

Let's hope Xian realizes this before it's too late.

### **Sisterly squabble**

I must admit nagulat ako when I learned na ang magkapatid na sina Ara Mina and Crisitne Reyes ay magkagalit. Ayon kay Ara, maraming masakit na salita ang binitiwang kanyang kapatid. It's not yet clear what the cause of this quarrel is pero sana maayos na nila ang kung ano man ito.

I know Ara is very sweet and understanding pero lahat ng tao ay may limit din. Let's hope that whatever it is, maayos ng dalawa at mangibabaw ang sisterly love above all. Dahil after all, marami tayong kaibigan but our siblings are irreplaceable. Blood is thicker than water. Let's hope it's stronger than pride.

### **Bagong Binibini**

I want to extend my warmest to our newest Miss Universe-Philippines Janine Tugonon (who was also last year's 1st runner up). The second time proved to be a charm for the 22-year-old Janine who hails from Balanga, Bataan.

The title of Bb. Pilipinas-International was given to Nicole Schmitz who was a semi-finalist in 2007.

The Bb. Pilipinas-Tourism crown went to Katrina Jayne Dimaranan.

1st and 2nd runners-up were Elaine Kay Moll and Annalie Forbes, respectively.

Janine has big shoes to fill, since Shamcey Supsup and Venus Raj both did extremely well in the past two years' Miss Universe pageants. I wish Janine the best of luck.

Go Philippines!