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AATT Supports and Celebrates BATCE Steel Orchestra's Winning Performance and Bandleader Fareid Carvalho's vibrant Kiddies Carnival Band Launch

Airports Authority of Trinidad and Tobago ("the Authority") is deeply thrilled about its corporate sponsorship of the triumphant Bishop Anstey High School East and Trinity College East (BATCE) Steel Orchestra, and the magnificent launch of Bandleader Fareid Carvalho's Kiddies Carnival Band.

The Authority extends warmest congratulations to the BATCE Steel Orchestra on emerging as the National Junior Panorama Champions 2025, with their outstanding rendition of Voice and V'ghn's 'Trinidad Sweet', which was conducted by Jehzara Leebabb and arranged by Jovanni Gibson and Joaquin Headley.

As a dedicated and proud corporate sponsor of this talented team, the Authority celebrates not only their well-deserved victory but also the dedication and perseverance that made this achievement possible.

General Manager of the Authority, Mr. Hayden Newton, remarked,

"We are absolutely honoured to support a school music band that reflects the ideals and values we embody and cherish: ambition, commitment and a winning mind-set. The Authority remains committed to investing in youth development and education."

The Authority also supports the participation of young masqueraders in the Carnival Arts, serving as a corporate sponsor of the most colourful and spectacular Kiddies Carnival Band, Carvalho's "My Magical Garden". This partnership underscores our commitment to youth development, cultural heritage and community celebration. This collaboration ensures the opportunity for the children to display their exuberance, creativity and passion for culture in a fun and safe environment.

"The Authority takes immense pride in fostering community spirit and being a part of engaging youth in the arts and culture while deepening a sense of appreciation of the beauty and tradition of carnival," added General Manager, Mr. Newton.

As part of the Authority's corporate social responsibility programme, the focus is on fostering community engagement, showcasing diversity, preserving cultural heritage and supporting initiatives that promote holistic learning through education and the arts.

In celebrating the remarkable achievements of BATCE Steel Orchestra and Carvalho's Kiddies Carnival Band, the Authority reaffirms its commitment to enriching the lives of young individuals by ensuring they have the opportunities to shine and flourish.

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Cavalho Mas Productions Launches Kiddies Carnival Band titled *My Magical Garden*



Bishop Anstey High School East and Trinity College East Wins National Junior Panorama