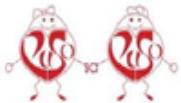


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"Teen Sexuality and Protective Behavior- Payatas Center"

February 7, 2024

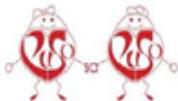
A Learners Formation on "Teen Sexuality and Protective Behavior" took place at the Payatas Center on February 7, 2024. The formation was facilitated by Mr. Michael B. Himor, the Chapter Program Manager of the Family Planning Organization of the Philippines (FPOP), and Sydney Nadarisay, a youth volunteer.

Mr. Himor and Ms. Nadarisay focused on responsible teenage sexuality and the importance of exhibiting protective behavior. This aims to educate and inspire young people to take responsibility for their choices and behavior in relationships and sexuality. It addresses the increasing rates of teenage pregnancy and health issues caused by unhealthy sexual activity.

INSIDE PHOTOS:



Photos taken at Payatas Center



"Teen Sexuality and Protective Behavior- Parola Center"

February 8, 2024

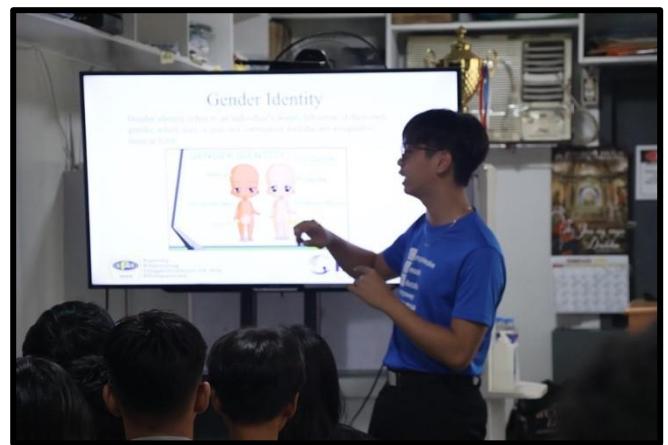
On February 8th, 2024, Puso sa Puso Edukasyon, Inc.'s Parola Center hosted a Feb-ibig celebration as part of the Learners Formation program. The event focused on "Teen Sexuality and Protective Behavior," in celebration of the Month of Love. Our Parola Inter-Agency Network (PIAN)-International Container Terminal Services Inc. (ICTSI) partnered with the Family Planning Organization of the Philippines (FPOP). Mr. Michael B. Himor, the Chapter Program Manager, and Niño Rafael Fajardo, a Youth Volunteer, facilitated the session.

The learners, gained insights from Mr. Himor and Mr. Fajardo about teenage sexuality, relationships, and value clarification within comprehensive sexual education (CSE). Given the increase of adolescent pregnancies and health issues from unsafe sex, "CSE" aims to educate and motivate young people to take responsibility for their sexual and relational choices and behaviors. This knowledge equips them to handle such situations and encourages them to take charge of their lives.

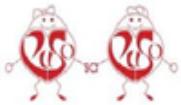
Mr. Fajardo emphasized the purpose of the Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity or Expression (SOGIE) bill, also known as the Anti-Discrimination Bill. It aims to protect individuals who continually face harm from institutions and society. The primary objective is to ensure protection from abuse, violence, and dehumanization. The fight against abuse is not about special treatment, but about being respected as human beings.

At the end of the event, certificates were awarded to Mr. Himor, Mr. Fajardo, and each participant.

INSIDE PHOTOS:



Captured during the event at Parola Center



"Livelihood Program: Housekeeping Skills Training"

February 13, 2024

On February 13, 2024, at St. Catherine Institute of Technology Inc. in Malabon City, eight (8) housekeeping trainees underwent the assessment for the National Certificate (NC2). This skills training was a project undertaken by the Parola Inter-Agency Network (PIAN) in partnership with Puso Sa Puso Edukasyon Inc., and supported by the International Container Terminal Service Inc. (ICTSI). The training was conducted at the Manila Manpower Development Training Center in Tayuman, Manila City.

The initial hardship, stress, and nervousness were replaced by immense joy and gratitude to God for their success in passing the housekeeping assessment. They are now gearing up to undertake 80 hours of on-the-job training and are ready to enter the workforce.

INSIDE PHOTOS:



Photos taken at MMDC Training Center



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BASIC COMPETENCIES

500311105 Participate in workplace communication
500311106 Work in team environment
500311107 Practice career professionalism
500311108 Practice occupational health and safety procedures

Unit Code Unit Title
COMMON COMPETENCIES

TRS311201 Develop and update industry knowledge
TRS311202 Observe workplace hygiene procedures
TRS311203 Perform computer operations
TRS311204 Perform workplace and safety practices
TRS311205 Provide effective customer service

Unit Code Unit Title
CORE COMPETENCIES

TRS5123111 Provide housekeeping services to guests
TRS5123112 Clean and prepare rooms for incoming guests
TRS5123113 Provide valet/butler service
TRS5123114 Laundry linen and guest clothes
TRS5123115 Clean public areas, facilities and equipment
TRS512312 Deal with/Handle intoxicated guests



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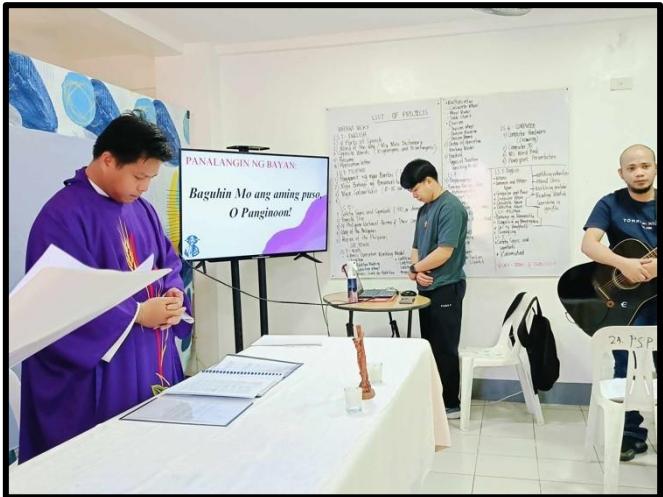
"Ash Wednesday"

February 14, 2024

On February 14, 2024, Ash Wednesday, a Mass was held at the Payatas Center- Puso Sa Puso Edukasyon, Inc. This was attended by the ALSA BUHAY learners, parents, scholars, neighbors, and Puso Sa Puso Staff. Rev. Fr. Cristopher B. Osares, SDS, the Assistant Director of PSPEI, was the main celebrant. The choir was led by the two Salvatorian Brothers, Bro. Laurence Leaban and Bro. Richard Eugenio.

In his homily, Fr. Cris highlighted the significance of Ash Wednesday, explaining that it marks the beginning of the Lenten period leading up to Easter.

INSIDE PHOTOS:



Captured during and after the Mass at Payatas Center.



"Safer Internet Day Celebration 2024"

February 14, 2024

In a significant effort to promote online safety, two dedicated Learning Facilitators from Puso Sa Puso Edukasyon Inc., Mr. Errol F. Rodel and Mr. John Mark Acuin, actively participated in the Safer Internet Day Celebration 2024. This event was organized by the National Coordination Center against Online Sexual Abuse or Exploitation of Children and Child Sexual Abuse or Exploitation Materials (NCC-OSAEC-CSAEM), in collaboration with Plan International Pilipinas.

The event was held on February 14, 2024, at the SMX MOA Convention Center in Pasay City, Philippines. The theme "OSAEC at CSAEM ating sugpuin, implementasyon ng R.A. 11930 sama-samang patatagin!" This theme highlights the collective effort to raise public awareness about Republic Act No. 11930, also known as the Anti-Online Sexual Abuse and Exploitation of Children (OSAEC) and Anti-Child Sexual Abuse or Exploitation Materials (CSAEM) Act. The implementation of this legislation, along with its rules and regulations, plays a crucial role in creating a safer digital environment. The participation of Mr. Rodel and Mr. Acuin in this event demonstrates their commitment to championing online safety and protecting children from exploitation. By actively engaging in the Safer Internet Day Celebration 2024, they contribute significantly to the broader mission of creating a secure and responsible online space for everyone. Through these collective efforts, the implementation of R.A. 11930 becomes a shared responsibility, ensuring a safer and more secure digital landscape for future generations.

INSIDE PHOTOS:



Photos taken at SMX MOA Convention Center in Pasay City



"Career Orientation and Mock Interview"

February 22, 2024

Education goes beyond the confines of a classroom, particularly for adult learners aiming to improve their skills and secure meaningful employment. Recently, ALSA BUHAY learners had the chance to explore different career paths and improve their interview skills in an event organized by Puso Sa Puso Edukasyon Inc. The event, supported by Parola Inter-Agency Network (PIAN) and International Container Terminal Services Inc. (ICTSI), included a morning session on career guidance and an afternoon session on practice interviews.

In the morning session, Ms. Ma. Jocelyn D. Andres and Mr. Miguel F. Calina from the Manila Manpower Development Center (MMDC) shared useful insights on skills training, preparing learners for success. Following this, the representatives from the School Division Office Manila and P. Guevarra Elementary School, Ms. Wendella B. Tabio and Mr. Eljohn Isagunde, explained the different senior high school strands and guided learners on how to apply for vouchers. Their expertise helped the learners in their decisions which academic paths to take. The morning session ended with an engaging presentation by Ms. Glenna Paraan from Plan International Pilipinas, focusing on employability skills. From creating effective resumes to mastering interview manners, Ms. Paraan's advice provided learners with a clear strategy for confidently navigating the job market.

The event concluded with sincere gratitude expressed towards the guest speakers, who were recognized with certificates for their invaluable contributions.

In the afternoon, ALSA BUHAY learners participated in practice interviews led by Ms. Andrea Bannie A. Corpuz and Ms. Ashlee Jane D. Talusig, Human Resources practitioners from ICTSI. Through these simulated activity, learners are challenged to improve their communication skills, polish their interview techniques, and received feedback from industry experts.

INSIDE PHOTOS:







Captured during and after the Event at ECJ Building.



PUSO SA PUSO EDUKASYON, INC.
ALSA BUHAY PROGRAM



"Puso Sa Puso Edukasyon Inc. Participates in Enfants Du Mekong Career Guidance Orientation Day 2024"

February 24, 2024

On February 24, 2024, Puso Sa Puso Edukasyon Inc. took part in the Career Guidance Orientation Day hosted by the Enfants Du Mekong community in Matandang Balara, Quezon City. This was attended by Virgilio Perreras. The event took place at the Laura, Villa Beatriz Kaligtasan, and Samonte.

The program was designed to give young scholars insights into various careers and offer guidance. Workshops and discussions on a variety of career paths were facilitated. Attendees acquired useful advice, knowledge and skills to guide them in their professional journeys in the future.

INSIDE PHOTO:



Photos taken at Laura, Villa Beatriz Kaligtasan, and Samonte.



"District Revalidation - Parola Center"

February 29, 2024

On February 29, 2024, the District Revalidation of Portfolio Checking for batch 13 took place. This all-day event was held at the Puso Sa Puso Parola Center. This was the second phase of the Portfolio checking process. We had a total of 61 successful learners from the Puso Sa Puso-Parola Center pass the District Revalidation check. Of these, forty-one (41) are from Junior High School and twenty (20) are from the Elementary level. The assessment was conducted by our Education Program Specialist II, Ms. Wendella B. Tabio, with the assistance of the Puso Sa Puso Staff: Mr. Darren M. Ilarina, the Learning Facilitator/Assistant Supervisor, Mr. Errol Rodel, Ms. Elijah Echevarria Learning Facilitators and Ms. Lucita Casero, the Livelihood Program Coordinator.

The District Revalidation / Portfolio Checking went well and now awaiting for the schedule of the Final Revalidation to be announced by the Department of Education of Portfolio.

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Captured during the portfolio check at Parola Center