

CAUSE SPEARHEADS COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND DENTAL MISSION IN SITIO BONGCAO, PILI

Naga City – Giving, next to sacrifice, is the highest form of loving. The embodiment of sharing a part of us to someone who is in need makes the act of giving all the more fulfilling and rewarding. It is in this spirit that CASURECO II UNION OF SUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES (CAUSE) chose to make its own personal cause to spread the word of love by immersing itself into the community by way of a medical-dental mission coupled with an outreach program.

CAUSE organized a one day activity aptly titled “GIVE LOVE ON VALENTINE’S DAY,” targeting students of Sitio Bongcao, Curry Pili, Camarines Sur as recipients of the program. Last Feb 13, 2015, in partnership with Camarines Sur II Electric Cooperative, Inc. (CASURECO II), CASURECO II Employees Multipurpose Cooperative (CEMPC), CASURECO II Employees Labor Union (CASEMLU) and private practitioner Dr. Sherene Leah Boucher, CAUSE brought the Valentine’s Day spirit closer to the hearts of 150 pupils (Grades I-VI) of the Bongcao Curry Elementary School by shelling out hygiene kits, used books, manna rice packs, soaps, vitamins and slippers. This activity is also part of the social responsibility of the union in support of the common programs we share with NCMB and DOLE.



Aside from February being touted as the LOVE month, this month is also considered as the Philippine Dental month. In the spirit of such celebration, dentist Dr. Boucher gave free consultation, check-up and

dental services to the pupils and other community members. Aside from these, Dr. Boucher also conducted a simple, yet educational talk on oral hygiene and dental care for the children.

After the distribution of vitamins, rice packs, hygiene kits and books, it was time to protect the feet of the children, many of whom attend school barefooted. It was time to give out slippers. However, before the slippers were distributed, the slippers were arranged to form a big heart symbolizing the BIG LOVE of the sponsors for the children.



Towards the end of the activities, the children were treated to delicious biscuits courtesy of the Atlantic Bakery flushed down with refreshments from CAUSE. The children went home with full stomachs and with happy smiles pasted on their radiant faces.

Present during the love-giving event were members of the CAUSE Executive Board/Board of Advisers headed by its President Joan Sabanal; CAUSE Executive Board headed by Philip Gomez; CASEMLU Operations Manager, Josephine Adaque; Teacher-in-Charge Francia Espina, and Barangay Captain Veronica Tusoc.

CAUSE is the union of supervisors of Camarines Sur II Electric Cooperative, Inc. (CASURECO II). CEMPC – in the business of profits. It is the venture into contracting, lending, retail merchandise and long standing canteen business inside the CASURECO II while CASEMLU or CASURECO II Employees Labor Union is the rank-and-file union.

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