



Environmental Stewardship Up Close and Personal: A Visit to St. Paul College Pasig Eco-Center

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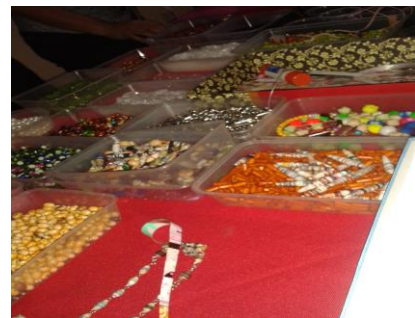
In line with the university and university-system advocacy on Environmental Stewardship, the core group of the Center for Environmental Stewardship (CfES), chaired by Sr. Joseline Lasala, SPC visited the Eco-Center of St. Paul College Pasig (SPCP) on 4 August 2015 for benchmarking.



The tour, given by selected science teachers and personnel directly involved in the center, started with a brief sharing on the history of the SPCP Eco-Center and the seven environmental principles. This was followed by the explanation of how vermin-composting is being implemented in SPCP. Additional information on the technology on the hydroponics and aquaponics, as well as processing and converting the e-wastes into useful products, such as papers, accessories, tiles, and paper charcoal was shared by Sr. Joseline.



The activity was participated in by the chairs and co-chairs of the various committees or their representatives: Dr. Ma. Encarnacion Dychangco and Ms. Abigail Hernandez (Monitoring and Evaluation), Ms. Abigail Valenzuela, Ms. Marlyn Barera, and Mr. Rolly Ajos (Collection and Disposal of Wastes), Ms. Nancy Aguila (Education and Eco-care Formation), Dr. Brian Bantugan and Dr. Arsenio Bignotia (Transformative Research and Innovation).



Aside from the CfES core group, Mr. Oliver Rodriguez, a faculty member of College of Music and the Performing Arts, and level four students of the BS Entrepreneurship program joined the tour. Some maintenance personnel, Mr. Mario Olarbe, Mr. Saturnino Miasco, and Mr. Roberto Manabat (General Services) participated in the activity as well.

The benchmarking activity ended with a visit to the SPCP Directress, Sr. Dedicacion Rosario, SPC. The visit was indeed helpful in making the core team become up-close and personal in their commitment to be stewards of the environment.



The SPU Manila visitors with Sr. Dedicacion Rosario, SPC and Sr. Joseline Lasala, SPC

ALUMNI NEWS

HIGH SCHOOL 1966 GIRD FOR GOLDEN JUBILEE 2016

The members of High School 1966, the Golden Jubilarians in 2016, have been practicing their special number for a couple of months now. Practices are held in the Ballet Room of the College of Music and the Performing Arts, courtesy of Sr. Maria Anunciata, SPC, CMPA Dean.

Photos show the jubilarians practicing their dance from *The Phantom of the Opera*.



Left-the dancers with fans...

Right-the dancers with shawls





Birthday celebrants blow the candles:

L-R: Mina Dilag, Mayda Tankiang, Sr. Ma. Anunciata, and Riqui Hizon

Taking a breather with their dance instructors...



ALUMNI GATHERINGS



**High School 1980
Tapenade, Discovery Primea Hotel
Ayala Avenue, Makati City**

**L-R: Rissa Calica-Gimenez,
Angela Luz, Apple Lazaro-Villadolid,
Vicki Limchayseng-Pastoriza,
and Ida Fernandez-Hontiveros.**

AB-Communication Arts 1987

**with Grace Santiago-Bagalay,
Cecille Lizada-Sadornas, Nadia Pajarillo,
Bernadette Leonardo Suyao,
and Mari Mendoza.**

