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CvSU faculty, staff conduct relief operations

Cavite State University (CvSU) faculty and staff from different colleges and units conducted relief operations to help their communities during this time of pandemic. During the lockdown due to COVID-19, CvSU through the Office of the Vice President for Administrative and Support Services (OVPASS), had been conducting CvSU Research and Extension Lifechanging Initiatives for the Empowerment of Filipinos (RELIEF): Kontra COVID-19 project distributing food packs and medical supplies. Likewise, other campuses and colleges initiated their own relief operations.

Through the "Bayanihan sa MKC: To Heal as One" project led by Engr. Rosalie A. Pelle, head of Supply Office, faculty and employees, namely: Dr. Mary Jane D. Tepora, Dr. Teddy F. Tepora, Ms. Sharon Isip, Mr. Philip Pelle, Ms. Abigail Cruz, Ms. Cora Buena, Ms. Kristine de Leon, Ms. Mayeth Ramos and other residents of Brgy. Mahabang Kahoy Cerca, distributed food packs and hygiene kits sponsored by Prof. Carmen Batiles of the College of Education (CEd), to 100 residents. The said relief distribution started in April 2020 with 45 families as beneficiaries. (continue on page 2)



Repacking relief goods (above) and distributing food packs (below) for Ma. Kahoy Cerca residents





Bayanihan continues with CvSU RELIEF

With Research and Extension Life-Changing Initiatives for the Empowerment of Filipinos (RELIEF), Cavite State University, in partnership with organizations and private individuals, extended assistance to community members affected by measures being undertaken to fight COVID-19.

A total of 118,257 food packs, 4,836 materials as personal protective equipment, and 13,771 supplies for health and sanitation were delivered. In addition, 110 information materials were developed to increase awareness on the relevant processes and concepts necessary for effective community engagement. The increasing anxiety and stress felt by individuals was also addressed through the offering of 16 psychosocial support programs like counselling sessions and

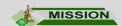
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Mojica wins Best Paper Presenter award

Mark Jayvee Mojica, a CvSU alumnus and now one of the research assistants at the Office of the Vice President for Research and Extension (OVPRE), emerged as the Best Paper Presenter during the De La Salle University - Dasmariñas (DLSU-D) Graduate Seminar 2020 held last May 30 with the theme, "Conducting Online Video Discussion (COVID) Reaching New Heights Through Multi-Disciplinary Studies in Scientific Research and Innovation".

A total of 15 paper presenters from different educational institutions whose researches revolved around human health, food science, and environment competed for the award. Over 40 participants attended, asked questions, and witnessed the paper presentations. Mojica's paper titled, "Geographic Information System-Based on Land Use Mapping and Assessment of Central Hilly Areas of Cavite" identified six major land uses present in Cavite, namely: agricultural, bare land, forested, grassland, residential, industrial. Based on soil characteristics like soil pH and electronic conductivity, the province is still capable in terms of land productivity. It was also observed that the normalized vegetation index (NDVI) of Cavite is still high especially in upland and protected areas. Comparison of the major land uses using environmental and soil parameters also revealed that vegetation affects the temperature of the major land uses. This called for recommendations from the researchers for the province of Cavite to devise a comprehensive land use plan to conserve the natural resources for sustainable development and to thesis advisers, Dr. Beng P. Umali and For. Junser P. incorporate remote sensing for a more accurate result.

This paper was Mojica's and Maowel A. Villanueva's thesis for the BS Environmental Science program in 2015 under the supervision of their Environmental Science, at DLSU-D. (KCFrancisco)



Mr. Mark Jayvee Mojica as he receives his Best Presenter Award

Magpantay.

Mojica is currently taking his degree, Master in

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On May 6, CvSU-Maragondon distributed face shields, baby powder, bath soap, multivitamins, paracetamol syrup and biscuits to 50 children of Brgy. Sta. Mercedes Ville in Maragondon, while 16 Grade 8 students received 1 kilo of hotdogs each from their class adviser, Ms. Florabelle Odette M. Kindergarten and Grades 1 to 3 pupils were recipients of 100 snack packs from faculty and staff of the campus given on May 19.



CvSU Maragondon distributes food packs and hygiene kits to their pupils

CvSU Cavite City distributed to frontliners in Rosario, Noveleta, Tanza and Cavite City 90 food packs donated by faculty members of the Department of Management and Hospitality Management. Cookies prepared by faculty members of Hospitality Management were also given to frontliners stationed at Brgy. 8 and 10 in Cavite City.



CvSU Cavite City shares food packs and energy drinks to frontliners

CvSU Bacoor helps fight COVID-19

In response to the challenges brought about by the COVID-19 pandemic, Cavite State University Bacoor City Campus implemented various initiatives to help individuals, families, and business establishments get through the trying times.

The campus led by its administrator, Ms. Menvyluz S. Macalalad, distributed more than 200 copies of leaflets and laminated *COVID-19: Clean and Disinfect* infographic flyers to nearby establishments including *Alfamart, Divimart Bayanan*, and *678 Wet & Dry Market* on April 8. It also printed flyers for the 2,000 residents of Brgy. Molino 1, Molino 2, and Molino 6 in Bacoor City. Dissemination of the campaign to the public was also made through social media.

Meanwhile, relief packs were given to 17 stranded students and 11 utility and security personnel last April 3. Funds came from donations amounting to P15,800.00. More donations poured in, allowing the campus to provide 12 food packs to residents of Queens Row East.

A free layout/photo editing service was also offered to the 65 members of the Barangay Mambog IV COVID-19 quarantine team for the production of their IDs. Finally, 16 sets of disinfectants were distributed to selected residents in Perpetual Village 6 in Mambog IV.

These were all made possible by a team of dedicated faculty members and staff, spearheaded by its campus administrator, as guided by a common goal: to fight COVID-19 as one and heal as one. (MLDLamanilao)



Leaflet distributed by CvSU Bacoor



CvSU Bacoor staff distributes leaflets and food packs

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The College of Sports, Physical Education and Recreation (CSPEAR) led by Dr. Almon R. Oquendo, college dean, gave food packs to security personnel at the main campus.



Dr. Oquendo of CSPEAR hands over food packs to security personnel

Meanwhile, the Research Center formulated alcohol for disinfection and donated 300 bottles to Indang Rural Health Unit (RHU) for distribution to barangay health centers on May 13. The Center also distributed bottles of alcohol to frontliners stationed at police checkpoints, gas stations, and business establishments in Indang.



Research Center distributes bottled alcohol to frontliners at police checkpoints and BFP

The CvSU Public Affairs and Communication Office (PACO) with its director, Ms. Lady Aileen A. Orsal, donated 100 washable face masks to members of CHESTODA in Brgy. Lapidario, Trece Martires City as drivers prepare for the resumption of transport in the area.



Ms. Orsal of PACO donates face masks

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Faculty and staff of the College of Agriculture, Food, Environment and Natural Resources (CAFENR) processed immuno-boosting *kamias* juices for frontliners of Indang Fire Protection/Rescue Unit, employees of Indang Municipal Health Center, DSWD and 63 barangay officials.

Indeed, in times of crisis like the COVID-19 pandemic, the *bayanihan* spirit of the university administrators, faculty, and staff of CvSU lives on. *(MBEugenio)*





CvSU CAFENR shares immuno-boosting camias juice to frontliners

Bayanihan continues ...

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stress management webinars. Cash donations from partner agencies and individuals amounting to P1,036,401.00 were used to carry out the said activities while a total of P116,196.00 was given as financial assistance to those in need.

Beneficiaries of RELIEF include 695 students, 450 employees, frontliners in 11 hospitals, and a total of 4,903 community members from 35 communities in Cavite.

CvSU RELIEF aims to continue sending assistance to community members until the nation has defeated the spread of the virus. (LAAOrsal)

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