

ICD Centennial Sports Court ICD GK Village

This project will be the last tribute of ICD Philippines to commemorate the 100th year milestone of ICD. The cancellation of the Nagoya, Japan event left us with some funds we were supposed to use for the Centennial Celebration. The original half court for basketball play became a full standard court when we opened to receive donations from the Fellows of Section IX.

The **ICD Centennial Sports Court** will rise beside the ICD GK Multi Purpose Hall. This open court will have the markings for volleyball, badminton and other sports. At the center of the court, the ICD name and logo will be placed to serve as a remembrance of the Centennial birthday of ICD. It will also be provided with the accessories needed for the sports, like the balls, nets, rackets, scoreboard, etc.

This is our way of promoting sports, fitness goals, and an active and healthier lifestyle. This will also directly help the wellness of the body and the mind, not only of the children and teens, but the adults as well. Most of all, this project will also serve as a venue where leaders and teamwork skills are enhanced.

ICD Philippines aims to touch lives and to create a change that can impact the future of an individual.

Dr. Vicky Pangilinan
President, ICD Philippines
Chair, ICD GK Committee

Dr. Sheryl Borja
Chairperson, ICD Centennial Sports Court

ICD GK Christmas Blessings December 2021

It was indeed a blessing to celebrate Christmas with the community members of ICD GK Village. Our Fellows donated gift packages for a family “Noche Buena” treat. It is a Filipino tradition to celebrate Christmas eve with a feast. Each bag contained ham, cheese, ingredients for spaghetti, fruit salad and other canned food products. Hygiene kits and home supplies were also given out to the 20 families in the village. More blessings were showered by the Gonzales family members who were present to give all the children money envelopes and gift packages for the families as well.

It was made complete with the food donated by ICD and the delicious local rice cakes and desserts that the village mothers prepared so lovingly.

To see their smiles was a gift given back to us, ICD Philippines.
It was priceless.
Merry Christmas to our dear ICD Gawad Kalinga family!
We, ICD Philippines will always be here for you.

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ICD GK Committee Project

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Dr. Primo E. Gonzales Multi Purpose Hall

ICD GK Village, Bagac Bataan

The ICD GK Multi Purpose Hall which we named **Dr. Primo E. Gonzales Multi Purpose Hall** is located at the ICD GK Village in Bagac, Bataan.

The MPH is estimated to be 150 sqm with an office space and an ICD Library where we hope to promote reading and education among the children and teens of the community. The hall will be used for events of teaching livelihood projects, seminars, meetings and future activities and missions with the ICD. .Amidst the challenges of the pandemic, the project began in August 2021 when we received news from the Gonzales family that the late Master Fellow Primo Gonzales had left a generous fund to build a multi purpose hall in the ICD Village. After all the difficulties we encountered in this time of the Covid crisis, the project was finally completed and launched with a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony and Blessing last December 13, 2021. It is fortunate that I was able to make the 4 hour trip to Bataan together with my sister, Fellow Fatima Dizon. ICD Gawad Kalinga Village was created during her term in 2007 as President of ICD together with the late Master Life Fellow, Dr. Primo Gonzales. I took over as ICD GK Committee Chairperson in 2015 up until now. ICD Philippines continues to be committed and dedicated to uplift the standard of living of the underprivileged through projects of volunteerism and humanitarian efforts directed to the ICD GK community. This indeed is a dream come true for Section IX.

Note: Please feel free to edit.

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