

R12 BEST PRACTICES IN DEALING WITH **COVID-19** CRISIS (BATCH 7)



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PROVINCE OF SULTAN KUDARAT

Sangguniang Kabataan: *Brgy. Sison, Municipality of Bagumbayan*

The Sangguniang Kabataan helps the LGU by conducting the following activities:

Information Dissemination on COVID19



On March 30, 2020, the Sangguniang Kabataan of Barangay Sison conducted information dissemination on COVID-19 safety precautions through distribution of flyers in every purok and sari-sari stores.

At least 92% of the residents in the barangay were informed about COVID-19 and how to prevent the spread of the virus.



Distribution of food packs and hygiene kits

On June 15, 2020, the SK distributed hygiene kits to identified vulnerable sectors such as the youth, senior citizens, and frontline workers.

Repacking of Food Assistance



On April 20, 2020, the SK volunteered to repack the food assistance intended for the residents of the barangay together with the barangay tanods and health workers.

Sangguniang Kabataan: Brgy. Busok, Municipality of Bagumbayan

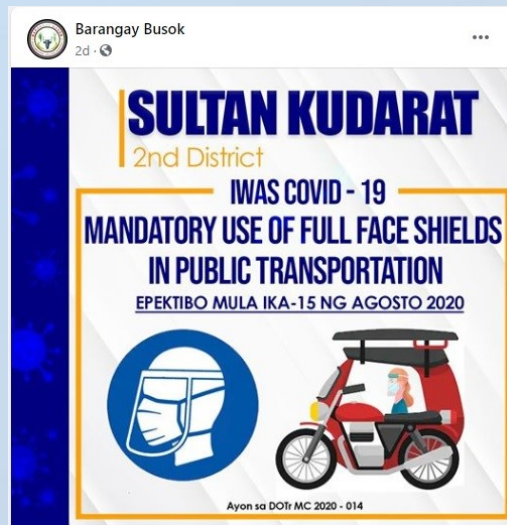
Information Dissemination



The Sangguniang Kabataan, together with the barangay officials, conducted information dissemination about the protocols implemented in the Municipality of Bagumbayan during this time of crisis.

This activity aims to inform and update the constituents of the barangay about the different policies and health protocols against COVID-19.

The SK made use of public address and social media to disseminate the information to the public.



Food packs distribution



Due to this pandemic, most of the families' source of income have been affected. To address this concern, the Barangay decided to utilize its Quick Response Fund and purchased rice and canned goods as relief goods for the families affected.

At least 1,041 families received the family food packs distributed by the Barangay, SK Officials and other volunteers.

Sangguniang Kabataan: Brgy. Chua, Municipality of Bagumbayan



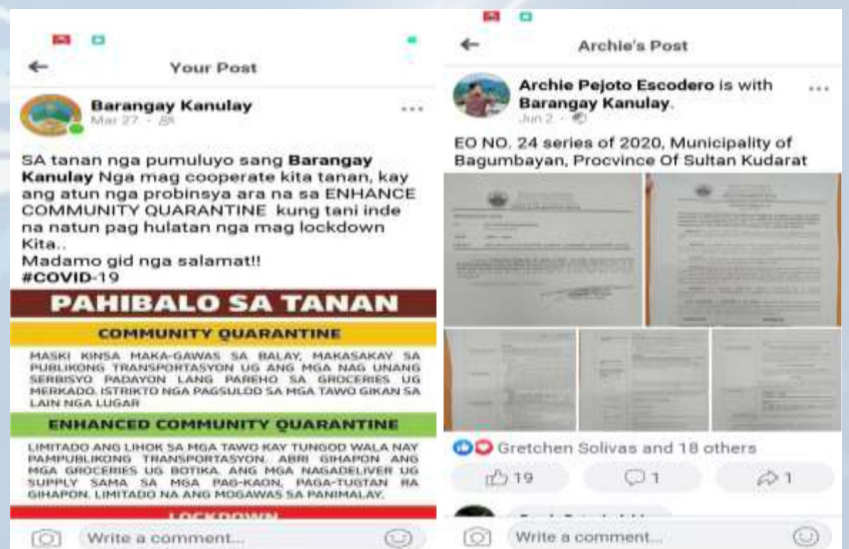
The Sangguniang Kabataan helped the Local Government Unit of Bagumbayan by volunteering in repacking the food assistance for every barangay of the municipality.

Sangguniang Kabataan: Brgy. Kanulay, Municipality of Bagumbayan



Food packs distribution

More households were unable to meet their daily needs as they lost their jobs due to COVID-19. To address this problem, Barangay Kanulay utilized its Quick Response Fund and purchased sacks of rice and canned goods, which were later distributed to the barangay residents. A total of 256 families benefited from this initiative.



Information Dissemination

Together with the barangay officials, the SK conducted information dissemination through social media to inform the public about the policies and health protocols implemented by the government against COVID-19.

Sangguniang Kabataan: *Brgy. Kinayao, Municipality of Bagumbayan*

Assisted in the distribution of food packs

A total of 90 families received food packs from a private donor, which the Sangguniang Kabataan helped during the preparation and distribution of the relief goods.



“Recordida”



The Sangguniang Kabataan, together with the barangay officials, conducted information dissemination through “recordida” or public address to reach residents who can't easily, or don't have, access to internet and social media.

This is to make the people understand the importance of social distancing, wearing of face mask, strict adherence to curfew hours and the government's minimum health protocols.

Sangguniang Kabataan: Brgy. Masiag, Municipality of Bagumbayan



The Sangguniang Kabataan provided flyers and posters as part of their information campaign against COVID-19.

Masiag youth volunteered to repack the food packs for the residents of the barangay.



During the repacking of relief goods



On June 5, 2020, the SK assisted in the distribution of the food packs and hygiene kits to the barangay's vulnerable sectors such as the senior citizens, youth, and frontline workers.

Sangguniang Kabataan: Brgy. Telfas, Municipality of Columbio



#SKRonda: Walang makakatalo sa grupong nagkakaisa.

Repacking and distribution of food packs to the barangay residents.



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Pag-asa Youth Association of the Philippines Columbio Chapter, Municipality of Columbio



Packing of relief goods for the residents of Columbio with the town's youth and PYAP beauty queens.



PYAP members assisted in the **distribution of relief packs** to the municipality's 16 barangays.





CLEAN AND GREEN ACTIVITY

PYAP members conducted various clean and green activities, which include developing a PYAP vegetable garden in Purok 7, Barangay Poblacion, tree planting in Sitio Mauno, Barangay Maligaya, and creating a nursery garden for their tree seedlings.

Sangguniang Kabataan: Municipal Federation, Municipality of Esperanza

The Sangguniang Kabataan Municipal Federation of Esperanza, Sultan Kudarat believes that the youth can help mitigate the spread of COVID-19 in their respective barangays through genuine acts of volunteerism and public service.

LIST OF BARANGAYS

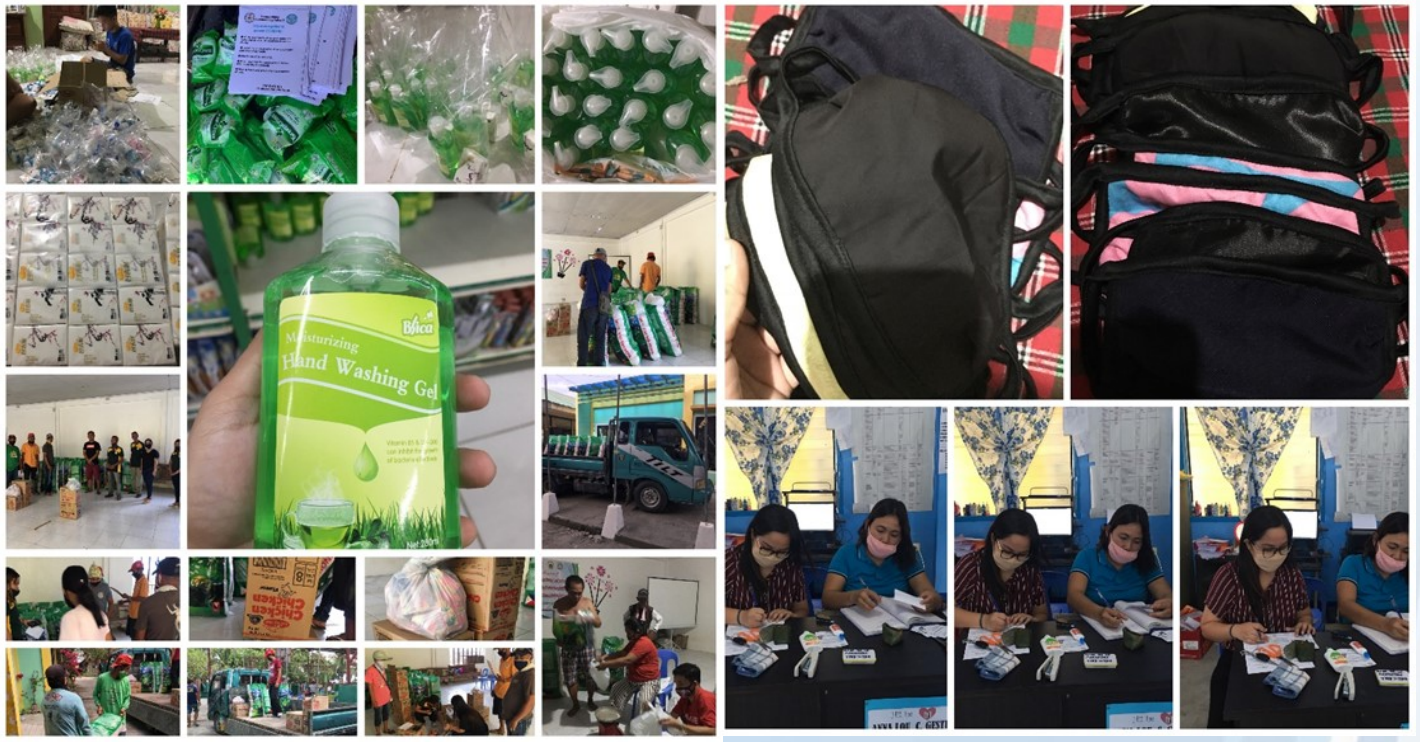
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- Barangay Sagasa
- Barangay Salabaca
- Barangay Saliao
- Barangay Poblacion
- Barangay Guiamalia
- Barangay Daladap
- Barangay Kangkong
- Barangay Salumping



The SK Municipal Federation implemented the following initiatives:

- ⇒ Assisted in the repacking of relief goods given to every household of every barangay.
- ⇒ Disinfection of public places using the improvised mixture of liquid bleach/ powdered chlorine and water.
- ⇒ Conducted IEC with regards to the policies and health protocols implemented by the government to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

- ⇒ Provided free face masks, tailored by local dressmakers, to the town's elderlies and frontline workers.
- ⇒ Assisted in the distribution of Community Quarantine passes.
- ⇒ Assisted barangay tanods in implementing curfew hours and barangay checkpoints.



Through these various initiatives, the Esperanza youth were able to spend a total of Php 334, 502.00 and were able to serve a total of 4, 962 beneficiaries.



Sangguniang Kabataan: Barangay Lilit, Municipality of Lambayong

SAMA KA! Sa Kabataan Sugpuin ang COVID-19



The Sangguniang Kabataan of Lilit started a vegetable garden to grow food for their people and frontline workers, and to help the barangay save its resources for its fight against the coronavirus. This time, the barangay prepares food for their frontline workers sourced from the SK's vegetable garden, reducing the barangay's everyday expenses.

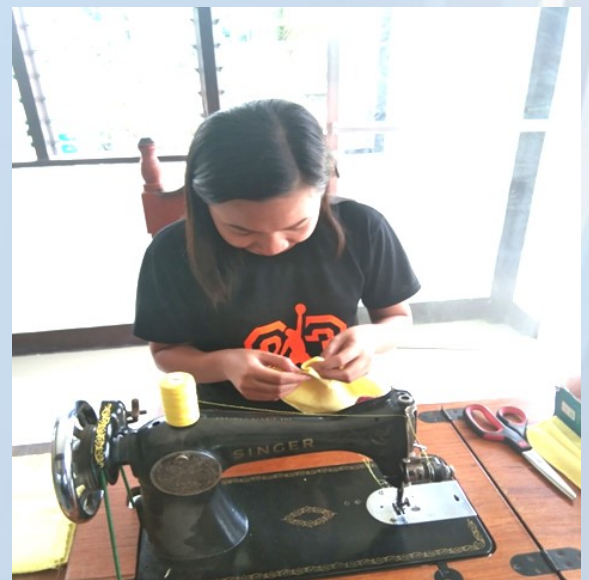


Since April 2020, the youth ensures that designated tire and foot baths at the entrance of their barangay hall are replenished twice a week.





Together with the barangay health workers, the Sangguniang Kabataan of Lilit conducted information education campaign and distributed flyers to residents, which provides data about COVID-19 and health protocols against the disease.



In partnership with the Barangay Women's Association, the youth tailored face masks, which were distributed to the residents of the barangay.

Assisted in the distribution of food packs to identified beneficiaries in the barangay.



Sangguniang Kabataan: Barangay Kabuling, Municipality of Palimbang

PROPER WAY OF USING FACE MASK AND HOW TO DISPOSE OR DISINFECT IT

Wearing of face mask is a responsibility of every Filipino this time of pandemic, to prevent the spread of the virus. However, not everyone is well-informed or are educated of the importance of wearing face masks and how to properly dispose or disinfect it. It has been observed that most people wear face masks simply as part of their "outfit of the day" without realizing that improper using of these masks may do more harm not only to those who wear it but also to others and the environment as well.

Youths in the barangay are not exempted in this problem as some thinks that wearing face masks is unnecessary while others don't know how to properly dispose it.

The Sangguniang Kabataan came up with an information education campaign regarding this matter to formally address this concern. The IEC delved more into the importance of face masks, how to properly wear and dispose surgical masks, and how to disinfect washable face masks such as cloth masks.



The IEC was conducted every Tuesday and Friday throughout the barangay through recorrida for three months.

A total of 150 pieces of washable face masks were provided by the SK for free to the youth sector.

Sangguniang Kabataan: *Barangay Kraan, Municipality of Palimbang*



As support to the Local Government Units of Kraan and Palimbang, the Sangguniang Kabataan volunteered to pack and distribute the relief goods provided by the LGUs, and assisted in the releasing of the Social Amelioration Cards to identified beneficiaries of the national government's Social Amelioration Program.



The Sangguniang Kabataan also purchased basic essential goods such as food, medicine, and facemasks, among others, which were funded through the SK budget, and assisted in the implementation of routine security checks in isolation facilities of the barangay.

Sangguniang Kabataan: *Barangay Libua, Municipality of Palimbang*

They also donated face masks and volunteered to distribute the relief goods to residents of Palimbang as part of its responsibility to ensure that their constituents, especially the youth, are safe and have sufficient food this time of pandemic. Libua youth also assisted in the implementation of various health policies of the barangay such as the observance of social distancing in public places and prohibition of mass gatherings.



Sangguniang Kabataan: Barangay San Roque, Municipality of Palimbang



The Sangguniang Kabataan of Barangay San Roque, along with the barangay officials, healthcare workers, BPATs, purok officials, and other frontline workers conducted the following activities as a response against the pandemic:

- prepared and distributed relief goods
- disinfection of the barangay's public places
- implementation of checkpoints and one-way policy for vehicles entering the barangay premises
- ensured strict observance of social distancing
- assisted in the distribution of the financial subsidy under the national government's Social Amelioration Program (SAP).



The SK believes that the youth's participation in battling this pandemic is valuable. Their active engagement as additional manpower of the local government in implementing government policies serves as example for the younger generations of what public service is about— that is to be of service for all.



Sangguniang Kabataan: *Barangay Tibuhol, Municipality of Palimbang*

KADTABANGA: SK TIBUHOL ASSISTANCE AND SERVICES AGAINST CORONA VIRUS

The Sangguniang Kabataan of Barangay Tibuhol called an urgent meeting after the declaration of the enhanced community quarantine in Palimbang, Sultan Kudarat, and adapted the Department of Health's safety protocols, most especially the mandatory wearing of face mask, as a safety measure against the said virus.

Furthermore, the team decided to be the barangay's support system and assisted in the preparation of relief goods by purchasing basic essential needs sourced from the SK Fund. To prevent mass gathering, the SK delivered directly the relief goods to every household.

However, not all youth members were able to help in the preparation of the relief goods as others fall below the minimum age allowed by the government to go out of their homes. Instead, they provided financial assistance to augment the local government's fund for its relief operations as support to their community.



Sangguniang Kabataan: *Barangays Kanipaan and Napnapon, Municipality of Palimbang*

An SK official of Kanipaan together with the barangay worker deliver the local government's food pack to one of the barangay's youth residents.



The Sangguniang Kabataan Officials of Barangays Kanipaan and Napnapon respectively called for an urgent meeting after the declaration of the enhanced community quarantine in the Province of Sultan Kudarat. Both SKs decided to serve as additional human resource of the Local Government Unit of Palimbang for its relief operations and other government interventions against COVID-19. They were composed of young volunteers aging 23 years old above.

The group followed the health protocols during the distribution of relief goods, in accordance with the WHO and DOH advisories. As a result, the relief operations were completed within the local government's schedule.

The SKs believe that it is important for the youth to show empathy this time of pandemic as an expression of unity and support to their constituents and front-line workers.



Napnapon SK officials and other barangay workers preparing the food packs for the Barangay's residents.

Sangguniang Kabataan: *Barangay Kisek, Municipality of Palimbang*



COVID-19 is a serious problem. To help the government prevent the spread of the disease, the youth leaders of Barangay Kisek campaigned fervently for the mandatory wearing of face masks, and constantly reminded their residents to cooperate with the government by following the health protocols as mandated by health authorities.

Furthermore, the Kisek youth officials assisted the local government in distributing the relief goods to identified beneficiaries in the barangay.

Sangguniang Kabataan: *Barangay Poblacion, Municipality of Palimbang*



As the saying goes, “a person’s effort is a reflection of his interest”. This explains to the work done by the SK officials as it rallies beside the government in ensuring food sufficiency while preventing the spread of COVID-19.

Since the whole community is under lockdown, people’s livelihood were greatly affected. Families who rely on daily wages find it more difficult to live this time of pandemic. To address this concern, the Local Government Units of Barangay Poblacion and Municipality of Palimbang initiated a relief operation to aid the basic needs of the people within the community.

As the SKs support this undertaking, volunteered during the distribution of relief goods. The SK officials delivered the said supplies directly to the residents’ doorsteps as advised by the barangay officials .

A total of 1, 800 households benefited from the activity.

Sangguniang Kabataan: Barangay Malisbong, Municipality of Palimbang



Barangay youth shows off the donated face masks of the SK officials as parts of the local government's initiative to ensure the residents' health and safety against COVID-19.

The Sangguniang Kabataan of Malisbong, together with the barangay officials, aim to ensure that their residents are well supported this time of pandemic by providing them their basic essential needs such as food, medicine, and face masks, among others. The

youth volunteered to distribute these food packs and health kits and also donated face masks for their constituents.

Furthermore, they assisted their local officials in implementing various policies against COVID-19 through information dissemination.

Sangguniang Kabataan: Tacurong City Federation

Relief Goods for PWDs

The SK Federation partnered with Sultan Kudarat Association of Youth Organizations and other OFWs to provide relief goods and hygiene kits to person's with disabilities (PWDs) in the City. A total of 250 relief packs were distributed to identified PWDS, especially those living in far-flung communities.



Provided food packs for the City's frontline workers



The SK partnered with Jollibee Food Corp., which resulted to the distribution of 93 food packs provided to the City's frontline workers assigned in securing the City's borders and barangay checkpoints.

They also prepared 100 packed snacks for the City's frontliners.

Free coffee and sugar for all 20 barangays



The SK Federation President also provided free food packs to the City's security personnel to celebrate her birthday last April 4.

In partnership with Sultan Kudarat Association of Youth Organizations, the SK provided each barangay with free one kilogram of sugar and one pack of coffee. In this little way, the SK hopes to have helped the barangays save money for their daily operational expenses.

Inspired by Batanes' eSkwela at Home Program, the Sangguniang Kabataan Federation of Tacurong initiated the eSkwela sa Tahanan Program to provide continuous learning for preschools and kindergarten pupils in the City.

In coordination with DepEd City Schools Division of Tacurong, the SK was able to produce multilingual (mother tongue) booklets ready to be distributed to children, this July.

More than 500 booklets were produced with materials sourced from the collected donations of private individuals and organizations.

