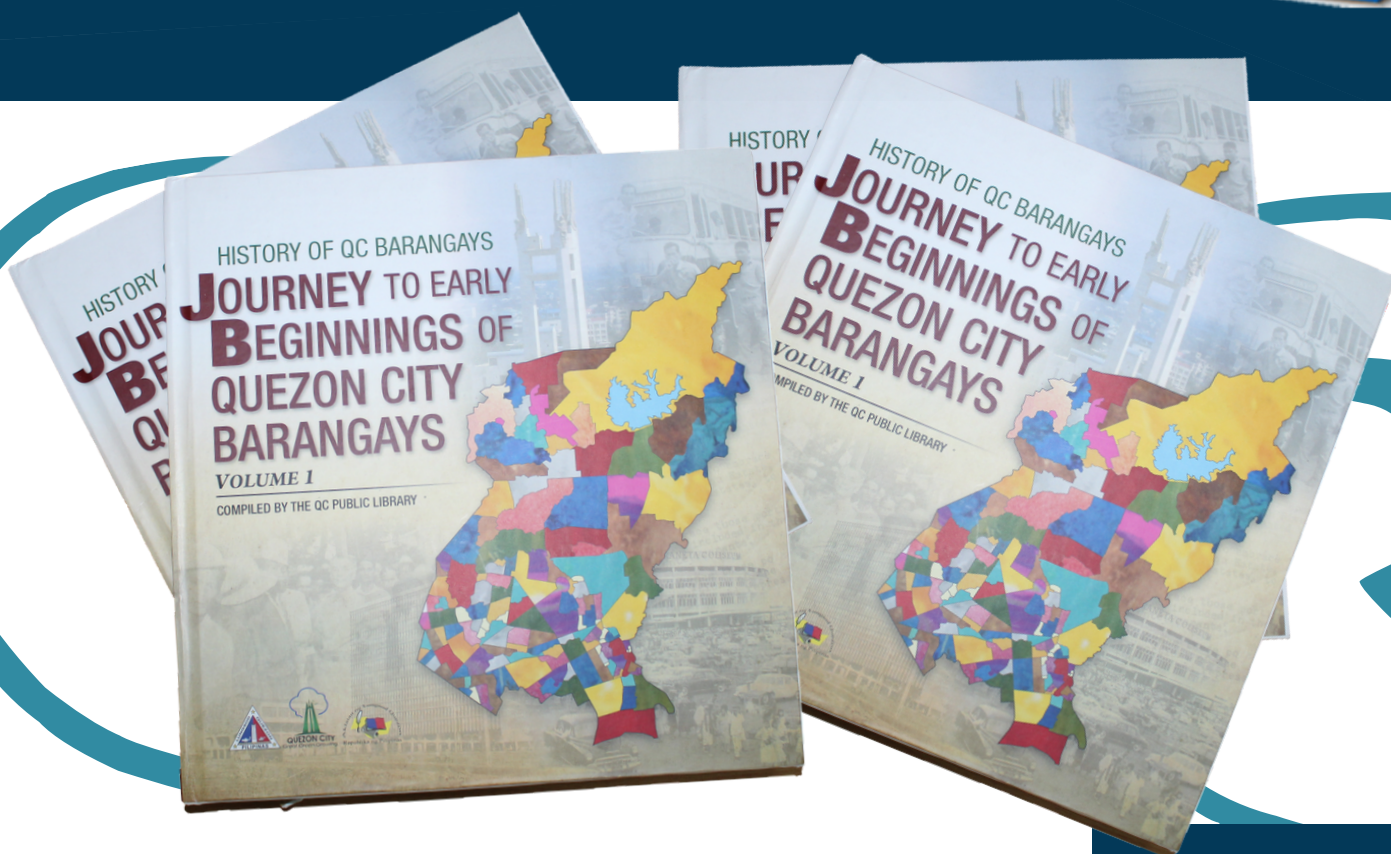


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QCPL Launches: "History of QC Barangays: Journey to Early Beginning of Quezon City Barangays"

BY: MARIA CECILIA R. MAGNATE

Another publication was launched by the Quezon City Public Library entitled, "History of Barangays: Journey to Early Beginnings of Quezon City Barangays, Volume 1" in celebration of the 81st Founding Anniversary of Quezon City. This was done last October 29, 2020 thru online virtual book launch powered by Stream Yard. The activity was hosted by two QCPL personnel namely Alistair Troy B. Lacsamana, Head of the Recreation Section under the Library Extension Division and Rose Vannie D. Anicoche, a support staff of the Publication Section of the same division.

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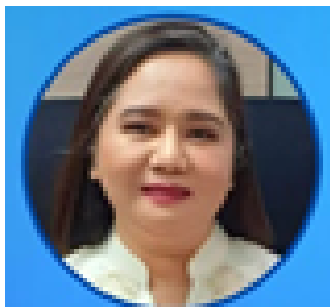
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City Librarian's Corner

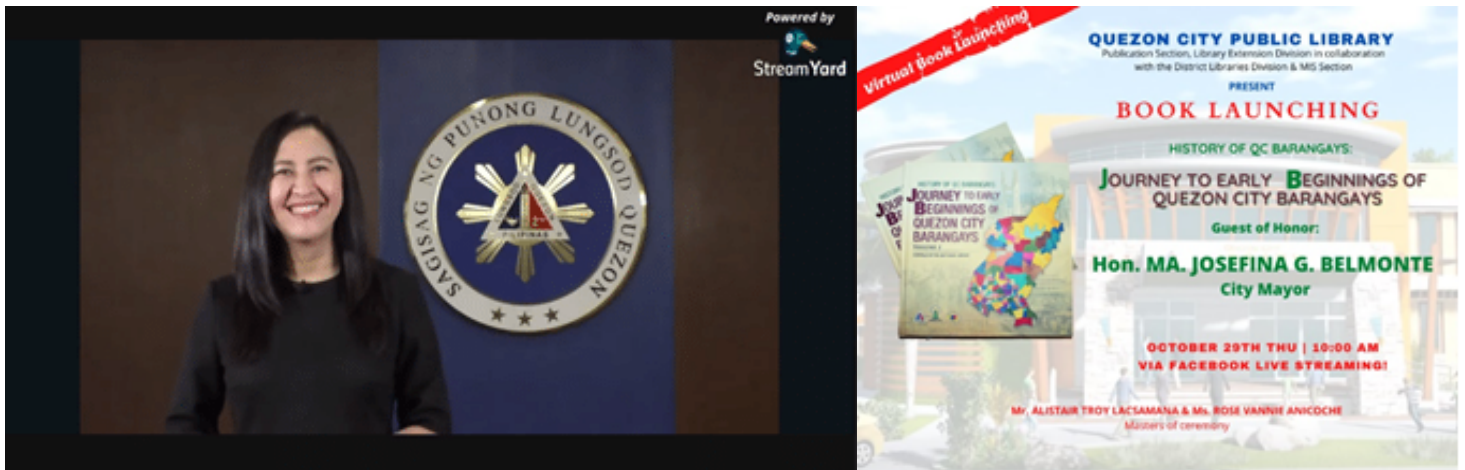
By: **Mariza G. Chico**

It's been a while since I was designated as Officer-In-Charge of our beloved QCPL. For almost 3 months since October, na bumaba ang aking Office Order, or 5 months since the retirement of Boss Emy, masasabi kong napaka-challenging lalo na sa panahong ito ng pandemya at nasa period of adjustment ako bilang inyong pansamantalang tagapamuno. Hindi madaling mamuno sa isang institusyon na ganito ang ating kalagayan. Hindi tayo nagkikita-kita ng personal, may iilang empleyado lang ang aking nakikita at nakakasalamuha. Ngunit dalawang bagay sana ang nais kong ipabatid sa lahat bago tayo tumungo sa panibagong yugto o taong tatahakin ng ating opisina. Una ang pasasalamat at pangalawa ay kung ano ang inaasahan o nais mangyari sa hinaharap or expectations. Maraming mga pangyayari o kaganapan sa ating buhay, opisina, bansa o maging sa buong mundo ang hindi natin inaasahang nangyari sa taong ito. Nariyan ang pagputok ng Bulkang Taal, Covid-19 pandemic, bagyo, baha, sunog at iba pa.

Sa pagtatapos ng taong 2020, sa kabila ng lahat ng mga sakuna, nais ko kayong pasalamat sa lahat ng inyong mga naging kontribusyon upang patuloy na maihatid sa ating mamamayan ang serbisyo publiko ng ating library kahit na nga isa tayo sa mga establishment na di pinayagan magbukas o mag-operate. Marahil ito ay sa kadahilanang mga estudyante ang karamihan ng ating mga kliyente at kabilang sa age group na di pinapayagan lumabas base sa guidelines ng IATF. Sa pamamagitan ng inyong malikhain at matalinong pag-iisip ay hindi kayo nauubusan ng mga ideya kung paano maihatid sa ating mga kliyente ang serbisyo ng ating library sa mga virtual/online activities at ilang face-to-face outreach activities alinsunod sa mga health protocols. Dagdag pa rian ang challenge na hindi lahat sa atin ay technologically savvy o maalam sa internet, etc. pero nagagampanan pa rin ang kani-kaniyang tungkulin sa pamamagitan ng paglahok sa pagpa-plano/brainstorming kung anu-ano pa ang mga serbisyong pwedeng i-offer ng ating library at maging relevant pa din tayo sa kabila ng ating kinakaharap na pagsubok. Binabati ko ang lahat ng mga staff lalo't higit ang kanilang mga heads sa pagbibigay motibasyon at inspirasyon upang magampanan ang mga tungkulin. Maraming salamat sa inyong dedikasyon at patuloy na suporta upang ipagpatuloy ang magandang nasimulan.

Ikalawa, ano nga ba ang inaasahan/expectations sa bawat isa? Bilang OIC, tanging hangad ko lamang ang magkaroon ng magandang samahan o good/harmonious working relationship ang bawat isa upang patuloy nating maabot ang ating pangarap o vision na maging isang world-class leading public library responsive to the information needs of our clients. Ipagpatuloy ang mga nasimulan at naiwang programa ng ating former City Librarian Boss Emy at magmungkahi/suggest pa ng mga makabuluhang programa sa kapakinabangan ng nakararami. Ang pagtutulungan o suporta ng bawat isa ay inaasahan upang mas lalo pang mapabuti at maayos ang ating serbisyo. Iwasan sana natin ang magkanya-kanya o magkaroon ng pagkakawatak-watak at kompetisyon dahil tayo ay isang institusyon lang. Alisin ang crab mentality instead ay maghilahan tayo pataas. Be an agent of change and that change will start from ourselves. Hangarin sana ng bawat isa sa atin ang pagkakaisa o Pagkakasundo, magkaroon ng malawak na pang-unawa at pag-ibig sa kapwa. Sikapin nating maipamuhay ang lahat ng ating natututunan sa ating values formation. At speaking of values formation, nais ko sanang samantalahin na din ang pagkakataong ito upang manawagan sa lahat na maka-attend dito. Hindi naman ito tungkol sa relihiyon bagkus ito ay upang mapalalim pa ang ating relasyon sa Panginoon at isang tool o daan for character formation and transformation. Wala ng sasarp sa pakiramdam kung ang lahat ng aking mga nabanggit ay magkakaroon ng katuparan. Patuloy lang tayo sa pagdarasal na laging pagharian ng Panginoon ang ating puso't isipan upang lahat ng ating gagawin, iisipin at sasabihin ay naaayon sa kanyang kalooban. I don't want to sound like preaching but we need to focus on God. Sabi nga sa Proverbs 16:3 - Commit your work to the Lord, and your plans will be established. Unahin natin lagi si Lord at aayos ang ating buhay. Nawa ang taong 2021 ay maging maayos at puno ng pagpapala sa bawat isa. Inaasahan ko ang inyong tulong, kooperasyon at suporta upang maitaguyod ang ating institusyon, hindi ko ito kakayaning mag-isa.

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The Hon. City Mayor Joy Belmonte delivering her inspirational message and the poster of the book launching

The program started at 1:30 pm with the recorded National Anthem and doxology. The opening remarks was delivered by the Officer-in-charge of the QCPL Ms. Mariza G. Chico. She said that the task of documenting history has proved the QCPL back into action amidst the pandemic situation. She highlighted that the making of the book was done through a painstakingly researched thru old records that went back as far the years 1950's and an actual visit to 142 barangays as well as searching for original settlers to get interviews. Ms. Chico also sent her gratefulness to the Hon. Joy Belmonte for sharing her delight and support on this initiative as she shared her vision of empowering the community through this book. In addition, she also thanked the Consultant Ms. Eden R. Villanueva who viewed this a personal project having done much of the research when she was still head of the Quezon City Cultural and Tourism Affairs Office or known as CTAO and very much involved double checking for accuracy of the details presented in the text. In addition, she thanked the Librarian researchers headed by Lucila R. Raquiño who made sure all corrections were implemented before this book came to press. Also, not to be forgotten is the former City Librarian Ms. Emelita L. Villanueva who recently retired and was the prime motivator and the instrument in pushing through with this project.

As part of the program, I, as the Publication Head, had the privilege to give the synopsis of the book, excerpting a part of one of the barangay histories citing particularly Barangay Mariblo on how it came to be named such. I also mentioned the actions behind the scenes while it was in the process of research and encouraged the readers to see and read for themselves their own barangay history.

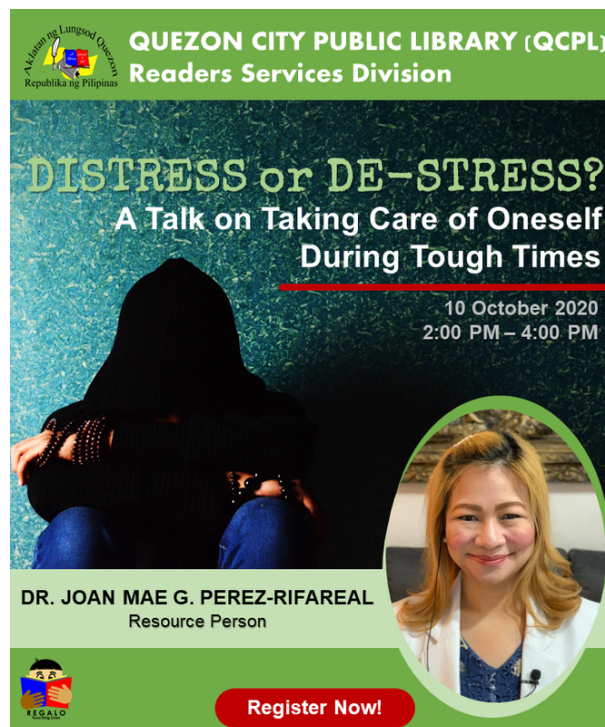
Of course, the QCPL was so delighted that the Hon. City Mayor Joy Belmonte delivered her inspirational message on this occasion as the guest speaker. Quoting parts of the City Mayor's speech, she said that "history is very vital to the development of any City". "That it helps us better understand the needs, behavior, and the problems of our people and society. That it is worthwhile to remember that the major processes and events we learned in history were made up of individuals, families, locals and communities had all play their part in shaping and being shaped by history. She also mentioned that "few of us know the origins or history of our barangay, but learning their story can change the way we think about the present". She also mentioned that "the book will provide a glimpse on how our communities have evolved throughout the years. Including how our barangays were created and how they derived their past and present names and make the readers appreciate the past and acknowledge significant learnings as well as personalities who contributed to the development of our beloved City". She commends the QCPL on this endeavor.

The Library Extension Division Head, Ms. Lucila R. Raquiño on the other hand rendered the closing remarks. She thanked all the people behind the success of the making of this book. She added more information on the years spent in making the book way back in 2011 when it was initiated and mentioning the people behind it during those times.

The hosts ended the virtual launching giving shout out to all the viewers who stayed to the end. Kudos to all!

DISTRESS OR DE-STRESS?

BY: **MARY ANN L. BERNAL**



Pursuant to Proclamation No. 452, every second week of October is World Mental Health Day. To celebrate this event, the Quezon City Public Library (QCPL), Readers' Services Division headed by yours truly together with the Section Heads, Ms. Manica M. Cortes, Ms. Rowena G. Remiendo, Mr. Paolo Dominik Daulat, Mr. Ernani Agulto and Ms. Ana Katrina Honrade, and with the full support of the OIC- Quezon City Public Library Ms. Mariza G. Chico, conducted the 2nd in the series of webinar entitled "DISTRESS or DE-STRESS? A Talk on How to Take Care of Oneself During Tough Times" held on October 10, 2020 (Saturday) 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM, in partnership with Regalo Touching Lives headed by Mr. Carlos Eclavia. This webinar is a follow-up talk on mental health by the resource speaker, Dr. Joan Mae G. Perez-Rifareal, MD, DPBP, FPPA from the Veterans Memorial Medical Center who shared her knowledge and expertise and generously answered questions from 733 online participants composed of students, librarians, HR staff/managers, teachers and psychologists. This webinar intends to inform and update the public about the stress management techniques and engage viewers in active participation in the question and answer portion.

Reaching Out Amidst the Pandemic

By: **Sonia E. Bautista**



It is our pride that despite this COVID-19 pandemic situation, the QCPL-District II Libraries were able to continue its community service by giving the children books to read. Seeing happy faces of the children as they received the big books and a pack of Milo, is a simple gesture showing that they are loved. The objectives of this activity were to encourage the children to continue reading books, instill in their minds the love for reading, and enjoy while staying at home. With the help of parent leader, Ms. Olive Acma, the big books and a pack of Milo products were distributed to every household with children, following safety protocol guidelines, such as physical distancing, wearing of mask, face shields, and surgical gloves for protection and safety.

District II - Lupang Pangako Branch/Outreach Service,
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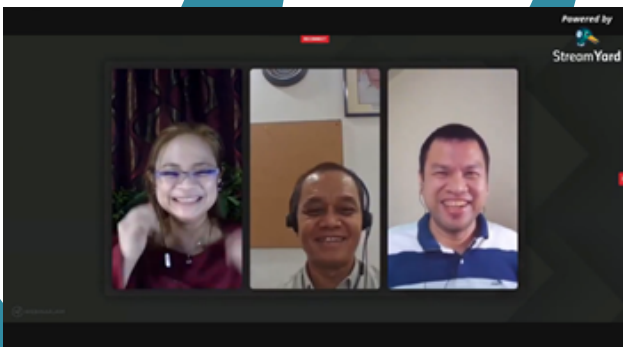
THE RISE OF CYBERCRIME: TIPS FOR LIBRARY STAFF & LIBRARY USERS

By: **Ana Katrina Honrade**

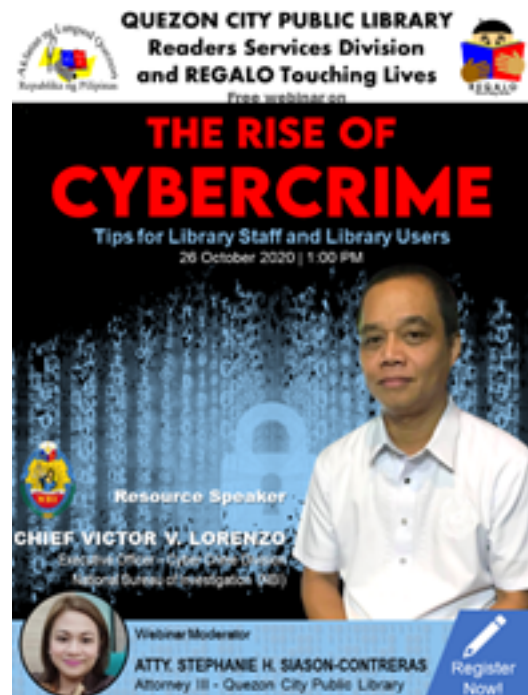
In celebration of Cybercrime Awareness Month, the Quezon City Public Library – Readers’ Services Division in partnership with Regalo – Touching Lives, conducted its third webinar entitled: “The Rise of Cybercrime: Tips for Library Staff and Library Users.”

Technology drastically changed our way of life in the past decades. The internet has become a necessity and with just a few clicks away, you can access information and share it in different platforms. Everyone has a social media account and can communicate to anyone they want to know. We have shifted from cashless payments to pay our bills and online shopping has made our lives easier especially in this time of pandemic where our movement has become restricted and limited. We have transferred our personal information online to enjoy the benefits of online transactions. But, are we safe during these times?

Our speaker, National Bureau of Investigation (NBI) Cybercrime Division Chief Victor Lorenzo discussed the different cybercrime-related incidents committed in the country and shared some tips as to how to avoid falling prey from cyber scams.



Left to right: **Atty. Stephanie H. Siason-Contreras, NBI Cybercrime Div. Chief Victor Lorenzo and Mr. Carlos Eclevia of Regalo Touching-Lives.**



Chief Lorenzo also talked about how libraries can protect itself and even gave additional tips on how to prevent cybercrimes by doing a vulnerability assessment and by checking the security weaknesses of one’s database to know what area in the database or library system can be improved.

The webinar was streamed on webinarjam and via Facebook live of QCPL official Facebook page. The activity was made possible through the cooperation and hard work of the staff of the Readers’ Services Division, headed by Ms. Mary Ann L. Bernal; Library Extension Division, headed by Ms. Lucila R. Raquino; and OIC, City Library Ms. Mariza G. Chico. Library staff was also grateful to their streaming partner Regalo-Touching Lives, represented by Carlos Eclevia and to Atty. Stephanie H. Siason-Contreras, who served as moderator during the webinar.

Bayanhang Bayan sa Panahon ng Pandemyang Covid-19

BY: JENNIFER R. LEONCIO

Tunay ngang likas sa mga Pilipino kahit saan mang dako ng mundo at panahon subukin man ng problema, ay bukas pa rin ang pusong tumulong sa kapwa. Nakahandang ilaan ang sarili para sa iba at nakikiisa sa ibat-ibang programa nang walang hinihintay na kapalit. Bayani ngang maituturing para sa ilan. At higit lalo natin itong nasaksihan sa gitna ng pandemya na dulot ng Covid-19.

Kaya naman, halina at ating alalahanin ang diwa ng pagboboluntaryo kasabay ng pagdiriwang ng “Buwan ng Bayanhang Bayan sa Lungsod Quezon” batay sa Ordinansa ng Sangguniang Panlungsod Bilang 2415, taong 2015, alinsunod sa Proklamasyon ng Pangulo ng Bansa Bilang 55 noong taong 1998 na nagdedeklara sa buwan ng Disyembre bilang “Pambansang Buwan ng Boluntaryo o National Volunteers Month”.

Bilang pakikiisa, kinilala ng Quezon City Public Library noong Ika-11 ng Disyembre ang mga natatanging empleyado na sina Andrew Caseda, Manica Cortes, Paolo Dominik Daulat, Ma. Victoria Manuel, Anthony Merino, Angeli Pascua, Ricardo Obsena, Mark Angelo Caldon, Diana Lorraine Abiad, Jemalyn Cabanatan, Rhim Culala, Richelle Ocampo, Richmond Carino, Domingo Trinidad, Carlito Dumlao, Edgel Cedrick Esteban, Arnel Esteban, Reymak Felipe, Mirriamme Gumabon, Jan Angelo Jasareno, Marlon Maistrado, Jerico Martinez, Bernah-Marie Ocumen, Genius Ramirez, Gabrielle Paris Ramos, Neptali Remoral, Benjamin Sion, Lorenz Angelo Ting, Paulo Timban, Riena-Jane Velasco, Elisa Blanca Yulai, Benjo Isaac, at Eric Garro mga boluntaryo na may ginintuang puso sa pagbibigay serbisyo, sa pangunguna ng Administratibong Seksyon na pinamumunuan ni Gng. Donna Mae G. Estoque at ng Seksyon ng Pag-aaring Yamang Tao, sa pangunguna ni Gng. Jennifer R. Leoncio, Bb. Arriane Nicole A. Marquez, at G. Ronaldo L. Lunes, na dinaluhan naman ng lahat ng empleyado ng departamento sa pamamagitan ng “Google meet”.

Sa isinagawang programa binigyang pagkilala ang mga tulong at karanasan ng mga nabanggit na empleyado na nagbigay ng kanilang libheng serbisyo sa kasagsagan ng kinakaharap ng buong bansa na pandemya na Covid-19 nitong nakalipas na mga buwan ng “lockdown”, na hindi rin naman maisasakatu-paran kung wala ang buong suporta ng mga butihing mga pinuno ng tanggapan na sina Gng. Emelita L. Villanueva, Dating Punong Labraryan ng Pamublikong Akalatan ng Lungsod Quezon, Gng. Mariza G. Chico, Pansamantalang Tagapamalakad ng Aklatan ng Lungsod Quezon, at Bb. Lucila R. Raquiño, Pansamantalang Pangalawang Namumuno ng Aklatan ng Lungsod Quezon, na nagbigay din nang kani-kanilang makabuluhang mensahe para sa lahat ng mga nagboluntaryo at dumalo. Makikita na ang ilan sa mga nagboluntaryo ay tumulong sa pagbabalot ng mga ipinamahaging relief goods sa buong Lungsod Quezon, at may mga naitalaga din tanggapan ng “Radio Communications Services Office, Dial 122, Emergency Public Assistance and Complaint Hotline” upang magbigay ng kasagutan sa ibat-ibang katanungan sa ibat-iba pang tulong na kailangan ng mga kababayan. Habang ang ilan naman ay namahagi ng tulong pinansiyal mula sa Department of Social Welfare and Development, “Social Amelioration Program” o SAP para sa mga kuwalipikadong mamayan ng lungsod.

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Bayanihang Bayan volunteers in action

Ang mga simpleng tulong na nasaksihan ng lahat sa programa mula sa mga kapwa empleyado ay isa lamang patunay na buhay ang diwa ng bayanihan sa Lungsod Quezon. Maliit mang maituturing para sa iilan, ngunit malaki ang naging pagbabago nito upang magpatuloy lumaban ang ating mga kababayan sa panahon ng pandemya.

Gaya na lamang ng madalas sabihin ng nakakarami, "Hindi nasusukat sa liit o laki ng iyong ibibigay ang kakayahan ng isang taong tumulong, bagkus ay sa sinseridad ng kanyang pusong ilaan ang sarili para sa iba nang walang hinihintay na kapalit". Nawa ay magpatuloy pa ang ganitong diwa ng pagbabayanihan sa ating Lungsod sa mga susunod pang henerasyon, sa pangalan ng ating Panginoon.



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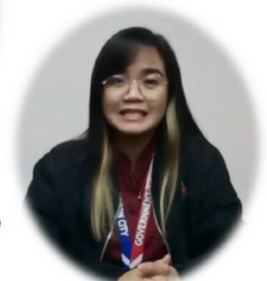
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District Libraries Division 1st Virtual Awarding Ceremony

By: Ma. Regina S. Malaza

The Quezon City Public Library, thru the District Libraries Division, has recognized branch library staff who have shown exemplary commitment and dedication in serving their communities amid the threat of the pandemic. During the virtual awarding ceremony conducted last December 16 via Lark platform, awards and recognition were handed to branch library staff in recognition of their dedication and hard work. The award was designed to motivate them in the future activities.

Among those being recognized were: District 2 Libraries for their "Pagtatanim Sagot sa Kuwarantin" as 1st Activity posted on the QCPL Facebook page and conducting 1st outreach program; District 6 "Biodiversity" for launching 1st webinar; District 1 for introducing 1st contest - online slogan making and 1st group storytelling activity entitled "Si Emang Engkantada at Ang Tatlong Haragan"; and District 5 for creating 1st Animated Storytelling activity entitled "Ang Alamat ng Ampalaya." Meanwhile, District 3 Libraries garnered the highest number of Facebook activities posted on QCPL Facebook page with a total number of 23 activities. On the other hand, District 2 Libraries registered the highest number of Facebook likes for its "Paper Puppet-Making activity" with 198 likes. The highest number of Facebook shares and views was awarded to District 4 Libraries post entitled "Pabula" with total 150 shares and 44.9k views. The award for animator was presented to Mr. Larry Bael Jr. while volunteerism award was presented to Ms. Emerlina R. Tan and Ms. Nahum Ruth C. Chua.

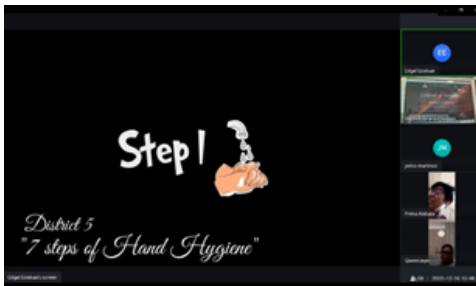
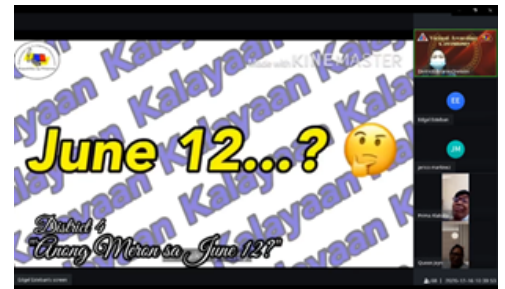
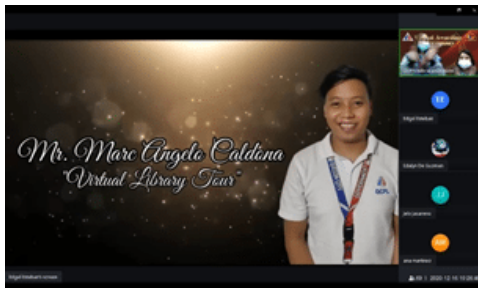
Meanwhile, the Certificates of Recognition were presented to District 1 - 6 Libraries for hard work and team effort composed of Project 8, Project 7, Balingasa, Masambong, Bagong Pag-Asa, Payatas, Lupang Pangako, Escopa 2, Escopa 3, Greater Lagro, Project 4, Cubao, Krus na Ligas, San Isidro Galas, Roxas, Lagro, Novaliches, Pasong Tamo, and Talipapa.

Adjudged as Best Editor was Mr. Mark Angelo Calдона of District 3 while Mr. Bienvenido Ongkiko III was named as Best Storyteller. Meanwhile, the award for Best Educational Program Oriented Video was presented to District 4 for the historical category entitled "Anong Meron sa June 12?" For the art category the award was presented to District 6 entitled "Libcraft: Cushion" while the winner for the health category was District 5 for "7 Types of Hygiene." For the public awareness category, the award was presented to District 4 for its presentation on National Disability Prevention and Rehabilitation Week featuring "Rary Puppet."

The QCPL thru the District Libraries Division also presented the Leadership Award to district supervisors while certificates of recognition were given to their assistant district supervisors.

The awarding ceremony was made possible with the support of the following: Ms. Mariza G. Chico, OIC-Quezon City Public Library, and Ms. Lucila R. Raquino, OIC-Assistant City Librarian, for their patience in checking the activities of the branch libraries; the judges for the Best Editor, Mr. Manny F. Fajilan, Mr. Jan Angelo Jasareno, and Mr. Paulo Timban; for the Best Storyteller, Mr. Alistair Troy Lacsamana, Mr. Jairo Valencia, and Mr. Gilbert Gallaza; For the Best Educational Program, Ms. Mary Ann Bernal, Atty. Stephanie Siason-Contreras and Ms. Maureen Quiñones, for taking the time to review, check and evaluate the videos of the nominees; the Branch Libraries supervisors, Assistant District supervisors and staff. Also, to the Publication Section Team, headed by Ms. Lucila R. Raquino, for checking the videos for approval and posting on the QCPL Facebook page.

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Left to right 1st row: Best Editor-Mark Angelo Caldona of D III, Bienvenido Ongkiko III-Best Storyteller. Best Educational Program Oriented Video District IV entitled “Anong Meron sa June 12?”

Left to right 2nd row: Art category District VI entitled “Libcraft: Cushion”, Health category District V for “7 Types of Hygiene.” Public awareness category, District IV National Disability Prevention and Rehabilitation Week featuring “Rary Puppet.”

The virtual awarding ceremony was facilitated by the following: Ms. Analiza c. Martinez, OIC-Head District Libraries Division, Ms. Ma. Regina S. Malaza, for consolidating the activities posted in the QCPL Facebook page; Ms. Rona Crucillo and Mr. Florenz Angelo Tolado, for printing the certificates; Mr. Edgar Cedric Esteban, for editing the poster and video presentation; Mr. Benjamin Sion, for documentation and Mr. William De Leon, for technical support. Moderators were Ms. Ma. Regina Malaza and Ms. Rona Crucillo.

The awarding was a success. To God be the glory.

Araw ng Pagbasa

By: Eleanor M. Sampiano



During the story telling session with the kids from Bgy. Guyong Sta. Maria Bulacan

Because of their love for books, not even the threat of the COVID-19 pandemic could not prevent the staff of the Quezon City Public Library - District V Libraries from conducting storytelling activities even outside Quezon City.

Following health protocols, the staff travelled as far as Barangay Guyong in Sta. Maria, Bulacan on November 25 to share a story entitled "Nando Determinado," before a select group of schoolchildren as a fitting gesture to celebrate this year's Araw ng Pagbasa. For the staff, their love for books and reading keep them relevant in this ever-changing world. Library staff also conducted a storytelling session in Barangay Kaligayahan on November 26 with Paolo James Dapogracion narrating the story of "Sa Bayan ng Kamayan at ang Alamat ng mga Sumasayaw ng Kamay," which underscores the importance of handwashing to fight off viruses and other diseases.

New Normal Christmas Party

BY: DONNA MAE G. ESTOQUE



QCPL personnel with the jeepney drivers and operators receiving the QCPL's donation

No more colorful costumes nor extravagant gowns. No sumptuous food to share with and even raffles and games. These were things that we used to do in the old normal way. But this year is different, new normal way they said. This is what I guess, 2020 has taught us: “We plan but God decides.”

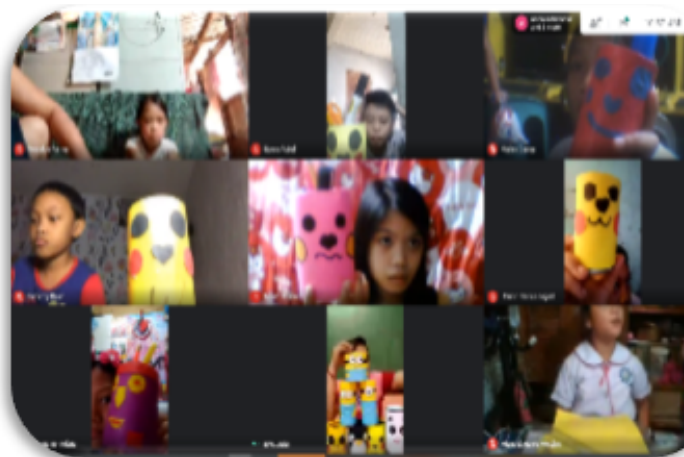
Following the issuance of Executive Order No. 40 Series of 2020 which enjoined offices of the City Government to donate the amount intended for Christmas Party to the underprivileged, the Quezon City Public Library has chosen the Tandang Sora-Quezon City Hall Jeepney Operators and Drivers Association Inc. as the beneficiary of QCPL's donation program, where the office provided 18 sacks of rice for distribution to jeepney operators, drivers and other association members. Ms. Mariza G. Chico, OIC-City Library led the turnover of the goods donated to the said beneficiary.

Simple as it may see, the gesture was regarded as one way of showing love and appreciation to jeepney drivers, who were one of the hardest hit sectors during this pandemic.

DIY Recyclable Pen Holder Making

By: Elisa Blanca E. Yulai

Why throw scratch papers, old boxes, tissue holders and cans when you can have it transformed into beautiful decorative pen holders? Perhaps, this was what the schoolchildren from Payatas C Elementary School learned from the virtual art activity launched by the Quezon City Public Library - Payatas Lupang Pangako branch last October 29. Aside from developing the creative skills of the schoolchildren, library staff have also taught them a very important lesson, that is, to practice recycling in their homes even at an early age. As seen in the video tutorial, library staff, Marivic Mendros demonstrated the step by step procedures as to how to make a pen holder using recycled materials that are commonly found in our homes. Ms. Mendros also lauded the schoolchildren under the advisory class of Ms. Brenda Acdal for being very participative during the activity.





The Aklatang Gala being strolled around the Barangay Roxas District with the library personnel from QCPL Roxas library branch and some members of the Sangguniang Kabataan of Barangay Roxas District.

Aklatang Gala House to House Book giving and Outreach Activity in Celebration of the Children's Month 2020

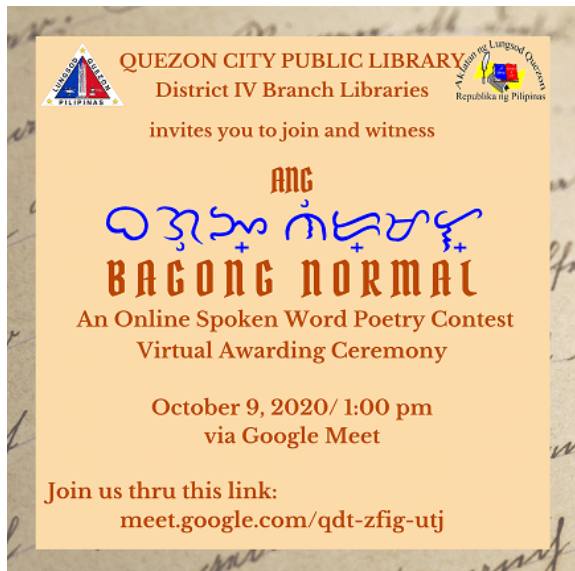
BY: EDALYN F. DE GUZMAN

In a bid to bring library services closer to children, the Quezon City Public Library-Roxas branch, in cooperation with the Sangguniang Kabataan ng Barangay Roxas District, launched "Aklatan Gala: House-To-House Book Giving Drive" in November last year. The activity was aimed at encouraging children to develop their reading and learning habits right in the comfort of their homes. The program also covers the distribution of smart book kits composed of books, whiteboard and marker, snacks and facemasks to children and to those whose houses were built near river banks along Roxas District. Library staff described the move as vital in the effort of motivating and inspiring street children to continue learning even in the midst of the pandemic.

After the activity, the Sangguniang Kabataan of Barangay Roxas District donated a foot pressed alcohol dispenser to the Roxas Branch Library.

The Roxas Library this Quarter! "Ang Bagong Normal: 1st Online Spoken Word Poetry Contest" Virtual Awarding Ceremony

By: **Edalyn F. De Guzman**



A virtual awarding ceremony for the winners of Quezon City Public Library’s “Ang Bagong Normal: 1st Online Spoken Word Poetry Contest” was hosted by QCPL’s- District IV Libraries on October 9, 2020. Louise Maneli Aguanza of Barangay Holy Spirit won first place for her piece “Ang Bagong Normal.” Meanwhile, the piece entitled “Pagbangon sa Bagong Normal” by Jonenia Joy H. Soria of Barangay Bahay Toro won second place while the entry “Sa Jeep, Sasakay Ka Ba?” by Harvey L. Eco of Barangay Payatas B won third place. The initiative, posted in the QCPL’s Facebook page, forms part of its effort to encourage QC youth to showcase their talents by creating and delivering their own spoken poetry.

Heroes

By: **ANA KATRINA T. HONRADE**

What is a hero? A hero is an individual who has outstanding accomplishments and skills and is regarded as a role model in society. They are known for their nobility, bravery and integrity. In this time of the pandemic, the frontliners who are in the forefront of the country’s fight against COVID-19 are now being regarded as modern-day heroes. But, do we still remember the names of our heroes from the past who have lost their lives and fought for the country’s freedom and democracy? That is why the City Public Library Recreation Section took a chance during this pandemic to remind us of the values and bravery of our heroes where we can draw inspiration from.

Utilizing different technology tools, puppets and other forms of arts, Mr. Gilbert T. Gallaza and Mr. Jairo Valencia, both staff from the section started producing videos that featured some of the country’s national heroes. It started last July 2020, with a video of Apolinario Mabini known as "Ang Dakilang Lumpo", followed by Manuel L. Quezon known as "Ama ng Wikang Pilipino at Kasarinlang Pilipino" in August. Next to be featured was Miguel Malvar, who was known as the last Filipino general to surrender during the Spanish regime, and Antonio Luna, regarded as one of the fiercest generals in the history of the Philippine Revolution, and Andres Bonifacio, who was considered as the "Father of the Philippine Revolution" for the months of September, October and November, respectively. All these videos were posted in the Quezon City Public Library official Facebook page and can be viewed anytime and may be used as reference materials for schools.

The Recreational Section plans to continue providing videos that tackles the lives of our heroes. Stories of our heroes that will inspire, motivate and inculcate cultural values to our children.

District III Branch Libraries Virtual & Online Activities

By: Prima S. Alabata

In a bid to make itself relevant during the pandemic, the Quezon City Public Library - District III Branch Libraries, has devised innovative and creative programs to serve the information and recreational needs of its clients. One innovation was the launch of a virtual library tour, that showcased the different library sections, including Reference, Periodicals, Local History, Children's Corner and Management Information System (MIS). The tour, which was launched in celebration of Literacy Month, also featured all available library reading materials such as books, local history materials, children's books, compilation of newspapers and magazines which can be used for research and information needs. District III Branch Libraries cited as imperative the need to launch virtual and online activities, such as storytelling, reading tutorials, arts and crafts, library orientation and educational puppet shows, in a bid to reach out to the community, especially in this time of the pandemic.



District III Branch Libraries extend its gratefulness to its leaders led by our Officer-In-Charge, Ms. Mariza G. Chico, OIC Asst. City Librarian and Head of the Library Extension Division, Ms. Lucila Raquino and the District Libraries Division OIC Head, Ms. Analiza C. Martinez, for their support to all our projects and activities and for inspiring us to be innovators in our own little way and better serve the constituents of our community. TO GOD BE THE GLORY!



What's New in Cubao

By: Ma. Carmen C. Chua

Thanks to the Quezon City Lions Club 301 - District II for giving the Cubao Branch Library the needed facelift. As part of its commitment to library staff, outgoing governor Generoso del Rosario sponsored the repainting of library walls and book shelves giving the facility a fresher and cleaner look. But, the support does not end there, as officers of the Kawilihan Lions Club, led by its president Edgar Cleofe, turned over two foot-operated alcohol dispenser for library use. Meanwhile, library personnel, as a gesture of appreciation, assured that they will be good stewards of the valuable resources provided to them by their generous donors.



From left to right: 2nd Vice District Governor Roehl Castro, QC kawilihan Lions Club President Edgar Cleofe, former 301-D2 District Governor Generoso Del Rosario, and Lions Club Int'l. staff Alfredo T. Capitle poses for photo ops with the newly-painted book shelves showcasing their beautification project of the QCPL Cubao branch.



Topnotch officers from the QC Lions Club 2nd Vice District Gov. Roehl Castro thru QC Kawilihan Lions Club President Edgar Cleofe (3rd from left) with the Former District 301-D2 Governor Generoso Del Rosario (2nd from right) presented and turned over two (2) foot-operated alcohol dispenser to Cubao Branch library represented by LIC, Jinky Chua (4th from the left) with two branch personnel Rommel Arceta (farthest left) and Margarita Iliria (farthest right)



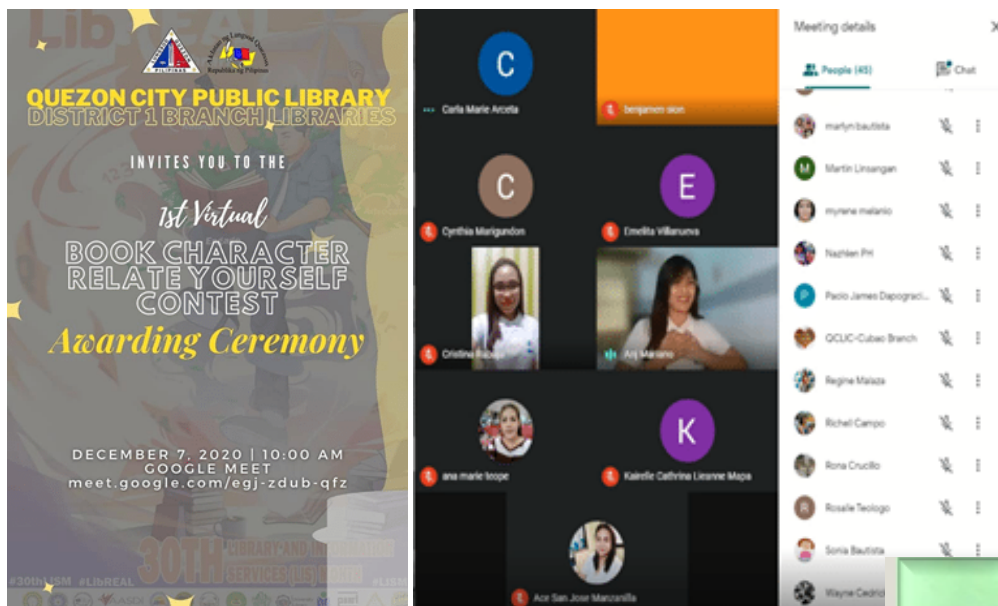
From left to right: QCPL Cubao branch Librarian-in-charge Jinky Chua, library staff Rommel Karlo, and the Lions Club International staff Alfredo T. Capitle poses with the donated materials for QCPL Cubao branch beautification project.



The newly painted book shelves of the QCPL Cubao branch library

BOOK CHARACTER- RELATE YOURSELF CONTEST

BY: ANALIZA T. PUNO



As a post-celebration activity to the observance of Library and Information Services Month in November, the Quezon City Public Library – District 1 Branch Libraries conducted a virtual Book Character-Relate Yourself Contest for school children on December 7, 2020. The virtual activity/program, was shown in the internet via social media Facebook and YouTube.

The activity hosted by Cristina Rabaja (staff, Pag-Asa Branch) and Angeli M. Pascua (Proj. 7 Branch) was designed to motivate and encourage children improve their reading and comprehension skills as well as engaged in educational activities especially during these trying times.

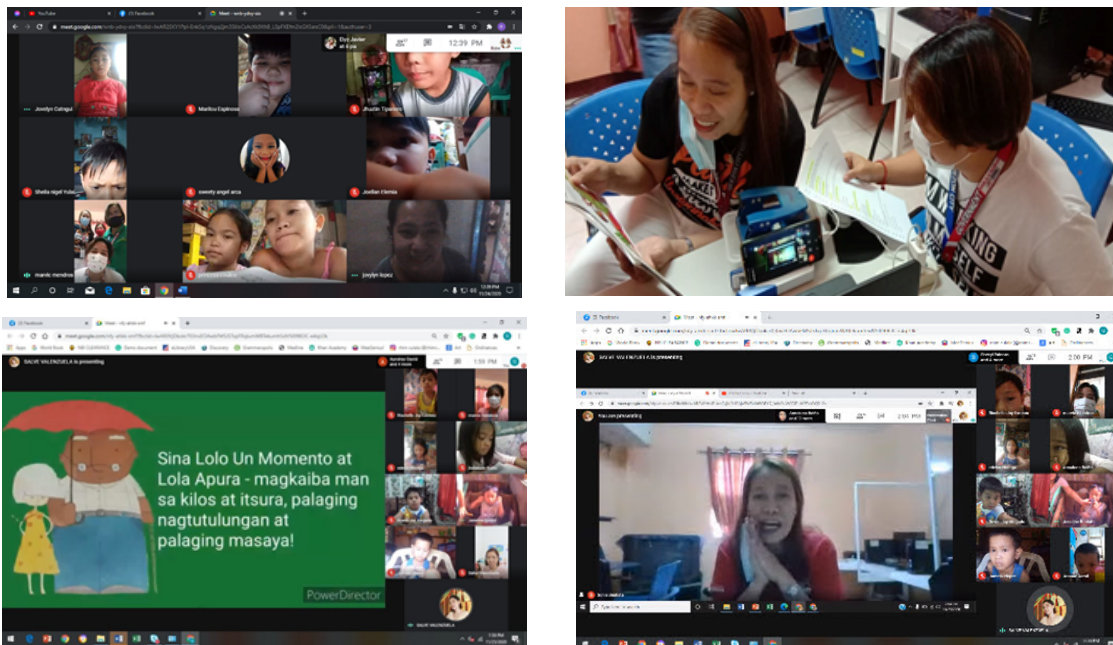
The contestants, whose age ranges from age 7 to 10 years old, were asked to choose a book character from local legends or alamats (e.g., piña, saging, pakwan and sampaloc). From there, they were asked to present a summarized version of their chosen story, dressed like the character being portrayed in the book. They were also asked to highlight the lessons learned from the story.

The QCPL awarded cash prizes to the top three participants. While consolation prizes were given to the other participants. Judges of the contest were Ms. Manica M. Cortes (Librarian III, Head- Law Research Section), Atty. Cynthia Marigundon (CPA, Lib), and Ms. Maria Nenita C. Magdaraog (Kagawad, Bgy. Balingasa, District 1).



G-Meetelling: An Online Classroom Storytelling

By: Sonia E. Bautista



During the online classroom storytelling session

November has been declared as Library and Information Services Month by virtue of Presidential Proclamation No. 837 series of 1991. The celebration focuses on giving public awareness to the invaluable service that libraries and information centers render. (<http://web.nlp.gov.ph/lis/node/27>).

This year's celebration, with the theme: "LibReal (Real, Engage, Advocate, Lead)," highlighted the importance of libraries in attaining the goal. November also marks the celebration of "Araw ng Pagbasa" (National Reading Day), which promotes reading and literacy, motivates awareness and upholds Filipino heritage and culture.

To highlight this year's celebration of LIS Month and Araw ng Pagbasa, the Quezon City Public Library has lined up storytelling activities to provide learners a chance to learn new knowledge. Without recognizing it, learners acquired valuable lessons through listening and imagining themselves as if they are the main characters in the story. In addition, it also helped learners develop their understanding and communication.

The books "Si Pagong at si Matsing," written by Dr. Jose Rizal and retold by Virgilio S. Almario with illustration from Hubert B. Fucio and "Si Lola Apura at Si Lolo Un Momento" written by Sheila (I.S.A) Lopez, illustrated by Vanessa Tamayo and published by Adarna House were used by QCPL Payatas Lupang Pangako Branch staff for their online storytelling activities held November 24 and 25 thru the google meet platform. Payatas C Elementary School benefited from the activity where Grade 3 pupils under the advisory class of Ms. Jovy Lopez enjoyed the story "Si Pagong at Si Matsing" while Grade 1 pupils under Ms. Salve Valenzuela learned a lot from the story of "Si Lola Apura at Si Lolo Un Momento."

Amid the pandemic situation, libraries from different parts of the country did not stop from providing its services to the communities. Different ideas were raised to engage and lead towards learning opportunities. Advocacy in reading is very real. Even though libraries in the National Capital Region (NCR) have not opened yet because of teh General Community Quarantine (GCQ), the QCPL continuous to provide library services in the communities.

Pasko sa Puso ng District VI Libraries sa Panahon ng Pandemya: A Book Giving Activity

BY: MYRENE MELANIO



District VI branch libraries in action

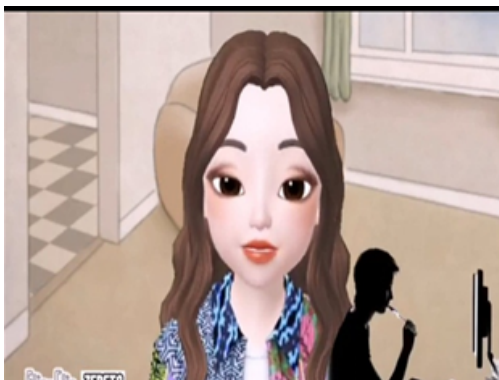
The Quezon City Public Library - District VI, composed of Pasong Tamo and Talipapa Branch Libraries, conducted a series of book-giving activities with the theme "Pasko sa Puso ng District VI Libraries sa Panahon ng Pandemya" on December 18, 2020 (Friday) at Marcel Village covered court in Barangay Pasong Tamo and Milagrosa Street, in Barangay Talipapa, respectively., The QCPL-District VI Libraries distributed big books to children in the two said barangays.

The gift-giving activity was launched to encourage children to read at home, especially during their free time in order to develop reading as a hobby and improve their vocabulary and creativity. The activity also served as a simple Christmas greeting to one of QCPL's most important customer, the children.

QCPL-District VI Libraries would like to thank Barangay Chairman Banjo Pilar and the Pasong Tamo Council and Councilor Marivic Co-Pilar, Barangay Chairman Eric R. Juan and the Talipapa Council and Councilor Roger Juan for sponsoring hygiene kits such as face mask, face shield and soap that were given to all the participants.

How to Take Care of Your Eyes

By: Ma. Carmen C. Chua



It is important to take care of our eyes as poor vision makes it difficult to read, cook, drive and can significantly affect one's work. However, many eye problems and diseases can be prevented if given proper care and treatment early. Eating fruits and vegetables like mangoes, bananas, sweet potatoes and carrots, which are high with beta-carotene, a form of Vitamin A, will make our eyes healthy. Taking dairy products like milk and any yogurt can also be added to your eye diet. Seeking advice of an eye professional for prescription will also prevent the deterioration of our vision.

In this regard, the Quezon City Public Library - Cubao Branch and Pasig Lions club collaborated a vision care video to educate and help viewers on how to take care of their valuable eyes especially today when work and classes are usually held online. Too much screen time, UV sunlight, contact lenses, smoking and excessive intake of alcohol are some recipes that can bring damage to our eyes. Having a good vision makes our direction clear and appreciate even the smallest things that God has created.

Ako Na Munting Bata at si Covid: Poster Making Contest

BY: ERLINDA D. CARRERA



The Quezon City Public Library - District VI Libraries conducted a Poster-Making contest with the theme "Ako na Munting Bata at si Covid" from October 12 to 23, 2020. The contest was open to QC children aged 8 to 12 years old. It aimed to educate children on the corona virus and how to stay safe during the pandemic. The contest also encouraged children to enhance their drawing skills and use their creativity while at home.

Also a virtual awarding ceremony for the winner of the Poster-Making Contest was held on October 30, 2020 via Google Meet. Twenty-two participants submitted their entries online. Judges for the contest were Ms. Cecilia G. Artates, Mr. Jenel S. Fuentes, and Ms. Bambi Joanna V. Ocampo. Adjudged as winners were Kristin Angela M. Martinez (1st place), Klein Era A. Pichay (2nd place), and Caitlen Rose M. Dellosa (3rd place).

Ms. Mariza G. Chico, OIC-Quezon City Public Library, Ms. Analiza C. Martinez, OIC, Head-District Libraries Division, and QCPL-District 6 employees, sponsored the prizes that were given during the contest. Winners received their prizes via Gcash.

Christmas Celebration in the Philippines

BY: PRIMA S. ALABATA

The QCPL-District III Libraries composed of Escopa 2, Escopa 3 and Greater Project 4 prepared and presented a meaningful online video presentation that showcased Filipino traditions about Christmas celebrations. This online video aimed to preserve this beautiful old fashioned Filipino tradition on how we celebrate this special occasion. Featuring the month-long celebration of Christmas. It showed that as early as September of every year, Christmas carols were played on the air, houses started to display and hang Christmas decors like colorful lights and lanterns, Santa Claus and reindeers, Belen was set up, re-telling of stories on how Jesus was born in a manger and Catholic people attending midnight mass that started on the 16th day of December. Families and friends were gathered together to share and have exchange gifts with sumptuous foods prepared and enjoyed fireworks displays. But the highlight of this video, was the greeting of staff with everyone "A MERRY CHRISTMAS" in different local dialects. Truly, Christmas is always a holiday every Catholic people celebrate around the world.



Various Online Activities and Posts of the QCPL's 4th quarter

The Zoom App

In the midst of the COVID19 pandemic, Zoom has become one of the most popular video- conferencing platforms to connect with people. With it, users can choose to record sessions, collaborate on projects, and share or annotate one another's screen, all under one easy-to-use platform. Given all these advantages, the Zoom app will prove to be very beneficial to teachers, learners, and affected employees who are working from home because of the quarantine.

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What is Tech4ED

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E-GOVERNMENT SERVICES SECTION

INTRODUCTION TO **TECH4ED'S** SEGMENT - eMarketPlace

WHAT IS TECH4ED?

Tech4ED stands for Technology for Education, to gain Employment, train Entrepreneurs towards Economic Development.

It is a project of the DOST-ICT Office that aims to harness ICT to enable, empower and transform society creating an inclusive, integrated and equitable countryside, through providing opportunities for employment and empowering entrepreneurs. Its mission is simple- To harness the power of ICT in society towards creating a progressive countryside in 42,000 Tech4ED centers nationwide.

By giving the marginalized access to digital opportunities, Tech4ED will now make it possible for hundreds and thousands of people to start businesses, get education, gain employment and take their first steps towards improving their families well-being, through a single ICT portal in a single center.

Know What is Tech4ED eMarketPlace Segment

eMarketPlace - Aims to help people reach markets beyond their exponential growth.

Contents Offered:

Mimanga
E-marketing platform which enables MSMEs assisted by government offices all over the provinces of Occidental Mindoro, Oriental Mindoro, Marinduque, Romblon, and Palawan to sell their products online.

oneStore
E-commerce Web Application that operates nationwide and caters primarily to Philippine consumers. oneStore helps the Department of Science and Technology's assisted MSMEs widen the scope of their target market. It can help deliver economic growth and increase business opportunities.

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Featured Hero: Antonio Luna

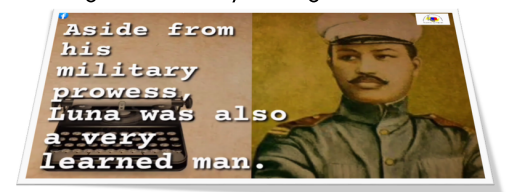
FEATURED HERO: Antonio Luna.

Antonio Luna has always been regarded as one of the fiercest generals in the history of the Philippine Revolution. However, we should always remember that General Luna was a man who had many impressive achievements in his lifetime. To know more about the man and the hero, that is Luna, here are some interesting facts that you might not heard before.

Main-Puppeteers/Featured Hero of the

Month, Information Dissemination/Video presentation/ October 7, 2020

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Facts about Philippine Bar Top Notchers (1913-)

QCPL's Did You Know Trivia:

7 Facts About Philippine Bar Top-Notchers (1913-Present)

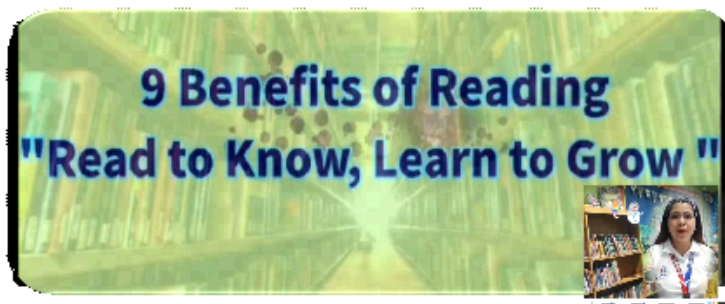
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9 Benefits of Reading



Sharpens your memory

Reading promotes brain development. Reading sharpens your memory as you remember most of the stories that you have read. It helps you to remember the characters, funny lines and plots of the story

Exercises our brain

Reading is much complex task for the human brain rather than watching TV. It strengthens our brain connectivity and builds new connections. Our brains require exercise to keep it strong and healthy just like our muscles in our body. Research found that when you are engaged in reading a book, it enhances the connectivity in the brain

Discover the joy of reading. The Quezon City Public Library District II shared a short video presentation that underscores the importance of reading and how it will inspire one to become successful should he/she decide to make reading a habit. Happy reading!

District II-Lupang Panagako/Information

Dissemination/Video presentation/ October 6, 2020

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Enhance concentration

Children have to sit still and quietly so they can focus on the story when they are reading. If the children read often, they will develop the skill to do this for longer.

Reading is fun

Children can have fun with reading by linking it to play through acting out, dressing up, drawing pictures, etc. Also, reading together on the sofa or visiting in the library are just some ways of spending time together with the family while reading and having fun.

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Develops imagination

Reading helps spark child's imagination and stimulates curiosity. Once they are reading the story, they are also imagining how a character is feeling. Watching their excitement turning page after page or having them, guess what happens next in the story is one of the most amazing things to experience.

Develops empathy

Reading makes it easier for us to relate to other people and sympathize with their emotions. It helps us to develop empathy by allowing us to feel what the character feels and by putting ourselves in someone else's shoes

Improves writing vocabulary

Children learn new words as they read. They absorb information on how to structure sentences and how to use words and other language features effectively in their writing and speaking.

Improves creativity

Reading about new things challenges your brain to think new ways. Reading helps children build imagination by stimulating the right side of the brain. Also it helps open their minds to new ideas and possibilities through other character's lives

Improves school performance

Reading promotes achievements in all subjects. Children who are good readers tend to achieve better across the curriculum. It is like the more you read the more you get to know. That every time you read you get upgraded.

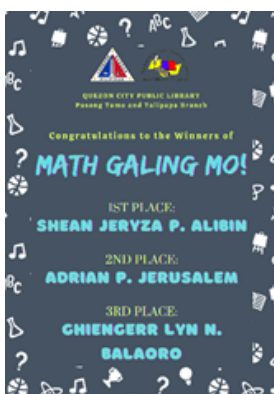
Storytelling: "Kakaibang Kalaban"

Naghahanap ka ba ng kasagutan para sa mga tanong na bumabagabag sa isipan ng iyong anak sa gitna ng kinakaharap nating krisis sa COVID-19? Upang maibsan ang inyong pag-aalala, inihandog ng Quezon City Public Library ang isang kwento na puno ng aral at inspirasyon na hango mismo sa mga karanasan ng may akda ngayong panahon ng pandemya.

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Math Galing Mo!



The Quezon City Public Library - District VI Libraries extended its congratulations to the winners of "Math Galing Mo" contest. Shean Jeryza Alibin won top honors while Adrian P. Jerusalem and Ghiengerr Lyn N. Balaoro, placed second and third, respectively. The contest, which ran from September 29 to October 2, 2020, was launched for Math lovers aged 13 to 14 years old. Under contest rules, participants need to answer 20 math questions within four minutes.

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KPI Guests QCPL's OIC Mariza G. Chico

Ms. Mariza G. Chico, OIC, Quezon City Public Library (QCPL) was invited as online guest to promote library services by Ms. Rachele Bonus, the anchor of KPI (Kaunlaran at Pagbabago para sa Iyo-KPI. The Nat'l LGUs Communities Program) program that airs on V81 Radio/www.v81radio.com on Saturday at 1:00 PM. KPI highlights projects or good examples that are not usually heard widely in the news with the intent to inspire others to do the same.

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Kaunlaran at Pagbabago para sa Inyo-KPI | SEASON 3 Episode 5 | Host Rachele Bonus and special guest co-host **Maridel Joriza** with guest Ms. **MARIZA CHICO**, OIC - Head ng QC Public Library

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Free Online Classes

FREE ONLINE CLASSES: Looking for online classes but can't afford the hefty fees?

Worry no more! Here's QCPL's monthly dose of FREE online classes where you can enjoy various online classes for FREE right at the comfort of your home.

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Learning Modality



Posted: October 27, 2020 (Children's Section)

Katuwang ng DepEd sa pagpapatupad nito ng blended learning, naghandog ng isang video presentation ang Quezon City Public Library sa layong gabayan ang mga mag aaral ngayong pasukan.

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Mga Kaganapan sa Lungsod Quezon ng Buwan ng Oktubre

Posted: October 30, 2020 (Filipiniana Section - Readers' Services Division)

Kasabay ng pagdiriwang ng pagkakatatag ng Lungsod Quezon sa buwan ng Oktubre, alamin ang iba't-ibang mahahalagang kaganapan na lalong nagpatingkad sa kasaysayan ng lungsod sa buwang ito.

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In Celebration of Global Handwashing Day

Posted: October 31, 2020 (Children's Section/Puppeteers)

Mga bata alam niyo ba ng tamang paraan ng pag huhugas ng kamay? Panoorin ang musical video na ito at tampok ang ating bibong-bibo na mga kaibigang papet. Tara at sabayan natin silang kumanta!

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Storytelling: "Idol ko si Titser"

Posted: October 31, 2020

Bilang pagpupugay sa mga natatanging ambag ng mga guro sa pagpapalawak ng antas ng edukasyon sa ating bansa, inihandog ng Quezon City Public Library ang kwento ng isang guro na nagsilbing inspirasyon sa kanyang mga mag aaral sa loob ng silid-aralan.

Title: Idol ko si Titser

Author: Joann R. Caranza

Illustrator: Ricardo C. Tansio

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QCPL's Talipapa Branch Received Donation

Quezon City Councilor Roger Juan turned over alcohol dispensers, chlorine, disinfecting mats, and alcohol to the Quezon City Public Library Talipapa Branch. The library staff were thankful for the donation citing this as instrumental in the effort of controlling the spread of COVID-19 in the facility. Also present during the occasion is Barangay Chairman Atty. Eric R. Juan.

District VI-Talipapa/ Acknowledgement/
Documentation Photos/

October 22, 2020

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LIB Crafts : Using Recyclable Materials

Problem disposing old tin cans?

Worry no more as you can recycle and transform them into beautiful cushion seats. With the launch of the Quezon City Public Library's LibCraft: Library Crafts using Recycling Materials Series, recycling ideas are endless where one can also earn additional income using recyclable materials commonly found in our own homes.

District VI-Libraries Library Activity -

Art Craft Demo Video presentation/ October 22, 2020

Source:

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Online Reading Tutorial

The challenges brought by COVID19 has led to the increase in the use of technologies and gadgets to improve learning. To keep abreast with these technologies, an online reading tutorial was presented by the Quezon City Public Library - District III to enhance the learning skills of schoolchildren while staying home during the pandemic.

District III Libraries/Online Reading Tutorial/Video presentation/ October 20, 2020

Source:

<https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=810601833087760>



How to Make Foam Puppets

How to Make Foam Puppets

Why do kids love puppets? Puppets can tell stories on their own (with a little help from you) or make a book come to life. Puppets are also a great tool for teaching rhyme in early literacy development. Acting out a story with puppets captures children's attention to help them focus on the story. This video taught one on how to create your own puppet at the convenience of your own homes.

Main-Puppeteers/Art, Puppet Making/Youtube-Video presentation/ October 20, 2020

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Share-A-Book Contest

Posted: November 3, 2020 (Shared post from NLP facebook)

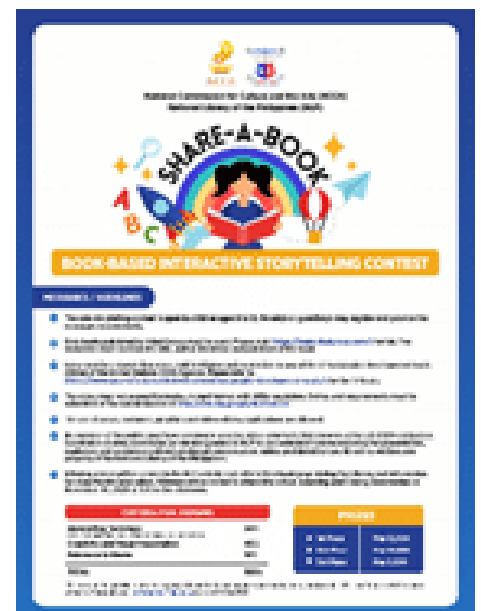
This calls on all parents / legal guardians of children ages 9 to 12! It encouraged them to join the Share-a-Book Contest which aims to provide an opportunity for children to develop love for books and reading thereby enhancing their presentation and communication skills through storytelling.

For more details visit our website at web.nlp.gov.ph/lis

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Storytelling: " Ang Super Lola ni Pia"

Posted: November 3, 2020

Alam mo ba kung paano pwedeng protektahan ng ating mga lolo at lola ang kanilang mga sarili ngayong pandemya lalo at higit na isa sila sa may pinakamataas na tyansa na dapuan o mahawa ng COVID-19? Ang kwentong "Ang Super Lola ni Pia," isang kwentong pambata tungkol sa COVID-19.

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Author: Neph Botor

Illustrator: Helga Vergara

Layout Artist: Kate del Rosario

Sign language translation ni: Rialyn D. Espijon

Maraming salamat din kina: Marielle De Guzman

at John Paul G. Luana



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Storytelling: "Ginoong Spout"

Posted: November 3, 2020 (District V)

Inihandog ng pampublikong aklatan sa ika-5 Distrito ang kwento ni Ginoong Spout, isang nilalang na walang hininging anumang kapalit sa kabila ng kanyang kasipagan, pagka-matulongin at pagiging mapagbigay. Kwentong kapupulutan ng aral.

Title: Ginoong Spout

Author: Prabha Bhattarai

Illustrator: Ujwal Tamang



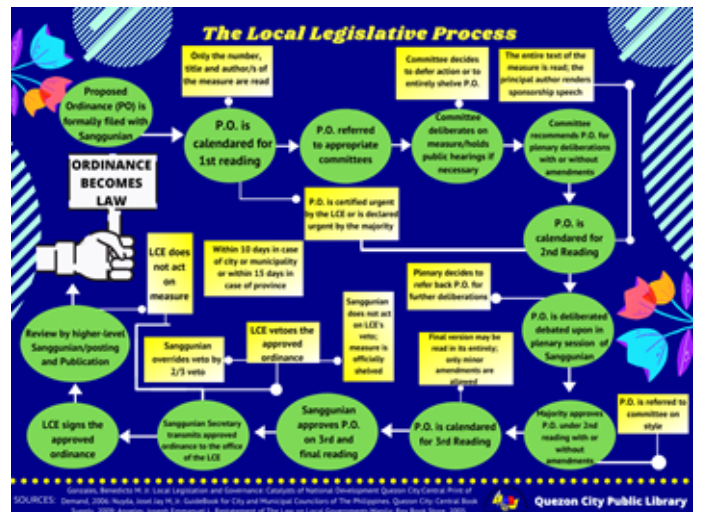
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The Local Legislative Process

Posted: November 4, 2020

Learn how a proposed ordinance becomes law.

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E-Travel

Posted: November 5, 2020 (District I Masambong Branch) In celebration of Library and Information Services Month, the QCPL-Masambong Branch, District I, showcased a virtual tour of some heritage sites in the country. A timely activity amidst the pandemic when visiting beautiful places in the country is not yet allowed or with restrictions and strict health protocols.

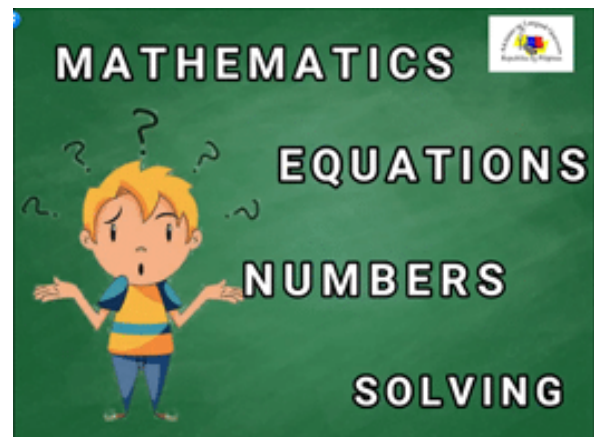
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Math Level 1 App

Posted: November 6, 2020 (Children's Section)
Nais mo bang mapahusay ang iyong arithmetic skills habang naglalaro? Yes! Habang naglalaro with your friends. Sa pamamagitan ng Ibigkas! Math Level 1 application, magiging enjoyable ang math para sa iyo. Source: Ateneo Laboratory for the Learning Sciences <http://penoy.admu.edu.ph/~alls/>

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Birtuwal Kwentuhan sa Munting Pamayanan

Posted: November 6, 2020 (District VI)

In a bid to encourage children to develop their reading habits when most of them are glued on their gadgets in this time of the pandemic, the Quezon City Public Library - District 6 Libraries, launched an online reading campaign dubbed "Birtuwal Kwentuhan sa Munting Pamayanan" in support to the celebration of Library and Information Services Month in November. The presentation featured children aged 6 to 10 years old reading books in the safety and comfort of their homes. Library staff also distributed Big Books as gifts for the children.

Title: Ang Kamatis ni Peles
Author: Virgilio S. Almario
Illustrator: Renato Gamos



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Paano Nabuo ang Lungsod Quezon

Posted: November 8, 2020 (District IV)

Marami sa atin ang nakakaalam na ang Quezon City ay isinunod sa pangalan ni dating Pangulong Manuel L. Quezon. Subalit alam ba natin kung paano nabuo at nagsimula ang Quezon City?

Bilang pakikiisa sa pagdiriwang ng pagkakatatag ng lungsod, inihandog ng Quezon City Public Library ang simpleng kwento na ito bilang pagpupugay sa ating minamahal na Lungsod Quezon.



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How to Use Kahoot App

Gawing kawili-wili ang inyong pagtuturo sa bagong "New Normal." Halina at sama-samang nating panoorin ang palabas na maring magamit hindi lamang ng mga teachers para sa kanilang mga online class kundi pati na din mga mummies na nais maturuan ang kanyang mga bibong chikiting.

Main-Puppeteer's / Puppet

Show/ Information Literacy/ November 10, 2020

Source: <https://www.facebook.com/quezoncitypubliclibrary/videos/>

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Book Character-Relate Yourself Contest

An educational contest designed to encourage children to develop their love for reading and libraries was launched by the Quezon City Public Library - District I Libraries as it joins the celebration of Library and Information Services Month this November. Under the virtual "Book Character-Relate Yourself" contest, children aged 7 to 10 years may engage themselves in different book characters while developing their reading habits. Exciting cash prizes await participants of the contest, which has as theme: "Ang Ating mga Alamat sa Pananaw ng mga Kabataan sa Panahon ng Pandemya." The contest runs from November 9 to 27.

District 1 Libraries/Book

Character Online Contest/ November 09, 2020

Source:

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE ON LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION SERVICES (NCLIS)
NATIONAL LIBRARY OF THE PHILIPPINES (NLP)
QUEZON CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY - DISTRICT I BRANCH LIBRARIES

MECHANICS:

- Open for children ages 7 to 10 years old.
- Participants shall submit a recorded video of themselves portraying their chosen *Legendary Book Character*:
 - Wearing a Do-It-Yourself (DIY) costume of their chosen character.
 - Telling a concise summary of the chosen "Legend or Alamat" and highlighting the positive values they have learned from it.
 - Must bear resemblance to or looks like the character from their chosen Legend or Alamat Story that conveys the theme's positive values.
- The VIDEO should only take 2-3 minutes and be submitted to nypl_district1@gmail.com together with their personal information:
 - NAME OF PARTICIPANT:
 - AGE:
 - ADDRESS:
 - CONTACT NUMBER OF PARENT/GUARDIAN:
 - LEGENDARY BOOK CHARACTER CHOSEN:

NOTE: Your personal information will be used solely for this contest.
 Submission of entries is until **November 20, 2020** and announcement of winners will be on **November 27, 2020**.
 The board of judges will be composed of CCPL heads and/or officials. Judges' decisions are FINAL.

CRITERIA FOR JUDGING:

CREATIVITY	30%
ORIGINALITY	30%
AUDIENCE IMPACT (through like and share)	20%
PROJECTION	20%
TOTAL	100%

PRIZES:

1st Place	Php 2,000.00
2nd Place	Php 1,500.00
3rd Place	Php 1,000.00

Thank you for your interest in joining and celebrating with us in this annual event.

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Official Replica of "Carta Hydrographica Y Chorographica De La Islas Filipinas Manila", entrusted to QCPL (a shared QCGov activity)



Thank you Mayor Joy Belmonte for entrusting the Official Replica ng Carta Hydrographica Y Chorographica De La Yslas Filipinas Manila o ang replika ng "Mother of all Maps," to the QCPL.

Quezon City Government/Turn over local history collection/share post/Photos/ November 21, 2020

Source:

<https://www.facebook.com/QCGov/posts/436779901043106>

(Same photos as number 2)

TINGNAN - Mainit na tinanggap ni Mayor Joy Belmonte ang Official Replica ng Carta Hydrographica Y Chorographica De La Yslas Filipinas Manila o ang replika ng "Mother of all Maps," ang pinaka-unang mapa ng Pilipinas na ginawa noong 1734. Ang mapa ay nagpapakita ng buong arkipelago ng Pilipinas kasama ang pinag-aagawang Bajo de Masinloc sa West Philippine Sea. Ito ay donasyon ng negosyante at educator na si Mel Velarde. Pinuri din ni Velarde si Mayor Belmonte sa naging pagtugon ng lokal na pamahalaan sa #Covid19PH sa tuloy-tuloy na pagbaba ng aktibong kaso ng Covid-19 sa Quezon City mula Setyembre. Ayon kay Mayor Joy Belmonte, malaking bagay ang mapa sa pag-aaral tungkol sa teritoryo at kasaysayan ng bansa sa ika-18 siglo sa mata ng mga dayuhan. Ang mapa ay ilalagak sa Quezon City Public Library kasama ang ilang mga libro patungkol dito.

Quezon City Government/Turn over local history collection/Share post/Photos/ November 20, 2020

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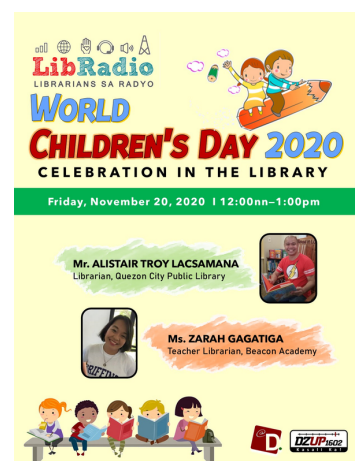
QCPL on LibRadio in celebration of World Children's Day 2020

Sina G. Alistair Troy B. Lacsamana, Librarian ng Quezon City Public Library at si Bb. Zarah Gagatiga, Teacher-Librarian ng Beacon Academy ay naging mga panauhin para sa talakayang, ang "World Children's Day 2020 Celebration in the Library". Inere sa DZUP 1602 at livestream sa dzup.org.

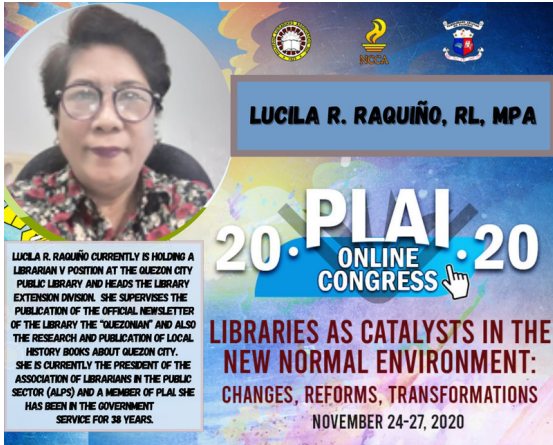
Libradio/Guesting/Children's Day Celebration/shared post/ November 19, 2020

Source:

<https://www.facebook.com/UPDLibRadio/photos/a.1609252326019456/2865869690357707/>



PLAI Online Congress 2020- QCPL Division Chief as one of the Speakers



Day 3 of the PLAI Online Congress 2020 featured one of the Quezon City Public Library's Division Chief, Ms. Lucila R. Raquiño rendering the theme: *Public Libraries and Librarians: Adapting and Responding in this New Normal Environment-Ms. Lucila Raquiño, RL. She talked on the best practices of QCPL, its innovation and other services.

Philippine Librarians Association, Inc. (PLAI)/ Online Congress/ Information Dissemination/
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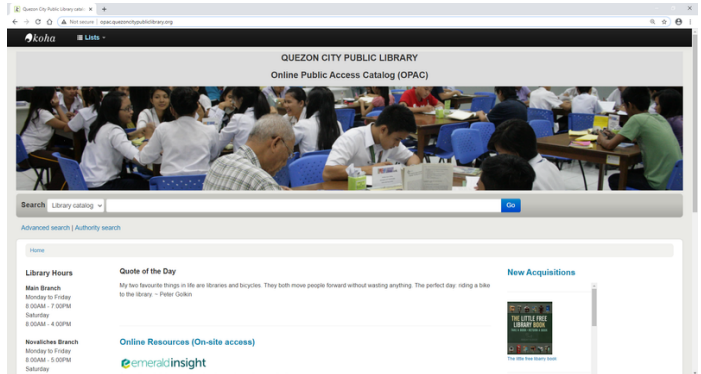
Posted: November 27, 2020 (QCPL -DLD)

Sumakay sa masayang byahe na tiyak na magpapangiti sa inyo at kilalanin si Kas, "Ang Barumbadong Bus" sa kwento ni Rene O. Villanueva at iginuhit ni Jo Bereber-Gando. Inilimbag ng Adarna House. Inihandog ng QCPL District Libraries Division.

Title: Ang Barumbadong Bus
Author: Rene O. Villanueva
Illustrator: Jo Bereber-Gando

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QCPL's Online Public Access Catalog (OPAC)



Good news! Available at the Quezon City Public Library's Online Public Access Catalog (OPAC) and can be accessed online. With this development, library clients can browse QCPL's wide array of collections in all its branches and the main, from books to thesis, kits and disc collection whenever and wherever they are.

Main/ Digital Literacy/Information Dissemination/
Photo/
November 19, 2020

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Storytelling: "Ang Barumbadong Bus"



Storytelling: Puppet Berto, Moana



Posted: November 28, 2020 (Puppeteers Youtube)

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Storytelling: Grandma and Me (Kasama ko si Lola)

Posted: November 28, 2020 (District 3 branch)

Alamin natin ang kwento ng mga batang lumaki at nagkaisip sa piling ng kanilang mga lola tulad ni Bea sa isang video presentation na inihandog ng Quezon City Public Library District 3 Branch bilang pakikiisa nito sa pagdiriwang ng Library and Information Services Month. Tiyak namin na kapupulutan ninyo ito ng aral. Maligayang panonood!

Title: Grandma and Me (Kasama ko si Lola)

Author: Mila Guevarra

Illustrator: Jonathan De Vera



<https://www.facebook.com/quezoncitypubliclibrary/videos/3513861905401002/>

Andres Bonifacio: The Great Plebian

Posted: November 30, 2020 (Children's Section)

ANDRES BONIFACIO 1863-1897. Many believed that Andres Bonifacio's life was filled with tragedy as well as mystery. For most Filipinos, the Great Plebian was nothing more than a face etched in a coin or an eponymous hero behind Fort Bonifacio.

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Free Webinar: Basic Japanese Language Class

Posted: December 3, 2020

Konnichiwa! Quezon City Public Library's free online basic Japanese language was again conducted by the QCPL. In line with this, the QCPL had called on interested participants to register early as classes was made available on a FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVED basis. The program, launched by QCPL, in partnership with Jellyfish Education Philippines, Inc. was scheduled on December 10, 2020 at 12:30 PM and 2:30 PM, via Zoom. As a reminder, participants were advised to take note of the following:

- Platform: Zoom Application
- Schedule: Thursday, 12:30 PM and 2:30 PM
- Instructor: Yamashita Sensei
- Maximum of 455 participants per class
- 2 hour class only
- Digital certificate

- Contact person:

Mr. Ernani A. Agulto, RL, LPT

Reference Section, QCPL

Email: eaagulto.qcpl@gmail.com

REQUIREMENTS:

- Age 18 year old - above
- Laptop/desktop or smartphone
- Stable internet connection
- Zoom application and account



REGISTRATION:

All interested individuals registered through this link: https://bit.ly/Registration_December

This free online class was on a FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVED basis. Only the first 455 successful registrants were accommodated per class; - All successful registrants were emailed and was required to confirm their attendance via email on the schedule they have agreed to join. Failure to confirm the attendance within 24 hours automatically remove the registrant from the official list of attendees and the slot was given to other registrant.

REMINDERS were also given to each participant to have a Zoom account and application downloaded on his/her computer/ laptop or smartphone; This account is required to help the Zoom moderator to facilitate during the online class; Participants were reminded too that the account name used for the online class reflected the registered Zoom account name for it to be recognized easily during online admission. (Suggestion: The participant may opt to use his/her real name instead of an alias or other names. Participants were sent email with their digital certificate a week after the online class.

#LearnJapanese

#Nihongo

#FreeNihongoClass

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Video Reading Tutorial

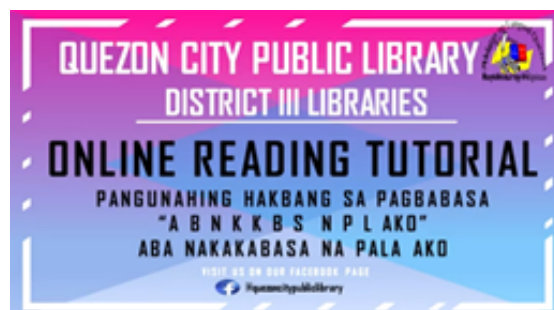
Posted: November 30, 2020 (QCPL District III)

A video reading tutorial designed to help children practice and improve their reading skills is being presented by the QCPL - District III Libraries. The activity, which has a theme: "Sama-samang Itaguyod ang Karapatan ng Bawat Bata sa Panahon ng Pandemya," forms part of QCPL's participation to the celebration of Library and Information Services Month and National Children's Month.

Title: Ang Iitim na Kuting

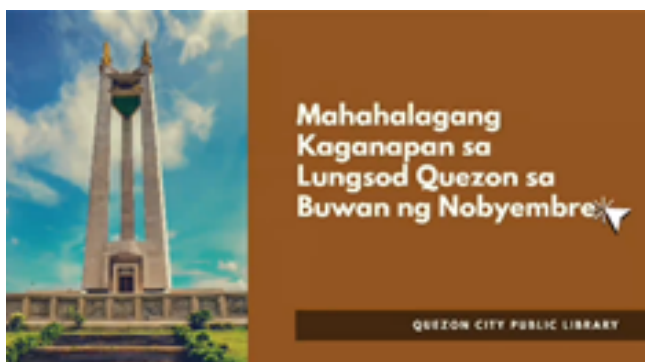
Author: Natasha Vizcarra

Illustrator: Ferdinand Guevara



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Mga Kaganapan sa Lungsod Quezon sa Buwan ng Nobyembre



Posted: November 30, 2020 (Filipiniana Section)

Mga mahahalagang kaganapan sa Lungsod Quezon sa buwan ng Nobyembre.

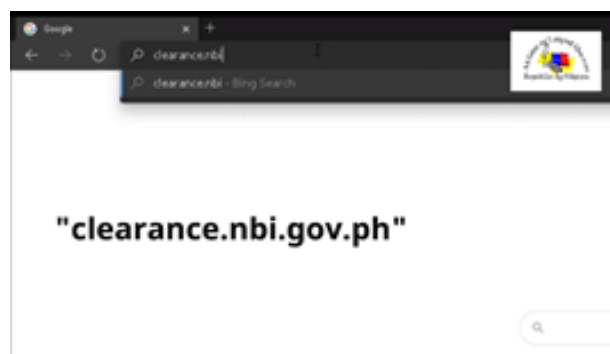
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How to Get thru NBI Online

Posted: December 1, 2020 (eGovernment Services Section)

Upang gabayan ang mga nagnanais kumuha ng NBI clearance, isang video ang inihandog ng Quezon City Public Library na layong ipakita ang proseso ng pagkuha nito, lalo pa at online scheduling na ang ginagamit para dito. Kailangan nyo po pumunta sa www.clearance.nbi.gov.ph para po makakuha ng schedule.

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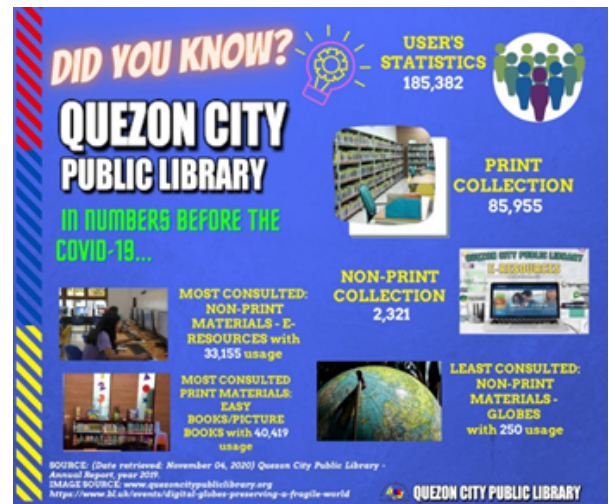


QC Trivia

Posted: December 4, 2020 (QCPL)

QCPL: What You Need To Know About Us

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Storytelling: "Tight Times"

Posted: December 4, 2020 (District I)

The Quezon City Public Library District I shared a heartwarming story of a family struggling to survive in this trying time. Entitled "Tight Times," the story reminded us as to how to remain contented and thankful for the things we have in life, no matter how little or small they are.

Title: Tight Times

Author: Jeanette

Patindol

Illustrator: Sergio Bumatay III

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Storytelling on Gratitude

Posted: December 4, 2020 (Recreational Section)

Kailan ka ba huling nagpasalamat sa biyayang natanggap mo? Ang video na ito ay inihandog sa layong maturuan ang mga bata na magpasalamat sa mga bagay na natanggap maliit man o malaki.

Inspired by the story: Bee Thankful

Author: Joyce Piap-Go

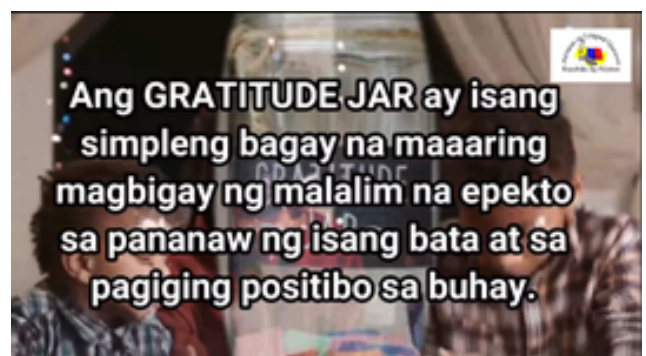
Written by: Joyce Piap-Go

Illustrated by:

Maria Cristina Sison

Source: <https://www.passagesbooks.com/products/bee-thankful...>

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Learning Likha

Posted: December 8, 2020 (Children's Section)

Tara na at samahan natin sina Taro at Likha sa kanilang adventure kung saan makikita natin ang iba't-ibang uri ng mga nanganganib o endangered na mga hayop. Layon din ng kanilang adventure na ipaalam sa atin kung paano natin mapapagaling at maililigtas ang mga nasabing hayop mula sa tuluyang pagkaubos ng mga ito. Maari itong i-download ang Learning Likha 2.



Source: Ateneo Laboratory for the Learning Sciences <http://penoy.admu.edu.ph/~alls/>
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Process on How to Get Passport Video

Posted: December 9, 2020 (E-GOV)

Sa layong gabayan ang mga nagnanais kumuha ng passport, inihahandog ng Quezon City Public Library ang isang video na nagpapakita ng wastong proseso kung paano kumuha ng passport, lalo pa at online scheduling na ang ginagamit sa pagkuha nito. Kinakailangan lamang po na pumunta sa <https://www.passport.gov.ph/> upang makapag apply at makakuha ng schedule o appointment.

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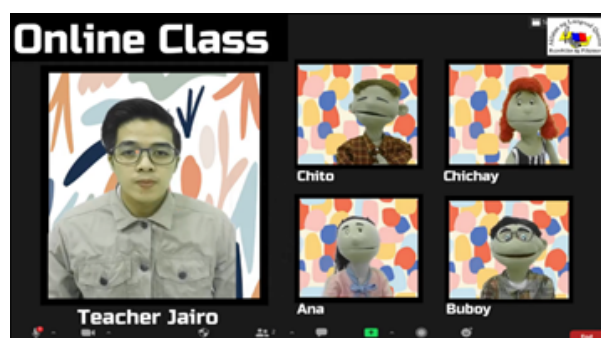


Online Class with Kuya Jairo

Posted: December 11, 2020 (Children's Section/Puppeteers)

Mga bata, tara na at samahan natin sa kanilang online class sina Kuya Jairo kasama ang kanyang mga kaibigang papet habang nagbabahagi sila ng kalaaman tungkol sa mga sintomas ng COVID19 at mga pamamaraan kung paano natin ito maiiwasan.

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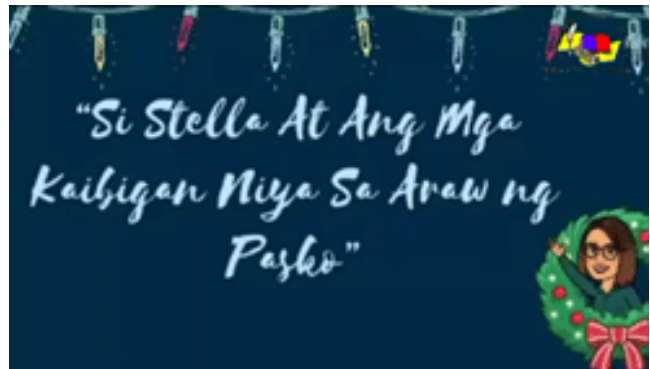
Storytelling: "Si Stella at ang mga Kaibigan Niya sa Araw ng Pasko"

Posted: December 15, 2020 (District III)

Isa na namang kwentong inihandog ng Quezon City Public Library District III tungkol sa batang si Stella na sa kabila ng kanyang karangyaan sa buhay ay lubos ang ipinapakitang pagmamahal sa kapwa.

Title: Si Stella At Ang Mga Kaibigan Niya Sa Araw Ng Pasko

Author: Sandy Ghaz



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Digital Parenting

Posted: December 15, 2020

DIGITAL PARENTING TIPS: SCREEN TIME GUIDELINES BY AGE (excerpts from the DICT-SLSU Parenting webinar)

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Storytelling: Ang Pasko ni Benny

Posted: December 16, 2020 (District III)

Kilalanin natin si Benny, ang bida sa kwentong inihandog ng Quezon City Public Library District 3, na naniniwalang hindi kinakailangang bago o mamahalin ang isang bagay para lamang makapag pasaya ng iba. Para kay Benny, importante ang pagkakaroon ng mabuting intensyon upang mapalaganap ang kapaskuhan araw-araw. Halina at sama-sama nating tunghayan ang kanyang kwento na tiyak naming kapupulutan ninyo ng aral.

Title: Ang Pasko ni Benny; Author/Illustrator: Misao Zurita
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Basic Citation Guide

Posted: December 7, 2020

To guide students and professionals on how to give credit for the reference materials or sources they used for their research, the Quezon City Public Library (QCPL) offered basic citation guides using the styles of the American Psychological Association (APA), Chicago Manual of Style and Modern Language Association (MLA). PDF copies of these citation guides can be downloaded from the QCPL OPAC page: <http://opac.quezoncitypubliclibrary.or>

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Gift Giving Activity by District V Branch Libraries

Posted: December 16, 2020 (District V)

The Quezon City Public Library - District V Libraries has spread the spirit of Christmas to some 40 underprivileged children from Barangay Pasong Putik who were provided gift packs by library staff on December 7. The gift giving activity was described by QCPL staff as an opportunity to let these children feel that they are truly loved especially in this season of giving and sharing. It also served as a reminder that Christmas will always be in the hearts of every library staff amid the threat of the pandemic.

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Emilio Jacinto: Utak ng Katipunan

Posted: December 17, 2020 (Recreational Section)

Kasama ang animated tropa ng recreational section ng Quezon City Public Library, sama-sama nating kilalanin ang tinaguriang utak ng Katipunan na si Emilio Jacinto, na sa ngayon ay halos limot na natin ang pangalan at kadalasan ay naiuugnay na lamang sa pangalan ng kalye o kalsada.

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Storytelling: "The Night Before Christmas"



Posted: December 18, 2020 (District II)

Quezon City Public Library District II shared a bedtime Christmas story entitled "The Night Before Christmas" that surely inspired and warmed our hearts in the season of giving and sharing. The Night Before Christmas was written by Clement C. Moore and illustrated by Corrine Malvern. Happy listening!

Title: The Night Before Christmas

Author: Clement C. Moore; Illustrator: Corrine Malvern.

<https://www.facebook.com/quezoncitypubliclibrary/posts/10157831885688170>

Link to Access QC Ordinances



Posted: December 22, 2020

Links to access QC Ordinances, Philippine laws and Philippine Supreme Court Jurisprudence.

<https://www.facebook.com/quezoncitypubliclibrary/photos/a.10152774543148170/10157842299483170/>

Mr. Count 12 Days of Christmas



Posted: December 23, 2020 (Puppet)

Samahan natin ang makukulit at bibong magbarkadang papet na sina Ana, Owlet at Mr. Count sa kanilang orihinal na bersyon ng 12 days of Christmas quarantine version. Inihandog ng QCPL Puppeteers.

<https://www.facebook.com/quezoncitypubliclibrary/posts/10157844198763170>

Storytelling: "Parable of the Rainbow"



Posted: December 23, 2020 (District 4)

The Parable of the rainbow colors is a story about how God created each colors uniquely and for a special purpose. United together, it reminded us of God's faithfulness and how He wants us to live harmoniously in peace.

<https://www.facebook.com/quezoncitypubliclibrary/videos/228190892077902/>

DIY Christmas Card

Posted: December 23, 2020 (District 3)

This Christmas, what could be a better gift to give to your loved ones than a personalized Christmas greeting card the Do-It-Yourself (DIY) way. To demonstrate, an instructional video was presented by the Quezon City District III Libraries to teach you how to make DIY cards.

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Storytelling: "Pabili ng Munting Ilaw"

Posted: December 29, 2020

Ang pagkakaroon ng positibong pananaw sa gitna ng mga hirap at pagsubok na kinakaharap ay ang tema ng kwentong "Pabili ng Munting Ilaw" na inihandog sa atin ng Quezon City Public Library sa pagtatapos ng taong 2020. Magsilbi sana itong inspirasyon upang manatili tayong matatag sa kabila ng mga hamon sa buhay.

Pabili ng munting ilaw: Tsikiting Stories

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