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Title : 2012 OISCA CHILDREN'S FOREST PROGRAM (CFP) NATIONAL COORDINATORS' CONFERENCE

Theme : "Revisiting the Past and Moving Towards a Sustainable Future"

Date : July 11- 15, 2012

Venue : Rizal Re-Creation Center
Rizal, Laguna

Participants : CFP National Coordinators, one Understudy per Coordinator,
OISCA Manila Staff, Facilitators

Objectives:

1. To assess impact of previous conferences in the operation of provincial CFP centers;
2. To identify problems and/or difficulties in the implementation of sustainability programs and prepare a plan of action or recommendation for addressing these problems and/or difficulties;
3. To provide the Coordinators' updates on
 - a. OISCA International's Plans and Programs
 - b. Funding opportunities for program sustainability;
4. To understand the National Greening Program (NGP) and incorporate NGP in the CFP;
5. To introduce the concepts of edible landscaping and water bonsai;
6. To provide a venue for team building among conference participants.

Schedule of Activities:

Wednesday, 11 July		
		Arrival of Participants at OISCA Manila Office
		Informal meeting: reports, etc.
Thursday, 12 July		
4:45AM		Depart for Rizal, Laguna Obentou box for breakfast
7:00AM		Arrival at the venue Register and check-in at the dormitory of Rizal Re-Creation Center, Rizal, Laguna
8:00AM		Registration of Participants and Guests at the Reception Hall
9:00AM	11:30AM	Opening Program Overview of the Conference House Rules/History and Concept of the Re-Creation Center at the Function Room
11:31	11:59	Break and Free Time
12:00NN		Lunch at the Dining Hall
1:00PM	1:30PM	Review of previous conferences at the Function Room
1:31PM	5:59PM	Workshop 1: Assessment from Provincial Centers Identification of problems/difficulties per Centers Presentation of Output
6:00PM		Dinner at the Dining Hall
7:00PM	8:59PM	Workshop 2: Planning to address problems and difficulties (with resource persons from previous conferences) Group discussion Presentation of plans
9:00PM	9:45PM	Updates and Opportunities: OISCA International's Plans and Programs Funding opportunities for program sustainability
9:46PM	9:59PM	Break and Free time
10:00PM		Lights off

Friday, 13 July			6:00PM		Dinner at the Dining Hall
5:30AM		Wake-up call	7:00PM	7:30PM	OTTAA Philippines, Inc. Concerns at the Function Room
5:35AM	6:15AM	Exercise at the Center's Ground	7:31PM	8:30PM	Conference Evaluation/Impressions
6:16AM	6:59AM	Free time	8:31PM	9:45PM	Bonding/Bonfire at the Campfire Area
7:00AM		Breakfast at the Dining Hall	9:46PM	9:59PM	Free time
8:00AM	10:00AM	Team Building Activities at the Center's Ground	10:00PM		Lights off
10:01AM	11:30AM	Processing/Reflection at the Native Cottage	Sunday, 15 July		
11:31AM	11:59AM	Break and Free time	5:30AM		Wake-up call
12:00NN		Lunch at the Dining Hall	5:35AM	6:35AM	Exercise at the Center's Ground
1:00PM	1:30PM	Recap of Day 1 at the Function Room	6:36AM	6:59AM	Free time
1:31PM	2:00PM	Introduction to the National Greening Program and the Memorandum of Agreement with DENR, DA, DepEd and PNVSCA	7:00AM		Breakfast at the Dining Hall
2:01PM	4:00PM	National Greening Program (NGP)	8:00AM		Check-out Optional Tour-Liliw, Laguna HOME SWEET HOME
4:01PM	5:30PM	Open Forum	<p>Please note that we are proposing an optional tour of Liliw, Laguna on 15th July, Sunday. Liliw is a highland municipality in southern Laguna famous for native sweets and a shoe industry that rivals Marikina City.</p> <p>All participants are advised to bring at least one (1) Laptop, flashlight, swim gears, pasalubong and token. Also, all are encouraged to bring pocket money in purchasing locally made footwear, etc!</p> <p>We are hopeful that this Conference will further hone the skills of the CFP Provincial Coordinators, selected OISCA ex-trainees i.e. Old Boys/Girls (OBs/OGs) and local beneficiaries where the OISCA CFP and other OISCA projects are being implemented and to come up with plan of action or recommendation for addressing problems and/or difficulties in existing project sites and stakeholders.</p>		
5:31PM	5:59PM	Break and Free time			
6:00PM		Dinner at the Dining Hall			
7:01PM	9:30PM	Workshop 3: Planning for incorporation of NGP in CFP			
9:31PM	9:59PM	Break and Free time	<p>Prepared by:</p> <p><i>Maribeth N. Reboton</i></p> <p>MARIBETH N. REBOTON Acting Resident Coordinator</p>		
10:00		Lights off			
Saturday, 14 July					
5:30AM		Wake-up call			
5:35AM	7:00AM	Exercise/Swimming/Ball Games at the Center's Ground			
7:01AM	7:29AM	Free time			
7:30AM		Breakfast at the Dining Hall			
8:30AM		Recap of Day 2 at the Function Room			
8:45AM	11:30AM	Lecture on Edible Landscaping Practicum/Workshop			
11:31AM	11:59AM	Break and Free time			
12:00NN		Lunch at the Dining Hall			
1:00PM	4:00PM	Lecture on Water Bonsai Practicum/Workshop			
4:01PM	5:59PM	Break and Free time Preparation for Social Night			