



# THE UCMPFI (VOL. 13 ISSUE NO.2 | FEBRUARY 2025 NEWSLETTER

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE UCM PHILIPPINES FOUNDATION, INC.

## **Doing Well**

As school year 2024-2025 nears its midpoint, we find our children and scholars continuing steadfast in their activities, and thoroughly enjoying them.

#### Scholars' Bible Study

Thirty scholars (27 GEESE and 3 TRACE) attended the Bible study held on February 1. Ms. Lily Torrente facilitated the continuation of lessons from the Bethel series - Old Testament, Study Four - Pronouncement of a Destiny: God takes the initiative and introduces a plan designed to save his world from the dilemma imposed by sin and evil. The plan begins with a covenant made between God and Abraham (Gen. 12:1-3).

In the previous month's Bible study, the scholars are given assignments which they then discuss in the following month's study. The facilitators are pleased to note that the scholars do their work in this activity as diligently as they attend to their school work, showing their keen interest in learning the Scriptures.



### **Scholars' Monitoring and Evaluation**

The Foundation took advantage of the presence of the scholars on February 1 to do the regular monitoring and evaluation. Five volunteers from Union Church of Manila carried out the task of talking with each scholar to discuss their school performance and any other concerns that the scholars cared to share, including personal, family, and other matters.











#### **CENEP Assessment and Activities**

In the past month, CENEP teachers and staff rigorously carried on with the children's programmed learning activities. The 3rd quarter learning assessment for CENEP classes was held on February 27 and 28.

In addition to this regular assessment to monitor the effective implementation of programs, CENEP teachers also measure the height and weight of the children on the last Friday of every month and submit daily reports on classroom activities including attendance, lessons taken up, meals served, and the presence and participation of parents. On this page, we give you a glimpse of the goings-on in our CENEP sites.



Cainta 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter assessment



Cainta meal time



Cainta exercise time



Mandaluyong 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter assessment



Mandaluyong play time



Mandaluyong storytelling time



Marikina 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter assessment



Marikina prayer time



Marikina writing time

#### **Recognitions for Scholars**

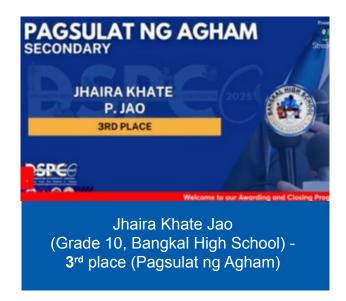
The opening of the 2025 Division Schools Press Conference and Contests (DSPC) for Makati City was held on February 8, 2025 at the Ruben H. Santos Hall of Makati High School.

The awarding and recognition of the winners in various competitions at both elementary and secondary school levels were held at the Makati Hope Christian School on February 15, 2025. Three GEESE scholars were among the awardees.











Several other scholars were awarded certificates of honor and outstanding performance in specific subjects as of the 3rd quarter of school year 2024-2025. One of them, Patrick Aguino, a TRACE scholar and first year student in BS Tourism at the Polytechnic University, made it to the President's List.

Do visit our website www.ucmphilfoundation.org to know more about the Foundation's activities and to participate in continuing to provide a better life to these children and young people. For your inquiries, please call (63 2) 8812-6062 or 8812-5609 or email us at ucmpfi@gmail.com.