

Subject: News from Bohol

Dear ones,

May you be well and may you be abundantly blessed!

With us, the year has started the way the old one ended, with joy and satisfaction for a rewarding work. Here are some photos of our Aquaponics and STEPS preschool:

Aquaponics

The lettuce, the herbs and tomatoes, and everything else that grows in our bamboo tubes, coconut shells and PVC tubes, thrives and matures about twice as fast as the traditional way. Looking good, huh?



STEPS Pre-School

Recently, the parents and teachers of the STEP students prepared a big surprise for my birthday (Joy): a party with everything that goes with it: a meal with cake and ice cream, music and song, dance and a few demonstrations of the children. A joyous affair! Apart from that, the lessons continue and the children learn to write letters and numbers.



STEPS Phonics Classes

Of the nearly 70 first-year students who started the course last year in June, almost 50 are still coming regularly. As participation is voluntary and the groups of children have to be accompanied by a parent or two, it is common for the number of participants to be reduced during the year.



Our volunteer Nadine: she is helping us actively in our STEPS classes for one month.

We wish you and your loved ones the richest of God's blessing and send you lots of love,

Manny, Joy and team

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