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Formerly known as Artivism Iloilo, Kikik Kollektive has created, curated, and held projects and events that raised important social, environmental, and local issues and concerns. Some of their most notable works are Artivism 3.0: Marka Merkado - murals and site-specific project highlighting the value of traditional public markets and vendors, Si Magbanua kag ang Bakunawa - mural project heralding the underappreciated life and heroism of Teresa Magbanua who has fought against colonization all her life, and Pro-Coast Project in partnership with the Zoological Society of London through which they worked with local youth volunteers in four different areas around Panay Island painting public art for marine education and conservation.



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PROCOAST MURAL PROJECT: A COLLABORATIVE PROJECT WITH THE ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON

ProCoast Project is organized by ZSL Philippines and GIZ | BMU of German Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety in celebration of the month of the ocean by producing a series of informative mural art within the selected conservation sites.

May 17-19 Taklong Island, Nueva Valencia mural: Led by Marrz Capanang and Red Haraya with the participation of Kindred Buenavista and the local community.

May 21-23 Bugtongbato, Ibajay mural:

Led by Jonard Villarde, Marlo Ubal and Red Haraya with the participation of Romer Almasol Superio and the local community.

May 22-24 Pedada, Ajuy mural:

Led by Hannah Vergara and Marrz Capanang with the participation of Kai Buenavista, Fionalyn Villagracia, Jefferson Villagracia Balincuacas and Margaux Blas.

May 28-30 Leganes mural

Noel Epalan Jr., Isaac Bravo, and Kyle Francis Dile collaborated on a very massive mural with the help of the local community/fisherfolk organization.













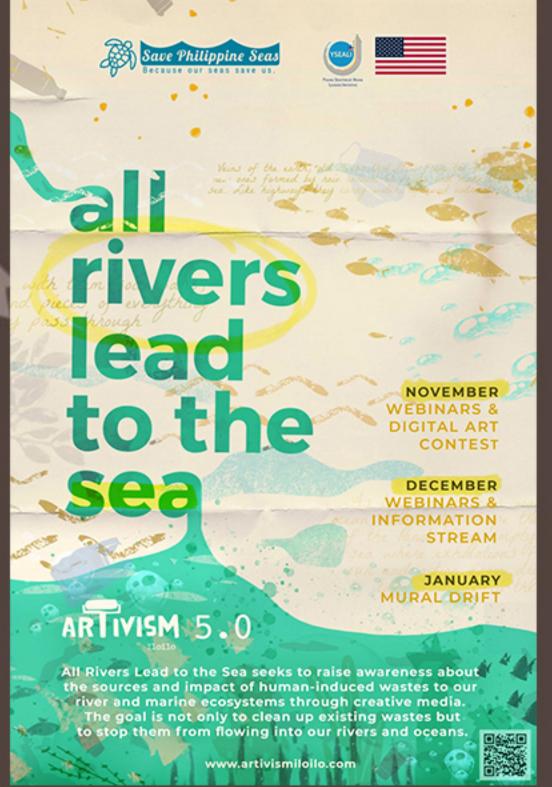
Partnered with: Davies Paints | Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) | Municipality of Nueva Valencia | Taklong Island National Marine Reserve | Municipality of Ibajay | Discover Ajuy - Municipality of Ajuy, Iloilo | Municipality of Leganes







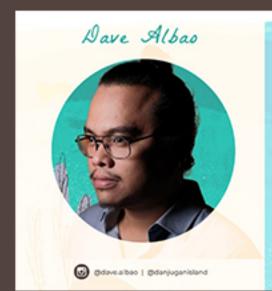






ARTIVISM 5.0 [ALL RIVERS LEAD TO THE SEA]

Artivism 5.0: All Rivers Lead to the SEA tackled issues surrounding river ecosystem and marine ecosystem degradation. It focused primarily on raising awareness of how human activities directly affect the river and marine ecosystems. The goal was to raise awareness and encourage individuals and businesses to be more mindful of their activities because all the inputs in land goes to the rivers and to the ocean. The initiative was broken down into 3 parts: 1) A series of webinars 2) Mural Activity and Information Drive 3) Building a database of resources such as posters, infographics and other designs which can







Grand

Back to You

Arvin M. Lazado

Title:

Artist:

Winner

great range of assets under the sun from emails blast, campaign landing pages, printed materials, social media animations, to co-directing videos and photoshoots.

One of the pillars that inform my creative practice is diversity, equity, inclusion, and belonging as an immigrant and a person of color





JULY - MARCH 2021



This art making contest is open to all interested participants in sharing or expressing their ideas Rivers Lead to the SEA". This is centered on the marine ecosystems. The goal is to raise awaren more mindful of their activities because all our

be printed/used by any

community.

individual/organization for their

PRIZES

Category 1 – Infographics 1 Grand Winner will receive Php 5,000 5 consolation prize of Php 1,000 each

Category 2 - Poster 1 Grand Winner will receive Php 5,000 5 consolation prize of Php 1,000 each

Special Prize: Artivism Pick to be awarded by Park Inn

by Radisson Iloile

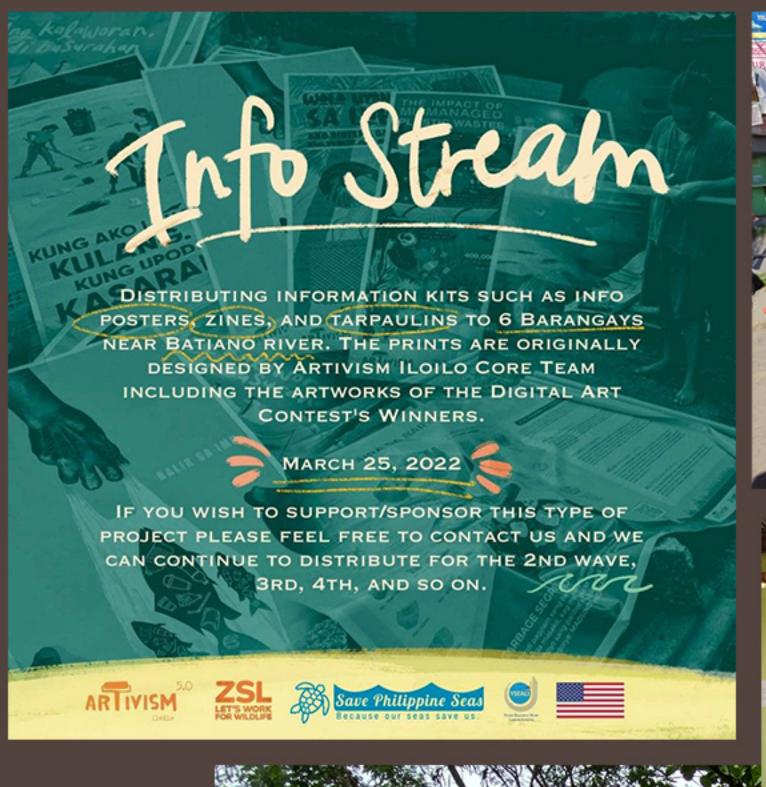
DEADLINE:





change and the intersectionality of









YOUR RESOLVE [ART INSTALLATION] IN COLLABORATION WITH MICRO GALLERIES

NOVEMBER 6 2021

While people sit in rooms discussing the urgency of slow change, we will be all over the world, creating small change with urgency! In Barotac Viejo, we are taking our clamor closer to the pulse of the daily - the public market.

This is in participation for Micro Galleries Global Day of Creative Action on 6 November, to coincide with the UN Climate Change Conference of the Parties (COP26).

In collaboration with Go for Greener Barotac Viejo and Green Eco Warriors

Participation in Micro Galleries Global Day of Creative Action









A COMMUNITY MURAL PROJECT

23 DECEMBER 2021 - 4:00 PM DIKE AREA, PUROK MAKAWIWILI POBLACION, BAROTAC VIEJO

LAUNCHING PROGRAM















A community mural in collaboration with the local government unit of Barotac Viejo and local fraternities and sororities. We worked with young local artists as muralists.

The primary message of the event is to highlight diversity and inclusion in resonance with the collective mission for sustainable development. The chosen subjects for this mural were representations of both the tangible and intangible culture of Barotac Viejo.

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Gindak-an nga sugilanon kabahin sa kung diin ining banwa gikan - baroto nga nalubong sa lutak. Pagtabo sang tumandok kag estranghero nga napadpad sa aton hunasan. Baroto nga gin-gama sang maalam nga kamot, lutak nga manggad sa pag hurma, pag tanum, kag pag ani.



Mga Ati (Artist: Bens Eyan Biong)

Nagapaníbud nga mga kamot kag búngugil naga-progreso sa ila mismo nga panikasug sa idalom sang ila kaugalingon nga pagbag-o. Ining mga ginapabugal nga mga Ati, kabahandián sang banwa. May lig-on ang uyapot sa gamót, lubús nga mga tagipusor; sila tagtib-ong sang dugo nga nauna, dugo nga puno sing yuhom kag gugma.



Naga kamang sa kadutaan sang tagsa ka talon sang aton banwa, ang halo ukon 'Panay Monitor Lizard' mahimutaran ta. Sila may kinaiya nga itsura - may malaba nga ikog, magaras nga likod, kag tatlo ka talampakan ang kadukuon. Ini nga mga sapat kis-a ginaka-kugmatan apang kis-a gina dakop sang iban. Pero lingid sa aton paghangop, ini nga mga tinuga dapat kaluuyan, kay sila nabilang sa mga endagared nga kasapatan.



Palay (Artist: Rafael Jester Indicio)

Grasya ang palay sa kada patubas nga ginahiwat. Tungod sa mga mangunguma nga gapang-kusog, may mga tiyan nga gakabusog. Sa pagkatapos sang sidlak ka adlaw, ini ang tuburan sang kabuhi kag pangabuhian



Jesus Christ (Artists: Kristian and Khian Barniego)

Taltal sa Barotac WejoB— madugay na nga tradisyon, promisa nga halin pa dekada stenta. Nagamag manug-duaw sa kada bulan sang kwaresma B— manug-duaw sang suguilanon sang pasyon ni Hesukristo. Siya ablay nga nagakupo sa mga Barotacnon agud mag-gia, magbugiy lig-on kag sikdag sa kada butlak sang adlaw. Makagagahum nga may kabangdanan sa padayon nga Patubas sang mga handum sang tagsa-tagsa. Manluluwas sang paglaum kag sang kalibutan.



Daily Folks (Artist Mart Angelo Abela)

Malinong kag madagaang sila nga nagapuyo sa isa ka banwa. Nagalapta sa baynte-sais nga baryo ang tagsa-tagsa. Mga lain-lain nga indibidwal apang sa yuhom sang kada isa, sila makilala. Pumuluyo sang Barotac Viejo, haligi sang banwa kag kada baryo.



Lagaw (Artist: Bens Eyan Biong)

Isda nga gikan sa manggaranon nga katubigan sang Barotac Viejo. Ang Lagaw ukon 'Treadfin Bream' isa guid sa mga paborito sang mga Barotacnon nga balaklon sa lab-asan sa sulod sang merkado. Sa iya maangyad nga duag kag porma, ginapakita kung ano man kaangyad ang aton banwa kag mga pumuluyo nga handa guid pirme— sa paobao-o kao pao-asenso.



Kape (Artist: Kyla Buenavista)

Sa kada pagbugtaw, kape ang mistula nga nagabulig sa aton pagbangon. Sari-sari nga sabor ang uyon kag sampat sa panamil sang masa - pwede nga mapait, medyo matam-is, ukon ara lang sa tunga-tunga. Gina balik-balikan nga timpla sa pang adlaw-adlaw nga hilikuton kag panglakaton.



Saints Peter and Paul (Artist: Litonin Banaria)

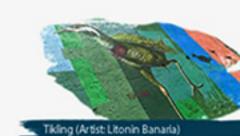
Ang "bato" kag si San Pabloli — duha ka apóstoles nga nangin mártir bangud sa ila pag-áplag. Tagpalapnag sang maayong balita, nagkasamád man sadto ang ila pagtuo apang nagpadayon sila sa pagbantala sa isig-kapareho. Huluáran nga mga santos, ginakasadia ang solemnidad sa kada biente-sais sang Hunyo.



Frontiners (Artist: Rafael Jester Indicio)

Sa tunga sang dalhit nga dala sang pandemya, sila gapangisug sa pagpanguna. Gintanyag "moderno nga mga baganihan" kay sa ila laragway, masiplatan ang kasanagan. Naga hingabon sila sa duag sang aton mga doktor, kapulisan, healthcare worker, kag mga volunteer. Sila dapat pasidunggan kay sa ila pagiya kita naga abante sa away kontra pandemya.T

Bakhaw (Artist Kyla Buenavista)



Miro (Artist: Mart Angelo Abela)

Tabagak (Artists: Kristian & Khian Barniego)

Sa matinong nga mga kaumahan sang banwa, ang Tilding Halin sa matin-aw nga mga katubigan pakadto sa sulod merkado, ang Tabagak ukon 'Goldstripe Sardinella' aton ukon 'Buff-banded Rail', nagalupad kag nagalukso. Pispis makita. Indi guid maghuna-huna nga sa kagamayon sini nga pamilyar sa mga manog-tanom kag manog-kampo. Ang iya matayuyon nga paglupad kag mapagsik nga nga 17 sentimetros, sigurado nga mabusog ang paglukso— simbolo sang paghimakas sang mga tagsa-tagsa-- panginbulahan ang kapisan sang mga manog-pangisda. Gamay man sa panulok sang tanan, ini mangunguma para sa pagumwad sang banwa nga naga tib-ong sa pang adlaw-adlaw sang kadam-an.







Writers: Lady Kyla Balibagoso, Erich Marie Mendoza, Hans Christian Fernandez, Vince P.







ARTIVISM DOOL [ILOILO ART FESTIVAL]

DOOL (pneumatophores) represents the spirit of artists coming together as a community of social innovators -resiliently flourishing amidst the harshest challenges; sustaining passion and pursuits that elevate survival, awareness, and consciousness.

We have chosen one of our favorite eskinas and Old Iloilo areas to bring art closer to the daily passerby.

The community mural activity was participated by almost 30 Ilonggo artists, while the performances and pop-up shop were participated by more than 50 Ilonggo talents and ethical enterprises.

This was funded by the Iloilo City Local Culture and Arts Council as part of the Iloilo Art Festival.



2021



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YOUNG AT ART PROGRAM

featured artists:



Noel Epalan

visual artist

A dedicated draughtsman and painter, Noel's process in art-making focuses on cultivating skills, developing methods, and techniques to effectively communicate and articulate ideas into visual form.



Ron Espinosa

interior designer

An award-winning art director and licensed Interior Designer, Ron's work focuses on mural paintings for restaurants, hotels, residential, and public spaces.



Marge Chavez

visual artist

A draughtsperson and painter, Marge's body of works consists of observing the human form and amplifying the beauty she finds in the unique individuality of each of her subjects.

Xilium Professional Services, 3rd Floor, The Crown Building, Q. Abeto St, Mandurriao, Iloilo City, 5000

feb to jul 2022





YOUNG AT ART PROGRAM [ART WORKSHOP] IN PARTNERSHIP WITH XILIUM

For developing thirteen young Ilonggo talents, Xilium's Young at Art Program held a two-weekend workshop per month; Graphite Drawing on February 12 and 26 with Noel Epalan Jr., Watercolor on March 12 and 26 with Ron Matthews Espinosa, and Acrylic Painting on April 23 and 30 with Marge Chavez – culminating in an exhibition on July 4 – 18 2022.

MARCH - MAY 2022













SAHA [COMMUNITY ART WORKSHOP]

A 3-day activity in Sombrero Island, Concepcion.

With our mission of bringing art and social action to the heart of communities and unlikely locations, we collaborated with our dear friends from EarthingPH and Baryo Balangaw Creative Initiatives, and partnered with Pastor Titus Jeon.

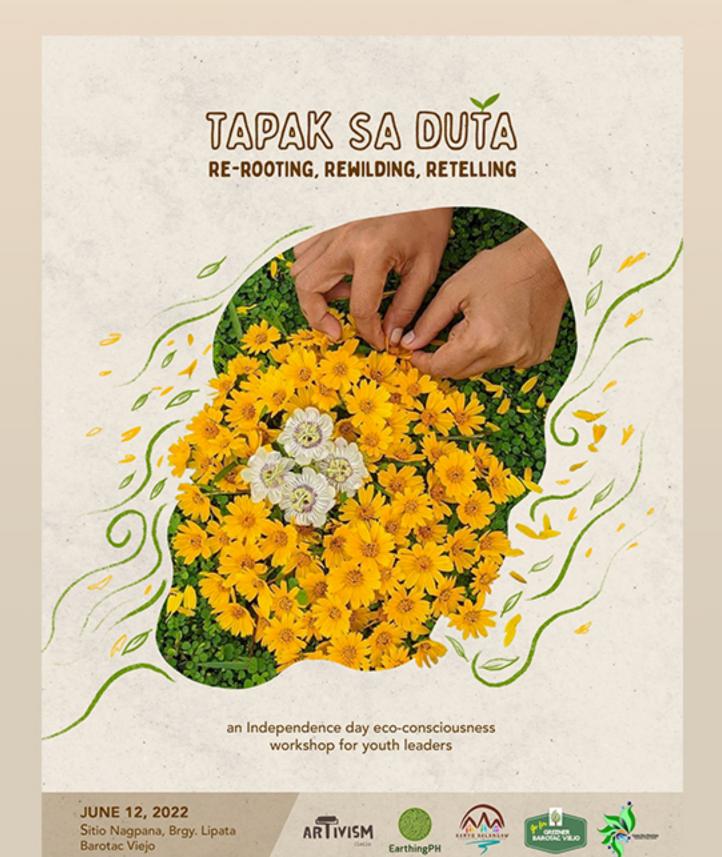
Workshops:

Basic Drawing for children by Noel Epalan Jr. and Isaac Bravo
Basic Drawing for youth by Marge Chavez and Sasha Cabais
Snorkeling by Riza Ornos
Movements by Raz Salavarita
Inner Calmness by Elle Divine
Plastic Waste Education by Hermz Gacho and Riza Ornos
The children spontaneously shared with us the names of their
local seashells and we decided to be guided by that local
knowledge in our drawing workshops.

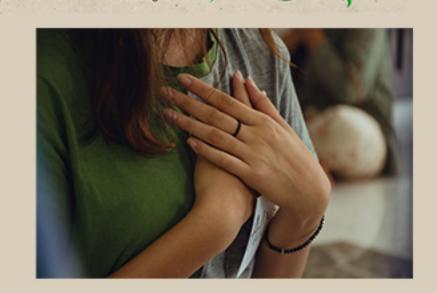


APRIL 22 **2022**

TAPAK SA DUTA [ECO-CONSCIOUSNESS WORKSHOP FOR YOUTH LEADERS] IN COLLABORATION WITH EARTHINGPH, BARYO BALANGAW, GO FOR GREENER BAROTAC VIEJO AND GREEN ECO WARRIORS



JUNE 12 2022



On the 12th of June, Philippine Independence Day, we partnered with Go for Greener Barotac Viejo and EarthingPH. We also invited our friends from Baryo Balangaw. Together, we held "Tapak sa Duta" rewilding, rerooting, and retelling - an eco-consciousness workshop/ barefoot camp with youth leaders in Barotac Viejo.

The full-day workshop included:

Raz Salvarita's Sacred Ecology ritual EarthingPH's climate action lectures and workshops (Riza Ornos and Hermz Gacho as resource persons)

In-depth discussions and heart-centered dialogues
Social action planning and pitching

Nature poetry and debriefing by Kristine Buenavista

Music breaks and jamming with Arsen Carl Vargas





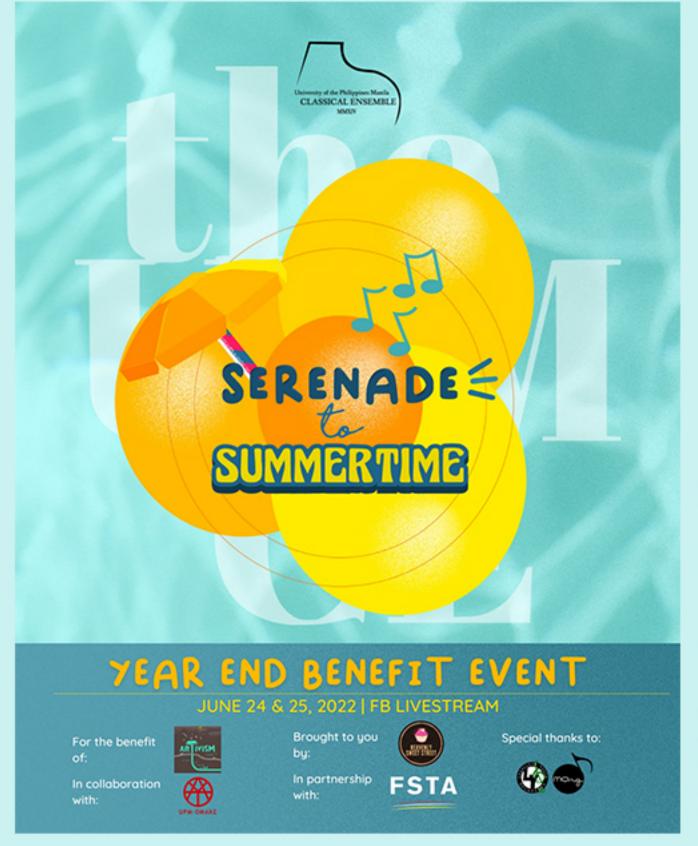






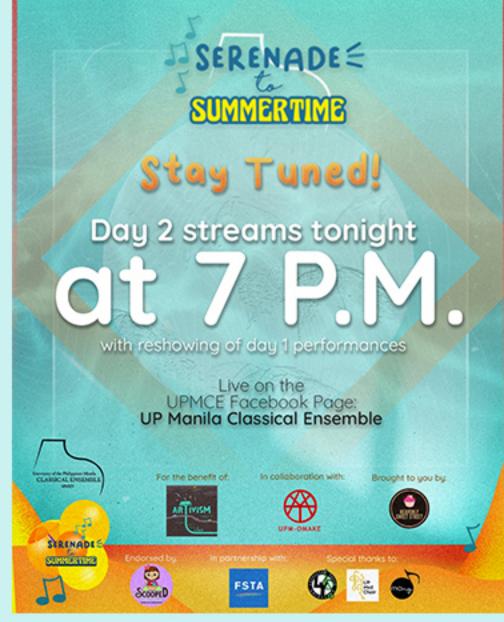
















JUNE 24-25 2022

SUMMERTIME BENEFIT CONCERT BY THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES CLASSICAL ENSEMBLE

The University of the Philippines Classical Ensemble reached out to us to be the beneficiary of their online concert, Summertime Benefit Concert. They held an FB live for their performance.





LAHAS

Live Mural Painting by ARTIVISM ILOILO in partnership with Marymart Center

Zak Bravo . Michael Cabais . Sasha Cabais Marrz Capanang . Marge Chavez . Stevenson Cordova Kyle Dile . Noel Epalan . Red Gico . MA Tuvilla

> JULY 8 - 9, 2022 10 AM - 6 PM

MARYMART CENTER - PASILYO

Area 1 - La Terrazza Area 2 - Marymart Bldg. C Area 3 - Maryville

Pintok-pintok, Pugtak-pugtak (Spotted, shattered) ft. the Visayas-spotted deer

Design and concept by:
Marrz Capanang
Muralists: Marrz Capanang,
Sasha Cabais, Isaac Bravo, and
assisted by Stevenson Cordova





When beauty blooms ft. Rafflesia and Visayan Hornbill Design and concept by: MA Tuvilla Muralists: MA Tuvilla, Kyle Francis Dile, Red Haraya, Mico Cabais

ILAHAS ILUWAS IN COLLABORATION WITH MARYMART COMPLEX

A series of murals depicting the faunas and floras of Visayas along the indoor and outdoor walls of Marymart Center.

Be the light ft. the Tamaraw, Visayan warty pig, Philippine flying lemur

Design and concept by: Marge Chavez Muralists: Marge Chavez, Noel Epalan, Jr., and assisted by Stevenson Cordova

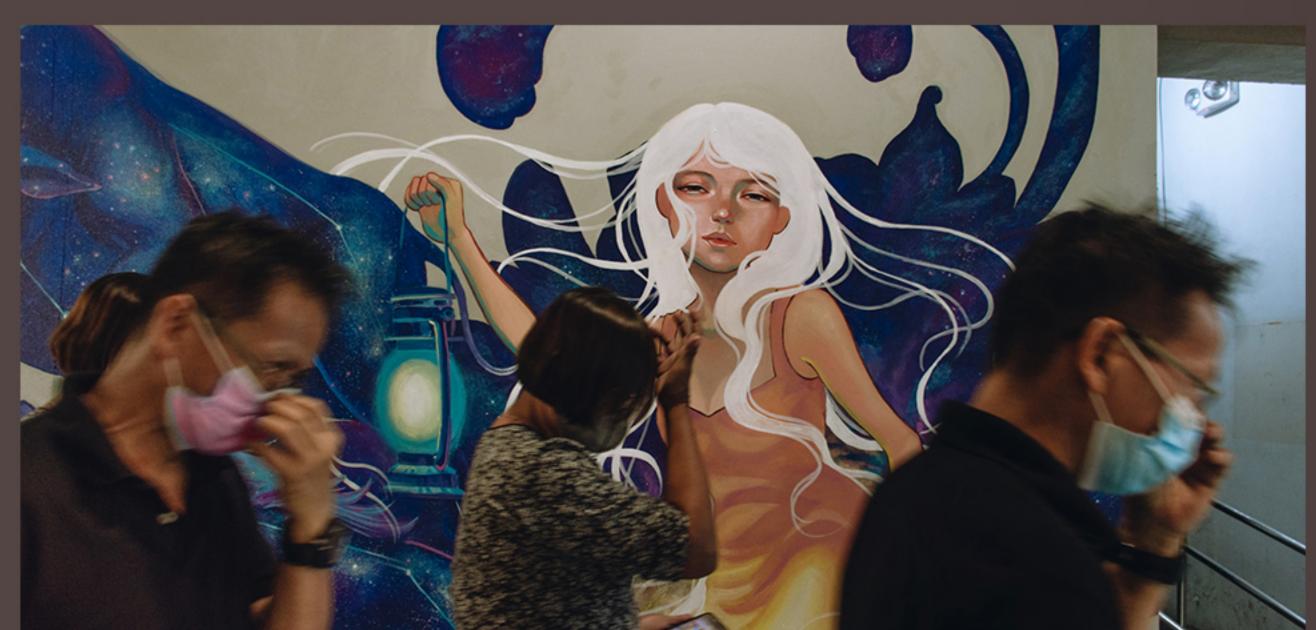
> JULY 6 2022

















WHEN IS NOW [MURAL PROJECT] 2022 IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE CLIMATE REALITY PROJECT PHILIPPINES

In the lead-up to #COP27, Poets for Climate mobilized Climate Reality Leaders and other climate advocates to create poems, murals, and other art forms that amplified the call for world leaders to address the vicious cycle of loss and damage in climate-vulnerable countries.

To mark the launch of Poets for Climate in the Philippines, we were invited by The Climate Reality Project PH to collaborate with them on a public-engaged art.

The mural located at the Marymart Center
- Maryville in Delgado Street, Iloilo City was
a response to the poem
"When will we tire of waiting?" by South
African-based novelist Yewande Omotoso, as
featured in When Is Now's digital exhibition.

Muralists: Sasha Bravo, Zak Bravo, Marrz Capanang, Rey Denzil Gico, Stevenson Cordova Video presentation: Voice over by Kristine Buenavista







featuring

Zak Bravo . Sasha Cabais . Marrz Capanang . Stevenson Cordova . Red Gico

06 - 07 July 2022 | 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM Marymart Center - Maryville

Artivism Iloilo is supporting the Poets for Climate of Climate Reality Africa, Canada, and Philippines.









ANG KAN-ON MAPILIT [ILOILO ART FESTIVAL 2022] A PROJECT THROUGH THE ILOILO CITY LOCAL CULTURE AND ARTS COUNCIL

"Ang Kan-on, Mapilit" is a rumination of the commonly found livelihood in downtown Iloilo – craftsmen, fisherfolks, public transportation, and vendors – highlighting their important contributions as a part of our continuous community work in keeping Iloilo progressive, inclusive, and conscious. Just like rice, this cultural identity imprints itself in our history and day-to-day lives. Collaborating with muralists and graffiti artists, four murals were interspersed around old Iloilo; along Arroyo St., J.M. Basa St., and on the walls of the University of Iloilo.

Installation art pieces, theater play, performance art, local music, dancing, mural tours, and traditional Filipino games were held at Sunburst Park.

The events were held during two weekends; October 15 and 16, then again on October 29 and 30.

Muralists and Graffiti Artists
Vendors: Kyle Francis Dile x Luke\$
Craftsmen: Noel Epalan, Jr. x 3PM
Public Transportation: Marge Chavez x Go\$h
Fisherman and Anglers: Isaac Bravo x Smurf

Installation Art by: Rey Denzel Gico Theater Play by: Teatro Tayo, Eksena Performance Art by: Raz Salvarita

Dance by: Quezzy Pedregosa

Music by: Maharlikang Bahandi, Miguel Davao

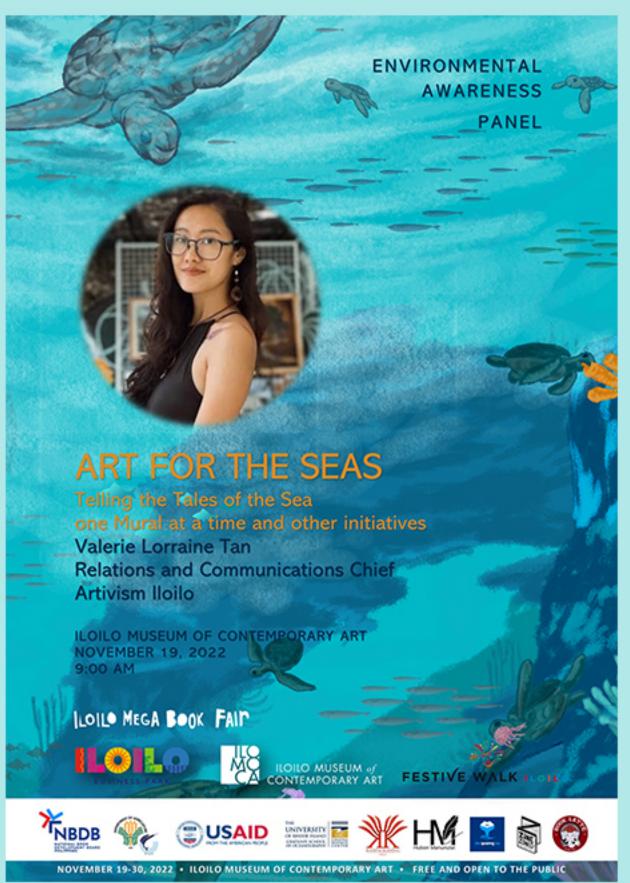












NOVEMBER 19 2022











Our core team members Sasha Cabais and Lerie Tan were part of the Discussion Panel for Art for the Seas: Telling the Tales of the Sea, One Mural at a Time for Iloilo Mega Book Fair 2022. They presented our mural projects that were centered on marine conservation - Pro-Coast Project, Artivism 2.0 Santa Filomena and the Sea, and all rivers lead to the sea.





IPAD PAINTING [PAINTING DRAGON BOAT]



A collaboration project with the Iloilo Paddlers Club

Stretching the edges of public art to many (alternative) possibilities through collaboration MAGKAL kag TALIMBABAGA

For the Iloilo Paddlers Club's dragon boats, our team came up with two designs centered on our rich Visayan ancestry of sailing and animism. The paddlers were fully present while painting with Red - exchanging stories, eating together, and listening to some cool playlists.

MAGKAL is inspired by Sudlikama from the panubok of Panay Bukidnon and the significance of reptiles and canoes in ancient Visayan tattoos. Crocodiles, snakes, and other reptiles symbolize our ancestors and their guidance.

TALIMBABAGA's inspiration is the comingling of Panubok, ancient Visayan tattoos - shark teeth and centipede. The teeth design symbolizes protection, defense, and ferocity, while the centipede stands as the omen animal in ancient Philippines for its appearance meant the presence of anito or ancestor spirit.







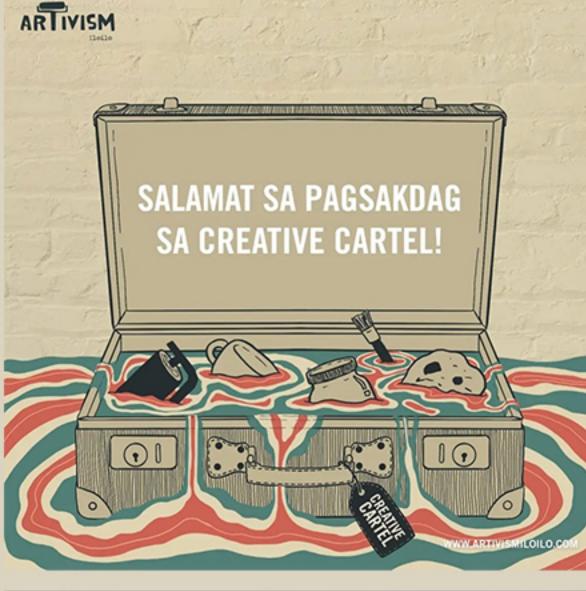
Concept and Design by our Chief Creative Weaver Marrz Capanang and Curator for Public-engaged Art, Noel Epalan Jr., and Rey Denzil Gico

DECEMBER 13 2022











CREATIVE CARTEL [POP-UP EVENT]

Creative Cartel is a three-day pop-up, mini-market and fund-raising event for Artivism Iloilo selling creations and pre-owned items

Balay Tablea **TMGSLNGN** Studio Bugana **Pasyon Komiks** Rofil by Alima Community Maruyog Ethnic Jewelry SCIBS by Isaac and Sasha Bravo Katawhayan by Giah De los Reyes Schunt Lester Sotero Anna Slater Kristine Buenavista Mini Exhibit featuring the works of Marrz Capanang, Althea Villanueva, Hannah Vergara-Figueroa, Jay Figueroa, Jerian Figueroa, Noel Epalan, Jr., Marge Chavez, Red Haraya, Bea Gison, Miguel Tronco, and Sasha Bravo





DECEMBER 16-18 2022

























DALAYUNAN - ART WORKSHOP WITH LOCAL DELINQUENTS

This art workshop with minors in conflict with the law aims mainly to encourage participants to express their ideas, emotions, and experiences through art as a healthy means of communication, an important alternative for those struggling with verbal expression. This also helps them in their emotional regulation and coping skills by implementing art-making as a therapeutic outlet and aids participants in managing their anger, stress, and frustration in a constructive manner. More importantly, the program also provides opportunities for skill development and creative exploration by learning various art techniques, which can improve focus and patience diverting their energy and attention away from negative influences and behaviors towards constructive and creative activities.

Conducted by our Curator for Public Engaged Art, Noel Epalan Jr.

















MATA SANG BATA, MATA SANG BAGYO

Conducted during the peak of the typhoon season in the country, "Mata sang Bata, Mata sang Bagyo" is a community-engaged and children-centric event for two days in the local community of Brgy. Nueva Sevilla, Baotac Viejo, Iloilo. The intention of this event is to give children a safe space to express their emotions, thoughts, and insights about their experiences during the strongest typhoons.

Day 1 included a series of workshops for 70 children: Cathartic drawing, Cathartic writing, and ephemeral art arrangement. Our invited singer-songwriter and youth volunteer Jethro Bacrang came up with an original community song which was taught to the children by volunteers while adult leaders Kyla Buenavista, Joy Jean Batiller, and Jefferson Balincuacas created some movements so the children an invite the song into their bodies.

Day 2 community mural at Brgy. Nueva Sevilla covered court - incorporating the insights and drawings of the children the day before

Conceptualized and designed by our Curator for Community Experiences and Shared Contemplations, Kristine Buenavista





















