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Cheers to PAGA's Centennial Celebration

November 20, 2021, was a gathering via Zoom of PAGA stakeholders, friends, and beneficiaries that marks its 100 years of the Association. It also calls for continued support from benefactors to be part of one of the oldest associations in the Philippines helping needy Filipino Amerasian.

Board of Trustees headed by Chairman Frank Holz, President Terry Haas, and Atty. Alonzo Ancheta shared their remarkable experiences and expressed their pride to be involved with its worthy cause.

Some past and present beneficiaries shared their experiences, as well, on the impact of PAGAs programs and services on their lives.



Frank Holz, Chairman



Atty. Alonzo Q. Ancheta, Trustee



Terry Haas, President



Ms. Deanna H. Bajar shared her Journey with PAGA starting from a very young kid, her schooling, working career up to her present role as the Executive Director of PAGA.



Margie Greason-Bernales and Glady Yabut-Bacday in video messages also shared how PAGA helped

them from their younger years to finish their courses, and what they have become in their present careers.



Former 1st generation beneficiaries (circa year 50's) from the US Oscar Hatchett and Cresta Adcock, graced the occasion with Oscar giving words of encouragement to the current beneficiaries.



We welcome our new PAGA member, Mrs. Evelyn Pagkalinawan who also attended the event.



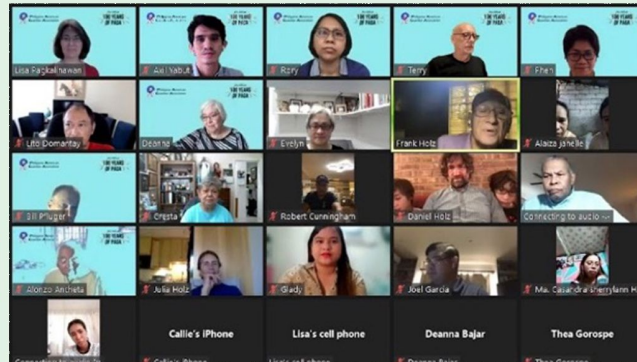


Current beneficiaries Jericho Ignacio and siblings Cris Ann and Princess Lising gave their messages of thanks.

Entertainment numbers (song and dance) by current beneficiaries (Jerrico Lopez and Angeles team) as well as having trivia games about PAGA added excitement to the program.



Through the years, PAGA has been the instrument of serving underprivileged Filipino Amerasian children to become independent, productive, and responsible members of society.



Our thanks to VP Ms. Lisa Pagkalinawan as the overall chairperson of PAGA's Centennial Virtual Celebration.



The CSR program WeCARE of the Phil Pacific Insurance Brokerage and Managers Inc. (Philinsure) have donated to our education program and sponsored some Christmas gift baskets for our families this year's Christmas gift-giving. Their staff participated in the Christmas gift bag preparation. The kind gesture of Philinsure is the beginning of closer collaboration of programs and services for PAGA's beneficiaries.

Distribution of Christmas Gift Bags

NCR beneficiaries had the chance to go to the office to pick up their Christmas bags. This was also an opportunity for the social workers to interact with them to know their situation, the status of their schooling, and be able to address their issues and concerns.

The Christmas bags for beneficiaries in Cavite and Laguna were delivered to their residences. Thanks to our VP Lisa Pagkalinawan for her kindness in providing us with transport service. It is also the first time we did an online purchase delivering the goods for beneficiaries in Angeles and the Bulacan where parent leaders assisted in the distribution.



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Beneficiaries and their families were thankful and happy to receive the Christmas basket, but still looking forward to a Christmas celebration with the PAGA family.

Here are some photos of beneficiaries receiving their Christmas gift basket:

NCR Beneficiaries



Cavite and Laguna Beneficiaries



Angeles and Bulacan Beneficiaries



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