

► SSEAYP INTERNATIONAL PHILIPPINES

SIGA 2017 - In preparation for SIGA 2017 which will be held in the Philippines, SIP Board had chosen Ilo-ilo, Guimaras Island and Boracay Island as its venues. The participants will experience the rich culture and warm hospitality of the locals in the region.

Post Program Activities - Last year's batch, Dayaw Kalinaw, implemented their project A.C.C.E.S.S last May at Sitio Panlabuhan, Agusan del Sur in Mindanao, Philippines. They were able to provide motorized and paddled boats, water filters, solar panels, and other necessary supplies to the beneficiaries.

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their PPA called "Project Share". For this year, they visited the House of Hope of the Southern Philippines Medical Center in Davao City, Philippines and spent quality time together with the children.

SIP National Awards - The SSEAYP International Philippines, Inc. constantly acknowledges the invaluable contributions that the alumni have made for the country.

For this year, it had chosen four outstanding alumni who have been inspired by their SSEAYP experience to bring positive change into their communities.

The following were given recognition in their respective fields: Ms. Rossini

Conwi (Batch 1986) for Strengthening of SSEAYP; Mr. Heidrun Milan (Batch 2010) for Media, Culture and the Arts; Mr. Basil Sali (Batch 2010) for Youth Empowerment; and Dr. Dominador Aguirre (Batch 1978) for Government Service.



Awardees of SIP National Awards 2015

► SSEAYP INTERNATIONAL SINGAPORE

It has been fruitful 2015 for SSEAYP International Singapore, as apart from being actively involved (in partnership with the National Youth Council) in the recruitment and/or training of Facilitators, National Leader & Singapore Participating Youths, SIS continues to organise numerous activities which allows us to fully engage our members, such as:

Host Family Gathering: On 21 Dec 2014, SIS held a gathering for our host families at the NYC Academy for them to not only catch up with one another, but also to receive updates on what's in the pipeline for 2015. It has always been a key prerogative in our mission to continue to engage our host families, and ensuring that they are always up to date with the AAs activities.

Reunion On The River: Nippon Maru may not be in Singapore for 2014 and

2015 but it did not stop SIS from having their own version of Reunion-On-Board (ROB) - Reunion On The River on 6 January 2015. More than 200 PYs had a great time catching up with fellow ex-PYs at Marina Bay Sands, where everyone had a fun-filled evening of food, games and even a beautiful and relaxing River Cruise ride along the Singapore River.

SSEAYP Day Exhibition 2015: For the very first time, SIS organised a week-long celebration for SSEAYP Day 2015 from 5 to 10 Nov 2015. The opening launch was graced by Mr Hawazi Daipi, Former Senior Parliamentary Secretary for Ministry of Education and Ministry of Manpower and Youth Leader SSEAYP 1980, while we had numerous distinguished speakers from various fields who spoke on various topics,

such as "The important role of SSEAYP in an increasingly complex ASEAN environment", "Explore, Experiment, Experience & Embrace".

SIS also continued to engage alumni members with a series of Social Contributing Activities (SCA), such as Learning Journey with MINDS, CNY Celebrations with SWAMI Home, and SWAMI Home Family Day.



SSEAYP Day celebrations 2015 by SIS at the Japan Cultural Center

► ASSOCIATION OF THE SHIP FOR SOUTHEAST ASIAN YOUTH OF THAILAND

Dec 2014 - ASSEAY hosted the Japanese participants from "ASSEAY Thailand-IYEO Fukushima Exchange Program". ASSEAY also received many yellow hats from Japan to distribute to children in different schools.

Mar 2015 - "The 25th For Hopeful Children Project" was organized by Fund For Friend (FFF) and ASSEAY Thailand at Royal Thai Navy Base in Sattahip, Chonburi province. There were over 800 volunteers, both local and international, taking care of underprivileged and disabled children.

Apr - Jun 2015 - Interview and selection for the 42nd batch of TPYs were processed by ASSEAY and Department of Children and Youth (DCY).

Aug 2015 - Pre-Departure Training was conducted for 14 days at Maharaj training center by ASSEAY and DCY.

Aug 2015 - TPY 2015 had done their "Pre-Program Activity (PrePA) in Bangkok for 5 days which was named "The Assembly of Thai Youth Empowerment for ASEAN Readiness" under DCY and ASSEAY administrations.

Oct 2015 - Pre-Departure Training

(PDT II) was completed for TPY 2015, getting everything ready before departing for Japan. This was jointly conducted by DCY and ASSEAY.



Celebrating the 25th anniversary of the "For Hopeful Children Project" in Sattahip, March 2015