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Edukasyon ang Solusyon

- Parent Education Seminar: Developmental Stages of Reading and Motivating your Child to Read at Home
- Iba't ibang Teknik sa pagkukwento (Tandem Storytelling) to all Grade 4 students conducted by ADARNA Publishing House
- Wiz up integrated Library and Reading activity: Quiz Bee/ Tandem Storytelling contest
- ♦ National Children's Book Week: Masayang Magbasa sa Sariling Wika
- ♦ National Book Week: Libraries Effects on Society
- ♦ Librarians Education Seminar: K-12 decoded: Designing Information Literacy Program for the k-12 curriculum
- ♦ Kapihan sa Aklatan
- ♦ Bookmobile Project
- ♦ Electronic Bulletin Board (Digitization)

- Heremia N.S. Caparas





National Children's Book Week 2012

The Children's Book Week was held last July 16-20 with the theme, "Masayang magbasa" sa sariling wika." It is one of the most awaited events here at DLSZ is the Children's Book Week. This is the time when the book characters came alive through the colorful costumes of the students especially the lower A parade headed by BroLee, grades. ambassador of reading, together with the librarians in their costumes, was held to show off student's book character costumes. After which, a group of selected students were invited to grace the opening of the book fair. Selected publishers and bookstores were present to showcase their collection. Children enjoyed browsing and choosing books from a wide variety of children's literature their satisfaction.

Another activity that truly amazed the kids was the Comic Book Reading hosted by Jamie Bautista, the author of Private Iris. The author made an animation of the presentation with his well-modulated voice over all throughout the Comic Book Reading.

A Photo Exhibit of DLSZ athletes reading was also showcased during the week-long celebration. This sets an inspiration of a true







Project ETC

EDUCATIONAL TOY CENTER

We play, we learn.....I think everyone enjoys playing and we will all agree



that in playing there is learning.

With this in mind, during the planning of our individual project presentation in the school GOLD (Growth in Organizational Leadership and Development) Program the idea of having an educational toy library was born. Providing a place where young children will learn and have fun at same time was the main objective. This project will accommodate what children love to

do as well as provide them with alternative ways of discovering and learning new things.

A portion of the non-print section was converted into the Educational Toy Center. It was officially open last July 19, 2012 coincide with the opening of the National Children's Book week Celebration of the LRC. The toy center houses a number of educational materials such as puzzles, board games, building blocks, manipulative toys and other educational material that would provide fun and learning students. Purchased of additional among materials is also underway to further improve the collection. Phase 2 of the ETC is also being planned, this phase is the incorporation of technology based toys such as WII and iPad's.





The LRC may be the one if not the first one to have this kind of service. It's definitely more fun to learn in the LRC.

"Deep meaning lies often in childish play."

Johann Friedrich von Schiller

LRC Activities

The kids having a great time during their LRC Orientation with Sir Jay.

The Learning Resource Center's very own puppeteers.—Puppet show is one of the activities offered by the LRC on their bookmobile project.





Some of DLSZ's pride. Honouring our very own authors and editors in school.



Launching of Lexile during the National Children's Book Week.





Honouring DLSZ Authors and Editors

Books published by the DLSZ faculty and staff was exhibited at the High School Learning Resource Center

Library last November 13,2012 as part of the National Book Week Celebration "Libraries: Effects on

Society". It was displayed for a month for honouring the works of the participants. The said exhibit is the culmination of a year-long project by the DLSZ Archives to have a collection of books published by the DLSZ faculty and staff.

- Jasmin Gatan

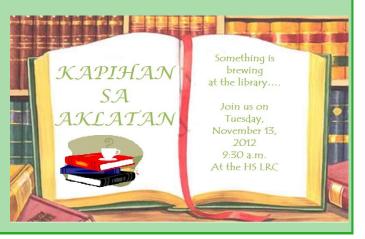


Kapihan sa Aklatan

The program "Kapihan sa
Aklatan" is a new project that will highlight the importance of our job. This aims to help the DLSZ community in developing and enhancing their skills through book talks, related to their field of specialization. Kapihan sa Aklatan is designed for the employees of the school to imbue values that can help them better contribute and inspire.

The purpose of the book talk is to motivate the listeners to foster good reading, writing and/or speaking skills by encouraging self-directed learning

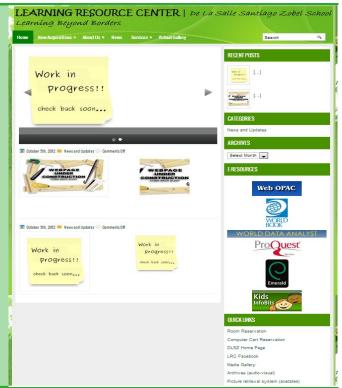
through reading. The speaker will also try to incorporate learning opportunities following a book talk which include discussion topics, panel discussions or presentations (visually and/or orally).



Through the innovative efforts of the Learning Resource Center, in partnership with the Information Systems and Technology Services (ISTS) Office, the new DLSZ-LRC Website (http://lrc.dlszobel.edu.ph) will be launched once again to cater to the information needs of both DLSZ students and employees and other Lasallian partners.

The site offers new services such as the Media Gallery, which features digitized Audio-Visual collection and the Virtual Library Tour, an online digital "walk" highlighting the LRC's collections and services. Likewise, the site still gives on-site and remote access to the library's Online Public Access Catalog (OPAC); Electronic Resources such as ProQuest, Emerald Insight and Kids InfoBits, that students could use for research; room reservation and cart reservation links. It also provides useful links to the LRC's new acquisitions and the library's Facebook page.

To know more about our latest programs and activities, visit us at http://lrc.dlszobel.edu.ph and 'like' us on Facebook http://facebook.com/dlsz.lrc



Media Gallery

The Audio Visual Center is undertaking digitization project to create new way for users to wider search and access non-print collections, likewise to preserve

materials. The Centre's digital collection is constantly evolving to suit new and exciting demands from library users and services.

The reproduction were produced with variety of tools: image scanner, digital cameras, DVD recorder, computers and other devices that digitize video and audio , and of course AV technicians for encoding and recording.

Updates of the digitization project:

- Scanning of transparencies has been completed
- Acquired 2 units of LED TV which serves an Online Bulletin Board where messages, advertisements, library programs and community news is posted. One unit is located at the entrance of the Upper Grades LRC and the other one is at the entrance of the Lower Grades AV Center.
- Converting outdated non-print materials to different format such as VHS to DVD, and Cassette tapes to MP3

File

 Uploading selected audiovisual resources for classroom instruction. To access the collection log on: gallery.zobel.dlsu.edu.ph

The Audio Visual Center is accepting request for uploading photos, videos, sound recordings and other documents to be included in the gallery server pro specially if this is for classroom use.

Further information and updates will be posted in the LRC Website of DLSZ.

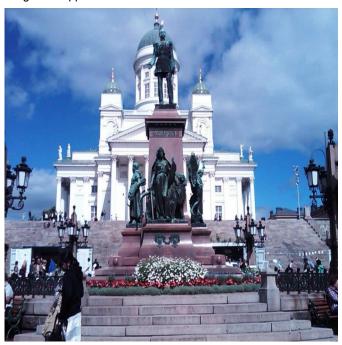
- Carol Ballesteros

Libraries for Young People: Breaking through

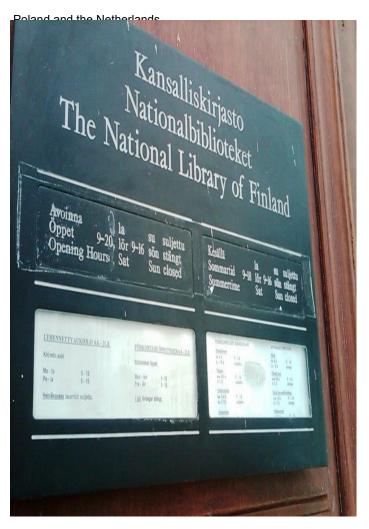
International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA)

"The International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA) is the leading international body representing the interests of library and information services and their users. It is the global voice of the library and information profession. It is an independent, international, non-governmental, not-for-profit organization that aims to: promote high standards of provision and delivery of library and information services; encourage widespread understanding of the value of good library & information services; and represent the interests of their members throughout the world (http://www.ifla.org)."

Every year, IFLA holds a congress where librarians all over the world meet and discuss current trends and issues about library and information services. For this year, the congress happened to be in one of the most beautiful



Scandinavian countries, Finland. The congress' theme was: "Libraries Now! – Inspiring, Surprising, Empowering." Satellite meetings were also happening in different parts of Finland and in other European countries like Estonia, Lithuania, Latvia,



Arrival in Finland

Mr. Marco and I, arrived at Joensuu, Finland last August 8, 2012 in the afternoon. We were lucky to have a generous and willing host who fetched us at the airport. The day was rainy and cold for a summer season. Nevertheless, we both managed the weather.

On the evening of August 8, a welcoming dinner was prepared for all the participants in the conference. There, we were able to mingle and meet many library professionals from different countries. Many of them were from Sweden and Finland.

Breaking Through Boundaries Satellite Meeting

Mr. Darrel Marco and I were privileged enough to participate in one of the satellite meetings under the IFLA World Library and Information Congress 2012 held at the Joensuu Regional Library in Joensuu, Finland last 8-10th of August where we presented the Learning Resource Center's Book Mobile project. Our paper presentation is entitled: "*Libraries on the move ,reaching out to the less-fortunate and marginalized.*"

During the two-day conference, presentations revolved around the children's libraries and the innovations and projects that were being done in different parts of the world. There were five blocks in the conference namely:

Block 1: Boundaries between childhood, adolescence, adulthood; Block

2: Boundaries between libraries and other institutions; Block 3: Boundaries between







Library Tour

Library and museum visits were also included after the second day of conference. We visited the college library of Applied Sciences of North Karelia where we admired the sophistication and modernity of the library. We also visited the community library of Reijola that serves the people of Joensuu. The community library is an amazing place to be! The library is very inviting and the services are very efficient. This is something that we lack in the Philippines – community libraries that will surely promote literacy and develop life long learning.

Mobile Libraries Exhibition

Mr. Marco and I were also able to see the mobile libraries exhibition in Helsinki on the 17th of



Grateful for the experience

Our short stay in Finland was truly a life changing and enriching experience! We were both lucky and blessed to be part of an international conference. Our host family was great! The people we have met have been very helpful! And lastly, nothing beats the experience of finding yourself in the most peaceful, serene and laid back place on Earth! We are so thankful for the wonderful and amazing trip ever!

Acknowledgement

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks





iPad Invasion



The iPad invasion is here, ready or not. Used for an increasingly wide range of applications, iPad can be found from every walks of life, from executives, assistants,



administrators, teachers, students, etc.

As the school year 2012-2013 started, iPad was



made available to students in their own library. Each library house in 20 units of iPad ready for use for research.

Education's really embraced the iPad in a very, very large way ... the uptake's mostly been in private schools. Lucky, that DLSZ is one of the leading schools who offers and promotes the use of this gadget as a tool for learning.



-Pamela Villacorta