





## About Us

**JCI Zugbuana** is an all-female chapter based in Cebu, Philippines. Now on its 32nd year, the Zugbuana retains its status as one of the best all-female organizations in the country, with a bigger membership base of beautiful and brilliant lady leaders, making a difference in the community and living out our mission of being agents of positive change.

In 1991, JCI Senator Lucio “Jun” Lim and JCI Member Antonio Climaco, from an all-male chapter of JCI MCU, envisioned an all-female counterpart. This gave birth to JCI Zugbuana.

Over the years, we have been holistic in our approach to be the foremost global network of young leaders. Inspired by our mission, vision, and values, JCI Zugbuana has created and initiated projects under multiple areas of opportunity like Community Development, National Relations, Business Development, Local Organization Management, and Local Skills Development.

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# 2022 At A Glance



Midyear Academy in Tagaytay



Youth Leadership Excellence Awards



2nd Area Council Meeting



JCI Week Opening Party



WeCANCERvive



Cure a Clinic



Protocol Training



JCI Discover



Oplan Kaagapay Operation Respond Bagyong Odette



Pink October: Pink Cube



Pink October: Olympinks



Pink October: Olympinks



Pink October: A Can for Hope



Pink October: Olympinks Exhibition Game



Pink October: New Hair Pink Cares

# 2022 Projects Highlights



## WeLight: Solar Lamps for Fishermen Gilutongan

WeLight: Solar Lamps for Fisherman Gilutongan is a livelihood empowerment project that pursues the upliftment of the fisherfolk from Gilutongan Island, Cordova by equipping them with the tools they need to improve their quality of work and life. This was done by providing rechargeable underwater flashlights which improved their vision during night-fishing and lessened the fisherfolks' expenses by at least a third of their weekly income.



## Sabon Sugbuanon

For the promotion of sustainable tourism and for good health and hygiene, 15 mothers in Brgy. Tal-Ot, Barili with children affiliated with the Children of the Coast Foundation joined a soap-remolding workshop, using lightly used hotel soap donated from Hotel, Resort, & Restaurant Association of Cebu, Inc. (HRRACI) affiliated hotels/resorts produced about 40-50 new bars of soap in total to take home to their families and protect them against various health concerns, especially amidst a still-ongoing pandemic.



## Locks of Love

Locks of Love is a year-long hair donation drive that aims to gather as many hair donations as possible in order to create wigs for women and children suffering from medical hair loss. In turn, these will help the project's beneficiaries help cope with the changes in their lives and rebuild their self-confidence. This project has been running since 2016 and, for the past five (5) runs, JCI Zugbuana has collected over 400 bundles of hair which in total created 27 wigs that have been donated to Kythe Cebu Foundation. The project collects hair donations from all over the Philippines.



## PAWtect Our FURriends

PAWtect Our FURriends, a cause dedicated to animal welfare and aid, is on its second run with a dog walkathon called Let's Get Pawsical. The main goal of this event is to construct a permanent shelter for Happy Tails Philippines, a rehabilitation center for abused and neglected dogs in Lahug, Cebu City. Moreover, this project aims to educate and create social impact for dogs, or animals in need.



## PWDCan

PWDCan is a project that caters to persons with disabilities of all age groups. It aims to create a positive impact and improve their quality of life by providing assistance and opportunities to help them cope with their disabilities. PWDCan also seeks to raise awareness about the prevalence of disabilities and encourage others to help create a more inclusive community for PWDs.



## Sea of Dreams: Project Canoe

Sea of Dreams: Project Canoe is an educational program that aims to sponsor the education of three out-of-school youth athletes. These out-of-school youth athletes were carefully selected by the partner NGO for this project, Philippine Outrigger Canoe Club for their performance in both sports and academics. The sponsorship covers at least one year of schooling for the youth and also various gadgets that may greatly help them in an age where online classes are the norm and having a personal computer is the bare minimum to attend lessons.



## Wander and Wonder Asia

Being nominated for the Best International Development Program is the neophyte project of JCI Zugbuana, Wander and Wonder Asia - one bold step to experience the world, with the help of international JCI chapters, JCI Toulkork (Cambodia), JCI Kuala Lumpur, and JCI Hong Kong Jayceettes. Although this global pandemic has greatly hindered our ability to travel abroad, it has renewed the burning passion to experience cultures and traditions foreign to us. Wander and Wonder Asia guides the viewers where to go and what to do from the very people who call these Asian destinations home and aim to make these communities better. By learning each other's culture and understanding what drives and motivates them, we can foster global acceptance and camaraderie where our differences are celebrated and diversity is cherished.



## Project 30x30

Project 30x30 is an initiative of JCI Zugbuana to support the global movement called 30x30. 30x30 is a science driven global campaign to protect at least 30% of our lands and waters by 2030 to protect biodiversity, bolster resilience to climate change, and address the issue of endangered marine life and our under-protected Ocean. This was our call to action to raise public awareness to increase enthusiasm and support, propel inspiration and stimulate action so together we can create a healthier future for our planet, and ultimately ourselves.



## ConvHERsations

ConvHERsations promotes women's self-worth, their ability to determine their own choices, and their right to influence social change for themselves and others. As this happened at the height of the pandemic, this impacts a lot of women who are struggling to continue the plans they want to achieve. To attract a wider audience, the project maximized digital media to share practical wisdom and profound insights and send out a message to tell women that they can unleash their full potential by contributing their skills everywhere they go, raise happier communities, and benefit societies and humanity at large.



## Ecopreneurship

Ecopreneurship is a two-day eco-friendly bazaar which was held on June 11 & June 12. This bazaar offers younger Cebuanos opportunities for leading better lifestyles. Ecopreneurship helps boost businesses formed during the pandemic and gain new customers. This program exhibits homemade goods from ten small local businesses to new clients. It gives customers additional environmentally friendly options by highlighting companies that sell environmentally and sustainably produced goods.

# BIKE AID



## August 2020

In partnership with JCI Manila, "BikeAID: Appreciating Our Inspiring and Dedicated Frontliners" was organized to provide 60 bikes to 60 deserving auxiliary medical frontliners from our beneficiary hospitals such as Eversley Childs Sanitarium & General Hospital (ECS GH), Cebu City Medical Center (CCMC), and Vicente Sotto Memorial Medical Center (VSMMC).





# Cycle 4 Wheels

May 2022

CYCLE-4-WHEELS, a fundraising project of Cycle4Life aims to get people to kick start their healthy active lifestyle by participating in indoor cycling classes while helping persons with disabilities from Philippine Accessible Disability Services, Inc. (PADS) improve their quality of life and bring out their potential by donating Sports Grade Wheelchairs to support their Sports for Inclusion. This program was designed to introduce adaptive sports to PWDs to increase their visibility and participation in sports and rehabilitative recreation, to promote an active healthy lifestyle, and to break barriers of stigma and discrimination towards disabilities.



# Wheel Be There for You x Eye Care for You



June 2022

JCI Zugbuana and JCI Manila celebrated their annual team building, Hatawan, in Panglao, Bohol. To commemorate this event, JCI Zugbuana donated 10 wheelchairs for the benefit of the PWDs and Senior Citizens of Tagbilaran City along with JCI Manila who turned over 40 boxes of eye drops.

