

Don Bosco Past Pupils of Viet Nam Federation

Hi!

Dear all presidents, delegates, and representatives of Asia Oceania Regional Congress of Don Bosco Past Pupils. On behalf of Don Bosco Past Pupils of Viet Nam Federation I would like to present the president's report.

In my report I present the status of priorities and activities, including:

- Growth and Sustainable Structure
- Formation and Training
- Gex Promotion
- Funding and Fundraising
- Family Support
- Salesian Family
- Communication and External Relations; and
- Activities aimed at poor youth

In growth and sustainable structure, we have done efforts to increase the number of formal memberships. We also developed a new strategy and annual plan according to the 7 priorities of the world confederation. We also developed a relationship between different past pupil groups by initiating the activity of updating the year book of each past pupil group.

In formation and training, we just started networking in vocational and career guidance. We also started the formation in leadership, financial management, marketing and time, management and faith, and family planning.

In Gex promotion, we try to establish a link with a new salesian vocational school. We also visited and established connections with young generation groups in a vocational school.

In funding and fundraising, we just collected the annual affiliation charges from last year 2020. We also develop the initiative of saving 1% each cash event for creation of voluntary contributions.

In supporting the past pupil family, we have support activity when a past pupil passes away. We also promote the way of living a good christian life and upright citizens.

With the Salesian Family we joined the meeting the Salesian Provincial of Viet Nam. We cooperate in event organizing, such as the traditional day, and the family day at each area. We promote the relationship and collaboration activities between past pupils and Don Bosco collaborators at area level.

In communication and external relations we established a full function country secretariat. We also established various communication channels using viber group, skype and facebook between past pupil groups.

With activities aiming for poor youth, we see this as a way for struggling with non legal situation in our country. and the gap between the different generations and different thinking

- to continue Don Bosco Spirit. We Gift & Sponsor Action to poor you in remote areas. We Supply cheap accommodation for students at 25% cheaper for young past pupils of vocation school only. This is a non-profit business. In an urban area we supply Hospitality business training. We also do some activities to support blind youth.

For Supporting poor youth at urban area, this is an individual initiative of a past pupil by providing poor youth a thorough education in the hospitality business. This is also a non-profit business. Based on the regenerate concept, trainees do not have to pay, but after graduation and earning money, the student will pay the tuition and boarding fees over 15 years so that the center has resources to help the next trainees.

For Supporting blind youth (Thien An Shelter). This is also an initiative of a past pupil. Established and run by a blind past pupil of Don Bosco. To empower visually impaired youth in need of creating opportunities to access education and to acquire necessary knowledge and skills.

Thank you!