


APR Thank You! Fiscal Report

EXP: \$06,456	INC: \$05,660
Family: \$01,238	Gifts: \$05,390
Ministry \$05,180	Hon: \$00,250
Debt: \$00,038	Interest: \$00,020

YTD STATUS: 98% (-\$752)



3rd Floor Library:
LABOR/LAND: \$11,000
RAISED: \$5055



PICKUP: 3rd Floor Libr.
GOAL: \$10000 MAT'LS:\$11,000
RAISED\$6200 RAISED:\$2,775



BLC
**CHILDREN'S
EMERGENCY
MEDICAL FUND**

*"A happy heart makes the face cheerful, but
heartache crushes the spirit."
-Proverbs 15:13*

**BLC'S MEDICAL FUND IS AN ANSWER TO
PRAYER FOR MANY FILIPINOS**

**PLEASE PRAY: FOR BLC CONSTRUCTION
TO BE COMPLETED BEFORE MID-MAY,
SO THE TEACHERS CAN PREPARE
CLASSROOMS FOR JUNE CALSSES.**

**YOU KNOW YOU ARE A FILIPINO IF...
...you carry 8 passengers on a motorcycle.**

TALLY FOR CHRISTMAS 2008 STUFFED ANIMAL CHRISTMAS GIVEAWAY: 500 NEEDED/354 RECEIVED



TO SEND
STUFFED
ANIMALS
PLEASE
MAIL TO:
HARRY
BARNER
18
EILEEN
DRIVE
RENS-
SELAER,
NY 12144

HE WILL
MAIL
THEM IN
BULK TO
US.

A BLC GIRL HAS A NEW TOY.

**THE POOR
CHILDREN OF
BARNER
LEARNING
CENTER ARE
AMAZED AT THE
ANIMALS FROM
OTHER
COUNTRIES:
RABBITS WEAR
SWEATERS!**



**WHEN SENDING
STUFFED ANIMALS
TO MY FATHER
FOR BLC, PLEASE
INCLUDE A CHECK
FOR 50 CENTS FOR
EACH TOY, FOR
POSTAGE.
THANKS!**

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**PEPPER=Paul and Elvie's Prayer & Praise newslettER*
**Paul M. Barner Ministries
Philippine Church Planters
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CONGRATULATIONS, BLC GRADUATES!

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THE BLC CHILD SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM:

IN 2008, 500 POOR CHILDREN WILL RECEIVE FREE SCHOOLING AT BARNER LEARNING CENTER. EACH SCHOOL DAY THEY WILL GROW SPIRITUALLY, MENTALLY, PHYSICALLY & SOCIALLY. EACH MONTH YOU, AS A SPONSOR OF A BLC CHILD, ALSO RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING FROM YOUR "ADOPTED" CHILD!

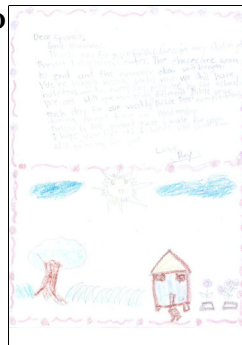
MAY: CASUAL PICTURE OF YOUR CHILD

At BLC, the school year begins in April, with Summer School. Summer lasts 2 months, and the main school year begins in June. All sponsored kids are required to attend 12 months of school. As soon as a child is enrolled, his or her picture is taken, and sent to the sponsor. The picture is casual, as uniforms are being made.



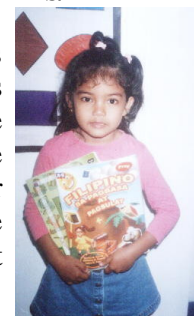
JUN: LETTER FROM YOUR CHILD

Each sponsored child is learning the importance of sharing God's love. One way this is taught is by writing a personal letter to the one who is making his/her schooling possible at BLC. Often they are quite creative, with pictures of houses, friends and sunsets.



JUL: PICTURE OF YOUR CHILD WITH HIS/HER SCHOOLBOOKS

By July, all of the schoolbooks have been ordered and received. As they are distributed among the respective grades, pictures are taken of the child with his/her books. These books are interactive and become the permanent property of the child.



AUG: SPONSORSHIP CARD AND PACKET WITH BIODATA OF YOUR CHILD AND HIS/HER



When the child receives his/her school uniform, a packet with information on the child's family is sent to the sponsor. This is printed on a handsome card for display.



Jurilyn A. Quiño
Birthday: April 15, 1999

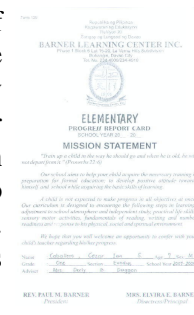
SEP: PICTURE OF YOUR CHILD IN SCOUT UNIFORM

Each child receives two uniforms at BLC. The first is the official school uniform, and the second is the official uniform of the Philippine Scouting Association. Each September, every BLC student is inducted into the National Scouting program. Every Thursday is Scouting day at BLC.



OCT: YOUR CHILD'S FIRST REPORT CARD

Quarterly evaluations are made of your child. These report cards are signed by the parents so they may assist and/or applaud their child for a job well done. To assist you in prayers for your child, you too receive a copy of this report card. Many sponsors also send notes back to the child via letter or email.



NOV: CHRISTMAS CARD HANDMADE BY YOUR CHILD

Stores promote Christmas long in advance of December. Therefore the children are in the "spirit of Christmas" months before Dec. 25. In order that you will receive your personal card before the mail stops during holidays, your child sends his/her handmade card to you right after BLC's Foundation Day celebration, in



DEC: PICTURE OF YOUR CHILD'S FAMILY

Although many poor families are shattered with single parents and/or half-siblings under the same roof, the families do wish to express their gratitude for your willingness to sponsor their child. Many sponsors post these family pictures on their refrigerators to pray for the entire family.



JAN: PICTURE OF YOUR CHILD WITH HIS/HER CHRISTMAS GIFT AND STUFFED ANIMAL

Often Christmas day is no different from the other 364 days of the year. Due to poverty, families rarely give presents or cards. Friends from around the world send funds and toys for BLC kids' Christmas. Each child receives a new set of clothes & a stuffed animal. They're happy.



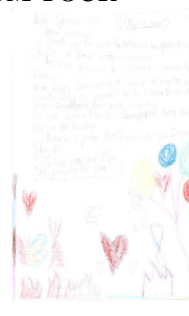
FEB: PROFESSIONAL WALLET-SIZED YEARBOOK PICTURE OF YOUR CHILD, & HANDMADE VALENTINE

Built into the \$25 monthly sponsorship fee which you paid for your child, is an annual photo shoot of your child for the BLC yearbook. A wallet-sized copy of this picture is sent to you with your valentine, to commemorate the "Month of Love".



MAR: 2ND PERSONAL LETTER FROM YOUR

Now that your child's school year is almost completed, ten months of schooling have gone into your child. His/her skills are much improved. Before Summer, like the one out of ten who returned to thank Jesus for being healed, your child shows his/her appreciation by sending you another letter.



APR: CHILD'S FINAL REPORT CARD OF THE YEAR

Your copy of your child's final report card gives you the opportunity of seeing the results of your investment in this child on the other side of the world. Most sponsors continue sponsoring their "adopted" children until they graduate from 6th grade, at which time a BLC education is complete.

