

February 2019 MEETING



The meeting begins with prayer on the part of Mrs. Josefa Sánchez. The guidelines are given on the schedule of the meeting, indicating to the learning centers that they are encouraged to submit their reports, the way in which they should be developed and how important it is to make known the progress of them.



A document of the rules is distributed for each learning center and the annual 2019 calendar is announced.



Mirna announces that a new learning center will open in the Rama and this will focus on music.

The practical class is taught by Mrs. Estela and teaches us to make a box woven with recycled plastic (raffia) and explains the type of stitches they must do to achieve the style they want.



BICYCLE PROJECT

It is recommended that people who cannot take the project better return the bicycles. We have Marina who is renting them to some students or they can be offered to rent them for a cost of C\$15 or C\$20(\$0.46 or \$0.61) for some activities that take place on Saturdays.

Estela takes bicycles for errands, rents in recess hours with the requirement to leave the ID. In Chinandega Doris and Bethany they rent them in C\$5(\$0.15), however for the Amistad y solidaridad center of Las Lagunas it is difficult to give them any use but Reyna will be informed to coordinate what use can be given to them.





Puerto Sandino starts the project of the bicycles and they get 3 bicycles from the Hosanna center that has returned their bicycles due to the risk in their community of robberies.

In general, all centers are informed that they will receive 2 more bicycles if the project works.

Finally, the delivery of gifts to the leaders of learning centers that comply with the rules.



NEXT ACTIVITIES

Hilvia comments on the need for a machine repair course and it could be done on a Friday from 9:00 am to 12:00 am for a cost of C\$80(\$2.43).

The delivery of eyeglasses is announced for Wednesday, February 27 from 9:00 a.m.

Classes of candles on Mondays from 9 am to 12 am for a cost of 80 córdobas per class. (Tentative).



EVALUATIONS



Leaders of Puerto Cabezas and Rama are happy to get experience making crafts with recyclable materials.

Karla thanks the teacher for such a valuable activity and offers to help carry out the annual plan of the monthly meetings.

Marbeli shares that she had never worked with recyclable material, for this activity she did not have enough material (plastic bags) and on the street I noticed there were enough to be used.

Puerto Sandino participant shares that he likes the vision that the organization has and the way in which it works with people, she commits to multiply what she has learned.

The Rama teacher makes us aware of recycling and not damaging nature with our bad actions. For example, she makes good use of Gerber packaging to make candles with elementary school children.

Xiomara of the Miracle of God Center is participating in the workshop for the first time and thanks the organization for investing time to learn raffia crafts, this helps them in their communities since they are poor and this is a great idea to get ahead.





It was very useful because it is a way to obtain economic income and at the same time help to take care of the environment. The decorations can be made for the home without having to buy the material, as a teacher it seems important to teach especially for children who do not have the resources. I thank the Organization and Estela for teaching.

The class was dynamic and entertaining, now we have a better knowledge of using recyclable material to maintain a clean and healthy country. Now we know how to reuse plastic bags and make raffia with them.

The workshop was very good because now we know what to do with the plastic bags that the market gives us, I think it is necessary that we dedicate a little more time to these activities in the future.



Professor Estela is a person with a lot of capacity to teach the class, she handles the recycling topic very well, which helped to finish the boxes successfully.

The class had three important aspects: it was economical, ingenious and recyclable. I think that with effort and dedication this creative activity can be a source of income for the home. Something very important to keep in mind is that all participants should walk with the material that is going to be used.

