



This Filipino community built its own pre-school. KGN harnesses youthful creativity for their futures.

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Filipino culture -- a happy and sometimes confusing mix -- celebrates the creativity of living in the face of many challenges at the fringes of the global economy. The *KalayLah GLocal Network* (KGN) was formed to harness this life force and help Filipinos create a better, safer future for themselves and for their children.

KalayLah was coined from the Filipino terms, “kalayaan” (freedom) and “lahi” (race, generations) to express the vision of people who experience life to its fullest.

To help envision this future and to make it happen, KGN will invest in future generations by focusing on young people. It will encourage them to find their unique capacities and to learn new skills for helping transform their communities. It will offer action-learning workshops, train visioning facilitators, promote friendship exchanges and bridge non-government organisations and peoples’ organisations to form collaborative partnerships.

Your interest and support are welcomed. You may give or facilitate material support. You may visit Negros Island, where KGN is based, to learn from a community or to share your own capacities and resources. Or you may otherwise help enhance health and education. Apart from new friendships, you will learn the values of creative living from these ingenious, courageous and resilient people.

KGN was formed in Bacolod City in May 2008. Its directors are: Cesar Villanueva (President), Jeanette Patindol (Vice-president), Jeff Lingamen (Secretary), Kat Maguad (Treasurer), Jo Villanueva (Interim Executive Director), Carina Buckley, Rogelin Claveraz , Mike Guanco, Elena Ryan and Tony Stevenson.

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