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# Conservation and Sustainable Utilisation of the Oceans, Events



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Saint Louis University supports activities initiated by student organizations that are aimed to promote conservation and sustainable utilisation of the oceans, seas, lakes, rivers and marine resources. The Rotaract Club of Baguio–Saint Louis University School of Medicine led a coastal clean-up at Darapidap Beach in Candon, Ilocos Sur on July 7, 2024. Their goal is to combat environmental pollution and promote overall well-being. Volunteers collected plastic bottles, caps, beer bottles, and other single-use plastics, aiming to enhance the cleanliness and ecological health of the coastline. The initiative benefited the local community, tourists, and marine wildlife by fostering a cleaner and safer coastal environment.









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The group also led a cleanup effort in the nearby river tributary in Brgy. Oaig-Daya Galimuyod that same day. One sack of trash was collected by the students. Wrappers, single-use plastics, and fragments of building supplies were among the litter. Engaging in such an activity will help residents see the imprtance of keeping their water clean to allow sea creatures that live in the tributary thrive.









## SLU Mining ES and Northern Cement Corporation Conduct BATANGAN 38 Environmental Initiative

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Another project support by Saint Louis University is BATANGAN 38, a Tree Maintenance and River Clean-Up activity led by the SLU Mining Engineering Society (SLU MinES). In collaboration with Northern Cement Corporation, this activity focused on tree care and river cleanup to promote sustainability, reflecting SLU MinES' long-term environmental mission. It was held on March 1, 2025 at Pozzorubio, Pangasinan and Aloragat River, Sison, Pangasinan where 3rd Year Mining Engineering students participated.







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Saint Louis University also supported the project of Lepanto Consolidated Mining Company's Mine Environmental Protection and Enhancement Office (MEPEO) by sending its students to participate in their noble activity. In celebration of Philippine Arbor Day on June 25, 2024, 5,000 Benguet pine seedlings were planted at the Agaki Watershed in Balili, Mankayan, Benguet. Over 200 participants joined, including representatives from NGOs, local government units, PNP, BJMP, DENR, students from Benguet State University, Partido State University, and Lepanto Mining Division staff. They all worked together to support reforestation and environmental conservation.





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