2022 YEAR-END REPORT

YOUTH ADVOCATES FOR CLIMATE ACTION PHILIPPINES
For the past three years, YACAP has continued to grow and build into what it is today. In 2022, our nationwide network stepped up to challenge and demand for a green new leadership and stood against the Marcos-Duterte tandem during the national election period.

It's not easy to be an activist with the current political climate but we continue with full resolve knowing that we are not alone. We know that by organizing young individuals and youth formations in the country, that are creating a better world with them. A world where there is climate justice, and it will be delivered.

All around the globe, there is the call for climate justice, by both young and old, and that solidarity gives us strength. That is why this year, and for the years to come, YACAP will only get stronger. We will continue to fight for what we know is right and for what we deserve.

Together, we will build a movement that will make dictators tremble.

We are unstoppable! A better world is possible!

For people and planet,
Alab Ayroso
National Coordinator
Youth Advocates for Climate Action Philippines (YACAP), convened in 2019, is a nationwide alliance of youth organizations, individuals, and student councils that advocates for immediate global climate action led by the youth. As of 2022, YACAP is a SEC recognized organization and is now officially YACAP Inc. We believe the youth, alongside the most impacted sectors of society, should now lead the ongoing global struggle against climate crisis for the survival of our planet. YACAP is the counterpart of Fridays for Future in the Philippines.

OUR FIVE POINTS OF UNITY:

1) Climate Justice
2) Urgent Climate Action
3) Youth-led Collective Action
4) Defend our Defenders
5) System Change

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SOCIAL MEDIA

YACAP led several online initiatives to amplify our campaigns around our five points of unity. We were able to release several statements and infographics over the course of the year on various topics, and utilize our social media reach with our posts.

YOUTH CLIMATE AGENDA

For the national elections we led the campaign of the Youth Climate Agenda that amplified the calls for a new green leadership and united over 40 youth organizations. YACAP also formed several ad hoc teams for elections, KPOP content, and memes.

Trending in Philippines

#PeopleNotProfit

7,773 Tweets
YACAP, along with its regional chapters, organized a series of consultations with different environmental orgs and sectors of society particularly women and indigenous groups. Representative of peoples organizations from all over the Philippines were consulted on the climate change impacts on communities and how they struggle and defend their rights despite issues of destructive projects and harassment they have experienced.
YACAP, along with its regional chapters, coordinated multiple nationwide actions, two being Global Climate Strikes, and several school strikes this 2022. Actions took a creative shape such as in September, we held a Fashion Show with the theme of Fashion Against Fascism as part of the 50th year commemoration since the fascist rule of Martial Law was passed.
CAMPAIGNS

CLIMATE STRIKES OF REGIONAL CHAPTERS
EDUCATION

YACAP has developed and standardized new slides for educational discussions and held community integrations in three different locations (Cavite, Bulacan, NCR) to deepen the understanding of the climate crisis in the country.

We were also able to hold several Twitter Spaces and webinars around different issues
  - NICC report
  - Marcos-Duterte
  - Pride Month

BASIC MASSES INTEGRATION
YACAP's regional chapters have continued to expand and have identified the regions that are possible for expansion. With monthly onboarding, our five regional chapters are expected to grow even more.

**338**
NEW MEMBERS (2022)

**253**
ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

**NATIONAL SUMMIT**
in September, YACAP held a 2-day hybrid National Summit where it held a Leadership training and its annual National Congress and officially established its Secretariat. All YACAP regional chapters were represented on ground with members from Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao along with representatives from our member formations.
MEMBERSHIP

ORGANIZATIONS

37 MEMBER ORGS
*INCLUDING THE CHAPTERS OF NATIONAL FORMATIONS
YACAP is officially registered for securities and exchange commission (SEC) and was able to procure its own office.

A significant portion of YACAP's financial work revolved around donation drives for typhoons.
In 2022, YACAP was able to maintain its existing partnerships with established climate and environment NGOs in the country, as well as build new connections through partnership engagements with our various events and activities.

YACAP grew and strengthened its international contacts as delegates attended the UN Climate Summit COP27 in Sharm-el Sheikh, Egypt where they were able to engage with activists and organizations from around the world and amplify the situation of the Philippines to a broader audience.
Since 2021, individual members of YACAP were split and grouped into chapters, which are based on their location. YACAP’s regional chapters has since grown and evolved into their own.

3.25 CLIMATE STRIKE

North and Central Luzon

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National Capital Region

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FROM THE CHAPTERS

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South Luzon

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Visayas

JOINS SAVE CEBU MOVEMENT

Mindanao

3.25 GLOBAL CLIMATE STRIKE

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