



Weekly Wrap-Up Newsletter

The weekly wrap-up newsletter is a platform for staff to be updated on the happenings in all PIUs and PMU on the progress of projects CAUSE implemented in various communities but also a space of interaction between staff and management.

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58 graduate from Verava Literacy School

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Fifty –Eight students of Verava literacy school last week graduated with certificates of completion at Kongulai village of West Guadalcanal. Literacy Association Solomon Islands (LASI) implemented the program funded under CAUSE Project of World Bank. The students received their certificates after six weeks of learning. Team leader of Infrastructure Delivery Training (ISDT) Judith Fangalasu'u during the historic celebration explained that when she first asked where on Guadalcanal needed to be reached with literacy Verava community was identified. LASI Coordinator Mrs. Precilla Maeniuta on behalf of their team thanked CAUSE Project for the opportunity given.

Concreting of Munda market



Munda market is progressing very well at the moment, currently the community workers are working on slabbing the flooring. According to the Resident Works Supervisor Mr. Titus Maina the full slab of the first building should complete this week or early next week. Continuous rain is the main challenge in completing the work but the community workers are determine and aim to complete it in a good time to commence on the other building.

CLOs boosted with pull up banner

The Community Liaison Officers (CLOs) are further boosted with additional resources for their awareness . The newly developed and printed pull up banners is easy to follow through by community people. During training days the banners will be put up in the training room for participants to read in their own times. Similar pull up banners for the PIU's also developed and printed and will be send out to them soon.

The new resources is designed to help people in the community to understand better CAUSE Project and its intervention in the communities.



Women learnt how to mix cement



The community workers that are working on the Alota'a school footpath made one step ahead. The community workers most of whom are women can now do the concrete mixing by themselves. The women who are taking the lead are proud to put into practice what they have learnt through the ISDT training.

Pre—bidding information sharing



Wednesday this week the MID component held a pre-bidding information sharing and awareness for contractors on the rehabilitation of Vavayaha roads in Central Honiara and GP roads especially at Papao. The awareness is to inform contractors of the requirement but also the scope of work to be done. There are good number of contractors that attended the awareness meeting.

Honiara ISDT batch 34



Honiara PMU is conducting batch 34 of ISDT training. The participants are from various communities in Honiara such as Jericho, Henderson, Raffle Range, Independence Valley, Koa Hill and Titinge. Training will go on for next week and successful participants are expected to graduate on Friday.

Betel Nut market stalls in Gizo



Work on the betel nut market site in Gizo is progressing very well at the moment. The new site for the market is located at Banana valley west of Gizo. The provincial government of Western Province currently banned betel nut stalls in and around Gizo town. The new site will boost farmers daily marketing activities of betel nut products in Gizo.

Announcements

1. Malaita Province will celebrate it's second appointed day next Friday 14th August 2020 in Auki, Malaita.
2. Unloading of materials and other items at Honiara PMU is continuing and staff are reminded to take care.
3. Staff are reminded to respect each others properties and items always ask when there is a need.
4. CLOs to remind community workers of safety during their engagement with the Project.
5. Always remind community workers of social distancing