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BIKE 4u
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+++ Night ride +++

Friday 10 August, 5pm
North General Hospital, Talamban

... a night ride through Cebus mountains.

We start at North General Hospital and cycle, up to Guba, continue to Ayala heights and cycle via Tops down to Outpost Restobar where we will celebrate our ride with a beer or two :)

don't forget your Headlamps

Outpouring at the Outpost

Together with simultaneous concerts in 7 major cities of the world and 10,000 local initiatives worldwide, Cebu responded, last July 7, Saturday, to the call for ordinary people to contribute solutions to the global climate crisis.
Starting a little past 4pm and rocking almost non-stop till 12 hours later, a hardy band of Cebuanos flocked to the Outpost Restaurant to listen to 26 local bands play, think about audio visual presentations on global warming and its solutions, wonder at what seemed to be antics of the UP Performa group of performance artists and experience, via live feeds through the internet, clips of Madonna and Red Hot Chili Pepper in London, Metallica in Tokyo and others.
The sky also did its own outpouring. But it failed to dampen the enthusiasm of the crowd of almost a thousand who, all the more, got closer together under tarpaulin tents that had been pitched earlier on the parking lot, serving as the venue, for exactly that contingency.
Immediately, an amount of some **18,000 pesos** was raised for the **Bike 4 U foundation.** This was the share that was pledged by the management of the Outpost Restaurant from drink sales.
The organizers of the event, Bite Magazine among them, hope that the success of the event will lead to a virus effect, infecting many more with resolve to do their share to lower carbon emissions through energy conservation, responsible consumption and other actions.

+++ Shoes and spray for kids to bike away +++

Going once, going twice . . . sold! Thus went 16 pairs of Converse Chuck Taylor shoes. They were transformed from their regular iconic selves into works of art or acute curiosity by some of Cebu's top designers, artists and some walk-in customers to Tapas Lounge.
The auction of the shoes was very animated, with moments of real suspense and even some comic relief when one girl bid against herself and, successfully, too. The high point of the auction though was with Budoy's piece, a heavily taped up box that had a light bulb helicopter on top. It proved, when opened by the eventual winner, to be just a simple untouched shoe that Budoy then offered to sign.

Nevertheless, this was the highest earner for the night that garnered close to **P40,000** for the auction's beneficiary, the **Bike 4 U foundation.**
Meanwhile, outside, graffiti artists Ivan Zaldariagga, Mark Copino and a spirited volunteer, Markus and Jen did graffiti art on two separate 8 ft x 10ft boards that attracted many of the Saturday night crowd at the Crossroads.
Later, when the graffiti guys were putting the finishing touches to their boards, inside it had become a free-for-all break dancing and hip hop grooving led by DJ Scientific and the 6000 Goonz.
This event, "A Night of Graffiti All Star Bites," was a joint production of Bite Magazine, Converse and Tapas Lounge with support from Absolut.

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We are happy to announce, that we are expecting 2 more containers filled up with used bikes by end of this year. Like last year, 1 container will come from Germany and thanks to Patrice (a french business men) we expect another container from France. More infos in the next newsletter.

BIKE4U want to THANK all the above mentioned for their support

You want to help ?

Donate a bike ? Donate some parts ?
Donate cash ? Help during our activities ?

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