196 senior students of Mountain View College actively participated in the annual Pre-employment and coaching on how to pass interviews for job placement seminar-workshop held at the M.T. Oliverio Foundation hall last January 27.

The seminar started with a song and prayer. Selected senior class of 2016 sang before Dr. Hope S. Aperocho, VP for Academic Affairs gave her welcome address. Assoc. Prof. Winston C. Mojica, Chairperson of the Languages Department introduced the speaker.

The speaker was Mr. Edwin Valente Galan, a consultant and trainer of Generation X Enhancement and Coaching Consultancy LTD. in the Philippines. He has written several editions of handbooks entitled “Preparedness and Practice, Setting Competitive Advantage, Preparing the Future”.

Surely, the senior students were educated and facilitated on matters of employment in preparation in their venture to be hired in jobs they like and where they are fit.

This annual seminar-workshop was sponsored by the Guidance and Counseling Department headed by the Guidance director, Dr. Ester P. Mojica, a Registered Guidance Counselor and Registered Psychometrician.
We truly appreciate the cooperation of our dormitory residents especially their home deans, dorm officers and student assistants on the most recent dorm evaluation last Sunday, January 24, 2016. The appearance of your dormitories/rooms explained how much efforts you have put in. We would like to acknowledge also the willingness of the evaluators to meet their appointments on time last Sunday. The evaluators who participated were: Amethyst - Mrs. May Ann Bretana, Mrs. Shela Roxas & Mrs. Monyfer Porqueres; Pearl Hall - Mrs. Emelita Baul, Mrs. Nora Ligsay & Mrs. Eunice Ferrari; Emerald - Mrs. Marjorie Sunico, Mr. Godillo Garma, Jr. and Mrs. Lorna Paulicad; Onyx - Mrs. Missi Ortiga, Mrs. Gladys Jonconero and her two student secretaries Joyce Ortiz and Early Faye Soliapsi. The first three rooms with their respective occupants identified as winners who got the first second and third places during the dorm evaluation were:

The dormitory deans will decide when to give to you the awards. Congratulations winners and to the rest of you who participated.

Congratulations to our New Doctors in Philosophy

May Ann P. Bretana, Ph.D in Filipino successfully defended her dissertation entitled:
"Si Juan Noon at Ngayon Isang Pag-tutol, Pagpapagapan at Pagbabagong – anyo"

AND

Nancy J. Morada, Ph.D. in Biology successfully defended her dissertation entitled:
"Hypoglycemic Effect in IRC-Mice, Antioxidant and Toxicity of Polysaccharide-containing Molecule from Sonneratia Alba Leaf Extract"

Both graduated from MSU-IIT in Iligan City

To God be the Glory!

Latest Peer-reviewed Publication from Mountain View College

The latest peer-reviewed publication from MVC is an article entitled, "Mercury, Probable Cause of Deaths and Neurologic Morbidities at Indigenous Villages in Mindanao, Philippines", published in the October 2015 (volume 16 pages 1-24) issue of the IAMURE International Journal of Ecology and Conservation, an international peer-reviewed journal. The article was authored by MVC Research Consultant, Veneracion G. Cabana, MVC alumnus, Noel E. Lagunday (B.S. Biology ’13) and Novo M. Sabas, Head Teacher of the SULADS Comprehensive High School for the Lumad. - More news about this will be printed on the next issue.

REMEMBER...

When you become a child of God, He blesses you. But don’t hold back the blessings He has given you. Instead, share it to others and give back what belongs to Him. Remember God is our provider. Don’t distrust His power and love for HE blesses people who trust in Him and seek His mercy and grace. - DPE

Darkness that is so black we can’t even see your own hand in front of our face is really horrifying! Darkness hides things. We can’t see what we are facing. We can’t see what is around us. Just a tiny beam of light makes a difference in the darkness.

Think about the darkness that people who do not know Jesus live in. The light of the world is Jesus but they do not know Him. As a child of God we have the privilege of bringing light into the world around us. One source of the light is the love in our own heart. The Holy Spirit in our hearts is the true source of all light and sometimes we reflect His light into the world around us.

By being the light or the reflector of light, we have the opportunity to bring God moments into the lives of others.

There are two ways of spreading light— to be the candle or mirror that reflects it. Edith Whorton