



**SOCIO ECONOMIC
PROFILE
BARANGAY BATA
BACOLOD CITY**

Vision

An independent and progressive barangay advocating principles and practices of good governance that help build and nurture honesty and responsibility among its public officials and employees and take appropriate measures to promote transparency in transacting with the public.

Mission

To be able to actively carry out the mandates and ensure transparency, honesty and efficiency in the delivery of services in the barangay.

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

BARANGAY BATA was originally called Sitio Bantud Hda. Lourdes owned by the Lacson families. It has 365 hectares land area located at the boundary of Bacolod City and Talisay City, where the name BATA derived BA for Bacolod and TA for Talisay. Bounded in the South by Barangay Mandalagan, Abkasa in the East, Hda. Sta. Maria in the North and Lacson Street in the West.

Before BATA got its name, it was sold by the Lacson Family to Charles Newton Hodges, an Irish national residing in Iloilo City who converted the portion of the land from Agricultural to Residential. However, due to some circumstances in the legality of ownership since that Hodges is not a Filipino citizen, big portion of the said property was being foreclosed by the PCIBank. With the determination and eagerness of Mr. Simplicio A. Palanca to preserve the properties, he created the BATA SUBDIVISION which he owned. The biggest portion of it was designed for a Golf Club named Marapara Golf and Country Club. Mr. Palanca initiated a promotion that in every individual who are interested to be a member of the Golf Club, a 1,000 square meters lot is to be awarded for them and majority of the members were medical practitioners and business men in whole Negros Island before it was dissolved last 1994 and turned into Negros Occidental Golf and Country Club. Up to the present, majority of the lots in Barangay Bata is owned by the private individuals and some are sold to some corporations and subdivisions.

In August 25, 1955 when some of the inhabitants together with the Late Restituto A. Abaring Sr. initiated a petition for the separation of Sitio Bantud, Hacienda Lourdes to Barrio Mandalagan under the Mayoralty of Mr. Felix Amante and successfully it was declared approved and the very first Barrio Lieutenant was the Late Restituto A. Abaring Sr. appointed by the Local Government officials.

In September 24, 1974 where all Barrios all throughout the country was declared Barangay by the Late President Ferdinand E. Marcos through a presidential decree, an election was conducted and the very first elected Barangay Captain was the Late Restituto A. Abaring Sr.

Physical Profile

Barangay Bata is bounded in the East by Abkasa, in the North by Had. Sta Maria, in the West by Lacson Highway and the South by Brgy. Mandalagan. At present, it has several big subdivisions, namely Goldcrest Village, Villa Valderama, Puentebella Subdivision, Marapara Heights, part of Octagon Village, and the newly opened Montebello Subdivision. Barangay Bata is 6.4 kilometers north of the City Proper. It is a fifteen-minute ride by jeep or bus to the heart of the city.

Land Area: 398.2258

Topography: Plain

Classification: Rural

Water Bodies: Rivers, Creeks

Soil: Loam/Clay

Climate and Rain: Tropical, sometimes sunny, sometimes rainy

Land Use

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| 1. Residential: 59% | 4. Governmental: 12% |
| 2. Commercial: 18% | 5. Recreational: 3% |
| 3. Industrial: 5% | 6. Agricultural: 8% |

Population

Barangays	Area (Ha.)	Pop'n Density (2015)	2015 Actual	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Bata	398.2258	72	28,786	29,301	29,826	30,360	30,903	31,456

Barangay Officials

BARANGAY CAPTAIN	ANGELITO VIVAS ABARING SR
SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER	RODERICK SUPEÑA GREGAS
SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER	FLORA GALONA ABARING
SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER	RUEL DETOYATO ALARCON
SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER	EDMER ALAPRE ABARING
SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER	VILMA MIRANDA DESCUTIDO
SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER	HARVEY TUPAL APINAN
SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER	REMUS GALONA ABARING

Bata	Elective	SK Chairperson	NINNA CRIS LINDY	ISIDTO
Bata	Elective	SK Member	PEARL JANE	SANTIA
Bata	Elective	SK Member	ROMAN	ALLERA
Bata	Elective	SK Member	COLLIN GRACE	YANSON
Bata	Elective	SK Member	CHRISTELLE	ESON
Bata	Elective	SK Member	MAY	SERDENIA
Bata	Elective	SK Member	JESMAR	FLORES
Bata	Elective	SK Member	MERRY-ANN	CASIPE

Schools

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bata Elementary School I • Bata Elementary School II • Bata National High School • Purok Villagracia Day Care Center • Purok Pag-isa Day Care Center • Purok Pepsi Day Care Center | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Barangay Child Development Workers • Dunamis Preschooler • The Achievers Preschooler • Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Kinder School • Medinah Christian Church Preschooler |
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Existing Organizations:

Non-Government Organizations (NGOs):

- Abang Lingkod
- Negros Women for Tomorrow's Foundation (Dungganon)
- Rotary Bacolod South Mother's Club

People's Organizations (POs)

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pinetree Neighborhood Association, Inc. • Marapara Neighborhood Association, Inc. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marapara-Pinetree Community Assn., Inc. • Villa Candelaria Community Association, Inc. |
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- Urban Poor Association in Pinetree, Inc.
- Tunay Neighborhood Association, Inc.
- Kamunsil Homeowners Association, Inc.
- Christian Homeowners Association, Inc.
- Malipayon Homeowners Association, Inc.
- United Homeowners Association, Inc.
- Brgy. Bata Vendors Association, Inc.
- Senior Citizens Assn. – Brgy. Bata Chapter
- Brgy. Bata Persons with Disability (PWD)
- Purok Chairman Assn. Brgy. Bata (PCABB)
- Brgy. Bata OFW Assn. (BBOFWA)

Transportation Organizations:

- Bata-Libertad Jeepney Drivers & Operators Assn. Inc. (BALJODA)
- Bata North Jeepney Drivers & Operators Assn. (BNBJDOA)
- Kametal Tricycle Operators & Drivers Assn. (KAPTODA)
- Pepsi-Riverside Tricycle Operators & Drivers Assn. (PERTODA)
- Sawmill Tricycle Operators & Drivers Assn. (SATODA)
- Goldcrest Tricycle Operators & Drivers Assn. (GOTODA)
- Bata Tricycle Operators & Drivers Assn. (BATODA)
- Magbinuligay Tricycle Operators & Drivers Assn. (MAGTODA)
- Bata-Villagrancia Tricycle Operators & Drivers Assn. (BAVILTODA)

Civic Organizations:

- Marapara Rotay Club – Bacolod
- Lions Traders Club – Bacolod
- Kanla-on Lions Club – Bacolod
- Rotary Club Bacolod North

Religious Organizations:

- Bata Parish Youth Ministry (BPYM)
- Bulig Mo, Kabuhi Ko (BMKK)
- Singles For Christ (SFC)
- Couples For Christ (CFC)
- Kataba
- Parish Pastoral Council
- Knights of Columbus

Barangay Facilities

- Bata Public Market
- Barangay Health Center
- Tubigan ng Barangay
- Brgy. Police Motorcycle Patrol
- Multi-purpose vehicle
- Brgy. Gym
- Multi-purpose hall

Annual Investment Plan (AIP)

<i>YEAR</i>	<i>PROGRAM / PROJECT / ACTIVITY</i>	<i>AMOUNT</i>
2019	Concreting of roads	=P 345,000.00
2020	Rehabilitation & Construction of drained systems, De-silting of rivers and De-clogging of Canals	345,000.00
2021	Concreting of Roads	345,000.00
TOTAL		1,035,000.00

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