



PAMAW-A

Ata Indigenous Food Festival



Photo by Porta Villerrante. Dimingo ke Eata Ribo Festival. Malay, 2012.



Don Salvador Benedicto, Negros Occidental
October 6-7, 2022



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DEDICATION

The festival will be held in the spirit of the late Ata leader, top hilot and food master, Marita Mahinay.

PROGRAM

Day 1 - October 6

Children's workshop (age 7 - 12)

- Story-telling on the relation between forests, nutrition and health
- Collages with natural materials: leaves, flowers, twigs and local dyes
- Food recipe sharing session 'ask your grandmother'
- Songs, poems and dances

Day 2 - October 7

- Morning**
- Opening ceremony, welcome and sharing of products of the Children's workshop
 - Dialogue Forum with Ata communities, LGUs and other government agencies
- Afternoon**
- Skills demonstration and Indigenous games
 - Cooking Competition
 - Sharing Sessions: Health and Nutrition; Forest honey and livelihoods; The Indigenous Peoples Rights Act (IPRA)
- Evening**
- Cultural night: music, songs and dances
 - Announcement of winners of the competitions

Organized by SPNKK and the Manara Tribal Council,
with the following partners and supporters:

- Office of the Provincial Governor of Negros Occidental
- Municipality of Don Salvador Benedicto
- Provincial DENR/Northern Negros National Park (NNNP)
- National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA)
- Sofronio Carmona Memorial National Highschool
- Bagong Silang Elementary School, Don Salvador Benedicto
- Center of Development for Teacher Education, St. La Salle University
- Technological University of The Philippines, Visayas Campus
- KusinAta Restaurant, Don Salvador Benedicto

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