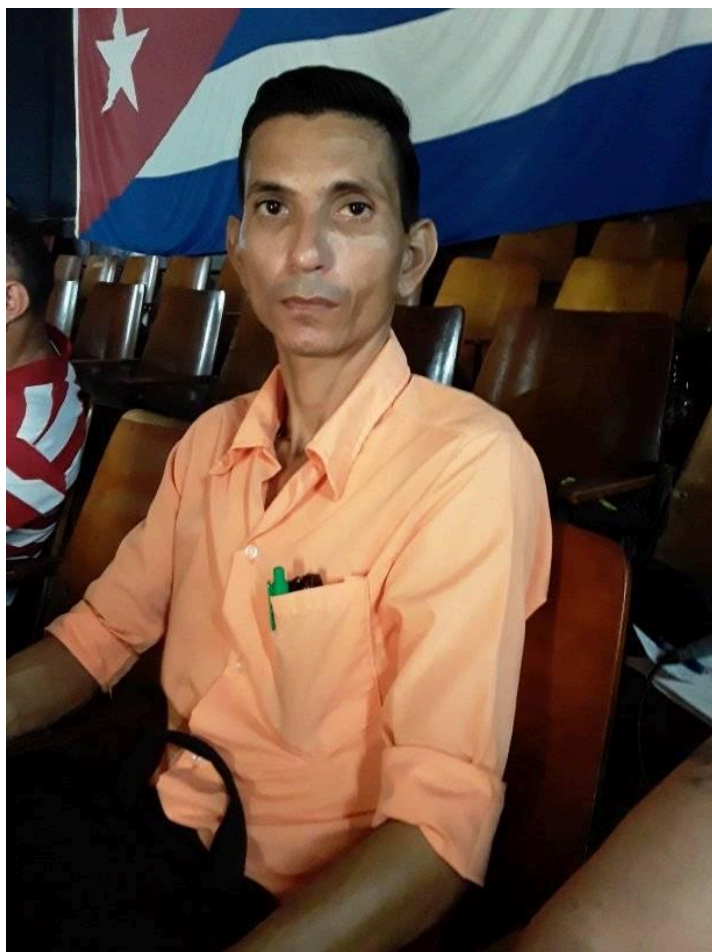




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Goals and indicators for the current year

- To elevate the cultural life of the population and strengthen its identity values, based on the participation in the cultural life organized by our institutions and promoters

Other information of interest

- The mission, outlined by the Municipal Directorate of Culture, is to provide methodological advice to art instructors, promoters and technicians of cultural institutions in order to raise their professionalism and encourage the population to strengthen their identity values and prepare

them, through their participation, to increase their appreciation of the arts and raise awareness of the defence of cultural heritage.

Culture House

Jesus Aviles Urbino. Holguinero, descendant of a family of musicians, dedicated part of his life to the fight against the Spaniards who ruled at the time. In his free time he studied music. He was a member of the Band of Music of the Liberating Army and during the invasion from East to West he was appointed Director of the Invasion Band; together with Manuel Dositeo Aguilera he composed the Invasion Hymn. He ended the war with the rank of captain.

Located at 62 José Martí Ave., Buenaventura. 82600, Holguín, Telephone: 24357241 It develops with the school and the community participative processes of appreciation and promotion of art and literature that contribute to the spiritual enrichment of the population, mainly children and young people, the strengthening of the Amateur Artists Movement and the consolidation of the national identity. The implementation of recreational and participatory cultural activities for all age groups.

It was built as a society of instruction and recreation by the 1940s through public collections made by the mestizo teacher Maria Mora in it were given tipping dances, then with the Revolutionary Triumph becomes Social Workers Circle with television and cultural and recreational activities. From 1979 with the creation of the network of Culture Houses, the place with that purpose manages to be inaugurated on January 28, 1982 with a room for theater, music, dance, and exhibitions as well as warehouse, offices and dressing rooms.

There is a House of Culture in the Popular Council of Mir.

Onelio Jorge Cardoso" Public Library

The Public Library was founded on February 9, 1983; it is located at calle Patricio Lumumba #45 Buenaventura 82600 Holguín and telephone: 24357135. It provides services in the hall and in the circulation area, telephone consultations and reference, university extension and activities aimed at promoting the habit of reading.

It aims to meet the information and cultural needs of users, create reading habits and raise the overall culture in the community.

Onelio Jorge Cardoso, born in Calabazar de Sagua in 1914, died in Havana in 1986. A prolific writer, he published numerous books of short stories. His work has been translated into different languages.

There is a branch library in the Popular Council of Mir.

Municipal Museum

The institution offers services of visits to the permanent exhibition rooms, conferences, talks, activities of socio-cultural animation within the institution and in the communities, attention to circles of interest, creation groups, courses, scientific services of the archive researches.

The social task is to rescue, preserve, research and exhibit the heritage of the town.

Address: José Antonio Hechavarría No. 122 % Ave José Martí y Camilo Cienfuegos.
Telephone: 24357111

There is also the Museum IV "Simon Bolivar" Front in the Popular Council of Mir that together with the monument pays tribute to the revolutionary work of the Fourth Simon Bolivar Front organized on November 4, 1958.

Cinema "Moscow"

Founded on June 24, 1980, it provides 35mm film and video projection and exhibition services, as well as multiple services such as a room for cultural shows, a meeting room and a venue for cultural, social and political events.

Located in Manuel Ascunce Street #40 between José Martí Avenue and Patricio Lumumba. Buenaventura 82600. Holguín. Cuba. Telephone: 24357343

Service hours from 8.00am to 11.00pm.

It has three video rooms in the communities of Mir, San Agustín and Vista Hermosa.

Armando Gómez Peña" Art Gallery

Founded on December 15, 2010. Its fundamental activity is to promote and enrich the plastic arts throughout the territory in order to awaken the inclination towards this manifestation, watching over the care and conservation of the works of art.

Armando Gómez Peña, Painter and restorer of works of art: He was born in San Agustín de Aguárás in 1941. Graduated from the Professional School of Plastic Arts in Holguín in 1968. Founder of the City's Engraving Workshop and the Hermanos Saíz Brigade. He worked as a museologist restorer of the Provincial Museum La Periquera. Member of the UNEAC and one of the main figures of the Plastic Arts of the province in the 70s. He has been working for several years in the restoration of the capital works of the great muralists of Mexico

Bookstore "Margarita Blanca"

Founded on March 8, 1980, it provides book sales, presentations and promotions, talks, lectures, round tables, book exhibitions, as well as outreach activities in student, health, work and community centers.

Located at 85 José Martí Ave. Bus Terminal. Buenaventura. Holguín. CP 82600 and telephone: 24357316. Services are available from 8.00am to 12.00m and from 12.30pm to 4.30pm.

We offer sale of books, cassettes and other products as well as sales extensions and book presentations. Extension activities reach out to student, health, work and community centers with offers of book presentations, talks, lectures, round tables, book expositions, as well as book sales in fixed spaces.

Cultural billboard:**Organ Festival "Pepe Ajo"**

Event to be held from 19 to 21 October, which is carried out to perpetuate in some way the most deeply rooted tradition of the territory. (Organ music). This Festival is pleased to invite all the arrangers of the Republic of Cuba to participate in the "Ernestino Cuayo" arrangers' contest, which is aimed at recognizing the work of those who knew how to assume the flattening of the Oriental organ as one of the most interesting processes within the great spectrum of Cuban music. Those interested in participating in this contest must present their arrangements for organ within the celebration of our Festival.

Calixteña Culture Day

The Day of Culture is the most important event in the municipality Calixto Garcia and is held to commemorate the establishment of the Municipal Council of Culture in Buenaventura on March

15, 1965 as a greeting to the IX World Festival of Youth and Students. The population participates in the various activities such as the opening parade, opening and closing gala, meeting of personalities, book fair and presentation of professional and amateur talent.

Mireña Culture Day

Festival to be held from 31 March to 3 April, commemorating the attack on the Mir barracks, where the best of the territory's traditions are on display, allowing the revival of cultural moments and actions. Thousands of inhabitants participate in the different activities such as the inaugural parade, the opening and closing gala, the meeting of personalities, the book fair and the presentation of professional and amateur talent.

Traditional Bachatas of the Mantecas

It is held as a way to revitalize the traditions of the municipality and specifically of the town of Las Mantecas, where it is deeply rooted in the people, is celebrated on June 24 for the Day of St. John, in which there are tape runs, sale of groceries accompanied by organ and peasant music

Blancolvido" Poetry Day

The "Blancolvido" Poetry Day, framed on November 7th, is celebrated in homage to the birth of Emilio Ballagas Cubeñas, a poet who lived in our town for some time and whose name the Literary Workshop of our municipality bears. Young people under 35 years of age who live in the municipality are invited to attend. The literary prize "Blancolvido" of poetry is awarded.