

Sa Ngo Royal Project Development Center

Background

In 1978, when His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej The Great paid a visit to Doi Sa Ngo village, he requested for collaboration from many organizations to help the villagers. A year later, with the collaboration of between the Royal Project Foundation and Mae Jo University, Sa Ngo Royal Project Development Center was officially established in the form of hill tribe development volunteering.



General information

Geography

There are mountains and plains in the area covering 23,750 rai or 9,387 acres at 300 -700 meters above sea level.

Climate

The average temperature is 28 °C or 82.4 °F.

Population

There are more than 3,180 Akha, Tai Lue and lowland people living in 4 villages and 1 community.

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Sa Ngo Royal Project Development Center these days aims to support the farmers for crop production under Food Safety Standard such as Good Agricultural Practices (GAP). It also promotes herb plantation for dried herbal products in order to generate better income and improve quality of life of the farmers. Moreover, the supports are provided for community strength and self-sufficiency, reforestation project called “Three Forests, Four Benefits”; and soil recovery with organic fertilizer, green manure and bio-fertilizer. The center is now becoming a learning center on highland agriculture for students, farmers and other interested people.

Main produces of the Center

Chinese mustard, kale, eggplant, chrysanthemum, chamomile, passion fruit, seedless black grape, avocado and dracaena.

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