

# ICLC Newsletter



## Community Service in Carrillos Alajuela

ICLC (The Costa Rican Culture and Language Institute) organize logistics to participate in Community Service projects.

In 2007 a group of students from Campbell University, from North Carolina enjoyed a day working with families of the community and with ICLC staff members.



Carrillos Alto central park was the site chosen to spend a day cleaning, painting and sharing with locals.

Why the park was chosen? Because in Latin America, people often congregates on parks, especially on Sunday after church. Children play there and it turns into a meeting point to talk with others and to eat typical ice cones.



The park in front of the church is an architectural organization brought by the Spaniards during colonial times and is used and appreciated in several towns around the country. The park is considered the heart of the community.

It was great to see the spaces clean and renewed and the community really appreciated the gesture.



Participants arrived with their families and all spend the whole day working, eating typical food and having fun.



