

BARANGAY HISTORY

Barangay Bacal III is formerly a part of the wide Bacal Area which is owned by a rich man named Don Antonio Soriano. He is well known to all Novo Ecijanans, especially to the residents of Muñoz and Talavera. He was considered to be the strongest and most powerful in the town. Accordingly, he can easily get whatever he wants by all means. Besides, he too is a boxer, and some says nobody defeated him in boxing during his time. He is so determined and very firm in whatever decisions he made. That's why residents of the place called him BAKAL (steel), since he is strong and firm like a steel.

Bacal area was divided into three barangays during the term of Governor Leopoldo Diaz. The three barangays were Bacal I, Bacal II, and Bacal III. Bacal II however, is the center of the place.

Bacal III is the farthest barangay of Talavera north bound. It is 14 kilometers to the town of Talavera and just a few meters away to town of Muñoz. Farming is the major occupation in Bacal III.

DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

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|------------------|---------|-----------------------|---------|
| Total Population | - 6,038 | | |
| • Male | - 2,837 | | |
| • Female | - 3,201 | | |
| Household | - 1,298 | | |
| No. of Families | - 1,592 | | |
| Dialect | | | |
| Tagalog | - 4,806 | Tagalog/ Ilokano | - 1,011 |
| Ilocano | - 36 | Tagalog/ Bisaya | - 78 |
| Kapampangan | - 33 | Tagalog/ Kapampangan | - 26 |
| Bisaya | - 10 | Tagalog/ Pangasinense | - 8 |
| Others | - 0 | | |

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| Palay | Area (Has) | Ave. Production (Cav.) | Farm Income (Php) |
|--------------------|------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| Main Crop | 136.60 | 9,041 | 4,279,640 |
| Second Crop | 136.60 | 15,018 | 4,953,400 |
| Third Crop | - | - | - |
| Total | 273.2 | 24,059 | 9,233,040 |

INFRASTRUCTURES/UTILITIES

- School

| Schools (Public) | Name of School |
|------------------|--------------------------------|
| Elementary | Bacal III Elementary School |
| Day Care Center | Little Twinkle Day Care Center |

- Health Center

| Health Center | Name of Center |
|---------------|---------------------|
| Public | Rural Health Unit I |

- Facilities/ Utilities

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|---------------------------|---|----------------------------|---|
| Barangay Hall | √ | Barangay Nursery | - |
| Barangay Stage | √ | Barangay Bridge | - |
| Barangay Plaza | √ | Barangay Market | - |
| Barangay Gymnasium | √ | Barangay Cemetery | - |
| Barangay Solar Dryer | - | Irrigation Facilities/Dams | √ |
| Barangay Basketball Court | √ | Barangay Chapel/ Church | √ |

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