Division Memorandum
No. 226 s. 2019

PARTICIPATION TO THE 2019 PHILIPPINE YOUTH GAMES-BATANG PINOY

TO: IDA I. JUEZAN/NEIL BONGCAYAO
Public Schools District Supervisors

DATU ROGER A. MANAPOL, Ed.D.
Principal IV-Digos City National High School

1. As per attached DepEd Memorandum No. 013, s. 2019, dated February 8, 2019, re: 2019 Philippine Youth Games-Batang Pinoy, the Philippine Sports Commission (PSC) in partnership with the Department of Education (DepEd) will conduct the 2019 Philippine Games-Batang Pinoy on March 15-25, 2019 at Ilagan, Isabela.

2. In connection thereof, Annie Belen C. Abangan, Arnis-Technical Official was chosen to deliver her expertise and is advised to attend the said activity on official time.

3. Please ensure that her classes be taken-care of during her absence.

4. Round trip transportation allowance, accommodation, uniform and honoraria shall be charged to the Philippine Sports Commission (PSC) subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

4. For information and guidance.

Winnie E. Batoa, Ed.D.
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

References: DepEd Memorandum No. 013, s. 2019
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RPN: Participation to 2019 Philippine Youth Games-Batang Pinoy
14 March 2019
Respectfully forwarded to the Officer-in-Charge, Office of the Schools Division Superintendent, Digos City Division, the herein letter of Gerald O. Cañete, Executive Vice President, Tournament Director of Philippine Eskrima Kali Arnis Federation, Inc., Requesting that Ms. Annie Belen C. Abangan be excused from her classes on March 15 - 25, 2019 and that she be allowed to serve as a National Technical Official for the 2019 Batang Pinoy - Arnis Luzon Regional Qualifying Games at Ilagan City, Isabel, for your information and appropriate action.

DATU ROGER A. MANAPOL, Ed.D
Secondary School Principal IV
10 March 2019

Dr. WINNIE E. BATOON, Ed. D.
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Office of the Schools Division Superindent
Digos City Division

Thru: Datu ROGER A. MANAPOL, Ed. D
Secondary School Principal IV
Digos City National High School

Dear Dr. BATOON:

Warmest Greetings!

Philippine Eskrima Kali Arnis Federation (PEKAF), the National Sport Association (NSA) for Arnis in cooperation with the Philippine Sports Commission (PSC) shall be holding the 2019 Batang Pinoy - Arnis Luzon Regional Qualifying Games on March 16 - 24 at Ilagan City, Isabela. In line, we wish to inform your good office that Ms. ANNIE BELEN C. ABANGAN, Teacher 3 of Digos City National High School, has qualified and has been chosen to serve as a National Technical Official - Table Management and Games Administration Specialist for the said event.

In connection, we are respectfully requesting that Ms. Abangan be excused from your good office on March 15-25, 2019 and that she be allowed to serve as a National Technical Official for the Batang Pinoy - Arnis Luzon Regional Qualifying Games. We sincerely believe that your approval would greatly add to the success of this event and in the promotion and development of our National Martial Art and Sport of Arnis as a whole. Thank you very much and we are hoping for your most kind and generous consideration of this request.

Mabuhay po kayo at Mabuhay ang Philippine Sports!

Yours truly,

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Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. The Philippine Sports Commission (PSC), in partnership with the Department of Education (DepEd), will conduct the 2019 Philippine Youth Games—Batang Pinoy on the following dates with respective venues:

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2. The following guidelines on the participation of public elementary and secondary school learners as athletes, and the involvement of school officials and personnel, teachers, as well as coaches and officiating officials are as follows:

   a. Expenses of the learner-athletes and school coaches relative to their participation in the Philippine Youth Games—Batang Pinoy 2019 shall be shouldered by the Local Government Units (LGUs), which they represent. No funds coming from DepEd shall be used for the said event. **There shall be no fund-raising activity by field officials, public school administrators or teachers for the same purpose;**

   b. The LGUs shall coordinate with the schools division physical education and school sports (PESS) supervisors regarding the identification, recruitment and participation of the learner-athletes and the designation of coaches. It is desired that they shall be guided by the performance standards set in their last district or division athletic meets on deciding the events in which their athletes can compete;

   c. Physical Education and other public school teachers and non-teaching employees selected by the National Sports Associations (NSAs), as confirmed by the PSC and approved by the DepEd, through their respective schools division superintendents or heads of offices, shall serve as officiating officials in Philippine Youth Games—Batang Pinoy 2019. They shall attend on official time only;
d. Participation of learner-athletes in any PSC-sponsored activities contributes to the total development of the child and their attendance is encouraged. Thus, make-up classes, which shall be held after each cluster and the national championships for all participating learner-athletes shall be arranged accordingly by their respective class advisers and school principals;

e. The PSC shall allocate funds for the Philippine Youth Games—Batang Pinoy 2019, which shall include, but not limited to, food, accommodations, honoraria, and transportation expenses of all DepEd technical officials and from the host city; and

f. Public school premises shall not be used as sports competition venues, billeting areas, and other related purposes, unless otherwise approved by the regional office concerned through the schools division office and shall officially inform the Secretary-General of the Palarong Pambansa.

3. For more information, please contact the Philippine Sports Commission at telephone nos. (02) 525-0808 or (02) 521-2364 locals 888 and 168; mobile phone nos. 0916-423-6494 and 0919-545-7252, or the Bureau of Learner Support Services-School Sports Division, Mabini Bldg., Department of Education Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City at telephone no. (02) 632-0260.

4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

LEONOR MAGTOLIS BRIONES
Secretary

Reference:
DepEd Memorandum No. 113, s. 2017

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