Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Region XII
Schools Division Office of Tacurong City

April 28, 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
CID – 2025 - 061

PARTICIPATION OF SDO TACURONG CITY TO THE 2025 PALARONG PAMBANSA

To: **Assistant Schools Division Superintendent**
Education Program supervisors
Cluster Heads
Elementary and Secondary School Administrators
(Public and Private Schools)
This Division

1. In reference to the attached Memorandum OM – OUOPS – 2025 – 05 – 00833 dated February 4, 2025 re Conduct of the 2025 Palarong Pambansa, the Schools Divisions are hereby informed of the conduct of the 2025 Palarong Pambansa to be held from May 24, 2025 to June 2, 2025, in Laoag, Ilocos Norte.

2. Attached is the said Memorandum for your reference and below is the list of official delegates:

NO.	NAMES	EVENT	SCHOOL
1	Cyan Jane Apostol	Badminton Elem.	Tacurong Pilot ES
2	David Humadiao	Badminton Sec.	NDTC - HS
3	Cassandra Irish Mallada	Taekwondo Elem.	New Isabela CES
4	John Redick Pamplona	Arnis – Elem.	New Isabela CES
5	Matthew Clint Sencio	Arnis – Elem.	New Isabela CES
6	Gino E. Serrano	Arnis – Elem.	New Isabela CES
7	Louribel B. Espino	Coach Arnis – Boys/Elem.	New Isabela CES
8	Kiesha Nicole A. Araya	Arnis – Elem.	New Isabela CES
9	Mary Mhave L Orbiso	Arnis – Elem.	New Isabela CES
10	Allodia Jane R. Rosillo	Arnis – Elem.	New Isabela CES
11	Krizzia Belle C. Edon	Coach Arnis – Girls/Elem.	New Isabela CES
12	Ma. Ella Faith C. Delgado	Athletics Elem/Girls	Kalandagan ES
13	Nema Gilren D. Buhian	Wrestling	Tacurong NHS
14	Jay Ann David	Wrestling	Tacurong NHS
15	Aifah B. Langalen	Wrestling	VF Griño NHS
16	Rah – Ail U. Utto	Sepak Takraw Sec.	San Emmanuel NHS
17	Diomar C. Narcilla	Athletics/Trainer	Kalandagan ES
18	Carlo Alej T. Delantar	Wrestling/Trainer	TNHS
19	Germano Gambol III	Wrestling / Trainer	VFGNHS
20	Samuel Clavaton	Arnis Girls/Trainer	Tacurong NHS
21	Miguel Clavaton	Arnis Boys/Trainer	Tacurong NHS
22	John Gil L. Pamposa	RSAC Member	JH Lacson ES
23	Rona N. Tacot	Division Sports Officer	SDO – Tacurong
24	Jorjohn C. Cajandig	Badminton/Trainer	City - LGU

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		City Sports Officer	
25	Jonathan Ochinang	Booth In – Charge	VFGNHS
26	Neil D. Casador	Booth In – Charge	MAMMES
27	Ronald D. Dela Peña	Booth In – Charge	Tacurong NHS
28	Bernard F. Antolo	Booth In – Charge	SDO-Tacurong
29	Rona L. Bred	Booth In – Charge/ Monitoring Team	SDO-Tacurong
30	Julius D. Celetaria	Booth In – Charge/ Monitoring Team	SDO-Tacurong
31	Mary Lee D. Econg	Sch. Head /NICES/Arnis	New Isabela CES
32	Veronica C. Del Prado	Sch. Head /NICES/Arnis	New Isabela CES
33	Marivic M. Celetaria	NICES/Arnis	New Isabela CES
34	Annamarie L. Cajandig	Exec. Secretary-(City Mayor)/ Monitoring Team	City - LGU
35	Emerson F. Floro	Asst. Executive Secretary (Mayors Office) Monitoring Team	City - LGU
36	Claryn P. Apostol	GSO – Monitoring Team	City - LGU
37	Arlene Rosa G. Arquiza	Chief ES - CID	SDO – Tacurong
38	Gilbert B. Barrera, CESE	Asst. Sch. Div. Supt.	SDO – Tacurong
39	Gildo G. Mosqueda, CEO VI	Schools Div. Supt.	SDO – Tacurong

3. Participants to this activity shall be entitled to Compensatory Time – off (CTO) in accordance with CSC and DBM Joint Circular No. 2, s. 2004 on Non – Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Service Rendered for non – teaching personnel, and service credits for teaching personnel pursuant to the provisions set under DepEd Order No. 53, s. 2003, entitled Updated Guidelines on Grant of Vacation Service Credits to Teachers.

4. Travelling and other incidental expenses incurred by the participants shall be charged to Special Education Fund (SEF) and other local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulation.

5. For dissemination, information, and guidance of all concerned.

GILDO G. MOSQUEDA, CEO VI
Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosures: *As stated*
Reference: *Memorandum OM – OUOPS – 2025 – 05 - 00833*
Allotment: *None*
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subject/s:

SPORTS

RNT/CID/DM/Participation of SDO Tacurong City to the 2025 Palarong Pambansa/April 28, 2025

Republika ng Pilipinas
Department of Education
OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR OPERATIONS

MEMORANDUM
OM-OUOPS-2025- 01 - 00833

TO : **REGIONAL DIRECTORS**
MINISTER OF BASIC, HIGHER, AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION, BARMM
SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
REGIONAL SPORTS OFFICERS
TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS
ASSISTANT TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

FROM : **MALCOLM S. GARMA**
Assistant Secretary, Officer-In-Charge
Office of the Undersecretary for Operations
Secretary General, Palarong Pambansa

SUBJECT : **CONDUCT OF THE 2025 *PALARONG PAMBANSA***

DATE : **04 February 2025**

Pursuant to Sections 6, 8, 9, and 10 of Rule II of the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of the Republic Act (RA) 10588 otherwise known as the *Palarong Pambansa* Act of 2013, the Department of Education (DepEd), through the *Palarong Pambansa* Board and its Secretariat, shall conduct the **2025 *Palarong Pambansa*** to be held from May 24 to June 02, 2025 in Ilocos Norte Province.

The annual scholastic multi-sport competition shall be hosted by the local government unit (LGU) of Ilocos Norte Province together with DepEd–Region I and the Schools Division Office (SDO) of Ilocos Norte. The event shall be participated by the 17 DepEd regional athletic associations and delegates from the National Academy of Sports (NAS).

The schedule of activities is as follows:

Event/Activity	Date	Venue
Arrival of Delegation	May 20, 2025	Ilocos Norte
Registration/Simultaneous Orientation of Technical Officials & National Technical Committee Members		TBA

Refresher Course	May 21-22, 2025	TBA
Solidarity Meeting	May 23, 2025	TBA
Opening Ceremony	May 24, 2025	Ferdinand E. Marcos Memorial Stadium
Palaro ng Lahi	May 25, 2025	TBA
Exhibition Sports		
Competition Proper	May 26-30, 2025	Playing Venues
Closing Program	May 31, 2025	Ferdinand E. Marcos Memorial Stadium
Departure of Delegation	June 01-02, 2025	

This year's *Palarong Pambansa* shall continue to adopt the **Qualifying Standards** for measurable sports such as Athletics, Swimming, and Archery. However, only the **top 2 qualifiers per region** for Athletics and Swimming and **top 4 qualifiers per region** for Archery shall advance to the *Palarong Pambansa* national competitions. The **gold medalist/s** shall be considered to advance and compete in the national games in cases where there is/are no regional qualifier/s. Enclosed herewith is the **Qualifying Standards for Measurable Sports in the 2025 *Palarong Pambansa*** for easy reference.

A **Modified Winner-Take-All** policy shall be adopted for all team sports (Basketball, Baseball, Softball, Football, Futsal, Sepak Takraw and Volleyball) in this year's *Palarong Pambansa*, pursuant to the provisions of *Palarong Pambansa* Board Ad Referendum Resolution No. 2025-001 entitled *Adoption of the Modified Winner-Take-All Policy for Team Sports in the 2025 Palarong Pambansa*, as follows:

> *"WHEREAS, the modified Winner-Take-All policy shall feature the primary essence of the policy which is to form a team represented by the winning school, with its core players consisting of bona fide athletes enrolled in that school, while allowing the inclusion of additional athletes from other schools to strengthen the team and ensure the representation of the best players from the division or region;*
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> *WHEREAS, the final team roster for all team sports advancing to the division meets, regional meets, and the Palarong Pambansa national level shall consist of the core team of twelve (12) to eighteen (18) players from the winning team as determined by the specific requirements of each sport, which must be maintained in its entirety throughout the competition, and up to three (3) additional players who may be selected from other schools/teams within the same district, division, or region, as the case may be, provided that such players have qualified and participated in the lower meets;*
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> *WHEREAS, the selection of additional players shall be at the discretion of the coach of the winning team, subject to prior consultation with and approval of the respective schools and teams of the additional players;*

provided, however, that the coach of the winning team retains the prerogative to modify the selection of additional players as the team advances to succeeding higher-level meets and/or the Palarong Pambansa;

WHEREAS, these additional players shall be part of the official team roster (e.g., Basketball: 12 core players + up to 3 players from other teams; Football: 18 core players + up to 3 additional players from other teams), thereby superseding the provision in Item No. 13 of DM No. 35, s. 2023, which previously designated the three (3) additional players as mere alternates;

WHEREAS, the coach of the winning team also has the option to select his/her preferred assistant coach as may be applicable, who may come from the winning school or from a different school that participated in the lower meets, provided that the assistant coach meets the eligibility requirements set forth under existing Palarong Pambansa guidelines;

WHEREAS, expenses to be incurred for the participation of additional learner-athletes for the Palarong Pambansa shall be borne by the division and/or regional delegations, subject to the availability of funds therefor."

Pencak Silat and **Pole Vault–Secondary Girls (Athletics)** will be featured as a regular sport; **Weightlifting** as a demonstration sport; and **Kickboxing** as an exhibition sport in this year's *Palarong Pambansa*.

The *no disruption of classes* policy, as stipulated in DepEd Order No. 09, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*, shall be strictly observed during the conduct of the 2025 *Palarong Pambansa* competitions.

For more information, all concerned may contact the ***Palarong Pambansa* Secretariat** at telephone number (02) 8687-4146 or through email address palarong.pambansa@deped.gov.ph.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Office of the Undersecretrary for Operations
PALARONG PAMBANSA SECRETARIAT

QUALIFYING STANDARDS FOR MEASURABLE SPORTS IN THE 2025 *PALARONG PAMBANSA*

ATHLETICS

EVENT	TIME / DISTANCE / HEIGHT			
	ELEM. BOYS	ELEM. GIRLS	SEC. BOYS	SEC. GIRLS
100 m	12.73	14.00	11.48	13.07
200 m	26.14	29.22	23.06	27.83
400 m	58.21	01:04.85	52.59	01:04.00
800 m	02:26.00	02:42.00	02:05.00	02:33.00
1,500 m	04.59.00	05:22.08	04:20.00	05:23.46
3,000 m	N/A	N/A	10:50.00	11:41.39
5,000 m	N/A	N/A	16:50.00	N/A
100 m hurdles	N/A	N/A	N/A	17.08
110 m hurdles	20.05	18.26	16.00	N/A
400 m hurdles	1.12.00	01:19.00	01:00.54	01:10.00
410 m hurdles	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
High Jump	1.47 m	1.31	1.75 m	1.44m
Long Jump	5.00 m	4.13	6.11 m	4.95m
Triple Jump	10.16 m	9.67	13.47 m	10.67m
Shot Put	8.77 m	8.20	12.00 m	9.53m
Discus Throw	25.79 m	20.00	35.14 m	25.59m
Javelin Throw	39.40 m	30.00	48.56 m	32.13m
Pole Vault	N/A	N/A	2.80 m	N/A
Walkathon (2,000 m)	N/A	N/A	11:00.00	12:21.93

SWIMMING

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EVENT	TIME			
	ELEM. BOYS	ELEM. GIRLS	SEC. BOYS	SEC. GIRLS
400 M Freestyle	05:03.45	05:16.19	04:31.60	05:02.43
100 M Backstroke	01:15.78	01:18.88	01:03.16	01:14.92
200 M Breaststroke	N/A	N/A	02:32.03	02:53.19
50 M Butterfly	00:30:79	33.44	00:26.96	00:30.80
800 M Freestyle	N/A	N/A	09:40.25	10:53.38
200 M Individual Medley	02:43.35	02:50.29	02:20.31	02:37.47
200 M Butterfly	N/A	N/A	02:17.87	02:35.27
100 M Freestyle	01:03.27	01:08.46	00:56.37	01:03.35
50 M Backstroke	00:34.09	00:36.25	00:29.10	00:32.85
400 M Individual Medley	N/A	N/A	05:00.06	05:41.16
100 M Butterfly	01:11.73	01:17.01	01:00.92	01:10.40
200 M Freestyle	02:24.58	02:26.97	02:04.76	02:23.24
50 M Breaststroke	00:37.25	00:39.57	00:31.34	00:36.86
1500 M Freestyle	N/A	N/A	18:30.00	20.03.55
200 M Backstroke	N/A	N/A	02:22.93	2.45.22
100 M Breaststroke	01:22.70	01:27.39	01:09.39	01:21.35
50 M Freestyle	00:29.19	00:31.30	00:25.51	00:28.70

ARCHERY

EVENT	QUALIFYING SCORE	
	BOYS	GIRLS
*1440 Round	1142	1078

**Aggregate score of four (4) distance rounds (30, 50, 60, 70 meter-rounds)*