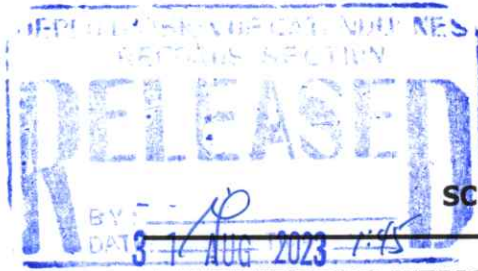




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SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF CATANDUANES



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TO : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors, CID & SGOD
Public Schools District Supervisors/In-Charge of the Districts
Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

FROM : 
SOCORRO V. DELA ROSA, CESO V
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT : **PARTICIPATION OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ELEMENTARY
AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN THE 2023 PEÑAFRANCIA
FESTIVAL**

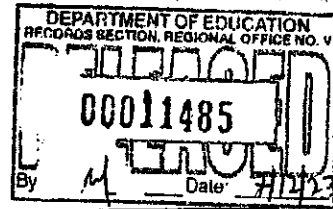
DATE : August 29, 2023

1. Attached is the Regional Memorandum No. 264, s. 2023 re: *Participation of Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools in the 2023 Peñafrancia Festival* dated July 7, 2023.
2. For information and guidance.



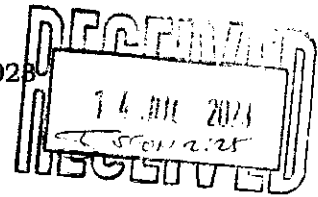


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July 7, 2023



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
 No. 264 s. 2023

PARTICIPATION OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN THE 2023 PEÑAFRANCIA FESTIVAL

To : Schools Division Superintendents
 All Others Concerned

1. This Office shares the vision of Naga City in promoting cultural heritage and education, and thus encourages interested public and private elementary and secondary schools in Region V to take part in the following events in relation to the upcoming 2023 Peñafrancia Festival:

- a. Regional CTP/MAPEH/DRRM Parade on September 9;
- b. Regional Band and Majorettes Parade on September 10;
- c. Regional BSP/GSP and DXMC Competition on September 13;
- d. Naga City Inter-School Mass Field Demonstration on September 13;
- e. Peñafrancia Voyadores Festival Street and Pilgrims Dance Competition on September 14, and
- f. Bicol Regional Military Parade on September 15.

2. Participating in the aforementioned activities will help promote awareness, foster talent development, and instill a sense of pride and unity among students and teachers. It will also be an opportunity to contribute to the overall festive atmosphere in Naga City and provide a platform for them to showcase their skills and creativity.

3. Even then, some provisions in the Regional Memorandum No. 111, s. 2022, re: *Participation to Curricular and Co-Curricular Activities Organized by Local Government Units and Other Education Partners Involving Teachers and Students* which was issued last August 17, 2022, are reiterated, to wit:

While this Office understands that participation to curricular and co-curricular activities by the local government units and education partners cannot be avoided, the following conditions should be strictly observed:

- a. Schools should not suspend classes in order to participate in such activities;
- b. Participation in these activities should be voluntary in nature;
- c. In cases when learners are invited to participate, their parents should be consulted and be asked to provide written permission;
- d. Only those who are fully vaccinated should take part in these activities if



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venue is outside the school;
e. Participation should not entail any cost and no fees should be collected from teachers and students; and
f. Students who are taken out of the classroom in view of their participation in off-school activities should attend make-up classes to compensate for the lessons they have missed.

4. Considering that September 9-10, 2023 fall on a Sunday and Saturday, all teacher-participants from DepEd who will represent their schools and take part in the scheduled activities are entitled to a vacation service credit, in congruence to the provisions set in DepEd Order No. 53, s. 2003, re: updated Guidelines on the Grant of Vacation Service Credits to Teachers. On the other hand, the non-teaching personnel are entitled to receive a Compensatory Overtime Credit (COC) for the accrued number of hours rendered on the same dates, as provided in CSC & DBM Joint Circular No. 2, s. 2004, re: Non-Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Services Rendered.

5. Queries and requests for additional information can be directed to Mr. Allen L. Reondanga, Department Head, City Events, Protocol and Public Information Office at mobile number 0917-8121-442 or email address: allen.reondanga@naga.gov.ph.

6. For information and dissemination.


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Regional Director

Encl.: As stated
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
Under the following subjects:
2023 Peñafrancia Festival

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