

# PHILIPPINE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION

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First, the PMHA BBCI would like to express utmost gratitude for the partnership and support that the Department of Education Schools Division of Baguio have continuously provided especially for our Lakas Isipan Ng Kabataan (LINK) Club. Indeed, the DepED endorsement has enormously contributed to the success of our programs for the youth.

The School Year 2017-2018 has commenced and we aspire to strengthen the existing 13 LINK Clubs in Baguio City to become more active in implementing mental health activities. To achieve this, the support and endorsement of the Department of Education as well as the School Heads is necessary. An endorsement will help facilitate the implementation of LINK Club activities in the member schools and allow the attendance of the LINK Advisers and LINK Club members to the meetings and other activities conducted by the PMHA BBCI.

Among the regular LINK Club activities are: LINK Club Advisers' Meetings, LINK Federation Meetings, Academic Festival, Youth as Mental Health Advocates Seminar, Kampus Bayani Search, Christmas Party, and the Summer Camp. The LINK Club Advisers and LINK Federation members are also required to attend quarterly meetings for consultation, planning and dissemination of activities. We also conducts seminars, trainings, symposia and lectures on mental health related topics such as, leadership trainings, values clarification, team building, coping with everyday problems, youth revitalization, understanding adolescent issues, and mental illness among others.

To: All School Administrators, Principals,  
Head Teachers - Elem. & Secondary  
(Public & Private)

FOR YOUR INFORMATION & APPROPRIATE  
ACTION.

~~Membership Fee of the Link Club & Acti-~~  
~~vities shall be purely voluntary.~~

FEDERICO P. MARTIN, Ed.D. *pm*  
Schools Division Superintendent

Currently, twenty seven (27) schools have already organized their own LINK Club in Baguio City (13 schools) and Benguet Province (14 schools).

The LINK Clubs are under the direct supervision of the LINK Club Advisers who are appointed by the school heads to oversee the implementation of the different activities of the Club especially those being held in the school.

We have prepared a LINK Club Calendar of activities for the advisers and members. A copy of which is enclosed for your reference. We hope that these activities could serve as channel in the achievement of our vision for the youth.

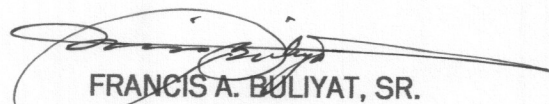
At present, the schools with organized LINK Club in the City of Baguio are as follows:

- Baguio Central University High School Department
- Baguio City High School
- Dña Aurora National High School
- Easter College - High School
- Guisad Valley National High School
- Irian National High School
- Joaquin Smith National High School
- Magsaysay National High School
- Mil-an National High School
- Philippine Science High School - CAR
- Pines City National High School
- San Vicente National High School
- Santo Tomas National High School

Thus, may we then seek your support and endorsement for the organization, re-organization, and implementation of the LINK Club activities in the aforementioned schools?

Thank you very much and we look forward to a favorable response to our request.

Very Truly Yours,

  
FRANCIS A. BULIYAT, SR.  
Chairperson  
PMHA BCCI Board of Management



LINK CLUB CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES



S.Y. 2017-2018

DATE / VENUE	ACTIVITY	PERSONS INVOLVED
<b>JULY 7, 2017</b> 1:00PM – 5:00PM (venue to be announced)	LINK ADVISERS and SCHOOL HEADS' MEETING	LINK Club Advisers and School Principals
<b>July 26,27,28, 2017</b> Mary Heights Seminary and Formation Center Bakakeng, Baguio City	YOUTH LIFE ENRICHMENT PROGRAM Training on Youth as Mental Health Advocate Seminar	LINK Club representatives
<b>AUGUST 4, 2017; 8:00AM – 3:00PM</b> (Venue to be announced)	LINK ADVISERS' SPECIAL MEETING and PLANNING	LINK Club Advisers
<b>AUGUST 19, 2017</b> 8:00AM – 12:00 PM (Venue to be announced later)	LINK CLUB JOINT INDUCTION and ACQUAINTANCE PARTY	LINK Club Officers, Members, and Advisers
<b>SEPTEMBER 22, 2017 (Friday)</b> 3:00PM; PMHA BBCI Hall	LINK ADVISERS' MEETING <b>Deadline:</b> Kampus Bayani entries	LINK Club Advisers
<b>OCTOBER 20, 2017 (Friday)</b> 3:00PM; PMHA BBCI Hall	LINK FEDERATION MEETING	LINK CLUB Presidents and Vice Presidents (Selected representatives)
<b>NOVEMBER 10, 2017 (Friday)</b> 7:30AM – 4:30PM PMHABBCI Hall	KAMPUS BAYANI PRE-SELECTION	KAMPUS BAYANI Candidates and Advisers
<b>NOVEMBER 11, 2017 (Saturday)</b> PMHA BBCI Hall	KAMPUS BAYANI CANDIDATES' PRACTICE	KAMPUS BAYANI Candidates
<b>November 24,2017 (Friday)</b> (venue to be announced later)	LINK ADVISERS MEETING <b>*Deadline:</b> Submission of Registration Fees for the LINK Club Christmas Party  LINK ADVISERS' ACTIVITY	LINK Club Advisers
<b>December 1, 2017</b> PMHA BBCI Hall	Kampus Bayani Candidates' General Practice	Kampus Bayani Candidates, emcees, LINK Federation President
<b>DECEMBER 2, 2017</b> (Venue to be announced later)	16 <sup>th</sup> SEARCH FOR MR. & MS. KAMPUS BAYANI	LINK CLUB Advisers, Members, Officers
<b>DECEMBER 3, 2017</b> (Venue to be announced later)	LINK CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY	LINK Club Advisers, Members, Officers
<b>January 12, 2018 (Friday)</b> 3:00pm; PMHA BBCI Hall	LINK ADVISERS' MEETING	LINK Club Advisers
<b>February 2, 2018 (Friday)</b> 3:00 pm; PMHA BBCI Hall	LINK FEDERATION MEETING <b>Deadline:</b> 1. Submission of LINK Club Award Nominees 2. Submission of Summer camp list of participants and Registration Fee	LINK Club President and Vice-President (Selected Representatives)
<b>February 16, 2018</b> (Venue to be announced later)	8 <sup>th</sup> LINK CLUB ACADEMIC FESTIVAL	LINK Club Advisers, officers, and members
<b>April, 2018 (Date and venue to be announced later)</b>	12 <sup>th</sup> LINK Club SUMMER CAMP	Interested LINKers and Advisers

All activities will be followed as scheduled. Changes in the schedule will be announced earlier. For confirmation of the schedule of activities, please contact us thru: (074) 442-2337 or 09175172083/09494989757