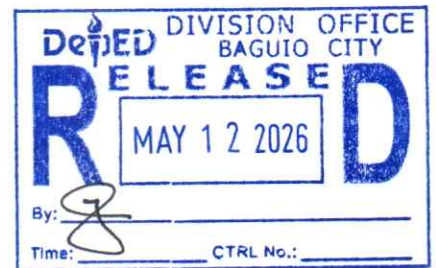




Republic of the Philippines
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Cordillera Administrative Region
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF BAGUIO CITY



May 11, 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. **327-2026**

**PARTICIPATION OF NATIONAL TECHNICAL OFFICIALS IN THE
2026 PALARONG PAMBANSA**

To: Chief Education Supervisors
All Public Schools District Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads
National Technical Officials
Others Concerned

1. In view of the conduct of the 2026 Palarong Pambansa from May 24 to 31, 2026, in the Province of Agusan del Sur, this Office announces the participation of identified National Technical Officials (NTOs) from SDO-Baguio City.
2. Attached is the list of Technical Officials from SDO-Baguio City who will be travelling to the province of Agusan del Sur on May 17, 2026, until June 02, 2026.
3. Expenses for meals and travel allowances of the participants shall be charged against the 2026 Physical Fitness and School Sports (PFSS) – Palarong Pambansa Funds, subject to existing government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
4. This Memorandum shall also serve as the **Travel Order** for the identified participants.
5. All identified participants to this activity will be given Service Credits for teaching personnel and Compensatory Overtime Credits (COCs) for non-teaching personnel based on the actual services recorded.
6. For any queries, you may contact Niño M. Tibangay at 09083372752.
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Schools Division Superintendent





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Enclosure 1: List of National Technical Officials for the 2026 Palarong Pambansa

NO.	NAME	EVENT	DESIGNATION IN THE EVENT	SCHOOL
1	Leslee B. Chomawin	Archery	Technical Official	Dona Aurora Elementary School
2	Salvador II A. Dalang	Arnis	Technical Official	SLU-BEdS
3	Mark Basatan	Football	Referee	Baguio City High School
4	Ramil B. Estioko	Baseball	Umpire	Quezon Hill National High School
5	Alejo L. Pacalso	Baseball	Umpire	Apolinario Mabini Elementary School
6	Valdazan E. Capuyan	Futsal	Referee's Assessor (Elem)	Jose P. Laurel Elem School
7	Melvin Allan L. Dogaong	Men's Artistic Gymnastics	Technical Official	Springhills Elementary School
8	Charmie P. Basuel	Para Athletics	Technical Official	Lucban Integrated School
9	Rhea Mae R. Parayao	Wushu	Referee	Baguio City High School
10	Erwin Shim D. Fonite	Table Tennis	Technical Official	Baguio City High School
11	Donald Y. Malipe	Swimming	Technical Official	Baguio City High School
12	Ben B. Boyoten	Swimming	Technical Official	Baguio City High School
13	Meranie Ogoy	Volleyball	Referee	Baguio City High School
14	Albin Santos	Gymnastics	Judge	Baguio City High School
15	Johnson L. Botengan	Softball	Technical Official	Pines City National High School
16	Peter Bon A. Tuliao	Badminton	Technical Official	Pines City NHS
17	Eneroso S. Palpeg	Table Tennis	Technical Official	Pines City NHS
18	Harris E. Dinamling	Volleyball	Referee	Guisad Valley NHS
20	Samuel Jr. L Mendoza	Football	Referee	Guisad Valley NHS
19	Greg D. Parrocha	Sepak Takraw	Referee	Apolinario Mabini ES
21	Joeferino M. Guinumtad	Taekwondo	Referee/Judge	Mil-an NHS



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PALARONG PAMBANSA SECRETARIAT

| 2026 PALARONG PAMBANSA SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Schedule of Activities

Event/Activity	Date	Venue
Arrival of Delegations	May 18, 2026	Agusan del Sur Province
Registration/Simultaneous Orientation of Technical Officials & National Technical Committee Members		Patin-Ay Elementary School
Refresher Course	May 19-20, 2026	Datu Lipus Makapandong Cultural Center
Solidarity Meeting	May 22, 2026	Datu Lipus Makapandong Cultural Center
Opening Ceremony	May 24, 2026	Datu Lipus Makapandong Gov. D.O. Plaza Memorial Sports Complex
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Tribalympics▪ Demonstration Sports▪ Exhibition Sports	May 25, 2026	<i>See Schedule of Competition</i>
Competition Proper	May 26-30, 2026	Various Playing Venues
Closing Program	May 31, 2026	Datu Lipus Makapandong Gov. D.O. Plaza Memorial Sports Complex
Departure of Delegations	June 01-05, 2026	N/A

Schedule of Competition

Event/Activity	Date	Venue
Advance Games (Football)	May 22, 2026	TBA
Advance Games (Basketball, Football)	May 23, 2026	TBA
Advance Games (Athletics, Baseball, Basketball, Boxing, Chess, Softball, Taekwondo, Table Tennis, Tennis, Volleyball, Wrestling, Para-Athletics)	May 25, 2026	Various Playing Venues
Demonstration Sports		Various Playing Venues
Exhibition Sports (Paragames Events-Sitting Volleyball & Table Tennis)		SURE Tennis Court
Exhibition Sport (Muaythai)		Esperanza Covered Court
Competition Proper	May 26-30, 2026	Various Playing Venues

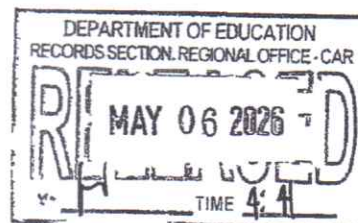


TECHNICAL OFFICIALS MEN'S ARTISTIC GYMNASTICS

NO.	NAME	DESIGNATION	REGION/DIVISION NSA (for non-DepEd)
Core Group			
1	Celso M. Mayol Jr.	Tournament Director	Region VII
2	Pablo L. Eulatic Jr.	Asst. Tournament Director	Region XII
3	Noel F. Flores	D-JUDGE	Region III
4	Julius Arandia	D 1-JUDGE	NSA/Region V
5	Gregorio C. Calixto Jr.	D-JUDGE	Region XI
6	Albin Santos	D-JUDGE	Region CAR
7	Ria Vertulfo	IT/GEN TAB	NSA/Region VII
8	Joshua Nudalo	JUDGE SEC	Region VII
Technical Officials			
9	Roland I. Corpuz	E-Judge	Region I
10	Narciso R. Cardenas Jr.	D-Judge	Region II
11	Joel G. Pontela	D-Judge	Region III
12	Jayson I. Malinao	D-Judge	Region IV-A
13	Dhan Carlo Balahadia	E-Judge	Region IV-B
14	Ramon Canino Jr.	E-Judge	Region V
15	Ma. Theresa S. Tagala	E-Judge	Region VI
16	Maricel Macapas	E-Judge	Region VII
17	Alejandro L. Montilla	E-Judge	Region VIII
18	Andro T. Monsole	E-Judge	Region IX
19	Joahn J. Andot	E-Judge	Region X
20	Ariel S. Daquio	E-Judge	Region XI
21	Reuel M. Alucilja	E-Judge	Region XII
22	Alfredo G. Pasaylo Jr.	E-Judge	CARAGA
23	Melvin Allan L. Dogaong	D-Judge	CAR
24	Jomarie Cristobal	D-Judge	NCR
25	Rechie Frias	E-Judge	NIR
26	R-Jay B. Bautista	Equipment In charge	NSA
Coordinator			
27	John Rey T. Escamillan	Tournament Coordinator	CARAGA



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06 May 2026

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 343.2026

PARTICIPATION TO THE 2026 PALARONG PAMBANSA

To: Assistant Regional Director
Schools Division Superintendents
Division Sports Officers
All Others Concerned

1. In accordance with Republic Act 10588 (The Palarong Pambansa Act of 2013), **DepEd-CAR** announces its participation in the **2026 Palarong Pambansa**. The event will be hosted by Agusan Del Sur, Caraga from **May 22 to May 31, 2026**.
2. Participants in this event are coaches, assistant coaches, chaperones and athletes who were selected after the Regional Level Competition. They shall be accompanied by the Delegation Officials and Technical Working Group members. The list of all participants is attached as an enclosure.
3. Interested SDO personnel are allowed to travel with the team, provided that all expenses incurred are charged to local funds and will not incur additional costs for the regional office or organizers.
4. The identified billeting school for DepEd-CAR shall be at East Bayugan Central Elementary, Bayugan City, Agusan Del Sur. Arrival of the advance party and the athletes, coaches, assistant coaches and chaperones to the billeting school will be on May 17, 2026 while the rest of the delegation will arrive by batches at the billeting school starting on May 18 to May 20, 2026. Meals will be served accordingly upon arrival during the said dates.
5. Embodying the renowned bravery and core values of the Cordilleran people, the Cordillera Administrative Region delegation officially adopts the moniker or team name, **"Fearless Highlanders"**.
6. Travelling expenses of athletes, coaches, assistant coaches, chaperones, team managers, and TWGs from NAIA/Manila Airport to Bayugan City and vice-versa shall be charged to the Physical Fitness and School Sports Fund and other MOOE funds. However, due to fare increase, transportation expenses and food allowance during the travel from the point of origin (residence or SDO) to NAIA and vice-versa shall be charged to local or LGU funds.
7. Throughout the duration of the Palarong Pambansa, food shall be provided to all official delegates.
8. Parade uniforms for all participants were procured at the Regional Office while the funds for playing uniforms of athletes were downloaded to the SDOs. The Division Sports Officers, in coordination with the coaches of the different events of the



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different SDOs shall be responsible in ensuring that playing uniforms shall be in accordance with the sports event standard.

9. Service credits/Compensatory Overtime Credits (COC) shall be granted to all teaching and non-teaching staff who will render services for the Palarong Pambansa from May 17 to June 3, 2026 subject to existing DepEd and CSC rules. This memorandum constitutes the **official Travel Authorization for the Regional Office technical officials and committees.**

10. In compliance with DepEd Order No.13, s. 2017 titled "Policy and Guidelines on Healthy Food and Beverage Choices in Schools and in DepEd Offices", all participants shall promote healthy eating habits during the competition.

11. All division delegations shall be accountable for the protection, welfare, and safety of their pupil/student athletes. Moreover, all division delegates shall observe the integration of the principles of gender equality, gender equity, gender sensitivity, non-discrimination and human rights as per DepEd Order 32, series of 2017 or the Gender-Responsive Basic Education Policy.

12. A Learner Rights and Protection Desk shall be established in the Palarong Pambansa that will serve as central operations hub that will handle LRP concerns in all activities during the Palarong Pambansa.

13. All SDOs are directed to ensure that all participating learners have secured **Parental, Guardian Consent, Waiver, Indemnity and Release Form** (Enclosure 4) which covers the taking and use of photographs, videos, recordings, and similar media for the Department's communication campaigns.

14. To further promote and encourage commendable performance, medalists shall receive incentives as follows:

Winning Athletes	Amount	Coaches, Assistant & Chaperones of the Winning Athletes	Amount
Gold	5,000.00	Gold	1,500.00
Silver	3,000.00	Silver	1,000.00
Bronze	2,000.00	Bronze	500.00

- o Winning coaches, assistant coaches, and chaperones will receive cash incentives based on their athletes' medals. However, the maximum total payout per coach/assistant coach/chaperone is capped at Php 5,000.00 per event category.
 - o Incentives shall be claimed personally by medalists and winning coaches, assistant coaches and chaperones, **NO PROXY.**
15. The following documents are enclosed for further reference:

Enclosure 1: List of Delegation Heads and Working Committees with the corresponding Terms of Reference

Enclosure 2: List of Athletes, Coaches and Chaperones.

Enclosure 3: Palarong Pambansa Schedule and General Information

Enclosure 4: Parental, Guidance Consent, Waiver, Indemnity and Release Form

16. All delegates/participants are advised to bring their own eating paraphernalia as well as personal medicines and other personal effects. For eating utensils, it is advised that lunch boxes, metal/melamine/food grade spoons, forks, bowls and cups will be used. Use of plastics is not allowed in the billeting areas and playing venues. **Beddings (thin blanket, bed rolls & pillows) that can be brought home after the activity will be provided by the host city and school.**

17. For inquiries and clarifications, please contact Georgina C. Ducayso, Chief of the Education Support Services Division (ESSD) at car.essd@deped.gov.ph or Edgar H. Madlaing, Regional Sports Officer at edgar.madlaing@deped.gov.ph.

18. Immediate dissemination and compliance to this Memorandum is desired.


NICOLAS T. CAPULONG PhD, CESO III
Director IV, Regional Director 

*ESSD/GCD/: Participation to Palarong Pambansa 2026
May 5, 2026*