



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Region V
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SORSOGON

February 6, 2024

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 026, s. 2024

2024 PALARONG PANLALAWIGAN

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors/ Division Coordinators
Public Schools District Supervisors/ OIC-PSDs
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. Corollary to Republic Act No. 10588 otherwise known as the Palarong Pambansa Act of 2013 and the Division Change Plan: THE VILLAGE INC, this Office in partnership with the Provincial Government of Sorsogon and LGU Casiguran announces the staging of 2024 Palarong Panlalawigan on March 14 - 16, 2024 with the theme *Upholding Team Spirit and Solidarity through Sports*.
2. This annual sports competition aims to:
 - a. Engage athletes in competitive activities while promoting education in health, peace, safety and physical fitness;
 - b. Promote the development of values of camaraderie and sportsmanship among athletes and coaches.
3. The official regular sports in the elementary and secondary levels shall be played in this year's Palarong Panlalawigan, to wit:
 - a. Arnis - Boys and Girls
 - b. Athletics - Boys and Girls
 - c. Badminton - Boys and Girls
 - d. Baseball - Boys
 - e. Basketball - Elementary Boys and Secondary Boys & Girls
 - f. Basketball 3X3 - Secondary Boys and Girls
 - g. Billiard - Secondary Boys and Girls
 - h. Boxing - Secondary Boys
 - i. Chess - Boys and Girls
 - j. Football - Boys
 - k. Futsal - Secondary Girls
 - l. Sepak Takraw - Elementary Boys and Secondary Boys & Girls



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- m. Softball - Secondary Girls
 - n. Swimming – Boys and Girls
 - o. Table Tennis – Boys and Girls
 - p. Taekwondo – Elementary Boys and Girls
 - q. Tennis – Boys and Girls
 - r. Volleyball – Boys and Girls
4. There shall be separate events and medal tally for student-athletes with disability to competitions such as Para-Athletics, Para-Swimming, Bocce and Goal Ball.
5. All identified sports shall be played in accordance with the technical guidelines stipulated in DepEd Memorandum No. 35, s. 2023 re: 2023 Palarong Pambansa General Information, and the Technical Rules, Regulations and Guidelines on Sports. A qualified standard (distance, time, points) shall be adopted for measurable sports such as athletics and swimming (See Inclosure 2 of DM No. 35, s. 2023).
6. Relative to this, all winning coaches are reminded for the submission of required documents for checking/screening and evaluation by the Division Selection and Accreditation Committee on March 7 – 8, 2024 at SDO Sorsogon. The designated Zone Chairperson is requested to accomplish and send the attached template for Masterlist of Athletes for the Group Insurance of Athletes.
7. All officiating officials and winning coaches are advised to attend the Division Sports Clinic and refresher course on March 1 – 2, 2024 at a venue to be announced in a separate issuance.
8. To facilitate the smooth conduct of this activity, a planning conference will be done on February 23, 2024, 1:00PM at Bulwagan ng Karunungan with the members of Executive Committee, Technical Management Committee, Technical Working Group, DSAC, Tournament Managers and Zone chairpersons.
9. Travel and other incidental expenses relative to this athletic meet shall be charged to SEF/MOOE/PTA and other local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
10. Widest dissemination of this Memorandum is enjoined.

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2024 PALARONG PANLALAWIGAN
March 14 - 16, 2024

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