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Department of Education
Region V
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SORSOGON

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 25, s. 2025

2025 PALARONG PANLALAWIGAN

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

1. Consistent with the provisions of Article XIV, Section 19 of the Philippine Constitution which states that “the State shall promote physical education and encourage sports programs, league competitions, and amateur sports, including training for international competitions to foster self-discipline, teamwork and excellence for the development of a healthy and alert society” and Republic Act No. 10588 or otherwise known as Palarong Pambansa Act of 2013 mandates the conduct of sports development and competitions in the Palarong Pambansa and to be adopted in the regions, divisions and schools, this Office announces the staging of 2025 Palarong Panlalawigan on March 4 - 6, 2025 at Sorsogon Sports Arena and Casiguran district. The theme for this year’s athletic meet is “Play with Heart, Lead with Purpose: Celebrating Sports Excellence”.

2. This activity specifically aims to:

- a. engage athletes in competitive activities while promoting education in health, peace safety and physical fitness;



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- b. promote the development of values of camaraderie and sportsmanship among athletes and coaches; and
c. select athletes for higher level sports competitions.
3. The official regular sports in the elementary and secondary levels shall be played in this year's activity are the following:

Event	Playing Venue	Tournament Manager/ Facilitators
Arnis	Casiguran CS Teachers' Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Aldrin Judin• Daren Salonga• Mike Joshua Baldorado
Athletics	Sorsogon Sports Arena Casiguran CS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gina Gotis• Randy Estabaya• Rayno H. Lucenario• Michael Franche
Badminton	Badminton Gym	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Abner F. Lomangaya• Joel Detecio Jr.• Cutylyn Banega• Jose Randy Genorga
Basketball	LGU Casiguran Gym Ponong ES SDO Gymnasium	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Agustin Polo
Billiard	Within Casiguran	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kevin Garais• Alvin Despabiladeras
Boxing	Abuyog Boxing Gym	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Luis H. Hamor• Arnulfo B. Chaves
Chess	Bulwagan ng Karunungan	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Klief Gratela• Maretha Himor• Crisaldy Abordo• Joselito Balbedina
Football*	Casiguran TVS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Warlito Guerrero



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	Casiguran CS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eduardo B. Ayana Jr.
Futsal*	Casiguran TVS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lordgie Eman Osila
Sepak Takraw	Rizal ES Gymnasium	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Norman Loma• Juan Demdam• Dax Bernales• Oscar Janaban
Swimming	Within Sorsogon City	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ryan Gime• Merwin Bitancur
Table Tennis	Sorsogon Sports Arena	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hanz Escobedo• Santiago J. Niemo• Dante Atienza• Jonathan Glipo
Taekwondo*	SM Sorsogon (tentative)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Santy C. Balaoro
Tennis	Sorsogon Tennis Center	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Joel Alarcon• Adrian Bermoro
Volleyball	Casiguran CS Gym San Antonio ES San Juan ES Escuela Gym	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Salvador Gacis Jr.• Jared James Baeza• Mamer Fajardo• Mia Averilla
Dancesport	SM Sorsogon (tentative)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Romer B. Santiago• Milky Susana Aurelio• Jestoni Furio
Gymnastics*	SDO Gymnasium	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Joffre Mirandilla
Paragames	Casiguran CS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mary Jane G. Morata• Shiryl F. Balitaon• Lester Owen Bayna
Baseball*	Casiguran TVS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Armand Furio
Softball*	Casiguran CS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sheryl Estrelles

** Subject to further evaluation of ExeCom and TMs*



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4. There shall be separate events and medal tally for student-athletes with disability to competitions such as Para-athletics and bocce.

5. All identified sports shall be played in accordance with the technical guidelines stipulated in the DepEd Memorandum No. 20 & 21, s. 2024 re: Conduct of 2024 Palarong Pambansa competitions. A qualifying standard (distance, time, points) shall be strictly adopted for measurable sports such as athletics and swimming.

6. To better implement this program, herewith is the timeline of pre-Palaro activities:

Date	Activity	Concerned Group
February 4, 2025	Coordination Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tournament Managers• DSAC• Supply Officers
February 12-14, 2025	Checking of Forms	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• DSAC• Coaches
February 20 -21, 2025	Division Sports Clinic	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tournament Managers• Facilitators• Winning Coaches & Assistant Coaches
February 24 – 28, 2025	Preparation of Billeting Quarters and Playing Venues	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• TWG• Officiating Officials
	School-based Concentration Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Winning Athletes and Coaches of the 5 zones
March 7 – 8, 2025	Checking of Forms for Palarong Bicol 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• DSAC• Supply Officers
March 10 – 21, 2025	Division Concentration Training of Athletes for Palarong Bicol 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Trainers• Athletes• Coaches



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7. All key officials, resource persons and participants shall be granted service credits/compensatory overtime credits for their services rendered on Saturday and Sunday under paragraph 5.3 letter K of Joint Circular of Civil Service Commission (CSC) and Department of Budget and Management (DBM) dated October 4, 2004.
8. Expenses relative to the conduct of this annual sports competition shall be charged to SEF/MOOE/PTA and other local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
9. Attached to this Memorandum is the list of Honorary Officials, Executive Committee and Technical Working Group for reference.
10. Widest dissemination of this Memorandum is enjoined.


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ZONE CHAIRPERSONS

LUCY HAMOR	-	Zone I
ARNOLD PERALTA	-	Zone II
VICENTE NOCOS	-	Zone III
MARISSA G. BENDICIO	-	Zone IV
ANNALYN SHERRY H. GAMBOA	-	Zone V

TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP

Chairperson	Committee/ Assignment
Nicanor P. Bailon	Transportation
Renyl F. Balderama	Supply Officer
Fernando Estera	Supply Officer
Dodge Lagman	Secretariat/ Games and Results/ Certificates
Bernardino D. Estrada	Clean and Green
Joseph John J. Perez	DRRM
Francis Roy A. Cadag	Learner's Rights and Protection
Venus G. Matuba	Billeting Quarter
Arnel Aycardo	Preparation of Playing Venues
Leonisa Enolva	SNED/Paragames
Junel Guantero	Special Events/Parade and Opening Program
Arnel David E. Duka Jr.	DSAC (Documents and Eligibility Requirements)
Gilbert Camacho	DSAC (Casiguran and Irosin)
Jonaddie V. de los Reyes	DSAC (Juban)
Jeanelyn T. Arambulo	DSAC (Magallanes)
Ma. Praxides Kiblasen	DSAC (Castilla)
Lordgie Eman Osila	DSAC (Pilar)
Karl Ludwig Morilla	DSAC (Donsol)
Renato Gallenito	DSAC (Bulan)
Maria Linda Golimlim	DSAC (Matnog & Sta. Magdalena)
Snowy Charlotte Verde	DSAC (Bulusan)
Regino Garcia	DSAC (Prieto Diaz & Barcelona)
Lilibeth Deduque	DSAC (Gubat)



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Jessa Ebio	Clerk of Course
Leah H. Peran	Monitoring & Evaluation
Bernadette R. Bedis	Medals & Trophies
Roman B. Jebulan	Program/ LED Wall Display

**INDICATIVE PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES FOR
PALARONG PANLALAWIGAN 2025**

Time	March 4, 2025	March 5, 2025	March 6, 2025
6:30AM - 7:30AM	Assembly at Capitol Park	Game Proper	Championship Game
7:30AM - 8:30AM	Parade from Capitol Park to Sorsogon Sports Arena	Game Proper	Championship Game
9:00AM - 11:00AM	Opening Program	Game Proper	Championship Game
11:00AM - 12:00NN		Game Proper	Championship Game
12:00NN - 1:00PM	Lunch Break		
1:00PM - 3:00PM	Game Proper	Game Proper	Awarding Ceremony per Playing Venue
4:00PM - 5:00PM	Game Proper	Game Proper	Home Sweet Home



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