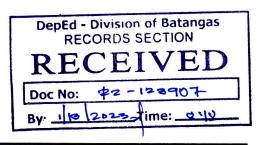


Department of Education REGION IV-A CALABARZON SCHOOLS DIVISION OF BATANGAS



January 12, 2023

DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 0, s. 2023

CONDUCT OF 2023 SPORTS COMPETITIONS

To:

Assistant Schools Division Superintendents

Chief- Curriculum Implementation Division (CID)

Chief- School Governance and Operations Division (SGOD)

Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors

Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads

All Others Concerned

1. Relative to the conduct of Regional Sports Competitions and Palarong Pambansa, Schools Division of Batangas will observe the following activities:

DATE	ACTIVITY		
January 21-22, 2023	School Sports Competition (School Intramurals)		
January 28-29, 2023	District Sports Competition/Municipal Meet		
February 11-12, 2023 (Day 1 & 2)	Division Sports Competitions Team Events - Basketball, Volleyball, Sepak-Takraw, Futsal, Football, Baseball, Softball Qualifying Time Standard - Athletics, Swimming, Archery		
February 18-19, 2023 (Day 3 & 4)	Division Sports Competitions Individual and Dual Events – Arnis, Taekwondo, Tennis, Table Tennis, Billiard, Boxing, Chess, Wushu, Pencak Silat, Dance Sports, Gymnastics, Badminton		
February 25-26, 2023 (Day 5 & 6)	Continuation of games and preparation for the in-house training		
March 4-23, 2023	In-House training in preparation for the Regional Competitions		
March 25-26, 2023 and April 1-2, 15-16, 2023	Regional Sports Competitions		
April 2023	Conduct of Pre-National Qualifying Meets		
July 2023	Palarong Pambansa		





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2. Events to be played:

A. Regular Sports

Event	Elementary	Secondary
Archery		/
Arnis	1	/
Athletics	1	/
Badminton	1	1
Baseball	/	/
Basketball	/ (boys only)	1
Billiard	1	1
Boxing		1
Chess	1	/
Football	1	/
Futsal		/
Gymnastics (Men's Artistic)	1	/
Gymnastics (Women's Artistic)	/	/
Gymnastics (Rhythmic)	/	/
Sepaktakraw	/ (boys only)	/
Softball	/	/
Swimming	/	/ -
Table Tennis	/	/
Taekwondo	/	/
Tennis	1	/
Volleyball	/	/
Wrestling		/
Wushu		/

B. Demonstation Sports

Aerobic Gymnastics	1	1
Dancesports	1	1
Pencak Silat	3	1





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C. PARA GAMES (LEARNERS WITH DISABILITIES)

The inclusion of paragames or special games for learners with special needs is mandatory since DepEd is promoting inclusivity. The events include bocce, goalball, para swimming and para athletics. However, these games are proposed to be conducted in a separate schedule which can be dubbed Palarong Pambansa Paragames.

3. Proposed Changes/Modifications on the Conduct of the 2023 Regional Sports Competitions/ Palarong Pambansa

2023 TIER OF COMPETITION LEVEL

Additional tier of competition level after the Regional Meet before proceeding to the Palarong Pambansa to be known as the Team Sports Qualifying Meet. (For Team Sports Only – Winner-take-all Policy)

As to Pre-Qualifying Meet, instead of cluster by sports, it is by geographical location subject for approval of the Palaro Board

Cluster 1

Regions 1, 2, 3 and CAR

Cluster 2

Regions 4A, 4B, 5 and NCR

Cluster 3

Regions 6, 7, 8 and 9

Cluster 4

Regions 10, 11, 12, CARAGA and BARMM

Sports to be played virtually

1. Arnis (Anyo)

5. Gymnastics (3 events)

2. Billiards

6. Pencak Silat

3. Chess

7. Taekwondo (Poomsae)

4. Dancesports

8. Wushu (Taulo)

4. Establishing A Qualifying Time, Distance or Targets for Measurable Sports (Athletics, Swimming and Archery)

Setting a qualifying time, distance or target for measurable sports would limit the number of participants. Only those student-athletes whose performances meet the qualifying time shall be allowed to compete in the event. For example, in Athletics, the qualifying time limit for 100m event is set on 13 seconds, hence only those student-athletes who finished within the 13-second qualifying time shall be allowed to compete in the next level of competition.

The qualifying standards shall be set by DepEd in consultation with the Palarong Pambansa tournament managers during the Planning Conferences to be conducted prior to the staging of the 2023 edition of the National Sports Competition.

- 5. Guidelines on the Selection of Athletes, Coaches, Assistant Coaches and Chaperons for Palarong Pambansa
 - a. General Guidelines
 - Selection of athletes for Palarong Pambansa must be based on individual abilities and actual performance





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- Winners in the Qualifying Meet will represent the region in the Palarong Pambansa. (Team Sports only)
- For Measurable Sports, (athletics, swimming and archery) only those student –athletes who will meet the qualifying time/distance/targets shall be allowed to compete in the event.
- The champion coach will lead the team during the Palarong Pambansa.
- If the situation calls for the replacement of the coach, proper consultation with the Management shall be done.
- For team sports, the coach and chaperon shall be from the winning team.
- In case the winning coach waived his/her right to coach, he/she should submit a waiver signed by his/her superintendent five days before the live-in training.
- The second winning coach will take over and that the replacement must be done prior to the training.
- If the situation calls for the replacement of athlete/s, proper consultation with the Management shall be done.
- Chaperons must be female.

6. Guidelines for Specific Events

1. Combative Sports

Taekwondo, Wushu and Arnis

A. Players

- a. Performance System: The player's points in Kata, Poomsae, Anyo, and Combat Sparring must be consolidated.
- b. The winner in Kyorugi, individual Poomsae, and mixed pair shall represent the region in the Palarong Pambansa.

Pencak Silat

A. Players

- a. The medal tally for each weight category shall be considered in the selection of athletes for Palarong Pambansa.
- b. In Wushu-Sanda, the winner in each weight category shall be the representative in the Palarong Pambansa.

B. Coaches/Chaperons

- a. If both singles players came from one (1) division, the winning coach shall be the official coach and the winning doubles shall be the assistant coach.
- b. If only one singles player came from one division, the winning coach of the doubles shall be the official coach and the assistant coach shall be from either of the two winning singles.





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c. The chaperon shall be from the champion.

2. Measurable Sports

Archery, Athletics and Swimming

A. Players

The athletes whose performances meet the qualifying time/distance and targets shall be allowed to compete and represent the region in the Palarong Pambansa.

- B. Coaches/Chaperons
 - a. The coach shall be from the overall champion in the team standing.
 - b. The chaperon shall be from the second overall champion

3. Team Sports

Basketball, Baseball, Softball, Football, Volleyball, Sepaktakraw and Futsal

- A. Players
 - a. Top two winners in the Pre-National Qualifying Meet shall represent the region in the Palarong Pambansa (winner- take-all policy)
- B. Coaches/Asst. Coaches/Chaperons

The coach, assistant coach and chaperon shall be from the champion

4. Gymnastics

Rhythmic, Women's Artistic, Men's Artistic

A. Players

The composition of gymnasts representing the Palarong Pambansa shall be based on the Individual-All-Around (IAA) result.

- B. Coach/Chaperon
 - a. The coach shall be from the overall champion in the team standing.
 - b. The chaperon shall be from the second overall champion

5. Chess

A. Players

The gold and silver medalists shall be the official regional representatives in Standard game (Individual)

B. Coaches/Chaperons

The coach shall be from the overall champion from the standard.

The chaperon shall be from the second overall champion.





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6. Billiard

A. Players

The gold medalists shall represent the region in the Palarong Pambansa

B. Coaches/Chaperons

The medal count will determine the coach for Palarong Pambansa.

In case of a tie, the coach of the winning player of 8-ball will be the official coach.

7. Service Credits/Compensatory Overtime Credit (Coc) for Teaching and Non-Teaching Personnel

Coaches, Assistant Coaches, Chaperons, Trainers, Delegation members and Technical Officials who render services during weekends shall be given Service Credits and Compensatory Overtime Credits (COC) for the non-teaching personnel based on the actual services rendered prior to and during the 2023 Division Sports Competitions and CALABARZON Heroes Games. (DepEd Memorandum No. 65 s, 2021)

Teacher-coaches, Assistant Coaches, Trainers who train their athletes or club members after class hours and/or during Saturdays and Sundays will be given local service credits upon presenting their MOVs that will justify the total number of hours rendered. Eight hours of services rendered is equivalent to one day service credit.

In the event that the teachers will earn the maximum 15 days Service Credits, the remaining days of Service Credits will be referred to CSC or legal office if it can be converted to additional Service Credits and Compensatory Overtime Credits (COC) for non-teaching.

8. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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