DIVISION MEMORANDUM:
No. _152_ , s. 2019

TO: OIC, Office of the Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors, SGOD & CID
Elementary and Secondary School Principals
Officers-In-Charge
Public Schools

REITERATING DEPED ORDER NO. 76, S. 2012 RE: GUIDELINES ON
REVITALIZING BOY SCOUTING IN SCHOOLS NATIONWIDE

1. This Office reiterates the implementation of DepEd Order No. 76, s. 2012 entitled
"Guidelines on Revitalizing Boy Scouting in Schools Nationwide," a copy of which is
hereto attached, for reference, along with other DepEd Orders and Memoranda stated
therein, to wit:

a. DECS Memorandum No. 143, s. 1997 Re: Service Credits to be Granted for
Attending Scouting Activities
b. DECS Order No. 99, s. 1998 Re: Credits for BSP Awards
c. DepEd Order No. 49, s. 2007 Re: Revitalizing Boy Scouting in Schools

2. School Heads are advised to refer to the said guidelines for the conduct of different
Scouting events and activities in their respective schools. They are also enjoined to
mobilize their teachers to make activities/lessons pertaining to scouting across the K to
12 Curriculum.

3. For scouting awareness, Supervisors (Chiefs, EPSs & PSDSs), School Heads,
Non-Teaching Personnel both in the Division Office & Schools and Teaching Personnel
shall wear BSP Type A Uniform every Friday of the week. Students who are members of
scouting are also enjoined to wear type "A" or "B" every Friday and can be utilized during
flag raising ceremonies and flag retreat in their schools.

4. Month of October, a scouting month is fast approaching, therefore all school heads
are strongly enjoined to implement their personal action plan on the advocacy campaign
to increase the members of scouts in their respective schools which was crafted in God's
Love Family Farm during ATC-LOA 2019. A copy of this must be submitted to the Division
Office c/o SGOD for monitoring purposes not later than September 18, 2019.

5. Please see also the suggested school scouting activities and targeted members
of scouts per school which is herewith enclosed.

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

JOEL T. TORRECAMPO
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Officer-In-Charge
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Incls.: As stated
Reference: DepEd Order No. 76, s. 2012; DepEd Order No. 49, s. 2007; DECS Order
96, s. 1998; DECS Memorandum No. 143, s. 1997, Personal Action Plan crafted at GCFF
during ATC-LOA
SUGGESTED SCOUTING ACTIVITIES:
1. Father and Son Overnight Camping
2. Investiture
3. BTC & Advancement Training for Unit Leaders
4. Day and Overnight Camping
5. Sunrise Parade
6. Spiritual Activities
7. Round Table Conference
8. Organization of School Scouting Committee, District Scouting Committee

SCHOOLS’ COMMITMENT FOR MEMBERS OF SCOUTING

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GUIDELINES ON REVITALIZING BOY SCOUTING IN SCHOOLS NATIONWIDE

To: Undersecretaries
   Assistant Secretaries
   Bureau Directors
   Regional Directors
   Schools Division/City Superintendents
   Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. Scouting with the Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP) is an effective co-curricular program in the leadership and value formation of every child. Its main objective is consistent with the Department of Education's mission to develop every boy and every young man into well-rounded individual with exemplary character worth the emulation of school children. The BSP has consistently produced leaders and role models who are true advocates of the Scout Oath and Law.

2. With its impressive track record on youth development, the Department of Education (DepEd) recognizes the significant role of the BSP in aiding the school system mold pupils and students into responsible and responsive citizens of the country and in contributing to efforts to achieve quality education. As a co-curricular program, Scouting helps stem away vices and bad influence of drugs and peers. As such, membership and participation in Boy Scouting and its programs, projects and activities should be highly encouraged and supported in the schools.

3. In view of this, the DepEd supports the revitalization of Boy Scouting in schools nationwide in various areas of possible partnership and cooperation. As such, DepEd is issuing the following guidelines:

   3.1 Promotion of Membership to the Boy Scouts of the Philippines

   All DepEd officials and personnel are encouraged to be active members of the BSP. All public and private elementary and secondary schools, through their school principals/heads, are advised to promote membership to the BSP among pupils, students, parents and teachers at the start of the School Year.

   3.2 Membership Fees

   Membership to the BSP is voluntary and shall not be made a condition for enrolment, transfer or clearance of pupils and students. Membership fees and proceeds of fund-raising activities of the BSP shall be immediately remitted in full to the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Local Councils duly chartered by the National Office. No quota on membership shall be required.
3.3 Schedule of Membership Campaign

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<td>1st Week</td>
<td>“Linggo ng Scouting sa Paaralan” (Introduction) Local Councils with its officials shall pay a visit to all the schools in the area. Posters may be placed in designated areas and exhibits on the incoming programs, projects and activities may be mounted/posted on conspicuous places to attract membership.</td>
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<td>2nd Week</td>
<td>“Membership Campaign Period” (Orientation)</td>
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<td>3rd Week</td>
<td>Representatives of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines may be given time during meetings of the Parents-Teachers Associations (PTAs) or any other institutional forums or meetings in the district, division or region where they can properly campaign for membership and conduct Scouting Orientation. They may also be allowed to conduct a brief classroom by classroom Scouting Orientation provided that the policy on non-disruption of classes is observed.</td>
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<td>4th Week</td>
<td>“Organization of Units” (Recruitment) The schools may organize Scout Units of Kid, Kab, Boy, Senior and Rover Scouts. The application for Unit Registration, together with the corresponding payments, is made, forwarded, remitted and received at the Local Council.</td>
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<th>August to November</th>
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<td>The authorized membership fees are as follows:</td>
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3.4 Strengthening Quality Scouting Program

Officials of the DepEd are urged to actively contribute in the development and implementation of quality scouting program by vigorously promoting and supporting the Badge or the Advancement System offered by BSP.

3.5 Participation of DepEd Officials, Personnel and School Children in Scouting Activities

All DepEd officials, personnel and school children are enjoined to participate in Scouting activities such as jamborees, camps, competitions, trainings and conferences in the school, division, regional, national and international levels, subject to existing DepEd policies, rules and regulations.

3.6 Institutional Support

All DepEd officials and personnel are encouraged to support the BSP and its activities in whatever significant way possible.

3.7 Wearing of Scout Uniforms

Wearing of the scout uniform/neckerchief by duly-registered DepEd officials and personnel, including pupils and students, during official activities of the BSP and every Friday during school days is desired for visibility and image-building.
3.8 Service Credits, Other Credits for Awards Received and Trainings Attended and Other Incentives

The following issuances are hereby reiterated:

DECS Memorandum No. 143, s. 1997 provides that service credits shall be granted for attendance in Scouting activities.

DECS Order No. 106, s. 1998 provides for the revised rules on exemption of Scouts from the Citizens Army Training (CAT).

DECS Order No. 99, s. 1999 reiterates the granting of credits to awards given by the Boy Scouts of the Philippines.

DepEd Order No. 49, s. 2007 and DepEd Order No. 92, s. 2009 provide in part that awards and citations received and training conducted and/or attended relative to Boy Scouting shall be credited and considered for employment/promotion in DepEd or in the ranking of honor pupils of students.

4. The Center for Students and Co-Curricular Activities (CSCA) is hereby designated as the Office-in-Charge (OIC) of all scouting matters in DepEd.

5. All Regional Directors, School Division/City Superintendents and School Heads/Principals shall designate a Scouting Program Coordinator in their respective regions, divisions and schools. These Coordinators shall actively facilitate the conduct of membership campaigns, as well as other activities and initiatives of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines.

6. All RDs, SDSs and SHs are authorized to formulate specific directives in accordance with this Order to ensure the revitalization of Boy Scouting in the schools.

7. The BSP, Regional and Division Offices of the DepEd shall submit all reports that may be required by the Office of the Secretary to the CSCA, DepEd Central Office.

8. All other issuances not inconsistent with this Order shall remain effective.

9. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Order is directed.

BR. ARMIN A. LUISTRO FSC
Secretary

References:
DECS Order: (Nos. 99, s. 1999 and 106, s. 1998)
DECS Memorandum: (No. 143, s. 1997)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
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