



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
 REGION VXIII – Negros Island Region  
**DIVISION OF ESCALANTE CITY**



February 23, 2026

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 029, s. 2026

**CONDUCT OF THE 2026 NATIONAL ARTS CELEBRATION (PAGMUGNA 2026)**

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

1. The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Curriculum Implementation Division (CID) will conduct the **National Arts Month Celebration “PAGMUGNA 2026” with the theme: “Ani ng Sining: Katotohanan at Giting (Harvest of Arts, Truth, and Valor)”** in the Schools Division Office of Escalante City on **February 26, 2026 at 7:30 A.M. at Escalante Central Elementary School.**

2. The schedule of activities and contest are the following:

Time	Event	Venue	Chairperson
7:30 am – 8:00 am	Arrival and Registration	ECES Gym	Cindy A. Tagalog
8:00 am – 9:00 am	Opening Program	ECES Gym	Juvelyn T. Libo-on
9:00 am – 12:00pm	(Secondary Category) Balitaw Kundiman Folk Dance	ECES Gym	Charlyn Cagalcal Detchie Van Compania Lovely Pios
1:00 am – 4:00 pm	(Elementary Category) Show Choir Pop Song Pop Dance/Hip-Hop Dance	ECES Gym	Nilpas Secong Sharon Mahilum Regie Balladares
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Closing and Awarding	ECES Gym	All Contest Managers, Members

3. The activity is open to all elementary and secondary schools in the Division of Escalante City.



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4. Relevant expenses incurred in the conduct of the activity are chargeable against local funds or other allowable sources of funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
5. It is understood that in the conduct of this activity, there shall be no discrimination on account of age, school, gender, civil status, disability, religion or other similar factors/ personal circumstances that run counter to the principles of equal opportunity.
6. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

  
**PETER J. GALIMBA**

Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Officer-in-Charge

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent 

Reference: NONE

Enclosure: As stated. None

Allotment: 1-2-3-4-7-8-9-10

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

PAGMUGNA 2026 CONTEST

R. Lim

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