



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

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**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

No. **585** s. 2025

**NATIONAL CATHOLIC SCOUTING LEADERS' ASSEMBLY**

To: Schools Division Superintendents  
Division BSP Coordinators  
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is Regional Memorandum No. 59, s. 2025 from the Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP) Regional Office concerning National Catholic Scouting Leaders' Assembly (NCSLA) conducted on 6-7 June 2025, at the Cebu Center for Ignatian Spirituality, Banawa, Cebu City, with the theme: "Pilgrims of Hope".
2. Regarding the issuances of the Department of Education (DepEd) and the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), which support the BSP activities, all Schools Division Offices are encouraged to send their respective CSEs to the event, as mentioned earlier.
3. Other details in connection with the conduct of this activity are stipulated in the BSP Memorandum.
4. For queries and further information, please reach **Dr. Reynaldo E. Nayre**, Regional Scouting Coordinator, at **reynaldo.nayre002@deped.gov.ph**.
5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

  
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Enclosures: BSP-RM No. 59, s. 2025

References: As stated,

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

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## REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 59 s. 2025

To : **Council Scout Executives and Officers-in-Charge**  
**All Concerned**

SUBJECT : **NATIONAL CATHOLIC SCOUTING LEADERS' ASSEMBLY**

1. Attached is National Office Memorandum (NOM) No. **45**, s. 2025 dated 06 May 2025, announcing the National Catholic Scouting Committee will conduct the **National Catholic Scouting Leaders' Assembly 2025** on June 6-7, 2025 at the Cebu Center for Ignatian Spirituality, Banawa, Cebu City, hosted by Cebu Council, BSP, with the theme: "**Pilgrims of Hope**".
2. All Council Scout Executives are encourage maximum participation to the assembly.
3. For more information and other details, please refer to BSP National Office Memorandum No. 45 s. 2025.
4. For information and wide dissemination.

  
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## NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

No. **45** series of 2025

TO : **REGIONAL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT OFFICERS  
COUNCIL SCOUT EXECUTIVES & OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE  
ALL CONCERNED**

SUBJECT : **NATIONAL CATHOLIC SCOUTING LEADERS' ASSEMBLY**



1. We are pleased to announce that the National Catholic Scouting Committee will conduct the **National Catholic Scouting Leaders' Assembly 2025** on **June 6-7, 2025**, at the Cebu Center for Ignatian Spirituality, Banawa, Cebu City, hosted by Cebu Council, BSP, with the theme: "**Pilgrims of Hope**".
2. **Aim and Objectives.** Coinciding the Catholic Church's Jubilee Year, the Assembly aims to reignite the spirit of Catholic Scouting, recalibrate the requirements for Catholic awards within the Boy Scouts of the Philippines, and ensure that Scouting programs address the spiritual and developmental needs of today's youth. This gathering will deepen the faith-driven foundation of Scouting, empowering Scout Leaders to better guide young people toward becoming responsible, faith-centered citizens.

By the end of the Assembly, the participants will be able to achieve the following objectives:

- **Spiritual Upliftment through Scouting:** To provide Scout Leaders with an opportunity to deepen their faith and reignite their commitment to Catholic Scouting through prayer, session, reflection, and fellowship.
- **Recalibrated Catholic Scouting Awards:** To review, harmonize, and align the requirements for Catholic Scouting awards within the Boy Scouts of the Philippines, ensuring they reflect the spiritual and personal growth needs of the youth.
- **Celebrate the Jubilee Year:** To unite Scout Leaders in celebrating the Catholic Church's Year of Jubilee with the theme "**Pilgrims of Hope**," inspiring hope and faith-driven leadership in Scouting communities.
- **Youth-Centered Catholic Scouting:** To assess and respond to the evolving needs of the youth, ensuring that Catholic Scouting programs are relevant, inclusive, and effective in nurturing their moral and spiritual development.
- **Strengthening Regional Collaboration:** To foster stronger collaboration and unity among Scout Leaders from different regions, promoting the exchange of best practices in integrating Catholic values into Scouting activities.

3. **Participation.** The following Scout Leaders are invited to join the Assembly:
  - a. Council Scout Executives, Field Scout Executives, or Council Staff in-charge of Catholic Scouting;
  - b. Registered Scout Leaders and Lay Volunteers who are involved in the conduct of the Catholic Scouting Program;
  - c. Council Chaplains or Priests, Deacons, Religious involved in the Scouting Movement.
4. **Registration Fee.** To defray the costs of event expenses, a registration fee of **Php 3,500.00** will be collected by the Local Council per participant. This registration fee is inclusive of food (from lunch of June 6 to lunch of June 7), overnight accommodation, souvenirs, activity kit, and other miscellaneous fees. The Registration Fee may be settled in advance through the following bank details:

Bank Name: **Veterans Bank**  
Branch: **Osmeña Blvd, Cebu City**  
Account Name: **Cebu Council, Boy Scouts of the Philippines**  
Account Number.: **21-0000-176**

Please attach the deposit slip or the screenshot of proof of payment to the Registration Form. Transportation to and from the venue shall be for the account of the participants.
5. **Program Schedule.** Participants should report at the venue by lunchtime of June 6 while a Jubilee pilgrimage within the Archdiocese of Cebu will be arranged after lunch of June 7 prior to departures.
6. **Registration Form and Deadline.** Interested participants may register on or before **May 24, 2025**, through the registration link [bit.ly/bspncsla2025](https://bit.ly/bspncsla2025).
7. All Regional Youth Development Officers are directed to encourage maximum participation to the Assembly.
8. For any questions or clarifications, you may contact **Mr. Eduardo D. Empelis, Jr**, Assistant Vice Chairperson for Operations of the Cebu Catholic Scouting Committee, through email at [catholiccommittee.bspcebu@gmail.com](mailto:catholiccommittee.bspcebu@gmail.com).
9. For information and wide dissemination.



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