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Department of Education

REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

July 7, 2025

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM No. 785 s. 2025

33rd ASIA-PACIFIC REGIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE

To: Schools Division Superintendents

Division BSP Coordinators
All Others Concerned

- 1. Attached are DM-OSEC-2025 and Regional Memorandum No. 55, s. 2025 from the Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP) Regional Office concerning the conduct of the 33rd Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Jamboree on December 14-21, 2025, at Camp Kainomayan, Botolan, Zambales.
- Relative to 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 Scouts, Adult Leaders, and other Scouting enthusiasts to this event.
- 3. Other details in connection with the conduct of this activity are stipulated in the DepEd/BSP Memoranda.
- 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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Regional Director

Enclosures: DM-OSEC 2025, BSP-RM-Ng. 55, s. 2025

References: As stated

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

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Regional Directors

Schools Division Superintendents

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Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads

All Others Concerned

FROM

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Undersecretary, Office of the Secretary

SUBJECT

33RD ASIA-PACIFIC REGIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE HOSTED BY

THE BOY SCOUTS OF THE PHILIPPINES

DATE

17 JUNE 2024

The Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP) will host the 33rd Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Jamboree ("APR Jamboree") with the theme: "Be Prepared: Scouts for Peace and Sustainable Development" at Camp Kainomayan, Botolan, Zambales from December 14-21, 2025

2. The APR Jamboree aims to achieve the following objectives:

> a. promote the highest quality of Scouting, one that is faithful to the mission, principles, and method of Scouting and adapted to the needs and aspirations of young people;

b. undertake high-adventure activities, including community service projects related to the current thrusts of World Scouting (Environment Education, Peace Education, and Development Education) through the different World Programme, under the Better World Framework:

c. conduct projects, programs, and activities that will cater to the fulfillment of the requirements of selected merit badges and scout ranks under the

advancement scheme;

d. keep participants abreast with the prevailing issues about the environment, human rights, health, education, culture, and science and technology through Global Development Village, City of Science, and Crossroads of Cultures, among others.





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- 3. The target participants of the APR Jamboree are Senior Scouts between the age 12 to 17 as well as their Scout Leaders, and other DepEd officials who are involved in Scouting activities.
- 4. A non-refundable but transferable Jamboree Fee of One Thousand Pesos (Php1,000.00) will cover the cost of program and activities materials, souvenir items, and administrative costs. This must be paid directly through the local council to ensure the acceptance of the application.
- 5. The concerned DepEd officials and teachers are to attend this event **on official business**. The Jamboree fee, travel, and other incidental expenses to be incurred shall be charged to local funds, subject to its availability, and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- 6. The regional directors, schools division superintendents, and school heads are encouraged to send their participants to this international scouting event.
- 7. Participation of learners and teachers from public and private schools shall be purely voluntary and will not hamper instructional time in compliance with the provisions of DepEd Order (DO) No. 012, s. 2025, titled Multi-Year Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities and DO 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith and the policy on off-campus activities stated in DO 66, s. 2017.

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8. For more information, please contact

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9. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



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TO

National Office Division and Section Chiefs

Regional Youth Development Officers and Officers-In-Charge

Council Scout Executives and Officers-In-Charge

SUBJECT: 33rd ASIA-PACIFIC REGIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE

We are pleased to announce the holding of the 33rd ASIA-PACIFIC REGIONAL SCOUT 1. **JAMBOREE** on 14-21 December 2025 at the Kainomavan Scout Camp in the Municipality of Botolan, Province of Zambales, Philippines, with the theme, "Be Prepared: Scouts for Peace and Sustainable Development."

- The Jamboree aims to provide a progressive, safe, and enjoyable learning environment for the 2. Scouts in order to enhance their physical, social, mental, emotional, and spiritual potential.
- 3. Qualifications. The following are the qualifications for the participating Scouts and Adult Leaders, viz:
 - 3.1. A **Scout** is expected to have leadership potential, sufficient camping experience, and be physically fit to undergo strenuous activities with the corresponding parent's consent and:
 - Must be currently registered as a Boy/Senior Scout
 - Must be at least 12 to 17 years old
 - Must be equipped with camping gears
 - 3.2. Participating Adult Leaders must have the maturity and clarity about his/her role and:
 - Must be currently registered
 - Must be physically fit as certified by a physician

Must be of good moral character

- Must be equipped with camping gear
- Preferably a Bead Holder or graduates of Advanced Training Courses (ATC)
- 4. Registration Details: Stated below are important information regarding the Jamboree Registration System and Procedures, viz:
 - 4.1. Registration Fee. A Registration Fee of One Thousand Pesos (Php1,000.00) shall be charged to each participant to defray administrative costs, program materials, souvenir items (patch, neckerchief, Tumbler, ID with ID lace), and other operating expenses.

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4.2. Registration Deadlines. The following registration deadlines shall strictly be enforced:

PHASE	DESCRIPTION	PERIOD		
PRASE		Start	End C	
Phase 1	Pre-Registration of Contingent	01 Aug 2024	31 Jan 2025	
Phase 2	Confirmation of Participation	01 Feb 2025	15 Mar 2025	
Phase 3	Remittance of Payment	16 Mar 2025	15 Jul 2025	

THE REGISTRATION WILL END BY 2359H OF 15 JULY 2025. NO REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED AND PROCESSED BEYOND THE SAID DATE.

4.2.1. PHASE 1 — Pre-Registration of Contingents (01 August 2024 — 31 January 2025).

During this phase, all Local Councils who wish to join in the Jamboree must **electronically (via email)** complete and submit to the BSP National Office, the following Jamboree Forms:

- Jamboree Form (JF) No. 01 Contingent Registration Form
- E-Contingent Jamboree Registration Form (Excel Files)
 - JF No. 02 Confirmation of Head of Contingent & Contact Person
 - JF No. 03 Roster of Contingent Management Team
 - JF No. 04 Roster of International Service Team
 - JF No. 05A Roster of Participants-Boy Scouts
 - JF No. 05B Roster of Participants-Senior Scouts

As identified above, no payment shall be remitted during this phase, only the required Jamboree Form. This will determine the strength of participation of each Local Council, depending on the quota allocation per Scouting Region.

The participation as identified in the Jamboree Forms will undergo scrutiny and review thru the National Project Management Team to ensure that the standards of participation are met (adult and participant ratio, required number of the CMT, etc.). The participation must strictly conform to the quota allocation and the participant ratio.

To preclude any logistical problems and complications, the Pre-Registration will DETERMINE THE ACTUAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS of each Local Council or Scouting Region, consistent with the quota allocation.

When transmitting the Jamboree Form No. 1 (Contingent Registration Form) and the E-Contingent Jamboree Registration Form (Excel file) through email, kindly use the official email address registered in the E-Contingent Jamboree Registration Form (Excel files) by the Contact Person.

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All forms must submitted to <u>33rdAPRJamboree@scouts.gov.ph</u> with the subject "E-Contingent Jamboree Registration Form (name of council) — i.e. "E-Contingent Jamboree Registration Form (Manila Council)"

4.2.2. PHASE 2 — Confirmation of Participation (01 February — 15 March 2025)

Phase 2 of the registration refers to the general review of each Local Council's participation to ensure proper allocation of participants based on the required participant ratio and allowable number of adults to be included in the Contingent Management Team.

Accompanying adults in excess of the required participant ratio and members of the CMT will not be allowed.

Once participation is found to be consistent with the Jamboree Registration Policy, a Notice of Confirmation will be sent by the National Project Management Team to each Local Council, detailing the required payment and the authorizing remittance of payment per allowed number of participants.

4.2.3. PHASE 3 — Remittance of Payment (16 March – 15 July 2025)

The last phase of the registration is the remittance of payment. The details of the registration, as well as the corresponding fee will be reflected in the Notice of Confirmation which will be sent by the National Project Management Team directly to the Local Council.

Remittance of registration will be done in bulk, per Local Council. Only the Local Council is allowed to remit the registration fee based on the Notice of Confirmation. No individual registration fees should be remitted to the Jamboree account.

THERE WILL BE NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION. ONLY THE HOST RAMON MAGSAYSAY-ZAMBALES COUNCIL IS AUTHORIZED TO COLLECT AND/OR RECEIVE THE JAMBOREE REGISTRATION FEE.

Regardless of whether the total number of pre-registered participants has been met or not during the actual conduct of the Jamboree, the registration fee is **not refundable** but is **transferrable**.

5. **Participant Ratio.** To exercise effective and efficient unit organization and management, a ratio of one (1) Adult Leader for every nine (9) Boy/Senior Scouts (1:9) must be observed in the composition of the Jamboree Contingent.

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6. **Participation Quota.** The participation in the Jamboree will come from the 127 Local Councils and 10 Scouting Regions of the BSP, including participation from member countries of the Asia-Pacific Region, and is pro-rated as follows:

REGION	SCOUTS	UNIT	ÎST.	CMT	TOTAL
Ilocos Region	935	104	52	54	1,144
Northeastern Luzon Region	1,334	148	74	94	1,650
Central Luzon Region	4,525	503	251	110	5,389
National Capital Region	3,193	355	177	132	3,857
Southern Luzon Region	3,211	357	178	156	3,902
Bicol Region	937	104	52	34	1,127
Western Visayas Region	1,505	167	84	68	1,824
Eastern Visayas Region	1,328	148	74	82	1,631
Western Mindanao Region	938	10 4	52	76	1,170
Eastern Mindanao Region	2,095	233	116	150	2,594
Foreign Participants	2,000	222	111	60	2,393
TOTAL	22,000	2,444	1,222	1,016	26,682

The table above has been properly apportioned per international standards of participation. Hence, there will be no additional participation over the allocated quota. Conformity and compliance with the allocated quota and participant ratio will strictly be enforced.

6.1. **Contingent Management Team (CMT)**. Each Local Council must constitute its own Contingent Management Team (CMT) to support the participants. The composition of the CMT shall strictly follow the table below based on the size of the contingent.

Number of Patrol/Crew	Number of CMT
4 or less	Maximum of 4
5-8	Maximum of 6
9 – 16	Maximum of 8
17 – 24	Maximum of 10
25 – 31	Maximum of 12
Above 32	Maximum of 14

The CMT is a group of leaders with knowledge and experience in camp administration, financial management, travel, care of young people, and international Scouting. The CMT is also an ideal environment for developing skills in the next generation of leaders.

- 6.3. **International Service Team (IST).** Each Scouting Region is allocated a specific quota for Adult Leaders and volunteers who wish to serve as part of the International Service Team.
- 7. Travel Itinerary. All Jamboree Contingents are advised to submit their Jamboree Itinerary to their respective Regional Youth Development Officers/Officers-In-Charge for record and reference purposes. Furthermore, all PARTICIPANTS are advised to report at the Jamboree Site not later than 13 December 2025, Saturday, and will only be cleared to leave the camp after the Grand Closing Ceremonies.

8. Application for the International Service Team (IST). The International Service Team is responsible for supporting the implementation of the different activities, modules, and special activities throughout the Jamboree. It is composed of highly trained, motivated, and committed volunteer Rovers and Adult Leaders assigned to the different Jamboree Services, catering to both the program needs and administration requirements.

The members of the IST should be able to communicate in English and be ready to perform any tasks necessary for the Jamboree. In addition, ISTs are required to attend the Jamboree as part of the National Contingent and/or Local Council Contingent.

- 8.1. **Qualifications**. Applicants for the IST must meet the following qualifications:
 - Must be currently registered as an Adult Leader aged between 18 to 55 years old
 - Must be physically fit as certified by a physician
 - Must be of good moral character
 - Must be at least a Wood Badge Holder with at least one (1) year of experience and service
 - Must be duly recommended by the Council Scout Executive/Officer-in-Charge and the Regional Youth Development Officer/Officer-In-Charge.
 - Must be at least served as National/Regional Service Team in National/Regional Scout Jamboree
- 8.2. The applicant must visit their respective Local Council to fill out the electronic registration form for the International Service Team, the E-Contingent Jamboree Registration Form JF No. 4 (Excel file) and will be endorsed by appropriate authorities. The registration procedures for IST applicants must also be confirmed with Item 4 of this document.

Successful applicants will be issued with a corresponding Notice of Acceptance from the National Project Management Team. Once approved, all ISTs shall be required to report at the Jamboree Site at not later than 0900H of 12 December 2025, Friday for general orientation, training, and preparation. All ISTs shall be allowed to leave the camp by 1700H on 22 December 2025.

9. **Scout Camps.** To maximize the Jamboree experience, only the Scouts and their designated Unit Leader will be allowed to stay at full-time the Scout Camps. Hence, contingents are advised to carefully select their respective Unit Leaders that will be assigned per patrol.

This will provide a rich learning environment for the Scouts as a form of training for leadership development, character building, and responsibility. This is reflective of the Scout Method as a system of progressive non-formal self-education and mirrors the way where one gains knowledge, skills, and attitudes and illustrates the Scouting practical approach to education.

- 10. **Adult Hub**. The members of the Contingent Management Team (CMT) shall camp and sleep at the Adult Hub located with the vicinity of the Jamboree Site. The CMTs can only stay at the Scout Camp during the daytime to provide support and guidance whenever necessary.
- 11. **Food Provision.** The Jamboree Contingent of each Local Council must provide for their own food and other basic requirements that will be sufficient throughout the entire duration of the Jamboree. Each contingent manages their respective kitchens, mess, and commissaries. Wet

- and dry markets will be made available at the Jamboree Site to ensure that food supplies are reasonably priced.
- 12. The Regional Youth Development Officers and Council Scout Executives/Officers-In-Charge are hereby directed to ensure the maximum participation of the Scouts and Adult Leaders within your respective regions and Local Councils. You are further advised to organize working committees in order to support your respective CMT to ensure the efficient preparation for the events and the smooth flow of information and other details.
- 13. Should you have any questions or queries, you may refer to MR. MANUEL G. ISIDORO III, Officer-In-Charge, Field Operations Division thru butz.isidoro@scouts:gov.ph or telephone no. (02) 8527 8317 to 19 local 512.
- 14. For information, guidance, compliance and widest dissemination.

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Director IV (Secretary General)

Encl: Jamboree Form No. 01 – Contingent Registration Form E-Contingent Jamboree Registration Form (Excel file)

CONTINGENT REGISTRATION FORM 33rd ASIA-PACIFIC REGIONAL SCOUT JAMBOREE

Kainomayan Scout Camp, Municipality of Botolan, Province of Zambales, Philippines 14-21 December 2025

This Jamboree Form No. 01 must be ELECTRONICALLY transmitted to 33rdAPRJamboree@scouts.gov.ph

THE NATIONAL PROJECT MANAGEMENT TEAM

c/o Jamboree Executives and Technical Staff Boy Scouts of the Philippines 181 Natividad Almeda Lopez Street Ermita, Manila

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Local Council			+		
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TYPE OF PARTICIPATION	M/	\LE	FEMALE	TOTAL	
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Contingent Management Team					
International Service Team					
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