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REGION III
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF BATAAN

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DIVISION ADVISORY

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

This Office informs all concerned that the Provincial Tourism Office will conduct a creative forum entitled, **"Katotohanan at Giting: Malikhaing Forum ng Sining Pinoy"**, in celebration of the 2026 National Arts Month (NAM), with this year's theme, **"Ani ng Sining: Katotohanan at Giting"**.

In line with this, the activity will be on February 20, 2026 (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM) at the Bataan Tourism Pavilion (Kalayaan Hall), City of Balanga.

Attached is the list of participants for the said forum.

Travel and other expenses relative to this activity are chargeable against their respective School MOOE/local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Division Advisory also serves as Travel Authority for the participants.

Attached is a letter from Ms. Danica Lolita C. Tigas, OIC Provincial Tourism Officer, for further details and inquiries.


CAROLINA S. VIOLETA, EdD, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent


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LIST OF PARTICIPANTS
"Katotohanan at Giting: Malikhaing Forum ng Sining
Pinoy
February 20,2026

Rojomel Idquival	Hermosa National High School
Leny Caysido	Hermosa National High School
Ruby Jean L. Cortez	Hermosa National High School
Ercielyn T. Guinto	Hermosa National High School
Gilbert E. Ramos	Hermosa National High School
Maya Malixi	Hermosa National High School
Shayam N. Oribello	Hermosa National High School
Marilyn C. Mariano	Hermosa National High School
Erica S. Susi	Hermosa National High School
Higinalae Boday	Hermosa National High School
Glenda P. Lingad	Pagalanggang National High School
Keycilyn T. Ronquillo	Pagalanggang National High School
Celine C. Nicdao	Pagalanggang National High School
Lyra C. Gaces	Pagalanggang National High School
Jacie N. Ronquillo	Pagalanggang National High School
Cynthia N. Manalang	Pagalanggang National High School
Elaine Krystle E. Mendoza	Pagalanggang National High School
Jazzen O. Bautista	Pagalanggang National High School
Ervin P. Manalang	Pagalanggang National High School
Melvin C. Payumo	Pagalanggang National High School
Jayson N. Maximo	Orani National High School
Juanito T. Panlaque Jr.	Orani National High School
Dezzalyn T. Reyes	Orani National High School
Jennifer L. Buenaventura	Orani National High School
Nathanael B. Pedron	Orani National High School
Sharon Joy M. Ramos	Orani National High School
Marie Buena Bunsoy Teleron	Orani National High School
Marianne R. Tayag	Orani National High School
Patricia Anne V. Flores	Orani National High School
Edeliza D. Villegas	Orani National High School



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Eliza Grace V. Oconer	Orani National High School
Odessa S. Raymundo	Orani National High School
Agatha Jehan P. Ponce	Orani National High School
Mary Jane I. Edodoleon	Orani National High School
Angelyne E. Pedron	Pablo Roman National High School
Randell John M. Ruiz	Pablo Roman National High School
Desiree E. Catalan	Pablo Roman National High School
Mierwin C. Antonio	Pablo Roman National High School
Maria Veronica M. Caranguian	Pablo Roman National High School
Liezel B. Mariano	Pablo Roman National High School
Rose Ann B. Paguio	Limay National High School
Esther L. Gumayagay	Limay National High School
Aira Jane L. Jose	Limay National High School
Jhoenell S. Adan	Limay National High School
Lady Ruzzel Salmos	Limay National High School
Lyndsey Q. Dela Rea	Limay National High School
Rowena C. Canoy	Limay National High School
Ruth Ann M. Verderra	Mariveles National High School
Valerie Laag	Mariveles National High School
Mary Ann N. Hiteroza	Mariveles National High School
Joanna Marie B. Renomeron	Mariveles National High School
Nelde C. Tolentino	Mariveles National High School
Liwanag Guevarra	Mariveles National High School
Jolina M. Cubay	Mariveles National High School
Lanica Gem P. Camilo	Mariveles National High School
Nicolai Ray P. Camilo	Mariveles National High School



January 23, 2026

MS. CAROLINA S. VIOLETA, Ed.D., CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent
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Through: **MS. MA. TERESA PEREZ**
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Dear **Dr. Violeta**:

Mabuhay!

The Provincial Government of Bataan, through the Provincial Tourism Office will spearhead the celebration of 2026 National Arts Month (NAM). This year's theme, "**Ani ng Sining: Katotohanan at Giting**", illustrates that art is not merely the product of the creative mind, but also the outcome of peoples' shared experiences and collective aspirations. As an expression of truth and valor, art becomes a wellspring of hope and a guiding force towards a more just and progressive society. The celebration is an initiative of the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) by virtue of Presidential Proclamation No. 683, signed in 1991.

To make it more inclusive, "**Katotohanan at Giting: Malikhaing Forum ng Sining Pinoy**", a creative forum will be conducted to gather all SPA educators in eight (8) schools in Bataan offering Special Program in the Arts for a meaningful gathering that aims to serve as an open space for discussion, exchange of ideas, and creative expression among Filipino artists/ workers. The forum highlights the vital role of the arts in conveying truth, defending cultural identity, and strengthening national pride.

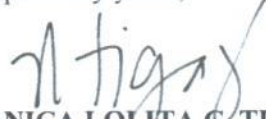
In line with this, may we kindly invite at most ten (10) SPA educators from **Hermosa National High School, Limay National High School, Mariveles National High School-Cabcaben, Pablo Roman National High School and Pagalanggang National High School** and at most fifteen (15) SPA educators from **Orani National High School** on **February 20, 2026 (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)** at the **Bataan Tourism Pavilion (Kalayaan Hall), City of Balanga**. With your support, the program will be more inclusive, reaching a wider audience and fostering a sense of community engagement.

For confirmed participants, kindly fill-up this registration link: <https://tinyurl.com/NAM2026-CreativeForum>

For any concerns, your office may email us at tourism@bataan.gov.ph or contact us at (047) 935-0364 or coordinate with Ms. Christine Gale O. Austria at 0915-591-4564.

Thank you, and we look forward to your support in the celebration of the National Arts Month 2026.

Respectfully yours,


DANICA LOLITA C. TIGAS, Ph. D.
OIC-Provincial Tourism Officer