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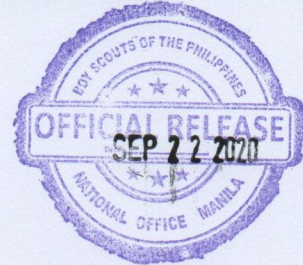
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NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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**TO : Regional Scout Directors, Council Scout Executives/
Officers-In-Charge**

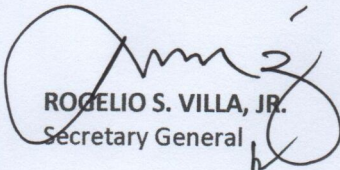
SUBJECT : 2020 SCOUTING MONTH CELEBRATION AND 84TH BSP CHARTER ANNIVERSARY

1. Pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 1326, S. 1974, the Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP) will celebrate its 84th BSP Charter Anniversary and the 2020 National Scouting Month on October with the Theme, "Commitment to Excellence".
2. The purpose of the celebration is to showcase to the public and the stakeholders, the contribution of the BSP to nation-building over the past eighty-four (84) years, through the development of the young people by actively engaging and supporting them to become agents of change in their respective communities.

Specifically, the celebration aims to:

- 2.1. Promote BSP as foremost in developing the young people to become agents of change in their communities in education, peace and environment development;
 - 2.2. Celebrate with thanksgiving, the founding anniversary of the BSP;
 - 2.3. Instill in the minds and hearts of the Filipino youth, a sense of pride and belongingness to an international youth organization; and
 - 2.4. Foster camaraderie among members as brothers and sisters in Scouting.
3. The highlights of the celebration will include the following activities:
 - 3.1. Online 84th BSP Charter Anniversary and 2020 National Scouting Month Kick-Off Celebration
 - 3.2. Month-long Exhibit of Betterworld Programs and Plastic Art Gallery at the National office
 - 3.3. Webinars on Road Safety, Baybayin 2.0, Plastic Tide Turners, Making Effective Project Proposals for the Scout Donation Platform, Scouts Go Solar, etc.
 - 3.4. Contest on My Best SelfPeace, Rap and Rhythm, Tiktaktok Challenge, UAP Plastic Challenge, Collage Champions for Nature. (Please see attached contest mechanics)
 - 3.5. The Scouting Champ - A Quiz bee for Scouts and Leaders
 - 3.6. Fun with Advancement – instructional videos on Scout Advancement
 - 3.7. Now You Know –an online collection of untold interesting Scouting stories

- 3.8. Road Safety Virtual Camp
- 3.9. 63rd Jamboree On the Air (JOTA) and 24th Jamboree On The Internet (JOTI) on 16-18 October 2020
- 3.10. Culminating Activities, 84th BSP Charter Anniversary - 31 October 2019
4. Local Councils are encouraged to online hold activities relevant to the theme in support of the celebration. To ensure that the objectives are achieved, it is vital that activities be focused on the following areas:
- 4.1. Environmental Projects and Activities geared towards the attainment of the World Scout Environment Badge or any badges under the Green is Go! Go for the Real Thing! Project (e.g. protecting water resources, energy conservation, planting trees, recycling waste)
 - 4.3. Leadership, Character and Skills Development
 - 4.4. Challenging and Adventurous Activities
 - 4.5. Patriotism and Nationalism
 - 4.6. Community Service and Community Development
 - 4.7. Council Court of Honor
5. All Regional Scout Directors are enjoined to monitor the activities of the Councils in their respective regions and are to submit After-Activity Reports, complete with photos and/or videos, not later than 15 November 2020.
6. For information, guidance and strict compliance.



ROGELIO S. VILLA, JR.
Secretary General

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84TH BSP ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

CONTEST MECHANICS

1. MY BEST SELFPEACE

- Open for Kid and Kab Scouts
- Participant shall take his selfie photo with a folded paper crane (bird) as background
- One (1) selfie picture for each entry
- Submit your entry through email to boyet.barrera@gmail.com from **01 to 08 October 2020**.
- The best entry shall receive a Cash Prize of Php 1,000 and a Certificate.

2. TIKTAKTOK CHALLENGE

- Open for a Group (3-5 FAMILY members) wherein at least one member should be a Scout or a Scout Leader.
- Participants shall do a minimum of 30-second dance challenge showing Scouting-related moves and symbols in high resolution video.
- Criteria:

Artistic Creativity	-	25%
Originality	-	25%
Delivery	-	25%
Overall Impact	-	25%
- One one (1) entry per group.
- Submit your entry through email to boyet.barrera@gmail.com from **08 to 15 October 2020**.
- The best entry shall receive a Cash Prize of Php 3,000 and a Certificate.

3. RAP AND RHYTHM CONTEST

- Open for Boy and Senior Scouts
- For individual or Group of not more than three (3) members
- Maximum of three (3) minutes performance in high resolution video presentation, rapping to the theme, "How Scout can help mitigate the impact of COVID-19".
- Criteria:

Content (Focusing on the topic)	-	20%
Persuasion (Ability to persuade)	-	20%

Creativity	-	20%
Delivery	-	20%
Overall Impact	-	20%

- Only one (1) entry per participant
- Submit your entry through email to boyet.francial@scouts.org.ph from **16 to 23 October 2020**.
- The best entry shall receive a Cash Prize of Php 3,000 and a Certificate.

4. URBAN AGRICULTURE PROJECT PLASTIC CHALLENGE

- Open for Scouts and Scout Leaders
- Participants shall make a "Containerized Garden" made of any recycled materials with at least two square feet (12' x 12') size.
- Healthy growing vegetables are planted in the containerized garden.
- It should be properly documented through a high resolution video presentation with a voice over/narration describing the project from its start to completion.
- Criteria:

Materials Used/Resourcefulness	-	50%
Artistic Creativity	-	25%
Compatibility of the Vegetables Planted	-	25%
- Only one entry per participant.
- Submit your entry through email to sophiecastillo@gmail.com from **24 to 31 October 2020**.
- The best entry shall receive a Cash Prize of Php 5,000 and a Certificate.