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NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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TO : ALL BSP OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES
INCLUDING CONTRACT OF SERVICE PERSONNEL
LOCAL COUNCIL OFFICE STAFF
ALL CONCERNED

SUBJECT : 2024 NATIONAL WOMEN'S MONTH CELEBRATION

The Boy Scouts of the Philippines joins the annual observance of the 2024 National Women's Month Celebration (NWMC) from March 1 to 31 2024. NWMC is conducted annually in recognition of women's significant contribution in nation-building. This celebration is also part of the worldwide observance of the International Women's Day.

In line with this, all BSP Employees at National Office, Regional Offices, Camps, and Local Council Staff are enjoined to actively participate in the observance of 2024 National Women's Month Celebration (NWMC) with the theme: "WE for Gender Equality and Inclusive Society".

The following are the lined-up activities of the National Women's Month Celebration, viz;

- 1. Gender Advocacy Campaign** – sharing of photos promoting Gender Equality and Women Empowerment in the BSP-GAD Facebook Account –
(facebook.com/gender.development.58/)
- 2. Purple Friday** – All employees are encouraged to wear anything **PURPLE** (clothes/accessories) on all Fridays of March 2024 to signify support to National Women's Month Celebration and International Women's Day on March 8.
- 3. Webinars** on 01 March and 22 March 2024 from 9:00 am – 12:00 pm, viz;
 - 01 March 2024 – Kick-off Activity: Introduction to National Women's Month Celebration and Seminar on Magna Carta of Women (Women's Rights)
 - 22 March 2024 – Seminar on Gender Sensitivity Training (SOGIESC) and Use of Gender Fair Language.
- 4. Zoom Links** – Links of the webinars shall be sent to the email addresses of all Division Chiefs and Youth Development Officer V of Regional Coordination Offices for sharing and through BSP's Official Facebook Account before the conduct of the Webinars.

For queries, you may contact through email gad@scouts.gov.ph or at +639985923145 and look for Mr. Frederick E. Bonifacio, BSP GAD Coordinator.

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