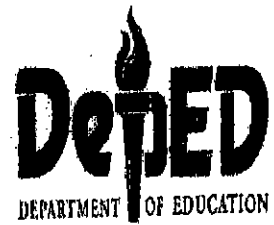




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HAKBANG PANGARAP

To: Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents

1. A team of four (4) runners headed by Ms. Joy Rojas, a member of Gomburza Ultrarunners and a staff of ABS-CBN Publishing's Metro Magazine will hold a 46-day Hakbang Pangarap across the Philippines, which will cover the following places: Davao City to Surigao del Norte; Maasin, Leyte to Allen, Samar; Matnog, Sorsogon to Manila; Manila to Baguio; and Baguio to Pagudpud, Ilocos Norte.

2. The objectives of the project are to:

- a. inspire high school students to pursue their dreams and overcome obstacles and challenges;
- b. inculcate to the youth the value of education; and
- c. promote fitness, sports and healthy lifestyle.

3. The team will cover on foot an average of fifty (50) kilometers a day. In the course of the run, the team will stop in a chosen high school where they will meet the students and teachers and share stories about pursuing goals and overcoming obstacles, as well as the value of education, sports and healthy lifestyle. On the following day, the team will take off to cover another fifty (50) kilometers and meet with high school students on the way. Enclosed is the Hakbang Pangarap Route.

4. In view of the opportunity for the students to listen to the team's individual stories and insights about "running to one's dreams", the secondary schools are encouraged to welcome and extend appropriate assistance to the team.

5. For more inquiries, contact Ms. Joy Roxas at tel. no. 890-95-13 or cel. no. (0918) 696-7260.

6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
FLORENCIO B. ABAD  
Secretary

Encl.: As stated

Reference: None

Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

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HAKBANG PANGARAP ROUTE

Run starts in Davao on January 5, 2005. Run totals 46 days—38 running days, 8 rest days.

MINDANAO

Day 1 / January 5- Davao—Panabo—Carmen—Tagum

Day 2 / January 6- Tagum—Mawab—Mabunturan—Montevista—Monkayo

Day 3 / January 7- Monkayo—Trento—Rosario

Day 4 / January 8- Rosario—San Francisco—Prosperidad—Balete

Day 5 / January 9- Balete—Bayugan—Sibagat—Ampayon—Agay

Day 6 / January 10- Agay—Romualdez—Cabadbaran—Sta. Ana—Bagto—Santiago—Kitcharo

Day 7 / January 11- Kitcharo—Alegria—Tubod—Sison—Surigao

Day 8 / January 12- Surigao to Maasin (Leyte) (Rest)

Day 9 / January 13- Maasin (Leyte) (Rest)

VISAYAS

Day 10 / January 14- Maasin—Matalom—Balo—Hilongos—Hindang—Inopacan

Day 11 / January 15- Inopacan—Conalmon—Plaridel—Bitanhuan—Abuyog—MacArthur

Day 12 / January 16- MacArthur—Mayorga—Dulag—Tolosa—Palo—Tacloban (Leyte)

Day 13 / January 17- Tacloban—San Juanico Bridge—Calbiga

Day 14 / January 18- Calbiga—Hinabangan—Wright—Montiong—Jiabong—Catbalogan (Western Samar)

Day 15 / January 19- Catbalogan—Gandara—Sta. Margarita

Day 16 / January 20- Sta. Margarita—Calbayog—San Isidro—Victoria—Allen (Northern Samar)

Day 17 / January 21- Allen to Matnog (Bicol Region) (Rest)

Day 18 / January 22- Matnog (Bicol Region) (Rest)

LUZON

Day 19 / January 23- Matnog (Bicol Region)—Irosin—Jaban—Casiguran—Sorsogon

Day 20 / January 24- Sorsogon—San Isidro—Legazpi

Day 21 / January 25- Legazpi—Camalig—Ligao—Oas—Polangui—Libon—Bato—Nabua—Iriga

Day 22 / January 26- Iriga—Baco—Pili—Naga (Camarines Sur)

Day 23 / January 27- Naga—Milaor—Pamplona—Sipocot

Day 24 / January 28- Sipocot—Pasud—Daet

Day 25 / January 29- Daet—Labo

Day 26 / January 30- Labo—Sta. Elena (Camarines Norte)

Day 27 / January 31- Sta. Elena—Calauag—Lopez (Quezon)

Day 28 / February 1- Lopez—Gumaca—Plaridel—Atimonan

Day 29 / February 2- Atimonan—Pagbilao—Lucena

Day 30 / February 3- Lucena—Candelaria—Tiaong—Alaminos (Laguna)—Sto. Tomas

Day 31 / February 4- Sto. Tomas—Calamba—Cabuyao—Sta. Rosa—Muntinlupa—Las Pinas—Pasay—Manila

Day 32 & 33/ February 5 & 6- Makati (Rest)

Day 34 / February 7- Manila—Avenida—Blumentritt—Monumento—Valenzuela (Bulacan)—Meycauayan—Marilao—Bocaue—Balagtas—Guiguinto—Malolos—Calumpit—Apalit (Pampanga)

Day 35 / February 8- Apalit—Sto. Tomas—San Fernando—Angeles—Mabalacat—Bamban (Tarlac)

Day 36 / February 9- Bamban—Capas—San Miguel—Tarlac—Gerona—Paniqui—Moncada

Day 37 / February 10- Moncada—San Manuel—Villasis (Pangasinan)—Urdaneta—Binalonan—Pozorubio

Day 38 / February 11- Pozorubio—Sison—Rosario (Urdaneta)—Kennon Road—Baguio

Day 39 & 40 / February 12 & 13 -Baguio (Rest)

Day 41 / February 14- Baguio—Burgos (La Union)—Naguilian—Bauang—San Fernando

Day 42 / February 15- San Fernando—San Juan—Bacnotan—Balaoan—Bangar—Tagudin (Ilocos Sur)

Day 43 / February 16- Tagudin—Sta. Cruz—Sta. Lucia—Candon—Santiago—San Esteban—Sta. Maria—Narvacan

Day 44 / February 17- Narvacan—Santa—Vigan—San Ildefonso—Santo Domingo—Magsingal—San Juan—Cabugao

Day 45 / February 18- Cabugao—Badoc (Ilocos Norte)—Currimao—Batac—San Nicolas—Laoag

Day 46 / February 19- Laoag—Baracca—Pasuquin—Burgos—Pagudpud