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DepED MEMORANDUM
No. **157**, s. 2009

ANGAT KABATAAN! URDANETA CRUISE AND CAMP 2009

To: Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Secondary Schools

1. Pursuant to Proclamation No. 1423 recognizing Fr. Andres de Urdaneta's 5th Centennial Celebration as well as his contributions to Philippine culture and history, the Augustinians in the Philippines, spearheaded by Colegio San Agustin-Binan, National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA), Urdaneta 500 Cebu Commission and the Urdaneta 500 Philippine Commission, in cooperation with the Department of Education, will conduct the Urdaneta Cruise and Camp 2009 on April 26-30, 2009 with a cruise bound to Cebu and Bohol and a camp at DepED Ecotech Center, Cebu City.
2. This activity seeks to:
 - a. know the person of Fray Urdaneta, his contributions to the Philippines and to the world and his leadership traits and values as a navigator and as an Augustinian;
 - b. develop and strengthen the youth's leadership values and capabilities for the betterment of the country;
 - c. understand the importance of the country's cultural heritage and learn the mechanisms of preserving and protecting the cultural heritage treasures of the Philippines for the future generations;
 - d. appreciate the beauty of the environment and exercise stewardship; and
 - e. establish friendship among participating youth during the camp.
3. Participants to the cruise and camp are students and youth aged 15-21 years old.
4. A registration fee of Five Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP5,500.00) shall be charged for Luzon participants to cover cruise from Manila to Cebu and Bohol, return trip to Manila, board and lodging in Cebu and Bohol, seminar kit and certificates and Three Thousand Pesos (PhP3,000.00) for Visayas and Mindanao participants to cover cruise to Bohol, board and lodging in Cebu and Bohol, return trip from Bohol to Cebu, seminar kit and certificates.
5. Guidelines for Luzon participants, Visayas and Mindanao participants, Program of Activities and the Registration Form are contained as Enclosure Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, respectively.

6. For more information, please contact Fr. Harold Rentoria, OSA or Ms. Jing Abion through tel. nos.: (02) 478-0177 or 478-0167 to 71 local 207 or 0916-626-1758.

7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



VILMA L. LABRADOR
Undersecretary

Encls.:

As stated

Reference:

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Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

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Enclosure No. 1 to DepED Memorandum No. 157, s. 2009

Guidelines for LUZON participants

1. Participants below 18 years old should be accompanied by a youth animator/in-charge from the diocese or parish.
2. Participants should bring light and comfortable clothing since there will be a lot of traveling activities.
3. Smoking, drinking liquor, and/or use of prohibited drugs are absolutely not allowed during the cruise and camp.
4. Participants are not allowed to visit relatives and/or friends either in Cebu or Bohol. They are also not allowed to stay either in Cebu or Bohol after the cruise and camp.
5. The departure of the boat (Super Ferry) from Manila will be at 8:45 AM, on April 26, 2009. Participants are expected to gather at San Agustin Church, Intramuros, Manila grounds at 5:00 AM on departure day.
6. Transportation expenses of participants from any point of Luzon to Manila will not be shouldered by the organizing committee. Pick-up place of participants on April 30, 2009 will be at the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) building, General Luna St., Intramuros, Manila.
7. Participants who have maintenance medicines should make sure to bring them for safety and health purposes.
8. Please inform the committee, upon sending the registration form, if some participants have food allergies.
9. Accommodation of participants in Cebu and Bohol will be dormitory type and the boat accommodation is the 'Super/Mega' type Super Ferry.
10. Participants are expected to abide by the guidelines of the committee to avoid forfeiture of their participation in the cruise and camp.

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Guidelines for VISAYAS and MINDANAO participants

1. Participants below 18 years old should be accompanied by a youth animator/in-charge from the diocese or parish.
2. Participants should bring light and comfortable clothing since there will be a lot of traveling activities.
3. Smoking, drinking liquor, and/or use of prohibited drugs are absolutely not allowed during the cruise and camp.
4. Participants are not allowed to visit relatives and/or friends either in Cebu or Bohol. They are also not allowed to stay either in Cebu or Bohol after the cruise and camp.
5. Transportation expenses of participants from any point of Visayas and Mindanao to Cebu will not be shouldered by the organizing committee. Return trip from Cebu on April 30, 2009 will not also be shouldered by the committee.
6. Registration of participants in Cebu will be at the Eco-Tech of DepEd, Lahug, Cebu City on April 27, 2009 starting at 8:00 AM.
7. Participants who have maintenance medicines should make sure to bring them for safety and health purposes.
8. Please inform the committee, upon sending the registration form, if some participants have food allergies.
9. Accommodation of participants in Cebu and Bohol will be dormitory type. The committee reserves the right to assign participants to their respective rooms.
10. Participants are expected to abide by the guidelines of the committee to avoid forfeiture of their participation in the cruise and camp.



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Project Duration: April 26 – 30, 2009

Venue: Cebu and Bohol

Participating Agencies/Groups:

Colegio San Agustin-Bifian, Ordizian Government in Spain, Urdaneta 500 Cebu Commission, Urdaneta 500 Philippine Commission, National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA), CBCP Permanent Committee for Cultural Heritage, Augustinians Province of Sto. Nino de Cebu, Basilica del Sto. Nino, Archdiocese of Cebu, RAFI Foundation, University of San Carlos,

Program of Activities:

April 26, 2009 (Sunday)

8:00 A.M.	On Board/Preliminaries/Orientation
10:00	Film/Teaser on the Life of Fray Urdaneta Opening Exhibit on the Life of Urdaneta (on Board) The exhibitions on board are materials prepared by Fr. Pedro Galende, OSA which will be set up in the ship and exhibited while on board to allow the participants and passengers to view the exhibit and know more about Fray Urdaneta.
2:00 P.M.	Presentation on the Cultural Heritage of Luzon
6:00	Mass
8:00	Acquaintance Party

April 27, 2009 (Monday)

7: 00 A.M.	Arrival in Cebu of Participants
8:00	Registration of Participants
9:30	Snacks
10: 00	Mass/Opening Ceremonies
1:30 P.M.	Preservation of the Cultural Heritage: the Young people as Stakeholders (Talk with Workshop) – Prof. Eric Zerrudo
3:00	Talk: "Urdaneta the Man, the Sailor, the Priest" by Fr. Pedro Galende, OSA



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4:30	Talk: "Urdaneta, the Sto. Niño, the Basilica del Sto. Niño and the Augustinians in the Philippines" by Fr. Amel Antonio S. Dizon, OSA
6:00	The Values of Fray Urdaneta as a Leader (Group Dynamics) facilitated by Mr. Rey Mariano This is a group dynamics activity that will allow the participants to know the traits of Fray Urdaneta as navigator and Prior of the Augustinian Friars and how he succeeded in his work. The activity will imbibe in the youth the character traits of Fray Urdaneta as a leader that will inspire and guide them on how to contribute for the good of the country and for the development of the world.
7:00	Dinner
8:30	Continuation of the Group Dynamics

April 28, 2009 Tuesday - (venue: Basilica del Sto. Niño and Sto. Niño Pilgrim Center, Cebu City)

10:00 A.M.	Holy Mass (Cardinal Vidal/Bishop Cortes)
11:30	Unveiling of the Historical Marker
12:00 N.N.	Lunch
1:30 P.M.	Cebu City Heritage Tour
4:00	Talk: Stewardship of the Environment
5:30	Re-enactment of the Arrival of Urdaneta, finding of the image, traditional Sinulog
8:30	Cultural Show of the Participants

April 29, 2009 (Wednesday)

The Bohol activities commemorates the arrival of Miguel Lopez de Legazpi and Fray Andres de Urdaneta, O.S.A. in Bohol, and the Blood Compact between Sikatuna and Miguel Lopez de Legazpi witnessed by Fray Andres de Urdaneta, O.S.A.



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8:00 A.M.	Leave Cebu (Supercat)
8:30	Documentary Film on Climate Change
10:00	Welcome Mass at the Baclayan Church
11:45	Lunch Cruise by Loay Coast and Loay River with a mini-lecture on board on: How Urdaneta and Legazpi's Fleet coasted along Bohol waters and stopped by Loay for food and supplies
2:00 P.M.	Visit to Loboc for a Brief Concert and Interaction with Loboc Children's Choir, Loboc Youth Choir, and Loboc Youth Band.
3:30	Visit to the Chocolate Hills
5:00	Short Stop in lodging place to freshen up and check in.
6:00	Visit to Maribojoc Punta Cruz Watchtower CLOSING CEREMONIES in front of the watchtower. Closing program of the URDANETA CRUISE AND CAMP will include among other things organized by the National Committee the following Bohol contribution: Welcome by Maribojoc Mayor Jun Evasco HISTORICAL PAGEANT THEATER: SANDUGO RE-ENACTMENT (15 minutes) And TAWAG SA BANTAYAN (20 minute re-enactment of the Historic reasons behind the building of the Punta Cruz Watchtower) DINNER AND FELLOWSHIP
10:00	Return to Hotel

April 30

Breakfast

Depart for Manila and other parts of the country

Enclosure No. 4 to DepED Memorandum No. 157, s. 2009

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REGISTRATION FORM

Name of Participants	Age	Nickname
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____
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9. _____	_____	_____
10. _____	_____	_____

Name of Contact Person: _____

Position in the Diocese/Parish/Institution: _____

Address: _____

Contact numbers: _____ Email: _____

Signature over printed name

Note: Please send a photocopy of each participant's valid identification card for travel ticketing purposes.