

Republic of the Philippines Department of Education **REGION IV-A CALABARZON CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION OF THE CITY OF TAYABAS**

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. ____ 218. s. 2021

SEARCH FOR HERITAGE TREES IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Chief Education Supervisors To: Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools **YES-O** Coordinators All Others Concerned

Relative to OUA Memo 00-0521-0133, this Office informs the field on the 1. Search for Heritage Trees in Public Schools which will be conducted by OUA through BLSS-YFD on June 16, 2021.

All eligible School Heads, Teaching and Non-teaching personnel may 2. participate in the said activity. Submission of entries is open until June 10, 2021 at blssyfd.ngp@gmail.com

Attached is OUA Memo for the needed requirements for the submission of 3. entries.

4. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

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OUA MEMO 00-0521-0133 MEMORANDUM 26 April 2021

> For: Regional Directors and BARMM Education Minister Schools Division Superintendents YES-O Coordinators (Region and Division) School Heads

Subject: SEARCH FOR HERITAGE TREES IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The Office of the Undersecretary for Administration (OUA) through the Bureau of Learner Support Services – Youth Formation Division (BLSS-YFD) will revive the accounting and inventory of heritage trees in all public schools nationwide to intensify the preservation of the country's biodiversity.

In this regard, the **Search for Heritage Trees in Public Schools** will be conducted on **16 June 2021** as part of the International Day for Biological Diversity. This year's theme is *We're part of the solution #ForNature*.

All eligible school heads as well as teaching and non-teaching personnel may participate in the said activity. The top 10 winners will receive a pair of shoes, laptop bag, and flash drive.

The following are the requirements for submission of entries:

- 1. selfie with the heritage tree (heritage tree refers to any healthy native or endemic, exotic, rare, threatened, and endangered tree with a minimum girth of five [5] meters);
- 2. picture of the tree itself;
- 3. certificate for the age of the tree from the local Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR); and
- 4. brief history of the tree (maximum of one page).

Kindly note that participants may submit their entries **until 10 June 2021** via blssyfd.ngp@gmail.com .





Office of the Undersecretary for Administration (OUA) [Administrative Service (AS), Information and Communications Technology Service (ICTS), Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS), Bureau of Learner Support For questions or concerns on this subject, please contact Mr. Adolf P. Aguilar, Chief of BLSS-YFD, through 0915 566 9717 or email at blss.yfd@deped.gov.ph .

For appropriate and immediate action.

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