



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

18 August 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. **558** s. 2026

**86th BIRTHDAY OF GIRL SCOUTS OF THE PHILIPPINES (GSP) FOUNDER
JOSEFA LLANES ESCODA AND 16TH LONG GREEN LINE**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Heads, Public & Private Elementary and Secondary Schools
Heads, Unit/Section
All Others Concerned

1. The Girl Scouts of the Philippines (GSP) Quezon Council, in coordination with City Schools Division of the City of Tayabas, informs the field of the forthcoming **86th Birthday of GSP Founder Josefa Llanes Escoda and the 16th Long Green Line** with the motto **Be Prepared** on **September 12, 2026**, at a venue to be announced on a separate Memorandum.

2. The activities aim to:

- a. Develop positive values, leadership, camaraderie and willingness to serve;
- b. Learn and develop skills in time of calamities and disasters;
- c. Strengthen their ability to live and work together as a patrol and become responsible young adults in the home, community and the nation; and
- d. Promote wellness, recreation, and camaraderie through meaningful and enjoyable activities.

3. In this connection, all public and private schools are encouraged to support the participation of their **registered girl scouts** in the said activities on a **voluntary basis**. School Heads shall ensure that all learners who will participate in these activities have submitted a parent / guardian consent form.

4. Participants shall observe the prescribed attire: **GSP T-shirt with logo / scarf** for Girl Scouts according to their respective age levels and **GSP Polo Shirt** for adult leaders.

5. Attached herewith are the parent consent form and letter from GSP Council Executive for more details on the said activities.
6. Attendance of teaching and non-teaching personnel shall be entitled to Service Credits or Compensatory Time-off (CTO) pursuant to the implementing rules and regulations on the grant of CTO and service credits.


CELEDONIO B. BALDERAS JR.
Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.: As stated

Reference: Letter Communication of GSP of Southern Luzon Region, Quezon Girl Scout Council

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

CELEBRATION
SCOUTING

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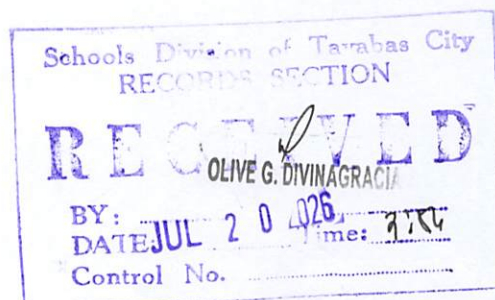


GIRL SCOUTS OF THE PHILIPPINES
Southern Luzon Region
Quezon Girl Scout Council

July 20, 2026

CELEDONIO B. BALDERAS, JR.

Schools Division Superintendent
Tayabas City Division &
GSP Council Commissioner for Administration
Brgy. Potol, Tayabas City



Dear Sir Balderas :

Greetings of Peace !

1. The Girl Scouts of the Philippines, Quezon Girl Scout Council would like to thank all districts for the generous support for the Fiscal Year July 2025 – June 2026 that mark a "Class A" Rank in the National Level
2. In this connection , we would like to invite our registered girl scouts for the forthcoming **86th Birthday of GSP Founder Josefa Llanes Escoda** and the **16th Long Green Line** on September 12, 2026 with the theme motto "**Be Prepared**".
3. The objectives of the said activities are the following:
 - 3.1. To develop positive values, leadership, camaraderie and willingness to serve;
 - 3.2. To learn and develop skills in time of calamities and disasters;
 - 3.3. Know how to live and work together as patrol and be responsible young adults in the home, the nation and in community.
 - 3.4. To do away with stress and depression brought by series of typhoons, flooding thus need to relax and enjoy the fun activities.
4. Here are the Guidelines fir the conduct of the activity in the district
 - 4.1.The District Field Advisor "DFA" should identify venues for Twinkler, Star , Junior, Senior and Cadet with proper coordination with the Public Schools District Supervisor and School Heads;
 - 4.2. The venue shall have space and internet for Film Viewing
 - 4.3. Only registered Girl Scouts will participate on a **Voluntary Basis with parent's permit .**
 - 4.4. Attire for the event : GSP T-shirt with Logo /Scarf per Age Level , GSP Polo Shirt for the adult
5. The GSP Council requests the grant of service credits for the teachers who will be attending the training per Dep Ed Order No. 53.s. 2003 entitled "Updated Guidelines on the Grant of Vacation Service Credits"
- 6.For further queries please contact your District/School Advisers
- 7.Attached also is the program of activities and parent consent form .
- 8.Thank you so much for your favorable approval.

Sincerely yours,

IMELDA V. CRUZ
Council Executive

NOTED & APPROVED :

CELEDONIO B. BALDERAS, JR.

Schools Division Superintendent
Tayabas City Division &
GSP Council Commissioner for Administration

PROGRAM OF ACITIVITIES

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| 7:00 a.m.- 8:30 a.m. | - | Registration and Opening Ceremony
ESCODA DAY Ceremony |
| 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - | | BASE 1 (Per Age Level) - Challenge of Preparedness |
| 10:00 a.m. | - | Break for Snack |
| 10:15 a.m. | - | BASE 2 (Per Age Level) -Challenge of the Arts |
| 12:00 noon | - | L U N C H break |
| 1:30 p.m. | - | BASE 3 (Per Age Level) - Challenge of Family Life
Film Viewing " Anne " |
| 3:30 a.m. | - | Distribution of Bagdework Form and Certificate |

RESOURCES/ TRAINERS/ FACILITATORS

- ✓ **Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office**
- ✓ **Municipal/ District Doctors and Nurses**
- ✓ **Trainers/ Troop Leaders**
- ✓ **Bureau of Fire Protection**
- ✓ **Philippine Karate Do/ Taewando**

PARENTS' CONSENT FORM

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN :

This is to permit my daughter (Name)_____ to
Participate in 86th Escoda Day & 16th Long Green Line on September 12, 2026 at
_____.

We will not hold the Girl Scouts of the Philippines responsible for any untoward incidents that any
happen beyond their control.

Parents Signature

Date

Noted : _____
Troop Leader

Endorsed : _____
Principal

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Public Schools District Supervisor

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