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Attached is Regional Advisory No. 74, s. 2023 dated April 18, 2023 relative to the Philippine Society of Youth Science Clubs, Inc.-Regional Council VI (PSYSC-RCVI) conduct of Pagpalapnag: Regional Science Fair on May 13, 2023 from 8:00 AM. To 5:00 P.M. at Philippine Science High School - Western Visayas Campus.

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The Schools Division Superintendents are given discretion to act on this matter.

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Dear Majam:

April 9, 2023

Greetings from the Philippine Society of Youth Science Clubs Regional Council VI (PSYSC-RCVI)!

We are pleased to inform you that PSYSC-RCVI, together with its Regional Council Assistance Team (RCAT), will be hosting Pagpalapnag: Regional Science Fair on May 13, 2023 at Philippine Science High School - Western Visayas Campus from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. There will also be a subevent of skywatching activity, which is limited to 100 slots only from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM. This event aims to provide a platform for high school students to showcase their scientific knowledge and skills through presentations, booths, and workshops.

As we strive to reach out to as many students as possible, we kindly request your support in endorsing this activity to the different secondary schools under your division. With your approval and dissemination of this request, we hope to provide more students with an opportunity to learn and explore science. Each school may send up to 15 high school students to participate in the fair, and slots will be given on a first-come, first-served basis.

Please note that participation in this activity is voluntary. For those who will avail the meal and snacks, there will be a preorder fee of 150 pesos to be collected from each high school student. This would include one meal (lunch) and two snacks. For confirmed participants of the skywatching activity, the fee would be 250 pesos to cover two meals (lunch and dinner) and two snacks.





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Hannah Emmanuelle Montelijao Public Information Officer We believe that youth-initiated projects like this can help produce competent, committed leaders, and nation-builders for the future. With your help, we can make this event a success and inspire more young minds to pursue science.

Thank you for your kind consideration and support. We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

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Noted by:

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(May 13, 2023)

1. Name of Activity

The official name of the regional science fair is Pagpalapnag. Pagpalapnag is a Hiligaynon word that means 'to spread' to everyone.

2. Date and Venue of the Activity

The science fair will be held on May 13, 2023 from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM at Philippine Science High School Western Visayas Campus. The skywatching activity will be held from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM on school grounds.

3. Project Partner(s)

Iloilo National High School, University of the Philippines High School in Iloilo, and PAREF Westbridge School, Inc.

4. Event's Philosophy

Pagpalapnag will be PSYSC Regional Council VI's milestone project in its return to in-person events. The philosophy behind the event is rooted in the need to emphasize scientific principles and current events in astronomy that promotes the Public Understanding of Science, Technology, and the Environment (PUSTE) which is the thrust of PSYSC.

5. Project Objectives

Pagpalapnag has four (4) main objectives that aim to to further engage, showcase, and promote the Public Understanding of Science, Technology, and the Environment (PUSTE) to high school students. The objectives are as follows:

- (i) To mobilize young participants (high school students) from different schools in Region VI;
- (ii) To invite at least two schools in every province (6 provinces) in Region VI with a maximum of 15 students per high school
- (iii) To attain at most 300 participants from the invited schools to participate in the talks, booths, workshops/exhibits, and planetarium viewing offered by the fair; and
- (iv) To gain at least 60% satisfaction rate from school and organizational partnerships to increase coverage and visibility of the endeavors of PSYSC in Region VI.

6. Presenters

For the morning session, there will be a keynote talk about modern astronomy & astrophysics. The talk will be hosted by an invited speaker with an open forum afterwards to entertain the questions that the audience might have. The student-initiated activities to be held during the afternoon session will be simultaneously presented by SiKLAB (PSHS WVC's Science Club) & PSYSC's Regional Council Assistance Team for Region VI. Students from outside PSHS-WVC will be participating in a science booth, workshop, and planetarium viewing carousel, while students from PSHS-WVC will be participating in the Physics Olympics.



7. Target Participants

The target participants are composed of 300 high school students. The skywatching activity will only accommodate 100 slots from those 300 students, provided that they have the means of transportation in going home, since it will not be an overnight event. Student participants are expected to be comfortable attire but with uniformity to the school's delegation. They should also wear their respective school identification cards. Participants should be from as many schools as possible throughout the province. If possible, the number of boys and girls should be balanced. Participants should all pre-register, and no walk-ins will be allowed.

8. Program Format

Pagpalapnag has three subevents which are the Papelympics, Constellation of Stars that consists of booths, workshops, and planetarium viewing, and Skywatching Activity. Participants should submit their consent forms along with the registration form.

- (a) Papelympics Open only for PSHS-WVC Grade 7-10 students
- (b) Constellation of Stars Open for at most 300 junior and senior high participants, with a maximum of 15 participants per school
- (c) Skywatching Activity
 - Open for at most 100 junior and senior high participants from those 300 participants, with a maximum of 10 participants per school
 - provided that they have the means of transportation going home, since this will NOT be an overnight event

9. Participation and Participation Fee

Participation in the activity is free. For those who will avail meal pre-orders, there will be a registration fee of the following:

Type of Registration	Inclusions	Price
For science fair [paid individually]	Lunch and 2 snacks	150.00 Pesos
For Fair + Skywatching Activity participants	Lunch, dinner, and 2 snacks	250.00 Pesos

10. Program Sequence

Time	Event
8:00 - 8:30 AM	Registration and Admission of Participants into



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	the New Auditorium
8:30 - 8:45 AM	Opening Ceremonies National Anthem Prayer Welcoming Address - PSYSC Opening Remarks - PSHS-WVC OCD House Rules
8:45 - 8:55 AM	Intermission Number
8:55 - 9:00 AM	Introduction of the Keynote Speaker
9:00 - 10:30 AM	Talk
10:30 - 11:00 AM	Open Forum
11:00 - 11:05 AM	Presentation of Certificates to the Speaker
11:05 - 11:10 AM	Picture Taking
11:10 - 11:30 AM	General Reminders
11:30 AM- 12:30 PM	LUNCH BREAK
12:30 - 1:00 PM	Waiting Time
1:00 - 1:05 PM	Quick Kumustahan
1:05 - 1:15 PM	Ice breakers
1:15 - 1:20 PM	Instructions for the Workshops
1:20 - 1:30 PM	Picture Taking with the participants
1:30 - 4:30 PM	Simultaenous Events Science Booths, Workshops, and Planetarium Viewing Carousel (Non-Pisay) Physics Olympics Competition (Pisay)



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Connection Across the Stars

4:30 - 5:00 PM	Closing Dinner Additional event: Skywatching Activity limited to 100 slots only	
5:00 - 6:00 PM		
6:00 PM - 10:00 PM		

11. Registration Flow

Applying and filling out the posted registration forms on Facebook or Instagram. Included in the forms are the fair registration, food accommodation, and optional purchases such as dinner skywatching activity, and the event shirt.

The participant will receive a confirmation email for the registration. The email will contain the registration information, payment information, and accompanying activities for the event. A google form link will be attached for the payment details and total amount to be payed.

Note: Skywatching slots are not guaranteed and are limited to the first 100 participants. The email will contain if the registrant has been provided a slot for the skywatching activity.

Paying the food preorder fees to the Geash Bank account of the council. You may use another account to pay as long as the name of the participant's is are indicated in the Notes section.

Sending and uploading the official receipt or proof of payment on the Proof of Payment on the Payment Google form.

A confirmation email would then be sent to the participant once the council has received the payment. The even primer and activity details of the event will be included within the email and further details would soon follow.

12. Issuance of Certificates

Event	A Certificate of Participation is given to the participants via their email, after it is confirmed by their facilitator that they have attended the event and answered the evaluation form.	
Papelympics		
	A Certificate of Recognition is given to the Champion, 1st	



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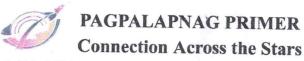
	Runner Up, and the 2nd Runner Up after deliberation by a panel of judges for the event.
Constellation of Stars	A <u>Certificate of Participation</u> is given to the participants via their email, after it is confirmed by their facilitator that they have attended the event and answered the evaluation form.
Skywatching Activity	A <u>Certificate of Participation</u> is given to the participants via their email, after it is confirmed by their facilitator that they have attended the event and answered the evaluation form.

13. Important Reminders

(a) Important Dates

Date	Target Activity	
April 15, 2023	Opening of Registration	
May 6, 2023	End of Registration	
May 10, 2023	Sending of Reminders and Participant Handbook	
May 13, 2023	Event Day	

- (b) Registration Link
 - https://tinyurl.com/PagpalapnagRegistrationForm
- (c) Contact Us
- FB: https://www.facebook.com/psvsc.rcvi
- IG: https://www.instagram.com/psysc.rcvi
- Email: psysc.rcvi@gmail.com
- 14. Provisions by Philippine Science High School
 - a. New auditorium for plenary sessions
 - a.1. Usage of lights & air conditioning
 - b. School Grounds for workshops, booths, and planetarium viewing
 - b.1 Usage of electricity
 - c. Parking area of vehicles
 - d. Additional staff for security and emergency response
- 15. Responsibilities of PSYSC and SiKLAB
 - a. prepare the venue prior to the event
 - b. comply with pre-event requirements



- c. uphold the PSHS Code of Conduct at all times
- d. bring personal medicines and first aid kit
- e. take note of personal safety
- f. hydrate one's self at all times
- g. report any suspected persons who might jeopardize the conduct of the event
- h. bring water receptacles for either hot and cold water

16. Other Matters

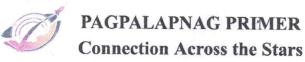
- a. On Health and Wellness
 - a.1 Certified first aiders will be provided to assist those who are in need.
 - a.2 A dedicated lobby area is provided for those who need to rest for a while.
- b. b. Safety Measures
 - b.1 Participants will be ushered.
 - b.2 Display of evacuation route in case of emergency will be provided.
 - b.3 Two security guards will provide additional security.

17. Supervisors and/or Teacher Chaperones

- a. PSYSC Regional Council VI Adviser Dr. Angel Olvido;
- b. Physics Faculty of PSHSWVC

18. Expectations from Participants (to be communicated)

- a. Arrive on-time at the school's pre-registered schedule.
- b. Bring water tumblers and snacks.
- c. Be in comfortable clothes but uniform with the school or district's delegation.
- d. Must pre-register. Attendance sheet must be filled out and signed before entering the venue.
- e. Wear school identification card while inside the campus



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