DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 37 s. 2018

TO : Chiefs, CID & SGOD
     Education Program Supervisors
     Public Schools District Supervisors
     Elementary and Secondary School Heads
     All concerned

FROM : SOCORRO V. DELA ROSA, CESO VI
       Schools Division Superintendent

Subject : 10-DAY NATIONAL SUMMER CAMP FOR SPECIAL CHILDREN

DATE : February 14, 2018

1. Pursuant to Republic Act 7277 (Magna Carta for Disabled Persons), the state established Special Education Program recognizing the distinct needs of our differently-abled learners and in the effort to make our education inclusive. Along with this mandate, the Guided and Unified Interaction for the Development of Children (GUIDE), Inc., a non-stock-non-profitable organization, in coordination with DepEd, SDO-Catanduanes, will be conducting the 10-Day National Summer Camp for Special Children—"Gabayan 2018" on April 13-22, 2018 at JMAMES SPED Center, Lanao, Virac, Catanduanes.

2. This 10-day summer camp aims to enhance Learners with Special Needs’ (LSENs’) self-esteem to develop social and self-help skills, and promote fun among LSENs.

3. In this regard, Learners with Special Needs (LSENs) of the different schools of this division are encouraged to attend this worthwhile summer undertaking. GUIDE, Inc. will take care of the LSENs’ needs for ten days like food and transportation. However, other needs such as: toiletries, eating paraphernalia, beddings, clothing for ten days and other personal belongings shall be provided by the parents. If there is a need, please include medicines for their medication and the schedule of its intake.

4. Parents or teachers shall accompany the LSENs only at the start of the summer camp. Trained volunteers will be assigned to handle the children, however, parents and teachers may have the chance to visit on scheduled dates. Travel expenses of chaperons of LSENs shall be personal.

5. Enclosed herewith is the Parent’s Consent Template to be accomplished by each participant in one copy only.

6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is highly desired.
PARENT'S/INSTITUTION'S CONSENT

Having understood the objectives of Gabayan 2018 initiated and sponsored by GUIDE, Inc, in partnership with Department of education, Schools Division Office of Catanduanes, we are allowing our ward/son/daughter _______________ to join and to participate in the ten-day summer camp. We trust GUIDE, Inc. to take care and to look after the needs of our ward/son/daughter while in their custody. We will not hold GUIDE, Inc. responsible should there be any untoward incident that will happen beyond their control.

Father’s Signature Over Printed Name
Date: ____________________________

Mother’s Signature Over Printed Name
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