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SCHOOLS DIVISION OF VIGAN CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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**2026 NATIONAL TEACHERS' MONTH AND WORLD TEACHERS' DAY
CELEBRATION**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisor (CID and SGOD)
All Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Other Concerned

1. The Schools Division of Vigan City shall join the observance of **National Teachers' Month from September 5 to October 5, 2026**, and **World Teachers' Day/National Teachers' Day on October 5, 2026**, with the theme "**Teacher, Ikaw Naman.**".

2. In this connection, various activities shall be conducted throughout the month, including teacher appreciation and learner-led tributes, digital campaigns, bloodletting, the Search for Most Outstanding Teacher and Non-Teaching Personnel, and other related activities.

3. The **Division Culminating Celebration** shall be held on **October 6, 2026**, at the **Vigan Convention Center**, featuring a Thanksgiving Mass, recognition of personnel and awardees, *Teacher, Ikaw Naman in Concert*, and fellowship activities.

4. Further, all schools are encouraged to conduct **simple, meaningful, and appropriate activities** to honor and appreciate teachers and personnel on the **morning of October 6, 2026**. Schools may opt to conduct their appreciation activities on **October 5, 2026**, provided that these shall **not disrupt regular classes**. Activities may be conducted **after class hours**.

5. The attire for the morning program on October 6 shall be **Sunday's best dress** for the attendees and **Filipiñana** for the awardees. **Hawaiian attire** shall be observed as the dress code in the afternoon for the culminating celebration.

6. Please refer to the following Enclosures for other details for the celebration:

Enclosure 1 - Activity Matrix

Enclosure 2 - Culminating Activity

Enclosure 3 - Working Committees

Enclosure 4 - Sample Dress Code for Hawaiian Attire

4. For information and immediate dissemination.



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Enclosure 1

ACTIVITY MATRIX

*Month-long National Teachers' Month Celebration
 September 5- October 6, 2026*

ACTIVITY	DATE	HIGHLIGHTS / OUTPUT	PERSON/UNIT IN-CHARGE	VENUE
Project Golden Hands Caravan	Sept. 2026	Retain the existing service-oriented activity; feature teacher/community volunteerism and practical support initiatives.	DRRM	SDO / Selected Schools
Dugo para sa Guro at Bayan: Bloodletting Activity	Sept. 14	Blood donation drive with partner health agencies; recognize teacher and stakeholder donors.	HNU	SDO / Identified Venue
Teaching with Heart: 60-Second Teacher Stories	Sept. 5–30	Retain inspirational teacher videos; publish short stories of impact, innovation, sacrifice and joy in teaching.	SGOD / Admin	Official Social Media
Voices of Gratitude: NTM Greetings	Sept. 5–Oct. 5	Retain greetings from notable personalities, alumni, learners, parents and stakeholders; release as a coordinated digital series.	SGOD / Admin	Official Social Media
Search for Most Outstanding Teacher and Non-Teaching Personnel	Sept. 2026	Retain paper evaluation, validation, deliberation and interview under PRAISE; awardees recognized on October 6.	PRAISE	SDO



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"One School, One Thank- You" Learner Tribute	Sept. 28–Oct. 2	Each school creates one collective learner-led tribute (song, spoken word, video, mural, letters, or mini-program) with no mandatory collection.	School Heads / Learner Gov't	All Schools
Teacher Appreciation Day in Schools	Oct. 6	Simultaneous simple school-based recognition aligned with National Teachers' Day/World Teachers' Day.	School Heads / PTA / SSG- SELG	All Schools
Division Culminating Celebration	Oct. 6	Thanksgiving Mass and formal awards in the morning; fellowship, Teachers, Ikaw Naman in Concert, games, raffle and social night in the evening.	Overall Working Committees	Vigan Convention Center



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Enclosure 2

CULMINATING ACTIVITY MATRIX

Venue: Vigan Convention Center | Morning: Thanksgiving and Recognition |
 Teacher, Ikaw Naman in Concert and Awarding
 October 6, 2026

TIME	ACTIVITY	KEY DETAILS	LEAD COMMITTEE
6:30–7:30 AM	Registration / Arrival of Personnel and Guests	Registration, ushering, ambient teacher tribute videos	Secretariat / Ushering / TWG
7:30–8:30 AM	Thanksgiving Mass	Mass proper; prayer for teachers; offertory	Liturgy Committee
8:30–10:00 AM	Tribute to Retirees, Personnel and Loyalty Awardees	National Anthem; opening remarks; message from SDS / guest	Program Committee
		AVP tribute; presentation of tokens/certificates	PRAISE / HR/Admin
10:00 AM – 12:00NN	School level Celebration	Schools may opt to celebrate on October 5. However, classes should not be disrupted. Activities may be done after office hours.	Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
12:00–1:00 PM	Break / Venue Reset	Technical Rehearsal	Logistics / Technical / Decor
1:00–2:00 PM	Registration and Arrival	Lei welcome, school/team photos, light snacks	Reception /TWG
2:00–2:20 PM	Opening Ceremony	Invocation; welcome; ceremonial	Program Committee
2:20–4:00 PM	Teachers, Ikaw Naman in Concert	Guest/Performer Invited	Program Committee
	Awarding of Most Outstanding Teaching and Non-Teaching Personnel		
4:00–6:00 PM	Grand Raffle & Appreciation Moment	Major/grand raffle prizes; “Salamat, Guro!” closing AVP	Raffle / Program Committee



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Enclosure 3

FOCAL PERSONS AND MEMBERS FOR WORKING COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE	Focal Person	Assistant Focal Person	Members
Overall Chairperson	Rodrigo Reyes Jr.		
Evaluation of Papers for Most Outstanding SDO Vigan City Personnel 2026	PRAISE COMMITTEE		
Printing of Certificates & Preparation of Collaterals (Tokens, Plaques etc), Approval of the Certificate	Aurelyn Fieldad	Aphrodite Hope Martinez Greatest Yeng Molina	Peter John A. Frial Ruth Ramos Christopher Padua
Video and Production, Flash-out Slides, Social Media, Set-up & Documentation	Eric L. Tapat	Aldrich Quiocho	Cherry Joy Garma Lloyd P. Ancheta Allan Barrientos
Communication (Preparation of Memos, Invitations, Solicitation Letters and Program) Ways and Means, Solicitation,	Susiemar M. Rapisura	Sherelyn Riodil Katrine Anne Arce Remalyn Ilanes Ma. Bernadette Sarmiento	Racquel Follante Nenita Alviar Laurie Angela M. Agati Milagros Paz Winston Pila Rosjayne Mey P. Gandeza Ferdinand Flores Lloyd Ancheta
Raffle & Logistics	Christopher Michael Gazmen	Aurelyn Fieldad Michael Gelacio	Accounting Personnel <i>Electronic Raffle c/o ITO</i>
Food and Drinks	Gloria P. Cabotaje Elsie Amarin	Mary Joy Suero Felipa Regaspi	Jayson Domingo Dianne Frio Cherry Lyn P. Marcos Grace Nemedez Jackielyn Fernandez Genius Asper Angelene Itchon Vanessa Sinogo Nestor Pascua Jaypaul Pilor Robert Pastor Herman Arruejo Reclusado, Gloaida



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			Taberna, Ma. Angelica Purisima, Onemig Segui, Naira Abigail Raboy, Mark Jason Catura, Krystel Elaine Marie Rafanan, Oiner Rigos, Jessica Quario, Reginal Ramos, Ma. Cristina Emely Aguimbag, Dennis Alinio, Charmaine Piano, Jessa Mae Formoso, Grace Gascon, Nicole Rabbon, Lailanie Rafanan, Janine Lampote, Gemalyn Arce, Katrine Ann Ricotoso, Mark Linn Nebab, Alma Inamorata
"2026 WORLD TEACHERS' DAY KONGSIYERTO PARA SA MGA GURO!" & Reception and Program Flow & Direction	Cherry Joy Garma	Atty. Kim Tagorda Alimar Ablog	Vincent Jude Rosales Carlo Jigg Portugal Raymart Quedado Janne Armie Adriatico Aphrodite Hope Martinez Division Usher & Usherette
Stage Decoration & Physical and Floor Set-up	Rommel R. Rabo Ben John Lazo Sherwin Fabre	Peter John Frial Edgar Pescador Alimar Ablog	Dennis L. Suero Nestor R. Pascua Herman Arruejo Reyna Tajon Jay Paul B. Pilor Reynabel Amin
Mass	Clarito Siababa	Racquel Follante Amelyn Abella	Gloria P. Cabotaje Lloyd P. Ancheta Nelson Robinol Elsie C. Amarin Vivian Camello Christopher Emmanuel Arenas ISNHS-EsP Department



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Health and Wellness (Medics)	Dr. Arlyn D. Batulan	Laurie Angela M. Agati	Maria Korynne P. Taborda Charmaine T. Antiporda Ericha S. Baja Cherry Lyn P. Marcos
Project Golden Hands	Raymart Quedado		SGOD Personnel SDRRM Coordinators
Clean up Committee	Daisy Ancheta	Pelagio Cardenas Ferdinand Flores	SGOD Personnel Carlo Jigg Portugal Cherry lyn Marcos Vincent Jude Rosales Winston Pila Herman Arruejo Mary Grace R. Nemedez Jay Paul B. Pilor Reynabel Amin Dennis L. Suero Nestor R. Pascua Herman Arruejo Robert Pastor Jayson Domingo



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Enclosure 4 – Sample Hawaiian Attire

Hawaiian Dress Sample - Female





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Hawaiian Dress Sample – Male

