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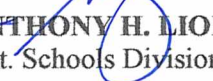
**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 86, s. 2017

**119<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Proclamation of Philippine Independence**  
**(ACTIVITIES)**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief, CID and SGOD  
Public School District Supervisors  
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 48, s. 2017 Conduct of National Observances and Commemorations of Historical Events and Activities, the 119<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Proclamation of Independence will be commemorated from May 28 to June 30, 2017 with the theme “Kalayaan 2017: Pagbabagong Sama – samang Balikatin”.
2. This year’s celebration aims to:
  - a. commemorate the heroism, patriotism, and self-sacrifice of the forefathers in the struggle of independence;
  - b. instill in the hearts and minds of the youth the greatness of the Filipino race, the legacy of their national heroes, and ideals of their nationhood; and
  - c. show unity and strength during challenging times.
3. To commemorate this occasion, and to observe the National Flag Day, the following activities are suggested to be undertaken by the different schools and learning center in our division:
  - a. Display and raise Flag from May 18 to June 30, 2017;
  - b. Military and Civic Parade;
  - c. Flag reverence and advocacy activities;
  - d. Cultural presentations;
  - e. Classroom Discussions;
  - f. Conduct of simple campus program; and
  - g. Putting up of bulletin boards.
4. In order to document the conduct of the said activities, schools and learning centers shall post photos of the event in the division office official social media account using the following hashtags:
  - a. #kalayaan2017
  - b. #depedNIR
  - c. #strongertogether
5. For more information and guidance in the conduct of this activity, please download DepEd Memorandum No. 91, s.2017.
6. Immediate and widest dissemination of this memorandum is highly desired.

  
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