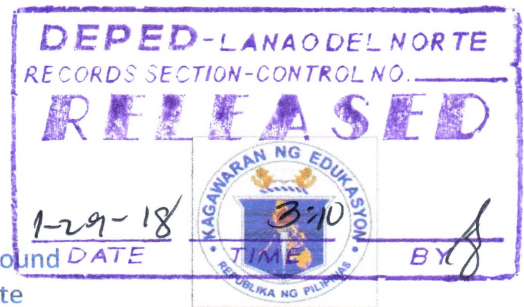




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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 51 s. 2018

To: Office of the Schools Division Superintendent (OSDS) Personnel
Curriculum Implementation Division (CID) Personnel
Schools Governance & Operations Division (SGOD) Personnel
School Heads, Elementary & Secondary Schools
Teaching and Non-Teaching Personnel
This Division

From:  **ROY ANGELO E. GAZO**
Schools Division Superintendent

Date: January 29, 2018

Subject: "BE A MARANAO" EVERY FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH

1. For a number of years now, the Division of Lanao del Norte implements peace initiatives instrumental in putting in place school-based peace programs that continuously nurture learners' appreciation of others' culture. To be a Maranao can be depicted by speaking the Meranao language; practicing the songs, rituals and dances, and wearing of Maranao attire.
2. To further champion solidarity and brotherhood with the natives in this province thereby promoting peace and oneness amidst cultural diversity, this Office hereby encourages all Division personnel to wear a Maranao attire and to speak the Meranao language **every first Monday of the month** effective February 5, 2018. Moreover, Maranao practices shall be properly observed during programs and gatherings.
3. The wearing of the Muslim attire by non-Muslims is an expression of camaraderie that is hoped to foster better understanding and relationships especially at the workplace.
4. Immediate dissemination and compliance of this Division Memorandum by all concerned is desired.