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Department of Education
CARAGA REGION

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

**NATIONAL NUTRITION COUNCIL CARAGA: 52ND NUTRITION
MONTH CELEBRATION**

1. This Office disseminates the attached invitation of the National Nutrition Council (NNC) Caraga dated June 28, 2026, regarding the 52nd Nutrition Month Celebration, together with the schedule of regional activities for the 2026 Nutrition Month.
2. These activities aim to promote greater awareness of the importance of proper nutrition, healthy eating habits, and active lifestyles among learners, school personnel, parents, and other stakeholders.
3. The following is the schedule of activities for your guidance and reference:

Activity	Schedule	Venue/Platform	Target Participants
Nutri-Caravan	July 2026	Barangay Baan KM 3, Butuan City	Regional Nutrition Committee members, Regional Nutrition Technical Working Group members, partner agencies, and stakeholders
Nutrition Month Thematic Talk on the Air	July 13–16, 2026	Community Nutriskwela Radio Stations	General public and partner organizations
Nutri-Games (Online Quiz)	Whole month of July 2026	NNC Caraga Facebook Page	Open to all
Regional Nutri-Poster Contest	Submission deadline: July 16, 2026	NNC Caraga	Youth aged 12–18 years old
Nutrition Month Culmination and Awarding Ceremony	July 27, 2026	Caraga State University, Butuan City	RLAs, LGUs, partners, and awardees



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4. The official branding and advocacy materials may be accessed through the following links:

- NNC Official Website: <https://nnc.gov.ph/>
- 2026 National Nutrition Month Campaign Page: <https://nnc.gov.ph/2026-national-nutrition-month/>

5. For inquiries, please contact Ms. Melody Lou B. Villaplaza-SBFP Technical Assistant, Education Support Service Division, at melodylou.villaplaza@gmail.com or 09705364602.

6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum to all concerned is desired.

ALLAN G. FARNAZO

Director IV

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June 28, 2026

DIR. ALLAN G. FARNAZO

Member, Regional Nutrition Committee
Director IV, Department of Education (DepEd) Caraga

Dear **Director Farnazo**:

Greetings from the National Nutrition Council (NNC) Caraga!

Presidential Decree No. 491, otherwise known as the Nutrition Act of the Philippines, declares the month of July as Nutrition Month and mandates the National Nutrition Council to lead the nationwide campaign.

The 2026 Nutrition Month celebration carries the theme, “Nutrisyon at Kalikasan, Ating Pangalagaan.” The theme underscores the vital role of environmental protection and climate-smart practices in promoting sustainable food systems and ensuring proper nutrition for all. This year's celebration is aligned with the overarching theme for 2024–2028, “Sa PPAN: Sama-Sama sa Nutrisyong Sapat Para sa Lahat!”, and supports the implementation of the Philippine Plan of Action for Nutrition (PPAN) 2023–2028.

In line with this, we are pleased to invite your agency to actively participate in the month-long celebration of the 52nd Nutrition Month in the Caraga Region through the various activities organized by the NNC Caraga.

The schedule of activities is as follows:

Activity	Schedule	Venue/Platform	Target Participants
52nd Regional Nutrition Month Launching and Nutri-Parade	July 6, 2026	Cong. Jose S. Aquino II Multipurpose Building, Butuan City Sports Complex	Regional Nutrition Committee members, Regional Nutrition Technical Working Group members, partner agencies, and stakeholders
Nutri-Caravan	July 2026	Barangay Baan KM 3, Butuan City	Regional Nutrition Committee members, Regional Nutrition Technical Working Group members, partner agencies, and stakeholders
Nutri-Zumba	July 7, 2026	Event Center, 3rd Floor, SM Butuan City	Regional Nutrition Committee members, Regional Nutrition Technical Working Group members, partner agencies, and stakeholders

“Nutrisyong Sapat, Para Sa Lahat!”

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Fruit-Bearing Tree Planting Activity	July 8, 2026	Agusan del Norte	Regional Nutrition Committee members, Regional Nutrition Technical Working Group members, partner agencies, and stakeholders
Cooking Contest: "Lutong BNS sa Caraga"	July 14, 2026	Agusan del Norte Capitol Covered Court, Butuan City	Barangay Nutrition Scholars and invited guests
Nutrition Month Webinar	July 13, 2026	Zoom and NNC Caraga Facebook Live	Regional Nutrition Committee members, Regional Nutrition Technical Working Group members, partner agencies, stakeholders, and general public
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As a **Member of the Regional Nutrition Committee**, we respectfully request the support of your office through the following:

1. We respectfully request the Members of the Regional Nutrition Committee (Regional Directors and Heads of Offices) to prepare and submit a **30–60-second video message of support** for the **52nd Nutrition Month Celebration**. The video message will serve as an expression of your agency's commitment to promoting this year's Nutrition Month campaign and its advocacy for nutrition and environmental sustainability.
2. In support of the **Nutri-Caravan**, we encourage your agency to actively participate by providing services, technical assistance, Information, Education, and Communication



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(IEC) materials, or other interventions aligned with your agency's mandate. Participating agencies may contribute by setting up service booths, conducting lectures or demonstrations, disseminating nutrition-, health-, and environment-related information, distributing advocacy materials, and delivering programs and services that promote food and nutrition security, environmental sustainability, climate-smart practices, healthy lifestyles, and community well-being.

To facilitate planning and coordination, we kindly request your office to designate a focal person who will coordinate with the NNC Caraga Secretariat regarding your agency's proposed services and participation in the Nutri-Caravan.

Further, the National Nutrition Council has released the official **Branding Guide and Advocacy Materials** for the **52nd National Nutrition Month Celebration**. We encourage all partner agencies and stakeholders to utilize the official campaign logos, social media cards, posters, and other advocacy materials to ensure consistent messaging and strengthen public awareness of this year's campaign.

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We kindly request confirmation of your office's participation, the submission of the names of your designated representatives, and the contact details of your focal person to facilitate coordination and logistical arrangements.

Further details regarding the mechanics, registration links, specific venues, and the final program flow shall be communicated by the NNC Caraga Secretariat through separate advisories.

Should you require further information or clarification, you may coordinate with **Nutrition Officer II Ms. Mae C. Ramoco, RND**, through mobile number **0993-371-7903** or via email at **nnccaraga@gmail.com**.

We look forward to your continued support and active participation in the successful celebration of the 2026 Nutrition Month in the Caraga Region.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

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