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TO: HEADS OF ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS/ PUBLIC LIBRARIES/ SCHOOL AND SCHOOL LIBRARIES AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT: 34th Library Information Services (LIS) Month Celebration

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To promote all the LISM activities all Library Information Science students and professionals with all the Public Libraries are encouraged to join all the nationwide activities.

- **OPENING CEREMONIES** on November 4, 2024, 10:00 AM, Venue: NLP Auditorium and live via NLP Facebook page (fb.com/nlp1887)
- **CLOSING AND AWARDING CEREMONIES** on November 29, 2024, 10:00 AM, Venue: NLP Auditorium and live via NLP Facebook page (fb.com/nlp1887)

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

ACTIVITY	TARGET DATE
Young Tale Tellers (Storytelling for Kids)	Until October 25, 2024
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LibVOCACY in Practice: Empowering Libraries through Institutional Initiatives and FOI	November 6, 2024
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Search 'n Snap: The Library Hunt	November 4 - 29, 2024
LISM Exhibit	November 4 - 29, 2024

For complete contest mechanics and guidelines, please visit the LISM website at <https://web.nlp.gov.ph/lism2024/> or web.nlp.gov.ph for announcements and other details. Also, please refer to the attached program for virtual launching, opening, and closing ceremonies.

If you have any concerns or clarifications, please feel free to contact:

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26 September 2024

HON. JOCELYN DR. ANDAYA
Director IV
Department of Education - National Capital Region
Misamis St., Bago Bantay, Quezon City

Dear **Director Andaya**:

Greetings from the National Library of the Philippines (NLP)!

We are writing about the celebration of the 34th Library and Information Services Month (LISM,) which is celebrated annually during November under Presidential Proclamation No. 837 series of 1991, which declares the entire month of November as LIS Month. This year, the theme for the 34th LISM celebration "LibVOCACY: Unity towards Inclusive and Empowered Libraries" reflects a commitment to advocacy, inclusivity, and empowerment within the library community. It underscores libraries' essential role in fostering a united front for equitable access to information and resources for all individuals.

In this regard, the NLP would like to humbly request the **Department of Education** (DepEd) to issue a memorandum circular to all Schools and School Libraries in line with the 2024 LISM Celebration. Likewise, the NLP requests a PDF copy of the notice or circular on or before **October 11, 2024**, for documentation purposes. Please see the attached LISM Kit for your reference.

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Thank you, and we are looking forward to this valuable partnership!

Very truly yours,

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Director IV
Honorary Chairperson, LISM 2024