

Advisory No. 53 s. 2026

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NATIONAL ROBOTICS COMPETITION (NRC2025)

Attached is the letter from Mr. Melvin R. Matulac, Founder of Pinoy Robot Games on the participation in the different activities of the National Robotics Robotics Competition (NRC) 2026.

The National Robotics Competition will be held in several locations. Create, Invent and Innovate robots for this year's themes:

- Road to Zero Waste (for all venues), and
- Disaster Prevention and Mitigation (for NRC Luzon and Online only).

Participation of learners and teachers from both public and private schools in this activity is voluntary, subject to compliance with DepEd Order No. 66 s. 2017 titled *"Implementing Guidelines on the Conduct of Off-Campus Activities,"* DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled *"Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith,"* and DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2026 titled *"Guidelines on the Implementation of the Three-Term School Calendar in Basic Education."* Furthermore, this activity shall observe the no-collection policy in accordance with Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546, *An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and/or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges and Universities.*

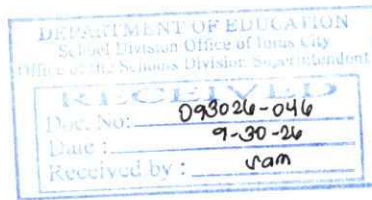
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Dear Sir Palomar:

Greetings from Pinoy Robot Games!

We would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude for your support of last year's **National Robotics Competition (NRC2025)**. You can find the detailed NRC2025 report here: bit.ly/NRC2025-report.

It is with great enthusiasm that we invite your division to this year's **National Robotics Competition (NRC) 2026**. With the collaboration of a few regions and generous hosts, we will have competitions in several locations.

EVENT	TARGET DATE	HOST and TARGET VENUE
NRC - Luzon	December 12, 2026	DMMMSU, San Fernando, La Union
NRC - Visayas (concluded)	September 19, 2026 (concluded)	NOLITC Campus, Talisay City, Negros Occidental
NRC - Mindanao	None this year	None this year
NRC - Virtual	November 7, 2026	Online / Virtual

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Start preparing and practicing. You may improve previous projects. Be this year's best young scientists and engineers! Encourage your emerging engineers and scientists to sharpen their skills and compete in this national event. Let us give our learners the opportunity to excel once more!

Registration begins on **July 15, 2026** and ends one month before the contest date.
Register on or before the date below to avail an early bird discount.

- **Extended until October 14, 2026** (for NRC-Luzon and NRC-Online)

Some of the events will have limited slots so don't be late.
The events are open to **all students, teachers, and coaches**.

Interested participants may visit the following links for the registration details.

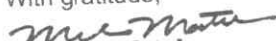
- How to Register?: <https://bit.ly/NRC2026-registration>
- Game Mechanics: <https://bit.ly/NRC2026-GameMechanics>

For more details, please contact us:

- Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/pinoyrobotgames.ph>
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Thank you, and we look forward to your positive response.

With gratitude,


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