

### **DIVISION ADVISORY**

To:

Chief Education Supervisors CID and SGQD

Public Elementary Schools Heads

This Division

2016-10-080 Deped-MALAYBALAY CITY DIVISION

RELEASED

Division Superintendent

Date:

October 6, 2016

#### Subject: "SIGHT FOR KIDS PROJECT" SCHEDULE BY DISTRICT

- 1. This has reference to the letter of LALAINE A. NARRETO, Club President Lions Clubs International relative to the conduct of "Sight for Kids Project" Medical Mission in this Division. The project is aligned with the global initiative of Vision 2020 of WHO, which aims to screen public elementary school children and provide free corrective glasses.
- 2. It is requested that Class Advisers and Clinic Teachers through the School Heads SHs shall identify the schoolchildren with visual problems which will be referred for Vision Screening by the Medical Mission Team. Identified pupils for referral shall be brought to the District venue by the parents or guardian scheduled as follows:

DISTRICT/ VENUE	DATE	
District I and II- Sumpong Central School	October 13, 2016	
District III and IV - Malaybalay City Central School	October 14, 2016	
District V - Casisang Central School	October 17, 2016	
District VI- Aglayan Central School	October 18, 2016	
District VII - Bangcud Central School	October 19, 2016	
District VIII and IX - Linabo Central School	October 20, 2016	
District X – Zamboanguita Central School	October 21, 2016	

- 3. Enclosed is the Vision Screening Summary Form to be accomplished by the School Clinic Teacher as register of pupils for referral.
- 4. Widest dissemination and appropriate action is enjoined.



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#### **DISTRICT 301-E**

Mindanao, Philippines

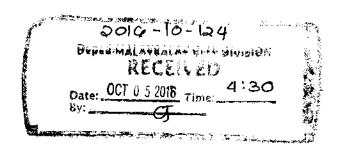
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Edilberto L. Oplenaria, CESO VI

OIC- Schools Superintendent

Division of Malaybalay

Dear Sir,



I am writing to you in behalf of the Bukidnon Kaamulan Lions Club to launch the Sight for Kids Project in your schools.

One child goes blind every minute and half a million may lose their sight by the end of the year. To combat this problem, Lions Club International Foundation and Johnson & Johnsons Vision Care have collaborated to develop" Sight for Kids", a program the provides vision screening and eye health education for children.

Sight for Kids is primarily school based, networking with the National Committee on Sight Preservation (NCSP) together with the DOH and DepEd, has enjoined all NGO's and Professional Health Organizations to come up with a universal medical vision check- up among grade school students in public elementary nationwide. This is aligned with the global initiative of Vision 2020 of WHO, that is, to eliminate avoidable blindness by the year 2020.

Seeing this problem as an opportunity for the Lions to continue the challenge of Helen Keller, which is to be the "Knights for the blind against darkness," all Lions Clubs are encouraged to strongly support and make this project a success.

Sights for Kids Philippines have the following objectives:

- 1. To screen all public elementary school children
- 2. To provide free corrective eyeglasses to school children with visual acuity of 20/40 or poorer.
- To refer children with ocular diseases, abnormalities and subnormal vision for appropriate medical management.
- 4. To conduct lectures on eye health care among teachers, students and parents.
- 5. To distribute posters on eye health education and safety measures.

Our Club is looking forward for a partnership with you as we aim further to help children preserving their sight through vision screening and eye health education.

Respectfully Yours,

Angua: Lion Lalaine A. Narreto

Club President

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## Johnson-Johnson Vision Care







Date:	

## **VISION SCREENING SUMMARY**

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