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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 519 S. 2019

IKAW, AKO USAHAY KITA MUSICAL PLAY

TO: Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
SGOD & CID Chief Education Program Supervisors
Division Education Program Supervisors/ Division Coordinators
Section Heads/ Education Program Specialists
Public School District Supervisors
School Managers
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is a communication from **Melissa M. Roque**, *Marketing Manager of Table 12 Productions* inviting our public senior high school students to watch a Visayan theatre.
2. In consonance with this, you are hereby encouraged to patronize watching a theatrical show that cultivates a unique Visayan culture on **September 26-28, 2019 at Claire Isabel McGill Luce Auditorium, Silliman University in Dumaguete City.**
3. For profound details, please refer to the attached letter.
4. Travelling and other incidental expenses shall be charged against School MOOE/ Local School Funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
5. Immediate and widest dissemination of this **MEMORANDUM** is desired.

WILFREDA D. BONGLOS, Ph. D., CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent

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August 8, 2019



Ms. Wilfreda D. Bongalos, Ph.D. CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent
Department of Education - Div. of Negros Oriental
Capitol Area, Dumaguete City

Dear Ms. Bongalos:

Maayong araw sa imo tanan!

I'm Melissa M. Roque, Marketing Manager of Table 12 Productions, the company behind IKAW, AKO, USAHAY KITA (IAUK) — an all-original Visayan musical to be staged on September 26-28, 2019 in Claire Isabel McGill Luce Auditorium, Silliman University, Dumaguete City. We are writing to your good office to officially request for an endorsement, so we can invite students from public senior high schools to watch our shows in proud support of Visayan theatre.

IAUK is a story of young love at life's crossroads, centred on the push-and-pull relationship of our protagonists. Written and directed by ALAMPAT Theater Dramaturg and Playwright Hochi Benitez, with choreography by Lydia M. Gaston School of Dance Bacolod Associate Artistic Director Cheene Limuaco, and music by Silliman University Valentine Songwriting Competition grand slam winner Jerry Catarata, the musical proudly features an all-Visayan cast, dancers, and creative team.

The musical aims to put Visayan creative talent front and centre with a top-notch production that Visayans can truly embrace and take great pride in. With a slice-of-life story that people of all ages can relate to and enjoy, IAUK endeavours to revive musical theatre as a medium of expression of our unique Visayan culture, and at the same time frame the conversation on the ever-relevant issues of love, family, and life.

With this production, we hope to contribute to the growth of Visayan theatre, music, and dance — cultivating these creative subcultures that will help shape our identity as an imaginative, innovative, and expressive people. With your support, we are confident that we can achieve this goal.

Regular ticket price is Php300.00, but we are delighted to extend a discount of Php50.00 for each ticket for students and faculty from public senior high schools. Should you wish to discuss this proposal further, please do not hesitate to contact me at +63.917.536.5423 or isay.m.roque@gmail.com.

Daghang salamat!

Best,


Melissa M. Roque
Marketing Manager
Table 12 Productions

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