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**OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT**

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**DIVISION ADVISORY**

**INVITATION TO THE YAMUG 12 – the AGYU SYMPOSIUM**

1. This is relative to the invitation from Xavier Center for Culture and the Arts and the Department of English Language and Literature, in celebration of the Indigeneous Peoples' Month.
2. Teachers and students are encouraged to attend the **YAMUG 12-the AGYU SYMPOSIUM** on October 21, 2023 from 8:00am to 12pm at the XU Little Theater, however participation is **voluntary**.
3. For further details, please refer to the attached invitation letter and for the pre- registration, just follow the link provided.
4. Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is hereby desired.

*For: [Signature]*

**EDILBERTO L. OPLENARIA, EdD, CESO V**

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Xavier Center for Culture and the Arts

October 13, 2023

**Dr Arturo B Bayocot CESO III**  
Regional Director  
Department of Education Region X

**Good day, RD Bayocot!**

In celebration of the Indigenous People's Month (October), Xavier Center for Culture and the Arts and the Department of English Language and Literature present *YAMUG 12 – the Agyu Symposium* on October 21, 2023 from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm at the XU Little Theater. This exposes the significance of the Manobo – Bukidnon – Higaonon – Talaandig epic, the *Ulagin* and its hero, *Agyu* in relation to nature as heritage and culture; values and struggles; and the aspirations and the determination of the various cultural communities.

The speakers are *Dr Arlene J Yandug*, *Dr Hobart P Savior*, and *Dr Carthelyn Adajar*, whose papers and researches were published in notable print and online publications.

With this, we would like to ask for your endorsement so the various Basic Education Schools' Faculty who are into Anthropological and Literary research can join *YAMUG 12*. We also ask for the support of Education Supervisor, *Dr Bienvenido U Tagolimot Jr* to disseminate this invitation.

This symposium benefits the teachers and the students for they shall be exposed to the lives of our Indigenous People as we highlight the inclusion of Mindanao studies, Ethnic Literature, and Indigenous People's rights in the academic discourse. Admission to the symposium is free.

For pre-registration, follow this link: <https://forms.gle/uDzKkwNbmLwmVgYs9> ✓

Should you have questions regarding this invitation, please let us know. We can be reached at [hsavior@xu.edu.ph](mailto:hsavior@xu.edu.ph) or at 09063195719.

We hope this invitation merits your attention and support. Thank you so much!

Very respectfully yours

(Signed)

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