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**PARTICIPATION IN THE 13<sup>th</sup> ST. PAUL NATIONAL BIBLE QUIZ (SPNBQ)**

This Office disseminates the correspondence received from the St. Paul National Bible Quiz Secretariat dated June 17, 2026, inviting Junior High School students from both public and private institutions to participate in the 13th St. Paul National Bible Quiz (SPNBQ) for School Year 2026–2027.

The activity anchors on the theme, “Sowers of the Word, Channels of Peace.” It aims to provide young individuals an opportunity to grow intellectually, spiritually, and communally through the study of Scriptures.

Key details of the event are outlined below:

Activity	Date/Deadline	Details
Registration Deadline	July 15, 2026	FREE Registration via the official link or QR code shown in image.png.
Online Elimination Round	July 22, 2026	Virtual Platform (to be provided by the secretariat).
Online Semi-Finals	July 23, 2026	Online Platform
National Championship	September 12, 2026	
Incentives	-	Winning schools will receive cash prizes and tokens.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be purely voluntary and subject to the no-collection policy of the Department. Furthermore, school heads must ensure that participation in the online elimination rounds will not disrupt regular instructional time, strictly adhering to DepEd’s engaged time-on-task policy stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On-Task, Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546 (Policy on Contributions), and DepEd Order No. 66, s. 2017 Policy on Off-Campus Activities and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.


For registration and further inquiries, interested participants may access the registration form details indicated in the invitation letter found in image.png.

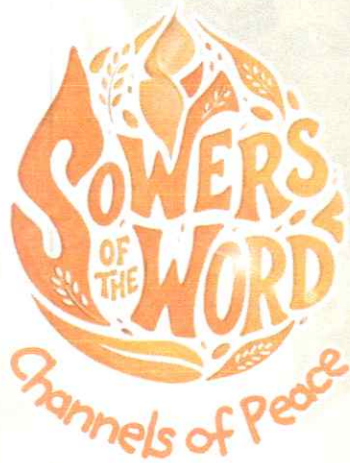


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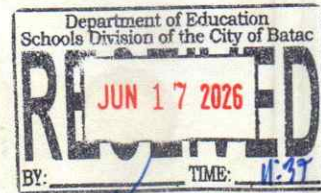
Attached herewith is the letter of Bro. Melvin M. Dela Cruz and its attachments for more details about this activity.

For information.

  
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**June 17, 2026**

**The Regional Director / Schools Division Superintendent**

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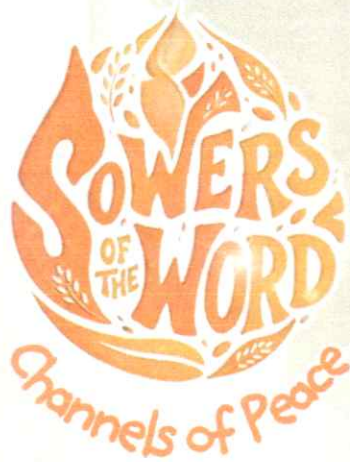
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In this regard, we respectfully seek the support and endorsement of your esteemed office in **disseminating this information to schools under your jurisdiction**. Your assistance in promoting this national Bible quiz, especially through your communication platforms and networks, would be deeply appreciated.

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In Christ, the Word Incarnate,

**Bro. Melvin M. Dela Cruz, SSP**  
Secretariat, St. Paul National Bible Quiz



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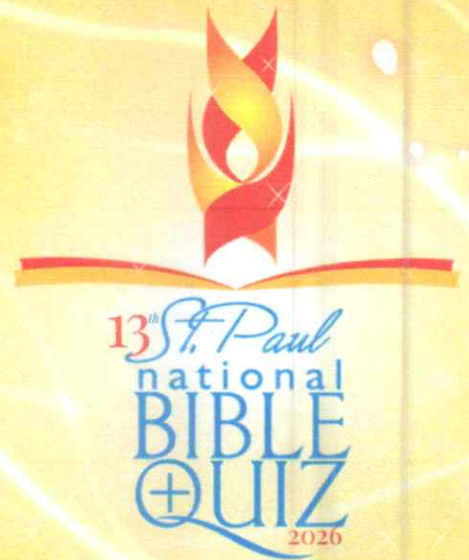
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# POWER OF THE WORD

Channels of Peace



**JULY 22, 2026**  
ONLINE ELIMINATION

**JULY 23, 2026**  
ONLINE SEMIFINALS

**SEPTEMBER 12, 2026**  
NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP



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