

8th Regional CEAP 2024 Narrative Report

With the theme “Kaakbay sa Paglalakbay,” nine competing schools participated in the 8th Regional Catholic Educational Association of the Philippines (CEAP) Sports and Cultural on April 4-7, 2024 hosted by Saint Mary’s University (SMU).

The nine competing schools that attended the CEAP 2024 were Lyceum of Aparri, Lyceum of Tuao, Our Lady of the Pillar College-Cauayan, Our Lady of the Pillar College-San Manuel Inc., Saint Ferdinand College-Ilagan, Saint Joseph’s College-Baggao Inc., Saint Paul University of the Philippines-Tuguegarao, University of Saint Louis Tuguegarao, and Saint Mary’s University.

A eucharistic celebration was presided over by Bishop Jose Elmer Mangalinao, bishop of the Diocese of Bayombong, followed by a parade around the town prior to the opening program on April 4.

During the opening program, SMU President Dr. John Octavious Palina stated that the four-day gathering is an opportunity to come as one and engage in competitions that will not only allow the students to demonstrate their abilities, talents, and skills but also develop their characters.

Bayombong Mayor Antonio Sergio "Tony" G. Bagasao and Nueva Vizcaya Governor Jose "Jing" Gambito, represented by Hon. Roland Carub Member, Sangguniang Panlalawigan Province of Nueva Vizcaya, also welcomed the participants of CEAP by highlighting the importance of sports and youth development.

Msgr. Gerard Ariston Perez, CEAP Regional Trustee, also delivered a message regarding the role of CEAP not just in schools but also in society. Meanwhile, Mr. Briane Jechrichi Acluba, Regional Sports Coordinator of the Commission on Higher Education Region 2, also gave a message commending private schools in their performance to sports activities. Finally, Atty. Marco Cicero Domingo, Director-in-Charge of CHED Region 2, declared the opening of the 2024 CEAP Regional Meet.

Furthermore, Dr. Mary Grace Bulatao, SMU sports coordinator, stated that host school SMU have gone through the details to ensure that everything is planned and that what has been planned is now being implemented.

The lighting of torch and hoisting of banners signified the start of the four-day event and lit by the representatives of each school.

After the opening program, a solidarity meeting, welcome dinner, and giving of certificates to the nine schools was conducted at Sacred Heart Center.

Students from the host school performed various performances.

Games proper and socio-cultural events took place on April 5 and 6 at the three different campuses of the host school.

Saint Mary's University concludes the 8th Regional Catholic Education Association of the Philippines (CEAP) Sports and Socio-Cultural Meet mounting a total score of 1164, seizing the championship title.

Following with 1071.5 points, the University of Saint Louis-Tuguegarao plucks first runner-up. Followed by Lyceum of Tuao amassing a total score of 725. 5 as the second runner-up while Saint Joseph's College - Baggao capped a final score of 633.5.5 finishing the event as third runner-up, and fourth runner-up was Our Lady of the Pillar College - San Manuel.

The schools were awarded during the closing program held on April 7, ending the four-day sports and cultural events between the nine catholic schools from the region.

SMU University President Dr. John Octavious Palina, spearheaded the extinguishment of the torch which was followed by live performances by the Marian Dance Troupe and SMU Band to formally end the Regional Meet.

Facebook links:

1. [Participating Universities and Colleges in the CEAP Meet 2024](#)
2. [CEAP Meet 2024 SPUP Delegates](#)
3. [CEAP SMU Delegates](#)
4. [Our Lady of Pillars College Delegates](#)
5. [Saint Ferdinand College Delegates](#)

OPENING PROGRAM









CLOSING PROGRAM



SPORTS AND CULTURAL EVENTS

















Photos: <https://bit.ly/smu-themarian-ceap-meet-2024-coverage>

SHARED SPORTS FACILITIES

FACILITIES: SMU GYMNASIUM & SMU CICM OUTSIDE COURT

EVENT: BASKETBALL - TUNE-UP GAMES of SMU VARSITY WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

- 1. Tune-up with Solano EVPS Anders Team – January 12, 2024



- 2. Solano Selection Intertown Players – January 19, 2024



- 3. Team District 4 – January 24, 2024



4. EVPS Jr. SBDL – Champion – January 28, 2024



5. Team Nueva Vizcaya State University – January 31, 2024



FACILITIES: SMU OVAL

EVENT: BASEBALL - TUNE-UP GAMES of SMU VARSITY WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

1. BINTAWAN NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL – January 25, 2024



2. Ifugao State University – November 3, 2024

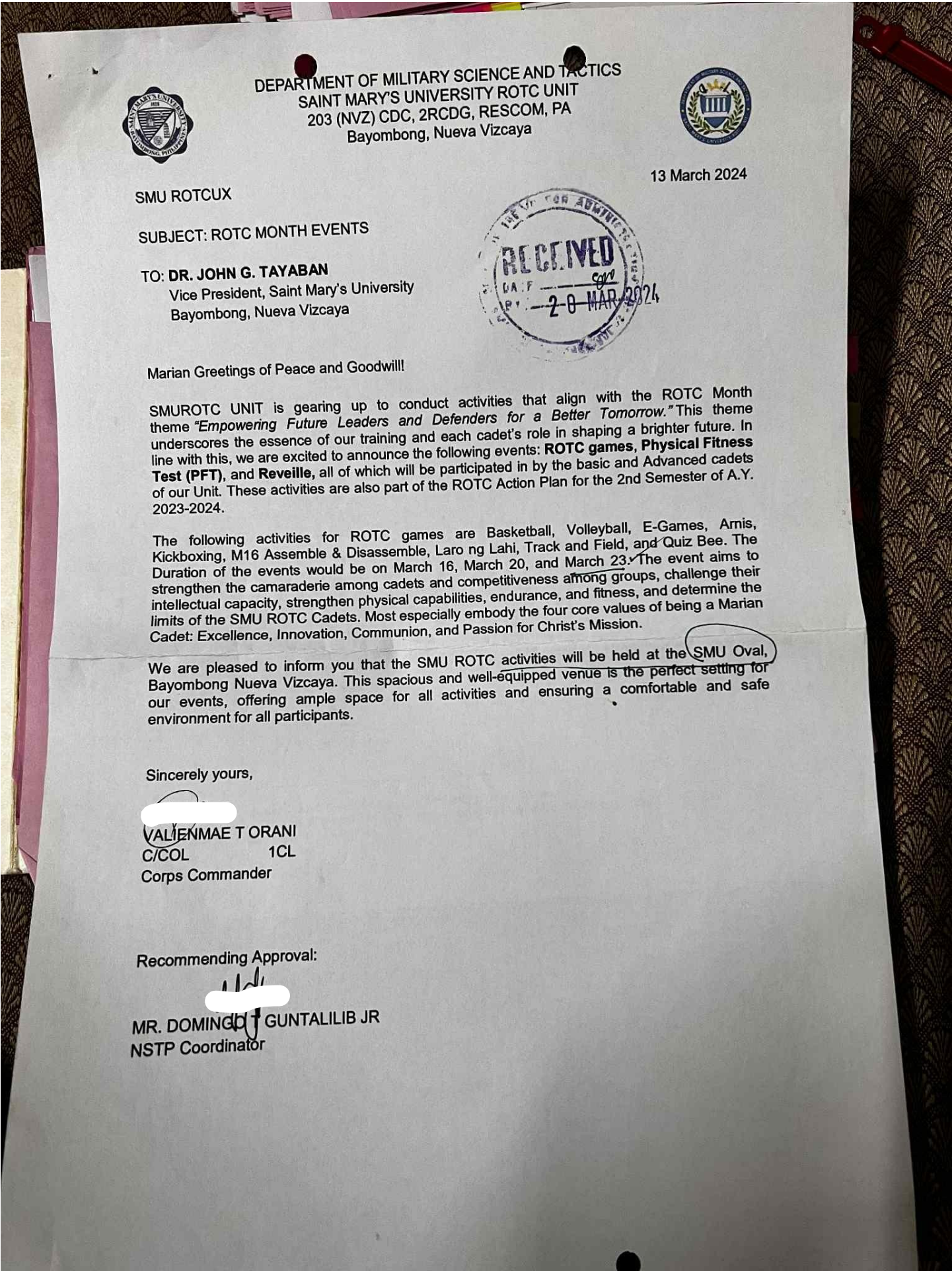


Shared Sports Facilities

Facilities: SMU Oval

Event: ROTC UNIT Games, Physical Fitness Test (PFT) Reveille

Date: March 16, 23 and 23, 2024



Shared Sports Facilities

Facilities: SMU Gym, SMU Elem Gym

Event: Northeast Luzon Electric Cooperative Association, Inc. (NELECA)

Date: May 9-11, 2024



January 31, 2024

Dr. JOHN OCTAVIOUS S. PALINA
University President
Saint Mary's University
Bayombong, Nueva Vizcaya

Dear Dr. Palina:

Warmest greetings!!!

We are glad to inform you that NUVELCO will be hosting the annual sportsfest of the Northeast Luzon Electric Cooperative Association, Inc (NELECA) that will take place on May 9-11, 2024.

After careful consideration, we have identified Saint Mary's University as one of our preferred venues for this event. We believe that the facilities of Saint Mary's University align perfectly with the standards we uphold for the NELECA sportsfest. The atmosphere and facilities at your university will undoubtedly contribute to the success and enjoyment of the event for all participants.

To ensure the smooth conduct of the sportsfest, we kindly request your support in providing the necessary sports equipment/facilities, to wit:

Events	Date	Venue	
Badminton, Table Tennis, Darts, Chess, Scrabble	May 9-11, 2024	SMU Tonus Gymnasium	available
Mobile Games	May 9-11, 2024	Audio Visual Room/Any room available with TV Monitor + internet	4th floor available but no monitor
Basketball	May 9-11, 2024	SMU Elementary Gymnasium	available
Closing/Awarding Program	May 11, 2024	Tonus Gymnasium	available

We would appreciate the opportunity to discuss this request at your earliest convenience.

Thank you for considering our request. We look forward to the possibility of collaborating with Saint Mary's University to make our event a success.

Respectfully yours,

FREDEL L. SALVADOR
General Manager, NUVELCO
President, NELECA

JOHN OCTAVIOUS S. PALINA, Ph.D., DSA
University President

06 FEB 2024

cc: UPA, BSO & TAO

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