July 18, 2016

Dear Lasallian Parents and Guardians,

The National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council through the Office of Civil Defense launches this year’s observance of the National Disaster Consciousness Month (NDCM) with the theme “Kahandaan at Pagtugon sa Sakuna, Tungkulin ng Bawat Isa”. This year’s theme highlights the core intention of this annual observance to make every Filipino own Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (DRRM) as a personal responsibility, that surviving, outlasting the ravages of any hazard and making communities resilient is a duty of every Filipino.

Executive Order 137 s. 1999 declares the month of July of every year as NDCM which aims to increase the awareness of every Filipino on natural and man-made disasters for a better appreciation of the government’s disaster preparedness programs.

In line with this government initiative, DLSZ has again invited Foresight Life Resilience Corporation to conduct a DRRM Seminar, especially for those who were not able to attend a session last academic year. Each family will get a seminar kit that contains the Help ID that will be collected by the advisers and other vital information. Up to four members per family may attend. This seminar will be held on Saturday, July 30, 2016 at the Sylvia P. Lina Theater from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.

For those families who have attended the seminar last academic year, kindly take note of the following information/reminder:

1. Have a small flashlight and whistle attached to your child’s ID lace.

2. Kindly accomplish the big and small HELP IDs. These were included in the kit that was distributed during the DRRM Seminar. In case of loss, kindly inform your advisers.

3. The Parents Association will take charge of providing crackers, bottled water and face masks for all students. These will all be stored inside the classrooms.

4. The school has provided each classroom with an Emergency Bag that contains the class list, rechargeable flashlight, common medicines and other First Aid materials.

5. The school is preparing the Level Caches, which will be situated in the Emergency Holding Areas at the Football field and Baseball Field, will serve as food storage for students who might be left in school when a disaster strikes.

Let DRRM be a personal responsibility of every member of our community.

Thank you for your usual cooperation and support.

In St. La Salle,

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