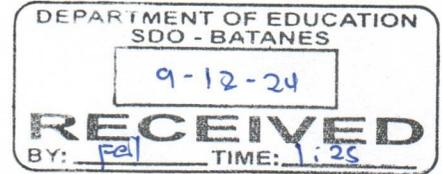




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Sir:

Greetings!

The Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources will be observing the celebration of the **Fish Conservation Week on its 61st year** with this year's theme "**Sama-sama Tungo sa Maunlad at Likas-kayang Pangisdaan sa Bagong Pilipinas**" on **September 16-20, 2024**, hence the BFAR Provincial Office of Batanes will be conducting the following activities:

Date and Time	Activities	Location/Mode of Implementation
September 16 at 9AM	Motorcade (Partner Agencies, Stakeholders, Fisherfolk)	Batan Island (Basco-Imnajbu v.v)
September 17 at 5AM	Coastal Clean-up Drive	Songsong to Itbud, Uyugan
September 18 at 5AM	Coastal Clean-up Drive	San Vicente to Vatang, Ivana
September 19 at 5AM	Coastal Clean-up Drive	Basco Old Port to Kanyuyan Mahatao Shelter Port to Centro Port
September 20, 2024	Poster Making Contest	Itbayat National Agricultural High School (INAHS)

Relative to this, may we respectfully invite **representatives** from your office to participate during the **Coastal Clean-up Drive on September 19, 2024 at 5AM**. May we further request the participants to bring their **own sacks** for garbage collection. For queries, please contact **Ms. Khezie Mae C. Alvarez** of PFO-Batanes thru cellphone number **09350911717** or thru email address **bfar.pfobatanes2024@gmail.com**.

Thank you for your continued support!

Very truly yours,

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