

DepEd Regional Advisory No. 171, s. 2021  
December 10, 2021

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**NATASHA GOULBOURN FOUNDATION THANKSGIVING VIRTUAL CONCERT**

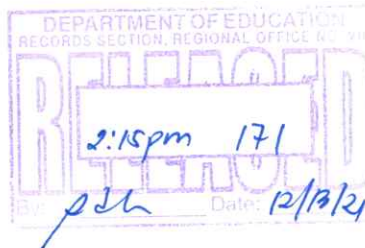
Attached is a communication letter dated November 22, 2021 from Natasha Goulbourn Foundation., inviting all teachers, administrators and staff to attend a free thanksgiving virtual concert to benefit their flagship project, HOPELINE PH, a 24/7 crisis line for depression and suicide prevention hotline.

For more information, the concerned participant can refer to the attachment.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

Considering that this is an Advisory, Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.

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November 22, 2021

**Ms. Evelyn R. Fetalvero**  
**Regional Director**  
**Region VIII**  
**Department of Education**

Dear RD Fetalvero,

Greetings from Natasha Goulbourn Foundation!

This COVID-19 has caused a tremendous rise in mental health challenges. Depression due to social isolation, loneliness, financial insecurity, domestic violence, and hopelessness is on the rise. There is a greater need for society to address the urgency of the mental well-being of the country.

The Natasha Goulbourn Foundation (NGF), now known as NGF Mindstrong, is on its 14<sup>th</sup> year of its mental health journey of bringing light to depression with the end goal of preventing suicide and self-harm through awareness and education. We are the official country representative to International Association for Suicide Prevention (IASP).

On December 12, from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM, we will be having a thanksgiving virtual concert to benefit our flagship project, HOPELINE PH, a 24/7 crisis line for depression and suicide prevention hotline. We would like to share and invite you and all your teachers, administration, and staff under your regional office for free, but a love donation is most welcome. They can register for the event by clicking <https://bit.ly/3C7YiT9> to receive the Zoom link.

Kindly find attached the publicity material for this concert.

Telephone: (632) 8897-2217 Website: [www.ngf-hope.org](http://www.ngf-hope.org) Email: [NGFmindstrong@gmail.com](mailto:NGFmindstrong@gmail.com)  
Address: Unit 326, LRI Design Plaza, 210 Nicanor Garcia Street, Bel-air 2, Makati City 1209,  
Metro Manila, Philippines

**Beyond Grateful**  
with all-time favorite hit songs

We would like to invite you to an encore musical soiree dedicated to all the selfless individuals out there who serve their community and go beyond their call of duty. Join us for an evening of love, gratitude and music with special performances by:

MICHAEL WILLIAMS	NICOLE ARSENO & her choir No. 1 Love	BITUIN ESCALANTE with her daughters Love & Life	GARY VALENCIANO & his daughter Para	JOSE MARI CHAN & Family in: Cole Viento	ESALA PROKLA & daughter Parce	MARTIN SIEVERA	ALDIE GEOBRA
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hosted by  
**JON SANTOS**

Keynote Message by  
**JESSICA SOHO**

Opening Performance by  
**Mishon**  
Orchestra of the Filipino Youth

**Sunday, December 12, 3:00 - 5:00 pm VIA ZOOM**  
**LIVE on our Facebook page & YouTube channel**  
A love donation to HOPEline Ph will be greatly appreciated.

Natasha Goulbourn Foundation, Inc.

**BDO**  
SM Makati Branch  
Savings Account No.  
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SCAN TO DONATE

Natasha Goulbourn Foundation, Inc.

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Registration link : <https://bit.ly/3C7YtT9>  
Email: [ngfmindstrong@gmail.com](mailto:ngfmindstrong@gmail.com)

We look forward to seeing you all in the virtual concert as we break the walls of stigma and build bridges of hope and compassion in our society.

Please do not hesitate to contact Ms. Pixie Mathay at 0917 8153636 or Ms. Mila Rollinas at 0917 8725514 in case you have questions regarding the event.

Yours truly,

Jean Goulbourn  
President/Founder

NGF is accredited by PCNC (Philippine Council for NGO Certification) and is certified by the BIR as a donee institution. NGF is a member of the Association of Foundation.

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