

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 277


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TO: **All VSU Faculty and Staff**

RE: **Green Christmas Dance Contest at the VSU Christmas Party 2024**

FROM: **DR. PROSE IVY G. YEPES**
University President

On behalf of the President:



DR. ROTACIO S. GRAVOSO
Vice President for Academic Affairs

DATE: **December 8, 2024**

In celebration of the holiday season, we are pleased to announce the details of the **Green Christmas Dance Contest**, which will be held on **December 20, 2024, at 6:00 PM** at the VSU Gymnatorium. This year's theme is "**Green Christmas**", highlighting our commitment to sustainability and the joyful spirit of the season.

GREEN CHRISTMAS DANCE CONTEST GUIDELINES:

1. **Team Composition:**
 - Each team must consist of exactly 12 dancers.
 - Teams may be composed of all-male, all-female, or a combination of both.
2. **Performance Requirements:**
 - The performance must have a minimum duration of 4 minutes and a maximum of 5 minutes, including entrance and exit.
 - Teams are encouraged to use any **Original Pinoy Music (OPM) Christmas songs**, including remixes of popular OPM and Christmas songs.
 - Failure to comply with the time limit will result in a **3-point deduction** from the final score.
3. **Costume Theme:**
 - Dancers must wear costumes that reflect the "**Green Christmas**" theme.
 - Acceptable costumes include:
 - Green clothing (e.g., dresses, suits, accessories).
 - Holiday-themed attire (e.g., Santa hats, elf costumes).

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4. Safety Rules:

- Hazardous stunts, movements (e.g., lifting, tumbling), and props are **discouraged** to prioritize the safety of participants.

CRITERIA FOR JUDGING:

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| • Synchronization, Variety, and Difficulty of Routine, Continuity of Movements | : 30% |
| • Performance (Energy, Balance, and Coordination) | : 30% |
| • Choreography (Artistic Interpretation and Formations) | : 30% |
| • Overall Impact | : <u>10%</u> |

TOTAL : 100%

PRIZES:

- First Place – 3,000.00
- Second Place – 2,500.00
- Third Place – 1,500.00

ADDITIONAL GUIDELINES:

1. The decision of the **board of judges is final and irrevocable.**
2. All teams are encouraged to rehearse well and embody the holiday spirit through their performances.

Let us come together to celebrate this season of love, joy, and togetherness. We look forward to seeing your creativity and enthusiasm in both the dance contest and the Christmas party.

For your information and guidance.