



February 9, 2026



Dear _____ :

Greetings from the Negros Oriental Librarians Association (NORLA)!

The Negros Oriental Librarians Association (NORLA), in collaboration with American Corner Dumaguete, C&E Adaptive Learning Solutions, and Megatexts Philippines, will conduct a Seminar entitled **“Reaching Beyond the Library Walls: Outreach Services for Underprivileged and Marginalized Communities”**, General Assembly and Election of Officers for 2026-2027 on **March 6, 2026**, from **8:00 AM to 5:00 PM**, at the *Silliman University Library*. The activity aims to strengthen inclusive access to information by the participants with the knowledge and skills needed to design and implement effective community-based library outreach programs.

By the end of the session, participants are expected, but not limited to, achieve the following objectives:

- Enhance participants’ understanding of the role of library outreach in meeting the information needs of underprivileged and marginalized communities.
- Identify practical strategies and best practices for designing and implementing inclusive, community-based library outreach programs.
- Enable participants to develop and present a simple outreach project proposal that responds to identified community needs.

In line with this, we are inviting you to attend this year’s seminar, General Assembly and Election of Officers 2026-2027. The activity will feature a professional development seminar in the morning, followed by a *presentation of library best practices* from four (4) participating institutions. In the afternoon, the General Assembly will be conducted to present organizational updates, discuss matters concerning the association and the profession, and election of the new set of NORLA officers for CY 2026–2027.

The **registration fee** is **Php 300.00** per participant, inclusive of **AM and PM snacks and lunch**. Participants may **pay onsite or deposit** the registration fee to the following account:

Account Name: RELYN T. TAYKO
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Account Number: 9499179976

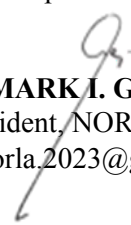
Online Pre-Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/Fgr37rMqp1TzNvMfA>

Kindly present a copy of the **deposit slip or proof of payment** during on-site registration for verification. In addition, librarians who are not yet members of NORLA are encouraged to apply for membership. A membership application form will be distributed during the activity, with a membership fee of Php 300.00 to be paid upon submission of the accomplished form.

For further information, please visit the NORLA official FB page: <https://www.facebook.com/nosla2015> or email us at negorla.2023@gmail.com.

Thank you and we hope to see you soon!

Very respectfully yours,


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