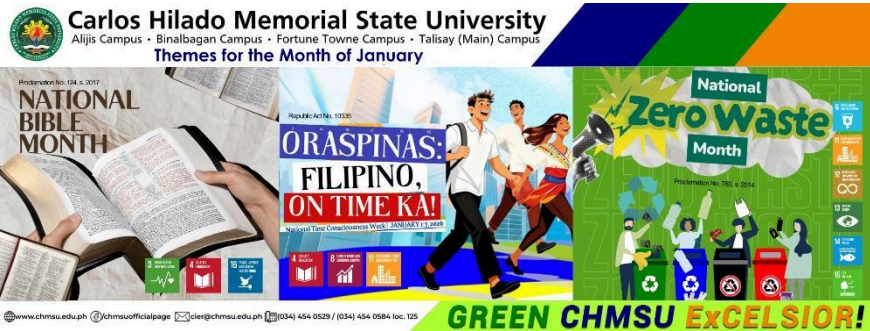




# Carlos Hilado Memorial State University CHMSU Messenger

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All deans, department chairs, and faculty members are enjoined to initiate and integrate the said themes in course lessons and activities. Office heads are likewise encouraged to help promote the theme in their offices.

## The Week Ahead

Date	Time	Activity/ Event	In-charge	Audience/ Participants	Location/ Venue
Jan 26		Start of the 2nd Semester AY 2025-2026			All Campuses
Jan 26 - 27		Undergraduate Enrollment for 2nd Semester AY 2025-2026 (Changing, Adding, & Dropping of Classes)	University Registrar	Students	All Campuses
Jan 29 - 30		Advance Education Programs Enrollment for 2nd Semester AY 2025-2026	AEP	Students	Fortune Towne & Talisay Campuses
Jan 30	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Educational Training for Budget Office Staff	Budget and Finance Office	All Budget Office Staff	AVR, Talisay Campus

## Highlights of the Week

- Students of Bachelor of Secondary Education major in English 2A staged “The Fairest of Them All: A Mythology and Folklore Parade” at the ETGB Function Hall, Talisay Campus, on January 12 transforming their end-term course project into a vibrant celebration of literature, performance, and imagination.
- Congratulations to the Junior Philippine Institute of Accountants (JPIA) – CHMSU Chapter for winning overall First Runner-Up at the 21st Regional Mid-Year Convention of the National Federation of JPIA Western Visayas Region held in Iloilo City last January 16-18.
- Hats off to Mark Rovic Villacasten (BSHM 3B) and Miguel Anton Lobaton (BSHM 1B) for winning 2nd Place in the Vlogging Contest at the 2nd Tanyag Talisay 2026 Expo last January 13-17 at Ayala Malls Capitol Central, Bacolod City.
- University President Norberto Mangulabnan, together with Board of Regents Secretary Roy Ramos, Director for Internationalization and External Relations Rhoderick Samonte, and University Secretary Mary Leanne Laganhon, joined academic leaders and dignitaries in witnessing the formal installation of Virgilio Julius Manzano, Jr. as the 8th President of Mariano Marcos State University (MMSU). The investiture rites, presided over by Commission on Higher Education (CHED) Chairperson Shirley Agrupis, were held on January 19, 2026 at Teatro Ilocandia.
- Students from the main campus actively participated in the National Bible Month Activity, engaging in faith-centered activities that promoted reflection, learning, and spiritual
- Neil Kevin Natabio, Student Representative to the CHMSU Board of Regents, and Lorea Robles, Student Government President of CHMSU Binalbagan Campus joined the 14-day Winter School Program 2025 alongside peers from 25 countries at Chandigarh Group of Colleges (CGC) University in Punjab, India, from January 4 to 14. Accompanying them was University Secretary Mary Leanne Laganhon, who delivered lectures as an adjunct professor while also forging partnerships for future academic exchanges. enrichment within the university community.
- The Lingkod Pag-IBIG On Wheels visited CHMSU, bringing Pag-IBIG Fund services directly to campus and enabling faculty, staff, personnel, and members to conveniently process memberships, loans, and benefits through this on-site outreach initiative.
- CIER Director Rhoderick Samonte joined the Philippine National Volunteer Service Coordinating Agency as one of the guests in their very first episode for 2026 of the PNVSCA TV live on January 24.