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 DIGOS CITY DIVISION

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID-2023-161

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
 CID and SGOD Chiefs
 Education Program Supervisors
 Public Schools District Supervisors
 Elementary and Secondary School Heads (Public and Private Schools)
 School Paper Advisers

Subject : **2023 REGIONAL SCHOOLS PRESS CONFERENCE (RSPC)**

Date : May 17, 2023

Relative to Regional Memorandum CLMD-2023-220, the field is hereby informed of the conduct of Regional Schools Press Conference (RSPC), with the theme: "From Campus Journalism to Real-World Journalism: Shaping Minds from Schools to Societies" on June 8 -11, 2023 at Digos City.

A registration fee of **Eight Hundred Pesos (Php 800)** shall be charged to each participant including campus journalist, school paper, and coordinator, remitted in advance to the Davao Region Association of School Publication Adviser's, INC (DRASPA, INC) at LR office, Ground Floor Regional Office XI to defray expenses on certificates, medals, plaques, trophies, honorarium, Membership fees of **One Hundred pesos (Php 100)** for School Paper Advisers and **Ninety Pesos (Php 90)** for Campus Journalists shall be collected by the DRASPA treasurer, travel, meals and other related expenses, all are chargeable against School's Maintenance and/or other Operating Expenses/local/school/Special Education Fund, School Campus Journalist Fund and other available funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Service credits shall be granted to the teacher-participants, proctors and TWG (DepEd Order No. 53 s. 2003), while Compensatory Overtime Credits (COC) to supervisors and other non-teaching personnel (CSC and DBM Joint Circular No. 2 s. 2004) for the services rendered during Saturday and Sunday.

For immediate dissemination and compliance.

For and in the absence of Schools Division Superintendent:

Sollie B. Oliver, Jr.
SOLLIE B. OLIVER, JR., MATE ✕
 Chief ES SGOD
 Officer-in-charge

DepEd Schools Division of Digos City
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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

CLMD-2023-220

To: Schools Division Superintendents

Subject: 2023 REGIONAL SCHOOLS PRESS CONFERENCE (RSPC)

Date: May 8, 2023

Pursuant to the RA 7079 otherwise known as the Campus Journalism Act, the Department of Education – Region XI through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division shall conduct the **2023 Regional Schools Press Conference (RSPC)** with the theme, “*From Campus Journalism to Real – World Journalism: Shaping Minds from Schools to Societies*” on **June 8-11, 2023** to be hosted by **Digos City Division**.

The conference, aims to:

- a. demonstrate understanding of journalism through skillful execution in various platforms (i.e. print, broadcast, online);
- b. recognize the role of journalism in advocating for social consciousness and environmental awareness;
- c. promote fair and ethical use of media as tenets of responsible journalism;
- d. foster camaraderie and enrich learning experiences through healthy and friendly competition; and
- e. provide learners opportunities to use the skills learned in campus journalism for their future careers;

The events to be contested are the following:

1. **Individual writing contests** such as News Writing, Editorial Writing, Feature Writing, Sports Writing, Copyreading and headline Writing, Editorial Cartooning, Photojournalism, Science and Technology Writing and Column Writing in English and Filipino of both elementary and secondary levels (Junior and Senior High Schools);
2. **Group Contests:** Radio Scriptwriting and Broadcasting and Collaborative Desktop Publishing (for elementary and secondary level); Online Publishing Contest, and TV Scriptwriting and Broadcasting (for secondary only);
3. Search for Outstanding School Paper Advisers and Campus Journalists; and
4. Group Contest – School Paper Category

The following shall be the official participants in the 2023 RSPC:



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- a. Top three winners of the all individual contests in DSPC;
- b. The first-place winners in group Contests in the DSPC;
- c. School Publication Advisers;
- d. Division Campus Journalism Focal; and
- e. Regional Technical Working Group

The Schools Division Offices are advised to observe the following timelines:

| Date | Activities | In-Charge | Venue |
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| May 19, 2023 | 1.Submission of School Paper Entries per Division (Elem/Secondary) 2.Payment of Registration (PhP 800) fee participant to the Treasurer of DRASPA, INC at LR Office. 3.Submission of Official Delegates/Participants 2 copies for secretariat and treasurer) per SDOS to the Regional Office using the standard template given. | Mary Jane M. Mejorada EPS – CLMD DRASPA,INC Officers | Durian Hall, DepEd RO XI LR Office Ground Floor DepEd RO XI |
| May 20-21, 2023 | 1. Conduct of 2023 School Paper Contest 2. Orientation of Regional Technical Working Group | ARD CLMD Chief REPS RTWGs and School Paper Contest Committee | Durian Hall 3 rd Floor DepEd RO XI |
| May 25, 2023 | Coordination Meeting with the Division Focal in Campus Journalism | ARD CLMD Chief REPS | Durian Hall 3 rd Floor DepEd RO XI |
| May 26, 2023 | Orientation on Terms of Reference of each Committees, Preparation of Contest Materials/ for Individual/Group Contests | ARD CLMD Chief REPS DRASPA,INC Officers (4) RTWG (10) | Durian Hall 3 rd Floor DepEd RO XI |



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| June 2, 2023 | Submission of Entries for Outstanding School Publication Adviser and Campus Journalist duly endorsed by the SDS per Division. | REPS LR Staff (2) ALS Staff (2) | CLMD Office 2 nd Floor DepEd RO XI |
| June 8, 2023 | Arrival of delegates | | |
| June 9-11, 2023 | Conduct of the 2023 Regional Schools Press Conference | Host Division RTWG | Digos City |
| June 10, 2023 | Tree Planting/ Mangrove Planting/Coastal Clean Up | RD ARD SDSs/ASDSs Chief (CLMD-CID) RSPC/RFOT Representative per Division | TBA c/o Digos City Division |
| June 16, 2023 | Debriefing completion of the report, dissemination of winners thru DepEd Regional Memo | REPS RTWG Host Division | TBA |
| July 11-14, 2023 | Regional Intensive Training for National Qualifiers | ARD CLMD Chief REPS Invited Speakers | NEAP |

A registration fee of **Eight Hundred pesos only (Php 800.00) shall be charged to each participant including the campus journalist, school paper adviser and coordinator**, remitted in advance to the Davao Region Association of School Publication Adviser's, INC (DRASPA,INC) at LR Office, Ground Floor Regional Office XI, to defray expenses on certificates, medals, plaques, trophies, honoraria while meals, transportation and other related expenses will be managed by the respective divisions. Membership fees of **One Hundred Pesos (Php100)** for the School Publication Adviser (SPA) and **Ninety Pesos (Php 90.00)** for Campus Journalists shall be collected by the DRASPA, INC Treasurer, all are chargeable against School's Maintenance and/ or other Operating Expenses/local/school/ Special Education Fund, School Campus Journalism Funds and other available funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

The school paper shall be submitted in **pdf format stored in 32G flash drive per Division** (top 5 winners) with the certificate of circulation duly signed by the principal and noted by Divisions-in-charge of journalism and approved by the Schools Division Superintendent, sealed on a short envelope on May 19, 2023, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM at Durian Hall, 3rd Floor, DepEd Regional Office XI.



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Recognizing and respecting Intellectual Property Rights, the DepEd Region XI adheres to the rule concerning plagiarism. This Department reiterates its stand to disqualify school papers found to have copied and published texts, graphics, and other materials without duly acknowledging their sources. **The disqualification covers all sections of the school paper whether they are published in print or electronic copy.** The Division-in-charge of campus journalism shall be responsible for this aspect.

SDOs are enjoined to strictly follow the **“No School Paper, No Student Contestant”** in conducting the contest at the division level ensuring that all pupil/student participants have their respective published school paper.

The **top three winners** in all contest events per level per medium shall be recognized and the points garnered from individual and group contests shall be included in the computation of the overall scores following the guidelines. However, only the **1st Place winners in all events** will represent the region in the 2023 NSPC.

Refer to the following enclosures for guidance and reference:

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| Enclosure No. 1 | Guidelines for the Search for Outstanding SPAs, CJs |
| Enclosure No. 2 | Templates on the Submission of Entries for Top 5 Winners (School Paper) in the DSPC and List of Top 3 Winners for Individual and Top 1 for Group Contest. |
| Enclosure No. 3 NSPC Memorandum No. 024, s. 2023 | General Guidelines in the Conduct of 2023 RSPC General Guidelines for School Paper Contest General Guidelines for Individual/ Group Contest |

Service credits shall be granted to the teacher participant (DepEd Order No. 53, s 2003) while Compensatory Overtime Credits (COC) shall be granted to other non-teaching personnel (CSC and DBM Joint Circular No.2, s 2004) for services rendered during weekend, and holidays.

In all SDOs and Regional activities, observance of the **Department of Health’s minimum public health standards** which include but shall not be limited to wearing of facemasks, physical distancing and other related measures related to the spread of Covid-19 is still reiterated. Every billeting school should have **Child Protection Desk** and proper **Waste Management System**. These should be handled by career guidance advocate and Science Club advisors, respectively.

Tree Planting/Coastal Clean-up/Mangrove Planting will be added to the activities of RSPC and RFOT, as advocacy campaign to help mitigate greenhouse effect and address climate change, to contribute to a clean environment as they improve air quality. This is in partnership with the CENRO Digos City.





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In case of additional information and/or requirements for the 2023 RSPC, advisories shall be issued accordingly.

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 Director IV

By the Authority of the Regional Director

REBONFAMIL R. BAGUIO
 Director III

Enclosure: As stated
 Reference: DM 024 s, 2023
 Allotment: None
 To be indicated in the PERPETUAL INDEX under the subject

SCHOOL PAPER *CAMPUS JOURNALISM*

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