



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
DIGOS CITY DIVISION

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID-2026-014

To : Curriculum Implementation Division Chief
Public Schools District Supervisors
School Heads
Selected Teachers

Subject : **CORRIGENDUM TO DM CID-2025-003 RE: REGIONAL SCHOOLS PRESS CONFERENCE AND JOURNALISM CAMP**

Date : January 19, 2026

By order of DM_CID_2025_003, re: Regional Schools Press Conference and Journalism Camp, this Office announces the following replacements for campus journalists and school paper advisers in the Digos City delegation due to health reasons. The list of replacements is as follows:

Name reflected in DM CID-2025-003	School	Replacement	Event	School
Shean Aries Rabor (Campus Journalist)	DicNHS	Jean Vic L. Hayag	Editorial/Secondary Filipino	DicNHS
Mico Pangilinan (Campus Journalist)	CJC	Sandra Mie Ruga	Editorial/Secondary Filipino	Matti NHS
Fatima Yashmin Jaitoni (Campus Journalist)	DicNHS	Tove Sarona	Sports Writing/Secondary English	DicNHS
Merilyn T. Galo (School Paper Adviser)	DMMES	Jessa Marie T. Bade	CRHW	DMMES
Merilyn T. Galo	DMMES	Tresha Marie C. Ednalgan	Collaborative Desktop Publishing	DMMES



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(School Paper Adviser)				
Jhoanne Ray Acuzar (School Paper Adviser)	DCCES	Sarna Maung	Feature Writing English Elem	DCCES
Chamen Villaganas (School Paper Adviser)	DCCES	Shemae Manacio	Editorial Cartooning Elementary English	DCCES
Catherine L Maghanoy (School Paper Adviser)	Igpit NHS	Lee Brenda C. Presellas	Pagsulat ng Balita Secondary Filipino	Igpit NHS

All other details in DM_CID_2025_003 remain in effect.

For information and guidance.

MELANIE P. ESTACIO, PhD, CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosed: As stated.

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID-2025- 063

To : Curriculum Implementation Division Chief
Public Schools District Supervisors
School Heads (Private/Public)
School Paper Advisers

Subject : **REGIONAL SCHOOLS PRESS CONFERENCE AND JOURNALISM CAMP**

Date : December 26, 2025

In reference to the Regional Memorandum CLMD-2025-645 dated November 17, 2025, re: **Regional Schools Press Conference and Journalism Camp**, this office informs the field of the conduct of the **Regional Schools Press Conference (RSPC)** and **Journalism Camp** with the theme, "**Journalism Amplifying Youth's Voices: Informing, Inspiring, Impacting**" on January 26-28, 2026 in Mati City and January 29-31, 2026 at RNEAP XI, Davao City.

The conference aims to:

- a. demonstrate understanding of journalism through skillful execution of journalistic skills in various platforms such as print and broadcast media.
- b. recognize the role of journalism in advocating 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.
- e. provide learners opportunities to use the skills learned in campus journalism for their future careers.

Found in the enclosures are the General Guidelines of the different competitions, and timelines for the RSPC (S.Y 2025-2026).

The "**No School Paper, No Student Contestant**" policy should be strictly followed to ensure that all participants are actively engaged in practicing their journalistic skills both print and online. All campus journalists must secure a **parent's consent** and obtain a **medical certificate**, completing these pre-RSPC



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requirements at least one week before the event. Coaches are responsible for arranging the safest and most convenient transportation for their journalists traveling to Mati City and Davao City.

All participants must pay a registration fee of ₱600.00, which should be collected by the Treasurer of the Digos City Association of School Paper Advisers (DCASPA) and shall be remitted to the Regional Office Cashier on January 16, 2026, to defray expenses for the certificates, medals, plaques, trophies, honoraria of judges, accommodations, assistance to host schools and meals.

Moreover, a membership fee of **One Hundred Pesos (Php100)** for the SPA and **Ninety Pesos (Php90)** for Campus Journalist shall be collected by the DRASPAI treasurer.

The official delegation to the RSPC is required to purchase sublimation t-shirts, priced at ₱290 for campus journalists and ₱390 for school paper advisers. For more information on shirt orders, please contact the officers of DCASPA.

All these including meals, transportation and other related expenses of the delegates are all chargeable against Schools Maintenance and 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.

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

Billeting schools will be secured by the Barangay Protection Office and should have Child Protection Desk and proper Waste Management System. All participants are reminded to bring their own bedding.

Attached are the following:

- A. Enclosure 1: Timeline for the Regional Schools Press Conference
- B. Enclosure 2; List of Student Contestants and Regional School Paper Entries
- C. Enclosure 3: Criteria for the Search for the Outstanding School Paper Adviser and Campus Journalist
- D. Enclosure 4: Guidelines for the School Paper Contest



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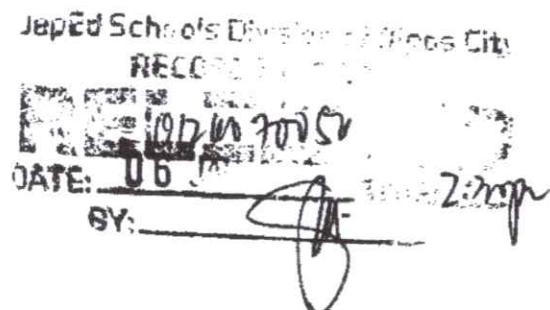
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E. Enclosure 5: Guidelines for Determining the Winners

For information, guidance and compliance.

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