## Department of Education REGION XI

## SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

## **DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

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To : Public Schools District Supervisors

School Heads/Principals/Administrators Public and Private Senior High Schools

Subject:

INVITATION TO THE PISIKAALAMAN

Date :

April 22, 2024

Herewith is a letter from UP Physics Association (UPPA) inviting senior high school students to participate in the face-to-face PISIKAalaman, an inter-high school physics quiz bee, on May 4, 2024 at the National Institute of Physics, University of the Philippines Diliman.

This Office informs the field that the participation of teachers and learners is on voluntary basis provided that no government funds shall be involved and subject to the policy on "No Disruption of Classes" per DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled "Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith."

Other details of the activity are in the enclosures.

For information, and guidance of the Schools.

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Enclosed: As stated.

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April 16, 2024

Melanie P. Estacio Schools Division Superintendent Department of Education, Digos City Digos City

Warm greetings from the UP Physics Association!

The **UP Physics Association (UPPA)** is an established non-profit, academic organization based at the National Institute of Physics, University of the Philippines Diliman, committed to the promotion and development of physics within and beyond the University. For over 40 years, UPPA has consistently organized projects and events that foster the study, awareness, and appreciation of physics among students and the general public.

In celebration of Physics Month 2024, UPPA is elated to announce the return of the face-to-face PISIKAalaman. This is an inter-high school physics quiz bee that aims to (a) gauge students in the development of their physics literacy and (b) encourage them to pursue physics- and science-related programs.

Attached to this email is the official event primer containing the mechanics and further details of PISIKAalaman 2024.

For the majority of its existence since 2004, the event only catered to schools within Metro Manila. However, the pandemic allowed PISIKAalaman to expand its operations outside Metro Manila, inviting high school students from all over the country online with nearly 200 participating teams. Now in its 20th year, drawing from recent experiences, UPPA brings the challenge in person to provinces outside the National Capital Region.

Having these in mind, we are humbly requesting your office to assist us in the **promotion of PISIKAalaman 2024 to senior high schools across your Division**. The event will be held in person at the **National Institute of Physics**, **University of the Philippines Diliman** on **04 May 2024 (Saturday)**. Interested schools may register through this link:

tinyurl.com/PISIKAalaman2024RegForm.

Should you have any questions, please contact us via <a href="mailto:uppa-org@nip.upd.edu.ph">uppa-org@nip.upd.edu.ph</a> or through any of the given contact details in this letter.





Thank you for your kind consideration.

In the Spirit of Uplifting Science,

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