

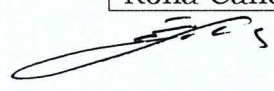


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 REGION VI-WESTERN VISAYAS  
 SCHOOLS DIVISION OF KABANKALAN CITY

Special Order No. 12, s. 2023

The following teachers of the Schools Division Office of Kabankalan City who attended the 2023 Regional Schools Press Conference (RSPC) on June 24-25, 2023 are hereby given service credit/s as per DepEd Order No. 53, s. 2003, to wit:

NAME	NUMBER OF DAY/S
May T. Moedin	2
Ryan Noel L. Linas	2
Maribeth Garcia	2
Russelle Tumayan	2
Jan Alfred Nombre	2
Mary Queenie Lumacad	2
Mark Anthony Lumacad	2
Virginita C. Perequin	2
Mary Jane Filamo	2
Nelieta M. Calambro	2
Elsie B. Cervantes	2
Marimar A. Pelagio	2
Elsa N. Casildo	2
Justin C. Mangao	2
Cherry Mae T. Granada	2
Sheila Rose P. Morin	2
Martin D. Bandic	2
Jeanabel B. Gumata	2
Mike G. Palermo	2
Aiza F. Pacheo	2
Mary Jane Escanlar	2
Grace T. Yelo	2
Bethel D. Hudierrez	2
Yen C Leah B. Navos	2
Rona Canete	2



**MICHELL L. ACOYONG, CESO VI**  
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 Office of the Schools Division Superintendent





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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 375 s. 2023

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

To: Schools Division Superintendents  
All Others Concerned

- Pursuant to Republic Act (RA) No. 7079, also known as the Campus Journalism Act of 1991, this Office announces the conduct of the 2023 Regional Schools Press Conference (RSPC) with the theme **"From Campus Journalism to Real-World Journalism: Shaping Minds from Schools to Societies."** The specific venue shall be announced in a separate Memorandum.
- The RSPC will be conducted on the following dates:
  - June 6 (Virtual Pre-Contest for Radio Scriptwriting and Broadcasting);
  - June 7 (Virtual Pre-Contest for TV Scriptwriting and Broadcasting);
  - June 17-18, 2023 Elementary (Individual and Group Contests); and
  - June 24-25, 2023 Secondary (Individual and Group Contests).
- The Conference aims to:
  - demonstrate understanding of journalism through skillful execution in various platforms (i.e., print, broadcast, online);
  - recognize the role of journalism in advocating for social consciousness and environmental awareness;
  - promote fair and ethical use of media as tenets of responsible journalism;
  - foster camaraderie and enrich learning experiences through healthy and friendly competitions; and
  - provide learners opportunities to use the skills learned in campus journalism for their future careers.
- For the impartial and unbiased selection of contestants to participate in the RSPC, the Division Schools Press Conference (DSPC) and District Schools Press Conference (for large and very large SDOs) must be conducted.
- The Schools Division Offices must ensure protection of instructional time by conducting the DSPC after class hours in adherence to DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith and DepEd Order No. 34, s. 2022 titled School Calendar and Activities for School Year 2022-2023. They shall also secure parents permit of all the official RSPC delegates.
- The eligible RSPC participants include the following:

**Table 1. RSPC Participants**

Categories	Reminders	Number of Winners
<b>Individual Categories (English/Filipino)</b>	(Aklan, Antique, Bacolod, Capiz, Guimaras, Iloilo, Iloilo City, Negros Occidental, and Roxas City)	Top five (5) division winners per medium with their Coaches
	Bago, Cadiz, Escalante, Himamaylan, <u>Kabankalan</u> , La Carlota, Passi City, San Carlos,	Top three (3) division winners per medium with their Coaches



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<b>Group Categories</b>	<b>Pre-Contest for:</b> <b>Radio Scriptwriting</b> on June 6, 2023 <b>TV Broadcasting</b> on June 7, 2023 One (1) team per medium (Composed of five (5) members each team)	<b>Top 3 team</b> of the Pre-Contest will be announced on June 13, 2023 with their respective Team Coach
	<b>No Pre-contests for:</b> Collaborative Desktop Publishing Online Publishing	One (1) team per medium (Composed of five (5) members each team) their Team Coach
<b>School Paper Category</b>	No submission of hard copy	Maximum of (5) division entries regardless of medium and categories.

7. The Schools Division Education Program Supervisors In-Charge of Campus Journalism are encouraged to attend this activity to monitor and assist their respective participants and disseminate the guidelines relative to the conduct of the 2023 RSPC.
8. Attached are the guidelines for individual, group, outstanding SPA and CJ and school paper contests.
9. Food, accommodation, and operational expenses of the Technical Working Group (TWG), and judges shall be charged against ROP-MOOE/downloaded funds. While travel and other incidental expenses of the official delegates to school's Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE)/local funds (SEF), School Campus Journalism Fund and other allowable funds, whichever is applicable subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
10. The teachers involved in the activity as coaches are entitled to Service Credits for their services rendered during weekends and holidays but not to exceed 15 days in accordance with DepEd Order No. 53, s. 2003 entitled: "Updated Guidelines on the Grant of Vacation Service Credits to Teachers". On the other hand, non-teaching personnel shall be provided with Compensatory Time Off (CTO) for their services rendered during weekends and holidays as per Civil Service Commission (CSC) and Department of Budget and Management (DBM) Joint Circular No. 2, s. 2004 on Non-Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Service Rendered.
11. For queries and clarifications, contact Dr. Nestor Paul M. Pingil, Regional Coordinator for Campus Journalism, at mobile no. 09171135248 or [email at nestor paul.pingil@deped.gov.ph](mailto:nestor paul.pingil@deped.gov.ph).
12. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

  
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Regional Director

Encl.: 1-19

Reference: None

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects: