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DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 41, s. 2012

PARTICIPATION TO THE 2011-2012 NATIONAL SCHOOLS PRESS CONFERENCE (NSPC)

To: **ALL SCHOOL HEADS**
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Levels

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 235, s. 2011, the National Schools Press Conference will be held in Puerto Princesa, Palawan of Region IV-B with the theme **"Promoting Digital Literacy Through Campus Journalism"** on April 8-13, 2012 exclusive of travel time.
2. The conference aims to enable the participants to:
 - a. demonstrate understanding of the importance of journalism by expressing it through different journalistic endeavors and approaches;
 - b. provide activities which will encourage the students to pursue careers/studies in journalism; and
 - c. enhance journalistic competence through healthy and friendly competitions.
3. The registration fee of Four Thousand Pesos (**P4,000.00**) of all official participants and the cost of the t-shirt shall be borne by the Regional Office, while their **transportation and all other incidental expenses** shall be charged against local funds/school journalism funds/ PTA or other sources of funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
4. The participants are tasked to make their own transportation arrangements with the travel agency of their choice. All the participants are expected to be in Puerto Princesa, Palawan on Sunday, April 8 and are expected to leave for home after breakfast of Friday, April 13, 2012.
5. Other officials from Division offices which include the Schools Division Superintendents and Education Program Supervisors in English and Filipino may join the Regional delegation provided that their registration fees, transportation and other incidental expenses be charged against their own local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. However the **plane fare** for the Education Program Supervisor for English and Filipino for **Baguio City Division** shall be shouldered by the Regional office funds being the **HOST and DIVISION CHAMPION** but for **all other incidental expenses** shall be charged against their own local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. Non-official participants such as parents and chaperons are requested to coordinate directly with the host division or DepEd region IV - B for billeting reservations.
7. Each contestant should bring a copy of their school paper upon registration. Contestants are also advised to bring their school IDs.
8. Each Radio Broadcast Team is advised to bring Laptop and Printer for the Broadcast and scriptwriting Contest.
9. Attached is the official list of the division delegation to the National Schools Press Conference.
10. The billeting school for CAR participants is East Central School. Contact person is Dr. Helen Salvoro, principal, with contact no. 09183971953/ (048)434-1713.
11. Wide and immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.


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