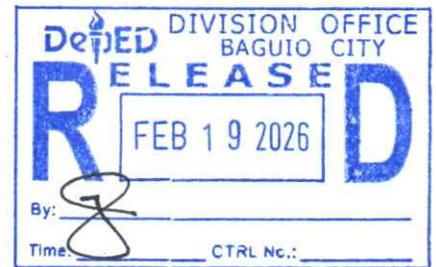




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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. **146-2026**

**2026 PRESS CON VIBE: INQUIRER'S MENTORING SESSION ON JOURNALISM**

To: CID and SGOD Chiefs  
 English and Filipino EPSs  
 Public School District Supervisors  
 Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads/Principals  
 Public and Private School Paper Advisers (SPA)  
 All Others Concerned

1. Relative to the recently conducted 2026 Division Schools Press Conference and continuous Cliniquing of Top 3 Winners, there will be a **half-day Mentoring on Journalism, specifically on News Writing and Photojournalism, by the Philippine Daily Inquirer on February 20, 2026 from 1:00 to 5:00 in the afternoon at the SDO Baguio Training Hall/Center.**
2. With the DSPC theme, *"Resilient Voices: Championing Truth and Community Recovery through Campus Journalism,"* this activity aims to equip campus journalists in producing high-impact reports that are both factually rigorous and visually compelling aligned also with PDI's standard of 'Balanced News, Fearless Views'.
3. The expected participants, both campus journalist and coach, are the following:
  - a. Newswriting (English and Filipino, Elementary and Secondary)

CONTEST: NEWS WRITING				LEVEL: ELEMENTARY		
RANK	CONTESTANT	SCHOOL	SCHOOL PAPER	COACH	SCHOOL HEAD	DISTRICT
1 <sup>ST</sup>	JYRESHA DAWN T. POLICARPIO	ELPIDIO R. QUIRINO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	EAGLE EYES HERALD	AENID A. MACASIO	JOSEPH A. ESTIGOY	7
2 <sup>ND</sup>	LANCE XURIEL D. BERGONIA	ALFONSO TABORA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	THE NORTH WIND	RACHEL ANN R. TORRES	GLORIA A. CATIYAN	9
3 <sup>RD</sup>	GRAYNE THEO DEL ROSARIO	GIBRALTAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	GIBRALTAR CHRONICLES	SARAH D. GARCIA	GEMMA N. LOMBOY	1

CONTEST: NEWS WRITING				LEVEL: SECONDARY		
RANK	CONTESTANT	SCHOOL	SCHOOL PAPER	COACH	SCHOOL HEAD	DISTRICT
1 <sup>ST</sup>	SIMONE SKY C. FLORA	BAGUIO CITY HIGH SCHOOL	THE PINETREE	SHERLY MAE C. NERI	WHITNEY A. DAWAYEN	3
2 <sup>ND</sup>	LAURENCE CARLO U. VELASQUEZ	UNIVERSITY OF BAGUIO SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL	GAZETTE	VERONICA M. BITO	THEA P. SUACO	9
3 <sup>RD</sup>	LIBAYAN A. BATANE	FORT DEL PILAR NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	THE FORT HIGH	FLORHIZA B. CAYAT	SALOME C. FANGKINGAN	2

CONTEST: PAGSULAT NG BALITA				LEVEL: ELEMENTARY		
RANK	CONTESTANT	SCHOOL	SCHOOL PAPER	COACH	SCHOOL HEAD	DISTRICT
1 <sup>ST</sup>	Darlene R. Aguilba	Pacday Quinio ES	Mumbaki	Sheila P. Dulnuan	Annie Laurie W. Bisquera	10
2 <sup>ND</sup>	Alexa Mae J. Shodang	Camp 7 ES	Tinig ng Bued	Rona W. Ambaked	Ester Hyde L. Pucdihon	3
3 <sup>RD</sup>	Fenelope S. Morafeda	Quezon Hill ES	Ang Tinig	Yolanda E. Lipaen	Maria O. Palsi	7

CONTEST: PAGSULAT NG BALITA				LEVEL: SECONDARY		
RANK	CONTESTANT	SCHOOL	SCHOOL PAPER	COACH	SCHOOL HEAD	DISTRICT
1 <sup>ST</sup>	Micah Piolyn M. Morados	Saint Louis School of Pacdal, Inc.	Pamana	Shanley A. Timoteo	Sandra B. Pulkerio	1
2 <sup>ND</sup>	Hannah Katlyn Mae L. Bucbucalon	Baguio Central University HS	Ang Gangsa	Fely B. Agacia	Manion K. Alcantara	8
3 <sup>RD</sup>	Chelsea Fianna B. Samson	University of Baguio Science HS	Alluyon	Jesus G. Boac	Thea P. Suaco	9



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**b. Photojournalism (English and Filipino, Elementary and Secondary)**

CONTEST: PHOTOJOURNALISM				LEVEL: ELEMENTARY		
RANK	CONTESTANT	SCHOOL	SCHOOL PAPER	COACH	SCHOOL HEAD	DISTRICT
1 <sup>ST</sup>	LIANNE CHELSEE G. VIERNES	DOÑA AURORA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	AURORANS	ETHEL LOI MAE D. PAGADUAN	ESTRELLA B. BULAY	4
2 <sup>ND</sup>	ANGEL MELODY T. ESMELE	MANUEL L. QUEZON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	THE SPARK	JOSIE G. GOLEZ	HERMOSO P. BUNNOL	1
3 <sup>RD</sup>	BRIANNA L. GASMEN	DOÑA NICASIA J. PUYAT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	NICASIA MODERNITES	LALAINA MALINGAY A. BINOHLAN	OCTAVIA M. PEDRO	4

CONTEST: PHOTOJOURNALISM				LEVEL: SECONDARY		
RANK	CONTESTANT	SCHOOL	SCHOOL PAPER	COACH	SCHOOL HEAD	DISTRICT
1 <sup>ST</sup>	DWEIN MARKEEN S. CALAUNAN	UNIVERSITY OF BAGUIO SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL	GAZETTE	VERONICA M. BITO	THEA P. SUACO	9
2 <sup>ND</sup>	JAMIE FRANCES R. MILLORA	BAGUIO CITY HIGH SCHOOL	THE PINETREE	SHERLY MAE C. NERI	WHITNEY A. DAWAYEN	3
3 <sup>RD</sup>	TANYA BRIANNA B. ALBERTO	ACADEMIA DE SOPHIA INTERNATIONAL	THE GUARDIAN	CRISMAEL B. RULLODA	AILEEN T. MAYOMIS	9

CONTEST: PAGKUKHA NG LARAWANG PAMPAHAYAGAN				LEVEL: ELEMENTARY		
RANK	CONTESTANT	SCHOOL	SCHOOL PAPER	COACH	SCHOOL HEAD	DISTRICT
1 <sup>ST</sup>	Mhykie Shanne C. Mallari	Fort del Pilar ES	Fort Balita	Lydia L. Chaguna	Remedios P. Quiño	2
2 <sup>ND</sup>	Ericka Fiona R. San Jose	Bakakeng ES	Agamang	Neniruth C. Maguensay	Jimmy B. Garcia Jr.	10
3 <sup>RD</sup>	Margaux Czoie T. Bulacan	Baguio City SPED Center	Sulong Sped	Julie Grace M. Polon	Rommel L. Manzano	3

CONTEST: PAGKUKHA NG LARAWANG PAMPAHAYAGAN				LEVEL: SECONDARY		
RANK	CONTESTANT	SCHOOL	SCHOOL PAPER	COACH	SCHOOL HEAD	DISTRICT
1 <sup>ST</sup>	Rachel Ann P. Alban	Pines City National High School	Ang Kanyaw	Junah Clarrise B. Magalalit	Danilo P. Gayao	6
2 <sup>ND</sup>	Mrinalini Fabielle P. Bigo	Pinget National High School	Bilig	Maricel D. Dionisio	Johnny A. Kidian	9
3 <sup>RD</sup>	Angel Jireh G. Audije	Mil-an NHS	Ang Kagang	Charlene L. Uson	Jeoferino M. Guinuntad	3

**c. Newswriters and Photojournalists (English and Filipino, Elementary and Secondary) of the following:**

Category	Learner		Coach		School
Collaborative Publishing	1	Newswriter	1	Genesis Joy Yang-ed	Rizal ES
	2	Photojournalist			
	3	Newswriter	2	Roselle Aniceto	UB Science HS
	4	Photojournalist			
	5	Newswriter	3	Nonette Alsino	SPED Center
	6	Photojournalist			
	7	Newswriter	4	Marijoy Mendoza	BCHS
	8	Photojournalist			
Online Publishing	9	Newswriter	5	Roselle Aniceto	UB Science HS
	10	Photojournalist			
	11	Newswriter	6	Marjorie Conggas	BCHS
	12	Photojournalist			
Radio Broadcasting	13	Newswriter	7	Cristina Dea Tamayo	UB Lab ES
	14	Photojournalist			
	15	Newswriter	8	Dy-an Mark Rodriguez	UBHS
	16	Photojournalist			
	17	Newswriter	9	Florianne Dangiwan	UB Lab ES
	18	Photojournalist			
	19	Newswriter	10	Dy-an Mark Rodriguez	UBHS
20	Photojournalist				
TV Broadcasting	21	Newswriter	10	Emilia Guinuntad	PCNHS
	22	Photojournalist			
	23	Newswriter	11	Ramelia Ulpindo	BCHS
	24	Photojournalist			

4. Concerned teachers/coaches shall coordinate accordingly in congruence to the no-disruption of classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order no. 9 s. 2005





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titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance therewith.

5. Please be guided accordingly. For clarification or inquiries, feel free to contact Ms. Juliet C. Sannad, CID Chief at (074) 619-3491.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.

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*Schools Division Superintendent*

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