

March 19, 2015

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

NO. 23, s. 2015


**NATIONWIDE CREATIVE PAINTING CONTEST FOR OSY AND ESSAY WRITING CONTEST
FOR GRADE 7, 8, 9 & 10 STUDENTS IN COMMEMORATION OF 73RD ARAW NG KAGITINGAN AND
PHILIPPINE VETERANS WEEK**

**To : All Education Program Supervisors
District Supervisor
Secondary School Heads of Public and Private Schools
ALS- Coordinators (DALC's)**

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 146, s. 2014 entitled "**2015 Conduct of National Observances and Commemorations of Historical Event and Related Activities**", marks the 73rd Araw ng Kagitingan and the period of April 5-11 as Philippine Veterans Week with the theme: "**Ipunla ang Kagitingan sa Kabataan, Ihanda ang Beterano ng Kinabukasan.**"
2. This Office announces the *Nationwide Creative Painting and Essay Writing Contest* to be participated by the OSY Students included in the list of Division ALS Chapter and Secondary students currently enrolled in Gr. 7 , 8 , 9 & 10 from both public and private schools.
3. The commemoration aims to promote, preserve and memorialize the principles, ideals and heroic deeds of the war veterans as a means to enhance patriotism and love of country, especially among the youth.
4. Attached are the mechanics, criteria and entry forms of the said contest for your easy reference.
5. Deadline for submission of entries in the Division Level will be **on March 25, 2015 from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.** Kindly submit your entry(ies) to **Mrs. Lorraine Bautista** , office Clerk of EPS's Division Promotional Staff Office, Division of Antipolo City.

Attention: Reynaldo M. Andrade, Jr.
Education Program Supervisor- Filipino
Division Coordinator for Special Events

6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired.


for: **MERTHEL M. EVARDOME, Ed.D.**
Acting- Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
OIC- Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

73RD ARAW NG KAGITINGAN AND PHILIPPINE VETERANS WEEK

CONTEST MECHANICS
NATIONWIDE CREATIVE PAINTING CONTEST

1. This contest is open to Out-of-School Youth (OSY) nationwide, ages 15 to 20, high school undergraduate and currently unemployed. The OSY should be included in the list of ALS-Regional/Division/Chapter of the Department of Education (DepEd).
2. The theme of this year's competition is "**Ipunla ang Kagitingan sa Kabataan, Ihanda ang Beterano ng Kinabukasan**". It aims to increase awareness of the Araw Ng Kagitingan as a shining moment of courage and commitment to freedom by our WWII veterans.
3. The contestant should submit two (2) similar paintings in a 20"x30" and 15"x20" illustration boards. Any medium can be used. Similar data should be placed in a ½ A-4 bond paper, computerized and be posted at the back of both paintings.

OSY Name
 Division/Chapter
 Region
 Message (1 or 2 sentences only in Filipino)

4. The Philippine Flag should not be used as a background in the painting. If used as a part, it should be placed in a conspicuous place to show its importance to the art work. (Please refer to Sec. 39 – Prohibited Acts of RA 8491).
5. Criteria are as follows:

a.	Message	40%
b.	Visual Impact	30%
c.	Originality	30%
	Total	100%

All entries must arrive in this Office not later than March 27, 2015 (Friday). Judging will begin promptly at 9:00 am on March 28, 2015 (Saturday). Each entry must be accompanied by the following requirements:

- a. A certification from the Division ALS Coordinator that the contestant is included in the list of ALS-Out of School Youth program of DepEd.
- b. Scanned image of the OSY and the ALS Division Coordinator (school ID or any valid ID); and
- c. Accomplished entry form.

Note: Entries with incomplete requirements will not be accepted

6. Entries should be submitted to:

To: **UNDERSECRETARY MARIO A. DERIQUITO**
 For Partnerships and External Linkages

Attention: **MS. LUZVIMINDA F. DELA ROSA**
 PDO III, OIC, Special Events Unit
 Room 505 Bonifacio Bldg., DepED Central Office
 DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City, 1600

7. Prizes are as follows.

a.	First Prize	Cash Prize + (Medal/Trophy/Certificate)
b.	Second Prize	Cash Prize + (Medal/Trophy/Certificate)
c.	Third Prize	Cash Prize + (Medal/Trophy/Certificate)
8. The organizers (DND and DepEd) have the right to publish the entries and own the paintings.
9. Previous winners in the Nationwide Creative Painting Competition, initiated and conducted by DepEd-SEU, are not allowed to join in this contest.
10. The decision of the Board of Judges is final and irrevocable.
11. Winners will be notified through call and they will be awarded at Mt. Samat Shrine, Bataan on April 9, 2015.

CONTEST MECHANICS: CREATIVE PAINTING COMPETITION

Enclosure No. 1a

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - SPECIAL EVENTS UNIT
73rd Araw ng Kagitingan and Philippine Veterans Week
Theme: "Ipunla ang Kagitingan sa Kabataan, Ihanda ang Beterano ng Kinabukasan"

ENTRY FORM
NATIONWIDE CREATIVE PAINTING COMPETITION

OSY INFORMATION

Name of OSY / Contestant (Surname, Given Name, M.I.)	Age	Gender	Date of Birth
Tel & Cellphone No(s).		E-mail Address / Facebook Account	
OSY Chapter (Region/Division)		Signature of the Contestant	

COACH / CHAPERONE INFORMATION

Name of Coach / Chaperone (Surname, Given Name, M.I.)	Designation		
Tel & Cellphone No(s).	Relation to the Candidate <input type="checkbox"/> Coach <input type="checkbox"/> Chaperone/Parent	Age	Gender
E-Mail Address(es) / Facebook Account	Signature of Coach / Chaperone		

We certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of our knowledge.

CONTESTANT
Signature over printed name

COACH
Signature over printed name

Endorsed by:

DIVISION ALS COORDINATOR
Signature over printed name

73RD ARAW NG KAGITINGAN AND PHILIPPINE VETERANS WEEK

CONTEST MECHANICS NATIONWIDE ESSAY WRITING CONTEST

1. This contest is open to all Grades 7, 8, 9 and 10 students enrolled in any public or private secondary schools nationwide. The school should be duly recognized by the Department of Education.
2. The theme of this year's competition is "Ipunla ang Kagitingan sa Kabataan, Ihanda ang Beterano ng Kinabukasan". It aims to increase awareness of the Araw Ng Kagitingan as a shining moment of courage and commitment to freedom by our WWII veterans.
3. The essay must be written in Filipino, computerized in an A4 bond paper, single spaced, Font 12, Times New Roman, and with a minimum of 4 pages and a maximum of 5 pages.
4. Criteria are as follows:

a.	Substance and Originality	50%
b.	Style and Language	30%
c.	Organization	20%
	Total	100%
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 - a. A certification from the principal that the contestant is enrolled in the current school year (SY 2014-2015);
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 - c. Accomplished entry form.

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Enclosure No. 2a

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ENTRY FORM
NATIONWIDE ESSAY WRITING CONTEST

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name of Student / Contestant (Surname, Given Name, M.I)		Age	Gender	Date of Birth
Year and Section	School Name	School Address		
Tel & Cellphone No(s).		E-mail Address / Facebook Account		
Region / Division		Signature of the Contestant		
Title of the Essay				

COACH / CHAPERONE INFORMATION

Name of Coach / Chaperone (Surname, Given Name, M.I)	Designation		
Tel & Cellphone No(s).	Relation to the Candidate	Age	Gender
	<input type="checkbox"/> Coach <input type="checkbox"/> Chaperone/Parent		
E-Mail Address(es) / Facebook Account	Signature of Coach / Chaperone		

We certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of our knowledge.

STUDENT/CONTESTANT

Signature over printed name

COACH/ADVISER

Signature over printed name

Endorsed by:

PRINCIPAL

Signature over printed name