



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Cordillera Administrative Region
Schools Division of Tabuk City
Purok 2, Bulanao Norte, Tabuk City, Kalinga



Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
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CONDUCT OF THE 2024 DIVISION SCHOOLS PRESS CONFERENCE(DSPC)

TO : Public Schools District Supervisors
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads
School Paper Advisers and Campus Journalists
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to Republic Act (RA) No. 7079, also known as the Campus Journalism Act of 1991, released through DepEd Order (DO) No. 94, s. 1992 which stipulates the holding of the annual press conferences, this Office through the Curriculum Implementation Division (CID) announces the Conduct of the **2024 Division Schools Press Conference on March 7, 8 and 9, 2024 at the Tabuk City National High School, Dagupan Weste, Tabuk City.**
2. The conference aims to:
 - a. Demonstrate understanding of the importance of journalism by expressing it through varied journalistic endeavors and approaches;
 - b. Sustain advocacy on social consciousness;
 - c. Provide a venue for enriching learning experience for students interested in pursuing journalism as a career;
 - d. Promote responsible journalism and fair use of social media; and,
 - e. Enhance journalistic competence through healthy and friendly competitions.
3. The participants to this activity are the Campus Journalists (CJ) with their respective School Paper Advisers (SPA), the Technical Working Group (TWG), EPSs in English and Filipino and the Chief Education Supervisors.
4. The conference includes the following activities in two levels: elementary and secondary, and of two media: English and Filipino:
 - A. Individual Contests;
 - B. School Paper Contest;
 - C. Radio Script Writing and Broadcasting Contest;
 - D. TV Script Writing and Broadcasting Contests (for secondary level);
 - E. Collaborative Desktop Publishing (CDP) Contest;
 - F. Online Desktop Publishing
 - G. Concurrent Sessions



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H. Awarding of the Winners, the Outstanding School Paper Advisers (SPAs), and Campus Journalists (CJs) among others.

5. School paper entries per section/level/media and the supporting documents of candidates for the Outstanding School Paper Advisers and Campus Journalists and all school paper entries (print or PDF copy) shall be submitted to the Division Office on or before **March 1, 2024** . The School Paper is a mandatory requirement of the activity based on NO School Paper , NO student Contestant Policy.
6. An amount of One Hundred Pesos (**PhP 100**) shall be collected from each participant to cover operational expenses such as supplies, trophy and medals and other needs charged against school local funds/journalism funds/ canteen funds or any available funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing policies/rules and regulations. Meals and travel expenses shall be provided by the school / PTA.
7. One day compensatory overtime credit or compensatory time-off (COCs/CTO) shall be granted to the coaches and Technical Working Group (TWG) composed of teaching and non-teaching personnel in lieu of March 9,2024 Saturday.
8. For further information and clarification, pls contact Feliciano L.Agsaoay Jr, EPS Filipino and Maribel M. Bravo, EPS- English CP#09361503493/09277224544.
9. For your information and strict compliance.

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