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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Region VIII



SCHOOLS DIVISION OF CATBALOGAN CITY

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 362 s. 2018

84th NATIONAL BOOK WEEK GRAPHIC NOVEL MAKING AND ESSAY WRITING CONTEST

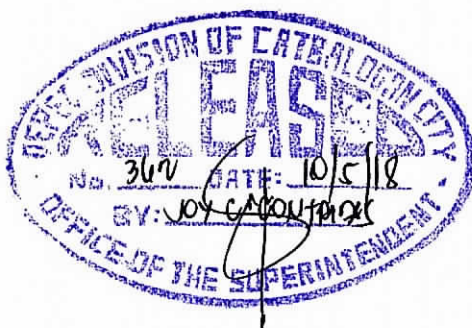
To: Chief Education Program Supervisor
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Secondary School Heads, Public and Private
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to Regional Memorandum No. 490 s. 2018 dated October 3, 2018, the OIC-Campus Director, Philippine Science High School-Eastern Visayas Council (PSHS-EVC), Tacloban City is inviting high school students to join the Graphic Novel Making and Essay Writing Contest relative to the 84th National Book Week Celebration on October 15, 2018 at 9:00 AM at the PSHS-EVC Computer Science Laboratory, Palo, Leyte.
2. It is suggested by the division that every high school shall conduct a school level contest relative to this.
3. For further details about the contests, refer to the attached guidelines and mechanics.
4. Travelling and incidental expenses of the participants relative to this activity shall be charged against **Local/School MOOE Funds**, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this MEMORANDUM are highly desired.

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OIC, Schools Division Superintendent

For the Schools Division Superintendent:

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Administrative Officer V

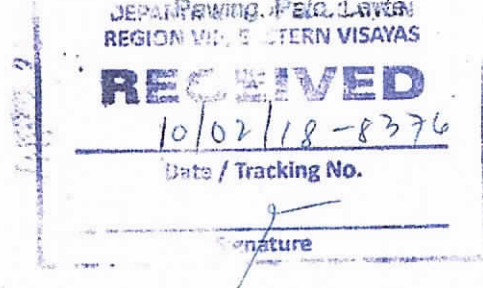


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Dear Sir/Maam:

Greetings!

In celebration of the 84th National Book Week, we, the Philippine Librarians Association, Inc.-Eastern Visayas Region Librarians Council (PLAI-EVRLC) in cooperation with the Philippine Science High School-Eastern Visayas Campus (PSHS-EVC), would like to invite your student (only one participant per contest) to join our Graphic Novel Making (Senior High School) and Essay Writing Contest (Grade 7-12) on October 15, 2018. This is a regional elimination round wherein the first three winners will automatically be the official entry for the national competition. The venue for the contest will be at the PSHS-EVC Computer Science Laboratory (Graphic Novel Making) and Library (Essay Writing Contest). (Please see the separate sheet for the mechanics and guidelines of the contest).

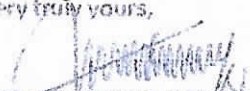
This activity is specifically aimed to enhance the artistic prowess of the students through comic book format and creative ideas through writing skills, and expose them with this kind of contest outside of their own school.


For confirmation of your attendance to the contest and for further queries regarding the contest, please contact the undersigned on this number 09778500960 or email at melalope@evc.pshs.edu.ph.


We are looking forward to your favorable response.

Thank you

Very truly yours,


MELANIE LYNN M. CALOPE, RL
PSHS-EVC Librarian


FLORITA CABATO
PLAI-EVRLC President


YVONNE M. ESPERAS
OIC-Campus Director, PSHS-EVC

GRAPHIC NOVEL MAKING

Guidelines and mechanics:

1. The Graphic Novel Making contest is open to all Grade 11-12 (Senior High School students) in the public and private high schools within Eastern Visayas Region. There should only be one (1) entry per school. Registration of participant per category should be done by clicking on this link: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeDs9xLB5BcUxRKj0K7KEfiRmnoT5kOE697u4W56uv9z53tjA/viewform> Just follow the instruction and click the submit button to be registered.

For those locations which have no internet connection, please copy the registration form below and bring this form upon registration. You have to inform by texting the organizer before the date of the contest proper that you have confirmed your participation on this number (0977) 8500960.

Registration Form

Please register me as a participant to the Graphic Novel Making Contest:

Name of Contestant: _____

Name of Coach: _____

Name of School _____

School Address: _____

Email Address _____

Signature of Principal: _____

Name of Principal: _____

Date: _____

and send to Melanie Lyn Calope, PSHS-EVC
Librarian, Pawing, Palo, Leyte

**Deadline for registration is October 12,
2018.**

2. This contest is open to ALL Grade 11-12, specifically the Senior High School students.
3. The first three winners in the regional level will automatically be the official entry for the national contest.
4. Participants are encouraged to create their own comic book with a maximum length of 8 pages only, including the cover page, based on the 2018 National Book Week theme: "CONNECTED ACTIONS, COLLECTIVE VISION : LIBRARIES TRANSFORMING SOCIETY."
5. They must use letter-size paper (8.5 x 11) with black-and-white drawings and text on one side only.
6. Each submission must be a creative and original work of the submitting author/illustrator. Any submissions with more than one author/illustrator listed (within the same institution), will be considered a single entry and will share any prize possibly awarded.
7. Computer generated images are acceptable as long as they are original work (no clip art).

8. Bring your printed graphic novel artwork on the day of the contest upon registration.

9. Digital entries must be submitted online to mlcalope@evc.pshs.edu.ph as a JPEG or PDF attachment no later than 11:59 PM on October 12, 2018.

10. The following are the criteria for judging:

- a. 35% Content (Overall Story)
 - b. 30% Originality
 - c. 20% Creativity
 - d. 20% Illustrations
- 100% TOTAL**

11. Judging of entries will be done one hour after the showcase of the printed artwork.

12. Submitting author/illustrator or the representative of the group work should be present during the judging for further questions asked by the judges.

13. All entries will become the property of the Philippine Librarians Association, Inc.-Eastern Visayas Region Librarians Council (PLAI-EVRLC).

14. The winners for the regional elimination will receive the following:

- Regional Champion – P 1,000.00 with a medal and a certificate of recognition (coach and participant)
- 1st Runner-Up – P 700.00 with a medal and a certificate of recognition (coach and participant)
- 2nd Runner-Up – P 500.00 with a medal and a certificate of recognition (coach and participant)

15. Awarding of medals and certificates will be conducted one hour after the end of the contest proper. Hence, the top three winners for the Novel Graphic will also be awarded.

16. The Nationwide winners will receive the following prizes :

- 1st Prize – P 5,000.00 and a Certificate of Recognition for the school
- 2nd Prize – P 4,000.00 and a Certificate of Recognition for the school
- 3rd Prize – P 3,000.00 and a Certificate of Recognition for the school

17. Winners will officially be awarded during the official opening of the 84th National Book Week on November 24, 2018 at the National Library of the Philippines.

ESSAY WRITING CONTEST

Guidelines and mechanics:

1. The Essay Writing contest is open to all Grade 7-12 students in the public and private high schools within Eastern Visayas Region. There should only be one (1) entry per school. Registration of participant per category should be done by clicking on this link: <https://goo.gl/forms/C6fzjwwMtCr1QEY03>. Just follow the instructions and click the submit button to be registered.

For those locations which have no internet connection, please copy the registration form below and bring this form upon registration. You have to inform by texting the organizer before the date of the contest proper that you have confirmed your participation on this number (0977)8500960.

Registration Form

Please register me as a participant to the Essay Writing Contest:

Name of Contestant: _____

Name of Coach: _____

Name of School _____

School Address: _____

Email Address _____

Signature of Principal: _____

Name of Principal: _____

Date: _____

and send to Melanie Lyn Calope, PSHS-EVC Librarian,
Pawing, Palo, Leyte

Deadline for registration is on October 12, 2018.

2. The contestants are given one (1) hour to write their essay based on the theme for this year's National Book Week celebration.
3. The theme of the essay will be the theme of the National Book Week 2018 celebration, which is **"Connected Actions, Collective Vision: Libraries Transforming Society."** It must be handwritten in English in not more than 300 words.
4. The first three winners in the regional level will automatically be the official entry for the national contest.
5. The top three winning entries in the regional level should be certified by the Regional Council to be accepted as entries for the national contest. Entries should be submitted with a computerized copy.

6. The contestant's name and school must be written on a separate sheet of paper and stapled or attached at the back of the entry.
7. All entries will become the property of the Philippine Librarians Association, Inc.-Eastern Visayas Region Librarians Council (PLAI-EVRLC).
8. The criteria for judging will be as follows:
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|-----------------|---|------|
| a. Organization | - | 35% |
| b. Content | - | 35% |
| c. Mechanics | - | 30% |
| Total | | 100% |
9. Awarding of medals and certificates will be conducted one hour after the end of the contest proper. Hence, the top three winners for the Essay Writing Contest will also be awarded.
10. The winners for the regional elimination will receive the following:
- Regional Champion – P 1,000.00 with a medal and a certificate of recognition (coach and participant)
 - 1st Runner-Up – P 700.00 with a medal and a certificate of recognition (coach and participant)
 - 2nd Runner-Up – P 500.00 with a medal and a certificate of recognition (coach and participant)
11. The winning entry will be the official entry to the national eliminations and a digital copy will be sent immediately to the over-all organizer of the National Book Week celebration.
12. Winners in the national level will receive the following prizes:
- 1st Prize - P5,000 and a Certificate of Recognition for the school
 - 2nd Prize - P4,000 and a Certificate of Recognition for the school
 - 3rd Prize - P3,000 and a Certificate of Recognition for the school
13. Winners will be notified to claim their prizes at the PLAI Office in the National Library of the Philippines on or before November 24, 2018. In the event that the winner will be coming from the region, the prize and certificate of recognition will be sent through the PLAI Regional Council President who will hand it over in a simple ceremony.
14. Winners will officially be awarded during the official opening of the 84th National Book Week on November 24, 2018 at the National Library of the Philippines.

See You There!!!