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Department of Education
REGION XI
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY

OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT

March 15, 2021

ADVISORY NO 14, s. 2021

PARTICIPATION TO “50th LETTER-WRITING COMPETITION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE (2021)

- To: Chief, CID
Education Program Supervisors Concerned
Public Schools District Supervisors
Secondary School Heads
1. This advisory is issued in connection to DepEd Region XI Advisory dated March 2, 2021, re: **PARTICIPATION TO “50th LETTER-WRITING COMPETITION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE (2021)**, by the Philippine Postal Corporation, which aimed to promote and intensify literacy through letter-writing among the Filipino youth.
 2. Participation of this activity is on personal time and expense.
 3. All other details about the activity is attached.
 4. For dissemination.


CRISTY C. EPE
Schools Division Superintendent





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Participation in the said activity is discretionary on the part of the Office of the Schools Division Superintendents.

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
Dissemination of this Advisory is desired.


ALLAN G. FARNAZO
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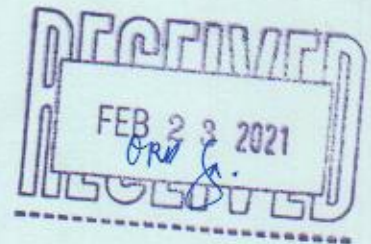
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February 22, 2021

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8000 Davao del Sur



Subject: "50TH INTERNATIONAL LETTER-WRITING COMPETITION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE (2021)"

Dear Sir,

Warm greetings from the Philippine Postal Corporation!


On behalf of PHLPost, Area 7, Eastern Mindanao we would like to extend our best wishes and felicitations as the new Regional Director of DepEd XI.

In line with this, may we respectfully bring up the opportunity to invite all the schools in DepEd Region 11 for the *50th International Letter-writing Competition (2021)* of Philippine Postal Corporation, which aims to intensify the promotion of literacy through letter writing among the Filipino youth.

We would like to request for your help in the dissemination of information about the contest, attached herewith is the contest mechanics. For further information, you may get in touch with our Market Specialist Mr. Rey N. Basilan who can be reach through this numbers (082) 227-1837 / 09999923035 or at rey_basilan@yahoo.com.ph, likewise with Ms. Llylynn S. Mendoza (Marketing Assistant) at +639566921299 or at llylynnmendoza@gmail.com.

Thank you!

Very truly yours,


CARLO REYNALDO S. ARGANA, CESO III
Area Director

2 February 2021

PHLPOST CIRCULAR NO. 21-14

SUBJECT: 50TH INTERNATIONAL LETTER- WRITING COMPETITION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE (2021)

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CONTEST MECHANICS

1. The contest is open to all high school students from the public and private schools nationwide with 15 years of age and below.
2. The contest theme is: **"WRITE A LETTER TO A FAMILY MEMBER ABOUT YOUR EXPERIENCE OF COVID-19"**.
3. The compositions must be recent, unpublished and original letters.
4. Entries must be written in English, handwritten, adhere STRICTLY to the theme and must not exceed the limit of 1,000 words in length.
5. Compositions must be in the form of a letter containing its basic elements (heading, salutation, body of the letter, complimentary close and signature).
6. All entries must be originally done by the participant. The contest committee has to right to test the winning participant on the originality of his/her entry.
7. On a separate sheet of paper, the participant must indicate the following information:
 1. Number of Words of the Letter Composition
 2. Complete Name and Home Address
 3. Gender of Candidate
 4. Age and Date of Birth
 5. Colored Digital Photo of Candidate in Jpeg format (300 dpi minimum). (Xerox or Photocopy is not allowed)
 6. Name and Address of School/Grade or Year Level
 7. Contact Numbers of School and the Candidate (Telephone and Mobile Number)
8. Judging shall be based on the following criteria: (UNESCO judging criteria)

1. Relevance to the Theme of the Composition	-	30%
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9. Entries must be placed in a brown envelope and may ONLY be submitted via Domestic Express Mail Service (DEMS) to:

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Philippine Postal Corporation
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10. Entries sent thru private couriers like LBC, DHL, 2GO, JRS EXPRESS, et al. shall be automatically DISQUALIFIED.
11. The contest period is from 8 FEBRUARY 2021 to 2 APRIL 2021. Selection of semi-finalists must be done on or before 12 April 2021. Final winner must be determined not later than 19 April 2021. The winning entry (First Prize) from the Philippines must reach the UPU 50th International Letter-Writing Competition Committee by 5 MAY 2021.

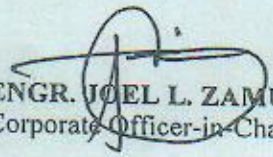
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13. The FIRST PRIZE winning entry shall be sent by PHLPost to the International Bureau as the Philippines Official Entry to the UPU 50th International Letter-Writing Competition for Young People (2021).
14. A committee shall preside and convene a group of judges who shall select the winning entries. The group shall be guided by the rules of the UPU International Letter-Writing Competition for Young People set for this year's event.
15. From among all the entries, ten (10) shall be shortlisted by the screening committee for consideration of the panel of the judges. The decision of the panel of judges shall be final and NOT subject to appeal.
16. For more information and inquiries, please call Ms. Joy Edralin-Cacho, Special Project Officer/Marketing Specialist – Post Shop, Philately and Museum Division at Tel. No. 8 527-01-32.
17. Please visit our official website at <http://www.phlpost.gov.ph>, Facebook: PHLPost twitter: @Ppostofficial instagram: @phlpostofficial you tube: youtube.com/PHLPost

All Area Directors, Area Marketing Specialists, Postmasters and other supervisory officials of this Corporation are hereby instructed to disseminate information on the contest to all public and private elementary and high school in their respective areas.

This Circular shall take effect immediately.


ENGR. JOEL L. ZAMUDIO
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
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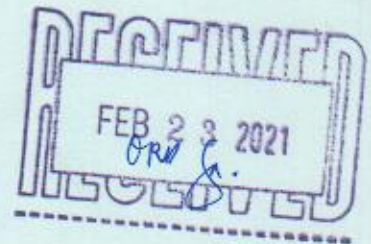
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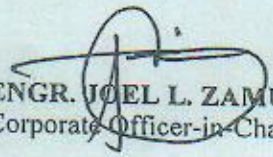
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