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PDK EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Superintendents
Presidents, State Colleges and Universities
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities
Vocational Schools Superintendents/Administrators

1. The Phi Delta Kappa, Manila Philippines Chapter, with the support of the Ministry of Education and Culture and the Fund for Assistance to Private Education (FAPE), is sponsoring a competition for the PDK Educational Achievement Awards. The contest is open to both practitioners and students in the field of education.
2. The contest starts October 28, 1981 and will end on April 30, 1982. Entries should be submitted on or before May 1, 1982 to any of the PDK receiving centers mentioned in the inclosure to this Memorandum. Mailed entries should be postmarked not later than May 1. Rules and other details of the contest are given in the above-mentioned inclosure.
3. It is desired that this matter be given good publicity to insure widest participation of school personnel.

(SGD.) ONOFRE D. CORPUZ
Minister

Incl.:
As stated

Reference:
MEC Memorandum: No. 31, s. 1981

Allotment: 1-2-3-4--(D.O. 1-76)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

CONTEST ✓	PRIZES or AWARDS ✓	STUDENTS ✓
OFFICIALS ✓	SOCIETY or ASSOCIATIONS ✓	

(Inclosure to MEC Memorandum No. 204, s. 1981)

PK EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Purpose: The awards are intended to encourage and motivate purposeful achievement in the field of education by both practitioners and students of education.

The awards will be given in connection with the 1982 Education Week Celebration.

Rules of the Contest

1. The contest will be opened on October 28, 1981 and will end on April 30, 1982.
2. Types of awards shall include the following:
 - a. Awards for outstanding graduate thesis/research.
 - b. Awards for outstanding educational publication (book and/or article).
 - c. Awards for outstanding community development project/program.
3. The contest on graduate thesis/research is open to graduate students in state and recognized private colleges and universities. The contests on outstanding publication and community development project/program are open to everybody. Members of the Phi Delta Kappa are, however, disqualified from participating in the contests.
4. The graduate thesis/research must have been completed during the school year 1981-82 and must be submitted in printed form with an evaluation and recommendation of the Dean of the Graduate School.
5. The book/article must have been published during the school year 1981-1982. A copy of the publication (book or the magazine or newspaper in which the article is contained) must be submitted.
6. The community development project/program should be undertaken but not necessarily started during school year 1981-1982. A write-up of the activity, including pictures, properly certified and attested by the school official under whose authority the activity was carried out, should be submitted.

7. The judging of the entries and determination of the winners shall be based on the following criteria:

- a. For graduate thesis/research
 - (1) Relevance to education in the Philippines
 - (2) Contribution to education
 - (3) Practicability of recommendations
- b. For publication (English or Pilipino and including books and/or articles)
 - (1) Scholarship
 - (2) Originality of ideas
 - (3) Relevance or contribution to education in the Philippines
- c. For development project/program
 - (1) Contribution to community development
 - (2) Extent of involvement of the people in all stages
 - (3) Effectiveness of implementation
 - (4) Cruciality of need
 - (5) Promotion of the goals and adherence to the guidelines of KKKP

8. All entries must be submitted to the following receiving centers:

- (1) PDK Educational Achievement Awards Contest
c/o Ministry of Education and Culture
Arroceros, Manila;
- (2) PDK Educational Achievement Awards Contest
c/o President Jose R. Vergara, Technological
University of the Philippines, P.O. Box No.
3171, Manila D-2801;
- (3) PDK Educational Achievement Awards Contest
c/o Dr. Serafin V.C. Guingona
Araneta University Extension
Bonifacio Monument Circle
Caloocan City

9. Winners in the contests will be given their awards during the 1982 Education Week Celebration.
10. Decisions of the Committee on Awards shall be final. Winning entries shall be retained by the PDK but authorship of the same shall remain with the authors.
11. For further information, please write to the Committee, PDK Educational Achievement Awards, c/o Ministry of Education and Culture, Arroceros, Manila.

PANELS OF JUDGES

For Outstanding Community Development Project -

Dr. Felicita G. Bernardino	Chairperson
Dr. Juanita S. Guerrero	Secretary
Dr. Faustino Quiocho	Member

For Outstanding Educational Publication (Book/Article)

Dr. Minda C. Sutaria	Chairperson
Dr. Felix P. Santos	Secretary
Dr. Hortensia S. Benozza	Member

For Outstanding Graduate Thesis/Research

Dr. Liceria B. Soriano	Chairperson
Dr. Concesa M. Baduel	Secretary
Dr. Anastacio C. Ramento	Member