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MECS M E M O R A N D U M
No. 222, s. 1982

~~SEMINAR-WORKSHOP FOR CERAMICS TEACHERS AND INSTRUCTORS~~

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

1. A Seminar-Workshop for Ceramics Teachers and Instructors on the construction of downdraft woodfired kiln will be held on October 11-15, at the Cagayan State University, Tuguegarao Campus, Tuguegarao, Cagayan, Region II, under the sponsorship of the Ceramics Education Association of the Philippines.
2. The main objective of the seminar-workshop is to enable ceramics teachers and instructors to construct their own downdraft kilns in their respective schools. Other objectives are:
 - a. to understand and appropriate the theories and principles of design and construction of downdraft woodfired kiln;
 - b. to familiarize ceramics teachers and instructors with the standard supplies and materials needed in the construction of downdraft woodfired kilns and to identify and utilize local materials which may be used as substitutes but can still meet required specifications;
 - c. to develop various skills in the actual construction of downdraft woodfired kilns; and
 - d. to test and evaluate the efficiency of a downdraft woodfired kiln and to be able to apply remedial measures to solve deficiencies.
3. One outcome expected of this seminar-workshop is the completion of a downdraft woodfired ceramics kiln in the host school and the construction of similar kilns in other CEDAP member institutions.

4. Inclosed with this Memorandum is the program of activities. Each member institution or division may send one ceramics teacher/instructor and one building construction teacher/instructor to this seminar-workshop. Regional offices may send one vocational education supervisor. Each participant is expected to submit a report on his participation in the seminar-workshop.

5. Each participant will pay a registration fee of Two Hundred Pesos (P200.00) to cover cost of printed materials, e.g., blueprints, instruction sheets and other handouts. The registration fee, traveling expenses and per diems are all chargeable against the schools of the participants, subject to the availability of funds and the usual accounting and auditing regulations.

6. In this connection, attention is invited to paragraph 3 of MEC Order No. 17, s. 1982 requiring the submission by the sponsor of a post audit report of the collections and disbursements which should be strictly complied with.

7. The members of the instructional staff listed hereunder and who shall provide the expertise in kiln construction will report at the Cagayan State University one week before the start of the workshop and shall stay for another week after the workshop for the completion of the downdraft woodfired kiln:

- a. Mr. Pepito Palomero - Team Leader, Ilcilo
School of Arts and Trades
- b. Mr. Fecundivito Cunanan - Camarines Sur National
College of Arts and Trades
- c. Mr. Edgar Hinoguin - Cebu School of Arts
and Trades
- d. Mr. Florencio J. Ranjo - Nueva Vizcaya School of Arts
and Trades
- e. Mr. Dominador Mangusad - Cagayan State University

8. A list of institutional members is also inclosed.

(SGD.) ONOFRE D. CORPUZ
Minister

Incls.:
As stated

Reference:
MEC Memorandum: No. 46, s. 1981

Allotments: 1-3-4--(D.O. 1-76)

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

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(Inclosure No. 1 to MECS Memorandum No. 222, s. 1982)

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES OF THE DOWNDRAFT WOODFIRED
KILN CONSTRUCTION SEMINAR-WORKSHOP
Cagayan State University
Tuguegarao, Cagayan
October 11 - 15, 1982

- Saturday - October 9
Arrival and registration of participants
- Sunday - October 10
2:00 PM - Opening Ceremonies
6:00 PM - Welcome Program
- Monday - October 11
8:00 AM - Lecture "Theories and Principles of Design and Construction of Downdraft Woodfired Kilns"
10:00 AM - B r e a k
10:15 AM - Open Forum
1:00 PM - Lecture "Supplies and Materials Standard for Downdraft Woodfired Kilns"
3:00 PM - B r e a k
3:15 PM - Open Forum
- Tuesday to Thursday - October 12 - 14
8:00 AM - Practicum
10:00 AM - B r e a k
10:15 AM - Practicum
12:00 Noon - Lunch
1:30 PM - Practicum
3:30 PM - B r e a k
3:40 PM - Practicum
5:30 PM - End of Session
- The Project Coordinator may call for evening sessions as the need arises.
- Friday - October 15
8:00 AM - Lecture "Testing and Evaluation of Downdraft Woodfired Kilns and the Application of Remedial Measures"
10:00 AM - B r e a k
10:15 AM - Practicum - Firing Tests
12:00 Noon - Lunch
1:30 PM - Reports
2:00 PM - Closing Ceremonies

(Inclosure No. 2 to MECS Memorandum No. 222, s. 1982)

CERAMICS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES
c/o Bureau of Secondary Education, MECS, Manila

LIST OF MEMBER INSTITUTIONS

1. Abellana Vocational School
Cebu City
2. Antique School of Arts and Trades
Sibalom, Antique
3. Bacolod City National Trade School
Bacolod City
4. Bulan Vocational School
Bulan, Sorsogon
5. Buruanga Vocational School
Buruanga, Aklan
6. Cagayan Valley College of Arts and Trades
(Cagayan State University)
Tuguegarao, Cagayan
7. Calabanga National School of Arts and Trades
Calabanga, Camarines Sur
8. Camarines Sur National College of Arts and Trades
Naga City
9. Capiz Institute of Technology
Roxas City
10. Casiguran Vocational School
Casiguran, Sorsogon
11. Cebu School of Arts and Trades
Cebu City
12. Davao School of Arts and Trades
(University of Southern Philippines)
Davao City
13. Danao Vocational School
Danao City
14. Division of Camarines Norte
Daet, Camarines Norte

15. Division of City Schools
Legazpi City
16. Don Honorio Ventura College of Arts and Trades
Bacolor, Pampanga
17. East Visayan School of Arts and Trades
Dumaguete City
18. Eulogio "Amang" Rodriguez Institute of Science and Technology
Nagtahan, Manila
19. Gubat High School
Gubat, Sorsogon
20. Home Industries Training Center
San Marcelino Corner Ayala Blvd.
Manila
21. Ilocos Norte College of Arts and Trades
Laoag City
22. Iloilo School of Arts and Trades
Iloilo City
23. Isabela School of Arts and Trades
(Isabela State University)
Ilagan, Isabela
24. Lanao School of Arts and Trades
Marawi City
25. La Union College of Technology
Don Mariano Marcos Memorial State University
San Fernando, La Union
26. Lukban National College
Lukban, Quezon
27. Magallanes National Vocational School
Magallanes, Sorsogon
28. Marikina Institute of Science and Technology
Marikina, Metro Manila
29. Nueva Vizcaya School of Arts and Trades
Bambang, Nueva Vizcaya

30. Pangasinan College of Arts and Trades
(Pangasinan State University)
Lingayen, Pangasinan
31. Pinukpuk Vocational School
Pinukpuk, Kalinga-Apayao
32. Ramon Magsaysay Memorial School of Arts and Trades
Iba, Zambales
33. Sabani Estate Agricultural College
Gabaldon, Nueva Ecija
34. Sipocot National School of Arts and Trades
Sipocot, Camarines Norte
35. Southern Leyte School of Arts and Trades
Sogod, Southern Leyte
36. Sorsogon College of Arts and Trades
Sorsogon, Sorsogon
37. Southern Ilocos Polytechnic State College
Agoo, La Union
38. Surigao del Norte School of Arts and Trades
Surigao City
39. Tuburan Vocational School
Tuburan, Cebu
40. Zamboanga del Norte School of Arts and Trades
Dipolog City