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MECS MEMORANDUM
No. 124, s. 1985

NATIONAL SCIENCE CLUB MONTH CELEBRATION FOR SY 1985

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

1. Inclosed is the schedule of activities for the 1985 National Science Club Month Celebration, to be observed in September conformably to Presidential Proclamation No. 1895 dated 4 September 1979. As in the past years, SPI-NSTA will sponsor the activities in coordination with MECS. This year's general theme is "Productivity and Self-Reliance: The Science Club Way Part II."

2. The activities are designed to promote and develop science and technology consciousness among the youth and the general public through the organization and mobilization of science clubs in schools, colleges and universities. Focus of weekly activities will be as follows:

First Week - Leadership and Career Opportunities for
Science Club Members

Second Week - Science Clubs in the Service to the
Community

Third Week - Scientific Trainings for Youth Skills Development

Fourth Week - Science Club Managers Development Training
and Science Clubs Recognition Rites

3. These activities are intended to support the science and mathematics program of the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sports and the development of aesthetic and social values of the young. The participation of school pupils and students in these activities is basically voluntary in nature. The cooperation of all concerned is requested to insure the successful conduct of the activities. Care should be exercised, however, that in undertaking such activities there should be no undue disruption of, or interference with, the regular school program.

4. Details of implementation of these activities at each level will be worked out by representatives of the National Science and Technology Authority/Science Promotion Institute (NSTA/SPI) with school officials and teachers concerned at their respective levels.
5. NSTA will provide accommodation and meals for official participants in national activities to be conducted during the fourth week, as indicated in the inclosure to this Memorandum. Transportation expenses of these official participants, however, will be charged against local funds.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

(SGD.) JAIME C. LAYA
Minister

Incl.:

As stated

Reference:

NECS Memorandum No. 150, s. 1984

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

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

BUREAUS & OFFICES
CELEBRATIONS & FESTIVALS
OFFICIALS
SCIENCE EDUCATION
TEACHERS

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

General Theme: PRODUCTIVITY AND SELF-RELIANCE:
THE SCIENCE CLUB WAY PART II

First Week Focus
(2-6 September)

1 Leadership and Career Opportunities for Science Club Members

4 September - Formal 1985 NSCM Opening Ceremonies/Science and Technology Career Day
Venue: PNC College Library
Taft Avenue, Manila

Regional Activities:

- Lakad Agwan (Walk for Science/Kahoy ng Siyensya (Tree Planting)
- 1985 NSCM Regional Opening Ceremonies
- Leadership Training for Science Club Members

Second Week Focus
(9-13 September)

1 Science Clubs in the Service to the Community

9 September - Science Clubs in the Service to the Community
Venue: Sangley Point, Cavite

Regional Activities:

- Science Clubs in the Service to the Community
- Appropriate Technology Workshops
- Local Science Camp

Third Week Focus
(16-20 September)

1 Scientific Training for Youth Skill Development

16-18 September - Computer Training for SCM
Venue: SDPSD, (Computer Room) META Complex,
Bicutan, Taguig,
Metro Manila

Regional Activities:

- Science Journalism Workshop
- Science Writing Contest
- Local Math Olympiad

Fourth Week Focus
(23-27 September)

1 Science Club Managers Development Training and Science Clubs Recognition Rites

- 1985 National Program on Upgrading Professional and Job Competencies of Science and/or Math Supervisors, Department Heads and Teachers, 15 official participants: Board of Directors and National Officials of the Science Supervisors Association
- Science Club Advisers Seminar Workshop, 15 official participants: 13 Regional SCAAP Presidents and 2 national officials
- SIGAM/Special SIGAM Awards Finals

- Launching of "Science Congress for Science Club Advisers"
- 1985 NSCM Closing and Awarding Ceremonies
Venue: Cebu City

Regional Activities:

- Science Club Advisers Training Program
- Science Supervisors Seminar-Workshop
- 1985 NSCM Regional Closing Ceremonies

Notes:

All regional activities are optional. Regional activities will depend on the needs of the Science Club members/advisers and the available resources/opportunities in the area.

