

## Republic of the Philippines Department of Education



## Tanggapan ng Kalihim Office of the Secretary

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## COMMUNITY BASED HISTORICAL AND CULTURAL HERITAGE WORKSHOP

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Directors of Services/Centers and Heads of Units
All Concerned

1. The Department of Education, Special Events Unit, in cooperation with the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) and Ayala Museum will conduct a series of workshops on: Community Based Historical and Cultural Heritage to enable participants to interact, integrate and collaborate on lessons the local and national programs.

Regions	Venue	Date
1. Regions I, II, III< & CAR	RELC, San Fernando City, La Union	May 20-26, 2005
Regions IV-Calabarzon     Mimaropa, V,     and NCR	National Arts Center, CCP Los Baños, Laguna	June 27-July 3, 2005
3. Regions VI, VII, and VIII	RELC, Tacloban City, Leyte	July 12-17, 2005
4. Regions IX, X, XI, XII, CARAGA, and ARMM	RELC, Davao City	July 26-31, 2005

- 2. The objectives of this workshop are:
  - a. convene Special Events Coordinators in the regions and divisions who are supervisors or chiefs of Social Studies and Physical Education and School Sports and update them on SEU policies, programs, activities for 2005-2006 in support of the Schools First Initiative of DepED;
  - b. convene local government officials who are in-charge of education and/or culture including the DepED Cantus Firmus Chorale; and
  - c. provide a venue where these groups could work together to promote knowledge and appreciation of local history and culture among the community members.
- 3. The expected outputs of the workshop are:
  - a. to produce community-based activity modules, exemplars, and plan festivals and other events that would involve the local school, the LGU's, tourism offices, and the whole community;

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- for Special Events Coordinators: to produce five (5) lesson plans for Makabayan using local history, and cultural resources;
- c. for LGU's, tourism offices, DepED Special Events Coordinators, and community members to work on one common historical/cultural event that will mobilize the whole local community; and
- d. for the Cantus Firmus Chorale to do research on unknown local songs and its history to add to its repertoire to be sung on various national and local events.
- 4. The following topics will be covered:
  - a. The Schools First Initiative and Community-Based Governance;
  - b. Appreciation of National and Local History and Culture; and
  - c. Workshop on Community-Based Local Historical and Cultural Events
- 5. Participants to this workshop are the following
  - a. Regional and Division Special Events Coordinators;
  - b. Local Government Units in-charge of education and culture (2 per region) and local tourism officials (2 per region);
  - c. DepED Cantus Firmus Chorale;
  - d. Workshop Management Team; and
  - e. Resource persons and staff from the National Historical Institute (NHI), National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA), and Ayala Museum.
- 6. Participants are expected to be at the venue 2:00 p.m. of the first day (May 21) for the registration, orientation, and program engagement. The four-day workshop will end before noontime of the last day.
- 7. The travel expenses and honoraria of the resource persons, speakers, facilitators and rapporteurs will be funded by NCCA. Workshop expenses such as supplies, materials and rentals, board and lodging of the participants, travel expenses of the chorale and management staff, and other operational cost shall be charged to OSEC funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Travel expenses, board and lodging including meals of the early checked-in participants shall be charged to local funds or from civic spirited clubs and organizations. Registration is for free.
- 8. For more details please contact the Special Events Unit, Attn.: Luz Dela Rosa, Cecille Mendiola, Roy Manuel, and Alpha Aurel at tel. nos. (02) 637-5832, 637-5834, 632-1361 local 2074; mobile nos. (0918) 405-0493, (0928) 607-5533 and Ms. Daisy Atienza at (0916) 741-2969; or email us at Ifdelarosa@yahoo.com.
- 9. Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

FLORENCIO B. ABAD Secretary Reference: None

Allotment: 1--(D.O. 50-97)

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