



DepED MEMORANDUM

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CRUSADE DEDICATED TO THE NATIONAL HEROES

To: Regional Directors
 Schools Division/City Superintendents
 Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools
 All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to Republic Act No. 646, the Order of the Knights of Rizal (OKOR), a statutory corporation is mandated to promote the ideals and teachings of Dr. Jose Rizal among the youth. The OKOR-Region II with the leadership of Sir Mahmoud A.M. Asfour, KCR, DepED-Office of Assistant Secretary Jonathan E. Malaya and the Special Events Unit (SEU), the National Historical Institute (NHI), the Catholic Bishops Conference of the Philippines (CBCP), the Commission on Higher Education (CHED), the Senate, the House of Representatives and the Local Government Units (LGUs) will actively participate in the crusade for the country's national heroes.
2. The objective of this activity is to inculcate in the minds and hearts of the children the values of the noble men, women and heroes of this country.
3. The first salvo of the Crusade will be launched in Regions I, II and Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR) in September 2009.
4. The Knights of Rizal together with the partner agencies will conduct different contests nationwide and the grand finals will be hosted by the Province of Nueva Vizcaya. The dates of the launching, mechanics of the contests and the prizes for the winners will be announced through the Knights of Rizal of the regions concerned.
5. For more information, please contact Sir Mahmoud A.M. Asfour, KCR-Region II at mobile phone no.: 0920-9700444.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


JESLI A. LAPUS
 Secretary

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