

17 December 2007

MEDIA ADVISORY

Media outfits are invited to send their reporters and news crew to the event at the date, time and venue stated below:

- WHAT : Re-Launching of the “*Tuloy ang Pasko ng mga Bata*”
- WHEN : December 19, 2007 (Wednesday)
- TIME : 8:00 A. M.
- WHERE : Rizal Building, DepEd Complex,
Meralco Avenue, Pasig City

PRESENTORS : Secretary Jesli Lapus and other DepEd Officials

This program seeks to brighten up the holiday season for public school children through different activities. This will be done in partnership with education stakeholders such as local government units and private sector partners. The highlight of the event is a gift-giving activity with selected children from poor communities in Metro Manila will be held. The children will come from public elementary schools in NCR including students from the Philippine National School for the Blind, Philippine School for the Deaf, working and street children, and school children from Muslim communities.

Program for the Event:

- 8:00-9:00 AM Mass
- 9:10-10:30 AM Entertainment (Pasmaskong Awitan at Sayawan)
- 10:40-11:30 AM Gift-giving led by Sec. Jesli A. Lapus

Similar activities will be undertaken **simultaneously at Regional, Division and District Offices nationwide**. Additionally, a medical and dental mission will be held in all school districts on December 17 – 21.

Photo opportunities available. For more information about the event, please call Ms. Rhea Maningo or Ms. Marj Magno, at 631-6033 or 633-2120.

Thank you.

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