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Department of Education

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**2013 NATIONAL SCIENCE CLUB MONTH (NSCM) AND SEMINAR-WORKSHOP
FOR SCIENCE EDUCATORS**

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

1. Pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 28 dated September 4, 1986 and Presidential Proclamation No. 24 dated September 23, 2002 declaring September as the *National Science Club Month (NSCM)*, the Science Club Advisers Association of the Philippines (SCAAP), in coordination with the Department of Education (DepEd) and the Department of Science and Technology-Science Education Institute (DOST-SEI), will hold the culminating activity of the **National Science Club Month (NSCM)** and the **Seminar-Workshop for Science Educators** on September 26-29, 2013 at the Grand Men Seng Hotel, Davao City.
2. With the theme, *Science and Technology Trends for Science Educators of the K to 12 Curriculum*, the Seminar-Workshop aims to:
 - a. assess programs and projects implemented in connection with the celebration of the NSCM;
 - b. strengthen Science and Technology trends in the implementation of Science teachings in the K to 12 Science Curriculum;
 - c. enhance the knowledge and skills of Science mentors for quality instruction (using the strategies in the K to 12 Basic Education Curriculum);
 - d. introduce new trends in Science and Technology and find proper application in the classrooms in real life situations; and
 - e. recognize outstanding accomplishments of Science clubs in each region.
3. Science club advisers, Science teachers, department heads, school principals, administrators, district/division/regional supervisors and Science enthusiasts from both public and private elementary and secondary schools nationwide are invited to attend the NSCM and Seminar-Workshop. Attendance to this activity is on **official time only**.
4. Activities during the Seminar-Workshop include plenary sessions, workshop, group dynamics, and interactive sessions. There will be presentation of projects and activities, including best practices and achievements, of each regional Science club.
5. A registration fee of Four Thousand Nine Hundred Pesos (P 4,900.00) shall be charged to each participant to cover accommodation and meals from dinner of Day 0 until snacks of Day 3, seminar kit, t-shirts, reproduction of handouts, certificates and honoraria of speakers and facilitators.

6. To avoid disruption of classes of the participating teachers, school heads shall assign school personnel or volunteer-parents to provide alternative learning materials and activities, such as modules for reading and viewing materials in compliance with DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

7. The participants are requested to confirm their participation on or before **September 20, 2013** to one of the following contact persons:

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8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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Secretary

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