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**NATIONAL SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING SCIENCE TEACHERS  
AND SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING ECOLOGICAL  
WASTE MANAGEMENT**

The Association of Science Educators in the Philippines (ASEP) in cooperation with *Balik Handog* Foundation, (BHF), Inc., Gateway Child Centered Foundation (GCCF), Bodega Site Computer Warehouse, Inc. (BSCWI) is conducting the **Search for Outstanding Science Teachers** and **Search for Outstanding Ecological Waste Management** which started in July 2010 and will end in April 2011.

The Search for Outstanding Teachers aims to:

- a. recognize the potential of science teachers as coaches and advisers in different level activities of the ASEP;
- b. motivate the coaches and advisers to become the model in the implementation of quality science instruction in the classroom; and
- c. recognize the outstanding science mentors and give due recognition to their capability and competency in all science activities such as science trainings, science conventions and science quest.

The Search for Outstanding Ecological Waste Management aims to:

- a. strengthen the role of science club in the promotion of public understanding of science, technology and environmental awareness;
- b. encourage science club members to undertake/initiate Science, Technology, and Environment (STE)-related community-based projects; and
- c. recognize the leadership potentials of science club members, coaches and advisers.

The Search for Outstanding Science Teachers is open to all bonafide ASEP members, science club advisers, science coaches who have actively participated in ASEP activities such as Science Quest, Science Educators Convention and Science Trainings for public and private schools elementary and secondary teachers.

The Search for Outstanding Ecological Waste Management is open to all science clubs of both public and private schools which are actively involved in the different projects of their communities in relation to waste management. The club must have at least 150 members and three (3) advisers.

The awarding ceremony of the National Search is scheduled in April 2011 during the opening program of the 6<sup>th</sup> National Science Educators Convention at Teachers Camp, Baguio City.

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