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Department of Education





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PROJECT W.A.T.C.H. FIRST NATIONAL SUMMIT (We Advocate Time Consciousness and Honesty)

To: Undersecretaries

Assistant Secretaries

Directors of Services/Centers and Heads of Units

Regional Directors

Schools Division/City Superintendents

Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

- 1. DepED Memorandum Nos. 160 and 387 both series of 2008 announced that the DepED community will adopt and implement Project W.A.T.C.H. (We Advocate Time Consciousness and Honesty) to strengthen the value of punctuality and honesty as a significant step in bringing about fundamental change or transformation of society.
- 2. To be able to enhance the importance of punctuality and honesty, the National Executive Committee headed by the JCI Senate Philippines in coordination with its member agencies and associations (DepED, CHED, TESDA, Office of the Presidential Assistant in Education, PACU and PAPSCU) will conduct a three-day National Summit on W.A.T.C.H. on May 20-23, 2009 at Teachers Camp, Baguio City with the theme "Navigating the Philippine Main Education Highway through W.A.T.C.H.". The Program of Activities is attached as Enclosure No. 1.
- 3. The objectives of the summit are to:
 - a. address the need to return to the old-fashioned ethical values of honesty and punctuality;
 - b. push forward the recognition of punctuality and honesty as two core values in promoting national renewal and development;
 - c. gather stakeholders, government agencies, professional organizations, and civil society, assign specific tasks and pool resources (human and material) as they formulate short-term and long-term plans of implementation;
 - d. renew educational momentum and commitment and to develop tools for consciousness and implementation in order to move from rhetoric to action; and
 - e. highlight the critical role of values formation in nation-building.

- 4. Likewise, the Secretary is requesting all public and private schools and DepED offices (national, regional, division, and field offices) to post W.A.T.C.H signage (Enclosure No. 3) at the entrance gates and stickers in each classroom for awareness and reminder that punctuality and honesty are elements of success in our daily lives and also the recitation of the W.A.T.C.H. Prayer (Enclosure No. 2) before the opening of classroom activities in the morning and/or in the afternoon. For the details, please log on to **jciwatch.multiply.com** or visit **jcisenatewatch yahoogroups**.
- 5. One of the highlights of the breakout session on the second day of the summit is to develop/ formulate the Guidelines and Mechanics of the Creation of the W.A.T.C.H. Clubs and W.A.T.C.H. school competition.
- 6. Participants to this activity are Regional Assistant Directors (17), Assistant Schools Division Superintendents (192), Regional Special Events Coordinators (17), Division Special Events Coordinators (192), School Principals, Subject Area Coordinators and institutional members of Boy and Girl Scouts Council. Attendance of the participants shall be on official business.
- 7. Private school principals and or subject area heads are encouraged to attend this summit. They are advised to make arrangements with their respective schools with regards to the registration fee and travel expenses.
- 8. A registration fee of Four Thousand Pesos (P4,000.00) shall cover the board and lodging during the conference, meals (breakfast (3), snacks (6), lunch (3) and dinner (3)), seminar kits, materials, and honoraria for the speakers and facilitators. Meals shall be served starting p.m. snack of Day 0 and ending with lunch of Day 3.
- 9. Travel expenses (transportation and per diem) of the National Secretariat (SEU) and other incidental expenses to be incurred to this summit shall be charged to OSEC funds while the travel expenses (transportation and per diem) and registration fee of the participants shall be charged to local funds (Regional/Division MOOE, PTA/PTCA funds, local school board funds and other sources) subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. The printing of conference materials, venue and equipment rentals, travel expenses of the speakers, and facilitators shall be borne by the JCI Senate Philippines W.A.T.C.H. Summit.
- 10. Members of the National Secretariat (SEU) and support staff are authorized to travel one (1) day before and after the scheduled summit.
- 11. For reservation purposes, participants are requested to confirm their attendance on or before April 30, 2009. Please send the enclosed registration form (Enclosure No. 4) through fax or email at ccse.deped@gmail.com. Payments can be made through cash or check named to **JCI Senate Phils. Inc. W.A.T.C.H.** with **Account No. 201-0054-055**, Banco de Oro, Heroes Hill Branch.

- 12. For more information, please contact the Special Events Unit (SEU), DepED Central Office, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City at telefax nos.: (02) 637-5832 or (02) 637-5834 or at mobile nos.: (0919) 516-4759, (0927) 220-4951, and (0928) 607-5533.
- 13. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Undersecretary Officer-in-Charge

Encls.: As stated

References: DepED Memorandum: (Nos. 160 and 387, s. 2008)

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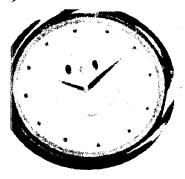
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(WE ADVOCATE TIME CONSCIOUSNESS AND HONESTY)
Theme: "Navigating the Philippine Main Education Highway through W.A.T.C.H." May 20-23, 2009 at Teachers Camp, Baguio City

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITIES			
May 20,	8:00am	Registration Billeting			
2009 (Wed)	2:00pm				
May 21,	8:00am- 10:00am	Assembly at Burnham Park (All participants)			
2009 (Thu)	10:00am	 Opening Ceremony with Parade at Burnham Park Welcome Remarks Introduction of the Keynote Speaker Keynote Speech: H.E. Pres. Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo Signing of the Presidential Declaration of W.A.T.C.H Month. January of every year. 			
	3:00pm- 5:00pm	 Plenary			
	5:00pm- 6:00pm	Formal Dinner with DepED Secretary Jesli A. Lapus			
	6:00pm- 7:00pm	Preparation for the Activity			
May 22,	7:00am	Breakfast with the National Summit Founding Chairman JCI Senator Cesar S. Ochoa			
2009	8:00am	Unfreezing Activity (Plenary Area)			
(#n)	9:00am	 Breakout Session First Group: Education and Youth Sector Second Group: Business and Ethics Third Group: Government & Related Sectors Fourth Group: Non-Government & Advocacy Group Se Fifth Group: W.A.T.C.H Clubs and W.A.T.C.H. School Competition (Note: There will be Facilitators in every group.) 			
	12:00nn	Luncheon Meeting with Chairman Emmanuel "Manny" Y. Angeles, Commission of Higher Education (CHED)			
	1:30pm	Workshop Resumes			
	3:00pm	Plenary Session for Workshop Results (W.A.T.C.H. Towards 2010 and "The New Global Filipino Citizen (2020)			
	7:00pm	Formal Dinner with Director General Augusto "Boboy" Sijuco Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA)			
	9:00pm	Fellowship Ballroom/ Disco Dancing			
May	7:00am	Breakfast			
23 , 2009 (Sat)	8:00am 12:00nn	Free time Home-Sweet-Home			



W.A.T.G.H

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WATCH PRAYER

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CHED



TESDA



LORD give us the courage to do and practice the value of punctuality and honesty and also be able to promote it to our love ones to give dignity and honor; also

LORD help us to bind ourselves together to do the project WATCH for the benefit of the young and our society; and

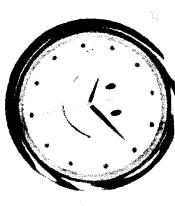


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Finally, help us Lord to be an agent of change so we can do wonders for our country and leave a lasting legacy, we ask these thru your son Jesus Christ....Amen

























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