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ANNOUNCING THE 5TH PHILIPPINES SCHOOL CYBER FAIR PROJECT 2006

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

1. The DigitalFilipino.com, in collaboration with the Department of Education (DepED) through the Bureau of Secondary Education-Curriculum Development Division (BSE-CDD) and the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) through the Office of Special Concerns (OSC), is announcing the 5th Philippines School Cyber Fair Project 2006. The fair carries the theme "*Inspire and Unite*", and is open to all public and private elementary and secondary schools with Internet connection.

2. The online activity aims to:

- a. encourage pupils/students to become community ambassadors by working collaboratively and using technology to share what they have learned;
- b. link the knowledge and skills they learn in the classroom to real world community problems by conducting research projects; and
- c. share the results of their project's findings on the Internet.

3. All online entries must be written and presented in English or Filipino. A group of students in a public or private elementary and secondary school may submit multiple entries at one entry per category, per level (elementary/secondary). The eight categories, which encourage the pupils/students to "*shine the spotlight*" on people, places, businesses and other things in their local community that serve to "*inspire, motivate, and encourage positive change*", are as follows:

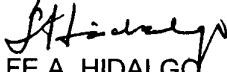
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| a. local leaders | e. environment |
| b. businesses | f. music |
| c. community organizations | g. art |
| d. historical landmarks | h. local specialties |

4. Judging of entries shall be done online whereby Cyberfair participants evaluate each other's projects by using a unique online evaluation tool.

5. The prizes for the regional level (August-November 2005) and the national level (November 2005-March 2006) are as follows:

- a. Trophy for the school, medal for students;
- b. Regional/National IT leadership convention for all Cyberfair participants; and
- c. 5-day teacher training on e-Learning content development (national level only).

6. For more details, please visit <http://www.cyberfair.ph> or contact Dr. Lolita M. Andrada, Director, BSE, DepED, 3/F Bonifacio Bldg., Meralco Avenue, Pasig City, telefax no. (02) 632-7746, mobile no. 0920-9002256, e-mail address: jluenda@deped.gov.ph or jesusluenda@yahoo.com.


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