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DepED MEMORANDUM  
No. **167**, s. 2009

2009 NATIONAL CONFERENCE FOR SCIENCE EDUCATORS

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

1. The Science Club Advisers Association of the Philippines (SCAAP), in cooperation with the Department of Education-Center for Students and Co-Curricular Affairs (DepED-CSCA), Department of Science and Technology-Science Education Institute (DOST-SEI) and ABS-CBN-DZMM will conduct the **2009 National Conference for Science Educators** on May 11-15, 2009 at the Bohol Tropics Resort, Tagbilaran City, Bohol.
2. With the theme "*Science and Technology Education: Meeting the Demands of Our Time*", the conference seeks to achieve the following objectives:
  - a. enhance the knowledge, skills and attitudes of mentors utilizing breakthroughs in science and technology;
  - b. upgrade teaching performance of mentors to meet the demands in science and technology education;
  - c. explore new ideas and discoveries in science and technology;
  - d. adopt necessary values that focus on the application of new discoveries and breakthroughs; and
  - e. strengthen the cooperation and participation of science enthusiasts in worthwhile activities that benefit pupils and students.
3. Activities during the conference include plenary sessions, group dynamics, project studies, presentations and workshops.
4. Participants to the conference are the science teachers, science club advisers, master teachers, head teachers, department heads, principals, district supervisors, division supervisors, regional supervisors and science enthusiasts from the different public and private elementary and secondary schools nationwide.
5. A registration fee of Five Thousand Seven Hundred Pesos (PhP 5,700.00) shall be charged each participant to cover accommodation and meals from dinner of Day 0 until dinner of Day 3, training kits, certificates, reproduction of training collaterals, speakers' honoraria, t-shirt, bags and other incidental expenses of the program chargeable against local funds, local school board funds and non-DepED sources subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. Regional Directors, Schools Division Superintendents and School Principals are encouraged to send participants to the conference. The Regional Supervisor in-charge of the programs and projects in science shall undertake the coordination in the field offices pertaining to their respective delegation and representation during the conference.

7. Members of the SCAAP National Organizing Committee and DepED-CSCA Secretariat are allowed to travel two (2) days before the start of the conference. The Tentative Program of Activities and List of SCAAP National Executive Council Officers and DepED-CSCA Secretariat are enclosed.

8. Participants are requested to confirm their participation on or before April 30, 2009 thru the SCAAP c/o Mrs. Aurora R. Catabona, SCAAP President at mobile no. 09192553201; Mr. Carlito Cacho, SCAAP Internal Vice President, at mobile no. 09214608059; or Ms. Gloria Joaban, External Vice President at mobile no. 09196603195; or the DepED-CSCA at telefax nos. (02) 636-3603 or 631-8495.

9. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



**JESLI A. LAPUS**  
Secretary

Encl.: As stated

Reference: DepED Memorandum: No. 172, s. 2008

Allotment: 1--(50-97)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects:

CONFERENCES  
SCIENCE EDUCATION  
SOCIETY or ASSOCIATIONS  
TEACHERS

Model:Conference for Science Education  
4-2-09

**PM**

12:00	LUNCH	
1:00	Plenary Session	Science and Technology Education: Its Importance in Balancing Development and Environmental Sustainability <b>DIR. LEONARDO R. SIBBALUCA</b> <i>OIC-Regional Executive Director DENR-Region VII</i>
2:30	Plenary Session	Science and Technology Education: Its Importance in Current Energy Demands for Economic Growth <b>HON. LORETA G. AYSON</b> <i>Undersecretary, Department of Energy</i>
3:30	Plenary Session	Science and Technology Education: Its Importance in Communications and Technology <b>GLOBE TELECOMS</b>
6:00	Dinner	
7:30	Game Show	

**DAY 2 (Wednesday, May 13, 2009)**

**AM**

6:00	Breakfast	
8:00	Plenary Session	Breakthroughs in Science: The Demands for Health <b>DR. BLESILDA SALVADOR</b> <i>Host, ABS-CBN- DZMM</i>
9:30	Plenary Session	Breakthroughs in Science: The Demands for Inventions <b>FR. RAMON T. VILLARIN, S.J.</b> <i>President, Xavier University NAST Outstanding Young Scientist</i>
10:30	Plenary Session	Breakthroughs in Science: Scientific Inquiries and Projects <b>DR. JOSETTE BIYO</b> <i>Principal, Regional Science High School GAWAD LIDER Awardee</i>

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**TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES**

*(Subject to Confirmation of Invited Speakers and Guests)*

**DAY 0 (Monday, May 11, 2009)****PM**

1:00	Registration Billeting/Settling Down	
6:00	Dinner	
7:30	Orientation Leveling of Expectations Bohol In Focus Special Performance	<b>MRS. AURORA R. CATABONA</b> President, SCAAP

**Day 1 (Tuesday, May 12, 2009)****AM**

6:00	Breakfast	
8:00	OPENING CEREMONY Welcome Remarks	<b>HON. DAN NERI LIM</b> <i>Mayor, Tagbilaran City</i>
	Message	<b>MR. JOEY G. PELAEZ</b> <i>Executive Director, DepED-CSCA</i>
	Message	<b>ANGELO B. PALMONES</b> <i>Executive Manager, ABS-CBN-DZMM</i>
	Keynote Speech	<b>HON. MARIANO U. PIAMONTE</b> <i>Member, House Committee in Science and Technology</i>
9:00	Plenary Session	The National Science and Technology Plan 2002-2020: Imperatives of Science and Technology Education <b>DR. ESTER B. OGENA</b> <i>Director, DOST-SEI</i>
10:30	Plenary Session	Promoting Science Literacy Practices <b>DR. LUISA B. YU</b> <i>Assistant Regional Director DepED-MIMAROPA</i>

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KIRSTIE MEL A. VILLAVER	-	Member
WERCHSLEY GONZALES	-	Member
AL IAN BARCELONA	-	Head Facilitator

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12:00	LUNCH	
1:00	Plenary Session	Strategies in Delivering Quality Science and Technology Education <b>DR. MERLE C. TAN</b> <i>Director, UP-NISMED</i>
2:30	Plenary Session	Adapting Diverse Science Culture <b>DR. ESTRELLITA P. SAJULAN</b> <i>Dean, College of Arts and Sciences Holy Name University</i>
4:00	Fun Activities in Teaching Science	<b>SCIENCE STAR</b>
6:00	Dinner	
7:30	Science Quiz	

**DAY 3 (Thursday, March 14, 2009)**

**AM**

6:00	Breakfast	
8:30	Plenary Session	Leading the Young to Love Science and Technology <b>DR. QUEENA N. LEE-CHUA</b> <i>Author/Professor Ateneo de Manila Univeristy</i>
10:00	Plenary Session	Developing Leaders in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century <b>MR. MENARDO BORDEOS</b> <i>Instructor, Meralco Management Leadership Development Center, Foundation</i>

**PM**

12:00	LUNCH	
1:00	Free time	
6:00	Dinner	
7:30	CLOSING CEREMONY PLEDGE OF COMMITMENT	

**DAY 4 (Friday, March 15, 2009)**

8:00	HOMeward BOUND	
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