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2014-2015 DIVISION POPULATION QUIZ (POPQUIZ) AND ON THE SPOT CONTESTS ON POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT

To: Public and Private Secondary School Heads
This Division

1. Pursuant to DepED Regional Memorandum No. 58, s. 2014 entitled Regional Population Quiz (POPQUIZ) and On-the Spot Contests on Population and Development SY 2014-2015, this Office will conduct the **Division Level Population Quiz, On-the-Spot Poster Making Contest, On-the Spot Jingle Writing Contest, and On-the-Spot Essay Writing Contest on September 24, 2014 (Wednesday) 8:00 A.M at Bangcud National High School, Bangcud, Malaybalay City.**
2. The activity aims to:
 - a. sustain awareness of and interest in population issues and matters among in-school youth and general public;
 - b. convey population and development concepts / messages to students such as responsible parenthood, poverty, adolescent, reproductive health gender, population, environment, resources and sustainable development;
 - c. raise awareness on Sexually Transmitted Infection (STI) and Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) among high school students; and
 - d. promote values supportive of population and development education among in-school youth.
3. This contest is open to all Fourth Year High School Students of **public and private schools as well as laboratory schools** of state colleges and universities.

4. Only one (1) Contestant per school with an official coach and must be at the venue before 8:00 A.M. on that scheduled date.
5. The content of questions will be based on the Population Core Messages/Key Concepts as follows:
 - 5.1 Family Life and Responsible Parenthood
 - 5.2 Gender and Development.
 - 5.3 Population and Reproductive Health
 - 5.4 Population, Environment, Resources and Sustainable Development
6. English and Filipino will be used as official languages in the conduct of the quiz.
7. Twenty (20) questions will be given, 6 of which are "easy" equivalent to one (1) point each. 7 are "average" two (2) points, and 7 are "difficult" three (3) points. Ties will be broken by tiebreaker questions /clinchers from the "difficult" category.
8. Enclosed is the Contest Guidelines, Rules and Mechanics of the On-the-Spot Poster Making Contest, On-the-Spot Jingle Writing and Singing Contest, and On-the-Spot Essay Writing Contest.
9. Immediate and wide dissemination on the content of this Memorandum is desired.


EDILBERTO L. OPLENARIA
Schools Division Superintendent

(Open to 1st-4th year students)

All contestants must wear their proper school uniform. (All events)

A. **On-The –Spot Poster Making Contest (8:00 a.m.)**

1. One (1) participant per school is required to bring the prescribed materials: ½ illustration board and oil pastel. No other art materials should be used aside from those prescribed.
2. The specific theme of the contest will be announced a few minutes before the start of the contest.
3. For the entry, there should be no markings on the surface of the artwork. Name and the name of the school should be printed at the back of the artwork.
4. An identification number will be issued to the participant. This should be placed on the right upper part of the artwork.
5. Participants will be given two (2) hours to finish their entry.
6. The decision of the board of judges is final.

Criteria for Judging:

- a. Creativity/Presentation - 50 %
 - b. Relevance to the theme- 20 %
 - c. Originality _____ 30 %
- 100 %

B. **On-the –Spot – Jingle Writing Contest (English , 8:00 a.m.)**

1. Participants shall be provided with sheets of paper.
2. The specific theme, mechanics and the criteria for judging the contest will be announced a few minutes before the start of the contest.
3. For the entry, there should be no markings on the surface of the paper. Name and the name of the school should be printed at the back of the contest piece.*
4. Participants will be given two (1) hour to finish their entry. After which, the contest piece shall be performed in front of the board of judges and the audience.
5. The decision of the Board of Judges is final.

Criteria for Judging

a. Musicality	30 %
b. Lyrics (Body of the verse use in the musical composition, relevance to the theme)	50%
c. Originality	20 %
	100 %

C. On -the -Spot Essay Writing Contest (English, 8:00 a.m.)

1. Participants shall be provided with sheets of paper.
2. The specific theme, mechanics and the criteria for judging the contest will be announced a few minutes before the start of the contest.
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4. For the entry, there should be no markings on the surface of the paper. Name and the name of the school should be printed at the back of the contest piece. .
5. Participants will be given one (1) hour to finish their entry.
6. The decision of the Board of Judges is final.

Criteria for judging:

a. Presentation and Style	40%
b. Form, Content & Insight	60 %
Accuracy	20 %
Fairness	20 %
Methodology	20 %
	100 %

D. POPQUIZ- (Open to 4th Year Students)

- All 1st Place winners will represent the Division of Malaybalay City in the Regional Competition on October 2013 at Cagayan de Oro City Tourism Hall, Burgos Street, Cagayan de Oro City.
- For more queries, please send question/s to **RALPH T. QUIROG**, Education Program Supervisor in Social Studies, 09361664361.

(All participants are requested to bring their own provisions snacks and lunch.)