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REGION VIII
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF CALBAYOG CITY

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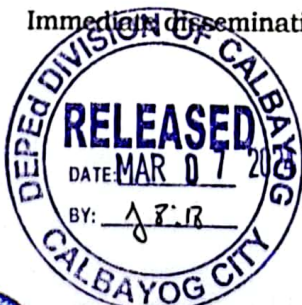
DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 155, s. 2024

**82nd ARAW NG KAGITINGAN & PHILIPPINE VETERANS WEEK: NATIONAL
POSTER MAKING, ESSAY WRITING, SONGWRITING & ORATORICAL
CONTESTS**

To: Chief Education Supervisors (CID & SGOD)
Education Supervisors (EPSs & PSDSs)
School Heads
All others Concerned

- Attached are Memoranda DM-CT-2024-45 and RM 238 s.2024 re: **82nd ARAW NG KAGITINGAN & PHILIPPINE VETERANS WEEK: NATIONAL POSTER MAKING, ESSAY WRITING, SONGWRITING & ORATORICAL CONTESTS** to promote awareness of the valor and sacrifices of Filipino veterans, fostering patriotism, encouraging creative expressions and honor to the country's history and heroes.
- The national celebration of the Philippine Veterans Week is on April 5-11, 2024 while the Araw ng Kagitingan is on April 9, 2024. To make the celebrations more meaningful, activities in the attached DM-CT-2024-45 shall be observed in classroom discussions. Moreover, the poster making, essay writing, songwriting & oratorical contests shall be in line with this year's theme: **BETERANO: "PAGKILALA SA KATAPATAN, BALIK TANAW SA SAKRIPISYO AT PAG-ALALA NG KABAYANIHAN."**
- Only one entry per category per district is allowed. Each entry must be accompanied by the following:
 - endorsement from the District Supervisor;
 - certification from the school head that the contestant is enrolled in the current school year 2023-2024;
 - scanned image of the student ID, principal's ID, and accomplished entry form; and
 - privacy notice.
- The **online submission** of entries or contest pieces along with the other requirements at the division level shall be on **March 14, 2024** via email to geraldine.sumbise@deped.gov.ph and mercedita.garcia@deped.gov.ph.
- For further guidance as regards specific contest mechanics, pls. refer to the attached enclosures in DM-CT-2024-45 dated February 20, 2024.
- Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.



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