

Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION X – NORTHERN MINDANAO
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF EL SALVADOR CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent


11 October 2024

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 397, s. 2024

CORRIGENDUM TO DM 394 s.2024 NATIONAL ROBOTICS COMPETITION

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors
Secondary School Heads
Teachers
All Others Concerned

1. In Reference to Division Memorandum No. 394 s. 2024 entitled “National Robotics Competition”, this Office announces change of venue for the special training session at City Central School to **Bulua Central School, Bulua, Cagayan de Oro City**.
2. All participants shall secure their own laptops, extension wires, and internet connections.
3. All other provisions stated in the previous memorandum shall remain in effect.
4. This Memorandum shall serve as **Travel Authority**.
5. This Office shall adhere to Equal Opportunity Principle (EOP) in the steps undertaken for this purpose. Hence, all decisions and actions shall be based on guidelines set forth, with no discrimination on the account of age, gender, identity, sexual orientation, civil status, disability, religion, ethnicity or political affiliation.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired.


RANDOLPH B. TORTOLA
Schools Division Superintendent

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under Science, USTP partnership
Robotics

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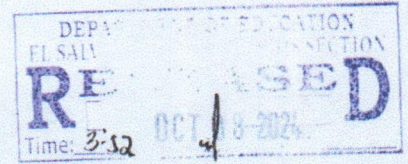
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NATIONAL ROBOTICS COMPETITION

To: Education Program Supervisors
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- The Division of El Salvador City thru the Curriculum Implementation Division (CID) in collaboration with the University of Science and Technology of the Southern Philippines (USTP) will participate in the National Robotics Competition on October 12, 2024 at Bulua Central School, Bulua, Cagayan de Oro City.
- A special training session will be held on October 11, 2024 at City Central School, Velez Street, Cagayan de Oro City.
- The identified participants are as follows:

Name/s	School/ Station
1. Sherwin O. Oranio (Coach) 2. Marlon Jr. Labares (G11 Learner) 3. Jeff Denver Ruita (G10 Learner)	Cogon National High School
4. Marie Jade A. Cacayan	Division Office

- Learner-participants are advised to prepared parents permit. Hence, participation to this activity is voluntary. Parents and or guardians of the learners shall accomplish and submit Parents/ Guardians Consent Form to concerned teachers to indicate that they are allowing their child/children to join the off-campus activity (Section VI.D.3). Herewith is Annex C for reference.
- This Memorandum shall serve as **Travel Authority**.
- The participants' food, travel, and other incidental expenses shall be charged against school MOOE/ local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- The participants shall be entitled to service credits in accordance with DepEd Order No. 13 s. 2024 entitled *Revised Guidelines on Grant of Vacation Service Credits for Teachers*. However, non-teaching personnel shall be given *Compensatory Time-Off (CTO)* per Civil Service Commission (CSC) and Department of Budget and Management (DBM) Joint Circular No. 2 s. 2004 on *Non – Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Service Rendered*, specific attention on Section 5.





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8. Further participation shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order No. 09, s. 2005 entitled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith, Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546 (Policy on Contributions), and DepEd Order No. 66, 2. 2017 (Policy on Off – Campus Activities)*.
9. This Office shall adhere to Equal Opportunity Principle (EOP) in the steps undertaken for this purpose. Hence, all decisions and actions shall be based on guidelines set forth, with no discrimination on the account of age, gender, identity, sexual orientation, civil status, disability, religion, ethnicity or political affiliation.
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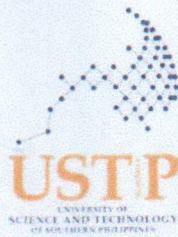
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September 30, 2024

DR. RANDOLPH B. TORTOLA
Schools Division Superintendent
Department of Education
El Salvador City

Dear Dr. Tortola:

On behalf of the University of Science and Technology of Southern Philippines (USTP) and Pinoy Robot Games, we are pleased to invite the coaches and teams participating in the National Robotics Competition on October 12, 2024, to a special training session to be held on October 11, 2024, at USTP.

We are allocating three slots to the following schools:

- Alubijid National Comprehensive High School
- City Central Elementary School
- El Salvador Division

For these teams:

- Training will be provided
- Robots will be supplied by us for both training and competition
- There will be no cost involved
- We just need your confirmation to secure your slots

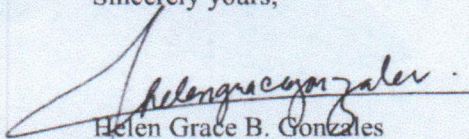
Through the efforts of USTP, the National Robotics Competition will be hosted in Cagayan de Oro on October 12, 2024. Teams from across Mindanao are actively preparing, and we are excited about the opportunities this event brings for your region. We deeply appreciate the support of your office in making this event a success.

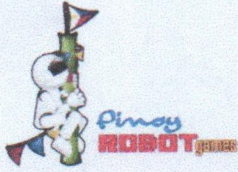
In support of your initiatives, USTP and Pinoy Robot Games will be sponsoring up to 20 teams (1-2 students per team) from your region. Pinoy Robot Games will conduct the training and provide 20 robots for use in the competition on October 11 to prepare participants for the event on October 12, 2024. The competition will focus on the "Medical Mission" category, where participants will use cutting-edge Artificial Intelligence technology.

Due to limited resources, we have prioritized certain schools and divisions based on USTP's strong recommendations, which are attached to this letter. We apologize for not being able to extend this service to all schools at this time.

We look forward to your confirmation and participation in this exciting event.

Sincerely yours,


Helen Grace B. Gonzales
Robotics Program Coordinator



September 10, 2024



Dr. Arturo B. Bayocot, CESO III
Regional Director
DepEd Region X

Cc: Schools Division Superintendents
DepEd Divisions of Bukidnon, Misamis Occ., Cagayan De Oro City, Valencia City, Iligan City

Dear Dr. Bayocot:

Greetings of hope to all in Region XI!

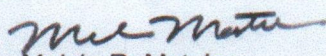
Through the efforts of University of Science and Technology of Southern Philippines (USTP), the National Robotics Competition will be held in Cagayan de Oro on Oct 12, 2024. Many teams are preparing across the different regions of Mindanao. We are looking forward to a successful event that can benefit your region. Thank you for the strong support of your office..

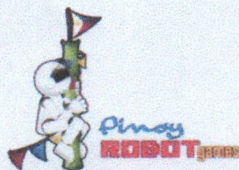
In response to your endeavors, USTP and Pinoy Robot Games will be sponsoring up to 20 teams (1-2 students per team) from your region. Pinoy Robot Games will train and lend 20 robots for the contest on October 11 to prepare them for Oct 12, 2024. They will participate in the event Medical Mission while using the latest equipment with Artificial Intelligence. Using the strong recommendation of USTP, attached to this letter is the list of the preferred schools and divisions. We apologize for our limitations and inability to extend this service to all at this time.

We seek the immediate confirmation of the participating team before Sept 20, 2024.
Please email us to confirm pinoyrobotgames@gmail.com / 09154131355.

We are also in need of 18 teachers who are willing to volunteer to serve on the day of the competition, 7am to 5pm. We hope for the support of the SDO to allow their teachers. Volunteers may contact us through pinoyrobotgames@gmail.com / 09154131355.

Thank you for your kind indulgence.


Melvin R. Matulac
Founder, Pinoy Robot Games



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Division	School	Robots
Bukidnon	Quezon Bukidnon Comprehensive NHS - 1 robot Central Mindanao University Laboratory High School - 1 robot	2
Misamis Occidental	2 robots	2
Cagayan De Oro	Gusa Regional Science High School - 1 robots Cagayan de Oro National High School - JHS - 1 robot Bulua National High School - 1 robot Carmen National High School - 1 robot Pedro "Oloy" N. Roa Sr. High School - 1 robot Bugo National High School - 1 robot Agusan National High School - 1 robot Mambuaya National High School - 1 robot Lumbia National High School - 1 robot Kauswagan National High School - 1 robot Univ. of Science & Technology of Southern Philippines - 3 robots * Alubijid NCHS * City Central Elementary School * El Salvador Division	13
Iligan City	Acelo C. Badelles Sr. Memorial High School - 1 robot	1
Valencia City	Valencia National High School - 2 robots	2
TOTAL NUMBER OF ROBOTS		20

Technical Working Group (TWG)

Game	Referee	Asst. Referee	Usher / Quarantine	TOTAL
Sumobot ring 1	1	1	2	4
Sumobot ring 2	1	1	2	4
Line Tracing beginner	1	1	1	3
Line Tracing adv	1	1	1	3
Mission Challenge	1	1	1	3
Creative	0	0	1	1
TOTAL TWG				18