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SECOND INSTABRIGHT LITERARY AWARDS

The Instabright International Guild of Researchers and Educators, Inc., announces the conduct of the Second Instabright Literary Awards. This is a national competition that will showcase the talents of the teachers and students in writing literary articles especially poems and short stories.

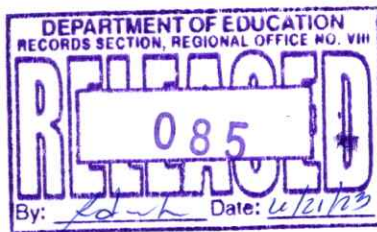
Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

For more information, refer to the attachment.

Considering that this is an Advisory, Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.

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May 10, 2023

Mr./Ms./Atty./Dr. **EVELYN R. FETALVERO**

Office of the Regional Director

DepEd Region VIII

Sir/Madam:

Greetings of Peace!

Every year, the Philippines celebrates "Buwan ng Wika" or Filipino Language Month. This is the time that we show how we pay respect and honor our national language.

In celebration of the "Buwan ng Wika" this August 2023, the Instabright International Guild of Researchers and Educators, Inc. will be conducting the **SECOND INSTABRIGHT LITERARY AWARDS**.

This is a national competition that will showcase the talents of the teachers and students in writing literary articles especially poems and short stories.

Categories:

- Inspirational Poems of the Year (English and Filipino Category)
- Creative Short Stories of the Year (English and Filipino Category)

In lieu with this, we humbly request from your good office to help us disseminate this information to teachers within your supervisory control in the most convenient way for you.

Rest assured that proper health protocols and social distancing will be highly observed and implemented on the event.

Attached herewith are the details, mechanics and the criteria for judging.

Thank you very much!

Respectfully yours,


NIKKO C. PANOTES
Instabright Secretariat

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Details:

1. All literary articles which will meet the set standards will be recognized on the awarding ceremony. Authors will receive a Certificate of Recognition and Instabright Medallion.
2. All articles which will meet the set standards will be published at Instabright e-Gazette for free.
3. The judging committee will choose **Top Three (3) Best Entries**. Authors of the best entries will receive a Certificate of Recognition and Medal.
4. Sending of entries is from May 1, 2023 - August 1, 2023.
5. Awarding Ceremony will be on August 19, 2023 at Summit Ridge Hotel, Tagaytay City.

Mechanics for Poem

1. It must be 4-8 stanza poem.
2. It may be in English or Filipino.
3. Theme: “*Wikang Filipino, Salamin ng Mayamang Kultura*”
4. It must be originally composed.
5. Submit entry at <https://tinyurl.com/IBLITPOEM23>

Mechanics for Short Story

1. It must be original.
2. The story shall present the rich culture or tradition of the Philippines.
3. No restriction on length.
4. It may be in English or Filipino.
5. No sexual themes.
6. Submit entry at <https://tinyurl.com/IBLITSTORY23>

Criteria for Judging (Poem)

CRITERIA	POINTS
Relevance to the theme	35
Creativity and Originality	25
Coherence of form and structure	15
Clarity of imagery and language	15
Overall Impact	10
TOTAL	100

Criteria for Judging (Short Story)

CRITERIA	POINTS
Originality	25
Relevance to the topic (Culture & Tradition)	15
Characterization	15
Plot Structure	20
Quality of Writing	10
Use of language and literary devices	15
TOTAL	100

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