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February 4, 2013


**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

No. 08, s, 2013

**33<sup>rd</sup> REGIONAL QUIZ BEE**

To: Schools Division Superintendents  
Heads of Private Schools

1. This Office will conduct the 33<sup>rd</sup> Regional Quiz Bee on February 28, 2013 at the DepED Conference Hall, Carig Sur, Tuguegarao City.
2. The Regional Quiz Bee aims to promote academic excellence in Elementary Philippine History, Culture, Values, Elementary Mathematics and Secondary Science and Technology and strengthen leadership, peace and unity among Filipinos.
3. The participants to the contests are the Schools Division Champions and their respective coaches in the three categories: Elementary Makabayan (Philippine History, Culture and Values), Elementary Mathematics and Secondary Science and Technology.
4. A registration fee of Two Hundred Pesos (P200.00) only will be charged each participant to cover a snack, lunch and needed materials.
5. Inclosed is DepED Advisory No. 563, s. 2012 for more information and guidance. The deadline for submission of official entries will be on February 25, 2013 at the Elementary Education Division.
6. For information, guidance and compliance.

  
 LOURDES G. ANGOLUAN, Ph.D. - CESO IV  
 Director III/Officer In-Charge  
 Office of the Regional Director

Reference: DepED Advisory No. 563, s. 2012  
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
Under the following subjects:

CONTESTS STUDENTS  
SCHOOLS PUPILS

*Cagayan only*

**DepEd ADVISORY No. 563, s. 2012**  
**In compliance with DepEd Order No. 39, s. 2009**  
 this advisory is issued for the information of DepEd officials and personnel  
 (visit DepEd website at [www.deped.gov.ph](http://www.deped.gov.ph))  
**December 11, 2012**

### 33<sup>RD</sup> NATIONAL QUIZ BEE

The Quiz Bee Foundation in cooperation with the Office of the President (OP), Department of Education (DepEd), Commission on Higher Education (CHED) and the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) will hold the 33<sup>rd</sup> National Quiz Bee from December 1, 2012 to March 25, 2013.

The National Quiz Bee aims to strengthen education by promoting academic excellence in Philippine History, Mathematics, Science and Technology, good values, leadership, peace, unity, brotherhood and love of country.

There will be multi-level elimination rounds, before the National Grand Finals. The schedule of the nationwide elimination is as follows:

| Activity                              | Date                                 |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| A. Provincial Division Eliminations   | December 1, 2012 to January 30, 2013 |
| B. Provincial Regional Eliminations   | February 1-28, 2013                  |
| C. NCR City/Municipality Eliminations | January 6 to February 25, 2013       |
| D. NCR Regional Eliminations          | March 1-11, 2013                     |
| E. Summit of the Super Quiz Bee       | March 15-17, 2013                    |
| F. National Grand Finals              | March 16, 2013                       |

Any student enrolled in the present school year from any public or private school in the country with an academic grade point average of 85%, its equivalent or higher, that falls in the following can join in the competition:

| Level and Age Group   | Subject Category   |
|---|--|
| I - National Senior Quiz Bee<br>Tertiary Level<br>1 <sup>st</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> year college       | Collegiate General Information and International Affairs                                       |
| II - National Junior Quiz Bee<br>Secondary Level<br>1 <sup>st</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> year high school | High School Science, Technology and Nutrition  |
| III - National Children's Quiz Bee<br>Elementary Level<br>Grades 4-7                                  | Elementary <i>Makabayan</i> (Philippine History, Culture and Values)<br>Elementary Mathematics |

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

For more information, interested individuals may contact:

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Elementary Level  
Grades 4 - 7

**Subject Categories:**

A. Collegiate General Information and  
International Affairs

A. High School Science, Technology and Nutrition

A. Elementary Makabayan (Phil. History,  
Culture and Values)  
B. Elementary Mathematics

There will be one (1) champion student and one (1) teacher-coach per subject category; (a) Elementary Makabayan (Phil. History, culture & values), (b) Elementary Mathematics, and (c) Secondary Science & Technology. The collegiate level eliminations will be under the Commission on Higher Education (CHED).

Results of all contest levels, particularly the list of winners, list of names of the student participants, teacher - coaches & schools under each subject category should be mailed to Ms. Pettizou P. Tayag, Executive Vice President, Quiz Bee Foundation, 2/F Palarca Bldg., Quezon Blvd. cor P. Paredes, Manila or emailed thru [pettizoutayag@yahoo.com](mailto:pettizoutayag@yahoo.com) or faxed to (02) 741 0856.

The Regional Finalist and their teacher - coach will attend the Summit of the Super Quiz Bees on March 15 - 17, 2013 at the Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP) Conference Center & Hotel, East Sungay, Tagaytay City and within the Summit will be the National Grand Finals. The Summit is an all expense paid three (3) day live - in camp with tours, fellowships, environment seminar and sports recreation, as part of the prize of each Regional Finalist and their respective coach. No registration/ board & lodging fee will be charged to all the Regional Finalists and their coaches during the Summit of the Super Quiz Bees.

Parents and officials who would want to join the Summit must contact the Quiz Bee Foundation Secretariat on or before March 1, 2013.

For the Regional Finalist student/s and their teacher - coach/es, the following must be brought and presented by them upon registration to the Summit of the Super Quiz Bees' venue; Certification letter signed by the Regional Director that the contestant/s and teacher - coach/es are the official representatives of the region, biodata with attached 2 x 2 inch colored photo (white background) of each contestant and teacher - coach and a signed letter from the parent/s of the student assigning the teacher-coach as legal guardian during the Summit.

The regional finalist student and teacher-coach must each bring a simple item symbolic of their province or region as exchange gift among the other participants during the March 15, 2013 Fellowship Night. Participants must be able to give a brief description or background of the item as a form of cultural exchange. The exchange gift should exceed a worth value of One Hundred Fifty Pesos (P 150.00).

During the National Grand Finals, the Regional Finalist students & teacher - coaches must wear their traditional attire representative of their region. The Regional Finalist must wear his/her Quiz Bee division and regional medals during the event.

Within the Summit will be the National Grand Finals on Saturday, March 16, 2012 from 10am - 7pm at the DAP Auditorium in Tagaytay City. This is open to the public.

The Regional Finalist and their teacher - coach must cover expenses for travel to and from the Development Academy of the Philippines Conference Center & Hotel in Tagaytay.

Initial prizes for the Summit & National Grand Finals are as follows for each:

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| <b>Regional Finalist Student &amp; Coach</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 3-day all expense paid Summit at DAP Tagaytay</li> <li>- Set of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments</li> <li>- other prizes to be announced later</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Regional Finalist Student</b>             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Quiz Bee Summit Gold Medal</li> </ul>   |
| <b>National Champion Student</b>             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-President Benigno Simeon C. Aquino III Trophy</li> <li>-Quiz Bee Gold Medallion of Excellence</li> <li>-Quiz Bee National Champion Certificate</li> <li>-Time Life Illustrated Encyclopedia</li> <li>-P 3,500 gift certificates from Kickers</li> <li>-P 3,500 gift certificates from DC Shoes</li> <li>-Backpack from High Sierra All - American backpacks</li> <li>-Set of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments</li> <li>-additional prizes to be announced later</li> </ul> |
| <b>National Champion Teacher-Coach</b>       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-President Benigno Simeon C. Aquino III Trophy</li> <li>-Quiz Bee National Champion Teacher - Coach Certificate</li> <li>-Hardbound Book from Time Life Books</li> <li>-P 3,500 gift certificates from Kickers</li> <li>-Box of Assorted British Tea from Twinings of London</li> <li>-Backpack from High Sierra All - American backpacks</li> <li>-Set of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments</li> <li>-additional prizes to be announced later</li> </ul>                    |
| <b>National Champion School</b>              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-President Benigno Simeon C. Aquino III Trophy</li> <li>-Hardbound Book from Time Life Books</li> </ul>   |

-Box of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments  
-additional prizes to be announced later

**National Champion Division**

-Quiz Bee Foundation Trophy  
-Hardbound Book from Time Life Books  
-Box of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments  
-additional prizes to be announced later

**National Champion Region**

-Quiz Bee Foundation Trophy  
-Hardbound Book from Time Life Books  
-Box of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments  
-additional prizes to be announced later

**National Runner - up Student**

-Quiz Bee Foundation Trophy  
-Quiz Bee Silver Medallion of Excellence  
-Quiz Bee Runner - up Certificate  
-Hardbound Book from Time Life Books  
-Backpack from High Sierra All - American backpacks  
-Set of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments  
-P 3,500 gift certificates from DC Shoes  
-additional prizes to be announced later

**National Runner-up Teacher-Coach**

-Quiz Bee Foundation Trophy  
-Quiz Bee Runner - up Teacher - Coach Certificate  
-Hardbound Book from Time Life Books  
-Box of Assorted British Tea from Twinings of London  
-Set of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments  
-additional prizes to be announced later

**Special Awards:**

**1. Most Friendly Bee**

-Quiz Bee Foundation Trophy  
-Hardbound Book from Time Life Books  
-Set of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments  
-additional prizes to be announced later

(Note: This award is done thru ballots among the student regional finalists)

**2. Best in Costume Male Student/ Teacher-coach**

-Quiz Bee Foundation Trophy  
-Hardbound Book from Time Life Books  
-Set of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments  
-additional prizes to be announced later

**3. Best in Costume Female Student/ Teacher-Coach**

-Quiz Bee Foundation Trophy  
-Hardbound Book from Time Life Books  
-Set of Uni Mitsubishi Writing Instruments  
-additional prizes to be announced later

For further inquiries, guidelines, other prizes, rules and regulations please log on to [www.quizbee.org](http://www.quizbee.org) or contact Ms. Pettizou Palarca- Tayag, Executive Vice President, Quiz Bee Foundation Secretariat, 2/F Palarca Bldg., Quezon Blvd. corner P. Paredes, Manila, telefax nos. 741 -0856/ 7351272/ 964 - 9210, mobile no. 0917 892 2560 or email address: [pettizoutayag@yahoo.com](mailto:pettizoutayag@yahoo.com)