



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION III  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF BULACAN

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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

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**CONDUCT OF FACE-TO-FACE FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSION IN  
PREPARATION FOR THE 2023 GAWAD PARANGAL NG  
DEPED BULACAN**

To: Division Chiefs  
Concerned Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
Concerned Elementary and Secondary School Teachers  
All Others Concerned

1. This is to announce that there will be a face-to-face focus group discussion in preparation for the 2023 *Gawad Parangal* ng DepEd Bulacan Division Search for Outstanding Teaching and Related Teaching Personnel on September 28, 2023, at 1:00 pm. The venue for this discussion will be the SDO Bulacan Conference Hall.
2. The primary objectives of the FGD meeting are as follows:
  - a. explore the feasibility of conducting the 2023 *Gawad Parangal* in a hybrid format, allowing a broader audience to participate in the celebration;
  - b. define the specific activities associated with the celebration, particularly in recognizing and honoring the exemplary accomplishments of the awardees;
  - c. strategize and plan the creation of a video presentation that will be featured during the 2023 Regional Teachers' Day Celebration; and
  - d. ensure proper documentation of the event for future reference in the context of the PRAISE recognition.
3. The following are the participants of the face-to-face focus group discussion:



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Name	School/Station	Designation
1. Romy Boy C. Punongbayan	San Roque NHS	MT-I
2. Clarissa DC. Flores	Iba NHS	HT-III
3. Enrique Rigor P. Flores	DCMDNHS	HT-III
4. Christian Santos	San Miguel NHS	MT-I
5. Isagani M. Aguinaldo	FCLNHS	HT-II
6. Kathrine Jane L. Ople	Talipitip NHS	MT-I
7. Chique Razel T. Cruz	Teodoso R. Manuel ES	T-II
8. Joel S. Resurreccion	Obando CS	T-III
9. Marnick S. Gutierrez	Parada NHS	MT-II
10. John Carlo V. Javier	Masagana HS	T-I
11. Maricel DC. Parba	Jose J. Mariano MHS	T-II
12. Gregorio C. Quinto, Jr., EdD	SDO	CID Chief
13. Cecilia S. Custodio, PhD	SDO	SGOD Chief
14. Marilene G. Ramos	SDO	SEPS-HRD
15. Ma Lourdes J. Patag	SDO	SEPS-SMME
16. Bryan Amiel F. De Jesus	SDO	SEPS-SMN
17. Ma. Jesusa V. Pampilon	SDO	EPS II-SMN

4. School heads of the concerned teacher-participants are expected to make necessary adjustment on the class programs that may be affected, if any, to ensure that classes will not be hampered due to their attendance in this endeavor.

5. This Memorandum shall serve as the travel authority of all concerned teacher-participants.

6. Expenses incurred on this activity shall be charged against Division MOOE while the transportation expenses of all teacher-participants shall be charged against any school funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

7. Health and safety protocols shall be strictly observed at all times.

8. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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