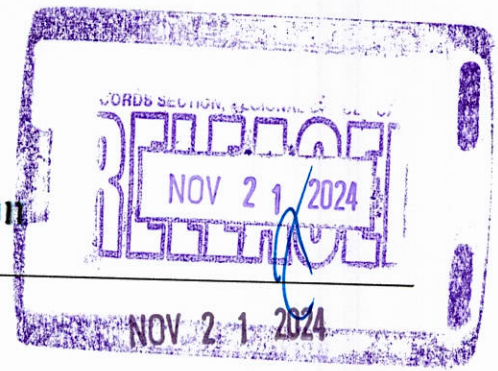




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CARAGA REGION



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
CLMD – 2024 - 1294

To: Schools Division Superintendents)Division of Agusan del Norte
All Others Concerned)Division of Bayugan City
)Division of Dinagat Islands

ATTENDANCE TO THE RECOGNITION RITES OF THE GAWAD TEODORA ALONSO
(GTA) 2024 – 6TH NATIONAL COMPETITION ON STORYBOOK WRITING

1. To mark the culmination of the **Gawad Teodora Alonso (GTA) 2024-6th National Competition on Storybook Writing**, the Bureau of Learning Resources (BLR) will conduct a **Storybook Recognition Rites** on December 2-5, 2024, at City State Asturias Hotel, Puerto Princesa City.

2. The following invitees are expected to attend:

	Invite Code	Name	Designation	Office Station
1	R13RO2	Bernabe L. Linog	Chief-CLMD	Regional Office
2	R13RO1	Maripaz F. Magno	Regional LR EPS	Regional Office
3	R13SDO7	Jeanie L. Mativo	SDS	Agusan del Norte
4	R13SDO8	Junaline J. Mores	Division LR EPS	Agusan del Norte
5	R1316	Neil J. Arado	PDO II	Agusan del Norte
6	ST-03	Juish D. Dela Victoria	Master Teacher I	Agusan del Norte
7	R133W9	Regiene B. Amista	Teacher III	Agusan del Norte
8	R13SDO4	Ma. Teresa M. Real	SDS	Bayugan City
9	R13SDO5	Genevieve S. Verceles	Division LR EPS	Bayugan City
10	R13W3	Janice Marie S. Dandasan	Master Teacher I	Bayugan City
11	R135W10	Bryan L. Arreo	ASDS	Dinagat Islands

3. Only listed invitees will be accepted onsite. Substitutions, if necessary, must be endorsed to the secretariat by November 22, 2024.

4. All attendees are required to complete the pre-registration survey form at **bit.ly/GTA2024RitesRegistration**.

5. SDOs concerned shall provide three copies of each of the following REadEx Picks, provided to BLR:

- (1) Kakaiba si Nena;
- (2) Katakutakusina;
- (3) Ang Sagwan ni Tolits D'Great; and
- (4) Hugis

6. These copies will be showcased during the Reading Exhibit and used for the Onsite Storytelling Contest.



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7. Food and accommodation expenses shall be covered by the BLR funds downloaded to the host region, while travel expenses for the participants are requested to be charged against available local funds, the remaining balance of the Program Support Funds for the GTA Development and Harvesting of Storybooks (DM-CT-2024-06, dated June 4, 2024) or surplus funds from learning resource activities that permit such expenditure. These allocations should adhere to standard government accounting rules and regulations. The same is requested to cover the costs for Printing of ReadEx Picks entries.
8. The provision of applicable leave credits or compensatory time-off is kindly requested for the attending personnel during local holidays.
9. Attached is the Indicative Program Matrix, detailing the four-day event to be attended by winners, invited guests, and DepEd officials. The dress code for the highlight ceremony is **Filipiniana**, with the venue themed around *Karagatan*. Updates and additional information can be accessed through the Facebook page of the National Competition on Storybook Writing or by searching #KuwentoNgBayanKo.
10. For information and compliance.

MARIA INES C. ASUNCION
Director III
Officer-In-Charge
Office of the Regional Director

Encl.: None

Reference: BLR-2024-11-2545 dated November 15, 2024

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November 15, 2024

MARIA INES C. ASUNCION

OIC-Regional Director, DepEd Region XIII
Km. 3, Libertad St., Butuan City

Dear **Dir. Asuncion:**

The Bureau of Learning Resources (BLR) wishes to extend our heartfelt gratitude for the active participation of your region in the Gawad Teodora Alonso 2024 (6th National Competition on Storybook Writing, as issued through DepEd Memorandum No. 43, series of 2024.

We are pleased to inform you that the Storybook Recognition Rites and Reading Exhibit, marking the culmination of this harvesting program, will be held at Citystate Asturias Hotel, Puerto Princesa City from **December 2 to 5, 2024**.

In this regard, we would be delighted if your office, or the Assistant Regional Director, could grace us with your presence at the highlight events (as indicated in the attached program). Additionally, we kindly request the attendance of the following personnel:

	Invite Code	Attendee	Office/Station
1	R13LR1 ✓	Maripaz Magno	RO
2	R13RO2 ✓	CLMD Chief	RO
3	R13W3 ✓	Janice Marie Dandasan	Bayugan City
4	R13SDO4 ✓	SDS <i>Ma. Teresa M. Real</i>	Bayugan City
5	R13SDO5	Division LR EPS	Bayugan City
6	R13I6 ✓	Neil Arado	Agusan del Norte
7	R13SDO7 ✓	SDS <i>Jeanie M. Alvarado</i>	Agusan del Norte
8	R13SDO8 ✓	Division LR EPS <i>Juraine Mors</i>	Agusan del Norte
9	R133W9 ✓	Regiene Amista	Agusan del Norte
10	R135W10 ✓	Bryan Arreo	Dinagat Islands
11	ST-03 ✓	Juish dela Victoria	Agusan del Norte

Please note that only the invitees listed above will be accepted onsite. However, should there be any necessary substitutions, names of representatives shall be endorsed to the secretariat until **November 22, 2024**.

All invited attendees are required to accomplish the pre-registration survey form that can be accessed through the link bit.ly/GTA2024RitesRegistration.

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ReadEx Picks

Additionally, we respectfully request that three (3) copies of each of the following ReadEx Picks be provided to BLR:

- (1) Kakaiba si Nena,
- (2) Katakutakusina,
- (3) Ang Sagwan ni Tolits D' Great, and
- (4) Hugis.

These copies will be showcased during the Reading Exhibit and used for the Onsite Storytelling Contest.

Logistics and Other Details

Travel expenses for the participants are requested to be charged against available local funds and/or charged to the balance of the Program Support Funds for the Conduct of GTA Development and Harvesting of Storybooks (DM-CT-2024-06, dated June 4, 2024), or any surplus funds from activities for learning resources that allow expenditure of such. The same is requested for the amount necessary for the printing of ReadEx Picks entries.

Food and accommodation will be covered by BLR funds downloaded to the host region, subject to standard government accounting rules and regulations. Additionally, this Office kindly requests the provision of applicable leave credits or compensatory time-off for the attending personnel during local holidays.

Program Highlights

Attached is the Indicative Program Matrix, which outlines the four-day event to be attended by winners, invited guests, literary figures, and officials of DepEd and its attached agency National Council for Children's Television. The dress code for the highlight ceremony is Filipiniana, and the venue will showcase *Karagatan* as motif.

Should you have any questions or require further assistance, please feel free to contact us via email at blr.creatives@deped.gov.ph, copy furnished blr.lrp@deped.gov.ph (attention **Jejomar Alda** of Learning Resources Production Division) or by telephone at (02) 8631-4985.

Updates and additional information may also be found on the Facebook page of the National Competition on Storybook Writing, or by searching #KuwentoNgBayanKo.

Thank you very much for your ongoing support and dedication to this harvesting program for a healthy reading community.

Very truly yours,


ARIZ DELSON ACAY D. CAWILAN
Director IV

Attached:
Indicative Program Matrix

Gawad Teodora Alonso 2024
STORYBOOK RECOGNITION RITES AND READING EXHIBIT
cum Learning Resources Consultative Conference

	Day 1 December 2, 2024	Day 2 December 3, 2024	Day 3 December 4, 2024	Day 4 December 5, 2024
AM ☺	Ingress, registration, and Opening Program ☺ 8:00 to 11:00 AM ☺ All attendees	☺ Reading Exhibit Ceremonial Opening Highlight Event ☺ 8:00 to 11:00 AM ☺ All attendees ☺ Corporate, casual, literary-based Storytelling Coaching ☺ 9:00 to 10:00 AM ☺ Interested participants ☺ Melanie Ramirez	Reading Exhibit ☺ 8:00 to 11:00 AM ☺ All attendees ☺ Corporate, casual, literary-based Judges' Feedback Conference ☺ 10:00 to 11:30 AM ☺ Interested participants ☺ Concurrent panels: GTA judges for confirmation ☺ Corporate, casual, literary-based	Consultative Conference on Learning Resources ☺ 8:30 to 12:00 PM ☺ LR supervisors and RO/SDO personnel ☺ Smart casual
PM ☺	Consultative Conference on Learning Resources ☺ 1:30 to 4:00 PM ☺ LR supervisors and RO/SDO personnel ☺ Smart casual	Open Mic Storytelling Sessions ☺ 1:00 to 2:00 PM ☺ Interested participants ☺ Corporate, casual, literary-based Storytelling Competitions – Category 4B (DM 043, s.2024) ☺ 2:00 to 5:00 PM ☺ Interested participants ☺ Corporate, casual, literary-based, or props-based	Preliminary Awarding Ceremonies ☺ 1:30 to 3:30 PM ☺ All attendees ☺ All ReadEx Picks and runners-up for all categories ☺ Modern Filipiniana ☺ Storybook Recognition Rites Highlight Event ☺ 4:00 to 6:00 PM ☺ All attendees ☺ Categories 1, 2, and 4 placements ☺ Categories 3, 5, and 6 winners ☺ Full-dress-Filipiniana	Closing Program Egress ☺ 1:00 to 3:00 PM ☺ All attendees

KARAGATAN: Tampok ngayong taon ang tema ng Karagatan sa ating pagdiriwang; siyang simbolo sa malalim na yaman ng ating kulturang Pilipino at ng pamayanang archipelago.