



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION X
DIVISION OF CAGAYAN DE ORO CITY



Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 33 s.2024

INVITATION TO VIEW THE UNVEILING OF THE WAR OF OUR FATHERS EXHIBIT

To: Public School District Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors
All Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Public Elementary and Secondary Araling Panlipunan Teachers
This Division

1. This refers to the invitation to view the unveiling of the **War of our Fathers Exhibit** of the Philippine Veterans Bank and Philippine Veterans Affairs Office in consonance with the 79th Anniversary of the Liberation of the Cagayan de Oro. The exhibit will run from May 12 – June 15, 2024 which will start every 10:00 o'clock in the morning at the 2nd floor of SM CDO Uptown.
2. All Araling Panlipunan Teachers are hereby directed to grace the activity on May 12, 2024 at the given venue. Everyone is encouraged to bring a camera in order to document all important activities therein.
3. Attached is the copy of the Invitation Letter.
4. In the adherence to Equal Opportunity Principle (EOP), inclusive and fair treatment shall be accorded to all participants regardless of disability, sexual orientation, gender, age, religion, and ethnicity.
5. Immediate compliance with this Memorandum is desired.

ROY ANGELO E. GAZO
Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.:As stated
Reference: None
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

EXHIBIT LOCAL HISTORY

SCC / DM – invitation to view the unveiling of the war of our fathers exhibit



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Today in Cagayan de Oro History



CAGAYAN LIBERATED

On this day, May 12th of 1945, the guerrilla forces of the 10th Military District cleared Cagayan de Misamis of Japanese forces, thereby liberating the town.

May 6, 2024

DR. ROY ANGELO E. GAZO, Ph.D. CESO III
Schools Division Superintendent
Cagayan de Oro City

Attention: **Dr. Romeo B. Aclo**
Member, Adviser Association of Social Science Researchers & Trainers

Dear SDS Gazo:

Greetings from the Sons and Daughters of our WW2 Veterans!

We are honored to invite you to grace the upcoming 79th Anniversary of the Liberation of Cagayan de Oro on Sunday, May 12, 2024.

On this occasion, we shall be unveiling the *War of our Fathers Exhibit* of the Philippine Veterans Bank and Philippine Veterans Affairs Office (PVAO) at the 2nd floor of SM CDO Uptown on the date, which shall also include photographs and relics from the Second World War in Cagayan de Oro. We shall forward the program to you once this is finalized.

The exhibit will run from May 12-June 15, 2024 to include Cagayan de Oro's Himugso Festival celebrating the birth of our Nation on June 12 and our City on June 15.

May we invite all teachers and students under the Division of Cagayan de Oro City Schools to view the exhibit during its month long run? Our committee members will be available to conduct a guided tour of the exhibit to enhance their knowledge with the immersive experience of seeing the photos of their forefathers who sacrificed for the freedom they now enjoy.

We would appreciate it very much if your office can issue a Memorandum Advisory for all students and teachers to visit this remarkable exhibit celebrating our World War II Heroes, including our local guerrillas like the Tiano Brothers, Moreno Brothers, and many more.

Thank you for your kind consideration of our invitation and requests for the active participation of DepEd in this momentous occasion in our city's history.

Yours very truly,



Rene Michael D. Baños
Executive Director
CDO World War II & Veterans Studies Committee
Cagayan de Oro City

cc : ASSRT
PVB