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To: Chief Education Program Supervisors  
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Public Schools District Supervisors  
Elementary and Secondary School Heads

Catanduanes State University through the Alumni Relations and Services Office is conducting the 1<sup>st</sup> CSU "Paururagan" contest for Elementary, Secondary and College pupils/students on October 15, 2015 at CSU Compound as part of their Foundation Day celebration.

Cash prizes, medals and certificates will awarded to winners (contestant and coach) on the following contests:

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|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| 1. Quiz Bee                          | (Elementary & High School Level)          |
| 2. Essay writing Contest             | (Elementary, High School & College Level) |
| 3. On-the-Spot Poetry Making Contest | (Elementary, High School & College level) |
| 4. On-the-Spot Poster Making Contest | (Elementary and High School level)        |

In this connection, all elementary and secondary schools are encouraged to participate in the said competition.

Official delegates who are willing to join may contact this number- 09054014857 on or before October 14, 2015. There will be no registration fee.

Attached are General Guidelines, Contest Mechanics, and Criteria for each contest event.

For information and widest dissemination.

  
**NYMPHA D. GUEMO**  
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# 1<sup>st</sup> CSU PAURURAGAN

## CONTEST MECHANICS

### General Guidelines

1. Only official delegates to the 1<sup>st</sup> CSU Paururagan are entitled to join except teachers and coaches. Contests shall be limited to one (1) contestant/team per school/institution/organization.
2. Official delegates must indicate willingness to join on or before October 14, 2015 by contacting this number – 09054014857 to give the committee enough time to prepare the lists of contestants. Each delegate is not allowed to join more than 1 contest event.
3. Final confirmation of your participation as official contestants in any competition will be sent to you via text message from the committee.
4. Prizes include medals, cash, and a certificate of participation and recognition to the contestant and coach.
5. The participant must be present ten minutes before the event. Otherwise, s/he will automatically be disqualified.

## ON-THE-SPOT POSTER-MAKING CONTEST

(Elementary and High School)

### MECHANICS:

1. The painting/poster must be based on the overall theme of the event.
2. Only one participant per school/organization/college is allowed in this competition.
3. Only the first 15 contestants, per level (Elem., High School) on a first-come, first-served basis, will be eligible to join the contest.
4. All participants must be in the venue 30 minutes prior to the scheduled contest.
5. During the briefing, participants shall be assigned specific room and seats. A 10-minute bathroom break shall be allowed after the contest briefing or before the contest proper. Once the contest starts, no participant shall be allowed to enter or leave the designated room. Only assigned marshals are allowed to enter therein.
6. This shall be a mixed-medium competition.
7. All other materials must be brought by the individual contestant. Allowed materials to be used are: markers, pencils, crayons, pastel, oil, poster color, water color, ink, ruler.
8. All artworks must be done only on the spot and must be completed within the allotted time of (3) three hours.
9. The contestants will use one-fourth (1/4) illustration board. The Organizers will provide this.
10. For purposes of anonymity, no distinguishing mark or name of the contestant shall appear in the entry. Only the serial number which corresponds to the name on the manifesto.
11. The use of mobile phones and/or other electronic devices is strictly prohibited.
12. Upon submission of the finished poster, contestant may leave the room as soon as possible.
13. The manifesto shall stipulate a waiver certifying the originality of the drawing/poster. The manifesto shall also stipulate the drawing/poster shall become the property of CSU. By participating in this contest, the contestant grants CSU or any organization within the school the right without the need of payment other than the prize which may have been awarded; to publish from time to time or quote as it may at its discretion; to edit the work or any portion thereof suitable for publication; and or to make the works available on the internet or other electronic media.
14. Prizes shall be awarded on the same day.
15. The organizers reserve the right to nullify and/or cancel any part of the competition if it appears that any fraud or malfunctions have occurred in any form or whatsoever.
16. Judge's decision is final and irrevocable.

## CRITERIA FOR JUDGING

Relevance to theme	40%
Artistry/Creativity/Mastery on the use of medium	35%
Originality	15%
Overall Impact	10%
Total	100%

### PRIZES:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize: P1,000, medal and certificate to both contestant and coach.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: medal and certificate to both contestant and coach.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: medal and certificate to both contestant and coach.

## ON-THE-SPOT POETRY MAKING CONTEST

(Elementary, High School and College Level)

### MECHANICS:

1. The poem must be based on the overall theme of the event.
2. Only one participant per school/organization/college is allowed in this competition.
3. Only the first 15 contestants, per level (Elementary and High School) on a first-come, first-served basis, will be eligible to join the contest.
4. All participants must be in the venue 30 minutes prior to the scheduled contest.
5. During the briefing, participants shall be assigned specific room and seats. A 10-minute bathroom break shall be allowed after the contest briefing or before the contest proper. Once the contest starts, no participant shall be allowed to enter or leave the designated room. Only assigned marshals are allowed to enter therein.
6. The poem must be original and must expound on a theme that shall be announced before the contest proper starts.
7. Poems are to be written within 2 hours in designated writing venues together with the assigned marshals.
8. All poems shall be written in English medium and shall consist of not less than 6 but not more than 10 stanzas.
9. The contestants will use a white long bond paper. The Organizers will provide this.
10. For purposes of anonymity, no distinguishing mark or name of the contestant shall appear in the entry. Only the serial number which corresponds to the name on the manifesto.
11. The use of mobile phones and/or other electronic devices is strictly prohibited.
12. Upon submission of the poems, contestant may leave the room as soon as possible.
13. The manifesto shall stipulate a waiver certifying the originality of the essay. The manifesto shall also stipulate the essay shall become the property of CSU. By participating in this contest, the contestant grants CSU or any organization within the school the right without the need of payment other than the prize which may have been awarded; to publish from time to time or quote as it may at its discretion; to edit the work or any portion thereof suitable for publication; and or to make the works available on the internet or other electronic media.
14. Prizes shall be awarded on the same day.
15. The organizers reserve the right to nullify and/or cancel any part of the competition if it appears that any fraud or malfunctions have occurred in any form or whatsoever.
16. Judge's decision is final and irrevocable.

## CRITERIA FOR JUDGING

Relevance to theme/Task Achievement	40%
Grammatical Range and Style	25%
Organization	20%
Lexical Resource	15%
Total	100%

*\*\*Relevance to theme/Task Achievement (Fully satisfies all the requirements and clearly presents a fully developed response)*

*\*\*Grammatical Range and Accuracy (Uses a wide range of structures with full flexibility and accuracy)*

*\*\*Organization (Uses cohesion in such a way that it attracts attention, skillfully manages paragraphing)*

*\*\*Lexical Resource (Uses a wide range of vocabulary with very natural and sophisticated control of lexical features)*

### PRIZES:

1<sup>st</sup> Prize: P1,000 and certificate to both contestant and coach.

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: medal and certificate to both contestant and coach.

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: medal and certificate to both contestant and coach.

## ESSAY WRITING CONTEST

(Elementary, High School and College Level)

### MECHANICS:

1. The essay must be based on the overall theme of the event.
2. Only one participant per school/organization/college is allowed in this competition.
3. Only the first 15 contestants, per level (Elementary and High School) on a first-come, first-served basis, will be eligible to join the contest.
4. All participants must be in the venue 30 minutes prior to the scheduled contest.
5. During the briefing, participants shall be assigned specific room and seats. A 10-minute bathroom break shall be allowed after the contest briefing or before the contest proper. Once the contest starts, no participant shall be allowed to enter or leave the designated room. Only assigned marshals are allowed to enter therein.
6. The essay must be original and must expound on a theme that shall be announced before the contest proper starts.
7. Essays are to be written within 2 hours in designated writing venues together with the assigned marshals.
8. All essays shall be written in English medium and shall consist of not less than 500 words but not more than 800 words.
9. The contestants will use a white long bond paper. The Organizers will provide this.
10. For purposes of anonymity, no distinguishing mark or name of the contestant shall appear in the entry. Only the serial number which corresponds to the name on the manifesto.
11. The use of mobile phones and/or other electronic devices is strictly prohibited.
12. Upon submission of the essays, contestant may leave the room as soon as possible.
13. The manifesto shall stipulate a waiver certifying the originality of the essay. The manifesto shall also stipulate the essay shall become the property of CSU. By participating in this contest, the contestant grants CSU or any organization within the school the right without the need of payment other than the prize which may have been awarded; to publish from time to time or quote as it may at its discretion; to edit the work or any portion thereof suitable for publication; and or to make the works available on the internet or other electronic media.
14. Prizes shall be awarded on the same day.
15. The organizers reserve the right to nullify and/or cancel any part of the competition if it appears that any fraud or malfunctions have occurred in any form or whatsoever.
16. Judge's decision is final and irrevocable.

## CRITERIA FOR JUDGING

Relevance to theme/Task Achievement	35%
Coherence and Cohesion	35%
Lexical Resource	15%
Grammatical Range and Accuracy	15%
Total	100%

*\*\*Relevance to theme/Task Achievement (Fully satisfies all the requirements and clearly presents a fully developed response)*

*\*\*Coherence and Cohesion (Uses cohesion in such a way that it attracts attention, skillfully manages paragraphing)*

*\*\*Lexical Resource (Uses a wide range of vocabulary with very natural and sophisticated control of lexical features)*

*\*\*Grammatical Range and Accuracy (Uses a wide range of structures with full flexibility and accuracy)*

### PRIZES:

1<sup>st</sup> Prize: P1,000 and certificate to both contestant and coach.

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: medal and certificate to both contestant and coach.

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: medal and certificate to both contestant and coach.

# QUIZ BEE

(Elementary/High School)

## MECHANICS

1. The coverage of the quiz bee includes Literature, Catanduanes History and General Information.
2. It is open to all Elementary/High School students and each delegation shall have three (3) representatives. Each elementary delegation shall be composed of pupils from Grades 4, 5 and 6 while the High School delegation shall be composed of students from Grades 8, 9 and 10.
3. The group will write their answers at the black part of the illustration board. The organizer will provide this.
4. All groups will answer the same set of questions in writing. Before the question is read, the group must raise their markers (chalk).
5. There will be three (3) components in the competition namely: Elimination Round, Semi-Final Round and the Final Round.
6. The elimination round has seven (7) questions worth 2 points, the semi-final round has nine (9) questions worth 3 points and in the final round has seven (7) questions worth 5 points.
7. In the elimination round, only the top six (6) groups will qualify to the next (semi-final) round.
8. At the end of semi-final round, only the top three (3) groups will move to the final round.
9. The questions will be read by the quizmaster twice.
10. After the second (2nd) reading, the Quizmaster shall say "go", only then the groups be allowed to write their answers. Automatically, the (10) second time-limit will begin with the word "go" by the Quizmaster.
11. After the time-limit, the whistle is blown by the time-keeper. The groups must stop writing and must raise their answer boards. Wrong spelling is considered wrong. Absence of hyphen and dashes on the answers that requires such is also considered wrong.
12. The Quizmaster shall read and verify the group's answer.
13. The group who gets the highest number of points is automatically declared the champion or the runner-up as the case may be.
14. In case of tie there shall have a tie-breaker question(s) to determine the ultimate winner.
15. Contention on the question or answer shall be done right after the question or before the next question shall be read. Contest on the question or answer shall only be raised by the registered coach of each delegation.

PRIZES:

1<sup>st</sup> Prize: P3,000 and certificate to both contestant and coach.

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: P2,000 medal and certificate to both contestant and coach.

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: P1,000 medal and certificate to both contestant and coach.

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