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For your information
& appropriate action please.
Thank you - God bless!
Jan 20 2014*

Dear Dr. San Antonio,

Greetings!!!

The Love for Marine Life, an advocacy program on the awareness, proper care and education on marine flora and fauna in the Philippines. It provides venues for school children to learn more about the diverse creatures under the sea. More importantly, it also provides an avenue for our pupils to understand their part in taking care of the marine life. The program is in partnership with Manila Ocean Park, Department of Education and Marylindbert International.

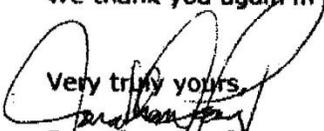
Part of the implementing protocols of this program is a contest that will show the creative and artistic talents of the students via a painting contest. The contest is open to all public and private schools in the region. Attached is the contest mechanics.

In line with this activity, we would like to request your goodself to help us disseminate the information on the above via a memorandum to all the division offices and schools in Region IV-A.

Further, we would like to request that Dr. Fe Enguero will over look and help us with this activity. Contest finals venue will be at Manila Ocean Park on March 01, 2014.

For more inquiries, please call 632-899-1943/45.

We thank you again in advance for your usual kind support.

Very truly yours,

Jonathan Paulig
Operations Manager

Manila Ocean Park Hands-on-Contest

Painting Contest

Painting is a good activity for children that encourage them to express their innermost feelings and ideas. It is also an activity that requires them to analyze, organize and synthesis their imagination and experiences.

Painting contest will help school children develop their thinking skills, stimulate imagination, enhance creativity and interpret the beauty of our marine flora and fauna.

A. How to Join/Who Can Join

1. The contest is open to all Grades 1 to 6 pupils both public and private schools in NCR, Region 3 and Region 4-a.
2. All interested pupils must:
 - a. Submit a sample of their work to their respective DepEd Division Office for pre-judging.
 - b. Fill- up an entry form with their name, name of school, school address, contact number and name of coach.
3. Contest finals will be held on March 01, 2014 at the Manila Ocean park.

B. Elimination

1. All entries together with the entry forms shall be submitted by the DepEd Division Offices to the DepEd Regional Office.
2. DepEd Regional Office shall:
 - a. All entries must be signed properly labeled at the back indicating the name of student, school, contact number and name of coach.
 - b. Prepare the entries with control numbers to be collected by Marylindbert International staff.
3. Entries shall be collected by Marylindbert Intl. Marylindbert will choose the top 30 artworks which will qualify for the On-the-spot contest finals.
4. Top 30 finalists will be chosen randomly. It is not necessary that each DepEd Division will have its own representative.

c. Contest mechanics

1. A new theme for the contest will be announced at the contest proper. The coaches will be given 10 minutes to discuss the new theme with the contestant and give instructions as to the rendition of their entry. After 10 minutes, coaches will be not be allowed to be with their contestants. Violation will automatically disqualify the contestant.
2. Crayons, craypas, pencil, eraser and illustration boards will be provided. Contestant may bring their own painting materials except for pens with ink (ballpen, pentel pen, etc.)
3. Entries can be mounted in a 15 in x 20 in illustration board. Contestants will be given 2 hours to finish their work.

4. Entries must be signed, labeled at the back indicating student name, name of school, contact number and name of coach.
5. All employees of Manila Ocean Park, its PR and advertising agencies, suppliers and relatives up to the second degree of consanguinity and affinity are disqualified from joining the contest.
6. All entries will be owned by the Manila Ocean Park.

D. Criteria

Originality 30%

Relevance to theme 30%

Quality 20%

Overall Impact 20