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MEMORANDUM
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For: **Regional Directors**
Schools Division Superintendents
Regional and Division Engineers
Principals and School Heads
All Others Concerned

Subject: **GABALDON SCHOOLHOUSE CONTEST 2021**

In support of RA No. 11194 or the *Gabaldon School Buildings Conservation Act* and the Department of Education's (DepEd) own Gabaldon Schoolhouse Conservation Project, the Office of the Undersecretary for Administration (OUA) through the Education Facilities Division (EFD) will be hosting the Gabaldon Schoolhouse Contest 2021. This will be open to all public elementary and secondary schools nationwide with existing Gabaldon Heritage School Buildings.

The contest aims to further highlight the historical and cultural importance of Gabaldon Schoolhouses as heritage structures and give emphasis to their pivotal role in shaping the nation's public school system.

The following are the categories and mechanics for this contest:

A. BEST GABALDON PHOTOS

- The whole Gabaldon Building should be captured in the picture showing its design.
- Photos should be 8.5"x12", 300dpi, PNG and JPEG formats.
- The following are the categories for the photos:
 1. **Best Oldest Photos** – oldest existing photos of Gabaldon Buildings with the following sub-categories:
 - 1a. **Pre-1908**
 - 1b. **Pre-war (1908-1941)**
 - 1c. **Post-war (1941-1960)**
 - 1d. **1961 to 1990**



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2. Best Contemporary Photos

2a. Taken during daytime

2b. Taken during night time

2c. Taken with sunrise or sunset

B. BEST GABALDON WRITE-UPS

- The write ups should be written or structured in the third person and in accordance with standard technical writing practices.
- Write-ups should be typed/encoded in Word format, Arial font, size 12, 1.5 line spacing, with a minimum 500 words and maximum of 1,500 words.
- The following are the categories for the write-ups:
 - 1. Historical Significance**
 - 2. Famous Students/Teachers**
 - 3. Personal Experience**

C. BEST GABALDON VIDEO

- Videos are preferably done in Filipino language, but English or any native language is allowed, provided that there are subtitles in Filipino.
- All video entries should be submitted in 1080p, mp4 format, with a minimum of 2.5 minutes to a maximum of 4 minutes duration, including credits
- The following are the categories for the videos:
 - 1. Documentary**
 - 2. Feature**
 - 3. Portraiture**
 - 4. Animation**

D. FILE NAMING CONVENTION

- All entry files to be submitted must follow the following sample file naming convention:

Oldest_Pre-1908_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01
Oldest_Pre-War_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01
Oldest_Post-War_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01
Oldest_1961-1990_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01

Contemporary_Daytime_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01
Contemporary_Nighttime_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01
Contemporary_Sun_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01

Historical_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01
Famous_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01



Personal_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01

Documentary_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01

Feature_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01

Portraiture_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01

Animation_Province_TownCity_NameofGabaldonSchool_01



All entries should be submitted via email at efd.as@deped.gov.ph and usec.admin@deped.gov.ph **on or before 5:00 PM on July 25, 2021** with subject heading **GABALDON SCHOOLHOUSE CONTEST 2021 [category]** (example: *GABALDON SCHOOLHOUSE CONTEST 2021 Best Gabaldon Video Documentary*).

There will be a total of 14 winners, 28 runners-up, and 70 finalists among all the categories.

Winning entries will be featured in the Gabaldon Coffee Table Book and Gabaldon Full Feature Documentary to be launched on December 20, 2021.

Winning entries and finalists will also be featured in exhibits to be held at the DepEd Central Office, Baguio Teachers Camp (BTC), and other venues. They will be displayed permanently at the Gabaldon Museum in the BTC.

For information and guidance.



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