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## San Pablo City's DFSPSG conducts campaign on social media



The Federation Officers pledged to exercise the responsible use of social media and be a good example to their fellow students.

To give awareness in the advent of technology and the emergence of the social media era, the San Pablo City Division Federation of Supreme Pupil and Student Government (DFSPSG) directed campaign titled, their advocacy "Generation Z: Growing-up in the Social Media Era" at Dalubhasaan ng Lungsod ng San Pablo (DLSP) Activity Center, March 28.

The event primarily aims to give information about the responsible use of social media, equip the participants in identifying fake news, and showcase the accomplishments of the Supreme Pupil Government (SPG) and Supreme Student Government (SSG) officers in every participating school.

A total of 96 student leaders with 14 advisers both from elementary and secondary schools attended the one-day social media fair and forum.

Moreover, the program started with a welcome address from Division Federation SSG Adviser Henrich A. Yason.

"In our generation, to be responsible in any form of media is a must," pronounced Nadeline Anne P. De Guzman, Program Development Officer (PDO) on Youth Formation Program in her statement of purpose for the said event.

The highlight of the program was the talk about the psychology of social media and regarding fake news where the speakers gave different strategies and approaches in handling social media responsibly.

Katrina C. Aguel, the resource speaker said that even though elders find social networking sites unbeneficial to the youth, she countered that these sites have a lot of positive things to offer than some negative effects.

"Social media can gnaw at our insecurities and suck us in, but at its core,

it's about the good in the world: seeing it in ourselves, recognizing it in others, passing it on." Arguel explained.

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In addition, to further know more about fake news and how to spot them, Lualhati S. Angeles, a school paper adviser and a radio journalist elaborated ways to check the authenticity of the news article.

"Don't fall into the trap of sharing fake news. Next time you come across a dubious article, double-check before spreading it," Lualhati said as she ended her talk.

At the same time, the affair also gave way to the outgoing DFSPSG to turn-over the key of responsibilities to the newly elected officers.

The program was concluded by showcasing the SSG's and SPG's accomplishments for the academic year 2017-2018 through booths and video presentations. (Zesmark P. Sayta, Grade 12 - San Pablo City Science High School)



## Tayabas City students are 'Iskolars ni Juan'

Gokongwei Brothers Foundation (GBF), in partnership with the Tayabas City Division Stand Alone Senior High School through the Adopt-A-School Program, granted a 12-month scholarship to senior high school graduates from low-income households under GBF Technical Courses recognized by the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA).

Of the 47 who took the exam at the Quezon Convention Center, Lucena City on March 12, only 13 made it to proceed to the panel interview and three made it to the final roll

The three Iskolar ni Juan are: Dexter L. Francia, Jayson Rey A. Jastiva, and Jaymmor R. Javal of Tayabas City Division Stand Alone Senior High School under Electrical Installation and Maintenance program (EIM).

Once they have completed the course, they will get the chance to work at Universal Robina Corporation (URC) and other Gokongwei business partners. (Virgilio R. Jao Jr. MT-I, Wensore Cambia T-II and Renil Leonar T-II - Stand Alone SHS)



ISKOLAR NI JUAN. The three scholars of Gokongwei Brothers Foundation

## SDO Tayabas City responds to PPST's call



EPS Sancho Calatrava raises concerns addressed to Facilitator Marian Flores during her discussion on Domain 1- Content Knowledge and Pedagogy.

SDO Tayabas City took its lead in raising teachers' awareness on Philippine Professional Standards for Teachers (PPST) through a successful training of trainers held at the ORN Hall of Luis Palad Integrated High School, April 16-18.

The three-day activity gathered education program supervisors, selected DO personnel, school heads and master teachers in preparation for the roll-out of the training-workshop on the adoption and implementation of PPST come April 23-25 at Tayabas East Central School.

The training emphasized the key contents of DepEd Order No. 42, S. 2017 signed by DepEd Secretary Leonor Magtolis Briones where the aims of PPST are stipulated.

Imelda C. Raymundo, CID Chief provided significant insights on PPST and stressed the challenge that teachers need embrace for its successful implementation in the Division.

Master Teachers Ma. Corazon Borbon, Marian Flores, and Rempson Sumilarg who attended the Regional Seminar on Master Teacher Development Program where PPST was also highlighted led the discussion on the four career stages namely beginning, proficient, highly proficient, and distinguished. They also tackled seven domains of PPST - Domain 1-Content Knowledge and Pedagogy, Domain 2 - Learning Environment, Domain 3 -Diversity of Learners, Domain 4 -Curriculum and Planning, Domain 5 -Assessment and Reporting, Domain 6 -Community Linkages and Professional Engagement and Domain 7- Personal Growth and Professional Development as well as Annotation and Preparation of Portfolio.

The lead facilitators also trained the participants in the conduct of enrichment activities and simulated actual learning sessions for each topic.

Meanwhile, Sancho Calatrava, EPS of Social Studies and National Facilitator, enhanced the participants' facilitation skills through his discussion on the basic knowledge, skills and attitude essential to effective facilitation of seminars and trainings. His discussion delved on planning, personal and platform skills of a proficient resource speaker.

Dr. Catherine P. Talavera, SDS of Tayabas City was present during the last day of training to closely monitor all the session learning episodes and to ensure that each topics were appropriately discussed by the facilitators and cofacilitators for the roll-out.

SDO Tayabas' PPST Journey shall continue with its Second Phase - Portfolio Preparation Training of Assessors and Third Phase - School Mock Assessment which shall be conducted before the start of the new school year. (Regicelle D. Cabaysa, Master Teacher I, Stand Alone Senior High School)