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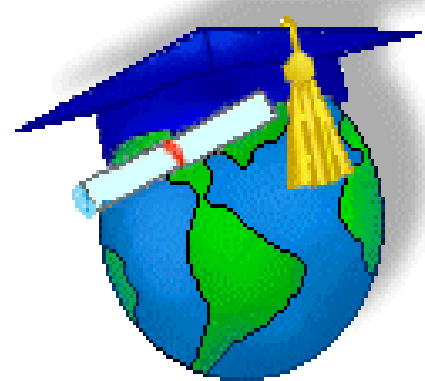
Batangas Kindergarteners Qualify for Regional Early Learners' Academic and Skills Competition

Kindergarten Aldwyn Jade Macuha is now getting ready for the upcoming Regional Early Learners Academic and Skills Competition (RELASC) after winning second place in the division numeracy and sensory perception category. RELASC will be held at Imus Pilot Elementary School come March 9-10.

Macuha and other kindergarteners from other schools will represent the Division of Batangas for the said category.

Two other students participated in the competition. Andrein Alec Abrea placed second in the same category during the district level. Lexie Moira Cordova won first in the story reading category during the district and area levels.

One of the objectives of the competition is to enhance the total development of young children through other complementary and alternative forms.



The World Is Yours To Conquer

Batangas Computer Room Now Ready for use with Brand New HP Pavillion Computer Units



Delighted and excited.

These describe the feelings of the CENTEX Batangas children upon seeing the ten newly put up Hewlett Packard Pavilion computer units in the computer rooms last February 24, 2009.

Grade one students were the first to enjoy their CLA class with the latest computer model two days after the installation. Some just visited the computer room to take a look at the school's newest facilities and expressed their excitement to have their turn to use them.

The computer units were donated by Hewlett Packard United States as part of its on

going corporate social responsibility initiative. Ms. Carol Atacador has earlier requested the careful use of the units to protect them from virus and malfunctioning.

Ayala Foundation Inc. sent its official computer technician, Mr. Ronnie Marquez who worked the day to finish setting up and networking the units.

Believed to be another blessing to CENTEX, these computer units are also considered another effective tool for the teaching - learning process.



Letter to the incoming CENTEX Student Officers



Greetings! A few more days to go and we will face another school year. I will be facing a new chapter, which is high school and you, my fellow students, another year here in CENTEX-Manila. Next school year, another set of students from different grade levels will replace the present set of Supreme Pupil Government officers. You will have the chance to lead CENTEX – Manila. Congratulations! Remember, you are expected to accomplish your tasks, and your responsibilities. Start acting like parents for the students who trust your ability to manage. Join hand in hand in holding the steering wheel of our school, the name of CENTEX is in your hands now. Try to bring CENTEX to its highest level of excellence.

You are all probably feeling excited now that you are leaders of the school. Your fellow students trust you more now since you are in a top position. But always remember that you should be role models and start letting go of your not-so-good behaviors. Students, teachers and our principal expect you to lead the school in your best behavior and more maturely.

Please continue the good things that we have started in CENTEX like checking of latecomers, checking of uniforms and recognizing classrooms that are kept clean and orderly. These will continuously encourage your fellow students to observe our school rules and regulations and maintain the cleanliness of our school.

I would also like to thank our mentors who did a lot for us. You taught us to be the best that we can be and be servant leaders of our community. Thank you to my fellow students for always being cooperative in all the projects that we did for the school. Thank you to our principal who helped us in achieving the best for CENTEX. And lastly, thank you God for the many blessings You have given CENTEX the past year.

So long and until we meet again!

Abraham Joseph Talens
President – Supreme Pupil Government

Bees, Bookworms Bring Honor to CENTEX

Kajaana Ysobel Sibal
Vyxen Vaughn Valenzuela

Four Kindergarteners brought home the bacon in the YWCA Spelling Bee and Reading Proficiency Contests last February 13, 2009.

The busy bees were Gabrielle Lavitoria of K-Matapat who bagged the gold medal. She was joined by Kyle Martinez of K-Magalang who placed 6th.

On the other hand, in the Reading Proficiency category, Giulian Cirujano of K-Magiting placed 1st while Trisha Ido of K-Matapat placed 3rd.

"We're so proud of them for really doing their best," the Bookworms' trainer Ms. Judy Carmen Sonza said in an interview.

Meanwhile, Ms. Irene Abella was the Spelling Bee trainer.



Manila Math wizards Win in MTAP

A. Lapid, M. Perolina, A. Sebastian, P. Senica

CENTEX-Manila Math wizards bagged several awards in the MTAP District Competition held at F. Benitez Elementary School last January 9, 2009.

Winners included: Bryx Hernandez, Danielle Anne Tagacay, Gerald Alexan Dela Cruz and Matthew Gabriel, Grade One, first place; Darren Josef Sarmiento, Kevin Ryan Francisco, Aebrielle Morales and John Emmanuel Ignacio, Grade Two, third place. Denise Ann Caloracan (2nd place, individual), Ron Edrich Ramirez, John Cedrick Sabanal, Kreniene De Juan, Grade Three, second place; Alyssa Andrei Ramos, Fatima Nicole Intal, Michael Angelo Valdez, Sheen Dale Alejandro, Grade Four, third place.

Grade Five winners included Jainalyn Delantar, Angelo Louise Ramos, Aireen Sebastian, Pia Mariz Senica placed fourth; Sixth graders Abraham Joseph Talens (3rd place, individual), Katrina Capeding, Xena Facilo, fourth place.

The following teachers were the wizards' trainers: Ms. France Bejosa, Ms. Shirlene Padua, Ms. Romelyn Cabugsa, Ms. Viva Villareal, Ms. Eden Ortaliza and Mr. Antonio Lagundi.

Grade Four trainer Ms. Villarente said that similar questions were discussed during their training.

CENTEX-Batangas Students Reach Division Level in Jazz Chant Contest

"Here we are walking down the street..."

This was one of the lines that filled the air during the jazz chant contest where CENTEX Batangas children won second in the division level and prevailed first in both district and area levels. The division level was held last February 12 at Governor Feliciano Leviste Memorial National High School.

Students from different grade levels represented CENTEX-Batangas in the Division level. Denise Hannah Mei Abate, Andrea Mae Aguirre, Mary Rean Aguirre, George Ediah Castor, Quindel De Quina, Josh Matthew Banta, Karl Dominic Buri, Christian Cabeza, Christine Joy Caguitle, Jeanette Garcia, Jonah Ortega, Josh Matthew Banta, Amiel Dominic Gutierrez, Matthew Mendoza, Mirzi Carylle Perez and Liahona Mae Libo-on participated in the said contest.

Ms. Evelyn Abrea and Ms. Alma Venzon trained them and earlier, formed the chants that depicted the rights of the children.

" I was really excited about the competition because I'm already in the sixth grade and it's my first time to join an outside school contest. Through the contest I was able to contribute something to CENTEX," Liahona Mae Libo-on said.



Till We Meet Again

Renz Crystel M. Abanador

Being a Grade 6 student isn't easy
For you have to accomplish things in a hurry
Projects must be submitted on time
That's what I think life in CENTEX is like

It's hard to say good-bye
To the school which trained me to be what I am right
now
Even though CENTEX is a strict school
I will miss that strictness when I step to high school

CENTEX has always been a second home to me
Where I can share my problems comfortably
With the teachers that developed my mind
To be sensitive to the feelings of others always

CENTEX will always have a space inside my heart
Those memories I had will never from me part
With CENTEX I met my new friends
And I will treasure them until forevermore.

Graduation, Here it Comes!

Sharmaine C. Austria

School days are soon ending
But then it only means one thing,
A new beginning for me is waiting
A new stage of my life will be starting

A year is just like a very short day
Searching for a new family and home where I can
stay,
A time to take our journey together,
And promise that all those memories will be cher-
ished forever

Though my voyage is lasting,
I will never forget one thing,
And that is to put God in the center of my heart
Because in my life He has a special part.

I can't really wait for this exciting moment
The time where I can see all my achievements
This is the time I'll be receiving my trophy
The trophy of my greatest victory.

My Simple Goodbye

Trisha Marie A. Contreras

The long wait is over
The end is coming nearer
I didn't notice it coming
Now, it's time to face the ending.

I love my school you know
And it's hard for me to go
And when I think of leaving,
My heart starts falling

CENTEX took care of me
Through my long rough journey
It's time to give back the gratitude
And be as grateful as I should

CENTEX taught me how to read
To write, to speak and to lead.
It also taught me how to care
For my classmates and teachers

Though it's already the end, I'm happy
I will graduate from CENTEX and I'm not sorry
I'll walk with my head up high
Because this isn't yet goodbye.

