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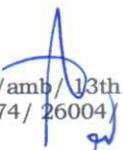
UPDATES ON THE 13TH SIRIB AWARDS

Relative to Advisory No. 21, s. 2026 on the submission of nominations for the 13th Sirib Awards of the Provincial Government of Ilocos Norte through the Ilocos Norte Youth Development Office, the updated eligibility requirements and general guidelines are attached for reference.

Participation remains voluntary and must follow the non-disruption of classes policy in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 and the guidelines on off-campus activities in DepEd Order No. 66, s. 2017. All participating learners are required to secure a duly signed parental consent prior to the activity.

For further information or assistance, please coordinate with the Ilocos Norte Youth Development Office through Mr. Lynjun S. Gudal at 0960-242-1188 or (077) 773-2642, or via email at ilocosnorte.ydo@gmail.com.

For information.


SGOD/amb/13th Sirib Awards updates
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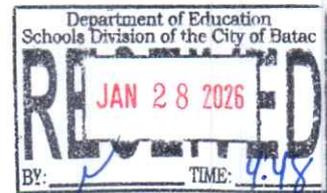
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13TH SIRIB AWARDS (UPDATED)



ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- All Ilocano youth aged 7-30 years old at the time of the competition or recognition;
- Must have shown exemplary achievements in national and international competitions, recognitions, and licensure examinations;
- Must be a bona fide resident of Ilocos Norte; and
- The award(s) must have been received between January 1, 2025, and December 31, 2025.
- Special Eligibility
 - Notwithstanding existing age limitations, children aged six (6) years old and below who have attained exemplary achievements in national or international competitions shall be eligible for recognition under the Sirib Awards.

GENERAL GUIDELINES

International and National Competitions and Recognition

The youth must be an awardee of any national or international competition. The following scope, limitations, and regulations shall define what international and national competitions/recognitions are eligible:

International Competitions and Recognition

- It is not necessary for the venue to be outside the Philippines.
- Competitors must be from different countries. In the absence of competitors from other countries, a certificate from the event organizers must state that the competition where the awardee participated is of international level.

National Competitions and Recognition

- Competitors must be from different schools or local government units in the Philippines. In the absence of competitors from other schools or local government units, a certificate from the event organizers must state that the competition where the awardee participated is of national level.
- Awardees from open competitions will be considered for this award.

National Licensure Examination

- Top-notch awardees from nationwide licensing examinations.

Special Awards and Recognition

- These are not necessarily competitions in nature. They may include recognitions or commendations awarded by government agencies and private organizations on both national and international scales, such as: Gawad Guro, Gawad Saka, Galing Pook Awardee, TAYO Awardee, Volunteer of the Year.
- If the awardee is a youth organization or a youth-serving organization, the President or the Adviser of the recognized organization shall be the representative, and this shall be stated in the endorsement form for accounting purposes.
- Other special awards and recognitions that are not the highlight of certain competitions or searches are not eligible for the Sirib Award, including but not limited to Best in Cinematography, Best Picture, Best Debater, Best Speaker, Best in Costume, Best in Musical Score, and the like.





DOCUMENTARY REQUIREMENTS

1. Completed Endorsement Form
 - a. INYDO-013 for Individual Category
 - b. INYDO-014 for Group Category
2. A photocopy of a valid ID indicating the birth date with three (3) specimen signature, or any of the following:
 - a. Government-issued ID with signature shown;
 - b. Photocopy of PSA birth certificate; or
 - c. Certification from the school or LGU.
3. Evidence of the award must be attached to the endorsement, including:
 - a. Photocopy of the certificate(s);
 - b. Clear photo of the medal or trophy; and/or
 - c. Photo(s) from the awarding ceremony or screenshots of the announcement showing the name of the youth/group or event.

NOTE: Only attach files for the #1 award (highest award received) from the endorsement form. All attachments must be printed on long bond paper with a 1-inch margin on all sides. Awards with incomplete requirements will be excluded from the final list of awardees.

NOMINATION AND ENDORSEMENT GUIDELINES

- For elementary, secondary, and tertiary schools, the head of the institution must endorse the list of nominees.
- For out-of-school youth, the municipal or city mayors, as well as private groups, have the authority to endorse the list of winning youth.
- Self-nomination is allowed for private individuals who have not represented a school, city/municipality, or organization.
- The award-giving body has the discretion to select individuals or groups not endorsed by schools, mayors, or private groups, provided that the awardee has brought pride to the province and the country and meets the established requirements.
- An endorsement form should be limited to one individual or group only.
- In case of multiple awards received by the same individual or group, awards shall be arranged according to ranking, with #1 being the highest. Only the highest award attachment shall be included in the submission.

The list must be directly endorsed to the Ilocos Norte Youth Development Office using the attached endorsement format. The list, along with all required documentary requirements, must be submitted in hard copy on or before March 2, 2026, at 5:00 PM. Submissions should be delivered to the Ilocos Norte Youth Development Office, located on the Ground Floor, South Wing of the Ilocos Norte Centennial Arena, Laoag City.

Note: Failure to submit the list and all required documents by the deadline will result in disqualification.



SCREENING PROCESS

1. Classification of awards into the following categories:
 - o International Individual Awardee
 - o International Group Awardee
 - o National Individual Awardee
 - o National Group Awardee
 - o Special Awards
 - o Topnotch Awardee
2. Verification of submitted requirements.
3. Internet-based research or interview calls to validate the event and award.
4. Upon completion of the screening process, the list will be endorsed to the Office of the Governor for approval. Once approved, the final list will be publicly released through the official Facebook page of the Ilocos Norte Youth Development Office (INYDO), known as Sirib Express (www.facebook.com/SiribExpress).

AWARDS AND INCENTIVES

In addition to certificates of recognition, awardees will receive a medal from the Office of the Governor and cash incentives. The cash awards will be based on the place or rank achieved by the awardee in the competition, irrespective of the category (e.g., academic, sports, literary, etc.).

Awardees aged six (6) years old and below who qualify under the Sirib Awards shall be recognized through the conferment of a Certificate of Recognition and a Medal only from the Office of the Governor.

Topnotch Awardees will also be given a special citation certificate, which includes the following awards:

- **Anastacia Giron Tupas Award** (for Nurse Licensure Exam topnotcher)
- **Josefa Llanes Escoda Award** (for Licensure Exam for Teachers topnotcher)
- **Teofilo Yldefonso Award** (for international sports awards)
- **Ferdinand Marcos Award** (for international literary awards)
- **Juan Luna Award** (for international visual arts awards and Architect Board Exam topnotcher)

For topnotch awardees, proof of achievement must include a clear screenshot of the official topnotcher list released by the PRC.

Should there be other national licensure examinations not mentioned above, the Selection Board will issue a special citation certificate for those as well.

NOTE: In the event that multiple awards are earned by the same youth or group in different competitions, the highest award will be used as the basis for the incentive. If an individual awardee is part of a group award, he or she will receive both individual and group awards.

RECOGNITION OF COACHES

Coaches or advisers of winning participants will also be recognized for their dedicated efforts in training and guiding the winners. Therefore, a Certificate of Recognition will be awarded to them, provided that a Certificate of Recognition or a certification as the winning coach from the organizer is submitted, along with a photocopy of their valid ID.



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*Sirib Awards Endorsement Form
For Individual Category*

Name of Awardee:
Birthday: Age:
Address:
Contact Number
School:

Award/s received

Category	Rank/Place	Event	Venue	Date	Coach and Contact Number

**add rows if necessary*

Prepared by:
(signature over printed name and position of an authorized person)



SIRIB AWARDS

Sirib Awards Endorsement Form
For Group Category

Name of Group:
School or LGU Representing:
Name of Coach: Contact Number:

Members:

Name	Birthday	Age	Address	Contact Number

**add rows if necessary*
Award/s received:

Category	Rank/Place	Event	Venue	Date

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Sirib Awards Endorsement Form For Individual Category

Name of Awardee: RANDY S. LABASAN
Birthday: MARCH 10, 1997 Age: 27
Address: BRGY. NALASIN, PAOAY, ILOCOS NORTE
Contact Number: 09099999999 School:
Mariano Marcos State University

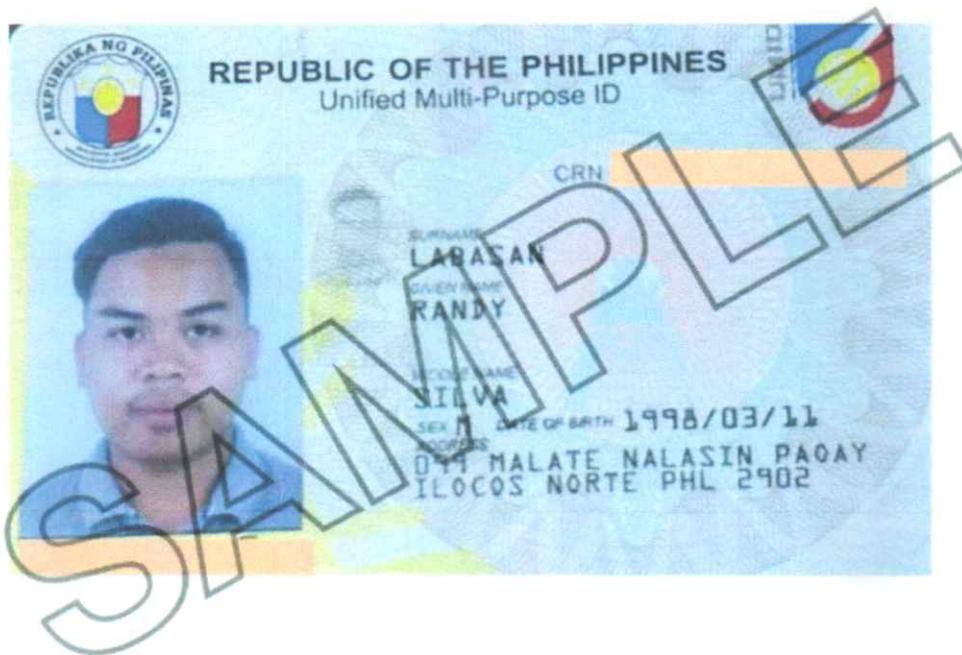
Award/s received

Category	Rank/Place	Event	Venue	Date	Coach and Contact Number
National	2 nd Place	JPMAP National Convention-Extemporaneous Speaking	Chateau Royale, Batangas	April 16, 2025	Mr. Don Tugaoen: 09999999991

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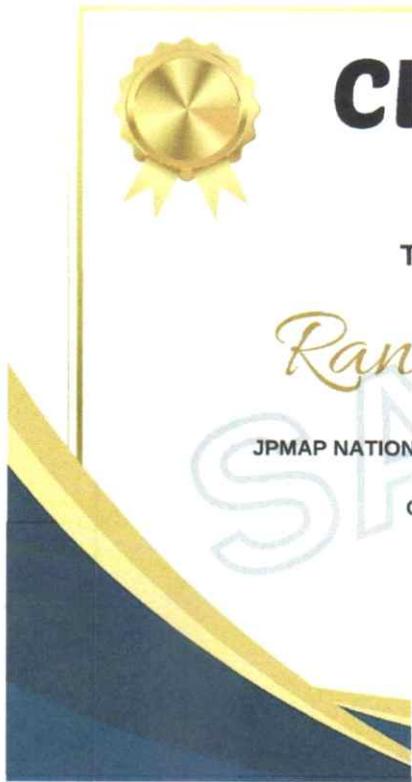
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*Sirib Awards Endorsement Form
For Group Category*

Name of Group: INYDO
 School or LGU Representing: ILOCOS NORTE
 Name of Coach: WILLIE JAKE SIB-AT Contact Number: 09123456789

Members:

Name	Birthday	Age	Address	Contact Number
WEENTER VENTURA	November 4, 1994	30	Santa Ana, Solsona	09444444444
RANDY LABASAN	March 10, 1997	27	Nalasin, Paoay	09555555555
PATRICK RATUITA	April 2, 1994	30	Poblacion 2, Pasuquin	09666666666

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 Award/s received:

Category	Rank/Place	Event	Venue	Date
National	Outstanding Youth Development Office of the Philippines	SK Philippines Awards	Iloilo City	May 10, 2023

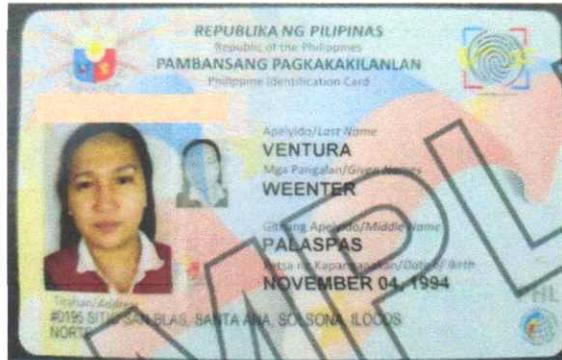
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