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NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION
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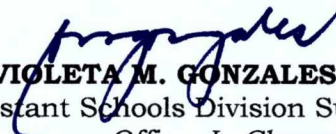
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MEMORANDUM

OFFICIAL BOOK LAUNCH OF "EMBERS OF THE PAST" BY Dr. RICARDO T. JOSE

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisor, Curriculum Implementation Division
Chief Education Supervisor, School Governance and Operations Division
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads/OICs
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is a letter from Ms. Sarah P. Bendaña, Acting Tourism Officer of the Tourism, Culture and Arts Department of the City Government of Muntinlupa relative to the above-captioned activity to be held on February 2, 2026 (Monday), 1:00 PM at the Museo ng Muntinlupa, City of Muntinlupa.
2. The activity will include a short talk by the author on the legacy of Muntinlupa and the bonds of war and peace, followed by a ceremonial turnover of complimentary copies, and a book signing.
3. Attached is the list of attendees. All participants are advised to wear *business casual attire*. Learner-attendees should wear their official school uniform and secure parental consent, which must be submitted to their teacher-chaperone upon arrival.
4. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


VIOLETA M. GONZALES CESO VI
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Officer-In-Charge
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Encl: Letter from TCAD
Reference: As stated
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
Under the following subjects

TEACHERS

ARALING PANLIPUNAN

MELL/ OFFICIAL BOOK LAUNCH OF "EMBERS OF THE PAST" BY Dr. RICARDO T. JOSE

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Enclosure 1:

LIST OF ATTENDEES
February 2, 2026; 1:00 PM – Museo ng Muntinlupa

NAME	OFFICE/ SCHOOL	DESIGNATION
1. Violeta M. Gonzales CESO VI	Schools Division Office	Schools Division Superintendent
2. Mariel Eugene L. Luna	Schools Division Office	Education Program Supervisor
3. Eric F. Fungo	Schools Division Office	Public Schools District Supervisor
4. Vilma S. Viloría	Tunasan NHS	Principal III
5. Felipe W. Marapao Jr.	Lakeview IS	Principal II
6. Edward B. Montojo	Lakeview IS	Assistant Principal Designate
7. Audepaz E. Benitez	Muntinlupa NHS	Head Teacher VI
8. Zharon Grageda	Pedro E. Diaz HS	Head Teacher IV
9. Maria Elena B. Araja	Muntinlupa Business HS	Head Teacher III
10. Marilyn C. Andresio	Poblacion NHS	Head Teacher III
11. John William B. Cajano	Tunasan NHS	Head Teacher III
12. Edwin L. Abalos	Lakeview IS	Head Teacher III
13. Edsel B. Basilla	Lakeview IS	Master Teacher II
14. Hilda B. Arrofo	Tunasan NHS	Master Teacher I
15. Nelia L. Sican	Muntinlupa NHS	Master Teacher I
16. Flordeliza De Guzman	Muntinlupa NHS	Teacher
17. Cynthia L. Manlangit	Muntinlupa NHS	Teacher
18. Ryan M. Dela Cruz	Tunasan NHS	Teacher
19. Millicent Odille B. Malahito	Tunasan NHS	Teacher
20. John Kevin B. Llander	Lakeview IS	Teacher
21. Charlene Joy Delos Santos	Lakeview IS	Teacher
22. 30 HUMSS Learners	Tunasan NHS	
23. 20 HUMSS Learners	Lakeview IS	



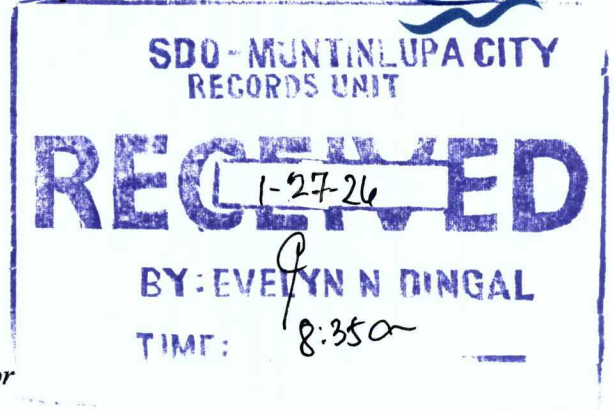
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Tourism, Culture, and the Arts Department



26 January 2026

Dr. Violeta M. Gonzales, CESO VI
 Officer-in-Charge
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent
 Centennial Avenue, Brgy. Tunasan, Muntinlupa City

Thru: **Ms. Mariel Eugene L. Luna**
Araling Panlipunan Supervisor
Schools Division Office
City of Muntinlupa



Subject: Invitation: Official Book Launch of “Embers of the Past” by Dr. Ricardo T. Jose

Dear Dr. Gonzales:

Warm Greetings from the Tourism, Culture, and the Arts Department – City Government of Muntinlupa!

The City Government of Muntinlupa, through the Tourism, Culture, and the Arts Department, respectfully invites you to the official book launch of ***Embers of the Past: The Legacy of Muntinlupa and the Bonds of War and Peace***, authored by **Dr. Ricardo T. Jose**, to be held on **02 February 2026 (Monday)**, at **1:00 PM**, at the **Museo ng Muntinlupa**, City of Muntinlupa.

In this regard, **fifty (50) seats are allocated for your students**, inclusive of your attendance and up to **two (2) accompanying representatives**, at your discretion.

The activity will include a short talk by the author, a ceremonial turnover of complimentary copies, and a book signing.

Dress Code: Business Casual

May we respectfully request confirmation of attendance on or before **30 January 2026** by coordinating with **Mr. William Rubion** at **09624340038**.

Thank you, and we look forward to your participation.

Sincerely yours,

SARAH P. BENDAÑA
 Acting Tourism Officer

TCADRFN:2026-029/saguico

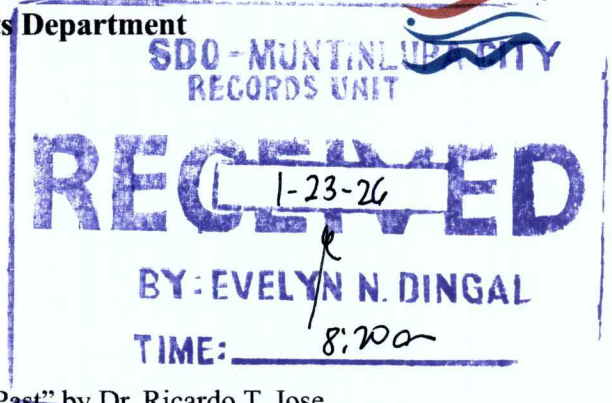


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22 January 2026

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Officer-in-Charge
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent
Centennial Avenue, Brgy. Tunasan, Muntinlupa City



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In this regard, **fifteen (15) seats are allocated for Social Studies Teachers, one (1) seat** inclusive of your attendance and up to **two (2) accompanying representatives**, at your discretion.

The activity will include a short talk by the author, a ceremonial turnover of complimentary copies, and a book signing.

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May we respectfully request confirmation of attendance on or before **30 January 2026** through <https://bit.ly/EOTPRSVP>, or by coordinating with **Mr. William Rubion** at **09624340038**.

Attached is the official invitation poster for your reference.

Thank you, and we look forward to your participation.

Sincerely yours,

SARAH P. BENDAÑA
Acting Tourism Officer



Embers of the Past – Book Launch RSVP

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