

The Provincial Government of Cagayan, in celebration of its 435th Founding Anniversary, invites submissions for the Stories of our Rich Heritage: 1st PGC Creative Writing Contest on Cagayano Culture, Heritage and Nobility

Please be guided by the following:

- I. Date of Submission : May 15, 2018 up to June 8, 2018
- II. Target Participants: The Creative Writing Contest is open to all Senior High School students who are enrolled in any public or private school in the province that offers the Senior High School curriculum.
- III. Theme : All entries must showcase Cagayano culture, heritage and nobility. The entries may be an original and modern adaptation of local epics and/or legends. Entries may also be in the following genres: (a) Fable, (b) Science, (c) Fantasy, (d) Action, (e) Adventure, (f) Historical romance; and (g) Drama.
- IV. Criteria for Judging: Content and substance – 30%
Creativity – 30%
Originality – 20%
Relevance – 20%
- V. Guidelines:
 - (A) The contest may be participated in by an individual or a group and their English or Literature teacher/adviser. All entries must be in the ENGLISH language
 - (B) Submissions must be in soft copy and hard copy forms, and must be typed in Arial, 12-point font and be double-spaced. All entries must contain at least one thousand (1,000 words), which should be listed on the cover page of the entry, along with other information.
 - (C) The soft copy of the entry must be in Word Document format and must be e-mailed to the address gov.mamba@gmail.com with the subject: Soft-Short Story Writing Contest. Said soft copy of the entry must be e-mailed on the same day that the hard copy of the entry is submitted.
 - (D) The hard copy of the entry must be printed on Letter size (8.5 x 11) bond paper and all pages of the entry must be numbered.
 - (E) All entries must include a cover page containing the following information:

- i. Title:
- ii. Participant's name/s:
- iii. Municipality:
- iv. School:
- v. Contact number:
- vi. Email address:
- vii. Short description of entry:
- viii. Word count:

(F) Participant/s names should appear ONLY on the cover page of the entry. The names and other markings should NOT appear on any page of the work itself. Submissions received without the signature of their English or Literature adviser/teacher will not be accepted.