

**APRSAF-15 Space Education and Awareness Working Group
(9-10 December 2008, Ha Noi, Vietnam)**

Indicative schedule of work

Annex 1 of the document entitled, "The Fifteenth Session of the Asia-Pacific Regional Space Agency Forum (APRSAF-15), Space Education and Awareness Working Group (9-10 December 2008, Ha Noi, Vietnam), Provisional Agenda" (APRSAF/SEA-WG/2008/1) should be replaced with the attached document.

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<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Agenda Item(s)</i>
9 December, Tuesday	10:00	1. Opening of the session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remarks by the Co-Chairs
		2. Adoption of the agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • APRSAF/SEA-WG/2008/1
		3. General exchange of views ⁱ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N. Mathers (Australia) “Activities of Victorian Space Science and Education Center” (TBC) • F. R. Sarker (Bangladesh) “Space Awareness Activities in Bangladesh” • Gulnara Omarova (Kazakhstan) (Title of the presentation to be announced) • E. Hirohama (Japan) “Report of JAXA Space Education Center on Its Activities in 2007-8” • Angelli Cortez (Philippines) “Space education initiatives in the Philippines” • Jeongwon Lee (Republic of Korea) “Korea’s space education and awareness” • Indika Medagangoda (Sri Lanka) “Astronomy & Space Education Programs Launched by Arthur C. Clarke Institute Sri Lanka in 2008” • Sawat Tantiphawadi (Thailand) “Space education activities in Thailand” • Doan M. Chung (Vietnam) “Space education and awareness activities in Vietnam 2008” (See also APRSAF/SEA-WG/2008/3)
		4. Joint educational activities for primary and secondary school students <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4-a. Water rocket event <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Briefing by the Secretariat of the Working Group • Preparations for APRSAF-15 Water Rocket Event <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Nguyen Thanh Long (Vietnam) • Results of APRSAF International Water Rocket Education Workshop and presentation of the Water Rocket Wiki site <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ T. Chiku (Japan) and N. Mathers (Australia) • Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Water rocket leaflets in languages ➢ Sponsorship ➢ Media attention <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ A. Cortez (Philippines) ➢ APRSAF Water Rocket Event in 2009
	12:30	<i>Lunch break</i>

ⁱ The participating members of the Working Group are invited to indicate their intention to make brief presentations under this agenda item by 28 November 2008. The time allocated to each presentation is 8 minutes at maximum.

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9 December, Tuesday	13:30	4.	Joint educational activities for primary and secondary school students
		4-b.	Poster contest ⁱⁱ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Briefing by the Secretariat of the Working Group • Preparations for the APRSAF Poster Contest <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Phung Duc Thuong (Vietnam) / E. Ando (Japan) • Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ APRSAF Poster Contest in 2009: Theme ➢ Possible development of a calendar for 2009
		4-c.	Space education forum and seminar <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion
		4-d.	Educational activities in celebration of the International Year of Astronomy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reports by SEA WG members <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ F. R. Sarker (Bangladesh) ➢ E. Hirohama (Japan) ➢ I. Medagangoda (Sri Lanka)
		4-e.	Other activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion
		5.	Joint educational initiatives for university and graduate students and young professionals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Status of the organization of a CanSat training seminar for trainers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ T. Chiku (Japan) • Report on CanSat activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ N. Mathers (Australia) • Discussion
	15:00	<i>Coffee/tea break</i>	
	15:15 – 16:00	5.	Joint educational initiatives for university and graduate students and young professionals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Internationally embedded GNSS educational activities by ISMB and Politecnico di Torino <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ G. Belforte and G. Povero (Italy) • Discussion
		6.	Collaborations among space scientists and engineers and educators <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Examples of collaborations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ N. Mather (Australia): “Frogs in Orbit” program ➢ E. Hirohama/T. Chiku (Japan): “Science of Flight” teaching guides • Discussion
10 December, Wednesday	9:30	7.	New and innovative funding sources to support space education activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exchange of experiences and information on identifying sponsors for education activities • Discussion
		8.	Other matters
		10:30	<i>Coffee/tea break</i>
	10:50	4-b.	Poster contest <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report by the Secretariat of the Working Group on the results of the selection of winners • Review and approval of the results

ⁱⁱ The item will be closed after the review and approval of the selection of the winners for APRSAF-15 Poster Contest, which is tentatively scheduled for Wednesday morning, 10 December.

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10 December, Wednesday	12:30	<i>Lunch break</i>
	13:30 – 15:00 ⁱⁱⁱ	Observations and recommendations • Review of the draft and discussion Adoption of the conclusions and recommendations of the Working Group

ⁱⁱⁱ The reception hosted by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) of Japan follows at 17:30 hrs. at a venue to be announced