National Book Week Fellowship Luncheon

The PAARL Board came in full force to attend the National Book Week Fellowship Luncheon held at Manila Hotel last November 30. Organized by PLAI to culminate the week-long annual celebration, the occasion was highlighted by a keynote speech from guest of honor, Atty. Joey Lina, former Senator and Governor of Laguna, and now serves as President of Manila Hotel.

This year’s theme was “Developing the Culture of Reading through Books and Libraries: Kultura ng Pagbabasa’y Palaganapin Aklat at Aklatan ating Pagyamanin,” to encourage and stimulate reading throughout the nation, and particularly among the young, by promoting reading and books through a variety of activities. Participants came from other library organizations as well, like ALAP, ASLP, MAHLAP, PATLS, PASL, etc. Among the awardees honored by PLAI was our own past president, Mrs. Teresita C. Moran, for her service to the association.