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Heritage & Cultural Tour: Battle of Peleliu (Past and Present)

contributed by Tourism & Hospitality Instructor Ltelatk H. Fritz



Tourism & Hospitality students with the remnants of the Japanese Zero Plane.

On Friday, April 18, 2014, Tour Service students taking a tourguiding and travel-planning course conducted a historical tour around the island state of Peleliu. Most of the sites the group visited revolved around historic events that occurred during World War II nearly seventy years ago.

Students visited the WWII Museum, remnants of Japanese occupation (headquarter and power plant), 1st Division Marine Corps Monument, 81st Infantry Division Monument, and final resting sites of downed planes, amphibious vehicles, and artillery. The group was very fortunate to have Mr. Tangerkoi "Tangie" Hesus deliver lectures leading to the tour and leading the group into the cultural and heritage sites around Peleliu State.

The group also included Hotel Operations and Hospitality Management students who were studying Front Office operations. These students, and tour guides, visited three local lodging operations on Peleliu island—Island View Motel, Island Terrace, and Dolphin Bay Resort. Cultural Tour, Continued on Page 3

"Ungil Sils el mora Remechuodel"

A Board of Trustees. ma President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, ma re sensei, ma rokui rechad ra ureor, ma rengalk ra school a oureng era kmal ungil el budech ma klengeltengat el mor a remechuodel el ngara elsel Belau ma ikrel Belau. A Dios lomekngeltengat er kid er rokui tial sils ra remechuodel.



Masa-Aki N. Emesiochl Chairperson PCC Board of Trustees



Dr. Patrick U. Tellei President Palau Community College

The Palau Community College (PCC) Board of Trustees, President, Staff, Faculty, and Students would like to wish all of Palau a...



Happy Senior Citizens' Day!

PCC Establishes IREO

Palau Community College has established an Institutional Research & Evaluation Office (IREO), a consolidation of the Accreditation Office and the Office of Institutional Research. Both the offices worked closely together to compile and analyze data essential for college's continuous improvement. Hence, combining both under a single office will allow for more effective use of resources and programs of the college.

IREO reports directly to the Office of the President as indicated in the current organizational chart of the college. The office is headed by newly appointed Director Deikola Olikong who is the incumbent Accreditation Liaison Officer. Director Olikong will oversee the daily operations of this new office.

SUMMER KIDS PROGRAM 2014 INSTRUCTORS WANTED!

Palau Community College (PCC) is looking for TALENTED & COMMITTED TEACHERS with both credentials and experience working with kids to teach this year's Summer Kids Program! The program is four weeks long, two hours per day for each class. Materials will be provided to instructors based on grades and what is used in regular classrooms.

CLASSES TO BE OFFERED: Math (3rd to 8th Grade) English Reading & Writing (3rd to 8th Grade) Palauan Orthography (3rd to 8th Grade) Marine Science (6th to 8th Grade)

If you are interested, please visit the PCC Continuing Education office! You'll need your resume, official transcript, copy of Social Security Card, degrees, certificates and at least two recommendation letters and a police clearance in order for your application to be reviewed for approval. Classes will start on June 9th to July 4th. Last day for the Part-Time Instructor Application submission is May 16, 2014.

For more information, call 488-6223.

FIND PCC ONLINE FOR MORE INFORMATION



http://pcc.palau.edu



Palau Community College - PCC

PIALA & PAL Book Sale at the Coral Café of the Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

Come buy books at the PCC Library's Coral Café for 50¢, 25¢, even 10¢—many are free! The book sale will help raise funds for the PIALA 2014 Annual Conference, coming to Koror in November. Members of the Palau Association of Libraries (PAL) and of the Pacific Islands Association of Libraries, Archives, and Museums (PIALA) conference-planning committees have organized the sale, and Library Science students from PCC will oversee the Coral Café during sale hours.

Mysteries, thrillers, romances; some non-fiction; both paperback and hardcover—all will be on sale every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 3pm to 4pm and every Tuesday and Thursday from 2pm to 3pm. In addition, PAL will continue to hold BBQ lunch plate fundraisers each month up until the conference in November.

Come to the PCC Library or call (488-3540) for more information or to donate your own used books for the sale!

CONDOLENCES

The Palau Community College (PCC) would like to express its deepest condolences to the family of Pasquana Iyekar. Ms. Iyekar graduated from PCC in 1979 with a Certificate in Agricultural Science. She was also a PCC Instructor and the mother of PCC Student Trustee Dizzette U. Dolmers. Our hearts go out to her family, especially Trustee Dolmers. We keep you all in our thoughts and prayers.

The Palau Community College (PCC) Family would also like to express its deepest condolences to Trustee Rechedeol Jemmy Belelai, Director Kuye Belelai, and Registrar Lesley Adachi for their recent loss. We express our deepest sympathies to you and your family.

BITS AND PIECES...

Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

Hours of Operation

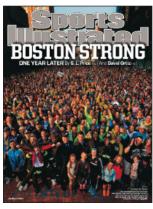
Monday to Friday Saturday 7:30_{AM} - 7_{PM}

Sunday

CLOSED

For more information, call: 488-3540.

AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED READERS: SPORTS ILLUSTRATED



"Sports Illustrated is an American sports media franchise owned by media conglomerate Time Warner. Its self-titled magazine has over 3.5 million subscribers and is read by 23 million adults each week, including over 18 million men."

Academic Calendar: Spring 2014

May 05 (M)

Holiday: Senior Citizens' Day

May 09 (F)

Last Day of Instruction

May 12-14 (M-W)

Final Examination Period

Announcement to Students:

Students wishing to <u>sell their CS-100: COM-PUTER LITERACY TEXTBOOKS</u> may do so through the PCC Bookstore. Interested sellers must see Gibson Towai before May 16, 2014.

News/Stories Wanted

Mesekiw's News welcomes stories/articles/announcements from students, faculty, and staff. Submission deadline is Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. in hard and/or electronic copies to dilubch@gmail.com or tchuziet@gmail.com.

Articles from MOC/PCC Alumni are also welcomed.

Please call 488-2470/2471 (extensions 251, 252, or 253) for more information.

Cultural Tour CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

Students learned about the various types of accommodations, amenities, and level of operations. Mr. Godwin Sadao, owner of Dolphin Bay Resort, delivered an informal presentation about the organization, services provided, rate structures, and marketing insights to the group.

This excursion is the second field trip that the Tourism & Hospitality Program has conducted this semester. Instructor Ltelatk H. Fritz and the students who participated would like to thank the many individuals, companies, and organizations who made the trip possible: Governor Temmy Shmull and the Peleliu State Government for waiving the fees for all the participating students and instructor, High Chief Obak Isao Singeo, and the residents of Peleliu State.

Special thanks to all the lodging owners: Mr. & Mrs. Postol Remeliik of Island View Motel, Mr. Alex Cruz of Island Terrace, and Mr. & Mrs. Godwin Sadao of Dolphin Bay Resort for hotel tours and presentations. As for our land transportation, we thank Mayumi and Kalista Smau for the generous discounts on the bus rental and to Mr. Willard Smau for the safe-driving and entertainment.

Special thanks also to Bris and Amaredong for delivering our lunch to Camp Beck Dock. We especially appreciate Mr. Tangerkoi Hesus for his outstanding support and inspiration to the tourism students and PCC as well as for his support of these wonderful learning opportunities.



Students at Ngermelt.



Students at a Japanese Shrine in Peleliu.



Buy a ticket for only \$20.00 each and you will have a chance to win fabulous prizes! Not only that, you will get ONE (1) Complimentary Drink of your choice!

Money raised will help secure scholarships for future PCC Students!

PCC Faculty Senate Association - 6th Annual Gentleman's Gourmet Food Tasting:



Saturday, May 03, 2014 from 6:30PM to 10:30PM



at the Ngarachamayong Cultural Center.

Come and Enjoy the culinary creations of Local Gentlemen & Chefs!

If you would like to be a Chef, Buy a Ticket, or Make a Donation, please call: 488-2471 and ask for Johvanna Yaoch, Midori Mersai, Samantha Bells, Margie Buban, Holly Zinchefsky, Tim Mitchell, Loyola Darius, or any FSA Member.

The PCC Faculty Senate Association (FSA) is a registered non-profit organization.

THEME: International Cuisine

ALUMNI NOTES

Lulu Techur

(Class of 1989)

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE - POLICE SCIENCE

"Get a college degree and improve your chances of a hetter life!



Lulu graduated in 1989 with an AS Degree in Police Science. For ten years, she worked at the Palau Judiciary. Currently, she is a Youth Coordinator for the Youth Services Division of the Ministry of Community and Cultural Affairs.

JOHN F. TAKISANG

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE - EDUCATION: ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

"Live your life to the fullest!"



John graduated in 2010 with an AS Degree in Elementary Education. He currently works as a Classroom Teacher for George B. Harris Elementary School.

OLIVINE JOSEPH

(Class of 1998)

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE - SECRETARIAL SCIENCE

"Major in Elementary Education to fulfill Palau's occupational needs for teachers.



Olivine graduated in 1998 with an AS Degree in Secretarial Science. She currently works as a Classroom Teacher.



ALUMNI NOTES showcases MOC & PCC alumni who are positive role models and contribute to the quality of life in their local communities.

If you are that Alumna/Alumnus or know someone who is, please contact the PCC Development Office at telephone numbers 488-2470/2471 (extensions 251, 252, or 253).

We would like to feature you in future Mesekíu's News issues.



FACULTY-SENATE ASSOCIATION (FSA) SCHOLARSHIP



SCHOOL YEAR 2014-2015

The Faculty-Senate Association (FSA) Scholarship for the school year 2014-2015 is now available! Application forms can be picked up at the Palau Community College (PCC) - Development Office.



DEADLINE: JULY 31,



VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

(1) English Instructor

(Learning Resource Center - Student Services) salary range: \$14,802 - \$24,647 per annum

(2) Nursing Instructor (Academic Affairs Division) salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum

- (3) Construction Technology Instructor Assistant (Academic Affairs Division) salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (4) Small Engine Instructor (Academic Affairs Division) salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (5) Education Program Instructor (Academic Affairs Division) salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (6) Tourism & Hospitality Instructor (Academic Affairs Division) salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (7) Adjunct Instructors (Academic Affairs Division) salary range: determined by class credits, educational level, and experience
- (8) Dormitory Manager (Student Services) salary range: \$12,049 - \$20,607 per annum
- (9) Student Activities Specialist (Recreation - Student Life Division) salary range: \$8,155 - \$13,948 per annum
- (Cafeteria Administration Department) salary range: \$6,086 - \$10,408 per annum
- (11) Part-Time Teachers (PCC Adult High School) salary range: \$980 - \$1,350 per annum
- (12) Academic Advisor/Counselor (PCC Talent Search Office) salary range: \$16,000 - \$19,000 per annum
- (13) English Instructor (PCC Upward Bound) salary range: \$400 - \$800 biweekly
- (14) Foreign Language Instructor (PCC Upward Bound) salary range: \$400 - \$800 biweekly
- (15) Math Instructor (PCC Upward Bound) salary range: \$400 - \$800 biweekly
- (16) Academic Tutors (PCC Upward Bound) salary range: \$200 - \$350 biweekly

For application forms and information, please contact Harline Haruo at PCC Human Resources Office at 488-2470/2471, extension 227.

> E-mail hr@palau.edu or download forms at http://pcc.palau.edu

PCC is an Equal Opportunity Employer

Celebrating Birthdays

Rosendo Skang Maurine Alexander Soledad Garcia Gamberlyn S. Ngirmeriil



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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

PCC Endowment Fund

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OF OUR STUDENTS, OUR COLLEGE, AND OUR NATION

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e-mail: tellei@palau.edu

If you want to join the Bi-weekly Allotment Program, contact us NOW!

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