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MESEKIU'S NEWS



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Weekly Newsletter

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CE 2017 Summer Kids Program Concludes



Inset: PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei and Summer Kids Program participants

On Friday, June 30, 2017, a closing ceremony for the Continuing Education (CE) 2017 Summer Kids Program was held at the Palau Community College (PCC) Assembly Hall. The ceremony was an opportunity for elementary students to showcase their artistic and cultural skills that they learned while participating in the program. Present to witness the ceremony were students' family members as well as PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, Dean of Continuing Education (CE) William O. Wally, and the summer program instructors.

The 2017 Summer Kids Program offered summer classes that began on Monday June 5, 2017. During the four-week period, students participating in the program attended classes that focused improving their skills in mathematics (with an emphasis on Singapore math), English reading and writing, Palauan orthography, marine/ environmental science, music, and art. Each class was designed to help elementary school students enhance their abilities and develop their skills in certain subject areas.

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PCC Deans' on PalauWave Radio



PCC Dean of Student Service, Sherman Daniel and Dean of Academic Affairs, Robert Ramarui at PW Radio Station

On Thursday, June 29, 2017, Palau Community College Dean of Academic Affairs, Robert Ramarui and Dean of Student Service, Sherman Daniel took part in a one hour talkshow with local radio host, Mr. Salvador Tellames of Palau Wave Radio. Dean Ramarui open the talkshow with greetings and introduction followed by Dean Daniel's PCC Student Service programs and services available for students.

Dean Ramarui gave an overview of academic programs currently available at PCC by addressing different schools and the twenty-one degree programs currently offered. He also elucidated in regards to the college's technical education programs that fall under the Palauan Skilled Workforce Act and the benefits that comes with it. Dean Daniel followed by informing the listeners about the upcoming 2017 Fall Semester orientation and registration.

Palau Community College is an accessible public educational institution helping to meet the technical, academic, cultural, social, and economic needs of students and communities by promoting learning opportunities and developing personal excellence.

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In addition to improving their academic skills, the summer program students also participated in activities that enhanced their understanding of Palau's traditions and cultural practices such as Palau's mythology through traditional chants and contemporary palauan dance.

During the closing ceremony, students performed music lessons they learned over the summer that were taught by PCC Associate Professor of Music, Howard Charles. Students also received certificates in recognition of their academic efforts and scholastic improvements.

Instructors for the 2017 CE Summer Kids Program were Mr. Samuel Adelbai (Art), Ms. Norma Mersai, (Marine Science) Ms. Kayleen Joseph (Math), Mr. Eric Reklai (Palauan), Mr. Judson Butelbai (English), Ms. Kalista Rafael (Math), Ms. Emadech Oiterong (English & Math), Ms. Krislyn Termeteet (English), and PCC Associate Professor of Music Howard Charles.

KSG Summer Youth Program



Koror State Summer Youth Program Instructors, Jefferson Thomas and Frutoso Tellei session on "Mens Meeting House"

This year, the Palau Community College Continuing Education, Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act office and Koror State Government offered a Summer Kids Program that began in June 5 and ended on July 14, 2017. This is a six-week long with scheduled classes ranging from traditional palauan dances to chants including palauan native flora. Currently, there are twenty-three (23) participants in this program with their instructors: Luciana Shiro, Oingerang Erungel, Dilchur Ruluked, Jury Kebekol, Frutoso Tellei, Jefferson Thomas, Hermana Ramarui, Albert Soaladaob, Sariang Timulch, and Flori-



Palau Community College is happy to inform the public that a complimentary Caregiving Training for interested individuals who need the skills to help themselves and their love ones will have their graduation ceremony on Friday, June 30, 2017.

PCC Continuing Education and Ministry of Health are inviting the public to join the care giving trainees commemorate this special day.

WHEN: Friday, June 30, 2017

TIME: 6pm to 8pm

WHERE: CE Training Room

CHECK IT OUT!

PCC

Check us out to receive the latest news
& school updates
<http://www.facebook.com/palaucommunitycollege>



PCC to Host PPEC Meeting

Palau Community College (PCC) will host meetings for the Postsecondary Education Council (PPEC) from Saturday, July 15, 2017 to Sunday, July 16, 2017. PPEC is a non-profit, public corporation established in 1981 consisting of presidents and chancellors from higher education institutions in the United States of America as well as nations in the Pacific affiliated with the United States. It serves to address the concerns and needs of Pacific island post-secondary institutions. In addition, PPEC provides a network in which post-secondary institutions in the Pacific can share & discuss education topics. The current members of the council include higher education institutions from Hawaii, American Samoa, the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM), the Republic of the Marshall Islands (RMI), Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI), and the Republic of Palau.

BITS AND PIECES...

Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

Hours of Operation

Starting from June 12-July 31, 2017

Monday to Friday	7:30^{AM} - 7^{PM}
Saturday	9:00^{AM} - 6^{PM}
Sunday	CLOSED

For more information, call:
488-3540

AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED

READERS:

***bon appetit* MAGAZINE**



bon appetit magazine should be one of your top priorities. It is a gold mine of information on numerous issues related to food and entertainment, providing readers with a look at great food, drinks, restaurants, and travels, as well as events.

Academic Calendar: Summer 2017

July 3-4 (M-T)

Exam Period

July 5 (W)

Pre-Registration for Fall 2017 begins

July 9 (SU)

Holiday: Constitutional Day

July 10 (M)

Holiday: Constitutional Day (Observed)

News/Stories Wanted

Mesekiu's News welcomes stories/articles/announcements from students, faculty, and staff. Submission deadline is Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. in hard and/or electronic copies to tchuziet@palau.edu 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.

PCC Congratulates Dr. Richard Winn

The Palau Community College Board of Trustees, President, faculty, staff, and students would like to express its congratulation to Dr. Richard Winn.

On June 29, 2017 a letter from the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC) Commission Chair, Dr. Raúl Rodríguez announced that, at the conclusion of a national search, the Commission has appointed Dr. Richard Winn as its next president. In making this announcement, Dr. Rodríguez commented, "Dr. Winn has done an excellent job as the Interim President and he is a perfect fit for this role. I have every confidence that he can continue the progress that has been made over the past six months."

Dr. Winn had served as Interim President of the agency since December 2016 and, for the preceding six months, had been Vice President of Operations. Prior to joining the ACCJC, Winn held senior positions for 12 years at the WASC Senior College and University Commission, retiring as its Senior Vice President. His other work in higher education accreditation includes serving on the Commission for Osteopathic College Accreditation (COCA). Winn earned a doctoral degree in higher education leadership from the University of La Verne.

APAFS Conference Slated for July 2017

Asia Pacific Association for Fiduciary Studies (APAFS) in partnership with fi360 is pleased to announce a formal fiduciary training program specifically designed for investment stewards to be held in the Republic of Palau.

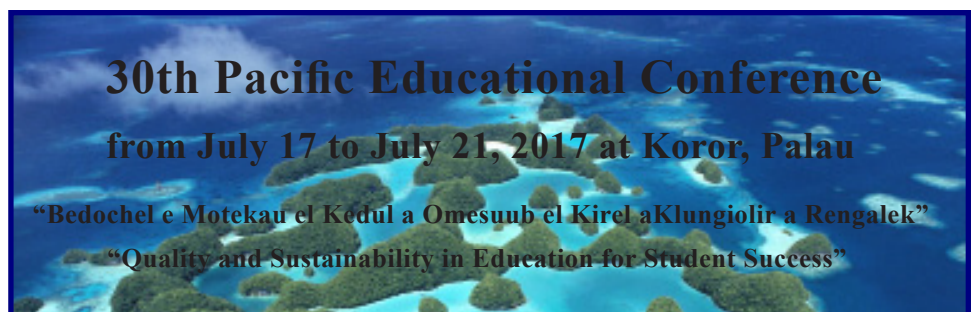
When: Thursday, July 13, 2017

Where: Palau Royal Resort

Cost: \$800.00 per participant which will include continental breakfast, lunch and all course materials. Group discounts may be available for organizations registering in excess of five registrants. Registrants from paid-up APAFS Institutional Members are entitled to a \$50.00 discount.

For interested registrants, attendance to the July 14, 2017 APAFS Palau Investment Conference is also included.

Please contact admin@apafs.org with any questions, or to register for the Fiduciary Essentials Training Program and Investment Conference.



PCC CAMPUS PROFILES

GUESS WHO!

RULES: GUESS THE PEOPLE FEATURED IN THE PHOTOGRAPH BELOW AND WIN A PRIZE COURTESY OF PCC DEVELOPMENT OFFICE



Palau Community College has continued to strive because of the dedication and commitment of its employees. The photograph above features four (4) staff members who have been employed at the college for many years. If you could identify all as well as their positions, the PCC Development Office will reward you. Only PCC students (except the students who are working for the Development Office and PCC employees) are eligible to attempt the challenge. Please visit the PCC Development Office to submit your answer or call tel: 488-2470/1 ext. 251, 252, or 253 for more information. An answer will be featured in the upcoming newsletter!

ALUMNI NOTES

SHIPRAH ODELOMEL TELLAMES

(Class of 2017)

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE - BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION



Shiphrah Odelomel Tellames graduated from PCC in May 2017 with an AS Degree in Business Administration. She currently works at the Belau Medical Clinic as an Office Clerk. Ms. Tellames will enroll at Pittsburg State University (PSU) this Fall 2017.



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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 *Mesekiu's News* issues.

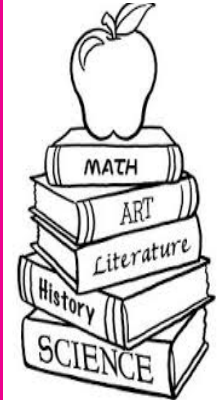


PCC Library Summer Activities

Children Ages between 7-12

Activities

- Book Making
- Arts & Crafts
- Reading & Discussion
- Math fun Game
- Spelling Game
- Learning online catalog
- Scavenger Hunt
- Create your own book
- Movie



When: July 3-7, 2017

Time: 9-11am

1-3pm

Place: PCC Library

Sign up @ PCC Library before June 28, 2017

For more Information

Call 488-3540

Celebrating Birthday

Yechur E. Emesiochel



July 4

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (1) Air-Conditioning & Refrigeration Instructor
(Academic Affairs Office)
salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (2) Maintenance Technicians (4)
(Administration Department - Physical Plant)
salary range: \$8,155 - \$13,948 per annum
- (3) Secretary
(Academic Affairs Office)
salary range: \$9,892 - \$17,567 per annum
- (4) Admissions Counselor
(PCC Student Services Division)
salary range: \$12,049 - \$20,607 per annum
- (5) Security Service Officer
(Administration Department)
salary range: \$6,709 - \$11,475 per annum
- (6) Accounting Technician (Purchase Order Technician)
(Administration Department - Business Office)
salary range: \$9,913 - \$16,954 per annum

For application forms and information, contact Harline Haruo at the PCC

Human Resources Office at 488-2470/2471 extension 227, or e-mail:

hr@palau.edu, or download forms at <http://pcc.palau.edu>.

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

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