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# Palau Community College

## MESEKIU'S NEWS



Friday, July 13, 2018

Weekly Newsletter

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### PCC Library Summer Activities Commence



*Summer Youth Program participants engaged in various activities with library staff*

On Tuesday, July 10, 2018 the Tan Siu Lin Palau Community College (PCC) Library began its Summer Youth Program for ages seventh (7) to twelve (12). Over 40 students participated in this one-week program. The library summer activities were established in order to promote interest in reading & writing, art, and mathematics among the younger population of Palau. The library's staff members engaged in this summer activity with the students in order to form a strong comprehension of arts & crafts, numbers and alphabets. Activities included phonics, paper craft, illustrations and bookmaking, miniature raft, grass skirt, marmar, and online trivia & scavenger hunt that will help the children to recognize and reinforce letters, numbers, art, and songs and movies. Activities also gives the opportunity for the library to promote its Kids' Korrner Collection, Coral Cafe, and Teen Space by encouraging the students to visit the library for more reading & writing activities.

### PCC President Tellei Speaks at the Opening Day of the 7th Regular Session



*Senators of the 10<sup>th</sup> OEK, PCC President Patrick U. Tellei and members of St. Peter Chanel Church Choir*

On July 10, 2018 PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei gave special remarks on the first day of The Senate Seventh Regular Session at the National Capitol in Ngerulmud, Melekeok. Acting President of the Senate, Mark U. Rudimch presided and welcome Dr. Tellei on behalf of the entire senate members and community constituents. Senator Stevenson J. Kuarter gave an astounding introduction of President Tellei 'seducational credentials, work experience, and accomplishments. In his remarks, President Tellei gave an overall history of the Republic of Palau's Constitution including the framers of the Constitution. Onset of his deliberation he recognized the work of 28 Palauan individuals who adopt Palau's Constitution in April 30, 1975 and present it to the first members of Palau Constitution Framers to the Micronesian Constitutional Convention in 1976.

*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.*



## DO Provides PCC-Based Scholarship Information



On Thursday, June 28, 2018 Development Office staff provided PCC-Based Scholarship information to students in Social Science 100 with their instructor Ms. Glendalynn “Tau’O” Ngirmeriil.

The college PCC-Based Scholarship information provides opportunity for students who need financial assistance to support their education.

The half-hour Power Point Presentation provided detail information of various scholarship opportunities and their eligibility, criteria, and qualifications at the Development Office. Also included were outright donor scholarships such as Nursing and Faculty Senate Association scholarships.

## Evelyn Yano Donates to Palau Community College



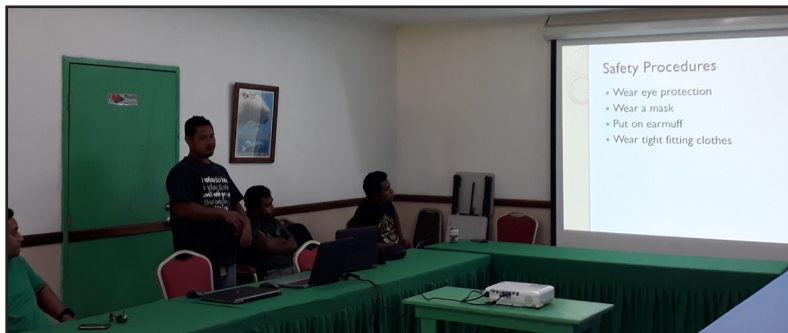
Palau Community College (PCC) would like to recognize and thank Evelyn Yano who recently donated \$550 to PCC. Your donation will ensure continued education of our children.

## Upward Bound Workshop



Upward Bound students were gathered at the Assembly Hall in their weekly workshops. The workshop was about Community College “It Works” by Mr. Joseph Anastacio.

## PCC Instructional Assistance Digital Media Presentation



On June 29 and July 3, 2018 the School of Technical Education, Agriculture Science Program, and CTE Academy Lab School Instructor Assistance gave presentations on utilizing video to support course lesson plans. With the assistance from Instructional Mentor Ms. Crystal Nacionales, instructors were able to embed videos in course lesson plans using PowerPoint application to enhance learning and comprehension in course lectures. Such initiative by the instructors are designed to improve student learning. Instructor Assistance who presents were Agricultural Science - Nena George, Small Engine - Santini Thomas, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration - Julius Ceasar Omila, Automotive Mechanics Technology - O'Hara Skebong, CTE Instructor - Bradley Augustine, Small Engine - Marvin Yarofaisug, and Instructional Mentor - Crystal Nacionales.

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## PCC Cafeteria Undergoes Facelift



Extension to main entrance, new roof, and exterior paint are part of ongoing campus facelift program.



## BITS AND PIECES...

### Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

#### Hours of Operation

Monday to Thursday 7:30AM - 7PM

Friday 7:30AM - 5PM

Saturday 9AM - 6PM

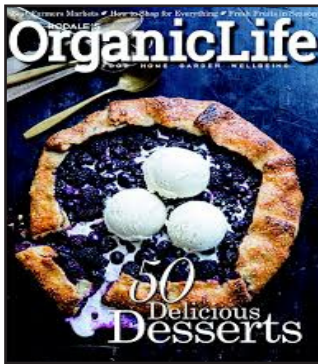
Sunday CLOSED

For more information, call:  
488-3540.

#### AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED

##### READERS:

#### RODALE'S ORGANIC LIFE MAGAZINE



Rodale's Organic Life helps people lead healthier, happier lives by offering them the inspiration, information, and tools they need to improve their wellbeing along with the planet's. The brand helps people identify and move toward decisions that benefit them and the earth, no matter how big or small, guided by the belief that leading an organic life is about intention — it's not about being perfect, but rather simplifying, growing, and becoming more in tune with your body and nature. Rodale's Organic Life content is bold, authoritative, irreverent, and fun, providing seasonal recipes, tips for creating natural gardens, sustainable-home strategies, and profiles on alternative therapies like yoga and meditation for optimal wellbeing.

#### Academic Calendar

**July 21 (F)**

Last Day of Instruction

**July 24-26 (M-W)**

Final Exam Period

#### 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](mailto:tchuziet@palau.edu) or [tchuziet@gmail.com](mailto:tchuziet@gmail.com).

Articles from MOC/PCC Alumni are also welcomed.

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

## Newest Contributor PCC Endowment



Bonifacio Ngiraiwet

Palau Community College would like to recognize its newest Endowment Fund contributor, Bonifacio Ngiraiwet. Mr. Ngiraiwet works for Airport Police. Thank you Mr. Bonifacio Ngiraiwet for your contribution to Palau's only institution of higher learning! Your donation will help sustain the future stability and programs of Palau Community College.

## CE Summer Kids Program Awarding Ceremony



On Friday, July 06, 2018 a closing ceremony for the Continuing Education (CE) Summer Kids Program was held at Cafeteria of Palau Community College (PCC). The ceremony was an opportunity for the elementary school students to showcase the artistic and cultural skills that they learned while participating in the program. Present to enjoy the performances were the students' family members as well as interested members of the community. Also in attendance were PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei and PCC Dean of Continuing Education (CE) Jefferson Thomas. The 2016 Summer Kids Program began on Monday, June 11, 2018. Over a four-week period, students participated in various cultural & educational activities designed to enhance their learning abilities. Subjects covered in this year's summer classes included mathematics (with an emphasis on Singapore math), English reading & writing, Palauan orthography, marine/environmental science, music, and art. 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. During the closing ceremony, the elementary school students performed traditional dance and songs learned over the summer including contemporary songs taught by PCC Associate Professor of Music Howard Charles. The students also received certificates in recognition of their academic efforts and scholastic improvements.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

**The 55th Commencement Exercises digital video is now available!**

**Interested students who wish to have an e-copy for keepsake may contact Development Office at 488-2470/2471 or email [fordjanyssa@gmail.com](mailto:fordjanyssa@gmail.com) or [tchuziet@palau.edu](mailto:tchuziet@palau.edu)**

**please bring a usb 16gb or external hard drive**

## ALUMNI NOTES

### ERVIN ITIYANGMAL

(Class of 2018)

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS & SCIENCE - AIR CONDITIONING & REFRIGERATION



Ervin Itiyangmal graduated from Palau Community College in May of 2018. He graduated with a Associate of Arts & Science degree in Air Conditioning & Refrigeration. He currently works part-time at PCC as an AC Repair Technician.



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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.

## VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (1) Math Instructor/ Tutor (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$100 - \$200 biweekly
- (2) English Instructor/ Tutor (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$100 - \$200 biweekly
- (3) Science Instructor/ Tutor (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$100 - \$200 biweekly
- (4) Foreign Language Instructor/ Tutor (2)  
(PCC Upward Bound Program Office)  
depending on qualifications & hrs,  
salary ranges from \$100 - \$200 biweekly
- (5) Tourism & Hospitality Instructor  
(PCC Education and Training Department/  
Academic Affairs Division) depending on  
qualifications and work experience salary  
ranges from \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (6) Construction Technology Instructor  
depending on qualifications & work experience  
salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (7) Community and Public Health Instructor  
depending on qualifications & work experience  
salary range: \$18,009 - \$31,810 per annum
- (8) Financial Aid Counselor  
(Student Services - Office of Financial Aid)  
salary range: \$12,049 - \$20,607 per annum
- (9) Federal Work-Study Coordinator  
(Student Services - Office of Financial Aid)  
salary range: \$12,049 - \$20,607 per annum
- (10) Maintenance Technicians (4)  
(Administration Department - Physical Plant)  
salary range: \$8,155 - \$13,948 per annum
- (11) Student Activities Specialist (2)  
(Student Life - Recreation)  
salary range: \$8,155 - \$13,948 per annum
- (12) Counselor  
(PCC Student Services Division)  
salary range: \$12,653 - \$19,479 per annum
- (13) Admissions Counselor  
(PCC Student Services Division)  
salary range: \$12,049 - \$20,607 per annum
- (14) Accounting Technician (Purchase Order Technician)  
(Administration Department - Business Office)  
salary range: \$9,913 - \$16,954 per annum
- (15) Researcher/ Food Technologist  
(Cooperative Research & Extension Office)  
salary range: \$30,000 per annum
- (16) Director Human Resources  
(Administration)  
salary range: \$18,730 - \$28,833 per annum

For application forms and information, contact **Human Resources Office** at 488-2470/2471 extension 227, or e-mail: [hr@palau.edu](mailto:hr@palau.edu), or download forms at <http://pcc.palau.edu>.

**"PCC is an Equal Opportunity Employer."**

## PCC Endowment Fund

**INVEST IN THE FUTURE**  
OF OUR STUDENTS, OUR COLLEGE, AND OUR NATION

**To SUPPORT,  
CONTACT US TODAY!**

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e-mail: [tellei@palau.edu](mailto:tellei@palau.edu)

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

FIND PCC ONLINE FOR MORE INFORMATION



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## SUMMER ROBOTICS COURSE

**WHEN:**

**Advanced - July 16-20, 2018**

**WHERE:**

**Coral Reef Research Foundation,  
Malakal  
(home of the jellyfish wall)**

**SIGN UP TODAY  
PCC ONLINE LAB**

**or**

**Contact 488-5255  
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website: [coralreefpalau.org](http://coralreefpalau.org)**

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