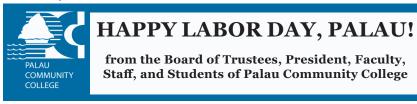


# **PCC Hosts FSM Vice President Meeting**



front row l to r: Ms. Antilise W. Mackwelung George, FSM Vice President Yosiwo B. George, FSM Consul General Chengina Masang, backrow: PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei and Assistant to FSM Vice President Herman Semes, Jr.

On August 22, 2019 Palau Community College hosted a meeting of FSM nationals with FSM Vice President Yoshiwo P. George and FSM Consul General to the Republic of Palau Chengina Masang. PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei welcomed everyone on behalf of PCC Board of Trustees, adminsitrators, faculty, staff, and Students followed by Counsel General Masang's sincere welcoming remarks. FSM Vice President George gave an update of the FSM Compact of Free Association negotiationstatus with high level officials from U.S. Department of State. He also reported on the new fiber optic cable connection which will connect Pohnpei and other FSM States, discussed scholarship opportunities for students, and asked FSM citizens to show appreciation to the host country by respecting Palau laws, customs, and people. Vice President George thanked PCC President Tellei for his continuous support extended to FSM people over the years. FSM MEETING, CONTINUED ON PAGE 2



New Security Gate Installed at PCC Library



PCC Maintenance and library personnel participate in the installation

From August 17 - 18, 2019 Palau Community College (PCC) Library security gates were replaced. Acting Director of Library Services Ms. Pioria Asito was very excited and delighted that the new security gate will protect library resources and other collections that the college library has collected over the years.

The new library security system by AIR-SEC has an electro-magnetic strip and antitheft antenna that works together to secure any books if not properly scanned or deactivated by the bookcheck security unit scanner.

With the new gates, both students and staff can now have access to the stairway from the library main floor all the way to Academic Affairs on the third floor.

Acting Director Asito extends her deep appreciation and a big thank you to the maintenance and Library Assistant Mr. Haleyalib for assisting in the installation of the new security gate.

Palau Community College is an accessible comprehensive 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.

### PCC Auto Mechanic Technology Program **Received Donation**



Palau Community College Auto Mechanics Technology program extends its appreciation to Shaft Katosang (2<sup>nd</sup> right) for donating a much needed Fuel System Maintenance (FSM). The system can troubleshoot and detect faulty vehicle fuel injectors and fuel pump. On hand to receive FSM scanner is instructional assistant Ala-Lofty Ongalibang.

#### FSM MEETING, CONTINUED FROM PAGE 2



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### **PCC Welcomes New Tourism & Hospitality** Instructor



Palau Community College (PCC) would like to extends its warmest welcome to our newest faculty member, Ms. Janelle Iwang Blesam. Ms. Blesam will be teaching TH Courses along with Instructor Didiich Albert at Palau Tourism & Hospital-Janelle I. Blesam ity School of Excellence this fall semester.

She is an alumna of PCC where she graduated in 2016 with an Associate of Science Degree in Tour Services and went on to attend and receive her degree from niversity of Hawaii at Hilo in 2019.



Palau Community College Cooperative Research and Extension in collaboration with Japan International Research Center for Agricultural Sciences (JIRCAS) and Ministry of Natural Resources, Environment, and Tourism - Bureau of Agriculture (MNRET-BOA) will host an Eco-Cultivation of Taro session on Tuesday, September 5, 2019 at PCC Assembly Hall.

The session will introduce local farmers to hand auger technique in cultivation of taro and other tropical fruits.

Interested local farmers are invited. For more information please contact CRE Vice President Thomas Taro @ 488-2746 or Director Fred Sengebau @ 775-0200



# **BITSAND PIECES...**

Tan Siu Lin PCC Library		
Hours of Operation		
Monday to Thursday	7:30AM - 7PM	
Friday	7:30ам - 5рм	
Saturday	9 <sub>ам</sub> - 6 <sub>рм</sub>	
Sunday	CLOSED	

For more information, call: 488-3540.

### AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED

Readers: BBC Music Magazine



BBC Music Magazine is the world's best selling classical music magazine and is the most comprehensive monthly guide to the world of classical music - live, broadcast and recorded. It is packed full of information and inspiring features on all aspects of classical music and is read by an engaged, informed audience of affluent, upmarket culture lovers.

#### Academic Calendar

September 2 (M) Holiday: Labor Day

September 20 (F) Last Day to Remove Incomplete Grades for Summer 2019

#### **News/Stories Wanted**

Mesekíŵ'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.

# Newest Contributor to the PCC Endowment Fund



Palau Community College would like to recognize our newest endowment fund contributor, Ms. Daisy Ulitch. Ms. Ulitch is currently employed at Ministry of Education (MOE) - Ngaraard Elem. School. Thank you Ms. Ulitch 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.

Daisy Ulitch

2019-2020 PCC-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS Applications now available!

## **DAVID W. SHIPPER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**DEBBIE O. NGIRAIBAI SCHOLARSHIP** 

MATSON NAVIGATION COMPANY INC. SCHOLARSHIP

**MOYLAN'S INSURANCE SCHOLARSHIP** 

PIERANTOZZI SCHOLARSHIP

PRINCE LEBUU SCHOLARSHIP

**TERRY T. NGIRMANG NURSING SCHOLARSHIP** 

Applications <u>must be submitted</u> to the PCC Development Office by <u>Thursday, October 31, 2019</u>.

APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE PCC DEVELOPMENT OFFICE. CONTACT FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE PCC-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS:

<u>PCC DEVELOPMENT OFFICE</u> (TEL): 488-2470/2471 EXT. 252 OR 253

#### VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- Part Time Math Instructors/ Tutors (2) (PCC Upward Bound Program Office) depending on qualifications & hrs, salary ranges from \$600 - \$800 biweekly
- (2) Part Time English Instructors/ Tutors (2) (PCC Upward Bound Program Office) depending on qualifications & hrs, salary ranges from \$600 - \$800 biweekly
- (3) Part Time Science Instructors/ Tutors (2) (PCC Upward Bound Program Office) depending on qualifications & hrs, salary ranges from \$600 - \$800 biweekly
- (4) Part Time Computer Science Instructors/Tutors (2) (PCC Upward Bound Program Office) depending on qualifications & hrs, salary ranges from \$600 - \$800 biweekly
- (5) Admissions Counselor (2) (PCC Student Services Division-Registrar) salary range: \$15,542 - \$27,600 per annum
- (6) Library Assistant (PCC Education & Training Department) depending on qualifications and work experience. salary range: \$7,800 - 13,582 per annum
- (7) Social Science/Humanities-Instructor (PCC Education and Training Department/ Academic Affaris Division) depending on qualifications and work experience salary range: \$16,010 - 28,280 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.

"PCC is an Equal Opportunity Employer."

#### ALUMNI NOTES

#### **QUEENCY TAILIMEPIY**

Associate of Applied Science - Small Engine & Outboard Marine Technology

Queency Tailimepiy graduated from Palau Community College in 2016 with an Associate of Applied Science degree in SEOM Technology. Mr. Tailimepiy is currently employed at PCC Maintenance.



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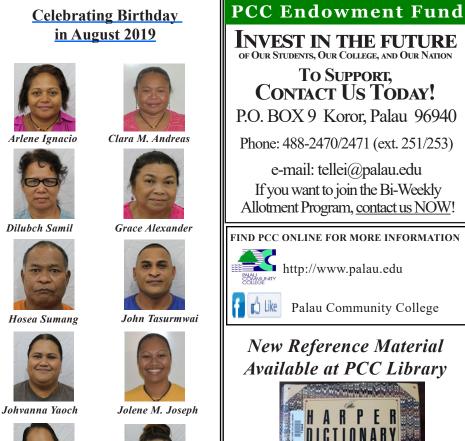
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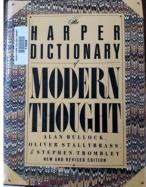


ALUMNI NOTES showcases MOC & PCC alumni who are positive role models and contribute to the quality of life in their local communities.

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 Mesekíu's News issues.





New Arrival! PCC Library had acquired new Harper Dictionary to its Reference Collection.

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