Palau Community College



MESEKIU'S NEWS



Friday, September 24, 2021

Weekly Newsletter

Volume 23, Issue 39

PCC Hosts U.S. Constitution Day Activities



Top l to r: Academic Affairs staff, CTE students and Instructor; below: PCC students participating in scavenger activity

On Friday, September 17, 2021 Palau Community College (PCC) Academic Affairs Division, Faculty Senate Association, and PCC Library hosted a U.S. Constitution Activities at the library. Over 60 students and staff took the time to commemorate the U.S. Constitution Day by visiting library to show support and participate in the scavenger activity. The activity had participants finding clues and answers to questions about the U.S. Constitution's ratification, amendments, and founding fathers. Prizes were given out to participants who answered all questions correctly. Students winners were given mobile airtime or external flashdrive; staff winners were given airtime courtesy of Academic Affairs, Faculty Senate Association, and library staff. Finger foods were served to spice up the activities. The college takes this opportunity to thank Academic Affairs Dean Olikong, Associatie Dean Dr. McClain and staff; Faculty Senate Association Officers: President Johvanna Yaoch, Vice President Derbei Meyar, Secretary Cecil Meteolechol, Treasurer Frederick Mascardo and library for hosting the event.

SDSU Master's Cohort Meets Dr. Caren Sax & Dr. Sylvia Garcia-Navarrete



PCC-SDSU Master's Cohort with instructors Dr. Caren Sax & Dr. Sylvia Garcia-Navarrete, and facilitator Sandra Pierantozzi

On Wednesday, September 22, 2021 San Diego State University (SDSU) Administration, Rehabilitation, and Post Secondary-Interwork Institute Director Dr. Caren Sax and Dr. Sylvia Garcia-Navarrete visit students in SDSU Master's Cohort in the PCC Assembly Hall. During their visit, they met with PCC President Dr. Tellei and the 2021 graduating class of Interdisciplinary Bachelor's Degree program. The meeting with the master's cohort introduced the students to a new course ARP 747, Educational Leadership in a Diverse Society. The course focuses on current theory and practice in meeting needs of diverse learners with respect to leadership and administration of educational organizations as political and complex systems. This is the sixth course out of 10 required core courses to complete prior to earning a master of arts degree from SDSU.

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 Emergency Preparedness Task Force Conducts Emergency Drill at Dormitory

On Thursday, September 16, 2021 Palau Community College Emergency Preparedness Task Force conducted an emergency drill at PCC Dormitory Building. The drill is conducted to assist students residing at dorms to know their roles and responsibilities in an emergency situation in accordance with the college Emergency Operations Plan. It also test the staff response to an emergency unannounced. The drill took place at 11:00 p.m. when dorm residents were in their room. Emergency Preparedness Task Force members are Todd Ngiramengior, Chairman; Dean of Students Hilda N. Reklai, Secretary; Tchuzie Tadao, PIO; Director of Physical Plant Clement Kazuma, Cafeteria Supervisor Gurney U. Umang, Student Account Supervisor Tessmarie U. Kodep, and CRE Director Lyndon Masami. The emergency drill was activated quarter after eleven in the evening as part of Palau National Emergency Preparedness month.



Tokubets el Subed el Mora Rokui el Chad el Ourcor er a National me a State government me a rokui el Agencies el member er a Pension Plan.

Please air the following message as soon as possible for three times daily today, September 23 to September 30, 2021:

Tia subed el oltobed er ngii a Pension Plan Office el mo er a rokui el chad el oureor er a National Government me a State Government me a ike el rokui el Agencies er a National me a State el kmo: se el uldasu el mo olngasech er a contribution er a Ongeteruich (October) el buil er a truich me a edei el kebesengil a buil a bla el torikes er ngii a Olbiil Er a Kelulau el okiu a House Joint Resolution No. 11-16-3s. me a el uaisei e a contribution a melemolm el elolem el basent (6%) el mo er a employee me a Employer a melemolm el elolem el basent (6%).

A le ngar er ngli a kerim e mo mekedong er a Pension Plan Office er a 488-2523/3502 er a kot el ureor el mo ongeim el ureor er a delongelel a eai el klok el mo suelb me a ta el klok el mo eim el klok.

Public Announcement

The Office of Civil Service Pension Plan wishes to inform every employees of the National and State government and its agencies that the CSPP Board of Trustees resolution to increase both employee and employer contribution by 1 % has been **VOIDED** by the 11th Olbiil Er a Kelulau, House Joint Resolution No. 11-16-3s. Therefore, the contribution rate for both employee and employer will remain the same at 6% for employee and 6% for employer.

If you have any questions, please call Pension Plan Office at 488-2523/3502 Monday – Friday between 8am to noon and 1pm to 5pm.

Elliot S. Udui Administrator

PCC-CRE, BOA, & Koror State Solid Waste Management Office Host SERS-ED Workshop



On September 07, 2021 Palau Community College Cooperative Research & Extension in collaboration with the Bureau of Agriculture and Koror State Waste Management Office conducted a workshop on SERS-Ed for interested community members.

The workshop aims to provide information on how to create a farm or garden plan. Various topics on horticulture, livestock, animal husbandry, and table gardening were also discussed. Participants also had the opportunity to visit Taiwan Technical Mission in Ngatpang State, PCC-CRE Research & Development Station in Ngeremlengui State, and Bureau of Agriculture in Ngchesar State.



On September 23, 2021 Student Service Division conducted ASPCC Election at Mesekiu Bai.

BITS AND PIECES..

Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

Hours of Operation

Monday to Thursday 8:00AM - 5PM

Friday 8:00AM - 5PM

Saturday 9:00AM - 6PM

Sunday & Holiday CLOSED

For more information, call: 488-3540.

AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED READERS:

Foodservice & Hospitality Magazine



Foodservice and Hospitality magazine is published 8 times a year and delivers the highest levels of readership to convey your influential advertising messages, to help you develop and launch new product initiatives, and to reach your target audience.

Academic Calendar

September 30 (Th)

Last Day to Remove Incomplete Grades for Spring 2021

October 1 (F)

Holiday: Independence Day

News/Stories Wanted

Mesekiw'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 welcome.

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

Deadline to Apply

Service Association Announces the Particular Service Association for the life to Su A.

Exactly Service Scholarship for the life to Su A.

FSA SCHOLARSHIP

Available \$\$\$\$ to Support Your Education!!

1st Year Assistance Scholarship

2nd Year Assistance Scholarship

<u>Applications</u> are available at PCC Development Office. For more information, Pls. contact 488-2470/1 ext. 252 or 253

2021-2022 PCC BASED SCHOLARSHIP APPLY NOW!

DAVID W. SHIPPER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

DEBBIE O. NGIRAIBAI SCHOLARSHIP

MATSON NAVIGATION COMPANY
INC. SCHOLARSHIP

MOYLAN'S INSURANCE SCHOLARSHIP

PIERANTOZZI SCHOLARSHIP

PRINGE/LEBY W SCHOLARSHIP

TERRY T. NGIRMANG NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

YAMAZAKI RENGIIL MEMORIAI SCHOLARSHIP

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

CONTACT: DEVELOPMENT OFFICE @ 488-2470/2471 EXT. 252 OR 253

DEADLINE FOR ALL APPLICATIONS: OCTOBER 29, 2021

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (1) Computer Technician (Computer Service Office) salary ranges from \$13,081 - \$23,230 per annum
- (2) Extension Agent EFNEP (PCC Cooperative Research & Extension Program salary ranges from \$11,010 - \$19,552.00 per annum
- (3) Director of Library Services (Administration) salary range: \$18,730 - 33,262 per annum
- (4) Instructor Assistant Small Engine PCC Education and Training Department/ Academic Affaris Division) depending on qualifications and work experience salary range: \$12,653.00 - 22,349 per annum
- (5) Maintenance & Operations Supervisor Physical Plant - Administration Department depending on qualifications and work experience salary range: \$16,941.00 - 30,085 per annum
- (6) Math Instructor
 Learning Resource Center
 Student Services
 depending on qualifications and work experience
 salary range: \$14,802 22,000 per annum
- (7) Academic Advisor/Counselor PCC Talent Search Program salary range: \$24,000 - 26,000 per annum Federally funded program
- (8) Director, Student Life
 (PCC Student Life Office) depending on
 qualificatins and work experience
 salary ranges from \$16,000 \$28,431 per annum

ALUMNI NOTES

JUNE N. ULTIRAKL CRIMINAL JUSTICE



June Ultirakl is a graduate of Palau Community College (PCC) in 2021 with an Associate of Science (AS) Degree in Criminal Justice program. Ms. Ultirakl is currently working at the Ministry of Justice.



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 Mesekin's News issues.

<u>Celebrating Birthdays</u> <u>September 24 - October 03, 2021</u>



Courtney Joshu



Jay Olegeriil



Kleo Langba



Miguel DeLos Santos



Ngerwach Fran



Shelby Edesome

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT CON'T

- (9) Instructor Assistant Auto Mechanics (Academic Affairs) salary ranges from \$12,653 - \$22,349 per annum
- (10) Academic Advisor/Counselor Upward Bound Program salary: \$19,000 annually
- (11) Tracking and Data Coordinator
 PCC Talent Search Program
 salary range: \$17,000 19,000 per annum
 Federally funded program
- (12) Part-time Tutors

 PCC Talent Search Program

 salary range: \$500 1,200 per annum

 School Year 2021-2022

 Federally funded program
- (13) Accounting Technician (payroll)

 Administration Department (Business Office)
 salary range: \$13,081 \$23,231.00
- (14) Library Technician (Administration) Salary range: \$11,010. - \$19,553 per annum PCC Library

PCC Endowment

Invest in the future To Support, Contact Us Today!

P.O. BOX 9 Koror, Palau 96940

Phone: 488-2470/2471 (ext. 251/253)

e-mail: tellei@palau.edu

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

FIND PCC ONLINE FOR MORE INFORMATION



http://www.palau.edu



Follow us on Palau Community College Facebook Page

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT CON'T

- (15) Senior Research Assistant (PCC Cooperative Research & Extension) salary range: \$12,001 - \$21,312 per annum
- (16) Researcher (PCC Cooperative Research & Extension) salary range: \$28,156 50,001 per annum
- (17) Researcher/Aquaculturist PCC Cooperative Research & Extension salary range: \$28,156 - 50,001 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."

stamp here