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Weekly Newsletter

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PCC ACADEMIC AFFAIRS HOSTS NOON TIME SEMINAR AT ASSEMBLY HALL ROC-Taiwan Digital Opportunity Center Signing Ceremony



PCC Dean Deikola Olikong, Associate Dean Marianne Temaungil, Associate Professor Vernice Yuji, Instructor of Science Rilang Roberto, PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, and Instructor Crisarjo M.J. Ulap with students at PCC Assembly Hall

On Friday, August 19, 2022 Palau Community College Academic Affairs Division held a Noon Time seminar featuring students from Environmental/Marine Science, Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM), and Information Technology presenting research projects and information on conferences attended over the summer. College staff, students, and faculty including PCC President Dr. Tellei and administrators attended this very informative one-hour presentations by the students. Student presenters were Derrick D. Alexander, Alik K. Ulechong, Delmel Francisco, Kesiil P. Thomas, Koteb Aulerio, Yuji Chibana, Rhiden Moreno, Bryce KB Bonicacio, Macy Nagata, and Rachel K. Ngiraklang. Mr. Alexander and Mr. Ulechong attended IOA-LSAMP conference in Guam while Mr. Chibana and Mr. Moreno participated in Bridge To Bachelor (B2B) summer program. Mr. Francisco, Mr. Aulerio and Ms. Thomas attended ICRS conference in Bremen, Germany while Mr. Bonicacio, Ms. Nagata, and Ms. Ngiraklang participated in Research Experience for Undergraduate (REU) in Honolulu, Hawaii. Students were accompanied by Associate Professor of Science Vernice Yuji and Instructor Rilang Roberto.



Front row: Minister of MPIIC Charles I. Obichang, ROC-Taiwan Ambassador Jessica Lee, Minister of Finance Kaleb Udui Jr., PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei; back row: Director Stalin Pedro, Manager Conrad Ellechel, and Dean of CE Hedrick Kual

On August 15, 2022 PCC hosted an MoU signing ceremony between ROC-Taiwan Ambassador Jessica Lee, Minister of MPIIC Charles I. Obichang, and Minister of Finance Kaleb Udui Jr on Taiwan Digital Opportunity Center (TDOC). The event was witnessed by PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, Director Stalin Pedro, Conrad Ellechel, and Dean of Continuing Education Hedrick Kual. Ambassador Lee's expressed gratitude to Minister Obichang, Minister Udui, and PCC President Dr. Tellei for their efforts and partnership with Embassy of Taiwan to make this digital opportunity center possible. This bilateral partnership between Republic of Palau and Republic of China-Taiwan had resulted in a new level of cooperation. TDOC will be set up on PCC campus and serves as a learning center for information and communication technology

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23rd Caregiver Training Concludes with Awarding Ceremony at Assembly Hall



Insets: Dr. Gregory Dever and Dr Sylvia Osarch with Caregiver Training participants at PCC Assembly Hall

On Friday, August 19, 2022, Palau Community College Continuing Education held an awarding ceremony for fourteen caregiver training participants. Present to congratulate the 23rd Class of Caregivers were PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, Dr. Gregory Dever, Dr. Sylvia Osarch, Jason Nolan, Ms. Vanessa Espangel, and Dean of Continuing Education Hedrick Kual. This training introduces basic concepts of aging and general principles of caring for the aged adult. With assistance from partners such as Ministry of Health & Human Services (MHHS) Geriatric Program, AHEC, and PCC, the training was conducted to the community free of charge. Participants were Baklai Temengil, Esther Tarkong, Helindalyn Towai, Janet Antonio, Jona Sinipete, Joselyn A. Eufre, Julius Abuso, Leilanie Mejia Ayson, MA. Victoria Jucutan, Renee Renguul, Risong Tarkong, Tanya Patris, Tarita Holm, and Vivian Ngirarsaol.

Tan Siu Lin PCC Library



PCC Library is offering an Overdue Fines Amnesty Program from August 1st to September 2nd, 2022. Your accrued fines will be forgiven if you return all overdue materials (books, DVDs, etc.) back to the library and have your account cleaned out to ZERO. This is also your opportunity to re-activate your library account with us. If you have any questions, please call PCC Library @ 488-3540.

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(ICT). Computer hardware and online courses from basic to advance modules will be provided by ROC-Taiwan. PCC, MPIIC, and MOF will play the management role of the center and will offer courses to government, private sectors, and non-profit organizations interested in learning and developing digital literacy including advance ICT skills.

PCC GE, ET & CTE Program Attends Photovoltaic System Workshop

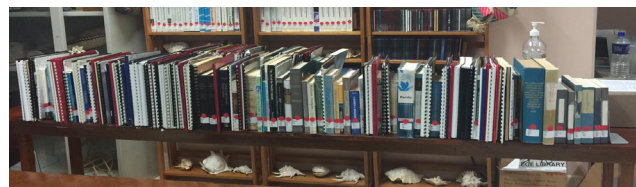


Instructors: Deliseo Augustin and Joel Yabes with GE & ET students during a photovoltaic system workshop at CE Training room



Instructor Margie B. Valencia with CTE students attending photovoltaic system workshop at CE Training room

Peter Black Donates to PCC Library



a long time friend and supporter of the College library, Mr. Peter Black once again donated books to PCC Library to support its special collection, particularly the Micronesian-Pacific Collection. The donation of books not only help with the expansion of collections but also support academic instruction and research. PCC extends many thanks to Mr. Black for his generosity and support.

BITS AND PIECES...

Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

Hours of Operation

Monday to Thursday 7:30AM - 7:00PM

Friday 7:30 - 5:00 PM

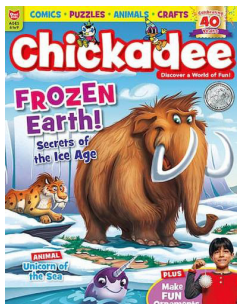
Saturday, Sunday & National Holidays CLOSED

For more information, call:
488-3540.

AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED

READERS:

CHICKADEE MAGAZINE



Filled with fun activities, stories, crafts, jokes and more in every issue, a chicka-DEE magazine subscription is a great way to keep the little ones occupied! Written for 6-9 year olds, it's a cool and colourful magazine filled with comic strip stories, crafts to create, cute characters, fun facts, (safe) science experiments and jokes to tell.

Academic Calendar

September - 05 (M)

Holiday: Labor Day

September 30 (F)

Last Day to Remove Incomplete Grades

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 welcome.

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

Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC), the Commission Third-Party Comment

A third-party comment assists the Commission as it considers applications for candidacy, accreditation, or reaffirmation of accreditation. When an institution is undergoing a review, the Commission requires the institution's chief executive officer to notify the campus community and public of the opportunity for submission of third-party comments and the process for doing so. Any member of the college community or public may submit a third-party comment by completing the Commission's online third-party comment form, available via the institution's website or ACCJC's website. In order to ensure evaluation of applicable third-party comments by the peer review team, third-party comments should be received by the Commission staff no later than five weeks before the peer review team visit.

Palau Community College will submit its Institutional Self-Evaluation Report (ISER) to the Commission no later than August 1, 2022; Teams ISER is October 4, 2022; and the College Focus Site Visit is scheduled during the week of March 13, 2023. Should any member of the College community or the public who may wish to submit a third-party comment must complete the Commission's online third-party comment form available at <https://accjc.org/forms/third-party-comments/>.

The third-party comment should be received by the Commission five weeks prior to March 13, 2023.

Commission's Address: Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges
331 J Street, Suite 200
Sacramento, CA 95814
P: (415) 506-0234 | E: accjc@accjc.org

2022-2023 PCC BASED SCHOLARSHIP APPLY NOW!

DAVID W. SHIPPER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

**DEBBIE O. NGIRAIBAI BUSINESS ACCOUNTING
SCHOLARSHIP**

**MATSON NAVIGATION COMPANY
INC. SCHOLARSHIP**

MOYLAN'S INSURANCE SCHOLARSHIP

PIERANTOZZI SCHOLARSHIP

PRINCE LEBUU SCHOLARSHIP

TERRY T. NGIRMANG NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

WILHELM R. RENGIL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

YAMAZAKI RENGIL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (1) Instructor, Liberal Arts program
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges from \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (2) Instructor, Construction Technology
Academic Affairs Division
salary range: \$18,730 - 33,262 per annum
- (3) Instructor, Small Engine & Outboard Marine Tech.
Academic Affairs Division
salary range: \$12,653.00 - 22,349 per annum
- (4) Instructor Assistant, Construction Technology
Academic Affairs Division
salary range: \$12,653.00 - 22,349.00 per annum
- (5) Accounting Technician
Administration Dept. Business Office
salary ranges: \$13,081 to \$21,312.00
- (6) Instructor Assistant - General Mechanics
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$12,653 - \$22,349 per annum
- (7) Instructor-Air Condition & Refrigeration
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (8) Extension Agent (EFNEP Program)
(PCC Cooperative Research & Extension)
salary range: \$11,010 - \$19,552 per annum
- (9) Nursing Instructor
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$16,010 to \$28,280

ALUMNI NOTES

STANILAUS HALEYALTIL GENERAL ELECTRONICS TECHNOLOGY



Stanilaus Haleyaltil graduated from PCC in Spring 2022 with an Associate of Applied Science in General Electronics. Mr. Haleyaltil currently works for the PCC Maintenance.



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ALUMNI

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.

Celebrating Birthdays August 26 - September 05, 2022



Deluise Ngirusong



Didlich Albert



Chelsea Pedro

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT CONT

- (10) System Analyst
Administration & Finance - Computer Room
salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,431 per annum
- (11) Library Assistant
PCC Library
salary ranges: \$7,800 to \$13,852.00
- (12) Instructor, Automotive Technology
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (13) Math Instructor
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (14) Instructor, Tourism & Hospitality
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$16,010 to \$28,280.00
- (15) Extension Agent X2
PCC-CRE
salary ranges: \$11,010 to \$19,552.00
- (16) Instructor, Community & Public Health
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$16,010 to \$28,280.00

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>



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Show your support for the 2022 PCC Thanksgiving Endowment Fundraising Event by purchasing a \$10 Raffle Ticket! Your support will help Palau's only institution of higher learning continue to provide the much needed academic programs & trainings for generations to come.

**2022 PCC Thanksgiving
Endowment Fundraising Event
will take place on Wednesday,
November 23, 2022
from 12AM - 5PM at the
PCC Mesekiu Bai**

For more information about the fundraiser, please contact the PCC Development Office at (tel): 488-2470/2471 ext. 251, 252

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