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# Palau Community College

## MESEKIU'S NEWS



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Weekly Newsletter

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### PCC & PCAA AWARDING OF CERTIFICATE CEREMONY



AMT Instructor Nobby Enano, PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, BOT Chairman Billy G. Kuartei, Dean of CE Hedrick Kual, PCAA Head Start Director Eydeline Ikeya, and training participants during awarding of certificates ceremony at Mesekiu Bai

On Thursday, December 22, 2022 Palau Community College and Palau Community Action Agency-Head Start program awarded certificates to trainees of School Bus Driver Training held at the college Automotive Mechanics Shop. The training provides knowledge, skills, and attitude in rendering quality service to passengers, conduct routine vehicle inspections, perform preventive maintenance, and driving both passenger and commercial vehicles for the trainees. The duration of the training course is 64 hours which also include not only traffic rules and regulations but also customer service, driving technique, management/operator communication skills, and vehicle unit cleaning.

Present to award the training certificates were PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, BOT Chairman Billy G. Kuartei, Automotive Mechanics Instructor Nobby Enano, PCAA Head Start Director Eydeline Ikeya, and Dean of CE Hedrick Kual. The trainees from PCAA were Dwayne Isaac, Francisco Xavier, Gerald Remoket, Hosei Setsuo, Josephine Ngiralmu, Kimuu Gathan, Robbin Spis, Rose Stevenson, Usebek Misech, and Wayner Gabriel. The college congratulates all the trainees and wish them all safe & happy holidays!

### ITALY AMBASSADOR TO PALAU MARCO CLEMENTE VISITS PCC



l to r: Mrs. Maria Rosaria Brizl, PCC President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, Italy Ambassador to Palau Marco Clemente, Ambassador's Son Simone S. Clemente, and Stefano Tansella

On December 21, 2022 Italy Ambassador to Palau, Mr. Marco Clemente visits PCC Campus and met with President Dr. Patrick U. Tellei. Ambassador Marco Clemente was born in Rome (Italy) on June 29<sup>th</sup> 1959. He graduated in 1984 from Luiss University in Rome with a degree in Political Science. Beginning his career in 1986 as Directorate General for Italy's Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Throughout his career he has been Consul General and working his way up to become an Ambassador. Ambassador Clemente has served as Italy's ambassador to numerous countries and served as Italy's ambassador to the United Nations. He is a highly esteemed diplomat with a wealth of experience in international relations. In September 2021, he commenced his duty at the Embassy of Italy in Manila. Serving as the ambassador to the Republic of the Philippines, Palau, the Marshall Island and the Federated States of Micronesia.

**Scholastic Honors**  
**Fall Semester 2022**  
**Semester Grade Point Average**

**The President's and Dean's Lists are compiled and published at the end of each semester. The lists include the names of full-time degree candidates completing at least 12 credits from courses under the A-F grading scheme. Certificate candidates and non-degree seekers, regardless of workloads are not considered for nominations to the scholastic honors lists. President's List is the highest honor recognition of students earning a semester grade point average of 4.0 and Dean's List is an honor recognition of students earning a semester grade point average of 3.5 to 3.99**

**President's List**

NAME	MAJOR	NAME	MAJOR
Augustine, John M.	THHM-AS	Manuel, Abigail	BU-AS
Brobesong, Jason Lee	CPH-AS	Masters, Leo James B.	CJ-AS
Cabrera, Bin Robinson L.	NU-AS	Nakamura, Mizora I.	UND
Castillo, Caren R.	NU-AS	Nuwag, Arlene	IT-AS
Chin, Kaeb K.	THHM-AS	Pate, Hannah Grace G.	BA-AS
Cruz, Shamira	LA-AA	Santiago, Weber T.	LA-AA
Elechuus, Quirah D.	LA-AA	Skebond, Jenny Rose R.	CT-AAS
Fabian, Dahlia R.	NU-AS	Teltull, Ikisang J.	NU-AS
Garcia, Jelica Shae	GE-AS	Tevd, Jaelynn K.	LA-AA
Kaluu, Saridel Sais Jr.	CT-AAS	Titiml, Kendall W.	CPH-AS
Kazuyuki, Sierra K.	NU-AS	Tutii, Zechariah T.	NU-AS
Leif, Britney D.	NU-AS	Uchel, Bre-Anna I.	NU-AS

**Dean's List (High Honors)**

Hamilton, Omurreng T.	IT-AS	Sebalt, Mechuached T.	CJ-AS
Kyota, Sabino Jr.	CJ-AS	Techur, Keng-ichi N.	CJ-AS
Mdrangchar, Karly E.	BU-AS		

**Dean's List (Honors)**

Aquon, Alessa T.	BA-AS	Mobel, Melusch A.	LA-AA
Babauta, Ethan	AG-AS	Ngiraiwet, Joyah K.N.	LA-AA
Charles, Zachariah	THFB-AAS	Ngiraked, Dil-Rich O.	SE-AAS
Daniel, Casey	LA-AA	Ngiralmu, Puanany L.	LA-AA
Demei, Daissy T.	LA-AA	Ngirasob, Rivers O.	AG-AS
Elbuchel, Mesikd T.	LA-AA	Ngirkelau, Nikka	AG-AS
Fritz, Isemei	LA-AA	Paulus, Shem	GE-AS
Humio, Syerabe D.	THHM-AS	Pedro, Leodegario	AG-AS
Ito, Omkedelad M.	LA-AA	Ramarui, Lianna N.	AG-AS
Jerome, Kerengel J.	LA-AA	Rangel, Maria Angelica	LA-AA
Kokichi, O'Keef R.	IT-AS	Remeliik, Kato O.	BA-AS
Kumaichi, Ibuuch A.	CPH-AS	Richard Blossom D.	LA-AA
Macasieb, Ma. Raeliana Angelica M.	BA-AS	Samuel, Shania O.	CT-AAS
Madlutk, Ulyana P. F.	BA-AS	Shiro, Alyrah	LA-AA
Maito, Kyleen K.	CPH-AS	Smau, Cade B.	LA-AA
Maleskey, Zachary R.	UND	Udui, Adiva K.	ES-AS
Meltel, Jake	GE-AAS	Worswick, Washington	LA-AA
Mettao, Silveria A. E.	CJ-AS	Yaach, Kedei K.	NU-AS

**Congratulations for an Outstanding Academic Achievement!**

**PCC HOLDS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON AT MESEKIU BAI**



President Dr. Tellei and BOT Chairman deliver holiday greetings to the college family



Student Trustee Kokichi and staff during christmas luncheon



Dean of CE and UBMS Staff



ETS, HR, & Finance staff



Business Office staff

On December 22, 2022, Palau Community College hosted an Annual Christmas Luncheon to all faculty, staff, and students at Mesekiu Bai.

PCC President Patrick U. Tellei along with BOT Chairman Billy G. Kuartei were present to greet and wish all of the college family a wonderful year and good tidings to all during



# BITS AND PIECES...

## Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

### Hours of Operation

Monday to Friday 8:00AM - 5:00PM

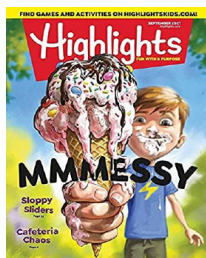
Saturday, Sunday & National Holidays CLOSED

For more information, call:  
488-3540.

### AVAILABLE TO INTERESTED

#### READERS:

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Today, we still believe that children are the world's most important people — and we've grown our family of products to find new ways to help children become CURIOUS, CREATIVE, CARING and CONFIDENT individuals. With 4 magazines, puzzle books, activity subscriptions, kids clothes, back-to-school essentials and more, there are so many ways that Highlights supports kids and

**January 03, 2023**

New Student Orientation

**January 05-06, 2023**

Late registration

**January 09, 2023**

First Day of Instruction

### 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 welcome.

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

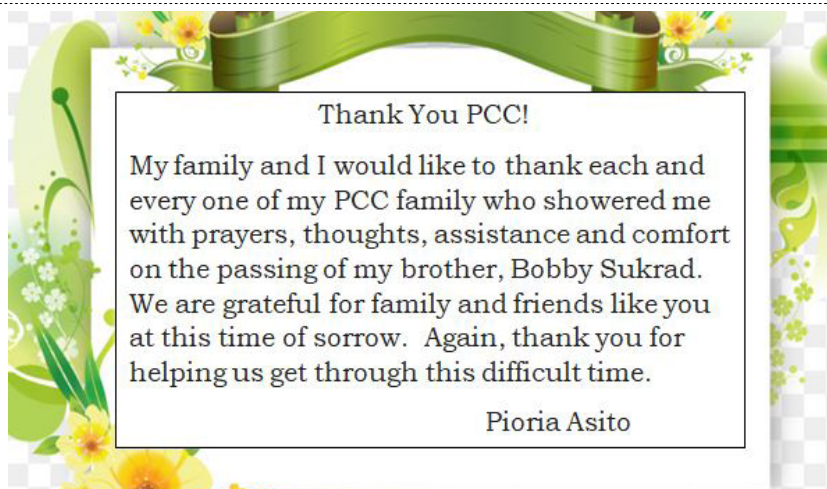
## Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC), the Commission Third-Party Comment

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's 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](mailto:accjc@accjc.org)



### Educational Talent Search Storage Completed



## 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: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (3) Instructor, Small Engine & Outboard Marine Tech.  
*Academic Affairs Division*  
salary range: \$12,653.00 - \$22,349 per annum
- (4) Extension Agent (EFNEP Program)  
*(PCC Cooperative Research & Extension)*  
salary range: \$11,010 - \$19,552 per annum
- (5) Instructor Assistant - General Mechanics  
*Academic Affairs Division*  
salary ranges: \$12,653 - \$22,349 per annum
- (6) Instructor-Air Condition & Refrigeration  
*Academic Affairs Division*  
salary ranges: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (7) Extension Agent  
*(PCC Cooperative Research & Extension)*  
salary range: \$11,010 - \$19,552 per annum
- (8) Nursing Instructor  
*Academic Affairs Division*  
salary ranges: \$16,010 to \$28,280

## ALUMNI NOTES

### EMENGEL IDA SINGICH AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE



Ms. Emengel I. Singich is a graduate of PCC in Spring 2022 with an Associate of Science in Agricultural Science. She is currently working at Palau Conservation Society.



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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 December 30-January 08, 2022



Willess Tmecherur



Lyndon Masami



Denae Johnny

SPRING  
2023  
REGISTRATION  
IS STILL ONGOING  
FOR  
CONTINUING  
&  
RETURNING  
STUDENTS

## PCC Endowment

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If you want to join the Bi-Weekly  
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## VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (9) Director of Development  
*Office of the President*  
Salary ranges: \$18,730 to \$33,262
- (10) Instructor, Automotive Technology  
*Academic Affairs Division*  
salary ranges: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (11) Math Instructor  
*Academic Affairs Division*  
salary ranges: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (12) Instructor, Tourism & Hospitality  
*Academic Affairs Division*  
salary ranges: \$16,010 to \$28,280.00
- (13) Instructor, Community & Public Health  
*Academic Affairs Division*  
salary ranges: \$16,010 to \$28,280.00
- (14) IT/Tracking Coordinator  
*Upward Bound Program*  
Salary ranges: \$18,500 to \$20,000
- (15) Math Coordinator  
*Upward Bound Math & Science*  
salary ranges: \$19,000 to \$23,000
- (16) Executive Assistant to the President  
*Office of the President*  
salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,431 per annum
- (17) Assistant Director  
*Talent Search Office*  
Salary ranges: \$16,010-\$28,431

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