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Palau Community College

MESEKIU'S NEWS



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Weekly Newsletter

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PCC STUDENT RECEIVES PNCC SCHOLARSHIP



Mr. Bradley Kumangai, Chairman of the Board of Directors of PNCC, Mr. Simon Fraser, CEO of PNCC, Mr. Jay Olegeriil, PCC Vice President, Mr. Kato Remeliik, Recipient of PNCC Scholarship, and Mr. Sinton Soalablai, the Recipient's Uncle at the awarding ceremony

On November 3, 2023, the PNCC Chairman of the Board of Directors Mr. Bradlye Kumangai, PNCC Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Simon Fraser along with PCC Vice President, Mr. Jay Olegeriil held an awarding ceremony for the PNCC Scholarship recipient of Academic Year 2023-2024. The recipient Mr. Kato Remeliik was present to receive the scholarship with the support of his uncle, Mr. Sinton Soalablai. Mr. Remeliik majors in Business Accounting and is an outstanding student.

PNCC scholarship is offered to 2nd year students at PCC to enhance workforce opportunities, promote interests in CTE and Business fields, support students financially throughout their year of college, establish a springboard for students to transition from the classroom to the workforce, and offer internship program for scholarship recipients to enter PNCC workforce to instill and develop skills needed to prosper in a work environment. PCC thanks PNCC for their continuous support to the students and congratulates Mr. Remeliik on a well deserved achievement.

KOROR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 3RD GRADE AGRICULTURE FIELD TRIP TO R&D STATION



Koror Elementary School 3rd Graders at R&D Station

On November 2, 2023, a total of 77 third graders visited the Research and Development Station at Ngermeskang. This field trip consisted of a tour of the gardens and farms, mixing soil station, dry litter system area, and the nursery. Following the school's science curriculum (learning about soil), they were able to learn the importance of mixing soil and compost in addition to the many different plants that are grown for food. The students were also given an activity booklet to color and learn about farming. The CRE staff at R&D station would like to thank the little students for visiting and being excited about agriculture!

PCC extends its warmest wishes to PCC President Dr. Patrick Tellei on his day of birth. We thank you for your years of hard work and making sure we are all successful. We are grateful and will always appreciate you!



DOCTORS STOECKER AND DUPONT PCC PRESIDENT DR. TELLEI



L-R: Dr. Holger Stoecker's Wife, Dr. Constanze Dupont, McMichael Mutok Jr., Dr. Holger Stoecker, PCC President Dr. Patrick Tellei, Dr. Holger Stoecker's Son

Archeologist Doctor Stoecker and German anthropologist Doctor Dupont are researchers who are here in Palau doing anthropological projects with Mr. McMichael Mutok, Palau National Registrar of the Bureau of Cultural & Historical Preservation which is under the Ministry of Human Resources, Culture, Tourism, and Development (MHRCTD). They had the chance to meet with PCC's President Dr. Patrick Tellei to share some of their knowledge. PCC has the privilege to thank them for their time and enthusiasm of doing research in Palau.



Ms. Mona Lu Iudnate of Palau Water presenting the donation to Harriette Herman of PCC Development Office

PCC would like to thank Palau Water for their kind donation of gift certificates to help with PCC on the 2023 PCC Thanksgiving Endowment Fundraising Event.

Thank you!



Last weekend, the FSM students celebrated their 37th Independence Day at Long Island. Best wishes this 37th year of Independence!

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE STAFF VISIT PCC



L-R: Mr. Anthony C. Barcinas, Business/Community Programs Specialist of USDA, Mr. Joseph M. Diego, Area Director of USDA, PCC President Dr. Patrick Tellei and Mr. Theo Ngcheed of USDA

On November 7, 2023, United States Department of Agriculture staff Mr. Anthony C. Barcinas, Business/Community Programs Specialist of USDA, Mr. Joseph M. Diego, Area Director of USDA, and Mr. Theo Ngcheed of USDA had the opportunity to meet with PCC's President Dr. Patrick Tellei. Their brief meeting was eventful and for that PCC and its President thanks and appreciates them for taking the time out of their busy day to visit.

PCC HOLDS A BRIEF FACULTY MEETING



PCC faculty with PCC President Dr. Patrick Tellei and Vice President Jay Olegeriil

PCC held a brief faculty meeting in remembrance of the late Dean of Academic Affairs, Ms. Deikola Olikong. A time like this is a reminder that we can lean on each other. Although it is hard, PCC tries to find ways to continue her work and accomplish them as efficient as she did.

BITS AND PIECES...

Tan Siu Lin PCC Library

Hours of Operation

Mon to Thu	7:30AM - 7:00 PM
Friday	7:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Sat	9:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Sun. & National Holidays	CLOSED

For more information, call:
488-3540.

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Academic Calendar

November 23 (Thu)
Holiday - Thanksgiving Day

November 24 (F)
Holiday - Family Day

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 hherman@palau.edu.

Articles from MOC/PCC Alumni are also welcome.

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



Mr. Teiich Mitsur, staff of the Speaker of House of Delegates, Honorable Sabino Anastacio, presenting the donation to Harriette Herman of PCC Development Office

PCC would like to thank Rur Gift Shop & Cafe for their monetary donation to support 2023 PCC Thanksgiving Endowment Fundraising Event. Thank you, Rur Gift Shop & Cafe, for your continuous support!



Ms. Satomi Miyazaki of Rur Gift Shop & Cafe presenting the donation to Harriette Herman of PCC Development Office

Show your support for the 2023 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.

**2023 PCC Thanksgiving
Endowment Fundraising Event will
take place on Wednesday,
November 22, 2023
from 12PM - 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

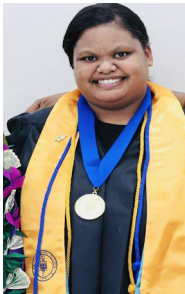
VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (1) Instructor, Construction Technology
Academic Affairs Division
salary range: \$16,010 - 28,280 per annum
- (2) Instructor, Small Engine & Outboard Marine Tech.
Academic Affairs Division
salary range: \$12,653.00 - 22,349 per annum
- (3) Extension Agent (EFNEP Program)
(PCC Cooperative Research & Extension)
salary range: \$11,010 - \$19,552 per annum
- (4) Instructor Assistant - General Mechanics
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$12,653 - \$22,349 per annum
- (5) English Instructor
Academic Affairs Division
salary range: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (6) Math Instructor
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (7) Instructor, Community & Public Health
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$16,010 to \$28,280.00 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>.

ALUMNI NOTES

ALAVINA USENGCHELEL ONGRUNG OFFICE ADMINISTRATION



Ms. Alavina Ongrung graduated with an Associate of Arts in Office Administration this Spring 2023. She recently moved to the United States to find more opportunities. Congratulations!



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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.

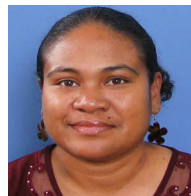
If you are that Alumna/Alumnus or know someone who is, please contact the PCC Development Office at telephone numbers 488-2470/2471 (extensions 251, 252, or 253).

We would like to feature you in future **Mesekiu's News** issues.

Celebrating Birthdays November 11-November 17, 2023



Leilanie Recheluul



Pauline Jerry



Margaret Wicker



Deidre Yamanguchi



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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- (8) Instructor, Information Technology Program
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$16,010 - \$28,280 per annum
- (9) Math Coordinator
Academic Affairs Division
salary ranges: \$19,000-\$23,000 per annum

PCC Endowment

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

Interested in Learning Transferable Media and Marketing skills? Volunteer with the PCC Development Office. Stop by at the Dort building to sign-up.



Mr. Bryson Siprit, PCC student, work study of Development Office, receiving the donation from Mr. Sherwin Dengokl, staff of Senator Lentcer Basilius

PCC would like to thank the Honorable Senator Lentcer Basilius for his monetary donation to support 2023 PCC Thanksgiving Endowment Fundraising Event. Thank you, Senator, for your continuous support!



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