

ALUMNI NOTES

Class of 1989

Glen Uchellas



Earned his Certificate of Achievement (CA) in Automotive Mechanics Technology. He is working at Palau High School as a Custodian for the past five years. Message: Study hard and do well. Education is the key to success.

Class of 2007

Ramsey Ngiraibai



Earned his Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in Construction Technology. He worked at SOCIO Micronesia after graduation, then transferred to Koror State Government where he is working in the Building & Zoning section as a Building Inspector for 5 years now.

Message: Choose a career that is your interest and learn the skills. Palau needs technical workers.

Class of 2011

Gaileen Gaillard



Earned her Associate of Applied Science (AAS) in Construction Technology. She completed her internship at SOCIO Micronesia/Surangel's Construction and was hired immediately as a Safety Officer I. Message: Bol blak a rengmiu me bom achieve er sel goal el kemiu a somiu.

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 alumnus/alumna or know someone who is, please contact the PCC Development Office at telephone number 488-2471. We would like to feature you in future issues of the Mesekiu's News.

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Celebrating Birthdays

- Gamberlyn Ngirmeril May 08
Kuye Belelai May 13
Lakolani Olengellel May 13

Happy Birthday To You!

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and Thursday, April 26, 2012. Attendance rates for staff were 68% while Instructors were 38%. The emphasis of the meetings were strategies to maximize student learning success by refining their employability skills such as good working habits. Also discussed were ways in which students can successfully seek, obtain and maintain a job, including preparation for job interviews and preparation of job descriptions.

In order for work study students to gain the most from their training, it is important that they are properly oriented so that they are familiar with their job expectation.

The FWS supervisors present on both meetings signed the FWS agreement and received their Position Announcement form for completion.

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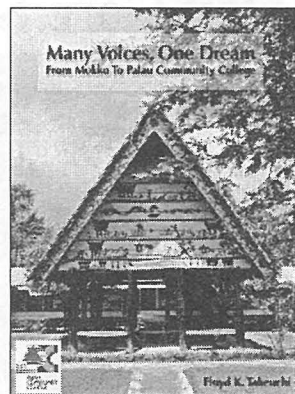
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(2) Math Instructor, Learning Resource Center Salary range: \$14,802 - \$24,647 per annum
(3) Counselor, Student Life Office Salary range: \$12,650 - \$19,479 per annum
(4) CHL Palau Outreach Educator Salary range: \$12,653 - \$21,000 per annum
(5) Researcher/Aquaculturist Salary: \$30,000 per annum
(6) Assistant Director of Admissions & Financial Aid Salary range: \$16,010 - \$24,647 per annum
(7) Accounting Technician (Payroll) Salary range: \$9,913.00 - \$16,954 per annum
(8) Librarian Salary range: \$16,010 - \$24,647 per annum
(9) Associate Professor, Business Accounting Salary range: \$18,009 - \$27,725 per annum
(10) Associate Professor, Library & Information Serv. Salary range: \$18,009 - \$27,725 per annum

For application forms and information, please contact Karen Mobil at PCC Human Resources Office at 488-2470/71, ext. 227, email hr@palau.edu or download form at www.palau.edu

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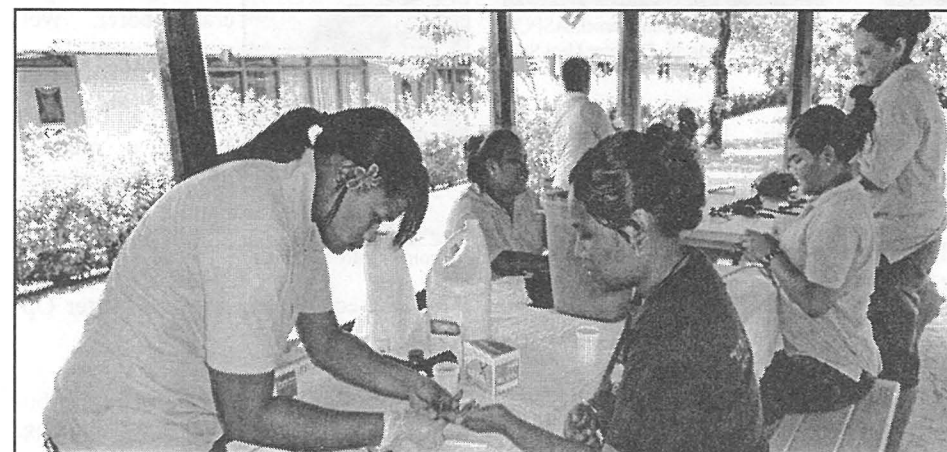


Friday, May 04, 2012

Weekly Newsletter

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NU Students Hold Health Fair



Ginee Ikeya checking the blood sugar level of Kendra Ise.

Nursing (NU) students with instructor Tarmau "Terry" Ngimang held a Health Fair at the Mesekiu Bai on Thursday April 26, 2012. Students who provided the health screening are in their 1st year (2nd semester). The procedures performed by the students are some of the many skills that nursing students must master (Student Learning Outcome or SLO's). The screening done included blood pressure check, weight/

height - body mass index assessment, and blood sugar level. Students who participated are John Croft, Danny Elidechedong, Rayme Ierago, Ginee Ikeya, Lainie Madraisau, Warang Ngir-mang, Ikart Paul and Lerie William.

The Health Fair is a one of the avenues by which students demonstrate their progress toward meeting SLO's.

FWS Supervisors Attend Workshop by FAO



L-R: Dilubeh Samil, Teongel Ngirkelau, Dilmai Saiske, Joleen Joseph & Hugler Imetengel.

Two separate meetings of Federal Work Study Supervisors for 2012-13 given by Work Study Coordinator Elenita "Benny" Brel were held on Thursday April 19, 2012

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Palau Community College is an accessible public educational institution helping to meet the technical, academic, cultural, social, and economic needs of the students and communities by promoting learning opportunities and developing personal excellence.

Ungil Sils El Mora Mechuodel



Patrick U. Tellei, EdD PCC President

Bilung Gloria G. Sali Chairperson, PCC Board of Trustee

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Kom kmal mesaul e a Dios bo lo mekngeltengat er kemiu er tial tokubets el sils er kemiu.

Happy Senior Citizen's Day!

## Preparation for Spring Commencement Exercises



L-R: PR Manager Adora Nobuo, Assistant to the President Todd Ngiramengior, Dean Sherman Daniel, ASPCC President Fenny Seklii, Dean Tutii Chilton, Secretary Bibbie Kumangai, Registrar Lesley Adachi, Director Uroi Salii and Director Clement Kazuma.

The Graduation Committee has been busy meeting and planning for the Spring 2012 49th Commencement Exercises. The committee is tasked with ensuring a successful ceremony by planning for and preparing program invitations, script, venue for the ceremony and preparation of all graduation students.

Together, about 130 students from Adult High School, PCC, SDSU and MOH are expected to graduate.

The 49th Commencement Exercises for PCC will be held at the Cafeteria on May 25, 2012 at 10:00am.

## ETS Holds Workshop at PHS



PHS students and counselors attending the workshop.

On Friday April 20, 2012, Educational Talent Search (ETS) staff conducted a workshop for its Palau High School (PHS) participants at the PHS Multi-Purpose Center. Mr. Clinton Ngemaes of the National Development Bank of Palau (NDBP) discussed budgeting, and why college-bound students need to learn the importance of budgeting. Dean Willy Wally from PCC - CE followed with a presentation on Time Management. Both subjects are important to students who are planning

on attending college, whether at PCC or off-island. The presenters shared their personal experiences in college and how proper budgeting and time management helped them complete their education. These workshops are held as part of the on-going effort of ETS to help students succeed in college.

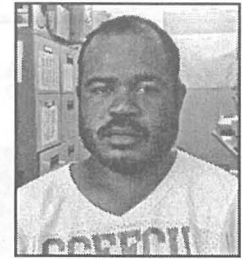
For information regarding the ETS Program contact 488-3926.

## New Endowment Donors



Jessica Blailes

Two new members to the Endowment Fund come from Bureau of Public Works. Jessica Blailes is the Administrative Assistant while Lamoine "Vito" Abraham is working as a General Laborer. Welcome aboard!



Lamoine "Vito" Abraham

Thank you to Elmer Rdiall, a member of the Endowment Fund for increasing his bi-weekly contribution. He works at the Melekeok Waterplant as a Water Operator.

To join the Endowment Fund as a contributor, contact the Development Office at 488-2470/2471 ext. 251, 252 or 253.

## Important Dates to Remember

May 11, 2012	Last Day of Instruction
May 14-16, 2012	Final Exams
May 18, 2012	Last Day to Return Spring 2012 Rental Books to the Bookstore

## Japanese Government Scholarships

One for Undergraduate students  
One for Specialized Training College

Deadline: May 31, 2012

Stop by Development Office for information or to pick up an application form.

## BITS AND PIECES...

### INTERNSHIP

#### ATTENTION ALL 2nd Year Students

Application forms for Internship Program are ready for pickup anytime during working hours from Monday to Friday.

Deadline: May 16, 2012  
(Wednesday)

### Summer Kids Program

June 04 - 29, 2012

Last day to Register: June 1, 2012

PCC-CE Summer Kids Program offers the following classes:

- Math (3rd - 8th Grade)
- English Reading (3rd - 8th Grade)
- English Writing (3rd - 8th Grade)
- Palauan Orthography (3rd - 8th Grade)
- Marine Science (6th - 8th Grade)
- Keyboarding (6th - 8th Grade ~ 20 students)

For more information, contact CE Office at 488-6223 or 488-2470/2471.

### SCHOLARSHIP

Huayu (Mandarin)  
Enrichment Scholarship

Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA)  
Republic of China (ROC)

Learn Mandarin (Chinese Language)  
Application Deadline: May 18, 2012

APPLICATION available @Development Office

### Apology

*Mesekiu's News* would like to apologize to Rogelio Santos for inadvertently misnaming him in the caption of his photo relocating the A/C's in *Mesekiu's News* Vol.14, Is.17 edition.

### News/Stories Wanted

MESEKIU'S NEWS welcomes stories/ articles/ announcements from students, faculty, and staff. Submission deadline is Monday at 4:30 p.m. in hard and electronic copies to [adoraa@palau.edu](mailto:adoraa@palau.edu), [dilubchs@palau.edu](mailto:dilubchs@palau.edu) and [alvinam@palau.edu](mailto:alvinam@palau.edu).

Please call ext. 250/252/253 if you intend to submit your article after Monday or for more information.

## EFNEP Graduation Held for Special Education Students

Contributed by Dalton Thomas



Back(L-R): Omar Mereb, Cynthia Valencia, Dorothy Skang, Seichi Metochel, VP Thomas Taro, Francesca Morei Mische, Helen Sengenbau, Dr. Patrick Tellei, Rochelle Rivera, Dr. Lydia Marero and Dalton Thomas. Middle(L-R): Dana Antipas, McClare Skang, Alissa Valencia, Weena Mereb, Katsumi Ngirchokebai and Dirraingas Edeyaach. Front(L-R): Sayuri Seichi, Begonia Tewid and Telloi Mische.

The Expanded Food Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) of PCC/CRE conducted a class at the Special Education Program to Special Ed students and teachers from Palau High School. The class includes lessons on healthy living such as My Pyramid, the importance of fruits & vegetables, menu planning, reading labels and proper exercises. Excitement was visible among

students as they participated in exercises and activities with the CRE staff and their teachers.

The program started March 23, 2012 and ended on April 27, 2012. During the graduation ceremony on April 27th, students demonstrated their newly acquired skills.

## Day Care Students' Field Trip



Day Care students with parents, teachers and Director at the National Capitol.

Day Care students had an exciting month of March. As part of their monthly activities, they got to have a field trip. The purpose of the field trip is to give the children the opportunity to get out of the classroom and introduce them to the different environments as part of their learning and growth. Their experience outside of the classroom is a big learning experience as demonstrated when they went on a long journey to PCC Hatchery at Ngaremlengui, Ollei Port, Badrulchau Historical Site, the National Capitol at Ngerulmud and Bailechesau for lunch. The students were excited to see what was

at each location: the fishes at the Hatchery, the stone monoliths at Badrulchau and of course the offices in the Capitol Building.

Director Blelai, the teachers and chaperone parents of the Day Care Center would like to express deepest gratitude to Governor Ongos, Governor Salvador and Governor Tellei for their support in having the children visit the states, to the OEK & President's Office for giving the children the opportunity to enjoy the Capitol grounds and PCC-CRE Hatchery for the tour and demonstrations.