

ALUMNI NOTES

Class of 1986 (MOC)

Sherman Daniel



Earned his Associate of Science (AS) degree in General Electronics Technology. He then completed his BA degree in 2005 and MA degree in 2008 from San Diego State University through the online program at PCC. He began working at MOC in 1987 as a GE Instructor.

He became the Associate Dean from 1994-2011 and now he is the Dean of Student. Message: Education is the MASTER key!

Class of 2006

Bruce Wenty

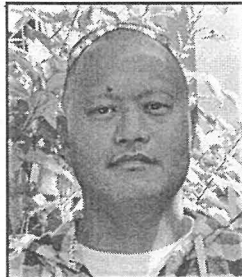


Earned his Associate of Science (AS) degree in General Electronics Technology. He worked at Nekken for Bureau of Agriculture as a Research & Extension Assistant. In 2010, he began working for Special Education in the Media Department as the Media Material Assistant. Message: In everything you do, put God first and you shall succeed.

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Class of 2012

Dannies Uehara



Earned his Associate of Science (AS) degree in Information Technology. He has been working for PCC - CRE as a Research Assistant/Extension Agent since 1998. He is working at the Multi-Species Hatchery at Ngermetengel, Ngeremlengui. Message: Education is the key to success.

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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*.

Mesekiu's News

Palau Community College
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Celebrating Birthdays

Margeline Buban	Jun 25
Sebastian Ngiratrang	Jun 25
Grace Yalap	Jun 26
Tarmau Ngirmang	Jun 27
Evangelina Andrew	Jun 28

Happy Birthday To You!

Team Mesekiu Captures 3rd Place

On Saturday, June 16th PCC's softball team brought home the 3rd place trophy in the 15-team Softball Departmental League organized and sponsored by Belau Force. Team Mesekiu earned a playoff spot by finishing fourth (11 wins/3 losses) following the 14-game round robin regular season. In the single elimination playoff, PCC disposed of its first two opponents, Ministry of State and Palau Pacific Resort to reach semi final against Olbiil Era Kelulau with

the winner advancing to the championship. However, the atypically united OEK out performed Team Mesekiu for a final score of 11-8. OEK lost to the eventual champions, Koror state.

Congratulations and thank you to all the staff who devoted many hours, including evening and weekends, to play for the college. Thank you also to the fans and the supporters.

Fitness Activities You Can Join

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When: Mon - Fri at 4:55pm - 6:00pm

Moderator: Joe Chilton

Contact: 488-2470 ext. 245

Judo

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Moderator: Ishmael Aguon

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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) Librarian
Salary range: \$16,010 - \$24,647 per annum

Vacancy Announcement

- (8) Associate Professor, Business Accounting
Salary range: \$18,009 - \$27,725 per annum
- (9) Associate Professor, Library & Information Serv.
Salary range: \$18,009 - \$27,725 per annum
- (10) Accounting Technician (Payable)
Salary range: \$9,913 to \$16,954 per annum
- (11) Accounting Technician (Receivable)
Salary range: \$9,913 to \$16,954 per annum
- (12) Instructor, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration
Salary range: \$16,010 to \$21,191 per annum

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MESEKIU'S NEWS



Friday, June 22, 2012

Weekly Newsletter

Volume 14, Issue 25

Library Holds Summer Activities For Kids



Children listening to Rayven Kloulubak in Read-A-Loud.

This week on Tuesday June 19th and Thursday June 21st Palau Community Library hosted kids in the CE summer school program for library activities. On Tuesday, Tanya Ngirkuteling from PCC Library, LS student and PCC Library In-

tern, Pasquana Tirso and Emily Kohama from Xavior High School who is doing her practicum at the library held a Read-A-Loud and movie program for younger kids. In the afternoon, there was a pro-

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UBMS Summer Program Commences

Contributed by UBMS Staff



UBMS Director Tehuzie Tadao welcoming the participants.

Upward Bound Math & Science (UBMS) June 04 2012. The program will run for six (6) program summer component commenced on

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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.

Dr. Tellei Receives Endowment Summary Report

On June 12, 2012, Dr. Tellei met with Senior Institutional Consultant Daniel Roland of Asia Pacific Group. Mr. Roland presented PCC's Endowment Portfolio Review as of June 08, 2012 to Dr. Tellei, which reflects its Current Value of \$2,249,144 representing a 3.6% or \$52,317.00 return for the period.

The PCC Endowment Fund continues to grow thanks to those who have committed to donate and contribute. To contribute and help meet the \$1M Challenge by Dec. 28, 2012 issued by Dr. Tellei, contact PCC Development Office at 488-2470/2471 ext. 251, 252 or 253.



L-R: Dr. Patrick Tellei and Daniel Roland.

Symposium On Palau's Japanese Era



Government officials and community members participating in the symposium.

On June 18, 2012, the PCC Assembly Hall was packed with 93 students, faculty, staff, community members and some government officials including Vice President Kerai Mariur, Ambassador Yoshiyuki Sadaoka of the Japan Embassy, Senator Kathy Kesolei and Minister Faustina Rehuher-Marugg. Also present were Bilung Gloria G. Salii and the Ngara Klidm. The symposium focused

on how Japan influenced many countries, especially Palau. Research findings indicate strong influence through language, music and art.

The Symposium presenters from Japan included Professors, Associate Professors and graduate students. The PCC Music Club and Ngara Klidm provided special performances.

Tellei Meets National Science Foundation And PREL Officials

On May 14, 2012 Dr. Tellei and Dean Tutii Chilton met with Mr. John Cruickshank, Senior Program Analyst for the National Science Foundation to discuss possible funding opportunities from the National Science Foundation through grants.

Also in attendance were PREL CEO Dr. Sharon Nelson-Barber and Senior Program Specialist Destin Penland who reviewed PREL's new strategic plans and how PREL's collaboration with PCC can help both PCC & PREL achieve their mission and goals.



L-R: Destin Penland, Dr. Sharon Nelson-Barber, Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, John Cruickshank, Dean Tutii Chilton and James Cruickshank.

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gram to teach older students in the CE summer school program how to do research to enhance their knowledge and learn how to write reports. The student with the best report will be featured in the *Mesekiu's News* and his or her work will be displayed in the Kid's Corner.

On Thursday, the younger students enjoyed acting as different jungle animals during a reading of *Rumble in the Jungle*, read by Raven Kloulubak. The older students enjoyed a movie program in the afternoon.

Thanks to the high school students that are working at the library for their support to this kids program.

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weeks concluding on July 13, 2012. Before the summer program began, UBMS Staff met with the summer instructors and tutors and held a brief orientation. The program was fortunate to have PCC's Accreditation Liaison Officer, Ms. Deikola Olikong, who shared her experiences as an educator and stressed to the instructors and tutors the importance of meeting each participants need, keeping in mind that each student has different academic needs and have different background. She also shared with the staff the "how to" of dealing with each student individually.

The summer program kicked off with orientation on the first day, which included introduction of instructors, tutors and students. Two students from the Guam TRIO program joined the summer program. They are Ms. Zyra Sanchez (Upward Bound) & Allyssa Amuam (Educational Talent Search).

More information of PCC online



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PCC Tan Siu Lin Library

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Saturday: 9am - 6pm
Sunday: CLOSED

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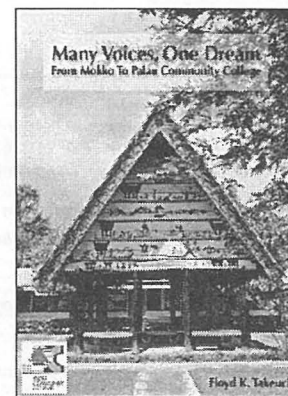
Apology

Mesekiu's News apologizes to Mekreos Silil for inadvertently mistaking his title in the article "Summer 2012 Orientation and Registration" in *Mesekiu's News Volume 14, Issue 23*. The correct title for Mekreos Silil is Admissions Counselor.

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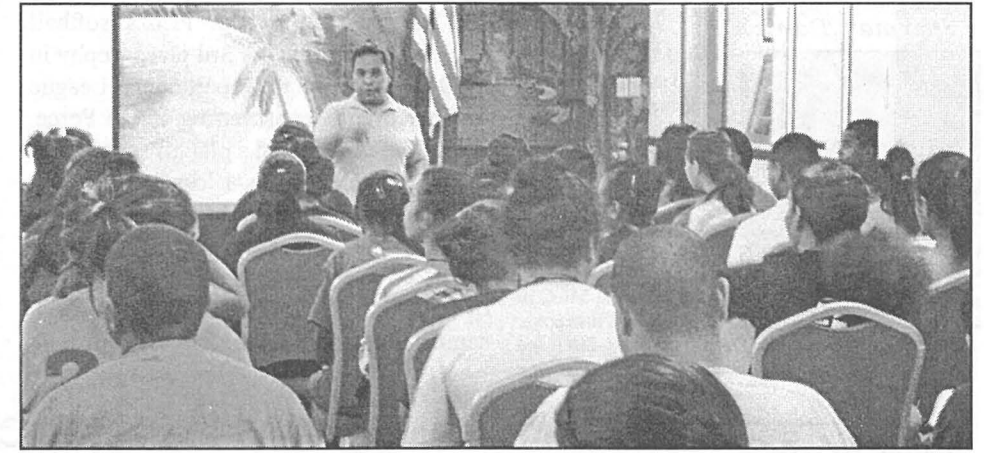
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Please call ext. 250/252/253 if you intend to submit your article after Monday or for more information.

Upward Bound Orientation Held



Assistant Project Director Hellen Imanuel presenting to the UB students.

Upward Bound held its orientation for the 110 participants on June 05, 2012. During the orientation, the summer program was discussed and students went over their class schedules and work-study assignments. Participants in the program are high school students from grades

9 through 12. Participants in grades 9 through 11 enroll in English, Algebra and Japanese including tutoring. In the Summer Bridge Program, 19 (12th grade) students who graduated in May are now taking PCC classes this summer.

UBMS Cultural Field Trip

Contributed by UBMS Staff

On Friday, June 08, 2012, Upward Bound Math & Science (UBMS) participants had their first cultural & science field trip activity. The participants visited the Ulong Island with Ms. Lakolani Olinggell as their tour guide. She gave a brief history of Ulong Island particularly the plight of those who fled after their defeat in a war with Terebku of Peleliu. Ms. Olinggell also told the account of the shipwreck of Captain Wilson and his eventual relationship with Chief Ibedul of Koror and the introduction of foreign object such as iron and steels. After the history lesson, the program participants along with the staff tour

the island and witnessed the remains of the settlement such as the stone platform as well as visited monument attributed to Captain Wilson. After Ulong Island, the participants visited the Jelly Fish Lake. Before their trek to the lake, the students were briefed by one of the Koror State Rangers on the do's/dont's in order to preserve the lake.

Later, the students and staff went to Ngchelo-bl Island and had lunch and a brief relaxation before heading to the Cemetery and then back to Koror.



UBMS participants and tutors at Ulong Island.