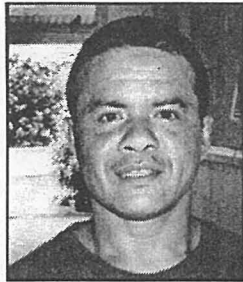


ALUMNI NOTES

Class of 2012

Daley Ueki



Earned his Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in Small Engine and Outboard Marine Technology. He worked at Koror State as a Small Engine Mechanic in 2010 until Fall 2012, where he was hired as an Assistant Instructor for Small Engine at Palau Community College. *Message: Study hard and the future will be brighter for yourself.*

Class of 2012

Harline Haruo



Earned her Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in Office Administration. She has been working at Palau Community College for over 7 years as a Secretary in the Human Resource Office. She completed her degree and is now the Human Resource Office Manager. She is currently pursuing her Bachelor's degree through PCC's online program with San Diego State University. *Message: Don't give up on your studies. Continue your education and you will succeed.*

Class of 2012

Courtney Telngai Joshua



Earned her Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in Office Administration. She is currently working at the Meyuns Causeway Gas Station as a Cashier. *Message: Follow your dream and enjoy life to the fullest!*

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

Miano Sowraenpi	Oct 08
Jose Meltel	Oct 13
Mason Ngiramolau	Oct 14



Happy Birthday To You!

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The workshop was to inform the parents of the services and opportunities provided by the ETS program to help them and their children prepare the seniors to apply, enroll and complete college. Information given included getting parents involved by making their homes college-oriented, providing tutors for their children, and helping seniors with applications for college admissions and financial

aids. Parents were introduced to the College Access Challenge Grant (CACG) by Noe Yalap, the CACG Program Specialist, assisted by Administrative Assistants Emngel Meteolchol and John Techitong. ETS Director Laura S. Mangham closed the program with a brief remark.

For information on the ETS program, contact 488-3926.

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Vacancy Announcement

- (4) Associate Professor, Business Accounting
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For application forms and information, please contact Harline Haruo 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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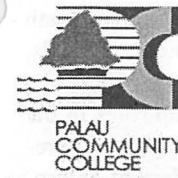
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Swearing-In & Induction Ceremony Held for Student Trustee and ASPCC



Student Trustee and ASPCC Officers & Senate members with Chairperson Bilung Gloria G. Sali, Dr. Patrick U. Tellei, Vice President Thomas Taro and Dean Sherman Daniel.

Palau Community College held its swearing-in and induction ceremony for the Student Trustee, ASPCC Officers and Senators on September 28, 2012. Families of the in-

ductees were present as well as students, faculty and staff. A brief welcoming remark to all was given by President Dr. Pat- ASPCC cont'd on p.2

CE Weaving Class Commences

Contributed by Willy Wally



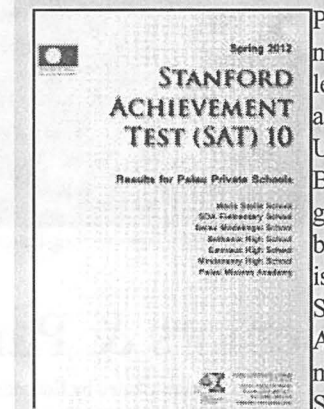
Community members learning the art of weaving from instructor Evelyne Tachibemel.

Continuing Education (CE) offered a weaving class on Saturday, September 22, 2012 which attracted many people from the com-

munity who wanted to learn the skills on how to weave baskets and other weaving. Weaving cont'd on p.3

Spring 2012 SAT 10 Report

Contributed by Ligaya Sara



Palau Community College (PCC) and the PCC Upward Bound Program has been administering the Stanford Achievement Test Series Tenth

Edition (SAT 10) to public and private schools in the Republic since 2004. The test was administered last April 2012 to two private elementary schools and five high schools in the Republic of Palau, namely Maris Stella School, Seventh Day Adventist Elementary School, Belau Modekngai School, Emmaus High School, Mindszenty High School and Palau Mission Academy.

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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.

YSO Welcomes New Yap Students & Advisors

Submitted by Arlene Fel

Yap State Organization (YSO) held a welcoming event for the Yapese new students, returning students, continuing students and to introduce their advisors Counselor Maurine Alexander and Dean of Academic Affairs Tutii Chilton. The barbeque was held at the dormitory smoking hut on September

15, 2012. All Yapese students were in attendance as well as the advisors. YSO exists to support and help its members adjust to college life away from home. Officers encourage all YSO members to seek out assistance from officers, YSO advisors and the counselors at Student Life Office.



YSO members enjoying ice-cream while posing for a picture.

ETS Seniors & Parents Meeting Held

Contributed by Educational Talent Search Office

Educational Talent Search (ETS) Program conducted a Seniors & Parents Meeting last Wednesday, September 26, 2012. Dean Willy Wally opened the program with a short welcoming remark to the parents and students stressing the importance of obtaining a college education. Academic Advisor/Counselor Ms. Dilmai Saiske followed the Dean with a presentation on the updates

of the program including the changes that were brought about by the new grant and the five objectives of the program.

Academic Advisors/Counselors Ms. Jolene Joseph and Mr. Angelio Anthony then presented the parental workshop "Helping Parents Help Their Children".

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Seniors, parents and ETS staff in a photo op.

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rick Tellei. In his remarks, Dr. Tellei discussed the significance of the Oath Of Office for government officials, such as the Student Trustee. He spoke of the students' leadership roles in the student government which will prepare them as future leaders of Micronesia. In doing so, it is important for them to be mindful of the small things that affect the students as illustrated in his story about the 7 Wonders of the World. Dean Daniel introduced the Student Trustee and the ASPCC Officers before the Oath of Office was given by President Tellei to the ASPCC Officers and BOT Chairperson Bilung Gloria G. Salii to the Student Trustee. ASPCC President Yosko Aichi gave her brief remarks about ASPCC assisting students followed with closing remarks by Chairperson Salii.

ASPCC office is located on the third floor of the Library and students who wish to access the officers or senators are encouraged to stop by the office or call 488-2461.

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The SAT 10 is a norm-referenced achievement test designed to measure students' academic achievement. The report for the Spring 2012 SAT 10 Results have been compiled and shows stanines and percentile ranks that indicate students standing with respect to a reference or norm group. The report also provides data to study changes in performance over time. The Spring 2012 results is compared to the 2007 U.S. national norm group.

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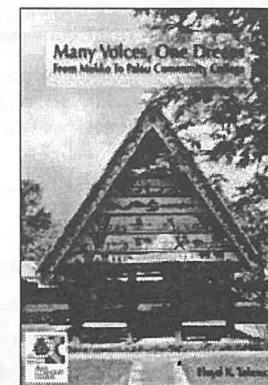
October 19 (F) Last day for all withdrawals
 October 24 (W) Holiday: UN Day
 October 25-26 (Th-F) Pre-Registration -SP 2013

Apologies

Mesekiu's News apologies to TessMarie Kodep, Financial Aid Counselor for inadvertently misspelling her name in the caption of photo used in article "FAO Holds Information Sessions" featured in September 28, 2012 - Vol.14 Is.39 Mesekiu's News.

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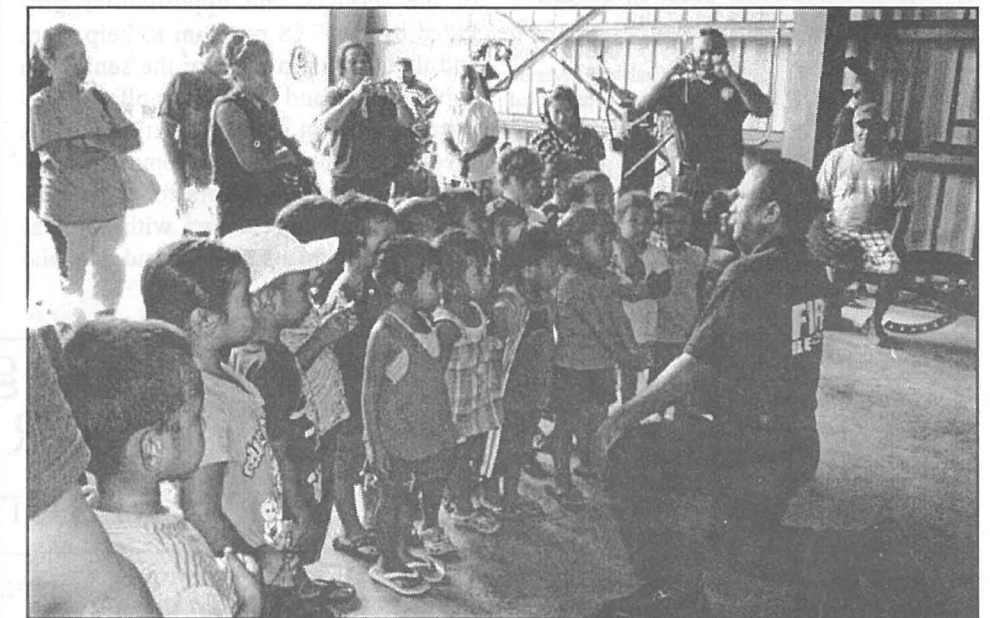
News/Stories Wanted

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, dilubchs@palau.edu and alvinam@palau.edu.

Please call est. 251/252/253 if you intend to submit your article after Monday or for more information.

Day Care Kids Visit The Fire Station

Contributed by Robert Ramarui



Day Care students paying attention to the Fire Station Officer at the Melekeok Substation while parents look on.

The children from Belau Day Care Center along with their teachers and parents went to visit the Division of Fire & Rescue Substation at Melekeok State on Friday, September 28, 2012. The objective of the field trip was to provide an opportunity for the kids to relate what they have learned from Day Care to the field trip site. The trip provided such avenue as the lesson for the month of September is the use of five senses (smell, hear, see, touch, and smell). The children, including parents and teachers learned much about the fire station during the field trip. Most importantly, they learned about the danger of fire and what to do if there is a fire. There was also a presentation about the fire station building and its departments, how to

use the equipment, and information about the fireman's uniform. After the presentation, a demonstration on how the fire truck is used during a fire emergency captured the interests of the children. At the end of the tour, everyone went to Bailechesau for lunch before returning back to the day care classrooms. The children had a great time playing at the playground while parents and staff enjoy the scenes and the cool breeze. What a wonderful experience and opportunity for the children. Belau Day Care Center would like to thank Bureau of Public Safety Director Norbert Yano, the Fire Station Officers and Governor Aloisius Tellei for this learning opportunity and an exciting field trip for the kids.

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products. Surprisingly, the instructor, Evelyn Tachibemel is a PCC student who has the talent and skills to do this. She came forward to offer her services in sharing her skills with others who are interested in learning the art of weaving. Participants of the class were satisfied and another weaving class is waiting to start again. Other weaving classes include mat weaving and lei weaving.

The Continuing Education Office welcomes anyone who is creative and possesses skills that may be of interest to others to visit us or call us so we can work together to offer classes to the community.

For information on weaving classes contact CE Office at 488-6223 or 488-2470 ext. 237.