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### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Karen Simion, Vice President of Instructional Affairs

SUBJECT: Monthly Report, October 2017

This report outlines activities for campus libraries at the College of Micronesia-FSM during the month of October 2017.

### **ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS:**

- *Kosrae*: Denise Oen visited the library during her site visit. Twenty-one (21) Kosrae High School students used the library for research on food and nutrition.
- National: Beginning October 16th, Juvel and Albery began a project on assessing the records of the library's first floor collections and making corrections where needed and identifying them for removal or repair.
- *Pohnpei*: The library was closed to the public on October 11<sup>th</sup> from 9:30am-11:30am to orient 30 students from the ACE program.
- Yap: Conducted inventory of the library collection and updated collections in Follett database.

### **TOPICS RESEARCHED:**

### NATIONAL (12)

- 1. AIDS
- 2. Albert Sturges and Susan, when reaching Micronesia
- 3. Biofuels
- 4. Education in Micronesia
- 5. Energy
- 6. Food policy

#### POHNPEI (1)

1. Social media

#### YAP (24)

- 1. Addison's disease
- 2. Adrenal glands: malfunction, Dwarfism, and gigantism
- 3. Fuel/oil spill in Yap
- 4. Genetics

- 7. Foreign ships in Micronesia
- 8. FSM Economy based on GNP
- 9. Resilience
- 10. Sexually transmitted disease
- 11. Tourism
- 12. UMD School Response to USA Today article
- 5. How to add fractions with different signs
- 6. Importance of electronic engineering technology
- 7. Japanese words in English
- 8. Judiciary of Yap and Palau

- 9. Lamotrek
- 10. Meanings of some biology terms
- 11. Medical terms: prefixes (mono-)
- 12. Mental health and mental illness
- 13. Micronesian culture
- 14. Morocco
- 15. Neurons and their functions
- 16. Political structure of Yap and Palau

- 17. Stenting plants
- 18. Suicide in Micronesia
- 19. The heart
- 20. The nervous system
- 21. The stone money of Yap
- 22. Traditional tattoos
- 23. What is fear?
- 24. Yapese people and culture

### **STATISTICS:**

### Programs/Services

- 9 ,						
	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC	TOTAL
Patrons usage	3963	1047	21656	1788	1433	29887
Reserve materials	0	0	35	0	6	41
Materials circulated	70	137	226	53	523	1009
Visitor usage	0	0	0	10	43	53

Computer Usage

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC	TOTAL
Total Usage	1000	357	3972	437	632	6398
Computer Assists	5	0	76	135	17	233

#### Reference Encounters

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC	TOTAL
Total Transactions	4	21	59	1	26	111

Collection Development

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	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC	TOTAL
Total volumes	10532	2431	70432	4524	10676	98595
New Acquisitions	0	67	168	3	0	238
Cataloged	61	0	304	1	0	366
Donations	0	0	1	0	0	1
Serials	0	0	68	3	0	71
Withdrawn	0	0	10	0	38	48
Gov Docs			100			

### LIBRARY INSTRUCTION:

Campus	Sessions	Students	Topic	Courses	Instructor
Pohnpei	1	1	Library orientation		
YC LRC	1	14	Library orientation	UB	Stephania G.
TOTAL	2	15			

## **MITC SERVICES:**

Audiovisual cataloged	2
COM meetings/workshops in MITC Rooms	18
COM Video Coverage	5
Card Laminated	1

Digital Photos	100
Equipment check-out	11
ID Photos Taken	17
ID Cards re-issue due lost or damage	17
Manual video checkout	15
PDL Page scanned	33
Posters laminated	6
Number of classes held in MITC	12
Setup Audio systems for activities/class	20
Scan documents for student/staff	5
Total fees collected for ID cards	\$85.00
Video recordings edited	3
Video burned into DVD format	4
Video conversion	51
Video Showing for classes in MITC Rooms	43
Viewing in booths	15
Work-study hour	88:45

# PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY SERVICE:

- Select library staff in Pohnpei attended LAMP meeting on October 4<sup>th</sup> and October 25<sup>th</sup> in preparation for the PIALA conference in November.
- *National:* Bruce attended a meeting for the FCE committee on October 13th.
- *Pohnpei:* Rihter attended meetings for the COM-FSM Alumni Association on October 19<sup>th</sup> and a campus wide meeting on October 27<sup>th</sup>. She also attended the secretary/treasurer workshop that was conducted by Chelsea Rion from Student Life office on October 13<sup>th</sup>.

# **CONCERNS/COMMENTS:**

None at this time.

Respectfully submitted by,

Director, Learning Resources Center

cc : All campus librarians