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MEMORANDUM

TO : Vice President, Instructional Affairs

FROM : Director, Learning Resources Center

SUBJECT : Monthly Report, July 2013

VISITORS: (23)

Kosrae (4)

1. Corrin K. Barros from PREL and Ruthey M. Luckymis from KIRMA visited the LRC and donated a flash drive loaded with resources on climate change in the Pacific Islands. VPAS Joe Habuchmai and PNI campus Director visited the LRC during this reporting period.

Pohnpei (20)

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| 1. Denessa Jacob | 11. Meraiel Andon |
| 2. Tosiwo Liwy | 12. Annalisa Rafael |
| 3. Lesly Robert | 13. Benneth William |
| 4. Seichy-ann Une | 14. Ellymore Manuel |
| 5. Amberlynn Aron | 15. Aurelio Saimon |
| 6. Amabella Keko Soram | 16. Mary Berman |
| 7. Danny Calvo-. Santos | 17. Christine Tmalavage |
| 8. Rita Marguez | 18. Maria Dison |
| 9. Adelma John | 19. Lorenda Rosario |
| 10. Tenson Gamure | 20. Juvelina Rempis |

National (3)

Betty C. William; Shirlyn Abraham; Luciano Saimon (FSM Archives)

PERSONNEL:

Jayleen Kokis and Jennifer Hainrick traveled to Saipan to participate in the 23rd annual PIALA conference and the PEC conference as well as participate in the graduation ceremony for her master program in library science from the University of North Texas on July 19.

ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS:

Kosrae

- Collected \$12.85 for printing services.
- The LRC was open on Saturday July 6 & 13 from 8:00am - 12:00pm.
- Inventory and database maintenance is in progress as of this reporting.

National

- 288 government documents were processed for the Government Documents collection.
- Pohnpei Campus Vocational division assisted MITC with fixing MITC's speaker lines by suturing lines together.
- Juvel Rempis served as Acting Director the week of July 15-22.
- Ms. Rempis also conducted a library training for peer advisors on July 22.
- Inventor of all library collections was conducted the weeks of July 22-Aug 2.
- Changes were made to the arrangement of the student computers, CRC collection and the serials collection the weeks of July 22-Aug 2 to improve the study environment of the library.

Pohnpei

- The library was closed for the UB to use from 1pm to 2pm on July 11 and 12.
- Librarians assisted Phyllis Silbanuz interviewing her students for their final exam on July 15 and 16.
- Duplicate and outdated titles were weeded from the library collection.

Yap

Receiving reports for USP Book Centre and Insight Media were prepared and submitted.

MEETINGS/WORKSHOPS:

- Bruce attended a meeting of the whole community college on July 4
- Karleen attended two meetings planning orientation schedule for Fall 2013.
- Librarians at Pohnpei campus attended a campus wide meeting on July 10.

TOPICS RESEARCHED: 57

National (20)

1. Canoe and handicraft making
2. Child neglect in Micronesia
3. Climate change in the Pacific region
4. Culture
5. Culture of Pohnpei
6. Education system in Chuuk
7. Education system in Pohnpei
8. Fiction
9. FSM Language policy
10. Japanese land track and allotting
11. Land tenure in Pohnpei and Micronesia
12. Legends
13. Myths
14. Names of those persons holding the titles currently
15. Suicide in Micronesia
16. Suicide in Pohnpei
17. Tradition titles in Pohnpei and its uses
18. What are some forms of suicide in Micronesia?
19. What are the leading factors of suicide in the Pacific area?
20. World History

Pohnpei (14)

1. Barrier Reef
2. Business
3. Diabetes
4. Engineering

5. Farming in Micronesia
6. History of Africa
7. History of the War
8. History of US flag
9. Memories of the War

10. Nan Madol
11. Olympic Games
12. Pohnpei Culture
13. Pyramid
14. War in the Pacific

Yap (23)

1. Alcohol and Drugs/Marijuana
2. Autism
3. Blindness
4. Class activities for multigrade classrooms
5. Computers
6. Developmental Delays
7. Early Childhood education (Multiple Intelligences)
8. Effective communication
9. Folklore
10. Greenhouse Effect
11. History of Electricity
12. How are islands formed?

13. Language impairment
14. Laws of Protection, Conservation and Preservation of Natural Resources (Yap)
15. Magnets and magnetism
16. Maps of selected countries: India, Africa, Egypt (Geography)
17. Multigrade teaching
18. Periodic Table of Elements
19. Renewable energy sources
20. Stories for Children
21. Traditions of Geography
22. Types of government
23. World population /Yap population

STATISTICS:

Programs/Services

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Patrons usage	1652	1455	11327	1713	1711
Reserve materials	0	0	68	0	48
Materials circulated	118	67	538	234	688
Visitor usage	0	0	57	12	237

Computer Usage

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
General application	187	160	1149	641	406
Reference	374	249	1964	0	295
Email	0	103	1040	0	362
Computer Assists	23	3	41	39	22

Reference Encounters

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Reference encounters	26	12	46	10	15

Collection Development

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Total volumes	10274	1483	66061	6483	9734
New Acquisitions	0	43	0	44	23
Cataloged	0	43	183	50	6
Donations	0	0	0	36	35

Serials	0	47	130	44	0
Withdrawn	4	0	593	214	0
Expenditures	0	0	\$0	0	0

Inter-Library Loan

	NC
ILL sent	10
ILL received	11

MITC

Audio production	
Audiovisual material duplication (COM activities)	4
Audiovisual materials labeled	1
COM meetings/workshops in MITC Rooms	7
COM Video Coverage	7
Digital Photos	20
Graphic Productions	05
ID Cards issue for new comers	10
ID Cards re-issue due lost or damage	04
ID Cards Validated	10
ID or Cards Laminated	05
Manual video check out (boots & MITC classrooms)	2
MITC documents filed	5
Number of classes held in MITC	37
Patron Audiovisual equipment training/support	5
Photos uploaded in Follett	20
Print Productions	10
Scan documents for COM/PIALA	19
Setup Audio systems for activities/class	2
SSB radio users	3
Total fees collected for ID cards	\$20.00
Video conversion	1
Video burned into DVD format	77
Video Production	1
Video Showing for classes in MITC Rooms	16
Viewing in Booths	10

Library Instruction

Bruce assisted instructor Akapi from the Social Science department in showing him how to access and use the WebOPAC on July 4.

Work Study

	NC
No. of wsty students	5
Total hrs. earned	63:37

PROFESSIONAL and/or COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

- Three Xavier High School students assist LRC staff at Chuuk campus this summer to fulfill part of the requirement for the upcoming seniors to do a Community Service Project at any nonprofit organization.
- Karleen attended the PIALA Executive Board meeting held in Saipan on July 16, 2013 and prepared minutes and sent out to PIALA President.
- Karleen was tasked to videotape and take photos of the LEAP graduation on July 19, 2013 at the Multi Purpose Center in Susupe, Saipan. Various photos of the graduation were selected and sent to the University of North Texas webmaster for publication. Photos of the LEAP graduation were burned unto DVDs and copies were made distributed to the graduates. This project was funded by the IMLS grant via PREL and UNT.

CONCERNS, PROBLEMS, COMMENTS, SUGGESTIONS:

None to report at this time.