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MEMORANDUM

TO: Karen Simion, Interim Vice President of Instructional Affairs

SUBJECT: Monthly Report, March 2015

This report outlines activities for campus libraries at the College of Micronesia-FSM during the month of March 2015.

VISITORS: (41)

National (30)

Lukop Elementary School students (EJ Usiel, Moniavin Andon, Stanley Luzama, Melly-Ann Olter, Iverson Solomon, Ioanis Kanichy, Naythen Usiel, Harvella Dannis, Boleen Makaya, Judy Xymoon, Belvalynn Johnny, Lois Max, Waynard Usiel, Marlinda Martin, Kenson Usor, Christian Villanueva, John Kiethon Soram, Lovart Sahle, Tricelle Manasa, Bryant Norman, Jayson Hadley, Shania Salons, Karen Usiel); Taboshi Tagaki, Japan; David J. Adams, USA; Tracie Knowter, New Zealand Red Cross Society; Memorina Sablan, FSM Postal Service; and Francis Hezel, New York.

Pohnpei (11)

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| 1. Adleen Shed | 7. Keicyleen Oswald |
| 2. Augustine Augustine | 8. Lester Ezekias |
| 3. Bertoldo Estephan | 9. Rencelly Nelson |
| 4. Cindy Pastor | 10. Universe Yamase |
| 5. Japanese instructor | 11. Winter George |
| 6. Joyce Roby | |

PERSONNEL:

None to report at this time.

ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS:

- The COM-FSM Founding Day events were recorded by MITC staff. Five video titles were donated to the Dean of Kosrae Campus, Kalwin Kephars for instructional use.
- Pohnpei campus LRC merged its Pacific collection and Media collection with National Campus LRC/MITC. Weeded items were donated to the Pohnpei Public Library, Sokehs Pah schools and the FSM Congress Library.

Yap

- Susan assisted FMI library with cataloging 54 volumes of books for their library.

TOPICS RESEARCHED:

NATIONAL (16)

1. Banana. Why is it being promoted as #1 food in Micronesia?
2. Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia as it is written in the local language (Pohnpei).
3. Construction of Nan Madol
4. Diabetes in Micronesia. How many cases since the 1997 consensus
5. Favorite dishes in Micronesia
6. Folklore and religion about Micronesia
7. Island life (easy or hard)
8. Liver cancer
9. Material culture of Kapingamarangi especially fishing net weaving and canoe making
10. Micronesian history
11. Micronesian mythology, culture, and origins of place and events
12. Pacific mythology as it relates to Micronesia
13. Recipes from around Micronesia and the Pacific region especially Pohnpei.
14. Story of Henry Nanpei
15. Traditional music of Micronesia and how it affects lives in Micronesia
16. Water pollution in Micronesia

POHNPEI (1)

1. Sweet possession

YAP (38)

1. Absolute value inequalities
2. Antibodies
3. Aristotle
4. Banana propagation
5. Canoe making
6. Causes of culture loss
7. Chuuk culture and history
8. Claude Monet ; Vincent Van Gogh
9. Copra Trade in Micronesia
10. Disproportionate representation in special education
11. Effects of drinking soda
12. Effects of educated/uneducated parents in children
13. Effects of fatherless children
14. Elements of the scientific method
15. English grammar
16. European exploration in the Pacific/European trade
17. German rule in Micronesia
18. Global warming
19. Heart : anatomy and physiology
20. Hinduism
21. Hittites
22. How to write an essay
23. Human development
24. Impact of modern technology in society/education
25. Interventions for blind/visually impaired children
26. Jainism beliefs
27. Japanese rule in Micronesia
28. Jeremy Bentham
29. Leonardo da Vinci
30. Native American tribes
31. Skeletal system
32. Skin : structure, function, and diseases
33. Student success : factors
34. Teaching strategies in reading
35. Teaching strategies in special education
36. Teen pregnancy
37. Utilitarianism (John Stuart Mill)
38. World War II in the Pacific

STATISTICS:

Programs/Services

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Patrons usage	3484	1790	14603	2048	1296
Reserve materials	21	0	26	0	18
Materials circulated	256	71	805	74	804
Visitor usage	7	0	30	0	33

Computer Usage

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
TOTAL Use	1253	646	4778	559	582
Computer Assists	6	0	28	107	41

Reference Encounters

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Reference encounters	6	0	28	17	44

Collection Development

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Total volumes	11928	2240	68887	5722	10239
New Acquisitions	7	0	0	0	0
Cataloged	7	0	306	73	0
Donations	0	0	7	0	0
Serials	0	26	85	9	0
Withdrawn	0	0	0	1496	0
Gov Docs			489		

Inter-Library Loan

	NC
ILL sent	11
ILL received	3

MITC National

Audio production (edited)	2
Audiovisual materials cataloged	21
Audiovisual materials labeled	21
COM meetings/workshops in MITC Rooms	18
COM Video Coverage	4
Equipment checked out	6
ID Cards issue for new comers	28
ID Cards re-issue due lost or damage	23
ID Cards Validated	23
ID Photos Taken	28
Manual video check out (booths & MITC classrooms)	5
Non COM Video coverage	1
Number of classes held in MITC	25
Poster laminated	7
Scan documents for COM & Students/PIALA	11
Setup Audio systems for activities/class	4
Total fees collected for ID cards	\$115.00
Video conversion	20
Video burned into DVD format	5
Video Showing for classes in MITC Rooms	20
Viewing in Booths	25

WORK STUDY

Work Study Students	Total Hours Earned
13	198:30

LIBRARY INSTRUCTION:

- None at this time.

PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY SERVICE:

- Juvel Rempis participated in an ICT Meeting on March 24 and another meeting with ALO Frankie Harriss with ICT members on March 26.
- Director participated in a Management Team meeting on March 10, where we discussed the second round of Non-Academic Program Review and updates on Enrollment Management Indicators for the departments we supervise.
- Karleen Samuel, Bruce Robert, and I participated in a *Risk Assessment* workshop with Tim Fenlon on March 17.
- The LRC's Standard IIB writing team met with ALO Frankie Harriss regarding the write up of Standard IIB and creating evidence URLs.
- Yap campus librarian attended an all-campus meeting on March 25 and participated in a *Risk Assessment Workshop* conducted by Tim Fenlon on March 26.

CONCERNS/COMMENTS/ SUGGESTIONS:

- None at this time.

Respectfully submitted by,



Jennifer Helieisz
Director, Learning Resources Center

cc : All campus librarians