Recognition & Recommendations

This semester the Library has three U.S. work study students. We will present one each month along with their book choices. This month we feature Jenery Ezra who is the newest student worker at the Library this semester.

Jenery is in her second semester at PIU and is in the Liberal Studies Program. She wants to be a teacher.

She is a graduate of Berean Christian High School in Weno and Faithwalk Christian College in Tol Chuuk State FSM.

Jenery was part of the Library’s Talk Story program to local schools last fall and she plays on the volleyball team this semester.

She recommends that we read:

*The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* by C.S Lewis. This book really good. If you read this book, it will make you think beyond what will happen next. There’s a movie about this book “The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe” but it’s little different from this book. So if you read you’ll see the different between the book and the movie, the book is more detail than the movie.

*Chapter 13; Where love begins* by David Hocking. It is good for those who don’t know the real definition of love. If you read this you will know where love begins and know what kind of love you are using. :>)

*The Sports Legends of Micronesia* by Kurt C Barnes, if you want to know about the sports legend of Micronesia, go find this book on the shelf so you will know about the sports legends.

*Study Smarter, Not Harder* by Kevin Paul. To read this book is to know how to learn and energize your brain. I know for sure some of you may not know how to do your study but if you read this you will know better and get smarter.

*Love Your God with All Your Mind* is written by J.P Moreland. When I read this book it’s pretty much helpful to me. I thought loving God with our mind is like knowing who he is but no, it is not. So I encourage you all students and Faculties to read this book, when you have a free time come to the library, look for it and read.

Website Spotlight: The Supreme Court of the Federated States of Micronesia

http://fsmsupremecourt.org

This website provides the constitutions and codes of the national and four states of the Federated State States of Micronesia. Includes various regulations such as excess tax, environmental impact, and state personnel regulations for each state.

Court schedule and decisions are posted.

Services and collections of the Supreme Court libraries in each state are described.
Show support by becoming a **Friend of the Library** and be able to borrow books from the largest theological collection available to the public in Micronesia.


Community members are most welcome to come at no charge to the Library and use its resources for study.

**PIU Library's Mission Statement:**

To support the academic programs of the school with books, media, research materials, and online access;

To help students develop effective research and information gathering techniques using a variety of traditional and electronic resources;

To serve as a resource to the local supporting church community and Christian school teachers.

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**Tips for Preparing for Final Exams**

1. **Start early,** at least two weeks before the exam. Find out from the instructor the information or types of questions that would be covered. Focus on the concepts and ideas you don’t know, rather than reviewing material you already know.

2. **Make a study group** with other classmates. Share notes, give each other possible exam questions.

3. **Study in a place** that encourages concentration, such as at a chair & table. Try not to study on your bed, sofa or anywhere too comfortable.

4. **Maintain a regular diet and sleep schedule.** Staying up late and snacking on unhealthy foods can not only diminish your performance on the exam, but also add unneeded stress.

5. **Give yourself sufficient time** to gather necessary materials. Doing that will ensure that you have everything you need when you get to the exam and you won’t be rushing madly to leave the dorm or your home.

6. **Do what you need to do** to be alert, whether that’s taking a shower, having a real breakfast, or going out for a run. Don’t forget to have your time of prayer.

7. **Glance through your study materials** on the morning of the exam to refresh your memory.


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**Some New Books & DVDs in the Library**

The Library collection continues to grow in large part to generous **donations.**

The Library maintains a **wish list** of titles requested by faculty and staff. To make a donation or possibly give a book on the Wish List, contact Library Director Paul Drake at pdrake@piu.edu

*KJB: the book that changed the world* [DVD], 2010.

*Unconditional love* [DVD], 2013.


*Business English and correspondence,* by FE O Aquino, Consuelo C. Caliang, Hermina S. Blas, and Crisologa B. Capili, 2000

*Making sense of Micronesia; the logic of Pacific island culture,* by Francis X. Hezel, 2013.