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February 5, 2001

A Newsletter for Faculty, Staff and Friends of Coastal Carolina University

Volume 11, Number 3

Follett to operate campus bookstore

Coastal has selected the Follett Higher Education Group to operate and manage the university's bookstore.

Under the five-year agreement, Follett, one of the nation's largest used-textbook providers, will begin operating out of Coastal's current bookstore location by March 2. By June, the bookstore will move into its new location on the first floor of Coastal's new welcome center, which is under construction. Follett will assist in the development of the 11,000-square-foot new store, including interior design and furnishing.

"We are pleased that Coastal Carolina University selected Follett as an educational partner," said James W. Baumann, president of Follett. "We look forward to providing the products and services that will meet or exceed the university's expectations."

With the agreement, the Coastal community will have the opportunity to select merchandise and services online through efollett.com or in the on-campus store. Coastal faculty and students will receive a high level of customer service and savings through Follett's vast inventory of used books and its technological resources, according to Stella Cooper, director of Coastal's campus services.

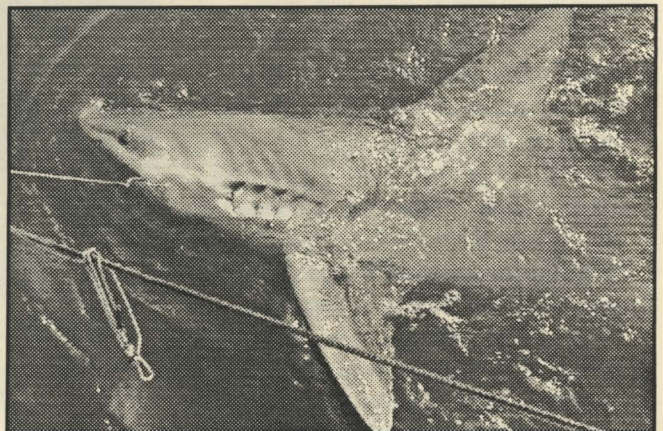
Follett is developing a Coastal virtual bookstore through efollett.com to service the needs of the campus community. Faculty will be able to place orders for their course readings through

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Coastal professors study shark, dolphin populations in Winyah Bay area

The Georgetown County Environmental Protection Society (GCEPS) has awarded a \$3,000 grant to Daniel Abel and Robert Young of Coastal's Department of Marine Science for the continuation of their study of shark and dolphin populations in Georgetown's Winyah Bay and surrounding waters. The study was initiated last year with a \$10,000 grant from GCEPS.

Since the study began last year, Abel and Young have caught and tagged a variety of sharks in Winyah Bay, including sandbar sharks, blacktips, Atlantic sharpnose, finetooth, and others. By comparing resident and migratory dolphin and shark populations, both in Winyah Bay and in the comparatively pristine North Inlet, Abel and Young, with the help of Coastal students earning undergraduate credit, have begun to establish baseline popu-



This 5-foot-long sandbar shark was tagged in July 2000. Once one of the most numerous species along the Atlantic coast, sandbar sharks have declined in population by more than 80 percent, according to Dan Abel.

lation data and will ultimately trace long-term habitation trends. "This study is also allowing us to begin assessing the impact of humans on these predator populations," said Abel. "Our data will be of interest to other researchers studying these species in the United States and abroad."

Dolphins are monitored using a video camera, according to Young. Dorsal fins are photographed from a

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CCU Newsletter Publication Dates

Submission deadlines:
Monday, February 12
Monday, February 26

Publication dates:
Monday, February 19
Monday, March 6

Coastal Carolina University Newsletter is published biweekly on Monday by the Office of Marketing Communications. Items to be included should be submitted to the Office of Marketing Communications in SNGL 204 by noon the Monday before publication, unless otherwise listed.
Deadline to submit information for the next issue is Monday, Feb. 12 at noon.

Submissions for the CCU Newsletter should be submitted to Jerry Rashid (jrashid@coastal.edu) in the Office of Marketing Communications, Singleton 204.

Shark study

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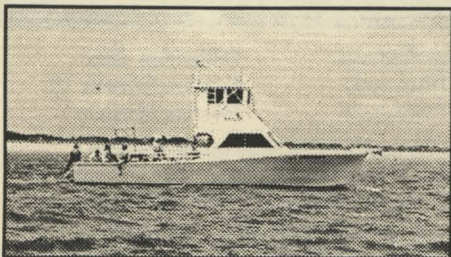
small boat equipped with a high resolution 8mm video camera. "The dolphin is 'caught' on video and 'tagged' according to the individual natural markings and the distinctive outline shape of the fin," said Young. "With repeated weekly surveys of the area, a catalogue of fins is developed recording dates, location and behavior. Also, to establish habitat patterns, specific 'focus groups' of dolphins are followed and studied."

Sharks, both juveniles and adults, are captured on longlines, identified, tagged and immediately released, according to Abel.

GCEPS is a local charitable organization whose purpose is to monitor, protect and enhance wetlands, bays, creeks, estuaries and rivers of Georgetown County. "It is important that we try to determine the impact we humans have on our coastal resources so that steps can be taken to maintain a reasonable balance between Mother Nature and the human presence," said Brooks McIntyre, president of the organization.

Abel, senior instructor of marine science, joined the Coastal faculty in 1994. He earned a Ph.D. in 1986 from the Scripps Institution of Oceanography in San Diego. Abel has published many scientific articles on sharks and tropical air-breathing fish, and co-wrote the recent textbook *Issues in Oceanography*, published by Prentice Hall in 2000.

Young, associate professor of marine science, joined the Coastal faculty in 1992. He earned a bachelor's degree in biology in 1986 from the University of Virginia and a Ph.D. in biological oceanography from the University of Rhode Island in 1992. He has served as president of the South Carolina Marine Educators Association.



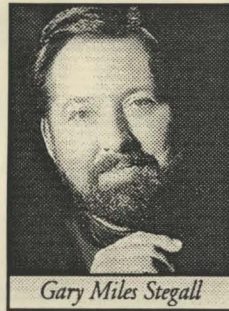
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efollett.com and students will be able to purchase textbooks online. Students will also have the opportunity to return books bought online to the campus bookstore.

Follett serves more than four million students and more than 300,000 faculty through more than 655 stores.

Recital to feature 20th century music

"Gary Miles Stegall and Friends: Celebrating a Century of Music," a concert of 20th century jazz and classical music will be held at



Gary Miles Stegall

Coastal Saturday, Feb. 10 at 7:30 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. The concert is free and open to the public.

The concert will feature music by Alban Berg, George Gershwin, Joseph Jongen and Claude Bolling.

Stegall will be joined by Amy Tully on flute, Steve Kirkman on drums, and Gary Craddock on string bass.

Stegall, assistant professor of piano and music history at Coastal, has performed throughout the United States, Europe, Mexico and Egypt. He recently completed a concert tour of London, Paris and Cairo. Stegall spends his summers as a member of the faculty of the Font-Neuve School of Music in Montauroux, France. He earned a bachelor's degree from the North Carolina School of the Arts, a master's degree from the University of South Carolina, a doctoral degree from the University of Maryland, and the Diplome/1st prize with grand distinction from the l'Academie de musique de Boitsfort in Brussels, Belgium.

Tully, an adjunct instructor of flute at Coastal, is a member of the Long Bay Symphony and is a frequent freelance performer throughout the Grand Strand. Her past performance experience includes the Wilmington Sea Flutes, Wilmington Symphony Orchestra, Opera House Theatre

Company (Wilmington, N.C.), and the Northwestern University Early Music Ensemble. She earned a bachelor's degree in flute performance from the University of North Carolina at Wilmington and a master's degree in musicology from Northwestern University.

Kirkman is the percussion instructor at Coastal and principal timpanist with the Long Bay Symphony. His professional experience during the past 20 years includes performances with symphony orchestras, chamber groups, Broadway show tours, and concerts backing popular entertainers. He earned bachelor's and master's degrees in music from the North Carolina School of the Arts, where he studied with J. Massie Johnson.

Craddock has performed with numerous big bands, ensembles, and combos throughout the Southeast, and in sessions with such jazz luminaries as Marvin Stamm and Bill Mays. He has also performed in all of the Calvin Gilmore Productions in the area. A fixture on the area music scene, he was bassist with the house band of the Crook and Chase Show.

For more information, contact the Wheelwright Box Office at 349-2502.

Did You Know?

Coastal's Office of Enrollment Management reports a 25 percent increase in freshman applications as of Jan. 26, 2001, as compared with the same date last year, as well as 375 more freshman acceptances.

Giannini Brass to perform Feb. 18

Giannini Brass will perform in Coastal's Wheelwright Auditorium on Sunday, Feb. 18 at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$10; \$5 for students under age 18.

The Giannini Brass was formed in 1989 and named after Vittorio Giannini, the composer who founded the North Carolina School of the Arts. Members of the Giannini Brass perform in most of the professional orchestras in the Carolinas and have toured and performed with orchestras and chamber music ensembles throughout the United States and Europe.

The six-member ensemble has performed in a variety of unusual and interesting performance settings, including multi-media planetarium concerts, with symphony orchestras and on radio and television programs.

The group includes: Mark Clodfelter on trumpet; Steve Kirkman,



The Giannini Brass will perform in Wheelwright Auditorium on Sunday, Feb. 18 at 3 p.m.

percussion instructor at Coastal, on drums; Joseph Mount on horn; Chris Ferguson on trombone; David Nicholson on tuba; and Kenneth Wilmot on trumpet.

Giannini Brass has released two CDs: *Big-Shot Brass*, on the Sonari label, and *Christmas With The Giannini Brass*.

For more information, contact the Wheelwright Box Office at 349-2502.

Coastal hosts Greater Gospel Sing Out

Coastal's annual Greater Gospel Sing Out will be held Sunday, Feb. 11 at 4:30 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. The event is free and open to the public.



Choirs performing in the Greater Gospel Sing Out are: Coastal Carolina University Gospel Choir, Dejour from Conway, The Voices of Praise from Manning and Gary-Green Ensemble from Sumter.

The event is part of Coastal's annual African-American Celebration, a series of events designed to capture the art, history, music and theater of the African-American culture.

For more information, contact Coastal's Office of Multicultural Student Services at 349-2304.

Coastal's Homecoming 2001 to be held Feb. 12 to 18

Following is a list of events for Coastal's Homecoming 2001.

Monday, February 12
Comedian Darren Carter
Wall Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, February 13
Community Service Day
Many student organizations will perform community service projects.

Students vs. Faculty/Staff Basketball Game
Kimbel Arena, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, February 14
Homecoming Carnival
Spadoni Park, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Movie Night
"Meet The Parents"
starring Ben Stiller and Robert DeNiro
Wall Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 15
Talent Extravaganza and Step Show
Wheelwright Auditorium, 7 p.m.

Friday, February 16
Alumni Golf Tournament
The Wizard Golf Course - noon
Format: Four Player
Captain's Choice
\$50 per player

Baseball Game
Chanticleers vs. Marshall
Charles L. Watson Stadium, 3 p.m.

Homecoming Parade
Coastal Campus, 4 p.m.
Pep Rally - The Atheneum,
behind the Admissions Building
immediately following the
Homecoming Parade.

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Saturday, February 17

President's Cup 5K Race

P.E. Center, Registration - 7:30 a.m.

Baseball Game

Chanticleers vs. Marshall

Charles L. Watson Stadium, noon

Annual Alumni Meeting and

Outstanding Alumni Awards

Wall Auditorium, 1:30 p.m.

Alumni Oyster Roast and Pig Pickin'

On the Horseshoe, 3 p.m.

Women's Basketball Game

Chanticleers vs. UNC-Asheville

Kimbel Arena, 3:30 p.m.

Men's Basketball Game

Chanticleers vs. UNC-Asheville

Kimbel Arena, 6 p.m.

Crowning of the Homecoming King

and Queen will take place at the

conclusion of the game.

Student/Alumni Homecoming Dance

Myrtle Beach Convention Center,

9 p.m.

Sunday, February 18

Giannini Brass

Sweetheart Concert

Wheelwright Auditorium, 3 p.m.

Birthdays

February

6	Hester Atkinson	10	June Brown
	Tricia Bailey		Claudia
	Judy Fontana		McCollough
	Shawn Hale		Thomas Wilson
	Mario Morales	12	Bill Douglas
	Sara Sanders	13	Kim Montague
7	Arline Elston		Randall Wells
8	Tara Devers	15	Edna Bellamy
	Joseph Gore		Darla Domke-
	Ernie Locklair		Damonte
	Howard Smith		Abdallah Haddad
9	Enda Byrt	16	Sharon Jones
		19	Chris Henderson

Coastal Notes

Kimbel Library adds ScienceDirect

Coastal's Kimbel Library recently announced the addition of ScienceDirect® to its collection of Internet-accessible electronic resources. ScienceDirect is the premier electronic information service for the interdisciplinary research needs of academic, corporate and educational institutions, offering comprehensive coverage of literature across all fields of science.

ScienceDirect offers access to the Elsevier Science journal collection (more than 1,200 titles), along with journals from a host of prestigious societies and STM (science, technology, medical) publishers. The full text collection of more than 1 million articles from 1995 to present covers a wide variety of subject areas and disciplines, including:

- Biochemistry
- Biological Sciences
- Business and Management Science
- Chemistry
- Clinical Medicine
- Earth Sciences
- Economics
- Engineering and Technology
- Environmental Science
- Materials Science
- Mathematics and Computer science
- Microbiology and Immunology
- Neurosciences
- Pharmacology and Toxicology
- Physics
- Social Sciences

The addition of ScienceDirect was made possible through the efforts of the libraries at nine South Carolina universities (University of South Carolina, Clemson, Medical University of South Carolina, The Citadel, College of Charleston, Wofford, Presbyterian, Francis Marion and Coastal). These institutions forged an agreement with Elsevier Science to license access to the service as a consortium, with the possibility of other South Carolina institutions joining at a later date. Under this license, the nine institutions have access to all 1,200 Elsevier journal titles

through calendar year 2001. Beginning with calendar year 2002, the institutions will have access to the Elsevier titles subscribed to by the group as a whole. By the end of 2001, the nine libraries will have adjusted their subscriptions to allow for the greatest number of unique titles possible.

This valuable resource is available to Coastal students, faculty and staff from any networked computer on campus as well as remote access. Choose the ScienceDirect link on the Library's Web site at www.coastal.edu/library/indexes.htm or go directly to www.sciencedirect.com.

Department of Philosophy and Religion to host two events

Coastal's Department of Philosophy and Religion will host the 34th annual meeting of the South Carolina Academy of Religion on Saturday, Feb. 17 in the Wall College of Business. Academy members include active and retired professors and students of religion and philosophy from across the state. The meeting is a one-day conference devoted to the presentation of scholarly papers. This year's theme is *Theological and Religious Paradigms for Ethical Praxis in the 21st Century*. Preston McKeever-Floyd is a past president of the academy.

On March 2 to 4, the department will host the annual conference of the South Carolina Society for Philosophy. The conference will include presidential addresses, workshops and the presentation of philosophical papers. More than 30 philosophers from all colleges and universities in South Carolina are expected to attend. The meeting will be held at the Springmaid Resort in Myrtle Beach.



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Coastal Carolina People

Faculty and staff are encouraged to submit information to be included in the "Coastal Carolina People" section of this newsletter. Information will be published following the presentation or activity.

- **Preston McKeever-Floyd** and **Claudia McCollough** have been awarded three-year renewable appointments as Faculty Affiliates with the Women's Studies

Program of the University of South Carolina.

- **Ioana Mihaila** presented "The Mathematics of Nature: Environmental Modeling" at the joint meeting of the *American Mathematics Society* and *Mathematics Association of America* on Jan. 10 to 13.



The Second Wave: Eleven more Professional Golf Management students from the Autonomous University in Barcelona recently arrived on Coastal's campus for the start of 2001 spring semester.

The group includes: (back row - left to right) Antonio Santos Ximenez, William Lyon, Yago Gonzalez-Aguilar, Manuel Gonzalez-Alegre-Calderon, Juan Romeu-Rodriguez-Paramo, Ander Padura-Gauna (front row - left to right) Rafa Vera-Arroyo, Alejandro Dominguez-Sierra, Miguel Girbes-Marin, Jessica Raedler, Shila Gilon.

Campus Dining

The CINO Grille, located in the Student Center, is open Monday through Thursday from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Friday from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.; and Saturday and Sunday from 3 to 8 p.m. Selections are available from the Grille, the Deli or Pizza Hut menu items.

The Commons, featuring an all-you-can-eat menu, is located adjacent to the residence halls. Meal costs and the hours of operation are as follows:

Monday through Friday:

- Breakfast: \$3.50; served from 7 to 9:30 a.m.
- Continental Breakfast: 9:30 to 10 a.m.
- Lunch: \$4.50; served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Dinner: \$5; served from 5 to 7:30 p.m.

Saturday and Sunday:

- Brunch Buffet: \$5.50; served from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
- Dinner: \$5; served from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Denise Elliott at 349-2365.

Week of February 5

- Monday:** Chicken Marsala; Fettuccini Carbonara; Grilled Veggies over CousCous
- Tuesday:** Ham Steak; Carne Asada; Chili Dogs
- Wednesday:** Chinese Buffet
- Thursday:** Lasagna Florentine; Beefy Mac; Nacho Bar
- Friday:** Grilled Fish; Corned Beef; Beef Stroganoff

Week of February 12

- Monday:** Chicken Nuggets; Lasagna; Chicken Pesto
- Tuesday:** Braised Pork; Beef Ravioli; Honey Baked Ham
- Wednesday:** Chinese Buffet
- Thursday:** Pepper Steak; Rib Sandwich; Pizza Boat
- Friday:** Beef Tips; Corned Beef; Beef Stroganoff

Note: Menus are subject to change due to product availability.
Food Services offers a 10 percent discount to all Coastal faculty and staff.

Campus Calendar

Tuesday, Feb. 6

- Computer Housekeeping workshop, 9:30 a.m. to noon, Society House Computer Lab

Saturday, Feb. 10

- Music Faculty Recital featuring pianist Gary Stegall, 7:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium

Sunday, Feb. 11

- Greater Gospel Sing Out, 4:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium

Monday, Feb. 12

- Homecoming 2001, through Feb. 18 (see schedule on pages 3 and 4)

Tuesday, Feb. 13

- Introduction to WebCT workshop, 9:30 a.m. to noon, Society House Computer Lab

Sunday, Feb. 18

- Giannini Brass, 3 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium

Monday, Feb. 19

- Master class with the Giannini Brass, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Wall Auditorium

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Tuesday, Feb. 6

- Baseball: at South Carolina, 3 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 7

- Baseball: UNC Wilmington at Coastal, 3 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 8

- Men's Tennis: at Campbell, 2 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 9

- Women's Indoor Track and Field: at Virginia Tech Invitational, through Feb. 10

Saturday, Feb. 10

- Men's and Women's Tennis: East Carolina at Coastal, 2 p.m.
- Women's Basketball: Liberty at Coastal, 7 p.m.
- Men's Basketball: at High Point, 4 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 12

- Women's Basketball: Radford at Coastal, 7 p.m.
- Men's Basketball: at Elon, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 13

- Baseball: at North Carolina, 3 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 14

- Women's Basketball: at North Carolina, 7 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 16

- Men's and Women's Tennis: UNC Wilmington at Coastal, 2 p.m.
- Baseball: Marshall at Coastal, 3 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 17

- Men's and Women's Tennis: Mercer at Coastal, TBA
- Baseball: Marshall at Coastal, noon
- Women's Basketball: UNC Asheville at Coastal, 3:30 p.m.
- Men's Basketball: UNC Asheville at Coastal, 6 p.m.

Sunday, Feb. 18

- Baseball: Marshall at Coastal, 2 p.m.
- Women's Indoor Track and Field: at Big South Conference Championships

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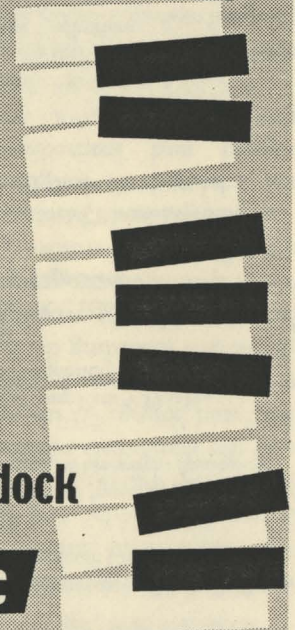
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featuring

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an evening of 20th century jazz and classical music

Saturday, Feb. 10
7:30 p.m. Wheelwright Auditorium



Free and open to the public • For more information call 349.2502.