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A Newsletter for Faculty and Staff of Coastal Carolina College

Vol. 2 No. 7

April 5, 1993

# Campus Calendar

Tuesday, April 6

. M.A.T. testing: 3 p.m., Academic Affairs Office, Linda Ford

· Bridging the Gaps: Communicating with Culturally Diverse Clients, seminar: 8:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., registration required. GCEC

Writer's Group Meeting: 7:30 p.m., SC 201. John Beard

Wednesday, April 7

Summer Job Fair: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Spadoni Park; Student Center, if rain. Mollie Starbuck

Brown Bag Luncheon: noon to 1 p.m., GCEC 003. Barbara Jackson

Student Support Group meeting: 3 to 4 p.m., SC 201. Vicki Gardner Celebrate Youth, S.T.A.R. program:

Kim Grant-Mitchell

Thursday, April 8

· Movie Night: early movie, Pottery Cinemas; \$1 with validated I.D. Campus Program Board

Tuesday, April 13

Wellness Committee Meeting: 1 p.m., EMS Conference. Patti Loebs

M.A.T. testing: 3 p.m., Academic Affairs Office. Linda Ford

Wednesday, April 14

"Emerging Leaders,": 2:30 p.m., SC 205. Student Affairs

Wednesday, April 14 (continued)

NASA's Joseph Dolen, lecture: 7 p.m., GCEC 005. Paul Camp

Karaoke Night: 7 to 10 p.m., SC overflow. Campus Program Board

Student Support Group meeting: 3 to 4 p.m., SC 201. Vicki Gardner

Thursday, April 15

Emerging Leaders, program: 2:30 p.m., SC 205. Student Affairs

Senior Sports Classic: continues through April 16. Toby Mercer

Children, Why Don't They Come With A Manual, seminar: 7 to 9 p.m., registration required. GCEC

Senior Sports Classic: all day; continues through Friday, April 16. Toby Mercer

Saturday, April 17

"Into the Streets," S.T.A.R. program: 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., TBA. Kim Grant-Mitchell

Monday, April 19

Developing Options for a Quality Tomorrow, workshop: 10 a.m., GCEC. Barbara Jackson

Luncheon and fashion show for "Bosses and Secretaries" to celebrate National Secretaries Week: noon, GCEC; reservations required. Barbara Jackson

Janice Hanna and Tod Ewing will

Pee Dee AHEC. The fee is \$49.

conduct the interactive seminar that has

South Carolina Board of Social Work

Examiners and Waccamaw satellite of

Children, Why Don't They Come

been approved for six contact hours by the

# Fulbright Scholar Awards competition opens for U.S. faculty and professionals

The 1994-1995 Fulbright Scholar Program includes 1,000 grants for research, combined research and lecturing, or university lecturing in nearly 135 countries. Opportunities range from two months to a full academic year; many assignments are flexible to the needs of the grantee. Nearly onethird of Fulbright grants are targeted for research and many lecturing awards offer research opportunities; multicountry research is also possible in many regions.

Virtually all disciplines and subfields participate. Specific openings exist in almost every area of the humanities, social sciences, physical sciences, the arts, and applied fields such as business, journalism, and law. Many offerings throughout the program allow scholars to propose their own lecturing or research

Scholars in all academic ranks are eligible to apply, from junior faculty to professor emeriti. Applications also are encouraged from professionals outside academe and from independent scholars. Fulbright seeks good teachers as well as active researchers.

The basic eligibility requirements for a Fulbright award are United States citizenship and Ph.D. or comparable professional qualifications; for certain fields such as the fine arts or TEFL, the terminal degree in the field may be sufficient. For lecturing awards, university or college teaching experience is expected. Language skills are needed for some countries, but most lecturing assignments are in English.

A single early deadline of August 1, 1993, exists for research and lecturing grants to all world areas. Other deadlines are in place for special

programs.

Application materials are available. For further information and applications, See Fulbright Scholar Award on page 2.

# GCEC offers three April Seminars

Graduate and Continuing Education is offering April Seminars on subjects including culture, class, and gender issues; parenting; and communication skills for women.

All three seminars will be held in the Graduate and Continuing Education Building and are open to the public. Preregistration is necessary.

The seminars are as follows:

· Bridging the Gaps: Communicating With Culturally Diverse Clients Tuesday, April 6 8:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 15 7 to 9 p.m

With a Manual

A parenting skills mini-workshop facilitated by Jim Rogers, director of PARENTS CARE. The fee is \$10 per person or couple.

See April seminars on page 2.

### Fulbright Scholar Award

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call or write the Council for International Exchange of Scholars, 3007 Tilden Street, N. W., Suite 5M, Box CAMP, Washington, DC 20008-3009. The telephone number is (202) 686-7877.

For information on campus, contact Geoff Parsons.

# April seminars

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 Saying What you Mean, Meaning What You Say

Friday, April 30 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

An interactive workshop on communication skills for women. The fee is \$49.

The fee is \$90 for all three workshops. For registration information contact Graduate and Continuing Education.

# Workshop and luncheon planned to celebrate National Secretaries' Week

"Developing Options for a Quality Tomorrow," in celebration of National Secretaries' Week, will be held Monday, April 19 at 10 a.m. in GCEC 003. Ann Cooper, department chair for the information systems and paralegal division at Central Carolina Technical College, will present the workshop.

After the workshop, a luncheon which will include a fashion show and door prizes, is planned at noon in the same location.

This personal empowerment and enhancement workshop is designed to both entertain and enlighten participants as Coastal celebrates National Secretaries' Week.

The workshop is free and open to faculty and staff. The luncheon is \$8 per person, reservations and pre-payment are required by Wednesday, April 14.

For reservations or more information, contact Barbara Jackson. ~

# Don't forget!

The 1993 Horry Telephone directories will be delivered in April. Please return your old directory to Kay Alford in EMS 118 for recycling.

# More than 450 attended annual math conference

Coastal served as host to more than 450 mathematics professors, teachers, and students from five states for the 72nd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Section of the Mathematical Association of America (MAA) held Friday, April 2 and Saturday, April 3.

The conference program included preconference workshops, three invited addresses, sessions for contributed papers and departmental chairs, and a panel discussion.

MAA is the largest organization in the world devoted to undergraduate mathematics. The Southeastern region consisting of Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee is the largest section in regard to membership and area.

MAA meets in South Carolina once every five years; the last meeting in the state was at Furman University in 1988. Coastal has been involved in MAA for 12 years.

The National Association of Mathematicians (NAM), a subgroup of MAA whose members are predominantly black; the American Mathematical Association of Two Year Colleges (AMATYC); and the Mathematics Advancement Council of Horry-Georgetown Counties also convened during the conference.

Representatives from graduate schools attended the conference to recruit students. Products from publishers, computer companies, and exhibitors were on display.

# "Calling All Colors" Quilt Project

School-age members of the planning team for the conference, "Calling All Colors '93," were presented with quilts made of squares designed by the conference's 140 participants during a special ceremony held Wednesday, March 31 at the Bucksport Senior Center.

"Calling All Colors '93" was a race unity conference for children held at Coastal in January. Each of the students who attended the conference designed a quilt square which illustrated the designer's dreams for racial unity and peace. The women at the Bucksport

Senior Center volunteered to put the squares together into three quilts. The quilts are available to conference attendees to use in their efforts to share the experience of "Calling All Colors '93" with their peers.

The goal of the conference was to provide opportunities to increase awareness of different points of view, become aware of stereotypical behaviors and their effects, discuss experiences and feelings about race and race relations, and work closely with a diverse group of people.

# Coastal receives grant for 1993 Crossroads

A South Carolina state grant has been approved to fund the Summer 1993 Crossroads Minority Male Institute. The grant is made possible through the South Carolina Center for Teacher Recruitment at Winthrop University. Terita Gusby-McCauley will direct the week-long program which will be held during July.

Fifty minority high school age males from South Carolina will be chosen to

participate in the institute with activities directed towards encouraging males to seek teaching careers.

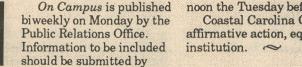
Ajamu Mutima, from Gainesville, Fla., will be the master storyteller for the institute. Students also will participate in the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Youth Conference to be held in Philadelphia, Pa.

For more information, contact Terita Gusby-McCauley.

# Wellness Committee meeting scheduled

The Wellness Committee will meet Tuesday, April 13 at 1 p.m. in the EMS Conference room. All faculty and staff

who would like to participate in wellness activities are welcome to attend. For information, call Patti Loebs.



noon the Tuesday before publication.

Coastal Carolina College is an affirmative action, equal opportunity



# Brown bagging encouraged

William Young will present "The History of the Sea Islands: Culture, Language, Arts, and Lifestyle" Wednesday, April 7 from noon to 1 p.m. in GCEC 003, as part of the college's Brown Bag Series. Young is a student at Technical College of the Lowcountry.

The Brown Bag Series is a free onehour lunchtime event for staff, students, and faculty featuring speakers and films about concerns such as motivation. travel, art, entertainment, diversity,

planning, and more.

Bag lunches will be available for \$2 or participants may bring their own lunch. Soft drinks are provided.

The series is presented through the Office of Human Resources and the Staff Enrichment Committee.

For more information, contact Barbara

# GRE study group sessions offered at Coastal

Graduate and Continuing Education is offering special Graduate Record Examination (GRE) study session every Thursday from April 15 through June 3 from 6 to 7 p.m.

Topics to be covered are text anxiety, test-taking strategies, and preparing for the math, verbal, and analytical tests.

Fee for the study sessions is \$130. Space is limited, so early registration is advisable. The next GRE will be administered Saturday, June 5.

For more information, contact Graduate and Continuing Education. ~

# Senior Sports Classic to be held on campus

Horry County Council on Aging and Coastal will sponsor the Senior Sports Classic on Thursday, April 15 and Friday, April 16 on campus. Those age 55 and above will participate in competitive athletic and recreation experiences that focus on health, wellness, and socialization.

Activities will include bowling, golf, walking, horseshoes, baking and quilting contests, crafts bazaar, bingo, checkers, and board and card games.

For more information or to regiser, contact the Horry County Council at 248-5523.

# Leadership Coastal 1993 presented for emerging leaders

Leadership Coastal 1993, a program designed to provide students with an opportunity to assess and build management and leadership skills, will be presented Thursday, April 15 at 2:30 p.m. in SC 205. The program also is designed to acquaint students witt leadership principles which may provide edge in the job market.

Leadership sessions, which are available in the fall and spring, address several key areas of development. In personal development, students have the opportunity to learn how self concept and ethics relate to leadership and how vision and innovation inspires others. Students will have the opportunity to learn practical management skills such as decision making, planning and organizing, delegating, and solving group conflict. Understanding the difference between leadership and management, understanding what the participant's leadership style is, and how different

leadership styles affect others also will be discussed.

Program topics and speakers will be as

- Ethics Versus Values, presented by Ralph Wilson, Horry County Solicitor
- Development of a Vision, presented by Doug Wendel, executive director, Grand Strand Water and Sewer
- The Personal Dimension, presented by Emily Reinhart, forensic serologist, South Carolina Law Enforcement Division
- Presenting Yourself to the World, presented by Mollie Starbuck, career placement counselor at Coastal

A question and answer session will follow each lecture.

For more information or to register for the program, contact the Student Affairs

#### Writing Center produces tapes and videos to assist writers

The Writing Center has produced instructional tapes, with accompanying support material, to assist students, faculty, and staff with writing skills improvement. The tapes, which are available in Media Collection, are approximately 50 to 55 minutes in length.

Writing Center workshops which are on

tape are as follows.

Writing About Literature

Writing for the Sciences

Research Papers: Using MLA Documentation

Research Papers: Using APA Documentation

The Writing Center has also produced a 25-minute video, entitled Approaches to Critiquing, which demonstrates the group dynamics of peer critiquing. This tape is intended for classroom use to show students what works and what doesn't in critiquing one another's writing. Necessary support materials are included with the tape, which is located in Media

For more information, contact Susan Meyers or Media Collection.

#### Center for Marine and Wetland Studies to offer course on wetlands

The Center for Marine and Wetland Studies is offering Basic Wetland Delineation, a special four-day course to be held Thursday, April 22 through Sunday, April 25. The non-credit course is \$450. Registration deadline is Friday, April 16.

The course is suitable for those in the private sector as well as for academic and government personnel.

Basic Wetland Delineation is a combination classroom and field program designed to provide a basic understanding

of current regulatory and technical criteria used by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in determining jurisdictional wetland boundaries. Lectures will be presented on campus in the mornings and field exercises will be conducted in the afternoons. Equipment and transportation to the field will be provided; however, participants are responsible for meals and lodging.

For more information, call Paul Booth, instructor of the course.

# Coastal Carolina People

Pat Singleton Young attended the National Black Family Summit held March 16-18 in Columbia, S.C. Twelve students from the Leadership Challenge program also attended.

David Barnwell has been contracted by AVX Corporation to teach a course titled "Spanish for Engineers" at the company's Myrtle Beach plant.

Lance Bedwell was a member of the NASDTEC accreditation team which visited Erskine College March 8-10 to evaluate the school's teacher education program.

James Farsolas recently attended the Southern Conference on Slavic Studies 31st annual meeting held March 18-20 at Georgia State University in Atlanta, Ga. Farsolas participated in two roundtable discussions: "Yugoslavia: Nationalism, Independence, and Civil War," and "Minorities in Central Asian States," which dealt with the former Soviet (Russian) republics of Kazakhstan, Kyrghystan, and Tajikistan.

Tim Touzel and Subhash Saxena have been selected for listing in the fourth edition of Marquis Who's Who in American Education. Touzel and Ballou Skinner have been selected for listing in the second edition of Marquis Who's Who in Science and Engineering. Both publications are companion volumes to Who's Who in America, published since 1899 by America's leading biographical publisher.

Paul Gayes and Doug Nelson recently attended the ninth annual National Conference on Beach Preservation Technology held in St. Petersburg, Florida. In addition to the latest results of beach nourishment projects, scientific research into Hurricane Andrew was described. Comparisons were made between Hurricane Andrew and Hurricane Hugo. The latest techniques for monitoring beach changes were compared to those developed here under a grant from South Carolina Coastal Council.

Ed Cerny had an article, entitled "Marketing Techniques Employed by Private Liberal Arts Colleges," published in the winter 1993 edition of Enrollment Management Review, a publication of The College Board.

#### Campus groups wage war against birth defects

Coastal's team participation in the 1993 WalkAmerica for the March of Dimes campaign proved to be most successful and raised more than \$1,000 for the fight against birth defects.

The Inter-Greek Council, which includes Greek sororities and fraternities on campus, raised funds for the campaign as a community service project.

Sigma Nu Fraternity raised approximately \$550 by selling \$1 paper footprints which were signed by the purchaser and then placed in the Student Center for public viewing. Radio DJs from WKZQ, WYAV, WSYN, and WBPR also assisted with the event.

Many other campus groups, including the Student Government Association, also participated in the campaign.

"Campus participation has been outstanding," according to Coastal's team captain Patti Loebs. "The efforts these groups have shown let the community know what caring students we have at Coastal," she said.

On walk day, which was held Saturday, April 3 at The Pavilion in Myrtle Beach, numerous awards were presented to top fund raising teams in Horry County. Two awards, "Most Team Spirit" and "Best Dressed Team" are traditionally judged by local celebrities, according to Nancy Burton, 1993 chair for WalkAmerica.

'Coastal cheerleaders were selected by WalkAmerica's executive board to serve as judges for these awards," she said. "With the national attention Coastal's athletes have gained, who else would be more qualified to judge these awards. Chris Hughes and Edward Watson did a wonderful joband represented Coastal extremely well.

Our students at Coastal are concerned that South Carolina has the sixth worst infant mortality rate in the nation. We must all work together to insure that tomorrow's babies - their children - are given a better chance to have a healthy beginning by fighting birth defects," Burton said.

The 1993 Horry County WalkAmerica campaign raised more than \$141,000 and had approximately 2,300 participants.

The mission of the March of Dimes is to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects and infant mortality through community service, advocacy, research, and education.

# Summer Job Fair to be held on campus

The 1993 Summer Job Fair will be held Wednesday, April 7 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Spadoni Park. Representatives from hotels, campgrounds, restaurants, banks and other local businesses will be

available to talk to students about summer employment. Music, soft drinks, and other surprises will be available.

For more information, call Mollie Starubuck.

# Birthdays

April

- Kenneth Capps
- 7 Steve West
  - Daisy Edwards
- 8 Fadi Baroody
- 9 Charles Gidney
- Ron Ingle
- 11 Joe Pinson
  - Preston McKever-Floyd
    - Tucker Johnson
- 12 Pat West
  - Gene Collins
  - Lynne Smith
  - Sandy Bowden
  - Karen Carpenter
- 13 Jim Koster Cindy Calhoun
- 14 Kathy Watts
- 15 Ronald Reed
- 16 John Mack
- 17 Pat Snell Judy Westman Jim Henderson
- 19 Minnie Johnson

### Cafeteria Menu

Week of April 5

Monday: Chicken Bog or Salisbury Steak Tuesday: Spaghetti with Meat Sauce or

Baked Ham

Wednesday: Barbecue Pork Slices or Stir Fried Chicken

Thursday: Roast Beef or Turkey Devine Friday: Fried Fish or Shirmp Creole

Week of April 12:

Monday: Chili Macaroni or Chicken Terriyaki

Tuesday: Fettucini Alfredo or Stew Beef Wednesday: Barbecue Chicken or

Tuna Casserole

Thursday: Turkey with Gravy or Ham and Cheese

Friday: Fried Clam Strips or Seafood Casserole

Menu listings are subject to change without notice due to product availability.

# Parliamentary procedure workshop

A parliamentary procedure workshop will be held on Wednesday, April 28 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. The workshop is free and open to the public.

Focusing on "Robert's Rules of Order," the workshop will explain how to maintain order and successfully run a

meeting.

The workshop is sponsored by the South Carolina Student Legislature, and Coastal's Office of Student Activities and Office of Admissions.

For registration information, call the Office of Student Activities.

# Telephone calling cards available

Telephone calling cards, provided by Peoples Telephone, are available in the Bookstore. The cards, available in \$40 increments, are designed to assist purchasers with budgeting, controlling, and easier access to long distance telephone calls.

For more information, contact the

Bookstore.

### **Bulletin Board**

For Sale: Tunturi exercise bike. Like new; top of the line. \$250. For more information, contact Jill Sessoms.

Homes needed: For 16 to 20 adult cats and kittens. Most adult cats are neutered or spayed; all are vaccinated for feline leukemia. Stable adoptions are welcomed. For more information, call Brenda Moran at 651-4713.

# Marine science students, faculty conduct research on NOAA vessel

The Center for Marine and Wetland Studies has been awarded 10 days of shiptime aboard the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) ship Ferrel for marine science research.

Six students, staff and faculty members participated in the March excursion in coastal waters from Cape Fear, N.C., to Savannah, Ga. The group included: Paul Gayes, director of the Center for Marine and Wetland Studies; Neal Gielstra, research specialist for the center; and Doug Nelson, professor of marine science and geology. Marine science students who participated in the excursion were: Paula Smith, a freshman from Brentwood,

Tenn.; Alia Stevens, a freshman from Grove City, Ohio; and Denny Kerns, a freshman from McLeansville, N.C. The University of Delaware also was represented on the research cruise.

The March excursion was divided into two five-day legs due to the weather.

Research was conducted as part of a Minerals Management Service contract for ongoing long-term studies of shelf evolution and surficial geology.

Coastal has sent students and faculty on research trips aboard the *Ferrel* in November 1991, March 1992, November 1992 and March 1993.

#### NASA official to lecture about black holes

The School of Natural and Applied Sciences will host NASA's Joseph Dolan on Wednesday, April 14 at 7 p.m. for a lecture, "What Do Black Holes Look Like?" The lecture is free and open to the public, and will be held in the Little Theater.

Dolan also will meet with students and members of the community to discuss astronomy and NASA on Wednesday, April 14 at 12:30 p.m. in the Science Building, room 114. The discussion is free and open to the public.

Dolan is an astrophysicist at NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center. His research interests include X-ray and gamma ray astronomy, astronomical polarization, neutron stars and black holes. He earned a master's degree in astronomy and a Ph.D. in astrophysics, both from Harvard University.

Dolan also will speak to a morning astronomy class at Coastal about types of gravitational lenses and their ability to measure the age and size of the universe.

Dolan's visit is being conducted by the Howard Shapley Visiting Lecture Series of the American Astronomical Society.

For more information, contact Paul Camp.

# Physics professor awarded his sixth NASA fellowship

Ballou Skinner has been awarded a NASA summer fellowship for space research at Langley Research Center in Hampton, Va. The award marks Skinner's sixth fellowship from NASA and his second fellowship to Langley Research Center.

Skinner will be assigned to the Space Station Office of the Space Directorate. His research will involve subsystem growth requirements beyond the baseline configuration for space station *Freedom*, and configuration definition for evolution of space station *Freedom* to accommodate future users such as the lunar and Mars missions.

Langley Research Center was

established in 1915 and has evolved into one of the leading aeronautical and space research laboratories in the world. It actively supports a NASA-wide effort to speed and broaden the transfer of aerospace-related technology so that it may increasingly be brought to bear human and terrestrial problems.

Skinner joined the Coastal faculty in 1972. He earned a bachelor's degree in engineering from Clemson University in 1958, a master's degree in physics from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1963, and a Ph.D. in physics from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1970.