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# Coastal Carolina

## UNIVERSITY NEWSLETTER

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

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## New residence facility planned

The Residency Group, LLC, a private South Carolina-based development company, will develop a student residence facility near Coastal's Conway campus. The first phase of the 987-bed facility, to be located on a 27-acre site on S.C. Highway 544 approximately one-half mile from campus, is expected to be ready for occupancy by the 2003 fall semester.

A newly-created student housing foundation will issue bonds to finance the construction. The Residence Group, LLC, will build and manage the facility. Ownership of the property will revert to the university in 30 years.

"This facility will provide much-needed housing for our students within walking distance of campus," said Stan Godshall, Coastal's assistant vice president for budget and facilities. "It will allow us to use more of our undeveloped property for academic facilities."

The project will include 21 buildings with 47 beds each. The one, two and four private bedroom apartments will offer private baths, furnished bedrooms, living and dining rooms and kitchens.

"Initiatives between foundations and private developers have proved beneficial to many institutions of higher education across the country," said Dan Moore, chairman of the newly created student housing foundation and a member of Coastal's Board of Trustees. "This is the first time Coastal has benefited from such an undertaking and it is the second such arrangement for a South Carolina university."

## Construction begins on football stadium

A groundbreaking ceremony was held July 30 for Coastal's new state-of-the-art football stadium. The \$9.2 million facility, which will seat 8,200 when its first phase is completed, will be home for the Chanticleers' new NCAA I-AA football program. Coastal's first game is scheduled for September 2003.

"This is a momentous occasion and yet another step toward the first season of football here at Coastal Carolina University," said Warren "Moose" Koegel, Coastal's director of athletics. "We are very excited to see construction begin on what will prove to be a great facility for our student-athletes and fans."

Hill Construction Inc., of Mt. Pleasant will handle the construction of the stadium which was designed by McMillan Smith & Partners of



Among those participating in the July 30 groundbreaking ceremony for Coastal's new NCAA I-AA football stadium were (from left) members of Coastal's Board of Trustees Robert "Duke" Brown, Fred DuBard Jr., Dan Moore, former Chancellor Dick Singleton, Director of Athletics Warren "Moose" Koegel and Head Football Coach David Bennett.

Spartanburg. The stadium is expected to be complete by July 2003.

Participating in the groundbreaking with Coastal administrators and area legislators were E. Burrow Hill, III of Hill Construction, Ron G. Smith of McMillan Smith and Partners, and Coastal football players Maurice Simpkins of Leesville and Chad Toothman of Myrtle Beach.

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

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# Hare receives South Carolina Women of Achievement award

Sally Z. Hare, Singleton Endowed Professor of Education and director of the Center of Education and Community at Coastal, was recently recognized as one of the eight recipients of the 2002 South Carolina Women of Achievement award. She was one of the 49 nominees for the award, which is sponsored each year by the Governor's Commission on Women.

According to the commission, Hare was chosen for the award for her achievements as an educator. Throughout her 32-year career she has been committed to erasing the barriers of racism and other prejudices, and helping young people reach their full potential.

The Women of Achievement awards have been given since the early 1970s. Nominations are open to the public and are solicited statewide. According to the award criteria, the honor is given to women who demonstrate leadership, make lasting contributions in their fields of expertise, are



*Coastal's Sally Z. Hare was recently presented a 2002 Women of Achievement award by Gov. Jim Hodges.*

exceptional role models and mentors for young women, and open the doors of opportunity for future generations.

Hare, who joined the Coastal faculty in 1974, founded Coastal's Center for Education and Community in 1993 and has served as its only director. She previously served as dean of Graduate

and Continuing Education at Coastal for 10 years. During her career at Coastal, Hare has been a Kellogg National Fellow and a Fetzer Teaching Fellow and she won a national award in Community Development from the National Continuing Education Association. Under her guidance, Coastal's Center for Education and Community has sponsored a number of innovative programs linking the university and the community, including Calling All Colors, Jump for the Sun and America Reads. Hare earned a bachelor's degree, master's degree and Ph.D. from the University of South Carolina.

In spring 2001, Hare was the sixth recipient of Coastal's Distinguished Teacher-Scholar Lecturer award, sponsored by Horry Telephone Cooperative, Inc. The annual award is presented to a faculty member who has outstanding abilities as a teacher, scholar and communicator.

## Four new education programs offered

Four new degree programs are being offered by Coastal's College of Education. The programs include a bachelor of arts in middle grades education, a bachelor of arts in special education, a master of arts in teaching (MAT) and a master of education (M.Ed.) in educational technology.

"These new programs were developed to address the professional education needs of our students and to respond to the needs of our community and state," said Gilbert Hunt, dean of Coastal's College of Education.

The middle grades program prepares teachers specifically for the unique demands of educating middle school-age students. Coastal is one of the first institutions in the state to offer the middle grades education program. Students in middle schools are typically between the ages of 11 to 14 and are in fifth- through eighth-grade.

The special education program prepares K-12 teachers to teach learning disabled students. The program includes the study of diagnostic, instructional and

assessment skills. The program also addresses related issues of the learning disabled student and the student's family as well as study of teacher collaboration and current trends in the field. Learning disabilities are identified as difficulties in acquiring listening, speaking, reading, writing, reasoning or mathematical abilities. Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (AD/HD) is also addressed.

The MAT provides an additional avenue of entry into the teaching profession for teaching candidates within the fields of art, English, foreign languages, mathematics, music, social studies and science. The program allows students to pursue teacher certification by entering the profession through a graduate-level training program.

The M.Ed. program prepares students for careers in school settings as specialists, instructors, coordinators or classroom teachers skilled in technology applications. State-of-the-art course work and field experiences prepare candidates to design, develop and manage instructional systems and products.

## Bond sale will fund campus work

A proposal to issue \$8.7 million in bonds for a number of deferred maintenance, renovation and improvement projects at Coastal has been approved by the S.C. Budget and Control Board.

Among the projects which the bond sale will help fund are the multi-purpose athletic field house, football and soccer stadiums, renovations in Kimbel Library, Student Center and the Media Center; repair work in Kearns Hall and the Science Building; development of the Fowler farm property; and various infrastructure projects relating to fiber optics, drainage, signage and parking.

## Faculty/staff discount

All Coastal faculty and staff may register for any Lifelong Learning Society course or workshop at a reduced rate. For more information, call 349-2665.

## Coastal's Rising Tide Project designed to increase local scientific awareness

A group of Coastal marine science professors, science students and local high school science teachers are working together on the Rising Tide Project, a unique collaborative effort designed to raise scientific awareness at the local level.

Developed by Coastal's Department of Marine Science with support from the National Science Foundation and the Waccamaw Math and Science Hub, the project features seven teacher/student teams, consisting of one local high school teacher and a Coastal undergraduate science major who work with a Coastal professor on a locally relevant marine or coastal zone related project. Using the methodology and data from their experience, the teams will design discovery- and inquiry-based classroom activities for high school students that emphasize hypothesis testing, data manipulation and interpretation. Activities will be designed in a Web-based format, tested and assessed in the classroom and then incorporated into the South Carolina Aquarium's statewide aquatic curriculum, which is accessible through its Web site.

"This is a great opportunity for our students, who get hands-on experience while working with the high school teachers," said Rob Young, principal investigator of the project and an associate professor of marine science at Coastal. "We hope that this will develop into a successful long-term program in Horry and Georgetown counties because it provides high school teachers the opportunity to take what they learn in the field and incorporate it into their classroom activities."

Each team member will earn four credit hours for completing the 120-hour research project.

The Rising Tide projects and participants include:

- Sharks in Winyah Bay (two teams) - Dan Abel, assistant professor of marine science, marine science major Mario Travaline of Lowellville, Ohio, and Sean Stemmler of Georgetown High School; and Abel, biology major Katie Koontz of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Melanie Hughes

of Andrews High School;

- Sea Breezes and Local Weather - Craig Gilman, associate professor of marine science, marine science major Heather Anderson of Moon Township, Pa., and Greg French of Socastee High School;

- Rainfall, Throughfall and the Effects of Acid Rain on Major Ions and Iron - Jane Guentzel, assistant professor of marine science, marine science major Heather Young of Sidney Center, N.Y., and Rebecca Ward of Socastee High School;

- Water Quality Monitoring in Coastal Rivers and Waterways - Susan Libes, professor of marine science, marine science major Jeremy Saeger of Chesapeake, Va., and Thomas Boling of Conway High School;

- Coastal Beach Erosion - Eric Wright, associate professor of marine science, marine science major Rachel Peterson of Conway and Donald Poland of North Myrtle Beach High School; and

- The Ecological Role of Bottlenose Dolphins in North Inlet and Winyah Bay - Rob Young, associate professor of marine science, marine science major Steven Brantley of Chesapeake, Va., and Shannon Stone of Socastee High School.

For more information on the Rising Tide Project, contact Rob Young at 349-2277.

## LLS names Volunteer of the Year

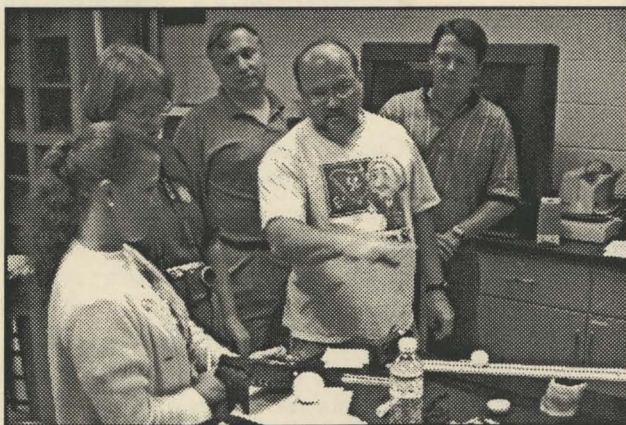
Rocky Cartisano of Conway has been named the 2002 Volunteer of the Year by Coastal's Lifelong Learning Society (LLS), an adult learning program administered by Coastal's School of Continuing Studies.

Cartisano, who retired from Lucent Technologies after 28 years of service, has served as president of the LLS Advisory Board for the past two years and has been instrumental in the continued development of the organization.

Other LLS members recognized at the annual Volunteer Reception were Caroline Ewing of Loris, who received the Outstanding Volunteer Award for her work with the LLS and Elderhostel program, and Carol Graham and Nena Johnson, who received Volunteer Appreciation Awards for their work with the Coastal Youth Academy.

The program received the National Model Program Award for 1999 from the Network for Older Adult Learners of the Association for Continuing Higher Education (ACHE).

For more information, contact Coastal's School of Continuing Studies at 349-2665, 349-2544 or visit [www.coastal.edu/learn](http://www.coastal.edu/learn) on the Internet.



*Ewart Irick of Holly Hill-Roberts High School explains his group's experiment to workshop participants.*

*Teaching physics teachers: For the second consecutive summer, Coastal's physics department hosted a special workshop for high school physics teachers. The workshop, sponsored by the American Association of Physics Teachers, is designed to provide instruction on new teaching technologies to physics teachers in non-urban areas. Twenty teachers from South Carolina schools attended this year's conference, which focused on laboratory experiment methods involving new techniques for computer interfacing with the Texas Instruments graphing calculator. Coastal physics professors Teresa Burns and Louis Keiner will serve as resource contacts for the teachers.*

## Campbell wins silver medal at international competition

In her international competition debut, Coastal's Amber Campbell threw the hammer 205 feet, 8 inches to claim the silver medal in the 2002 North America, Central America & Caribbean (NACAC) Under-25 Track and Field Championships. The event was held at E.M. Stevens Stadium on the campus of Trinity University in San Antonio, Texas.

Campbell, the first Coastal athlete to make a U.S. national team, came close to her all-time best throw with her silver-winning toss.

Jamine Moton, a Clemson graduate and the 2002 NCAA hammer champion and collegiate record holder, won the event with a toss of 213 feet, 6 inches.



Amber Campbell

Third place went to Canada's Jennifer Joyce, a former All-American at the University of California, with a throw of 192 feet, 2 inches.

Campbell qualified for the meet by being one of the top under-25 finishers at the USA Outdoor Track and Field Championships in June. Campbell beat members of the 2000 USA Olympic Team at that meet and finished fourth overall.

The NACAC championships features athletes from 32 countries competing in 45 events. Each event features the top two under-25 athletes from each country.

Campbell, a native of Indianapolis, is a three-time collegiate All-American and a junior on Coastal's indoor and outdoor track and field teams.



### 2002 Football Scrimmage Schedule

**Friday, Aug. 30**  
at Carolina Forest High School, 6 p.m.

**Friday, Sept. 6**  
at Myrtle Beach High School, 6 p.m.

**Saturday, Sept. 28**  
at Coastal's practice field, noon

**Friday, Oct. 4**  
at Socastee High School, 7 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 12**  
at Coastal's practice field, noon

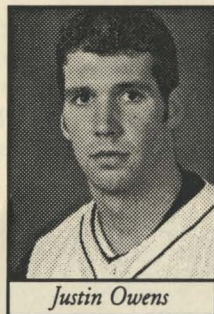
## Owens and Koppel earn Big South Conference's top honors

Former Coastal baseball player Justin Owens and junior cross country and track and field performer Kara Koppel have been named the Big South Conference's Howard Bagwell Award winner and Women's Scholar-Athlete of the Year, respectively.

The Bagwell award, given to the most outstanding Men's Player of the Year, is named for Big South Conference founding father Howard Bagwell, who served as Charleston Southern's first and only director of athletics for 35 years before his retirement in the spring of 2000.

Owens was named the Big South Conference Baseball Player of the Year after leading the conference with a .417 batting average.

He was named a Third Team All-American by the National Collegiate Baseball Writers' Association and Louisville Slugger/Collegiate Baseball Magazine. He completed his four-year career at Coastal, ranking in the top 10 of 11 different offensive categories, and is the only player in



Justin Owens



Kara Koppel

Coastal history to rank in the top 10 of hits, doubles, triples and home-runs. Owens set the Coastal career record for runs scored (175) and holds the single season record for doubles (24). The Lincoln, R.I., native also is just the second player in Coastal history to have double-digit homers and stolen bases in two different seasons. Owens was drafted in the 33rd round of the this year's MLB Draft by the Toronto Blue Jays.

Koppel was the 2002 Big South outdoor track and field and cross country Scholar Athlete of the Year. The McDonald, Ohio, native was a

Second Team Verizon Academic All-American in cross country and track and field. A two-time Big South All-Conference honoree in cross country, she was also the 2001 Big South women's cross country Scholar-Athlete. Koppel, a psychology major, was also a two-time champion and All-Conference performer at 2002 Big South indoor track championships. She has been on Coastal's President's List six times, the Big South's Presidential Honor Roll three times and was a member of the 2001 Big South All-Academic Teams in cross country and outdoor track and field.

The men's and women's Scholar Athlete of the Year is voted on by the Big South sports information directors from a pool of each sport's Scholar-Athlete winner. The nominees all must be at least a sophomore in standing, be a significant contributor to the team and have a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

## 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.*

- **John Goodwin** presented an invited paper titled "Development of Computer-Based Activities for Peer-Led Team Learning in University-Level General Chemistry" at the Scuola Superiore G. Reiss Romoli (SSGRR) 2002 Summer conference on Infrastructure for e-Business, e-Education, e-Science, and e-Medicine.

The conference was held in L'Aquila, Italy, from July 29 to Aug. 4. Goodwin's paper describes research based on a recent Teaching with Technology Micro-Grant from Coastal and the Horry County Higher Education Commission.

- **Jo-Ann Morgan** was the featured artist in the summer exhibition at Niemann Hayden Gallery in Scottsdale, Ariz. The show, titled "Metals-Figures and Flora," included eight of Morgan's woven wire sculptures. She attended the opening reception in June.

## Campus Calendar

**Thursday, Aug. 22**

- Classes begin for Regular Fall

**Friday, Aug. 23**

- Comedian Gary Owen, Wheelwright Auditorium, 7 p.m.

**Monday, Aug. 26**

- Classes begin for Fall I

**Thursday, Aug. 29**

- Jack Thompson photo exhibit slide presentation/lecture and opening reception, Edwards 136, 6 p.m.; exhibit runs through Oct. 10

**Monday, Sept. 2**

- Labor Day holiday

### ATHLETIC EVENTS

**Friday, Aug. 23**

- Men's Soccer at Furman (exhibition), 7 p.m.

**Saturday, Aug. 24**

- Women's Soccer at Wake Forest (exhibition), 5 p.m.

**Tuesday, Aug. 27**

- Women's Soccer hosts Carolina Girls (exhibition), 6 p.m.

**Friday, Aug. 30**

- Women's Soccer at South Carolina State, 4 p.m.
- Football (scrimmage) at Carolina Forest High School, 6 p.m.
- Men's Soccer at Virginia Commonwealth tournament, through Sept. 1
- Volleyball at Buffalo, 8 p.m.

**Saturday, Aug. 31**

- Volleyball at Buffalo tournament, versus Canisius and Bucknell

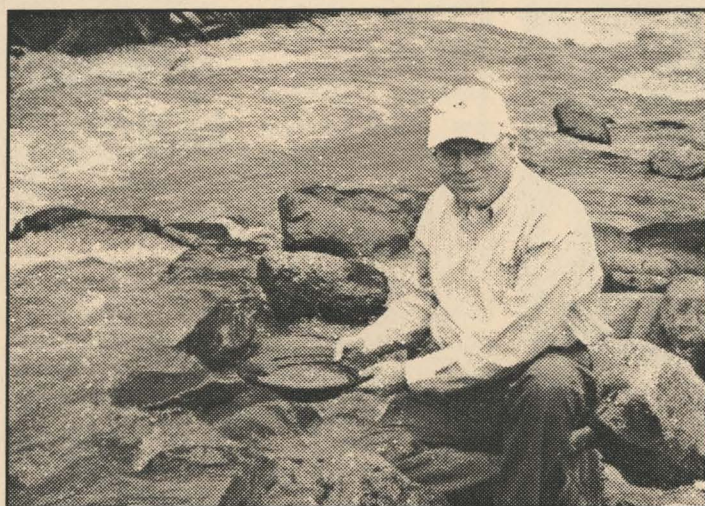
**Sunday, Sept. 1**

- Women's Soccer hosts Appalachian State, 2 p.m.

**Tuesday, Sept. 3**

- Women's Soccer at College of Charleston, 7 p.m.

**Panning for Coastal Gold**  
While enjoying the beauty and serenity of Alaska during his summer vacation, President Ingle came up with a new source of funding to supplement Coastal's budget. Talk about revenue streams!



## Rising medical costs force State Health Plan increase for 2003

Rising health care costs will require State Health Plan employee premiums to increase by an average of \$24 per month Jan. 1, 2003. There will be no changes in co-payments, deductibles or other plan benefits.

The Budget and Control Board recently voted to increase premiums by \$18.74 per month for State Health Plan subscribers with Enrollee Only and Enrollee/Children coverage. The rate for subscribers with Enrollee/Spouse and Full Family coverage will increase \$37.48 per month.

The State Health Plan, which covers more than 382,000 government employees, dependents and retirees, would be unable to pay claims at some point next year without the additional funds. The General Assembly was unable to provide additional funding for the plan in the 2002-03 state budget.

Surveys, focus groups and consultation with employee and retiree associations found that the preferred approach for dealing with the shortfall was to protect existing benefits by increasing premiums.

## Birthdays

### August

20 Edward Causey  
John Hanna

21 Marcella Greene

23 Scott Callahan

24 Judy Hawkins

27 Eddie Dyer

Susie Harrelson

28 David Bredekamp

John Navin

29 Jackie Andrews  
Jim Eason

31 Steve Hutchinson  
Brandy Reaves  
Faye Tyler

### September

1 Ray Rice

2 Reggie Bellamy

Paul Olsen

Bruce Parker

Robert Stevens

3 Jeffrey Feuer

Carrie Herrington

Christopher Hill

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Chanticleer Days 2002  
presents

**Gary Owen** comedian



Former host of BET's *Comic View*

**Friday, August 23, 2002, 7 p.m.**  
**Wheelwright Auditorium**

Free Admission

Rebecca Randall Bryan Art Gallery  
presents

**Jack Thompson**



Photographic Reflections of Old Myrtle Beach

**Opening Reception and Slide Lecture**  
**Thursday, August 29, 2002, 6 p.m.**

The exhibition will continue through Thursday October 10