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University to recognize degree candidates at commencement

Coastal Carolina University will recognize December 1995 candidates for graduation during commencement Sunday, Dec. 17 at 3 p.m. at the Caucus Brothers Theatre located in Fantasy Harbour. Also recognized with the approximately 180 December graduation candidates will be 122 August 1995 graduates.

Linda Hollandsworth, recipient of Coastal's 1994-1995 Distinguished Teaching Award, will deliver the address.

All full-time faculty are required to participate and should contact the Office of the Dean of their school so a list can be compiled of all participants with their academic rank for recognition.

Faculty will assemble, wearing their academic robes, in the Caucus Brothers Theatre lobby at 12:15 p.m. in order to line up according to academic rank.

For more commencement information, contact committee chair Bob Squattini at extension 2000; for more faculty information, contact senior faculty member Joyce Parker at extension 4242.

Celebrate the Season

• The Holiday Tree Lighting, featuring a performance by the Coastal Carolina Choir, will be Monday, Dec. 4 at 4 p.m. on the greenside of the E.M.S. Building and Student Center. The program is open to students, faculty and staff. For more information, contact Nadeen Godwin at extension 2014.

• The Coastal Carolina Concert Choir will present a Christmas Concert on Tuesday, Dec. 5 at 7:30 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. The performance is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Philip Powell at extension 2215.

• Faculty and staff are invited a Holiday Gathering on Friday, Dec. 8 from 8 p.m. to midnight at the Holiday Inn West, on Highway 501 at Waccamaw Pottery. Donations are required. Tickets are $5 per person; hors d'oeuvres, cash bar and music will be provided. Faculty and staff may bring a spouse or guest. For more information or reservations, contact Nadeen Godwin at extension 2014.

• Winter Wonderland, a holiday program for faculty and staff, will be Tuesday, Dec. 14 at 4 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. A reception will follow the performance. The afternoon performance will feature favorite holiday stories and songs performed by faculty and staff and will include a special visit from Santa. For more information, contact Lamosie Yates at extension 2099.

Singleton House members to celebrate end of semester

Members of the Singleton House are invited to attend the End of Semester Celebration on Tuesday, Dec. 12 at 4:30 p.m. in the Singleton House. Food will be served at 5:30 p.m.

Singleton House membership is open to faculty, staff, and staff, fees are $50 per academic year or $30 per semester.

For more information or to join Singleton House, contact Joan Pincott at extension 2271.

S.T.A.R. sponsors Red Cross blood drive

The Students Taking Active Responsibility (S.T.A.R.) program will sponsor an American Red Cross Blood Drive on Wednesday, Dec. 6 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Student Center Gymnasium. Donors will receive a baseball cap in appreciation for their contribution.

Coastal Carolina Concert Choir will perform holiday concert

The Coastal Carolina Concert Choir will present a Christmas concert in Wheelwright Auditorium on Tuesday, Dec. 5 at 7:30 p.m. The performance is free and open to the public. Donations will be accepted to help offset the cost of the group's educational programs. Refreshments will be available.

Philip Powell is director of the group. Musical accompaniment includes faculty member Carol Perkins, piano; Michael Gilbert, trumpet; and Dan Ramsey, trumpet.

From Christmas classics such as "Joy to the World" and Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus" to "Hail Holy Queen" from the movie "Sister Act" starring Whoopi Goldberg, and "Dock the Halls," the 55-member group's repertoire is filled with familiar favorites.

Choir members include:

On Campus deadlines

The next issue of On Campus will be Monday, January 8, 1996.

This deadline to submit information is Tuesday, January 2, 1996.

This will be the last issue of On Campus for the fall 1995 semester.

HCHEC appoints new members

The Horry County Higher Education Commission announces the appointment of two new members. Julie S. Parker of Myrtle Beach and George L. Williams, St. of Conway will each serve four-year terms as commission members.

Parker has been involved in education for 39 years. She served as director of minority student relations at Coastal Carolina University from 1987 to 1991. She also taught African American and U.S. history at Coastal from 1979 to 1974; he was the first African American to teach at Coastal. He was principal of North Myrtle Beach High School from 1974 to his retirement in 1986 after serving 12 years as the only African American principal in Horry County since integration in 1970. He was assistant principal at Conway High School from 1969 to 1974. In 1982, Williams was appointed to the local draft board by President Reagan. Williams has taught government, economics and world history/geography at Chestnut, Whitemore and Conway high schools. He is a board of trustees of McKiever's Funeral Home, his family business in Conway. He also is a member of the board of trustees of Conway General Hospital, Inc. From 1977 to 1985, he served as chair of the board of trustees of Horry-Georgetown Technical College. He was president of the Horry County Association of School Administrators in 1974. Williams earned a master's degree in education and put his administrative skills with South Carolina State College in 1961. In 1953, he earned a bachelor of science degree in pre-law from South Carolina State College. Williams lives in Conway.

John W. Dawson of Aynor, John S. Gause of Longs, and James T. Cargill of Conway were reappointed to the commission for four-year terms. Dawson is chair of the commission.

In 1979, the South Carolina General Assembly formed the Horry County Higher Education Commission to develop higher education opportunities for students of Horry County. Commission members are recommended by the Horry County Legislative Delegation and appointed by the Governor of South Carolina.

Students participate in community service projects

The Students Taking Active Responsibility (S.T.A.R.) program has had a successful semester with outstanding student group participation, according to S.T.A.R. coordinator Al McCormick.

Among the 1995 fall semester projects and events sponsored by the program are the Grand Strand Beach Sweep, All-Star Charity Softball Tournament, Trick or Treat in the Dorms, World AIDS Day, Festival of Lights in Spadoni Park, and an American Red Cross Blood Drive.

Organizations that received funds from the S.T.A.R. program include the Horry County Shelter, Homeless American Heart Association, and the American Red Cross.
Coastal offers study abroad programs in 1996

Coastal will offer study abroad programs in 1996 to Costa Rica, India, England, Ecuador/Galapagos Islands and Montserrat through the Office of International Programs. Programs are open to Coastal students, from other institutions; students, alumni, faculty and staff and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Special shortened programs in Costa Rica and England are available for those seeking academic credit.

Costa Rica (May 12 to June 1)

• Application and $250 due Dec. 15 – remainder due in two installments
• Total cost is $3,620 and includes airfare, tuition for three credit hours, room and two meals a day; basic medical and travel insurance and some excursions. Students will take a three-credit-hour Spanish class and live with carefully selected host families. Room and board will consist of a private room and breakfast and dinner each day.
• Alumni, faculty and staff may participate in an abbreviated one-credit-hour trip May 12 to June 21 for $1,730. Participants will stay in double occupancy hotel rooms. One night might be spent in a text community on platforms beneath the jungle canopy.
• Participants will visit San José, Carara Biological Reserve, Jaco Beach, Arenal Volcano and Tabacon Thermal Water Spa platforms beneath the jungle canopy. A coffee bean plantation, a butterfly farm and a cultural event in Pueblo Antiguo.

India (June 12 to 23)

• Application and $200 due Jan. 1 – remainder due in two installments
• Cost excluding tuition for six credit hours is $2,995 and includes airfare, all transportation, room and board and admission fees to various sites.
• Alumni, faculty and staff may participate in the same trip at the same price.

Accommodations are triple occupancy in three-star hotels. Rooms are air-conditioned and meals are provided. With Robert Grosvenor, the group will travel to Madras and visit Mahabalipuram by the sea, Kashmirpur, Puddicherry, Thanjever, Chilambaram, Madura and Chettinad. Several days will be spent in Madurai before continuing to Thirukkadai. While in Thirukkadai, the group will take a safari by boat into the jungle. Activities are planned in Trichy, England (July 7 to 28)

• Application and $200 due Jan. 1 – remainder due in two installments
• Cost: Images of England module: $2,610 plus tuition for six credit hours
• Shakespeare and His Contemporaries module: 2,880 plus tuition for six credit hours (theater tickets included)
• Alumni, faculty and staff may participate in an abbreviated, non-credit-hour trip from July 7 to July 17 for $2,025.

Participants will visit at Manchester College, located in the heart of Oxford, and visit Buckingham Palace, the Houses of Parliament, St. Paul’s Cathedral, Covent Garden, Westminster Abbey, the Tower of London, and more. The group also will see three plays and go on a boat trip on the Thames River. Students enrolled for credit may choose from two modules:

• Images of England – Led by Richard Collins
• Shakespeare and His Contemporaries – Led by USC faculty member George Gackle

The faculty, staff, alumni total trip cost includes round-trip airfare, single accommodations and breakfast and dinner in London; two 24-hour subway travel passes in London; double accommodations (single extra), breakfast and dinner in Oxford, and admission and ground transportation to all sites. In addition to the excursions mentioned in the student program, participants will see plays in London, Stratford and Oxford and visit Windsor Castle and Hampton Court Palace.

Ecuador/Galapagos Islands (May 16 to June 3)

• Application and $1,000 due Jan. 15 – remainder due March 18
• A total cost of $3,500 includes airfare, twin bed accommodations, three meals a day, overland travel, and for the four­credit-hour course: Natural History of the Rainforest and the Galapagos Islands.
• Alumni, faculty and staff may participate in the same trip for non-credit for $2,820.
• Led by Richard Koester and Michael Ferguson

The group will go to Jatun Biological Station in the Napo Province for a six-day study of the plants, birds and animals of the rainforest. The group will return to Quito before flying to the Galapagos Islands for eight­day/seven­night cruise on the yacht Free Enterprise. Students will travel to several islands to observe many forms of birdlife and snorkel among sea lions in Gardner Bay. Accommodations for the rainforest portion of the course will be in Cabanas Alahucito, located on a bluff overlooking the Napo River. The rustic cabins, inhabited by village homes, are situated in a small tropical garden. All meals are included.

Montserrat, British West Indies (June 5 to 19)

• Applications and $220 due Jan. 1 – remainder due in two installments
• Total cost is approximately $2,600 and includes airfare, ground transportation, room and two meals a day, tuition for the four-credit-hour course: Natural History of the Eastern Caribbean. Optional activities not included are: PADI diving certification, diving, kayaking and hiking.
• Alumni, faculty and staff may participate in the same trip for non-credit for approximately $2,400.

Accommodations are double occupancy two- and three­bedroom villas. Led by Richard Moore, students will study the development and evolution of the island ecosystems, the effects of development from past agriculture to current tourism and more.

For more information, call Geoff Parsons at 549-1054. Program prices are subject to change.

Coastal Carolina People in the News

Items in the Coastal Carolina People section will appear in the "On Campus" feature following the presentation of an event.

Sally Horner was a presenter at the South Carolina Higher Education Administration Conference held recently in Myrtle Beach. The topic was planning and budgeting for higher education. Horner also was a member of a special visitation team of the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools on Nov. 4 through 7 at Edward Waters College in Jacksonville, Fla.

Rebecca Kasparek presented a paper, "From Words to Concepts: Writing-to-Learn Mathematics," at the Annual Teacher Education Conference which was co-sponsored by the South Carolina Association of Teacher Educators and the South Carolina Association of Colleges for Teacher Education. Kasparek was selected to present the paper in the Conference Proceedings: Words of Change II, Full Service Schools. Kasparek also recently presented two lectures at the annual meeting of the South Carolina Council of Teachers of Mathematics. The first session dealt with "Developing Reasoning Skills for the Math SAT." The second session dealt with "Using Writing-to-Learn Mathematics.”

Eric Koepfli recently presented papers at two international conferences. He presented an invited paper, "Salt­exclusion geomorphology and ecological development: Influence upon habitat linkages within and across ecosystems," at the National Society of Ecological and Ecological Research (ESCO) meeting in Dublin, Ireland. At the Estuarine Research Federation (ERF) meeting held in New Orleans on March 15, Koepfli presented a poster titled "Trophic Dynamics and Feeding Behavior" and presented the poster "Seasonal changes in the trophodynamics of plankton in a tidal creek of North Inlet, SC. 1 Controls upon bacterioplankton communities." Koepfli co-authored two additional papers which were presented at the ERF meeting by Alan Lewitus of USC-Bush Marine Laboratory and Dan Children of Florida International University. Two Coastalside students, Eddison Jones and Scott Sellers, also were co-authors on the ERF meeting papers.

Richard D. Moore has been selected to serve on the Program Committee for the National Council of University Research Administrators (NCURA) "Conference on Sponsored Programs for Predominantly Undergraduate Colleges and Universities" to be held in Washington D.C. The purpose of the conference, held every other year in the spring, is to bring faculty and administrators together with officials from federal and private agencies which fund research instructional and services programs at such institutions. The Program Committee, consisting of NCURA members from 10 different institutions, is responsible for designing and coordinating the three­day conference. Moore has attended previous conferences and served as a session moderator in 1994.

Subhash Saxena was invited to make a presentation, "Trachts Everywhere, Why Not in Classroom?", in a special session of the annual meeting of the South Carolina Council of Teachers of Mathematics (SCTM) held recently in Myrtle Beach. More than 2,700 South Carolina mathematics teachers and educators attended the meeting; several keynote speakers and invited guests attended from various regions of the county.

Glenda Sweet and Linda Hollandsworth presented papers at an international conference sponsored by the Giner for the Study of Christian Values in Literature held at Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah, Nov. 9 through 11. The title of the conference was Flannery O’Connor and the Christian Mystery. A Seventh Birthday Symposium.

Birthdays in December and January

December

4 Paul William Solo
5 Rebecca Kasparek
7 Teresa Morris
9 Heath Nobles
10 Susan Thomason
6 Tommy McCardle-Lee
8 Bill Hamilton
10 Geoffrey Goodell
11 Bob Robinson
11 Tracy L. Jones
12 Sue J. Treadwell
13 Steve Sheffield
14 Chris Marsh
15 John Steen
16 Delores Maria Lehman
17 Jimmy Sore
19 Jack Kendree
20 Check Whetzel
22 Peter Hermann
24 Pamela Jones
25 Edward E. Lot
25 Lola Dewitt
25 Lea Haga
26 Chris Mee
26 Teresa Thompson
27 Nina Veas
29 Alisa Johnson
31 Tom Stevens
31 Herbert G. Thompson
31 Tracy Garland
31 Linda Schwartz
31 Tresa W. Thomas

January

25 Carolyn Cox
27 Carolyn Mitchell
5 William Jaraman Hill
5 Charles Joyner
6 Allard Frasier
7 Thomas Edward Metzplew
7 Mary Crosse
8 Erica Nis Jenkins
9 Debbie Stanley
10 Robert Langren

On Campus

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Monday, Jan. 8 Tuesday, Jan. 2
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Monday, Feb. 5 Tuesday, Feb. 1
Monday, Feb. 19 Tuesday, Feb. 15
Monday, March 14 Tuesday, Feb. 27
Monday, March 28 Thursday, March 12
Monday, April 1 Tuesday, March 26
Monday, April 15 Tuesday, April 9
Monday, April 29 Thursday, April 25
Monday, May 3 Thursday, May 7

Information should be submitted to the Office of Public Information in EMS R4.

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Bulletin Board

Bulletin Board is a free service for faculty and staff who wish to advertise items or services for sale or wanted. Ads may run no more than two consecutive times and are subject to space availability.

For sale: One, like new 1989 Chevrolet Celebrity. Four­door sedan, V6 engine, all power, with cruise control and sport wheel covers. Purchased and regularly serviced at Palmetto Chevrolet. 6,020 miles. $6,000 firm. For more information, contact Betty Miholko at extension 2004 or 547-4536.
**Calendar**

**December**

4
- Tree Lighting Ceremony
  4 p.m., between Singleton Building and Student Center
  Nadine Godwin
- Administrative Council meeting
  9 a.m., EMS Conference Room
  Nila Hutchison
  Gopher for DOS Workshop
  2:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., WALL 109
  Terri Brown

La Table Française/French Conversation Table
- Noon to 1 p.m., Cafeteria, Suzanne Thompson
- The 400 Hour, Foreign Film Series presentation (French)
  2:30 p.m., PRIN 213
  Suzanne Thompson
- Festival of Lights with Horry County Shelter Home
  4:30 to 6 p.m., Seaboard Park
  S.T.A.R./Office of Student Activities
- Coastal Carolina Concert Choir Christmas Concert
  7:30 p.m., WA
  Phillip Powell

6
- Blood Drive
  10 a.m. to 2 p.m., SC-Gameroom
- S.T.A.R./Office of Student Activities
- Faculty Senate Meeting
  4 p.m., WALL Auditorium
  Janet Straub
- Women's Basketball
  Coastal at UNC Wilmington, 7:30 p.m.
  Men's Basketball
  Alumni at Coastal, 7:30 p.m.

7
- The Table Francaise/French Conversation Table
  Noon to 1 p.m., Cafeteria, Suzanne Thompson
- Gopher for Windows Workshop
  2:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., WALL 109
  Terri Brown
- Last day of classes for regular fall semester
- Dated Training Workshop
  8:30 to 6:30 p.m., WALL 109
  Terri Brown
- Holiday Gathering for faculty and staff
  8 p.m. to midnight, Holiday Inn West, Myrtle Beach
  Nadine Godwin
- Student Holiday Dance
  8 p.m. to 11 p.m., Sea Mist Resort, Myrtle Beach
  Student Activities

9
- Campus Visits for Prospective Students and their Families
  8:30 a.m., WALL
  Office of Admissions
- Women's Basketball
  East Carolina at Coastal, 7 p.m.
- Men's Basketball
  East Carolina at Coastal, 5 p.m.

11
- Final exams for regular fall semester
  continuous through Friday, Dec. 15.
  P.E. Center
  abbreviated hours of operation effective, continues through Friday, Dec. 22. Monday through Thursday 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday 1-3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

12
- La Table Francaise/French Conversation Table
  Noon to 1 p.m., Cafeteria, Suzanne Thompson

Pegasse Mall for Windows Workshop
- 2 to 3:30 p.m., WALL 109
  Terri Brown
- Singleton House Member's End of Semester Celebration
  4:30 p.m., Singleton House
  Joan Pool
- Dean's Council Meeting
  9 a.m., EMS 131
  Chris Martin

14
- Last day of classes and final exams for Fall I
  S.C.R.A.P. Meeting
  noon, Rudi Dew's, Conway
  Quinn Jones
  Pegasse Mall for DOS Workshop
  2 to 3:30 p.m., WALL 109
  Terri Brown
- Winter Wonderland Faculty/Staff Holiday Show
  5 p.m., WA
  Lamonica Yates

15
- Coastal Day
  Wear Coastal logo items to show team spirit.

Dated Training Workshop
- 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., WALL 109
  Terri Brown

16
- Residence halls closed
- Kimbel Library closed
- through Monday, Jan. 1.

17
- December Commencement
  1 p.m., Gatlin Brothers Theatre
  Fantasy Harbour, Waccamaw
  Rob Sponsigala
- Men's Basketball
  Coastal at Auburn University, 3 p.m.

19
- Women's Basketball
  Carolina Holiday Beach Classic, Myrtle Beach Convention Center, TBA, continues through Thursday, Dec. 21
  Sports Information

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- Women's Basketball
  Carolina Holiday Beach Classic, Myrtle Beach Convention Center, TBA, continues through Thursday, Dec. 21
  Sports Information

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- Women's Basketball
  Carolina Holiday Beach Classic, Myrtle Beach Convention Center, TBA

22
- Administrative offices closed through Monday, Jan. 1
  Men's Basketball
  Coastal vs. Hampton University, Myrtle Beach Convention Center
  7:30 p.m.
- P.E. Center closed
  through Monday, Jan. 1

29
- Women's Basketball
  Coastal at Georgia Southern, 7:30 p.m.

**January**

2
- Administrative offices open
  8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Kimbel Library open
- 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. through Monday, Jan. 15
- P.E. Center opens
- Monday through Thursday 11:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday 11:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. through Monday, Jan. 15.
- Last day Office of the Bursar can accept mail-in fee payment
- Cancellation of course schedules for non-payment of fees

Men's Basketball
- Coastal at College of Charleston, 7:30 p.m.

6
- Kimbel Library closed

7
- Kimbel Library closed

8
- Orientation/Registration for new Students
  Women's Basketball
  Coastal at UNC Asheville, 7 p.m.
  Men's Basketball
  Coastal at UNC Asheville, Myrtle Beach Convention Center
  7:30 p.m.

**Cafeteria Menus**

The Campus Cafeteria will be open for brunch on Saturday, Dec. 16 then closed for the holidays until 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 6. The regular schedule will resume on Monday, Jan. 7.

The regular hours of operation for the campus cafeteria are: Monday through Thursday from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Friday from 7 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

**Week of December 4**

Monday: Barbecue Chicken or Pepper Steak
- Tuesday: Lasagna or Fettucine with Clam Sauce
- Wednesday: Fried Chicken or Kelbassa and Sauerkraut
- Thursday: Sweet and Sour Pork or Szechuan Chicken
- Friday: Cajun Baked Fish or Taco Salad

**Week of December 11**

Monday: Lemon Baked Chicken or Pot Roast
- Tuesday: Spaghetti with Marinara Sauce or Chicken Gordon Bleu
- Wednesday: Fried Chicken or Pork Fried Rice
- Thursday: Chicken Kabob or Pork Fried Rice
- Friday: Taco Salad or Shrimp Creole

*Note: Menus are subject to change due to product availability.*

**Discounts available for International travelers**

Opportunities for discounted international airfares available for faculty. For more information contact Geoff Parsons in the Office of International Programs, extension 2054.