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Coastal Carolina University to celebrate Founder's Day

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Speaker of the House of representatives David Wilkins to give address
The Coastal Carolina University 10th Founder's Day Convocation will be held Monday, Feb. 5 at 5 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. The ceremony is free and open to the public.

Parke Coble, James Johnson, R. Grant Singleton and International Paper will be named honorary founders of the university. The 1996 recipients of the Founders Medallion join 39 other founders and honorary founders who have played instrumental roles in the development of Coastal Carolina University and higher education, as well as in the positive growth of the region.

Speaker of the S.C. House of Representatives David Wilkins will deliver the convocation address.

Parke Cobles was superintendent of the Conway School District from 1950 to 1955. He had an instrumental role in the development of the Coastal Educational Foundation's drive to establish a two-year college in Horry County. Determined to expand educational opportunities in Horry County, Coble traveled with J.K. East, then director of instruction for the Conway School District, to meet with the University of South Carolina President to propose an Horry County branch of USC. Despite an unfavorable response from USC, Coble and East persisted and College of Charleston soon agreed to open a branch campus in the fall of 1954. In 1955, Coble accepted a position in Columbia as executive secretary of the South Carolina Education Association. He was a 1955 graduate of Furman University. Mr. Coble died in 1962.

James Johnson attended the Horry County public schools and served in the U.S. Navy from 1953 to 1956. He graduated from Coastal Carolina College in 1959. He was a member of the Charleston basketball team, Johnson was the first Coastal Carolina student-athlete to receive an educational opportunities in Horry County, Coble traveled with J.K. East, then director of instruction for the Conway School District, to meet with the University of South Carolina President to propose an Horry County branch of USC. Despite an unfavorable response from USC, Coble and East persisted and College of Charleston soon agreed to open a branch campus in the fall of 1954. In 1955, Coble accepted a position in Columbia as executive secretary of the South Carolina Education Association. He was a 1955 graduate of Furman University. Mr. Coble died in 1962.

Black Holes subject of Saffo lecture

The Department of Physics will sponsor a lecture by USC Physics Professor John L. Saffo, titled Black Holes – How Greatly Wins, on Thursday, Feb. 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the Wall Auditorium. The non-technical lecture is free and open to the public.

Saffo has been a faculty member at USC since 1964, where he teaches physics and astronomy and conducts research in the field of general relativity. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina.

The visit is being conducted under the auspices of the Harlow Shapley Visiting Lecture Series of the American Astronomical Society. The Shapley program promotes public awareness and interest in astronomy by sponsoring visits from professional astronomers to colleges and universities. The lecture series is named in honor of Harlow Shapley, an American astronomer from the early part of the century, who worked at the Mount Wilson Observatory and was the first person to measure the size of the Milky Way galaxy.

For more information, contact Paul Camp at extension 2227 or the Department of Physics at extension 2302.

Financial Aid Awareness Month

The Office of Financial Aid, Scholarships and Veteran Affairs, in conjunction with the South Carolina Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, will participate in a statewide promotion of financial aid awareness for prospective students and their families. Coastal's financial aid counseling will be available Thursday, Feb. 21 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and Wednesday, Feb. 22 from 3 to 6 p.m. in the SC Overflow area to answer questions and assist students in completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

For more information, contact the Office of Financial Aid, Scholarships and Veteran Affairs at extension 2315.

Faculty information from the Office of the Provost

* Nominations sought for Distinguished Teacher-Scholar Lecturer Award
* Nominations sought for the 1996 Distinguished Teacher-Scholar Lecturer Award. The award, established by the university with sponsorship of Honey Telephone Cooperative, is intended to annually recognize a Coastal faculty member who has distinguished himself or herself as a teacher, a scholar and a communicator. Faculty, retired faculty, staff, students and community members are invited to nominate outstanding faculty members for the award. Nominations also will be accepted.

The award recipient will receive a $500 stipend and a plaque of recognition and will deliver an original lecture or presentation to the university community during October 1996. The lecture or presentation will be published and distributed among members of the university community, the university's faculty and friends, and all university libraries in South Carolina and to other selected university libraries throughout the U.S.

Nominations should be submitted in writing to the Office of the Provost by Friday, March 1. A one-page application form will be mailed to each nominee. The completed form must be received by the Office of the Provost by Friday, March 29, 1996.

For more information, contact the Office of the Provost at extension 2088.

* Kearns Palmetto Professorship nominations sought
* Applications and nominations for the Kearns Palmetto Professorship are being accepted by the Office of the Provost. The endowed professorship was established by state funds authorized by SC Act 629 (1988) Section 59. 104-250 and by the Coastal Educational Foundation, Inc., to attract and retain outstanding faculty who are making or who show promise of making substantial contributions to the Coastal Carolina University through teaching, scholarship and/or creative work.

Nominations for candidates nominated for the professorship must hold the rank of tenured professor, or in the case of external candidates, must meet all the requirements for appointment as a tenured professor.

Specific criteria includes quality of teaching; quality and number of scholarly and/or creative works; enhancement of Coastal Carolina University's reputation through regional, national and international recognition of professional work, service to the university and to the profession which distinguishes the individual and the university; and appropriate professional and personal conduct.

The recipient of the endowed professorship may use the income for salary supplement; student research assistants; program related travel and publications; administrative support and equipment.

Nominations should be submitted in writing to the Office of the Provost by Friday, Feb. 23. A one-page application form will be mailed to each nominee; completed forms must be returned to the Office of the Provost by Wednesday, March 20. For more information, contact Chris Marini at extension 2086.

* Proposals accepted for professional activities mini-grants program
* The Faculty Welfare and Development Committee is accepting proposals from full-time, tenure and tenure-track faculty and instructors for consideration in the professional activities mini-grants program. The purpose of the program is to encourage and to allow faculty to participate externally in the professional activities of their discipline, to improve their effectiveness as teachers and to expand their capabilities as creative contributors to their discipline.

Applications are available in the offices of the department chairs, the deans and the provost. Applications must be submitted to the committee chair Kerri Townsend in PRIN 119 by Tuesday, Feb. 26. For more information, contact Kerri Townsend at extension 2417 or the Office of the Provost at extension 2086.
Sam Snead's Restaurant to host golf scholarship benefit

The eleventh annual Golf Scholarship Dinner will be held at Sam Snead's Restaurant and Tavern on Monday, Feb. 19 and Tuesday, Feb. 20. Dinner seatings will be each evening from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Proceeds will be used to support the men's and women's golf teams at Coastal. Ticket purchasers may choose an entree of prime rib, stuffed flounder or baked chicken. Tickets are $25 per person and also entitles the bearer to door prize drawings each evening. Additional door prize drawings will be held Monday, Feb. 19 and Thursday, Feb. 22 from 7:30 to 5 p.m. in SC 205. Area employers who are interested in recruiting full-time career positions requiring a degree or experience are invited to participate; registration deadline is Monday, Feb. 5.

For more information, contact Mollie Foot at extension 2253.

Career Recruitment Days

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The Office of Career Management Services will host Career Recruitment Days on Wednesday, Feb. 28 and Thursday, Feb. 29 from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. in SC 205. Area employers who are interested in recruiting full-time career positions requiring a degree or experience are invited to participate; registration deadline is Monday, Feb. 5.

For more information, contact Corinne Godshall at extension 2035.

* Cultural Expansion

The fifth annual Cultural Expansion will be held Monday, Feb. 19 and Tuesday, Feb. 20.

**News from the Credit Union**

Credit union changes hours of operation

The Carolina Collegiate Federal Credit Union, located in EMS 223, will be open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Corinne Godshall at extension 2035.

Student employees eligible for credit union membership

The Carolina Collegiate Federal Credit Union extends an invitation to student employees of Coastal to join the credit union to take advantage of the membership opportunities and offerings. By joining the credit union allows Coastal's student employees to receive the same advantages as all members. Some of the membership advantages are as follows:

- Preferential treatment in lending
- No minimum opening deposit
- Direct deposit
- Fee waiver on savings plans
- Mortgage loans
- Overdraft protection

Lecture series focuses on women's issues

A Women's Issues Group will meet on Tuesdays from 5 to 6:30 p.m. in SC 201 through the spring semester and will include a wide range of topics of interest to women. Students, faculty and staff interested in women's issues are invited to attend the free lectures.

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Lectures will be presented as follows:

- **Tuesday, Feb. 6:** Safety issue presented by Vicki Gardner
- **Tuesday, Feb. 20:** Family Patterns presented by Ruth Higson, Clinical Counselor, Horry County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse
- **Tuesday, Feb. 27:** Sexual Harassment: What It Is, What It Is Not, What To Do About It presented by Janis Chelsey
- **Tuesday, March 5:** Learned Helplessness/Learned Optimism presented by Linda Palm

For more information, contact Stacy Greimrey at extension 2900.

Valentine's Day is special for home of Chanticleer

The following article was written by Don Millus, a lecturer on Chaucer and Shakespeare.

Anyone who has followed college basketball knows about Coastal's unique mascot, Chanticleer. But Chanticleer's original script writer, the Middle English poet, Geoffrey Chaucer, also is the man who made St. Valentine's Day famous. Chanticleer, as most college graduates know, is the quick-thinking, super-stud Rooster who learns from his mistakes in Chaucer's Canterbury Tales. Chaucer apparently really loved birds. His poem about St. Valentine's Day, "The Parson's Tale," is about all birds of every sort finding their true love, their mates, in spring.

All of the classical and medieval stars of the religion of love, from Cupid to Venus to Priapus, appear in Chaucer's 14th-century dream vision. At a "parliament" or meeting of all the birds about to select their mates, the noble eagles hold the center of attention. But the rest of the birds, including not only lovely turtle doves, but decked doves, worms eaters, and lecherous sparrows, grow impatient. They can't wait for the noble eagles to decide who gets the beautiful female eagle. "Let us get on with it," Chaucer has them say, as everyone finds his or her true love, all on St. Valentine's Day.

The poem ends with a chorus celebrating the coming of summer. (In medieval England, St. Valentine's Day, Feb. 14, was sometimes considered the first day of spring.)

Spring in coastal South Carolina comes pretty early too. In the Myrtle Beach area it is not warm as much as a gathering of birds, although we have plenty of those, both wintering over and passing through, but by gollers flocking in from the thawing tundras of Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York.

Few of them will get many birdies, to say nothing of eagles. Still, we welcome them as a sure sign of spring around the home of America's Chanticleer. Blame Chaucer, too, if roses go up to $10 a dozen in February.

In appreciation

"The family of Joyce Wendellken wishes to express their gratitude for the sympathy expressed by the Coastal Carolina University community. Thank you."
On Campus

FEBRUARY

5
Administrative Council Meeting
5 p.m., DNS Conference Room
Nila Hartshorn
Founders Day
3 p.m., WA
Nadine Groebel
Men's Basketball
Coastal at UNC Asheville, 7 p.m.

6
Using Windows Workshop
2:30 to 4:30 p.m., WALL 109
Terri Brown
Safety Agenda Items
presented by Vicki Gardner
Women's Issues Group
1 to 2:30 p.m., SC 201
Stacy Getzmeier
Women's Basketball
UNC Asheville at Coastal, 7 p.m.

7
La Table Francaise/French Conversation Table
noon to 1 p.m., Cafe
Suzanne Thompson
Faculty Senate Meeting
2 p.m., Wall rm. 109
Jaret Strub
Narcotics Anonymous Open Meeting
3:30 p.m., RL 236
Vicki Gardner

8
Beginning Quattro Pro for Windows Workshop
9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., WALL 109
Terri Brown

9
Basketball
Coastal at University of Miami, TBA.

10
Women's Basketball
Coastal at UNC Greensboro, 3 p.m.
Narcotics Anonymous Open Meeting
3:30 p.m., RL 236
Vicki Gardner
Men's Basketball
UNC Greensboro at Coastal, 3:30 p.m.
Baseball
Coastal at University of Miami, TBA.

11
Basketball
Coastal at University of Miami, TBA.

12
Women's Basketball
Charleston Southern at Coastal, 7 p.m.
Men's Basketball
Coastal at Charleston Southern, 7:30 p.m.

13
Four Freshmen
professional performance
7:30 p.m., WR, Wheelwright Box Office

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COASTAL CAROLINA PEOPLE

Terms in the Coastal Carolina People section will appear in the "On Campus" issue following the presentation or event.

Steve Hamselman's review of Hawthorne's Narrative Strategies (June) was published in the December volume of American Literature.

Sadly, Hare has been appointed to a three-year term of the Advisory Council of the Institute on Families in Society at USC. The main focus of the Institute's work is the enhancement of connections between families and their communities. She also has been reappointed by State Superintendent of Education Barbara Neilsen for a three-year term to the Governor's Committee on South Carolina Business-Education Partnership for Excellence in Education, Education Category.

Three of Elizabeth Keller's ceramic teapots have been chosen to appear to the Seventh Annual Teapot Show, a national juried exhibition sponsored by art consultants A. H. Hoberhebm, Inc. The show, which highlights fun, funky and functional teapots in all dimensions and media, will be exhibited at the Mount Mary College Gallery in Milwaukee, The Oconomowoc Gallery Ltd., Oconomowoc, Wis. and Chiasson Galleriae in Chicago.

Jill Sessions recently presented a lecture on Ernest Hemingway's For Whom the Bell Tolls at Chapel Library as part of the Library's "Let's Talk About It" series. The series provides lectures on books that deal with war in our century.

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Pegasus Mall for DOS Workshop
2:30 to 4 p.m., WALL 109
Terri Brown

17
Campus Visits
For prospective students and their family/friends all day, campus
Admissions
8 a.m., WA
University of North Carolina at Coastal, 1 p.m.
Narcotics Anonymous Open Meeting
6:30 p.m., KL 238
Vicki Gardner
Women's Basketball
Radford University at Coastal, 7 p.m.

18
Baseball
University of North Carolina at Coastal, 1 p.m.

19
Golf Scholarship Dinner
5 to 7 p.m. and 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.
San Remo Restaurant and Tavern, Myrtle Beach
Tom Jennings/Carole A. Moore
Women's Basketball
Liberty University at Coastal, 7 p.m.
Men's Basketball
Coastal at Liberty University, 7:30 p.m.

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Cafeteria Menus

The 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 6:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Week of February 5
Monday: Barbecue Chicken or Pepper Steak
Tuesday: Lasagna or Penne in Clam Sauce
Wednesday: Fried Chicken or Kielbasa and Sauerkraut
Thursday: Sweet and Sour Pork or Sesame Chicken
Friday: Cajun Baked Fish or Taco Salad

Week of February 12
Monday: Lemon Baked Chicken or Pot Roast
Tuesday: Spaghetti with Marinara Sauce or Chicken Gorgonzola 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.

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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 needed. Ads may run no more than two consecutive times and are subject to space availability.

For sale: 1989 Chevrolet Celebrity, all-power, cruise control, sport wheel covers. One-owner; all maintenance records available. $6,000. (S6,000). For more information, contact Sandy Mihaleas at extension 2064 or 347-4516.

For rent: Lot in Murrell's Inlet suitable for mobile home. Located at the corner of Oak Street and 17-Bypass across from Back Porch Restaurant. For more information, contact Janet Strub at extension 2090 or 365-6157 before 9 p.m.