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# On Campus

A Newsletter for Faculty and Staff of Coastal Carolina University • Volume 5, Number 3 • February 5, 1996

### Coastal Carolina University to celebrate Founder's Day

Parks Coble, James Johnson, R. Grant Singleton, International Paper to be honored Speaker of the House of representatives David Wilkins to give address

The Coastal Carolina
University 10th Founders Day
Convocation will be held
Monday, Feb. 5 at 3 p.m. in
Wheelwright Auditorium. The
ceremony is free and open to
the public.

Parks 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.

Parks Coble was superintendent of the Conway Schools from 1950 to 1955. He had an instrumental role in 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 Schools, 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 1933 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. A member of the Chanticleer basketball team, Johnson was the first Coastal Carolina student-athlete to receive an athletic scholarship. He was the first Coastal Carolina alumnus honored by the University of South Carolina with an honorary degree; he received a Doctor of Public Service degree in 1985. A longtime member of the Coastal Educational Foundation and the Horry County Higher



Education Commission, Johnson also was first chair of the Coastal Carolina University Board of Trustees, serving two terms between 1993 to 1995. He is president and treasurer of Dargan Construction Company, Inc., of Myrtle Beach.

R. Grant Singleton has extensive involvement in South Carolina education. In 1957, he joined the Coastal Carolina faculty as a professor of commercial law; he taught for a number of years. Singleton has been a longtime member of the Coastal Educational Foundation, and was appointed by former

Governor Carroll Campbell to the Commission on the Future of South Carolina. In 1974, Singleton and Elizabeth G. Singleton, his wife, established the Joseph E. Singleton Memorial Endowment through a gift to the Coastal Educational Foundation; and in 1993, the R. Grant and Elizabeth G. Singleton Professorship in Teacher Education was established. In 1949, Singleton earned a Juris Doctor degree from the University of South Carolina School of Law, and in 1951, a Master of Laws degree from New York University. He practiced law in Conway and Myrtle Beach until his retirement in 1984.

International Paper has been a vital participant in the history and growth of Coastal Carolina University. In 1960, International Paper, in collaboration with Burroughs Timber Company, donated the 185-acre tract of land for the permanent site of the campus. The New York-based International Paper is the largest and most broadly based producer of printing and writing papers and paperboard and packaging products in the world. In 1994, more than half of the \$1.5 million awarded by the International Paper Company Foundation was presented to higher, secondary, minority, adult and economic education. Through the EDCORE (Education and Community Resources) program, the International Paper Company Foundation awarded more than \$650,000 to 45 school districts in 14 states during the 1994-1995 academic year. International Paper is the first corporate recipient of the Founders' Medallion.

For more information, call the Office of Public Information at extension 2003.

# **Faculty information from** the Office of the Provost

• Nominations sought for Distinguished Teacher-Scholar Lecturer Award

Nominations are being accepted for the 1996 Distinguished Teacher-Scholar Lecturer Award. The award, established by the university with sponsorship of Horry 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, alumni and community members are invited to nominate outstanding faculty members for the award. Self-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 friends and benefactors, all university libraries in South Carolina and to other selected university libraries throughout the United States.

Nominees for this prestigious award must be tenured members of the university faculty and may represent any area of knowledge or expression at the university. **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 59-104-230 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 Coastal Carolina University through teaching, scholarship and/or creative work.

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 Martin at extension 2086.

 Proposals accepted for professional activities mini-grants program

The Faculty Welfare and Development Committee is accepting proposals from full-time, tenured 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 committee chair Kenneth Townsend in PRIN 119J by Tuesday, Feb. 20. For more information, contact Kenneth Townsend at extension 2417 or the Office of the Provost at extension 2086.

## **Black Holes subject of Safko lecture**

The Department of Physics will sponsor a lecture by USC Physics Professor John L. Safko, titled *Black Holes — When Gravity Wins*, on Thursday, Feb. 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the Wall Auditorium. The nontechnical lecture is free and open to the public

Safko 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

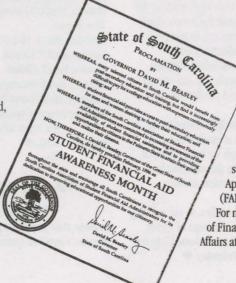
American Astronomical Society. The Shapley program promotes public awareness and interest in astronomy by sponsoring visits from professional astronomers to colleges and universities. The lecture series is named in honor of Harlow Shapley, an American astronomer from the early part of the century, who 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 2202. •

# 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 counselors 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 2313.◆

# 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 to 7 p.m. and from 7:30 to 9:30 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 drawing tickets also are available; door prize winners do not have to be present to win. Dinner and door prize drawing tickets are available by calling Tom Brennan or Carole Abner. Tickets also may be purchased in the Office of Athletics located in the Athletic Administration Building and from members of the Myrtle Beach Women's Club. Checks should be made payable to CINO-CCU; the ticket cost is tax deductible within the allowable compliances of the law.

For more information, contact Brennan at extension 2902 or Abner at extension 2820.

# **Career Recruitment and Cultural Explosion**

#### • Career Recruitment Days

The Office of Career Management Services will host Career Recruitment Days on Wednesday, Feb. 28 and Thursday, Feb. 29 from 9 a.m. 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 Fout at extension 2333

· Cultural Explosion

The fifth annual Cultural Explosion will be held

Saturday, April 13 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Spadoni Park, as part of the 1995-1996 African American Celebration. The event, sponsored by the Office of Minority Student Relations, is a day-long celebration of cultural diversity through music, art, food and more. Vendors interested in displaying ethnic arts and crafts, or those who would like to discuss ethnicity, perform cultural or traditional dances, and more are encouraged to participate. Vendor registration deadline is Thursday, Feb. 15.

For more information, contact Pat Singleton-Young at extension 2304.

# **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 offerings and opportunities.

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 checking
- · Direct deposit
- · Full line of savings plans
- Mortgage loans
- · Overdraft protection

- Safe deposit boxes
- Free traveler's checks
- Advantage Plus
- Nightwatch
- Private Teller
- · Worldwide ATM-Cirus and Honor
- VISA debit card
- · VISA credit card
- · Auto warranty program
- Financial counseling

According to credit union president/CEO Anne Shivers, "Many student employees are not aware that they are eligible for membership, and are often not aware of the variety of personal services the credit union offers. Precious time can be saved for busy students able to take advantage of Private Teller, (personal computer account access) and Nightwatch (telephone account access.)" Personal service and attention also can make a difference as students are starting their financial histories.

For more information, contact Corinne Godshall at extension 2035.

### 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.

Faculty are requested to review the lecture topics as some sessions may be appropriate as a course requirement or as an attendance recommendation for class participation

- Lectures will be presented as follows: • Tuesday, Feb. 6: Safety Issues presented by Vicki Gardner
- Tuesday, Feb. 13: Different Communication Styles

Between Men and Women presented by Joan Piroch

- 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 To Do About It presented by Janis Chesson
- Tuesday, March 5: Learned Helplessness/Learned Optimism presented by Linda Palm

For more information, contact Stacy Cretzmeyer at

# Valentine's Day is special for home of Chanticleer

This 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 Parliament of Fowls, is all about 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 seed eaters, worm eaters, and lecherous sparrows, grow impatient. They can't wait for the noble eagles to decide who gets the beautiful female eagle. "Let's 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 in coastal South Carolina comes pretty early, too. In the Myrtle Beach area it is marked not as much by a gathering of birds, although we have plenty of those, both wintering over and passing through, but by golfers 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 \$40 a dozen in February. •

# **Birthdays in February**

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5	John Idoux
	Jeanne Turner
6	Hester Atkinson
	Tricia Bailey
	Sara Sanders
8	Ernie Locklair
9	Debra A. Wright
10	June Brown
	Wanda Legette
	Claudia McCollough
13	Kim Montague
	Ellen Parsons
	Randall Wells
15	Edna Bellamy
	Abdallah Haddad
16	Melissa Winfield
19	Trenna Metts

# On Campus

On Campus will be published during the spring

Publication date:	Submission
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Monday, Feb. 19	Tuesday, Feb. 13
Monday, March 4	Tuesday, Feb. 27
Monday, March 18	Tuesday, March 12
Monday, April 1	Tuesday, March 26
Monday, April 15	Tuesday, April 9
Monday, April 29	Tuesday, April 23
Monday, May 13	Tuesday, May 7

On Campus is published biweekly on Monday by the Office of Public Information. Items to be included should be submitted to the Office of Public Information in EMS 204 by noon the Tuesday before publication.

Coastal Carolina University is an affirmative action, equal opportunity institution.

# Library hours of operation for spring semester

The Kimbel Library and media collection hours of operation for the spring semester are as follows: Regular hours (in effect through Saturday, May 4, except as noted)

### **Kimbel Library**

- · Monday through Thursday: 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.
- Friday: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Saturday: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Sunday: 1 to 11 p.m.

### Exceptions:

Saturday, March 9 and Sunday, March 10: Closed Monday, March 11 through Friday, March 15: 8 a.m. to 5

Sunday, April 7: Closed

Sunday, May 5: 1 to 9 p.m.

Monday, May 6 through Friday, May 10: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 11 and Sunday, May 12: Closed

### **Media Collection**

- · Monday through Thursday: 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.
- Friday: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Saturday: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Sunday: 1 to 9 p.m.

### Exceptions:

Saturday, March 9 and Sunday, March 10: Closed Monday, March 11 through Friday March 15: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 16 and Sunday, March 17: Closed Sunday, April 7: Closed

Sunday, May 5: Closed

Monday, May 6 through Friday, May 10: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, May 11 and Sunday, May 12: Closed Summer hours of operation begin Monday, May 13.

For more information, contact Kimbel Library at extension 2402.

# Mappreciation M

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

Art Wendelken

# On Campus

**Administrative Council Meeting** 9 a.m., EMS Conference Room Nila Hutchinson **Founders Day** 3 p.m., WA Nadine Godwin Men's Basketball Coastal at UNC Asheville, 7 p.m.

**Using Windows Workshop** 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., WALL 109 Terri Brown Safety Issues lecture presented by Vicki Gardner Women's Issues Group 5 to 6:30 p.m. SC 201 Stacy Cretzmeyer Women's Basketball UNC Asheville at Coastal, 7 p.m.

La Table Française/French Conversation Table noon to 1 p.m., Cafeteria Suzanne Thompson **Faculty Senate Meeting** 4 p.m., Wall rm. 309 Janet Straub **Narcotics Anonymous Closed Meeting** 6:30 p.m., KL 238 Vicki Gardner

Beginning Quattro Pro for Windows Workshop 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., WALL 109 Terri Brown

Baseball Coastal at University of Miami, TBA.

Women's Basketball Coastal at UNC Greensboro, 3 p.m. **Narcotics Anonymous Open Meeting** 6:30 p.m., KL 238 Vicki Gardner Men's Basketball UNC Greensboro at Coastal, 7:30 p.m. Baseball Coastal at University of Miami, TBA.

11 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., WA. Wheelwright Box Office

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

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La Table Française/French Conversation Table noon to 1 p.m., Cafeteria Suzanne Thompson Baseball UNC Wilmington at Coastal, 3 p.m. **General Staff Meeting** 3 p.m., WALL Auditorium Janis Chesson **Narcotics Anonymous Closed Meeting** 6:30 p.m., KL 238 Vicki Gardner

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

16 Men's Basketball Coastal at Radford University, 7:30 p.m.

## Summer travel for faculty, staff and alumni

Faculty, staff and alumni have the opportunity to broaden their horizons through Coastal's summer travel program to London and Oxford from July 7 through July 17.

The group will begin the excursion with an airline flight originating in Myrtle Beach and continuing to London's Gatwick Airport. Four days will be spent in London visiting sites such as the Tower of London, the



Imperial War Museum, Westminster Abby, St. Paul's Cathedral and more. The group will attend a showing of a West End production which performs plays such as Cats, Phantom of the Opera and Sunset Boulevard, among others.

The group also will make day trips to Hampton Court Palace and Windsor Castle.

A day of exploring the university city is planned when the group arrives at Oxford. From Oxford, day trips are planned to Stratford, which includes a Royal Shakespeare Company production and visits to Mary Arden's and Anne Hathaway's homes; Winchester and Stonehenge; Bath; and Blenheim Palace, the birthplace of

According to Geoff Parsons, "[The trip] is a fast and furious 10 days, but there is sufficient time to venture out on your own on several afternoons."

The cost of the 10-day trip is \$2,025 and includes the majority of expenses except for souvenirs and trips to the local pubs. For more information and exact details of any expenses not included in the fee, contact Parsons at extension 2054.

**Campus Visits** for prospective students and their families/friends all day, campus Admissions

Baseball

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.

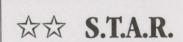
18 Baseball University of North Carolina at Coastal, 1 p.m.

19 Golf Scholarship Dinner 5 to 7 p.m. and 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Sam Sneads Restaurant and Tavern, Myrtle Beach Tom Brennan/Carole Abner

Liberty University at Coastal, 7 p.m. Men's Basketball

Women's Basketball

Coastal at Liberty University, 7:30 p.m.



Wednesday, Feb. 14 **Alcohol Abuse Seminar** 

Featuring: Renee Lamm, MD and Tony Albiniak, Ph.D. Student Center, room 205 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

# 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 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Week of February 5 Monday: Barbecue Chicken or Pepper Steak Tuesday: Lasagna or Fettucine with Clam Sauce Wednesday: Fried Chicken or Kielbolsa and Sauerkraut Thursday: Sweet and Sour Pork or Szechwaun 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 Cordon 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

# 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. Immaculate; V-6 engine, all-power, cruise control, sport wheel covers. One-owner; all maintenance records available. \$6,000. For more information, contact Sandy Mishoe at extension 2004 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 Straub at extension 2090 or 365-6157 before 9 p.m.

# **COASTAL CAROLINA PEOPLE**

Items in the Coastal Carolina People section will appear in the "On Campus" issue following the presentation or

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

Sally 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. Houberbocken, 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. in Oconomowoc, Wis. and Chiaroscuro Galleries in Chicago.

Jill Sessoms recently presented a lecture on Ernest Hemingway's For Whom the Bell Tolls at Chapin Library as part of the library's "Lets Talk About It" series. The series provides lecturers on books that deal with war in our