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Domke-Damonte to direct Fellows

Darla Domke-Damonte has been named director of Coastal's prestigious Wall Fellows program. Conceived

in 1995 by the



late E. Craig Wall Jr., a prominent South Carolina businessman and CCU supporter, the Wall Fellows program is designed to prepare top students for high-level careers in major U.S. and international corporations and organizations.

An associate professor of management, Domke-Damonte serves as international programs liaison for the Wall College of Business. She has been instrumental in establishing exchange programs with universities abroad, particularly in Germany. She is conversant in six languages and she has also worked in Central and Western Europe, Ecuador and Russia.

Domke-Damonte chairs the university scholarship committee, and has served as faculty adviser to Coastal's Society for the Advancement of Management (SAM) club. She was presented the Student Affairs Division Award in 2003 and was nominated for the distinguished teacher of 2002.

Four inducted into Hall of Fame

Coastal has inducted four members new into the George F. "Buddy" Sasser Hall of Fame.

The 2004 honorees were Jessica Falca, one of the most out-

standing softball student-athletes in Coastal's history; Angela Murphy, who dominated the Big South Conference Women's Track and Cross Country during her career; Guy Norcott, a threetime All Big South soccer player; and Edgar Dyer, (honorary), vice president for university relations and the Chanticleers' first women's golf coach.

Falca, who played softball at Coastal from 1996 to 1999, left her mark on the NCAA Division I record book. She finished her career with the all-time national stolen base record (196 steals) and career national rankings of 7th in hits, 15th in batting average, and 12th in runs scored. A three-time All Big South Conference honoree, the outfielder/shortstop earned the 1996 Big



South Rookie of the Year award and led the Chanticleers to their first NCAA Tournament appearance in 1998.

Murphy, of Cork, Ireland, who par-

ticipated in track and cross country from 1994 to 1998, won five league championships and earned All Big South records five times. She also represented Coastal on the



national level, winning a silver medal in the 3000M at the 1996 PENN Relays and earning NCAA Championship appearances in track and cross country. She anchored Coastal's nationally ranked cross country team and led the Chanticleers to three Big South Championships. She has several school and Big South records.

Norcott, a native of Liverpool, England, played soccer at CCU from 1989 to 1992. The three-year captain started 75 games for the Chanticleers

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CCU chosen to evaluate WebCt learning system

Coastal has been chosen by WebCT, a provider of online learning systems for higher education, to partner with three other institutions to test and evaluate a new version of a Webbased course management system.

Coastal, along with Brown University, Grant MacEwan College and the Los Angeles County Office of Education, will install WebCT's new Campus Edition 6 upgrade.

Each institution will evaluate its experiences with the program in order to help the company refine and improve the new system.

Based in Lynnfield, Mass., WebCT provides e-learning environments for thousands of colleges and universities around the world.

Theater students mount 'Streetcar'

Tennessee Williams' classic play, "A Streetcar Named Desire," is being presented by Coastal's Department of Performing Arts from Wednesday, Nov. 10 through Sunday, Nov. 14 in the Edwards Black Box Theater.

Performances are at 7:30 nightly Wednesday through Saturday, with

a matinee at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 14. General admission is \$10, students 18 and under \$5. Free with CCU ID.

"Streetcar" is the story of Blanche DuBois, a fragile and neurotic woman on a desperate prowl for a place in the world to call her own. She takes refuge in New Orleans' French Quarter with her sister Stella and brother-in-law, the violent Stanley Kowalski, as rumors of her scandalous past begin to catch up with her.



From left, Margaret Graham, Michael Bratsafolis, Kristine Schuck and Daniel Morgan star in "A Streetcar Named Desire."

Directed by Tom Jones, the 17member cast includes, in the main roles, Margaret Graham as Blanche DuBois, Michael Bratsafolis as Stanley, Daniel Morgan as Mitch and Kristine Schuck as Stella. Jeanell Jones is Eunice, Matt Hayward is Steve and Julian Colletta plays Pablo. Others are Jeravon Hatchett, Ann Winnard, Steven Memoli, Jessica Leach, Robbie Hambright and Kristen Skarzynski.

Hall of Fame inductees honored

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and helped win 57 victories during that time. He was named the 1990 Big South Conference Player of the Year and led the Chants to the NCA A Tournament's



Sweet Sixteen in 1992. Norcott earned All South Region honors in 1990 and was a three-time All-Big South selection.

A professor of politics, Dyer has been a member of the Coastal faculty since 1976. He oversees six departments in his vice presidential job, serves as the university's liaison with the S.C. General Assembly and the Horry County Higher Education Commission, and is the university's counsel. Dyer was also the public address announcer for women's basketball games and has actively



Eddie Dyer

supported many athletic projects including the establishment of intercollegiate football.

The Athletic Hall of Fame will be a significant feature of the proposed Athletic Field House to be constructed near the north end zone of Coastal's new football stadium. Until that structure is built, the Hall of Fame is temporarily located in Brooks Stadium.

'Hail Mary' catch wins College Fishing Tournament

By Don Millus

The last catch of the day won the 31st annual college saltwater fishing tournament for host school Coastal Carolina last weekend. Chanticleer football team wide receiver Daryl Davis battled a 30-pound amberjack to the *New Inlet Princess* to give the Coastal saltwater fishing team a narrow victory over Francis Marion University, 90 to 85.

The University of South Carolina, the defending champion, saw its string of four consecutive national fishing titles broken, but finished a strong third with 73 points over Clemson, which had to fish a man short, finishing with 38 points.

Student anglers boated 23 king mackerel, plus a 28.3-pound cobia by Francis Marion's Ben Ward, which looked like the catch of the day until Davis' last-minute "Hail Mary." Davis was a last-minute addition to the Chanticleer roster.

Mike Erwin of USC had the largest

Birthdays

November

6	Jean Reid	Audrey McCracken David Wood
7	Janice Sellers	
	John Stamey	14 John Farrelly
		Robin Strickland
8	Francis Butler	Gwen Turner
	Reubin Fullwood	
	Ashley Stathos	15 Randall Cox
		Regina Markland
9	Sandra Smith	0
		16 Richard Dame
10 Shametra Graves		
	Shelly Lang	17 Edwin Griffith
	Chris Martin	Sally Horner
	Regis Minerd	
	Yoav Wachsman	18 Glenn Hanson
11	Carl Dresden	20 Millie Taylor
	Arne Flaten	•
		21 Marvin Keene
12	Matt Hogue	Ernie Smith
13	Bob Full	
	Charlotte Lewis	

grouper of the day, a 12.4-pound gag. Biggest king by a student angler was a 13.8 pounder caught on a drift line by Erwin, while his teammate Wes Johnson had the largest blackfish, a two-pounder.

Traditionally, the top prizes in the tournament go to the largest king and blackfish, but all fish except sharks count toward the championship. Another tradition of the Coastal Carolina Invitational is that all the participating teams have their schools' names engraved on the permanent trophy donated by the South Carolina Department of Wildlife and Natural Resources, but the winning team gets an asterisk next to its name.

Major sponsor was the Coastal

Carolina Educational Foundation, with prizes donated by Conway National Bank, Bass Pro Shops, and numerous tackle manufacturers. The Hot Fish Club of Murrells Inlet prepares the blackfish fillets fried for the first course of the awards banquet with grilled and broiled king mackerel steaks for the main course following the long day of fishing.

This year's Invitational was fished in memory of CCU archeologist Jim Michie, who passed away this year. Michie gaffed two world record tiger sharks from a Myrtle Beach pier in one weekend in June of 1964. The second of those fish, a 1,780-pound tiger shark, still stands as a world all-tackle record.

Coastal Notes

Amy Tully presents flute recital

Amy Hardison Tully will present a flute concert at Edwards Recital Hall on Tuesday, Nov. 16 at 7:30 p.m.

Tully and pianist Winifred Goodwin will perform a variety of pieces from the solo flute repertoire including well known works by Haase, Reinecke, Berio and 20th century American composer Lowell Liebermann.

Would you like tea with your ethics?

Coastal's Jackson Family Center for Ethics and Values will offer its first event, a four-part series called "Tea & Ethics" beginning Thursday, Nov. 11.

"Ethical Issues at the Beginning of Life: Abortion, Cloning, Reproductive Technology" will be the first discussion in the series, scheduled for 3:30 p.m. in the Thomas W. and Robin W. Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts, room 249. The session will be led by Phil Schneider, associate professor of philosophy at Coastal, and Cheryl Rhodes, visiting professor of religion from the University of South Carolina. Get your Teal Homecoming shirt

In an effort to show school spirit campus-wide, the athletic department is asking faculty and staff to wear teal shirts on Fridays. Offered at cost, teal golf shirts with an embroidered Chanticleer are available for \$27 (women's and men's) and a sleeveless shirt is available for women for \$25. For information, call Melinda Hyman at 234-3428.

'Window to the World' conference

A conference on the international global community will be held Nov. 17-18 at Coastal.

The project, initiated by Pam Martin, begins at 12:30 p.m. Nov. 17 with "Careers and Internships in the United Nations: A Live Videoconference Information Session with the UN," in EHFA Videoconfer-ence Room 255.

From 6 to 8 p.m. Nov.17, the keynote address will be presented by Cate Steains, of the U.N. Office of Humanitarian Aid, on "The World's Greatest Neglected Emergencies: Discussions of Humanitarian Crises."

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A young girl named Clara dances with the toy wooden soldier that comes to life in her dreams and takes her to a wonderland of enchantment in "The Nutcracker," performed by the Columbia City Ballet Nov. 18 and 19 at 7 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium.

Campus calendar

Monday, Nov. 8

• Pop 101 concert, 7:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium, free

Wednesday, Nov. 10-Sunday, Nov. 14

"A Streetcar Named Desire," 7:30
p.m. Wednesday to Saturday; 3 p.m.
Sunday, Edwards Black Box Theater, free
with CCU ID

Thursday, Nov. 11

- "Ethical Issues at the Beginning of Life: Abortion, Cloning, Reproductive Technology," Tea & Ethics series, 3:30 p.m., Edwards 249
- "Should Capital Punishment Be Legal?" Current Events Colloquium, 7 to 8 p.m., Wall Auditorium
- Faculty Percussion Ensemble, 7:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium, free

Friday, Nov. 12

- Roy Talbert at Moveable Feast luncheon, Capt. Dick's Dockside, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., \$25 for lunch and talk on "Coastal Carolina University: The First 50 Years," call 349-4032 for reservations
- Jazz After Hours, 7:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium, free

Sunday, Nov. 14

 "Baroque, Classical and Beyond," Long Bay Symphony, 3 p.m. Wheelwright Auditorium, \$20 general admission, \$5 students under 18

Monday, Nov. 15

"Faat-Kine," Foreign Film Series,7 p.m., Wall Auditorium, free

Tuesday, Nov. 16

- "50 Years Later...Brown vs. The Board of Education," Nathaniel Irvin, Wake Forest University, 7 p.m., Wall 317
- Amy Tully flute concert, 7:30 p.m., Edwards Recital Hall, free

Wednesday, Nov. 17

 "Window to the World" conference, live videoconference session on U.N. careers and internships, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., EHFA 255

Thursday, Nov. 18

- "How to get involved in international programs at CCU," 10 to 11:30 a.m., Edwards Recital Hall
- "Student and faculty experiences abroad: A firsthand guide to Coastal's international programs of study," panel, 3 to 4:30 p.m., EHFA 257
- "The Nutcracker," Columbia City Ballet, 7 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium, free with CCU ID

Friday, Nov. 19

• "The Nutcracker," Columbia City Ballet, 7 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium, free with CCU ID

CCU Athletics

Friday, Nov. 5

- Men's soccer vs. South Carolina,
 Aaron Olitsky Memorial Soccer
 Classic, 5 p.m., College of Charleston
 Soccer Stadium
- Volleyball vs. Radford, 7 p.m., Kimbel Arena

Saturday, Nov. 6

Chanticleer football vs. Savannah State, 12:30 p.m., Brooks Stadium

Sunday, Nov. 7

Volleyball vs. Liberty, 7 p.m., Kimbel Arena

Wednesday, Nov. 10

 Men's basketball vs. Newberry, 7 p.m., Kimbel Arena

Thursday, Nov. 11-12

Men's Soccer in Big South Tournament quarterfinals and semifinals, TBA

Friday, Nov. 12

Volleyball vs. Charleston Southern, 7 p.m., Kimbel Arena

Saturday, Nov. 13

- Men's and Women's Cross Country, NCAA Southeast Regional Championship, 11 a.m., Greenville
- Chanticleer football vs. Jacksonville, 12:30 p.m., Brooks Stadium

Sunday, Nov. 14

- Women's basketball vs. Lowcountry All-Stars exhibition, 3 p.m., Kimbel Arena
- Men's soccer in Big South Tournament Championship, TBA

Friday, Nov. 19

Women's basketball vs. Anderson, 7 p.m., Kimbel Arena

Saturday, Nov. 20

- Football vs. Charleston Southern,
 7 p.m., Brooks Stadium
- Volleyball, Big South Championship, TBA

Richard N. Weldon has been named associate vice president for administration at Coastal.

Weldon will be responsible for the Office of Adminis-



Richard Weldon

trative Services, which includes: Business and Auxiliary Services; Facilities Planning and Management; Capital Improvements; Leases and Contracts; Risk Management; and Public Safety. He will continue to serve as associate university legal counsel, and director of Emergency Management.

Christopher Hill co-wrote with three other authors an article to be published in an upcoming issue of *Studies in Avian Biology*. The article is titled "The Evolution and Conservation Biology of Tidal Marsh Vertebrates: Molecular Approaches."

Eric Howington recently presented a paper at the Joint Statistical Meetings in Toronto, Canada. The

Coastal People

paper, "A Matrix-based Genetic Algorithm for Computing the Minimum Volume Ellipsoid," will be published in the conference proceedings.

Var Limpasuvan gave an invited

two-part presentation titled "Anomalous Polar Vortex Variation and Associated Stratosphere-Troposphere Evolution" at the California Institute of Technology in



Pasadena, Ca., this summer. The talk was hosted by Professor Yuk L. Yung of Caltech's Department of Geological and Planetary Sciences and Dong L. Wu of the NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory. The content of the talk was featured in the August issue of the *Bulletin of the American Meteorological Society*.

The Chanticleer Homecoming Court has been selected for 2004. They are: Shakira Brockington, Nathan Ayres, Crystal Burkhart, Robbie Clifton, Ashley Levin, Robbie Hambright, Tiffany Nesbit, Matthew Raymond, Erin Reeves, Jeremy Saeger, Ann Winnard and Matt Verost. The king and queen will be crowned during halftime at the Homecoming Football game on Saturday, Nov. 6.

History professor Robert T. Oliver has a new book out, A Faithful Heart: The Journals of Emmala Reed, 1865 and 1866, published by the University of South Carolina Press. Oliver holds degrees in history from Coastal and Clemson University.

Renee Smith and Dennis Earl have had their co-written article "Getting Started: A First Day Activity in Philosophical Thinking" accepted for publication in the journal *Teaching Philosophy*.

Philip Whalen has been invited to serve as 20th-century area editor for the *B-FRANCE* book review program. He will edit and provide feedback to reviewers to assist them in publishing effective critiques.

50 science talks continue through Nov. 16

Coastal's 50 science talks continue:

• "The Bus from Hell Hole Swamp: Commuting to Work in Myrtle Beach," led by Susan Webb on Nov. 9 at 7 p.m., Edwards 253.

• "Icebergs, Whales, Penguins and More: An Introduction to Antarctica" led by Steve Berkowitz, Nov. 9 at 7 p.m., Collins Law Enforcement Center Small Courtroom, Myrtle Beach.

• "Mercury: Is It on Our Dinner Plates?" by marine science professor Jane Guentzel, Nov. 9 at 7 p.m. at the North Myrtle Beach Recreation Center. • "Swimming Advisories on the Grand Strand" by Joseph Bennett, on Tuesday, Nov. 9 at 7 p.m. at the Loris Center for Health & Fitness.

• "What You Still Don't Know About Hurricanes," by Louis Keiner on Tuesday, Nov. 16 at 7 p.m. in the Collins Law Enforcement Center, Myrtle Beach.

• "Something's in the Air: Global Climate Changes and You" led by Varavut Limpasuvan on Nov. 9 at the Waccamaw Center for Higher Education. • "Managing Our Watershed: Strategies for maintaining water quality and natural habitats" by Susan Libes on Nov. 16, Waccamaw Center for Higher Education.

• "The Unique Galapagos Island: See What Darwin Saw" led by Richard Koesterer on Nov. 16, North Myrtle Beach Recreation Center.

• "Fins, Flippers and Flukes: Dolphins in South Carolina" led by Rob Young on Nov. 16, Edwards 253.



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