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UNIVERSITY NEWSLETTER

March 28, 2005

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

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New officers appointed to HCHEC

New officers have been named to the 2005-2006 Horry County Higher Education Commission.

Julie Snowden will serve as chair, John Vaught is vice chair, Ruthie Kearns is secretary and Page Ambrose is treasurer.

Snowden, of Myrtle Beach, is director of Marketing and Community Relations at Conway Medical Center. She earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

Vaught, of Conway, is head of the Electronics Engineering Technology Department at Horry-Georgetown Technical College. He earned bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of South Carolina in 1973 and 1994. He is also a member of the Horry-Georgetown Higher Education Commission.

Kearns, of Myrtle Beach, is senior vice president at Coastal Federal Bank. She earned a bachelor's degree from then Coastal Carolina College and a master's degree from the University of South Carolina.

Ambrose is assistant vice president for the Conway National Bank in Aynor. He serves on the Horry County United Way Board and is a member of the Aynor Lions Club. He earned a bachelor's degree from the University of South Carolina in 1983.

Coastal gets Quail Creek golf course



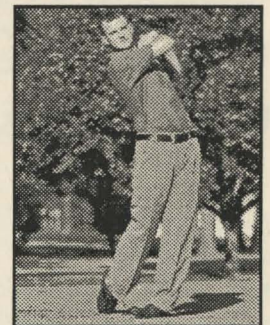
Coastal has entered into a five-year lease of the Quail Creek Golf Course for CCU's Professional Golf Management program. Below, a PGM student practices his swing.

Coastal has a golf course.

The university's request to enter into a five-year lease of the Quail Creek Golf Course has been approved by the State Budget and Control Board, with an option to renew for two additional five-year terms. Located on a 180-acre tract of land adjacent to Coastal's campus, the course will be used by CCU's Professional Golf Management (PGM) program and by students in the turf management program at Horry-Georgetown Technical College.

Charlie Thrash, director of the PGM program, said Quail Creek will immediately make a significant impact in the following ways:

- Students will have access to a facility that they can call their "home course" with more opportunities to play and practice, and some will be able to complete the program's internship requirements on campus.
- Students will not only have access to a business operation directly related to their chosen career field, but they will also be exposed to the maintenance



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CCU Newsletter Publication Dates

Submission deadlines:
Monday, April 4
Monday, April 18

Publication dates:
Monday, April 11
Monday, April 25

Coastal Carolina University Newsletter is published biweekly during the academic year and monthly during June and July by the Office of Marketing Communications. Submissions should be sent to the Office of Marketing Communications in SNGL 204 by noon the Monday before publication.

March 28-April 3

- Katie Bryce and Christy McCallion on the Spadoni College of Education Spring Festival
- Elise Testone on concerts
- Justin Smith, student musician and producer
- Alumni profile: David Turner ('97)

April 4-10

- Dean Gil Hunt on the Spadoni Symposium on Ethics in Education
- Robin Russell on "Still Life with Iris"
- Philip Powell on upcoming concerts
- Alumni profile: Carolyn Floyd ('78)

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Coastal leases Quail Creek Golf Course

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practices associated with running a successful golf course.

- PGM enrollment can grow to more than 200 students; there are now 150 in the program.
- Finally, the golf course will make a great addition to the Coastal campus. Students, faculty, staff and alumni will now have a wonderful recreational opportunity right on campus.

Coastal is one of only 15 institutions in the United States that has a PGM program accredited by the Professional Golfers' Association of America (PGA). Before the lease was signed, Coastal was the only accredited program without its own golf course.

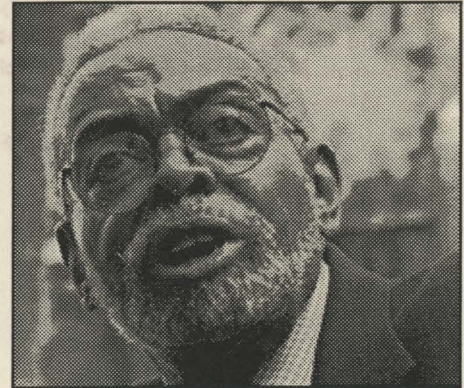
The lease begins July 1.

Baraka to read at poetry night

An evening of African-American Poetry will be presented at Coastal Carolina University on Wednesday, March 30 at 7 p.m. in Wall Auditorium. Poet Amiri Baraka will present a reading of his works as a part of the event, which is free and open to the public.

Baraka (formerly LeRoi Jones) is a distinguished poet who was a leader of the 1960s' Black Arts Movement. He is from Newark, N.J., and is also widely known and respected as a playwright, political activist, novelist, essayist and educator.

He founded Totem Press which first published works by Allen Ginsberg, Jack Kerouac and others. He also founded the Black Arts Repertory Theatre in Harlem and the Black Community Development and Defense Organization, a Black Muslim group devoted to supporting black culture and gaining political power for African Americans. Among his many publica-



Poet Amiri Baraka will read from his work.

tions, he is the author of "The Autobiography of LeRoi Jones," "Blues People: Negro Music in White America" and the Obie Award winning play "Dutchman."

Coastal students, faculty and staff will present their own poetry, as well as that of other African-American poets.

The poetry reading is sponsored by the Office of Multicultural Student Services. For more information, call 349-2863.

New student awards announced

The Office of Student Activities has developed a new program to recognize the contributions that students make to our campus. The Leadership & Involvement Awards recognize the leaders, programs and events that make Coastal a better place for everyone.

The awards will be presented at the Leadership & Involvement Awards Ceremony on Tuesday, April 19 at 7 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. The following new awards will be presented:

- Student Leader of the Year
- Outstanding Organization of the Year
- Student Organization Adviser of the Year
- Emerging Student Leader
- Community Service Award – individual
- Community Service Award – organization

- Diversity Program Award
- Chanticleer Spirit Award-individual
- Chanticleer Spirit Award-organization
- Unsung Hero Award-awarded to a student and an employee

In addition to these new awards, several established awards will also be presented.

To obtain application forms, go online to coastal.edu/students/activities/forms.html.

Instructions are included on each application. All applications must be submitted to the Office of Student Activities, Student Center 106 by 4:30 p.m. Monday, March 28.

All finalists will be invited to attend the awards ceremony, which will be followed by a reception. Call Matt Morrin at 349-2303 for more information.

Coastal Notes

Top nominees for professor award

The top nine nominees for the Professor of the Year award, which is conducted by students, are: Dan Abel, Alan Case, Greg Krippel, Claudia McCollough, Robert Oliver, Nelljean Rice, Debbie Stanley, Linda Vereen and Steven West.

The winner will be announced at the Honors Convocation on April 27 at 7 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium.

Final 'Global to Local' talk set

The final event in the "From Global to Local: An Intellectual Exchange" series is "How Can I Keep from Singing?: Legacy of the American Art Song" by Patti Edwards on Wednesday, April 13 at 7 p.m. in Coastal's Waccamaw Higher Education Center in Litchfield. The program is free and open to the public.

The series was sponsored by the Board of Visitors of Coastal's Thomas W. and Robin W. Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts.

Bankston, Yoder team up for concert

David Bankston and guitarist Tom Yoder will perform a concert Monday, March 28 at 7:30 p.m. in Wheelwright

Auditorium. The event is free and open to the public.

The concert, titled "Blame it on my Youth," will feature songs from the American songbook and new jazz-influenced original compositions by Bankston.

Staff Excellence nominations due soon

The Office of Human Resources and Equal Opportunity is accepting nominations for the 2005 Staff Excellence Awards through Thursday, March 31. The awards recognize the exemplary achievements of non-teaching staff at Coastal. Two cash awards of \$500 are given annually to a Support Staff member and a Professional Staff member. For more information visit the Website at www.coastal.edu/hreo/workplace.

Conway author Reynolds to read

Sheri Reynolds, a former Oprah author, is returning to Coastal on Thursday, April 7 at 7 p.m. for a reading in Wall Auditorium. The event is free and open to the public. Reynolds will sign books at a reception following the reading, and books will be available for sale.

Campus calendar

Monday, March 28

- David Bankston and Tom Yoder Faculty Recital, 7:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium, free

Wednesday, March 30

- African American Poetry with Amiri Bakara, 7 p.m., Wall Auditorium

Thursday, March 31

- "Cinderella" by Columbia City Ballet, 7 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium, free with CCU ID

Friday, April 1

- AIDS Memorial Quilt, 9:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., Kimbel Arena, free
- "Cinderella" by Columbia City Ballet, 7 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium, free with CCU ID

Saturday, April 2

- AIDS Memorial Quilt, 9:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., Kimbel Arena, free
- Spring Festival, 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Kearns Hall and Williams-Brice Physical Education Center, \$2 participation fee

Sunday, April 3

- AIDS Memorial Quilt, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., closing ceremonies at 3:30 p.m., Kimbel Arena, free
- Gary Stegall Piano Recital, 4 p.m., Recital Hall, free

Wednesday, April 6

- Cultural Celebration, 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Prince Lawn
- Elise Testone concert, 7 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium, free
- Tom Fox and Philip Powell Guest Recital, 7:30 p.m., Recital Hall, free with CCU ID

Thursday, April 7

- Reading by author Sheri Reynolds, 7 p.m., Wall Auditorium, free

Spadoni Spring Festival is set

The third annual Community Spring Festival will be Saturday, April 2 from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Coastal. The event is open to the public.

The festival, sponsored by Coastal's Spadoni College of Education, is designed to bring children and families to campus for a day of fun and learning activities. The events will be in and around Kearns Hall and the Williams-Brice Physical Education Center.

For a \$2 fee, children may participate in fun and learning activities such as wacky golf, sand art, face painting, hair wraps, piñata, basketball clinic, moon walk, health bingo, obstacle course, treasure hunt, relay races, photo

booth, science activities, Pet-the-Pony and more.

A silent auction will also be conducted to benefit the Spadoni College of Education student organizations, community service and outreach projects, a scholarship fund, and faculty research and teaching initiatives. The auction will include such items and packages as hotel getaways, restaurant dinners, golf packages and more; bidding will continue throughout the festival and will close at 2 p.m.

For more information, contact Coastal's Spadoni College of Education at 349-2604 or visit the Web site at www.coastal.edu/education.

Birthdays

March

23 Dan Abel	28 Dante Bonus
Lynn Franken	Aron Goff
Deborah Stokes	Julia Ann Ross
24 Andy Hendrick	29 Curtis Bryant
Vicky Rabon	
25 Ronnie Howard	30 Martha Green
	Bonnie Neal
	Steven Thompson
27 Judy Galligan	31 Richard Martin

April

3 Donna Capps	8 Fadi Baroody
	Scott Harris
4 Kristin Bauer	Allen Terrell
5 Kenneth Capps	9 Lee Bollinger
	Charles Gidney
6 Kristen Intemann	Ron Ingle
Janet Weatherly	Greg Williams
7 Daisy Edwards	10 Charles Evans
Antoine Rivens	
Stephen West	

Searching for fancy footwear

The Columbia City Ballet's production of "Cinderella" will be performed March 31 and April 1 at 7 p.m. in Coastal's Wheelwright Auditorium. General admission is \$20 adults, children 18 and under \$5. Admission is free for Coastal faculty, staff and students.

"Cinderella" was composed by Sergei Prokofiev during World War II and was first performed by the Bolshoi in 1945. The production, based on the French fairy tale as told by Charles Perrault, focuses on the theme of Cinderella's honesty and modesty triumphing over the stepsisters' and step-mother's greed and arrogance.

Thirty-four local children will be performing with the troupe. Call 349-2502 for tickets.



Mariclare Miranda is Cinderella.

Athletic calendar

Sunday, April 3

- Softball vs. Birmingham-Southern, 2 p.m., CCU Softball Field

Tuesday, April 5

- Baseball vs. College of Charleston, 6 p.m., Charles Watson Stadium-Vrooman Field

Wednesday, April 6

- Men's Tennis vs. Charleston Southern, 2:30 p.m., Billy Nichols Tennis Center

Friday, April 8

- Women's Tennis vs. Winthrop, 2 p.m., Billy Nichols Tennis Center
- Men's Tennis vs. Winthrop, 2 p.m., Billy Nichols Tennis Center
- Baseball vs. Radford, 6 p.m., Charles Watson Stadium-Vrooman Field

Saturday, April 9

- Men's and Women's Track & Field, Chanticleer Classic, all day
- Baseball vs. Radford, 2 p.m., Charles Watson Stadium-Vrooman Field

State Service Awards presented

President Ronald R. Ingle recently presented State Service Awards to university employees who have accumulated 10, 20 and 30 years of service.

Employees received certificates from the Governor's office and commemorative pins during a ceremony on March 24.

10 years: **Tricia Bailey**, Information Technology Services; **James Carter**, Facilities/Custodial Services; **Joann Flanders**, Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts; **Stephanie Freeman**, Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts; **Craig Gilman**, College of Natural and Applied Sciences; **Susie Harrelson**, Facilities/Custodial Services; **Judy Hawkins**, Conference Services.

Elizabeth Keller, Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts; **Gregory Krippel**, Wall College of Business Administration; **Roy Moye**, Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts; **Philip Schneider**, Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts; **Edward Earl Smith**, Facilities/Custodial

Services **John Steen**, College of Natural & Applied Sciences

20 years: **Richard Collin**, Edwards College of Humanities; **Sally Horner**, Executive Vice President; **Nila Hutchinson**, Office of the President; **Preston McKeever-Floyd**, Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts; **Janice Sellers**, Education and Community Center; **Jill Sessoms**, Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts; **Tyrone Smith**, Facilities/Custodial Services; **Susan Webb**, College of Natural and Applied Sciences; **Diane Watson**, Office of Community Relations/Special Events

30 years: **June Brown**, Spadoni College of Education; **Edna DeWitt**, Kimbel Library; **Colleen Lohr**, Office of the Provost; **Donald Millus**, Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts; **Richard Moore**, Grants and Sponsored Research; **Patricia Taylor**, Spadoni College of Education; **Dennis Wiseman**, Office of the Provost.

Coastal People

Maria Bachman has been appointed to the board of directors of the Nineteenth-Century Studies Association, an interdisciplinary association for the study of 19th century cultures — British, America and continental.



Maria Bachman

Jim Tully was recently selected as conductor/clinician for the South Carolina Region 4 Senior High School Honor Band.

Jose Sanjines has placed an article, titled "Blow up: A House with Many Stories," originally published in *Point of Contact*, 1994, with the Galem Group, which will reprint the article in its new edition of *Short Story Criticism*. The article was selected from among hundreds of critical essays on Julio Cortazar's best-known story, *Blow up*. The book, edited by Joseph Palmisano, includes profiles of five authors seen through previously published critical texts.

Dale Collins has completed two translations from English to Spanish commissioned by *Point of Contact* for its 30th anniversary edition.

Jo-Ann Morgan served as the chair of an art history session at the annual conference of the College Art Association in Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 16-19. Morgan was joined by other scholars from Cornell University, Marywood College, SUNY-Stony Brook and Yale University in a session titled "The Old South from Within and Without."



CCU employee Danny Moore, left, was presented with a check for \$1,300 from a fundraising luncheon organized by Facilities Supervisor Victor Jones. Moore lost everything he owned when his house burned on March 4.

Michael Ruse has been appointed to the editorial board of the prestigious *History of Philosophy Quarterly*.

Several members of the Department of Philosophy and Religion recently participated in the annual meeting of the S.C. Society for Philosophy at Furman University. **Michael Ruse**, the SCSP vice president, served as program organizer. **Nils Rauhut** served as a session moderator.

Renée Smith presented her paper, "Shoemaker's Moderate Qualia Realism and the Transparency of Qualia," **Kristen Intemann** presented her paper, "How to Argue (and How Not to Argue) About Values in Science," and **Dennis Earl** presented his paper, "Concepts and Properties."

Sally Hare is one of "30 Outstanding Women on the Grand Strand," according to the May *Coastal Business Life* magazine. She will be profiled along with 29 other selected women.

Pam Martin reports that she and her new baby are doing quite well. Gabriella was born on Feb. 24 and weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces. Martin returns to the classroom in April.

Carl Dresden has been nominated for the ninth edition of *Who's Who in American Teachers*. The honor goes to teachers nominated by a former student.

Christopher Podeschi learned that a past publication was selected for inclusion in an undergraduate reader. His article, "The Nature of Future Myths: Environmental Discourse in Science Fiction Film, 1950-1999," will appear in the book *Environmental Sociology: From Analysis to Action*, to be published by Rowman and Littlefield this May.

Philip Whalen's essay, "Their Eyes Were Bigger than their Stomachs: The Gastronomical Fair of Dijon as Consumer Spectacle," has been accepted for inclusion as one of 10 chapters in *Consuming Experiences*, to be published by the University of Pennsylvania Press.

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