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## UNIVERSITY NEWSLETTER

Aug. 29, 2005

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

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## Health officials investigate student illness

At press time, one Coastal student was identified as having salmonella, according to university officials. Approximately 20 other students have contacted Student Health Services at Coastal to report symptoms of a gastrointestinal illness.

In accordance with its usual procedure in such cases, the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) is on campus investigating the possible sources of the illness and working with our Student Health Center to identify individuals who may have similar symptoms and possible common exposures.

Most people infected with salmonella develop diarrhea, fever and abdominal cramps 12 to 72 hours after infection. The illness usually lasts four to seven days and most people recover without treatment.

Students should use the on-campus Student Health Center or seek medical care when they experience any type of illness.

Coastal is cooperating fully with DHEC, the agency responsible for public health in the state of South Carolina. DHEC is doing everything necessary to fully investigate this case.

New information will be posted on the University Web site at [www.coastal.edu](http://www.coastal.edu).

## Coastal names honorary founders

Liston D. Barfield, George L. Williams Sr. and the late E. Craig Wall Jr. will be honored at Coastal's 19th annual Founders' Day Convocation on Wednesday, Sept. 21 at 4 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium.

Barfield, Wall and Williams will join 70 other founders and honorary founders who played important roles in the development of Coastal.

Barfield earned a bachelor's degree in physical education from CCU in 1975 and an MBO from Webster University in 1983. From 1985 to 1989 and 1997 to 2005 he served in the S.C. House of Representatives and was the first Coastal alumnus to serve in South Carolina's General Assembly. He is the state co-chair for the American Legislative Exchange Council. He is the state chair for New Century Project and a member of the South Carolina Commission on International Cooperation and Agreements.

Wall (1937-1997) earned a bachelor's degree in economics from

Davidson College in 1959, and an MBA from Harvard Business School in 1962. In 1995, he initiated CCU's Wall

Fellows program. At the time of his death in 1997, Wall was chairman and chief executive officer of Canal Industries Inc. and also served as board chairman of New South Inc. and director of Pelican Companies Inc. He was

a member of the board of trustees of Davidson College, Coastal Carolina University and Converse College.

Williams, of Conway, a retired educator and civic leader, earned a bachelor's degree in pre-law in 1953 and a master's degree in education and public school administration in 1961, both from South Carolina State College. He taught part time at Coastal from 1969 to 1974 and was the university's first African-American instructor. He was principal of North Myrtle Beach High School from 1974 until his retirement in 1986. He served as the director of minority student relations at Coastal from 1987-1991.



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### CCU Newsletter Publication Dates

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Monday, Sept. 26

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### Aug. 29 to Sept. 4

- Jess Dannelly and Cari Rowe on upcoming events
- Debbie Conner on Founders' Day
- Director Thom Penn on "Moon Over Buffalo"
- Alumni profile: Alice Nelson (2002)

### Sept. 5 to 11

- Joan Piroch, new interim dean of the College of Natural and Applied Sciences
- Coach David Bennett on Chanticleers
- Lynn Willett on "The Big Read"
- Alumni profile: Chrystal Morris (2002)

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## Birthdays

### August

- |                    |                     |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| 29 Jackie Andrews  | 31 Hutch Hutchinson |
| Jim Eason          | Karen Maguire       |
| Gary Loftus        | Wendy Singleton     |
| Drew Watson        | Stephen Toney       |
|                    | Faye Tyler          |
| 30 Johnny Sessions | Sherry Winburn      |

### September

- |                    |                   |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| 2 Reginald Bellamy | 8 Sabra Kelly     |
| Tommy Holt         | Mary Peagler      |
| Paul Olsen         | Mary Slaby        |
| Bruce Parker       |                   |
| 3 Chris Hill       | 9 Fran Gilbert    |
| Paul Pendergrass   | 10 Mark Avant     |
| Jason Springer     | David Bankston    |
| 5 Dale Collins     | 11 Dana Hitchcock |
| Sylvia Snyder      | Jamie Lawson      |
| Yvonne Spain       |                   |



Theater professors Robin Russell and Greg London are aging thespians playing the "B" circuit in "Moon Over Buffalo," opening Wednesday, Sept. 14 in Wheelwright Auditorium. See story in the Sept. 12 issue.

## Campus Calendar

### Monday, Aug. 29

- Foreign Film Series, *House of Flying Daggers*, 7 p.m., Wall Auditorium; 1:30 p.m. Waccamaw Center for Higher Education

### Tuesday, Aug. 30

- The State of the University: A Report to the Campus Community by CCU President Ronald Ingle, 2:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium

### Wednesday, Aug. 31

- Club Recruitment Day, 11 a.m. to

2 p.m., Prince Lawn

- "Cook or Starve with Kevin Roberts," 7 p.m., Wall Auditorium, free

### Monday, Sept. 5

- Labor Day, campus holiday

### Sept. 14 to 18

- "Moon Over Buffalo," 7:30 p.m. performances Wednesday to Saturday, 3 p.m. Sunday, Wheelwright Auditorium, free with CCU ID

## CCU Athletics at home

### Tuesday, Aug. 30

- Volleyball vs. The Citadel, 7 p.m., Kimbel Arena

Carolina/adidas Invitational,  
7:30 p.m., CCU Soccer Field

### Thursday, Sept. 1

- Men's Soccer vs. Northeastern, Coastal Carolina/adidas Invitational, 7:30 p.m., CCU Soccer Field

### Sunday, Sept. 4

- Women's Soccer vs. Chattanooga, Big South Challenge, 3 p.m., CCU Soccer Field

### Friday, Sept. 2

- Women's Soccer vs. Army, Big South Challenge, 7:30 p.m., CCU Soccer Field

### Tuesday, Sept. 6

- Women's Soccer vs. The Citadel, 7 p.m., CCU Soccer Field

### Saturday, Sept. 3

- Men's Soccer vs. Binghamton, Coastal

### Saturday, Sept. 10

- Chanticleer football vs. James Madison, 7 p.m., Brooks Stadium

# Coastal People

CCU senior **Diane Soyung Lee**, working as an intern for the United States Pavilion at World Expo 2005 in Nagoya Japan, recently guided former Secretary of State Colin Powell on his tour of the U.S. Pavilion site. Lee will return from her six month internship at the U.S. Pavilion in late September. Because of its importance as an ambassador of United States trade and industry, the U.S. Pavilion was conferred U.S. Embassy status by President George Bush when it opened in March.

**Jim Luken** recently published a paper in the *Natural Areas Journal*. The title of the paper was "Characterizing Illegal Harvest of the Venus' fly trap at Lewis Ocean Bay Heritage Preserve."

**Marvin F. Marozas** has been named vice president for Information Technology Services and chief information officer (CIO) for Coastal, effective Aug. 1. Marozas came to CCU in 1984 as director of computer services. He supervises a staff of 38 professionals and support personnel. ITS is responsible for academic technology support, computing, networking and telecommunications on campus.

**Richard N. Weldon** has been named vice president for administration. Weldon also continues to serve as associate legal counsel. His areas of responsibility include administrative services, contractual and business



Richard Weldon

services, facilities planning and management, finance and public safety.

An article by **Jo-Ann Morgan** has been accepted for publication in the next issue of *SECAC Review*. In the article, titled "Winslow Homer Visits Aunt Chloe's Old Kentucky Home," Morgan looks at the paintings of Winslow Homer to discover the wide-ranging impact *Uncle Tom's Cabin*, Harriet Beecher Stowe's best-selling novel of 1852, had on the fine arts. *SECAC Review* is the scholarly journal published annually by the Southeastern College Art Conference.

**Linda P. Lyerly** has been named associate vice president for finance. Lyerly functions as the principal operational financial officer of the institution, reporting to the vice president for administration. She oversees all aspects of budgeting and finance, including the offices of the accounts payable, budget, bursar, financial reporting, grants accounting and payroll, and accounting for Coastal related organizations. She came to Coastal in 1990.



Linda Lyerly

**Debbie Conner** has been named associate vice president for university relations. Her areas of responsibility include alumni, conference services, marketing and communications, special events, special projects and Wheelwright. She received her Ph.D. from Clemson University in educational leadership in August. Conner

came to Coastal in 1994 in student affairs.

**Paul Peterson** was a co-presenter on the panel, "U.S. Supreme Court and Public Education: Review of the 2004-05 Term" at the annual meeting of the National School Boards Association Southern Region Conference in Charleston, July 24-27.



Paul Peterson

**John Navin** chaired a plenary session entitled "Teaching Atlantic History" at the Tenth Anniversary Conference of the Atlantic History Seminar at Harvard University. It was an invitational seminar in which all participants had presented major research papers previously at Harvard.

**Eric Howington** presented the paper "New Approaches for Finding the Minimum Volume Ellipsoid" at the 2005 Joint Statistical Meetings in Minneapolis, Minn. Joint Statistical Meetings is the largest gathering of statisticians in North America. It is held jointly with the American Statistical Association, the International Biometric Society, the Institute of Mathematical Statistics and the Statistical Society of Canada.

**Margene Willis** has been appointed the new chair of First Book of Horry County, the local arm of a national nonprofit organization whose mission is to provide new books and provide literary aid to disadvantaged children.

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- *Barfield, Williams and Wall to be honored*
- *Health officials investigate illness on campus*
- *'Moon Over Buffalo' opens Sept. 14*
- *Faculty promotions announced*

# CHANTICLEER FOOTBALL

Sept. 3	@ Elon
Sept. 10	James Madison
Sept. 17	@ Appalachian State
Sept. 24	Delaware State
Oct. 1	@ SC State
Oct. 8	Open Date
Oct. 15	Gardner-Webb*
Oct. 22	@ Liberty*
Oct. 29	VMI* (Homecoming)
Nov. 5	@ Savannah State
Nov. 12	Mansfield (PA)
Nov. 19	@ Charleston Southern*

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