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University to celebrate Founders’ Day

Coastal Carolina University’s 12th annual Founders’ Day Convocation will be held Monday, March 22 at 3 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. The ceremony is free and open to the public.

John Dawson, George Grice and Charles E. Hodges will be named honorary founders of the university. The 1998 recipients of the Founders Medallion will join 48 other founders and honorary founders who played instrumental roles in the development of Coastal Carolina University and the promotion of higher education in the region. T. Graham Edwards, president and CEO of Santee Cooper, will deliver the convocation address.

John Dawson, a former Horry County superintendent of education, has served on the Horry County Higher Education Commission since 1970 and has been chair since Coastal became an independent university in 1993. In addition to his service as chair, Dawson has been chair of several committees including the academic, nominating and executive committees. Dawson also is mayor of Aynor, S.C. George D. Grice, president of the College of Charleston from 1945 to 1966, played an essential role in establishing Coastal Carolina University as a four-year institution and in securing funding for Kimbel Library.

T. Graham Edwards is a native of Cheraw, S.C. He earned a bachelor’s degree from Francis Marion University in 1975 and a master’s degree in 1976 from The Citadel. In 1977, he joined Santee Cooper, now the nation’s fourth largest public power system. Edwards has served as chairman of the Charleston Regional Development Alliance and received the S.C. Department of Education’s Distinguished Service Award in 1996.

For more information, contact the Office of Public Information at extension 2015.

Area firms pledge funds to Lifelong Learning Society

Two Horry County firms have announced plans to pledge funds to Coastal Carolina University’s Lifelong Learning Society (LLS), an academic enrichment program for adults.

Hall Development, Inc., has pledged to donate $100 for every house sold at its new community, Myrtle Trace South, to benefit LLS. Myrtle Trace South includes 300 homesites.

Horry Telephone Cooperative (HTC), Inc., has pledged $50,000 for a computer lab at the new Lifelong Learning Society facility, which was donated to LLS by the Jackson Companies in 1997. The facility is being renovated and is scheduled to open in April 1998.

“We are delighted to make this commitment to the Lifelong Learning Society,” said D. Clinch Heyward, director of sales for Hall Development. “Supporting Coastal Carolina University in its effort to serve area residents of all ages, in new and innovative ways, is something we are pleased to do. LLS and its programs will be an enhancement to our area, and will be a catalyst for community progress.

New area code implemented March 22

“Growth in South Carolina and the rapid increase in computer communication, cellular phones, fax machines and pagers are causing a shortage of telephone numbers,” according to information provided by GTE. To solve the problem, a new telephone area code will be implemented on Sunday, March 22, which will affect our region. The new telephone area code will be 843.

Both the 803 and 843 area codes will be in effect during a transition period from March 22 through September 27, 1998.

The Office of Public Information has begun the process of changing the area code on all publications; therefore, all publications, including letterhead and business cards, will be printed with the new area code.

Faculty and staff should continue to use their supply of university stationery and business cards as well as current publications until their inventory is depleted or until September 27 when the 803 area code will no longer be in effect. If you have any questions or need additional information about publications, contact the Office of Public Information at extension 2102. For information concerning the new area code, contact ITS at extension 2081.

University Theater presents Lion in Winter

Coastal Carolina University Theater will present James Goldman’s “The Lion in Winter,” a historical comedy about the domestic difficulties of England’s scheming royal family in 1183. Show times are scheduled for Friday, Feb. 27 at 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Feb. 28 at 7:30 p.m.; and Sunday, March 1 at 5 p.m. Admission is $8, $5 for students.

The play concerns the intrigues of Henry II, his wife Eleanor of Aquitaine, and their three sons when they meet to decide who will succeed Henry to the throne. A royal feud ensues as they plot against each other to advance their own agenda. Praised for its brilliant, pointed wit and powerful characters when it first opened on Broadway in 1966, “The Lion in Winter” also was made into a film in 1968, winning Katharine Hepburn an Academy Award.

The Coastal Carolina University Theater production cast includes: Charles Whetzel, associate professor of theater at Coastal; Joan Shlizer; Brad Bythewood, freshman marine science major of Homer, N.Y.; Evelyn Chaffin, sophomore dramatic arts major of Columbus, S.C.; Cat Cook, sophomore dramatic arts major from Fairfield, Ohio; Sharon Gallen, junior dramatic arts major of Philadelphia, Pa.; Sonny Marler, sophomore dramatic arts major of Myrtle Beach, S.C.; and Brandon Sander, junior dramatic arts major of Terrace Park, Ohio.

Charles Whetzel also is directing the play. "Supporting Coastal Carolina University in its effort to serve area residents of all ages, in new and innovative ways, is something we are pleased to do. LLS and its programs will be an enhancement to our area, and will be a catalyst for community progress..."
ODK invites students to apply for election

Letters of invitation and application forms have been sent to more than 400 juniors and seniors who are academically eligible for election to Omicron Delta Kappa. Election to ODK is an indication of undergraduate achievement.

To be eligible, a student must be of junior or senior status, in the top 39 percent of the class, and have held at least one leadership position.

Students who have not received a mailing and who consider themselves eligible should immediately contact the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs.

Students who have received a mailing are encouraged to complete the form and return it by Friday, March 13 deadline. For more information, contact Bob Squatriglia at extension 2500.

Coastal hosts "A Day for Seniors"

A full day of seminars, workshops and other events for area seniors and retirees will be offered on Saturday, March 7 in the Wall Building at Coastal Carolina University. Twenty workshops on a variety of topics, including elder law, finance, taxes, health, nutrition, antiques, history and music are scheduled between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. U.S. Rep. Mark Sanford Jr. will give a presentation on the privatization of Social Security. The cost to participate is $15 for members of Coastal’s Lifelong Learning Society, sponsor of the event, and $20 for non-members.

Following a Continental breakfast and registration at 8:30 a.m., participants may attend one seminar from three separate sessions — two morning sessions and an afternoon session concluding at 3 p.m. Lunch is included.

Conway Hospital’s mobile health van also will be on campus for the day offering free blood pressure checks as well as cholesterol/glucose blood screenings for $10. Participants are not required to fast in order to take these tests.

Co-sponsors of the event include Coastal Carolina Hospital, Benjamin’s Bagels, Dunkin Donuts, Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company and Wison Dixie.

For more information on "A Day for All Seniors," contact the Division of Extended Learning and Public Services at extension 2665 or extension 3676.

Coastal hosts Georgia/Carolinan College English Association

Coastal’s Department of English is hosting the 1998 conference of the Georgia/Carolina College English Association (GCCA) on Friday, Feb. 27 and Saturday, Feb. 28 in the Wall Auditorium. The conference, led by English faculty from colleges and universities in Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina, will include presentations on Southern literature and writers from the Carolinas.

Authors whose work will be discussed during the two-day conference include Mary Chestnut, William Faulkner, Carson McCullers, Flannery O’Connor, Beatrice Ravenel and Lee Smith. The conference also will offer sessions on practices in composition and literature classrooms, a graduate student forum and a roundtable discussion of English chairs concerning the state of the profession.

The event is open to the public. The cost of the conference is $10 per person. For more detailed information contact John Beard at extension 2665.

Thursday February 26
10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Admissions Building

Coastal Carolina University
faculty and staff members will share their personal pieces of art including paintings, sculptures, masks, and more.

This event is free and open to the public.

For more information, call the Office of Minority Student Services, 349.2304.

Library receives new federal documents

Kimbel Library has received the following new federal documents which may be checked out at the circulation desk with a valid Coastal ID. The call numbers and locations are included.

- Underground Railroad: Special Resource: Study: Management Concepts/Environmental Assessment
  Produced by the National Park Service, this document is a study of the alternatives for commemorating and interpreting the Underground Railroad, emphasizing the approximate routes taken by slaves escaping to freedom before the Civil War.
  Main Circulating Collection: E 450.3745 1995
  Volume 2 on military-media relations during the Vietnam War and the evolution of the government’s policies for dealing with the press.
  Main Circulating Collection: DS 559.46 H25 1996
- Streamflow Characteristics of the Waccamaw River at Freehold, North Carolina, 1940-94
  This report was generated by the concerns of citizens in Brunswick and Columbus counties (NC) about the changes in streamflow characteristics, effects of land-use activities on nonpoint-source pollutants entering the river, and generally poor water quality and biological conditions in the Waccamaw River (at Freehold, NC).
  Main Circulating Collection: GB 701. W375 no.96-4993
- Aquifer Storage and Recovery Horry County, South Carolina: Phase IV: Results of the Day Road Wells and Highway 501 Pottery Well Injection Tests
  This is the fourth phase of a study on the implementation of an aquifer storage and recovery project developed as a water management alternative in Horry County.
  Main Circulating Collection: GB 1199.3.564 C8.1996
- Grants, Technical Assistance and Incentive Programs: A Guidebook for the Edisto River Basin Project
  Describes assistance programs and organizations for the components of the Edisto River Basin Project.
  State Documents Collection: SDDS N2197W 3.566 no.10
- ENC Focus
  Published quarterly; this series focuses on a topic of particular interest to mathematics and science teachers. Each issue includes catalog records describing curriculum materials and supplementary resources, a bibliography of relevant readings, a section of Internet resources, and more.
  Media Collection: Q 181. A1 E47
- The Bad Little Secrets in Government
  A report on the problems and results of President Clinton and Vice President Gore’s attempts to reinvent the government so that it is accountable to the citizens.
  Federal Documents Collection: PRFR 42.3.E2
- The Relationship Between Family Structure and Adolescent Substance Use
  This report examines some implications of the changing family living arrangements for substance use (including alcohol and cigarettes) among American adolescents, including the effects of family structure on adolescent substance abuse, dependence, and need for illicit drug abuse treatment.
  Federal Documents Collection: HE 20.602.R27
- Programs at Higher Education Institutions for Disadvantaged Precollege Students
  This survey collected data from two-year and four-year higher education institutions in fall 1994 to obtain information about programs at higher education institutions designed to encourage educationally or economically disadvantaged students to attend college.
  Federal Documents Microfiche: ED 1.328/5.D63
Faculty and staff are encouraged to submit information to be included in the "Coastal Carolina People" section of On Campus. Information will be published following the presentation or activity.

Micheline Brown was elected secretary of the Government Documents Round Table and secretary of the South Carolina SOLINET Users Group at the South Carolina Library Association's Annual Conference held in Myrtle Beach in November. Betty Lou Maute was elected secretary of the New Members Round Table.

Alys Culhane was recently awarded a $750 grant from the Southern Regional Education Board Awards program. This funding will enable Culhane to continue work on her research project, "The Role of the Writer-Teacher in the Composition Table." Culhane's original source of funding was a Coastal Carolina Academic Enhancement Grant. Culhane's poems have also appeared recently in several publications. "Bootleg Don't Do Grammar Poems" appeared in Visions International; "First Paycheck" was published in Offerings; and "Breaking the Mirror" was published in Penny's Poetry Review. Linda Hollandsworth's article, "English for Hotel Management," has been accepted for publication in Responses to ESP: a teacher-training textbook for English as a Second Language, edited by Peter Master of San Jose State University.

Richard Moorer has co-authored the second edition of Fishes of the Gulf of Mexico: Texas, Louisiana and Adjacent Waters, with H. Dickson Bone, retired professor of biology at the University of Southwestern Louisiana. The book is published by Texas A&M University Press. The first edition of this work, released in 1977, went through three printings and has been widely adopted for use by schools, universities and governmental agencies. The new edition includes updated accounts and illustrations of 539 species of fish found in the northwestern Gulf of Mexico. This includes accounts for 62 species that were not in the book's first edition as well as 225 new illustrations.

Subhash Saxena's article, "A Note on the Unity of Subring," was published in the latest issue of the Pi Mu Epsilon Journal, which is the official and refereed publication of the National Honorary Mathematical Society.

Phil Schneidler conducted a workshop on "Narrative Ethics" for the medical and professional staff of the Mercy Hospice of Horry County. Sara Sobota recently attended the annual conference of the South Carolina Writing Centers Association at the Medical University of South Carolina on Feb. 6 and 7. Three undergraduate Writing Center consultants, Jeanette Adams, Triniti Defrene and Martha Hucks, and one faculty consultant, Alys Culhane, also attended the conference. Sobota presented a paper, "Disentangling the Writing Center Grapevine: Creating a Video to Confront Student Misconceptions." The paper discusses the process of creating the video that is currently used in orientation sessions for freshman English classes and success seminars. Sobota showed the video as a component of the presentation and discussed its reception at students and faculty at Coastal Carolina.

One-day business seminars

Coastal Carolina University will host three one-day professional development seminars in March designed for business employees, managers and entrepreneurs. Sponsored by the Division of Extended Learning and Public Services, each of the seminars will be held at Webster University in Myrtle Beach. The following workshops will be offered:

- **How to Handle Difficult People**
  - Wednesday, March 11 from 8:45 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Fee: $159 (Companies may register three participants and get one registration free.)
  - This seminar will focus on developing the following skills: changing conflict to compromise; maintaining composure under fire; saying "no" in a firm and courteous manner; examining what triggers people to behave negatively. The seminar will be led by Ed Leader, an Atlanta-based professional consultant and recognized communications authority.

- **Telephone Techniques: The Clear Connection**
  - Thursday, March 12 from 8:45 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Fee: $159 (Companies may register three participants and get one registration free.)
  - Appropriate telephone techniques are vital to businesses and organizations which depend on telephone communication. The seminar is designed for anyone who represents an organization through the telephone, including receptionists, customer service representatives and other staff members. The seminar will be led by Ed Leader.

- **Finding and Keeping Good People: Strategies for Solving the Dilemmas of the Decade**
  - Wednesday, March 18 from 8:45 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Fee: $149.
  - This workshop is designed to save companies money and improve productivity by attracting and keeping good employees. The workshop will be led by Joyce Giza, president of Herman Associates, a consulting, speaking and training firm based in Greensboro, N.C.

For more information about these seminars, including registration information, contact Trena Page Motz at extension 2609 or visit the website at www.coastal.edu/extlearn.

Tax forms available in Kimbel Library

Kimbel Library has a limited number of federal and South Carolina tax forms available in the brochure rack inside the front entrance. Additional forms and instructions which may be copied are also on reserve at the circulation desk, so if a form you need is not on the brochure rack be sure to check the forms on reserve. Reminder: A Coastal ID is required to request reserve materials.

For more information, call Micheline Brown at extension 2400 or e-mail: mbrown@coastal.edu.

### Birthdays

**February**

23 Anita Raval
26 Jessica Beck
27 Harold Brendlinger
28 Alan Leforce

**March**

4 Jackie Ann King
5 Kathy Ward Graham
6 Michael Hopkins
7 Robert Stout
8 Geoff Parsons
9 Carole Abner
FEBRUARY

T • 24
Internet Job Search Training
1 to 2 p.m., SC 206
Mollie Fout

Baseball
Coastal at UNC Wilmington, 3 p.m.
Mollie Fout

Mini-Med School: Women's Health
presented by Dr. Melisa Holmes: 6 to 7 p.m., WALL Auditorium
Les Whitby

W • 25
Eating Disorders Screening and Educational Session
screening: 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., SC; educational session: 2-3 p.m., Wall Auditorium
Sharon Thompson

Internet Job Search Training
11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., SC 206
Mollie Fout

Women's Basketball
Big South Conference Tournament, Lynchburg, Va.;
continues through Feb. 28
Mollie Fout

Men's Basketball
Big South Conference Tournament, Lynchburg, Va.;
continues through Feb. 28
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Sa • 28
Georgia/Carolinas College English Association (GAC-CEA)
Conference: all day, Wall Auditorium
John Baird/English faculty

Internet Job Search Training
7:30 to 8:30 a.m., SC 206
Mollie Fout

Baseball
Virginia at Coastal, 3 p.m.
Mollie Fout

FEBRUARY

Th • 26
Family Album, display, African American Celebration
10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., ADM 003
Pat Singleton-Young

Education Career Day
11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., WALL Auditorium
TBA

Internet Job Search Training
1 to 2 p.m., SC 206
Mollie Fout

Open Forum on Summer Sessions presented by Mike Nelson
9:45 to 11:45 a.m., WALL Auditorium
Bill Sewear

James Goldman's The Lion in Winter
Coastal Carolina Theater performance: 7:30 p.m., WA.
Wheelwright Box Office
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Mollie Fout

Baseball
Delaware at Coastal, 5 p.m.
Mollie Fout

W • 4
Last day of classes for Spring I
Midpoint in regular semester
Career Management Services Orientation
noon to 1 p.m., SC 206
Mollie Fout

Internet Job Search Training
7:30 to 8:30 a.m., SC 206
Mollie Fout

Baseball
Virginia at Coastal, 3 p.m.
Mollie Fout

Sa • 7
A Day for All Seniors, workshops and seminars
8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., RII 209
Judy Fantus

Cyber Days workshop: Internet Proficiency
9 a.m. to 4 p.m., RII 209
Teresa Metts

Baseball
George Mason at Coastal, 1 p.m.
Mollie Fout

Career Management Services Orientation
4 to 5 p.m., SC 206
Mollie Fout

M • 9
Internet Job Search Training
11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., SC 206
Mollie Fout

Resume Writing/Ever Letter Writing Workshop
noon to 1 p.m., SC 206
Mollie Fout

Spring Fever, event for Singleton House members
4:30 p.m., food at 5:30 p.m., Singleton House
Joan French

Summer Job Search Days
continues through March 15
Mollie Fout