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## UNIVERSITY NEWSLETTER

Dec. 12, 2005

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

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## President Ingle outlines campus construction projects

Don't be surprised if you drop in on a colleague in Kearns Hall and find him/her not there. In fact, you probably won't be able to get into the building as it will be closed for construction for more than a year.

The renovation of Kearns Hall is one of many projects under way or scheduled for this coming year, according to CCU President Ronald Ingle.

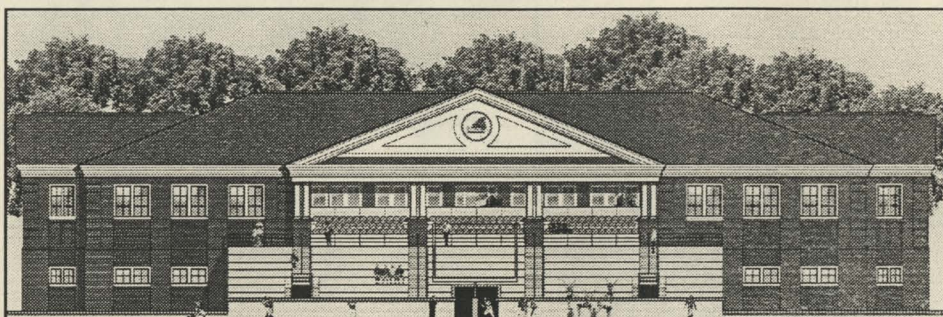
The arena, the straightening of University Boulevard, and the renovation of Kearns Hall, the Student Center and Kimbel Library are all major projects that should at least start in 2006, in addition to construction of a new end zone facility at Brooks Stadium that will add 1,000 seats to the visitors' side.

"We have a lot going on," says Ingle, running through a list of current and near-future projects.

- The Arena. Financing for the Arena, the most widely publicized planned project, is now being arranged by the investors, according to Ingle. The first major step in the Arena project will be straightening of University Boulevard, which he predicts should begin in early 2006.

- Kearns Hall. A major overhaul is under way to bring the old building into the new millennium. Offices have been relocated to Founders Center, and education and health classes have moved to the Atlantic Center.

- Athletic Field House. "We're optimistic we will have raised the money for construction by early next semester,"



An artist's rendering of the planned Athletic Field House that will add 1,000 seats to Brooks Stadium, along with a weight room and athletic offices.

says Ingle, adding that construction will probably take more than a year. In the meantime, a temporary weight room will be set up in what is now the warehouse facility, which will move to the Atlantic Center.

- Science Center. State funding is being sought for the long-awaited, badly needed new Science Center. According to plans, the new building will be located on the site of the present parking lot adjacent to the Science Center. The two buildings, new and old, will connect.

- Student Center. Starting in the spring of 2006, renovations will begin on the center, designed to make the building more open and "friendly,"

lighter and more modern. Student Activities offices will move upstairs and will be replaced by a student lounge area with sofas and chairs. The ceiling of the game room will be raised to make it more open. The Cino Grille will be reconfigured to improve the crowd flow in the checkout area and to open up the space.

- Kimbel Library. The entrance will be renovated, a coffee bar added and meeting rooms will be updated to include more modern equipment and computers so that students can work on group projects.

- Quail Creek Golf Club at Coastal. Golf cart paths will be replaced, and a new irrigation system installed.

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### CCU Newsletter goes electronic!

Submission deadlines:  
Thursday, Jan. 5  
Thursday, Jan. 12

Newsletter dates:  
Monday, Jan. 9, 2006  
Monday, Jan. 16, 2006

Coastal Carolina University Newsletter will be e-mailed weekly and electronically to students, faculty and staff by the Office of Marketing Communications as of Jan. 9, 2006. Submissions should be sent to news@coastal.edu by 5 p.m. Thursday to be included in the Monday e-mail newsletter.

### Dec. 12-18

- Athletic Director Warren Koegel gives an overview of the athletics program
- Matt Hogue gives a wrapup on the various athletic teams this fall
- Pi Kappa Phi's bell tower dedication
- Alumni profile: Tamera Bergstrom ('02)

### Dec. 19-25

- Jazz After Hours concert

### Jan. 2-8, 2006

- Debbie Stanley, commencement speaker, and commencement highlights

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## CCU Calendar

### Tuesday, Dec. 13

- Book signing with Randall Wells.  
*Swamp, Strand and Steamboat: Voices of Horry County, 1732-1954*, 4 to 7 p.m., Wall boardroom

### Thursday, Dec. 15

- Holiday Christmas party for CCU faculty, staff, House of Blues, 7 to 11 p.m.

### Friday, Dec. 23 to Friday, Dec. 30

- Holiday for Christmas Eve, CCU offices closed

### Dec. 26-30

- Christmas holiday break, offices closed

### Monday, Jan. 2

- CCU offices reopen

### Wednesday, Jan. 11

- Classes resume

## Coastal Notes

### Looking for lacrosse action

Student Stacie McCormick is trying to start a lacrosse club on campus, but needs an adviser who is a full-time faculty member. If you are interested and available, contact her at [smmccorm@coastal.edu](mailto:smmccorm@coastal.edu).

### Wells to sign books

Randall Wells will sign copies of his book, *Swamp, Strand and Steamboat: Voices of Horry County, 1732-1954* on Tuesday, Dec. 13 from 4 to 7 p.m. in the Wall boardroom. The event is sponsored by the Waccamaw Center for Cultural and Historical Studies.

### Reception for Hanson planned

The Office of Financial Aid invites all faculty and staff to a reception in honor of Glenn Hanson on Thursday, Dec. 15 from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Welcome Center (behind the bookstore). Hanson has accepted a position as director of financial aid at Southeastern Community College. He has been part of the Coastal community for 17 years; his last day will be Dec. 22.

## Birthdays

### December

12 Tracey Teeter	24 Jean-Louis Lassez
13 Maria Bachman Kristin Forbes Stephen Sheel	25 Les Haga Chris Mee
15 John Steen	26 Cynthia Fallowfield
16 Poppy Hepp John Martin	27 Tom Secrest Herbert Thompson
17 Don Brook Huey Tan	28 Jamie Davis Sheila Lercara Daniel Snyder
18 Donald Hoeffel	29 Ronnie Alston Melinda Hyman Paula Lippert
19 Kent Reichert	30 Shelby Dillon Linda Schwartz Pierre-Olivier Tavernier
20 Lisa Johnson Jill Kingston John Marcis	31 Edward Bailey Heidi Dickerson
22 Thomas Hoffman Glenda Kelley	
23 Steven Kelsey Katherine Sarvis	

### January

1 Amber Anderson Jorge Perez	6 Thomas Mezzapelle Lori Patterson Judy Vogt
2 Michael Castellano Debra Hamm	7 Doris Grizzle Shameka Montgomery
3 Carol Boyd	8 Bob Lundgren Lynn Nelson
5 Charles Joyner	
6 Allard Frazier	

## Drum major duo named for band

Kyle Hughes of Shallotte, N.C., and Leigh Underhill of Hilton Head will be serving as the first two-drum major team at Coastal, leading the 2006 CCU Spirit of the Chanticleer Marching Band. This is the first time in the four-year history of the band that there will be more than one drum major. Drum majors are the central figures in the student leadership, morale and motivation of the band.

Hughes, a junior majoring in music, was drum major of the West

Brunswick High School Band in Shallotte. Hughes is a member of the Lambda Theta chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi where he chairs various committees.

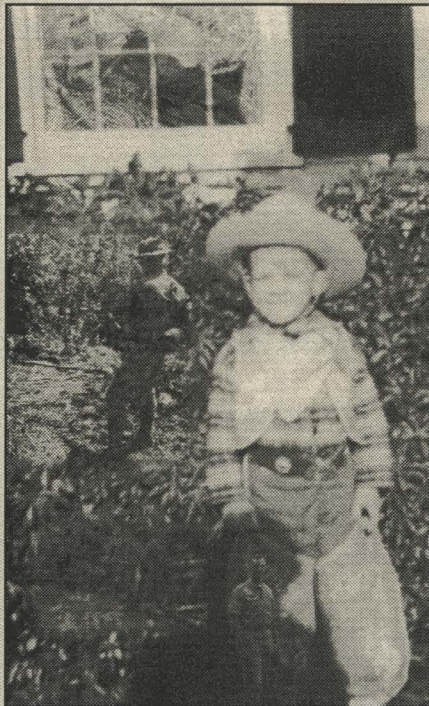
Underhill, a junior majoring in music, was drum major of the Hilton Head High School Band. Before transferring to Coastal, she was a member of the Charleston Southern University marching band. She is also a member of the Lambda Theta chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi.

## Coastal People

**Paul Olsen** has had two of his photo collages accepted into the permanent collection of the National Vietnam Veterans Art Museum in Chicago. Both pieces are self portraits that commemorate the 30-year anniversary of Olsen's service in Vietnam. He used a collection of photos he took in Vietnam along with childhood pictures. Both photo collages have shown in several local and regional shows.

**James Henderson** and **Richard Collin** recently presented papers at Vernacular 2005, an annual conference held in Puebla, Mexico, at the Universidad de las Américas, sponsored by the American Political Science Association and the Policy Studies Organization. Henderson's paper was entitled "Víctima de la globalización. Cómo el narcotráfico destruyó la paz de Colombia, 1965-1985" ("Victim of Globalization; How the Narcotics Trade Destroyed Colombia's Peace, 1965-1985"). Collin's paper was entitled "Revolutionary Scripts: The Politics of Writing Systems."

Several faculty and students from the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation conducted presentations at the recent South Carolina Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Convention in Myrtle Beach. **Gib Darden** presented "Practice, practice, practice: Current best practice strategies for motor and sport skills" with students **Jesse Boyd**, **Jason Cox** and **Ryan Moone**. **Sharon Thompson** presented "Overeat at night? What you need to know about Night Eating Syndrome" with students **Nadia Bakalov**, **Allanah Dobson** and **Kelly Stroud**. **Monair Hamilton** presented "An



*Dreams of Youth was one of two photo collages by art professor Paul Olsen recently accepted into the permanent collection of the Vietnam Veterans Art Museum in Chicago.*

analysis of the influence of the social support theory on physical activity participation among African-American college-age women."

**Deborah Walker** presented a paper called "Creating Home a la Casa" at the 75th annual Florida Communication Association conference held in Orlando, Fla. Her paper was part of a panel entitled "Home, Work, and Play: The Physical and Cultural Construction of Space." Walker was also honored for her service to the organization during its diamond jubilee celebration.

**Dan Abel** recently spoke to the Winyah Group of the Sierra Club at its regular meeting. He discussed Coastal's Sustainability Initiative.

**Paul Gayes** presented a seminar at the Scripps Institution of

Oceanography in La Jolla, Calif, this fall on "South Carolina Coastal Erosion Study: Regional Framework Linking Shelf to Shore," which discussed the long-term regional study focused on the Grand Strand. The study was led by scientists at the U.S. Geological Survey-Woods Hole, (one of three marine teams that conduct research within the USGS Coastal and Marine Geology Program), College of Charleston, Scripps, USC and others. A similar integrated coastal erosion study has started along the west coast.

During the same trip, Gayes, along with **Neal Gielstra** and **Jamie Phillips**, participated in a research cruise aboard the Scripps Institution's ship *R/V New Horizon* in support of the Southern California Initiative.

**Jo-Ann Morgan** delivered a plenary address to the 21st Annual Symposium on African American Culture and Philosophy at Purdue University in West Lafayette, Ind., in November. Her presentation was titled "Hip-Hop Visual Aesthetics and the Promise of Black Masculinity."

**Greg London** has been nominated for a National Critics Institute (NCI) Fellowship. He has been selected as the nominee for the Kennedy Center/American College Theatre Festival Region IV, which includes 10 Southern states and hundreds of colleges and universities. The NCI's mission is to elevate the level of arts criticism and to provide writers the opportunity to grow at the same pace as the artists whose work they review and interpret. The critic (nominee) who writes the best response and participates actively in the workshops will advance to the Kennedy Center.

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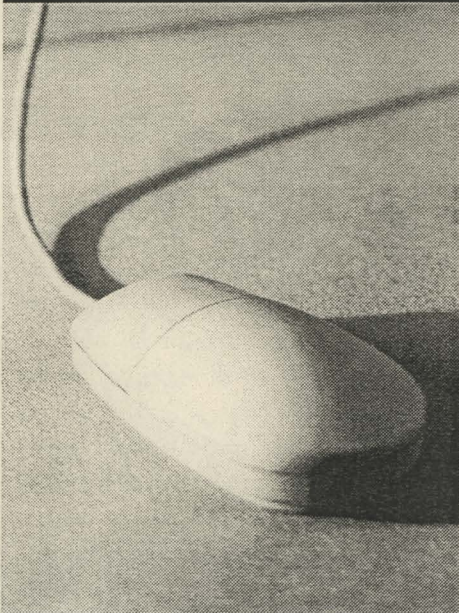
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