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# NEW CHANCELLOR MAKES ACADEMIC DEBUT

Dr. Fred W. Hicks, the new chancellor at USC-Coastal Carolina College, made his first remarks to the college faculty August 29. Speaking to the annual fall faculty assembly which traditionally begins the academic year, Chancellor Hicks predicted dramatic growth in student enrollment, continued expansion of quality academic programs at the college and an expanded presence and impact on the Grand Strand.

"I hope we see privately funded residence halls at Coastal Carolina College soon," Hicks told the faculty. "With the proper housing, we should double our student enrollment in the next five or six years. That's my goal. We don't want to see the numbers alone increase; we also want a continued improvement in the quality of new students." Hicks assumed the position of chancellor at Coastal Carolina College in July, coming to the rapidly-growing four-year campus from Wesleyan College in Macon, Georgia.

At the meeting, faculty were encouraged to conduct more academic research and professional development. The new academic year at Coastal Carolina College was described as "the year of the computer," in which the college will begin to implement programs enabling every Coastal Carolina student to become computer literate.

"As your new chancellor," Hicks told the faculty, "I will operate openly and directly, following established procedures and systems. Together we can make Coastal Carolina College one of the finest educational institutions in the Southeast."

## RECORD SUMMER ENROLLMENT

Coastal Carolina College recorded the highest summer school enrollment in the 29-year history of the college this summer. Total student enrollment for the three sessions of summer school this summer was recorded at 1,598, which is a five per cent increase from the 1982 summer school enrollment of 1,518 students. College officials note that the 1983 summer school enrollment is an increase of more than 25 percent in three years.

# COMMISSION CALLS FOR STUDENT HOUSING

The Horry County Higher Education Commission has called for the development of student housing at Coastal Carolina College in the near future and advocated using private funding for the construction.

The commission passed its endorsement of residence facilities at its regular monthly meeting.

"The Horry County Higher Education Commission has made an important, historic decision in voting to pursue student housing at Coastal Carolina College," said Fred W. Hicks, chancellor of the college.

The commission unanimously voted to ask the college administration and the Coastal Education Foundation to move as quickly as possible toward developing residence halls, preferably through private funding.

Hicks said that with the proper planning and support, residence halls could be ready for occupancy for the fall semester 1984.

In another matter, the commission gave its approval for the college to begin the process for admission into Division I of the NCAA. Coastal Carolina College still needs the endorsement of the Athletic Committee of the Board of Trustees of the University of South Carolina.

The commission also appropriated \$25,000 for computer equipment and software for training and faculty and staff use at the college.

This Week is a newsletter for the faculty, staff, and administration of USC-Coastal Carolina College, P.O. Box 1954, Conway, SC 29526.

### LOVELACE NAMED COMMISSION PRESIDENT

Conway attorney Richard M. Lovelace has been elected president and chairman of the Horry County Higher Education Commission.

"It's an important area of interest for me," Lovelace said of his new position. "I'm excited about Coastal Carolina College, the quality of its students and the credentials and diversity of the faculty.

The commission directs county tax funds to the college and oversees the use of the funds.

Members are appointed by the county legislative delegation. The chairman serves a one-year term of office and can be re-elected.

A native of Columbia, Lovelace has lived in Horry County for nine years and is a member of the Conway legal firm of Lovelace and Battle.

He is a 1968 graduate of the Citadel and holds a degree from the University of South Carolina law school.

Following undergraduate work at the Citadel, Lovelace was in the 18th Army Airborne in Vietnam. He was awarded the Bronze Star and the Army Commendation Medal for his service there.

He is a member of the American Bar Association, the Horry County Bar Association and St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Conway, where he is past senior warden.

# **FACULTY-STAFF GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Coastal Carolina College students, faculty, staff and friends are invited to Arcadian-Skyway Golf Club for a free golf clinic Sunday, September 11th, at 2 p.m. Those who wish to play golf that day can participate in the Third Annual Coastal-Skyway benefit to help our fishing club put on its annual intercollegiate match and seminar. The golf benefit costs \$20 per person, which includes greens fees, cart rental, refreshments and many prizes, including golf lessons for the worst scores.

Get up a team of four and call Skyway pro Kent Chismar to reserve a tournament starting time between 7 a.m. and 1 p.m. (Telephone 449-6488). This is a "captain's choice" tournament which means that duffers, beginners, hackers, and toppers are welcome. You may also play after the golf clinic and still contribute to the benefit.

# LIBRARY TOURS

Orientation of the library will be offered to interessted students this year. Students who wish to learn how to find their way around the library and about services offered should meet at the library's "Information Desk" at one of the following times.

Wednesday	Sept. 14	1:30 pm
Thursday	Sept. 15	11:15 am
Friday	Sept. 16	10:15 am
Monday	Sept. 19	11:15 am

Faculty: Please announce this is in your classes.

# **KIMBEL LIBRARY HOURS - FALL 1983**

# Regular Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am - 9:00 pm
Friday8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday
Sunday 2:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Regular hours begin Tuesday, September 6, 1983
and continue through Friday, December 16, except
for:
Thursday, November 24 CLOSED
Friday, November 25 (Thanksgiving Holiday)
Final examination schedule, Monday, November 28 -
Friday, December 16:
Monday-Thursday 8:00 am - 10:00 pm
Friday-Sunday regular hours
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December 17, Saturday 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm
December 18, Sunday 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm
December 19-21, MonWed 8:00 am - 6:00 pm
December 22-23, ThursFri 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
December 24 - January 1 CLOSED
(Christmas Holiday)

NOTE: MEDIA COLLECTION HOURS WILL BE APPROXIMATELY SAME AS LIBRARY HOURS. A SCHEDULE WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AS SOON AS HIRING IS COMPLETED,