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Welcome to Coastal Carolina University's On-Campus Newsletter.

View the full, online newsletter at <http://www.coastal.edu/newsletter>.

This Week's News

University panel will discuss election issues on Jan. 17

<http://www.coastal.edu/news/story.php?id=1845>

A three-person panel will discuss the issues in the upcoming election at a public forum

on Thursday, Jan. 17 from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at Coastal Carolina University. The event, which is free and open the public, will be held in the Recital Hall of the Thomas W. and Robin W. Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts.

S.C. Poet Laureate opens 2008 Tea & Poetry series

<http://www.coastal.edu/news/story.php?id=1847>

Marjory Wentworth, the poet laureate of South Carolina, will open the 2008 Tea & Poetry series on Thursday, Jan. 17 at 3 p.m. at the Waccamaw Higher Education Center in Litchfield. Poet Ray McManus will also be featured at the event, which is free and open to the public.

CCU mission statement approved by Commission on Higher Education

<http://www.coastal.edu/news/story.php?id=1844>

The South Carolina Commission on Higher Education has approved a new mission statement for Coastal Carolina University.

Coastal's business school to be named in Princeton guide

<http://www.coastal.edu/news/story.php?id=1840>

Coastal Carolina University's E. Craig Wall Sr. College of Business Administration has been selected for inclusion in the 2009 edition of "Best Business Schools" published by The Princeton Review and Random House.

Poet A. Van Jordan to read at Coastal Carolina

<http://www.coastal.edu/news/story.php?id=1843>

Award-winning poet A. Van Jordan will read from his work Tuesday, Jan. 22 at 4:30 p.m. at Coastal Carolina University. The event is free and open to the public.

Danish counselor to discuss United Nations

<http://www.coastal.edu/news/story.php?id=1846>

Counselor RenÅ© Dinesen of the Danish Mission to the United Nations will give a lecture at Coastal Carolina University on Wednesday, Jan 23 on "The United Nations: Is It Useful and Relevant in the 21st Century?" The event is free and open to the public.

'Bears' exhibit at CCU asks question: cuddly or macabre?

<http://www.coastal.edu/news/story.php?id=1842>

An exhibition of color photographs from the book "Bears" by Kent Rogowski opens in the Rebecca Randall Bryan Gallery at Coastal Carolina University on Thursday, Jan. 24 with an opening reception from 5 to 7 p.m. The reception and exhibit, which continues through Feb. 29, are free and open to the public.

Comedian Campbell to perform at Coastal Carolina

<http://www.coastal.edu/news/story.php?id=1841>

Up-and-rising comedian Jessi Campbell will perform Wednesday, Jan. 23 at 7 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium at Coastal Carolina University. The show is free and open to the public.

More news stories: <http://www.coastal.edu/news/>

This Week's Announcements

CCU faculty and staff are invited to join the Department of Public Safety in wishing Martha Green farewell and best wishes on her retirement, Thursday, Jan. 17, from 2 to 3 p.m. in the DPS conference room.

These on-campus positions have just been posted. Go online to learn more about them.

Academic Advisor / Transition Coordinator - Academic Advising

Administrative Support - English department

Audio Visual Technician - Media Services

Assistant Director of Admissions Technology - Admissions

Computer Science Adjunct Faculty - Computer Science

For more information, visit www.coastal.edu/hreo.

More announcements: <http://www.coastal.edu/newsletter/>

This Week's Events

Monday, Jan. 14

Men's Basketball vs. VMI, 7 p.m., Kimbel Arena

Tuesday, Jan. 15

General faculty meeting, 3 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium

Women's Basketball vs. Savannah State, 6 p.m., away game

Wednesday, Jan. 16

Classes resume

Thursday, Jan. 17

Athletics Committee of CCU's Board of Trustees, a two-day retreat held Jan. 17 and 18 Thursday at Brooks Stadium Hospitality Suite.

Marjory Wentworth, poet laureate of South Carolina, Tea & Poetry series, 3 p.m., Waccamaw Higher Education Center, Litchfield. Poet Ray McManus will also be featured at the event, which is free and open to the public.

The Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration, featuring Daryl Brown, principal of North Myrtle Beach High School, and the Coastal Carolina University Gospel Choir, 7 p.m., Wall Auditorium, free

"Understanding the Issues: A discussion about important issues in the upcoming election" with Dennis Edwards, assistant professor of economics; Scott Royce, a major gift officer and an attorney with expertise in international business; and Yoav Wachsman, assistant professor of economics. 7:30 to 9 p.m., Edwards Recital Hall. Free and open to public.

Friday, Jan. 18

Women's Track and Field at Clemson Invitational, Clemson

Saturday, Jan. 19

Women's Track and Field at Clemson Invitational, Clemson

Women's Basketball vs. Radford, 2 p.m., Kimbel Arena

Men's Basketball vs. High Point, 7 p.m., away game

More events: <http://www.coastal.edu/newsletter/>

This Week's Athletics News

Men's Golf Alum Johnson Ties for 10th In First PGA Tour Event

<http://www.goccusports.com/?news=3938>

Dustin Johnson shot 6-under to finish in a tie for 10th in his first PGA Tour event as a full tour member at the Sony Open in Hawaii, Jan. 10-13.

Women's Basketball Hits the Road to Face Savannah State Tuesday Night

<http://www.goccusports.com/?news=3937>

Coastal travels for the first time in over month, facing Savannah State Tuesday, Jan. 15 at 6 p.m., in Tiger Arena. The Lady Chanticleers have won their last three games heading into Tuesday's tilt.

Men's Hoops Downs Radford in Big South Opener With A Dramatic Buzzer Beater, 76-75

<http://www.goccusports.com/?news=3936>

Junior guard Mario Sisinni connected on a driving layup as time expired to lead CCU to an thrilling 76-75 victory over Radford in the Big South Conference opener.

Football Has Three Named All-American by The Sports Network

<http://www.goccusports.com/?news=3934>

Senior fullback Mike Tolbert was named to the Second Team while senior wide receiver Jerome Simpson and junior defensive back Marrio Norman were Honorable Mention honorees.

Women's Soccer's Gunning, Gelsomino Named to NSCAA/adidas Scholar All-South Region Teams

<http://www.goccusports.com/?news=3933>

Senior Ashleigh Gunning was a Second Team selection, while classmate Amanda Gelsomino was named an Honorable Mention.

Baseball Trio Named to the All-Ping! Baseball Preseason Teams

<http://www.goccusports.com/?news=3929>

Junior David Sappelt was named a First Team selection, while senior Tommy Baldrige and junior Bobby Gagg were named to the Second Team.

Men's Tennis Announces 2008 Schedule

<http://www.goccusports.com/?news=3927>

The Chanticleers will play 23 regular season matches, including 15 in Conway. The season starts on Feb. 2 with Doubleheader Day in the Clay against Mount Olive.

More athletics news: <http://www.goccusports.com>

Coastal People

Read about Coastal People: <http://www.coastal.edu/newsletter/>

Publication Deadlines

Coastal Carolina University's Newsletter will be e-mailed weekly to all students, faculty and staff by the Office of Marketing Communications.

Submissions should be sent to news@coastal.edu by 5 p.m. Thursday to be included in the newsletter, which will be sent electronically by noon the following Monday.