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# on Campus

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## Sun News publisher to speak at December commencement



Paula Lynn Ellis

Coastal will recognize approximately 340 students during commencement Saturday, Dec. 11 at 10 a.m. in The Forum Theatre at Fantasy Harbour in Myrtle Beach. Two hundred-fourteen fall semester candidates for graduation will be recognized, as well as 133 summer 1999 graduates.

Tickets are required for admission. Each

graduating senior will be issued eight tickets. Tickets may be picked up in the Office of Alumni Affairs in Singleton Building 206 weekdays through Friday, Dec. 10 from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Paula Ellis, president and publisher of *The Sun News*, will deliver the commencement address.

Prior to joining *The Sun News* in 1997, Ellis was with *The State* newspaper in Columbia, S.C., for seven years, where she served as managing editor for four years.

Ellis earned a bachelor's degree in government and politics from the University of Maryland in 1976 and a

master's degree in journalism from Northwestern University in 1977. While at the University of Maryland, Ellis worked as a reporter and editor at the Baltimore *Evening Sun* and was editor-in-chief of the university's daily student newspaper.

Ellis advanced through many reporting and editing positions in Chicago after earning her master's degree. At *The Post-Tribune* in Gary, Ind., she was business and financial editor and later worked as metropolitan editor, supervising three news bureaus. From 1986 to 1990, she worked with Knight Ridder's Washington, D.C., bureau, where she supervised coverage of the Reagan and Bush administrations, foreign affairs, arms control and national economic policy. Ellis also coordinated the bureau's 1988 presidential campaign coverage.

Ellis serves on the Wall School of Business Board of Visitors, the University of South Carolina College of Journalism and Mass Communications Partnership, the United Way of Horry County Board of Directors and is a founding member of the Waccamaw Community Foundation. She is a member of the American Society of Newspaper Editors and serves on the Board of Directors of the South Carolina Associated Press News Council and the Associated Press Managing Editors.

For more information about commencement, contact the Office of Marketing Communications at extension 2015.

## Coastal alumna to present exhibit

An exhibit of drawings by Coastal Carolina alumna Mardi McCabe will be on display at Coastal Carolina University's art gallery in the Admissions Building from Monday, Dec. 13 to Friday, Jan. 14.

An opening reception for the exhibit will be held Thursday, Dec. 16 from 5 to 7 p.m. in the art gallery. The exhibit and the reception are free and open to the public. The gallery is open weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Entitled "Border Crossings: An Exhibit of Drawings and Poetry," the elements of the exhibit are intended to stimulate thought and encourage meditation.

"The works in this exhibit attempt to explore the spiritual potential to transcend the various boundaries that fragment the essential unceasing flow of existence," said McCabe. "In fact, the exhibit itself unfolds at the intersection of the visual, verbal, audio and performing arts and extends itself to incorporate both religious and non-religious expressions of the spiritual dimension."

McCabe received her bachelor's degree in fine arts from Coastal Carolina University and is in a master's degree program for religious studies at the University of South Carolina.

For more information about the exhibit, contact Cheryl Green, Coastal's gallery coordinator, at extension 2750.

## Who's Who forms available

Letters of invitation and application forms have been sent to more than 600 Coastal juniors and seniors who are academically eligible for election to *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges*. Election to *Who's Who* is an indication of undergraduate achievement. To be eligible, a student must be of junior or senior status with a 3.0 GPA or above. Students must have attended Coastal for a minimum of two semesters, and must be, or have been, involved in co-curricular activities on campus. Students who have not received a mailing and who consider themselves eligible should immediately contact the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs at extension 2300. Students who have received a mailing are encouraged to complete the form and return it by the Friday, Dec. 10, 1999, deadline.

### Kimbel Library extending hours during exam week

In response to SGA request, Kimbel Library is making special provisions to extend evening hours until midnight during exam week, Sunday, Dec. 5 to Thursday, Dec. 9. Normal hours will resume Friday, Dec. 10, with the library closing at 5 p.m.

**December Commencement**  
Saturday, December 11 • 10 a.m.  
The Forum Theatre at Fantasy Harbour

## CCU names new member of Coastal Educational Foundation Board of Directors

William O. Marsh has been named to the Coastal Educational Foundation, Inc., Board of Directors.

Marsh, a 1986 Coastal graduate, is general manager of Palmetto Chevrolet in Conway. He is on the board of directors of the Conway Chamber of Commerce and is chairman of the Coastal Carolina Alumni Association. He has served as a member of the alumni board for nine years.

The Coastal Educational Foundation, Inc., is a non-profit corporation which receives and disburses charitable gifts in support of Coastal Carolina University. The foundation was established in 1954 for the purpose of advancing higher learning in Horry County and was instrumental in the creation of Coastal. The foundation meets quarterly.

Coastal Educational Foundation, Inc., board members serve a six-year term.

## Coastal Educational Foundation announces new officers

The Coastal Educational Foundation, Inc., has announced its officers and committee chairs for 1999-2000.

The officers are:

- President - Franklin C. Blanton, president of Blanton Supplies Inc.;
- Vice President - William H. Alford, president of A & I Fire Restoration; and
- Secretary/Treasurer - W. Jennings Duncan, president of Conway National Bank.

The committee chairs are:

- Executive committee - Franklin C. Blanton;
- Finance/Budget/Audit committee - W. Jennings Duncan;
- Nominating committee - William H. Alford;
- Academic/Student Support committee - Hal B. Holmes, Jr., president of Belle Terre Golf Courses;
- Building/Grounds/Land Use committee - William J. Baxley, Jr., dean emeritus of CCU's E. Craig Wall Sr. School of Business Administration;
- Development committee - Clay D. Brittain Jr., chair of the Myrtle Beach National Company; and
- Investment committee - James J. Johnson, president of Dargan Construction Company, Inc.

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### Submissions For *On Campus*

Items to be included in *On Campus* should be submitted to Jerry Rashid in Singleton 204 in the Office of Marketing Communications. Thank you.

## On Campus

*On Campus* is published biweekly on Monday by the Office of Marketing Communications. Items to be included should be submitted to the Office of Marketing Communications in SNGL 204 by noon the Monday before publication, unless otherwise listed.

*On Campus* publication dates are as follows:

Publication date:	Submission deadline:
Monday, January 10	Monday, January 3
Monday, January 24	Monday, January 17
Monday, February 7	Monday, January 31

The next issue of *On Campus* will be published Monday, Jan. 10; the deadline to submit information is Monday, Jan. 3 at noon.



COASTAL CAROLINA UNIVERSITY

### Did You Know?

A Coastal Carolina University Student Directory is now available for students. The directory is a collaborative effort of the Office of Student Activities and the Student Government Association, with support from the Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs. This is the first student directory at Coastal in 12 years.

Source: Office of Student Activities





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## On Campus December 6, 1999

# Campus Calendar

### Monday, December 6

- Singleton House Event: 4:30 p.m., Singleton House. Bill King
- Final examinations for Fall II: continues through Dec. 7
- Final examinations for Regular Fall: continues through Dec. 10

### Wednesday, December 8

- Advanced PowerPoint Workshop: 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., Society House. Carol Lane

### Saturday, December 11

- December Commencement: 10 a.m., The Forum Theatre at Fantasy Harbour, Myrtle Beach. Bob Squatriglia
- Residence halls and dining halls close

### Monday, December 13

- Art Exhibition by Mardi McCabe: through January 28  
Art Gallery. Cheryl Green

### Thursday, December 16

- Art Exhibition by Mardi McCabe: opening reception and performance, 5 to 7 p.m. Art Gallery. Cheryl Green

### Saturday, January 8

- Residence halls and dining halls open

### Monday, January 10

- Orientation/Registration for New Students

### ATHLETIC EVENTS

#### Saturday, December 11

- Men's Basketball: Coastal at Dayton, 7:30 p.m.

#### Monday, December 13

- Men's Basketball: Coastal at Ohio State, 7:30 p.m.

### Wednesday, December 15

- Women's Basketball: Coastal at Campbell, 7 p.m.

### Thursday, December 16

- Men's Basketball: Coastal at Furman, 7:30 p.m.

### Saturday, December 18

- Women's Basketball: at USC Tournament  
Coastal versus Jacksonville State, 5 p.m.

### Sunday, December 19

- Women's Basketball: at USC Tournament, TBA

### Monday, December 20

- Men's Basketball: Campbell at Coastal, 7:30 p.m.

### Wednesday, December 29

- Women's Basketball: Georgia Southern at Coastal, 7 p.m.

### Thursday, December 30

- Men's Basketball: Coastal at Georgetown, noon

### Sunday, January 2

- Men's Basketball: Coastal at Maryland, 1 p.m.

### Monday, January 3

- Women's Basketball: Newberry at Coastal, 7 p.m.

### Thursday, January 6

- Women's Basketball: Coastal at Western Carolina, 7 p.m.

### Sunday, January 9

- Women's Basketball: Wake Forest at Coastal, 2 p.m.

### Monday, January 10

- Men's Basketball: Coastal at American, 7:30 p.m.

## Holiday hours of operation

The following hours of operation will be observed by the university during the holiday season.

### • Administrative offices

Administrative offices will be closed from Thursday, Dec. 23 through Sunday, Jan. 2. Regular hours of operation will resume on Monday, Jan. 3. Specific offices and departments will be in operation during the holiday schedule as necessary.

### • Kimbel Library

Sunday, Dec. 12: 1 p.m. to 9 p.m.  
 Mon. to Thurs., Dec. 13 to 16: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
 December 18 to January 2: Closed  
 Regular hours will resume Monday, Jan. 3. For more information, call extension 2414.

### • Physical Education Center

Dec. 11 to 17 and Jan. 3 to 12:  
 11:30 a.m. to 8 p.m., Mon. through Thurs.  
 11:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., Friday  
 2 p.m. to 7 p.m., Sat. and Sun.  
**Pool Hours:**  
 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and  
 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Mon. through Fri.  
 2 p.m. to 7 p.m., Sat. and Sun.

Dec. 18 to Jan. 2: Closed

Jan. 13: Regular spring semester hours resume.  
For more information, call extension 2802.

## Birthdays

<b>December</b>	13 Maria Bachman	23 Angelia Tyler	28 Robert Jenkins	4 Charles Joyner
7 Allison Faix	Kristin Forbes	24 Pamela Jones	29 Paula Lippert	6 Allard Frazier
Paul Shank	Stephen Sheel	25 Lula Dewitt	30 Shelby Dillon	Thomas Mezzapelle
8 Bill Hamilton	15 John Steen	Les Haga	Linda Schwartz	Judy Vogt
9 Bridget Busbee	17 Don Brook	Chris Mee	Pierre-Olivier Tavernier	7 Mary Crowe
Paula Holt	Christopher Dematteo	26 Dennis Ruth	<b>January</b>	8 Robert Lundgren
10 Geoffrey Cockrell	Donna McGiboney	27 Alisa Johnson	1 Amber Anderson	Debbie Stanley
11 Tracy Jones	19 Chuck Whetzel	Tom Secrest	2 Samantha Young	9 Brenda Sawyer
12 Tracey Teeter	20 John Marcis	Herbert Thompson	3 Carol James	10 Sallie Clarkson

## Campus Dining

The CINO Grille, located in the Student Center, is open Monday through Thursday from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Friday from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.; and Saturday and Sunday from 3 to 8 p.m. Selections are available from the Grille, the Deli or Pizza Hut menu items.

The Café, featuring an all-you-can-eat menu, is located adjacent to Residence Hall M. Meal costs and the hours of operation are as follows:

### Monday through Friday:

- Breakfast: \$3.50; served from 7 to 9:30 a.m.
- Continental Breakfast: 9:30 to 10 a.m.
- Lunch: \$4.50; served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Dinner: \$5; served from 5 to 7:30 p.m.

### Saturday and Sunday

- Brunch Buffet: \$5.50; served from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
- Dinner: \$5; served from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Denise Elliott at extension 2365.

### The Cafe Lunch Menu

#### Week of December 6

**Monday:** French Dip Sandwich; Spicy Chicken Pasta; Grilled Cheese

**Tuesday:** Apple Cinnamon Pork Loin; Meatball Sub; Black Bean Burger

**Wednesday:** Beef Stir Fry; Chicken Burrito; Tofu Stir Fry

**Thursday:** Chicken Pot Pie; Barbecue Pork Sandwich; Vegetable Stir Fry

**Friday:** Grilled Ham and Cheese; Citrus Chicken; Garden Burger

Note: Menus are subject to change due to product availability.

## Coastal Carolina People

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.

• **Peter Balsamo** gave several presentations at the 61st annual meeting of the Association for Continuing Higher Education (ACHE) held in Cincinnati, Ohio Nov. 6 to 9. He served as panel presenter concerning the following topics: the benefits of an adult student honorary society on campus; Lifelong Learning Society as an award-winning program; and lessons learned with distance learning programming. Balsamo is in charge of directing the local arrangements for the 62nd ACHE meeting to be held in Myrtle Beach at the Wyndham Resort in October 2000. More than 400 participants are expected from throughout the United States, Canada and foreign countries.

• **Jessie Brown** presented "Providing Developmentally Appropriate Education to Children who are African-American" at the Annual National Association for the Education of Young Children conference held in New Orleans, Nov. 10 to 13.

• **Steve West** presented "Paper Folding and Polygons" at the South Carolina Council of Teachers of Mathematics 23rd Annual Conference held in Hilton Head, Nov. 18 to 19.