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On Campus

A Newsletter for Faculty and Staff of Coastal Carolina University

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Campus Calendar

Monday, December 12

- Final examinations begin for fall semester: continue through Friday, December 16.
- Singleton House TGIFW and Religious Holiday of Your Choice Soiree: 4:30 p.m., Singleton House. Joan Piroch

Tuesday, December 13

- Job Search Workshop: 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., SC 204. Mollie Starbuck-Fout
- Intermediate Quattro Pro Workshop: 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., WALL 109. Terri Brown
- MAT Testing: 3 p.m., Academic Center, ACAD 215. Linda Ford

Wednesday, December 14

- Job Search Workshop: 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., SC 204; 4 to 5 p.m., SC 204. Mollie Starbuck-Fout
- Pegasus Mail for Windows Workshop: 2:30 to 4 p.m., WALL 109. Terri Brown

Thursday, December 15

- Job Search Workshop: 7:30 to 8:30 a.m., SC 204. Mollie Starbuck-Fout
- Beginning DOS Workshop: 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., WALL 109. Terri Brown

Friday, December 16

- December Commencement: 7 p.m., WA.

Saturday, December 17

- Residence Hall close
- Men's Basketball: Francis Marion at Coastal, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, December 19

- CCU Christmas Golf Tournament: 11:30 a.m., Wild Wing Plantation. Pat West
- Women's Basketball: Coastal Holiday Classic at the Myrtle Beach Convention Center

Tuesday, December 20

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Wednesday, December 21

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Thursday, December 22

- Holiday schedule begins: University closed through Monday, Jan. 2; regular hours resume Tuesday, Jan. 3.
- Men's Basketball: Coastal vs. College of Charleston at the Myrtle Beach Convention Center, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, December 30

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

Saturday, December 31

- Men's Basketball: South Carolina State at Coastal, 3 p.m.

Friday, January 6

- Financial Aid Nuts and Bolts Workshop: 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Mollie Bethea-Floyd

Commencement

Coastal Carolina University will recognize December 1994 candidates for graduation during commencement on Friday, Dec. 16 at 7 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. Also recognized with the approximately 218 December graduation candidates will be 122 August 1994 graduates. The public is welcome.

Veronica Gerald, recipient of Coastal's 1993-1994 Distinguished Teaching Award, will deliver the address.

Holiday hours

Coastal announces the following hours of operation through the holidays:

Kimbel Library

- Kimbel Library will be closed Sunday, Dec. 18 through Monday, Jan. 2.
- Abbreviated hours are in effect Tuesday, Jan. 3 through Wednesday, Jan. 11. Regular hours resume Thursday, Jan. 12.
- Media Collection will be open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Regular hours resume Monday, Jan. 16.

For more information, call extension 2402.

Physical Education Center:

- Abbreviated P.E. Center hours will be in effect Monday, Dec. 19 through Wednesday, Dec. 21.
- The P.E. Center will be closed Thursday, Dec. 22 through Monday, Jan. 2.
- Abbreviated hours will be observed Tuesday, Jan. 3 through Wednesday, Jan. 11.
- Regular hours resume Thursday, Jan. 12.

For more information, call extension 2802.

Administrative Offices:

- The university will be closed Thursday, Dec. 22 through Monday, Jan. 2.
- Regular hours resume for staff and administration Tuesday, Jan. 3.

*The African American and Student Government associations
invite your participation in the annual
Peace Circle: A Tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.
Tuesday, January 17 at noon on the Horseshoe.
Veronica Gerald, 1993-1994 Professor of the Year,
is the speaker.*

*This event to celebrate the contributions of Dr. King is free and open to the public.
For more information, call extension 2304.*

In appreciation . . .

On behalf of my entire family, I wish to extend my appreciation and heartfelt thanks for the many expressions of sympathy which we received following the death of my mother. Frances and I are proud to be a part of the Coastal community.

John Idoux

History of Georgetown County course offered at Georgetown campus

The Office of Continuing Education will offer a non-credit history course taught by Pat Doyle entitled *The History of Georgetown County*. Classes will be held at Coastal's Georgetown campus Jan. 5 through April 27 on Monday and Thursday from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Class size is limited; registration by Friday, Dec. 16 is encouraged. Students will be accepted on a space-available basis.

The cost of the course is \$60; this fee does not include field trip costs. A book for required reading, *The History of Georgetown County, South Carolina*, by George C. Rogers Jr., is available at the Georgetown County Library or may be purchased.

The course will include class lectures, discussions and field trips to historical Georgetown County sites.

For more information, call the Office of Continuing Education at extension 2666. 🍀

Lost

The Scantron Manual is missing from Kimbel Library. If anyone has borrowed the manual or has information about its location, please contact Linda Ford at extension 2093. 🍀

**The next issue of
On Campus will be
Monday, Jan 9;
deadline to submit
information is
Tuesday, Jan. 3.** 🍀

Collection of Civil War books donated to Kimbel Library

Coastal faculty members Nelljean and Paul Rice have recently donated a 350-volume collection of works related to the American Civil War to Coastal's Kimbel Library. The books are from the estate of Nelljean's father, Harold McConeghey, and were donated in his honor.

According to technical services librarian Charmaine Tomczyk, the

collection is a valuable addition to Kimbel Library because it contains classic titles dealing with the Civil War as well as many recent works published within the last five years. "The library is always pleased to receive valuable book donations that support the curriculum and complement the collection," Tomczyk said. 🍀

Library sponsors workshops

Kimbel Library is offering two workshops designed to introduce participants to the cd-rom indexes and explain searching techniques for ease of operation.

The workshops will be held in Kimbel Library as follows:

- Monday, January 9 from 1 to 2 p.m.
- Tuesday, January 10 from 1 to 2 p.m.

Each workshop is limited to 12

participants.

Kimbel Library also has several new cd-rom products available, such as National Telephone Directory, Books In Print, and PC Globe (World Map and Statistics.)

For more information or to reserve a space, call Kimbel Library at extension 2414. 🍀

Coastal Carolina People

Sara Sanders presented two papers, entitled "Writing in Repose" and "The Assessment Challenge," in the Celebration of Honors Teaching session at the annual meeting of the National Collegiate Honors Council Conference held in San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 26-30.

Steve Hamelman published an article in the current issue of *Dirt Rag*, one of the popular mountain biking magazines in the country. In the article, entitled "Blood on the Track," Hamelman recounts an incident in the woods off Highway 501 where he accidentally killed a snake. Hamelman is organizing a mountain biking club at Coastal.

Randall Wells has an item included in *Tested Teaching Ideas for Business Communications* (McGraw-Hill, 1995.) He explains his practice of giving a sample speech to his classes. The report quotes former Coastal professor **Jim Rex**: "Give your students models."

Marshall Parker, upon the invitation of Gov. Carroll A. Campbell Jr., recently presented Coastal's exemplary program of Health and Fitness for Older Adults to the Invitational Conference on Physical Activity for Older Adults. Approximately 150 professionals

attended the conference held in Columbia. Parker also recently presented secondary education's innovative senior site-based semester to the annual meeting of the South Carolina Association for Teacher Educators and South Carolina Association of Colleges for Teacher Education.

Arlene Adams presented her research, entitled "A Portfolio Assessment Procedure for Preservice Teachers for Admission to the Professional Year," at the annual meeting of the Mid-South Educational Research Association held recently in Nashville, Tenn. This research is being conducted as part of the restructuring efforts currently taking place in the School of Education and the Department of Early Childhood and Elementary Education.

Danny Turner had an article, entitled "Exploring Gerschgorin Circles and Cassini Ovals," published in *Mathematica in Education*. In this article, the graphical power of Mathematica is used to explore a geometric approach to eigenvalues. Turner coauthored the article with Robert Piziak of Baylor University. 🍀



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included should be submitted by noon the Tuesday before publication.

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To say thank you . . .

To the Administration, Faculty and Staff:

I am rarely at a loss for words; but, when I consider the prayers, flowers, cards, visits and the many kindnesses that were extended to my family and me during my recent illness and recovery, there are no words that can adequately express my gratitude. So, I simply say thank you!

Sincerely,
Preston L. McKeever-Floyd

Golf tournament set for faculty and staff

The campus community is invited to participate in the Coastal Carolina University Christmas Golf Tournament to be held Monday, Dec. 19 at Wild Wing Plantation. Play will begin promptly at 11:30 a.m. in a captain's choice format. A Mexican Fiesta will follow play at approximately 4:30 to 5 p.m.

Play is limited to the first 60 players to submit entry forms with the fee of \$30. Checks should be made payable to

Wild Wing Plantation. Entry deadline is Thursday, Dec. 15.

Players will be paired A, B, C, and D based on handicaps. Players who have never established a handicap, should provide their average score for an 18 hole round.

For more information or to enter the tournament, contact Pat West in EMS 231 or call extension 2009. 🍷

Bulletin Board

For sale: Extra large capacity washer and dryer; used only one year - \$400 for set. For more information, contact Jeri Traw at extension 2415 or call 650-8969 after 5 p.m. 🍷

Birthdays

December

13	Stephen Sheel
14	Chris Marsh
15	Chadwick Sarvis
16	Jimmy Soles
	Marshall Parker
19	Jack Kendree
	Chuck Whetzel
23	Peter Hermann
24	Pamela Jones
25	Lula Dewitt
	Les Haga
	Chris Mee
26	Dennis Ruth
	Nina Veas
27	Alisa Johnson
	Herbert Thompson
	Tom Seacrest
28	Tracy Garrick
	Terita McCauley
29	Paula Lippert
30	Linda Schwartz
31	Stacie Gamble

January

1	Carolyn Cox
	Carolyn Mitchell
5	Charles Joyner
7	Mary Crowe
8	Erica Nix
	Debbie Stanley
9	Brenda Sawyer 🍷

Spring Faculty Meeting
Friday, Jan. 13 • 2:30 p.m.
Wheelwright Auditorium

What are your summer plans?

CCU offers East African study safari

Coastal will sponsor a 24-day study safari to Kenya, East Africa, from May 6 to May 31, 1995 to observe and study wildlife and vegetation, the interrelation of organisms with their environment and the stresses caused by population, climate, tourism and habitat destruction. The program is open to the public. Coastal students may earn four credit hours.

Reservations and a deposit of \$1,000 must be received by Jan. 17. A total trip cost of \$3,900 includes all ground transportation in Kenya, park fees, porters, guides, lodge accommodations and meals. The fee also includes group airfare to Nairobi and tuition for CBIO 670. The remaining balance is due by March 20. Trip fees are subject to unexpected airfare increases. Space is limited; registrants will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Faculty members Rich Koesterer and JoAnn Pugh will lead the trip. Koesterer is a zoologist in the biology department and recently returned from a two-year Fulbright Fellowship in Kenya. Pugh is a senior instructor of biology.

Faculty, staff and alumni invited to travel to England this summer

Coastal will sponsor a 10-day trip for alumni to Oxford, England, from July 10 to July 21. The program is an offshoot of the original 22-day study trip for students that began seven years ago.

The application deadline is Thursday, Dec. 15. Space is limited; registrants will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Participants will live at Manchester College, located in the historic heart of Oxford. Manchester College is one of 33 colleges that comprise Oxford

University. Traveling from the coast and Great Rift Valley to Mt. Kenya (17,000 feet above sea level), the group will visit museums, national parks, hot springs, game reserves and more.

From the Rift Valley, the group will travel to the arid, northern part of the continent through sandy plains to a terrain of volcanic rock with little vegetation. Elephant, zebra, oryx, ostrich, cheetah, leopard, hyena and baboon species will be observed at the Samburu Game Reserve in the southern part of the country.

Three days will be spent hiking to the summit of Mt. Kenya. The botanical trail is filled with juniper, bamboo forests, and alpine moorlands of plantlife.

The trip will conclude with an overnight train ride to the coastal Mombasa and three days of snorkeling over tropical reefs in the Indian Ocean.

Participants will camp in national parks and game reserves with minimal facilities.

For more information, contact Geoff Parsons at extension 2054, or Koesterer at extension 2206. 🍷

University.

Participants will visit the Tower of London, Windsor Castle, Blenheim Palace, Stonehenge, Winchester and other sites related to individual interest. The final two days of the trip will be spent in London and will include visits to Buckingham Palace, the Houses of Parliament, St. Paul's Cathedral, Covent Gardens and Westminster Abbey.

The group also will see three plays and go on a boating expedition of the

See *England* on page 4.

Wishing You A Safe and Happy Holiday Season

Campus cafeteria

Week of Dec. 12

Monday: Vegetable Baked Spaghetti or Polish Sausage

Tuesday: Chili Mac or Chicken Pot Pie

Wednesday: Kielbasa with Cabbage or Broccoli Quiche

Thursday: Beef Pot Pie or Chicken Filet

Friday: Pizza or Barbecue Pork Ribs

Week of Dec. 19 - Closed

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



COASTAL CAROLINA UNIVERSITY

Financial Aid workshop brings guidance counselors to campus

The Office of Financial Aid is sponsoring the fourth annual Nuts and Bolts Workshop for high school guidance counselors on Friday, Jan. 6 from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Approximately 30 participants representing 24 high schools will be on campus.

The workshop is designed to provide

guidance counselors with information needed to assist high school students and their parents in the pursuit of postsecondary educational opportunities.

For more information, contact the Office of Financial Aid at extension 2313.

England

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Cherwell River.

A total trip cost of \$1,925 includes round-trip airfare; single accommodations and breakfast and dinner in London; two 24-hour subway travel passes in London; double accommodations (single extra), breakfast, and dinner in Oxford; one play each in London, Stratford and Oxford; and admission and ground transportation to all sites.

For those interested in earning college credit while in England, Coastal will offer four courses for credit in summer 1995, during a 22-day program. The courses are British Theatre, British History and Politics, British Architecture and Photography; and World Wars I and II in Europe.

For more information, contact Geoff Parsons at extension 2054.