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University Newsletter

The Week of June 26, 2006

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Welcome to Coastal Carolina University's weekly newsletter.

This Week's News

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[English professor heads CCU's First Year Experience](#)

English professor Nelljean Rice has been named director of Coastal Carolina University's First Year Experience, a new mandatory program for the estimated 1,500 freshmen enrolled for this fall.

[CCU offers noncredit courses for July at Conway campus](#)

Coastal Carolina University's Lifelong Learning is kicking off its noncredit courses on the main campus in Conway. For more information, course schedules, or to register, call 349-4001, or visit the Web site at www.coastal.edu/outreach.

[Lifelong Learning offers perspectives on religion](#)

Coastal Carolina University's Lifelong Learning is offering lectures on religion at the Waccamaw Higher Education Center in Litchfield on Mondays, 1 to 3 p.m., and on the main campus in Conway on Tuesdays, 1 to 3 p.m., starting next week. Each is \$10. For more information, course schedules, or to register, call 349-4030 or 349-4001, or visit the Web site at www.coastal.edu/outreach.

[Summer school's in session at CCU's Waccamaw Center](#)

Courses on photography, talking to animals and the history of summering in Pawleys Island lead off the summer at Coastal Carolina University's Lifelong Learning classes in July at the Waccamaw Higher Education Center.

[Coastal's Lifelong Learning offers computer courses](#)

Coastal Carolina University's Lifelong Learning is offering a variety of short computer workshops at the main campus in Conway and at the Waccamaw Higher Education Center in Litchfield. For more information, course schedules, or registration, call 349-4030 or 349-4001, or visit the Web site at www.coastal.edu/outreach.

['Instant Piano' creator to teach Lifelong Learning courses](#)

Coastal Carolina University's Lifelong Learning offers music courses by veteran instructor David Haynes at the Waccamaw Higher Education Center on July 25 and at the Conway campus on July 26. Learn to read music in two hours and to play the piano in three and a half hours. For more information, course schedules, or registration, call 349-4030 or 349-4001, or visit the Web site at www.coastal.edu/outreach.

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

This Week's Announcements

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No newsletter next week

There will not be a CCU e-newsletter sent out next Monday due to the July 4th holiday.

CCU students donate to Afghanistani school, clinic

When Paul Olsen and Ken Townsend travel to Afghanistan next month to be embedded with Maj. Alan Case's National Guard unit, they will present him with a \$1,000 check that will be donated to a school and a medical clinic in Kandahar, Afghanistan. The money was raised by four student organizations within the Spadoni College of Education at the 4th

Annual Community Spring Festival last semester. The organizations are: Eta Sigma Gamma (Health Promotion Honor Society), Kappa Delta Pi (Education Honor Society), the Education Club and the Physical Education Teacher Education Club.

LOOK WHO'S TALKING ABOUT US!

Coastal Carolina University has been in the news around the nation this week. Stories of interest are listed below. Just click the links to see what the world is saying about us.

Wilmington Morning Star, Wilmington NC, June 23, 2006
State gets tough on beaches' sandbags
<http://www.wilmingtonstar.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/20060623/NEWS/606230370/-1/State>

The Daily News Summary from the South Carolina Budget and Control Board, The Sun News, Myrtle Beach SC,
June 22, 2006
CCU Acts like Good Neighbor
<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/mld/sunnews/news/opinion/14874450.htm>

Campus job openings

Applications are now being taken for the following positions on campus:

Temporary Custodial ♦" first shift ♦" Facilities Management

Temporary Security Officers ♦" Public Safety

Special Projects Coordinator ♦" Residence Life

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

The Tourism Economy Study: CCU Lodging Update, June 23 from the Clay Brittain Center for Resort Tourism

The Tourism Economy Study from the Clay Brittain Center for Resort Tourism reports that Grand Strand hotel occupancy rates from June 11 to 17 averaged 72 percent, down by 5.6 percent compared to the same period last year. A voluntary sample of 8,442 lodging units is involved.

During the weekend period, the sample average occupancy rate was 85 percent, down 2.9 percent compared to the same weekend period of 2005. For the week, hotels and condotels in the survey area averaged 75 percent occupancy, down about 5 percent compared to last year during the same period.

This Week's Events

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Monday, June 26

Freshman Orientation, various locations around campus

Investing In Retirement, part of Lifelong Learning's Issues In Aging Series, 10 a.m., Norm Whiteley on managing retirement savings, University Hall

Tuesday June 27

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Wednesday, June 28

Freshman Orientation, various locations around campus

Grow, Care for, Repot and Enjoy Your Cactus Plants, part of Lifelong Learning's Academy of Gardening, an ongoing program, 10 a.m., University Hall

Deadline for agenda items for July 12 Faculty Senate meeting, noon, send to Dave Adams, Senate chair

Thursday, June 29

Freshman Orientation, various locations around campus

This Week's Athletics News

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[Men's Track's Jordan Places 15th in Javelin at U.S. Championships](#)

Sophomore Thomas Jordan finished 15th in the javelin throw at the 2006 AT&T; U.S. Outdoor Track & Field Championships, June 25.

[Men's Golf Has Two Qualify For U.S. Amateur Public Links](#)

Coastal's Zack Byrd and Lindsay Renolds have qualified to play in the 2006 U.S. Amateur Public Links event, July 10-15.

[Women's Golf's Maness Falls In First Match of U.S. Women's Public Links](#)

Sophomore-to-be Ann Maness made it through qualifying into the field of 64 for match play, but lost her opening round match.

[Baseball's Vrable Named Valley League Southern Division Player of the Week](#)

Vrable hit .320 with a home run and three RBI for the Waynesboro Generals of the Valley League.

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

Coastal People

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Bernard L. "Bernie" Allen, teaching associate in the Department of History, has co-authored a new article just published in "The West Virginia Encyclopedia," published by the West Virginia Humanities Council on June 20. The 927-page book contains 2,200 articles and was eight years in the making. Allen, who retired from West Virginia University (Parkersburg campus) in 1999, has written eight other articles.

Dan Abel was a featured speaker at a press conference earlier this month for the Marine Fish Conservation Network on findings of a new report on the federal government's effectiveness during the last five years to minimize bycatch (the catching and killing of ocean wildlife other than those fishermen intend to capture). The report stated that federal managers in the south Atlantic region have failed to measure or reduce wasteful killing of ocean wildlife and that millions of pounds of fish are inadvertently caught and go unaccounted. Abel joined three other experts at the phone press conference dealing with bycatch and why Congress should not roll back any of its conservation measures.

Patti Edwards performed at Charleston's Piccolo Spoleto recently. She performed "This Is My Country: A Concert Celebrating America's Heritage of Freedom" with Bethel United Methodist Choir. It was her third Spoleto appearance. She will repeat the concert July 4 when she conducts a patriotic program for the Indigo Choral Society.

Publication Deadlines

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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.



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