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# University Newsletter

The Week of May 21, 2007

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Welcome to Coastal Carolina University's weekly newsletter.

## This Week's News

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### [CCU names new registrar & assistant registrar](#)

Dan Lawless, associate registrar at Coastal Carolina University, has been named university registrar.

### [Complete your degree at CCU](#)

A free informational session outlining Coastal Carolina University's bachelor's in Interdisciplinary Studies degree will be held on Tuesday, June 5 at 6:30 p.m. in Wall Auditorium at Coastal.

### ['Goat' is the 'Big Read' for new Coastal freshmen](#)

"Goat: A Memoir" by Brad Land has been selected as the 2007 summer reading assignment for incoming freshmen at Coastal Carolina University.

### [Summer Lifelong Learning at Coastal Carolina University](#)

Coastal Carolina University's Lifelong Learning program will offer a summer round of 75 informative and entertaining courses for personal growth at the main campus in Conway and the Waccamaw Higher Education center in Litchfield in June and July.

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

## This Week's Announcements

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### **Campus job openings**

Security Officers - Public Safety

Student Computing Consultant - ITS

For more information, visit [www.coastal.edu/hreo](http://www.coastal.edu/hreo).

## This Week's Events

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### **Thursday, May 24**

"Summer Selections: Work By Visual Arts Students," art exhibition, May 24 - June 22, featuring student work from the past year selected by their professors, Rebecca Randall Bryan Art Gallery, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Thursday; 9 a.m. to noon Friday; closed Saturday and Sunday

## This Week's Athletics News

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### [Baseball Wins Outright Big South Title; Earns Top Seed in Conference Tournament with 7-2 Win over Winthrop](#)

Senior Dom Duggan hit two home runs and John Mariotti pitched seven strong innings as Coastal won its 10th Big South regular-season title in the program's history with a 7-2 win over Winthrop.

### [Men's Golf Advances To NCAA Championships After Winning Four-Hole Playoff Over Clemson at NCAA East Regional](#)

The Chanticleers were resilient in returning to the course three hours after finishing their round and defeating Clemson on the fourth team playoff hole over 2 1/2 hours to get the 10th and final advancing spot out of the NCAA East Regional, May 17-19.

### [LeAuna Sistrunk Named Big South Outdoor Track and Field Athlete of the Week](#)

Coastal Carolina's LeAuna Sistrunk and Liberty's Josh McDougal were named the Big South Conference Choice Hotels Men's and Women's Outdoor Track and Field Athletes of the Week.

### [Women's Volleyball Travels to Europe](#)

The Coastal Carolina women's volleyball squad is on a trip to Europe and will take on several European teams in action over the next week and a half. Each day, one of the squad members will submit their thoughts and events of the trip, with the final trip blogs by Megan Pollard and Kristin Rinne.

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

## Coastal People

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**Don Schunk**, research economist with the university's Coastal Federal Center for Economic and Community Development, presented a quarterly economic forecast for the region at the regular quarterly meeting of the Grand Strand Economic Outlook Board last Wednesday. The meeting marked the beginning of a partnership between the Economic Outlook Board and Coastal Carolina University to provide quarterly and annual economic forecasts for Horry, Georgetown and Williamsburg counties.

**Dave DeCenzo** gave his first public speech as Coastal's new president at the Friday breakfast meeting of the Conway Chamber of Commerce, held in the Wall Boardroom. DeCenzo outlined his vision and the benchmarks for his leadership.

**Arne Flaten** and Alyson Gill, art history professor at Arkansas State University, recently chaired sessions on the problems and opportunities afforded by digital reconstructions at the Computer Applications and Quantitative Methods in Archaeology conference in Berlin, the most important conference in this field. The theme of the conference was "Layers of Perception: Advanced Technological Means to Advance our Past." Flaten and **Paul Olsen** teach Ashes2Art, the innovative class/Web site that involves digital reconstruction of ancient monuments. ASU is a sister university that collaborates on the site with Coastal students.

**Emma Savage Davis**, director of the Center for Education and Community, reports the following faculty members who were cited for incorporating mentoring into their courses over the past two years are: **John Navin**, first place; **Sandra Nelson**, second place; and **Jose-Luis Mireles**, third place. The CEC recently hosted a civic learning conference with Franklin Schargel as keynote speaker. The faculty winners were announced at the conference.

**Stephanie Hyland**, the administrative specialist in the Department of Foreign Languages, is retiring from Coastal at the end of May. A reception in her honor to celebrate her 18 years at Coastal is planned for 2 p.m. on May 30 in the Edwards Courtyard.

## 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](mailto:news@coastal.edu) by 5 p.m. Thursday to be included in the newsletter, which will be sent electronically by noon the following Monday. Submissions must pertain to Coastal Carolina University events or personnel. The newsletter will not publish commercial advertisements or information that is not directly related to the university.



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