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The Week of June 4, 2007

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Garland named interim vice president for finance at Coastal Carolina University

Will Garland has been named interim vice president for finance at Coastal Carolina University. He will be responsible for overseeing all financial operations of the university until a full-time chief financial officer is hired, according to Coastal President David A. DeCenzo.

Seminar addresses long term health care issues

"Caregiving: Financing long term care," a seminar focusing on long-term care issues for individuals and caregivers, will be held June 14 at 2 p.m. at HealthFinders at Coastal Grand Mall in Myrtle Beach. The program, sponsored by the Center for Active Aging and Retirement at Coastal Carolina University, will address long-term care and family care givers, financial options for long-term care, caregiving from a distance, legislation that may affect long-term care, and elder debt management.

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

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AC repair work scheduled

On Tuesday morning, June 5, the facilities maintenance staff will be doing repair work on the air conditioning unit at the rear of the Singleton Building (the end next to the Prince Building). There will be no air during this time.

Albergotti to read at Spoletto

CCU English professor and poet Dan Albergotti will give a poetry reading at the Spoleto Arts Festival on Thursday, June 7 at 6:30 p.m. in the Dock Street Theatre courtyard on Church Street in Charleston. The event is free and open to the public. In case of rain, the event will be held in the art gallery nearby.

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Monday, June 4

Introduction to Word software program, a Lifelong Learning course, 9 a.m. at the Waccamaw Higher Education Center, \$25.

Lifelong Learning Book Club with Caroline Ewing, 10:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. at J. Bryan Floyd Community Center, 1030 Possum Trot Road, North Myrtle Beach, free.

Chanticleer Baseball vs. Clemson, NCAA Myrtle Beach Regional, 3 p.m., Coastal Federal Field, Myrtle Beach

Tuesday, June 5

"Summer Jaunts with Julie" (Finlayson), the first of a Lifelong Learning series, leaves from Conway from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m by van. This week features a trip to the S.C. State Museum and a Capitol City Walking Tour, \$35.

Beginning Acrylics, 9 a.m. to noon, Waccamaw Center, Ron West instructs for eight weeks in this Lifelong Learning course that reviews the basics of acrylics and how to use the different kinds of brushes and paints associated with painting acrylics. Fee \$90+.

Beginning Computer Skills, 10 a.m. to noon, Waccamaw Center, Carol Rose teaches eight weeks of learning basic features of Microsoft Windows, computer terminology, word processing, saving and printing documents, setting up and managing files and e-mailing. No previous experience required, \$100.

Investing In Retirement, 10 to 11:30 a.m., University Hall 205, understanding the investment portfolio, \$20.

Introduction to PCs and Windows, two sessions on Tuesday and Thursday from 5:45 to 7:45 p.m., University Hall 221. Learn the ins and outs of how to get started with a new computer from start-up to shut-down, \$35.

Information session on Coastal's interdisciplinary studies degree, 6:30 p.m., Wall Auditorium, free.

Wednesday, June 6

Men's and Women's Track and Field NCAA Championships, Sacramento, Calif.

"Reveal the Message in Your Aura," 9 a.m. to noon, Waccamaw Center, Gloriana and Craig Miller will examine the radiance that emanates and surrounds your body and give historical context of the aura's universality from ancient Near East to today's belief systems, \$45.

The Academy of Gardening meets, 10 a.m., University Hall 205, a session on How To Build Your Raised Bed, free.

Starshine Performance Training, Lifelong Learning, 3 to 5 p.m., Waccamaw Center. JoEllen Langley begins eight weeks of training for those who want to be a performer. Final class culminates in a "night club cabaret" performance, \$90.

Thursday, June 7

"Centuries of Stories from the Porch," local history presentation by Lee Brockington for CCU's Lifelong Learning, 4 to 5:30 p.m., Waccamaw Higher Education Center in Litchfield, \$10.

Creative Writing with Cheri Bingham, 4 to 6 p.m., University Hall, aimed at writers of all abilities to learn to share with each other, an eight-week course, \$50.

The Power of Positive Thinking, 6 to 8 p.m., University Hall. Instructor Cheri Bingham will guide participants in the application of this skill, \$50.

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Saturday, June 9

Starshine's Broadway, 7 p.m., Pawleys Island Community Church, featuring the performers from the Lifelong Learning course, \$10 per ticket, call 349-4030

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Baseball Rebounds From 11-8 Loss To Clemson To Defeat St. John's 6-5 In the NCAA Regional Elimination Game

The top-seeded Chanticleers battled in the opener but couldn't overcome mistakes in the 11-8 loss to the Tigers in the Winner's Bracket of the NCAA Myrtle Beach Regional, but fought back with a dramatic 6-5 win over the Red Storm. CCU now takes on Clemson on Mon., June 4 at 3 p.m. with the "if necessary" game at 7 p.m.

Men's Golf Finishes Fifth at NCAA Championships

The Chanticleers slip in the final round but still post the school's and Big South Conference's best-ever finish in any NCAA Championship. Senior Dustin Johnson concluded his career with a tie for ninth and earned his second straight First Team All-American honors.

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

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Jo-Ann Morgan's book, "'Uncle Tom's Cabin' as Visual Culture" was recently published by the University of Missouri Press. The book examines illustrations for the original editions of Harriet Beecher Stowe's 1852 novel as well as representations of its characters as they appeared in oil paintings, on sheet music, posters, and in later book illustrations. Morgan considers these pictures within a framework of social conditions and political events on the eve of the Civil War and into the 20th century. Morgan will be leaving Coastal in July to take a position as associate professor of art history at Western Illinois University in Macomb.

Publication Deadlines

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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.

