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Coastal Selected As Lead Institution In Research With ACT

Coastal has been selected as a lead institution for the Collegiate Assessment of Academic Proficiency, (CAAP) for the 1988 through 1990 academic school years. The selection designates Coastal as a partner in research with ACT, and will involve the establishment of national user norms, follow-up research, and fine-tuning of the existing program.

According to Lindy Smith, director of institutional research, it is a very important step for Coastal to take in measuring the quality of education the college provides for the students.

"I think this project is heading Coastal in the right direction," said Smith. "It is an excellent way for Coastal to take a look at some of our programs and assess the benefits that a student obtains by attending Coastal."

Coastal specifically will be involved with "Research Project 4," a project that is designed to determine whether or not the writing essay that is currently used on the ACT test is a good method of testing.

In measuring the validity and quality of the writing essay test, Coastal will administer the writing essay and critical thinking modules to a representative sample of at least 100 entering freshmen in the fall and at least 100 second-semester sophomores in the fall and spring semesters of the next two academic years.

The first testing will take place in September and will involve a sample of freshmen in certain sections of English 100 and 101. The same method will continue in the fall semester of 1990. To provide a cross-section of students, the spring semesters will involve the testing of sophomores in sections of Psychology 102.

When the study is completed test scores will be shared with the students and assessment of the testing will be made by Coastal. A comparison of college placement test scores with the writing test scores will be administered as well.

Fall Faculty Meeting Scheduled

The fall general faculty meeting will be held Friday, August 26, at 10 a.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. Following the meeting lunch is scheduled in the Student Center.

"College After 25" Program Planned

Graduate and Continuing Education will hold "College After 25", a program designed to address concerns that adults encounter as they consider continuing their education, Tuesday, August 16, from 6 to 9 p.m. The program will be held in the Student Center, room 205.

Sessions, led by Coastal faculty and staff who have expertise in working with adults, will cover topics such as: a broad overview of the Coastal campus and Georgetown extension; admission procedures; grants, scholarships, and loans; effects of college on family; acceptance of younger students; and, evening and off-campus programs.

The program is free to adults of any age. For more information, contact Graduate and Continuing Education, ext. 2672.

Graduate Registration For Fall Semester Scheduled

Coastal graduate students may register for the fall semester August 22 through 25 from 3:30 to 4:45 p.m. in the Registrar's Office at the college.

USC graduate courses are offered at Coastal in the areas of education, librarianship, English, math, psychology, history, government, art education, journalism, social work, public health administration, and several other disciplines. USC also offers courses at Coastal leading to the professional MBA degree and the master of engineering degree.

Television instruction in some disciplines provides an alternative to traditional classroom instruction. TV instruction for these courses is offered on closed-circuit television, through ETV, or on tapes.

For more information about registration or eligibility requirements, contact Graduate Studies, ext. 2671, between the hours of 8:30 to 5 p.m. daily.

Art Exhibition

A farewell exhibition, "Potato Heads, Flora, and Other Delights," featuring the recent etchings and pastels of Zdzislaw Sikora, associate professor of art, will be shown

beginning August 18 from 3 to 7 p.m. in the Fine Arts Building gallery. The exhibition will continue daily through August 30 and can be viewed between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. The exhibit is free and open to the public.

Sikora will be leaving Coastal this year, taking the position of professor of drawing at the Savannah College of Art and Design.

Library Hours For Fall Semester Announced

The following library hours for the fall semester will be in effect Monday, August 29 through Friday, December 16.

Regular Library Hours:

Monday - Thursday:	8 a.m. to 11 p.m.
Friday:	8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday:	9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday:	2 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Exceptions:

Monday, Sept. 5:	Closed (Labor Day)
Tuesday, Nov. 8:	Closed (Election Day)
Thursday, Nov. 24:	Closed (Thanksgiving)
Friday, Nov. 25:	Closed (Thanksgiving)

End of Semester and Christmas Holiday Hours:

Saturday, Dec. 17:	Closed
Sunday, Dec. 18:	Closed

Monday through Thursday, Dec. 19 - 22:
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Friday Dec. 23 through Sunday, Jan. 1:
Closed

Media Collection Hours:

Regular Hours:

Monday through Thursday:	8 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Friday:	8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday:	9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday:	2 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Note: The Media Collection will observe the same holiday and end of semester hours as the library.

Graduate and Continuing Education Presents "Third Quarter"

"Third Quarter", a unique academic and cultural opportunity for individuals of retirement age on the Grand Strand, Waccamaw and Georgetown areas, is now being offered at Coastal. The purpose of the program is to provide intellectual and cultural programming for adults age 55 and up in a college environment. A degree is not a prerequisite for participation.

Providing a new concept for learning, "Third Quarter" challenges instructors as well as participants to mix the academic subject matter with the life experiences of the adult student. Active, yet informal, class involvement is stressed with some out of class work being a part of the learning process, but no formal papers or exams will be required.

Classes scheduled include:

The Performing Arts: Taste, Enjoyment, Growth, Experience, and Labor

Thursdays beginning Sept. 15 through Nov. 10
3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Instructor: Dr. Amato Petale

A Southern Literary Experience

Wednesdays beginning Oct. 12 through Dec. 7
1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Instructor: Dr. Paul Rice

What Makes A Musical Hit "A Hit"

Thursdays beginning Oct. 20 through Dec. 15
1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Instructor: Jay Thompson

Aging and the Brain: If We Use It Do We Lose It?

Tuesdays beginning Oct. 11 through Dec. 6
3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Instructor: Dr. William E. Hills

The American Chief Executive: Discourse and Dialogue

Tuesdays beginning Oct. 11 through Dec. 6
1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Instructor: Dr. Jack Riley

Registration Deadline:	September 1, 1988
Late Registration:	September 8, 1988 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Financial support of the program is through a membership fee of \$75 (\$125 double) for the fall term. Membership entitles the participant to take one or more of the courses offered.

For more information or registration application, contact Graduate and Continuing Education, ext. 2673.

Job Locator Service Request

Any office or department in need of institutional work-study students are encouraged to notify the Job Locator Service, formerly the Job Location Office, which has been reorganized as part of the Placement Office in the Counseling Center. Please call or send a memo describing your approved opening to Mollie Starbuck, ext. 2333. There have been a number of students contacting the Job Locator Service in search of on-campus positions.

Classifieds

Roommate needed Female, non-smoker. Convenient Myrtle Beach location, within walking distance of the beach, movies, and shopping centers. \$250.00 a month plus 1/2 utilities. \$200 security deposit. For more information, call ext. 2084, or call 626-9361 and leave a message.

Bikes For Sale Two Huffly 10-speed bicycles in good condition. \$35.00 for boys bike; \$45.00 for boys bike with child carrier attached. For information, call ext. 2086, or 650-0618 after 6 p.m.

For Sale Bicycle: 10-speed Motobecane french racing bike - \$50; Stereo system with radio, turntable and 2 two-foot speakers, good shape - \$50. For information, call ext. 2028, or 650-1208.

Campus Calendar

August 16:

College After 25, 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., SC-205.

Blue Jays Baseball, Blue Jays vs. Greensboro Hornets, 7:30 p.m., home.

August 17:

Blue Jays Baseball, Blue Jays vs. Greensboro Hornets, 7:30 p.m., home.

August 18:

WA Council For the Arts Meeting, 4 p.m., KH-111.

Blue Jays Baseball, Blue Jays vs. Greensboro Hornets, 7:30 p.m., home.

August 19:

Blue Jays Baseball, Blue Jays vs. Greensboro Hornets, 7:30 p.m., home.

August 20:

Men's Soccer, Coastal vs. North Carolina, 3 p.m., away.

Blue Jays Baseball, Blue Jays vs. Greensboro Hornets, 7:30 p.m., home.

August 21:

Sunday Chapel, 10:30 a.m., SC-205.

August 22:

School of Business Faculty Mtg., 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., KH-201.

Humanities and Fine Arts Faculty Mtg., 8:30 a.m., KL-238.

Orientation, campus.

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