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Coastal Professor Participates In Teacher Exchange Program In Australia

Dr. Lance Bedwell, professor of education, recently moved to Australia to live and teach for six months, as part of a teacher exchange program. Bedwell did more than swap jobs with Australian professor Dr. Peter Ferguson -- he also traded homes and cars with the "aussie." Bedwell spent six months teaching at Deakin University in Geelong, Australia.

According to Bedwell, the current issues at the university are mainstreaming or integration of the handicapped into the regular classroom, financing of public education, and quality of education -- issues American educators also are concerned about.

Bedwell says one difference he observed is that the Australian educational system does not place nearly as much emphasis on testing as the United States.

Bedwell said he was excited about participating in the teacher exchange program because he wanted to experience life in Australia, and at the same time, gain knowledge beneficial toward his work at Coastal Carolina College.

"A person can get too narrow in one's opinions or views. Travel broadens one's experiences," said Bedwell. "I also wanted to gain an international outlook on my work."

His trip was very well worth the experience, according to Bedwell. "I enjoyed sharing my ideas on teaching at the university, and learning their ideas as well," he said. "I believe I gained a great deal from the experience."

Spires Crowned "Ms. Coastal 1990"

Mindy Spires, a senior political science major from Cayce, was crowned "Ms. Coastal 1990," from among the thirteen Coastal students who recently competed for the title. Spires also received the "Most Talented" award for her impressive performance of Patsy Cline's classic country ballad, *Crazy*.

Spires is president of the Student Government Association at Coastal. She has served as Student Government Association secretary, freshman class president, a member of the yearbook staff, and member of the Phi Alpha Delta (pre-law fraternity).

She was named 1988 Ms. Coastal Pageant first runner-up, 1988 Homecoming Queen first runner-up and 1989 Homecoming Queen.

First runner-up in this year's "Ms. Coastal" pageant was Kristie Anderson, a sophomore elementary education major from Conway. Anderson also was selected as "Ms. Congeniality" by her fellow contestants.

Second runner-up was Divina Perez, a freshman marketing major from Myrtle Beach.

Other finalists were Lisha Morlan of Parkersburg, West Virginia, a sophomore business finance major and Leanne Howe of Mt. Ulla, North Carolina, a sophomore recreation major.

Coastal Theater To Present "Story Theatre"

"Story Theatre," Paul Sills's stage adaptation of tales by the Brothers Grimm and Aesop's Fables, will be presented by Coastal Carolina Theater Friday, November 17 at 8 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium, with additional performances Saturday, November 18 at 8 p.m., and Sunday, November 19 at 2:30 p.m.

"Story Theatre's" roots are from the same improvisational movement that spawned "Saturday Night Live" and "Second City Television." "Story Theatre" is a biting commentary on the social morals and mores of contemporary America.

The production's cast will be made up of students from Coastal Carolina College, Socastee, and Conway High Schools. A grant from the South Carolina Humanities Council provided an opportunity for high school students to participate in the play.

The Coastal Carolina Theater production of "Story Theatre" is funded in part by the Horry Cultural Arts Council, the South Carolina Arts Commission and the National Endowment for the Arts.

Tickets are \$7 (\$4 students), and may be purchased at the door or in advance through the Wheelwright box office.

Coastal Carolina Theater To Hold Auditions For "The Tempest"

Coastal Carolina Theater will hold auditions for the production of *The Tempest*, Monday, November 27 through Wednesday, November 29 at 7 p.m. in Wheelwright Auditorium. Auditions are open to the public.

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The Tempest is Coastal Carolina Theater's first Shakespearean production. The comedy is about the discovery of the New World. Stage director of the play is David Millard, assistant vice chancellor for program planning and development.

John Durrell, dean of humanities and fine arts is director of text; Sandi Shackelford, assistant professor of theater is director of voice; and Charles Whetzel, visiting professor of theater and artist-in-residence at Coastal, is director of the set.

The play will be presented at Coastal, Friday, February 23 through Sunday, February, 25. Scripts are available for review in Kimbel Library.

For more information, contact David Millard, ext. 2442.

Tuition Assistance Available For Faculty And Staff

Academic Affairs announces tuition assistance for the spring 1990 semester is now available. Faculty and staff should apply before the Thursday, November 30 deadline.

For more information or to obtain an application, contact Chris Martin, Academic Affairs, ext. 2086.

Small Business Development Center Co-Sponsors Business Recovery Seminar

Coastal's Small Business Development Center (SBDC), and the Grand Strand Chapter of the Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE), will present a business recovery seminar Thursday, November 16, from 1 to 5 p.m. at Chapin Memorial Library in Myrtle Beach. The seminar is free and open to local business owners whose businesses may have been affected by Hurricane Hugo. The seminar will aid local owners of small businesses in their urgent need for help in determining business strategies to overcome the effects of the hurricane.

Many businesses may not be aware of the Monday, November 20, 1989 deadline for filing physical damage claims with the Small Business Administration (SBA), and the June 22, 1990 deadline for filing economic injury claims.

The four-hour workshop will include advice on how to file with SBA for help related to economic injury caused by Hugo; how to assess the true effect of damage and the options for obtaining recovery; tips on how insurance coverages may be used to the best advantage; and financing alternatives during business recovery.

The workshop presenters will include SBDC, SCORE, and SBA Disaster Loan program representatives. An insurance specialist and panel of local representatives of financial institutions also will be on hand.

SCORE is a national volunteer agency of the SBA, where retired business and professional executives provide business counseling to small businesses.

The SBDC is located at Coastal and assists new enterprises and managers of existing businesses.

For more information, or to register for the seminar, contact SCORE at 448-4917, Marshall Bryant at 347-3168, or Patrick King at 349-2169. Preregistration is requested, but not required.

Spring 1990 Graduate Registration And Advisement Scheduled

Coastal's graduate students may schedule appointments for advisement Monday, November 13 through Thursday, November 17. Librarianship advisement will be November 8. Students also may register early for the spring semester, from 3 to 4:30 p.m. in the registrar's office during the week.

Graduate students are encouraged to register early to avoid long lines during the late registration period in January. Tuition statements will be mailed to graduate students in mid-December.

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 Helen Hood, ext. 2671.

Volunteers Needed For Special Olympics Basketball Tournament

The Physical Education Center needs volunteers to help with the special olympics basketball tournament to be held Saturday, December 2 at Coastal. Volunteers are needed to help with registration, officiating, cooking and serving lunch, as well as other areas.

For more information, contact Marshall Parker, ext. 2810.

Whole Language Conference Rescheduled

The two-day conference, "Whole Language: Empowering Teachers and Learners," has been rescheduled for Friday, December 8, and Saturday, December 9 at Coastal.

The focus of the conference will be the educational trend of teaching children and adults by using real examples of reading, writing, and storytelling, as opposed to the "Dick and Jane" method.

The conference will feature speakers Regie Routman, reading recovery teacher from Ohio, and author of Transitions: From Literature to Literacy; Bob Wortman, Arizona elementary school principal and former whole language kindergarten teacher; and Debbie Dewitt, North Myrtle Beach school teacher.

Educators from more than ten states will discuss topics such as whole language strategies and children's literature in the writing classroom; empowerment and whole language; children as language artists; the at-home whole language environment of children; using non-sexist children's literature; reading and writing; partners in the common experience; and teaching beginning reading through writing.

The conference will begin Friday, December 8 at 1 p.m., with concurrent sessions held through 7 p.m. The conference will continue Saturday, December 9, with concurrent sessions from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Registration fee is \$95 and includes non-credit registration, reception, Saturday luncheon, and materials.

Registration fee for college credit is \$359 and includes conference fee, tuition, text, reception, Saturday luncheon, and materials.

For more information or to register, contact Graduate and Continuing Education, ext. 2672.

National Career Development Month

The office of career planning will offer a series of activities and programs to provide students with valuable career information during November in celebration of National Career Development Month.

Scheduled activities are as follows:

Tuesday, November 14:

"What To Do with a Major in Psychology?"

1:30 to 3 p.m.

SC-201

Thursday, November 16:

Education Recruitment Fair

3 to 6 p.m.

SC-205

Wednesday, November 29:

"What To Do with a Humanities Degree Upon Graduation?"

12 noon to 1 p.m.

SC-201

Thursday, November 30:

Graduate School Day

Twelve graduate school representatives will be on campus to provide information concerning the admissions process and programs available at their respective schools for students who are interested in attending graduate school.

For additional information concerning any of the scheduled programs, contact Trenna Page, ext. 2307.

Kimbel Library Receives New Federal Documents

The following items have been received by Kimbel Library and are shelved on the new documents shelf in the government documents section.

Changes in American Family Life

1987 Census of Retail Trade: South Carolina

1987 Census of Retail Trade: United States

U.S. Trade Performance in 1988

Molecular Neurobiology: Proceedings of the first NIMH Conference

Bibliography on Smoking and Health

Drug Use, Drinking and Smoking: National Survey Results from High School and Young Adult Populations 1975-1988

National Household Survey on Drug Abuse

Astronomy and Astrophysics: A National Historic Landmark Theme Study

Soviet Influence Activities: A Report on Active Measures and Propaganda: 1987-1988

Entertainers Needed

The alcohol and drug prevention program and the office of residence life are requesting talented faculty, staff and students to volunteer to provide entertainment for a casino night activity to be held on Friday, December 1. Anyone who would be willing to donate an hour or two of their time to entertain the students, should contact Vicki Gardner, ext. 2340.

Returning Student's Association To Sponsor Golf Tournament

Coastal's Returning Student's Association will sponsor a golf tournament, Saturday, December 9 at The Witch, located on Highway 544, east of Conway. Starting times will be available from 11 a.m. to 1:08 p.m.

The tournament format is captain's choice, with four person teams. The field is limited to thirty-six teams.

First, second and third place prizes will be awarded to players with the longest drive, closest to the pin and other categories.

The tournament fee is \$35 per person or \$140 per team. Registration deadline is Friday, November 17.

For more information or to register, phone the student activities office, ext. 2303.

Coastal Carolina People

o Dr. Karen Carpenter, assistant professor of nursing and health, had an article entitled "Anxiety: Detection and Counseling" published in Springhouse Corporation's new book, *Nurses Quick Reference*. The article deals with identifying the signs and symptoms of anxiety in hospitalized patients and outlines a two-part therapeutic interview technique for uncovering the source of anxiety and then detailing a specific intervention program. Included in the article are counseling methods for dealing with both rational and irrational patient fears.

o Dr. Darcy Carr, professor of economics, presented a session on "Business in the Aftermath of a Disaster" to Leadership South Carolina held in Charleston, South Carolina.

U.S. Trade Performance in 1988
 Molecular Neurobiology: Proceedings of the 1988
 Conference
 Bibliography on Smoking and Health
 Drug Use, Drinking and Smoking: National Survey Results
 from High School and Young Adult Populations 1975-1988
 National Household Survey on Drug Abuse
 Astronomy and Astrophysics: A National Historic Landmark
 Theme Study
 Social Influence Activities: A Report on Active Members and
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o **Dr. Robert Robinson**, associate professor of religion and philosophy and chair of the department, and his wife, **Katie Robinson**, are the proud parents of **Catherine Julia**, born Saturday, November 4. Their new daughter weighed 8 lbs., 2 oz.

Classifieds:

For Sale: 1987 Ford Ranger. Four-cylinder, fuel injection, cruise control, air conditioning, bed liner. \$27,000 miles. \$5,600. For more information, contact Kristi Craig, ext. 2019.

For Sale: 1984 Ford Thunderbird. \$3,500. For more information call Linda, 756-3344 or 756-7964.

Campus Calendar

Monday, November 13:

Graduate Advisement Begins, continues through November 17, 3 to 5 p.m., GCEC.

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National Career Development Month

will offer a series of activities students with various career interests in celebration of National Career Development Month.
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Minority Student Reception, 2:30 p.m., SC-205, by invitation only.

Wednesday, November 15:

Alcoholics Anonymous Closed Meeting, 6 p.m., SC-205.

Thursday, November 16:

Great American Smokeout.

Friday, November 17:

Business Recovery Seminar, 1 to 5 p.m., Chapin Library, Myrtle Beach.

Education Recruitment Fair, 3 to 6 p.m., SC-205.

"Story Theatre" Performance, 8 p.m., WA.

Saturday, November 18:

"Story Theatre" Performance, 8 p.m., WA.

Sunday, November 19:

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

"Story Theatre" Performance, 2:30 p.m., WA.