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This Week On Campus

Monday, Sept. 17

Lunch by Homemade Express
11 a.m. - 1 p.m., 2nd floor, CC

Tuesday, Sept. 18

Lunch by Grandy's
11 a.m. - 1 p.m., 2nd floor, CC

Wednesday, Sept. 19

Lunch by Taco Delite
11 a.m. - 1 p.m., 2nd floor, CC

Thursday, Sept. 20

Lunch by King's BBQ
11 a.m. - 1 p.m., 2nd floor, CC

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**This week on CCCC's
"Caleidoscope" program:
"Mental Health and Illness"**

Guests:

J. Randy Routon, exec.
director, Collin County
Mental Health/Mental
Retardation Center Inc.

Susan Jones, coordinator,
STAR day programs

Moderator: Shelley Lane

Air Time: Channel 35, Plano
Telecable

5 p.m. Monday, Sept. 17
7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21

"Courage is the power to let go
of the familiar."

STAFF DEVELOPMENT

A national conference on Writing to Publish as a Teaching Activity will be held Jan. 5, 1991 at Daytona Beach Community College. The conference, sponsored by the Center for Community College Faculty Development and the Community/Junior College Quarterly of Research and Practice, will provide specific practical information on copyrights, editorial policies of journals, and how publication can help your career. Registration fee is \$150 and the application deadline is Dec. 10. Contact Tom Rodgers or Deanna Wilson for applications.

Task Force Assignments

Please return the blue task force assignment sheets, indicating your three preferences for 1991 assignments, to Judy LaGrone as soon as possible.

Wanted: Extra Faculty Handbooks

Do you have any extra Faculty/Staff Handbooks in your area? If so, please send them to Human Resources.

Get Well, Walt!

Get well wishes are extended to Walt Nilsen who is recovering from heart surgery. Walt had bypass surgery last Tuesday but is already well down the road to recovery.

"To the CCCC Staff Newsletter:

Marie and I have deeply appreciated the many expressions of care and concern for us at the time of the loss of our son Brian. The prayers of many and the personal messages did much to sustain us in this difficult time. Please accept our thanks for your gracious kindness."

Rod and Marie Berg

Mammography Screening

A mammography screening will be offered from 7 a.m. to noon Friday, Nov. 2, at the Spring Creek Campus. More information on the screening will be forthcoming in the Caleidoscope.

Student Assistant Orientations

Student Assistant Orientation sessions have been scheduled for both Spring Creek and Central campuses. The session at Central Campus will be from 1-2:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 18 in the Board Room. The Spring Creek session will be from 1-2:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 19 in the Conference Center. Supervisors are encouraged to attend and should call Regina at 5784 for reservations.

Watercolor Exhibit

"Expressions: Two Women Painting," an exhibit of water color paintings by CCCC's Deanna Wilson and also Chris Jehn, will be on exhibit at the Plano Cultural Arts Center in Collin Creek Mall through Oct. 5. A reception for the artists will be 6-7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27.

Cooperative Work Experience News

The CWE program has more than doubled its student enrollment since last fall. Sybil Cotnoir, a new staff member with a background in education and journalism, will be working with Helene Cavanaugh, who is in charge of recruitment and development.

Paula Roman, coordinator of S.E.E. (Students with Education and Experience) has been recognized by the Allen City Council as a "trainer of trainers." She attended a three-day "Developing Capable People" seminar sponsored by the Allen Substance Abuse Prevention Program.

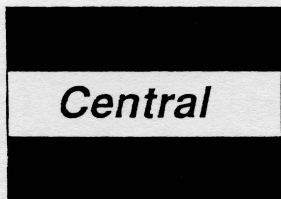
Don't Forget the Information Desks

If you are planning a program, seminar, public meeting, etc. on either campus, don't forget to tell the information desk at that campus. This allows the information desk staff to direct people to the appropriate place.

Student Updates Available

The Sept./Oct. issue of the Student Update newsletter has been mailed to all credit students and distributed to all staff/faculty. It contains a variety of information on programs and events. It also contains (for the first time) coupons from area merchants. If you did not receive a copy and would like one, contact the Student Activities office.

We Honor Both



Student Activities Office
Collin County Community College

Show your support for both campuses! Can wrappers (\$1) and T-Shirts (\$5) are on sale in Student Activities offices (CC: B250, SCC: F129)

Teleconference Correction

Last week's Kaleidoscope had an error in the title of a teleconference. The correct title of the teleconference is "Clinical Evaluation of Health Occupational Students." The teleconference will be live from 2-3:30 p.m. in the Bijou Theatre/SCC, Friday, Sept. 21.

Learn the Facts About Colo-Rectal Cancer

Dr. Randy Crim, a surgeon specializing in colo-rectal cancer surgery, will speak on the topic at 12:20 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 18, in D247/SCC. His talk is being sponsored by the Wellness Partners and free home detections kits will be available after the lecture.

"We should live and learn; but by the time we've learned, it's too late to live." Carolyn Wells

NOTES FROM HUMAN RESOURCES

Benefit Note:

Prescription drug expenses under the new Mutual of Omaha insurance coverage are covered in one of three ways:

1. using a preferred pharmacy and mutually preferred drug card. This card has the same \$5 and \$10 co-payments as our previous PCS cards. Until we receive our drug cards, prescription drug claim forms should be used to fill prescriptions at the preferred pharmacies. These forms are available from Human Resources/CC or the Bursar's office/SCC.

The plan preferred pharmacies are: Eckerd, Kroger, Tom Thumb, Page, Skaggs Alpha Beta and Wysong Professional Pharmacy in McKinney.

2. paying for a prescription at any pharmacy and submitting the receipt with a medical claim form as a major medical expense. Reimbursement will be 80 percent after satisfying the deductible.

3. obtaining a 90-day prescription for \$5 through the mail order plan. This option will be available when we receive our Drug Card which will be early October.

Notice to Parents

The Texas Department of Human Services is beginning the process of revising the minimum standards for licensed child care facilities. Child care licensing is hosting forums in several locations across the state to solicit input, comments and suggestions for possible revisions to the standards. (See next page)

**Notice to Parents
(continued)**

A forum has been scheduled from 2-6 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 19, in Lecture Hall Room 101, Blagg Huey Library, Texas Woman's University, Administration Drive and Bell Ave., in Denton. You are invited to attend this scheduled forum and inform others who are interested in child care.

Annual TRS Membership Fee

Employees participating in the Teacher Retirement System (TRS) will have the annual \$10 membership fee deducted from their September payroll check.

Happy Birthday To:

Jean Sobotka	9/21
Johnet Kepmer	9/21
Rex Parcells	9/22
June Van Cleef	9/23
Ellen Woodring	9/24
Michael McGar	9/26
Doug Proffer	9/27

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CCCCD STAFF DEVELOPMENT SURVEY

It has been proposed that college-wide retreats might be an effective staff development activity for Spring 1991. This survey has been prepared by the Staff Development Task Force for the purpose of soliciting feedback from all college personnel. Possible locations being considered include state parks or state park lodges.

1. Which one of the following options would you prefer:

A. Friday afternoon to Sunday afternoon _____

B. Friday afternoon to Saturday afternoon _____

C. Saturday morning to Sunday afternoon _____

2. Would you be willing to car pool? yes _____ no _____

3. What topics/issues would you like discussed at such a retreat?

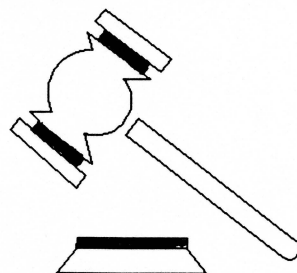
4. Would you be willing to be involved in the planning and implementation of a retreat? yes _____ no _____

5. Would you participate in a retreat? yes _____ no _____

Please return to Judy LaGrone in the President's Office by September 26.

COLLIN COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

1990-91 MEETING SCHEDULE



PRESIDENT'S ADVISORY COUNCIL

President, four VP's, Executive Dean of Enterprise, Director of Human Resources, Faculty Senate President, All-College Council Chair, Assistant to the President. All meetings will begin at 9 am.

09/18/90	SCC - Conference Room	02/12/91	SCC - Conference Room
10/03/90	CC - Workroom	03/12/91	CC - Workroom
11/13/90	CC - Workroom	04/09/91	SCC - Conference Room
12/04/90	SCC - Conference Room	05/14/91	CC - Workroom
01/15/91	CC - Workroom		

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

President, four VP's, Executive Dean of Enterprise, Director of Human Resources, Faculty Senate Representative, All-College Council Chair, Assistant to the President, Deans, Associate Deans, Directors. All meetings will begin at 2:30 pm.

10/23/90	CC	B301	03/26/91	CC	B301
11/27/90	SCC	C103	04/23/91	SCC	C103
01/22/91	CC	B301	05/28/91	CC	B301
02/26/91	SCC	C103			

ALL STAFF MEETINGS

All staff participate. Meetings held in John Anthony Theatre at 3:00 p.m.

September 28, 1990
October 26, 1990
November 30, 1990
January - Back to School Activities
February 22, 1990
April 26, 1991

1990-91 BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Meeting are held every month on the third Tuesday. Work sessions begin at 6:00 pm and Open Session at 7:00 p.m. Location of meetings will vary - check with President's Office prior to each meeting.

October 16, 1990	January 15, 1991	April 16, 1991
November 20, 1990	February 19, 1991	May 21, 1991
December 18, 1990	March 19, 1991	June 18, 1991