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# Caleidoscope

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## *This Week on Campus*

Final Exams Week  
No lunch services

## *Announcements*

### **Reminder**

If you have not returned your staff survey, please do so. So far about 30 percent have been returned. That's better than last year, but if your's isn't in, it's not good enough! Let your opinion be known—return your staff survey to the Institutional Research Office/CC today!

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This week on CCCC's "Caleidoscope":  
*Family Wellness*

Guests: Dale McEowen, executive director  
of Mental Health Association of  
Collin County

Dr. Grace Puente-Davidson,  
clinical director of the Plano Child  
Guidance Center

Moderator: Mary Rabaut

Air Time: Channel 35, Plano Telecable  
Monday, May 6, 5 p.m.  
Friday, May 10, 7:30 p.m.

## *Staff Development Activities*

### *More on Graduation*

According to Michael Olmert, in *Smithsonian*, "in Latin, gradus meant a step, and degradus a step in an ascent or descent, a rung on a ladder." From these origins came "graduation" and "degree." As the month of May moves on, we are likely to hear more on this theme of beginnings and progress.

CCCC's graduation ceremonies will be held 10 a.m. on Saturday, May 11 in the John Anthony Theatre at Spring Creek Campus.

Eighty-five students will march in this year's graduation exercises. Gary Hodge, CCCC's own sociology professor and recipient of the *Minnie Stevens Piper Award*, has graciously agreed to deliver the commencement address. (Due to being appointed to President Bush's National Council on Cancer Research, Nancy Brinker is not able to attend.) Gary will focus on pride in educational accomplishment, the value of an associate degree and future challenges of our diverse society.

Approximately 150 faculty and staff will join in this "rite of passage" as Dr. Anthony confers associate degrees and certificates of completion. Honor graduates will wear gold shoulder braids to signify high academic achievement.

Faculty senate president David Garrison, along with incoming president Kay Mizell, will serve as faculty marshalls. Rusty Nelson and Jennifer Short, current CCCC students, will act as student marshalls.

Faculty and staff are asked to be at the campus by 9 a.m. Saturday morning the 11th, and gather in the conference center for assistance with academic regalia.

To facilitate grade point calculations, faculty are reminded to submit special grade rosters for degree candidates no later than Thursday, May 9.



National Endowment for the Humanities fellowships to provide opportunities for college, university and independent scholars to pursue advanced studies in the humanities have been announced. Guidelines and application forms are available. Call Tom Rodgers or Deanna Wilson. Application deadline is Friday, May 31.

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A conference titled "Applied Learning Theory for Diverse Student Needs," sponsored by the Michigan Colleges' Consortium for Faculty Development, is scheduled for May 16—18 in Livonia, Michigan.

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The Personnel Task Force has requested that the All College Council draft implementation procedures related to sabbatical leave applicable to all full-time staff. Volunteers representing all levels of CCCC staff are being sought to assist the ACC in drafting the procedure. Persons interested in serving should call Tom Rodgers at ext. 6882. Persons with ideas, suggestions, etc. should give them to any member of the ACC.

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The Staff Development Program is looking for faculty and staff volunteers to help implement a new mentor program that would help welcome and orient the 15 new faculty members that will join us this fall. We will match each new faculty member with a teaching and non-teaching staff member. In the future we hope to enlarge the program to provide mentors for all new employees.

Being a mentor would entail:

- Introducing the newcomer to others you know
- Answering questions
- Spending some lunches or coffee breaks together
- Being a friend

If you are interested and want more information, please call Tom Rodgers at ext. 6882, or Darla Murphy at ext. 6608.

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1991 Summer Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences at MIT have been announced. Call Tom Rodgers for information.

The August 23 staff development day is currently being planned. Activities are planned for all staff. Anyone with suggestions for topics, speakers etc. should submit them to Tom Rodgers or Sherill Cobb.

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Everyone is invited to participate in a special organizational review process that has just begun. Thirty-five groups of approximately ten people each have been randomly formed. Every CCCC employee has been assigned to one of the groups. Similar groups have been used previously to make recommendations to Dr. Anthony and the All College Council. Each group is chaired by someone who attended the spring retreat.

At this special juncture in the college's history, Dr. Anthony has requested that these groups study the following:

1. The college organizational structure and make recommendations in areas of technology, student services, administration, continuing education, developmental education, institutional research, etc., and look also at the third campus structure.
2. The college's priorities as they relate to building fund dollars—we have approximately \$2 million left in the building fund. How should we allocate it—Central Campus, Spring Creek Campus Preston Ridge, etc.?
3. Money saving ideas for implementation by the college.

Again, all staff have been assigned to an organizational review committee. If you have not yet been contacted by the chair of your group, you can call Darla Murphy at ext. 8808 to determine the chair of your group.

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The election to fill vacancies on the All College Council has been completed and the results are as follows:

Levels 1 - 2:	Barbara Oakry
Levels 3 - 4:	Helen Dupont
Levels 5 - 7:	Betty Connatser
Levels 8 - 11:	Tom Rodgers
Levels 12:	Jeff Edwards
At-Large:	Teresa Rush
	Virginia McLean
	Mary Emerson

*Congratulations to these persons!*



### *Staff News*

Shelley Lane has been re-elected president of the Board of Directors of the Collin County Women's Shelter. Her term of office will expire in June 1992.

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The Employee Recognition Program Task Force would like to announce the nominees for the following three awards. The winners will be presented the award at the "Back-to-School Staff Meeting" on August 23.

#### **The Rose Award - 1990-91**

Full Time: Juanita Austin  
David Garrison  
Shelley Lane  
Vivian Lilly  
Pat McAuliff  
Lin Moore  
Adjunct: Gail Hoffman  
William Schultz

#### **The Ambassador Award - 1990-91**

Bill Baker  
Pat Banta  
Mike Crawford  
Mary Rabaut  
Margie Salisbury

#### **The Unsung Hero/Heroine Award - 1990-91**

Bill Dillingham  
Patricia Dysart  
Stephanie Hansen  
Joan Jenkins  
Jackie Klutts  
Anne Long  
Stephanie Meinhardt  
Lin Moore  
Margie Salisbury  
Marilyn Schmittou

#### **The Innovator of the Year Award - 1990-91**

No nominees

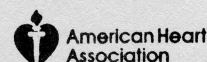
### *Notes from Human Resources*

#### **Happy Birthday to:**

Mike Crawford	5/7
Manuel Garcia	5/7
Richard Campbell	5/9
Rex Reece	5/10
Nelson Rich	5/10
Wayne Robertson	5/11
Cathy Holt	5/13

### *Notes from the Wellness Program*

WE'RE  
FIGHTING FOR  
YOUR LIFE



Date: Saturday, May 18, 1991

Time: 7:45 a.m. Registration begins  
8:00 - 12:30 Walk

Location: Collin County Community College  
Spring Creek Campus  
Jupiter Road between Spring Creek  
and Parker Road  
Plano, Texas

Directions: Take Central Expressway to Plano and exit at  
Spring Creek Blvd. Go right to Jupiter, turn  
right to Campus.

1. WALK THE HALLS FOR HEART is an opportunity for walkers of all ages to exercise and keep fit while raising funds for research and education of heart disease.
2. SECURE PLEDGES from sponsors for a specified amount per mile walked. Walkers may walk as little or as much as they wish, up to 10 miles. Donations are tax deductible.
3. REGISTER by taking the completed sponsor list to the registration table in the main court inside the main entrance of the college before beginning your walk. Please make sure the form is completed.
4. RAIN OR SHINE, we will walk in the Collin County Community College indoor campus mall. If the weather is good, you may wish to use the course outdoors.
5. COLLECT PLEDGES from your sponsors. Donations may be turned in the day of the event or on the turn-in day of Saturday, June 1, 1991 from 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at Collin County Community College.

For more information, call or write :

American Heart Association  
Attn: Leslie Brennen  
1615 Stemmons Frwy.  
Dallas, Tx. 75207  
(214) 748-7212



The Board of Directors of the CCCC Foundation, Inc. expresses deep appreciation to college employees whose support and volunteer efforts were instrumental in helping to make our 2nd annual "Celebration of Excellence" scholarship auction a resounding success!!

We especially want to thank those individuals listed below for exemplary service above and beyond the call of duty:

Richard Campbell  
Sara Chacon  
Kandy Crook  
Judy Crowder  
Steve Ellis  
Martha Ewing  
Holly Franus  
Ralph Hall  
Dinah Hampton  
Steve Hardy  
Gina Hudman  
Ron Jackson  
Bill James  
Kathy Kerby  
Roberta Kess  
Jackie Klutts  
Judy Lagrone

Doris Littrell  
Anne Long  
Donna Lyall  
Keri McCarthy  
Virginia McLean  
Darla Murphy  
Tom Rodgers  
Karen Rose  
Cindy Rowe  
Wayne Rush  
Shari Swift  
Beverly Tremain  
Loula Watson  
JoAnne Wilcox  
Doug Wintermute  
Anita Wormald  
Mary Wright

*Students for Community Involvement:*

Belinda Beckham  
Feleesha Fackler  
Liz McCracken  
Jennifer Monson  
Drew Nietert

*Respiratory Therapy Students:*

Angela Burt  
Robert Hutton  
Susan Newton  
Kelley Reynolds  
Brian Starling  
Fred Valenti

*Special Thanks*

To Mike Crawford and his talented music students whose delightful performance began our evening.

Doug Barnes  
Dina Distefano  
Jeri Gabriel  
Julie Heckard  
Sam Ludwig  
Michelle Mecham  
Lisa Owens  
Paul Rutherford  
Randa Wisdom  
**Five Minus One:**  
Jonathon Ingram  
Chris Rauls  
Michelle Staley  
Matt Tea

Sincerely,  
John Beitzel, Chair of the CCCC Foundation Board  
Jack Gray, Vice President, Institutional Advancement

*Sniglet Corner*

**CHOCOZIPPER**

*(chok' oh zip ur)*

n. The tab that releases a Hershey's Kiss.

**SEALYWHEELIE**

*(see' lee wee lee)*

n. The startled reaction when you turn over in bed and realize there's no more bed in that direction.