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From the President's Office

Scheduled Board Meetings:

Tuesday, August 20

Tuesday, August 27

Tuesday, Sept. 3

Boardroom, Central Campus
Call Judy, ext. 6600, for times.

Announcements

This week on CCCC's "Caleidoscope":

TBA

Moderator: Mary Rabaut

Air Time: Channel 35, Plano Telecable
Monday, August 19, 5 p.m.
Friday, August 23, 7:30 p.m.

Next week on CCCC's "Caleidoscope":

TBA

Moderator: Joe Jaynes

Air Time: Channel 35, Plano Telecable
Monday, August 26, 5 p.m.
Friday, August 30, 7:30 p.m.

Staff Development Activities

The Enterprise Division is sponsoring a special first-time tour to Santa Fe, New Mexico, October 24-27. For registration information please call Carol Thompson at 423-3667. Final payment is due on or before August 20!

The Caleidoscope newsletter will be returning to a weekly schedule. Please send your articles to Donna in Public Information by noon Wednesday for the following Monday's issue.

All student assistants/college work study students must complete a new contract to continue working on campus during the fall semester. On August 31, all student workers will be removed from the payroll system unless a new contract has been signed. Please contact Charlotte LeForge at ext. 5784 to get a new work contract.

Auditions for music scholarships for the fall semester will be held Tuesday, August 20, in the John Anthony Theatre from 1-3 p.m. Awards of \$250 will be made on the basis of past and present demonstrated skills and talent in music.

To be eligible, the student must:

- 1) be a full-time student (12 hours) and maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA
- 2) be enrolled in at least three hours of music
- 3) take private lessons for credit; and
- 4) participate in an ensemble.

Students should plan an audition, less than 10 minutes, that best displays their particular musical talent. An accompanist will be provided.

A panel of music faculty will serve as judges and will be responsible for determining the award recipients.

Students wishing to audition should contact Michael Crawford (881-5807) prior to August 20, to complete the appropriate paperwork and schedule an audition.

Auditions for fall membership in the award-winning Collin County Community College Jazz Choir will be held from 1-4 p.m. on Thursday, August 22 in Room B187, Spring Creek Campus. Openings are available in all voice parts and for percussion and bass guitar.

Singers should prepare a solo to show their ability in the jazz/pop/rock style. An accompanist will be provided. Taped accompaniments are acceptable.

For further information, or to schedule a time, contact Michael Crawford at 881-5807 or 243-6141.

Proposals are being accepted through September 1 to make presentations at the fall conference of the North Texas Community/Junior College Consortium scheduled for November 15-16 at the Holiday Inn: Crowne Plaza Dallas (next to Brookhaven College). The theme of the conference is "Issues of the Nineties: Quality, Access, Diversity, Management and Leadership." Call Deanna Wilson or Tom Rodgers for more information.

All Staff Day is Friday, August 23! Everyone is invited. The day's activities begin with an 8 a.m. breakfast in the Conference Center, compliments of Southwest Dining, and continue with an All Staff Meeting at 9:15 a.m. in the John Anthony Theatre. Staff Development sessions are scheduled for the remainder of the day (please see attached).

The Public Information Office will be taking staff and faculty photos for the publications/press release files. If you are a new employee we encourage you to come and get your picture taken and let us get to know you. If you have a picture in our files but would like to sit for a new one, we will be glad to take a new photo.

Time: 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m.

Date: Friday, August 23

Place: In front of the John Anthony Theatre

An information packet on 1992 task force assignments is being sent to all full-time employees. Please indicate your preferences for task force assignments on the blue sheet and return to Judy LaGrone in the President's Office by September 13. Assignments will be made by the All College Council.

"We need your help! All the lovely blue skirts used on the data entry tables during registration have either strayed from home or have been kidnapped! We had eight and now there are none. If you find them hiding away in a closet or corner in your area please call the Registrar's Office at ext. 5741 or bring them to G103/SCC. A reward? Yes, you will feel great about reuniting the skirts with their owners."

Betty Connatser

The Child Development Laboratory School has openings for children ages 3-12 years in the evening program at Spring Creek Campus. Children will participate in planned educational activities. Tuition includes supper.

Financial assistance will be provided for parents who meet eligibility guidelines. Single parents, homemakers, working parents and those with limited English proficiency are some of the qualifying categories.

Call 881-5945 for enrollment information.

National Endowment for the Humanities

Summer Stipends for 1992

Deadline: Applications must be received no later than October 1, 1991

Write: National Endowment for the Humanities
Summer Stipends Program, Room 316
1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20506

Phone: (202) 786-0466

This program enables recipients to devote two consecutive months of full-time study and research to their projects in the humanities. An applicant's project may be one that can be completed during the two-month tenure, or it may be part of a long-range endeavor.

Eligibility: The program is open to faculty members in colleges and universities; staff members in libraries; independent scholars; and to other persons working in the humanities.

Applicants need not have advanced degrees; however, those whose professional training includes a degree program must have their degrees, or completed all official requirements for such degrees, by the application deadline.

Funding and Duration: The program provides awards of \$4,000 for two consecutive months of full-time study and research.

National Science Foundation:

Visiting Professorships for Women

The objectives are:

- 1) to provide opportunities for women to advance their careers in engineering and in the disciplines of science supported by NSF and
- 2) to encourage women students to pursue careers in science and engineering by providing greater visibility for women scientists and engineers employed in industry, government and academic institutions.

An applicant must:

- 1) hold a doctorate in a field of research supported by NSF
- 2) have independent research experience in an academic institution, industry or the public sector
- 3) be currently or recently affiliated with an institution of higher education, research institute, government or industry in the U.S. and
- 4) not have a salaried position or the promise of one.

Funding and Duration: funds may be requested for salary (based on the home institution salary), travel, relocation costs (up to \$3,000), and research support. The usual award will be for 12 months for a full-or part-time professorship. Awards for one academic semester will be considered, as will proposals for periods of up to 24 months.

Deadline: Nov. 15, 1991

The deadline for applying for fall 1991 Support Staff Internships has been extended to Friday, August 30. Internship applications and job descriptions are available in the Human Resources Offices on both campuses. All staff levels 1-7 are eligible to apply.

Staff News

The Employment Resource Center (Older Worker Program) was recently awarded another grant from the Texas Department of Commerce in the amount of \$250,000 for program year '91.

According to Margo Vargas, director of the program, 31 proposals were submitted state-wide and only 15 of those were funded. Of the 15 funded the Older Worker Program at CCCC received the second highest ranking in the competition for available funds.

On July 1, the program began its fifth year under sponsorship of the college.

Congratulations to Peggy Burch who recently earned a Bachelor of Science degree in sociology with a business minor from TWU. She graduated *cum laude*. The commencement was August 10.

Larry Collins, Joe Jaynes and Gordon O'Neal attended the re-enactment of "The Battle of Wilson's Creek" in Springfield, Missouri on Aug. 9-11. They photographed and videotaped the battle to use in their history classes.

Cathy Barck and Sherill Cobb attended the National Educational Computing Conference in Phoenix, July 16-20. The conference offered an impressive selection of sessions, papers, presentations and workshops, all of which involved sharing ideas, techniques and research findings among educators and administrators. They also toured Glendale Community College's high-tech centers and saw the wonders of technology in action.

Laura Hodgson, a CWE student for two semesters, has been awarded the Distinguished Scholar Award by the Texas Cooperative Education Association (TCEA). Laura received \$500 and will be recognized by Dr. Anthony and the TCEA Board of Directors on October 11 at the luncheon meeting.

An office administration major who maintains a 3.912 GPA, Laura has served on the CWE advisory board and is a member of Phi Theta Kappa.

Wellness News

Faculty/Staff Aerobics On-going M-TH 4:30-5:30 p.m. Dance Studio/SCC

Join other faculty and staff in aerobic exercise during wellness incentive hour. Monday and Wednesday is the advanced class, while Tuesday and Thursday is the beginning class. Warm-up, aerobic dance phase, floor work and cool down activities are emphasized.

Heart Smart Eating Program On-going Cafeteria/SCC

The SCC cafeteria has initiated a new Heart Smart Meal Program and will be serving these meals throughout the year emphasizing low calorie and low fat ingredients. Caloric content of all foods will be displayed daily.

August

August 28 Blood Chemistry 7:30-8:30 a.m. A217/SCC

For information or to register please call
Beverly Tremain at ext. 5777.

Auditions for "The Tragical History of Dr. Faustus"

Auditions for roles in the upcoming CCCC Theatre Department production of "The Tragical History of Dr. Faustus" will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 3 and 4, in the Black Box Theatre on Spring Creek Campus.

The play was written by Christopher Marlowe, a contemporary of Shakespeare. In the drama, Dr. Faustus sells his soul to the devil for 24 years of service.

The CCCC performances will include an original music score by Keith Hayes, choreography by Jill Whitson and special effects by Craig Erickson.

The production is seeking two human characters and 15-20 demons. Those auditioning for roles are asked to prepare a classical monologue. Call backs will be on Thursday, Sept. 5.

Performances of the play will be October 16-20.

For more information call Rob Hall, ext. 5809.

Notes from Human Resources

New People

Marti Myles Rosenfield	Professor, Developmental Writing
Tamara Turner	Secretary, Student Development
Tommy McKinzey	Operator/Maintenance Technician
Debra Wilson	Accountant for Grants and Contracts

Happy Birthday to:

Janet Daugherty	8/20
Silvia Herrera	8/20
Sheryl Kappus	8/22
Betty Sacerdote	8/22
Shari Swift	8/22
Brian Boring	8/26
Helen Dupont	8/26
Charlene Gerson	8/26
Mary Jane Holloway	8/26

Literacy Facts

Did You Know:

- The ratio of adult Americans who cannot read at all is 1 out of 9.
- The percent of all juvenile offenders who are illiterate is 85.
- The percent of all naval recruits who are functionally illiterate is 30.
- One-fourth of all army recruits are put into remedial classes so they can understand training manuals written at a seventh-grade level. Many army instruction booklets for use of weapons and equipment are printed in comic book form.
- One out of every ten drivers you meet on the highway cannot read road signs. (Their driver's exams were read to them.)

(more in the next issue)

Cartoon Corner

AGREGENDA

(ag rub jen' dub)

n. Events you write in your appointment book but forget to attend, or just dread going to.

NANCY®



JEFFYLUST

(ji' phee lust)

n. The inability to be the first person to carve into a brand-new beautiful jar of peanut butter.



Rex had always known that someday the trumpet lessons would pay off.

FACULTY COMPUTING CENTER

Collin County Community College

Fall, 1991

Where?

The Faculty Computer Center is located in room B233 on the Spring Creek Campus adjacent to the Academic Computing Center offices.

When?

The hours of operation are Monday thru Friday, 9 am to 10 pm and Saturday, 9 am to 4 pm. The door to the center will be locked after 5 pm on weekdays and all day Saturday. You may obtain a key from the Computer Lab in room J121 on the Spring Creek Campus.

Who may use the center?

The center will be open to all faculty, full-time and adjunct.

What is available?

Hardware includes IBM-compatible computers (286 and 386), Mac IIx (Apple Computers), dot matrix printers (color and black ribbons), laser printer, scanner, optical character reader, and mice.

Software includes gradebook and testing software, WordPerfect, Lotus 1-2-3, dBASE III, Harvard Graphics and much more.

Technical assistance will be available in the center from 1:30-3 pm on Monday and Wednesday. If you need additional assistance, consider registering for a ACS Staff Development Course or you may schedule an appointment with our staff for one-on-one support.

What can the equipment be used for?

The center is available to help you with your instructional duties. Suggestions for its use include developing and printing syllabi, handouts, transparencies, and reference materials. The scanner may be used to incorporate graphics or texts from reference materials into your documents. Gradebook and testing software helps you prepare exams and maintain grade records on your students.

COLLIN COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Staff Development Day

August 23, 1991

Spring Creek Campus

8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Breakfast at the Conference Center

Hot tea, coffee, orange juice; eggs, sausage, bacon; fresh fruit; biscuits and gravy, croissants and jelly

****Breakfast compliments of Southwest Dining****

9:15 - 10:15 a.m. Dr. Anthony and All Staff meeting

John Anthony Theatre

Remarks by Dr. Anthony

Awards and Recognition

Announcements

10:15 - 10:45 a.m. Break

11:00 - 12:15 p.m. Concurrent Sessions I

Rm A214 1 - Math Across the Curriculum

Bill Ardis, Professor of Mathematics
(Sponsored by the Curriculum Resource Task Force)

Facilitator: David Garrison

Rm J121 2 - Making Computer Generated Overheads

Susan Farrar, Director of Academic Computing
Facilitator: Larry Stern

Rm A215 3 - Appropriate Questions at Interview Sessions

Gwendolyn Stallins of Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer, and Feld
Facilitator: Dee Roessler

**12:15 - 1:30 p.m. Lunch on Your Own/or Bring Your Brown Bag
for These Sessions:**

Rm F110 4 - Using Interactive Groups in the Classroom

Facilitators: Kay Mizell, Professor of English;
Cindy Howry, Professor of Computer Science; and
Sharon Hosack, Professor of Mathematics

Court- 5 - Financial Planning in the 90's

yard John Shockey of Shockey, Masters, Whitehurst
and Associates
Facilitator: Tom Rodgers

Planning Committee: Sherill Cobb (Chair), Anita Comley, Martha Ewing
Roberta Kess, Judy LaGrone, Cathy Stark, Margo Vargas, Darla Murphy

1:30 - 2:45 p.m. Concurrent Sessions II

Rm D234 6 - Multi-Media Your Syllabus

Sherill Cobb, Professor of English; Cathy Barck, Director
of the ALC; Michael McGar, Professor of Advertising Art;
Lane Williams, Audio Visual Assistant
Facilitator: Chris Grooms

Rm A214 7 - Sexual Harassment

Gwendolyn Stallins of Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer, and
Feld

Facilitator: Martha Royal

**Rm A215 8 - "D.C. Law" - The Federal Rights and Requirements for
Students with Disabilities**

Susan Orwoll, Disabled Student Advisor
Sandra Stephens, Office for Civil Rights
Facilitator: Stephanie Meinhardt

**Rm A216 9 - Women and Men in Academia: Does Gender Make a
Difference?**

Shelley Lane, Professor of Speech Communication
Facilitator: Denise Brown

3:00 - 4:15 p.m. Concurrent Sessions III

Rm A107 10 - Positive Steps for Self-Defense

Rob Hall, Professor of Theatre
Facilitator: Bev Tremain

**Rm A214 11 - Business Office Procedures (Including How to Read a
Budget Printout)**

Ralph Hall, Business Manager
Facilitator: Betty Wolfe

Rm D130 12 - Interdisciplinary Software in the ALC

Cathy Barck, Director of the ALC and faculty panel
Facilitator: Cathy Barck

All Staff Breakfast Table Decorations: Darla Murphy (Chair), Dinah
Hampton, Mary Wright, Judy LaGrone, Shari Swift, Kandi Crook

Room assignments are subject to change
Contact Darla Murphy ext. 6608, for information