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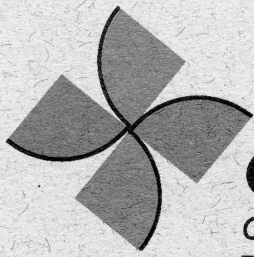
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CALEIDOSCOPE

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March 9, 1992

No. 232

CENTRAL PARK CAMPUS LUNCHES

March 9-12

Monday	Homemade Express
Tuesday	Subway
Wednesday	Golden Fried Chicken
Thursday	British Baker

March 16-19

Spring Break - no lunch service

Lunches will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the second floor atrium.

Caleidoscope Show

Title:	Issues of the Day
Moderator:	Joe Jaynes
Guests:	Lynn Jones Rodney Boyd Mark Welborn
Air Time:	Plano Telecable, channel 35 Tuesday, March 10, 9 p.m. Friday, March 13, 8 p.m.

Title:	CCCC Theatre
Moderator:	Shelley Lane
Guests:	Kathy Lingo Molly Brown Thomas Wyatt
Air Time:	Plano Telecable, channel 35 Tuesday, March 17, 9 p.m. Friday, March 20, 8 p.m.

Calendar: March-April

Gallery Schedule-SCC/K208

March 9-13	Advertising Art Student Competition Opening: 6:30-8 p.m., March 9
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Galleria Schedule-SCC/LRC

March 2-27	Kathy Windrow
March 31-April 3	Celebration of Excellence
April 3	Art of Laughter—Scholarship Auction with comedian Jack Mayberry

STAFF AND FACULTY OPPORTUNITIES

Employee Recognition Program: Don't forget!

Don't forget about the April 1 deadline to nominate someone for the 1991-92 Employee Recognition Program.

The goal of the program is to recognize and reward staff members for their contributions to the successful accomplishment of the college's mission and goals.

On the nomination forms sent to employees, there is an error on the Rose Award nomination criteria. You must be a full-time employee to nominate someone for the award, but the person you nominate does not have to be a full-time employee.

Additional nomination forms are available in the Human Resources offices and Adjunct Faculty offices on both campuses. Part-time employees and adjunct instructors can pick up the booklet at these locations. Supervisors also may pick up extra booklets in those offices.

Award recipients will be announced and recognized at the All Staff Meeting in August.

Please take time to nominate people on campus that you know have made an extra effort for the college and/or community.

Registrar Vicki Harris and English Professor Tony Howard are the co-chairs of the Employee Recognition Task Force. Other members are: Kathy Kerby, Linda Conry, Glenda DeLeon, Bill Dillingham, Steve Carroll, Kim Russell, Margo Vargas, Vicki Oefelein, Gina Hight, Vicki York, Betty Connatser, Darla Foster and Tom Rodgers.

For more information on the recognition program, call Tom Rodgers at ext. 6882.

Spring Arts Recitals Scheduled

The Collin County Community College Music Department is pleased to announce its Spring Performing Arts Recital Series. All concerts are free and will take place from noon to 1 p.m. in the John Anthony Theatre at Spring Creek Campus.

Recitals are scheduled for:

- Wednesday, March 11
Guest pianist Meryl Ettelson.
- Wednesday, March 25
Music majors in performance.
- Wednesday, April 1
Music Faculty April Fools Concert.
- Wednesday, April 15
Music majors in performance.
- Wednesday, April 2
Faculty recital: guitarist Gary Pokras.
- Monday, May 4
Music majors in performance.

For more information on the concerts, call Brian Allison at ext. 5813.

Good Luck Pot Luck at CPC

Mark your calendars for the Good Luck Pot Luck lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Friday, March 13, in the board room at Central Park Campus. Bring a covered dish and join your co-workers in warding off the bad-luck demons from our first Friday the 13th of 1992!

Student Nurses Sell Cookbooks

The Collin Nursing Student Association has cookbooks available for \$5 each. The book, called *Prescriptions for the Palate*, has hundreds of recipes for snacks, entrees, salads and soups, and they are all healthy, too! The cookbooks are available in the Nursing Division offices on either campus. Call ext. 5880 or 6880 for more information.

Apple Multimedia Center Sets Workshops

Several multimedia computer workshops are being offered during March in the Apple Multimedia Center at CCCC's Spring Creek Campus.

The multimedia center, part of the college's Advertising Art Department, was established in January 1991 with a grant from Apple Computers. The two-day seminars are from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day and include lunch.

"Photoshop 2.0 Workshop" will be Thursday and Friday, March 12-13, in the multimedia center and will focus on electronic imaging and prepress on the Macintosh. The course includes scanning, high-resolution output, color separation, image manipulation and technical prepress information. The class costs \$300.

In the "Macromind Director Workshop," scheduled for Thursday and Friday, March 26-27, participants will design a storyboard and create an animated presentation with sound using Macromind Director and various illustration software. The course costs \$300.

For more information on these courses, call Nelie Tebbetts at ext. 5907; Esther Kibby at ext. 5968; or Michael McGar, coordinator of the Advertising Art Department, at ext. 5647. To register by facsimile, the number is 881-5629.

Mayberry Highlights Week of Celebration of Excellence Events

Nationally-known comedian Jack Mayberry highlights Collin County Community College's 1992 *Celebration of Excellence*, a week-long series of events beginning Monday, March 30, to raise awareness of the college's art programs and raise money for student scholarships.

Among the activities scheduled is a talk by popular local writer Wally Chariton; a benefit piano concert by Mary Mosher Humm; and an April Fool's Concert by members of the music faculty.

Most of the events and demonstrations are free and open to the public, except where noted. The events will take place at CCCC's Spring Creek Campus. The *Celebration of Excellence* is sponsored by the non-profit CCCC Foundation, Inc. which encourages community participation in the activities.

The schedule of activities is:

Monday, March 30

- The **CCCC Jazz Choir** will perform at noon in the SCC Atrium. Popular local writer **Wally Chariton** will speak at 1 p.m. in SCC/F108 on Texas' great unsolved mysteries. There will be a discussion and anecdotes on achieving success as an author. An autograph session will be from 2-3 p.m.
- **CCCC student Bonnie Fry** will present a photographic essay at 7:30 p.m. in the John Anthony Theatre at SCC. The essay, titled "French Impressions," will be slides from the college's Month In Paris summer program.

- A student photography exhibit will be on display during the essay presentation, and there will be a tour of the photo lab work areas.

Tuesday, March 31

- **Art Fair: Exploration of the Arts**, featuring displays and demonstrations from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the SCC Atrium. Faculty demonstrations by Lee Akins, ceramic wheel and throwing; Cathy Cotter, watercolor; Suzi Kurtz, papermaking; Rex Reece, screen printing; Byrd Williams, view camera; June Van Cleef, studio lights and portable studio; Michael McGar, advertising art; Joyce Miller, literary *Jeopardy*; and Keith Hays, electronic music. There also will be a slide presentation of photos taken in Qaxaca, Mexico, by CCCC photography students and videos by humanities students.
- **"How to Criticize Your Own Art Work,"** by nationally-known artist Donna Adams at 1 p.m. in SCC/B148. Adams also is a member of the college's adjunct faculty.
- **Film Festival showing of Hitchcock's "Rear Window,"** from 7-10 p.m. in SCC/B124.

Wednesday, April 1

- **"April Fool's Concert,"** by the CCCC music faculty at noon in the John Anthony Theatre at SCC.
- **Dallas Potter Gary Huntoon** will give a demonstration from 3-7 p.m. in SCC/B149. He will demonstrate throwing, hand building and decorating porcelain.
- **"Networking in Art,"** presented by Jackie MacLelland at 7 p.m. in SCC/B148. MacLelland has been administrative assistant to the president of the Women's Caucus of the Arts for the last two years.
- **New Music Ensemble Concert** at 8 p.m. in the John Anthony Theatre at SCC.

Thursday, April 2

- **Theatre and Forensics Students**, along with faculty members Joan Kennedy and Kathy Lingo, will present a Readers' Theater and Theatrical "Snippets" from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the SCC Cafeteria Courtyard.
- **The Business Side of Art: What Is an Artist Representative Looking For?**, presented by Brenda Simonson-Mohle, will be at 1 p.m. in SCC/B148. Mohle is an established artists' representative who has been successful despite the country's difficult economic times.

- **Film Festival showing of "The Cinema,"** from 7-10 p.m. in SCC/B124.

Friday, April 3

- **Comedian Jack Mayberry** will entertain patrons at the *Art of Laughter* foundation dinner and scholarship auction the at the Harvey Hotel in Plano. The event will begin at 7:30 p.m., and tickets are \$30 each or \$75 each (with special seating). Call ext. 5611 for more information or to reserve tickets. Proceeds from the auction of goods and services donated by local businesses and individuals will go toward student scholarships in the fine arts area.

Saturday, April 4

- **Coffeehouse with Poetry, Folk Music and Classical Guitar**, hosted by the English department, from 8-11 p.m. at SCC On the Square. There also will be a ceremony to honor arts and humanities students and a juried art competition with the theme, "Recycled Art as Centerpiece."

Monday, April 6

- **Founder's Day Benefit Concert** featuring concert pianist Mary Mosher Humm, at 8 p.m. in the John Anthony Theatre at SCC. Donations will be accepted at the door to benefit the fine arts programs at CCCC.

There will be several exhibits on display during the week-long celebration, including an art exhibit in the "B" module; a Galleria exhibit on the second floor of the Learning Resources Center; a Gallery exhibit in K208; and a watercolor exhibit in the Learning Resources Center.

For more information on any of the arts activities, call the Arts and Humanities Office at ext. 5811.

Advertising Art Student Work on Display

Entries in the Advertising Art Student Art Competition are on display in the Gallery at Spring Creek Campus. The exhibit runs through Friday, March 13 in room K208.

The students used oils, graphite, scratchboard, computer graphics, computer 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional animation and computer illustration to complete conceptual assignments. Students created the artwork in illustration or graphic design-related courses.

The Gallery is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays and from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Fridays.

For more information on the exhibit or the competition, call the Advertising Art Department ext. 5907.

"Celebration" Seeks Auction Donations

The *Celebration of Excellence* Scholarship Auction still needs your help.

A goal of \$15,000 in new scholarship funds has been established for the third annual CCCC "Celebration of Excellence" Scholarship Auction scheduled April 3 at the Harvey Hotel-Plano.

Faculty and staff were major contributors to the success of the 1990 and 1991 events through their generous donations of items for the auction as well as their assistance in soliciting auction items from others.

"The support of faculty and staff will really be important to us this year, especially considering the impact that the sagging economy has had on the retail community in Collin County," said Mary Anne Seale, special events chair for the CCCC Foundation, Inc. which plans the annual event.

CCCC students are the beneficiaries of the charity auction. To date, auction proceeds have endowed more than \$12,000 in scholarships.

"The Art of Excellence" has been adopted as the theme for the 1992 "Celebration," which includes a week-long series of events that focus on excellence in the arts at CCCC.

The scholarship auction climaxes the week. Nationally-known comedian Jack Mayberry will reinforce the theme, "The Art of Laughter."

Faculty and staff who wish to support the auction with donations or by helping with solicitation are urged to call Jack Gray at ext. 6612 or Shari Swift at ext. 6611.

College Publication Seeks Submissions

Several opportunities exist for CCCC to gain national recognition through the *Community, Technical, and Junior College Times*.

The newspaper encourages submissions for its sections including:

Essay—Topics include analysis, personal perspectives, or alternative interpretation of education issues, trends and events. Average length is 500–1,000 words.

In the Classroom—This section features articles about trends, programs or events that directly effect teaching, education and educators. Average length is 500–1,000 words.

Teaching and Learning—This column, written by educators about their teaching experiences, appears in the "In the Classroom" section. Average length is 500–1,000 words.

Class Notes—Briefs about education trends, awards, programs, etc. Average length is less than 100 words.

The newspaper also contains other sections which are good outlets for CCCC news. If you are interested in submitting an article or know of something to send to the *Times*, please contact Doug Wintermute at ext. 6610.

Teleconferences

Title: "Educating Teachers for America 2000: A Challenge to Higher Education"

Time: 2:30–4:30 p.m.

Date: Thursday, March 19

Place: Bijou II

Fee: Free

Title: "Education 2000: The Nature and Role of Assessment in the 21st century"

Time: Noon–2 p.m.

Date: March 25

Place: Bijou II

Fee: Free

Title: "Commercializing Technology: The Federal SBIR Program—Phase III"

Time: Noon–4 p.m.

Date: Monday, April 13

Place: SCC/F108b

Fee: Free

CCCC Jazz Choir Presents "An Evening of Jazz"

CCCC faculty members Joan Jenkins and Kris Berg will join the award-winning Collin County Community College Jazz Choir as it hosts "An Evening of Jazz" at 8 p.m. Friday, March 13 in the John Anthony Theatre at Spring Creek Campus.

General admission tickets are \$5 and are being sold by Jazz Choir members in advance and at the door the night of the event.

The choir welcomes two guest ensembles for the evening, which includes the outrageously funny and musically talented "Howard and the Fine Sisters." The female vocal trio spoofs the "beehive" music of the '60s and includes CCCC history professor Joan Jenkins.

Also on the program is the jazz fusion instrumental ensemble, "No Left Turn." With a sound reminiscent of Spiro Gyra, Chick Corea and David Sanborn, the ensemble was formed by Kris Berg, local composer, band leader and bassist. Berg also is on the faculty at CCCC, as bass instructor and director of the Texas Instruments Stage Band.

The CCCC Jazz Choir will perform their unique brand of swinging vocal jazz arrangements for 16 singers and rhythm section.

For more information about the choir concert, call Director Michael Crawford at ext. 5807.

"Forces" is on Sale!

Forces is a CCCC honors journal staffed by honors students (with the exception of Peggy Brown, who acts as on-going editor). With two publications a year, *Forces* offers students, non-teaching and teaching faculty the opportunity to publish their work in a nationally distributed journal. Selections from the submitted work are made entirely by students. Please support the journal by purchasing one for the low, low price of \$3 at either bookstore. And consider submitting some of your work or your students' work for the April 10 deadline. Contact Peggy Brown at ext. 5808.

Sure-Fire Stress Busters

From the Texas Highway Patrol Association

Get into hot water—"Hot baths are the oldest form of tranquilizer known," says Dr. Richard Gubner, medical director of the Safety Harbor Spa and Fitness Center in Florida. He recommends soaking in water that's about 100 or 102 degrees Fahrenheit, in other words, a little warmer than you are, for no more than 15 minutes. A warm shower can help, too.

Try some acupressure—If you have access to a Jacuzzi, try this: Instead of letting the water jets hit you in the back, slide down a bit so they pummel your neck and upper shoulders. In combination with the warm water, this gentle massage works miracles.

Chill your head, not a cocktail —Instead of an after-work cocktail, try a glass of water or juice followed by 10 minutes of quiet time, preferably in a quiet place with your eyes closed. Explain to those you live with that you need this little re-entry period before dealing with leaky toilets, overdue bills and the fact that junior broke Mrs. DePietro's window with his baseball.

Short Semester Courses During MayMester

Let your students know that CCCC is offering a condensed semester of courses for two weeks during May with its first MayMester beginning Thursday, May 14.

Students may earn regular course credit in one subject. The courses available during MayMester are: biology; business administration; computer information systems; computer science; English; English as a second language; health, physical education and dance; health science; history; horticulture/landscape technology; humanities; marketing; mathematics; office administration; political science; sociology; and speech communications.

MayMester classes begin Thursday, May 14 and will meet at Spring Creek Campus. Classes will meet every day for two weeks, with final exams on Friday, May 29.

To register for MayMester classes, students must use Telephone EXpress (TEX) registration. Registration is open from Wednesday, April 1 to Tuesday, May 12. Tuition must be paid by 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 13.

For more information on the MayMester courses, call the Registrars' offices at ext. 5744 or ext. 6744.

World-Famous Cathedral Lecturer to Speak at CCCC

Malcolm Miller, widely considered the world's foremost expert on the Chartres Cathedral in Chartres, France, will speak at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 9 in the John Anthony Theatre at Spring Creek Campus.

Miller, who has studied the gothic cathedral for more than 30 years and published four books on the structure, is making his third appearance at CCCC.

"He is one of the most exciting teachers of history that you'll ever hear," said Mitchell Smith, dean of arts and humanities at CCCC. "He lectures all over the world on the Chartres and its stained glass windows, its architecture and its iconography."

Miller is a compelling and intense lecturer, using a one-of-a-kind slide collection of breathtaking pictures of the cathedral's stained glass windows.

The lecture is being sponsored by the Student Activities Office and college's Month in Paris program. For more information on Miller's appearance, call CCCC's Arts and Humanities Division at ext. 5811.

CCCC Deans Depart for Russia

Three CCCC deans will leave for Russia Wednesday, March 11 as part of a joint project with Plano Sister Cities International to develop an educational exchange with the city of Ivanovo, Russia.

Mitchell Smith, dean of arts and humanities; Lillie Palmer, dean of business and engineering; and Sheryl Kappus, dean of science and health, will spend six days in Ivanovo meeting with officials from the university and six technical institutes.

"It is exciting to have the deans participating in this activity as we continue to look toward internationalizing our curriculum and promoting an understanding of different cultures," said CCCC President Dr. John H. Anthony.

The deans will set up a series of workshops in criminal justice, business and economics, the arts and medical sciences according to the needs of the people of Ivanovo.

"The content of these workshops are intended to help them with the transition to democracy and a free market economy and from a society that has been deprived of information about the West

to one that is more informed," said Smith, also president of the executive board of Plano Sister Cities International.

The deans also will be exploring the possibility of setting up a store in Plano which would sell goods from Ivanovo, Russia. The proceeds from the store's sales, Smith said, would be used to bring more Russians, including students, teachers, business people, city officials and performing arts groups, to the United States for a short period of time.

Some funds also could be used to establish student scholarships so more of CCCC's students could have the opportunity to travel to Russia, Smith said. The store would be operated using private donations from corporations and individuals; no college funding would be used.

The trip is being funded jointly by CCCC and the Ivanovo, Russia, city government. Smith said the cost of travel was reduced greatly with the help of a non-profit educational foundation to procure inexpensive airline tickets.

Ivanovo, Russia, is about 180 miles northeast of Moscow and has a population of about 500,000. Plano Sister Cities International has sister city relationships with two other international cities—Enfield, Australia, and Gumi, South Korea—and strives to bridge the gaps in city government, education and cultural activities.

CCCC to Host Flying Saucer Expert

You see a blip in the sky one night. Was it a freak of nature? An unidentified flying object? It could be alien spacecraft, according to nuclear physicist and lecturer Stanton Friedman.

The flying saucer expert will be on campus to share his findings in a talk called "Flying Saucers Are Real" from 12:30 p.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday, March 26 in the John Anthony Theatre.

The event, sponsored by the Student Activities Office, is free for CCCC students with ID cards and free for CCCC employees; \$2 for the general public; and \$1 for seniors. Tickets will be sold only at the door.

Friedman, after 33 years of study and investigation including hundreds of hours at various archives, is convinced some UFOs are alien spacecraft; that the government has known this to be true since 1947; that skeptics' arguments don't stand up under careful scrutiny; and that alien visits are the biggest story of the past millenium.

His illustrated program covers five large-scale scientific studies, saucer landings, abductions, star travel and recovery by the military of an alien craft outside Roswell, N.M., in 1947. Friedman has appeared on hundreds of radio and TV programs, such as *Nightline*, *Sally Jessy Raphael* and *Unsolved Mysteries*.

For more information on Friedman's appearance, call Mike Broyles, physical science professor at CCCC, at ext. 5882.

Jazz Choir to Perform at Meyerson

The CCCC Jazz Choir has been invited to perform at "Arts Jazz 92" on Saturday, March 21 at the Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Hall in Dallas. "Arts Jazz 92," hosted by the Dallas Arts Magnet High School, will assemble high school, college and professional jazz musicians from all over the nation for three days of performances, clinics and master classes.

Admission is free, and the Jazz Choir is scheduled to perform at 12:30 p.m.

Staff Development Follow-Up Workshop Presented

Cathie Mathews, adjunct instructor in arts and humanities, was presented a workshop she designed titled "On Changing Metaphors and Ourselves, Among Others" to the afternoon session of CCCC's Staff Development Day Feb. 28.

Using both small and large group interactive exercises, the goal of the workshop was to discover new ways of thinking and discussing experiences, especially interculturally. Issues of power, blaming the victim, and action versus inaction, among others, were discussed by participants in an effort to explore how new metaphors may encourage new ways of thinking about things.

An example would be from the 1907 Melting Pot metaphor to the Salad Bowl, Mosaic, and/or Patchwork Quilt metaphors, which reflect society as it is and which encourage a move toward the more harmonious existence less oppressive metaphors ensure.

Mathews compared the process of leaving behind old thinking filled with stereotypes and prejudices to a metamorphosis—changing from prejudice to awareness and appreciation; from discrimination to tolerance and acceptance.

Introductory Spanish Arrives

Thank you for a terrific response on the survey for Spanish language classes. Of the respondents, 182 people said they would be interested, and that the best times were 3–5 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays one day a week for eight weeks.

Based on these results, one class will be on Tuesdays at Spring Creek Campus, and one on Thursdays at Central Park Campus beginning Sept. 29 and ending Nov. 19.

The two areas of concern for participants in the classes were time and money.

CCCC President Dr. John Anthony has agreed that all staff and faculty may participate in the two-hour, one-day-a-week classes as part of their on-campus hours.

McGraw Hill Publishers has agreed to donate all books, laboratory manuals and other published materials for up to 200 participants.

Sign-up forms will be available later this semester. The course will be non-credit. If you are interested in credit, you can take the course through the regular credit Spanish classes and receive tuition reimbursement.

Thank you Dr. Anthony and McGraw Hill for making this possible. For more information, call Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Cooperative Work Experience News

Steve Klein of the Professional Development Center presents "Positive Expectancy," a seminar that inspires you to expect the best and reach for the best.

The seminar is part of the ongoing seminar series for Cooperative Work Experience students and is free and open to the general public. The workshop will be given twice Friday, March 13 with the first session from 8 to 10 a.m. in SCC/B125, and the second session from 6 to 8 p.m. in SCC/B125. For more information, call the CWE Office at ext. 5735.

Epilepsy: Get the Facts

by student *Oswaldo Arroyo*

This guideline is intended to help faculty and staff assist a person having a seizure. Tonic Clonic seizures are the most noticeable and uncontrollable. A person having this type of seizure usually will fall, become rigid and jerk over the entire body.

Most seizures last one to five minutes. Persons can assist a person having a Tonic Clonic (Grand Mal) seizure by doing the following:

- Remain calm
- Help him/her to the floor
- Speak softly and provide reassurance
- Don't restrain a person having a seizure
- Don't force anything into his/her mouth. It is physically impossible to swallow the tongue.

Usually after someone has had a seizure, he or she will experience disorientation, and a deep sleep will follow the attack.

An ambulance should be called in the following instances:

- If the person has one seizure after another
- Stops breathing
- Seizures last for more than five minutes
- If person requests an ambulance

There are several myths about epilepsy. People aren't necessarily born with epilepsy. It can affect anyone at any age when something causes damage to the brain. Epilepsy is not contagious nor should it limit someone from participating in sporting events. Also, people with epilepsy are NOT always mentally retarded. Although brain damage sometimes may result in both mental retardation and seizures, most people with epilepsy function normally in a variety of careers.

For further information, call the Dallas Epilepsy Association at (214) 634-8421. The Public Information Office has some wallet-sized cards with first aid instructions for seizures. Just drop by and pick one up.

Staff News

New Additions

The Public Information Office welcomes a new addition to the staff. Linda Burke, a former Dallas Times Herald reporter, joins us as the new public information writer.

She will be writing press releases, proofing publications, doing media relations and writing copy for *Caleidoscope*.

As many of you already have figured out, the Public Information Office is moving to Spring Creek Campus. Publications Coordinator Virginia McLean (ext. 5613) and Public Information Specialist Donna Lyall (ext. 5614) already have set up shop in SCC/K119, and Linda (ext. 5615) will be joining them in mid-March.

Doug Wintermute, director of public information, also will be moving to Spring Creek Campus into the Arts and Humanities Office area (B189). Stay tuned for more news on the office's move and upcoming open house.

Thank You

"A special thank-you for your support and words of encouragement during Carole's recent surgery. The surgery went well and the prognosis is excellent for a complete recovery."

Dr. John H. Anthony

CCCC Professor Honored

Shelley Lane, a speech/communications professor, has been nominated for a Fox 33 KDAF-TV "Hometown Hero" award for her work with the Collin County Women's Shelter.

She will be honored at an awards banquet on March 31, and a videotaped interview about her contributions will air on Channel 33 during the month of March. If you see Shelley, give her a thumbs up!

Kerry Tate Ready To Tackle New Job

While Kerry Tate was a credit analyst with American Express in Phoenix, she helped a hearing impaired cardmember find his hearing ear dog after a burglary. The dog was among many things taken, and the man could only sign; he couldn't go outside and call his dog.

She persuaded the Los Angeles Humane Society to send out volunteers, who later found the dog. Tate, CCCC's new adviser for students with disabilities, says she was glad she could help.

An owner of a hearing ear dog herself, Tate says, she can't imagine what it would be like if her cocker spaniel, Tatem, had disappeared. Hearing impaired since birth, Tate joined the CCCC staff in January to work with students with special needs.

"I feel I can meet the needs of those students," she says. "I know some of their frustrations."

Her responsibilities at the college include finding amplification and other equipment which hearing impaired, blind or otherwise physically challenged students might need to succeed in the classroom.

Tate also hopes to raise campus awareness about the needs of students with disabilities. She currently is writing a faculty information sheet about the services that the college can offer a special needs student.

She also has worked to set up a special needs area in the college to help students who are visually impaired.

Tate also wants to develop an interpreters program for Collin County, similar to the one in place in Tarrant County and several other colleges.

"Anyone with special needs works very hard to keep up with the others in the classroom; they have a stronger drive," she says. "Those students are driving for a dream, and we need to be able to facilitate their needs."

Another way Tate hopes to increase awareness about the needs of disabled students is with Disabled Awareness Day at CCCC on April 7. The hands-on experience will include simulations of what it is like to function in society with blindness, a hearing impairment or dyslexia.

A native of Ruidoso, N.M., Tate received her bachelor's degree in hearing impaired education from Texas Woman's University. For more information on the services offered by Tate's office, call ext. 5950.

Audio/Visual Demonstration

Members of the faculty and staff are encouraged to attend a demonstration by Schoolhouse Audio/Visual from 2 to 4 p.m. Wednesday, March 11 in room C103 at Spring Creek Campus. The video projector and liquid crystal display demonstration is sponsored by the LRC and will feature some of the latest classroom A/V technology.

American Disabilities Act Workshops

Faculty and administrators are encouraged to attend a seminar on the Americans with Disabilities Act Friday, April 10 and find out how it will affect CCCC.

The program begins at 1 p.m. in SCC/C103 with a panel of students and teachers. At 2:45 p.m., there will be smaller workshops for teachers and administrators.

Administrators will get an ADA overview by Nancy Corley of the Texas Rehabilitation Commission in SCC/C103. Faculty members are invited to a workshop in SCC/B111 on what the implications of ADA will be in the classroom.

The workshop is sponsored by CCCC, the Texas Rehabilitation Commission, Texas WorkNet, Region 10, McKinney ISD, Plano ISD and Collin County Special Education Coop.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS

Faculty Seminars Abroad:

The College Consortium for International Studies has announced the following professional development seminars:

1. *March 11-15*—Suffern, NY, Fee: \$450, excluding airfare. "Focus on the Middle East."

2. *May 31-June 7*—Caracas and Canaima, Venezuela, Fee: \$1,500 including airfare. "Social, Cultural and Environmental Aspects of Venezuelan Development."

3. *June 13-27*—Moscow and St. Petersburg, Russia Fee: \$2,250, including airfare. "New Beginnings in the Soviet Union."

4. *Oct 3-10*—Berlin, Fee: \$1,600, including airfare. "At the Crossroads of Eastern and Western Europe."

Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Wider Opportunities for Women

March 14—El Paso, Fee: \$50 for members; \$70 for non-members

The regionwide staff development program is for those wishing to teach adult literacy in the context of employment and intergenerational programs. Presenters include Dr. Thomas Sticht. Participants receive a toolkit of ready-to-use materials and eligibility for technical assistance grants. Call (202) 638-3143 to request registration materials.

Success Skills

March 16—Cityplace Conference Center, Dallas or *March 19*, Holiday Inn, Denton, Fee: \$99.

"Success Skills for Secretaries, Administrative Assistants and Support Staff" will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. It focuses on taking advantage of shortcuts; handling stress, pressure and crisis; getting it all done with less effort; and discovering new high-powered skills. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Founders Forum

March 19—Dallas, Fee: \$45

A Panel of local corporate and foundation officers share tips on how to approach institutional donors and discuss their preferences when interacting with prospective grants. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Time Management

March 20—Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza, Dallas, Fee: \$99, guaranteed satisfaction.

Time Management is a one-day seminar to learn many time-saving and money-saving techniques to improve your efficiency. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Institute for Learning in Retirement

March 23—Dallas, Fee: \$95.

The workshop at the Briarwood Conference Center near D/FW Airport will focus on developing programs for older learners. The primary purpose is to encourage colleges to develop an Institute at the local campus. Call Martha Ellis at ext. 5814 for more information.

Supervisory Skills

March 24—Dallas, Fee: \$45

Learn how to conduct productive performance reviews, delegate tasks, set standards, manage rewards and use power skills to get performance results that benefit you and your employees' needs. Recommended for new supervisors or managers with no formal training in supervision. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Cases, Classroom Research and Conversations from the Teaching/Learning Community

March 27—Massachusetts Bay Community College, Wellesey Hills, Mass., Fee: \$100.

Third annual colloquium on undergraduate teaching/learning. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Minority Recruitment and Retention Conference

April 8-10—Doubletree Hotel, Austin

This year's conference theme is "Today's Higher Education Challenges: Workable Solutions

and Strategies." The conference will present solutions and strategies to assist institutions in their diversity efforts. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Total Quality Leadership in Education

April 1-2—Holiday Inn Hobby, Houston, Fee: \$90

A conference focused on the translation of Total Quality Management in the school setting. Includes Wednesday/Thursday lunch and Wednesday evening dinner. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Women Educators Conference

April 2-3—Holiday Inn Hobby, Houston

The Annual Conference of Texas Community College Women Educators theme is "Perspectives 1992! Where Have We Been and Where Are We Going?" Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Revitalization: Taking the First Step

April 3-4—Abiquiu, N.M.

Sponsored by the New Mexico Faculty Association of Community Colleges, the conference will provide an opportunity for participants to learn from each other. The seminar will cover how to avoid burnout and constantly renew ourselves as teachers. Call Martha Ellis at ext. 5814 or Russell Kunz at ext. 5819 for more information.

Cooperative Education: The Classic Experience

April 5-7—Portland, Ore.

The annual conference on cooperative education will feature programs on how co-ops can increase the success of the student. Call Martha Ellis at ext. 5814 or Barbara Eubanks at ext. 5735 for more information.

The Manager as Coach

April 14—Dallas Fee: \$79.

The workshop at the Southland Center Hotel will focus on teaching coaching skills to improve leadership. Coaching skills are proven in motivating people and changing problem behavior. Among the items to be reviewed: team bonding, managing stress levels, dealing with emotions and getting peak performances. Call Martha Ellis at ext. 5814 for more information.

College Teaching Conference

April 9-11—Jacksonville, Fla., Fee: \$185.

The Third National Conference on College Teaching and Learning is planned by faculty for faculty in an effort to discuss innovative teaching/learning strategies, advanced classroom technology, classroom research/assessment and teaching/learning centers. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Round-Up for Great Teaching

May 18-22—Kerrville, Fee: \$425.

A week of intensive learning, teaching and reflecting for community college educators at the Lazy Hills Guest Ranch. The goals of the seminar include: celebration of good teaching; stimulation of creative problem solving; and renewal of self both professionally and personally. Call Martha Ellis at ext. 5814 for more information

Great Teachers Seminar

May 31-June 5—Lake Geneva, Wis., Fee: \$595

The 23rd Annual Great Teachers Seminar will focus on "Problems of Instruction in the Community College." The fee covers room, all meals, special events and activities. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Lifelong Education

June 7-19—Harvard University, Cambridge Mass., Fee: \$3,200

The Institute for the Management of Lifelong Education is intended for upper-level administrators who are leading the way toward making innovative, responsive educational opportunities available to a wide variety of learners. They define upper level administrator as ranging from president to dean to senior faculty members. The fee covers tuition, room, all meals and all instructional materials. The Kellogg Foundation has scholarships for two-year college participants. The institute is competitive and the deadline for application is April 1. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Faculty Development Conference

June 28-30—Vail, Colo., \$245

The 1992 International Faculty Development Conference will focus on innovative faculty development programs in the United States and Canada. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Second National Conference on Classroom Research and Classroom Assessment

July 10-11—Berkeley, Calif.

This is a conference for college faculty instructional developers and administrators interested in using assessment to improve learning. A stimulating exchange of practical lessons learned and new directions in classroom assessment will take place among creative colleagues from across disciplines and across the continent. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Annual Conference On Computing in Community College

Oct. 21-24—Orlando, Fla.

The deadline for proposals for the conference is March 13. Participants in the program, sponsored by the League for Innovation, will give programs focusing on the ways people use information technology in community colleges. Call Martha Ellis at ext. 5814 for more information.

GRADUATE PROGRAMS

Non-profit Management Certificate Program: UNT

The certificate program provides up-to-date information to individuals working in the non-profit arena. The courses and workshops are practical in nature. Individual courses may be taken and later applied toward the certificate, or, working with an adviser, participants may develop a personalized program of study drawn from a curriculum tailored to the non-profit manager. Course fees are \$15 per hour. Evening classes are at the UNT Dallas facility on Inwood Road. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Teaching Excellence

Two graduate courses are offered in conjunction with the International Conference on Teaching Excellence. One course (3 credit hours) taught by John Roueche titled "Teaching Excellence in the Community College." The other 3-credit-hour course, taught by Don Rippey, is "Societal Factors Affecting Educational Administration." The courses begin May 11 and end June 5. You will receive graduate credit from the University of Texas if you are enrolled in a graduate school. Contact Martha Ellis at ext. 5814.

Wellness News

For more information about items listed under Wellness News, call Beverly Tremain, ext. 5777.

Congratulations to John Mullin who is the Wellness Member of the Month of March.

Mark your calendars now for Wellness Week 1992: **Commitment to Wellness** April 20-24. Activities will include mini-massages, Fitness Center tours and several talks on AIDS; Alzheimer's Disease; and caring for elderly parents.

There also will be demonstrations in aerobics and karate, as well as several exhibits during the week. Stay tuned to your *Caleidoscope* for a complete schedule of activities in the March 23 issue.

CCCC's Wellness Program announces the following activities for March:

Aerobics

Ongoing from 4-5 p.m. in SCC/A107 Mondays through Thursdays.

3/13 CPR Class

Class meets from noon to 5 p.m. in SCC/A217. Informative class teaches you the basic skills of saving a life. Participants will learn one and two rescuer CPR for the adult, child and infant. Those passing a written exam and skills test will

receive certification by the American Heart Association. There is no fee, but registration is required by March 12. To register call Beverly Tremain at ext. 5777.

3/25 Cholesterol Check

Examines levels of good and bad cholesterol and risk for coronary heart disease. You must fast 12 hours before the test. Testing done by appointment only from 7:30-8:30 a.m. in SCC/A217. The fee is \$21. You must register by March 24. Call Beverly Tremain at ext. 5777 to register.

3/25 RelaxAbility

Class will teach daily practices of proper breathing and positive mental thoughts as a framework for relaxability. Session meets from 12:15-1 p.m. in SCC/F108d. Class is free, but you must register by March 24. Call Beverly Tremain at ext. 5777 to register.

4/21 Breast Examination: Before It's Too Late

Kim Farrell of the Susan G. Komen Breast Center will speak from 9-9:30 a.m. on the importance of monthly breast self-examinations. Event is free and will be in room F108c at Spring Creek Campus. *Please note this is a time and date change from April 22.*

4/24 Mammogram Testing

The Susan G. Komen Mobile Breast Center

will be performing mammograms from 7 a.m. to noon in the mobile van located east of the tennis courts at Spring Creek Campus. Fee for the breast cancer screening is \$65. Call (800) 422-9567 to set up an appointment. *Please note this is a date change from April 30.*

Notes from Human Resources

Happy Birthday

Carelyn Mitchell	3/10
Billy Kelly	3/11
Maria Cantu	3/11
Percy Parrish	3/11
Raquel Meyers	3/12
Charlotte Bellows	3/13
Charlotte LeForge	3/14
Gary Hodge	3/16
Jill Whitson	3/17
Doug Boliver	3/19
Susan Sourjah	3/20
Patrick Williams	3/21
Melba Richardson	3/23

New Hires

David McCulloch	Biology Professor
Sidney Dunkle	Biology Professor
Odie West	Grounds Keeper
Karen Reid	ALC Lab Assistant
Cheri Hill	Resources Assistant
Joyce Nanson	Child Dev. Coordinator
Anita Wormald	Program Manager, Ent.
Margo Schmidt	Inventory Control
Ray Ridley	Monitor CCTEP
Kathy McMurray	CCTEP Receptionist
Maryetta Cunningham	TRC Director
Fern Taylor	Secretary, CCTEP
Sue Morse	Human Resources, Benefits Assistant