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Another Great Season Is Just Around the Corner

The 1993-94 theatre season at Collin County Community College promises to be just like last year's season—fun, innovative, diverse and enjoyable for everyone. And with award-winning authors such as Mark Medoff and Ted Tally providing the scripts, there's no doubt this season will be a hit.

The season opens with the Pulitzer Prize-winning play "Driving Miss Daisy." Set in mid-century Atlanta, this delicate depiction of racial tensions tells the story of an elderly Jewish matron, Daisy Werthan, and her chauffeur, Hoke Coleburn. Spanning 25 years of their relationship, Alfred Uhry has created two outsiders who come to mutual respect based on their independence, strength and stubborn integrity. "Driving Miss Daisy" runs from Thursday, Sept. 9 to Sunday, Sept. 19 with both evening and matinee performances.

October brings a different kind of drama to the John Anthony Theatre as the Quad C Theatre program presents the acclaimed play "Terra Nova." This play is based on the 1911–12 race to the South Pole between five Englishmen and five Norwegians. An intense action-drama, "Terra Nova" touchingly dramatized the final journey of explorer Robert Falcon Scott. This play is written by Ted Tally, the Academy Award-winning author of "Silence of the Lambs." Performance dates for "Terra Nova" are Thursday, Oct. 14 to Sunday, Oct. 24.

(Get the rest of the scoop, see page 3!)

Welcome to the CCCC Family

The Staff Development Task Force sponsored its third New Employee Orientation for 13 new staff members. They toured SCC, CPC and the Preston Ridge Campus site, and had lunch with task force members. Dr. Anthony welcomed the group and shared with them the college's history, mission and philosophy.

New staff members who attended the orientation were: Suzanne Ackler and Nina Liu in Academic Computing Services; Carol Harris in Admissions; Kim Nithiananda in Child Development; Ermena Garcia in Cooperative Work Experience; Constance
Howells, Barbara Miller and Daniel
Oney in Institutional Research; Mary
Jane Gibbons in Mathematics and
Natural Sciences; Kathleen Hopkins in
Project SPARK; Katherine Luft in the
Registrar's Office at Courtyard Center;
Linda Qualia in Student Development;
and Sonia Castillo in the VPI's office at
CPC. Please make them feel welcome.

Special thanks to Sandra Demler for the tour of SCC, Kandy Crook for the tour of CPC, Richard Campbell for providing transportation, and Philip McClenny for the food service.



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Attention Student Employers

If you plan to have a student assistant or a federal work study student this fall, you must have a student request form in the student employment office that has been approved by your dean. All jobs must be listed before hiring anyone to allow all students an equal opportunity for on-campus employment. When listing jobs please remember to include any special skills needed for the position so that unqualified students do not apply. Also remember that new contracts are needed for any students working this fall regardless if they are new or are continuing a position. For more information contact Charlotte Le Forge at ext. 5784.

FYI

If any of your students have questions about eating disorders, please refer them to Dan Lipscomb, professor of psychology, at ext. 5715.

Hip Hip Hooray!

A very special CCCC thanks goes to the Telecommunications staff – Brian Boring, Jonathan Beam, Patsy Cowan, Paul Ketchum and Judy White—for all their hard work installing the new phone system at CPC. The system is fantastic, and all your help is greatly appreciated!

We Need You!

The Marketing Task Force needs volunteers to help with an all-out institutional recruiting blitz prior to registration later this month. We would like everyone in the college to make a commitment to help us present our college and its outstanding offerings to prospective students. Volunteers are needed at the following places:

- Booth at the Plano Market Square, Aug. 20-22 and Aug. 27-29
 - > Fridays 7-9 p.m.
 - > Saturdays 10 a.m.-noon, 2-5 p.m., 7-9 p.m.,
 - > Sundays 2-4 p.m.
- Plano Chamber's Minority Enterprise Development Week, Wednesday, Aug. 25
 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (two-hour time slots)
- Allen Country Fair, Saturday,
 Aug. 28
 9 a.m.-7 p.m. (two-hour time slots)

There are also several high school, corporate and community programs that will need volunteers during the 1993–94 school year. For more information or to sign up to volunteer please contact any Marketing Task Force member or call the Admissions Office staff (Thomas Stearns, Rebecca Crowell or Carol Harris) at ext. 5710, 5711 or 5712.

Happy Birthday

Extend a happy birthday wish to all of these co-workers whose birthdays are upcoming.

August

Jessie Abbott-White (16th) Judy Richardson (17th) Elizabeth Siber (17th) Jason Dupont (18th) Tania Lehr (18th) Silvia Herrera (20th) Sheryl Myers (20th) Sheryl Kappus (22nd) Shari Swift (22nd) Joyce Nanson (23rd) Brian Boring (26th) Shera Darby (26th) Helen Dupont (26th) Mary Jane Holloway (26th) Hillary Kasbarian (26th) Brian Allison (27th) Ernie Howell (27th) Rita Parker (28th)

A Drum Roll Please

The Cooperative Work Experience Division would like to congratulate Diana Ramsower for helping her 200th CWE student. She has been an extraordinary faculty coordinator for the division during the past few years, and she has seen that every one of her 200 students got off to a great start on their careers. Ramsower was named the 1991 Faculty Coordinator of the Year. She visited all 200 job sites, and in doing so Ramsower has acquainted many businesses with the advantages of employing CCCC students. Our thanks and appreciation go out to her for all her efforts.

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Rounding out the fall semester is CCCC's Christmas production of the classic family comedy "The Man Who Came to Dinner." Written by George S. Kaufman and Moss Hart, this play depicts the nightmare each of us has had about being stuck with an unwanted houseguest just in time for the arrival of relatives for the Christmas holidays. "The Man Who Came to Dinner" runs Thursday, Dec. 9 to Sunday, Dec. 19.

After the success of last season's drama "The Hands of Its Enemy," 1994 will once again bring internationally-acclaimed playwright Mark Medoff to CCCC. In March the Quad C Theatre program presents the area premier of Medoff's newest play "Stefanie Hero." This play is an exciting family tale of good versus evil and self-reliance and is a must for families to see. Medoff will visit CCCC to work on the production and will present a lecture/discussion in conjunction with the play's opening. "Stefanie Hero" runs Thursday, March 3 to Sunday, March 13.

The 1993-94 theatre season concludes in May with the critically-acclaimed musical comedy "Baby." Nominated for five Tony Awards while on Broadway, "Baby" is the delightful look at three couples and their sometimes tentative steps toward parenthood. Performance dates for "Baby" are Thursday, April 28 to Sunday, May 8.

Tickets to these shows are available through the Quad C Theatre Box Office. A subscription for the 1993-94 season is \$26 for adults and \$18 for students, children and senior citizens. Season subscription holders also receive free admission to the American College Theatre Festival in October at CCCC, which will showcase outstanding college theatre from Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana. For more information contact the Quad C Theatre Box Office at (214) 881-5809. A TDD line is available for hearingimpaired patrons at (214) 881-5950, two performances of each play are sign-interpreted.

CCCC Posts Low Workers' Comp Claims

CCCC was recently honored as a platinum award winner for its low number of workers' compensation claims during the 1991-92 year by Hibbs-Hallmark & Company. The college participates in a 20-member community college association that purchases workers' compensation insurance through Hibbs-Hallmark.



Gary Fitzgerald with Hibbs-Hallmark & Company presents an award to Dr. John Anthony and Ralph Hall.

This partially-self-funded insurance program, which was designed by Hibbs-Hallmark, places the responsibility of safety with the individual community college. Hibbs-Hallmark has a team of loss control engineers who assist with compliance with a set

of strict safety standards, and the saving generated from these reduced losses remain with the college. CCCC used less than 25 percent of the funds set aside to pay claims last year, resulting in a savings to the college of \$17,388.

The March Is on to Courtyard Center

With the opening of the Courtyard Center for Professional and Economic Development this month, the responsibilities of several CCCC staff members are being revised or expanded.

Jack Gray, vice president for college and community development, will serve as building administrator for the Courtyard Center and also has been assigned the task of establishing a formal economic development program for CCCC by Dr. John Anthony.

Paula Roman, director of Development, will assume additional duties as executive director of the CCCC Foundation, Inc. During the period of transition, the fundraising program directed by Roman will report directly to Dr. Anthony.

Shari Swift, who has been serving as development associate, will be relocating to Courtyard Center as administrative assistant to the vice president for C & CD, Jack Gray. Also joining the Court-yard staff will be Roberta Kess as the coordinator of business and community relations. In her new role, Kess will market the college to many constituencies, especially the corporate community, with emphasis on CCCC's credit and non-credit corporate training capabilities.

Dede Day, executive secretary to the vice president for college and community development, also is assuming new duties as grants administration associate in the Development Office.

Dea Norton is moving to the President's Office to assume her new responsibilities as secretary.

"These changes in our organization will enable the college to move in new directions, and we are excited at the potential that exists," Dr. Anthony said.

Weekly Wellness News

Call Beverly Tremain at ext. 5777 for more information on Wellness programs.

Ongoing Wellness Activities Open Aerobics

M-R 12:10-1 p.m. A107/SCC

Open Aerobics MW 4-5 p.m.

B207/CPC





Circuit Weight Training

3-4 p.m. MW TR 3:30-5 p.m. **B207/CPC B207/CPC**





County-Wide Assessment Needs You













An unprecedented county-wide assessment of human services needs in Collin County is being conducted by the "We CAN Committee." This committee is made up of approximately 59 volunteers from across Collin County with administrative support provided by Collin County United Way. The project is comprised of three surveys. The Key Informant Survey will be mailed July 30 to approximately 500 community leaders and human service providers in Collin County. Client Surveys will be sent to human service agencies

the first week in August. The Household Survey, a random telephone survey of up to 600 households throughout Collin County, will be conducted the week of Aug. 23. The final results will be available in the fall. We encourage your participation if you are called upon to complete a survey. For more information or volunteer opportunities contact Jo Ann Fogg at (214) 823-1342 ext. 233 or Mary Anne Seale, CCCC special events coordinator, at ext. 5606.

Have You Seen . . .

The Admissions Office staff is looking for their table top cover that is used for recruiting. It is white with CCCC lettering. It is very important that they find this cover before fall recruiting begins. If you have any information please contact Rebecca Crowell at ext 5711.

Caleidoscope Deadlines

Submissions are due by 5 p.m. on: For issue date of:

Monday, Aug. 23 Monday, Aug. 30 Tuesday, Sept. 7 Monday, Sept. 13

Please send submissions to Jill Klancnik, Public Relations, F102/ SCC.

Important Dates to Remember

Regular Registration	Aug. 23-25
Spring '94 Course Listings Pulled from VAX	Aug. 26
All Staff Day	Aug. 27
Late Registration	Aug. 28
First Day of Classes	Aug. 30
Spring '94 Schedule Page Proofs Distributed	Sept. 1
Labor Day Holiday	Sept. 6
"Driving Miss Daisy"	Sept. 9-19
Spring '94 Page Proofs Returned to Publications Office	Sept. 13
Spring '94 Final Proofs Distributed to Deans and V.P.I.	Sept. 20
Spring '94 Final Proofs Returned to Publications Office	Sept. 22
Spring '94 Artwork Delivered to Printer	Sept. 24
CCCC Retreat Day (Campuses Closed—Will Be Open for Evening Classes)	Sept. 30
Spring '94 Schedules Delivered to Campuses	Oct. 11