

The CCMemo

Upcoming Events

State Health Benefit Special Open Enrollment

February 15

Application deadline.

The completed application must be received in Human Resources.

Foreign Films in February

7:30 p.m. in the Dragonetti Auditorium

February 15

Kings and Queen

February 22

A Time for Drunken Horses

The box office opens at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$5. For information on each film check the CCM website under news and events.

Lunch & Learn Series, “Caregiver Outreach in the Workplace”

February 19

12:30 - 1:30 p.m. in SCC 233

First of eight sessions, “The Importance of Organizing Documents as We Age—and How to Do It”.

Do you know where all these papers are: your will, property deeds, military records, insurance policies, advance directive, bank records, birth certificate? Just how important are these and all the other documents we draw up and accumulate over the years? Why and when will you need to produce them? Join us. Learn to create a comprehensive document check list and to organize papers so they will be safe and accessible when you do need them.

Hidden Terrain - Exhibit Jane Biron / Frank Mullaney (presented by CAS Arts Center)

Until March 1

Catskill Art Society, 48 Main St., Livingston Manor, NY 12758

Gallery Hours: Thurs. - Sat. 12 - 5 p.m.; Sun., 12 - 3 p.m. or by appointment.

For more information call 845-436-4227 or email: kathryn@catskillartsociety.org

CCM “Adopt-a-Chair – Tribute to the Arts”

The CCM Adopt a Chair – *Tribute to the Arts* is a special program that provides an opportunity to enhance performances in the Dragonetti Auditorium that will benefit the student body, the CCM community, and the many community members throughout the area attending events in the Auditorium at CCM.

Permanent plaques are being inscribed and will be displayed on each chair that has been “adopted” through this program. These plaques will show inscriptions that will serve as recognition of the donor or donors. Many of the plaques will be inscribed as a permanent tribute to honor an individual or as a special occasion – an anniversary or graduation – and others will show special inscriptions as a memorial to the memory of a loved one.

On April 4, 2008, all individuals who have “adopted” a chair will be invited to a special champagne toast and light reception from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Student Community Center lounge. This reception will serve as a thank you to participants in this tribute to the arts at CCM and the inscribed plaques will be unveiled to the donors that evening. In addition, participants will receive two tickets through a special invitation to attend the performance of Kiss Me Kate following the reception.

If you are still interested in participating in this program, it’s not too late to “adopt” your chair(s). Please go to the CCM website and click on “Foundation Adopt a Chair” to select chairs still available, or call Rose Cofone at ext. 5058 in the Foundation Office for more information. Forms for the Adopt a Chair program can be obtained from the Foundation Office at 106 LRC.

Payroll deduction is also still available to participate in the Adopt-a-Chair Program. This choice of payment provides you with the opportunity to spread your pledge out over the rest of the fiscal year (until June 30), or a shorter period of time if you wish. Again, please call Rose Cofone if you are interested in this form of payment. Any individual participating in this program through March 25, 2008 will be able to participate in the special reception and performance on April 4, 2008!

The CCM Dance Theatre Premiere Concert 2008

February 29 & March 1; 7:30 p.m.
March 2; 3 p.m.

Performances in the Dragonetti Auditorium

New works by CCM faculty, students, and guest artists of the AFA dance program.

Professional Companies / Artists appearing:
Moe-tion Dance Company on February 29
Garden State Dance Project on March 1
Claire Porter and guests on March 2

Tickets are available through Campus Life and also before performances at the box office. For more information contact ext. 5326.

Academic Advisement Update Session

March 5
1 - 2 p.m. in SCC 240 (Hospitality Dining Rm.)

Learn about the many upcoming changes to the two Hospitality Management Degrees and Culinary Arts Certificate. Presented by Prof. Ed Pomianoski and Prof. Mark Cosgrove.

Andrea Kelly (adjunct professor) Selected Works from 21st Century

Until March 7
LRC, Art Gallery

Andrea Kelly's figure and landscape paintings explore the evolving nature of our relationships and the world around us, often in hyper-colors, giving the viewer a heightened awareness of light, form and color.

Open House for Adults

March 6
5 - 7:30 p.m. in the SCC, Davidson Room

Campus Tours

March 6
3 p.m. in the Admissions Office

Campus tours will be starting on March 6 and every Thursday thereafter until May 29. Tours last approx. one hour. Reservations are need. Direct calls to ext. 5108.

Kudos

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the people involved in coordinating the production "Shapes in the Sky" that was offered this past Saturday in the Planetarium.

My entire family including one of my son's friends thoroughly enjoyed the performance. It was a wonderful experience, heart-warming for young and old; plus, it was very educational while creating an interactive environment. The Planetarium was filled to capacity and there were so many laughs heard by all who attended.

I was glad that my family was able to be part of the audience and we hope that there will be additional productions planned in the future.

*Sincerely,
Lisa M. Mathus, EE, MBA*

2008 Softball Team Season Outlook

The CCM softball team has won 49 games over the past two seasons (26-19, 23-14). The Titans are still looking to make their mark in postseason play in 2008, their 4th season at the Division II level. The CCM Softball program has a storied past, having competed in National Championship Tournaments 4 times since the program's start in 1975. Coach Greg Wardlow begins his 4th season in Randolph, with the bulk of last year's team returning, he is cautiously optimistic about the upcoming season. Melissa Dikdan, a former CCM All Region 1st baseman, returns for her 2nd season as assistant coach.

The 2008 schedule will be very challenging. The Titans will open their season playing in the Cocoa Expo in Florida in mid-March. A 14 game schedule will be played in Cocoa against JUCO's from all over the U.S. and Canada. Their northern schedule will consist of games against both Garden State Athletic Conference opponents as well as their Division 2 Region 19 rivals. Home and away doubleheaders against last year's District champion, Orange County Community College are also scheduled. Check the CCM website under athletics for this year's schedule.

Reminders

Revised budget transfer request form and procedure

Effective January 31, the **revised** budget transfer request form and procedure is available through CCM's Intranet (Spider) under the business and finance policy and procedures page or on the server ("F drive" or Kiowa") under Groups / Forms. Although the new form and instructions look very similar, there are several changes that have been incorporated. **The old versions of the form will not be accepted.** In addition, no other electronic versions of this form is to be created. Please refer any feedback to John Young at ext. 5126 or email; jyoung@ccm.edu.

The Campus Store will be closing at noon today, in order to install a new server for the POS system. The offices will remain open. If you need to go into the store please call ahead, ext. 5151.

Swap and shop

LBI Rental – On private lane in North Beach this 5 bedroom, 3 bath home sleeps 10. Walk past 4 houses and through private dune to reach quiet ocean beach or access private bay beach just 5 houses away. Enjoy tons of decks on 2 levels, large hot tub, and great water views. Realtor rents for up to \$4,000 per week but CCM employees pay discounted weekly rates from \$1,500-\$3,000. Call ext. 5657 or email pbernson@ccm.edu.

Condo for Sale: Ledgewood, NJ (3.5 miles from college: 1.5 miles from new Mt. Arlington train station with service to Manhattan), 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom condo at Drakesville in Roxbury, updates galore, features hardwood floors, large EIK w/custom tile backsplash, newer appl's, 2 decks, MBR suite w/large walk-in closet, new carpet, master bath w/new custom tile floor, C/A, newer hot water heater, front door intercom system, 1 car garage with extra storage room. Immaculate / move in condition. Community pool, tennis courts, jogging trail and private lake for fishing. Minutes to shopping and all major highways, \$318,900. Call 973-442-2800, Nicole Wickenheisser.

Condo for Sale: 2 BR condo in Seasons Glen, Mt. Arlington, NJ. Built in 1998. Pool, tennis, fitness @ clubhouse. Taxes \$1,200/yr, maintenance fee \$135 /mo. Exit 30 on Rt. 80. Close to bus & train to NY, \$229,900. Available after 12/15/07. Call 201-400-5713.

For Sale: 2001 Honda Civic EX, original owner, well maintained, clean, excellent condition, great on gas, \$5,500 firm, call Steve at 908-868-7499.

For Sale: Rolling kitchen cart, \$25. If interested call Michelle at 908-747-2143.

For Sale: Whitney Kimball piano, excellent condition, reasonable, solid wood. Heavy, but has strong rollers, so it is easy to move around. The piano is 10 minutes from CCM. \$500 or best offer. Email geethaf@yahoo.com or call 973-442-5733.

Free: Vintage 1970's-era sofa bed in fine condition. Excellent for living room, den, or college dorm room. Must pick up. Call evenings, 973-627-5404.

*The CCMemo is published every Friday.
Deadline for items to be submitted is Wednesday p.m.
Please send items for submission to rsmith@ccm.edu. Thank you!*