

The CCMemo

Upcoming Events

Kathleen McNeil presents Children's Book Illustrations: The Owl and the Pussycat

March 10 - April 17 in the LRC Art Gallery
March 24 — Reception in the LRC Art Gallery
5 - 7 p.m.

MetLife to visit CCM

March 17
Between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. in the LRC 115

A representative from MetLife will be on campus for one-on-one meetings. An RSVP is required. Contact Dave Sharpe at 800-492-3553, ext. 28337 or e-mail dsharpe2@metlife.com. These meetings are available for current participants as well as those employees who may be interested in additional information.

TIAA-CREF to visit CCM

March 25
Between 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. in the SCC 221

A representative from TIAA-CREF will be on campus to offer one-on-one meetings. An RSVP is required and can be done by logging onto www.TIAA-CREF.org/moc. These meetings are available for current participants as well as those employees who may be interested in additional information.

Lunch & Learn Series, "Caregiver Outreach in the Workplace"

March 25
12:30 - 1:30 p.m. in SCC 233
Contact Rita if you plan to attend, ext. 5041.

Third of eight sessions, "Emotional Minefields: Guilt, Anger, Depression and How to Cope"

Taking care of yourself, simply surviving parent care, requires that you deal with some potent emotions. Believe it or not, reactions and feelings you have now, even the ones that seem disturbingly out of character for you, are normal and quite common. And they can be tempered once you recognize what it is you are feeling and why. Join us and learn to cope with the emotions all caregivers face.

Writers – Sharpen your pencils! CCM needs a new slogan.

Think you have a way with words? This is your big chance. County College of Morris is holding a contest to create a 40th Anniversary slogan. It should embody the pride and value this college has brought to the community for the past 40 years.

Here are some tips. A good slogan should:

- Be easy to remember and concise.
- Remind people of our most important values (excellent education, low cost, close to home, etc.)
- Differentiate CCM from other colleges.
- Have a ring to it.
- Leave people feeling warm and fuzzy.
- Inspire someone to attend CCM.
- Be appropriate for every constituent. (Traditional credit students and non-credit students).

Since every mind has the potential for creativity, the contest is open to the entire college community. The best slogans will be market tested and finally selected by the Marketing Committee.

Here are the rules:

- Enter as many ideas as you have.
- Send them to Denise Bell, President's Office, LRC 204 (dbell@ccm.edu).
- Include your name and contact information.
- Entry deadline is April 9, 2008.

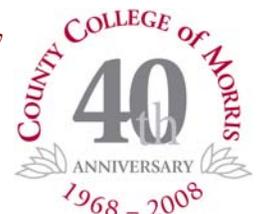
Prize: A fine dining experience for two!

CCM history (continues)

1968 - Construction begins on Academic-Science Buildings. Staff moved from temporary headquarters in East Hanover to Henderson Hall. Classes begun for 600 full-time and 700 part-time students. First public open house. Contract awarded for Physical Education Building.

1969 - Academic-Science Building and Library completed.

1970 - Health-Physical Education Building and the Student Community Center completing Phase I development.



Guidance Counselor Workshop Luncheon

March 27
8 a.m. - 1 p.m. in the SCC Davidson Rooms A,B,C, D

CCM's Spring 2008 Job Fair

April 1
9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the SCC Davidson Rooms A, B, C, D

Full-time, part-time and summer positions. For attending employers and job openings, go to www.ccm.edu/career_services/jobfair.shtml. Sponsored by Office of Career Services and Cooperative Education.

Campus Tours

3 p.m. in the Admissions Office

Campus tours started March 6 and will run every Thursday until May 29. Tours last approx. one hour. Reservations are need. Call ext. 5108.

"Kiss Me Kate"

April 2 - 5
7:30 p.m. with a 2 p.m. performance on April 5

Presented by CCM's Performing Arts Department. Music and lyrics by Cole Porter. Tickets will be sold by the Campus Life Office and are also available at the door. General admissions is \$12 and \$7 for seniors and students with ID.

Languages Coffee Hour

April 3
2 - 3 p.m. in Sheffield Hall, A Lounge

Ask faculty about placement and language courses you need to take this summer or this fall. Converse with other students and instructors in the language you prefer. All languages are welcome! Learn about different cultures and career opportunities in languages. Faculty, staff and students that enjoy learning languages are invited. Coffee and light snacks will be served. For more information contact, ext. 5420.

Save the date: Tomorrow's Office

May 2
9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. at The Madison Hotel in Convent Station

The 25th Annual Conference for Administrative Assistants. A continental breakfast is available from 8 - 9 a.m. Fee, \$119. Brochures will be distributed the end of March.

Kudos

Dr. Jose Bevia, a new faculty member of the Music Department, has been invited to present his compositions at the 2008 International Jazz Composer's Symposium. This is a very competitive conference which showcases new music of composers from around the world. Only a few composers are invited to participate. For more information go to <http://centerforjazzcomp.arts.usf.edu/default.asp?>

Last July Dr. Jose Bevia won the BMI / Charlie Parker Jazz Composition Award in NYC. More information can be found at <http://www.bmi.com/news/entry/535253>.

Dr. Kevin Chen, CAL Supervisor, was recently elected as the chairperson of the Public Relations and Speaker's Bureau Committees of the Better Business Bureau of New Jersey. Kevin currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Better Business Bureau of New Jersey.

21st Annual Scholarship Gala

The County College of Morris Foundation will celebrate its 21st Annual Scholarship Gala, "Launch a Rising Star" on April 18 at the Villa at Mountain Lakes. Proceeds from the gala provide scholarship assistance to students in need and reward students for academic excellence.

One way to participate in our fundraising efforts is to donate an item to our Silent Auction. Last year, our Silent Auction raised over \$11,000 toward student scholarships. Would you consider donating one of the following items to this very worthy cause?

- Gift Basket
- Hotel Stays
- Tickets to sporting events, concerts or the theatre
- A Gift certificate to a favorite restaurant in the area
- Gift of a weekend at a timeshare

Your contribution, which is tax-deductible, will be prominently acknowledged in the auction book, the souvenir journal and posters displayed on the auction tables.

Contact Jenny Ruud in the Foundation Office if you are interested in donating an auction item (as noted above) at ext. 5054.

On behalf of the County College of Morris Foundation Board of Directors, the staff and especially the students who receive scholarships, thank you in advance for your consideration of this request.

Friendly reminders

- If you would like to share a story regarding the history or early memories of CCM, send it to Roxanne Smith by e-mail at rsmith@ccm.edu. Your story will be shared through the CCMemo.
- Recommendations for Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges are **due today** (March 14). Submit the students name and student ID number to Dr. Bette Simmons at bsimmons@ccm.edu.
- Plant & Maintenance evaluation survey is due by March 31.

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: 2000 Mazda Miata, 14, 800 original miles, automatic transmission, forest green with beige top, leather seats, deluxe interior, bose stereo system / CD and tape. Excellent condition and maintenance. My wife is the original owner. \$9,500 and negotiable. Call Ric Wynn, ext. 5616, or 908-850-5893.

For Sale: Back yard furniture, rectangular table, 6 chairs, 2 arm chairs, small round side table, lounge chair, umbrella. Furniture is beige/tan cast iron, cushions included. 1 year old like new. Kept covered and stored during the winter months. Paid \$6,000, asking \$3,000. Call 201-983-0560.

For Sale: Schwinn indoor exercise bike \$50, Nordic Track Gold Treadmill \$40, Nordic Track Gold Strength Conditioner (weight machine) \$75, Pinball Machine (small size 2 feet x 4 feet) \$40, 2 upright pianos - free to a good home! Call Pat at ext. 5657 or email pbernson@ccm.edu.

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.

Free: One full size box spring. Must pick up. Call evenings, 973-598-9342.

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Please send items for submission to rsmith@ccm.edu. Thank you!*