

# The CCMemo

## Upcoming Events

### Black History Month

February 24

11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., SCC Lobby

Sankofa Drum & Dance Ensemble. Also, view the bulletin board and book display in the LRC lobby. Sponsored by the Black Student Union, Campus Life and the Learning Resource Center

### CTE Workshops

**E-Resources in the LRC - Presenter: Rebecca Hodd**

February 23

10 - 11:15 a.m., D216

**Video Capture - Presenter: Deon Koekemoer**

February 24

4 - 5 p.m., D216

**Excel Charts - Presenter: Mike Walsh**

February 25

1 - 2 p.m., time change from original schedule, D216

**Cheating and Baseball - Presenter: Ken Shouler**

February 25

2:30 - 3:30 p.m., LRC 115

**Might Teaching Online or Hybrid be in your Future?**

**Presenter: Joan Cook**

Session 1 (2 parts)

February 28 (part 1)

9:30 - 11:30 a.m., HH 113

March 7

9:30 - 11:30 a.m., HH 113

To register contact ext. 5315 or e-mail to [jcook@ccm.edu](mailto:jcook@ccm.edu).

### Festival of the Arts

February 27

6:30 p.m., Masten Library Gallery

**Art show**

7:30 p.m., SCC, Dragonetti Auditorium

**Retrospective slide show accompanied by the CCM Jazz Band**

The program continues with dance, music and stage performances featuring faculty and students.

The festival celebrates 40 years of the arts on the CCM campus and features an art exhibit plus performances by past and current faculty and students. Admission is free. Donations to the CCM Foundation Scholarship will be appreciated.

## Training and implementation phase begin on new website

CCM is still on track to launch its new website in April. Training by Datatel of the ActiveAdmissions Content Management System has begun with two major groups scheduled for February 25, 26, and 27. Faculty and staff selected for these groups will help train others on campus.

The new site will have many exciting features. First, it will interface with the Datatel system, making the processing of new applications much easier. Of course, it will have a fresh new modern look and a new navigation system. ActiveAdmissions will also allow current and prospective students to “personalize” their online experience with CCM. They will tell us more about what they like and what type of information they want from CCM, and we will be able to personalize that information specifically for them. For example, if a prospective student indicates that he or she is interested in pursuing a degree in allied health, the system will help us tag information geared specifically to allied health majors. When they go online, they will see information about the allied health curriculum, faculty, transfer possibilities, former students who majored in allied health and even CCM events that may interest them.

As we move forward, it is important for all departments to review the information they have on the current website and delete or update their content. Outdated content will not be transferred to the new site.

Although ActiveAdmissions sounds like a wonderful futuristic tool, much of its success will depend on you. We will need to update many, many pages of website content and add lots of new content. As we continue the implementation phase, we will keep you informed about where we are in the process.



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## **“40 Years of CCM Dance”**

February 28

2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., SCC, Dragonetti Auditorium

March 1

2 p.m. matinee only, SCC, Dragonetti Auditorium

The CCM Dance Theatre presents “40 Years of CCM Dance” in honor of CCM’s 40th Anniversary. Tickets are available at the box office 1/2 hour before the performances, or call for a reservation at ext. 5076. \$15 General Admission, \$10 Students, Seniors 62 and over, & Children under 12.

## **40th Anniversary Lecture**

### **“Modern Battles of Trenton”**

**Presenter - Robert Martin**

March 3

11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m., SCC, Davidson Room

CCM will host a free lecture chronicling major legislation, in New Jersey including gun control, school funding, civil unions, Highlands preservation and the repeal of the death penalty. No reservation required.

## **Adult Open House**

March 5

5 - 7 p.m., Student Community Center

Anyone who has been out of high school for a few years may attend. CCM faculty and advisors will be on hand to address those special circumstances facing adult students, such as juggling work, family and college. The \$30 application fee will be waived for anyone who applies for admission at the open house.

## **Campus Tours**

March 5

3 p.m., Admissions Office, SCC 212

Campus tours will be starting March 5 and will run every Thursday until May 28. Tours begin at 3 p.m. in the Admissions Office and last approx. one hour. To schedule a reservation direct all calls to ext. 5108. Reservations are required.

## **Dance Marathon**

March 6 & 7

Dancing begins on the 6th at 6 p.m. until the 7th at 6p.m.

Complete information along with volunteer forms are posted on the CCM website - [www.ccm.edu](http://www.ccm.edu), under News and Events.

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## **Improving your mental health - a workshop series for students**

### **Please share with students**

Conversations with Dr. Ronnie Kopp Wiener, Counselor

Dr. Ronnie Kopp Wiener will conduct a series of workshops on mental health. This series is to provide students with insight and knowledge of mental health issues that will make their lives better.

#### **Chasing the Blues Away**

10 - 11 a.m. February 23, SCC 221

#### **Managing Stress:**

##### **The Key to it All**

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., March 10, SCC 221

#### **Ask the Counselor:**

**Bring your practical questions/concerns regarding mental health issues.**

1 - 2 p.m., March 31, SCC 221

#### **“Mental Health Awareness for Safer Campuses:**

**What Students Should Know”- Come watch this 27-minute DVD produced for students at all New Jersey colleges.**

2 - 3 p.m., April 2, SCC 221

#### **Living a Balanced Life:**

**What is it and how do I get there?**

10 - 11 a.m., April 23, SCC 221

Registration is not required. For further information contact ext. 5140.

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## **CCM to host Ethnic Fashion Show**

Fashion Design students at County College of Morris will host a fashion show and lecture focusing on ethnic fashions, past and present, at 11:30 a.m. Monday, March 9 in Cohen Hall B150. Admission is free. The featured speaker is Professor James Howard, coordinator of the Design program. CCM students will model fashions they have designed. For more information, call ext. 5463. This event is sponsored by the Diversity Committee.

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## CCM to host orientation on Respiratory Therapy Program

County College of Morris will host an orientation for anyone interested in a career in respiratory therapy from 4:30 – 6 p.m., March 4 in the Masten Library room 232. Admission is free.

Discover why respiratory therapists are a vital part of the health care team in the home, physician's office and hospital.

A career in respiratory therapy can cover a wide range of practices from basic care to critical and emergency care, according to Dianne Adams, coordinator of the Respiratory Therapy program. Participants will learn about the program's educational requirements, the current job market and why the demand for respiratory therapists is growing. They will also learn about licensing requirements and professional organizations.

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## Foreign film series

CCM will continue its foreign film series with French Canadian film "The Barbarian Invasions," at 7:30 p.m., on Friday, March 20 in the Dragonetti Auditorium. Admission is \$7. A moderated discussion with light refreshments will follow the film. The box office opens at 7 p.m.

In this film, an atheistic professor of history and lover of women has a terminal disease. His wife calls their son to come from London, where he works as a successful investor. The son arrives in Montreal with his mate, and using his money and corruption, he improves the condition of his father in a public Canadian hospital. He gathers his father's life-long friends around him, who stay together until his death. This touching story about friendship and farewell to left was the 2004 Academy Award winner for Best Foreign Film. It is rated R and intended for mature audiences only.

The next film, "The Kit Runner," is on May 22.

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## Gala Silent Auction

The CCM Foundation still needs Silent Auction items for our 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala on April 24. The Silent Auction is an important part of our Gala, and this year we are hoping to generate more than \$10,000 the night of our event. We are still in need of the following items:

- Tickets to sporting events
- Tickets to the theater (Broadway, Off-Broadway, the Met, the ballet, etc.)
- Dinners for 2 at area restaurants
- A week at a condo or vacation home
- Unused airfare miles
- Quality jewelry with a retail value of at least \$200

These items always attract great attention and healthy bidding at our Gala. If you can contribute any of these items (or others), please contact me at [jvital@ccm.edu](mailto:jvital@ccm.edu). Thanks so much for your help in making our 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala a great success.

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## Swap and shop

**For Sale: *Price Reduced!*** "Stagg" Flying V GForce Guitar with Two Humbuckers. Custom case included. Great condition. Puts out an excellent tone. Perfect for beginner or for the most experienced. Asking \$150 or best offer. View photo at [www.ccm.edu/pdf/Guitar.pdf](http://www.ccm.edu/pdf/Guitar.pdf). Please call Heather at ext. 5353.

**For Rent:** Affordable and comfortable, 3 bedroom condo in Orlando. Available for 1 week during spring break (3/14 to 3/21). Call Terry ext. 5356.

**For Sale:** Craftmatic twin adjustable bed, excellent condition. Originally \$2800. Asking \$899. Call Wendy at 973-285-9110.

**For Sale:** Bunkbed set w/ 2 solid wood beds, 2 matching dressers, 2 end table/night stands and an under the bed 3 drawer storage unit. Mattresses not included. \$800. [jmarron@ccm.edu](mailto:jmarron@ccm.edu).