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Upcoming Events

What goes up, must come down, and then come up again: Stockholm and the Raising of the VASA

Presenter: Dr. Craig Pilant

November 16

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., LRC 115

One of the most fascinating naval events in history was the sinking of His Majesty's Ship, the VASA - named for the royal family of Sweden. On her maiden voyage to the naval station at Alvsnabben, the VASA suddenly keeled over and sank with the loss of about 50 people. An inquiry ensued, but many questions were left unanswered. The presentation will not only examine this remarkable episode in naval history, but also the equally fascinating episode of the ship's recovery and restoration more than 300 year's later. Archival film footage will be shown during the presentation.

Career Week

Week of November 16

Students in a variety of majors and programs (and those who are undecided) will have opportunities throughout the week to explore exciting career options and opportunities.

• Special Presentation

"Social Networking," "What does your online profile reveal about you?"

Presenter: Tom McMillian, Techtao, LLC

November 19

11:30 a.m. and at 1 p.m., SCC Davidson Room

For a complete listing of the week's events, visit <http://www.ccm.edu/StudentLife/CareerServices/CareerWeek.aspx>.

Kudos Dr. Yaw

County College of Morris President Edward J. Yaw was honored November 5 with the Educator of the Year Award from the Research and Development Council of New Jersey. The award was presented at the 30th R & D Council of NJ's Annual Awards Dinner at the Liberty Science Center in Jersey City, NJ.

The Research and Development Council is a non-profit organization representing more than 45 major corporations, educational institutions and state officials in New Jersey. President Yaw was recognized for his dedication to education and his commitment to providing students majoring in the sciences, with scholarships funded by the council. CCM was also recognized for 40 years of excellence in education.

In an effort to cultivate quality graduates in the state, majoring in applied science degrees, the council has provided scholarships for many years to community college students. Last year the council awarded ten, \$1,500 scholarships, two of which were given to CCM students, one in engineering and one in respiratory therapy.

"I am deeply honored by this recognition and appreciate all the work the council has done," said CCM President Yaw. "The students at CCM and across the state are very grateful to the Research and Development Council for these scholarships."

Managing Stress: 107 Ways to Manage Stress Better

"A College Hour Series for Students"

November 16

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

Dr. Ronnie Kopp Wiener, Counselor, is presenting a series of conversations to provide students with insight and knowledge of mental health issues that will make their lives better.

Students who would prefer to discuss any of these topics individually may make an appointment with a Counselor at ext. 5140.

TIAA-CREF

One-On-One Counseling

November 17

9 a.m. - 5 p.m., LRC 115

December 3

9 a.m. - 5 p.m., HH 107

To make an appointment log onto www.tiaa-cref.org/moc or call 1-877-658-4221.

Procedural Briefing Meeting

November 17

2:30 p.m., Cohen Hall, B206

If you process work order requests for your department, process your department's inventory, handle college property disposal or item transfers for your department, it would be helpful for you to attend this meeting.

Other topics to be discussed are as follows; missing college property, vehicle maintenance and recycling.

Writing to Sell

Presenter: Dr. Ken Shouler

November 17

2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m., Sheffield Hall, A105

To register and for more information contact ext. 5315.

Using PowerPoint more Effectively

Presenter: Deon Koekemoer

November 18

10 - 11 a.m., Sheffield Hall, A105

To register and for more information contact ext. 5315.

CCM Holiday Greeting Card

The CCM Holiday Greeting Card Scholarship has been a long standing tradition here on campus. It's a time for us to come together and support each other by donating to a special scholarship fund awarded to your fellow employees. Your contribution will go directly to the Holiday Greeting Card Scholarship Fund, which is available to full-time employees or their children, for books and fees.

In late December, an e-holiday card will be sent to the entire campus community, bearing the names of all the donors. There is no need to send us your signature as we had in years past. Send your donation to Roxanne Smith, mail-station HH 119. Make your check payable to the CCM Foundation. Every donation, no matter the denomination, is appreciated.

For information on how to apply for the scholarship, call Katie Olsen, Director of Development at ext. 5058.

CCM Holiday Gathering

The CCM Board of Trustees and President Edward J. Yaw are hosting a Holiday Gathering on December 3. Drop in anytime between 4 - 6 p.m. in the Davidson Room, Student Community Center.

An RSVP is requested to Denise Bell at dbell@ccm.edu or call ext. 5030 by November 23.

Food will be catered by the CCM Hospitality program students.



Campus shot taken by Michael O'Hagan.

Cymbeline

November 18 - 21

7:30 p.m., Dragonetti Auditorium

CCM's Performing Arts presents CCM Shakespeare & Company with "Cymbeline." One of Shakespeare's final works, this "fairytale" employs all of the bard's theatrical and poetic devices to dramatize a royal marriage imperiled by mistrust. Watch CCM's Shakespeare & Company bring this tragic, romantic, historic and, at times, comedic masterpiece to life.

The opening night performance will be dedicated to the late Professor Emerita Rita Licciardolo, former English Department Chairperson and the first Drama Coordinator at CCM.

A reception will be held in the lobby of the Dragonetti Auditorium at 6:30 p.m. prior to the performance. Dr. Janet Eber, Professor Marielaine Mammion and Professor Klark Gabrielson will offer brief reflections on Professor Licciardolo's contributions to the college.

Finance Workshop

November 18

7 - 9 p.m.

The Women's Center is offering a free workshop on "Taking Control of Your Finances." Women need to understand how money plays a critical role in their survival. Keeping up to date on their own finances and the current financial system will enable women to make choices that will have long reaching effects.

There is limited space so an early registration is recommended. To do so, contact ext. 5025.

Smoking Ban (Open Forum)

November 19

3:30 p.m., Davidson Room

Other issues to be discussed are: disruptive classroom behavior, as well as student behavior in general.

Sam's Club

November 21

12 - 2 p.m.

On Saturday, November 21, 2009 from 12:00pm - 2:00 pm, Sam's Club of Budd Lake is offering CCM employees a \$10 Sam's Club gift card when joining or renewing membership. Bring your college ID or business card.

Disability Awareness

The Disability Awareness Committee, in collaboration with DAWN Center for Independent Living, will host a presentation of "Disability 101, the Scope, the Services and the Legislation," at 10 - 11:30 a.m. in the Davidson Room in the Student Community Center on Tuesday, November 17th. This program gives informative overviews of the historical perspective, scope of disabilities and agencies/programs serving persons with educational/physical disabilities. There will be a question and answer segment after the presentation.

For faculty this presentation would be beneficial for students, particularly those geared to education, special needs, social services and counseling. If you recommend the presentation to your classes, contact Robyn Schwacke at ext. 5252 with an estimate of attendees to ensure sufficient handouts are available.

Friendly Reminders

• **Faculty/Staff Market Place**

The Office of Campus Life is proud to present the Fall 2009 Faculty & Staff Market Place from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. on December 3. The Market Place will provide CCM employees the opportunity to sell their crafts, gifts, etc. to fellow employees and students. If you are interested in participating, contact Campus Life at ext. 5217. An application can be downloaded at <http://www3.ccm.edu/pdf/marketplace.pdf> (the deadline is Nov. 20).

• **Thanksgiving Food Drive**

CCM's Campus Christian Fellowship is conducting its annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. Collection bins are located throughout the campus or at the Student Center's Information Window. You can drop off frozen turkeys to the Campus Life Office, SCC 226. The deadline is November 24.

• **Recycle Used Printing Cartridges**

When a new HP LaserJet print cartridge is opened, save the box and packaging material from inside. Place the used HP LaserJet cartridge back into the bag, fit the end packaging pieces back on and place the cartridge back in the original box. Seal the box by inserting both flaps into the slotted openings. Return for free through the CCM mailroom.

Swap and Shop

For Sale: Bedroom furniture: White wrought iron and brass full-size bed with footboard, plus mattress \$200. Three-drawer dresser, maple wood, painted white in good condition \$50. Four-drawer tall dresser, maple wood, painted white in good condition - \$50. See photos at http://www3.ccm.edu/pdf/Diane_4.pdf. Call Diane ext. 5052.

For Sale: Expedition Mtn Bike (green) 26". Includes: 24 gears with thumb shifters mirror, peddle stirrups distance/speed meter (digital) large seat with bag water bottle holder, helmet Thule Bike carrier. \$650. Call Russ at ext 5550 or cell phone at 908-249-1139

For Sale: Dehumidifier, room size, 3 months old - w/original box and instructions. (List price online \$82-129. <http://www.air-n-water.com/product/edv-2200.htm>). 6.75" x 8.5" x 14", 2 liter water tank, auto shut off when to capacity, low energy consumption. \$50. Call Jane at 862-209-1542.

For Sale: 1992 Cadillac Deville, 111,000 miles, looks and runs great, keyless entry, leather, 4 month old front brakes, 18-19 mpg, \$1750. Call Roger at ext. 5712 or 973-584-5821.

For Sale: Short, light brown mink jacket (size 8) and mink stole. "Retro" style - excellent condition. Jacket - \$100; Stole -\$25 (or best offer). Email shubbard@ccm.edu for photos.

For Sale: Electric 18qt GE roaster oven I would like to sell. Like new. \$20. E-mail jmarron@ccm.edu or call 973-347-1405.

For Sale: 1997 Mitsubishi Mirage, Red, 128,000 miles, 5 speed, 32 mph, timing belt changed at 97K., good condition, \$1,500 or best offer. Call 973-713-8455.

For Sale: GE Profile Arctica Refrigerator: Working, 22.7 cubic feet, side-by-side, stainless steel. Retail \$2899, asking price \$1500 (or best offer). Call Michelle at 862-207-8331 or email maltieri@ccm.edu.

For Rent: 2 Bedroom apt. in Randolph. Newly renovated 1st floor unit. \$1,100/mo. & \$150/occupant for utilities. Private entr. Call 973-945-9090.

For Rent: Timeshare villas at Bluebeard's Castle on the island of St. Thomas from Feb. 13 - 20, 2010. Located in the desirable Hilltop II Villas, unit # 253 rents for \$825/week or save dining out dollars by renting Villa # 252 with a kitchen for \$900. Save money ~ bring the whole family or another couple and take both adjoining units for a discounted price of only \$1600/week. Contact Lora at Lbogdany@ccm.edu or at ext. 5551/days and 201-572-9385/ evenings and weekends.

For Sale: 1994 Honda Accord, White, 99,000 miles, Automatic, 30 mpg, very clean. \$1,800 or best offer. Call 973-713-8455.