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College Security Report Available for Review



County College of Morris' (CCM) annual security report is now available. The report is required by federal law and contains policy statements and crime statistics for the college. Policy statements address the college's policies, procedures and programs concerning safety and security, such as for responding to emergency situations and sexual offenses. Three years' worth of statistics are included for certain types of crimes that were reported to have occurred on campus, in or on off-campus property controlled by the college, and on public property within or immediately adjacent to property controlled by the college. The report is available at <http://tinyurl.com/nqw6j6p>. You may also request a paper copy from the Department of Public Safety, the Office of the Dean of Student Development, the Department of Human

SCHEDULED EVENTS

Where applicable, click event title for more information

Space Extreme

October 9, 7 p.m.
Longo Planetarium

Shapes in the Sky

October 10, 3 p.m.
Longo Planetarium

Tour of the Planets

October 10, 5 p.m.
Longo Planetarium

Legacy Project

October 15, 12:30 p.m.
Student Community Center, Davidson Rooms

Fall Open House

October 17
Student Community Center

SAVE THE DATES

Professional Day and Adjunct Faculty Orientation/Dinner

January 14, 2016

Professional Days

May 18-19, 2016

FRIENDLY REMINDERS

Upcoming Transfer Fair

Representatives from more than 60 four-year colleges and universities will be on campus on Wednesday, October 14, from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Student Community Center, Davidson Rooms during CCM's Fall Transfer Fair, hosted by Transfer Services. Those with questions should contact transferservices@ccm.edu or Kari Hawkins at ext. 5142.

Fall Job Fair Coming to CCM

The Fall 2015 Job Fair will be held on Wednesday, October 21, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Student Community Center, Davidson Rooms. The event is sponsored by the Office of Career Services and Cooperative Education. A list of job openings and attending employers, which currently

Resources and the Admissions Office.

Open Enrollment and Benefits Fair

Plan year 2016 open enrollment for full-time employees takes place now through November 2. An email was sent by the Human Resource Department with more information. During the open enrollment period, employees can make general changes such as adding or deleting dependents, changing coverage levels, or enrolling in a different medical or dental plan. All changes to coverage made during this period will be effective on January 1, 2016. The Benefits Fair, featuring representatives from vendors as well as members of CCM Human Resources, will be held on Thursday, October 22, from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. in the Learning Resource Center, Room 121.

CCM Hosting Cyber Security Awareness Events

CCM is serving as a leader in cyber security education in New Jersey. The only community college in the state recognized as a certifying institution by the National Security Agency's Committee on National Security Standards, CCM this month is hosting weekly events to increase awareness of cyber threats and how the public can take steps to be safer and more secure online. More information, including a schedule of events, can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/pbbyvpy>.



CCM Fourth Annual Photo Contest for High School Students

New Jersey high school students with a passion for photography and a talent for taking good photos have until April 16, 2016 to enter the CCM Fourth Annual Photo Contest for the chance to win prizes and recognition.

The contest is conducted by the Photo Club at CCM. Again this year, the competition's sponsor, Unique Photo Superstore in Fairfield, will be providing first-, second- and third-prize gift certificates. Read more at <http://tinyurl.com/q8whflz>.

Upcoming EOF Halloween Events



The CCM Educational Opportunity Fund (EOF) will be hosting two Halloween-themed events. The EOF Halloween Open House takes place on Thursday, October 29, from 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. in Cohen Hall, Room 211. Those attending can find out what EOF is all about, receive free cider, treats and more, and the person in the best costume will receive a prize. The EOF Student Alliance is also holding its 12th annual Halloween UNICEF Drive through Friday, November 6. You can pick up a box anytime from Cohen Hall, Room 211, and return filled boxes by the deadline date. You may

includes AFLAC, NJ Transit, State Farm Insurance and Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital, can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/pev6szw>.

Info Session for Spring Break Trip

An information meeting for the CCM Spring Break/March 2016 trip to Scotland, England, Wales and Ireland will be held on Tuesday, October 20, in DeMare Hall, Room 114, from 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. The meeting will be led by Professor Craig Pilant of the History Department.

The tour has stops in London, Dublin and Edinburgh. The meeting will include information on the itinerary, schedule, costs and other pertinent matters. The meeting will also provide a look at the upcoming 2017 trip to Spain, Paris and Morocco. There is no obligation involved with coming to the meeting. Those with questions should contact Pilant at cpilant@ccm.edu or ext. 5605.

Faculty Development Grant Applications Due November 2

Applications are now being accepted for the Louise and Samuel Olshan Endowment, which provides grants to faculty for professional development. The deadline is November 2. Awards range from \$50 to \$150 and defray the costs of memberships in professional organizations or attendance to professional organization meetings. Applications are open to full-time faculty. Adjunct faculty who have taught for at least 20 semesters are also eligible to apply. Department chairs and assistant chairs are not eligible. Application forms and grant eligibility rules can be found at <http://www.ccm.edu/cte/grants.aspx>. Applications should be submitted to Dr. Maureen Stivala in Henderson Hall, Room 210.

Fall Student Workshops

The CCM Office of Counseling and Student Success is hosting multiple upcoming workshops that are designed to help students in a number of important areas. A full schedule of Fall Semester workshops can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/nlbqlyq>. The following is a description of the next event.

What Career Works for Your Personality? Thursday, October 15, 12:30 p.m. in Cohen Hall, Room 157

John Holland's Theory of Career Choice maintains that people who choose to work in an environment similar to their personality

also pick up boxes the day of the open house at the alcove by the Cohen Café, where EOF members will exchange candy for your spare change.

De-Stress Fest Coming Soon

On Tuesday, October 20, the Office of Counseling and Student Success will be hosting its annual De-Stress Fest in the Davidson Rooms in the Student Community Center. Students will learn techniques to help work through everyday stressors by learning about community resources, having the opportunity to take a yoga class, getting a free massage, and/or participating in an interactive scavenger hunt surrounding the various dimensions of an individual's wellness. Attendees will explore how common stressors can affect one's mental health and wellness, and will learn strategies for coping with them through fun and interactive activities. These activities will be structured around the Eight Dimensions of Wellness, an evidenced-based model covering physical, social, emotional, intellectual, occupational, spiritual, financial and environmental wellness. Through this model attendees will be educated on how each dimension can affect various aspects of a person's life.

This could be a fantastic opportunity for students to earn additional credit. If you would like an attendance sheet, Counseling and Student Success can provide one for you. If you need more information explaining how this event can be utilized effectively as a learning tool for your classroom, please call the counseling office at 973-328-5140 or e-mail apanek@ccm.edu.

Library Book Group

The CCM Library Book Group will be discussing short stories by Edgar Allan Poe on Wednesday, October 28, at 12:30 p.m. and all employees are welcome to attend. Those planning to participate should read at least three stories before the meeting. The text of the complete works of Poe may be found online at <http://tinyurl.com/qzdt769>. The library also has a few copies in print.

The club typically meets the last Wednesday of the month in the library conference room. Those with questions can contact ext. 5278.

Another discussion will take place on Wednesday, November 25, and will include three stories (including a turkey story – think Thanksgiving) and three essays on story telling by Mark Twain. Read "A Fable," "Hunting the Deceitful Turkey" and "The McWilliamses and the Burglar Alarm" at <http://tinyurl.com/ckrth86>. Read "How to Tell a Story" and other essays at <http://tinyurl.com/m7s3lr2>.

Latest Edition of 'Youngtown'

The September 23 issue of "The Youngtown Edition," CCM's award-winning student newspaper, can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/pwnem2j>.

October Issue of OUCH!

The newest issue of OUCH!, led by guest editor Lenny Zeltser, takes a look at password managers, which address one of the most common problems people face online today. Find the English version at <http://tinyurl.com/q535ftm> and translations at <http://tinyurl.com/legvups>.

type are more likely to be successful and satisfied. Through group activity, this workshop will allow attendees to discover their unique Holland personality type and teach them how to apply this information to making more meaningful career and personal choices.

HR CORNER

Discounted Mountain Creek Passes

Mountain Creek Resort in Vernon is offering CCM employees discounted passes. Deadlines for the best deals are at the end of October. For full details, see the flyer at <http://tinyurl.com/qdzgwlb>.

Special Disney on Ice Offer

CCM employees can buy tickets to "Disney on Ice, 100 Years of Magic" at the Prudential Center. Tickets start at \$15 and are for shows November 18-20. The deadline to order is Thursday, November 12, at noon. More information can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/ocomzod>.

Retirement Consultations

One-on-one counseling sessions are available as follows with state-approved representatives:

MetLife representative David Sharpe will be on campus on Thursday, October 15, from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. in Henderson Hall, Room 107. Email dsharpe2@metlife.com to make an appointment. He will also be on campus on November 10 and December 7.

TIAA-CREF representative Zhee Sarabia will be on campus on Friday, October 16, from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. in Henderson Hall, Room 107. Call 800-732-8353 to make an appointment. She will also be on campus on November 11 and December 16.

Prudential representative Lily Lau will be on campus on Tuesday, November 17, from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. in Henderson Hall, Room 107. Call 732-236-6782 to make an appointment. She will also be on campus December 9.

Voya (formerly ING) representative Brandon Zisa will be on campus on Wednesday, October 14, from 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. in Henderson Hall, Room 107. Call 732-326-5625 or email brandon.zisa@voyafa.com to make an appointment. He will also be on campus November 12 and December 8.