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CCM Increases Number of Potential Lifesavers with Training



More than 100 employees at County College of Morris (CCM) have received American Heart Association CPR and Automated External Defibrillator (AED) training to increase the number of potential lifesavers on campus and in the community.

The free training program for employees, which began last year and remains ongoing, was initiated by the college after Joan Cunningham, then dean of the Division of Health and Natural Sciences, suffered a heart attack during a meeting. It was the quick action of Dr. Dwight Smith, vice president of Academic Affairs, and two members of the Department of Public Safety – David Ackerman and Charles Munk – that not only saved Cunningham but also ensured that she suffered no brain damage as a result of the heart attack.

CCM has 18 state-of-the-art AEDs located throughout the campus. As a result of the training, it also has many people on hand who are prepared to make use of them should the need arise. Read more at

SCHEDULED EVENTS

Where applicable, click event title for more information

Space Extreme (Sold Out)

March 11, 7 p.m.

Longo Planetarium

Shapes in the Sky

March 12, 3 p.m.

Longo Planetarium

Tour of the Planets (Sold Out)

March 12, 5 p.m.

Longo Planetarium

Pajama Game

April 13-16, 7:30 p.m.; April 16, 2 p.m. matinée

Dragonetti Auditorium, Student Community Center

Spring Music Concert

April 21, 7:30 p.m.

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Professional Days

May 18-19, 2016

FRIENDLY REMINDERS

Foundation Gala Special Pricing;

Enter to Win a GoProHero4

This year's CCM Foundation Scholarship Gala will be held at the Sheraton Parsippany Hotel on Friday, May 6. It begins with cocktails at 6 p.m., followed by dinner and the awards program at 7:30.

This year's event will have special meaning, as it honors Dr. Edward J. Yaw with the 2016 Foundation Leadership Award. Yaw will be retiring this August after 30 years as president.

In addition to honoring Yaw, four alumni will be receiving awards: Michael D. Klinger '03 (Alumnus of the Year), Holly M. Lusardi '07 (Alumni Achievement), Maria N. DeAngelis '09 (Alumni Service), and Matthew W. Roché '03 (Alumni Humanitarian).

Faculty and staff tickets are \$195 per ticket, \$180 off the external price of \$375 per ticket.

<http://tinyurl.com/z6lap9k>.

Helpful Resource Packet Available Online

Counseling and Student Success has created a thorough packet filled with 41 pages of versatile and helpful resources that are appropriate for various populations. The resource packet consists of current and prevalent topics that can benefit students, faculty and staff. The packet can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/ha2rv8e>.

De-stress Workshop Sponsored by EOF

The CCM Educational Opportunity Fund is sponsoring “De-Stress with Expressive Art” on Thursday, May 5, from 11 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. in DeMare Hall, Room 216. The workshop is designed to help attendees relax and let out anxiety and negative emotions while having fun creating their own art. All talent levels are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Recent Performances on CCM’s YouTube Channel



CCM’s Department of Music, Dance and Performing Arts presented its Dance Theatre Showcase on Friday, March 4 and Saturday, March 5. A video of the Friday performance can be found at <https://youtu.be/nNoSkEJxpdg>.

Also last Friday evening, a jazz trio performance was given by Michael Yaw (son of CCM President Edward J. Yaw), Dr. Jose Bevia and Professor Frank Murphy. That performance can be viewed at <https://youtu.be/qmZQF1X42OE>.

Latest Edition of ‘Youngtown’

The March 9 issue of “The Youngtown Edition,” CCM’s award-winning student newspaper, can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/jvc8gpk>.

Spring 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 Spring Semester workshops can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/oncs8b2>. The following is a description of the next event.

The invitation that contains the internal price can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/zd4d8l8>. Join the foundation as it raises funds for CCM’s General Scholarship program.

Even if you are unable to attend the gala, you can still help raise funds for scholarships. For \$25 you can enter for a chance at winning a GoProHero4. Only 100 chances will be sold. Contact Colleen McArdle at cmcardle@ccm.edu to purchase yours.

Job Fair Comes to CCM on April 13

The Spring Job Fair, hosted by CCM Career Services, will be held on Wednesday, April 13, from 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. in the Student Community, Davidson Rooms. More information can be found at the events webpage at <http://tinyurl.com/n6vwi2b>. A list of attending employers, updated on an ongoing basis, can be found directly at <http://tinyurl.com/og5bdyz>.

EOF Easter Basket and Bake Sale

The Educational Opportunity Fund Student Alliance will be selling fully wrapped and ready-to-give Easter baskets filled with candy and stuffed animals on Wednesday, March 23, from 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. in the Student Community Center lobby. The group will also be selling Easter-themed baked goods.

Advising Cadre Application

Faculty who are interested in serving on the Advising Cadre in the 2016 Academic Year should notify Margaret Shepard at mshepard@ccm.edu by April 4 to be placed on the list for consideration. Faculty should review the guidelines (which can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/hxu4m39>) and also provide their availability on the form which can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/jvocpbp>. Appointments will be made after the April 4 deadline.

HR CORNER

Retirement Consultations

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

TIAA-CREF representative Zhee Sarabia will be on campus Tuesday, March 15, from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. in Henderson Hall, Room 107. Call 800-732-8353 to make an appointment.

Choosing a Major Based on Your Personality

Thursday, March 24, 12:30 p.m. in Cohen Hall, Room 162

Research indicates that people who pursue a major and career similar to their personality are more likely to earn better grades, graduate on time, and experience more success and satisfaction in life than people who choose one dissimilar to their personality. Through group activity, this workshop allows attendees to discover their unique personality type and teaches them how to apply this information to making more meaningful educational, career and personal choices.

She will also be on campus April 13, May 11 and June 9.

Prudential representative Lily Lau will be on campus on Tuesday, March 22, from 10 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. in Henderson Hall, Room 107. Call 732-236-6782 to make an appointment. She will also be on campus April 28, May 18, June 6 and July 7.

Voya (formerly ING) representative Brandon Zisa will be on campus on Wednesday, March 23, from 10 a.m. – 2 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 on April 12, May 10 and June 14.