

# The CCMemo

County College of Morris Employee Newsletter



## The Legacy Project Returns This Month



This month, the Legacy Project at CCM returns with yet another engaging event! Filmmaker Petra Epperlein, the celebrated director of this year's most-talked-about documentary, Karl Marx City, will be on campus. On Tuesday, November 28, she will join us for an on-stage interview at 12:30 p.m. in the Davidson Rooms. The New York Times made the documentary a Critic's Pick – a review is available at <http://tinyurl.com/ycn68u3l>.

### Hour of Code



Everyone can code! The CCM Hour of Code events take place Tuesday, November 28, and Thursday, November 30, from 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. in Emeriti Hall, Room 206.

Develop an app, build a game or create cyber code in just one hour. This event is for everyone - students, faculty, staff - techies or not! No experience necessary.

Learning coding can help you understand how technology can make our world a better place.

Seating is limited, so registration is required at: <https://2017hoc-campus.eventbrite.com/>.

### East of Eden



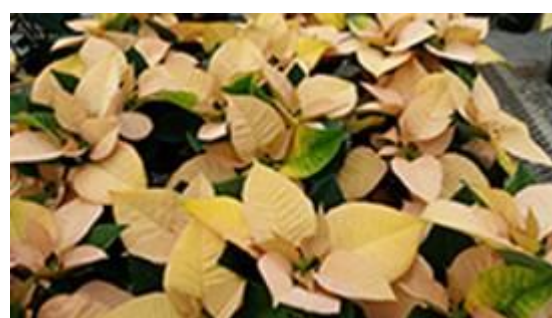
November 17 and 18, 7:30 p.m.  
Dragonetti Auditorium

Come see this stunning adaptation of John Steinbeck's classic novel, which was also the basis of an award-winning film featuring James Dean.

Escaping a turbulent past, Adam Trask is determined to make a new start in California. But family history, sibling rivalry and the impending danger of World War I threaten his family's little piece of paradise.

To purchase tickets, go to <http://www.ccm.edu/east-of-eden/>.

### Holiday Poinsettia Sale Returns at CCM



The Landscape and Horticultural Technology (LHT) program at CCM will be holding its annual Holiday Poinsettia Sale starting later this month.

Deep red, pink, white and assorted variegated forms of poinsettia, both large and small, will be available. New this year is a golden poinsettia, Gold Rush. The sale takes place Monday, November 27, through Wednesday, November 29, from 11 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., in the LHT greenhouses, located near Parking Lot 1.

### Upcoming EOF Events



**The Holiday Wreath Sale** will be held Tuesday, November 28, 11 - 2 p.m., in the Student Community Center lobby. Proceeds will support EOF's UNICEF Drive. Sponsored by EOF Student Alliance. [Read more.](#)

### CCM EVENTS

#### Coffee and Conversation

Wednesday, November 29, 8:30 – 9:30 a.m.  
Media Center

#### Winter Music Concert

Friday, December 1, 7:30 p.m.  
Dragonetti Auditorium

#### CCM Holiday Gathering

Tuesday, December 5, 4 - 6 p.m.  
Davidson Rooms

#### Dance Theatre

Thursday, December 14, and  
Friday, December 15  
7:30 p.m.  
Music Technology Center Performance Lab

#### Professional Day

Thursday, January 11, 2018, 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.  
Dragonetti Auditorium, other locations to be decided

#### Adjunct Faculty Orientation/Dinner

Thursday, January 11, 2018, 5 – 7 p.m.  
Davidson Rooms

#### College Council Meeting

Thursday, January 25, 12:30 – 1:45 p.m.  
Sheffield Hall, Room 100  
Meeting Schedule for 2017-18:  
<http://tinyurl.com/y83u3g3g>

### HR CORNER

#### Retirement Consultations with New Jersey State Approved Vendors

Save for retirement - Receive free retirement counseling sessions – make your appointment today. You do not need to be a member to meet with the representatives.

**TIAA representative** Zhee Sarabia will be on campus from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., on December 1 in Henderson Hall, Room 107. Call 800-732-8353 to make an appointment.

**VOYA representative** Brandon Zisa will be on campus December 7. Visit <http://meetme.so/BrandonZisaCCM> to make an appointment at the times available.

**Prudential representative** Lily Lau will be on campus from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on December 12 in Henderson Hall room 107. Call 732-236-6782 or email [lily.lau@prudential.com](mailto:lily.lau@prudential.com) to make an appointment to discuss ABP or DCRP investments.

**MetLife/Brighthouse representative** David Sharpe will be on campus from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. on December 12. Call 973-575-3254 or email [dsharpe@financialguide.com](mailto:dsharpe@financialguide.com) to make an appointment.

**AXA-Equitable representative** Mark Sheridan is available for individual appointments. Call 908-230-2042 or email [Marc.Sheridana@axa-advisors.com](mailto:Marc.Sheridana@axa-advisors.com).



More than 500 plants will be available ranging in price from \$3 to \$30. Students in the Plant Science and Plant Pest Management classes have worked with faculty and staff to produce the crop. Proceeds from the plant sale benefit the educational activities of the CCM Landscape Club.

For more information, contact 973-328-5363 or [boleksak@ccm.edu](mailto:boleksak@ccm.edu).

**Kwanzaa Holiday Celebration** is open to all. This year, the celebration will be held in the EOF office, Cohen Hall, Room 211, Monday, December 4, noon - 1:30 p.m. Enjoy a more informal gathering with a lot of delicious food and information about Kwanzaa, as you actively engage in the Kwanzaa spirit of community and fellowship.

[Read more.](#)

**Cops n' Kids Book Drive** will be held through Friday, December 15, and the Boxes are located in the Student Community Center near the entry doors and outside the EOF office. Requesting gently used children's books up to 8th grade level. A Cops n Kids table will be set up at the Employee Marketplace on Tuesday, December 5, 11-2 p.m., for people to donate books at that time or donate a dollar to personalize a label and support the purchase of a new book.

**MassMutual (formerly Hartford)** representative Kenneth Quarnaccio is available for individual appts. Call 848-248-4313 or email [kquarnaccio@gittermanwealth.com](mailto:kquarnaccio@gittermanwealth.com) to make an appointment.

**VALIC** representative MaryAnn Bradford is available for individual appointments. Call 908-470-4114 or email [Maryann.bradford@valic.com](mailto:Maryann.bradford@valic.com).

## ATHLETICS

Upcoming Titans schedule:  
(vs. = home game, @ = away game)

Schedule subject to change. Please check [www.ccm.edu/athletics](http://www.ccm.edu/athletics) for most up-to-date information.

### Men's Basketball:

November 17 and 18 – CCM to host annual Turkey Hoop Shoot Classic  
 •Friday, 5 p.m., CCM vs. Westchester  
 •Friday, 7 p.m., RCGC vs. Orange  
 •Saturday, 2 p.m., CCM vs. Orange  
 •Saturday, 12 p.m., Westchester vs. CGC

November 21, 7 p.m. vs. Lackawanna

### Women's Basketball:

November 21, 5 p.m. vs. Lackawanna

## Video Shoot for Holiday E-Card

This year, the Media Center will be producing an internal e-card for the holidays. This is your opportunity to wish your co-workers a Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, Joyful Kwanzaa, Healthy Festivus, Peaceful Solstice, etc. Team Media will be going around campus, camera in-hand, to record your holiday greetings.

Greetings can be done by department (your department as a group) or individually. Recording can be scheduled on the day of the CCM Holiday Gathering – any time on Tuesday, December 5, as many people will be dressed festively for the day. Your group recording won't take more than a few minutes and the main point is to have fun and spread joy for the holiday season. Please email Joe Schilp at [jschilp@ccm.edu](mailto:jschilp@ccm.edu) to schedule a time.

## Information Session: Rutgers Business Degrees



Beginning Fall 2018, two new Rutgers Business School-Newark programs will be offered through the CCM partnership. The two courses are B.S. in Leadership and Management and B.S. in Marketing. An information session will be Tuesday, December 12, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. in Davidson Rooms A and B. RSVP at [www.ruatccm.com/business](http://www.ruatccm.com/business).

[Read more.](#)

## Mara's Fundraiser for the Alumni Scholarship

The CCM Alumni Board is selling pies and cakes from Mara's Café and Bakery as part of its third annual Thanksgiving fundraiser for the Alumni Scholarship. Mara's delicious desserts will be delivered to the campus on the Tuesday before Thanksgiving, November 21, and can be picked up in the Student Community Center, Room 234A, between 3:30 and 6 p.m. The order form can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/yvcm2dcj>.

Here are a few reminders:

- Money must be submitted with order
- Checks should be made out to Barbara Capsouras or Roseann Maione and can be sent via interoffice mail
- Please do not mail cash. Call Capsouras at ext. 5059 or Maione at ext. 5777 and they will pick up your cash order
- All sales are final and there will be no refunds
- Orders need to be received by today, November 17

## Videos from the Media Center

Be sure to take some time watch the following videos, put together by the Media Center:

The Kubert Legacy: Joe, Adam and Andy – Gallery and Design Reception recap - <https://youtu.be/jRynOhvfQCC>.

CCM Veteran's Day Program - <https://youtu.be/O5bK3k1x4uE>.

Culinary Arts "How to Make Simple Fried Rice," the first in a series of "How To" videos - <https://youtu.be/htCROIR6mDA>.

Poinsettia Sale at CCM: [https://youtu.be/xwAYzs\\_AdEQ](https://youtu.be/xwAYzs_AdEQ)

CCM Twitter Town Hall: <https://youtu.be/XInbUXVfOro>

Faculty Introduction: Meet Dr. Chung Wung from the Department of Mathematics at [https://youtu.be/wKv\\_DMt5dZE](https://youtu.be/wKv_DMt5dZE).

## New Books from CCM Library

Chilly weather? Perfect time to curl up with a warm beverage and a good book. Stop by the Learning Resource Center and check out our new books. Check out a book list at <http://tinyurl.com/yavhun6z>.

## Notices for Next CCMemo

Next week's CCMemo will be distributed on Wednesday, November 22. Please send any submissions you may have by end of day Monday.

## Social Media

Please help us market all the good things happening at CCM by sharing college events (performing arts, Open Houses, etc.) with your friends through your social media accounts.

Here's what to talk about this week:  
 "The Landscape and Horticultural Technology (LHT) program at CCM will be holding its annual Holiday Poinsettia Sale starting later this month. Deep red, pink, white and assorted variegated forms of poinsettia, both large and small, will be available. New this year is a golden poinsettia, Gold Rush. The sale takes place Monday, November 27, through Wednesday, November 29, from 11 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., in the LHT greenhouses, located near Parking Lot 1, on CCM's Randolph campus. Read more at <http://tinyurl.com/ybvrzvc5>."

## KUDOS

Professor Nancy Binowski, Dean Patrick Enright, and Professors Patricia and Joe Tamburelli attended a recognition ceremony for CCM's designation as a National Center of Academic Excellence in Cyber Defense Education at the 2017 National Institute for Cybersecurity Education Conference, held November 8 in Dayton, OH.