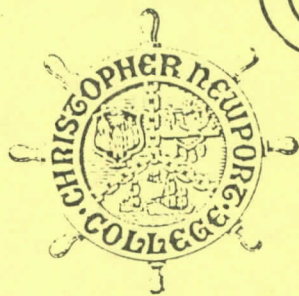


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MONDAY - April 6

11:00 - President's Ad. Council
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TUESDAY - April 7

WEDNESDAY - April 8

Noon - Dept. of English - N203

THURSDAY - April 9

FRIDAY - April 10

FACULTY MEETING - N125 - 3:00 P.M.

2:00 - Dept. F&P Arts

2:00 - FAC - CC233

2:00 - Dept. of P.E.

SATURDAY - April 11

SUNDAY - April 12

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OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Agenda for April Faculty Meeting

The regular Faculty Meeting for April will be held Friday, April 10th in N125 at 3:00 P.M.

- I. Approval of the minutes of the regular March 13th Faculty Meeting.
- II. Committee Reports:
 - A. Academic Status Committee - Dr. Weber
 - B. Admissions Committee - Dr. Teschner
 - C. Curriculum Committee - Dr. Wolf
 - D. Degrees Committee - Dr. Olson
 - E. Faculty Advisory Committee - Dr. Booker
 - F. Faculty Evaluation Committee - Dr. McGregor
 - G. Other reports, if any
- III. New Business:
 - A. Faculty elections - Dr. Sanderlin
 - B. Curriculum Committee proposals - Dr. Wolf
- IV. Adjourn

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Reminder About Book Orders

It is time once again for faculty members to begin considering their book requests for the next academic year. The Faculty-Library Coordinators are now meeting to allocate departmental library funds which will be determined by the library materials allocation formula. Book request slips will be distributed in faculty mailboxes on April 3, 1981, and additional request slips may be picked up at any time from the Acquisitions Department of the Library. Department chairmen will be notified of departmental allocations by April 10th. Book requests should be turned in to the Faculty-Library Coordinators by May 15th. The Coordinators will review departmental book requests and turn them in to the Library on May 29th. No spring book orders will be honored after May 29, and departments will forfeit all remaining departmental library funds, above the 10% portion of each allocation which may be retained for the fall book order.

In order to evaluate the usefulness of the book reviews which have been distributed to departments from the Choice-on-Cards service, we ask that you indicate that source on those book request slips which were generated from the Choice reviews.

Faculty members are also reminded that requests for periodical subscriptions should be kept to a minimum and must be turned in to the appropriate Faculty-Library Coordinator so that they can be considered at a meeting of the coordinators.

Faculty-Library Coordinators for 1981-82 are:

Dr. Susan St. Onge - Arts and Letters
Mr. Wayne Schell - Business and Economics
Dr. William Winter - Social and Behavioral Sciences
Mr. John Jenkins - Education and Communications
Dr. George Webb - Natural and Quantitative Sciences

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The CHOICE Reviews and the Spring Book Order

Since last fall semester the Library has subscribed to a service from the periodical entitled Choice which involves the printing of book review annotations on 3x5 cards. The Acquisitions Department has been separating these reviews by subject and distributing them monthly to departmental chairmen and various library liaison people with the

hope that they would eventually filter through every academic area. (If this service has not been brought to your attention, please check with your department's library contact if you desire to use it.) In order to evaluate the effectiveness of this service, we would ask that you indicate the Choice source on your spring book requests. Thank you.

Floyd M. Zula, Head of Acquisitions

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Academic Calendar, 1981-82

The following academic calendar for 1981-82 has been approved and supercedes the calendar printed in the February 27, 1981, issue of the CNC Chronical. The calendar for the 1982-83 sessions will be basically the same as the one for the 1981-82 academic year.

Fall, 1981

Aug 25 & 26	Tue & Wed	Registration
Aug 31	Mon	Classes begin 8:00 A.M.
Sep 4	Fri	Last day for drop/add and late registration
Sep 7	Mon	Holiday - Labor Day
Oct 30	Fri	Last day to drop a course without penalty of failing grade
Nov 16 to 20	Mon to Fri	Early Registration - Spring, 1982
Nov 25	Wed	Thanksgiving recess begins 10:00 P.M.
Nov 30	Mon	Thanksgiving recess ends 8:00 A.M.
Dec 12	Sat	Classes end Noon
Dec 14 to 19	Mon to Sat	Final Examinations
Dec 21	Mon	Final grades due Noon
Jan 10	Sun	Commencement

Spring, 1982

Jan 13 and 14	Wed & Thu	Registration
Jan 18	Mon	Classes begin 8:00 A.M.
Jan 22	Fri	Last day for drop/add and late registration
Mar 13	Sat	Spring recess begins Noon
Mar 22	Mon	Spring recess ends 8:00 A.M.
Mar 26	Fri	Last day to drop a course without penalty of failing grade
Apr 12 to Apr 16	Mon to Fri	Early registration - Fall, 1982
May 1	Sat	Classes end Noon
May 3 to 8	Mon to Sat	Final Examinations
May 10	Mon	Final grades due Noon
May 16	Sun	Commencement

Summer, 1982

May 18	"M"	* Session Begins	
Jun 4	"M"	* Session Ends	
Jun 14	"A"	Session Begins	
Jul 14	"A"	Session Ends	
Jul 19	"B"	Session Begins	
Aug 18	"B"	Session Ends	
Jun 14	"C"	Session Begins	
Aug 18	"C"	Session Ends	
May 18	"D"	Session Begins	
Jul 21	"D"	Session Ends	*Subject to cancellation

NEWS & GENERAL INFORMATION

Faculty Senate of Virginia

The Spring meeting of the Faculty Senate of Virginia will be held at Blue Ridge Community College in Weyers Cave on Saturday, April 25. The agenda for the meeting includes:

1. A progress report on establishing a Faculty Advisory Committee to SCHEV;
2. A study report on tenure and contracts in the Virginia Community College System, including the problem of part-time employment of teaching faculty;
3. A progress report on VSRS and possible legislation moves in the 1982 General Assembly;
4. A study report on the merit pay situation in the public and private colleges and universities in Virginia;
5. A proposed methodology for revealing salary inequities;
6. The election of officers for the 1981-82 academic year.

Bob Durel, the representative on the Faculty Senate from Christopher Newport College and chairman of the Faculty Benefits Committee will be attending the meeting. Any faculty member who would like to bring an issue to the Faculty Senate, please contact Bob.

The Faculty Senate of Virginia is a faculty organization made up of elected representatives from both public and private colleges and universities. Its purpose is to express faculty concerns on a state wide level. State funds are not used to subsidize the Faculty Senate and expenditures are carried by the participating faculties. Christopher Newport College's dues are \$10.00 a year--contributions to cover the expenses of our senator-representative and the dues should be made through Vice President Edwards' Office.

Financial Report - CNC Representative to Faculty Senate of Virginia

Contributions from Faculty (April 1980)	\$ 45.00
Expenses incurred (April 80 - March 81)	\$114.00
dues for 1980-81	\$ 10.00
travel to senate meetings and executive committee meetings, 3 trips to Richmond; 1 trip to Longwood College at .17/mile	\$104.00

Robert J. Durel, Faculty Senate
Representative from CNC

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Dean's Colloquia Papers and Nominations

The Dean's Colloquia Committee reminds the faculty that it is now receiving proposals for papers and nominations for speakers from the 1981-82 academic year, as announced in the Chronicle of March 20.

Because of the spring break, the final date has been pushed back to Monday, April 27. Please forward your proposals to the Committee chairman by that time as proposals will not be accepted after that date.

Numbers of the faculty who have given papers in the series before are invited to submit again if they so desire. The Committee welcomes their submissions.

Jim Morris, Chairman, Dean's
Colloquia Committee

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Faculty Directory Corrections

Alice J. Greene - 7281

Lynette H. Jenkins - 7033

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Congressional Resolution Supports Foreign Language & International Studies

The following resolution, sponsored by Rep. Paul Simon, Democrat from Ill., and Senator Paul Tsongas, Democrat from Mass., was passed by the House in November, 1980, and by the Senate on December 8, 1980. This bill was the outgrowth of Rep. Simon's work on The President's Commission on Foreign Languages and International Studies.

H. CON. RES. 301

" Expressing the sense of the Congress that there is a need to strengthen course offerings and requirements in foreign language studies and international studies in the Nation's schools, college, and universities.

Whereas a knowledge of other languages and cultures is necessary to keep American business competitive in world trade;

Whereas the continued effectiveness of American foreign policy depends upon diplomatic and intelligence-gathering efforts which are based upon a sound knowledge of the world;

Whereas in our democratic society it is essential for the general public to understand world events so that official policies will reflect the concerns and interests of the American people;

Whereas a knowledge of foreign languages and cultures can help to improve mutual understanding among different ethnic groups and cultures within American society;

Whereas the past decade saw an alarming decline in the study of foreign languages and international issues in the Nation's schools, colleges, and universities, despite the growing importance of these subjects to the welfare of our Nation and our people;

Whereas the Federal Government has not and should not seek to establish education curriculum, but on occasion has urged that certain national needs be dealt with at the State and local level; and

Whereas the President's Commission on Foreign Language and International Studies has recommended that greater emphasis needs to be placed on the study of these subjects: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That it is the sense of the Congress that local educational agencies and institutions of higher education should consider strengthening the study of foreign languages and cultures through appropriate actions, including the following: the gradual establishment of requirements for the study of foreign languages and cultures for entrance to post-secondary institutions; the addition of proficiency in a foreign language and work in international studies as requirements for college graduation; the improvement of international studies in the curriculum at all levels of education; the encouragement of international exchange programs; the offering of a wider variety of languages at the secondary school level; and the placing of greater emphasis on the teaching of foreign languages and cultures for elementary schoolchildren."

Submitted by Chris Scheiderer

FACULTY/STAFF NEWS

Douglas Gordon attended the College Conference on Composition and Communication (CCCC) of The National Council of Teachers of English in Dallas, Texas, March 25-27. He participated in a pre-conference seminar in "Writing Across the Curriculum."

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Jack Demirgian has received full time research support for the summer from Argonne National Labs for analyzing stack gases in the conversion of coal to gas.

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On March 11, 1981, Marshall Booker talked to a group of high school students at Mench-

ville High School about the advantages of combining history, languages and business/economics as a major through the ICC program.

On March 19 & 20, 1981, Marshall attended the Va. Association of Economists Annual Conference. Marshall is the immediate past president of the Association and was a chairman of the session on "Unemployment Compensation in Va."

