CHRONICLE

May 27 - June 9, 1991

THIS WEEK

Fri

An Indoor Potluck Picnic for all hourly and classified employees will be held Fri., May 31 noon - 1 p.m. in CC-150. Bring your favorite picnic dish to share. RSVP by Tues. May 28 to Yvonne Wynn at 4-7020 or Betty Helm at 4-7260.

-- Submitted by Carolyn Lawrence, Campus Minister

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Menu

For information on the daily menu, please call the cafeteria at 4-7007.

Computer

The Dept. of Information Technology has entered into a statewide contract for maintenance of microcomputers and attached printers. The contractor for this geographical area is MCT-Services Corp. in Midlothian, Virginia which offers very favorable rates and services. While it is not now mandatory to use this contractor, it may be so in the near future. Over 90 brands of microcomputers and 45 brands of printers are covered.

The campus coordinator for the use of this service is Marilyn Pickrel in Purchasing. If you have a sick microcomputer or printer and have been advised to use an outside service, contact Marilyn at 4-7033.

Personnel

On behalf of the Training and Development Comm. and the Personnel Office, we would like to extend our deep gratitude to Dr. J. Anderson, Dr. M. Booker, Dr. R. Cummings, Dr. D. Doolittle, Professor L. Nicholson and Dr. W. Winter for their participation in our recent series of professional development seminars for CNC employees.

We appreciate your commitment and dedication to strengthening and enhancing the professional development program for employees of the College, despite lack of funding, this should be recognized as a wonderful contribution. It's this type of team spirit and cooperation that will enhance the growth and development of the College.

--submitted by Becky Moore, Personnel Training and Development Comm.

Holiday Info. The College will observe the following holiday schedule during spring, summer and fall:

MEMORIAL DAY - Administrative Offices of the College will be closed Mon., May 27, 1991. This date is an authorized holiday and annual leave is not charged. (NOTE: Term 2 classes end and final exams will be held this date for students and faculty involved.)

INDEPENDENCE DAY - The College will be closed Thurs., July 4, 1991. This date is an authorized holiday and annual leave is not charged.

LABOR DAY - Administrative Offices of the College will be closed Mon., Sept. 2, 1991. This date is an authorized holiday and annual leave is not charged. Classes will be held as scheduled.

Recycling

Oops - we are attaching the guidelines this week for the new recycling program in this issue.

Leave Forms

Please submit all LEAVE ACTIVITY REPORTING FORMS for all leave taken before June 28, 1991 by June 26, 1991. The leave for June 27 & 28 will not be keyed until June 28, 1991. It is very important to submit this leave activity prior to the new fiscal year deadline of June 28, 1991 due to the correct reporting on the Leave Liability Report ending June 28, 1991.

Thank you for your cooperation with these time frames. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Joyce Armstrong, Personnel, 4-7258.

Faculty

Professors George and Jane Webb developed and moderated a panel discussion at the May 14 Peninsula Business Breakfast in Anderson Auditorium. The discussion was on the benefits of area high technology for small business development; and the panelist were Dr. Hermann Grunder, Director of the Continuous Electron Beam Accelerator Facility (CEBAF); Dr. Richard H. Petersen, Director of NASA Langley Research Center; and Doug Juanarena, President and CEO of Pressure Systems, Inc. Approximately sixty persons from Peninsula business and governmental organizations attended.

Norma Brown recently completed a two-year term as Chair of the Development Committee for the Virginia Association of Adult and Continuing Education. She was recognized for her contributions to the association at the annual conference held in Charlottesville, VA. April 18-20.

Dr. Elizabeth Jones spoke to the Classical Association of Virginia at its Spring meeting Sat., April 20 at Randolph-Macon College. Her topic was "Mythology in the National Gallery: Sienkewicz Updated."

Kudos to Sid Dugas and the rest of the Office of Financial Aid. During the recent federal program review by U.S. Dept. of Education the inspectors reported "no findings." This accomplishment is highly unusual particularly when you consider it was a first time inspection.

The U.S. Dept. of Education also asked to incorporate two policies developed by Sid's office to provide as examples to other colleges and universities. In addition, they requested permission to copy the way the files are structured and organized.

Congratulations on a job EXTREMELY WELL DONE!

PAPER RECYCLING GUIDELINES

WHITE LEDGER/WHITE OFFICE PAPER

ACCEPTABLE

White Ledger Paper
White Copy Paper
White Letterhead/Stationery
White Typing Paper
White Adding Machine Tape
White Forms - Loose Paper
White 8 1/2 X 11 Printer
Paper

UNACCEPTABLE

Colored Paper
FAX Paper
Coated Paper
Newspaper/Magazines
Post-It Pads
Anything W/Glue
Index Cards
Any Envelopes
Carbon Paper
Blueprint Paper
Edges of Forms W/Glue
No Binders or Large Clips

COMPUTER PAPER

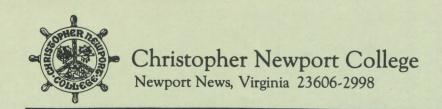
ACCEPTABLE

Green Bar Blue Bar Continuous Printout Paper

UNACCEPTABLE

Carbon Paper Groundwood Paper (Similar Consistency of Newspaper) Pre-Printed Forms

NO SHREDDED PAPER ACCEPTABLE



News Release

Release: IMMEDIATE

Contact: John Campbell 594-7039

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CNC CRIME RATE LOWEST FOR THIRD STRAIGHT YEAR

Once again, Christopher Newport College had the lowest incidence of crime among Virginia's four-year state colleges and universities, according to a report by the Virginia State Police.

According to the annual State Police report, which tracks crimes in eight categories, CNC has had the lowest number of reported crimes since 1988.

The eight categories are arson, motor vehicle theft, larceny, burglary, aggravated assault, robbery, forcible rape, and murder and non-negligent manslaughter.

CNC reported a total of 30 crimes during 1990, up slightly from 1989, but still far lower than any other four-year state college or university. The crimes reported included 29 larcenies and one burglary.

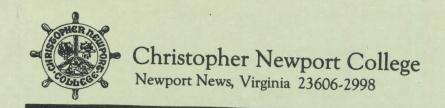
The 30 crimes reported at CNC represent just eight-tenths of one percent of the 3,953 crimes reported at the 13 state colleges and universities.

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"Our campus police officers, under the direction of Chief (Gerald J.) Bright, have done an outstanding job protecting the people and facilities of Christopher Newport College," said CNC President Anthony R. Santoro. "Their hard work and dedication have gone a long way in making CNC the safest four-year state college in Virginia."

Chief Bright said, "While our officers are well-trained and highly visible, much of our success can be attributed to the full support we receive from the students, faculty and staff. Their willingness to take an active role in our crime prevention effort has played an important part in the program's success."



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May 21, 1991

CNC RECEIVES APPROVAL FOR FIRST GRADUATE PROGRAM; CLASSES TO BEGIN IN JULY

The State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV) has given final approval for the initiation of Christopher Newport College's first graduate studies program -- the Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT).

The approval of the college's "Statement of Readiness" is the final hurdle in the process by which colleges and universities can offer new degree programs.

"This is truly a great day in the 30-year history of this college," said CNC President Dr. Anthony R. Santoro. "It marks the turning point as we move from an undergraduate institution to a comprehensive college that offers area residents graduate-level courses."

Students enrolling in the new Master of Arts in Teaching program will initially have two concentrations (Mathematics or Science) from which they may choose. Other concentrations are under development at the College. Prospective MAT students will enter the program in one of two ways: as certified teachers seeking the master's degree, or as holders of bachelor's degrees in math or science who wish to become certified teachers.

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CNC MASTER'S DEGREE

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The MAT program will focus, initially, on middle school teaching.

Dr. A. Martin Buoncristiani, CNC's director of graduate studies, said, "When we were developing this program, our goal was to design course work that would help middle school educators become master teachers. As master teachers, they will be better prepared to educate their students."

SCHEV's approval of the statement of readiness means that CNC has adequate resources available, a graduate faculty in place and courses ready for students to begin in July.

To enroll in, or for more information on, the Master of Arts in Teaching program, please call the CNC Graduate Studies Office at 594-7544.