



Chronicle

March 1, 1994

DEAN'S COLLOQUIA -- Prof. Carl Colonna of the Dept. of Economics will present the Brauer Lecture as part of the next Dean's Colloquia Series on March 7 at noon in CC150. Colonna's topic concerns the economics of volunteerism. For centuries, scholars have been investigating and debating what determines the value of a good or service. However, the market mechanism has chosen to ignore what has been categorized as non-market transactions such as volunteerism. The lecture is free and open to all. Those interested in joining Professor Colonna for lunch after the presentation, please forward \$6 to Dr. Jim Morris, Dept. of History, by March 4.

NOTE OF THANKS -- I want to thank all of you for all that you have done, for your concern, for your prayers and for all the outpourings of love toward me. You are all so special to me, and I love you all. Thank you for everything. Love, **Carol Banks**.

VOLUNTEERS SOUGHT FOR TRACK MEETS -- Coach Vince Brown needs faculty and staff volunteers to assist in the Captain's home track meets April 2 and 30 and May 7. No previous experience is required. The meets begin at 9 a.m. and last until approximately 5 p.m. If you can help, please call **Vince Brown** at Ext. 4-7289.

VCE FURNITURE SHOW -- Virginia Correctional Enterprises will hold a furniture show at the College of William & Mary on March 15, 16 and 17. For more information see the attached flyer or call **Mil Brown** at 674-3757.

WRITING TUTORS AVAILABLE AT NIGHT -- Writing tutors are available in the periodicals room of the Capt. John Smith Library Monday through Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Tutors are also available in the Randall Writing Center (TideMark Bank Building) Mondays and Fridays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Tuesdays through Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Faculty are encouraged to make their students aware of this service.

BEST DECORATED DOOR -- The Office of the Registrar was voted Best Decorated Door for Valentine's Day. The office received a blue ribbon and donuts for all employees. The Employee Recognition Committee selected the winner based on originality, creativity and overall appearance.

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EMPLOYEE OF THE QUARTER -- Nominations for Employee of the Quarter are due in the Personnel Office by March 31. All CNU classified, wage and student employees are eligible. Nomination forms are available in the Personnel Office, Registrar's Office, Capt. John Smith Library and at the Campus Center Information Desk. For questions about criteria, contact any committee member or the Office of Personnel.

FACULTY ACTIVITIES -- Dr. Clyde Brockett was interviewed February 3 by Dwight Davis on WHRO's Cultural Calendar Program. The broadcast was in connection with that week's CNU Collegium Musicum concert.

ALPHA CHI CERTIFICATES -- Members who were inducted into the Virginia Zeta Chapter of Alpha Chi National Honor Society during the month of November may pick up their certificates in the English Dept. office, TideMark Bank Room 409, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Members inducted prior to that may also pick up their certificates. Alpha Chi Honor Cords will be distributed at commencement. It is not necessary to pick them up in advance. Any questions about Alpha Chi should be directed to Dr. Jay Paul, faculty sponsor, at Ext. 4-7072.

INSTRUCTIONAL EVALUATION SURVEYS -- Consistent with the recommendation of the Faculty Senate, Instructional Evaluation Surveys will be administered during the weeks of April 18 and 25. Instructors should expect their IES packets to be delivered during the afternoon of April 15. Tenured faculty will be evaluated this semester. It is important that you notify Pat Harvey of any evaluation changes well in advance of the IES administration, as last minute changes will no longer be accepted without good cause. If you have any questions or concerns, call Pat at Ext. 4-7933.

FACULTY ACTIVITIES -- Brenda Blount has been appointed President-Elect of VACRAO - Virginia Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers. She has served the association in presentations at annual meetings; has been a member of the Program, Local Arrangements and Registration Committees, and chairman of Auditing and Recording/Evaluation Committees. Mrs. Blount has also served and chaired committees for SACRAO and AACRAO.

GRANTS AVAILABLE -- The Grants Office announces the availability of 12 research conferences in 1994. These programs are sponsored by the National Endowment for the Humanities through the Division of Research Programs. The conferences are designed to advance scholarly research in the humanities through Collaborative Projects, Archaeology Projects, and Humanities, Science and Technology grants. A brochure is available in the grants office. Call Ext. 4-7266 for more information on the NEH 1993-94 Research Conferences. Due dates for submissions in the current year vary.

GOLDEN AGE PASSPORTS -- For a onetime fee, senior citizens age 62 and older can obtain a Golden Age Passport for lifetime, free entry into all national parks, monuments, historic sites, recreation

areas and wildlife refuges operated by the federal government. the passports are issued at most federally-operated recreation areas where they may be used. They are available locally at Colonial National Historical Park, Jamestown and Yorktown. For more information, call 898-3400.

PROGRAM AVAILABILITY -- The National Endowment for the Humanities is seeking applications to integrate the study of sciences, the social sciences and the humanities in individual courses, course sequences or curricula. Deadline for entry is March 15. Applicants should submit a two- or three-page outline well in advance of the deadline. Interested parties should contact the Division of Education Programs, National Endowment for the Humanities, 1100 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, D.C. 20506, (202) 606-8380.

PERSONNEL ACTIONS -- New classified employees: Dianne Davis, program support technician, Purchasing Office, and Dane Davis, buyer senior, Purchasing Office. Change in position: Rita S. Schellenberg, executive secretary, University Housing Office. Promotions: Shirley Rowe, library assistant; Betty Smith, library assistant, and Maureen Humphry, library assistant, all in the Capt. John Smith Library.

WHITAKER FOUNDATION AWARDS -- The Grants Office announces the availability of the Whitaker Foundation annual "Special Opportunity Awards in Biomedical Engineering." Deadline for preliminary applications is March 31. In responding to this notice, please make reference to the Whitaker Foundation. Call the Office of Corporate and Foundation Relations at Ext. 4-7942.

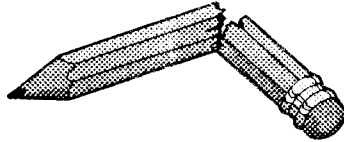
FACULTY ACTIVITIES -- Dr. Elizabeth Jones gave an illustrated talk February 7 to the LifeLong Learning Society of CNU. The presentation focused on her experience last May in Russia and the Ukraine as one of a group of classics teachers and professors who went as citizen ambassadors in the People to People program.

PENINSULA BUSINESS BREAKFAST -- The next Peninsula Business Breakfast is scheduled for Tuesday, March 8 at 7:30 a.m. in the Anderson Auditorium. The topic for the program will be "Tourism on the Peninsula." Dr. Peter J. Verhoven Jr., program director of the Newport News Tourism Development Office at CNU, will be the speaker. The event is free and open to the public. Space is limited and seating is on a first come, first served basis. Questions may be directed to the Office of Continuing Education at Ext. 4-7158.

FACULTY ACTIVITIES -- Dr. Maureen Morrissey, assistant professor of English and director of the Randall Writing Center, will marry Dr. Richard Archer, assistant professor of management at ODU. The wedding will take place June 11, in Grand Rapids, MI. The couple will reside in Newport News.

The Alice F. Randall Writing Center
presents

HOW TO ANSWER ESSAY QUESTIONS



This half hour workshop is designed to help students write well-organized answers to challenging essay questions.

TOPICS:



How to Outline Before Writing



Different Types of Essay Questions



Strategies for Writing Answers



Date: Thursday, March 3

Time: 12:20 - 12:50 p.m.

Place: Gosnold 101

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Additional Writing Center Workshop (Spring 94)--

How to Overcome Writer's Block

Tuesday, April 5, 12:20-12:50, Gosnold 101



**Announces
A Furniture Show
At**

**THE COLLEGE of WILLIAM and MARY
TRINKLE HALL
Williamsburg, Virginia
(See Directions on Back)**

**March 15, 1994 from 12:30 PM to 5:00 PM
March 16, 1994 from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM
March 17, 1994 from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM**

- **New** this year: Sterling Chairs, Blue Ridge Furniture Line,
Oak Accent Tables, Vertical Files
- See VCE's expanded selection of Office Systems, Seating, Wood
and Metal Furniture, Computer Furniture, Filing Systems, and
more....
- Meet with VCE's representatives to discuss your individual needs.
- Bring a Coworker.
- Sign in for Door Prize.
- For Information call Mil Brown at (804)674-3757

Directions to VCE Furniture Show, Trinkle Hall

Going 64 West from Tidewater Area:

Take Exit #238 for Camp Perry.

At the stop sign coming of the exit - bear left.

*** Go past 1st light.**

Before getting to 2nd light, take a right on Route 132 South.

Follow 132 South through 3 stop lights.

Go 1 block, take a right on Ireland, which will be before a Jefferson National Bank on right.

Proceed 1 block to Boundary Street, take a right.

Go 1 block, take a left on Grigsby. Trinkle Hall is the 2nd building on the right, with double doors facing you. It is above the Print shop.

Going 64 East from Richmond:

Take Exit #238 for Camp Perry.

At stop sign coming off the exit - bear right.

Follow directions from * above.