

Schedule of Events

Friday, September 20

General James Hackler Golf Course at Coastal Carolina University

1 Joe Carter Way, Conway Tee times beginning at 7:30 a.m. 843-349-6600

Arriving early? Want to practice chipping and putting before the Family Weekend tournament? How about playing a round of golf with your student? Enjoy Coastal Carolina University's Hackler Golf Course.

\$25 per person. Price includes cart and range balls

• Call the Hackler Golf Course up to seven days in advance to book your tee time.

The Hackler Pro Shop has fantastic Coastal Carolina University apparel – polo shirts, sweaters, jackets, hats and much more. Make sure to mention that you are in town for Family Weekend and receive a 25 percent discount on your apparel purchase.

Chanticleer Store

The HTC Center 104 Founders Drive 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. 843-349-2360 www.coastal.bkstr.com

Stop in and view the large selection of apparel, gifts, supplies and gift cards in the new store. Show your CCU pride and pick up Chanticleer gear for the entire family. Discount coupons, while they last, will be available at the Welcome Reception and Registration.

Art Gallery Exhibit **"This is What Makes us Girls" Karen Ann Myers** Rebecca Randall Bryan Art Gallery Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts, Room 129 Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The work is inspired by the cult of beauty in contemporary mass media. Admission: Free (no ticket required)

Welcome Reception and Registration (Drop-in)

Wheelwright Auditorium Lobby

2 to 9 p.m.

*Registration required.

Meet with your student and catch your breath! Check in, enjoy some refreshments, pick up your official Family Weekend nametag(s) (**used for admission to all registered events**) and get any last minute directions. Forget to pre-order your Family Weekend T-shirt? T-shirts will be available for sale - while they last. Should you miss this registration session, check in from 9 a.m. until noon on Saturday at the Continental Breakfast in Wheelwright Auditorium.

NOTE: Nametags are required for entry into most Family Weekend events.

CCU Parents' Cookie Contest

Turn in cookies at Wheelwright Auditorium Lobby, 2 to 6:30 p.m. Winner announced at the Spectrum Concert

Bring your family's favorite homemade cookies to enter and win the coveted CCU Parents' Cookie Contest. Judging will be done by distinguished and hungry celebrity guests before the Spectrum Concert. Each submission should consist of eight cookies stored in a bag or container labeled with the cook's name. All submissions should be turned in between 2 and 6:30 p.m.

Dinner at the Fred W. Hicks Commons

Student Dining Hall 5 to 8 p.m. Pay at the door.

Located between Ronald R. Ingle and Ronald G. Eaglin halls, the Hicks Commons serves a delicious all-you-can-eat cafeteria-style breakfast, lunch and dinner. Check out the fare your student enjoys every day.

Family Weekend Opening Celebration: Ninth Annual Spectrum Concert

Wheelwright Auditorium 7 p.m. Admission: free; ticket required. *Pick up your tickets at the Wheelwright Box Office during the Welcome Reception and Registration. *Tickets available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Join us for the annual Coastal Band Program fundraising concert. This joint effort between the CCU Bands and the Office for Philanthropy provides an opportunity for patrons to see the direct effects of their generosity. The spectrum concert features student music groups from the CCU Band program. You'll hear an hour of uninterrupted music with everything from guitars to drums, and styles from classical to jazz to show tunes.

The Evasons – Mind Reading Duo

Sponsored by Coastal Activities Board Wheelwright Auditorium

9 p.m.

*Registration required: Cost included with your Family Weekend registration.

*Pick up your tickets at the Wheelwright Box Office during the Welcome Reception and Registration.

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The Evasons, a husband and wife team, deliver an interactive entertainment performance for any crowd. This mentalist duo has been featured on several network television specials and have been wowing audiences since 1983!

The Sweetest Swing in Baseball

by Rebecca Gilman Edwards Theater, Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts Building (117) 7:30 p.m.

Rebecca Gilman's poignant, dark-comedy, which premiered in London in 2004 introduces Dana Fielding, an artist who is struggling with life and "losing it" along the way. Her latest exhibit is a disaster, her boyfriend is leaving and her paranoia is out of control. When she lands in a mental hospital, it's a chance to rebuild her sanity—until she learns that her insurance will only pay for a tenday stay. As she finds comfort and stability in the day-to-day routine of being a patient, she begins to take on the role of famed baseball player Darryl Strawberry in an attempt to convince her doctors of her insanity. Little does she realize that taking on this alter ego forces her to unearth the issues that come from dealing with the price of fame and one's true identity.

Ticket prices \$15 per person CCU students: \$5 (one per valid ID) CCU and HGTC faculty/staff: \$10 (two per valid ID) Teens (ages 11 to 17): \$5 Children (ages 10 and under): \$5 (must be accompanied by an adult) Tickets are available by phone - 843-349-ARTS



Saturday, September 21

Continental Breakfast Registration

Wheelwright Auditorium Lobby

9 a.m. to noon

*Registration required.

Start your day off by checking in and picking up your official Family Weekend nametag(s) (used for admission to all registered events), enjoy a cup of coffee or juice and grab a sweet roll. Get any last minute directions, and you're off to enjoy your day. Forget to pre-order your Family Weekend T-shirt? T-shirts will be available for – sale while they last. NOTE: Nametags are required for entry to most Family Weekend events.

15th Annual Family Weekend Golf Tournament

The Hackler Course at Coastal Carolina University

1 Joe Carter Way, Conway

8 a.m. Shotgun Start (Arrive by 7:30 a.m. to check in and hit the range balls.)

843-349-6600

Parents, students, faculty, staff and friends of the University all enjoy this annual tournament. Included in the tournament fee is a cookout lunch, bucket of range balls and prizes. Format is a two-man scramble. The tournament is proudly sponsored by the PGA Golf Management program.

- \$65 per person or \$125 for two players
- Call the Pro Shop to sign up at 843-349-6600

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University President Update & Coffee Talk

James J. Johnson Auditorium, E. Craig Wall Sr. College of Business Administration Building

10 a.m.

*Please indicate your interest in attending this event on your registration form.

President David A. DeCenzo will extend his welcome to campus and provide an update on activities of the University. Provost Ralph Byington will give a brief overview of activities and accomplishments within each of the colleges. The University Update will be followed by coffee and informal conversations with deans and faculty from various colleges in the Wall Anteroom.

Conway Historical Guided Walking Tour

Conway Visitor Center 903 Third Ave. , Conway 10 to 11 a.m. 843-248-1700 Meet at Conway Visitors Center *Registration required; space is limited. *Optional Event: \$6 per person.

A casual stroll around town uncovers a treasure trove of historic sites and some of the area's finest eateries. Downtown Conway is full of inviting shops worthy of the most discriminating shopper. The City of Conway merchants are proud to welcome Family Weekend visitors and University guests.

Brookgreen Gardens Guided Walking Tour

1931 Brookgreen Drive, Murrells Inlet
10 a.m. to noon
843-235-6000
Meet at Brookgreen Gardens Welcome Center
* Registration required.
* Optional Event: \$11 per person.

Brookgreen Gardens, a National Historic Landmark, displays the world's most significant outdoor collection of American figurative sculpture. Brookgreen Gardens also has the only zoo on the coast of the Carolinas accredited by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums. Join some of our faculty and administration for a leisurely tour of the gardens.

Waties Island Tour Waties Island, North Myrtle Beach 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tours leave on the half hour from CCU's Anne Tilghman Boyce Coastal Reserve.

- * Registration required.
- * Optional Event: \$10 per person.
- * Directions provided at registration.

In 1992, 1,049 acres on Waties Island and the adjoining uplands of Tilghman Point were donated to the Coastal Educational Foundation. The gift has been protected with a perpetual conservation easement through the Nature Conservancy of South Carolina. It was the wish of the late Anne Tilghman Boyce that the property she left to a charitable trust be maintained "in essentially a wilderness state." Through her bequest, the support of her surviving children, and a large cash gift from her late sister-in-law, Kitty Lou Tilghman, the University has gained a magnificent addition to the facilities it can offer to students and faculty for education and research.

The Waties property is an outstanding example of an undeveloped complex of ocean frontage, fresh and saltwater marshes, tidal creeks and upland woods. Surrounded by a rapidly urbanizing environment, Waties Island is becoming increasingly significant for research, monitoring and education about the natural coastal habitat. The island is a very dynamic place. Since 1989, the South Carolina coastline has been affected by seven hurricanes, as well as several other tropical storms and "nor'easters." As a result, change is the rule rather than the exception. This makes Waties Island an excellent outdoor laboratory in which to study natural coastal processes. Take a breathtaking tour and visit with our faculty and students who are actively involved in research on the island.

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Pre-Game Tailgate Cookout with Administration and Faculty

Tent at the Track (across from Wall Building) 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

* Registration required: Cost included with your Family Weekend registration.

President David A. DeCenzo and Mrs. Terri DeCenzo invite you to join them, along with administration and faculty, at the annual tailgate picnic. Enjoy your pre-game meal with other families and converse with representatives from each of the colleges. Food and drink are provided.

Chanticleer Football vs. Hampton

Brooks Stadium

6 p.m. (Game time subject to change)

Come out and cheer as the Chanticleers take on the Hampton Pirates. Tickets are available on a firstcome, first-served basis beginning Aug. 1, 2013. Tickets can be purchased through the Athletic Ticket Office. Tickets are <u>NOT</u> included in the Family Weekend registration.

Bronze tickets - \$20 each (bench back) Blitz tickets ---- \$15 each (bench)

You are encouraged to order tickets early as this game is expected to be sold out: <u>www.coastal.edu/familyweekend</u> or 843-347-8499 (TIXX) or toll-free 1-877-424-2687 (4-CHANTS).

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Sunday, September 22

President's Drop-in Brunch

Courtyard – Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts (inclement weather site – Wall Boardroom)

- 9 to 10:30 a.m.
- * Registration required.
- * Optional Event: \$5 per person.

Wrap up an exciting weekend at Coastal Carolina University with a delicious brunch buffet hosted by President David A. DeCenzo and Mrs. Terri DeCenzo.