Dear OLLI Members and Friends:

Mark your calendars and join us for our second OLLI@CCU fundraiser under Karen Edgington’s direction on Tuesday, Dec. 15, for an evening with Lee Brockington from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Hanser House (14360 Ocean Highway, Pawleys Island).

Brockington will be presenting a lecture, “South Carolina, from the Mountains to the Sea.” Local author, historian and senior interpreter at Hobcaw Barony, Brockington embodies true Southern hospitality. She brings to life the fascinating history of Hobcaw Barony in remarkable clarity. Her stories provide a glimpse into the lives of the people who have been connected to this unspoiled landscape for generations.

Fee for the event is $50 and includes a Southern cuisine dinner. All proceeds from this fundraiser will benefit OLLI@CCU. To make your reservation, contact any of the centers listed above.

We wish you all a very happy Thanksgiving!

OLLI@CCU Outreach Centers:

Coastal Science Center Office hours: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. / 843-349-5002

Georgetown Education Center Staffed only during class hours / 843-349-6584

Litchfield Education Center Office hours: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. / 843-349-6584

Myrtle Beach Education Center Office hours: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. / 843-349-2767

OLLI at CCU Board of Volunteer Leaders:

John Kenny – BoVL chair communications committee
Ellen Elliott – BoVL vice chair
Sally Z. Hare – chair membership/program committee
Mike Kohler
Doris Gleason
Additions/Corrections/Cancellations/Updates

To view a complete list of weekly cancellations, visit our page, CANCELLATIONS, at coastal.edu/olli.

*Note: Plan on attending your class. If we have not listed it under cancellations and/or you have not received a communication from one of our staff members, then your class is going forward.

CORRECTION: Litchfield – Yoga Stretch (XFITN 711 L02). Instructor: Cathy King. The class will end on Dec. 16. Wednesday, Sept. 23-Dec. 16, 9 to 10:30 a.m. No class Nov. 25.

UPDATE: Litchfield Education Center – Travel Club (XPERS 700 L01). Instructors: Bill and Judy Blackburn. Next meeting and luncheon will be held on Dec. 14 at the Café Old Vienna (1604 N. Kings Highway, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577) at 11:30 a.m. For reservations and information, contact Kathy Blackburn at 843-450-2032.

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Looking Ahead

Spring Free Week schedules as follows:

Georgetown Education Center
Tuesday, Jan. 5
10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Coastal Science Center
Thursday, Jan. 7
9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Myrtle Beach Education Center
Tuesday, Jan. 12
9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Litchfield Education Center
Thursday, Jan. 14
9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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OLLI students can get their OLLI IDs at

Litchfield Education Center
Tuesday, Feb. 9,
10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Myrtle Beach Education Center
Thursday, Feb. 11,
10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
NEW: Cognitive testing study - How do you manage the process of getting older? Nicole Rushing and JongHan Kim from the Department of Psychology at Coastal Carolina University are conducting a survey on emotion regulation for older adults. Because many people manage their emotions differently, this research requires a wide range of participants. Your participation will be greatly appreciated and will shed light on secrets of successful aging. Please go to https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BYWMKHR to learn more about the study and to access the survey if you have not already participated.

Giving back to our community

Food Drive for the Holidays - With your help, the Office of Executive Development and Continuing Education at Coastal Carolina University will donate food to families in need in the Grand Strand community. Help us to fill our collection boxes with food and/or any Christmas items that we will distribute. Please consider donating items that most of us take for granted but would make a difference to our neighbors in the area, especially during the holiday season! Our hope is that together we can share the compassion of the Coastal Carolina family with others in need this holiday season. Collections are being accepted at all of the OLLI outreach centers until Dec. 15.

Toys for Tots – OLLI@CCU is partnering with Toys for Tots to collect toys for children. Please donate NEW, UNWRAPPED toys. They will be distributed to children in our community. The objective of the Toys for Tots program is to help one of our most valuable resources, our children. The goal is to help them become responsible and productive citizens. Toys can be dropped off at all of the OLLI outreach centers until Dec. 15.

OLLI Buzz . . .

We are working to create a better and more informative OLLI website for you. We invite your comments and suggestions on both this new newsletter format and the website changes. You may send suggestions to us at OLLI@coastal.edu.

Don’t forget to visit us at coastal.edu/olli or on our Facebook page for updates and announcements.

NEW

OLLI@CCU Bulletin Board - This bulletin board will be used for our OLLI students, instructors, partners and nonprofit groups who are looking for OLLI opportunities or needing volunteers. If you would like to have something posted to the board, please contact Casey Keck at 843-349-5002.

Join the OLLI@CCU staff for the volunteer recruiting holiday potluck luncheon at noon on Tuesday, Dec. 1, at the Myrtle Beach Education Center or at noon Monday, Dec. 7, at the Litchfield Education Center. OLLI@CCU would like to have our members involved in the decision-making process. Bring your favorite dish to share and consider joining or becoming a chair of one of our committees during our holiday potluck. Committees to consider: curriculum, fundraising, social, promotion and publicity, excursions. Sign-up sheets are located at the front desk of both centers or call 843-349-2767 or 843-349-6584. We hope to see you there!
OLLI Partner: Fit4Everyone
Grand Opening

Good news for everyone . . . our new facility is finished! Come and visit the new full gym facility. We will continue our personalized individualized strength training programs, personal training and post-rehabilitation recovery. Call 910-258-9009 for an appointment.

Pre-Grand Opening Promotion—$10 off membership rates for first month or annual rate. Offer applies to OLLI students only. OLLI students must show ID and present this coupon to receive discount.

Coupon redeemable until Jan. 4, 2016.

1320 U.S. 501 Business, Unit E
Conway, SC 29526
910-258-9009

Reminders . . .
Interested in receiving OLLI benefits throughout the community?

You’ll need your OLLI Student photo ID.

You can get your OLLI Student photo ID at the main CCU campus. Follow the link below on how to locate Baxley Hall on the main campus and get your photo taken.

Baxley Hall is #1 on the map – the CINO Card office is located on the first floor.

Coastal Carolina University Campus Map

Did you hear? Did you see them? Did you get yours?

Receive an OLLI@CCU T-shirt if you donate $25 !!!!!
See staff at outreach centers for more details.
**OLLI and Coastal Carolina University events**

- **Save the date Feb. 6-27 – Great Decisions 2016**: The Great Decisions Program is a community forum on international affairs, national security and U.S. foreign policy. Begun in 1954, it is the flagship program for the Foreign Policy Association, a nonpartisan, nongovernmental organization, and is the oldest and largest grassroots world affairs educational program of its kind in the country. The Great Decisions Program’s goal is to discuss, debate and learn about international affairs, national security and U.S. foreign policy. The program will be Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon during the month of February at the Myrtle Beach Education Center, 900 79th Ave. N., Myrtle Beach. Look for more information over the next few weeks.

- **Nov. 30 – CCU Annual Holiday Concert**: Join us for the 16th annual CCU Holiday Concert. This year’s concert will feature the CCU concert and chamber choirs and Low Brass Ensemble, under the direction of Frances Sinclair and Chris Connolly. A festive mix of Renaissance motets, contemporary seasonal music and traditional holiday favorites will be performed by these ensembles separately and combined. The centerpiece of the concert will be John Rutter’s fabulous “Gloria.” In keeping with tradition, the concert will conclude with the singing of Handel’s “Hallelujah Chorus.” Admission: $7 (OLLI members must present student ID for discount; one ticket per ID), 7:30 p.m., First United Methodist Church of Conway. For more information, call 843-349-ARTS (2787).

- **Dec. 1 – Is the Range of Options for Understanding Causation Fully Employed in Contemporary Philosophy?** The session will focus on exploring ways in which models of causation suggested by some chemical processes such as sublimation and neurotransmitic inhibition might be applied in the course of generating possible solutions to some philosophical puzzles. The discussion will be framed by some history of connections between chemical models of causation and philosophical thought. Admission: Free and open to the public (no ticket required), 5 p.m., Lackey Chapel.

- **Dec. 2 – Mindfulness for Coping with Stress and Preventing Depression**: With exam week upon us, CCU students, faculty, staff and community members may benefit from mindfulness for coping with stress and depression prevention. Admission: Free and open to the public (no ticket required), 5 p.m., Lackey Chapel.

- **Dec. 2 – Spectrum2 Concert**: If you liked the September Spectrum Concert, then you’ll love Spectrum2! Featuring student instrumental music groups from the Department of Music in a concert of uninterrupted music, everything from guitars to drums, and styles from classical to jazz to show tunes. The grand finale features the CCU Spirit of the Chanticleer Marching Band performing all your favorite music from the fall football games! Admission is free to Coastal Honor Band participants. Admission: $7 (OLLI members must present student ID for discount; one ticket per ID), 8:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium. For more information, call 843-349-ARTS (2787).

- **Dec. 3 – Coastal Honor Band Scholarship Faculty Recital**: The annual Coastal Honor Band and Scholarship Festival Faculty Recital features the region’s most talented instrumental recitalists. CCU music faculty will perform a variety of repertoire from the Renaissance period through the 21st century. Admission is free to Coastal Honor Band participants. Admission: $7 (OLLI members must present student ID for discount; one ticket per ID), 8:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium. For more information, call 843-349-ARTS (2787).

- **Dec. 4-12 – Portfolios: Senior Exhibition**: Featuring works by graduating seniors with degrees in studio art and graphic design, this exhibition is the culmination of four years of study and features projects completed during their theses.
Please join us to see the work of the next generation of artists from Coastal Carolina University! Admission: free and open to the public (no ticket required). Gallery hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Closing reception: Dec. 11, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

- **Dec. 4 – Coastal Honor Band Concert:** The annual Coastal Honor Band and Scholarship Festival concert features student musicians from grades 8-12 selected by audition. These students spend two days immersed in rehearsals and workshops with CCU faculty and guest artists. The Festival Wind Ensemble is conducted by internationally respected movie and television composer Rossano Galante, and the Coastal Honor Band is conducted by Nola Jones, coordinator of music for the Metropolitan Nashville Public Schools. Scholarship awards will be announced during the concert for the Fall 2016 incoming freshmen. Admission: Free and open to the public (no ticket required), 7:30 p.m., Wheelwright Auditorium. For more information, call 843-349-ARTS (2787).

**Ongoing programs/activities offered by OLLI or CCUpartners**

- The Hackerl Golf Course golf shop will be offering **TEAL TUESDAY SPECIALS** throughout the month of November. All outerwear is 30 percent off and TEAL apparel is 40 percent off. Please mention that you saw this in our email/newsletter to receive the discount (OLLI students must have their OLLI ID with them). For more information, call the golf shop at 843-349-6600.

- **Ongoing through Dec. 31 – A Very Fashionable Christmas** – The Kaminski House Museum presents A Very Fashionable Christmas through Wednesday, Dec. 30, during our guided tours at 11 a.m., 1 and 3 p.m. in historic Georgetown. Local designers dressed the museum in holiday decor ranging from traditional Christmas decorations to seasonal glitz and glamour! A Very Fashionable Christmas features candlelight tours on Thursday evenings on Dec. 3, 10 and 17. The evening tours are from 5 to 7 p.m. The cost is $5 for adults, youth $3 and children under the age of 10 are admitted free of charge. Call 843-546-7706 for more details.

- **Nov. 27-Jan. 3 – Holiday Memories: Trains, Trees and Trinkets Holiday Exhibit** – Brookgreen Gardens’ 2015 holiday exhibit theme builds upon its previous show-stopping displays of electric model trains (both Lionel and American Flyer), period Christmas trees and other nostalgia from holiday celebrations of the 20th century. Featured in the exhibit are paintings of scenes of children, Christmas and toy trains by Angela Trotta Thomas. Her Rockwell-like paintings have earned her the title of “The Train Lady.” For children, a new “Thomas the Train and Friends” display is featured in the front of the gallery and, for adults, the “Front Street Georgetown” outdoor train display has expanded to include the historic Town Clock and other structures. Representing the “trinket” in the title will be a Tiffany-inspired store window featuring beautiful costume jewelry on loan from the collection of Sherri Duncan. “Peace on Earth” is the exhibit theme presented by the horticultural department, and its displays represent tranquil and natural settings from around the world, from a beautiful evergreen forest area and the popular grapevine deer family to an antique sleigh with a homemade quilt and Moravian glass stars and crystal icicles. Look closely at the natural mandalas and find inspiration in their creative stumpery. You may even find a nature-based Saint Nicholas, and without a doubt, you will find fresh ideas for holiday decorating at your home. The exhibit is free with garden admission. For more information, call 843-235-6000.

- **Nov. 28-Dec. 20 – “A Christmas Carol”** – “A Christmas Carol” simply and directly tells the story of the redemption of a human soul. The play follows the ever-powerful story of Scrooge, a lonely miser, who, through the help of spirits and visions from his past, present and future, finds a second chance to become a loving, generous human being. Recommended for all ages. Performance times: Thursday-Saturday, 7:30 p.m.; Sunday, 3 p.m., Atlantic Stage. For ticket and price information, call 1-877-ATS-TKTS (1-877-287-8587).

- **Ongoing through Dec. 27 – Contemporary Conversations II** – Curated by Eleanor Heartney, author and contributing
editor to “Art in America” and “Artpress,” Contemporary Conversations II makes up one half of a two-part exhibit composed of works by 95 contemporary South Carolina artists. The exhibition is designed to suggest both the quality and diversity of the state’s geometric abstraction to surrealist tinged dreamscapes. Works are inspired by social issues, memory, local and national history, imagination, art of the past and aesthetic theory. Together they reflect the many voices and diverse concerns of South Carolina artists. The Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Myrtle Beach Art Museum will exhibit 37 works from Contemporary Conversations II. For more information, call 843-238-2510.

**Travel opportunities offered by OLLI or partners**

- **April 13-23, 2016 – “On the Trail of Martin Luther” 10-Day Tour.** Celebrate the 500th anniversary of the Reformation by walking in the footsteps of Martin Luther. Includes: Gutenberg Museum, Wartburg Castle, Dresden, Wittenberg and St. Mary’s Church, among other stops, ending in Berlin, passing through “Checkpoint Charlie.” $2,299 per person, double occupancy. Estimate air from Myrtle Beach and transfers for additional $1,550 per person. Optional travel insurance available. Hosted by Bruce and Kathy Blackburn. For more information, call Earth Travel Pals at 843-222-5839.

- **May 19-31, 2016 – Celebrity Equinox 12-Night Eastern Mediterranean Cruise from Rome to Barcelona.** Stops on Amalfi coast (Salerno) and at Sicily, Athens, Santorini and Mykonos, Greece, and Istanbul and Ephesus, Turkey. Veranda cabins $2,336.40 per person, double occupancy. Other categories available. Optional travel insurance, air and gratuities not included. Deposit $450 per person. Balance due March 5. Hosted by Bill and Judy Blackburn. For more information, call Earth Travel Pals at 843-222-5839.

- **Oct. 1-11, 2016 – 11-day Historic Trains of the Old West with Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta.** Start in Denver with an overnight at the historic 1893 Hotel Colorado. Travel to Durango and take a scenic ride through the San Juan National Forest on a legendary steam train. Admire the cliff dwellings in Mesa Verde National Park. Visit the 1,100-year-old city of Taos, N.M., and the famous Royal Gorge. In Colorado Springs, enjoy a train journey on the cog railway to Pikes Peak. Spend two days at the Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta, the largest ballooning event in the world. Land tour cost $2,934 per person, double occupancy. Optional travel insurance additional. Tour deposit $250 per person. Discount of 10 percent if paid in full in December. Estimate air $550 per person. Hosted by Judy and Bill Blackburn. For more information, visit [www.EarthTravelPals.com](http://www.EarthTravelPals.com); call Judy at 843-222-5839 or email judy@earthtravelpals.com; call Kathy at 843-450-2032 or email kathy@earthtravelpals.com.
OLLI Community Partners

Atlantic Stage
P.O. Box 7402, Myrtle Beach, S.C.
1-877-ATS-TKTS

Belle W. Baruch Foundation’s Hobcaw Barony
22 Hobcaw Road, Georgetown, S.C.
843-546-4623

Brookgreen Gardens
1931 Brookgreen Garden Drive, Murrells Inlet, S.C.
843-235-6000

Fitness Edge, Inc.
3881 Renee Drive, Myrtle Beach, S.C.
843-903-3488
or
4310 U.S. 17 Business, Murrells Inlet, S.C.
843-652-3488

Fit4Everyone
1320 U.S. 501 Business, Unit E, Conway, S.C.
843-582-4458

Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Myrtle Beach Art Museum
3100 S. Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, S.C.
843-238-2510

HealthPoint Center for Health & Fitness
12965 Ocean Highway, Pawleys Island, S.C.
843-237-2205

Horry County Museum
805 Main St., Conway, S.C.
843-915-5320

Kaminski House Museum
1003 Front St., Georgetown, S.C.
843-546-7706
Long Bay Symphony  
1107 48th Ave. N., Myrtle Beach, S.C.  
843-448-8379

SC Maritime Museum  
729 Front St., Georgetown, S.C.  
843-520-0111

Theatre of the Republic  
337 Main St., Conway, S.C.  
843-488-0821

Waterfront Books  
815 Front St., Georgetown, S.C.  
843-546-2665

YMCA  
5000 Claire Chapin Epps Drive, Myrtle Beach, S.C.  
843-449-9622  
or  
529 Browns Ferry Road, Georgetown, S.C.  
843-545-9622
OLLI@CCU MEMBER SUGGESTION FORM

We strive to offer great programs at all of our outreach locations and welcome input from you to help us continually improve. Your recommendations are gladly received and will be reviewed by the appropriate committee member(s) or OLLI staff personnel. Please submit a separate suggestion form for each item. YOU MAY REMAIN ANONYMOUS, but we will need your name and contact information if you desire a formal response or if we need clarification. Thank you for taking the time to submit your ideas.

Is your suggestion related to a/an: ___ facility ___ speaker ___ program ___ course ___ event ___ excursion ___ other

My suggestion: __________________________________________
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(continue on the back if necessary)

Are you willing to participate in the realization of your suggestion? _____ Yes _____ No

Would you like a formal response to your suggestion? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, do you prefer being contacted via: _____ email _____ phone _____ USPS mail

Name: ___________________________ Phone: ___________________ Date: __________

Email address: ________________________________

For a USPS mail response, please enter your mailing address here:
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Please return your suggestion form to any of our outreach locations or mail it to:
for Conway and Myrtle Beach:
Kelli Barker
900 79th Ave. N.
Myrtle Beach, SC 29572-4140

for Georgetown and Litchfield:
Gayle Britt
P.O. Box 1409
Pawleys Island, SC 29585
Outreach Center Locations

**Coastal Science Center** 301 Allied Drive, Conway
843-349-5002

**Georgetown Education Center** 909 Front St., Georgetown
843-349-6584

**Litchfield Education Center** 14427 Ocean Highway, Litchfield Landing
843-349-6584

**Myrtle Beach Education Center** 900 79th Ave. N., Myrtle Beach
843-349-2767

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