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NEWS YOU NEED TO KNOW

CMC Women's Commission

Marks ACCC Campus Opening

After two decades of lobbying for a community college, Cape May County's Advisory Commission on the Status of Women Chairwoman Kathleen Bresan presented a plaque marking this milestone to President **Dr. Peter Mora** and **Dr. Joe Rossi**, acting dean, Cape May County Campus and labor relations. The commission's push for a community college started in 1985 under the guidance of **Barbara Chojnacki**, the first chairwoman and later chairperson of ACCC's Board of Trustees. "In Cape May County we need learned women, and a lot of them don't have the means to travel out of the county for their education," Bresan said. The plaque quotes Abigail Adams: "If we mean to have heroes, statesmen and philosophers, we should have learned women."



Members past and present of the Cape May County Advisory Commission on the Status of Women gather with Dr. Mora and Dr. Rossi after presenting a plaque in celebration of the opening of the Cape May County Campus.

Today is Last Day for Health Benefits Changes

The State Health Benefits Program Open Enrollment for eligible employees ends today. This is your last opportunity to make changes to your medical and prescription coverage. Coverage changes will be effective on Jan. 1. Eligible employees include full-time faculty and staff and adjunct instructors who are enrolled in the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), who would like to buy into the NJ PLUS and prescription plan.

You may enroll in any eligible plan if you have not previously done so; change medical plans; add eligible dependents not previously enrolled; drop dependents; or voluntarily waive coverage. Open enrollment changes should be completed in Human Resources no later than today. Call **Bart Musitano**, benefits, ext. 5611, for more information.

Helpful links from the Division of Pensions are in the Oct. 14 issue of the *CommuniCator*, available *online*

Outside Employment Forms Due Today; All Employees Must Complete

All employees must complete an outside employment form per college policy 803.1. The Code of Ethics Pertaining to Conflicts of Interest for College Employees requires faculty and staff to complete the form

annually. This code applies to those paid from Federal, state or county funds. All full- and part-time employees must complete the form. Have your supervising dean or executive director sign it and return the document to Human Resources. Deadline is today.

Trick-or-Treaters Today on Mays Landing Campus

Don't forget...the children in Barbarito & Beyers Preschool on ACCC's Mays Landing Campus will be trick-or-treating in college offices today beginning at 10 a.m.

Wear a Costume to Work Oct. 31; Contribute \$5 for Kids College Scholarship

Those who come to work in a Halloween costume on Monday, Oct. 31, are asked to contribute a \$5 donation toward a scholarship for an underprivileged Kids College pupil next summer. Please give your name and donation to **Marge Battistelli, Carmen Cabrera, Linda Hair, Jean McAlister, Sandy Meischker, Marge Mettill**e and **Taffy Peterson**. We look forward to your costume creativity!

Bookstore Fall Clearance Sale Ends Today

Today is the last chance for faculty and staff to take advantage of 5% off all imprinted clothing items in addition to the ACCC staff 10% discount. Clearance items are included in this sale.

Installation of New Version of SIS, FRS and HRS set for Wednesday, Nov. 2

SIS and WEB for Students, HRS and FRS will be going down as of 5 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 2 and will be down through Sunday, Nov. 6. All systems should be up for business on Monday, Nov. 7.

The system will be down due to the installation of a new version of SIS, FRS and HRS which will now be using a College Wide ID Number (CWID) in place of the social security number as the identifier. The social security number will be hidden within the system and accessible only to those offices and functions that are required to use it in their reporting for state and federal issues.

If you need additional information, please contact **Heather Peterson**, ext. 5008.

2005 Cape May County Championship Golf Tournament

The 2005 Cape May County Championship Golf Tournament, "Scramble Fore Scholarships," on Oct. 14 raised \$11,500 to date with additional proceeds anticipated for scholarships for ACCC students who are Cape May County residents. The event was held at and hosted by Cape May National Golf Club and benefits the ACCC Foundation.

Flu Vaccine Available on Mays Landing Campus Nov. 8

Maxim Health Care will provide the flu vaccine, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 8, on the Mays Landing Campus, in front of the bookstore in J building. Cost is \$25. Make checks payable to Maxim Health Systems. Appointments are not needed.

'Taste of the Gala' Cooking Demonstration Planned for Nov. 3

Enjoy the culinary delights of chefs from local restaurants and the Academy of Culinary Arts at "Taste of the Gala," a cooking demonstration and tasting that will be held 6-8 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 3, at the ACA, room M-129.

Local restaurant chefs from Red Square at The Quarter, Joseph's Restaurant at Renault Winery and more will demonstrate their original recipes. Sara Lee Coffee & Tea Foodservice will provide flavored coffee for the evening.

Tickets are \$25 a person and reservations are required. Proceeds benefit the ACA through the ACCC Foundation.

This is the one of several cooking demonstrations leading up to the March 23, 2006, Press of Atlantic City Restaurant Gala. Additional "Tastes" will be held Jan. 26 and Feb. 23. For more information or Taste of the Gala reservations, call ext. 5632.

Veterans Ceremony Planned for Nov. 11

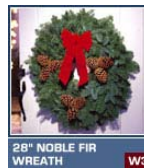
ACCC employees are invited to attend a Veterans Day Ceremony, Friday, Nov. 11 at 12:15 p.m. in Cafeteria B. Light refreshments will be provided.

IMAX at Tropicana Offering Group Rates for Holiday Season

Looking to sponsor an event? IMAX at Tropicana is offering group rates for Polar Express 3D and the new Harry Potter movie this winter. If you are interested, please call Dorothy O'Brien Griggs, IMAX® Group & Marketing Coordinator at (609) 340-4452 or e-mail dgriggs@tropicana.net.

Women's Basketball Club Selling Seasonal Wreaths

The new Women's Basketball Club is raising money for uniforms, equipment, and other supplies needed for the team with a holiday fundraiser. The club is selling seasonal wreaths for the holiday season. Compliment your home, front door or give a wreath as a gift. Prices start at \$20. If wreaths aren't your thing, Christmas decorations are also available. For more information, call **Guillermo Laya**, ext. 4821 or e-mail glaya@atlantic.edu.



Please Help Us Reach PECC Goal

Donations are still coming in for the Public Employees Charitable Campaign. All ACCC employees are encouraged to participate. Forms can also be sent interoffice mail to **Janet Brenner**, WACC, room 299. So far, donations have totaled \$12,500 toward our goal of \$15,000. Your generosity is appreciated.

For those who have contributed to PECC by the close of business today, Oct. 28, the PECC Committee we will be giving away prizes from lunches, desserts, sweatshirts, travel bags and other prizes to ACCC employees during a special event, Monday Oct. 31 in the Mays Landing cafeteria. Employees do not have to be present to win.

TIAA-CREF Individual Counseling Sessions Available; Make Appointment Now

TIAA-CREF Individual Consultant Robert Marronaro will hold counseling sessions at the Mays Landing Campus on Tuesday, Nov. 8, or Tuesday, Dec. 6. Appointments are available 9 a.m.-4 p.m., room H-127. Call (800) 842-8412 to make an appointment, or schedule an appointment online: <https://ifs2.tiaa-cref.org/cgi-bin/WebObjects/ARS>.



High Energy Bluesman Opens Café Series Nov. 10

David Jacobs-Strain, the blues singer-songwriter-instrumentalist known for his energy, technical skill and soul, opens this season's Careme's Café Series of folk performances and gourmet dining. A popular folk festival performer, Jacobs-Strain has appeared with Janis Ian, the Blind Boys of Alabama and other folk icons. \$30 tickets can be ordered by email to simmons@atlantic.edu or by phone at ext. 4907.

Entertainment Books Available Nov. 1

Entertainment Books will be for sale on ACCC's Mays Landing Campus, Tuesday, Nov. 1. A representative will be in front of WACC Radio in J building. Books will be available for \$20 each, a savings of \$15 off the regular price of \$35. ACCCers from WACC and CMCC may want to send a representative to purchase copies for employees at their sites.

Distance Learning Seminar Scheduled for Nov. 16 on "Pedagogy 202 for Distance Learning: Measuring What Matters"

Higher education is always looking for alternative methods for assessment, and online education is leading the way. As online and distance learning courses continue to flourish, the validation for student assessment is in great demand. How do we know students are truly learning in the virtual classroom?

This seminar, from 2 – 4 p.m., will allow you to interact with experts who have explored the concerns of online testing and grading for years and have discovered proven strategies based on pedagogical theory and practice.

From exploring assessment philosophy and practices to discussing the importance of rubrics and the use of multiple traditional and alternative testing methods, our distinguished panelists will discuss distance learning and the pedagogical significance of each tool to enhance teaching online and student performance.

By defining key assessment tools and their pedagogical importance, viewers will discover more defining moments teaching online, and that is what really matters.

For more information and to reserve your seat, please contact **Marge Battistelli**, ext. 4918.

Alzheimer's Cape May Caregiver Conference Dec. 1 at CMCC

A Caregiver Conference for those caring for persons with Alzheimer's or a related disorder will be held Thursday, Dec. 1, at ACCC's Cape May County Campus. The event will begin with continental breakfast and registration at 8:30 a.m. It is sponsored by the Delaware Valley Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association in collaboration with ACCC, the Cape May County Board of Chosen Freeholders, Rutgers Cooperative Research and Extension Service and the Cape May County Department of Aging.

The conference is free and includes breakfast and lunch. The keynote address, *Overview of Dementia*, will be presented by Claire L. Jurkowski, MD, a fellow in the American Geriatrics Society. Other topics include *Challenging Behaviors*, *Assessing Services* and *Caregiver Stress*. Pre-registration is required by Nov. 23. For more information, call 1-800-272-3900 or 856-797-1212.

PR, Marketing Projects Capture 6 Regional Awards

ACCC captured six awards in the Medallion competition sponsored by the National Council for Marketing and Public Relations, District 1. The awards were announced Oct. 17 at the group's annual conference in Mystic, Conn. District 1 includes schools from the UK, Canada and the East Region of the United States.

The college captured these awards: a gold medal, One-Time Special Event, for the grand opening of the Cape May County Campus; a silver medal, Poster II, for a culinary arts informational poster; three bronze medals, Class Schedule B, the 2005 Kids College program guide, Public/Community Relations Project, the Press of Atlantic City Restaurant Gala 2005, and Wildcard Entry, Academy of Culinary Arts seafood recipe cards; and an honorable mention, Brochure/Flyer II, the four-color Cape May County Campus promotional brochure.

The winning projects were prepared by college relations staff members in collaboration with the ACA, admissions, continuing education and the Cape May County Campus Grand Opening Committee.

HERE'S THE SCOOP

Welcome aboard to new full-time employees:

Natalie Cohen, instructor for Sales and Service (ESL) at the Institute for Service Excellence, Continuing Education Department. She is filling a new grant-funded position as part of the college's initiative for non-credit sales training in cooperation with Kravco Simon Co. at the Hamilton Mall.

Noel Criscione-Naylor, office coordinator, Institute for Service Excellence, Continuing Education. She is filling a new grant-funded position as part of the college's initiative with the Hamilton Mall.

Penny Gardner, administrative secretary, Facilities Management, who succeeds Julie Gonzalez.

Susan Lee, non-credit registration coordinator for Worthington Atlantic City Center Administrative Services. She succeeds Jeff Wenzel who was promoted to Program Developer for Continuing Education.

Matthew Liggins, housekeeper I. Matthew is a new hire for the Cape May County campus.

Carol Melkonian, specialist (Buyer) for the Business Services Department. She succeeds retiree Agnes Gallo.

Delores Rolls, laboratory assistant for the Science Department. She is filling a new position due to the opening of the Cape May County Campus.

R. Ghyll Theurer, program developer/coordinator, Health Professions Institute, Continuing Education. She is filling a new position as part of the college's initiative with the Workforce Investment Board of Atlantic and Cape May counties.

Welcome aboard new part-time employees:

--**Carol Farone**, recruitment representative

--**Terry Cortz-Abrams**, clerical assistant, Division Office

--**Judy Walden**, accounts receivable, City Center

The ESL faculty joined an Atlantic-Cape May counties ESL teachers' consortium on Oct. 24 in a discussion with secondary school teachers of the changing face of the ESL population.

All are invited to attend a memorial service, 12:30 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 1, for ACCC senior adjunct and good friend to all, **Martin Berdinis**, who passed away on Sept. 18 after a battle with cancer. Berdinis received ACCC's first Adjunct Faculty Teaching Excellence Award at commencement in May.

Students in **Donna Vassallo's** "Human Resources Management" class (BUSN/HOSP125) participated in the National Make A Difference Day 2005" on Saturday, October 22. They volunteered their time at Family Fun Day, sponsored by The Noyes Museum of Art, Lily Lake Road, Oceanville. The students (some of whom dressed in costume, to the delight of the children) helped the children in face painting, pumpkin painting, making paper mache "ghosts" and Indian corn. Students received credit for their efforts by completing a paper on how volunteering their time helped make them feel about themselves, their civic responsibility and their community.



Donna Vassallo and her Human Resources Management students helping out during National Make A Difference Day 2005 at The Noyes Museum of Art.

On Sunday, Oct. 16, ACA chef educator **Michael Huber** and students Dora Dunn, Jessica Morgan, Kyriakos Georgiou, Melody Silva and Lamont Brownell helped celebrate Art Handler's Appliances in Pleasantville 60th anniversary by performing several cooking demonstrations. The students made potato gnocchi, ratatouille, a vegetable stew, and several assorted pasta dishes for approximately 500 guests.

ABC/ESPN media news crews were in need of a translator for Chinese skaters during the pre-Olympic Smart Ones Skate of America at Atlantic City Boardwalk Hall Oct. 20 – 23. Thanks to a recommendation from ESL Dept. Chair **Christina Cavage**, CCI Program Specialist, **Angela Wang** happily translated for the news reporters during the event's press conferences. Good job, Angela!

We were saddened to hear of the passing of retiree **Frank O'Rourke**. O'Rourke, 81, was chairperson and professor of business until his retirement in 1989. Cards can be sent to his wife, Dorothy, at 5 Cold Spring, Sicklerville, NJ 08081.

We regret to report the passing of long-time accounting professor, **Tony Caravello** who retired in 1989. He was a lifelong Ventnor resident and a graduate of Temple University. He served in World War II.

A certified public accountant, he maintained a private practice for 56 years. He was a Ventnor lifeguard, and was an avid cook and winemaker. He was 82.

Funeral mass was scheduled for 10 a.m. today at St. Michael's Church, 10 N. Mississippi Ave., Atlantic City. Burial is at Holy Cross Cemetery in Mays Landing.

The family requested that donations be made to the Maggie Broome Memorial Trust c/o Anthony Caravello III, 3107 Ventnor Ave., Longport N.J. 08403.

Brittine Ehrke, purchasing, is selling Mary Kay cosmetics. Call her, ext. 5117, if you'd like to see a book or place an order.

College Relations welcomes back **Henry Spier**, former senior adjunct and frequent part-time writer and special projects coordinator. Henry is back on campus filling in for **Stacey Clapp**, who is on maternity leave through April. As is customary, faculty and staff needing to disseminate information regarding a program or event should contact **Kathy McGowan**, public relations manager, at mcgowan@atlantic.edu with a cc: to Henry at hspier@atlantic.edu, or reach him at ext. 5616.

Max Slusher, former assistant dean for research, is at Burlington County College as executive director for institutional effectiveness and research. He can be contacted at (609) 894-9311, ext. 1543 or emailing GSlusher@bcc.edu.

Paulett Strand resigned as the culinary recruiter for the Admissions department. She accepted a position with Lannett Pharmaceuticals.

Happy birthday to: **Kathleen Corbalis, Patricia Owens, Penny Wells**, Oct. 28; **Gene LoPresti, Effie Russell**, Oct. 29; **William O'Shea, John Torcasio**, Oct. 30; **Nicasio Rabino**, Oct. 31; **Claire Farnum, Thomas Borucki**, Nov. 1; **Gretchen Harris**, Nov. 4; **Sue Weisgerber**, Nov. 9; **Jean McAlister, James Usilton**, Nov. 10. Adjunct birthdays: **John Percy**, Oct. 28; **Dawn Renee Warner, Susan Chew**, Oct. 29; **Thomas Innocente, Buddy Jacobs**, Oct. 31; **Sally Anderson, Robert Ferris**, Nov. 1; **Raymond Gibson**, Nov. 3; **Andrew Fuller, Lori Basile**, Nov. 10. A belated happy birthday to **Leslie Jamison** who celebrated Oct. 22.

NEWS FROM ACCC'S OTHER LOCATIONS

Greetings from Charles D. Worthington Atlantic City Center

By Daymis Alicea

WACCy World News
By Daymis "Di" Alicea

It is with great pleasure that I pick up the proverbial pen from my friend and colleague, the fabulous **Brittany Williams** (I will sorely miss you) and write for all of you in the City Center section of the CommuniCator. I hope you will enjoy reading it as much as I will enjoy writing it.

Ann McClaskey was surprised by her friends in the Administrative Office with not one but two cakes for her birthday. Everyone enjoyed delicious bites of carrot and chocolate cake.

Sneaking by was our own **Tommy Giardina**, CCI, who also celebrated a birthday but kept a low profile. **Tommy G's** daughter, Jennifer Giardina, a 3rd semester literature major and the VP of SGA, works hard as a cheerleader and is also involved in many student events and activities . . .wow!

Guillermo 'Ernesto' Laya, assistant professor of ESL, is jumping through the hoop as the new advisor/coach to the Women's Basketball Team/Club forming in the Mays Landing Campus. Great goin'!!!

Brittany Williams wants to say "Great Job" to **Hubert Banas** and **Mona Patel**, admissions personnel, for holding down the fort!

A new face in our place: Welcome to **Susan DeCicco-Lee**, coordinator of workshop & seminars in the Administrative Offices, taking the position after **Jeff Wenzel** went off to the east. Susan is the daughter of our great **Phil & Janet DeCicco** in facilities.

In other news . . . the Student Services Office hosted some events on campus that went off beautifully. On Oct. 12 the Aborada Dance Theater performed in the City to an awesome audience of students, faculty and staff. There was much hand-clapping and foot-tapping and the Latino pastries along with sinfully, strong coffee were not to be missed.

The Career Fair on Oct. 17 was a success. Kudos to **Dr. Alice Rainey**, student services, for putting the event together so efficiently – the turn-out from the students was awesome.

An Alcohol Awareness event featuring the Margarita Man ‘Mock’ Tails of piña coladas and strawberry mixes were enjoyed by the students, faculty and staff. All participants were asked to blow-up a balloon with an awareness message prior to getting their mocktails. It was a hit!

Susan Lee reports new classes in Introduction to Casino Games begin on Nov. 7 and 28. These are two additional introduction games that were just added to the fall semester schedule.

Table games, such as blackjack, poker, roulette, and baccarat, are scheduled to begin on Nov. 7. An additional section of blackjack has been set for Nov. 28.

Casino Career Institute candidates can contact **Desiree Brewer** at 343-4848 or anyone in the Administrative Services Department at the Worthington Center for registration information.

Continuing education online training classes with ed2go are set to begin Nov. 9. ACCC is partnering with ed2go, which offers and facilitates online training programs for a variety of subjects. Anyone interested in learning more about ed2go can contact Susan at ext. 4829 or email slee@atlantic.edu.

So that’s all folks . . . until next time, send submissions to dalicea or call x4832 and watch out . . . I have a camera and I’m not afraid to use it.

Greetings from the New Cape May County Campus! **by Lisa Apel-Gendron**

From strawberry margaritas to the League of Women Voters, CMCC has it all! It’s been a busy couple of weeks at ACCC’s youngest campus.

Nancy Fiedler of Stockton College’s teacher education department presented a workshop Oct. 18 which described Stockton’s program and provided insight into sometimes perplexing topics like the No Child Left Behind Act. Fourteen attended, and several took advantage of Nancy’s offer to evaluate their transcripts onsite to determine which classes are still needed for certification.

Later that day health care recruiter **Glenda Stogel** provided a free nursing program information session. We were happy to see 32 attendees join us, including high school seniors and their parents, mid-life career changers and 20-something men and women. It seems that folks of all ages are keen on nursing as a possible career.

On Oct. 19, **John Mohr** and his team of jovial barkeeps (**Di Alicea, Matt Bailey, Electra Stulak** and **Faith Gager**) offered virgin strawberry margaritas to students in exchange for their attention to an alcohol awareness message. It was a balmy day and everyone appreciated the festive, frozen treats and decorations.

Oct. 20 brought activity of a different nature. The League of Women Voters hosted its annual candidates debate in the CMCC lobby. Four candidates running for the Cape May County Board of Chosen Freeholders took questions from the audience of more than 150 high school students, community members and college students. Several classes in session that evening took time out to observe the exchange between voters and candidates. It was a just the right opportunity for the Thursday evening public speaking class to observe and then critique what they saw. Thanks to the facilities team of **Roy Burnham, Tim Cliggett, Pistol Ranere** and **Thom Partin** for their help in moving hundreds of tables and chairs for the event. Telecomm guru **Nick Ganaway** came through with the sound system in his usual calm, capable fashion. Great job, team!

Is it too early to think about January? Maybe not. We've got three Winter Term classes planned at CMCC, all scheduled to start Jan. 2 at 9 a.m. They include Intro to Algebra I, Intro to Algebra II and Comprehensive Medical Terminology. Yikes. . .Jan. 2 at 9 a.m.! That just sank in!

Here's some CMCC trivia for you trivia buffs. Q: If you're walking in the parking lot around 7 a.m. and you hear a deep, resonating, almost guttural sound, what is it? A: The resident lion at the Cape May County Zoo (across the street) letting you know he's awake.

As promised, here are a few pictures from Melissa (Moy) Todd's wedding.

Enjoy your weekend!



The bride and groom, Walt and Melissa Todd, consider themselves quite lucky to have dodged the hurricanes which plagued the Keys this year. They honeymooned in Jamaica and are back home in Cape May County now.



The ladies pose before the October 1 ceremony in Key West. From left to right are: Denise O'Connor, bride Melissa Moy, the bride's mom Carol Moy, and Jennifer Lauriello. All except Carol work at ACCC.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Therese Sampson, executive director of administration and business services, received the 2005 KPMG Distinguished Service Award from the Eastern Association of College and University Business Officers at their 2005 Annual Meeting in Chicago recently.

Princeton Professor Bob Sands has just obtained stage rights to "The Body of Christopher Creed," award-winning novel by ACCC Adjunct Professor **Carol Plum-Ucci**. The Chicago Theatre for Young Audiences, in conjunction with Northwestern University, will perform the workshop Jan. 29 - Feb. 5.

President **Dr. Peter Mora** was recently recognized in the summer 2005 edition of *Rowan Magazine*. The university publication noted Mora's active alumnus status as well as his accomplishment of being named president of ACCC, adding, "Mora has served the College for 31 years--including his most recent role as vice president for continuing education and Cape May County."

Gina Skinner, admissions, was recently named co-chair of the New Jersey County College Directors of Admissions.

Kathy Corbalis, college relations, published a personal essay titled "Gardenside seat gives view of seasonal mini-drama," in the Philadelphia Inquirer, South Jersey edition, Oct. 10. You can read a copy at: http://www.corbalis.com/kathy/article_101005.htm

Kristi Neal, assistant professor of ESL, spoke on the special needs of ESL learners to mainstream teachers at the Medford public schools.

Richard Benner, assistant professor of philosophy and religion, is included in the 9th edition of "Who's Who Among American Teachers," "Who's Who in American Education 2006-2007," the 60th edition of "Who's Who in America," and "Who's Who in the World 2006."

Judges in the Fanny Wood Poetry Contest awarded **Gerri Black**, assistant professor of English, an honorable mention for one of her poems, which she will deliver at a reading on Dec. 1 in Fanwood, N.J.

Keith Forrest, assistant professor of speech, had a personal essay published in the Delaware County (Pa.) Times.

ACCC IN THE NEWS

The "balancing act" that is the busy professional life of **Dr. Joseph Rossi** was the subject of a profile of the acting dean for the Cape May County campus and labor relations which appeared in the Sept. 28 Herald.

The opportunities for success available through the NJ STARS scholarship program were the focus of an article by The Press of Atlantic City's education writer, Diane D'Amico. The piece was accompanied by a photo of **Amber Lawrence**, an NJ STARS scholarship recipient and second year student at ACA, at the bake oven.

"People like it. It's honey." That was how Chef Educator **Mary Theresa "Tree" McCann** described the lure of caramel in the Oct. 26 Newark Star-Ledger. The article uncovered the culinary finesse needed to achieve the "sweet and sensuous complexity of caramel."

In commemoration of National Childhood Hunger Awareness Day, ACA hosted a contingent of young visitors from the Boys & Girls Club of Atlantic City who learned about healthy eating habits and sampled healthy foods, reported in a photo array in The Press of Atlantic City's Atlantic County Community extra on Oct. 26.

Barbara Warner, chair of the nursing and allied health program, and **Glenda Stogel**, recruiter, discussed the critical national shortage of nurses and the requirements of the college's nursing program at a series of seminars at the CMC campus, reported in the Oct. 19 Herald. Warner noted the conundrum of rising demand for training and the limitation thereon because of a shortage of nursing educators.

The Cape May County Women's Commission plaque presentation at the Cape May County Campus, Mon., Oct. 24, was covered on WMGM TV-40.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The calendar is updated regularly at www.atlantic.edu/about/monthlycal.shtml.

Editor's note: The *Atlantic Cape CommuniCator* is available online at www.atlantic.edu/~mcgowan/communicator/news.pdf

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