

Seven/Eleven... Clayton State Cleans Up At Georgia DEX Competition

Seven out of 11 Clayton College & State University students who competed in the recent Georgia Delta Epsilon Chi (DEX) competition took for first place awards back to Morrow... giving Clayton State more first places than any of the other 10 schools in the competition.

In addition, two Clayton State students qualified at the second and third place levels. As a result, nine Clayton State students will be representing the University and the State of Georgia at the National DEX Competition in April in Nashville, Tn.

Delta Epsilon Chi is the international professional association for college students interested in careers in marketing, management, merchandising and entrepreneurship. Clayton State's DEX Chapter was founded in 1985.

"I am really proud of them," says Dr. Russell Casey, assistant professor of Marketing and Marketing Program Coordinator for the Clayton State School of Technology. "As I told them, 'right now enjoy your hard work, this is the playoffs. Now, we have to get ready for nationals, which is like the Super Bowl.'"



Awards Ceremony. From left to right (backroom): Evaugh Rainey-Hood (3rd place Travel & Tourism), Heather Hinze (#1 Food Service Marketing), Melissa Cody (#1 HRM Case Study), Denae Williams (#1 Apparel and Accessories), Latasha Hurt (#1 Advertising), Dr. Russell Casey (DEX advisor), Jerome Hawk (#1 Ecommerce Business Case Study), Lillian Wimbush (#1 Sales Representative), Wantina Marshall (#3 Marketing Management) (front row): Reggie Williams (#1 Website Development), DeAngelo Evans (#3 Retailing Merchandising).

Casey adds that the students' preparation for their tests and/or role-plays really paid off, since there were more than 150 students competing in 15 categories.

Clayton State's first place winners in the Georgia competition were: Heather Hinze (Jonesboro), Food Service Marketing; Jerome Hawk (Riverdale), E-Commerce Business Case Study; Melissa Cody (College Park), Human Resource Management Case Study; Latasha Hurt (Ellenwood), Advertising; Denae Williams (Hampton), Apparel and Accessories; Lillian Wimbush (Jonesboro), Sales Representative; and Reginald McCaw, II (Riverdale), Website Development. DeAngelo Evans (Ellenwood) took two third places and Evaugh Rainey-Hood (Stockbridge) a second. ■

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*from left to right
Jerome Hawk, Reggie Williams,
Denae Williams, and Heather Hinze*

A Light Leaves Clayton State Library

Gordon N. Baker, Public Services Librarian

At the end of March 2004, one of the brightest lights on the Clayton State campus will retire. Gwen Bell has been a library employee for 30 years and has chosen now to bid adieu to her colleagues and friends and return to being fulltime wife and mother!

When I came to Clayton State, then Clayton Junior College, Gwen had been here for five years. As an inexperienced academic librarian, I watched in wonder, how she knew where to go to find the answer to all the students questions. Every so often, a student would ask her a "stumper." But, this never fazed Gwen, she continued to smile, continued to make conversation with the student, and continued to search.

Gwen Bell, in every sense of the word, is the perfect academic librarian. Not only is she professional, knowledgeable, pleasant, and good conversationalist, but also her most important characteristic is that she cares about the students that use the Library. She wants all the students using this facility to succeed, to find what they need, and to love libraries. She has worked tirelessly to make the Library a user-friendly library.

It's hard for me to think of the Clayton State Library without Gwen... she's been my mentor on campus for 25 years. But, I do know that Gwen will not be forgotten, her legacy to us is how to conduct the proper reference interview. First and foremost always get to know the student!

Gwen, it's been a great ride! You'll always have a place in our hearts and in the Clayton State Library, especially between semesters, when it's time to read the shelves! The library staff cordially invites the campus to join us in celebrating Gwen's 30 years of service at Clayton State on Monday, Mar. 29, 2004 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in room L-200. ■

Campus Life Program Alerts Students, Staff to Positive Job Outlook

How Bad is Your Future?

by Bates Canon, Counseling & Career Services

Despite the ominous program title, the future is not so bleak. That was the overall message reported to students and staff alike from labor expert John Lawrence in his information-packed presentation on the employment outlook for Georgia.

Lawrence addressed the changing job market and offered perspectives on outsourcing, as well as the dramatic increase in the use of temporary labor (up 400 percent in the last 20 years). Concerning industries with the greatest growth anticipated, Lawrence included education and healthcare, professional and business services, retail trade, information, and leisure and hospitality. Occupations projected with the greatest growth included those in computer and math areas, as well as social services, healthcare, education, and business and finance. Protective services was also mentioned as an area with high growth potential.

Participants expressed their appreciation for the useful and relevant information included in the program. Among audience comments gathered on the student learning survey were:

- "That going back to school in order to acquire more skills is not a mistake on my part. Prior to this program, I was having second thoughts, but not anymore. Thank you!!!"
- "The lecture helped me to concentrate on a particular field and reassured me of the job opportunities in my chosen field."
- "I can more closely narrow what major I need to choose as well as what to think about involving my future. Thank you very much. Very informative."
- "There is still hope for technology careers."

Lawrence is assistant director of Workforce Information and Analysis with the Georgia Department of Labor. Counseling & Career Services sponsored this Campus Life career development program. Program handouts are available in Counseling & Career Services. A videotape of the program is also available for viewing. ■

Check Out the University Center on Alpha

Dr. Cathie Aust's award-winning presentation on the new University Center is now available on the shared folder of the Clayton State network's Alpha drive.

Aust's Feb. 18 presentation to the Administrative Council brought down the house... giving the audience their first real view of what's going on inside the University Center and garnering three Oscar nominations, including, Best Performance by a Mathematician and Best Performance by a Dean. The presentation, which includes plans, pictures, and explanations of the functions of the University Center, is located at \\alpha\PUBLIC\GroupShares\Admin_Council.

"This is an enhanced version of the presentation that I gave at Administrative Council in the sense that I added notes to replace my narrative," explains Aust. "After I added the notes, I called Martha Wicker about a technical question and she said that she could load the presentation in something called SoftTV so that the slides would appear on the right side of the screen and the notes would appear on the left."

At the above site, one needs to open the folder for Feb. 18, 2004, and then click on the PowerPoint labeled "University Center Co..." Once this opens, to view the slide show, one needs to choose the "Slide Show" pull down menu and click on "View Show." Since the presentation is in SoftTV, one must view the show to go through the PowerPoint. However, since Soft TV paces the show, you can't advance it at your own rate. It will take a while to go through the slide show since there are many slides and the view stays on each slide for several seconds. ■

Clayton State's Lydia Vanderford On Her Way Down Under

by Leigh Duncan, University Relations

Last year, the Rotary Club of Clayton County expressed an interest in sending a Clayton State faculty member, staff member, or student to Australia on a professional development trip to occur in spring 2004.

Rotary Clubs International sponsors a unique yearly program, Group Study Exchange (GSE), an international professional development program for young professionals around the world. Team members come from corporations, small businesses, community organizations, medical facilities, educational institutions, universities and schools, and nonprofit organizations.

Lydia Vanderford, rehabilitation coordinator and fitness instructor for Clayton State's Fitness and Wellness Center, SmartBodies, and adjunct instructor for the School of Health Sciences, has been selected as part of the team going to Australia from Mar. 19 to Apr. 21.

"When I approached my supervisor Cindy (Lauer - director of SmartBodies) and Dr. (Judith) Plawecki (dean of the School of Health Sciences) with the opportunity," says Vanderford, "I was given approval to apply for the trip and then see what would happen." I was selected as an alternate and became an official member (of the team) in January. We have been meeting once or twice a month since October, planning, organizing, and preparing our presentations."

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Clayton State Announces President's Gala - 2004

The Clayton College & State University Foundation's 2004 President's Gala - "Foundations for the Future... Shades of Tomorrow" - is scheduled for Saturday, Apr. 3, at the Georgia International Congress Center in College Park, Ga.

The program for the black tie event will begin at 6 p.m. with a reception/social hour. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m., along with a special light and sound production celebrating the future of Clayton State. Following dinner, the Second Annual Southern Crescent Vision Awards will be presented.

Sponsor tables cost \$3,000 and include 10 tickets, membership in the Foundation's Bent Tree Society, and additional special recognition. Individual tickets are \$150 each. All proceeds from the Gala will benefit the Clayton College & State University Foundation and will be used primarily to support student initiatives, specifically the Academic Excellence Awards and scholarships for students in the Honors Program and Study Abroad Program.

For more information, call (770) 961-3580 or visit <<http://adminservices.clayton.edu/foundation/gala04.htm>>.

The Clayton College & State University Foundation's mission is to assist the University by attracting financial and other resources to achieve its goals: to educate students, to support faculty and staff, and to increase community awareness. ■

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Biology

Dr. Jacqueline Jordan was recently selected by the American Society for Cell Biology's (ASCB) Minorities Affairs Committee to receive an ASCB Annual Meeting Travel Grant award. The awards are funded through a National Institute of Health NIGMS MARC grant.

Associate Professor of Biology Dr. Greg Hampikian, Clayton College & State University's nationally known forensic science expert, will be participating in Northview High School's Career Day on Thursday, Mar. 11. Hampikian will do a computer presentation on Biotechnology and Forensic Science from 8:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., followed by a classroom visit from 9:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the Duluth, Ga. school.

The Biology Academic Advisory Committee (AAC) for the University System of Georgia, chaired this year by Clayton State Associate Professor of Biology Dr. Greg Hampikian, met at Clayton State on Friday, Feb. 27 to discuss the committee's response to the new Georgia K-12 science curriculum.

Dr. Greg Hampikian participated in a Biology seminar at Georgia State University on Friday, Feb. 20, speaking on "DNA and Justice: Case examples from Georgia's new DNA law."

Campus Life

Five Vice President for Campus Life candidates will give presentations open to Clayton State faculty, staff and students on the subject of "Transforming Student Life to Campus Life." The presentations will be held in room 101 in the Harry S. Downs Continuing Education Center and will include time for questions from the audience. Please make every effort to hear the candidates for this very important leadership position. The Search Committee values your input and evaluation comments. Presentations are scheduled for: Dr. Patricia Swatfager-Haney, Monday, Mar. 8 at 3 p.m.; Dr. Kevin Rome, Thursday, Mar. 11 at 2 p.m.; Dr. Walter

Kimbrough, Monday, Mar. 15 at 2 p.m.; Dr. Leslie Bates, Wednesday, Mar. 17 at 2 p.m.; Dr. Richard Chapman, Monday, Mar. 22 at 2 p.m.

Campus Store

Graduation is almost here. Those faculty participating in graduation that need Rental Regalia please come by The Campus Store, place your order and prepay for your regalia. (Donna from Jostens's will be here Mar. 22 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Mar. 23 from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. if you need help). We want to insure you get a hood with your school and degree colors. Orders after these dates might mean another hood color. Come by today and place your orders. Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Friday, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Continuing Education

CE set a winter quarter record attendance at the Henry County Small Business Entrepreneurial Success Series: 52 students are enrolled in this five week success series that is being held at the Henry County Chamber of Commerce. Topics covered are: Start-up basics, Business Plan Development, Financing your small business, Marketing on a shoestring budget and Understanding financial statements. The spring quarter offering begins Apr. 19. For more information, contact Cecil McDaniel or Henrietta Cowan at (770) 961-3440. Also, need to prepare for graduate school? CE is offering GRE, GMAT, LSAT prep courses in April. Call (770) 961-3551 for more information.

Four Assistant Vice President for Extended Programs candidates will give presentations open to Clayton State faculty, staff and students on the subject of "A Vision for Extended Programs and Continuing Education at CCSU." The presentations will be held in room 301 of the Harry S. Downs Continuing Education Center at 3 p.m. on the dates listed below and will include time for questions from the audience. Please make every effort to hear the candidates for this very important leadership position. The Search Committee values your input and evaluation comments. Presentations are scheduled for: Mar. 15, Dr. Lori Hunter-Union; Mar. 16, Dr. Dale Bower; Mar.

17, Dr. Terry Haines; Mar. 18, Dr. Pat Book.

Counseling & Career Services

Ticket sales are starting Monday, Mar. 8 for the Business Etiquette Dinner. Contact joanmcelroy@mail.clayton.edu. Also, due to campus closing for snow on Thursday, Feb. 26, the seminar presented by Keith King w/ UPS on Resumes & the Application Process, has been rescheduled to Tuesday, Mar. 9 from noon to 1 p.m. in STC-223.

Homecoming

Homecoming 2004 is scheduled for Oct. 18-23! The Clayton State Homecoming Committee invites you to be a part of this year's event by joining the planning team. We welcome involvement from across campus and hope you will consider participating on one or more of the coordinating committees. The next Homecoming meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, Mar. 24, 3 p.m. in STC D221. This year we will have the following coordinating committees in place: Alumni, Fall Frolics Talent Show, Special Events, Festival Parade, Publicity & Marketing, Community Relations/Outreach. If you have any interest in working with this year's event, please e-mail jeffjacobs or come to the March meeting.

Human Resources

The Search Committee for the Director of Human Resources and Chair Cindy Lauer would like to encourage you to participate in the interview process of candidate Grant Cochrane on Monday, Mar. 8. In lieu of a presentation, the Deans, Department Heads and the campus community are encouraged to attend and participate in a question and answer session with the candidate. This Q & A session will take place from 10:30 a.m. to 11:20 a.m. in Technology Building, room 116. Cochrane is currently the Senior Human Resource Management Representative in Employee Relations at the University of Alabama, Birmingham and has served in this capacity since January 2001. He also worked as the Director of Human Resources for the State University of West Georgia from 1999-2001. Prior to this, Grant was employed as the Manager in Human Resources for Children's Health System/Children's Hospital. In addition, he has worked in a variety of

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positions in HR over the course of a 13-year period at the University of Florida. Cochrane is a graduate of the University of Florida with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in American Studies.

OITS

Please be aware that there is a new e-mail virus (actually a variant of the W32/Bagle(Beagle) virus) going around. This virus uses a password protected zip file as its method of transport which means that our anti-virus e-mail scanners cannot open the file and detect the virus. This file is not infectious unless the file is extracted using the password supplied with the e-mail. The e-mail message FROM field is forged to make it appear to come from someone you know. If you receive such an e-mail, you should delete it immediately. Do not open the attachment.

School of Technology

Joan Bass, as a member of the Advisory Committee for Business & Information at Stockbridge High School, recently participated in an evaluation of the program in order to achieve Industry Certification... which was subsequently awarded.

On the evening of Thursday, Mar. 11, the Clayton College & State University School of Technology will host an open house for students interested in the School's programs. Prospective students and their parents are invited to join Dean Dr. Arthur J. Rosser, Associate Dean Dr. Benita H. Moore, and the faculty and staff of the School of Technology to learn more about program and career opportunities available through School of Technology's majors. The open house will be held in the Lobby of the School of Technology Building. Information on Admissions and Financial Aid will be available from 6:30 p.m. to 7:15 p.m., followed at 7:30 p.m. by program information and interaction with the faculty. Information will be available on the following School of Technology programs; Aviation Maintenance, Computer Networking, Drafting, Marketing and Merchandising, Medical Assisting, Office Technology, and Paralegal. For more information, call (770) 961-3679.

Smart Bodies

SmartBodies, Clayton State's public fitness and wellness center, continues its Spring 2004 Lecture Series on Tuesday, Mar. 9 with a look at cholesterol. SmartBodies Director

Cindy Lauer will be speaking on "Fat" and will discuss: good fat vs. bad fat... what foods contain more of which kind; understanding and lowering cholesterol; how fat affects your cholesterol, and what you can do to change it. Lauer will also be answering the questions... Is fat-free all it is cracked up to be? Is it healthy? Can you overdo it? Lauer's presentation will begin at 6 p.m. and last for approximately 30 minutes. She will also include practical applications and tips on good diet choices as they relate to fat and cholesterol. Lauer will also repeat this presentation on Tuesday, Mar. 30 at noon. Both talks are free and open to the public, and will be held at SmartBodies, in the Athletics & Fitness Center on the Clayton State campus in Morrow.

Spivey Hall

The Spivey Foundation voted last week to invite Alex Crumbley to join the Board, the first addition to the Trustees (other than changes in Clayton State Presidents) since the opening of Spivey Hall. Alex's wife Claire was voted Trustee Emerita by the Clayton College & State University Foundation when she retired from board service after many years as a Clayton State Foundation Trustee.

It's that time of the year again! To guarantee The Career Expo 2004 is a successful event for our students and employers, Counseling & Career Services is seeking assistance from Clayton State faculty and staff.

**The Career Expo
Thursday, March 18, 2004
Athletics & Fitness Center**

<http://adminservices.clayton.edu/ccs/careerexpo.htm>

Assistance needed with the following:

**10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. Employer Registration & Greeters
11:00 a.m. - 1 p.m. Van Shuttle Drivers (back & forth from gym to CE Bldg)
1:00 p.m. - 4 p.m. Student Registration**

Please contact Joan McElroy, (770) 961-3518, with any segment of time you are available to help.

THANK YOU! For your willingness to assist with The Career Expo you are invited to attend the Allan Vigil Ford Luncheon!

Clayton State Students Building a Future for Local Family

by Leigh Duncan, University Relations

Clayton College & State University's Office of Student Life has partnered with the Southern Crescent Habitat for Humanity to sponsor the first Clayton State Habitat Home. The home is being built for a local family and will be located in College Park, Ga.

Assistant Director of Student Life and Southern Crescent Habitat board member Angela Avery has been working with Southern Crescent Habitat for Humanity since last November coordinating the project. The build is scheduled to begin Saturday, Mar. 6, weather permitting, and will be completed before the end of spring semester.

The home will be located in the Faith Park subdivision off of Old National Highway. Local sponsors will provide snacks, beverages, and lunch each Saturday of the build, and students are asked to bring rakes and shovels to the site on the first day to help clear debris from the building site.

For those who have never participated in a Habitat for Humanity project, there's no need for alarm. Experienced construction specialists will be on hand to oversee the less experienced volunteers. When asked if a volunteer has to have experience, Avery replies, "Absolutely not! All we ask is that you come with a willing hand, helpful heart, and a happy spirit! We will have site leaders available to instruct!"

"The home's foundation should be poured and ready to go this week," adds Avery. With more than 60 student, faculty and Clayton State staff members, along with friends and family, already signed up to volunteer, there should be plenty of workers on hand to get the job done in the time allotted.

Clayton State Presents Frontiers of Biology Seminar Series

Come to Clayton State's 2004 Frontiers of Biology Seminar Series supported by the University's Lyceum grant. Expert lecturers will present cutting-edge biological research on Thursdays, Mar. 11, Mar. 30, and Apr. 15; and Tuesday, Mar. 23, from 4:30 p.m. to 5:20 p.m. in room 10 of the University's Lecture Hall. These events are free and open to the public.

On Mar. 11, Professor of Veterinary Science Dr. Tom Tobin of the University of Kentucky will lecture on "A Toxicological Mystery: Mare Reproductive Loss Syndrome [MRLS] Caused by the Eastern Tent Caterpillar." Tobin is a veterinarian, a doctoral level pharmacologist, and a board certified toxicologist. He has studied drug and medicine control, therapeutics, and toxicology in performance horses for 27 years.

On Mar. 23, Clayton State alumnus Shane Savage from the Department of Nephrology within the Emory University School of Medicine will present "Test Tube Models of Human Kidney Disease."

On Mar. 30, Victor Faundez, M.D., Ph.D. of Emory University's Department of Cell Biology, will speak on "Cell Communication and Nerve Growth." Faundez's work has led to the identification of a new pathway of synaptic vesicle biogenesis from endosomes.

On Apr. 15, Dr. Anntenor Velasco, and orthopedic surgeon, will present "Case Studies in Orthopedic Medicine."

For more information on this seminar series, contact Dr. Greg Hampikian, associate professor of biology, at GregHampikian@mail.clayton.edu. ■

"But there's always room for more," says Avery. "We need as many volunteers as possible. Not everyone will come every Saturday."

"Originally we had planned to do a building 'blitz,' but the weather blew that," she says. The blitz was scheduled to begin on Feb. 28, the first Saturday in Clayton State's spring break, and go every day throughout the week, ending Mar. 6.

"It's entirely feasible to build out an entire house in a week," continues Avery. "We'd planned to have it completed by the end of the break."

Clayton State is hoping to fund the project entirely with donations. They are selling T-shirts and conducting other fund-raisers to sustain this effort. Anyone interested in participating in the build or donating to the effort may send a check to the Office of Student Life at Clayton College & State University, 5900 N. Lee Street, Morrow, Ga. 30260, or contact Avery at (770) 961-3510. For more information visit <http://adminservices.clayton.edu/studentlife/Habitat4Humanity.htm>. ■

Clayton State Spring Open House Set for March 13

Clayton State's spring "Laker Day," the University's Open House for high school seniors and their parents, is scheduled for Saturday, Mar. 13, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The Open House will begin at 9 a.m. with a general session, followed by breakout sessions for parents and students. After the breakouts, students and parents will be grouped and taken for a tour of the campus, ending in the Athletics and Fitness Center where the popular Browse Fair will be held, starting at about 11:45 a.m. The Browse Fair features displays and representatives from a wide variety of campus departments and organizations, and gives students and parents a chance to talk one-on-one about Clayton State and its many academic and student life-oriented programs.

According to Carol Montgomery, Clayton State assistant director of Recruitment, a large number of responses have already been received, and it's expected that spring Laker Day will be very well-attended with approximately 200 participants. ■

Information Forum Re-Scheduled for March 18

Due to inclement weather, Clayton College & State University's Information Forum for Non-Traditional and Transfer Students has been re-scheduled to Thursday, Mar. 18. The time and location, from 6:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. in room 101 of Clayton State's Harry S. Downs Center for Continuing Education, will remain the same.

The Information Forum is designed for adult students who are considering starting college or returning to college. The Forum helps these students learn about admission requirements and financial aid opportunities, and allows them to talk with representatives from the academic departments at Clayton State.

Prior registration for the Information Forum is not required. For more information or for directions to the Clayton State campus, call the Office of Admissions at (770) 961-3500 or visit the University website at www.clayton.edu. ■

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Vanderford learned of the trip on July 31, 2003 (her birthday) through Robert Lee, vice chair of the Clayton College & State University Foundation, chair of the District 6900 GSE Committee, and member of the 1993 GSE team to Bangladesh. Lee is also owner/president of Southside Seafood, a locally owned wholesale/retail seafood business. Lee had introduced the idea to the Clayton State administration earlier last year, and during one of his visits to SmartBodies, where he has a membership, he mentioned the trip to Vanderford and other staff members.

"The application process is pretty grueling," says Lee. "After an application is submitted, each candidate goes through a series of interviews prior to being selected."

The Rotarian District 6900 encompasses the Western third of the State of Georgia from Polk, Fulton and DeKalb counties in the north, to the southern most borders of the state, and eastward to Brooks County.

"This is not a fun trip by any means," Lee continues. "There is a lot of work to do and Lydia's going to be very tired when she gets home. This is truly an honor for us, for Lydia, and for the University to have one of our own going."

A GSE team consists of four non-Rotarian business or professional people and a Rotarian team leader. Applicants must be between the ages of 25 and 40, committed to remaining in the work force well after the exchange, be in the early stages of their careers or professions, reside or be employed in the sending Rotary district, and be citizens of the country in which they reside. ■

Life's Transitions...

Judy Gifford and her husband Jeff are grandparents for the third time. Madison Rae Gifford was born on Feb. 21 to son Jeff and his wife Melissa Gifford. Madison weighed 8 lbs. 12 oz. and was 19 in. long!

Nedra Heath, Dolores Cox's mother-in-law, passed away on Feb. 28. The memorial service was held on Tuesday, Mar. 2 at Moore Funeral Home, in Brevard, N.C. Her memorial graveside service was Saturday, Mar. 6

Live each season as it passes; breathe the air, drink the drink, taste the fruit, and resign yourself to the influences of each.

Henry David Thoreau

Clayton State to Hold Information Session At Fayette County Higher Education Center

As part of “Your University’s” on-going efforts to bring both academic and continuing education courses to Fayette County, Clayton College & State University will be holding an Information Session at the Fayette County Higher Education Center on Wednesday, Mar. 17, at 6:30 p.m.

Wearing green will not be a requirement for the St. Patrick’s Day event - just an interest in taking academic courses at the Peachtree City Tennis Center-located Fayette Center this coming summer or fall semester. The Information Session is free and open to the public and will cover such academic basics as information on the admission process, financial aid, registration, testing, etc. Additionally, representatives from Clayton State’s admissions, financial aid, testing center, and records offices will be on hand so that attendees can turn in applications and/or consult individually with University representatives after the general sessions

Contact Anika Chambers in the Clayton State Office of Admissions at (770) 961-3500 for information about the Fayette Center. Chambers can also be reached by e-mail from the Admissions website, <http://adminservices.clayton.edu/admissions/fayette.htm>. Directions to the Fayette Center are also available on the website.

Following approval by the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia in 2003, Clayton State has been offering credit classes for students on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Fayette Center. All courses are part of the core curriculum needed by all Clayton State baccalaureate students, with the exception of the learning support courses that prepare students to take MATH 1101. Clayton State began offering classes in Fayette County in the 2003 fall semester with a small cohort of non-traditional students. As the program grows, it may expand to day classes in addition to the evening courses offered at present.

Clayton State, through the Fayette County Center, has also been offering non-credit, Continuing Education and small business development classes since the Center opened on Oct. 1, 2002. ■

Lyceum Presents Lecture On Immigration and Race Relations

Professor David Goldfield will present a lecture titled “The New Immigration and Race Relations in the U.S. Today” on Apr. 6 at Clayton College & State University. Goldfield’s lecture will take place in the University’s Arts & Sciences Building, room 132 at 12:15 p.m. The program is free and open to the public.

“We are a nation of immigrants. But where do African Americans fit in this picture?” asks Goldfield. “And, especially in the Southeast, where traditions and social relations have historically divided along lines of color, how will the surge of immigrants from Latin America and Southeast Asia affect these historic patterns?”

Goldfield is the Robert Lee Bailey Professor of History at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte and is the editor of the *Journal of Urban History*. He is the author of “Black, White, and Southern: Race Relations and Southern Culture” (1990), which received the Mayflower Award for Nonfiction and the Outstanding Book Award from the Gustavus Myers Center for the Study of Human Rights, and “Still Fighting the Civil War: The American South and Southern History” (2002).

The Clayton State Lyceum series, in conjunction with the Organization of American Historians (OAH) Distinguished Lectureship program is sponsoring the lecture.

For further information, contact Dr. Kathryn W. Kemp, assistant professor of History at Clayton State at kathrynkemp@mail.clayton.edu; or the OAH lectureship coordinator at (812) 855-7311, or 112 N. Bryan Ave., Bloomington, In. 47408-4199; email: lectures@oah.org. ■

Attend Clayton State's Annual Career Expo - March 18

The Career Expo, designed to bring Clayton State students and alumni together with local businesses/prospective employers, will run from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the University's Athletics & Fitness Center on Thursday, Mar. 18. Registration will be held from 10:30 a.m. until noon in the Athletics & Fitness Center, followed by the 17th Annual Allan Vigil Ford Luncheon at noon in the University's Harry S. Downs Center for Continuing Education.

Each year, upwards of 100 local businesses set up at the Career Expo, looking to attract the best and brightest among Clayton State students and alumni. In addition to Allan Vigil Ford, the Career Expo is sponsored by UPS, ATS Staffing, the Clayton College & State University Foundation, Enterprise Rent-a-Car, Anchor Hospital and Southern Crescent Personnel, Inc.

For more information, contact Joan McElroy at (770)961-3518. ■

HR Corner

Kaiser Permanente, in conjunction with the American Diabetes Association, will serve as an Official Alert Center for the Diabetes Alert Day national campaign. This campaign is designed to increase awareness about diabetes through screening and education.

Free random blood glucose screenings for adults will be held Tuesday, March 23, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at all Kaiser Permanente medical centers, excluding the Eastside Center. Screening will be available on a first come, first served basis for everyone in the community, not just Kaiser Permanente members.

RideShare Program Pays Off for Clayton State Participants

University RideShare had 12 lucky carpool winners in March. These winners were eligible for these prizes because they carpooled at least one a week to and from Clayton State during February. They also have completed the *1-87-RIDEFIND* application and the URS carpooler application.

- Dennis Groseclose, Student
\$10 Gas Card Amoco/BP
- Huong Tran, Student
\$10 Gas Card Amoco/BP
- Aaron Bailey, Office of Admissions
SmartBodies Massage Therapy by Integrated Wellness
- George Messer, School of Business
Two Spivey Hall Tickets to Abegg Trio,
- Leslie Meadows, Center for Academic Assistance
Roadster Car Care Kit
- Dolores Cox, University Image and Communications
One dozen cookies from CookieGrams of Forest Park, Ga.
- Linda Campbell, Bookstore
Two free dinners from Chick-fil-A Forest Park Dwarf House.
- Chrisma Forrest, Student
Free Dinner at SouthSide Seafood (Forest Parkway, Lake City)
- Cinnamon Middleton, Student
Pad folio with calculator
- Susan Kirby, Student
Subway Free 6" Sandwich
- Kathleen Coleman, Plant Operations
Stress Car (*small, soft foam material*) from University RideShare
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Arts Page

Playwright Discusses “Caliban and Miranda” ...Winner of Clayton State International Playwriting Contest

by Lauren Baker, University Relations

What happens when two secondary characters in a famous Shakespearean play are upgraded to starring roles? Find out at 8 p.m. Apr. 20-24 when Clayton State Theater premieres Robert Karmon's “Caliban and Miranda,” a sequel to Shakespeare's “The Tempest.” Karmon's play won first place in the University's nationally publicized First Annual International Playwriting Competition.

Tickets may be purchased at the door, or reserved by visiting www.claytonstatetheater.org or by calling. (770) 961-3623. General admission is \$8. Students and seniors are admitted for \$4.

“Over a year ago, I started a first draft of this play, intrigued by the idea of two such complete opposite forces as Ariel and Caliban,” says Karmon. “Caliban and Miranda” “is Shakespeare turned on his head with his minor characters made major and the high born Miranda transformed into a lowly out-cast.”

Another twist in Shakespeare's original plot? Karmon has disenchanted Prospero's island and made it real. Muses Karmon, “Like my three characters, we are all deposited on this island earth without an owner's manual or a book of charms, left to fend for ourselves against human and mother nature.”

When one of Karmon's playwright friends informed him of the Clayton State playwriting competition, Karmon was hesitant about entering the contest. “Too often, play contests are like dead stars that suck all the energy out of you and leave you in the dark,” smiles Karmon.

“But this contest turned out to be different,” he says. Thanks to frequent news from retired, long-time Clayton State Theater director Dr. Larry Corse and current director Ed Hohlbein, Karmon stayed up to date with the progress of the competition. “Clearly, this was a theater and this was a contest that understood the sensibilities of playwrights and treated them with respect,” comments Karmon.

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Clayton State Alumnus Ties for Third in Metropolitan Opera Auditions

Clayton State alumnus Brent Davis was one of two young baritones who shared the third place prize in the recent Metropolitan Opera Southeast Regional Auditions held at the University's world-class performance venue, Spivey Hall. The Stockbridge, Ga. resident was accompanied by Clayton State staff member Craig Kier.

Florida soprano Leah Hunt Partridge was the overall winner, while Davis and fellow baritone Scott Guinn of South Carolina tied for third.

“Brent did us proud as a Clayton State alumnus, especially so as the overall level of achievement among all the finalists was very much higher than at last year's MONC Southeastern Regional Finals,” says Dr. Kurt-Alexander Zeller, director of Vocal Activities and Opera for the Clayton State Department of Music. “Brent exemplifies the type of singer we try to be sending out with a Music Performance degree - his music and his languages were well prepared, he demonstrated a fine command of the different musical styles of the two arias he performed, his repertoire was well chosen and appropriate to his instrument, his vocal technique and his physical presence were excellent, and he had a good understanding of the dramatic intention of each aria.

“And of course it's a truly beautiful vocal instrument that he possesses.”

Spivey Hall Executive Director Sherryl Nelson noted Davis' second aria set him apart from the rest of the contestants, and Zeller concurs. “Brent's performance of ‘Pierrot's Tanzlied’ from ‘Die tote Stadt’ (The Dead City) by Erich Wolfgang Korngold was luminous,” he says. “Indeed, the audience was so taken with it that they apparently couldn't wait until he had finished singing to begin a thunderous applause.”

Davis is currently a studio artist with The Atlanta Opera. He performed in The Atlanta Opera 2003 Studio Tour as The Mayor in ‘Dr. Miracle’ and will be returning for the 2004 Studio Tour. He will also be performing the role of Prince Yamadori with The Atlanta Opera in ‘Madama Butterfly’ in May 2004. He was a Young Artist with Des Moines Metro Opera in Summer 2003.

“We're very proud to claim Brent Davis as an alumnus of our Voice Performance degree here at Clayton State, where he studied with the late Dr. Cheryl Boyd-Waddell,” adds Zeller. “(We) look forward to a bright future for him.” ■

Financial Aid Fair Overwhelming Success!

The Financial Aid Office hosted their first annual Financial Aid Awareness Fair on Tuesday, Feb. 10. Representatives from SunTrust, Wachovia, AmSouth, Edamerica, Nellie Mae, Georgia Student Finance Commission, Texas Guarantee, Citibank, Wells Fargo, and Bank of America were present and had browse tables set up during the event. To keep with the fair theme, students enjoyed corn dogs, cotton candy, candy apples, chips, cookies,



popcorn, soft drinks, and water provided by the lenders. The door prizes provided by the lenders were also a hit with our students. The fair was an overwhelming success with students indicating the event was helpful. We look forward to our second annual Financial Aid Awareness Fair in 2005! ■

Clayton State History Society Discusses Cold Mountain

At a recent meeting of the Clayton State History Society, Professor of History Dr. Gene Hatfield discussed the historical background of "Cold Mountain," the recent hit movie based on the prize-winning best-seller of the same name.

Hatfield, head of the Clayton State Department Social Sciences, praised the historical accuracy of the film and book, and pointed out that mistaken and stereotypical ideas of the old South had influenced some negative reviews of the film.

He explained that the area of the actual Cold Mountain was a region of small, self-sufficient farms, not large plantations. Hatfield also provided his audience with more details on the Battle of the Crater at Petersburg Va., an opening sequence in the film, and he exhibited a map that traced the long walk home followed by a central character of the story, a deserter from the Confederate army.

"The History Society plans to have more programs of this type," says faculty advisor Dr. Kathryn Kemp. "This is an organization for people who like history. It is not just a club for history majors."

The History Society, a new organization at Clayton State, meets on the third Tuesday of each month. Its officers are Tara Krisher, president; Mark McCampbell, vice-president; and Willina Clark, secretary-treasurer.

For more information, contact Kemp at kathrynkemp@mail.clayton.edu. ■

CCSU Transportation Fair & Environmental Awareness Day Student Center Cafeteria Tuesday, March 16, 2004 11 am to 5 pm

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Dyer to Lecture at Clayton State on History of College Teaching

Professor Thomas G. Dyer will present a lecture titled "Ways of Teaching: How Professors Have Taught Since Medieval Times" on Apr. 1 at Clayton College & State University. The lecture, which is free and open to the public, will take place in room 132 of the University's Arts & Sciences Building at 12:15 p.m.

Dyer is University Professor of History and Higher Education at the University of Georgia. His most recent book is "Secret Yankees: The Union Circle in Confederate Atlanta" (1999). He is author of two additional books, "Theodore Roosevelt and the Idea of Race" (1980) and "The University of Georgia: A Bicentennial History, 1785-1985" (1985).

The Clayton State Lyceum series, in conjunction with the Organization of American Historians (OAH) Distinguished Lectureship program, is sponsoring the lecture.

For further information contact Dr. Kathryn W. Kemp, assistant professor of History at Clayton State via e-mail at kathrynkemp@mail.clayton.edu; or the OAH lectureship coordinator at (812) 855-7311, or at 112 N. Bryan Ave., Bloomington, In. 47408-4199; email: lectures@oah.org. ■

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When notified of his win, Karmon felt a sudden urge to leave his home in Syosset, N.Y., and drive south to the Clayton State campus ("Unlike Ariel, I don't fly," laughs Karmon) and begin building the sets and setting the lights. Though he will not build the set, the playwright will attend the play to see his characters come alive.

"Oddly I feel like Prospero in a benevolent way, with the play as my island and the characters my subjects," says Karmon. "Unlike Prospero, I hope I treated all of them with compassion and understanding."

This work represents the best of Karmon - his decades of theatrical experience, including all the miseries and triumphs. "Caliban and Miranda" marks his most recent play, though he has written some 20 scripts and has seen 15 of his plays produced by playhouses like Philadelphia's Society Hill Playhouse, New York's Playwright's Horizon and La Mama's Extension Theater, and Minneapolis' Tyrone Guthrie Theater, to name a few.

Karmon has also written several unproduced screenplays, one optioned by Columbia Pictures and Eddie Murphy Productions, and another, a teleplay, written for CBS.

Karmon and wife, Kay, a kindergarten teacher, live on their own island - Syosset, Long Island. They have two grown daughters, Elysa and Jennifer; and one grandchild, Jesse, who's only a few months old. Karmon is a retired creative writing, English literature, and film professor who taught at Philadelphia's Temple University, Queens and Hunter in New York City, and Nassau Community College in Garden City, Long Island. He enjoys writing, reading, and playing basketball with "carefully chosen opponents who have promised not to maim" him.

Back again by popular demand....

Business Etiquette Dinner & Effective Networking

Thursday, April 8

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Harry S. Downs Center for Continuing Education

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Alumni Association Calls For Outstanding Alumni Nominations

The Clayton College & State University Alumni Association needs your help in recognizing the University's outstanding and distinguished alumni.

Nominations are now open for the yearly outstanding alumna/us awards from each of the University's five schools, and for the overall Distinguished Alumni Award. The public is invited to nominate any graduate of Clayton Junior College, Clayton State College, or Clayton College & State University that he or she feels is deserving of this honor.

See your favorite alumna/us recognized! Nominations are due to Clayton State's Office of Alumni Relations by Mar. 15. Please call (770) 961-3580 for a nomination form.

All nominated individuals will be recognized at the Alumni Association Annual Meeting and Dinner on Apr. 22. The keynote speaker at this year's Meeting and Dinner is Secretary of State Cathy Cox. Festivities include a 6:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. reception in the Harry S. Downs Center for Continuing Education Spivey Board Room, immediately followed by a 7 p.m. buffet dinner in the Downs Center Atrium. For more information or to make reservations, call (770) 961-3580. ■

Clayton State to Host Course On Mass Fatalities Incident Response Planning

It's a subject of special urgency in post-911 America...disaster planning and how to deal with a mass fatalities incident. In response to this urgency, the Division of Continuing Education at Clayton College & State University will host a special course on Mass Fatalities Incident Response Planning in the University's Harry S. Downs Center for Continuing Education from Mar. 29 to Apr. 1.

The course, offered by the National Mass Fatalities Institute, is tuition-free thanks to a grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. It will cover the essential elements of planning for response to a mass fatalities incident, and is designed to assist local jurisdictions and private sector organizations in developing an effective plan for response and recovery following such an incident.

The course will educate 50 participants from the following professions: medical examiners/coroners; mental health providers; government professionals and officials; emergency management agencies; and funeral service, military, and disaster response organizations.

For more information, contact Terri Brennan in Clayton State's Division of Continuing Education at (770) 960-4207 or via e-mail at TerriBrennan@mail.clayton.edu ■

Dr. Jonathan Lindzey...at Home at the Zoo?

by Lauren Baker, University Relations

He may be teaching at Clayton State, but he's also at home in the zoo. Clayton State welcomes Assistant Professor of Biology Dr. Jonathan Lindzey, expert in zoology, reproductive endocrinology and physiology.

A resident of Peachtree City, Lindzey presently teaches human anatomy and physiology at the University, and instructs labs for two courses: principles of biology, and human anatomy and physiology. He also acts as advisor to students in Clayton State's biology program.

Lindzey holds two degrees in zoology, a B.A. from the University of California-Berkeley (1983) and a Ph.D. from the University of Texas (1990). Prior to teaching at Clayton State, Lindzey served as assistant professor of biology at the University of South Florida where he taught upper division undergraduate, graduate, and advanced graduate courses.

Active in his field, Lindzey's current research involves mechanisms by which estrogens and androgens regulate the hypothalamus and pituitary, and anthropogenic influences on endocrine and immune systems of wild-life.

Lindzey has been published in several journals, and has received awards for his research and presentations. His membership in professional societies includes: the Endocrine Society, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and the Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology. ■

Jobs! Jobs! Jobs!

MonsterTRAK - The official job listing and resume database for Clayton College & State University students and graduates. Find postings of full/part-time employment, on-campus student jobs, federal work study, internships, and web posting of resumes at www.monstertrak.monster.com. (Clayton State School Password: Success)

Counseling & Career Services Spring 2004 Seminar Series: <http://adminsivices.clayton.edu/ccs/series.htm> and
On Campus Interviews/Recruitment: <http://adminsivices.clayton.edu/ccs/interviews.htm>

Resume Critique Sessions Offered

Give yourself the edge with an updated and polished resume for this year's The Career Expo. Take advantage of one of the following resume critique sessions to make sure you are presenting your very best.

Resume Critique Sessions are offered:

- Monday March 8 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. (First Day Back from Spring Break!)
- Tuesday March 9 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.
- Tuesday March 16 4 p.m. - 6 p.m.
- Wednesday March 17 10 a.m. - noon (Last Chance: Day before THE CAREER EXPO!)

No appointment necessary for these special sessions.

NOTE: If you are just getting started, we recommend that you pick up a Career Guide that contains resume samples and tips that will help you create a working draft.

Scheduled sessions and Career Guides are available in Counseling & Career Services in Student Center 223.

It's time to prepare your resume for the upcoming Career Expo!

Due to the winter storm closing of campus - the Resumes and the Application Process seminar has been rescheduled:

Resumes and the Application Process
Tuesday, March 9 noon - 1 p.m.
Student Center 223
Presenter: Keith King, HR Recruiter w/ UPS
Learn the do's and don'ts of resumes and filling out employment applications.
Reservations: roxannedilbeck@mail.clayton.edu

Dress to Impress - Females & Males
Thursday, March 11 noon - 1 p.m.
Student Center 223
Presenter: Susie Grindstaff, Independent Sales Director w/ Mary Kay
Learn to make perfect first impressions and to look like a million \$
Reservations: roxannedilbeck@mail.clayton.edu

The Career Expo
Thursday, March 18
Clayton State Athletics & Fitness Center
Currently enrolled CCSU students and graduates of all majors are invited to attend
<http://adminsivices.clayton.edu/ccs/careerexpo.htm>

Research Career Fair (Graduate or Graduating in May - Biology Majors)
Friday, March 19 9 - 11 a.m. & 1 - 3 p.m.
Emory University
Register: <http://emory.hr.emory.edu/fair>

2004 Foreign Service Officer
Written Exam - April 24
(Deadline: March 24)
Register at: www.careers.state.gov
Registration books available in STC-223

The Interview
Thursday, March 25 noon - 1 p.m.
Student Center 223
Presenter: Stephanie J. Searcy, Staffing Manager w/ Accountemps
Be prepared and confident at an employment interview
Reservations: roxannedilbeck@mail.clayton.edu

Hormel Foods Corporation
Thursday, March 25
Interviewing on the Clayton State Campus
Business majors - May 2004 graduates
Interviewing for: Production Supervisors
For an appointment call (770) 961-3518 or email joanmcelroy@mail.clayton.edu
www.Hormel.com

Women For Hire
Thursday, March 25 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Cobb Galleria Centre
Register at www.womenforhire.com

Newton Co. Teacher Job Fair
Saturday, March 27
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Indian Creek Middle School
www.newtoncountyschools.org

Walgreens
Thursday, April 1
Interviewing on the CCSU Campus
All majors
Interviewing for:
1) Retail Management Intern for Summer
2) Retail Management Trainee graduate or graduating Spring 2004
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www.walgreens.com/careers

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BellSouth Midtown Facility
725 W. Peachtree Street
Atlanta, GA 30308
To register and more information: http://www.aaf.org/multi/mosaic_fair.html

Business Etiquette Dinner
Thursday, April 8 6 - 9 p.m.

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Harry S. Downs for Continuing Education Center
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Strategies for The Career Expo 2004

BEFORE:

- Clarify your goals for attending.
- Obtain background information about the companies and the event.
- Prepare an updated, professional resume.
- Target which organizations you will visit first.

DURING:

- Most representatives will be wearing business attire; therefore, you should dress professionally.
- Have several copies of your resume accessible.
- Familiarize yourself with the table arrangement by using the “map” to locate your first choice employers. Maps are available in this program.
- Expect to wait in line at some tables (students are seen on a first come, first served basis).
- Maintain eye contact; speak confidently, giving your name and major.
- Speak clearly and concisely, ask informed questions; take notes.
- Expect to enhance your networking abilities and gather information. You might get a job!
- If the employer seems interested, ask to leave a resume.
- Ask for a business card.

POSSIBLE QUESTIONS:

- Does your organization employ (particular career) ?
- What qualifications does your organization consider when hiring in the field I am studying?
- Do you anticipate much demand in your organization for people in (name of career field) in the next (number) of years?
- What are the employee skills that your company values most?
- What is the salary range for positions in (name of career field) with your company?

AFTER:

- Correspond immediately with selected employers (a hand-written ‘thank you’ or a short typed letter).
- Review your notes about what you learned.
- Evaluate your success!

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1. Go to www.monstertrak.monster.com
2. Click on link which says “Students/Alums”
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4. Select “Clayton College & State University”
5. If an orange box displays, enter Clayton State’s password: Success
6. If you are a returning user, enter your user name and password located beneath the

Tennis Tops Two Top Ten Teams

The Clayton State Women’s Tennis team, currently ranked 17th in NCAA Division II, may be moving up after splitting four matches with top-10 teams in recent action.

The Lakers, currently 6-2 on the year after touring through Florida last week, defeated #6 West Florida 5-4 and #9 North Florida 6-3. The losses came to #5 Armstrong Atlantic State (8-1) and #7 Rollins College (5-4). Clayton State also defeated Francis Marion 9-0 and USC Spartanburg 8-1. Their next match is Mar. 17 at Auburn-Montgomery, while their next home match is Mar. 20 against Georgia College.

Trivia Time

“Layla, You’ve Got Me On My Knees...”

by John Shiffert, University Relations

Model Pattie Boyd must have been something, back around 1968 or 1970. A lot of women have had songs written about them... but only Boyd had four songs written about her, and was married to two of the most famous musicians/guitarists ever to walk the planet — George Harrison and Eric Clapton.

Married first to Harrison, Boyd inspired “Something” and “I Need You.” Married second to Clapton (one of Harrison’s best friends), she was the subject of his “Wonderful Tonight” and one of the signature songs of the classic rock era — Pattie Boyd was Clapton’s “Layla”... while she was still married to Harrison!

The first correct answer went to Todd Birchfield, followed by Jean Myers, Judy Gifford, Dottie Bumbalough (boy, you never know who follows rock music) and Kevin Dixon.

What famous actor served as the narrator on Rocky & Bullwinkle? First correct answer to johnshiffert@mail.clayton.edu gets an all-expenses paid trip to Frostbite Falls, Mn.

Sports Page

Lakers Left Out of NCAA Tourney, Despite Winning 22

Despite winning 22 games, the second most in school history, the Clayton College & State University men's basketball had its NCAA Tournament hopes burst Sunday.

The Lakers received word they will not be one of the eight teams out of the South Atlantic Region, in the 64-team 2004 NCAA Division II Tournament, despite only three of the eight teams from the South Atlantic Region having more than the Lakers' 22 wins.

Kennesaw State (29-4), Francis Marion (25-3), Columbus State (21-8) and Armstrong State (21-9) made the field from the Peach Belt Conference, while Bowie State and Virginia Union were selected from the Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association. Catawba, unranked in the last South Atlantic Region poll, advanced to the NCAA Tournament by winning the South Atlantic Conference Tournament and Lenior-Rhyne received an at-large bid out of the SAC.

The Lakers (22-8) split with both Columbus and Armstrong Atlantic during the regular season. While Columbus did make the Peach Belt finals (where they lost to Kennesaw), Armstrong was slaughtered in the semifinals by Columbus, which dominated throughout the game in winning 89-49.

Like Armstrong, Clayton State fell in the Peach Belt Conference Tournament semifinals Saturday, losing a heartbreaker to eventual champion Kennesaw State 43-39. The Lakers opened the PBC tournament with a 90-56 win over UNC Pembroke, followed by a 66-42 win in the quarterfinals over host Augusta State. ■

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- 7. If you are a new user, click on "Register/Upload Resume"
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