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CE classes may be cure for winter doldrums

Looking for a cure to the winter doldrums? Marshall University's Community College may have the answer—a Continuing Education (CE) course.

The classes—with one exception—will be taught from 7 to 9 p.m. and the registration fee will vary from $25 to $40 depending upon the class selected, according to Robert L. Lawson, Continuing Education director for the Community College.

Secretarial Seminar, designed for secretaries interested in acquiring the Certified Professional Secretary rating, will be offered on Mondays, March 15-May 3, in Corbly Hall 353. Communication and decision making also will be stressed.

Aerobic Dance, taught by Olive Hager of the HPER faculty, will be offered from 5 to 6 p.m. on Mondays, March 15-May 3, in the Women's Gym.

World Affairs, a discussion group lead by Dr. Clair Matz of the MU political science faculty, will be offered on Tuesdays, March 23-May 18, in Smith Hall 437. Discussions of world problems will range from economic disparity and political upheaval.

Greek Cooking, taught by Tina Battis, will be offered on Tuesdays, March 25-April 27, in Corbly Hall 103. The class will include teaching techniques for pastries, cookies and other Greek foods.

Family Violence, offering counseling on how to deal with child abuse or neglect, drinking and incest, will be taught on Wednesdays, March 24-May 12, in Smith Hall 411 with Grant Beauchamp as instructor.

Conversational Spanish, a class for travelers needing basic “survival” skills or those interested in learning a second language, will be taught by Helena Robbins on Thursday, March 25-May 13, in Smith Hall 411.

Ballroom/Disco Dancing will be taught by Jack Austin Thursdays, March 25-May 13, in the Women's Gym. The class is open to individuals or couples. There is a special rate for those enrolling as couples.

Chinese Cookery will be taught by Tina Battis on Tuesdays, March 25-April 27, in Corbly Hall 103.

Wallstreet Seminar students will learn market terminology while discovering investment techniques and strategies. The class, taught by Everett Brown, will meet Tuesdays, March 30-May 18, in Smith Hall 411.

Interior Design, taught by Brad Moore, covers proper color coordination, furniture arrangement and use of vacant space. The class will meet Tuesdays, March 30-May 18, in Corbly Hall 269.

Plant Care, discussions of care for outdoor plants and gardening techniques, will be taught by Darrell Samples on Wednesday, March 31-May 5, in Corbly Hall 212.

Beginning Photography will be offered on Thursdays, April 1-May 20, in Smith Hall 437. Participants will need their own cameras.

Registration are being accepted now for these classes and additional information may be obtained by calling Lawson at (304) 696-3646.
MU faculty and staff achievements, activities.

DR. ROBERT J. GREGORY, assistant professor of counseling/rehabilitation, spoke to the staff and workers of Goodwill Industries of KYOWVA, Inc., on Feb. 11, presenting a slide illustrated discussion of life and work in Vanuatu, South Pacific, where he did field training.

DR. RICHARD O. COMFORT, professor of sociology/anthropology, taught two classes in the annual Education Workshop sponsored by Christian Associates at the Central Christian Church Feb. 26-27. The courses were entitled "Enjoy Living with the Elderly" and "The Best Is Yet To Come–Life After 65." Assisting him was Ms. Sarah Stump, Huntington Multi-Purpose Senior Citizen Center director.

Credit Union meeting

The annual meeting of the Marshall Credit Union will be held Thursday, March 18, at 3:30 p.m. in Corbly Hall 106.

Fisk Singers to appear here

The Jubilee Singers of Fisk University will present a concert at 8 p.m. Monday, March 15, in Old Main Auditorium as part of the Marshall Artists Series' Student Division programming.

Tickets are available from the Artists Series Office, located in Memorial Student Center 1W23, and may be reserved by calling 696-5436 between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. weekdays. Cost of general admission tickets is $4 for adults and $2 for youth age 17 or under. MU students with ID and Activity cards will be admitted free.

Personnel personals.

Ken Chertow, son of Dr. Bruce S. Chertow, professor of medicine, placed second in the West Virginia State Wrestling Tournament held Saturday, Feb. 27, in Wheeling. Young Chertow, a sophomore at Huntington High School, was runner-up to the defending state champion.

Kimberly Blue, Huntington High School senior and daughter of Associate Dean for Student Affairs Kenneth E. Blue, won three first place honors in the John Marshall Forensic Tournament held here last weekend (Feb. 26-27). Kim, who plans to attend West Virginia University, won first place in prose interpretation, dramatic interpretation and poetry interpretation.

Proud of a family member's achievement? Is there a new baby at your house? Is there something else you would like to share with your colleagues? "Personnel personals" is just the place. Send your information to Judith Casto, University Relations, Old Main 102.

Excused absences.

Absences have been excused by the respective college deans for the following:

FEB. 17-22--Women's Golf Team.
FEB. 19-23--Varsity Basketball Team.
FEB. 23-24--Women's Basketball Team.
FEB. 25-27--Men's Track Team.
FEB. 25--Margaret Gibbons, Janet Ripper, Darryl Vance, Elizabeth Comer, Sally Henshaw, Una Jones, Rhoda Meador and Valerie Raudasawa.
FEB. 26-28--Varsity Basketball Team.
MARCH 4-7--James Perry, Alan Hinkle, Gerald Wallace, Cynthia Martin, Twyla Edgell, Rhonda Walker and Leah Clark.

DR. MACK GILLENWATER, associate professor of geography, appeared as a panel member for the Coal Symposia held at the Huntington Galleries on Feb. 28, discussing Coalfield Community Development. Appearing with him were Dr. Randy Lawrence, Coal Museum director, and Dr. Ken Sullivan, Goldenseal editor.


Noted cancer researcher to speak at med school

The former head of the Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research will discuss new developments in cancer research and other topics during a two-day visit to the Marshall University School of Medicine on Thursday and Friday, March 18-19.

Dr. Robert A. Good, currently with the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation, will serve as the Wellcome Visiting Professor in Basic Medical Sciences, according to Dr. Albert G. Moat, MU Microbiology Department chairman.

Good's appearance at Marshall is sponsored by the Burroughs Wellcome Fund, a private, non-profit foundation dedicated to advancement of medical knowledge through research and education.

Good, who was president and director of the Sloan-Kettering Institute from 1973 to 1980, will present the "Wellcome Lecture in Basic Medical Sciences" at 4 p.m. Thursday, March 18, in the Multi-Purpose Room, Memorial Student Center. His topic will be "Diet, Immunity, Diseases of Aging and Cancer."

At noon that same day, he will discuss "Promising Initiatives in Cancer Research" at a Biomedical Science Seminar in Memorial Student Center 2W22.

After appearing at Pediatric Grand Rounds at 8 a.m. Friday at St. Mary's Hospital, he will lead a Basic Science Seminar at noon on "Immunodeficiencies of Man" in Memorial Student Center 2W22.

"We are extremely fortunate to have a physician/scientist of Dr. Good's stature here," Moat said. "His lectures will be stimulating and informative experiences not only for the students, but for the science faculty and medical community as well," he added.

Schedule for spring break

The University News Letter will not be published next week during the faculty and student Spring Break. Publication will resume with the Thursday, March 18, issue. The deadline for submitting articles to the News Letter is 10 a.m. the preceding Tuesday.

During Spring Break, the James E. Morrow Library will observe the following schedule:

Saturday, March 6 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday, March 7 CLOSED
Monday - Friday, March 8-12 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, March 13 CLOSED
The library will resume regular schedule Sunday, March 14.