

Student Support Services Spotlight

June 2008

Southwestern Community College

Director's Message

Welcome to summer session 2008!

If you are attending first or full session, you have surely noticed the different academic "pace" that comes with being a summer student. Be sure to stay on top of your studies! Use the LAC regularly and/or participate in the math 060/070 and 140 tutoring sessions that are being offered. Don't hesitate to call on us when you need us. We are here all summer and stand ready to serve you.

If you live outside of Jackson County, be sure to speak with one of us ASAP about the Golden Leaf Scholarship that is up for consideration during fall semester.

Thanks for including us in your educational journey!

Cheryl

Reminders

- Summer Semester: all SCC offices, open labs and services will **close at 12 noon on Fridays**.
- Check in with your SSS advisor on a regular basis. We want to know how you are doing.
- Check your mailbox in the SSS office weekly. All information, announcements, and sometimes a surprise will be placed in your box.
- It is not too late to apply for Pell Grant funds. Pick up your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) today.

Important Days Ahead

June

- 12: Last day to withdraw—**1st Session**
- 23: Classes End—**1st Session**
- 24: Registration—**NO CLASSES**
- 25: Classes Begin—**2nd Session**
Full Session classes continue
- 25-26: Drop/Add—**2nd Session**
- 27: Commencement Applications Due

Cultural Enrichment

"The process of studying and creating art in all its distinct forms defines those qualities that are at the heart of education reform ~ creativity, perseverance, a sense of standards, and, above all, a striving for excellence."
Richard W. Riley, former US Secretary of Education

Coming Soon!

A night out under the stars... camping Student Support Services-style!

Tentative Dates: Thursday/Friday, June 26 & 27

Must sign up by: Thursday, June 12

If we have 8 students, we will go!

Pitch a tent, take a hike, swim in the lake, socialize, and relax around the campfire roasting marshmallows.

Experience
summer semester's
Cultural Enrichment



IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT CULTURAL ENRICHMENT TRIPS

Sign-up is required for each event. Sign-up sheets are posted in the SSS office. All return times are approximate. These programs are provided FREE of charge to you. If you sign-up for a program and fail to show-up, you are required to skip the next trip.

Service Learning Volunteer Opportunities



Coordinator: Peter Buck, ext. 243

Adopt-A-Highway

Beauty...

Math...

Recycling!



Find an answer to the Question:
*How many bottles laid end to end
can fit in a space that is 5 feet
wide and 3 miles long?*

Make the North River Road glow.
Save the environment.

Tuesday, June 10th ~ 1:00 to 4:00
Adopt-a-Highway

Meet at Student Support Services

*Want more information? Contact:
Peter Buck at ext. 243.*

Student Information

How to get in touch with us:
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VISIT US ON THE WEB! WWW.SOUTHWESTERNCC.EDU/SSS



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Tutor Information

Tutor Coordinator: Marti Hunter, ext. 420

College Reading and Learning Association
(CRLA) Certified Tutoring Program

- ⇒ *Support for Students*
- ⇒ *Success in Learning*
- ⇒ *Tutoring Makes a Difference*

Academic Support Groups Available

MAT 060

MAT 070

MAT 140

NUR 103

Contact Marti for more information
800-447-4091, x420

Don't forget about...



Sm@rthinking is available to all SCC
students and offers **online tutoring**
assistance anywhere, anytime ...

24 hours a day!

For more information or help with
logging on to **Sm@rthinking**, see Marti
Hunter or Toni Knott in the LAC.

Link: www.smarthinking.com

The Macon Campus
Learning Assistance Center (MC-LAC)
offers assistance in English, math and
the sciences. Check the **MC-LAC**
schedule posted at the center.

NOTICE: If you have a strong expertise in an
academic subject area (grade A or B and 3 fac-
ulty references) and would like to assist fellow
students, see Marti about becoming part of the
SCC CRLA certified Tutoring Program.

