Message from the Director

For the second year in a row our Graduate Assistant has received the Outstanding Graduate Assistant Award in the College of Health, Education and Human Development. I’m sure each of you join me in congratulating Aaron Temples on this award and thanking him for his hard work on our behalf last year. Aaron has accepted a teaching position in Greenville.

Several of you have encountered some computer glitches lately so let me offer a few reminders. You must have a valid Clemson userID in order to participate in special offers for faculty such as the computer Big Buy. Even though you are an emeritus faculty member, you cannot “log on” without a Clemson user ID. You can check email through a different server such as Bellsouth.net or AOL but you cannot “log on” to the Clemson site. If you do not have a Clemson userID and want one, contact Sandra Shands, 656-8102. SHS@clemson.edu.

Also, remember that passwords must be changed on a regular basis. You will receive a reminder notice from CCIT when your password is about to expire. If you do not regularly check your account, it may expire and be discontinued without your knowledge. If this happens, contact Sandra Shands or the Emeritus College Office.

Diane

Huey to Chair Advisory Board

Dr. Cecil Huey, Jr., Professor Emeritus of Mechanical Engineering was elected Chair of the Emeritus College Advisory Board at the spring board meeting. He succeeds Dr. Lucy Rollin, Professor Emerita of English. As Chair of the Advisory Board, Dr. Huey will lead the Board in providing advice and counsel to the Director on programming and matters relating to the Emeritus College. Dr. Huey brings a wealth of knowledge, expertise and leadership to the role. Dr. Paul Zielinski, Professor Emeritus of Civil Engineering was elected Vice-Chair/Chair Elect.

In other board business, there was discussion of implementing the new membership categories outlined in the bylaws. There was also continued discussion of space issues and a home for the Emeritus College. (See related article on page 2.)
What’s New?

Distinguished Emeriti Award

The Distinguished Emeriti Award will be presented during Emeritus Day on October 7, 2008. The award will recognize an outstanding emeritus whose contributions to academia, the University, the community and mankind have continued beyond retirement. For more information and/or to nominate an individual for this award, visit the Emeritus College web site.

Emeritus College Represented on United Way Panel

Emeritus Jack Stevenson will represent the Emeritus College on the 2008 Agency Allocations Panel for the United Way of Pickens County. We appreciate being asked to participate in this important task and know that Jack will represent us well.

And many thanks to all who contributed to the United Way Campaign. The Emeritus College raised over $5000 for last year’s campaign!

Emeritus B.L.O.G.

The next Emeritus B.L.O.G. will be held Thursday, August 21, 10:00 - 12:00 at McClure’s Bookshop in Clemson. The theme will be Clemson’s Freshman Summer Reading Program. We will discuss the concept of a Summer Reading program as well as works by this year’s author, Ron Rash. For a list of books by Ron Rash as well as all previous Summer Reading books, visit our web site.

Emeritus Day

Our third annual Emeritus Day on Campus will be Tuesday, October 7 at the Madren Center. This year we will take professional portraits of all emeriti to be placed in the University Archives.

The luncheon speaker will be Dr. Gail DeSabatino, Vice President for Student Affairs. During the luncheon we will have a slide show of pictures from the Emeritus College photo gallery. We will also present the first Distinguished Emeriti Award.

Upcoming Events

The No Power Point Seminar

Mark your calendars for the second season of the popular No Power Point Seminar. On Thursday, September 18, Dr. Dave Woodard, Named Professor in Political Science will give us his analysis of the upcoming Presidential Election. Join us for lunch and this hot topic at the New China Supper Buffet.

SPECIAL FEATURE: Hopewell House

Built in 1785 by Revolutionary War General Andrew Pickens, Sr., Hopewell House stands at Cherrys Crossing on the Cherry Farm owned by Clemson University. General Pickens married Rebecca Calhoun, cousin of John C. Calhoun. Their 12 offspring included former Lieutenant Governor Ezekiel Pickens, and former Governor Andrew Pickens, Jr. The house, which is on the National Register of Historic Places, was one of several homes Pickens built in the southeast. The Emeritus College is currently in discussion with University administration concerning the possibility of the College occupying and being responsible for restoration of the House. For more information, contact the Emeritus College office.

In Remembrance

Ronald J. Kopczyk
Professor Emeritus Engineering
1939-2008

Eugene F. McClain
Professor Emeritus Agronomy and Soils
1927-2008

Col. Hugh W. Webb
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1920-2008

Joseph L. Young
Professor Emeritus Architecture
1925-2008
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Friends of the Emeritus College

Emeritus Bob Edwards contemplates another Emeritus Night activity!
Emeritus Bill West and wife Sharon are all smiles.
Emeritus Jerry Waddell and wife Pam are ready for the concert.
Emeritus Jim Polk takes notes during the No Power Point Seminar held in April.

Ann Beyerlein, Emeriti Adolph Beyerlein and Jim Fanning, Sybil Fanning and Betty Rudisill pose for the camera during Emeritus Night.

Emeritus John Spragins and wife Catherine await curtain call.

Participants at the first Emeritus B.L.O.G. included: Emeriti John Butler, Jerry Reel, Dick Klein, Joe Allen along with Edmee Reel and Emeritae Lucy Rollin and Rameth Owens.

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- Clint Whitehurst
- Emily Wiggins

in Memoriam
- David Maxwell by Susan Maxwell
Calendar of Events

July ........................................... Newsletter
August 19..................... Victor Hurst Convocation
August 21 .................Emeritus B.L.O.G.
September 16.............Emeritus Advisory Board
September 18 ..........No Power Point Seminar
October.................................Newsletter
October 7..................Emeritus Day on Campus

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