



The Bent Tree

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Jobs, Jobs, Jobs...

Delta Air Lines announced in mid-December a new, experimental program with CSC which offers college students a chance to earn part-time wages and certain travel opportunities while giving Delta access to a dependable, computer-literate, constantly renewed work force.

The program calls for up to 150 students to staff four-hour shifts Monday through Friday, from 10 a.m. until 10 p.m., at reservations agent positions located on the CSC campus. The students will handle two tasks: teletype rejects - messages from other airlines that can't be handled by computer and require manual input - and customer calls to Delta's flight information line

that request a non-computer response. The program would begin in January in space leased to Delta in the CSC Student Center on the Morrow campus.

"Moving these routine jobs from our highly-trained reservations sales agents' duties to other personnel will increase our regular agents' productivity and revenue generation while offering a unique opportunity to college students," said Maurice W. Worth, Delta's senior vice president - personnel.

"Currently, up to 150 agents each day throughout Delta's world-wide reservations system are removed from their primary sales function to take 5,000 to 10,000 non-sales calls from our voice response unit, or to work teletypes. We



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Delta Air Lines Reservation Center at Clayton State College

(l-r) Maurice Worth, Senior Vice President of Delta; Vicki Escarra, Vice President-Reservation Sales of Delta; Dr. Richard A. Skinner, President Clayton State College.

want to get those valuable agents back to their primary job — selling seats for Delta," Worth added.

"We see this kind of cooperation with business and industry as mutually beneficial to all parties," said Dr. Richard A. Skinner, President of CSC. "Our students will gain valuable on-the-job training, increase their intrapersonal communications skills as well as receive valuable financial help for their educational needs while Delta is able to remove routine tasks from highly-trained

reservations sales agents."

Delta will renovate the CSC facility to meet the new office needs and will equip the office with computers and furniture. Training of the new agents is expected to take between two and three weeks.

The College will seek and screen potential candidates and notify Delta if any agent's grades drop below a 2.0. Delta will select student agents from among those suggested by the College and will provide supervision and sup-

plies.

"We will carefully evaluate the Clayton State College program for its potential at other colleges," said Worth.

Delta and the Delta Connection carriers operate more than 5,000 flights each day to 305 cities in 48 states and 32 countries around the world. Delta is the official airline of the 1996 Olympic Centennial Games in Atlanta.

CONGRATULATIONS TO CSC BASKETBALLER JASON SCOTT WHO SET A SINGLE GAME NAIA RECORD VERSUS SOUTHERN WESLEYAN COLLEGE ON DECEMBER 10. HE BLOCKED 19 SHOTS!!!

More Opportunities For Employment...

Winter 1995 Recruitment Schedule

CSC Job Placement & Cooperative Education Room D-208 (404)

961-3518

Jan. 4	Roadway Package Systems	Cafeteria 9 AM - 2 PM	Package Handlers P/T Tuition Asst.
Jan. 5	United Parcel Service	Cafeteria 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM	Loaders/Unloaders P/T \$8 hr
Jan. 9	Roadway Package Systems	Cafeteria 9 AM - 2 PM	Package Handlers
Jan. 10	Hooters	Cafeteria 9:30 AM - 12 PM	Hooter Girls
Jan. 11	United Parcel Service	C-Lobby 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM	Loaders/Unloaders P/T \$8 hr
Jan. 12	Olsten Staffing	Cafeteria 10 AM - 1 PM	Clerical, Industrial
Jan. 13	Governor's Internship	D-208 Sign Up In Advance For Interview Time	All Majors Jr. or Sr. Level
Jan. 17	United Parcel Service	C-Lobby 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM	Loaders/Unloaders P/T \$8 hr
Jan. 20	State Merit Test	CE-203 Sign Up In Advance For Interview Time	Clerical Testing
Jan. 25	Roadway Package Systems	C-Lobby 9 AM - 2 PM	Package Handlers P/T Tuition Asst.
Jan. 26	United Parcel Service	C-Lobby 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM	Loaders/Unloaders P/T \$8 hr
Feb. 2	Olsten Staffing	Cafeteria 10 AM - 1 PM	Clerical Industrial
Feb. 23	Olsten Staffing	Cafeteria 10 AM - 1 PM	Clerical Industrial
Mar. 7	Kroger Career Day	CE-Building	Grocery Positions

Student Disabilities Group Hoping To Get Started

by Linda Newton,
Student Freelance Submission

Hi!

My name is Linda Newton and I would like to form a new group here at Clayton State. A support group for students with disabilities of any kind. Such disabilities as hearing, vision, mobility, strength, learning, size, or handedness. In other words anything which causes you a problem here at school.

So if you have a problem or would like to support those who do please contact me at sl/new4q1 or call 404-228-5767. I hope to hear from you soon so that we can have a meeting soon after winter quarter begins.

Lion King Comes to CSC

The Lion King, the Disney Studio's smash hit for 1994, comes to Clayton State on January 13. The animation, as always, is unequalled and the story will delight "kids of all ages", (although some critics, and parents, felt this film was too intense for the youngest family members). Elton John and Tim Rice did a great job of collaborating on a top-flight sound track that has spanned a couple of top pop hits this past year. So far, *The Lion King* has grossed over a quarter billion dollars at the box office but it won't cost you and your family anything additional to attend (unless, of course, you wish to participate in the quarterly Family Night Dinner activity scheduled for 6:30 p.m. in the beautiful atrium of Clayton State College's Continuing Education Center).

Screenings of *The Lion King* will take place at 12:30, 8:30, and 10:00 p.m. in room G-132. A 7:30 p.m. screening will take place in CE-101 (adjacent to the atrium) following the Family Night Dinner.

Family Night Dinner Scheduled

On Friday, January 13, you (and your family) are invited to participate in a full evening of food and fun. The Family Night Dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m. and dinner will be served until 7:00 p.m. Shortly after 7:00 p.m. there will be drawings for several prizes ranging from a compact disc to movie posters. All dinner participants will receive a prize ticket with their dinner.

The menu consists of barbecue pork sandwiches and/or all-beef hotdogs. Platters include chips, cookies and a beverage. Platter prices are only \$2.00 for a single (pork or hot dog) and \$3.00 for a double (two pork sandwiches or two hot dogs or a combination platter with both sandwiches). Tickets go on sale at the registers in the Food Court, on Tuesday, January 3. Dinner participants will have priority in claiming seats for the 7:30 p.m. screening of *The Lion King*. The screening will take place in CE-101, adjacent to the atrium.



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Ms. Lindora Hubel, third quarter nursing student at CSC, recently received a \$300 scholarship from Southern Regional Medical Center.

Hubel was the winner of an essay contest entitled, "How you can make a difference as a nurse." The winner was chosen by representatives from SRMC.

This scholarship resulted from

an anonymous one-time gift and was to be awarded to a CSC student who lives in Clayton County.

D. Linda Samson (left), Dean of the School of Health Sciences; Agatha Cook (holding check), President of the SRMC Auxillary and retired RN; and Elaine Ridgeway, Acting Department Head for Associate Nursing at CSC presented Hubel with the check.

"PREPARE TO BE AWED!
'THE LION KING' IS A TRIUMPH."
—RUBEN OSUNA (MAGAZINE)

"TWO THUMBS UP FOR
'THE LION KING!'"
—SISKEL & EBERT

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Winner In TLC Contest!

Stephanie Daniel, who submitted the closest guess in the Learning Center's contest, won a \$25 gift certificate for Steak and Ale. The contest was advertised throughout the Center and ran from October 17 to November 23.

The actual answer to the question: "How many individual students used the Learning Center during its first five complete years of operation?" was 10,141. Stephanie's guess was 10,148--only 7 off! Every participant in this contest had access to the same information, that during the '93-'94 academic year the Learning Center had served a total of 3,350 students representing 47.3% of the total CSC population.

464 entries were received in the contest, most of which were entered by regular users of the Learning Center's services. TLC staff looks forward to serving the next 10,000 students and would like to wish Stephanie and her fellow CSC students a very happy Holiday Season.

At Spivey Hall In The Coming Weeks

1/6/95	8:15 PM	Singing and Stringing - Clayton State College Music Faculty in Concert
1/15/95	3:00 PM	Lanier Trio
1/21/95	8:15 PM	Falla Guitar Trio
1/22/95	3:00 PM	Richard Morris , organist
1/26/95	8:15 PM	Evelyn Glennie , percussionist
1/29/95	3:00 PM	Wolfgang Holzmaier , baritone
2/2/95	8:15 PM	Emerson String Quartet
2/3/95	8:15 PM	Paul O'Dette , lutenist
2/12/95	3:00 PM	Thamyris , contemporary chamber music recital
2/14/95	8:15 PM	Clayton State College Camerata: "Love, Medieval Style" - A concert of songs and dances celebrating Valentine's Day
2/17/95	8:15 PM	Quink , Dutch Vocal Ensemble
2/19/95	3:00 PM	Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center with soprano Harolyn Blackwell
2/24/95	8:15 PM	Judy Carmichael , stride pianist

To reserve your **FREE** tickets, call 961-3683 today.

President Skinner Honored By SVHE

Dr. Richard A. Skinner, President of CSC, has been selected as one of 26 new Fellows in the class of 1994 by the Society for Values in Higher Education (SVHE).

A learned society, SVHE was founded in 1923 by Yale Professor Charles Foser Kent. Once restricted to fields of ethics, theology, religious studies and philosophy, membership now extends to sciences, humanities and the professions.

Fellowship in the Society involves the members in national and regional projects intended to fulfill the Society's mission: to promote classroom teaching that illuminates the moral issues inherent in serious inquiry, to reinforce engaged teaching and learn-

ing, to foster community environments conducive to the intellectual fellowship that is the basis of professional and personal development.

As President of Clayton State, Dr Skinner joined a faculty long committed to general education. The foundation of all college programs is a strong general education curriculum designed to enable students to develop communication and critical thinking skills, and to acquire the broad and varied perspectives essential for understanding today's world. Central to the general education program at Clayton State is an emphasis on the indication of each student's progress toward the desired learning outcomes.



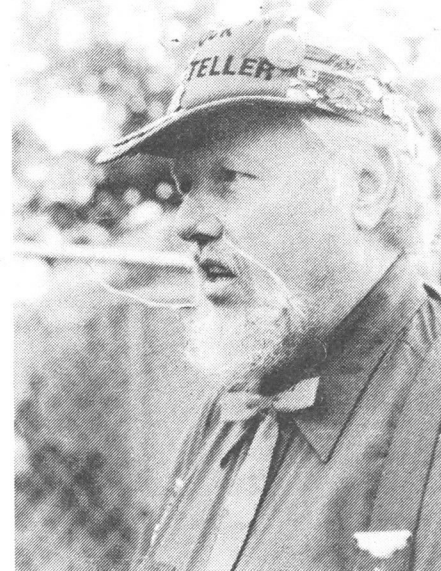
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New Student Officers--The new officers for the CSC student chapter of Phi Beta Lambda, Psi Psi Chapter, were installed prior to the end of the Fall Quarter in early December. The new officers are (l-r) John Sharps of Riverdale, President; Cindy Ward of Peachtree City, Vice President for programs; Cheryl Pierce of Jonesboro, Treasurer; Jessie Caldwell of Jonesboro, Parliamentarian; Maria Williams of Jonesboro, Reporter; and Martha O. Beliveau, Associate Professor of Business Education and Faculty Advisor.

Chuck Larkin Spins His Magic

On Wednesday, January 11, at 11:00 AM and again at 7:00 PM, the Clayton State College Lyceum program will feature Chuck Larkin, an Atlanta-based traditional folk storyteller. His program, "Tall Tales", will make you want to sit back, relax, and enjoy yourself as he spins entertaining tales for an hour in the morning and another hour in the evening.

Sponsored by Lyceum, the series is free and open to the public. Call the Office of Student Services (961-3510) for information.



CLAYTON STATE COLLEGE



Design by Kristy Simmons

KID'S COLLEGE

As part of the fun but educational activities offered at CSC's Kids College program, a contest to design their new mascot was held during the Fall Quarter session.

Twelve children submitted great ideas but the College was able to choose only one, Krista Simmons, a nine-year-old fourth grader at Mt. Olive Middle School in East Point.

Krista was enrolled in the Remedial Reading program and said, "It really helps improve your reading--it's not like regular school; it's easy and it's fun." Krista enjoys drawing and enjoyed participating in the contest.

Each child enrolled in Kids College received a tee-shirt with K.C., the new mascot, on the front. K.C. was designed to be neither male nor female. The mascot wears a CSC Laker's tee-shirt, with a patched jacket and jeans, trimmed in orange, green and purple. Krista was recognized at the closing session for her winning design and her name appears on each tee-shirt.

Kids College is held on Saturdays with two sessions beginning at 9 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Classes to be offered Winter Quarter are Remedial Reading, Math-Back to Basics, Crazy About Computers, Multicultural Moments, Creative Dramatics, Science Enrichment, It's a Wild, Wild World, Creative Writing, and Adventures with Art.

Classes will begin again on February 4 and end March 11. Registration begins Jan. 3 and the cost for each session is \$30. For more information, call The Office of Continuing Education at 961-3550.

Lakers Look Strong Over Last Three Games

The CSC Lakers won three straight, including two games on the road in Florida, before taking a holiday hiatus. The three-game win streak evened the Lakers' record to 6-6 overall after starting the season at 0-4.

The Lakers completed a successful Florida trip with wins over St. Leo College, a 106-71 decision on Dec. 12, and Webber College, a 92-85 victory on Dec. 14. Clayton State's success was due in part to the team's hot shooting from the field. The Laker squad made 61 percent of their field goals over the two-game stretch.

The Lakers, as well as the Lady Lakers, resumed their schedule with a home doubleheader on Dec. 30. The Lakers faced Life College, ranked No. 3 in NAIA, while the Lady Lakers battled Georgia College, an NCAA Division II opponent.

The Lakers fell as many as 19 points behind Life before rallying to a two-point contest with 2:51 remaining. But the visitors scored the game's final eight

points to avoid the upset in an 84-74 outcome. The loss dropped the Lakers to 6-7 before the New Year's break. The Lady Lakers rallied from a 13-point first half deficit and survived with a 90-87 overtime win. The victory improved the Lady Lakers to 5-3 overall and was the first victory over Georgia College in four meetings.

The Lakers resume their schedule, which will not get any easier, when they open conference play on Jan. 4. The team will be home to face nationally-ranked Georgia Southwestern in a rematch of last season's GAC Playoff title game.

The Lady Lakers will have their hands full when they face Lindenwood College (Mo.) on Jan. 2 and Dillard University (La.) on Jan. 3 at the Auburn-Montgomery New Year's Classic in Montgomery, Ala. The squad will conclude the week Jan. 7 with a rematch against Lee College. CSC won the Dec. 9 meeting 81-77.

Atlanta Press Club Scholarship To Be Awarded

To encourage and assist aspiring Georgia journalists, The Atlanta Press Club will award four \$500 scholarships in March to outstanding print and broadcast journalism students.

Two grants will be awarded to students of print journalism at the college or graduate level.

One grant, sponsored by *WXIA-TV, Channel 11*, will go to an outstanding broadcast journalism student.

One grant will go to an outstanding broadcast journalism student at the Atlanta University complex. This award will be presented in memory of *Jacque Maddox*, a pioneering Atlanta broadcast journalist and former member of the Clark Atlanta Communications Arts

Department.

To qualify, students must be in print or broadcast journalism studies working toward a career in news. High school seniors planning to major in journalism, and college students, including seniors planning to pursue graduate studies in journalism in 1995, are eligible. The Scholarship Committee will judge candidates according to skill, achievement and commitment to journalism.

Applications, including two samples of work (clips, newsprints, tapes) and a college transcript must be received by January 15, 1995.

Applications are available in D-223.

Dr. Lam Named Volunteer Of The Year

Dr. O.C. Lam, Professor of Biology at Clayton State College, was named volunteer of the year by the Georgia Recreation and Parks Association at their annual meeting in November.

He was recognized for his 18 years of dedication and unconditional service to William H. Reynolds Memorial Nature Preserve in Morrow, a 130 acre nature area of beautiful spring fed woodland.

Dr. Lam served for 10 years as Chairman of the Board of Trustees, two years as treasurer, and coordinated

many major fundraising efforts on the preserve. He currently is serving as the representative of the W. H. Reynolds Nature Preserve Board of Trustees to the Environmental Fund for Georgia and serves on the Executive Board of that organization.

His time and efforts will have long lasting benefits for the nature preserve as well as through an increase of environmental awareness of Georgia residents.

Dr. Lam was a member of the original faculty when Clayton State College opened in September, 1969.

Scholarship

Philippine Charity Foundation of Georgia, Inc.

The Philippine Charity Foundation of Georgia, Inc. has established a one year, three quarter special scholarship for a Filipino student. Students must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 (high school or college) and must submit an application, two letters of recommendation and a one page essay on the topic "Why I feel I deserve this scholarship."

Scholarship applications are available in the office of the Dean of Students. (Room D-223)

FREE TICKETS TO SPIVEY HALL CONCERTS

CSC students can claim up to two free tickets to Spivey Hall concerts. In some instances there may be a limit on the number of free tickets available. All Spivey Hall events, with the exception of the Music at Noon programs and many of the concerts/recitals presented by the Clayton State College Department of Music, require tickets. CSC students can order their tickets by calling the Spivey Hall box office at 961-3683 or by stopping by the box office in person. Additional guest tickets may be purchased at the regular ticket prices. Tickets must be picked up on the day of the concert. Free tickets not picked up by 20 minutes before the concert will be released. CSC students should present their validated student photo ID card at the ticket office when claiming their free tickets.

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Shades of colors
Shreds of shades
Purple and blue
Light and red
The sky is rainbow
the earth is dead.

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by Zamzam Syed

