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**eNAUTILUS news July 2009**

## **NEWS from the North Carolina Center for Creative Retirement**

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### **Condo Reception & Tour**

You're invited to the Reuter Center on **Saturday, July 18 from 2 to 4 pm** for a reception and showing of the University Terrace III Condominiums which are nearing completion and located adjacent to the Center. Dayle Phillips (developer) and his staff will conduct tours of the facility during; parking will be available at the site for the tours. If interested, please visit their website at [www.uncacondos.com](http://www.uncacondos.com) to familiarize yourself with the project.

### **Y'all Come! Coming Again on Aug 10...**

If you have a passion for a subject you think would make a good College for Seniors course, please join us at an informal social and "idea exchange" event on **Monday, August 10, 4:45 - 6 pm** in room 230. Y'all Come! helps prospective (or new) instructors by creating a focused opportunity to meet with experienced CFS curriculum planners, exchange ideas for new course topics, get advice on course proposal preparation, and related matters. Y'all Come! is sponsored by our CFS Faculty Development Subcommittee in collaboration with the Curriculum Subcommittee. Refreshments served! Please RSVP to Anne Mock, (828) 251-6044 or [amock@unca.edu](mailto:amock@unca.edu). *ALSO, do YOU KNOW someone who might make a good instructor? If so, please tell THEM about Y'all Come.*

### **Workshops**

#### **➤Outdoor Digital Photography**

Register for the Outdoor Digital Photography workshop with Richard Bernabe, which takes place on **Friday-Sunday, August 21-23**. Join fellow photographers to shoot wildflowers on the Blue Ridge Parkway on location at optimal times of the day. You will have the chance to do a sunrise and a sunset photo shoot. Cost is \$175. Contact Janice Banks at 251-6140 for more information and to register.

### **New Manheimer Room**

Those who attended the June 26 celebration of Ron Manheimer's retirement took part in the dedication and re-naming of Reuter Center room 102 from the Chestnut Ridge Room to the Manheimer Room. How appropriate that members and public alike will gather in this room, named for our founding director, for years to come. Next time you are at the Center, note the dedication plaque outside the Manheimer Room.

### Calling All Artists!

If you are one of our talented members who has a passion for art, we need you! The College for Seniors is in search of instructors who can teach pastels, drawing, acrylics, oils and/or water color. Share your expertise with others by contacting Kathy Tempelaar-Lietz at [kathytl@bellsouth.net](mailto:kathytl@bellsouth.net) or Gail Sobel at [gnsobes@charter.net](mailto:gnsobes@charter.net)

### Artist & Writers Quarterly

Wondering whose works were chosen for the summer issue of the Artists and Writers Quarterly? Go to <http://www.unca.edu/ncccr/awq/index.html> to find out. The deadline for submissions to the fall quarter online publication is August 31. Guidelines may be found on our website. Writers, photographers, artists of all genres are invited to participate.

### New Fee Structure for College for Seniors Health & Wellness Courses

Those of you who are interested in taking our Health and Wellness courses should note that we are changing the way we charge for these courses. College for Seniors pays instructors when we require they be certified to teach. This certification is necessary to insure our members' safety and well-being. Starting this fall, members who wish to take a course from a certified instructor (e.g., yoga, t'ai chi) will pay an additional \$20 per affected course. Courses affected by this change will be designated in the fall catalog with a "\$20" symbol, and there will be a space on the registration form to enter your additional fee. We are committed to bringing you the best curriculum possible with the best instructors we can find. We hope you will realize that, even with this additional fee, CFS is still a tremendous bargain!

### SIG News

➤Creative Singles SIG: More information: Ed Stagl at [edstagl@bellsouth.net](mailto:edstagl@bellsouth.net)

➤EQUATE SIG: The Math Equation Thinking Game is off to a great start! Each Friday, 2-4 pm, teams match mathematical wits in a fun game that plays just like Scrabble but with numbers. So if you love math, or just like it, come join us and be part of the solution! More information: Jacob Cohen, [jacobcohen@charter.net](mailto:jacobcohen@charter.net), 828 691-0320

➤Reuter Center Rollers SIG: (Lane bowling at the bowling center off Tunnel Road) No commitment so come and try it! Free shoes and balls. Bowl 1, 2, or 3 games @ \$2.50 per game. Every Monday beginning at 1:20 pm. Come out to the bowling alley on Kenilworth Road or contact Jan Guichard, 828-253-8776 or [lifebeings70001@yahoo.com](mailto:lifebeings70001@yahoo.com).

➤NEW Skeptical Inquirers' SIG: Join us on Friday, July 17 and on 2<sup>nd</sup> Fridays at 1:15 pm. This is the first meeting of our new SIG. This week we will talk about "What are the origins of morality?" This SIG is intended as a forum for those interested in the critical examination of fundamental issues concerning our place in the universe. It is a "safe-zone" where individuals can freely explore and share their own unique perspectives on the meanings of humankind. Be prepared for discussions that may challenge and broaden your values and belief systems. The focus will be on analytical, judicious, and skeptical probing of questions. More information: Greg Schramek, 505-2816, [murtledad@aol.com](mailto:murtledad@aol.com).

### Get Involved! Volunteer News

*One of the special reasons* for the ongoing success of the NCCCR is the extensive involvement of our members, creating a unique community. Over 400 members currently volunteer their enthusiasm and expertise at the Center, working in conjunction with 10 permanent staff members. In an effort to recognize volunteer efforts and to inform our members of volunteer needs, we present the Volunteer News section of the eNautilus. If you would like to get involved and wonder how to do so, please contact **Volunteer Coordinator Michelle Rogers at 250-3871 or [mrogers@unca.edu](mailto:mrogers@unca.edu)** .

July is the time of year that we thank Center members who serve on both our outgoing 2008-09 Center Steering Council and our incoming 2009-10 Center Steering Council. **Larry Haas, Becky Welch and Doug Williams** are moving on to other interests and commitments, and we sincerely thank them for their service. We are grateful to **Doug Agor, Bob Davis, Jan Guichard, Wayne Jewsbury, Barry Mundt, Sheila Murphy, Dick Murray, Gary Schenk, Mike Sena, John Tempelaar-Lietz, and Shirley White** for continuing on the CSC another year. And we welcome **Nancy Mathewson, Jacque Morgan, Sally Mundt, Anita Shields and Fred Teach** who are new members of the CSC.

The Center Steering Council began in 2002-03 as the governing body of the Center, which provides input on Center policies, procedures, operations and programming. More specifically, this group and their committee members handle Center marketing, finances, planning, membership and outreach along with all the programs that most of our members know and love.

This particular group of CSC volunteers have a unique challenge as they guide the Center through a major transition: the retirement of two longtime Center leaders, Ron Manheimer and Denise Snodgrass, and the search for a new executive director in coming months. Their input and dedication is more valuable than ever, for which we are extremely grateful. If you see any of these fine leaders at the Center, please congratulate them on a job well done.

**Check out this NEW OPPORTUNITY to get involved:**

Join other Center members who are serving on our team for the **United Way Day of Caring on Thursday, September 3**. This day of service is a community-wide effort throughout Asheville to bring groups of volunteers together with organizations in need. Last year our Day of Caring team helped beautify the grounds of Johnston Elementary School in West Asheville. At this time we are waiting to be assigned a project; if you are interested in learning more, please contact Michelle Rogers at 250-3871 or [mrogers@unca.edu](mailto:mrogers@unca.edu). Once Michelle receives this year's project details, she will contact you and at that time you can decide if you are still interested in participating. Projects have various tasks for all levels of ability. This is a great way to have fun with other members while giving back to our community so *please join us!*

For a complete list of volunteer opportunities, please see any Reuter Center bulletin board or stop by Michelle's desk in the office. *GET INVOLVED* -- There's something for everyone!

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