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University Launches New Campus

A Nova University campus at Coral Springs, under the direction of Dr. Wil­

lard L. Leods started classes March 1.

A new semester starts May 3.

Undergraduate and graduate degree courses have been organized by Dr. Leods, former director of Nova's Inter­

national Institute for Planning and Re­

search, and Charles Heinrich, who has been affiliated with New York Institute of Technology at Nova.

Classes will meet at the new Bank of Coral Springs building, 3300 University Dr., where space has been made avail­

able by Joseph P. Taravella, chairman of the board of Coral Ridge Properties.

Temporary offices are located at 9301 Sample Rd., with classes meeting at the Westinghouse Home Center.

“We want to be community-oriented but still academically sound," says Dr. Leods who distributed 2,000 survey cards to solicit information on what courses would be of primary interest to North Broward residents. To get the pulse of the community, he also spoke to numerous local clubs and organizations.

Based on initial public response, the University offered 13 courses the first term, for which 71 students enrolled. Courses included Sales Manage­

ment, Essentials of Marketing, Princ­

iples of Accounting, Functional Spe­

cial, Statistics and Evaluation, Basic Concepts in Mathematics, Essentials of Computer Science, Counselling and Ca­

ree Exploration, Interpersonal Com­

munications, The Modern Novel and Creative Writing, and at the graduate level, Diagnosis of Reading Problems and Contemp­

orary Issues in Psychology.

The courses are organized into eight­

week terms; six terms will be offered within the calendar year. Most classes will meet once a week from 7 to 9 p.m.

Fees are $30 per credit hour for un­

dergraduate courses and $70 per credit hour for graduate courses. There is an additional $10 registration fee and a one­

time $3 application fee.

An annual $500 scholarship fund has been donated by Karl Zeytoonian, pres­

ident of Carl's Pharmacy, for Coral Springs residents attending the new campus.

“We have the freedom to be different and can experiment," says Dr. Leods who expects to attract highly-motivated students. “They will have to work twice as hard with double assignments for the eight-week semester," he comments. “But though it will be faster, there will be no diminution of quality.

Holcombe Named Dean At B.C.C.

Dr. Willis N. Holcombe has been

named new Dean of Academic Affairs for the BCC Central Campus. Dr. Hol­

combe has served the past two years in the downtown Ft. Lauderdale Center as Assistant to the President. Dr. Hol­

combe is well-liked by members of the student body, faculty and staff, which, combined with his expertise in Commu­

nity College Administration makes him well-suited for the position.

Dr. Holcombe and his family are act­

ive in civic and community activities. His wife, Jo, and two young children, Meg and Ben, frequently enjoy South Florida's sunshine and craft exhibits and, of course, swimming.

The Campus Connection is indeed pleased to welcome the Holcombes to the South Florida Education Complex.
BCC Community Services

Every eight weeks the Community College offers a wide selection of continuing education courses designed to serve the needs of the adult community. The continuing education courses include: how to improve your job performance, development of vocational skills or personal development. These courses are double-scheduled. You may choose to take them separately or on a continual basis. The Miniversity offers a great opportunity for people who are interested in learning different dance techniques. It's an activity that can go on and on for a lifetime.

Nick & Gina Beni
Teaching Dance

Nick and Gina Beni have a rare quality — they meet you, gather or separate, you go away feeling good. It could be their mutual zest or their vitality that attracts you to them. Whatever it is, it reaches out, grabs you and holds on tight. The Benis, who live in Sunrise, began teaching in Cleveland, Ohio, close to 20 years ago. Singing is their specialty; they have their own band. Often they include some fancy footwork in their professional routines for condominium parties and benefits along the Gold Coast.

Dancing is a great way to meet new people, to develop self-esteem and its very roots. It's the kind of activity that develops the art of conversation. Let's face it, if you're dancing with someone, you have to talk to him," says Gina. "You don't forget dancing in your year-round activity. You can dance no matter what the weather is. I think dancing’s important to physical fitness. One hour of slow dancing can expend 350 calories. There’s another reason why we like to dance. We think it’s fun," her husband adds.

A wide range of general courses from investments to tennis, care of small animals to landscape design, exceptional (retarded) adults to stone sculpture and photography, golf to public relations — plus many, many more are available through the Central Campus Community Services Office, ext. 228-9.

BCC Miniversity offers courses for Seniors

The Miniversity also offers a special miniversity program consisting of classes and a survey lecture series for senior citizens. The Miniversity provides a comfortable environment for inquiry and self-directed growth for lifelong learners. The Miniversity offers an ideal opportunity for the student who is unable to obtain a traditional campus-based course, for the mother with small children, for the handicapped or hospitalized student, or for the student who has a job conflict.

Miniversity Survey Lecture Series

The Miniversity Survey Lecture Series is designed especially for the senior citizen who wishes to examine an alternating theme. The classes are open to anyone 18 years of age or older.

There are special courses specifically offering a firm grasp on their lives — legally, physically, and mentally. Because of an overflow response, these classes have been double-scheduled.

Classes for senior citizens are geared to meet their special needs. Among the numerous courses are lip reading for adults with some hearing loss, dentistry and how to prevent toothlessness, and a mini-miniversity for Senior Citizens in self-directed growth.

Dancing is one of the activities that will be featured. Their success lies in Nick and Gina’s Beni, whose spirit, charm and grace captivate both the dance floor and its spectators. Surprisingly, they are not dancing in the traditional sense. Instead, they are performing the art of conversation. Let’s face it, if you’re dancing with someone, you have to talk to him. Nick comments. However, they’re not dancing in the traditional sense. Instead, they are performing the art of conversation. You know there are many different levels in ballroom dancing, a person can go on and on for a lifetime learning different dance techniques. It’s like anything else.

Many of our students keep coming back. You know there are many different levels in ballroom dancing, a person can go on and on for a lifetime learning different dance techniques. "You know dancing isn’t for everybody, just like tennis or golf isn’t for everybody, Nick comments. However, many of our students keep coming back. You know there are many different levels in ballroom dancing, a person can go on and on for a lifetime learning different dance techniques. But our statement would be hard to prove since the ballroom dancing classes are consistently drawing capacity attendance. Their success lies in Nick and Gina’s Beni whose spirit, charm and grace captivate both the dance floor and its students.

Career Planning, Job Placement Help Given

The Community College, in keeping with its dedication to serve the community as a viable member of the county, offers a wide range of career service planning to Broward County residents, as well as Broward County residents.

The Center is located on the first floor of Building 11 of the Central Campus, with office hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If you are in need of vocational information, career planning, a job search, or a career plan for yourself or your child, you may contact the Career Planning Center.
Water Safety

Mrs. Janet Thomson has been teach- ing water safety for the Nova-Davie Community School since the school began operating. Prior to that time she was associated with swim programs in the New Jersey area for over 15 years. Janet is married and the mother of four children. Besides raising her family she works part time in the Nova-Davie Community School office. Janet began swimming in New Jersey at the age of three and began competing at the age of nine. She placed first in the competition she held many records for the butterfly stroke and qualified to try out for the Olympic team in 1964. She was named the Outstanding Swimmer for the state of New Jersey in 1964. She received her certificate to teach swimming for the American Red Cross while attending Center College for Women in Hackettstown, N.J. and has been teaching for 3 years.

The Community School offers swimming lessons year round for children as young as 13 months. The oldest student named the Outstanding Swimmer is 82.

Motor Training For The Blind

Dan Zachofsay, instructor of Motor Training for the Blind for Nova-Davie Community School and Physical Fitness for the Exceptional Adult at Broward Community College, first recognized the need for an activity program for disabled children while working at a V.A. hospital during his college years at Long Island University. He continued his education at Brockport State Teachers College where he received a Master of Science in Adaptive Physical Education.

Dan was won over by Florida during a vacation. He was fortunate to obtain several teaching offers and decided to move to Broward County and teach at the Southside Center for the Emotionally Handicapped in Ft. Lauderdale. His goal to provide activity for disabled children and adults has been realized in this community. Being able to communicate with people is a major part of this goal. Creativity is another quality which Dan will share with his students.

Dan's innovative use of homemade materials and junk items demonstrates this creativity. An inner tube of a bicycle tire may be used for stretching exercises. Eye-hand coordination skills can be improved by using an empty plastic milk carton to toss and catch a yarn ball attached to it. Blind students improve motor coordination through catching balls in which bells have been inserted. Dan is presently designing a ball with a buzzer system to allow blind students to gauge distance and direction. A favorite activity for the physical fitness classroom is an exercise involving the use of a parachute which is alternately raised and lowered in a series of patterns by a group of students holding the edges. The flowing movement of the parachute while performing exercises to music produces an interesting view for the student.

Dan's premise that people will get the results they work for is apparent. Both he and the students give to and Dan, "Seeing improvement is the best result."

Interpersonal Communication

Communicating with others is a learned skill which, unfortunately, many adults do not practice very effectively. To improve lines of communication, a new class in Interpersonal Communication

"People today are lacking in close-up skills" are comments Mr. Post who comments on the need to improve lines of communication includes discussions on such subjects as marital situations, friendship and love. Mr. Post has been a prominent psycholo- gist in New York City for the past three years has continued her marriage, family and human relations counseling in Florida and New York.

In addition to teaching at Nova-Davie Community School she has a private counseling practice in Hollywood.

Photography and Graphic Arts

Richard Broekhuizen has been teaching evening classes in Photography and Graphic Arts for over five years.

Before moving to Florida in 1967, Dick attended the State University of New York at Oswego where he earned his B.S. in Education. After teaching for two years in Rochester, he accepted the position of Graphic Arts Instructor at Nova High School where he still teaches. In 1976 he was awarded a Master's degree in Education degree from Florida Atlantic University in Administration of Physical Education. Dick is presently enrolled in a second master's program at Florida International University in Vocational, Technical and Adult Education.

In addition to teaching full time at the high school, he also teaches four nights a week at the Community School and his interests divided between photography and graphic arts. He also serves as adjunct lecturer for FIU, conducting Saturday classes in the same two areas, as well as in curriculum planning.

Dick is presently involved in revising his first textbook published by McGraw Hill and is also preparing a second manuscript for possible publication. Through his publications efforts of "Graphic Communications" he has had the opportunity to act as guest speaker throughout the country.

CB Radio

The current popularity of Citizens band radios offers Nova-Davie Community School the opportunity for yet another interesting area. Courses are offered for Amateur Radio, General and Amateur Radio and Novice.

Robert Hill, an amateur radio operator himself for 20 years (call KJHY and WNBH) instructs both courses. Mr. Hill is employed as an engineer for the Embra items Engineering Laboratories Inc of Ft. Lauderdale. His 71 years of employment with this firm, as well as his long time interest in ham radios, affords him a superlative background for instructing at Nova-Davie.

The entire Hill family is involved with CB radios. Both his wife, Carol, (call WN4LHB) and daughter, Heather (call W4NPT) are ham radio operators. Robert was licensed at the Nova-Davie Community School and received FCC Amateur licenses.

Yoga

Kathy Oliff is perfectly suited to conduct Yoga classes. She has been an ad vocate of physical fitness, health and, particularly, Yoga for the past eight years. The calm demeanor and quiet voice with which she conducts her classes has lured many people to Yoga. No larger in her popularity, classes have increased to four nights of instruction with capacity groups each night.

Kathy is currently employed at the Montessori Children's House in Ft. Lauderdale where she has instructed preschool Montessori Method for eight years. She recently started teaching Sunshine School at Central Baptist Church. In addition, Kathy has been teaching Yoga for two years first at the Yoga Center in Ft. Lauderdale, then Holiday Park and for the last two years at Nova-Davie Community School.

Kathy explains the essence of Yoga in the following way: "With Yoga, one gains long-lost muscles, to lose inches, to gain grace and poise and most of all for the fun of it."

Kathy Oliff is really the belly dancer that she always loved. Her grace and femininity and the enticing and exciting body movements make belly dancing fascinating to everyone. It is a perfect type of dance to introduce to Adult Education. Women study it for various reasons to tone long lost muscles, to lose inches, to gain grace and poise and most of all for the fun of it.

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Folk Dancing

Folk dancing is an art form easily enjoyed by everyone because of its Vitality, values and nationalistic spirit. Dene Gross started dancing at the age of four, performing folk dances with her mother (who is also a professional dancer), for various organizations, benefits and clubs. As a teenager, Dene's time away from school was spent seriously studying dance. These classes included ballet, jazz, modern dance and the specialized Oriental, Far Eastern and Middle Eastern dances. Living just outside of New York City, she had access to the finest teachers and choreographers. While attending New York University she became a member of Actors Equity and danced professionally and off Broadway and on summer stock.

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Dene Gross
The third summer camp program of The University School of Nova University has been set for June 21 through August 13.

In addition to our normal fare of academic fun, tennis, crafts, swimming, and horseback riding," says Headmaster Joe Randazzo, "we have added science and creative writing for high school credit, marching girls and several other innovations."

For the first time campers will have the flexibility of mix and matching their program, he points out. Youngsters will be able to enroll for one week at a time up to eight weeks or, choose, say, one camp for two weeks, and another camp for four. The staff will comprise mainly University School personnel.

Bus transportation will be available as well as an expanded and less expensive lunch program.

Hours are weekdays from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Camp Programs Include:
- Reaching Out - Ages 3 to 5 - A creative and adventure program for young children
- Learn and Grow - Ages 6 to 11 - A crafts and fun oriented, academic experience for elementary age children
- Conquest - Ages 6 to 12 - A remedial experience combining individualized learning opportunities with a full camp program
- Day Camp - Ages 8 to 13 - Sports, arts and crafts combined with a creative approach
- Tennis - Ages 8 to 16 - Individual and group instruction in a day camp format
- Science - Ages 10 to 16 - Offered four weeks only (June 21 - July 16) - A field oriented and creative investigation of the South Florida environment
- Sports - Ages 10 to 16 - Skills development and fun with a variety of sports - basketball, swimming, archery, volleyball, horseback riding
- Creative Writing - Offered four weeks only (July 19 - August 13) - A fun way for gaining high school credit. Qualified high school students may earn high school English credit.
- Marching Girls - Ages 12 to 16 - Offered four weeks only (June 21 - July 16) - Precision and drill, creative techniques of formation marching.

Tuition is $80 per week not including lunches or bus transportation.

For further information call 583-6185.

E. Michael Twist

FORMER TEACHER EARNS PH. D.

E. Michael Twist, a Pompano High School graduate who was among the first students at Florida Atlantic University, is the first candidate to earn his Doctorate in Biology at Nova University. He took his degree in biology with emphasis in microbiology. His doctoral thesis dealt with the role of Herpes virus type-1 (oral) in human primary lung cancer.

Twist has accepted a postdoctoral fellowship at the Institute for Cancer Research in Philadelphia where he will do research on the nucleic acids of cancer viruses.

Camp Conquest

Camp Conquest Will Aid Children With Disabilities

Over 100 children will be able to attend a summer camp program geared for children with learning disabilities, thanks to the joint effort of The University School of Nova University and the Broward Association of Children With Learning Disabilities.

The project, called Camp Conquest, is also being supported by Kiwanians and the Dade County Chapter of the Association.

"We are working with the county to identify children who could reap major benefits from a summer camp situation," says Dr. Marilyn Segal, who has planned the program as part of the summer camp at The University School.

"Over the summer, we hope to serve 120 children who would otherwise not have such an opportunity. These children need a successful summer camp experience to build up their self-confidence and bolster their academic skills.

"For children with learning disabilities three months out of the classroom can put the child as far as six months behind," she points out.

All remedial activities will be conducted on a small, personal teacher-student ratio under the direction of certified professionals. Remediation will be offered in reading, math, spelling, handwriting, fine and gross motor development and perceptual training for children aged six to 12. The children will also use all camp facilities at the school including the swimming pools and field areas.

In order to provide the opportunity for a summer camp experience to as many of Broward counties learning disabled children as possible, service clubs and private citizens are being asked to support a scholarship fund. Fifty dollars provides a full week's camp experience for a child. For information call 583-6185.

NOVA UNIVERSITY SLIDE SHOW AVAILABLE

A new slide show on Nova University is now available through the office of Dr. Richard Bell, director of Facilities of Learning Technology Productions.

The 20-minute color presentation and taped narrative was produced by Dr. Bell with the assistance of Ethel Raddon and photographer Bob Ruff. It covers all aspects of Nova University and may be requested through the Nova Speakers Bureau, ext. 240, or Dr. Bell's office, ext. 211.

MIKE TWIST

Former Teacher Ears PH. D.

E. Michael Twist, a former Chris Craft executive, Twist grew up in Michigan and moved to Broward in 1957. He traces his interest in science to being a "Sputnik kid" and says, "I was sure I was going to be a scientist from seventh or eighth grade, and took advanced science and math classes."

Twist attended Broward Community College and graduated from Florida Atlantic University in 1969, where he later took his M.S. in biology. He has taught at FAU, Nova High School and BCC. While at Nova High he sponsored several Westinghouse Science Talent Search Contest winners, five of whom placed in the top 300 of the nation, and three in the top 40.


Following his postdoctoral study, Twist hopes to obtain an academic position teaching and doing research.

Twist is married to Karen Hopkins, one of his former students, who is studying medical technology.

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