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The Ybor Spotlight

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July 2010 Calendar: What's Happening at Ybor?

July 1-20	"Print III" – YPAB Gallery
July 8	Campus President's Community Forum – 5pm -7pm – Ybor Room
July 9	Job Corp Orientation – 10am-Noon – Ybor Room
July 12	Operation College Motivational Activities – 9am-10am; Noon-1pm – 5:30pm-6:30pm – Ybor Room
July 14	SGA Summer Bash – 11am-1pm – Ybor Campus Plaza
July 31	Fire Academy Orientation – 9am-12pm – YPST 216

Please submit all announcements and information for the newsletter to dliller@hccfl.edu The Ybor Spotlight will be published on the first of June, July and August.

-David Liller, Editor

Print III Highlights Works by HCC Students and Fine Art Instructor

Tracy Midulla Reller

The HCC Ybor School of Visual and Performing Arts Gallery presents the third in a series of Artist/Instructor/Student art exhibitions entitled "PRINT III," a sampling of new work by HCC printmaking students and HCC fine art instructor Tracy Midulla Reller. The exhibit will be on view **June 17-July 20.**

HCC art students presenting in the show are David Diaz, Joel Ellison, Viviana Mayumbo, Ashley Niven, Jasmin Pititto, Brenna Robe, Sarah Schomers and Stephanie Swanson. The exhibit features works that embrace mixed media, experimental and traditional printmaking practices, including etching, chin colle, litho transfers and various monotype techniques.

A full time faculty member of the HCC Art Department, Tracy Midulla Reller received her BFA from Atlanta College of Art in Printmaking and Sculpture and an MFA from Florida State University. She has taught at the University of Tampa and St. Petersburg College and continues to work as a studio artist. Her work can be seen in various venues throughout the US and Canada.

Gallery hours are Monday-Thursday 10am-4pm. Please call the gallery at 813.253.7674 or ckossar@hccfl.edu for details.

Works by Ashley Niven (above) and are among those on display.

Campus President's Community Forum Scheduled for July 8

On Thursday, July 8, from 5pm to 7pm, Dr. Shawn H. Robinson, Campus President of the Ybor City Campus of Hillsborough Community College will host a "Campus President's Community Forum" meeting at the Ybor City Campus in the Ybor Room, in the Ybor Building.

Ybor City Campus President's Community Forums will be held twice each year and will provide the Ybor City community with an opportunity to make deeper and lasting connections with HCC's Ybor City Campus

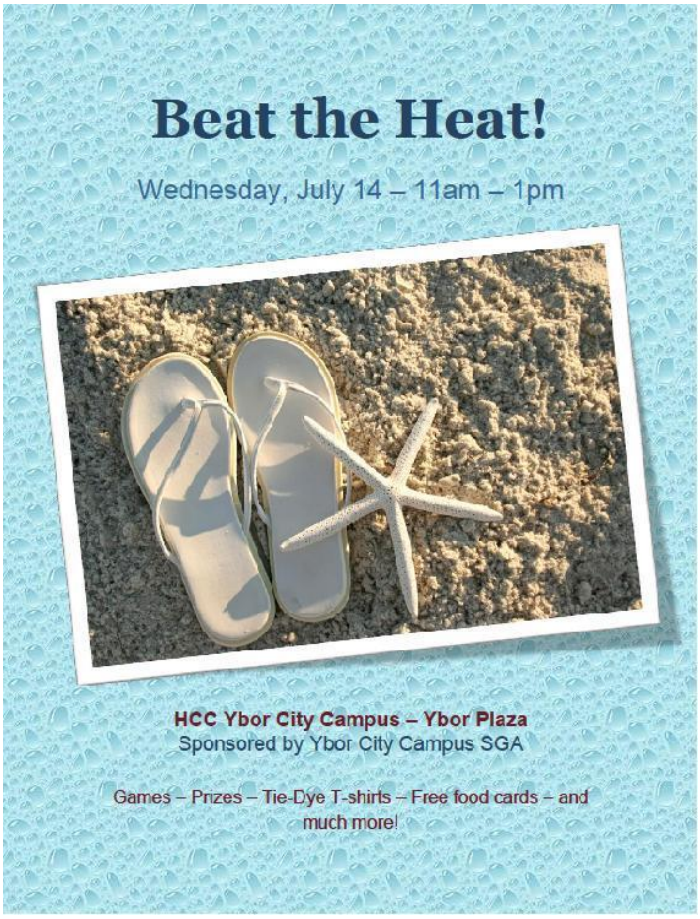
"I encourage our faculty, staff and students to invite anyone in the community who wants to learn more about the HCC Ybor City Campus, and the close bond we continue to forge with our neighbors, to attend the forum," Dr. Robinson said.

Phi Theta Kappa Plans for a Busy Summer

PTK's next chapter meeting will be held on Ybor Campus in the SGA conference room located in the SGA lounge (YFAC 119). The meeting will start at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 6. Attending this meeting would give new members, and future members, insight into how Phi Theta Kappa functions.

Ybor SGA is having an event called Beat the Heat on July 14 and PTK will be participating. The date is a Wednesday, and the event will be held from 11 a.m.(See announcement at right) to 1 p.m. Organizers say this event is going to be a lot of fun, Anyone wants to help out or just show support is welcome.

On July 16-18 the PTK Florida Regional Honors Institute will be held in Sarasota. It is important for our chapter to be as active as possible, and participating in this event is a significant stepping stone on the path to becoming a Five Star Chapter like those at the International Convention this past April. For more information on this and other Florida Regional Events, students can visit www.flptk.org and click "Conferences and Conventions" for details on the event. We encourage as many members as possible to attend this event.



Phi Theta Kappa's next meeting is Tuesday, July 6 at 5:30pm in YFAC 119.

HCC Students, Board Members, Administrators, Faculty and Staff Take Part in Grand Opening

Students needing to register for classes on the HCC Ybor Campus or any number of other services now find help in a "state of the art" building. That building, located on the northwest corner of Palm Avenue and 14th St. (across Palm from the Cuban Club), was officially dedicated on June 8.

A variety of HCC students, members of the college board of the directors, HCC President Gwendolyn Stephenson, administrators, faculty, and staff were on hand for the official ribbon cutting ceremony held at 2pm in the building lobby.

The speakers for the event included Dr. Linda Herlocker, Dean of Student Services on the Ybor City Campus; Dr. Gwendolyn W. Stephenson, HCC President; Rod Jurado, Chair, HCC Board of Trustees; Dr. Shawn Robinson, Ybor City Campus President; Rick Lentz of the design/construction firm Cutler Associates; and Cicely Jeter, Student Government President on the Ybor City Campus.

A ceremonial ribbon was cut following the brief talks by the speakers. After that came a reception in the lobby of the new building, and then tours of the facility.

The Grand Opening of the HCC Ybor City Campus June 8 featured a reception with cake (above) and tours. The event was hosted by Dr. Linda Herlocker, (lower right) Dean of Student Services at the Ybor City Campus. On hand for the ribbon cutting (upper right) were (in order, left to right): Rick Lentz, Cutler Associates, HCC Board Chair Rod Jurado, Board Member Nancy Watkins, HCC-Ybor City Campus President Dr. Shawn Robinson, and HCC President Dr. Gwendolyn Stephenson. Photos by Jeremiah Tatum.