



The Ybor Spotlight

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What's Happening?

August 19, 2008

Fall Registration Event
11:00 am – 1:00 pm
4:00 – 6:00 pm
Courtyard

Sheriff's Office Academy
Graduation
1:00 – 3:00 pm
Mainstage

August 20, 2008

Full-time Faculty
In-service
9:00 – 12:30 am
Ybor Room

Fall Registration Event
11:00 – 1:00 pm
4:00 – 6:00 pm
Courtyard

August 21, 2008

Fall Welcome Back
11:00-1:00 PM
4:00-6:00 PM
Courtyard

August 27, 2008

Blood Drive
Outside Faculty Bldg.

August 28, 2008

Mural and furniture
showing
12:00 Noon – 1:00 pm
Outside Cyber Café &
Student Lounge

Blood Drive
Outside Faculty Bldg.

Showcase of Student Art
Artists Reception,
Thursday, Aug. 28th,
5:00 – 8:00 pm
Exhibits run from
Aug. 14 – Sept. 2

News!

Fall 2008 Semester Begins!

Announcements!



Important Dates for Students!!

August 14 th	First day for transient & cross-enrolled students to register
August 18 th	Summer grades available online
August 20	Last day to register for fall classes without penalty
August 21	FALL CLASSES BEGIN
August 21-27	Drop/Add – Last day for refund.
September 1	Labor Day – Non-class day
September 5	Last day to apply for a degree –Last day to apply for CLAST

Do you know that students have FREE email?
Visit Hawkmail at <http://hawknnet.hccfl.edu>

Visit the new Ybor city Campus website!
<http://www.hccfl.edu/ycaspx>

Need an advisor? – <http://hccadvisor.hccfl.edu>

Need financial aid? – <http://www.hccfl.edu/ssem.financialaid.aspx>

Apply for Scholarships!
<http://www.hccfl.edu/scholarship/foundation.html>
www.collegescholarhips.com

The Café will be closed between August 15 – August 21st.

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Submit news and information for the newsletter to jnolasco@hccfl.edu

Student Services Could Use Your Help!!

Please consider volunteering a few hours during our peak registration period, Aug. 15-27, to help out our Student Services staff members. We'll provide you with training, with an FAQ, and with moral support!

Volunteer assignments might include:

- Assistants in the computer room to help students search and register for class through HawkNet.
- Line-walkers to answer general questions, provide forms as needed, and hand out snacks and water to waiting students.
- Assistants in the file rooms to file and retrieve documents.
- Sign-in sheet monitors to check students in to the appropriate areas and to call students back for service.
- Phone answerers to answer general questions and to take messages for staff members while they serve students in person.

Help is needed during the following hours:

Monday through Thursday, 8:00 am – 7:00 pm (or later, if there are students still waiting for service)

Friday, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm (or later)

Any amount of time you can spend would be a tremendous help. Your assistance will be most appreciated, not only by your student services teammates, but also by our students.

To volunteer, email LaShonda Randolph at lrandolph@hccfl.edu, or call her at 813-253-4680.



Welcome Back Students!!

The Career Resource Center is available for all of your employment related services such as career assessment, job search assistance, resume and interviewing skills workshops, dress for success workshops, on campus hiring events, and much more.

Please join us in the courtyard on August 19, 20, 21, and 25 to welcome you back.

Come visit us in the Faculty Building, Room 104, to find out what events will be taking place monthly.

TRY A NEW MATH COURSE!!

The math department is offering a new integrated math course titled Integrated Mathematics – MAT 0020. This course combines MAT 0012 and MAT 0024 into one semester. Qualified students can enroll in one six credit hour course instead of two four credit hour courses. Students who score at least a 70 on the arithmetic portion of the CPT are eligible to enroll. Call Dr. Carol Zavarella for more information at 253-6078.

Faculty and Staff can EXCEL (Excellence Through Leadership)

Hillsborough Community College maintains its commitment to the development of leadership within the institution by offering Professional Managerial employees, Faculty, and Administrators the opportunity to engage in a year-long leadership program. The Excellence through Leadership (EXCEL) Program was established in 1996 with the intention of strengthening the professional preparation of women and minorities for leadership positions in the Florida institutions of higher education. Additionally, EXCEL provides participants with the skills to make the most of leadership opportunities by sharpening professional and personal skills, assisting with career growth strategies, and establishing networking and mentorship relationships.

Participants are chosen through a selection process. If you are interested in the Excellence through Leadership Program, please call Judy Alicea at 253-7949 for an application. All applications must be **returned to Mr. Craig Johnson, VP for Academic Affairs, no later than September 4, 2008.**

Only applications meeting all of the requirements will be given consideration.



HCC'S YBOR SCHOOL OF VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS SHOWCASES STUDENT ART

Tampa, FL.--HCC's Ybor School of Visual and Performing Arts Gallery will showcase the recent work of student artists Eric Lawson and Laura Mendes

August 14-September 2. These two student artists have been invited to exhibit a variety of media studied in Ybor's Art Department classes. During the past two years both have produced an outstanding amount of accomplished artworks. An **Artists Reception** will take place on **Thursday, August 28,** from **5:00-8:00pm.**

Eric Lawson's focus on fine arts has been comprised of photographic work. Recently his attention has shifted to ceramics. Eric hopes to absorb as much information as he can from his HCC professors and art studies as he continues to develop his own personal style. **Laura Mendes** has studied at HCC Ybor since 2005. Laura works in a variety of media in both representational and abstract formats. Her wide range of interests translates into the need to explore diverse subject matter. Artwork exhibited will include printmaking, sculpture, drawing, painting, and digital photography.

Gallery hours are Monday-Friday, 10:00am-4:00pm.

Join Student Government

Stop by the SGA lounge in the Faculty Building or email Ms. Edna Jones Miller at ejones12@hccfl.edu

The Holidays Are Around the Corner !!

Cindy Green is continually working on the Ybor City Campus Holiday Luncheon and would like your help gathering Christmas tree ornaments for the 12 trees she has accumulated. She needs ice blue, silver, or any other ornaments, garland, lights, tree toppers, etc. that you might like to donate to the college. You can call Cindy at Ext. 7697. She will be happy to come by and pick up whatever you have.

Student I D's

Student ID/Library Cards will be issued starting August 28th after Drop/Add in YLRC Room 201- Library. Bring a photo ID and your HCC student ID Number.

- Free for first time holders
- \$5 Replacement Fee

Join the CAC !!

The Ybor Campus Advisory Council wants YOU!! We meet the first Friday of every month at 10 am in PST 158 during the Fall and Spring terms. All faculty, staff, and students are welcome.