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Donald McCabe, instructor of Management and Global Business at Rutgers Business School, will speak on "Cheating and Academic Honesty" March 20 at the St. Petersburg/Gibbs and Seminole campuses. His appearances are sponsored by SPC's Applied Ethics Institute.

McCabe's talk at St. Petersburg/Gibbs will take place in the Music Center at 11:30 a.m.; he will speak in the Digiitorium at Seminole at 7 p.m.

McCabe is one of the nation's leading experts on academic cheating. His areas of expertise include student cheating in college, and ethical decision making with an emphasis

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A team of three students from the W`Y Yg: [fYU\h]b['5WXYa mk cb' the team division of the "Bounding Up the Bank of America Plaza" stair climb competition in Tampa on Sunday. The hUa`Wja VYX' (&U[\hg'cZgUfg]b'i gi over 11 minutes.

To make the feat even more amazing, John Harr, David Bindshedler and David Sellman completed the climb while dressed in Z`UfYU\h]b[[YUf'UbXWfn]b[gYZ contained breathing apparatus.

This year's stair climb was the second annual, and 200 stair climbers participated. Proceeds totaled about ~+)zSSzk \JWVYbYUHX'h Y5 a Yf]Wb'

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President has a new home

President Carl M. Kuttler Jr. has moved to Annex 3, in the ICOT Center, 6021 142nd 9n] &F @ak'g'p[] `Y\ Z]] f'af'] '=ha]f]]j'ka'f[] 'a'gh]f] \ 'af' *((- &Q_] f] o' d[Ylaf' k'e gj] kna\ 'lg']] hj] ka] f] l' f]] \k\$OkYa' KnkYf' J] a] j\$aj] [lg] g^ >Y[ad] k' h'v' f'af_ 'Yf\ 'af' klantaj' YdK] jna] k&O_] f`] 'e gn] \ 'af'lg'] '=ha]f]]j' o] \ 'af' Yn] '9ff] p'+&OLge '>n] d'f_ \$k] f'aj' na]] hj] ka] f] l' g^: Y[[Yd]nj] Yl' H]g_ jYe k'Yf\ 'Mf' an] jkaq'HY]f] jk' ank'Yf\ ` k'klY'^o' adde gn] 'af'lg']] hj] ka] f] l' 'g]e] j' g'p[] &] a] j' kYa']] j] 'o' adZ] 'gl'] j' e gn] e] f] l' f'go'] 'Yl' '9ff] p'+` YkZ]] f' renovated.

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Five SPC students have been named to the Phi Theta Kappa All-Florida Academic Team.

They are:

- Elona Rrapo, Clearwater Campus
• Sarah DiRuggiero, St. Petersburg/Gibbs Campus
• Michelle Westgate, St. Petersburg/Gibbs Campus
• Kaitlin Reif, Seminole Campus
• Alysia Sailors, Seminole Campus

The chancellor of Florida's community colleges hosts an annual event in Tallahassee to recognize members of the All-Florida Academic Team. This year's event is March 22 at Florida State University in Tallahassee. The students also will visit the Florida Legislature and meet with

state leaders during their visit to the Capitol.

The Phi Theta Kappa All-Florida Academic Team recognizes outstanding students attending Florida's two-year colleges. Phi Theta Kappa is the oldest and largest honor society serving two-year and community colleges in all 50 states as well as Canada, Germany and U.S. territories.

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Penny for Pinellas and other items will be on your local ballot.

Men's basketball team headed to state tournament

The men's basketball team is headed to the state tournament again.

The Suncoast Conference with an 8-4 record, the Titans had to win two playoff games to advance to the state tournament in Marianna under Coach Earnest Crumbley. SPC was forced into the playoffs because it lost two of three meetings with Hillsborough Community College, which earned an automatic berth.

The Titans defeated Polk 90-79 Monday night and then whipped Manatee Tuesday night 111-97.

The tournament is Thursday at 7 p.m. against Central Florida Conference champion Santa Fe. The tournament

is single elimination with the championship Saturday night at 8.

The season ended disappointingly for the women Monday night when they lost to Miami-Dade College 69-32. They ended the season 9-22 and 4-8 in the conference.

The baseball team is 15-7 and opens Suncoast Conference play Friday night at 7 at home against Polk CC at Carpenter Complex in Clearwater.

The softball team is 10-5 overall after winning one and losing two in the Hillsborough CC tournament. The team is at Lake-Sumter Community College today (March 1) and travels to Winter Haven this weekend for the annual Polk CC tournament.



John Smith

Recording artist Joel Schoenhals

Recording artist Joel Schoenhals, associate professor of Piano at Eastern Michigan University, will perform March 16 at 8 p.m. at the Music Center on the St. Petersburg/Gibbs Campus.

His recital will feature the works of Beethoven, Schumann and Rachmaninoff. Admission is free.

Contact Luis Sanchez at Ext. 4360 for more information.

will be no other. The team is at Lake-Sumter Community College today (March 1) and travels to Winter Haven this weekend for the annual Polk CC tournament.

Human Resources Web site

Human Resources Web site at <http://www.spcollege.edu/central/hr/>.

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Business and Technology Job Fair

A Business and Technology Job Fair is March 14 from 4 to 6 p.m. at the EpiCenter.

John Smith said the fair is open to SPC students and alumni. Attendees should dress in professional attire, and bring several copies of their resumes.

Companies in attendance will include Regions Bank, Enterprise Rent-a-Car, Bright House Networks, Tek Systems, Raymond James Financial, Achieva Credit Union, Ceridian, Wachovia, Tech Data, CompServ, Baycare Health Systems, Cox Target Media and the City of St. Petersburg. There will be internship and co-op opportunities as well.

For more information, contact Swift at Ext. 3017.

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The deadline for renting or purchasing graduation regalia for the May 7 graduation ceremonies is March 23.

Faculty and staff who wish to rent or purchase graduation regalia from Follett's Bookstore must provide their name, height (with shoes), weight, and cap size (or head measurement in inches), full title of the degree, and name of school conferring the degree, its home city and state, and contact telephone number.

Orders may be placed at the Follett's Bookstore on your home campus. Those failing to meet the March 23 deadline will be assessed a late charge.

Graduation ceremonies will be at Tropicana Field in St. Petersburg at 7 p.m. May 7. Attendance is mandatory for full-time faculty as well as for full-time administrative and professional staff. UWBX5/ DgUza UHV excused only by submitting a written or e-mailed request to President Kuttler. 5X1 bWgUbXdYVbhcZcUXZWmLFY not required to attend, but are welcome.

Cap and gown questions should be directed to Amy Pelletier at the St. Petersburg/Gibbs Campus Bookstore. Her number is 347-0310.

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The Human Resources Department is asking all SPC employees who have college-supplied a YXJW VYbYUg'hc dfYgYbh'Yf' medical ID cards the next time they visit their medical provider.

This extra effort is to ensure that medical providers have the most up-to-date information when they bill Aetna, SPC's insurance company

"We are asking employees and their family members to show their ID cards the next time they visit their medical provider to ensure they have nei f'a cghfYVbhi=8 WFXcbUYA' gUX Human Resources Services Specialist Cynthia McLeod. "This would also be helpful if an employee had a Qualifying Event that necessitated new ID cards for them and/or other family members."

Taking Care of **BUSINESS\$**

You've heard of W-9 forms, but a UHVnci 'i ghXcb' bck k \U' they are or why they're needed.

The W-9 form is an IRS form called "Request for Taxpayer XbHjUMhcb Bi a VY'UbX' 7YfHjUMhcbI' 6f]YUz]h]ghYZfa' that must be completed to pay someone who is not an employee, and provides to the payer the Social Security number or employer XbHjUMhcb bi a VY' fW' a cb'mi referred to as the "federal ID") of the payee.

An IRS form 1099 utilizing the HJ dUHV' XbHjUMhcb Bi a VY' may be generated every calendar year for payments in excess of \$600, depending on the goods or services provided and the structure of the entity receiving the payment (sole proprietor, partnership, etc.).

Incoming: For the college to dUmUj YbXcfzh Yj YbXcf'a i ghUfgh provide a current W-9 to Accounts Payable. Typically, W-9s are attached to purchase orders for new j YbXcf'UbX'h Yj YbXcf'lg'bhjUYX that payment cannot be processed until the W-9 is completed and returned. The vendor is set up in the PeopleSoft Financials system

and the purchase order can be processed, but the vendor is put on payment hold pending receipt of the W-9. These types of W-9s are considered the "Ins," as they are incoming completed forms and should be addressed to Accounts Payable. Incoming completed W-9's may be faxed to Accounts Payable at (727) 341-3368. Please note that college employees should never complete a W-9 for a vendor because accurate information on the organizational structure UbXUg] bU' fYcZWHjUMhcb' are required. Please contact Kate Wence at Ext. 3298 with questions.

Outgoing: For the college to receive payments from organizations or entities, excluding individual students, the paying organization will typically ask for the college's W-9..the "Outs" (as they are outgoing to those who pay the college). In this case, the request for the W-9 should be addressed to Lori Cragle or Jayne Bray in Accounting at the EpiCenter - Services. Requests for outgoing W-9s should include the requesting entity and the physical mailing address, fax number, or e-mail address. Outgoing W-9s will be sent directly to the requesting entity. Please contact Lori Cragle at Ext. 3305 or Jayne Bray at Ext. 3253 with questions.

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A tour of St. Petersburg's historic Renaissance Vinoy is March 27 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

SPC's Lifelong Learning Department is coordinating the tour, which will include a gourmet lunch. Afterward, participants will visit the exhibit at the Florida International Museum and take part in "Tea In The Garden" at the St. Petersburg Museum of Fine Arts.

Cost is \$59 and includes admissions, bus fare and lunch.

Other upcoming programs for seniors include:

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Experts from Hess Fine Arts of St. Petersburg will discuss timepieces and gems during four separate Tuesday sessions at the Downtown Center March 6-27 from 6-8 p.m. Cost is \$49.

Fireside Chat with President FDR

Begins at the EpiCenter, followed by lunch and then a Rita Hayworth program performed by Quinn Lemley at Ruth Eckerd Hall. The date is March 21 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost is \$39, which includes admission, bus fare and lunch.

Call Ext. 3184 to register or for more information.

