

# The Mariners' Log

Charting the Course Since 1961

A newsletter for the alumni of the College of Coastal Georgia, Coastal Georgia Community College, Brunswick College, and Brunswick Junior College.



## FALL 2021 COMMENCEMENT

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**COLLEGE of COASTAL GEORGIA**

**THANK YOU!**

We surpassed our 150 donor goal for Giving Tuesday and raised over \$40,000 for our students.

Thank you, Alumni, we couldn't do it without you!

We could not do it without our Mariner Family!

**GIVINGTUESDAY**

There's still time in 2021 to support your fellow Mariners. Click [here](#), to donate NOW and Elevate '21!



### COLLEGE UNVEILES NEW CENTER FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP

College of Coastal Georgia announced the establishment of a new center that will support entrepreneurship in the Golden Isles.

"This is a day that we've been waiting for some time," said Michelle Johnston, president of the college. "And the College of Coastal Georgia is the incredible institution that we all know and love in large part due to caring and generous people who believe in our mission, who see the excellence of our faculty and our staff, who care about our students and who deeply understand the role of the college in the community."

She noted that CCGA has made an economic impact of about \$500 million in the last five years, and hundreds of service-learning and research projects have benefited the community as well.

"Art and Lindee Lucas are leading the charge to bring a long-time dream to reality," Johnston said. "How appropriate for the man behind the center, in Art Lucas, to have lived and demonstrated the entrepreneurial spirit for decades — for successful decades."

Art Lucas said he can think of no better place to create an entrepreneurship center of this kind than at CCGA.

"We need more entrepreneurs here in the area, on the Georgia coast," he said.

Entrepreneurship brings positive changes to communities through the creation of businesses and jobs and by adding a richness to the areas they impact, he said.

"We need more entrepreneurs," he said. "We need more kids growing up who are going to stay here so hopefully this center can help implant some of these people right here on the Georgia coast."



### NEW YEAR, NEW JOB?

If you're considering a new career path or new job in 2022, you can reach out to the College's COMPASS Career & Academic Advising Center. As an alum, you still have access to career advising, resume writing assistance and reviews, job leads through Coastal Careerlink, job fairs, and networking opportunities.

Contact the COMPASS Center at 912-279-5717 or email [COMPASS@ccga.edu](mailto:COMPASS@ccga.edu). Alumni have lifetime access to Coastal Careerlink. If you have recently graduated, you can still log in with your student credentials. If you experience any issues, please contact COMPASS to have your account updated.

#### Career Search Tips:

- ⇒ Have a well-written and updated resume ready to go at a moment's notice.
- ⇒ Clearly articulate your soft skills (oral/written communication, professionalism/work ethic, teamwork, leadership skills, critical thinking skills).
- ⇒ Network. Network. Network



### WISHING ALL OUR ALUMNI HAPPY HOLIDAYS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFO [HERE](#) AND RECEIVE A COLLEGE OF COASTAL GEORGIA ORNAMENT WHILE SUPPLIES LAST.



**ALUMNI & FRIENDS**

**FIRST FRIDAY PARTY**

**FEBRUARY 4**  
5 P.M. TO 9 P.M.

1311 NEWCASTLE STREET  
BRUNSWICK, GA.

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

There is always something going on at the College of Coastal Georgia. Here are some upcoming events:

- Winter Break: Campus will be closed Dec. 24—Dec. 31.
- Classes begin Jan. 10.
- MLK Day: Jan. 17. Campus will be closed.
- Alumni & Friends First Friday Party: Feb. 4, from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., 1311 Newcastle Street, Downtown Brunswick.
- Homecoming: Feb. 5. More details to come.
- W. Basketball vs. Warner University, Jan. 8 @ 2 p.m. at Coffin Gym.
- M. Basketball vs. Warner University, Jan. 8 @ 4 p.m. at Coffin Gym.
- Check out the Athletics [calendar](#) for more upcoming sporting events.
- Check out the College of Coastal Georgia [Calendar](#) for all events.

### STAY IN TOUCH

We would love to stay in touch with you. Please tell us about yourself and what you've been up to after college. Update your contact information [here](#).

Questions? Contact [alumni@ccga.edu](mailto:alumni@ccga.edu).

