THE CAROLINA CREED

The community of scholars at The University of South Carolina is dedicated to personal and academic excellence. Choosing to join the community obligates each member to a code of civilized behavior. As a Carolinian...

- I will practice personal and academic integrity;
- Will respect the dignity of all persons;
- I will respect the rights and property of others;
- I will discourage bigotry, while striving to learn from differences in people, ideas and opinions;
- I will demonstrate concern for others, their feelings, and their need for conditions which support their work and development.

Allegiance to these ideals requires each Carolinian to refrain from and discourage behaviors which threaten the freedom and respect every individual deserves.

A CHILD

Give me a child and I’ll shape him into anything.
- J. B. Watson-

NEWS FROM YOUR BOOKSTORES

Students: Have You Completed Your Textbook Purchasing?

The bookstores are in the process of sending textbooks back to the publishers. The last day to purchase textbooks is September 16. We do not want students to be without their textbooks, so please make sure you have purchased your textbooks by then!

FALL 2011 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

September 15, Thursday
Last day to apply for December graduation (BLS Students: September 08 deadline)

October 13, Thursday
Last day to drop without a grade of “WF”

October 20-21, Thursday-Friday
Fall Break, NO CLASSES. Offices Open

November 23-27, Wednesday-Sunday
Thanksgiving Break: NO CLASSES (offices open Wednesday): CAMPUS CLOSED THURSDAY-SUNDAY

December 2nd, Friday
Last day of classes

December 3, Saturday
Reading day

December 5-12, Monday-Monday
Final exams

USC FOOTBALL GAME TICKETS FOR FREE!

Football Ticket Raffle!
The bookstore is raffling off pairs of tickets to the Gamecock’s home games!

Each week, we will hold a raffle for a chance to win tickets to that Saturday’s game! Raffle tickets are 1 for $2.00 or 3 for $5.00! Tickets will be raffled off in pairs! That is a chance to win 2 tickets! Please note a raffle for the Carolina vs. Clemson game will be held all season, with the drawing to take place on November 18th.

If you would like an opportunity to win tickets, come to the bookstore and purchase a raffle ticket today!

One winner each week will be selected in a drawing to be held Thursdays at noon.

ATTENTION STUDENTS, FACULTY, AND STAFF

West Campus:
Beginning Monday, September 12th, the conference center will be open from 6-8 p.m. Monday through Thursday each week to play indoor sports. This facility is only open to USC Salkehatchie students, faculty and staff.

An ID must be presented to participate.
HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS
FAMILY DISASTER PLAN
National Hurricane Center

- Discuss the type of hazards that could affect your family. Know your home’s vulnerability to storm surge, flooding and wind.
- Locate a safe room or the safest areas in your home for each hurricane hazard. In certain circumstances the safest areas may not be your home but within your community.
- Determine escape routes from your home and places to meet. These should be measured in tens of miles rather than hundreds of miles.
- Have an out-of-state friend as a family contact, so all your family members have a single point of contact.
- Make a plan now for what to do with your pets if you need to evacuate.
- Post emergency telephone numbers by your phones and make sure your children know how and when to call 911.
- Check your insurance coverage - flood damage is not usually covered by homeowners insurance.
- Stock non-perishable emergency supplies and a Disaster Supply Kit.
- Use a NOAA weather radio. Remember to replace its battery every 6 months, as you do with your smoke detectors.
- Take First Aid, CPR and disaster preparedness classes.

WHAT’S YOUR GAME?
West Campus:
Whether you want to shoot the breeze or shoot some hoops or just serve up some action, the GROVE is where it’s at! You can hit the courts to enjoy some one-on-one basketball or a game of sand volleyball. SGA has placed basketballs and volleyballs in the West Campus Bookstore for your convenience. Check them out today and get your game on!

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK
If you board the wrong train, it is no use running along the corridor in the other direction.

-Dietrich Bonhoeffer-