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Deadline causes ELC to make changes

Management hopes to ensure its place on campus

by Maury Webber
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With the mid-year deadline to review the notice of termination fastly approaching, the Environmental Learning Center is making changes to ensure its place on campus.

In November, Clackamas Community College issued a notice to terminate an agreement between the college and the ELC which is located on

the campus. The ELC was given a year to make changes in its management and fiscal outlook before the notice could be reversed. In May, the college will review the actions and changes made by the ELC to see if an agreement between the two can be renegotiated. If not, it will be reviewed again in November.

"I don't think we'll take back the notice to terminate in May, but the ELC is making

progress and hopefully by November, we'll be able to renegotiate," said Chuck Scott, Assistant Dean of Instruction and College Liaison to the ELC.

"Some of the changes we wanted to see involved the use of people from correctional facilities and that has been taken care of," Scott said.

"We wanted them to improve their fiscal management, and although they aren't out of the woods yet, they are making progress," Scott continued.

Other changes include

the overall management of the ELC. Former director Gerry Herrmann, who had been on vacation for the past few months, turned in an official notice of resignation recently. The position of director will be filled before it comes time to renegotiate the agreement with the college.

"The ELC has been run by board management, headed by Sandi Fox, for the past couple of months, and they will hire someone to take over the directorship," Scott said.

Scott is encouraged by

the changes being made at the ELC and emphasizes the similar goals set by Clackamas.

"I want to make it clear, the college supports the ELC and what it is set up to do. We have a similar mission and goals," he said.

"The College has had plenty of access to the facilities at the ELC, and we would like to have more oversight in what goes on there," Scott concluded.

Kiser captures Coach-of-the-Year award ... again

by Jeff Adams
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Clackamas Cougars' men's basketball Coach Royce Kiser was recently named NWAACC Coach-of-the-Year.

The Cougars finished the season undefeated in Southern

went on to the NWAACC tournament where they brought home the championship trophy. Kiser said this year's success was due to hard work by his players.

Kiser has been coaching basketball for 28 years, the last 16 years at Clackamas. Kiser has won three championships in his career. In 1968 he led Powers High School to a Class B state championship. Kiser's other two were NWAACC titles here. This is also Kiser's second NWAACC Coach-of-the-Year award. Kiser said that the award is nice, but it's something he really doesn't get too excited about.

"You are only the best if you have the quality players," said Kiser.

The Cougars have won the Southern Conference three

out of the last five years, and have won 27 out of their last 28 league games. Those stats alone have Kiser already preparing for next season.

Kiser said that the team will be losing some quality players, and that recruiting will be a key for next season. "We are one of the only teams left that recruit only in Oregon. That way you can see and know what you are getting," he said.

When asked if Kiser felt next year will turn out as good as this one, Kiser said, "Hard to say. The only way to match it is if we get real quality out of our players."

Kiser is always quick to note that the players are the ones doing the job on the court. But after 16 years and two championships it can't be just the players.



Photo by Chad Patterson
Coach Royce Kiser led the men's basketball team to an NWAACC championship this year, and then received the Coach-of-the-Year award.

Kiser has won three championships during his career as a basketball coach, and this marks his second Coach-of-the-Year award.

Conference play. Kiser noted that to his knowledge, this is only the second time in the 30-year history of the conference that a team went undefeated. The Cougars then

Copy Editor hired at Hermiston Herald

The Clackamas Print Copy Editor Paul Valencia has accepted the Sports Editor position with the Hermiston Herald in Hermiston, Oregon. The Herald is a weekly paper with a four to six page sports section.

Valencia became interested in journalism at age six when he and his father began vying for the sports section. At David Douglas High School, Valencia wrote for the school paper, and upon graduation, entered journalism school through the Army. He spent three years working on two Army publications before coming to CCC in Fall of 1992. His talent earned him the position of copy editor, which he has held ever since.

"I really enjoyed my two years at Clackamas, but I couldn't



Photo by Anjanette Booth
The Print Copy Editor Paul Valencia, refuse this opportunity to start my career. When anybody asks, I'll always speak highly of Clackamas. It was a great start for my education," said Valencia.

Parents and relatives encouraged to 'Take our Daughters to Work'

by Heidi Branstator
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Thousands of girls across America will participate in the second annual "Take Our Daughters to Work Day" April 28, according to the Ms. Foundation for Women.

This event encourages mothers, fathers and other interested adults to take a girl to work with them for one day. The college is participating in "Take Our Daughters to Work Day" by sponsoring a luncheon for participants in the Gregory Forum.

One of the many goals of this event is to help young girls see that there is a place for them in higher education and that they can be successful in careers.

In a study of youngsters in grades three through 12, the

girls were asked to imagine themselves as boys and boys were told to imagine themselves as girls.

"Most of the girls ... felt that their lives would improve if they became boys. They felt they would gain freedom, social status, self-worth and value in their parents' eyes," writes Karen Johnson, author of *Trusting Ourselves*:

The Complete Guide to Emotional Well-Being for Women.

Anna Quindlen, a national newspaper columnist, said that "a survey by the American Association of University Women three years ago showed that "the self-esteem, confidence and expectations of girls go south during adolescence in a much more precipitous way than for their male counterparts."

Staff and students are encouraged to participate in the event and bring a daughter, granddaughter or niece to the college on that day. Interested persons can call Becky Carnahan at ext. 2205 to get printed materials about the event, and to make luncheon reservations. The luncheon is free to participants.

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