

The Chatter

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We have an opportunity to give!

Catherine Bell, a Cox College student, has lost everything in a house fire. Catherine is married with 4 children.

Some ideas are:

- Gift cards from clothing stores (Gordman's, Battlefield Mall, Children's Orchard)
- Gas gift cards (They are staying with family and are having to travel a quite bit more)
- Madison (age 4)-has lost all her toys: she likes Disney Princesses toys and Lego's.
- Monetary donations would be greatly appreciated!

I pray we all will help in some way! You can distribute these items to me, and I will see that Catherine gets them. Catherine is a nursing student in the ASN program.

Trisha Wagner

Clothing sizes:

Catherine: size 13 jeans, L or XL shirts
16 yr old: size 9 jeans, L or XL juniors shirts
13 yr old: size 5 jeans, M juniors shirts
4 yr old: size 5/6 pants, 6 shirts
Husband: size 34/34 jeans, and XL shirt

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Congratulations to Lysandra Harmon and Elise Koech for winning the "Nothing Is Impossible" Student Award !

Cox College Core Value: "Nothing is Impossible" means we believe in working together, taking reasonable risks, and daring to change so that the impossible becomes possible.

The winner(s) bring this core value to life. It may be a student who has struggled but persevered to understand a concept , a student who has overcome all obstacles to be successful at Cox College, or students who have taken risks to advocate for themselves, patients and/or peers. The goal is to recognize students who demonstrate behaviors demonstrating the core value that "nothing is impossible."

Tutors Needed!!

Academic Resource Center is seeking qualified and reliable tutors. If you have at least a 3.0 GPA and received either an A or B in a class, you are qualified to be a tutor. We need tutors who are willing to make tutoring sessions part of their weekly schedule on a consistent basis. Tutoring is a great way to help your classmates and make some extra cash! We would love to have you!

If you are interested, please contact studentservices@coxcollege.edu.

Classes of highest need:

Nurs 100

Nurs 105

Math 100

Anatomy

Chemistry

I am also looking for a tutor for NRSI 212 and 213. (Mental Health and Peds)

We have a new tutor!

Hello students,

My name is Shawnda VanWinkle and I am looking forward to working with you this semester. I am a Critical Care nurse and will be providing weekly review sessions for the following classes:

Nurs 106– Mondays 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. in B3 and Fridays from 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. in B2.

Nurs 206– Mondays 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. in B3 and Fridays 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. in B2.

Nurs 208– Mondays 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. in B3 and Fridays 12:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. in B2.

Nurs 210– Mondays 12:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. in B3 and Wednesdays 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. in 4B.

These weekly sessions will reinforce lecture and are a great way to work out test anxiety. They will begin the week of March 15th. Each session begins with a quick progressive review of material and is designed to help you assimilate information versus memorize and repeat. All are welcome, however, each class will have its own day and time for review and is subject specific. Please bring materials you would bring to lecture with you. I look forward to working with you.

Shawnda Vanwinkle

Welcome our new faculty!

Hello, my name is **Jason Young**. I am a fulltime instructor with the School of Radiologic Technology and adjunct instructor with the Medical Assisting program here at Cox College. I am excited to be part of the Cox College team.

I am married to Rebecca and we have three children: Jacob our redheaded 8 year old boy; Lucas our detail oriented 6 year old boy; and Allison our ornery 16 month old girl. I have been a Cox employee for over nine years and a Radiologic Technologist since 2006. After graduating I became a full time tech at Cox South, and I began teaching in the classroom 3 months after graduation. I love teaching and picked up more classes at the school when the need arose while finishing my Bachelor of Science in Human Services in August 2009 at Evangel. I became part of the fulltime faculty in August 2009, and have hit the ground running. I will soon be starting a Master's Program, location still to be decided and am excited to begin that part of my journey. I am honored to be part of the Radiography school as well as Cox College and look forward to the future at the college.

Cindy Zeilinger - I was born in David City, Nebraska and grew up on a farm. I attended Midland Lutheran College in Fremont, Nebraska, for my BS in Nursing. Then I attended Texas Women's University in Houston, Texas, for my MS as a Medical-Surgical Clinical Nurse Specialist. My professional focus has been oncology/surgery. I worked as a Clinical Nurse Specialist at MD Anderson in Houston and also at Nebraska Methodist Hospital in Omaha. Also, I worked on the IV team at Methodist. I recently worked at The University of Kansas in the outpatient Bone Marrow / Peripheral Stem Cell Transplant unit.

I have two children-Philip, age 22, and Rachel, age 18. They both live in Omaha, Nebraska.

Cheryl Scott came to Cox College in September 2009. She holds a Master's degree in Nursing Education from Wichita State University and a Master's degree in Library Science and Information Systems, from Emporia State University; both Kansas universities. She came to the college with previous nursing education experience with Associate degree and Bachelor's degree nursing students in Kansas and Missouri. Also, she holds nursing oncology certification and chemotherapy/biotherapy administration certification. Over the past five years, she has been working in inpatient and outpatient oncology and hospice care in Tennessee and Florida. She is looking forward to teaching Nursing Research and Adult Medical-Surgical nursing to BSN students at Cox College.

Hello, everyone! My name is **Kacie Craig** and I'm a fulltime instructor for CoxHealth's School of Radiologic Technology, coming soon to Cox College. I have been married just over two years and we have a little Boston Terrier, Daphanie. We do not have any children yet, so little Daphanie truly believes she is our human daughter! My husband and I love to travel and enjoy seeing the Dave Matthews Band in concert each summer. I have seen over 12 concerts in over 6 different states! You can call us groupies.

I graduated from CoxHealth's School of Radiologic Technology and received my Bachelor of Science degree with an emphasis in Radiology Management from MSU in 2005. I worked in the radiographic field for over four years before diving into the didactic setting. I couldn't be happier teaching four courses for the Radiology program and teaching a couple courses for Cox College's Medical Assisting program. I stay busy with friends and family along with juggling online courses towards my Master of Education degree from Drury University. I look forward to meeting all of you and forming lasting friendships!

Cozi Bagley graduated from Burge School of Nursing in 1982 and completed her BSN from Southwest Baptist University, inpatient obstetric certification. She is currently working on her MSN, Nurse Educator track at Cox College. She has been married for 28 years to her husband, Reef, and has two children, daughter, Kristen age 23, who is a RN at Cox South's Emergency Department and son, Dalton, who is 17 and a senior at Willard High School. Her nursing experience is in obstetrics where she has worked in Labor and Delivery, Postpartum, Newborn Nursery, and the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. Except for two years in Phoenix, Arizona, her entire career has been at CoxHealth. Welcome students!



CAREER FAIR!!

When: Monday, March 15th

Where: Fountain Plaza Room

Time: 11:00 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

Everyone is welcome!

Come and go!

Door Prizes!



Trivia Night is coming! Mark your calendars for April 23rd ! **Call your friends, and register for a table ... start collecting silent auction items ... get ready for a good time!**

If you are new to Cox College you may be wondering, “What is Trivia Night?” If you are a returning student, you may be thinking, “Yippee, Trivia Night is coming up!” Hopefully, this will answer your questions and build enthusiasm.

Trivia Night is our annual *fund* raising event for the college. It is a chance for everyone to come together to have a great time, find out how much trivia we really know (or don't have a clue about) and raise money for the college. This year's Trivia Night is Friday April 23rd and it will again be held at the Springfield Knights of Columbus Hall.

The next question you might have could be, “What's in it for me, besides a good time, of course?”

- Last year, the money raised was split between two worthy causes: scholarships for the 2009 – 2010 academic year and bookstore gift certificates for the students who participated.
- Trivia Night 2009 raised just about \$4,400. That amount was split equally with \$2,200 going to scholarships and \$2,200 as gift certificates for student participants. Each student of the 35 students who participated at Trivia Night got a gift certificate to the Cox College Bookstore for \$62.45.

We hope that the 2010 Trivia Night will be bigger and better than last year!! The Trivia Night committee has been meeting. Here is what they have decided:

- Money raised will come from registration for tables (\$10/person or \$80/table with a maximum of 8 people per table); silent auction items; 50/50 raffle; and pizza sold during the event. Checks need to be made payable to Cox-Health Foundation and can be given to Elena in room 117.
- Proceeds will again be divided with 50% going to fund scholarships for the 2010- 2011 academic year and the other 50% divided among the Cox College students who participate. Here is how you can participate and earn part of the proceeds:
 - **Must be present at Trivia Night; either as a member of one of the competing tables or as a worker (selling 50/50 raffle tickets, helping with scoring, selling pizza, etc.)**
 - **Solicit Silent Auction items that have a value in excess of \$50 and bring the item along with the required donation form (available from Elena) to Elena by April 9th in room 117.**

April 9th is the deadline for registering a table to participate, sign up to work, and/or bring in silent auction items. Hope to see you there. I am going to try to brush up on my trivia because I have been pretty hopeless at the last couple Trivia Nights, but I do have fun! ☺ Elena Milholland (Executive Secretary) is the Trivia Night committee chair and can answer all your questions.

Cox College Trivia Night



April 23, 2010 EMCEE: KY3's Chad Plein

Knights of Columbus Hall
2340 W. Grand

Doors open at 6:00 for
table decorating!
6:30 p.m. Games begin!

\$80 a team/\$10 a person



**JOIN
THE
FUN..**



SIGN UP TODAY!

- Prizes for the best theme and top 3 Trivia winners!
- Silent Auction and 50/50 pot!
- Domino's Pizza \$2 a slice



All proceeds benefit
scholarships and student
services.

FAFSA:

The deadline to fill out the 2010-2011 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to be eligible for state grants is **APRIL 1, 2010**. This can be done at www.fafsa.ed.gov. You will need to use your 2009 taxes and W2(s) and our school code: 013877 to complete the necessary information. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me (Leesa Taylor) at 417-269-3160 or ltaylor@coxcollege.edu. You can also stop by the financial aid offices on the first floor room 108 and 110.

New Dosage Calculation Policy!

Beginning with the Spring 2010 **dosage calculation tests will be offered twice instead of three times**. This impacts everyone in the nursing programs that are required to take dosage calculation competency tests. To further clarify, here is an example: If you take the first test and do not pass, you may test a second time. If you do not pass that test, you must then take the dosage calculation remediation course if you are eligible. Eligibility includes anyone who has not already taken the course. To advance to the next nursing course, you must pass the course. Failure to pass dosage calculation remediation or failure to pass dosage calculation tests within the two-try limit after having completed the remediation course will result in failure from the nursing program.

To ensure your success, practice tests are offered on the Web site, and there are multiple resources available in the library to help you practice. It is highly recommended that you practice dosage calculation prior to taking the first test.

Testing dates and times will be posted as usual in advance of the testing period.

The Dosage Calculation Team

Computer Lab Hours

Monday-Thursday, computer labs will close at 5:30 p.m. On Friday, they will close at 4:00 p.m. Room 226 is the only computer lab that will be open in the evenings and on the weekends!

Bookstore Hours:

Monday- Thursday: 7:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Friday: 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Attention, all new moms at the college!

There is now a lactation/pumping room for our new moms. It is located on the 2nd floor, room 221. This space allows you to have privacy for providing nutrition for your baby. A refrigerator is available in the room as well.

If you find the door locked, Sabrina Moore in room 224 will have the key.



Library Hours

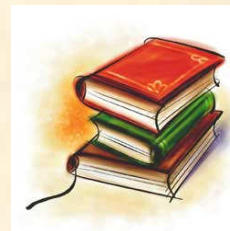
North Library:

Monday-Thursday
8:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Friday
8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

South Library:
Monday-Friday
8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Closed daily from 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.



The Haiti Trip: May 20-29, 2010

Here is some general information about Haiti. As you read this, examine yourself, and the resources that are available to you. Things don't look so bad when you see others that are in worse shape.

Haiti Demographics

By Age: (2009 est.)

0-14 years: 38.1% (male 1,735,917/female 1,704,383)
15-64 years: 58.5% (male 2,621,059/female 2,665,447)
65 years and over: 3.4% (male 120,040/female 188,690)

Infant Mortality: (2009 est.)

Total: 59.69 deaths/1,000 live births
Male: 66.18 deaths/1,000 live births
Female: 53.01 deaths/1,000 live births

Median Age: (2008 est.)

Total: 20.2 years
Male: 19.7 years
Female: 20.7 years

Life Expectancy: (2009 est.)

Total population: 60.78 years
Male: 59.13 years
Female: 62.48 years



You might ask yourself what kind of gift you could give to someone in Haiti. I am glad you asked! May 20-29, 2010, a team from Cox College will be traveling to Haiti on a medical mission trip. You can begin praying now for our protection and God's favor as we minister to the Haitians in Grand Goave. You can pray for the country of Haiti, as it is a volatile nation with a long history of political unrest. We will include in future editions some of the items of greatest need that we will take with us on our trip. For now, prayer is the greatest gift you can give!

For more information about the mission, see their Web site: www.Lifeline.org
Students planning to go need to obtain permission from Prof. Debbi Groves, team leader before registration. Her office number is: 269-8575 and e-mail is dgroves@coxcollege.edu. Remember this is a spring semester course; registration will be required if you are taking it for credit.