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## ALPHA/A Unique Summer Program For Children

A unique program of College Classes for Children has been developed and is available for children in grades 1 thru 8 at the Clark County **Community College this** summer. Under the direction of Dr. C. Lavonne Moton, Coordinator of Developmental Education at the college, **ALPHA** (Associated Learning Programs for Human Actuation) will offer programs in reading, math, writing and drama for children in grades 1 thru 6 with additional workshops on computer use and typing for children in grades 6 thru 8. The academic programs are both for remediation and enrichment.

Classes will run June 4 thru July 14, Monday thru Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

ALPHA Programs, as structured and organized activities, may be broadly identified as representing three major thrusts: (1) youth activities/recreational program development and coordination; (2) youth development; and (3) experimental learning opportunities. The programs will be highly visible and will function as a 'second curriculum'' mission for public school children who are not in school for the summer.

Specific workshops include: (1) Alpha Read-ing Skills I for students in grades 1-8, who are in need of remedial reading skills; (2) Alpha Reading Skills II for students in grades 1-8, who want to enrich their already "good" reading skills at or above grade level; (3) Alpha Writing Skills I for students in grades 1-8, who are in need of improving their writing (grammar) skills; Alpha Writing Skills II, for students in grades 1-8, who want to enrich their already "good" writing (grammar) skills at or above grade level; (5) Alpha Math Skills I for students in grades 1-8, who are in need of improving their math skills on grade level; (6) Alpha Math Skills II for students in grades 1-8, who want to enrich their already "good" math skills at or above grade level; (7) Alpha Computer Skills for students in grades 6-8 only, who want to learn basic computer use; (8)

Alpha Typing Skills for students in grades 6-8 only, who want to learn basic typing skills; (9) Alpha Television Drama for students in grades 1-8, who want to learn basic "acting" skills (A play will be televised for private viewing, in which participants are the principal actors and actresses.); and (10) Alpha Arts & Crafts for students in grades 1-6, who want to learn to make home decor items, toys and other handicraft items.

All ALPHA classes will be held at both the Cheyenne Campus and the Henderson Campus, with the exception of Alpha Reading Skills II, Alpha Writing Skills I and Alpha Television Drama, which will be available only at the Cheyenne Campus.

Participants in the program will be required to enroll in at least three (3) of the workshops. Cheyenne Campus fees are \$50 per workshop. The total Cheyenne Campus tuition is therefore \$150, which also includes a daily lunch. Henderson Campus fees are \$45 per workshop, making the total tuition for that campus \$135. However, there will be NO LUNCH provided at the Henderson Campus.

Parents must provide transportation for participants. Each child must arrive no later than 8:50 a.m. and must be picked up no later than 1:10 p.m., Monday thru Thursday only. There are no classes held on Fridays.

Parents/guardians will receive a written report of their child's progress in each workshop at the end of the program period.

Enrollment is limited to 300 participants at the Cheyenne Campus and 100 participants at the Henderson Campus. A 20:2 student-teacher ratio is planned; each workshop will have 20 students, one teacher and one aide. 1984 Alpha participants will be given first priority for the Alpha 1985 workshop offerings.

Application deadline for the ALPHA Program is May 15. For further information on the program and application instructions, contact Dr. C. Lavonne Moton at 643-6060, ext. 257.

## 122 Graduates Initiated Into CCCC Honor Society

122 Clark County Community College graduates of 1984 have been initiated into the College's Honor Society, according to Dr. Dale Johnston, dean of Educational Services.

Governor Richard Bryan, the featured speaker for the Second Annual Honors Convocation, charged the graduates to "continue their quest for excellence." The Convocation was held in the new student facility at CCCC's main campus.

In addition to the honors extended to the graduates, President Meacham presented the 1983-1984 Outstanding Alumnus Award to Roosevelt Toston, 1975 graduate, who is the communications manager for the Las Vegas Convention Center.

Dr. Alison McPherson was honored by her peers as Outstanding Administrator; and Patrick Leary, Biology Instructor, Outstanding Faculty member for 1983-1984.

Excellence Awards given for services rendered the college, included: Mary E. (Betty) Scott of Henderson, Business; Phyllis Nelson, Communications and Arts; Robert Everson, Science and Health; Val Garner, Student Services; and Helen Deanin and JoAnn Zahm, Social Science and Service Occupations.

Adjunct faculty recognition was given to Ron Corbett, Business; Marlene Kineman, Communications and Arts; Ken Yerike, Social Sciences and Service Occupations; Patricia Childress, Student Services;

and Gary Splittgerber, Henderson campus. Each year the College Divisions recognize adjunct faculty who have rendered outstanding service to that division. The criteria includes the individual's commitment to the college, success in teaching, and contributions to the

division. Candace C. Kant, Honors Society Advisor, was recognized by the College for her achievement of her Ph.D. degree in history and political

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receive later this month from Northern Arizona Univeristy.

## Named to receive Outstanding Classified Awards were Cathy Borsellino and Debra

Hooper.

Student government awards for 1983-1984 were given to Ertis North, ASCC president and Rayla Fujii, ASCC secretary.





