



CAMPUS REPORT

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OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID IMPORTANT NOTICES:

All students who have not received a financial aid award for 2014-2015 should report to Financial Aid today to pick up their award and to sign any necessary documents.

Students who have been awarded College Work-Study and have not been placed in a job assignment should report to Financial Aid to receive an assignment.

All freshmen and transfer students are reminded it is a must to complete the Online Loan Counseling and Master Promissory Note before they may receive load funds for the fall semester. If assistance is needed, please contact Financial Aid.

The Office of Financial Aid is located on the first floor of the Mabel K. Howard Building.

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday through Friday

“We Need More Bright Lights”

Senator McElveen encourages honor students to be leaders who care about service



Senator McElveen delivers the Honors

Day Convocation address.

This week, the college had an opportunity to hear the youngest currently serving member of the South Carolina Senate – the Honorable J. Thomas McElveen, III – during its Honors Day Convocation. Dr. Luns C. Richardson, in introducing the senator, commended him on the outstanding record he has already made and for his dedication to this county and region.

“Today is a celebration,” the senator stated to the honorees, “but it is also a nice time to pause and talk about what you will accomplish in the future, no matter how much you have accomplished today or yesterday.” The college’s motto – “Enter to Learn; Depart to Serve” – is the “challenge of a relatively short four year goal to learn and is accompanied by the charge of a life-long pursuit that is to serve.”

Throughout his convocation address, Senator McElveen challenged the audience of the importance of service. Quoting Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., the senator said, “Life’s most persistent and urgent question is, ‘What are you doing for others?’” Encouraging students to continue working hard, he stated that service “may require sacrifices or stepping outside our comfort zones to help others.”

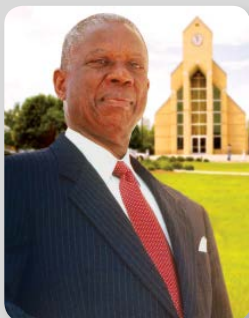
Using the wise words of wisdom of Sir Winston Churchill who said, “We make a living by what we give; we make a life by what we give,” Senator McElveen concluded, “Be proud of yourselves today and continue to make us proud.”

Elected on November 6, 2012 to serve District 35, Senator McElveen (D) is married to Bronwyn McElveen and they have one daughter, Adelaide. He is the son of Sumter Mayor Joseph T. and Kathy McElveen.

Dr. Leroy Staggers, Dean of Academic Affairs, presented those honor students who are members of the President’s List, the Dean’s List, the O. R. Reuben Scholars and the Morris College Scholars. Also recognized were members of the Morris College Honors Program and the Delta Mu Delta International Honor Society.

Dr. Richardson, in recognizing the honor students applauded the honorees and encouraged them to continue making “honors” beyond Morris College. “You are a credit, not only to yourselves, your parents and friends,” he said. “You are a credit to Morris College. Students of achievement give a school its reputation and you are among the best the college has to offer.”

PRESIDENT’S CALENDAR OCTOBER 17, 2014



7:30 p.m.
Coronation of Miss Morris College
Garrick-Boykin Human Development Center
Sumter, SC

OCTOBER 19, 2014

11:00 a.m.
MORRIS COLLEGE DAY
Morris Street Baptist Church, Charleston, SC
Speaker: Dr. Luns C. Richardson
Music: Morris College Chorale

4:00 PM
41st Pastoral Anniversary, Dr. Willie E. Givens, Jr.
First Missionary Baptist Church
Summerville, SC

UPCOMING EVENTS

Calendars Mark Your Calendars Mark Your

OCTOBER 18, 2014

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER OPEN

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES
Gym

OCTOBER 20, 2014

7:00 p.m.
BREAST CANCER AWARENESS FORUM
Sponsored by
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority
Neal-Jones Auditorium

OCTOBER 21, 2014

10:00 a.m.
TOASTMASTERS MEETING
Conference Room
H. H. Butler Building

OCTOBER 22, 2014

7:00 p.m.
HALLELUJAH EXPLOSION
Performance by: Lamar Casey
Neal-Jones Auditorium

OCTOBER 23, 2014

10:00 a.m.
PRESIDENT'S LECTURE SERIES
Neal-Jones Auditorium
Speaker: Sheriff Anthony Dennis

7:00 p.m.
MORRIS COLLEGE SUNDAY BEST
Neal-Jones Auditorium

EVERY WEDNESDAY

6:00 p.m.
BIBLE STUDY sponsored by the Baptist
Student Union in Religious Center,
Room 224 behind O. R. Reuben Chapel

QEP Word of The Week

Immutable [ih-myoo-tuh-buh /] verb; unchangeable

Congratulations Honor Students!



Senator McElveen (center) along with Reverend Dr. James B. Blassingame (center left) and President Richardson (center right) with the 2014 honorees after yesterday's Honors Day Convocation. The honorees are those students who achieved academic excellence during the 2014 spring semester.



**You are cordially invited
to attend the Coronation of**

Khanisha Denise Moore
Miss Morris College 2014-2015

**tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the
Garrick-Boykin
Human Development Center**

NOTICE: The Office of Student Support Services (SSS) is still accepting applications for the 2014-2015 academic year. If you received a letter, please report to the SSS office on the second floor of the Brawley-Starks Building immediately to complete paperwork.

NOTICE: All students interested in competing for the titles of Miss Homecoming, Miss Co-Ed, and Mr. Co-Ed may pick up solicitation letters in the Office of Students Affairs. The deadline for reporting funds for competition is Friday, November 14, 2014. Winners will be announced and crowned during the Pre-Fall Harvest Worship Service and Rally on Tuesday, November 18, 2014.