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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

“Finish Strong”



Pastor Eddie L. Davis, a 2009 magna cum laude graduate of Morris College and a former student government association president, spoke for the Junior Class Assembly on Thursday.

Well aware of the commitment that is necessary for “Finishing Strong,” Davis challenged listeners saying, “We must stay focused, keep our minds elevated, and do what is necessary to make sure we reach our goals.”

The ability to achieve a “strong finish” as demonstrated conclusively, in Davis’ address, involves making sacrifices.

“People who are displaying weaknesses because they don’t want to study and apply themselves, we have to learn how to cut them off,” he said, “because if we are not careful their weakness will be passed to us.”

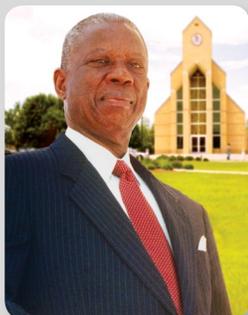
Davis peaked his address saying that finishing strong and experiencing a strong finish are never finished until we stand before Him (God). “Yes, finish strong, graduate with honors, earn your masters and doctorate,” he challenged, “but do not stop there.” Like the founding fathers of Morris College and so many others who have poured of themselves into our lives, there are those, he ventured, who can be “blessed by our experiences, helped by our knowledge, and strengthened by our mistakes.”

Because of those who have poured themselves into the lives of others, Davis concluded, “Today we have our beloved Morris College where we come to gain the knowledge we need to gain, not that we might make history, but that we might make a difference.”

Davis is a native of Hartsville, SC and the senior pastor of the Word of Life Christian Center Ministries, Bennettsville, SC.

Dr. Luns C. Richardson, in his remarks, thanked the Junior Class, along with Dr. Maggie W. Glover, class advisor, for a very fine program. “Pastor Davis, an excellent and mature student who spent his time in worthy studies and other activities, is an outstanding representative of Morris College.”

PRESIDENT’S CALENDAR **NOVEMBER 1, 2014**



2:00 p.m.
Antioch Baptist Association
Day Dawn Baptist Church, Pineville, SC
Speaker: Dr. Luns C. Richardson

NOVEMBER 2, 2014

11:00 a.m.
MORRIS COLLEGE DAY
First Baptist Missionary Church
Summerville, SC
Note: Music by the Morris College Chorale

4:00 p.m.
Florence Alumni Chapter
Monumental Baptist Church
Florence, SC

UPCOMING EVENTS

Calendars Mark Your Calendars Mark Your

OCTOBER 31, 2014

6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.
 BREWTON-PARKER CLASSIC
 Mt. Vernon, GA
 Lady Hornets and Hornets
 Basketball Teams

NOVEMBER 1, 2014

2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m.
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NOVEMBER 3-7, 2014

BUSINESS WEEK
 Sponsored by the Division of
 Business Administration

NOVEMBER 4, 2014

6:00 p.m.
 LADY HORNETS BASKETBALL
 Edward Waters College
 Garrick-Boykin Human Development
 Center, Gym

HIV/AIDS INFORMATIONAL FORUM
 Sponsored by Sigma Gamma Rho
 WBSB, Lecture Room

NOVEMBER 5, 2014

7:00 p.m.
 HORNETS BASKETBALL
 St. Andrews College
 Laurinburg, NC

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

Irascible [ih-ras-uh-buh l] adjective; irritable, easily angered

Junior Seminar Students Finish Strong

Students earn rightful place in QEP Hall of Fame for vocabulary mastery



Mrs. Gail China (third from the right), director of the Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP), with QEP Hall of Fame recipients (from left to right) Phillip McConnell, William Whittleton, Belinda York, Justin Mahoney, and Baptiste Crenshaw.

During Thursday's Junior Class Assembly, Mrs. Gail J. China, Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) director, recognized those students who have shown a 90% or above mastery of the QEP post vocabulary test.

Students enrolled in the Junior Seminar class are responsible for learning 500 advanced vocabulary words. At the beginning of the semester the students are given a pre-vocabulary test, and at the end of the semester they are given a post-vocabulary test.

The posttest consists of 150 randomly selected words from the list of 500. The students are required to show at least 80% mastery on the posttest.

Those students showing a mastery level of 90% or above are placed on the QEP Wall of Fame located in the QEP lab in the Wilson-Booker Science Building. There were 18 students who earned a place on the QEP Wall of Fame during the spring and summer of 2014.

Annual Business Week Planned for Next Week

Next week, the Division of Administration will host its annual Business Week observance. This year's theme is "Empower Students: Pursue Education." The week of events include a variety workshops and other activities aimed to put you "in the know" about business ownership, money management, alumni experiences, federal government careers, and graduate school opportunities.

Army Major, Kiryinshki Jones, a 2003 business graduate, will be the guest speaker for the assembly on November 6. For a complete listing of the week's activities, please see the promotional materials posted throughout the campus or contact the Division of Business Administration at (803) 934-3241.

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.

NOTICE: All freshman, sophomore and junior level students at Morris College who may have an interest in attending law school or pursuing other aspects of legal studies after they complete their undergraduate degree are asked to contact the office of Dr. Jacob Butler, Chair of the Division of Social Sciences, in the H.H. Butler Building. Efforts are currently under way to create a database of interested students in order to provide them with information on opportunities for legal studies and coordinate activities that will help students prepare for possible legal careers. Contact may be made in person at 131 H.H. Butler Building, by phone 934-3251 or via email at jbutler@morris.edu.