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APRIL 2013

Cotton and Craven earn prestigious Massey Awards

The Massey Distinguished Service Award is one of the highest honors that can be bestowed upon University faculty and staff. The late C. Knox Massey of Durham created the awards in 1980 to recognize “unusual, meritorious or superior contributions” by University employees, and each year, the chancellor

selects recipients based on nominations from the campus community.

This year, one third of the recipients come from Facilities Services.

Tammy Cotton has been with Housekeeping Services for 16 years and is currently assigned to UNC Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Center and the Thurston Bowles building. In her nomination for the Massey award, she is praised for her reliability, cheerfulness and is referred to as “a gem that lives at the intersection of professionalism and kindness.”

Mary Craven was always looked upon as the “mother” of Housekeeping Services during her 20 years of service with the department. She began as a housekeeper, and while working, took clerical skills classes and worked her way up through the department. Over the years, she has mentored, motivated and encouraged success in employees, and has always maintained a great sense of pride in serving the University as a housekeeper. Although she retired this past September, she has left an impression on Housekeeping Services that continues to be felt to this day.

Chancellor Thorp will host a dinner for all of this year’s Massey Award recipients on April 27. In addition, each honoree receives an award citation along with a cash award – which increased this year due to growth of the endowment.

Congratulations to Tammy and Mary – Facilities Services is proud of you and all your accomplishments and contributions!

Carolina Family Scholarship accepting applications

The UNC-Chapel Hill Family Scholarship committee has announced that Fall 2013 scholarship applications for children of University employees are now being accepted. **The application deadline is June 1, 2013.**

This multi-year, need-based scholarship fund was created by Carolina employees to provide financial support to the children of full-time University employees who are students of any of the 16 UNC campuses, or any of the accredited community and technical colleges in North Carolina. In past years, several family members of Facilities employees have benefited from this generous offering.

To apply (and for more information including contact information if you have questions), go to **www.unc.edu/familyfund** and select the Scholarship Application & Renewal Application option on the left side of the screen (it may take a minute to retrieve the application).

Special note: Applicants must file the necessary financial aid forms with the institution they wish to attend and notify the Office of Scholarships and Student Aid at UNC-Chapel Hill with the contact information for that institution’s financial aid office, as well as provide a detailed summary of the financial aid package offered by that institution.

Support the Carolina Blood Drive on June 4

Blood donation fast facts:

Every two seconds, someone in the U.S. needs blood.

About 38 percent of the population is eligible to donate blood; however, only three percent actually do.

The 25th annual Carolina Blood Drive will be held on Tuesday, June 4, from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the Dean E. Smith Center. Over the past 24 years, the summer Carolina Blood Drive has collected 21,786 units of blood, affecting as many as 65,358 lives.

Facilities Services employees have historically enthusiastically supported this initiative and are encouraged to support this year's drive, so if your schedule permits on June 4 – and with your supervisor's approval – consider making a donation or volunteering for the event. Time spent donating is considered work time.

Door prizes to be given during the drive include football and basketball tickets, autographed basketballs, footballs and UNC Student Stores items. Everyone who donates will receive a 25th anniversary Carolina Blood Drive t-shirt and are automatically registered to win a \$1,000 gift card from the Carolinas Region of the American Red Cross. In addition, eligible double red cell donors will also receive a special gift. After giving, refreshments including pizza, sandwiches, cookies and more will be provided, courtesy of local businesses.

Parking at the Smith Center is free for the event.

For details, online registration, donor eligibility and information on donating double red cells, visit www.unc.edu/blood or call **919-605-3045** for an appointment.

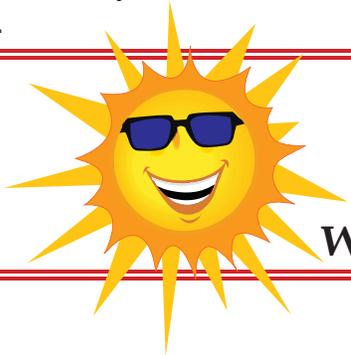
March Safety Topic: Safety Policies and Procedures

Supervisors will choose 3 to review with their shops



Log on to: <https://ishare.facilities.unc.edu/HR/Safety/default.aspx> for more safety information.

If you do not routinely work with a computer, your supervisor can assist you in accessing and viewing the information.



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SUMMER SPLASH
is
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5!**
