



# HARRISBURG ((VIBE))

January, 2013

## WELCOME BACK!

I hope you all have had an enjoyable winter break and are refreshed and ready for the Spring Semester of 2013!

We are excited to welcome a new Campus HR Director, Jeannette “Jeni” Heckman, who is moving into W-126. To accommodate changes in HR, we’ve moved offices around a bit in our area. Holly has moved into an office to accommodate some of the confidential work she does in HR. Please don’t let the desk out front stop you from coming in to talk with her—just walk right on around! Jeni and Holly Bailor will now have offices down near the conference room (on the left), and Jennie Baar has moved to the office next to John Eberly. Please stop by and introduce yourself when you get a chance.

So far, our spring enrollments are holding steady. As of Friday, January 4th, we were close to budget projections. Our registration in credit hours is down 1.24% from this time last year, and we are at 90.24% of the approved

budget and 99.91% of our adjusted budget projections. We hope these numbers hold once we do one more drop for no-pay next week. Kudos to the many folks in Student Affairs who have engaged in call projects to get students who have applied and tested to enroll in classes! Members of the team have really pulled together to serve students in the last few weeks.

In academic affairs, we have shifted some reporting lines to even out dean workload. Sheila Ciotti will continue with Social Sciences, English Dept., and Communications and Foreign Languages. Kazim Dharsi will add the Arts and Humanities departments in addition to his oversight of the Technology division. He also will be spending some time each week in the Arts Building in 121G to meet with faculty and students as needed. His hours are Monday 8:00am–12:00pm and Tuesday 1:00pm–4:00pm. Happy New Year! )))

— Cindy Doherty

## BUILDING AND GROUND COMMITTEE

- **Harrisburg Campus Building and Grounds Committee starts back up for the Spring 2013 semester. The first meeting is Wednesday, January 30th at 3:00 in Whitaker 125F.**
- Committee members are Angela Shipman, Rebecca Forney, Dee Kruleski, Scott McKenzie, Sara Meng, Peter Law, Margie McDonald, Laura Wukovitz, and student representation from the Links Club.

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**DO YOU HAVE INTERESTING NEWS STORIES TO ADD TO THE HARRISBURG VIBE?**

*If so, please send info and pictures to Amy Beth Martin, amartin@hacc.edu.*

*Deadline for the February issue is*

**Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>**

## IN MEMORIAM

**L**isa (Linton) Farver, our dear colleague, passed away December 25th from an unexpected medical event. Lisa was a faculty member for 21 years in the Communications department. Her zest for life and teaching inspired all those who had the opportunity to work with her or study in her classroom.

HACC was Lisa's passion. She was devoted to improving the college, supporting her colleagues, and inspiring her students. She volunteered for many college-wide activities each semester, served as the chair for the Professional Growth and Development committee for many years, developed the Speech Anxiety Seminar that ran each semester to help students conquer communication anxiety in the classroom, and served as an advisor to the Christian Student Fellowship organization on the Harrisburg Campus.



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Lisa always had a story to tell. In fact, storytelling was her personal academic passion. She devoted her last

sabbatical to exploring this powerful rhetorical device and then shared her knowledge through her classroom assignments. Her favorite assignment was the "personal experience narrative" that she had perfected into a story-telling science.

Each semester, she found delight in teaching students how to create vivid oral pieces she aptly named "the AH-HA". While students often lamented about

the challenging nature of Lisa's courses, there is no doubt that they left those courses having benefited from her teaching.

Lisa touched many lives. The light and energy she emitted, her personal warmth and infectious smile, will be greatly missed by all! )))

## PUBLIC SAFETY REMINDERS

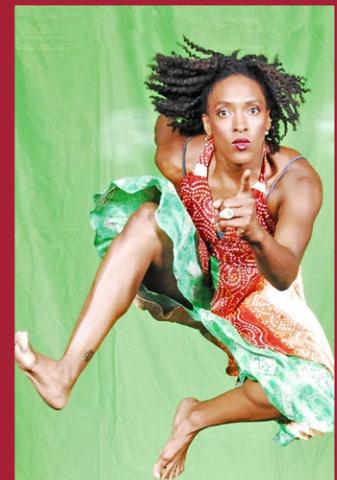
The spring semester started on January 14th and the next few weeks will be busy for students, faculty and staff. The HACC Public Safety department encourages faculty and staff to remind new students to obtain their student ID cards and parking permits in Whitaker Hall room 131 or at the security substation on the 2nd floor of the Cooper Student Center.

- For IDs, students must bring a print copy of their current class schedule and a valid form of photo ID.
- Parking permits require a valid photo ID or current class schedule, valid vehicle registration, and valid driver's license.
- Continuing students need to have their student ID cards updated at the welcome desk in the Cooper Student Center. They do not need a new parking permit but must update their car information with security if it has changed.

Our department would like to wish everyone a safe and happy new year! )))

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**Next Live at Rose Lehrman event:**  
**Lula Washington Dance Theatre,**  
Wednesday, February 13 at 7:30PM.



Tickets at [www.liveatroselehrman.org](http://www.liveatroselehrman.org) or at 231-ROSE.

## HARRISBURG CAMPUS ADMINISTRATION OFFICE - WHITAKER HALL

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## SOULFUL FLAMENCO, DIRECT FROM SPAIN, AT HACC'S LIVE AT ROSE LEHRMAN

SHOW TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR JAN. 30 PERFORMANCE

**H**ACC's Live at Rose Lehrman presents **Soledad Barrio** and **Noche Flamenca** on Wednesday, Jan. 30, 2013. The show, featuring authentic flamenco dance, song and music, begins at 7:30 p.m. in the Rose Lehrman Arts Center on the Harrisburg Campus of HACC, Central Pennsylvania's Community College.

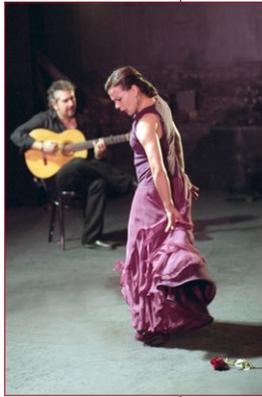
Noche Flamenca, formed in 1993 by Martin Santangelo and his flamenco award-winning wife, Soledad Barrio, promises audiences "the vivid and expansive sea of passion and emotion that is flamenco."

Flamenco hails from the Andalucía region of southern Spain, with influences from Romans, Jews, Moors and nomadic gypsies. The music features cante (singing), toque (guitar playing), baile (dance) and palmas (handclaps). Of Noche Flamenca's star, Barrio, Village Voice says, "Her body is her soul's instrument, ensnared by the music, and we're fortunate to be in the same space with her."

Soledad Barrio and Noche Flamenca regularly perform throughout the world. Highlights of the group's performances include regular seasons in New York City and Buenos Aires, Argentina, as well as annual tours throughout North America.

Show tickets are \$39 for adults and \$19 for students. To order tickets, call 717-231-ROSE (7673) or go to [www.LiveatRoseLehrman.org](http://www.LiveatRoseLehrman.org).

Soledad Barrio and Noche Flamenca is sponsored by the Lois Lehrman Grass Foundation, The Hershey Co., McCormick Family Foundation, The Foundation for Enhancing Communities – Rose Lehrman Fund and The Franklin H. and Ruth L. Wells Foundation. Grant support is provided by the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts and the Richmond Foundation administered through the PNC Charitable Trust Grant Review Committee. Media sponsor for the event is WHTM-TV abc27. )))



## INTRODUCING

... JEANETTE HECKMAN



**J**eanette is an HR geek. She grew up in north central NJ and as a child enjoyed hiding in quiet little spots so she could read. In high school, she discovered that even uncoordinated people could do well in sports if the team had low enough standards, and she lettered in softball and cheerleading. Her friends dubbed her most likely to become a stand-up comedian.

Jeanette changed her major in Psychology a few times before graduating from Eastern Mennonite University with a degree in Management and Organizational Development. Along the way, she met and married her best friend and raised two wonderful daughters.

Over the last twelve years, Jeanette has worked in various HR capacities, the last seven in the non-profit world. Her passion is to assist other employees develop and become successful! )))

## FAREWELL AND BEST WISHES

... SHEILA FLEISCHER



**S**heila Fleischer, the community development officer for the Harrisburg Campus, has resigned her position. Sheila joined the College in September 2010. Since then, she has raised more than \$623,000. Sheila is a key part of the Harrisburg Campus leadership team. In the words of Dr. Carter, "She has helped to move the HACC Foundation forward and mended relationships with donors. She has taken new processes, expectations and relationships and run with them. She is an example for others to follow."

We will miss Sheila as she moves on from HACC, but as an alum, she promised to keep her ties with us.

Please join the Office of College Advancement and the Harrisburg Leadership Team in congratulating Sheila and wishing her well. A reception will be held in her honor on her last day, Friday, January 18, 2:30 PM in Arts 103. )))



## CANCER PREVENTION STUDY-3

*Research today for a cancer-free tomorrow*

### Enrollment Locations:

**HACC – Central  
Pennsylvania’s  
Community  
College**

### Enrollment Details:

**Wednesday  
February 20<sup>th</sup>  
2:30pm – 6:00pm**

Cooper Student  
Center – Int’l Room  
1 HACC Dr.  
Harrisburg, PA

Main 222  
1641 Old Philadelphia  
Pike, Lancaster, PA

Multipurpose Rm#105  
735 Cumberland St.  
Lebanon, PA

Hoffman Community  
Center #130  
731 Old Harrisburg  
Road, Gettysburg, PA

**Friday  
February 22<sup>nd</sup>  
11:00am-2:30pm**

Leader #119  
2010 Pennsylvania  
Avenue, York, PA

For more  
information, visit  
[cancer.org/cps3](http://cancer.org/cps3)  
or call toll free at  
1-888-604-5888

### What if you could prevent even one family from hearing the words “you have cancer”?

This year, you can fight back against cancer by enrolling in the American Cancer Society’s new research study called the Cancer Prevention Study-3 (CPS-3). By joining CPS-3, you can help researchers better understand the genetic, environmental and lifestyle factors that cause or prevent cancer, which will ultimately save lives.

### Who can join the study?

The study is open to anyone who:

- Is willing to make a long-term commitment to the study, which involves completing periodic follow-up surveys at home for the next 20-30 years
- Is between 30 and 65 years old
- Has never been diagnosed with cancer (not including basal or squamous cell skin cancer)

### How can you participate?

Participation is easy. Your initial enrollment requires two steps and will involve the following:

- After scheduling your enrollment appointment, you will receive a confirmation e-mail with instructions to go online and complete your first, most comprehensive survey. This survey will ask you questions regarding medications you are taking, family history of cancer, lifestyle and other behaviors. This survey must be completed prior to your appointment time.
- At your appointment, you will be asked to sign an informed consent form, complete a brief survey, and provide a waist circumference measurement and a small blood sample (similar to a doctor’s visit). The blood sample will be taken by a certified, trained phlebotomist. Your appointment should last approximately 20 - 30 minutes.

## To schedule your appointment visit:

[www.cps3HACC.org](http://www.cps3HACC.org)

### What else can you do?

If you are not eligible to enroll, be an advocate for Cancer Prevention Study-3. Encourage those close to you to take part in this potentially life-saving study in your honor. Spread the word to everyone you know.



*“If participating in this study could mean that even just one person could be spared a cancer diagnosis, it would be the most important and meaningful action to fight cancer.”*

– Study participant



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