**February Events**

**Group Fitness Classes:** Mondays-Fridays, Aerobics studio, L155; Fitness Center, L154, Lowe Building. Midday and early evening classes in Ballet, Express Workout, Gentle Fitness, Kripalu Yoga, Pilates on the Ball, Pilates Matwork, and Tai Chi. Cost for community members, $25 per month, entitling the participant to take unlimited classes. Call 860-512-3359, or email jbritton@mcc.commnet.edu for more information.

**Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting:** Tuesdays and Thursdays while school is in session, noon-1 pm, AST D229. Info: 860-512-2769.

**African American History Month 2006 Opening Celebration:** 2/1, 12:30-2 pm, Lowe Building Lobby. Guest Speaker Aaron Lewis, pastor and author, and a jazz performance by Edwin West. Refreshments will be served. Activities and events planned for the remainder of the month include a luncheon, speakers, and a reading from one of Zora Neale Hurston's works. Sponsored by MCC Office of Minority and International Programs. Info: 860-512-3205 or email jmesquita@mcc.commnet.edu.

**Professional Vegetarian Cooking:** 2/1, 2 pm, Cheney Dining Room, 2nd floor, Lowe Building. Presentation by award-winning vegan chef Ken Bergeron, author of Professional Vegetarian Cooking. Demo, samples and discussion of vegetarian cooking. Sponsored by the MCC Hospitality Department, HIA Club and Center for Teaching. Info: 860-512-2785.

**Effective Resume Writing Workshop:** 2/2, 2/23, 5-6:15 pm; and 2/21, noon-1 pm, L177, Lowe Building. Info: 860-512-3372.

**Volunteer Income Tax Assistance**, Fridays only, 9 am-1 pm, in February starting 2/3; and 9 am-3 pm in March through the first Friday in April, 4/7; room L233, Lowe Building. No fee involved. Limited to low income and middle income taxpayers with combined income below $75,000. Bring last year's tax forms, receipts, and applicable W-2s, 1099s, 1098s, and Social Security cards for all adults and children associated with returns. Call Ed Schaefer at 860-633-9928 for more information.

**Excursions in Learning for Children:** 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25, 9 am-12 noon, MCC campus. Cost: $35 per Saturday session. Info: 860-512-2804 or email smeisler@mcc.commnet.edu.

**Job Search and Cover Letters Workshop:** 2/9, 5-6:15 pm, L177, Lowe Building. Info: 860-512-3372.


**Darwin Day:** 2/11, 9 am-3 pm, SBM Charitable Foundation Auditorium. Fee: $50, nonmembers; $45, members; $20, students. Fee includes box lunch, break refreshments, and birthday cake. Sponsored by Connecticut Association of Biology Teachers. For information, call Phillip Jones at 860-512-2727 or email: pjones@mcc.commnet.edu or zabikm@mail.ccsu.edu.

**Marion Meadows Concert:** 2/11, 8 pm, SBM Charitable Foundation Auditorium, AST. Back by popular demand for a romantic pre-Valentine's Day party. His music features a mix of R&B-influenced jazz coupled with sensual Latin rhythms, a neo-soul blend of jazz, hip-hop, brimmed with sophisticated arrangements and impressive soprano playing. Marion will be joined on stage by Connecticut resident and keyboardist extraordinaire Jay Rowe. Tickets are $37.50 and are available at www.jumpsitarjazz.com.

**Interviewing Skills Workshop:** 2/16, 5-6:15 pm, L177, Lowe Building. Info: 860-512-3372.

**Love Letters:** 2/11, 1:30 pm, SBM Charitable Foundation Auditorium, AST. Warm, poignant and humorous, Love Letters is a World War II era drama told through a series of letters between childhood friends now romantically attached. The two seasoned performers are Linda Gray Kelley and Richard Clark. Open to the public; bring a friend. Sponsored by the MCC Older Adult Association. For more information, contact Ann Massengill at 860-875-9217 or by email at abm657@comcast.net.

**Alumni Career Panel:** Business Office Technology Careers. 2/28, noon-1:30 pm, Library Fireside Commons, LRC. Info: 860-512-3372.

**Respiratory Care Information Session:** 2/28, 3:30-5 pm, LRC B149. Interested in a career in the Respiratory Care field? Come to the information session to find out about this much needed health care specialty. Open to the public. Info: 860-512-2714.

**Women's Basketball:** Home games played at East Catholic High School, New State Rd., Manchester. Info: 860-512-3353.

For more information, visit the Events calendar on MCC's web site: www.mcc.commnet.edu