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PLEASE TYPE ALL
WEEKLY NEWS ITEMS
AND SUBMIT BY 12:00
NOON FRIDAY
AFTERNOON BEFORE
MONDAY AFTERNOON
PRESS TIME.

E-MAIL WEEKLY
ENTRIES ARE
WELCOMED.

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FALL CONVOCATION -
SEPTEMBER 14, 2000

THE UNIVERSITY
WILL HOLD ITS ANNUAL
FALL CONVOCATION ON
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER
14, 2000 @ 10:00 A.M. IN
THE MCLENDON-
MCDUGALD
GYMNASIUM. ALL
CLASSES WILL BE
SUSPENDED AT 9:30 A.M.
THE REGULAR CLASS
SCHEDULE WILL
RESUME @ 1:00 P.M.

REMINDER

This is a reminder
that the lobby is for quiet
study. Please do not eat or
conduct meetings/study
groups in the lobby. Please
use common courtesy and do
not put your feet on the
furniture. The lobby is the
first place that our guests see
in the school, including
visiting attorneys, judges,
and employers. I am sure
that you will want to project
a professional image for the
school and for yourselves.

Meals should be taken
in the basement student
lounge. Study groups should

meet there, in empty classrooms, or in the library student lounge area on the second floor.

Noise from the lobby is a problem not just for the reception area, but for the administration and faculty offices located on the first floor. Please be mindful that administrators and staff cannot move and please use the student areas in the basement for your discussions and meals.

Dean Meddock

RESEARCH ASSISTANTS

**ATTENTION!
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2Ls and 3Ls 2Ls and 3Ls
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Earn \$10.00 per/hour

Those 2Ls and 3Ls that are interested in working as research assistants for the 2000-2001 academic year, please see Assistant Dean Douglas. The application period ends September 19, 2000.

**RESEARCH ASSISTANTS
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**GEORGE H. WHITE
BAR ASSOCIATION
SCHOLARSHIP**

**GEORGE H. WHITE
BAR ASSOCIATION IS
COMMITTED TO
ENCOURAGING AND
ASSISTING AFRICAN-
AMERICAN STUDENTS
WHO ATTEND LAW
SCHOOL AT NCCU.**

**THOSE STUDENTS
INTERESTED IN
APPLYING FOR THE
GEORGE H. WHITE
SCHOLARSHIP SHOULD
PICK UP AN
APPLICATION FROM
ASSISTANT DEAN
DOUGLAS. ALL
APPLICATIONS MUST BE
SUBMITTED BY
SEPTEMBER 25, 2000 AT
2:00 P.M.**

3L/4L CLASS NEWS

The Executive Board of the Class of 2001 is currently soliciting names of potential graduation speakers. It is a preference that the graduation speaker have a law degree. Please submit the names by placing

them in Gerald (Jerry) Walden's mailbox located downstairs. The deadline for submitting potential speakers is Thursday, September 14th at 5:00 p.m.

Moreover, if anyone is interested in becoming a member of the Graduation or Fund Raiser Committee, please tell a member of the Executive Board. It is important that we have as much participation as possible from members of the Class of 2001. Graduation requires a lot of planning and money!!!

Finally, Moshera Mohammed, Class Treasurer, is currently taking dues from the members of the 3L/4LE Class. The amount of dues for the class year is \$20.00.

**Class of 2001
Executive Board**

**AMERICAN BAR
ASSOCIATION
MEMBERSHIP DRIVE**

The American Bar Association will be having its membership drive beginning next week. If you are not currently a member or if you have questions about your current membership, please stop by the membership table on Monday between the

hours of 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., Tuesday between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m., or Thursday between 6:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m.

**ATTENTION STUDENTS
AND TRIAL ADVOCACY
MEMBERS!!!**

The Trial Advocacy Board will have its first meeting this Wednesday, September 13, 2000 at 11:00 a.m. Please meet in the Moot Courtroom. All interested students and current Trial Advocacy Members are welcome to attend. We will be discussing plans for the upcoming year and future competitions. If you have any questions, please contact Shelese Amos via e-mail at Ninilese1@aol.com.

**ATTENTION FINANCIAL
AID STUDENTS**

For students who receive financial aid, a mistake has been made in many Fall bills, in which the school duplicates charges for certain fees. The result is that many students are due a refund check. To see if you are due a refund, please contact Assistant Dean Douglas.

BARBRI TABLE HOURS

Table hours this year to sign up for the Barbri bar review course or the MPRE Review Course (part of the Barbri package) will be on Tuesdays from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

People who are already enrolled in Barbri can also pick up the upperclass review materials at this time. The table will be located in the Cecil Street foyer.

Submitted by Millie Hershner - 493-4321

**LAW JOURNAL SEEKS
ARTICLES FOR
PUBLICATION**

Did you write a comment this summer? Have you written articles on legal issues? The NCCU Law Journal is seeking student, staff and faculty articles to review for publication. Many of you have spent countless hours research and writing about interesting legal topics. The editors are currently reviewing submissions for the 2000-2001 NCCU Law Journal. If you are interested in submitting an article for review, you may deliver a

hard copy to the law journal office or e-mail a copy to kghawi@mindspring.com. If you have any questions, please contact Katie Ghawi, Articles Editor, at (919) 560-5302.

**TO ALL STUDENT
ORGANIZATION
LEADERS**

Please remember that the deadline to turn preliminary budgets in to SBA Treasurer Shelese Amos is Friday, September 15th.

Fund request forms are available on the door of the SBA office. PLEASE NOTE THIS CHANGE TO YOUR POLICIES AND PROCEDURES MANUAL: All fund request forms need to be in THREE weeks prior to the event in order to ensure that the funds will be available in time.

If any group has any questions concerning a bulletin board, office space or advisor, please e-mail Natalie C. Watson at newatson@intrex.net.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
September 2000						
3	4 LABOR DAY NO CLASSES	5 Law School Paraphernalia Sale Back Foyer 7:30-8:30 pm	6	7 Institute of Government Information Session Mt. Ct. Rm. 11am - Noon "Invest In Success" Cookout for 3L's & 4LE's 5:30-7:30pm Back Lawn	8 LAW BOWL 2000!!! Forest Hills Park 4:00pm Come Out & Support Your Class!!! FREE COOK-OUT 1L's vs. 2L's Flag Football Game	9 LAW BOWL 2000!!! Forest Hills Park 10:00am 3L's vs. Winner (1L or 2L) Sprawl, Race & Social Justice Seminar Mt. Ct. Rm. 10am-Noon
10	11 2L's Coffee/Donut Sale Back Foyer 8 - 10am ABA Information Table Back Foyer 11am - 2pm	12 BARBRI Registration Back Foyer 11am - 1pm ABA Information Table Back Foyer 1 - 3pm	13 U.S. Department of Justice Info. Session Mt. Ct. Rm. 3:00-4:00pm	14 Judicial Clerkship Information Session Room 102 1:00 - 2:00pm Moot Court Board Mtg. Moot Ct. Rm. 4:30pm ABA Information Table Back Foyer 6 - 9pm	15	16
17	18	19 BARBRI Registration Back Foyer 11am - 1pm	20	21	22	23
24	25	26 SBA Paraphernalia Sale Back Foyer Noon - 1pm BARBRI Registration Back Foyer 11am - 1pm	27 Student/Faculty Cocktail Party 6:30pm - Durham Hilton	28	29	30

Career Services News

All students that signed-up for an interview with the Environmental Protection Agency have been granted an interview. Please stop by the Career Services Office to get the time of your interview. Interviews are scheduled for Tuesday, September 12th from 9:30 am - 1:00 p.m.

The following students have been granted an interview with the Raleigh law firm of Maupin, Taylor & Ellis: Kris Gardner, Robert Giles, David Hands, Renee Hughes, Nathan Lashley, Jennifer Lindow, Michael Lockridge, Tara Nichols and Courtney Rogers. The interviews will be conducted on Wednesday afternoon, September 13th, from 1:00 - 4:30. An interview schedule is posted in the Career Services Office.

A judicial clerkship information session will be conducted on Tuesday, September 12th, at 11:00 a.m. in the Moot Court Room. Hooper Graham, our Lexis representative, will give a presentation on how to find, research and apply for clerkships online. Judges' contact information will also be provided. All students who are considering a clerkship either during the summer or after graduation are strongly encouraged to attend.

Anne Gulyassy will visit our campus on Wednesday, September 13th to talk with students about the U.S. Department of Justice Attorney General's Honor Program and Summer Law Intern Program. The deadline to apply for either of these programs is Monday, September 25, 2000. For information on the application and hiring process or to receive an application, please attend the information session which will be conducted in the Moot Court Room on Wednesday, September 13th at 3:00 p.m.

