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Centennial Celebration Events

Note: Dates in red are Centennial-initiated events; dates in black are campus-initiated events.

November 2006

- **Release of: *No Time for Ivy*, an illustrated history; *Promises Kept*, an edited history of ECU since 1980**
- **Authors' Book Signing and Reception to be held at the Campus Book Store**

December 2006

- Centennial Calendar Roll-out

January 2007

February 2007

- Publication of *East Magazine*

March 2007

- Pirate Sabers are painted on the streets
- Centennial Pepsi can rolled out
- ECU's Guest Appearance on UNC-TV's Bill Friday Show
- Department of Political Sciences Great Decision Lecture, Harriot College Arts and Sciences

March 7, 2007

- **Centennial Kick-off with the Student Birthday Party on the Mall**

4:00 p.m. – The students will begin the Centennial Celebration with a cookout, cake, ice cream, live music and fireworks (if allowed).

- **Chamber of Commerce Open House/Reception for renovations of the Fleming House**
late afternoon event

- **Joint Session of the NC General Assembly honoring ECU Centennial**

Plan A – NC General Assembly meets in Greenville
ECU to host a reception and dinner for members of the General Assembly
Time and location to be determined

Plan B – NC General Assembly meets in Raleigh
ECU to host a reception and dinner for members of the General Assembly
in a downtown Raleigh location

March 8, 2007

- Community Leaders Breakfast with the General Assembly

Plan A – NC General Assembly meets in Greenville

8:00 a.m. – Community Leaders Breakfast at Jarvis United Memorial Church

Plan B – NC General Assembly meets in Raleigh

8:00 a.m. – Community Leaders Breakfast to be held in downtown Raleigh location

- Joint Session of the NC General Assembly

Plan A—NC General Assembly convenes in Wright Auditorium.

10:00 a.m. (?)

Plan B – NC General Assembly convenes in Legislative Building

- Dinner on the Ground

Noon or early afternoon – Dinner on the Ground

If following Plan A, members of the NC General Assembly to join campus guests. If following Plan B, ECU contingency will return to campus following session in Raleigh for the event.

- Chancellor's Forum on Service

3:00 p.m. – Forum to spotlight “service” as one of the four themes for the Centennial. The Honorable Janice Faulkner will serve as the moderator. The Chancellor will formally announce the establishment of the Servire Society.

Representatives from the Harriot College of Arts and Sciences and Joyner Library will present to Dr. Ballard the 1590 original Latin version of Thomas Harriot's *A Brief and True Report of the Newfound Land of Virginia*.

March 10, 2007

- History of ECU Exhibits and Symposium, University Historian Henry Ferrell, Speaker

2:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Joyner Library

March 15-16, 2007

- UNC Board of Governors meet on ECU campus

March 26 – 30, 2007

- Research and Creative Achievement Week

A special Research Expo will be held during Research Week, including but not limited to: Research, scholarship, artistry, and other forms of creative activity featuring ECU faculty, undergraduate and graduate students.

March 31, 2007

- The 3rd Annual Children's Arts Festival

9:00 – 4:00 p.m. The School of Art will hold its annual Arts Festival for Children on the Mall.

April 4, 2007

- Scholar Teacher Awards and Symposium

April 5, 2007

- College of Human Ecology
Carolyn Freeze Baynes Memorial Lecture in Social Justice

April 12 – 17, 2007

- The Tempest, ECU/Loessin Playhouse

April 13 & 14, 2007

- **Pirate Festival**

A weekend of festivities is scheduled to celebrate Town, Gown and Lore. Events to include Pirate re-enactments and Pirate-themed contests, arts and crafts, food vendors, the annual Great Pirate Purple-Gold Pigskin Pig-Out, art walk, International Festival, live music, Painted Pirate Art Project kick-off, Alumni Weekend Awards Program.

April 25 – June 2, 2007

- National touring exhibit, Changing the Face of Medicine: Celebrating America's Women Physicians/Laupus Library
Displays:

Changing the Face of Medicine: Diversity in Medicine

Changing the Face of Medicine: Black Women in White

Changing the Face of Medicine: Medical Reader's Theater

Changing the Face of Medicine: Life and Times of Eastern North Carolina

Women Physicians

Changing the Face of Medicine: Women in Leadership Roles

May 5, 2007

- Commencement

August 2007

- Harriot College at the NC Museum of History, with the John White Watercolors Exhibit on loan from the British Museum
- Centennial Faculty Convocation

September 2007

- Celebration of Student Leaders
- Academic Showcase – Education
- **Possible Commemorative ECU Theatre Performance**

October 2007

- Jarvis Lecture, Harriot College of Arts and Sciences
- Department of Economics Annual Fall Lectures, Harriot College of Arts and Sciences
- Grand Opening of Restored Turnage Theatre in Washington, Theatre and Dance

October 17, 2007

- **Celebration of the Women's Experience at ECU**

November 9, 2007

- Lawrence Brewster Annual Lecture by James McPherson, Harriot College of Arts and Sciences

December 15, 2007

- Commencement

January 2008

- **ECU Jeopardy**
- Showcase: College of Fine Arts and Communication

February 2008

March 2008

- **A Celebration of Diversity at ECU**
- Dept. of Political Science Great Decision Lecture – (Harriot College)

March 6, 2008

Founders Day Celebration

- **Chancellor's Forum on Spirit**
- **First Families Reunion**

April 2008

- **2nd Annual Pirate Festival**
- **Possible celebration of ECU Alumni on Hollywood and Broadway**
- Showcase: Harriot College of Arts and Sciences
- Re-opening of the Belk Building, College of Health and Human Performance

May 10, 2008

- Commencement

June 2008

- **Groundbreakers event**

July 2008

August 2008

- Oral Histories – Ongoing

September 2008

- **Possible unveiling of commissioned Centennial art**
- Showcase: School of Medicine, School of Nursing
- Exhibition that focuses on NC/ECU Artists, Art Department

October 2008

- **Celebration of Outstanding Alumni**
- Dept. of Economics Annual Fall Lectures – Harriot College

November 2008

- Anthropology Lecture – (Harriot College)
- Lawrence Brewster Annual Lecture – (Harriot College)

December 2008

- Commencement

January 2009

February 2009

- Bicentennial of Lincoln's Birthday – (Harriot College)

March 2009

Founders Day Date to be determined

- **Founders Day**
- **Chancellor's Forum on Ambition**

April 2009

- **3rd Annual Pirate Festival**

May 2009

- Commencement

June 2009

July 2009

August 2009

September 2009

- **Newcomen Society event**

October 2009

- Showcase: College of Human Ecology – (Harriot College)
- Dept. of Economics Annual Fall Lectures – Harriot College)
- Jarvis Lecture, Harriot College of Arts and Sciences

October 5, 2009

- **Back-in-Time Celebration**
- **Centennial Tattoo celebrating end of the Centennial**