Annual Leadership tour roams region from Robbinsville to Asheville
The second annual Western Carolina University Leadership Regional Tour featured 36 campus leaders traversing the mountainous Western North Carolina region during a weeklong expedition Monday, May 11, through Friday, May 15. … (CONTINUE READING)

WCU’s A.J. Grube elected Southern Conference president
A.J. Grube, Western Carolina University’s faculty athletics representative, was elected president of the Southern Conference at the intercollegiate athletics association’s annual spring meetings recently in Hilton Head, South Carolina. ... (CONTINUE READING)

WCU mini-mester course takes students to Tornado Alley
A group of Western Carolina University students had an opportunity to learn about leadership and management in
HR students serve as consultants to businesses, organizations
During the spring semester, students in the WCU’s master’s degree program in human resources served as pro bono human resources consultants for businesses in the region. They developed and delivered eight projects for various entities, including a nonprofit organization, a locally owned small business, and a town government. ... (CONTINUE READING)

BRIEFS | thereporter.wcu.edu/category/briefs
WCU’s free summer concerts begin June 11 with American Gonzos
Students highlight undergraduate achievement with 10th edition of Imagine
Right Path participants donate Cherokee language CD, workbook to museum
WCU Fine Art Museum opens gift shop, new exhibits
Summer aqua fitness classes to begin June 16

ACHIEVEMENTS | thereporter.wcu.edu/category/achievements
Read about the latest achievements of faculty and staff, including Phillip Kneller, Santiago Garcia-Castanon, Brian Byrd, Bruce Harrison, Brittania Bintz, Mark Wilson, Adriel Hilton, Tommy Dennison, and retired professor Lee Budahl.

HEADLINES FROM WCU NEWS SERVICES | news-prod.wcu.edu
Poston finishes stellar WCU golf career in Florida
Youth swim classes set through summer
Faculty member James Veteto works to save heirloom seeds
Governor touts bond package that includes funding for WCU science building
Salido chosen to lead university’s accreditation effort

EVENTS | calendar.wcu.edu
June 3 | Focus
June 5 | Board of Trustees
June 10 | Ice Cream Social on the Lawn
June 10 | McFarland USA
June 11 | American Gonzos
June 17 | Ice Cream Social on the Lawn
June 17 | Cinderella
June 24 | Ice Cream Social on the Lawn
June 24 | Insurgent
June 25 | Bubonik Funk
July 1 | Ice Cream Social on the Lawn
July 1 | Furious 7
July 4-8 | Friends General Conference (Quakers)

HIGHER EDUCATION NEWSWATCH | news-prod.wcu.edu/higher-education-newswatch
The Changing Carolina Coast: Sand Is Everywhere, Except When It Isn’t | WUNC 91.5 Public Radio – about the changing Carolina coast includes information from the Program for the Study of Developed Shorelines and comment from WCU’s Rob Young
The Changing Carolina Coast: When Storms And Dreams Collide | WUNC 91.5 Public Radio – about the changing Carolina coast includes information from the Program for the Study of Developed Shorelines and comment from WCU’s Rob Young
Higher education isn’t a mere exercise in supply and demand | Asheville Citizen-Times – editorial about the UNC system abolishing programs, including one at WCU
Letter: Hotel tax funds should benefit those who live here | Asheville Citizen-Times – letter from WCU’s Roger Hartley about local room tax in Buncombe County
State investigation of local builder follows review of county permits | The Sylva Herald – about state investigation into local builder includes comment from WCU’s George Ford
Today’s Email Announcements | Grants Available for Bird Research Through Audubon Society | High Country Press (Boone) – round-up of Audubon Society grants including one to a WCU graduate student to support
Right Path seeking nominations | Cherokee One Feather – about nominations for the Right Path program administered by WCU
WCU Announces Summer Concert Series | WRGC AM 540 – about the summer concert series

ATHLETICS | catamountsports.com
Softball. Five Catamount Softball Players Earn NCCSIA All-State Honors
General News. Catamounts Unite Tour Resumes Thursday in Cullowhee
M. Golf. Poston Concludes Season, Collegiate Career at NCAA Championship
General News. Top Moments of the 2014-15 Athletic Season
M. Golf. Sunday's Third Round Suspended at NCAA Men's Golf Championship