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"COARC 101" Back by Popular Demand

Mellenville, New York (April 7, 2008) On a snow day in February, an audience filled the room for "COARC 101," presented to support new COARC facilities, expanded services and employment opportunities. Once again, COARC offers "COARC 101" on Thursday, April 17.th Audience members can earn \$25 while learning about COARC jobs and services at this fun session hosted by COARC staff members at Columbia Greene Community College Professional Academic Center, Lower Level Room 612. Attendees may choose between two sessions, either 1:00-2:30 pm or 6:00-7:30 pm. Employees from COARC programs and Human Resources will be on hand for lively and interactive presentations about all that COARC offers, with plenty of time for individual questions. Audience members 18 years of age or older who stay for an entire session will receive a check for \$25 at the event; COARC employees and past "COARC 101" attendees do not qualify. Reservations to guarantee a seat can be made by contacting Theresa Wright, COARC Human Resources Associate, 518-828-3890 ext. 146, or theresaw@coarc.org. Those who are unable to attend "COARC 101" can find information about COARC employment opportunities, services and membership at www.COARC.org.

Headquartered in Mellenville, NY, COARC is a Columbia County not-for-profit organization whose mission is expanding abilities, one person at a time, so individuals experiencing disabilities can achieve their personal goals. COARC provides an array of services and programs that benefit more than 600 individuals and it employs more than 400 area residents. Established in 1965, COARC is the Columbia County Chapter of NYSARC, Inc. It is primarily supported through state and federal funding, and also by individual and corporate members and other foundations.

Columbia Greene Community College is located at 4400 Route 23, Hudson, NY. Directions are available at www.sunycgcc.edu by searching 'Directions & Campus Map.'

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