

These heavy storms, which were remnants of the hurricanes that turned Florida upside-down, hit the Appalachians hard. Asheville was completely shut down and students at UNCA were given a couple days off because they had no water. But for most of us here in Brevard life continues on, we can be thankful to have survived with only property loss and minor inconvenience, and that is the important part. Houses can be repaired and roads are fixed, and this will be remembered as a devastating hurricane season for the entire East Coast.

students and faculty are the most committed and supportive people I've seen in a long time."