

# Chipola This Week

A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

December 12 - 18, 2011

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## Prepare now for Spring classes at Chipola

Chipola College Spring classes begin January 6, 2012. Registration for returning students is Jan. 4. New and returning student registration is Jan 5. Applications for Admission are available in the Admissions Office located in the Student Services Building or on-line at [www.chipola.edu](http://www.chipola.edu)

Chipola offers the Associate in Arts Degree, the Associate in Science Degree and Workforce Development programs. Bachelor's Degrees in Education include majors in Middle and High School Math or Science, English Education, Exceptional Student Education and Elementary Education. A Business Administration degree is available with concentrations in Management or Accounting. A Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree also is offered. Additionally, the college offers the Educator Preparation Institute, a Teacher Certification program for those with a B.S. in a non-teaching field.

The Associate in Arts (A.A.) degree is designed for students who plan to complete their first two years of college work and then transfer to a four-year program at Chipola or another college or university. Credits earned are transferable and are applicable toward a bachelor's degree. Academic advising guides that outline requirements for specific majors are available from Student Affairs and are located on the college website at [www.chipola.edu](http://www.chipola.edu).

Several Associate in Science (AS) and Workforce programs are offered which provide training for high wage jobs. Workforce



Chipola students Stephanie Garrels and Forrest Garrett head to class.

programs include: Automotive Service Technology, Cross-Over Law Enforcement to Corrections, Computer Systems Technology I, Firefighter II, Computer Systems Technology II, Law Enforcement Officer, Correctional Officer, Cosmetology, Cross-Over Corrections to Law Enforcement and Patient Care Assistant.

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## ACE Family

*ACE is open late and ready to help Chipola students prepare for finals. It may be the loudest place on campus, but a great deal of studying and test preparation is happening in the center.*

### THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

#### 12 MONDAY

- ◆ FINAL EXAMS FOR FALL TERM A

#### 13 TUESDAY

- ◆ Last Class Day for Fall Term A -WFD Classes
- ◆ FINAL EXAMS FOR FALL TERM A
- ◆ AFC/CEA Christmas Goodies - 10 a.m. - 3 p.m., Student Services Staff Lounge

#### 14 WEDNESDAY

- ◆ FINAL EXAMS FOR FALL TERM A
- ◆ Last Class Day for Fall Term C - Academic Classes
- ◆ AFC/CEA Christmas Goodies - 10 a.m. - 3 p.m., Student Services Staff Lounge

#### 15 THURSDAY

- ◆ Faculty/Staff Christmas Breakfast
- ◆ Grades Due 2 p.m. for Fall Terms A&C (Including "I" Grades from SS I & II)

#### 16 FRIDAY

- ◆ Last Faculty Work Day -- Fall Term

**DEC 9 - JAN 2 - CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAYS -- COLLEGE CLOSED**

## Spring classes, *continued from page 1*

Associate in Science (AS) programs include: Business Administration, Early Childhood Education, Computer Information Technology, Fire Science Technology, Criminal Justice Technology (Crime Scene

Track), Networking Services Technology, Culinary Management, Nursing (RN and LPN) and Recreation Technology.

College Credit Certificate programs include: Child Care Center Management,

Information Technology Management, Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) and Paramedic.

For information, call 850-718-2211 or visit [www.chipola.edu](http://www.chipola.edu)

## Chipola business team places in international competition

A team of Chipola College business students in professor Bob Foulk's Strategic Management class represented the college in a recent Global Business Simulation.

The 10-week competition included 4,247 teams from 288 colleges and universities worldwide.

Chipola's winning team, Brazen Athletics, was co-managed by Accounting major Lisa Jenkins of Chipley, Management major Haley-Marie Green of Sneads, and Accounting major Tracy Scott of Cottondale. The Chipola team finished with the third best Stock Price, fourth best in Earnings Per Share, tied for 27th in Overall Score worldwide and 90th in Return on Average Equity. Additionally, in every corporate success measure, the average of Chipola's four teams was above the all-company global average.

The Chipola team has been invited to compete in the next Best Strategy Invitational against industry winning teams from



*Pictured from left, are: professor Bob Foulk, Management major Haley-Marie Green of Sneads, Accounting major Tracy Scott of Cottondale and Accounting major Lisa Jenkins of Chipley.*

colleges and universities across the globe. For information about the contest,

visit: <http://www.bsg-online.com/stats/top20.html?id=905>

## Chipola Future Educators teacher workshop is Jan. 21

The Chipola College Future Educators Club will host the fifth annual Teacher Workshop, Jan. 21, 2012. Current teachers and students interested in a career in education are invited to attend.

Future educators currently enrolled at Chipola, with the assistance of the Department of Education faculty and staff, will present hands-on activities along with samples for teachers and education majors to use in their own classrooms.

The sessions will include presentations and strategies in Math, Science, Reading, English, ESOL and ESE. Various sessions will be held for elementary, middle, and high school teachers.

In addition to the student-led sessions, a representative from Big Ideas Learning will conduct a session for middle school math teachers. A representative from Teacher Effectiveness also will conduct a session on Classroom Management for

teachers in grades 3–6.

Registration opens at 8 a.m. in Building D on the Chipola College campus. Sessions begin at 8:15 a.m. and run through 12:30 p.m.

To ensure that sufficient materials are available, those planning to attend are asked to RSVP.

For information or to reserve a spot, contact Casey Bush at [bushc@chipola.edu](mailto:bushc@chipola.edu) or 850-526-2761, Ext. 2449.

## Jazzmatazz Show Choir concert moved to January

The popular Show Choir series, Jazzmatazz, has an interesting twist this year. It is called "Stadsmatazz" to honor Joan Stadslev, retiring Associate Dean of Fine and Performing Arts Department.

The song and dance performances under the direction of Angie White and Dr.

Josh Martin are scheduled for Jan. 5, 6 and 7 at 7 p.m. in the Chipola Theatre.

Originally slated for December, Jazzmatazz has been rescheduled in part to allow more alumni to come back to campus to be a part of this historic event. Signature songs highlighting the history

of the group are slated to be performed.

Tickets go on sale Nov. 28 and are available from Show Choir members and through the Fine and Performing Arts Department at (850) 718-2277.



## Auto Tech program is Bellwether finalist

Chipola College's Automotive Technology program recently was selected as a finalist for a Bellwether Award in the Workforce Development division. Chipola instructors John Gardner and Chase Vlieg will present an overview of their innovative program at the Community College Futures Assembly set for January 2012 in Orlando. The Chipola Automotive program utilizes an industry-based curriculum in partnership with local dealerships, shops, and an advisory committee to provide students with the competitive edge in this ever changing high-tech training environment. The Chipola program also was named a Bellwether runner-up in 2006 and Florida's Best Business & Education partnership in 2004.

Chipola's automotive technology program is centered on today's students. Instructor John Gardner says, "Today's technologically savvy students grew up with computers, cell phones and video games. If we want a successful program in today's 'I want it now,' microwave society our programs must evolve as well. In order to do so we had to reinvent the wheel."

Gardner said outdated training videos and materials with voice over and slow animation were not holding the students' attention. He and his assistant Chase Vlieg formed a partnership with the entertainment industry to create a new fast-paced "Infotainment" training system. Infobase Learning, Films Media Group agreed to work with Chipola, ACI and film experts Brenton Productions to produce an ASE Automotive Training Video Series. Brenton produces several successful TV shows, including Two Guys Garage, Truck Universe, Hi Rev Tuners, Shadetree Mechanic, Crank

& Chrome and Wounded Warrior Series.

The Chipola instructors started in the new training series with help from industry partners Auto Value and A-Tech Automotive Training Systems. Gardner says, "We created the first ever ASE Certification series written, scripted, and on screen talent by two practicing automotive technology instructors with over 22 years of combined experience earning the Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) stamp of approval."

Each segment contains: Hands on Demonstrations, Parts Identification, Theory of Operation, Professionalism Dialogue, Motivational Tips, ASE Preparation & Five ASE Style Questions. The no fluff informative videos are 3-10 minutes each, and designed to be utilized on internet based programs or stand alone DVD's. Gardner says the series was strategically scripted and produced to meet the needs of today's automotive students, instructors and technicians. All videos are quick and to the point, with multiple shots at different locations, positive, bright and upbeat. The DVD's/curriculum package was designed to meet the needs of all three types of learners: visual, audio and kinesthetic. All content includes animation and graphics, close ups of components and parts labeling, ASE questions with highlighted answers, demonstrations explained verbally with all parts labeled. All live demonstrations with tools and equipment involve the audience in the learning process.



Any institution can implement the DVD's into their current program. ASE and NATEF correlations are an integral part of the curriculum package. Students and instructors can learn theory together and then reinforce the content technically with hands-on experience.

Gardner says the impact of the DVD series has been nationwide. Automotive publishers Infobase Learning, Films on Demand Goodheart-Wilcox, Delmar, Cengage Learning and Pearson are currently developing their automotive curricula with this system, either by emulation or direct utilization.

Gardner says, "Our goal is to train tomorrow's workforce in a relevant and applicable way meeting the needs of present and future industries with teaching methods that reach today's students."

Information on the DVD series is available at [filmsmediagroup.com](http://filmsmediagroup.com)

For information about Chipola's Automotive Technology program, call 850-718-2306, or visit [www.chipola.edu](http://www.chipola.edu)



## Chipola baseball honored with ring ceremony

Members of the 2011 State Championship baseball team were presented championship rings at a ceremony on Dec. 3.

## FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE - FALL 2011

### Monday – December 12

- 8:00 EDF 3214, ENC 0015, ENC 0025, ENC 1101, ENC 1102, HUM 2216, HUM 2233  
 10:00 CGS 1060-002 & 004, ENC 3311, MAE 3320, MUL 2010, PET 2622, PSY 2012, REA 0017, REA 1205, SCE 3320, SYG 1000  
 12:00 AML 2010, BSC 4101, CHM 1045, CHM 2210, ECO 2013, ENL 2012, MAE 4310, RED 3009, SPM 2000  
 2:00 ACG 2002, ASH 1044, CGS 1060-005 & 700, EDF 1005, LIN 3013, MAE 3816, MTG 3212, RED 4312, SPC 2608, SYG 1010

### Tuesday – December 13

- 8:00 ACG 2021, BSC 1005, BSC 1059, BSC 1088, BSC 2010, BSC 2011, BSC 2093, BSC 2094, MUT 1111, PET 2210  
 10:00 ACG 2071, CGS 1100-001, COP 1700, COP 2000, COP 2224, ESC 1000, HSC 1100, LAE 3210, MAC 1114, MGF 1107, MUT 2116, PSC 1121, STA 2023  
 12:00 MAC 1105, MAC 1140, MAC 1311, MAC 2233, MAC 2312, MAC 2313, MAT 0018, MAT 0028, MAT 1033, MGF 1106, RED 4312, SCE 4310  
 2:00 CGS 1060-001 & 003, DEP 2004, EME 2040, GEB 1011, LAE 3323, MCB 2010, MAS 3105, POS 2112, THE 1020

### Wednesday, December 14

- 8:00 AMH 2010, CET 1174, CET 2605, EDF 2085, RED 4519, WOH 2012, WOH 2022  
 10:00 AMH 2020, ARH 1000, CET 1513, CET 2724, MMC 1000, PHY 1053C, PHY 2048C, SPN 1120, SPN 1121, SPN 2220, SSE 3113  
 12:00 MAKE-UP PERIOD  
 2:00 MAKE-UP PERIOD

### NOTES

**FRIDAY CLASSES** – The final examination for all Friday classes will be given during the last class period.

**EVENING CLASSES** – The final examinations for all evening classes may be given during the last class period for the semester or may be scheduled during one of the evenings of the three-day examination period. NOTE: The final exam period for evening classes may be longer than the regularly scheduled class period.

**TERM B CLASSES** – The final examination for Term B classes will be given on the last class period.

**TERM C CLASSES** – The final examination for Term C classes will follow the Term A schedule.

**GRADES** – Grades are due in the Admissions Office, Thursday, Dec, 15, at 2 p.m.

**MAKE-UP EXAMS** – All make-up exams must be scheduled with prior approval.



**ACE HELP.** Many classes still have the last unit exam and a final scheduled.

Let the ACE help! We have scheduled longer hours and many group reviews for the courses that have the most traffic. Individual help is also available for these and other classes.

A schedule of final exam reviews is available at the ACE front desk.

*Bonnie Smith and the ACE Staff*

### LIBRARY OPEN HOUSE

The Library will be hosting an Open House on Monday Dec. 12 from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. All Chipola students and employees are invited to come and share in the Christmas spirit.

### HOLIDAY HOURS TECH CENTER

Monday and Tuesday,  
Dec 12 & 13 8 am – 6 pm  
Wednesday, Dec 14  
8 am 2 pm  
Thursday and Friday,  
Dec 15 & 16 Closed

All library books and materials are due no later than 4 pm on Friday, December 9.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### DECEMBER

- 3 Faculty Returns -- Spring Term
- 3 New Student Testing Begins
- 4 Returning Student Registration & Drop/Add for Spring A&B
- 5 New and Returning Student Registration & Drop/Add for Spring A&B
- 6 Classes Begin for Spring A & B
- 6, 9 Late Registration, Drop/Add & Employee Fee Waiver Reg for Spring A&B
- 9-10 Auditions for Spring Musical, Godspell
- 10 Late Registration Spring A&B
- 10-12 Drop/Add & Employee Fee Waiver Registration for Spring A&B
- 16 Martin L King Holiday - College Closed

#### THIS WEEK

*"Chipola This Week" is a weekly publication of the Chipola PR Office.*

*Deadline for the next issue is 8 a.m., Wednesday, January 4. Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at [warde@chipola.edu](mailto:warde@chipola.edu).*

#### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 12-Dec Chastity Duke
- 17-Dec Brent Crews
- 22-Dec Stan Young
- 23-Dec Nancy Burns
- 24-Dec JoAnn Parish
- 24-Dec Royce Reagan
- 28-Dec Casey Bush
- 29-Dec Doris Williams
- 30-Dec Billy Ray Richter

**ATTENTION STUDENTS:** Students completing graduation requirements this semester must submit the Application for Diploma immediately. Degrees are not automatically posted.

Transcript Request showing degrees and end of term grades must be submitted no later than December 14 to insure processing before the holidays.

The college will be closed December 19 – January 2.

**ENC 1101 & 1102 STUDENTS:** You will need your Photo ID for admission to take your final exam.

If you do not have your photo ID, you may get one made on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 8-11 a.m. and Tuesdays from 1-3:30 p.m. in Building A-108. Exceptions will be by appointment.