

Chipola This Week

February 15-21, 2010

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A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

Area educators attend Chipola teachers workshop

Eighty-five area educators and education students attended Chipola College's Third Annual Teachers Workshop on Jan. 30.

The Chipola Future Educators Club (FEC) in conjunction with the Teacher Education Program hosted the student-led sessions. Session topics included: 'Making Sense of Fractions,' 'Foldables,' 'Bag Lady,' 'Tangrams,' 'Geometry Connection,' 'Using Poetry to Enhance Instruction,' 'Making Music Matter in Today's Classroom,' 'How to Get Juice from a Lemon,' 'InterWrite,' and 'Bodies of Knowledge Science Activities.'

The sessions focused on making instruction more engaging and many included hands-on activities to help students understand and remember content. The FEC worked cooperatively with the Panhandle Area Educational Consortium (PAEC) and participants were able to earn in-service points for attending. In the workshop evaluations, many teachers mentioned that they learned many practical ideas and could not wait to try them in their classrooms.

Several area businesses donated gifts and materials for the event, including: Beef O'Brady's, Marianna Twin Cinemas, Peoples South Bank, Tommy's Glass, Blockbuster of Chipley, The Chocolate Gallery, Orange Hill Express and Sweet Stuff Bakery.



Pictured from left, are: Miriam Beasley of Bonifay Middle, Gloria Hobbs of Holmes County High and Bridgett Miller of Marianna High.



Lt. Governor visits Chipola

Lt. Gov. Jeff Kottkamp visited the campus of Chipola College on Feb. 10. After a tour of campus, Kottkamp attended a reception of students and faculty in the college ACE Lab. Pictured from left, are: Kottkamp, with Chipola professors Stan Young, Vikki Milton and Dr. Robert Dunkle.

THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

15 MONDAY

- ♦ Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Spring Term B
- ♦ Student Government Association — 2 p.m., Z116
- ♦ CEA Meeting — 2:30 p.m., TBA

16 TUESDAY

- ♦ Executive Council — 9 a.m., A192
- ♦ Student Ambassadors — 1 p.m., A156
- ♦ District Board of Trustees — 7 p.m., Bldg. Y
- ♦ CC Baseball vs. Shelton State — 3 p.m., BC

17 WEDNESDAY

- ♦ BCM Bible Study — 10 a.m., A156
- ♦ BSU — 10 a.m., C104
- ♦ Business Dept Faculty Meeting — 3 p.m., M 208A
- ♦ CC Basketball VS. Northwest FL— Women 5:30, Men 7:30 P.M., R

18 THURSDAY

- ♦ Fellowship of Christian Athletes Huddle — 7 p.m.
- ♦ Music and Theatre Scholarship Auditions for 2010-11

19 FRIDAY

- ♦ Last Day To Vertically Transfer For Spring Term A
- ♦ Academic Directors — 9 a.m., A192

2010 Chipola Homecoming Court



Sylvianna Garrett was crowned Chipola's 2010 Homecoming Queen and Quintin Beechum was crowned 2010 Mr. Chipola during the Homecoming game on Feb. 6. Members of the 2010 Homecoming Court are from left: Kaitlin Porter, Taylor Reiff, Ashleigh Lollie, 2010 Mr. Chipola Quintin Beechum, Tommy Melvin, 2010 Queen Sylvianna Garrett, Tucker Nebel, 2009 Queen Courtney Corbin, 2009 Mr. Chipola Kris Sampson, Tory Brown, Anna Beth Parmer, and Allison Ellis.

Former baseballers visit Chipola



Dozens of former Chipola College baseball players returned to their alma mater Feb. 5-7 for the third annual Chipola Baseball Alumni event.

ESPN analyst Buck Showalter visited Chipola coach Jeff Johnson on Friday. Showalter, the former manager of the Yankees,

Diamondbacks and Rangers, brought along his former Chipola teammate Russ Aldridge from the Indian's 1975 team.

Team Mathis won the Alumni Homerun Derby with members: Jeff Mathis, Jake Mathis, Luis Bautista, David Oswalt, Victor Alvarez and Ethan Martin.

Alumni in attendance included: Richie Smith, Ryan Chaffee, Jaye Chapman, Jeff Bosse, Raynel Robles, Brandon Street, Jake Mathis, Blake Balkcom, Drew Miller, Luke Johnson, Angel Medina, Jose Bautista, Kellen Ludwig, Jonathan Swearingen, Josh Lawhon, Drew Cook, David Credeur, Grant Conyers, Jason Barber, Travis

Anderson, Victor Alvarez, Jeff Mathis, Josh Storm, David Oswalt, Alan Horne, Mat Gamel, Liam Shanahan, Andrew Gay, Luis Bautista, Kevin Johnson, Jay Scott and Shawn Larkin.

For information, contact Brent Shelton at 850-718-2332, or email sheltonb@chipola.edu.

Fundraisers set for Chipola student

Two fundraisers have been scheduled for Chipola College student, Brandi Purvis, who has been diagnosed with cancer.

'Haircuts for Hope' is Saturday, Feb. 20, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Allure inside ShoreTan It. They will also be doing mini mani's. No appointments are necessary. Children's haircuts are \$10. Adult cuts are \$15. Call 482-5833 for information.

'Smiles for Brandi' is Saturday, March 13, from 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at Payne and Payne Dentistry. They will be offering

general cleaning and exams for children 5 years old to adults for \$40. Appointments are preferred, but walk-ins are welcome. Call 526-2511 for information.

All proceeds from both fundraisers are to benefit the Brandi Purvis Cancer Fund.

Anyone would like to make a cash donation, may call Donna Chandler at 718-2276.

Music, art and theatre auditions set

Scholarship Audition dates for Music and Theatre scholarships at Chipola College for 2010-11 have been set for Feb. 18, March 18, April 15. Show Choir auditions are set for April 19.

Students majoring in art should submit their application, letters of recommendation, and portfolio no later than April 22 to the Office of Fine and Performing Arts.

Applications in all areas may be obtained by phoning Chipola College's Fine and Performing Arts Department, 718-2277 or 718-2301, or they may be obtained from the college's web site: www.chipola.edu clicking on Fine Arts and then scholarships.

High School graduates with acceptable academic records and music, theatre, and art aptitude who plan to pursue studies as music, theatre or art majors are eligible to apply. Show Choir auditions are open to all students in all majors. Rock and Jazz scholarships tuition scholarships are available upon audition for instrumentalists who are non- music majors.

Scholarships in various amounts, up to full tuition and fees, are awarded on the basis of talent and academic record. Students with financial need may seek additional assistance through the college's Office of Financial Aid and through the Chipola Foundation.

For information, contact Joan Stadskev, Director of the Fine and Performing Arts, at 718-2301 or stadskev@chipola.edu

Novelist visits Chipola

Novelist and journalist Masha Hamilton recently led a writing workshop and cultural diversity lecture at Chipola College. Hamilton is the author of acclaimed novels, *31 Hours*, *Staircase of a Thousand Steps*, and *The Camel Bookmobile*. Here, Chipola Phi Theta Kappa students Jessica Bradley (left) and Casey Speers (right), present books to Hamilton (center) for the Camel Book Drive, a camel-borne library in northeastern Kenya.



Chipola hosts Northwest Florida Wednesday

Chipola hosts Northwest Florida State College, Wednesday, Feb. 17, in its last conference match-up of the season. The women's game tips off at 5:30 p.m. The men play at 7:30 p.m.

Chipola travels to Pensacola on Monday, Feb. 15.

Both Indian teams suffered losses against Gulf Coast on Feb. 13. The men lost their bid at the FCCAA State Basketball tournament with the 97-85 loss. The women fought hard against the Lady Commodores but suffered the same fate as the men losing 75-65. With the loss, Chipola drops to 18-7 on the season and 3-6 in conference play. Northwest (8-1) leads the men's conference race with Tallahassee (7-3) in second. Gulf Coast (4-6) is third. Chipola (3-6) is fourth and Pensacola is fifth (28). The Indians are tied with St. Pete for eighth place in the FCCAA state poll. Northwest Florida and Tallahassee have clinched a berth in the FCCAA State Tournament to be held at Chipola, March 3-6.

The Indians scored a big 71-69 win over Tallahassee before a capacity homecoming crowd on Feb. 6. Chipola led by as many as 19 points during in the first half, but TCC pulled to within two late in the game. Aaron Davis led Chipola with 14 points. John Taylor had 12. Dexter Ellington had 11 points and 3 rebounds. Kevin Powell had 9 points and 5 rebounds.

The Indians suffered a 73-57 loss to Northwest Florida Feb. 3. Grooms led Chipola with 13 points. Aaron Davis had 12.

Grooms scored 20 to lead the Indians to an 82-67 win over Pensacola on Jan. 30. Dewitt had 16 points and 12 rebounds. Powell had 12 points and 7 rebounds. Marvin Fitzgerald had 12 points and 8 rebounds.

The Lady Indians fell to 1-8 in conference play and 11-14 on the season with the loss to Gulf Coast. Gulf Coast (9-1) leads the women's conference race with Pensacola (7-3) in second. Tallahassee (5-5) is third. Northwest Florida (2-7) is fourth and Chipola is fifth. Three Panhandle Conference women's teams will advance to the FCCAA State Tournament. Gulf Coast and Pensacola have clinched a berth.

The Lady Indians fell to 1-7 in conference play following a 66-59 loss to Tallahassee on Feb. 6. Bianca Jarrett led Chipola with 24 points and 7 rebounds. Tykiesha O'Neil had 16. Malesha Petterson had 12 points and 4 rebounds.

The Lady Indians lost a 65-60 heartbreaker at Northwest on Feb. 3. Bianca Jarrett led Chipola with 30 points. Tykiesha O'Neil had 13 points. Chipola led 60-58 with two minutes remaining but could not hold on for the win.

The Lady Indians picked up their first conference victory with a 71-64 win over Pensacola on Jan. 30. Jarrett led Chipola with 24 points. Lindsey Carr had 19. Ance Celmina scored 12.

Gulf Coast (7-1) leads the women's conference race. PJC (6-2) is second. TCC (4-4) is third. Northwest is 2-6 and Chipola is 1-7.

Chipola will host the FCCAA State Basketball Tournament March 3-6 in the Milton H. Johnson Health Center. The top two men's teams from the Panhandle will play in the tournament, along with the top three women's Panhandle teams.

For information about Chipola sports, call 718-2CJC or visit www.chipola.edu



Ariell van Hook

Van Hook named FCCAA Softball Player of the Week

Chipola College's Ariell van Hook is this week's FCCAA Softball Player of the Week. van Hook, a first-year player from Whittier, Calif., has batted .485 (16-of-33) with two home runs and 12 RBI over the Indians' opening 12 games. During Chipola's season-opening swing through the Southwest, she enjoyed back-to-back 3-

for-3, one home run and four-RBI games against Central Arizona and Arizona Western. van Hook later had a two-hit game against North Idaho and collected three hits and three RBI in a double-header against Lurleen B. Wallace. During the 12 games, van Hook also scored five runs and was walked six times.

Chipola offers free tax preparation

In order to help local citizens get the most refund due them, Chipola business instructor Lee Shook and his student volunteers are providing free tax preparation and free electronic filing.

The free service—for individual tax returns only—is available from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., on Wednesdays, through early April. Other times may be scheduled by appointment. Professor Shook says, "If it is a very complicated return, we ask that you continue to use your paid professional, but if it is a fairly simple return we can help. We will do Schedule A, itemized deductions."

The free service usually takes no longer than 30 minutes. For faster refunds, taxpayers are asked to bring a personal check which has routing information needed for electronic refunds.

To make an appointment for free tax assistance, call Lee Shook at (850) 718-2368.

Scholarships available

Applications for the UCF Alumni Association Scholarship are available at www.ucfalumni.com/scholarships. The \$1000 scholarship is available to students transferring directly from any state college to UCF in Summer or Fall 2010 and who demonstrate well-rounded involvement to college campus, local community, or exceptional work experience. Application deadline is March 31.

Applications for the James Wilcox African-American Undergraduate Scholarship are available at www.ficpa.org/scholarships. The \$5000/year recurring scholarship is available to African-American students in their first, second or third year of college, majoring in Accounting. Applications deadline is March 15.

BOOKSTORE HOURS

Monday-Thursday
7 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Friday
7 a.m. - 1 p.m.

TESTING CENTER HOURS:

Monday & Wednesday
8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday & Thursday
8 a.m - 7 p.m.
Friday
8 a.m - 1:30 p.m.

LIBRARY HOURS:

Monday - Thursday
7:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Friday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

TECH CENTER HOURS:

Monday - Thursday
8 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Friday 8 a.m. - Noon

ACE HOURS:

Monday - Thursday
8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Friday 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

BLACK HISTORY MONTH.

Chipola College will host a Black History Month Program, Friday, Feb. 26, at 6 p.m. in the Continuing Education building.

The theme for the program is "Accentuating the accomplishments, navigating the streams of change and poised for the future."

The guest speaker is Rev. Bernard Hudson from Quincy.

For information about the event, contact Dr. Willie Spires at 718-2232.

UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY

- 22 Last Day to Resign from All Classes for Spring Term B
- 26 FTCE Reg Deadline for April
- 27 FTCE Exam

MARCH

- 2 Deadline to Apply for Spring Grad
- 2 Last Class Day for Spring B
- 2 Reg & Drop/Add for Spring C
- 3 Classes Begin for Spring C
- 3 Late Reg, Drop/Add, & Employee Fee Waiver Spring C
- 3-6 FCCAA State Basketball Tourney
- 10-14 Theatre Musical Production

THIS WEEK

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

Deadline for the next issue is 8 a.m., **Wednesday, Feb. 17**. Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 15-Feb Melissa Cauley
- 18-Feb Angie Tyler
- 19-Feb Charles Crawford

GRADUATION.

All graduates (Fall 2009, Spring and Summer 2010) are encouraged to participate in the Commencement Ceremony on May 6, 2010. Graduates who wish to participate must order a cap and gown by March 2, by completing the Application to March in the Admissions and Records.

\$\$\$\$. The estimated disbursement date for Pell and Bright Futures checks is February 17, 2010.

Menu for Chipola Food Court - Week of February 15-19

Monday: Sesame Chicken, Beef Tips in Gravy *Specialty Bar: Sub Bar*

Tuesday: Fried Chicken, Lasagna *Specialty Bar: Taco Bar*

Wednesday: BBQ Chicken, Salisbury Steak *Specialty Bar: Potato Bar*

Thursday: Fried Chicken, Swedish Meatballs *Specialty Bar: Nacho Bar*

Friday: Chicken Stir Fry, Shepherds Pie

Items served daily include hamburgers, cheeseburgers, chicken sandwiches, pizza, fries, Full Salad Bar and Dessert Bar

LOCATOR

A- Student Services/ Administration	I- Arts Center	Q- Health Science
B- Library	J- Theater	R- Johnson Health Center
C- Social Science	K- Cafeteria, Bookstore	S- Continuing Ed/Conf Ctr
D- Fink Natural Science	L- ACE Lab	T- Pool
E- Physical Plant Office	M- Business/Cosmetology	U- Foundation
F- Residence Hall	N- Workforce Devel Labs	Y- Public Service
G- Teacher Education	O- Workforce Del / Electronics	Z- Literature/Language
H- McLendon Fine Arts	P- Automotive Tech	BC/SC - Baseball/Softball Complex