Burns is Chipola’s top prof

Computer Science professor Nancy Burns of Graceville has been named the Faculty/Administrator/Other Professional of the Year at Chipola College.

Burns recently completed 27 years at Chipola, where she teaches various computer science courses. She serves on numerous college committees including Curriculum, and Catalog and Schedule of Courses. She also is a member of the Association of Florida Colleges. In 1997, Burns was chosen by her colleagues to receive the Kirkland Award for Excellence in Teaching.

Her fellow professor Vikki Milton, says, “Nancy’s soft spoken manner is well received by her students and colleagues. No matter how busy, she is always willing to stop and talk with a student or fellow employee. We can count on her to shed a positive light on any situation. She loves the field of technology and she loves Chipola.”

Burns was a leader in the recent revision of the college’s Associate in Science (A.S) information technology programs and serves as an adviser to students enrolled in the programs. Her supervisor Dr. Jim Froh says, “Students are impressed with her ability to have the classes relate to real work experience. Nancy was there throughout the implementation of the new technology curriculum. Her dedication to getting it right for the students is what truly makes the difference.”

A native of Houston, TX, Burns earned bachelor’s degrees from both the University of Houston and Troy University. She earned a master’s of education degree from North Texas State University and completed graduate coursework at Florida State University.

Burns and her husband, Mike, have two grown sons. She is an active member of the First Baptist Church of Graceville. She currently is serving as pianist for Greenwood Baptist Church. The Faculty/Administrator of the Year award provides a $1,000 bonus, a $100 gift certificate from the College Book Store and reserved parking for a year. The award is selected from among the monthly winners.

Summer II registration is June 20

Chipola College registration for Summer Session II classes is Thursday, June 20, from 8 to 5 p.m.

Classes begin Monday, June 24, with late registration continuing through noon on June 25. The schedule of classes is available online at www.chipola.edu

Application for deadline for the Fall 2013 semester is Aug. 1. Early Fall registration for current students is June 10-13.

There are several steps in the application process: (1) complete the college Admission Application; call 718-2311 for assistance; (2) request your high school to send a final transcript to Chipola College Admission and Records Office; and (3) take the College Continuing on page 2
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Placement Test; call 718-2284 for assistance. Students should report to Room 156 in the Student Services Building and sign in to see an academic advisor.

Chipola offers the Bachelor of Science Degree, the Associate in Arts Degree, the Associate in Science Degree and Workforce Development programs.

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Summer children’s programs set at Chipola

Chipola College will offer programs for children of all ages this summer.

Swimming lessons will be offered for all ages. Lessons are based on a combination of nationally-recognized methods. Lessons for ages four and up are scheduled June 17–27, with a registration deadline of June 13. Classes are available at 10 a.m. or 7 p.m. Sessions include eight 45 minute classes which meet Monday through Thursday for two weeks. Cost of regular swimming lessons is $55. Pre-registration is required, with a $5 late registration fee. For information, call 718-2473 or visit www.chipola.edu. July and August sessions will be announced at a later date.

Chipola Baseball Coach Jeff Johnson will offer three camps. A Pitching Camp for ages 7-18 will meet June 10-11. Cost is $100. A Hitting Camp for ages 7-18 will meet June 12-13. Cost is $100. A Skills Camp for ages 7-18 will meet June 17-18. Cost is $100. A Grand Slam Special rate for all three camps is $250.

All baseball camps meet from 9 a.m. to noon. For information, contact Assistant Coach Chris Hutcheson at 850-718-2243.

Chipola Softball Coach Belinda Hendrix will offer two softball camps. A Hitting Camp for all ages will meet June 19. Cost is $50. A Skills Camp for all ages will meet June 17-18. Cost is $100. A Grand Slam Special for both camps is $135. Both camps meet from 1 to 4 p.m. For information, contact Coach Hendrix at 718-2358.

Kid’s College at Chipola

Kidz College courses have been designed to engage participants and to provide them with fun, educational activities. Courses range from

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6-12. Session 1 is June 17-20, and Session 2 is June 24-27. Tuition is $75 per session and covers all course materials and lunch each day.

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“Writing Wizardry” and “Nifty Newspapers, Wacky Words, and Colorful Columns” to “All About the Ocean” and “Rocks You Can Eat” and many in between. All courses have been tailored to fit specific age groups and are sure to be entertaining and educational.

For more information about Kidz College or for a registration form, contact Alicia Hatcher, Continuing Education Coordinator, at 850-718-2405.

Chipola press conference set for June 6

Chipola College will host a press conference Thursday, June 6, at 1 p.m., to announce that the college’s Automotive instructors John Gardner and Chase Vlieg have been selected by Advance Auto Parts to develop a training system for company employees.

Advance officials and a video production team will be on campus June 6 to begin filming and to present a check for $5,000 to the college to help automotive students pay for their ASE certification exams.

This Week

BELATED BIRTHDAYS
4-Jun Bobbie Peace
9-Jun Jan Cummings
9-Jun Jeremy Smith

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK
10-Jun Wanda Pope
10-Jun Evelyn Ward
12-Jun Sheila Mercer
13-Jun Kathy Dunaway
14-Jun Martin Walden
16-Jun JoAnn Everett

SECURITY. Due to a number of recent automobile (smash and grab) break-ins, students and employees are urged to hide valuables from plain sight. The college security department suggests that valuables be placed in the trunk.

UPCOMING EVENTS
JUNE
18 Last Class Day SS I – All Classes
18 Early SS II Reg Payment Due
18 District Board of Trustees
19 Last Faculty Day for Summer I
19 Grades Due 12 Noon
20 Faculty Returns -- Summer II
24 New and Returning Student Reg for SS II
24-25 Late Reg, Drop/Add & Employee Fee Waiver Reg

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Monday - Thursday
7:45 a.m. - 3 p.m.

ACE SUMMER HOURS
Monday - Wednesday
8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Thursday
8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

$$$$ Deadline to have Financial Aid funds complete for Fall is July 24.