Chipola softball finishes fifth in national tournament

The Chipola Lady Indians finished fifth in the NJCAA National Tournament winning two of four games in the four-day tournament. Chipola infielder Katherine Harrison was named to the All-Tournament team. Following the tournament, Mya Anderson was named an NJCAA First Team All-American. Chipola entered as the No. 3 seed in the 16-team double-elimination tournament.

The Lady Indians finished 44-11 on the year with a state championship.

Chipola’s season ended with a 4-3 loss to No. 1 seed and top-ranked Butler (KS) on May 17. Chipola hurler Karissa Childs was hampered by three errors, which led to three unearned runs, to take the loss.

Earlier on May 17, second-seeded Salt Lake (UT) shut out Chipola 12-0 in the championship bracket.

On May 16, Chipola advanced to the Championship bracket with 12 runs and 12 hits in a 12-3 win in five innings over #6-seed Lake Land (IL). Chipola broke open a 1-1 game with five third-inning runs to race out to a 6-1 lead. The Lakers drew a run closer in their half of the frame, but Chipola answered with two tallies in the fourth and four more in the fifth to end the game via the eight-run rule. Chipola infielder Mya Anderson drove in four runs on two hits, while Katherine Harrison and Hayley Parker each had two hits and two RBI. Indian starter Eva Vooortman won her second game of the tourney, scattering nine hits and three runs over five innings with four strikeouts.

Chipola beat Odessa 7-2 in the first round of the national tournament on May 15. Chipola raced out to an early lead and never looked back to notch a 7-2 triumph over #14-seed Odessa (TX). The Indians had seven runs on five hits and six walks. Chipola scored a pair of runs in the first and two more in the second, thanks to a two-RBI single from Katherine Harrison. Chipola put the game away with a run in the fourth, and two more in the fifth. The run support was more than enough for Indian hurler Eva Voortman, who fanned eight and scattered two runs and five hits in seven innings.

Chipola defeated Santa Fe, 8-5, to win the Florida FCSAA/Region VIII State Championship on May 5. Chipola made it to the state title game by winning the Gulf District bracket. Chipola scored a 10-2 win over State College of Florida and an 11-6 win over Pensacola, both on May 3. Chipola beat Polk twice in the state tournament, 11-0, on May 4, and 7-1 on May 5.

Page recognized for service

Jan Page of Chipley, chair of the Chipola College District Board of Trustees, was recently recognized for two years as chair of the board. Here, Executive Vice-President Dr. Jason Hurst presents a gift to Page at the recent college graduation. The board of trustees also includes Danny Ryals of Blountstown, Mark Plummer of Bristol, Robert Jones of Westville, Dr. Leisa Bailey of Bonifay, Jeff Crawford of Marianna, John Padgett of Marianna, Gina Stuart of Marianna and Gary Clark of Chipley.
Chipola Cosmetology open during summer

Here, student Ciara Baxley highlights a customer’s hair. The Chipola College Cosmetology Salon will be open during both summer sessions. Students offer a variety of services, including haircuts, color, manicures and facial waxing. The college also carries Paul Mitchell and Redken products. Clients should call 718-2439 to make an appointment.

Third generation of Prough family graduates from Chipola

Chipola president Dr. Gene Prough and his wife Priscilla met as students at Chipola College in the 1960’s. Last week a third generation of the Prough family graduated from Chipola. Pictured from left, are: Priscilla Prough (Class of 1968), grandson John Whittington (Class of 2013), daughter Stephanie Prough Gleason (Class of 1989), granddaughter Jessica Glawson (Class of 2012), grandson-in-law Robbie Glawson (Class of 2013) and the next generation of the Prough family Ali Maddox (front).

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 on the following dates: Session 1: June 3-13 with a registration deadline of May 30; Session 2: 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.

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.

LIBRARY HOURS
Monday - Thursday
7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

TECH CENTER HOURS
Monday - Thursday
7:45 a.m. - 3 p.m.

ACE SUMMER HOURS
Monday - Wednesday
8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Thursday
8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

NOTICE: Effective 2013-2014 academic year, Chipola College will NOT be participating in the Federal Direct Loan Programs. This includes Federal Direct Subsidized, Federal Direct Unsubsidized and Federal Direct PLUS Loans.

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