

Chipola This Week

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A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

Chipola teams to tip-off basketball season Nov. 6

The Chipola College Indians men's basketball team is ranked second and the Chipola Lady Indians are ranked third in their respective FCCAA State Men's and Women's Basketball Preseason Coaches' Polls.

The Lady Indians open the regular season Nov. 5-6 at home against Broward and Miami Dade. Both games tip off at 5 p.m.

The Indians open the regular season Nov. 5-6 at home against Enterprise and Shelton State. Both games tip off at 7 p.m.

The FCCAA Men's Basketball Preseason Poll with last year's record in parentheses: 1. Northwest Florida State (30-5); 2. Chipola

(19-9); 3. Tallahassee (25-6); 4. Miami Dade (12-14); 5. Daytona State (21-7); 6. Central Florida (26-7); 7. St. Petersburg (20-10); 8. Broward (22-6); 9. Santa Fe (17-12); and 10. Palm Beach State (9-17).

The FCCAA Women's Basketball Preseason Coaches' Poll with last year's record in parentheses: 1. Gulf Coast (32-1); 2. Pensacola (24-6); 3. Chipola (11-17); 4. Tallahassee (20-9); 5. Indian River State (21-5); 6. Central Florida (19-11); 7. Santa Fe (18-10); 8. Northwest Florida State (17-8); 9. Daytona State (15-13); and 10. Palm Beach State (21-7).

Tickets on sale for 'Dearly Departed'

Tickets are now on sale for Chipola College Theater's fall comedy, "Dearly Departed," which plays Nov. 4-7 in the Chipola Theater. Show time is 7 p.m. nightly with a 2 p.m. Sunday matinee.

Tickets are available in the college Business Office during regular business hours. Tickets also will be available at the Theater Box Office 30 minutes before each show.

Not since "Steel Magnolias," has a more dysfunctional group of Southern eccentrics gathered below the Mason-Dixon. When the patriarch of the family keels over dead, the struggle to get him buried involves the whole clan, including the not-so-grieving widow who wants to put "Mean and Surly" on the tombstone. The play contains some adult humor.

Chipola Theater director Charles Sirmon cast actors in the following roles: Josh Tetow as Bud Turpin/DJ, Piper Williams as Raynelle, Matt Van Buren as Ray-Bud, Ashleigh Stowe as Lucille, Griffin Smith as Junior, Kayla Todd as Suzanne, Deanna Harrison as Marguerite, Trey McKay as Royce, Joy Wallace as Delightful, Austin Pettis as Rev. Hooker, Danuta Jacob as Veda, Blake Collins as Norval, Diana Glaze as Nadine, Chris Holloway as Clyde,



Madison Wester as Juanita, and Cam Hitchcock and Alex Anderson as The Joy of Life Singers. David Reeves Forrester is the Stage Manager. Clint Touchton is the Assistant Stage Manager. Brenton Jones is the Sound Designer.

For ticket information, call the Chipola Business Office at 718-2220.

THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

1-7 MONDAY-SUNDAY

- ♦ TAG/CRAA/Chipola College Art Show - 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m., I

1 MONDAY

- ♦ SGA - 2 p.m., Z116

2 TUESDAY

- ♦ Executive Council - 9 a.m., A192
- ♦ Student Ambassadors - 1 p.m., A156

3 WEDNESDAY

- ♦ Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Term A
- ♦ Chipola Theatre Fall Production, "Dearly Departed" for selected school audiences, J

- ♦ REGIONAL CAREER FAIR, Eastside Baptist Church

- ♦ Black Student Union - 10 a.m., C104
- ♦ Faculty Meeting - 3 p.m., Z116

4 THURSDAY

- ♦ Theatre Production, "Dearly Departed" - 7 p.m., J
- ♦ FCA - 7 p.m., K

5 FRIDAY

- ♦ ACT Registration Deadline for Dec Test
- ♦ Early Spring Terms A&B Registration for Currently Enrolled Students with 45+ Hrs; 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- ♦ MILTON H. JOHNSON CLASSIC - 1/3/5/7, R
- ♦ CC Women vs. Broward - 5 p.m., R

- ♦ CC Men vs. Enterprise State - 7 p.m., R
- ♦ Theatre Production, "Dearly Departed" - 7 p.m., J

6 SATURDAY

- ♦ CAAP Exam for All AA Fall Graduates
- ♦ MILTON H. JOHNSON CLASSIC - 1/3/5/7, R
- ♦ CC Women vs. Miami Dade - 5 p.m., R
- ♦ CC Men vs. Shelton State - 7 p.m., R
- ♦ Theatre Production, "Dearly Departed" - 7 p.m., J

7 SUNDAY

- ♦ Sunday Afternoon with the Arts, "Meet the Artists," 1 - 4 p.m., I
- ♦ Theatre Production, "Dearly Departed" - 2 p.m., J
- ♦ FCA Service - 8 p.m., Chapel

Sunday Afternoon in the Arts set for Nov. 7

“Some of the most unique and creative works of art ever shown in Jackson County are on exhibit at the 6th Annual Sunday Afternoon with the Arts at the Chipola Arts Center on Nov. 7 from 1 to 4 p.m.,” according to the exhibit chairperson, Debra Pelc Menacof.

With nearly 65 artists from as far away as Arizona, the exhibit has captured the interest of professional and amateur artists from across the country. Some of the artists with work in the show are college students, while others work as professional artists. More than 150 pieces of work are on display.

This year’s exhibit features more three-dimensional art than previous years including sculpture and pottery. Ceramic stoneware depicting African wildlife hand thrown by Joshua “Ben” King, a graduate of Sneads High, is included in the exhibit. King and his family worked in South Africa as missionaries for ten years where he became known as the “Pilgrim Potter.” He traveled with his potter’s wheel into villages, schools, and open markets and used his pottery creations to communicate the Gospel. King will be on hand during the Artists Reception demonstrating his techniques.

Literature and visual art are combined in several displays as the written word is presented by author Darlene V. Earhart. Co-authors, Judy D. Brooten and Rachel M. Christopher are exhibiting their newly published book, *The History of the First Presbyterian Church, Marianna, Florida 1835 -2010*, in a shadowbox featuring historic photographs of the church.

One of the most creative literary presentations is by watercolor artist, L. Steven Spak and author, Margena B. Myrick. Spak illustrated Myrick’s book filled with wonderful lessons learned growing up. Their display chronicles the path from sketch, to painting to a published, illustrated book.

In addition, author/historian Dale Cox will be on hand to discuss his numerous books about the area.

Painted canvas and paper stretch throughout the art center this year, as many artists chose to paint bigger, bolder, and brighter. Brilliant florals, whimsical creatures and intriguing contemporary designs delight the eye through the exhibit.

Thought-provoking sketches and drawings challenge the intellect while handsome drawings in charcoal and pen and ink capture scenes

along the Chipola River or depict favorite places in the Panhandle, such as Sam Carnley’s pen and ink drawing of Two Egg, Florida and Marian Oswald’s watercolor of the old store in Two Egg.

The variety of art coupled with the chance to watch artists demonstrating their techniques make this annual event an excellent outing for the entire family. Some artists will lead hands-on painting opportunities such as Karen Roland of Chipley who will invite visitors to join her in painting a huge mural.

Sam Carnley will lead a hands-on experience in drawing with pen and ink. Michele Tabor Kimbrough of Marianna will show how to apply watercolor to a newly created pen and ink drawing. Nancy Zurenda will demonstrate needle felting. Jerry Whitson will be painting outdoors in plein air. Dawn Prietz will be outdoors at her potter’s wheel. Roberta Newell will lead an oil and water resistance painting opportunity as well.

Anita Pizza, internationally renowned pianist, who now lives in Marianna, will play during the event.

Volunteers from throughout the community work behind the scenes to make this annual event a reality. Members of the Chipola Regional Arts Association and The Artists Guild of Northwest Florida, Inc., will be at the reception to greet visitors and answer questions along with many exhibiting artists.

“Joan Stadskev, the Director of the Fine and Performing Arts Department at Chipola College is a driving force behind this event. Without her support, and that of the college, Sunday Afternoon with the Arts would not be possible,” added Menacof.

The Artists Reception at Chipola Arts Center is a free event. In addition to refreshments and live music, visitors will have the opportunity to win door prizes including the grand prize of a beautiful piece of framed art donated by John Brewer Studios.

The exhibit can be viewed Monday through Friday during regular college hours from Nov. 1 to 12. Individuals and groups who would like to view the exhibit can see it by contacting the Fine Arts Department at Chipola College at 850-718-2277.

The fall exhibit and Sunday Afternoon with the Arts is co-sponsored by The Artists Guild of Northwest Florida, Inc., the Chipola Regional Arts Association and Chipola College.



Chipola Brain Bowlers score in Atlanta and Lake City

Dallin Kelson, playing as a solo team for Chipola College, finished in second place at the Early Fall Brain Bowl Tournament held at Georgia Tech on Oct. 23.

Kelson finished with an 8-2 record, recording wins over the University of Georgia, Georgia Tech, the University of Alabama A, Florida State University, Ole Miss, and Wofford. In the playoffs, he beat previously unbeaten Georgia 405-165, FSU 390-135, and Alabama 330-160. Kelson lost a close match to South Carolina, the eventual winner the tournament with a 9-1 record. South Carolina has a pre-season rank of number 17 in the nation.

Kelson was the leading scorer averaging over 107 points per game. For results, visit <http://results.scobo.net/SQBS.aspx?org=GeorgiaTech&id=15&page=standings>

While Kelson was representing Chipola in Atlanta, the remaining Chipola Brain Bowl team members were playing in Lake City at the Florida Gateway Classic.

Chipola Blue made it to the semifinals, losing to Central Florida CC on the last question. Chipola Blue team members are: Brittany Stephens, Annemarie Nichols, Travis Bontrager, and Harrison Fuqua. Chipola Blue finished the tournament with an 8-1 record. Annemarie Nichols and Brittany Stephens both finished in the top 10.

Chipola is the defending FCCAA State Brain Bowl champion. Coaches are Stan Young and Dr. Robert Dunkle.

Panhandle coaches meet for Media Day

Chipola College recently hosted Panhandle Media Day. Pictured from left, are men's basketball coaches: Gulf Coast Community College coach Jay Bennett, Chipola College coach Jake Headrick, Northwest Florida State College coach Joe Richardson, Tallahassee Community College coach Eddie Barnes and Pensacola State College coach Pete Pena.



Chipola Fall Semester 2010 graduation requirements

Students graduating from Chipola College Fall Semester 2010 must submit an Application for Graduation by November 1. The Application for Graduation is available at the Admissions Office in the Student Services Building

See an adviser for a graduation check. Submit the Application for Graduation. Degrees will be posted on your transcript after

grades are received on December 16. Transcript Request for end of term grades and degrees should be submitted by December 15. Transcripts will be sent on December 17 after grades and degrees are posted. Diplomas will be mailed on December 17.

Failure to apply by the deadline may affect your graduation term and could result in the delay of your degree and diploma.

Lindbergh show coming to Chipola College

Charles Lindbergh: The Lone Eagle, the second event in the Chipola College Artist Series, will be presented Nov. 9.

Individual event tickets - \$12 for adults and \$8 for ages 18 and under –go on sale Oct. 26 in the Chipola Business Office.

“The Lone Eagle” was just one of many nicknames given to Lindbergh by the press after he became the first pilot to fly nonstop from New York to Paris in May of 1927.

This one- man play written and portrayed by Steve Carroll spans Lindbergh's life as he returns from the grave to set the record straight about his life. Guests will learn of his early barnstorming

days, the famous flight to Paris, his son's kidnapping, the unpopularity he took against entering WWII, his subsequent heroism as a fighter pilot, and his final days as a world renowned environmentalist. For information, visit www.dreamscapeprods.com.

Two more events are slated in the Chipola Artist Series. The Freddy Cole Quartet in Concert will be presented Feb. 7, 2011. Freddy Cole, a Grammy nominee in his own right, makes no apology for sounding like his brother, Nat King Cole. The Manhattan Piano Trio closes the 2010-11 season, March 17, 2011.

For ticket information, call 718-2220.

FSU professor's art on display at Chipola

Original works by Anne Stagg, Director of the BFA Studio Art Program at Florida State University, are on display in the Gallery of the McLendon Fine Arts Building on the campus of Chipola College.

Of her exhibit entitled, “Methods of Escape,” Stagg says, “We all need a means of escape from the daily grind. Be it a fantasy, a trip to the river, a mid-summer storm, a hobby, or the comfort of home, these escapes provide balance and refuge from our daily stressors.”

Stagg admits the series of drawings began in the midst of a creative dry spell. “My work was in transition and one day I looked around and realized that I had put away all of the projects I had begun, she said. “All around me white, blank canvases and stacks of paper returned my gaze and I felt a little daunted by the thought of making the first mark and beginning the process of making again. On impulse, I picked up a ruler and a tech pen. I put one line on the first sheet, two on the second, three on the third and so on. These marks were not contrived, they were just marks and I knew that I could be ruining a stack of paper or freeing myself to begin making again,” she said.

Stagg says she didn't set out to make anything specific, just



thinking about escape. “I found myself reaching for watercolors. I was interested in the dripping, slightly transparent immediacy of the material. In the end, I hope the drawings in the Methods of Escape series are playful voids where the viewer may find their own escape from the day-to-day,” Stagg said.

The show is available for viewing weekdays, from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. through Nov. 9. For information, call 718-2301.

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TROY \$\$\$\$. Fall 2011 Scholarship applications for Troy University, Dothan Campus, are available in A-112. The deadline to apply is March 1, 2011.

GRADS. Students planning to graduate Spring or Summer of 2011 should see an advisor for a graduation check prior to early spring registration.

ATTENTION! Students are cautioned to not leave books and valuables unattended.

UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER

- 8 Last Day for Vertical Transfer for Fall Term C
- 8-10 Early Spring A&B Reg for Currently Enrolled Students
- 9 Artist Series: Charles Lindbergh
- 11 VETERANS DAY HOLIDAY
- 12 Early Spring A&B Reg for New & Returning Students
- 12-14 Collegiate Girl's Basketball Report Classic
- 15 Deadline: Financial Aid Files for Spring 2011
- 15 Early Spring A&B Reg for New & Returning Students
- 16 Chipola Fall Ensemble Concert - Last Day to Resign from All Classes for Fall A
- 17-19 FACCC Fall Convention - Jax
- 18 Chipola Theatre Showcase
- 23 District Board of Trustees
- 24-26 THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS

THIS WEEK

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

Deadline for the next issue is 8 a.m., **Wednesday, Nov. 3.** Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

4-Nov Amy Sampson

LIBRARY HOURS.

Monday - Thursday

7:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Friday 7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

TECH CENTER HOURS.

Monday - Thursday

8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Closed Friday

ACE HOURS.

Monday - Thursday

8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Friday 8 - 2 p.m.

STUDENT IDS. Student ID's will be made on Tuesdays from 8-11 a.m. and 1-3:30 p.m. and Wednesdays from 8-11 a.m. in Building A. All students must obtain a student ID. Replacements are \$10. Bring your Fall fee receipt to get your ID.

Conservation Biology students hike the Garden of Eden Trail



Twenty-one students from the Conservation Biology classes at Chipola College recently hiked the Garden of Eden Trail at the Apalachicola Bluffs and Ravines Preserve outside of Bristol.

The 6,294 acre preserve is owned and managed by the Florida Chapter of The Nature Conservancy. Dr. David Hilton, Chipola professor and Conservation Biology instructor, guided the students on the 3.75 mile trail beginning in a sandhill habitat with wiregrass and longleaf pines and eventually arriving at the Alum Bluff overlook, 135 feet above the Apalachicola River.

The trail borders amphitheater-shaped steepheads, formed from below-ground erosion, and descends into two ravines – lush slope forests with small seepage streams leading to the river. The slope forest is home to two very rare needle-leaved trees – the Florida torrey (Torreya taxifolia) and the Florida yew (Taxus floridana).

In 1971 a local resident, E. E. Calloway, published his theory that this was once the home of Adam and Eve. Calloway saw the rare trees, the crystal-clear streams and the amazing view from the top of the bluff and determined that this was indeed Heaven on Earth. The Garden of Eden Trail is located 1.6 miles off of Highway 20 on State Road 12.