Chipola wins Delta Burke Brain Bowl Tourney

Chipola College Brain Bowl player Dallin Kelson, playing as the Chipola Blue team, beat Valencia Red 455-125 to win the title in the Delta Burke Brain Bowl tournament on Nov. 13.

This is the third straight year that a Chipola team has beaten Valencia in the finals. Chipola’s Kelson finished the tournament with a perfect 13-0 record. He also broke the individual scoring record at the tournament averaging 153 points per game and eclipsing the previous record of 103 points. He also achieved a rare feat by answering all 20 of the 20 questions asked in one round.

Chipola Gold also made the playoffs, losing in the quarterfinals to Seminole CC. Chipola Gold finished the tournament with a 7-4 record. Gold players are: Brittany Stephens, Annemarie Nichols, Harrison Fuqua and Ashley Adams.

Kelson finished first in individual scoring, while Brittany Stephens finished in a tie for eighth overall. Statistics and individual standings for the tournament are available at: http://results.scobo.net/SQBS.aspx?org=Chipola&id=19&page=standings

The Brain Bowl Teams’ next outing is Jan. 8 when they host the Chipola New Year Tournament.

Marianna High grad wins Chipola scholarship

Ashton Stevens, a 2010 graduate of Marianna High School, was the grand prize winner of a $500 scholarship to Chipola College in a recent drawing of entries collected at the Peanut Festival, Sunland Fall Festival and the Chipola Regional Career Fair. Pictured from left, are: Willie Stevens, the winner’s father; winner Ashton Stevens; college president, Dr. Gene Prough; vice president, Dr. Kitty Myers and senior vice president, Dr. Sarah Clemmons.

THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

22 MONDAY
- SGA - 2 p.m., Z116

23 TUESDAY
- Executive Council - 9 a.m., A192
- Student Ambassadors - 1 p.m., A156
- District Board of Trustees - 7 p.m., Bldg Y

24-26 WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY
- THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS -- COLLEGE CLOSED

29 MONDAY
- SGA - 2 p.m., Z116

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

DECEMBER
1 WEDNESDAY
- College Application Deadline for Spring Terms A&B
- Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Fall Term C
- Black Student Union - 10 a.m., C104
- Faculty Meeting - 3 p.m., Z116

2 THURSDAY
- Night Student Social - 7 p.m., D Lobby
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes - 7 p.m., Cafeteria

3 FRIDAY
- PANHANDLE CLASSIC - 12/2/4/6/8 p.m., R
- CC Men vs. Santa Fe - 8 p.m., R

4 SATURDAY
- PANHANDLE CLASSIC - 12/2/4/6/8 p.m., R
- CC Men vs. Brunswick, NC - 8 p.m., R

5 SUNDAY
- FCA Service – 8 p.m., Chapel
Championship ring ceremony set for Chipola Softball

Players and coaches from the Chipola College Lady Indians Softball 2009-10 team will be presented State Championship rings at a ceremony during pre-game of the 8 p.m. game on Saturday, Dec. 4, in the Milton H. Johnson Health Center.

The Lady Indians captured the FCCAA/NJCAA Region VIII title in May of 2010.

Chipola Show Choir to present ‘A Jazzmatazz Christmas’

Tickets are now on sale for A Jazzmatazz Christmas to be presented by Chipola College’s Award-Winning Show Choir December 9, 10 and 11 at 7 p.m. nightly in the college theatre.

Celebrating 25-plus years of Show Choir at Chipola, A Jazzmatazz Christmas will feature holiday favorites from this high energy, song and dance 20-member troupe under the direction of Angie White and Dr. Josh Martin, and featuring the choreography of Brittney Holmes and Rebecca Parmer.


Tickets—$10 for adults and $5 for ages 18 and under—for this annual sold-out show are available from Show Choir members or in the lobby of the McLendon Fine Arts Building.

For more information contact Anita Price at 850-718-2277 or email pricea@chipola.edu.

850 Business mag invites students to enter business contest

The Chipola College Business Department invites students to enter 850 Business Magazine’s Collegiate Entrepreneur Invitational.

Students are invited to create a business plan to submit to the contest. Students may enter as individuals or as a team. A team may not consist of more than four students. All proposals must be original work. Entries must be postmarked no later than Nov. 29, 2010. Contest details are available at www.850businessmagazine.com

Cash awards will be provided to the top three contenders, to use for education or as seed money to start their business. First place receives $5,000, with second place earning $2,000, and third place picking up $1,000.

The first place winner be given the opportunity to pitch their business plan to a group of local venture capitalists, although there will be no guarantee of funding. The winner will be featured on the cover of the April/May 2011 issue of 850 – the Business Magazine of Northwest Florida. Top finalists will be included in the cover story, along with feedback comments from the expert panel.

For competition information, contact Linda Kleindienst at 850-878-0554 or lkleindienst@rowlandpublishing.com, or contact Dr. Jim Froh or Elissa Severson in the Chipola Business and Technology Division at 850-718-2441, or email: frohj@chipola.edu or seversone@chipola.edu.

First Generation Scholarships available at Chipola

The Chipola College Foundation is now accepting applications for the First Generation in College Scholarship for the Spring 2011 semester.

Six partial $1,000 scholarships will be awarded. Applicants must complete a First Generation in College application and submit all of the required items outlined on the application to the Foundation Office by Dec. 1.

Recipients must enroll as undergraduate, degree-seeking students for a minimum of six hours per term. Applicants must meet eligibility requirements for demonstrated financial need and must come from a family where neither parent has completed a bachelor’s degree. If the student regularly resides with only one parent who provides support, that one parent must not have completed a bachelor’s degree for the student to be eligible.

Students who are just entering college must have a 2.0 or better GPA at high school graduation or an earned GED to qualify. Students previously enrolled in college must have both a cumulative and semester GPA of 2.0 or better. A copy of the student’s high school transcript must be submitted if the Fall 2010 semester is the first semester of college enrollment. A college transcript must be submitted if the applicant has a minimum of 24 college credit hours earned. If at least 24 hours have not been earned, students must submit both high school and college transcripts. Unofficial Chipola transcripts are available online at www.facts.org.

Applicants must have applied for Federal Pell Grant (FAFSA) and have been determined to be Pell eligible in order to apply for the First Generation Scholarship. Applicants must have an Expected Family Contribution (EFC) below 5673 and still have unmet financial need.

Applications are available in the Chipola College Foundation Office. Complete applications must be received in the Foundation Office by 4 p.m., Dec. 1, not postmarked by the deadline date. For information, call 718-2445.

Fees deadline extended until Dec. 8

For those students who registered early for the Spring 2011 semester, the deadline to pay fees has been extended until Dec. 8. The deadline had been previously set for Dec. 3. Payments may be made online through the College’s website at www.chipola.edu or by visiting the College Business Office. For information, call 718-2220.
Lady Indians moving on to next level

Two members of the Chipola Lady Indians basketball program on Nov. 15 signed letters of intent to play for four-year universities next season.

Ancel Celmina from the country of Latvia will play at Southern Mississippi, and Jasmine Shaw of Cincinnati, Ohio, will play at Marshall University.

Chipola coach David Lane said, “These are good opportunities for both of these players. Both of them had difficult choices to make. They came to these decisions Friday and both played much more relaxed and focused on Saturday. Celmina averaged nine points and six rebounds per game during Chipola’s weekend classic. Shaw averaged 16 points per game over the weekend.

The Lady Indians are on the road for the rest of the Fall season. They open the conference season at Gulf Coast Jan. 8. Chipola’s next home game is Jan. 11 when they host Pensacola at 5:30 p.m.

Chipola hoopsters off to a great start

The Chipola Lady Indians won two of three games in weekend action to improve to 4-1 on the year.


Lady Indians head coach David Lane, said, “It was a long game and a good finish to the weekend. We had a pretty balanced effort. We were up 7 at the half, 27-20, and outscored them by 8 in the second half. We knocked down some free throws and hit some big shots against them, and closed out the game on a 13-2 run.”

Chipola scored an 83-71 win over State Fair College on Nov. 13. Jasmine Shaw led the Lady Indians with 24 points and 7 rebounds. O’Neil had 23 points and 9 rebounds. Ancel Celmina had 10 points and 4 rebounds.


The Lady Indians are fourth in the FCCAA State Poll and 23rd in the NJCAA National Poll. The team hits the road for a series of games over the next few weeks, returning to the area for games in Panama City, Dec. 17-18. Chipola’s next home game is Jan. 11, 2011, when they host Pensacola.

The Indians

The Indians improved to 4-0 with a pair of wins in Atlanta, Nov. 12-13.

Chipola scored a 70-55 win over Georgia Perimeter on Nov. 13. Shamarr Bowden was 4 of 8 from the three-point line with 14 points. Geron Johnson scored 12. Sam Grooms had 11 and Elijah Pittman scored 10. Keith Dewitt had 8 points and 8 rebounds. Chipola scored an 83-72 win over Atlanta Metro, Nov. 12.

The Indians are ranked third in the FCCAA State Poll and seventh in the NJCAA National Poll.

Men’s Panhandle Classic – Dec. 2-4

Thursday, December 2
5:00 pm Miami-Dade vs. Southern Sports Academy
7:00 pm Chipola vs. Tampa Bay Academy

Friday, December 3
12:00 pm Tallahassee vs. Alabama Southern
2:00 pm Pensacola vs. Southern Sports Academy
4:00 pm Gulf Coast vs. Miami-Dade
6:00 pm Northwest Florida vs. Brunswick (NC)
8:00 pm Chipola vs. Santa Fe

Saturday, December 4
12:00 pm Pensacola vs. Alabama Southern
2:00 pm Gulf Coast vs. Southern Sports Academy
4:00 pm Tallahassee vs. Santa Fe
6:00 pm Northwest Florida vs. Miami Dade
8:00 pm Chipola vs. Brunswick (NC)

For the latest scores, visit www.chipola.edu or 718-2252.
Final Exam Schedule - Fall 2010

MONDAY - DECEMBER 13, 2010
8:00 EDF 3214, ENC 0004, ENC 1101, ENC 1102, HUM 2216, HUM 2233, NUR 1020C
10:00 CGS 1060-002 & 004, ENL 2012, MAE 4330, MUL 2010, NUR 2212C, PET 2622, PSY 2012, REA 0004, REA 1205, SGE 4330, SYG 1000
12:00 AML 2010, CHM 1045, CHM 2210, ECO 2013, MAE 4310, NUR 1211C, RED 3009, SPM 2000
2:00 ACG 2002, ASH 1044, EDF 1005, MAE 4815, MAS 4203, PCB 4043, RED 4312, SPC 2608, SYG 1010

TUESDAY - DECEMBER 14, 2010
8:00 ACG 2021, BSC 1005, BSC 1059, BSC 1088, BSC 2010, BSC 2011, BSC 2093, BSC 2094, MUT 1111, NUR 1141, PET 2210
10:00 CGS 1100-001, COP 2224, ESC 1000, HSC 3210, MAC 1114, MUT 2116, PSC 1121, STA 2023
12:00 MAC 1105, MAC 1140, MAC 1311, MAC 2233, MAC 2312, MAC 2313, MAT 0024, MAT 1033, MGF 1106, MGF 1107, NUR 2142, SGE 4310
2:00 CGS 1060-001 & 003, DEP 2004, EME 2040, EMB 1011, MCB 2010, MHF 4404, POS 2112, THE 1020

WEDNESDAY - DECEMBER 15, 2010
8:00 AMH 2010, CET 1174, CET 2605, EDF 2085, HUN 1201, NUR 1312C, RED 4519, WOH 2012, WOH 2022
10:00 AMH 2020, ARH 1000, CET 1513, CET 2724, MMC 1000, NUR 1422C, PHY 1053C, PHY 2048C, SPN 1120, SPN 1121, SPN 2220, SSE 3113
12:00 MAKE-UP PERIOD
2:00 MAKE-UP PERIOD

NOTES
*NOTE: If more than one final exam is scheduled at the same time, the student should work with the instructors to resolve the conflict.

For more information, see the Student Handbook page 76.

Olympic softball players coming to Chipola College

Area softball players will have the once-in-a-lifetime chance to work with three team USA Olympic medalists at the Chipola College Softball field, Jan. 22-23, 2011.

The Triple Threat team of Cat Osterman, Kelly Kretschman and Caitlin Lowe will provide a weekend of softball instruction focusing on pitching, offense and defense.

Pitcher Cat Osterman played at the University of Texas. She was an Olympic Gold Medalist and Silver Medalist, a two-time World Cup Champion and a two-time Pan American Gold Medalist. Osterman was a three-time USA Collegiate Player of the Year and a three-time NFCA First-Team All-American. She was the two-time ESPY Award winner as the Top Collegiate Female Athlete. Cat is the assistant softball coach at DePaul University in Chicago, and plays professionally for the Rockford Thunder.

Kelly Kretschman played outfield and infield at the University of California. She was an Olympic Gold Medalist and Silver Medalist. She also was a Gold medalist at the Pan American Games and a member of the World Cup Championship team. The four-time NFCA All-American lives in Southern California and plays for the USSSA Pride.

Caitlin Lowe played outfield at the University of Arizona. She was an Olympic Silver Medalist and a Gold medalist at Pan American Games. A member of the two-time World Cup Championship team, she also was a four-time NFCA First-Team All-American. Caitlin now resides in Texas where she gives specialized lessons in out-fielding and slapping.

Chipola head coach Bellinda Hendrix says, “This is a great opportunity for local players to learn from some of the best softball players in America.”

The two day Chipola camp will include six hours of instruction each day with lunch included. Registration fee is $200 by Dec. 18 and $250 after Dec. 18.

For additional information, contact Coach Hendrix at 718-2358 or 718-2359, or visit www.tripletreatsoftball.com or www.chipolaathletics.com