

Chipola This Week

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A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

Chipola Brain Bowl finishes second to UF at Valencia tournament

The Chipola College Brain Bowl team finished second, behind the University of Florida, at the MAGNI Mirror tournament Oct. 15 at Valencia College.



Paul Kelson

77 tossups in the tournament. Other Chipola A team members are Annemarie Nichols and Travis Bontrager.

After the preliminary rounds, UF (8-1) had a one game advantage over Chipola A (7-2) and University of Central Florida (7-2). Chipola A then defeated UCF 355-40 for the chance to play UF in the finals. Chipola A needed to beat UF twice to claim the title. Chipola A defeated UF 200-160 in the first game of the final, but lost 320-120 in the second game, giving UF the title.

Chipola A was led by Paul Kelson, who averaged 75 points per game and answered

The University of Florida team was led by former Chipola Brain Bowl MVP Dallin Kelson, the older brother of current Chipola points-leader Paul Kelson, who averaged 129.45 points per game and answered 111 tossups in the tournament. The brother duo finished first and second in individual scoring for the tournament.

Chipola B finished 3-6 and placed seventh in the tournament. Chipola B team members are: Caroline Peacock, Adrian Carr and Nick Ratzlaff.

Chipola will next play Oct. 22 in Lake City at the Florida Gateway Invitational Tournament. Individual and team statistics for Valencia's MAGNI Mirror tournament are available http://www.hsquizbowl.org/db/tournaments/64/stats/initial_round_robin/



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Paramedic program is now 11-month course

The Chipola Paramedic program has recently been changed to an 11-month, three-semester program. Application deadline for the next class is Nov. 30.

The Paramedic program was shortened from the 16-month curriculum to line up with other institutions in the area. Chipola also offers an A and B schedule to help employed persons better arrange their work schedules. Students will attend one "A" session (Monday or Tuesday) and one "B" session (Wednesday or Thursday) for a total of two days a week. There are also 16 mandatory days scheduled during the the program. Class hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Classes begin Jan. 9, 2012 and end in early December, 2012. Orientation is Jan. 6 at 10 a.m. in the Health Sciences building.

Due to a shortage of paramedics, there are multiple job opportunities for those who complete the program and earn state licensure.

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THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

24 MONDAY

- ♦ SGA – 2 p.m., Z116
- ♦ CEA – 3 p.m., TBA

25 TUESDAY

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

26 WEDNESDAY

- ♦ SENIOR DAY
- ♦ Black Student Union – 10 a.m., C104

27 THURSDAY

- ♦ Deadline to Apply for Fall Graduation All Degrees
- ♦ FCA – 7 p.m., Cafeteria

28 FRIDAY

- ♦ Deans Meeting – 9 a.m., A192

30 SUNDAY

- ♦ FCA Chapel Service – 7:30 p.m., Chapel

31 MONDAY

- ♦ SGA – 2 p.m., Z116

NOVEMBER 1-10

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

1 TUESDAY

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

2 WEDNESDAY

- ♦ Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Term A
- ♦ AFC Silent Auction - Foundation Conf Room
- ♦ Black Student Union – 10 a.m., C104
- ♦ Phi Beta Lambda – 10 a.m., M201
- ♦ Faculty Meeting – 3 p.m., Z116

3 THURSDAY

- ♦ AFC Silent Auction - Foundation Conf Room
- ♦ Theatre Production, OUR TOWN - 7 p.m., J
- ♦ Fellowship of Christian Athletes – 7 p.m., Cafeteria

4 FRIDAY

- ♦ AFC Silent Auction - Foundation Conf Room
- ♦ ACT Registration Deadline for December Test
- ♦ Early Spring Terms A&B Registration for Currently Enrolled Students with 45+ Hrs; 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- ♦ MILTON H. JOHNSON CLASSIC, Health Center
- ♦ Theatre Production, OUR TOWN - 7 p.m., J

5 SATURDAY

- ♦ CAAP Exam for All AA Fall Graduates
- ♦ MILTON H. JOHNSON CLASSIC, Health Center
- ♦ Theatre Production, OUR TOWN - 7 p.m., J

6 SUNDAY

- ♦ SUNDAY AFTERNOON WITH THE ARTS, "Meet the Artists," 1 - 5 p.m., Arts Center
- ♦ Theatre Production, OUR TOWN - 2 p.m., J
- ♦ FCA Chapel Service – 7:30 p.m., Chapel

'21st Century Marketing seminar at Chipola

Chipola College will offer a small business seminar, entitled, Marketing Series, Part 1: Introduction to 21st Century Marketing on Friday, Nov. 4, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Participants will learn to choose the best methods for marketing a business, target a market audience, create a free web site quickly and easily, discover which social media avenues are the best, and learn to optimize internet presence.

The workshop will meet in the Business and Technology building. Cost of each seminar is \$30.

Marketing Part 2: Marketing on the Internet and Using Social Media is Dec. 2. Participants will discover the power of having a social media strategy and learn to implement new marketing techniques, unlock the secrets of the top social media sites and establish brands online presence.

Register at <http://clients.floridasbdc.org/center.aspx?center=41230&subloc=4>

For more information call (850) 718-2441 or e-mail seversone@chipola.edu.

Our Town tickets on sale at Chipola

Tickets are now on sale for the Chipola College production of "Our Town," which opens Nov. 3. Show times are Nov. 3-5 at 7 p.m. nightly with a 2 p.m. matinee on Sunday, Nov. 6.

"Our Town" explores the lives of people living in a small, quintessentially American town. It was first produced in 1938 and received the Pulitzer Prize for Literature. The play is divided into three aspects of the human experience: Daily Life, Love and Marriage, and Death, making it one of the most deeply human scripts in all of American theatre.

Tickets are available in the college Business Office and may be purchased by phone at 718-2220. The show may not be suitable for children under 10 years of age.

For information, visit www.chipola.edu

Sunday Arts event is Nov. 6

Watercolorist Dean Mitchell is just one of many artists who will be on hand for the Sunday Afternoon with the Arts event, Nov. 6, from 1 to 5 p.m.

Dean Mitchell is well known for his figurative works, landscapes and still life. In addition to watercolors, he is accomplished in other mediums, including egg temperas, oils and pastels. Mitchell grew up in Quincy and lives in Tampa.

Visitors will enjoy a once in a lifetime opportunity to meet two other highly respected Florida artists, Kristin Anderson and Michael Harrell. Anderson works with sterling silver, 18K gold, vitreous enamel, and precious and semi-precious stones. Michael Harrell was a freelance illustrator for MasterCard, American Express and Paramount Pictures and exhibited at the Museum of American Illustration in New York.

These award winning artists are joining more than 50 regional artists and authors at the reception. A range of work will be on display including sculpture, paintings, drawings, wood carvings, books, and photography.

Guests will get to enjoy art and books created by their friends from throughout the Panhandle and beyond. Local and regional authors will be presenting excerpts from their books in the Chipola Gallery. "Elegant Strings" from Panama City will play during the reception.

Information about the exhibit is available at www.chipola.edu Fine Arts Department.

Paramedic program, *continued from page 1*

Applicants for the program must have completed 240 hours of EMS experience as an employee or volunteer. Applicants also must have a State of Florida EMT License and Basic Life Support for Healthcare Provider certification.

Applicants should complete a Chipola College application and a Paramedic Program application. Official copies of high school, GED, and/or college transcripts must be submitted to the Chipola Admissions and Records Office. Minimum test scores include: a Reading score of 18 on ACT, 83 on CPT, or 104 on PERT. Applicants also must provide numerous immunization and health records. A complete list of requirements is available at www.chipola.edu

Tuition for the 42 semester-hour program is approximately \$100 per hour, plus additional fees. Information about the Paramedic program is available online at <http://www.chipola.edu/instruct/Health-Sciences/Paramedic/PARAMEDIC.html>

Contact Chris Murray, EMT/Paramedic Program Coordinator at (850) 718-2251, or email: murrayc@chipola.edu

UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER

- 7-10 Early Spring Terms A&B Reg for Currently Enrolled Students
- 9 Regional Career Fair
- 11 Veteran's Day - College Closed

THIS WEEK

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

Deadline for the next issue is 8 a.m., Wednesday, November 2. Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 25-Oct Boris Granberry
- 26-Oct Jeff Johnson
- 26-Oct Gwendolyn Oliver
- 31-Oct Diane Timmons
- 4-Nov Amy Sampson

SENIOR DAY. Chipola's Student Ambassadors have invited area high school seniors to come and visit our campus on Oct. 26. The day will consist of performances by Chipola student groups, a tour of our campus and a complimentary lunch.

SILENT AUCTION. The AFC Silent Auction will be held Nov. 2-4 in the Foundation Conference Room. Please stop by and bid on a variety of items ranging from gift baskets, homemade goodies, patio set, restaurant certificates, cabin and beach weekend rentals. All proceeds go to the AFC Scholarship Fund.

ONLINE EVALUATIONS OF COURSES/FACULTY.

During Nov. 3-17, each student will have an opportunity to complete an anonymous online evaluation of his/her classes. Students will access the evaluation form on the college website beginning Nov. 3. After semester grades are posted, student confidential feedback will provide information on instructional practices and instructional needs. Student participation is very important. Administration and faculty use the candid responses to assess teaching and learning.

PUMPKIN CONTEST. All college employees are invited to judge the Cosmetology Student Pumpkin contest on Thursday, Oct. 27, 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Free hand paraffin dips for all employees.