

Chipola This Week

A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

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“Noises Off” opens Thursday

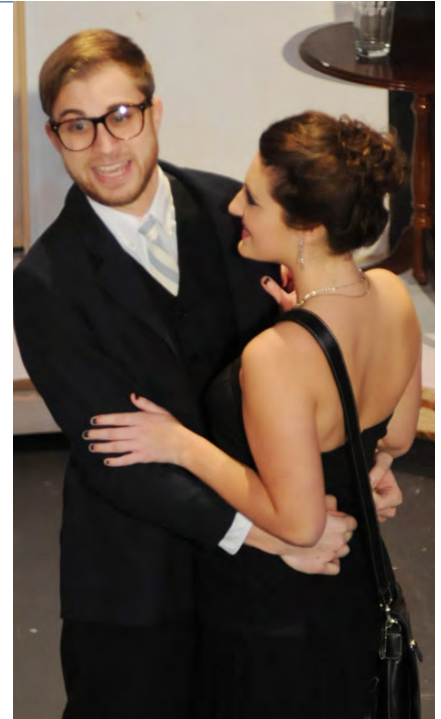
Theatre fans are invited to see the first-ever Chipola College production in the new Chipola Center for the Arts. The hilarious comedy “Noises Off” runs Nov. 1-4, with performances at 7 p.m. nightly, and a 2 p.m. matinee Sunday, Nov. 4.

Written by Michael Fryan, “Noises Off” has been called the funniest farce ever written. The plot plays on the concept of a play within a play, in this case a dreadful comedy titled “Nothing On,” the type of play in which young girls run about in their underwear, old men drop their trousers, and doors continually open and shut. “Nothing On” is set in a boarding house and the fictional playwright is appropriately named Robin Housemonger. Each of the three acts of “Noises Off” contains a performance of the first act of “Nothing On.” Content may not be suitable for children under 10 years of age.

The show also features an elaborate two-story revolving set designed by Chipola Technical Theatre director Connie Smith.

Director Charles Sirmon has cast a talented group of student actors including: Leah Page as Dotty Otley, Dylan Bass as Loyd Dallas, Trey McKay as Garry Lejeune, Haylee Harris as Brooke Ashton, Kati Lane as Poppy Norton-Taylor, Colton Day as Frederick Fellowes, Christin Wiggins as Belinda Blair, Dante Brown as Tim Allgood and Nick Cessna as Selsdon Mowbrary.

Tickets may be purchased on-line at www.chipola.edu or at the Center for the Arts Box Office, Oct. 29-31, from 2 to 5 p.m., and one hour prior to each show. For ticket information, phone 718-2277 or 718-2420.



Alexandre Lopes

Florida Teacher of the Year to speak at Chipola Oct. 29

Florida’s teacher of the year will speak on the Chipola College campus, Monday, Oct. 29, at 2 p.m., in Jackson Lecture Hall of Building Z.

Alexandre Lopes, a Pre-Kindergarten teacher at Carol City Elementary School in Miami-Dade County, was chosen as Florida Department of Education/Macy’s Teacher of the Year 2013.

Lopes teaches students with autism who are expected to participate and make progress in the Learning Experiences - An Alternative Program for Preschoolers and Parents (LEAP). “My goal is to create a structured environment conducive to independent experimentation in order to ensure the consistent and systematic learning of all of my students.” To achieve that goal, Lopes makes ample use of voice output communication devices, communication boards, reachable and labeled materials, picture schedules, task analysis, smart technology, and the Internet.

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THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

29 MONDAY

- ◆ SGA – 2 p.m., Z116
- ◆ AFC “Sneak Peek” Dinner Theatre, NOISES OFF - 6 p.m., Center for the Arts

30 TUESDAY

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

31 WEDNESDAY

- ◆ Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Term A
- ◆ Faculty, OPS and/or Student Payroll Due in HR
- ◆ Black Student Union – 10 a.m., C104
- ◆ Spanish Club - 2:15 p.m., Z113
- ◆ AFC State Convention – Innisbrook

NOVEMBER

1 THURSDAY

- ◆ Deadline to Apply for Fall Term Graduation-All Degrees
- ◆ Theatre Fall Production, NOISES OFF - 7 p.m., Center for the Arts
- ◆ FCA – 7 p.m., Cafeteria
- ◆ AFC State Convention – Innisbrook

2 FRIDAY

- ◆ ACT Registration Deadline for Dec Test
- ◆ Early Spring Terms A&B Reg for Currently Enrolled Students with 45+ Hrs; 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- ◆ Theatre Fall Production, NOISES OFF - 7 p.m., CFA
- ◆ AFC State Convention – Innisbrook

3 SATURDAY

- ◆ CAAP Exam
- ◆ Theatre Fall Production, NOISES OFF - 7 p.m., CFA

4 SUNDAY

- ◆ Theatre Fall Production, NOISES OFF - 2 p.m., CFA
- ◆ FCA Chapel Service – 7:30 p.m., Chapel

Workforce Advisory Committees meet at Chipola

Chipola College recently hosted a luncheon meeting for members of the Workforce Development Advisory Council.

More than 100 area professionals and business leaders serve on 11 separate advisory committees for each of the college's technical programs.

Advisory committee members advise Chipola faculty on the development, evaluation, and revision of educational programs. Advisors help ensure that curriculum meets the needs of business, industry and the community and that program graduates are capable of performing entry level skills in the occupation in which they are trained.

Members also help recruit students for career and technical education training programs and aid students in locating occupationally related jobs.

Dr. Jason Hurst, Chipola Vice President of Baccalaureate

and Workforce Education, says, "We depend on the expertise of these professionals to provide real-world advice about the training we need to provide to our students. Their involvement insures that our students are well-prepared to enter the workforce."

Chipola advisory committees and members are:

Automotive—Don Davis, Travel Center of America; Neil Glover, Glover's Automotive; Ray Lawrence, Ray's Garage; J.P. Pickett, Chipola Ford; Michael Kriser, Auto Clinic; Jamie Cozart, Hopkins; Chuck Anderson and Ricky Miller, Rahal Chevrolet; Mike Bower, Washington Holmes Technical Vocational School; Ronnie Stevens, Marianna Auto Parts; John Pforte and Jeff Eiler, Bob Pforte Motors; Philip Deshazo, Deshazo Automotive; Tony Tye, Carquest; John Merrifield, Barnes Tire; Ken Helton, Firestone; Dave Collings, Cardinal Points Engineering; Luke Shores, Cobb's Front End; Billy Baxley, City of Marianna; Johnny Barfoot, Auto Zone; Roy Scheffer, Auto Value; Dr. Jason Hurst and John Gardner, Chipola College.

Child Care—Kala Dean and Donna

Doelman, Chipola College.

Cosmetology—Treva Cravatt, Beauty Systems Group; Brian Davis and Catherine Davis, Supercuts; Troy Golden, Sarabeth McBride and Christy Tidwell, Dream State Salon Spa; Alice Rabion, Permanent Beauty by Alice; Kaphui Malphurs, KK's Haircare.



Members of the Cosmetology Advisory Committee are, from left: Treva Cravatt, Ada Scott, Shanda Bruner, Paige Vanderwerf, Troy Golden and Sarabeth McBride.

Culinary Management—John Milton, Daffin Food Service; Edwin Blicht, Jackson Hospital; Jack Noonan, Sodexo Food Service; John Mayo, Ruby Tuesday's; Scott Jackson, U.S. Foods; Vickey Baker, Sweet Stuff Bakery; Claire Grigsby, Zaxby's.



Members of the Automotive Advisory Committee

Law Enforcement—Lou Roberts, Jackson County Sheriff's Office; David Tatum, Calhoun County Sheriff's Office; R. W. Smith, Blountstown Police Department; Hayes Baggett, Marianna Police Department; Elton Horton, Graceville Police Department; William Watford, Cottondale Police Department; Burt McAlpin, Sneads Police Department; Mark Mallory, Calhoun

Sheriff's Office; Glenn Hess, Office of State Attorney; David Edmondson, Office of State Attorney.

Corrections—Jason Ellis, Angela Geisinger-Kelly and Lisa Johnson, Graceville Correctional Facility; Wayne Lipford and Steven White, Jackson County Correctional Facility; Randall Bryant and Ricky Cloud, Jackson Correctional Institute; Kristine Fravezzi and Lisa Hayes, One-Stop Career Center; Ronald Mathis and James Perdue, Correctional and Probation.

Firefighting—Tony Wesley, Jackson County Fire Rescue; Nakeya Lovett, Marianna Fire Rescue; Floyd Aycok, Chipley Fire Rescue; Ben Hall, Blountstown Fire Rescue; Shay McCormick, Bonifay Fire Department; Don MacLaren, President Jackson County Fire Chiefs Association; Chuck Sawyer, Jackson County Fire Rescue; Scott Birge, Marianna Fire Rescue.

Business—Kenny Griffin, Chipola Regional Workforce Board; Sara Applewhite, Carr, Riggs and Ingram, LLC; Nina Adams, Community South Credit Union; Terry Mullen, West Florida Electric Cooperative; Rosie Smith, Jackson Hospital; David Melvin, Melvin Engineering; William Long, Jackson County Health Department.

Information Technology—Dennis Everett, Chipola College; Byron Ward and Dave Grossnickle, Bonifay Computers; Jamie Hussey, Jackson Hospital; Michael Pinnella, Holmes County School District; Kevin King, Department of Transportation; April Alday, Department of Revenue.

Nursing—Gene Grantham, Blountstown Health and Rehab; Becky Galloway, Bonifay Nursing and Rehab Center; Ann Smith, Capital Regional Medical Center; Joyce Roland and Angie Edenfield, Chipola Nursing Pavilion; Merian Milton, Covenant Hospice; Jonathan Paul, Doctors Memorial Hospital; Pam Lanier, Florida State Hospital; Marilyn McKissick, Flowers Hospital; Christy Bloechl, Gentiva; Christianna Orvis, Gulf

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Coast Medical Center; Diane Tipps, Jackson County Health Department; Robbin Catt, Jackson Hospital; Pam Moss, Marianna Health and Rehab; Karla Nichols, Rivervalley Rehab Center; Dianne Buntyn and Gwen

MacGilberry, Southeast Alabama Medical Center; Donna Franklin and Darlene See, Sunland; Barbara Alford, Tallahassee Memorial Hospital.

EMT—Tony Wesley and Chuck

Sawyer, Jackson County Fire Rescue; Phillip Hill, Calhoun County EMS; Stan Whittaker, Liberty County EMS; Greg Barton, Holmes County EMS; Randy Truette, Washington County EMS.

Teacher, *continued from page 1*

Lopes uses music, dance, technology, and gentle guidance to provide his students with the phonological skills needed for reading. Through the use of toys, he encourages students to use numbers and the quantities they represent, to comprehend and expand patterns.

As a National Board Certified Teach-

er, Lopes conducts professional development workshops at national conferences, where he shares research-based practices and best practices with other educators.

Born and raised in Brazil, Lopes is fluent in Portuguese and Spanish. As an English language learner, he is aware of the challenges faced by his students from

diverse backgrounds. Lopes earned a master's degree in Early Childhood Intervention from the University of Miami. He is seeking a doctoral degree in Special Education at Florida International University.

For more information, contact Casey Bush at 718-2449 or email bushc@chipola.edu

Chipola Lady Indians to host tournament

The Chipola Lady Indians will host the Collegiate Girl's Report Basketball Classic Nov. 8-10 in the Milton H. Johnson Health Center.

Action begins Thursday, Nov. 8, with Northwest Florida taking on Roxbury (MA) at 3 p.m. Tallahassee meets Santa Fe in the 5 p.m. game. The Lady Indians take on Monroe (NY) in the 7 p.m. nightcap.

Friday's games include Gulf Coast and Roxbury at 3 p.m. St. Petersburg plays Monroe at 5 p.m. Chipola faces Monroe at 7 p.m.

Four games are set for Saturday with Northwest and Santa Fe at 1 p.m.; Gulf Coast and Monroe at 3 p.m.; Tallahassee and St. Pete at 5 p.m. and Chipola and Roxbury at 7 p.m.

For information, visit www.chipola.edu

Thursday, November 8

3 pm NW Florida vs. Roxbury
5 pm Tallahassee vs. Santa Fe
7 pm Chipola vs. Monroe

Friday, November 9

3 pm Gulf Coast vs. Roxbury
5 pm St. Petersburg vs. Monroe
7 pm Chipola vs. Santa Fe

Saturday, November 10

1 pm NW Florida vs. Santa Fe
3 pm Gulf Coast vs. Monroe
5 pm Tallahassee vs. St. Petersburg
7 pm Chipola vs. Roxbury



Stevens is top Chipola employee

Dr. Vickie Stephens has been selected the Chipola College Faculty/Administrator/Other Professional Award of the month for November. Stephens has served as Dean of School of Health Sciences since 2009. Here, Dr. Stephens is congratulated by Dr. Jason Hurst, vice president of Baccalaureate and Occupational Education.



Chipola Cosmetology food drive ongoing

During the month of October, the Chipola College Cosmetology program will hold a food drive for Chipola Family Ministries. Some of the needed items are: two pound bags of flour or sugar, spaghetti noodles and sauce, canned meats, peanut butter and one pound packages of dry goods such as rice and beans. Those making donations, will receive a complimentary paraffin wax treatment.

For information, call 718-2439.

Chipola Softball 5K is Nov. 10

The first annual Show Your Indian Spirit 5K Run/Walk and Kid's Fun Run is Saturday, Nov. 10, at the Chipola Softball Complex.

This fundraiser for the Chipola Softball team is to help pay for new uniforms and the team's trip to Las Vegas where they open the spring season

against top teams like Pima, Yavapai and Central Arizona.

All runners receive a t-shirt. Medals will be awarded to first, second and third place male and female runners in each age division. Pre-registration for the 5K is \$20. Registration the day of the run is \$25 for the 5K, and \$15 for the Kid's

Fun Run. Registration opens at 7 a.m. The 5K begins at 8 a.m., with the Fun Run at 9 a.m.

For more information and entry form, visit www.chipolaathletics.com or call assistant coach Kelly Brookins at 718-2468.



Chipola SSS program tours FSU

The Chipola College Student Support Services (SSS) program recently has been busy touring universities, giving its students a chance to research future education opportunities.

SSS is a TRIO program funded by the U.S. Department of Education to assist first generation and/or low-income students and/or students with disabilities to succeed academ-

ically in college. The Chipola SSS program is funded to serve 140 students.

Chipola SSS advisers Kristie Mosley, Christen Bennett, and their group of students visited Florida State University on Oct. 13 for a tour and a football game, a true 'Nole experience. On Oct. 19, the group headed to Auburn University for a tour of the campus. Next

semester, SSS will be visit the University of Florida and Troy University.

High school or Chipola students interested in the SSS program should contact Kristie Mosley in (A-117) or Christen Bennett in (A-115), or call 850-718-2417.

For more information, visit the Chipola SSS website at chipola.edu/SSS/index.htm

UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER

- 5 Last Day for Fall C Vertical Transfer
- 5 Blood Drive
- 5-9 Early Spring Terms A&B Reg for Currently Enrolled Students
- 8-10 Girl's Basketball Report Classic
- 12-13 Early Spring Terms A&B Reg for New & Returning Students
- 13 Fall Ensemble Concert
- 14 Last Day to Resign from All Classes for Fall Term A
- 14 REGIONAL CAREER FAIR
- 14 Night Student Social
- 15 Deadline to have Financial Aid Files Complete for Spring 2013
- 15 THEATRE SHOWCASE
- 16-17 Panhandle Basketball Classic
- 19-20 Fall Break - College Closed
- 21-23 Thanksgiving Holidays - Closed

THIS WEEK

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

Deadline for the next issue is 8 a.m., Wednesday, October 31. Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 31-Oct Diane Timmons
- 3-Nov Elissa Severson
- 4-Nov Amy Sampson

****. Deadline to have Financial Aid files complete to pay for Spring 2012 is November 15, 2012.

REPS ON CAMPUS. A recruiter from FSU PC will be in the Literature/Language Building (Z) on Nov. 7 from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

A recruiter for Troy University will be in Building C on Nov. 13 from 9 a.m. – Noon. He will have information on undergraduate and graduate degrees.

ACE HOURS

- Monday - Thursday 8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
- Friday 8 a.m. - NOON

LIBRARY HOURS

- Monday - Thursday 7:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.
- Friday 7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

TECH CENTER HOURS

- Monday - Thursday 7:45 a.m. - 6 p.m.
- Friday 7:45 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Literature/Language faculty launch writing tips series

Join Chipola Crime Stoppers Writing Tips Hotline anonymously each week. Turn yourself in to the ACE (L-102) to claim your reward. The reward will be tips to prevent and solve writing crimes in classes across campus. Come and help stomp out crime.

The CSWT Hotline is the premier college-based resource for solving writing crimes. All workshops will meet in the ACE Lab for 20 minutes.

TOPICS	INSTRUCTOR	DATE	TIME
Subject-Verb Agreement Tips	Richard Hinson	Oct. 30	2 p.m.
Comma Splice/Run-On Crimes	Kurt McInnis	Nov. 1	8 a.m.
Pronoun Tips	Amie Myers	Nov. 5	2:30 p.m.
Comma Tips	Dr. Rachel West	Nov. 6	3 p.m.
Documented Essay Tips	Dr. Sarah Clemmons	Nov. 7	10 a.m.
Fragment Crimes	Carol Saunders	Nov. 8	2 p.m.
Strangled Sentence Crimes	Dr. Sarah Clemmons	Nov. 12	10 a.m.
Concise Language Tips	Pam Rentz	Nov. 14	3 p.m.