

# Chipola This Week

August 9-15, 2004

A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

## Chipola students win top awards

Chipola College students Lauren Eade of Marianna and Paige Rentz of Sneads each were recently awarded a pair of scholarships which place them among the top community college students in the nation.

Both Chipola sophomores were awarded \$1,000 scholarships from the Coca-Cola Foundation for outstanding academic and service learning achievements. The two are among six Chipola students who have received this award in its four-year history.

Winners of the Coke scholarships must complete at least 100 hours of service learning within the past 12 months to qualify. Eade worked on numerous service projects, including Rock the Vote, The Big Friends program, Project Graduation, and First Books which provided books to every first grader in Marianna. Rentz donated time to Rock the Vote, Leaders of Promise conference, American Cancer Society and a Fall Festival at McLane Community Center, among others.

Both Chipola students also won the coveted Leaders of Promise Scholarship, awarded by Phi Theta Kappa, the International



Honor Society of Two-Year Colleges. The purpose of the scholarship is to develop leadership potential through participation in PTK programs. Chipola PTK adviser Jody Spooner reports that Chipola is the first college to have more than one student win the Leaders of Promise Scholarship.

## Fall Registration set at Chipola

Chipola College will hold returning student registration and new student testing for Fall classes on Aug. 18. New student registration is Aug. 19 and 20, with classes beginning Aug. 23.

Applications are available in the Admissions and Records Office, or online at [www.chipola.edu](http://www.chipola.edu). Chipola's open-door policy guarantees acceptance to all students with a standard high school diploma or GED. Testing is required to enroll in certain academic courses.

Chipola offers hundreds of college credit courses during the day and evening, and also through independent study. The college offers the Associate in Arts (AA) Degree, a two-year degree that guarantees acceptance to Florida's 11 public universities. The college also awards bachelor's degrees in Secondary Education with majors in mathematics and science. Chipola's University Center offers classes on the Chipola campus leading to bachelor's degrees and advanced degrees from UWF, FSU and UF.

Chipola also offers several Associate in Science Degrees and certificates in Workforce Development Programs that provide training for high wage jobs.

Financial aid is available to those who qualify and apply early. Call 718-2293 for Financial Aid information.

For information concerning enrollment, call 718-2211, or visit Chipola on the web at [www.chipola.edu](http://www.chipola.edu)

## UF to offer Ag program at Chipola

The University of Florida will offer courses that apply to a bachelor's degree in Animal Science and pre-veterinary curriculum on the Chipola campus beginning in August.

Three courses will be offered at Chipola this Fall. Introduction to Animal Science (ANS 3006C) will be offered on the Chipola campus, Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 2 to 5 p.m. Personal Computer Use in Agriculture (ALS 3203) will be offered online. Fundamentals of Plant Pathology (PLP 3002C) will be offered via video tape delivery.

Students may enroll in one or more of these classes, regardless of whether they have completed an AA. Students interested in pursuing this program are asked to complete a survey at [www.chipola.edu](http://www.chipola.edu). Choose "Prospective Students" and go to "University Center" to take the survey.

Success of the program will be contingent upon student interest and support. Application deadline is Aug. 16.

For more information, contact Myers at (850) 718-2276 or [myersk@chipola.edu](mailto:myersk@chipola.edu).


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### 4 WEDNESDAY

- ◆ Last Class Day — Summer II
- ◆ Grades Due 4 p.m.
- ◆ Last Faculty Day For Summer II

### 5 THURSDAY


- ◆ College Application Deadline — Fall Term

 **INTERESTED IN TEACHING?** The teacher shortage problem affects many communities. Talented, committed, well-prepared new teachers are needed.

The University of West Florida, with the University Center at Chipola, offers full-time day and evening programs in Special/Elementary Education. This is a five semester program taught at Chipola's campus.

Please contact Yvonne Melzer at 526-2761 ext. 3255, or Martha Burke, office assistant, at 718-3948, for more information.

Interested students may register as late as Aug. 20.

 **TELECOMMUNICATIONS COURSE.** Chipola College will offer a Telecommunications course beginning Aug. 23.

The 300 clock-hour course meets weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Applicants must have a valid driver's license and a satisfactory driving record. The cost of \$1,092 includes tuition, books, supplies and tools.


Registration for the course is Aug. 18 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

For information, call the Workforce Development Office at (850) 718-2270.

 **BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK.**

- 8/2 Mil Cox
- 8/2 Mary Bruce Hamilton
- 8/6 Irma Cruz-White
- 8/7 Sarah Clemmons
- 8/11 Nell Donaldson
- 8/11 Joyce Traynom
- 8/12 Laurel Foran
- 8/13 Dorothy Bell
- 8/14 Greg Heiar
- 8/14 Richard Hinson
- 8/14 Frederick Ward
- 8/14 John Watson

 **SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE.** Chipola will award a full-tuition scholarship to a Phi Theta Kappa member who is a qualified junior applicant to its BS in Secondary Education program. The scholarship is for the 2004-05 and 2005-06 school years. For more information, call 718-2276.


 **CORRECTIONS COURSE.** Application deadline for day and evening courses in Basic Corrections is Aug. 18.

The evening class begins Aug. 23, and will meet weeknights from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. A daytime class is scheduled to begin Aug. 24.


Orientation for both classes is set for Aug. 18 at 9 a.m.


Applicants must be at least 19 years of age, be of good moral character, possess a valid driver's license, earn a passing score on the Florida Basic Abilities Test (FBAT) and meet FDLE requirements. Students are encouraged to apply early due the extensive application process.

For information, call (850) 718-2394.

 **FRS WORKSHOP.** There will be a FRS Estate Planning Workshop for interested employees on Aug. 17 from 10:30 a.m. - Noon in Jackson Hall. Information will be provided about living wills, health care proxies, durable power of attorney, life insurance, gifting to loved ones and charities and how Social Security and HRS benefits affect your survivors. Please register in Human Resources by August 9.

 **SUMMER HOURS.**  
**BOOKSTORE**  
**Monday - Thursday**  
 7 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
**Closed Friday-Sunday**

 **BUILDING L PARKING.** The Building L parking lot is closed to all but handicapped parking due to the construction congestion, entrance and exit difficulties. The workforce development parking lot is also closed to all but faculty, staff, and cosmetology patrons. Please work with us during our construction and renovation. The short-term pain will hopefully be offset by the long-term joy of the completed projects.

 **SHORT COURSES.** Chipola College will offer a variety of short courses this summer.

**CPR** will meet August 10 and 12 from 5 to 9 p.m. Cost is \$42.


A **20 Hour Childcare Training** course will meet Aug. 14 and 21 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost is \$76. **Child Growth & Development** will meet Mondays, Aug. 23 through Dec. 6, from 6 to 9 p.m. Cost is \$171. An **Internship** will be available on Thursdays, Aug. 26 through Dec. 9, from 6 to 9 p.m. Cost is \$171. **Early Care & Education Administrative Overview** will meet Tuesdays, Aug. 24 through Dec. 7, from 6 to 9 p.m. Cost is \$171.

A **Real Estate** course will meet Aug. 28, Sept. 11, October 9, 23, 30 and Nov. 13 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost is \$240.

For information about any of these non-credit courses, call 718-2395.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**  
**AUGUST**  
 16 Return to Regular Work Week  
 16 Faculty Returns - Fall  
 18 New Student Testing  
 18 Returning Student Reg  
 19-20 Registration/Drop/Add  
 23 Classes Begin  
 23-27 Late Registration

**THIS WEEK**  
 "Chipola This Week" is a weekly publication of the Chipola PR Office.  
 During the summer we will be printing an abbreviated issue. Deadline for the next issue is noon, **Wednesday, August 11.** Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.

 **TRYOUTS.** Chipola College will hold cheerleader tryouts Aug. 31 and Sept. 2, from 6 to 8 p.m., each day at the Johnson Health Center.

Male and female Chipola students who are physically fit, energetic, and who are committed to cheering are encouraged to try out. Applicants must have a 2.5 high school GPA and be full-time Chipola students in Fall 2004.

Cheering experience is preferred and dedication is a must. A standing back hand-spring is the minimum gymnastics requirement. Chipola freshmen must submit an official high school transcript, as well as a letter of recommendation from their high school cheerleader coach. Scholarships are available.

Call 718-2322.

LOCATOR		
A- Administration	I- Arts Center	Q- Health Science
B- Library	J- Theater	R- Johnson Health Center
C- Social Science	K- Cafeteria, Bookstore	S- Continuing Ed/Conference Ctr
D- Fink Natural Science	L- University Center	T- Pool
E- Physical Plant Office	M- Business A	U- Foundation House
F- Residence Hall	N- Workforce Devel Labs	Y- Public Service
G- Student Services	O- Success Center, Electronics	Z- Literature/Language
H- McLendon Fine Arts	P- Automotive Tech	