

Chipola This Week

February 28 - March 6, 2005

A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

Chipola's "Anything Goes" tickets going fast

An early sellout is expected for the Chipola College production of "Anything Goes," set for March 9-13 in the Chipola Theatre.

Tickets went on sale Feb. 23. Seats are still available for all four 7:30 p.m. evening shows and the 2 p.m. Sunday matinee.

"Anything Goes" is a hilarious screwball comedy set onboard the SS America as it steams from New York to London. A glorious collection of colorful 1930s characters make up the crew, including: a lovesick stowaway, a brassy nightclub evangelist, a beautiful young debutante and her doting (but dotty) mother, a boozy and lecherous old tycoon, a bumbling gangster disguised as a priest, a silly English Lord with a mysterious past and a whole ship full of tap-dancing sailors and high-kicking chorus girls. The popular musical offers an evening of romance, dance, mistaken identities, mismatched lovers and of course those wonderful Cole Porter songs.

Players in the Chipola cast are: Melody Ruano as Reno Sweeney, Felicia Gibson as Hope Harcourt, Meredith Nailen as Evangeline Harcourt, Heath Carroll as Lord Evelyn Oakleigh, Lee

Shook as Elisha Whitney, Jonathan Dowling as Billy Crocker, Charles Sirmon as Moonface Martin, Anne Gilmartin as Erma, Zack Price and Kim Hobgood as Luke, Jessica

Tedesco as John, Brad Brooks as Ship's Captain, Brad Bunce as Ship's Purser, Mary Kathryn Tanner as Virtue, Courtney Haile as Chastity, Stacey Hall as Charity, Angela Griffin as Purity, Josh Barber as Sailor #1, Conner Walton as Sailor #2, Scott Boyle as Sailor #3, Cesar Morales as Sailor #4, John Bruner as Fred, Photographer, Arthur Obar as Reporter, Terry Tanner-Smith as Old Lady in Wheelchair, Josh Barber as FBI Agent, and Chris Manasco as Minister.

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Indians capture Conference

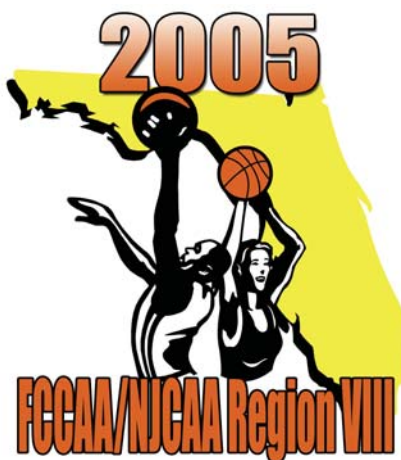
The Indians captured their second straight Panhandle Conference championship with a 77-62 win at Okaloosa-Walton on Feb. 23.

Chipola's Mario Boggan led the game with 25 points, 12 rebounds, 6 assists, and 4 blocks. Ryne Hamblet had 17 points on five three-pointers, with 6 rebounds and 5 assists. Jimmy Sloss had 14 points and 5 rebounds. Kendaris Pelton logged 8 points, 8 rebounds and 3 steals.

Chipola and OW had been tied for first place for much of the season, but the Indians pulled ahead by winning two of the three game series. TCC also helped to spoil OW's bid for first place with a big upset of the Raiders on Feb. 21.

Chipola was 10-1 in the conference and 27-2 on the year heading into the Homecoming game with TCC which was scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 26.

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MEN'S and WOMEN'S
STATE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

**MARCH 9-12
MILTON JOHNSON
HEALTH CENTER**

Tickets on sale at the
Chipola Busines Office
or call 850-718-2370

Tournament Pass:
Adults, \$25/Students, \$15
Session (2 Games):
Adults, \$10/Students, \$6
Championship Session:
Adults, \$10/Students, \$6
All Star Game:
Adult/Students, \$5

this week at Chipola

FEBRUARY 28 MONDAY

- ♦ Student Government Association — 2 p.m., Z

MARCH

1 TUESDAY

- ♦ Deadline to Apply for Graduation for Spring Term
- ♦ Student Ambassadors — 1 p.m., Z

- ♦ Faculty Meeting — 2:30 p.m., Jackson Hall - Student Activities Presentation
- ♦ CC Baseball vs Wallace-Dothan — 6 p.m. BB

2 WEDNESDAY

- ♦ Phi Beta Lambda — 10 a.m., M
- ♦ Black Student Union — 10 a.m., C
- ♦ CC Softball vs Andrew College — 4/6 p.m. SB

3 THURSDAY

- ♦ Music Through Performance — 4 p.m., H

4 FRIDAY

- ♦ ACT Registration Deadline

5 SATURDAY

- ♦ CC Baseball vs Grand Rapids — 1 p.m. (DH) BB

Championship, *continued from page 1*

The Indians also are the defending Florida/Region VIII Champions. Chipola will play a yet-to-be-named opponent the evening of Thursday, March 10, in the first round of the 2005 Florida State JUCO tournament. OW will represent the Panhandle Conference in the runner up bracket.

The Indians scored a big 86-57 home court win over Pensacola on Feb. 21.

Stefhon Hannah led with 16 points and 7 assists. Mario Boggan had 11 points, 5 rebounds, 5 assists, 3 blocks and 2 steals. Pawel Malesa scored 10 points. Jimmy Sloss had 10 points and 7 rebounds. Gerrard Jackson scored 10 points and 6 rebounds. Victor Gomez had 8 points and 8 rebounds.

The Indians slipped past Gulf Coast on Feb. 19 in a 77-76 nail biter in PC. Boggan led with 26 points and 11 rebounds. Jackson had 12, with 7 rebounds. Hamblet had 10 points and 7 rebounds. Hannah scored 10 and pulled in 5 rebounds. Anderson Ferreira was ejected from the game and faces a three-game suspension which will sideline him until the state tournament.

The men's conference standings as of Feb. 25, are: Chipola (10-1), OW (8-3), TCC (5-6), GCC (3-8) and PJC (2-10).

LADY INDIANS

The Lady Indians were scheduled to host the Lady Eagles of Tallahassee on Saturday. Chipola and Pensacola were tied for second place with identical (10-4) records behind first place Gulf Coast (11-3). PJC played North Florida on Saturday. Gulf

Coast hosted OW.

The Lady Indians may face a playoff game at a neutral site early next week to determine which team will fill the runner-up spot in the state tournament. If Chipola's women make the tournament, they would play during the evening session on Wednesday, March 9.

The Lady Indians held onto a tie for second place in the league with a 50-47 win over Okaloosa-Walton on Wednesday. Chinata Nesbit led Chipola with 15 points and 10 rebounds.

Chipola's women suffered a 72-68 loss to PJC on Monday. Nesbit led Chipola with 20 points. Nacole Stocks had 13. Laura Cowling scored 10.

The Lady Indians made history on Feb. 1, when they scored a 62-40 upset over the top-ranked Lady Commodores of Gulf Coast. The Chipola win marked Gulf Coast's first loss in 66 games.

The women's league standings as of Feb. 25, are: GCCC (11-3), Chipola (10-4), PJC (10-4), OW (5-8), TCC (5-8) and NFL (0-14).

The Florida/Region VIII State Basketball Tournament is set for March 9-13 in the Milton H. Johnson Health Center. Women's first round games begin Wednesday, March 9 at 2 p.m. Men's first round games are Thursday, March 10. Semi-final men's and women's games are Friday, March 11. The women's championship game is Saturday, March 12 at 5 p.m., followed by the men's championship at 7:30 p.m.

For the latest scores, call 718-2CJC or visit www.chipola.edu.



Chipola announces arts scholarships for 2005-06

Auditions for Chipola College music, art, and theatre scholarships for 2005-2006 are: March 10, April 28, and May 12 for music and theatre.

Show Choir Auditions are April 14. Visual Art application and portfolio deadline is April 15.

Applications may be accessed at: www.chipola.edu by going to Departments and selecting "Fine and Performing Arts," or by phoning 850-718-2277.

High School graduates with acceptable academic records and music, theatre, and art aptitude who plan to pursue studies as music, theatre or art majors are eligible to apply.

Scholarships in various amounts, up to full tuition and fees, are awarded on the basis of talent and academic record. Students with financial need may seek additional assistance through the college's Office of Financial Aid and the Chipola Foundation.

For more information, call Joan Stadskev, Chipola Director of Fine and Performing Arts, at 850-718-2301.

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Passengers include: Megan Dougherty, Jessica Tedesco, Terry Tanner-Smith, John Bruner, Kristina Lopez and Chris Manasco. Charles Sirmon is directing the show. Joan Stadskev is choral director. Rick Simms is Stage Manager. Tara Padgett is Assistant Stage Manager. Jesse Williams is Technical Director.

For information, call 850-718-2204.

Waste Management helps Chipola

Waste Management, Inc., recently presented \$5,000 to the Chipola College Foundation. Pictured from left, are: WM officials Kevin Hinson and Achaya Kelapanda; Chipola president Dr. Gene Prough and Foundation director Julie Fuqua. The donation will fund two \$2,500 scholarships in the Fall 2005. The scholarships will be awarded to a resident of Chipola's five-county district planning a major in math or science education or a related field. Application deadline is June 15. For information, contact the Chipola Foundation at 718-2478.



Chipola's Literature/Language winners

Some 100 students from 14 area high schools competed in writing, reading, speech, oral interpretation, literature, humanities, grammar, and foreign language contests at Chipola College on Feb. 18.

The occasion was the Fifteenth Annual Throssell Literature/Language Festival hosted by Chipola's Literature/Language Department. The purpose of the festival is to recognize and encourage academic excellence.

Prizes were awarded to first, second and third places, as well as two honorable mentions, in each category. The winner of the President's Reading Contest received a special medallion as well as a cash award. Contest winners from participating schools are listed below.

President's Reading Award—Geami Britt of Graceville High.

Writing: first—Adam Harpool of Blountstown High; second—Anthony Bennett of Marianna High; third—Robert Comerford of Chipley High; honorable mentions—Kimberly Burkett of Bethlehem High and William Duke of Chipley High.

Speech: first—Kristen Baker of Blountstown High; second—Jessi Collins of Graceville High; third—Angela Rees of Sneads High; honorable mentions—Allison Owens of Blountstown High and Alisha

Perdue of Altha High.

Oral Interpretation: first—Valery Jones of Blountstown High; second—Karisa Olds of Graceville High; third—Chris Calton of Marianna High; honorable mentions—Steven Blighton of Jackson Academy and Jacque Smelcer of Vernon High.

Literature: first—Jonathan Legare of Vernon High; second—Kelly Blighton of Marianna High; third—John Martin of Marianna High; honorable mentions—Ralph Clark of Blountstown and Chris Springer of Cottondale High.

Humanities: first—Treyson Sanders of Blountstown High; second—Anthony Bennett of Marianna High; third—Daniel Carter of Chipley High; honorable mentions—Jesse Hill of Blountstown High and Rick Marshall of Vernon High.

Grammar: first—Andrea Rogers of Sneads High; second—Clint Capps of Blountstown High; third—Kimberly Burkett of Bethlehem High; honorable mentions—Felicia Burch of Bethlehem High and Mandy Bontrager of Marianna High.

Foreign Language Contest: first – Elba Regalado of Liberty County High; second – Adam Harpool of Blountstown High; third – Miguel Maus of Cottondale High; honorable mentions – Eileen Tracy of Vernon High and John Starnes of Marianna High.



PRESIDENT'S READING WINNER—Some 100 students from 14 area high schools competed in Chipola College's Fifteenth Annual Throssell Literature/Language Festival. Here, Chipola's Rachel Cooy presents the President's Reading Award to Geami Britt of Graceville High School.

Chipola instructor/actor establishes theater scholarship

Chipola College business instructor Lee Shook has established a new theater scholarship at the college with an initial donation of \$5,000.

Interest from the Lee Shook Theatre Scholarship Endowment will provide a scholarship to a future Chipola theatre major. Chipola Foundation officials will apply to the state for a dollar for dollar match of the donation.

Shook has performed in numerous Chipola productions and is key supporter of the Chipola (ACT) Applauding Chipola Theater fund. Shook, who is also an accountant, hopes that all theater lovers and friends of the college will consider the endowment in their tax-deductible giving plans.

Shook already has pledged additional contributions over the next two years.

For information about the Lee Shook Theatre Scholarship Endowment, contact the Chipola Foundation at 850-718-2478.



FSU to begin new education programs at Chipola

Florida State University Panama City and the University Center at Chipola College will host a "Town Meeting" on Monday, Feb. 28, at 5:30 p.m., for individuals interested in earning a Master's or Specialist's degree in Elementary Education (with Reading Endorsement) through the FSU Rural Outreach Program.

The meeting will be held in Jackson Hall (Room 116) of the Literature/Language Building on the Chipola College campus.

The FSU program is designed to prepare teachers to assume leadership roles in school districts, community literacy programs and state departments of education.

The program is 33 semester hours in length and requires successful completion of a Comprehensive Exam. The course schedule is planned so that summer semester courses are taken on the FSU Panama City Campus. Fall and spring semester courses will be offered on the Chipola campus.

A group of highly-motivated teachers in the Calhoun and Liberty County School systems have already taken advantage of this opportunity and are well on their way toward degree completion. FSU is seeking another group of 10-15 students to begin this exciting program in the summer.

For information, call Dr. Marion Fesmire at (850) 522-5511 or email: mfesmire@pc.fsu.edu.



HOMECOMING WINNERS.

The SGA **Homecoming Talent Show** was held Feb. 23. Winners receiving cash prizes were: 1st place – Nathan Smith, 2nd place – Terra Pumphrey, Marlana Branning, Janna Ellis, Sarah Cartwright, 3rd place – Joshua Grace and Salena Grace, Best Solo Winner – Brad Brooks and Gerald Williams (tied, Best Group Winner – Angelia Douglas and Demeetris Beachum, and Best Band Winner – Daniel Scott Crum, Brian Wilder, Robert (BJ) Patnode, and David Palmisano. Congratulations to these winners!

The **Homecoming Building Decoration Contest** winners were: 1st place – Social Science decorated by Black Student Union, 2nd place – Health Science decorated by Freshmen Nurses, and 3rd place – Literature/Language decorated by the Cheerleaders.



LIBRARY HOURS:

Monday - Thursday
7:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday
7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Sunday
2 - 6 p.m.

TECH CENTER HOURS:

Monday-Thursday
8 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Sunday
2 p.m. - 6 p.m.



UPS SCHOLARS. Applications for the Theodore R. & Vivian M. Johnson Scholarship are available in Student Services. Applicants must be children of UPS employees or retirees.



ALERT. Students are cautioned to not leave books and valuables unattended.



NEW BOOKSTORE HOURS:

Mon-Thurs 7 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Friday 7 a.m. - 1 p.m.



PBL NEWS. Phi Beta Lambda will meet on Wednesday, March 2 at 10 a.m. in M204. Plans will be made during this meeting for Spring Frolics and the state conference.



FREE E-FILING. In order to help more local citizens get the most refund due them, volunteers from Chipola College, United Way and the Jackson County Development Council will offer free tax preparation, including free electronic filing. The free service will be available each Friday and Saturday (March 5, March 19 and April 2) from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Chipola College.

For information, call (850) 526-2761 x 3268.



UF SCHOLARS. The Department of Entomology and Nematology, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, University of Florida announces two upper division, full-tuition (in-state rate) scholarships to qualified students interested in majoring in one of the six departmental degree tracks. The degree options are Pre-Professional Studies, Basic Sciences, Biological Education, Urban Pest Management, Plant Protection, and Ecotourism.

Students must have a minimum 3.30 overall GPA and declare Entomology and Nematology as a major. Applications are available in the Student Services Building (G) and will be accepted by UF until August 1, 2005.



BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK.

3/1 Bud Riviere
3/2 Dennis Everett

THIS WEEK

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

Deadline for the next issue is Wednesday, March 2. Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at ward@chipola.edu.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH
9 Caricaturist Steve Gipson
9-12 FCCAA State Basketball Tournament
9-13 "Anything Goes" production
21-25 Spring Break Holidays



BOOK DONATION—Art Kimbrough, executive director of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce, recently donated a copy of the book "The Positive Power of No," to the Chipola College Library. Kimbrough was a contributor to the book. He also recently addressed students in the Chipola Honors program. Pictured from left, are: (front) Honors adviser Bonnie Smith, Art Kimbrough, Chipola Librarian Merle Houston, Honors adviser Robert Ivey (back) Honors students Niki Knight and Alaina Pitts.



RAHAL NAMED BEST EDUCATION PARTNER—The Florida Department of Education along with the Florida Chamber of Commerce recently recognized Rahal Chevrolet, Buick, Cadillac, Nissan with the Florida Best Business Education Partnership Award for the company's partnership with the Chipola College Automotive Technology program. Pictured from left, are: Chipola automotive instructor John Gardner and Rahal team members, Chuck Anderson and Ricky Miller.

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	