

Chipola This Week

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A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

Spring Registration continues at Chipola

Spring classes at Chipola College began Jan. 5, but late registration will continue through Jan. 12. State of Florida employees wishing to use the State Employee Fee Waiver may register Jan. 11 and 12.

Online registration is available for current students who have completed at least 12 semester hours and have an overall 2.0 GPA. Online registration is not available for Dual Enrollment/Early Admission, State Employee Fee Waiver, or for students required to enroll in college preparatory classes.

Chipola's open-door policy allows any student with a high school diploma to enroll after completing an application and providing high school or college transcripts. All students with a high school diploma are eligible to enroll at Chipola. Certain academic courses require minimum scores on college placement tests.

The college offers college credit courses during the day and evening, and also online and through independent study. The college awards the Associate in Arts (AA) degree which guarantees acceptance to Florida's public universities. Chipola also awards Bachelor's Degrees in Secondary Mathematics Education and Biology Education, as well as Middle Grades Math Education and Middle Grades Science Education. Chipola also offers several Associate in Science (AS) programs, as well as a number of Workforce Development programs which provide training for high wage jobs.

Chipola's University Center provides opportunities for students to pursue a number of bachelor's and graduate degrees from FSU, UWF and Troy on the Chipola campus.

For more information, call the Chipola Registration Office at 718-2211, or visit Chipola on the web at www.chipola.edu



Spring classes at Chipola College began Jan. 5, but late registration will continue through Jan. 12. Here, Chipola students Buddy Clark and Blaire Taylor look over their schedules.



Chipola announces auditions for OK

Chipola College will hold open auditions for the hit musical "Oklahoma," Jan. 8 and 9, at 6 p.m., in the Chipola Theatre.

Cast requirements include: principal actors: three women and four men; featured characters: one woman and two men. The large singing-dancing ensemble includes numerous small roles with parts for ages 16 and up.

Rodgers and Hammerstein's first collaboration remains in many ways, their most innovative, having set the standards and established the rules of musical theatre still being followed today.

Set in the western Indian territory just after the turn of the century, the high-spirited rivalry between the local farmers and the cowboys provides the colorful background for Curly, a handsome cowboy, and Laurey, a winsome farm girl, to play out their story.

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THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

<p>8 MONDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Late Registration & Drop/Add — 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. ◆ Health Science Faculty Meeting — 11 a.m. ◆ Student Government Association — 2 p.m., A156 ◆ CEA Meeting — 2:30 p.m., D109 ◆ Auditions for Spring Musical Production, Oklahoma! — 6 p.m., Theatre <p>9 TUESDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Late Registration & Drop/Add — 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. ◆ BCM Lunch — 12 Noon, Cafeteria ◆ Student Ambassadors — 1 p.m., Z116 ◆ Governance Council — 2:30 p.m., Y ◆ Auditions for Spring Musical Production, Oklahoma! — 6 p.m., Theatre 	<p>10 WEDNESDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Late Registration & Drop/Add — 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. ◆ Baptist Collegiate Ministries — 10 a.m., H108 ◆ Phi Beta Lambda — 10 a.m., M204 <p>11 THURSDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Distance Learning Orientation — 5:15 p.m., D109 ◆ Late Registration & Drop/Add — 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. ◆ Employee Fee Waiver Reg—8 a.m. - 6 p.m. ◆ BCM Bible Study — 2 p.m., D120 ◆ Jazzmatazz — 7 p.m., Theatre 	<p>12 FRIDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ FTCE Registration Deadline for March Test ◆ Late Registration & Drop/Add — 8 a.m. - Noon ◆ Employee Fee Waiver Reg—8 a.m. - Noon ◆ Jazzmatazz — 7 p.m., Theatre <p>13 SATURDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Jazzmatazz — 7 p.m., Theatre <p>15 MONDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Martin Luther King Holiday - College Closed
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Chipola opens conference play with Pensacola

Chipola opened the conference season on Saturday, Jan. 8, with a pair of big games against Pensacola in the Milton H. Johnson Health Center. For the latest scores, call 718-2CJC or visit www.chipola.edu

Chipola travels to Gulf Coast, Jan. 10. The Lady Indians play at North Florida, Jan. 13. Both teams play at OW, Jan. 17, before returning home to host TCC on Jan. 20.

The Indians are off to the best start in Chipola men's basketball history with a 17-0 record, ranked first in the FCCAA State Poll.

Chipola has held the top spot in the NJCAA Men's Division I Basketball Poll for eight straight weeks. They received 160 total points and all 16 first place votes in the latest poll, the most any team can receive.

Pensacola enters the game at 9-8 on the year.

The Indians finished last season as co-champs of the Panhandle Conference before losing to TCC in triple overtime in the 2006 state tourney.

This year's Chipola squad is led by three players who are among the state's top 20 scorers.

Victor Dubovitsky is number 11 on the state scoring list, averaging 16.1 points per game. DeAndre Thomas is 12th with a 15.5 point average. Jamarcus Ellis is listed 18th with a 15.1 point average, and is 14th in assists with 4.3 per game.

The Indians improved to 17-0 on Dec. 30 with an 86-78 over Columbia State.

DeAndre Thomas led Chipola with 25 points, 11 rebounds in his fifth straight double-double.

Jamarcus Ellis had 16 points, 9 rebounds and 10 assists. James Staten had 12 points, 4 rebounds, 2 assists and no turnovers in 27 minutes of play.

Eric Price had 10 points and 5 rebounds. Mario Edwards had 10 points and 4 rebounds.

The Lady Indians enter the Pensacola contest with a 12-3 mark. Pensacola is 10-5.

The Lady Indians begin their defense of the FCCAA State title ranked third in the FCCAA poll and eighth in the NJCAA national poll. Gulf Coast is first and TCC is in second in the FCCAA poll.

The 2006 Lady Indians captured the state women's state title for a second straight year and finished fourth in the NJCAA Tournament. Chipola earned their spot in the 2006 national tournament by winning their second straight state championship in a 73-69 overtime win over Gulf

Coast. The Lady Indians finished last season with a 31-6 overall mark.

Chipola scored a 77-70 win over Daytona in the Gulf Coast New Year's Classic on Dec. 31. Lesheria Stephens led Chipola with 17 points. Gekeela Clemmons added 16.

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

FCCAA Women's Top 10

As of December 19, 2006

Rank	Team	Record
1.	Gulf Coast	12-1
2.	Tallahassee	13-1
3.	Chipola	12-3
4.	Daytona Beach	12-5
5.	Santa Fe	15-2
6.	Okaloosa Walton	10-3
7.	Florida CC @ Jax	12-5
8.	Pensacola	10-5
9.	Indian River	10-7
10.	Seminole	10-6

FCCAA Men's Top 10

As of December 19, 2006

Rank	Team	Record
1.	Chipola	17-0
2.	Okaloosa Walton	15-1
3.	Tallahassee	15-3
4.	Pasco Hernando	14-4
5.	Miami Dade	12-3
6.	Santa Fe	11-3
7.	Indian River	11-4
8.	St. Johns River	10-4
9.	Manatee	8-4
10.	Hillsborough	10-7

Corrections course set at Chipola

Application deadline for Chipola College's Basic Corrections day and class is Jan. 18.

The class begins Jan. 23 and will meet weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.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.

Auditions, *continued from page 1*

Although the road to true love never runs smooth, with these two headstrong romantics holding the reins, love's journey is as bumpy as a surrey ride down a country road. That they will succeed in making a new life together, and that this new life will begin in a brand-new state provides the ultimate climax to Oklahoma.

For more information call Charles Sirmon at 850-718-2277, or email: sirmonc@chipola.edu

Beginning, Intermediate Guitar Class set at Chipola

Chipola College will offer a Guitar class for beginners and intermediate students and community members beginning Jan. 11. The class will meet Thursdays from 3 to 4:50 p.m.

Tuition for the course is approximately \$78 for Florida, Alabama and Georgia residents.

The course will be taught by adjunct instructor, Steve Mattingly, who is presently pursuing his Doctorate in Guitar at Florida State University.

Community members may apply to Chipola as a non-degree seeking student to register for the course.

Registration is open through noon on Jan. 12, requires a \$25 late fee.

A limited number of departmental guitars are available. Persons with guitars are asked to bring their own to the class.

For information, contact Joan Stadslevj at 850-781-2301, or email stadslevj@chipola.edu

Chipola's Jazzmatazz set for Jan. 11-13



Tickets are now on sale for Jazzmatazz 2007 to be presented by the Chipola College's Award-Winning Show Choir.

Jazzmatazz will run in the Chipola Theatre January 11, 12, and 13, 2007, at 7 p.m. nightly.

Tickets—\$10 for adults and \$5 for 18 and under—for this high-energy show are available from Show Choir members, or in the lobby of the McLendon Fine Arts Building or by phoning Anita Shealy at 718-2277.

Members are, from left: (front) Rachael Daniel, Denise Traynom, Brittney Holmes, Sarah Cartwright, Andrea Rogers, Shannon Grice, Kendra Mayfield, Spring Taylor (back) Nick Melvin, Kevin Shores, Scott Boyle, John Baumer, Seth Basford, Mike Milton, Justin McCoy, JuJuan Clark and Parisia Wesley.

Chipola to host Blue Springs Group

The public is invited to attend a meeting of the Blue Springs Working Group, Thursday, Jan. 18, 2007, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., in the Chipola Continuing Education Center.

Chipola was awarded a grant from the Department of Environmental Protection to coordinate the working group.

Jackson Blue Springs—known locally as Blue Springs—has the second highest nitrate levels of any first magnitude spring in Florida. The purpose of the working group is to educate stakeholders about the spring basin and to develop tasks to protect the springs by protecting the surface and groundwater flowing into the springs, and to promote best management practices within the springshed.

The working group project is overseen by Dr. Stephen Shimmel, a biology professor at Chipola since 1985. Vicki Mathis, Chipola's Business and Industry Liason, is assisting Shimmel in documenting activities, accounting, maintaining the project data base, and submitting reports.

All citizens interested in issues related to the Blue Springs Basin are encouraged to attend the Jan. 18 meeting.

For information, call Vicki Mathis at 850-718-2289.

Tax Course offered for Spring 2007

Chipola College will offer TAX 2000 (Income tax) course for the Spring 2007.

Students in the class, assist instructor Lee Shook in preparing individual income tax returns and efile for local residents with simple tax return.

Last year, Chipola students completed more than 200 returns.

There is NO prerequisite for this course, and it counts as an elective for transfer credit. It does not take the place of a junior level accounting course for accounting majors.

The course meets from 8:35 to 9:50 a.m. on Wednesdays and Fridays. Tax returns will be prepared on Fridays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and every other Saturday.

For information, call Lee Shook at 526-2761, Ext. 3268.

PARKING REMINDER.

White and unpainted spots are for students. Green parking spots are for Chipola employees. Red designates fire lanes and blue is for disabled persons.

Parking fines are \$20 and up. Students are required to display parking decals. Failure to pay fines will result in hold on student records.

TECH CENTER HOURS:

Monday, Dec. 11
 Tuesday, Dec. 12
 8a.m.-8 p.m.
 Wednesday, Dec. 13
 8 a.m. - Noon

SUCCESS CENTER HOURS:

Monday-Friday
 8 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
 Tuesday & Thursday
 5 - 7:30 p.m.

TESTING CENTER HOURS:

Monday-Thursday
 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.
 Tuesday & Thursday
 5 p.m.

LIBRARY HOURS:

Monday - Tuesday
 7:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.
 Wednesday
 7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.
 Thursday
 7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK.

Belated Wishes:

22-Dec Stan Young
 23-Dec Nancy Burns
 24-Dec Royce Reagan
 25-Dec June Mays
 29-Dec Doris Williams
 30-Dec Billy Ray Richter
 30-Dec Janet Wise
 1-Jan Sara-jo Manning
 6-Jan Tony Baker

This Week:

8-Jan Ana Stephens
 10-Jan Sandra Harrell
 11-Jan Lee Shook

UPCOMING EVENTS

JANUARY

18 Blue Springs Working Group
 19 CLAST Registration Deadline
 20 Florida Teachers Cert Exam
 22 Night Student Social
 25 Student Ambassador Leadership Conference
 29 Artist Series: Theatre of Illusion

THIS WEEK

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

Deadline for the next issue is noon, **Wednesday, Jan. 10.** Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.



FACC THANKS—FACC thanks the Chipola employees that volunteered to work basketball concessions. (Clockwise) Public Relations (L-R) — Lillie Hamil, Tinisha Green, Kristin Coley, Nicole Griffis and Paige Russell volunteered on Dec. 1; Phi Theta Kappa under the advisement of Paige Rentz, English Instructor (center) volunteered on Dec. 2; Fine and Performing Arts — Joan Stadskev, Josh Martin, Daniel Powell, Anita Shealy, Angie White and student Mike Milton volunteered on Dec. 8; and Chipola Softball — Assistant Coach Shane Hendrix, Amber Weeks and Nicole Vanshoick. Not pictured are Bryan Craven, Joyce Traynom, Rose Parramore, Kathy Dunaway, Karen Lipford, Amber Lipford, Willie and Martha Spires, Winter Spires, Britney Spires, Jane Stephens, Sandra Harrell, Lou Kind, Janet Wise, Bonnie Smith, Alice Pendergrass, Jackie Reagan, Chipola Girls Basketball Team, Diane Green, Mandy Suggs, Kevin Shores, Cassie Mitchell, Rachel West and the Chipola Cheerleaders. Proceeds from all concessions sales go toward the Chipola FACC Scholarship Endowment.

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