Early registration set for Chipola’s bachelor’s programs

Chipola College will hold a special early registration Aug. 6 and 7 for the college’s Bachelor’s Degree programs.

In order to register, students must be admitted to one of Chipola’s bachelor’s degrees programs in Math and Science Education, Elementary Education, Exceptional Student Education, BS in Nursing or Business.

Students in the Critical Teacher Shortage areas of Mathematics Education, Science Education and Exceptional Student Education who qualify may receive tuition scholarships through the Beall Fund.

Students applying to the RN to BS in Nursing program must be licensed Registered Nurses (RN’s).

Regular Fall registration for all college programs is set for Aug. 18-20.

To learn more about Chipola’s bachelor’s degree programs, call 718-2492 or visit www.chipola.edu

Endless Summer dinner/dance set at Chipola

Celebrate the season with Chipola College’s “Endless Summer” dinner and dance, Saturday, Aug. 23.

Just as the Beach Boys’ “Endless Summer” album brings to mind a simpler time with hits like “Surfin’ USA,” “Be True to Your School” and “Fun, Fun, Fun,” this event will reunite old Chipola friends and alumni for a relaxing evening to benefit the college’s athletic programs.

Released in 1974, “Endless Summer” spent 155 weeks on the Billboard album chart, peak at #1, and selling over three million copies. Chipola College began in 1947 and has enjoyed more than 60 great years including numerous state and national athletic titles, and thousands of individual success stories among its graduates.

Organizer Robert Trammell, says, “While music has evolved from Big Band to Rock N’ Roll and Hip Hop during Chipola’s 60 years, the bonds and friendships built at this little college have remained constant.”

Trammell points to the commitment of alumni and supporters as the key to the college’s success. “Without strong support from our people, Chipola Athletics would be unable to perform at the national level,” he says.

The Iveys have played with and backed “The Pointer Sisters,” “The Coasters,” “Jeannie Pruitt,” “Billy Crash Craddock,” and “The Platters.”

Kermit Davis, Head Basketball Coach at Middle Tennessee State, is the special guest for the event. Davis coached alongside Coach Milton Johnson at Chipola in 1992 and 1993 and served as head coach in 1994. Davis also coached at LSU, Texas A & M, Idaho and Utah State.

Tickets are $50 per person with a social hour at 6:30 p.m. Tables of eight are available for $400. Chipola’s favorite cook Bobby Sims will prepare his famous, mouth-watering barbecue for the dinner.

For ticket information call Lillie Hamil at 850-718-2375.

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14 MONDAY
• Early Fall Registration for Students Enrolled in Spring or Summer I/II with 1+ Hrs—8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
• CEA Meeting — 2:30 p.m., D109

15 TUESDAY
• Early Fall Registration for Students Enrolled in Spring or Summer I/II with 1+ Hrs—8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
• Executive Council — 9 a.m., A192
• District Board of Trustees — 7 p.m., Bldg. Y

18 FRIDAY
• College Closed for Four Day Work Week
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Chipola prof attends Hemingway conference

Dr. Mark Ebel, Professor of Spanish at Chipola College, attended the 13th International Hemingway Society Conference in Kansas City, Missouri in June.

The society holds biennial meetings to discuss the literature of Ernest Hemingway. Composed mainly of college and university professors, independent scholars and Hemingway aficionados, and representing the United States and at least eight foreign countries, the group gathers in places where Hemingway lived and wrote. Following his graduation from high school in Oak Park, Illinois, Hemingway began his writing career as a reporter for the Kansas City Star, where he worked until joining the ambulance corps at the Italian Front during World War I.

Dr. Ebel became interested in Hemingway through the influence of his Ph.D. dissertation advisor, Dr. Ernest Rehder who persuaded Ebel to prepare a paper on Hemingway and present it at a 2004 Conference in Key West. Dr. Ebel presented his paper, “Hemingway’s Philosophy of Fishing,” and served on a panel on “Hemingway and the Sporting Life,” which discussed Hemingway’s writings on hunting, fishing and bullfighting.

Ebel was so impressed with the quality of papers given and the writers, professors and scholars in attendance that he has continued to write and do research on Hemingway.

In 2006 Dr. Ebel traveled to Malaga and Ronda in Spain for the Society’s Conference, then participated in a post-conference tour to the Running of the Bulls Festival in Pamplona, an event made popular by Hemingway in his novel, The Sun Also Rises. Upon his return, Dr. Ebel gave a pair of presentations on “Answering Hemingway’s Call to Adventure,” to the Chipola faculty and again to the community at large.

Members of the Hemingway family regularly attend the Society’s meetings. Dr. Ebel had a chance to meet John Hemingway, great-grandson of Ernest Hemingway. He lives in Montreal and has recently written a book on his family called Strange Tribe.

Continuing Education courses set

Chipola College will offer a variety of short courses in the coming weeks.

An Internship course will meet Thursdays, Aug. 21 through Dec. 4 from 6 to 9 p.m. Cost is $191. A Child Growth & Development course will meet Mondays, Aug. 25 through Dec. 8 from 6 to 9 p.m. Cost is $191. An Early Care & Education Administrative Overview course will meet Tuesdays, Aug. 26 through Dec. 9 from 6 to 9 p.m. Cost is $191.

A Real Estate Sales course will meet Saturdays and Sundays, Sept. 13, 14, 27, 28 & Oct. 11, 12, 26, from 8:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost is $250.

Chipola also offers custom workshops. The following are available: Eat That Frog: Stop Procrastinating and Get More Done; Whale Done: The Power of Positive Relationships; The Pygmalion Effect: Managing the Power of Expectations; Discussing Performance; The Attitude Virus: Curing Negativity in the Workplace; Team Building: What makes a Good Team Player?; and After All, You’re the Supervisor!

Gatlin Education Services (GES) offers, open enrollment, online courses in: health care, internet graphics/web design, business, law and travel. Register online at www.gatlineducation.com/chipola.

Education To Go offers online programs in: computers, photography, languages, writing, entertainment, grant writing, business, sales, accounting, test prep, finance, health, child care, parenting, art, history, psychology, literature, statistics, philosophy, engineering, law and nursing. For dates and course outlines, visit www.ed2go.com/chipola.

For information about any of these non-credit courses, call 850-718-2395.

Swim Lessons set at Chipola

Chipola College will offer Infant and Preschool Swimming lessons for children 3 and under will meet July 28-31 with classes available at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Cost is $30.

Swimming lessons for ages four and up are scheduled for Aug. 4-14. Classes are available at 9 a.m., 10 a.m. or 7 p.m. Sessions meet Monday through Thursday for two weeks of 45-minute lessons. Cost is $45 and pre-registration is required, with a $5 late registration fee.

For information, call Rance Massengill at 718-2473.