Chipola student wins Coca-Cola scholarship

Chipola College student Cassandra Prichard of Chipley has been awarded a $1,000 scholarship from the Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation.

The award—based on outstanding academic and service learning achievements—places Prichard among the top community college students in the nation. She is among seven Chipola students who have received this award in its six-year history.

Through the Coca-Cola Two-Year Colleges Scholarship Program, the Foundation awards a total of 400 scholarships annually to students attending higher-education institutions granting two-year degrees. In April, one scholar from each state received a $2,000 scholarship from Coca-Cola through the New Century Scholar Program. Chipola graduate Lauren Eade won the New Century Scholar award.

The program also is sponsored by the American Association of Community Colleges and Phi Theta Kappa, the two-year college scholastic honorary organization.

“The Coca-Cola Two-Year Colleges Scholarship Program gives support and encouragement to an under-served population of college students,” said J. Mark Davis, President of the Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation. “This program is an extension of our longstanding commitment to college education throughout the United States. These fine students, who often juggle school, work and family, continue to give back to their communities through volunteer service.” The Coca-Cola Scholars Program is one of the most recognized and respected corporate-sponsored scholarships in America.

The Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation was created in 1986 to commemorate the 100th anniversary of Coca-Cola and to establish a legacy for the education of tomorrow’s leaders.

Prepare now for Fall semester

Application deadline is Aug. 4 for new students planning to enroll in Chipola College during the Fall term.


Chipola offers college credit courses during the day and evening, and also through independent study. The college awards 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 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. Applications are available in the Financial Aid Office or online.

College applications are available in the Admissions and Records Office, or online. 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.

For information, call 718-2211, or visit www.chipola.edu
Chipola seeks applications for EMT

Application deadline for the Chipola College Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) training program is July 20.

The EMT program prepares students for employment as ambulance drivers/ambulance attendants, or emergency medical technicians and to treat various medical/trauma conditions.

The curriculum includes simulated learning and clinical study. The 11 credit-hour course is 250 clock-hours in length. Cost is approximately $1,000 for tuition, insurance, books and uniforms. EVOC (Emergency Vehicle Operation) is not included in the course. Clinical assignments are required in addition to regular class hours.

Prerequisites for the EMT Program include: high school diploma or GED with grade point average; Certification in American Heart CPR Level C Healthcare Provider; FDLE Background check; and satisfactory score on the college placement test reading subtest.

Prospective students must undergo a physical examination including drug screen and TB skin test.

Compliance with the prerequisites does not guarantee acceptance. The class is limited to 24 students. Those with the highest GPA’s will be selected. If college courses were taken, the college level GPA will be used in place of the high school GPA.

Candidate interviews are scheduled for July 26. Classes begin Aug. 2. The class will meet Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6 to 10 p.m. with some weekend classes.

For information, call the Health Sciences Department at 850-718-2316.

SUCCESS CENTER HOURS:  
Monday-Thursday  
8 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

TESTING CENTER HOURS:  
Monday-Thursday  
8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

For more information concerning specific tests available, call 718-2284.

BOOKSTORE HOURS:  
Mon-Thurs  7 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Library

SUMMER HOURS:  
Monday - Wednesday  
7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Thursday  
7:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Closed Saturday & Sunday

TECH CENTER SUMMER HOURS:  
Monday - Thursday  
7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m

COPIES 4 SALE. The Math and Natural Science Building (D) now has a coin-operated copier for students located at the end of the hall near the offices of Dr. Breivogel and Dr. Hilton.

Copies are 10 cents per page. The machine will take one and five-dollar bills.

Chipola FACC attends Membership

Chipola College was one of the most talked-about colleges at the 2005 Florida Association of Community Colleges Membership Conference in Orlando.

The Chipola chapter has been awarded numerous times by the state organization for: 50% or Better Membership and Greatest Percentage of Employees as Members (over 180 members). The group was asked to share ideas with other community colleges in the state on how to increase membership in their local chapters.

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Also attending the convention from Chipola, were: Alice Pendergrass, Mandy Suggs, and Christen Bennett.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

JULY

26 Last Day To Withdraw From a Class For SSII

AUGUST

1 Last Day To Resign From All Classes For Summer II

4 College Application Deadline — Fall Term

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

15 Return to Regular Work Week

Faculty Returns for Fall

FACC Back to School Luncheon

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, July 20.

Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK.

7/20 Jane Walker

7/21 Carol Crawford

BELATED WISHES TO:

7/11 Steve Young

7/14 Lillie Hamil

7/15 Mary Lu Andreu

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