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Chipola baseball begins conference play

The Chipola Indians baseball team began their defense of the Panhandle Conference title on Friday, March 15 against Tallahassee at 5 p.m.

Chipola also has home conference matchups with North Florida, March 19, at 5 p.m.; Gulf Coast, March 23, at 1 p.m.; Pensacola, March 26, 5 p.m. and OW, March 29, at 5 p.m.

With six position players and four returning pitchers the Indians are optimistic about the 2002 season. Chipola finished the 2001 campaign as Panhandle Conference Champions and second in the State with a 43-16 overall record.

Head coach Jeff Johnson is hopeful that this year’s squad can replace last year’s starting catchers Lee Poteet (South Mississippi) and Josh Plaice (South Alabama), Shortstop Jonathan Swearingen (Ole Miss), and outfielder/infielder/pitcher Jose Bautista who signed with Pittsburgh Pirates. Several key newcomers may be the answer, including catcher Clay Wehner (Thomasville, GA), shortstop Victor Alvarez (Venezuela), and infielders Joey Wilson (Lexington, KY), Chad Farr (Memphis, TN), and LSU transfers Randy Roth and Trent Hebert.

Johnson says, “Defensively this season could be the best group that we’ve had. Position players are athletic and sound defensively. We expect to be solid throughout the lineup.”

The Indians are in good shape offensively with returning First Team All Panhandle Conference and All State player Ricardo Nanita who hit 5 homeruns, 48 RBI’s and 17 doubles, to finish with a .385 average. All Conference second baseman Ivan Naccarata is back for a second year. He hit .350 with 10 homeruns, and 48 RBI’s last season.

Chipley’s own Blake Balkcom also is key to CJC’s success at the plate. He hit .314 with 13 doubles and 48 RBI’s in his freshman year.

Russell Martin had a .304 batting average, and 28 RBI’s last season. Australia’s Scott Wearne hit .293 with 13 doubles and 28 RBI’s. Sophomores Eric Bernier and Luke Johnson are also important parts of CJC’s offense.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL

3 SPRING FROLICS - Classes dismissed 10a.m. - 2p.m.
4 CJC Chamber Chorus Concert
8-9 Early Summer Reg for currently enrolled students with 30+ hrs
10-11 Early Summer Reg for currently enrolled students with 1+ hrs
12 Last Day to resign for Spring Term
12 Math Olympiad
18 College Application Deadline - SSI
18 Music & Art Scholarship Auditions for 2002-2003
18 Awards Ceremony
29-May 1 FINAL EXAMS

MAY

2 Last Faculty work day - Spring Term
2 GRADUATION 7 p.m.
6 Faculty Returns - Summer I

LOCATOR

A- Administration   L- Business
B- Library          M- Nursing
C- Social Science   N- Workforce Devel Labs
D- Fink Natural Science  O- Success Center, Electronics
E- Physical Plant Office  P- Automotive Tech
F- Residence Hall    Q- Johnson Health Center
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Happy Birthday CJC Family

Mar. 18 Gary Cook  Mar. 26 Gene Prough
Mar. 19 Beverly Crawford  Mar. 27 Lisa Shores
Mar. 20 Gayle Duncan  Mar. 30 Kathy Anderson
Mar. 20 Carolyn E Poole  Mar. 31 Laurie Berry
Mar. 21 Ryan Cross
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Johnson says, “The key to the success of this team will be the progress and improvement of the pitching staff.” Kyle Pawelczyk gives the Indians a solid starting pitcher. He is coming off injuries as a freshman but still posted impressive 2-0-2 with 1.82 ERA and was an integral part in CJC’s late season success in 2001. Johnny Lynch (2-2-3), Chad Coffee (5-1-1), and Troy Frye (2-1-1) gave the Indians great conference and state tournament experience.

Les Hassen, T.J. Large, Adam Dunavant, Chad Farr, Tony Mandel, Kellen Ludwig, and Eric Johnson will make this staff formidable. “The potential is there for this staff to be as good as any that we’ve had at Chipola. Hopefully they will work and progress to be ready for a tough conference season,” said Johnson.

“If this team comes together as a unit and plays as a team we have a chance to have a great year. Hopefully we can build and expand on last season’s success,” said Johnson.

The Indians improved to 21-5 with a doubleheader sweep over Muscatine CC out of Iowa on March 10.

CJC won game one, 12-4. Winning pitcher was Les Hassen who went 5 innings. Adam Dunavant came in to pitch two shut out innings to finish the game.

Ricardo Nanita led the Indians in offense. He was 3 for 4 with 2 homeruns and 4 RBI’s. Eric Bernier was 3 for 4 with a double. Scott Weaver was 3 for 4.

The Indians trounced Muscatine 13-1 in game two. Winning pitcher Kyle Pawelczyk upped his record to 3-1 on the year.

Ricardo Nanita went 3 for 3 with a homerun. Joey Wilson was 2 for 4 with a homerun and 4 RBI’s. Russell Martin was 2 for 4 with a two-run homer.

Chipola to offer Short Courses

Chipola Junior College will offer a variety of short courses during the months of March and April.

The following computer courses meet from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.: PowerPoint II, March 25 and 26, Internet I, April 1 and 2, and Internet II, April 8 and 9. Introduction to Computers and Windows will be offered April 20 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Cost of each computer class is $45.

Who Moved My Cheese?” an amusing and enlightening program that focuses on change in the workplace will be offered March 26 from 8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Cost is $79.

A 10-Hour Childcare Training (Behavior Observation Course) will be offered March 30 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost is $31.

An Insurance course, Section 125 Cafeteria Plans, will be offered April 4 from 8 a.m. to Noon. Cost is $16.

Screenwriting for the Movies will be offered April 5 from 6-9 p.m. Cost is $59. Writing a Novel that Sells will be offered April 6 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Cost is $79. Short Story & Novel Feedback will meet April 6 from 6-9 p.m. Cost is $59. Creating a Novel from Scratch will meet April 7 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost is $79.

A CPR class will be offered April 16 and 18 from 5 to 9 p.m. Cost is $34.

A 20-Hour Childcare Training class will be offered April 20 and 27 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost is $32.

Ziglar Training Systems—Best Practices for Managers workshop will meet April 25 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost is $99.

The Fish Philosophy will be offered April 30 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost is $79.


For information about any of these non-credit courses, call the Office of Continuing Education at 718-2395.

Snoopy auditions set at Chipola

Chipola Junior College will hold open auditions for “Snoopy,” on Thursday, March 28 at 6 p.m., in the Chipola Theater.

The cast calls for up to 10 adults, over the age of 17.

The show will be presented to more than 2,000 elementary school children, May 15, 16 and 17. An evening performance open to the public is set for May 17, at 7 p.m.

For information, call Theater coordinator Charles Sirmon at 718-2227.
SGA Spring Frolics and elections set for April 3

Spring Frolics will be Wednesday, April 3, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the CJC pool. Students will be excused from classes to participate in this fun event!

SGA has some great activities lined up including soft play blow up games like the Titanic Slide and Iceberg Obstacle Course, the Bouncy Boxing, and the Bungee Run. There will be music and hotdogs and hamburgers for everyone! We will have some great door prizes to give out at lunch. You must be present to win. There will also be several universities attending that day to display recruiting tables for people that are interested.

There will be a match up between clubs in a relay competition to see which club rules the campus. We will also have a volleyball game with the club members playing against the CJC faculty/staff which should be an interesting site!

The SGA Spring Elections will be held at Spring Frolics, as well as voting for the Teacher of the Year Award and The Distinguished Service Award. If you are interested in running for an SGA position, come by the Student Activities Office (K-104) and pick up the information. The deadline to apply is Monday, April 1, 2002.

EVERYTHING IS FREE, SO COME JOIN THE FUN! In case of rain, all activities will be in the Health Center. For more information, call 718-2308.

Nancy Johnson, Student Activities

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5. The deadline for submission of the application form to the Dean’s Office in Building Z, Room 230, is April 1, 2002.

For more information contact Jan Cummings at 718-2305.

Baseball and Softball Conference Schedules

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ANIMAL CONTROL

Sixteen participants recently completed the 40-hour Basic Animal Control Officer’s Course offered by the Chipola Public Service/Criminal Justice Department. They are: Johnny C. Collins of Wewahitchka, Tammy L. Barnhill of Santa Rosa Beach, and Ronnie E. Bell of Ponce De Leon, Burrl Adams of Laurel Hills, Jarrott K. Sticzland of Wewahitchka, April G. Ellis of DeFuniak Springs, Joseph V. Harris of Bonifay, Edwin W. Baltzley of Choctow Beach, and Gene B. Mayhew Jr., Danny R. Infinger of Defuniak Springs, Ronald L. Ard of Defuniak Springs, Amburs Wise of Cottondale, Ronnie G. Taylor of Southport, Herbert E. McClain of Panama City, Edward Akelaitis of Bal Harbour and Jennifer A. Foster of Arcadia.

For more information, contact Byron Quivey at 850-718-2286.
**KISS THE PIG**

Bring your $ and coins and vote for your favorite person to kiss the pig. Whoever attracts the most money will get the honor of kissing Cobb’s favorite piglet. Look for the jars around campus. Brandon Vaughn, Joan Stadsklev, Kathryn Roberts, Bryan Craven, Nancy Johnson, Dr. Shimmel, and a few more CJC personalities are candidates.

Contest ends April 3 at noon at Spring Frolics.

**UF WORKSHOP**

Applications for the UF WORKSHOP are available in Student Services. Applicants must have a 3.2 GPA. Deadline for applications is April 30.

Applications for the UCF Community College Transfer Scholarships for AA graduates are now available in Student Services. Applications must be postmarked no later than April 1.

**SUMMER FIN AID APPS**

Summer Financial Aid Applications are available in the Financial Aid Office.

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**St. Pete and Gulf Coast win State JUCO Basketball Tourney**

**St. Petersburg College** captured the 2002 Men’s State JUCO Basketball Championship March 9 with an 80-76 overtime win over Indian River at the State Tournament held at the Chipola Junior College Milton H. Johnson Health Center.

Carl Jenkins led St. Petersburg with 20 points. Leon Parker was the leading scorer for Indian River with 21 points. St. Petersburg will represent Region VIII in the NJCAA National Tournament March 20-23. in Hutchinson, KS.

In men’s semi-finals on March 8, St. Petersburg’s men defeated Daytona Beach, 57-55. Indian River men defeated Central Florida, 74-65.

In men’s quarterfinals on March 6, Daytona Beach defeated Tallahassee, 73-69. Indian River beat Hillsborough, 85-78. St. Petersburg College slipped by Palm Beach, 71-70. Central Florida upset top-ranked Okaloosa-Walton, 71-68.

**Carl Jenkins of St. Petersburg College** was named Most Valuable Player in the men’s tournament.

The Men’s All-Tournament team includes: Leon Parker of Indian River, Terrence Taylor of St. Petersburg, Jermaine Jackson of Indian River, Carl Jenkins of St. Petersburg, Eric Dobson of St. Petersburg, Justin Thompson of Hillsborough, Tim Pickett of Indian River, Isiah Johnson of Palm Beach, Napolean Rhodes of Central Florida, Chris Young of Daytona Beach, Ronell Taylor of Okaloosa-Walton and Rodney Tucker of Tallahassee.

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**Things You Might Not Have Known**

Orville Wright numbered the eggs that his chickens produced so he could eat them in the order they were laid.