

# Chipola This Week

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A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

## Chipola sets record for four state titles in single season

### Chipola wins state baseball championship

The Chipola College Indians made history when they captured the Florida Junior College Baseball Championship Tuesday, May 8, with a 12-2 win over Central Florida Community College.

The baseball championship puts Chipola in the Florida record books as the only community college to win four state championships in a single season. The Lady Indians picked up the college's first state championship in softball on Sunday, May 6. The Chipola men's and women's basketball teams won their respective state tournaments in March.

Miami-Dade is the only Florida junior college to win three state titles which they accomplished in 1971 and 1976.

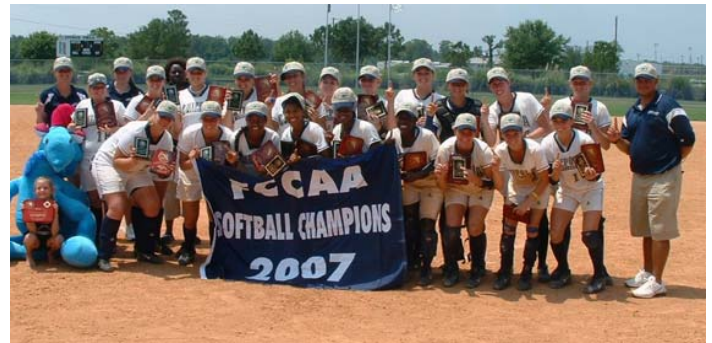
Chipola's only other state baseball title came under coach Bobby Pierce in 1983.

Chipola chalked up 18 hits on the day and committed only two errors. Four Indians had three hits apiece: Paul Gatchel, Jesus Barroso, Tom Hatcher and Logan Pierce.

Drew Parker was the winning pitcher for Chipola in the championship game. He pitched a total of 13 innings in the tournament. Marianna native Josh Storm pitched in last inning of the championship game.

When asked if he felt any pressure to join his fellow Chipola coaches as 2007 state champs, Chipola baseball coach Jeff Johnson said, "What a great team and what a great administration we have at the college that could put us in position to do this. Our guys played an outstanding game and showed great heart. We battled

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### Chipola picks up first state softball title

The Lady Indians captured Chipola College's first-ever state softball title with a 1-0 win over Miami-Dade College, Sunday, May 6, in the FCCAA Gulf District Florida Softball Tournament.

The defensive battle was scoreless for six innings when Chipola third baseman Tori Fobb reached first on a single in the bottom of the seventh. A sacrifice fly advanced her to second. Fobb moved to third on a passed ball and then scored the winning run on another passed ball. Pitcher Cassie Lassiter earned the win for Chipola.

The Lady Indians beat Gulf Coast 6-1 on May 5 to win the Gulf Coast District 8B side of the bracket. Chipola also beat Gulf Coast 5-4 on May 4. The Lady Indians opened tournament play with a 12-1 win over Pasco-Hernando and a 10-0 win over Tallahassee, both on May 4.

Chipola head coach Belinda Hendrix, the Panhandle coach of the year, is in her third season at the helm of the Lady Indians program. Chipola sophomore pitcher Brittany Minton of Bainbridge, GA, was named Tournament MVP. Lady Indians Sarah Lovstrand, Areke Spel, Cassie Lassiter and Alyssa Shirey were named to the All Tournament team.

Chipola will represent Florida in the 2007 NJCAA Division I Softball National Championship, May 17-19, at the Plant City Stadium in Plant City, FL.

#### THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

##### 14 MONDAY

- ♦ Health Science Faculty Meeting — 12 Noon
- ♦ CEA Meeting — 2:30 p.m., D109

##### 15 TUESDAY

- ♦ Executive Council — 9 a.m., A 192
- ♦ District Board of Trustees — 7 p.m., Bldg. Y

##### 17 THURSDAY

- ♦ Workforce Development Staff Meeting — 2:30 p.m.

##### 18 FRIDAY

- ♦ College Closed for Four Day Work Week

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hard and did a great job hitting and bunting. We executed all the little things that we've been talking about all year long."

The Indians were unbeaten in the state tournament beginning with a 7-6 win over Manatee on May 4. Chipola overcame Palm Beach 6-4 on May 5. The Indians landed a spot in the title game with a 4-3 win over Manatee on May 7. The Indians finished the season with a 36-17 record.

In 11 seasons at the helm of the Chipola baseball program, head coach Jeff Johnson has advanced to the state tournament seven times. The Indians finished second in the state tournament in 2005, 2002 and 2001, third in 1998, and among the top four in 2006.

Chipola has won the baseball Panhandle Conference pennant six times in the last seven years, including this year's championship. Coach Johnson has guided more than 75 players on to professional baseball or to four-year college programs.

The baseball team will represent Florida in the NJCAA National Tournament, May 26, in Grand Junction, Colorado.



**ORAL INTERP CLASS PREFORMS**—The Chipola Oral Interpretation class recently performed scenes from books for 5th graders at Roulhac Middle School. Seated left to right are: Patricia Williams, Katie Brown, Callie Eady; standing: Justin McCoy, Taylor Finch, Carol Saunders (instructor), Aaron Summerlin, Kelci Stephenson, and Aric Brisolarara.



**MORRIS WINS PRESIDENT'S MEDALLION**—Heather Morris of Cottondale won the President's Medallion for earning a perfect 4.0 average during her two years at Chipola College. Megan Stewart of Marianna also earned a perfect 4.0.

**TRYOUTS. Cheerleader try-outs** will be held **May 29-30**, from 3:30-5:30 p.m. in the Johnson Health Center.

The 2007-08 Chipola College Cheerleaders will host a **Junior Varsity Cheerleader Camp** on **June 18-19**. Registration will be \$70 per cheerleader for the two days.

Call 718-2322 for more information.

**SUMMER HOURS LIBRARY**

Mon– Wed 7 am – 5 pm  
Thurs 7 am – 4:30 pm

**TECH CENTER**

Mon– Wed 8 am – 4 pm  
Thurs 8 am – 3:30 pm

**SUCCESS CENTER/ TESTING CENTER**

Mon– Fri 8 am – 2:30 pm  
Tues & Thurs 5 - 7:30 pm

**"JUST UNDER THE SURFACE,"** an art exhibit by Jeremy Colbert, will be on display in McLendon Fine Arts building, **May 14 - June 8**, Monday through Thursdays from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The original works include creations of wood, cast iron, found objects, paper, rope, mixed media and video.

Colbert teaches sculpture and ceramics at the University of South Alabama in Mobile. He earned an MFA from Florida State University in Sculpture and Ceramics. Colbert says, "The exhibition is a body of work reflective of a rediscovery through evaluation of ones self."

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**MAY**

- 22 Last Day to Vertically Transfer SSI
- 24 CAAP Registration Deadline
- 28 Memorial Day Holiday
- 31 FTCE Registration Deadline for July
- 31 Deadline for McLendon Scholarship

**JUNE**

- 2 CLAST Exam
- 4 Deadline to Apply for SSI Graduation
- 4-7 Early Fall Registration for currently enrolled students
- 5 Last Day to withdraw from SSI class
- 7 College Application Deadline - SSII
- 12 Last Day to resign all SSI classes
- 16 CAAP Exam
- 18 Deadline for Foundation scholarships
- 19 Last Class Day SSI
- 20 Last Faculty Day SSI
- 21 Faculty Returns SSII
- 21 Summer II Registration/Drop/Add
- 25 Classes Begin SSII
- 25-26 Late Registration/Drop/Add
- 25 Distance Learning Orientation

**JULY**

- 4 Independence Day Holiday
- 9 Deadline to Apply for SSII Grad
- 10 Last Day to Vertically Transfer SSII
- 16-17 Early Fall Registration for currently enrolled students
- 17 District Board of Trustees Meeting

**THIS WEEK**

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

Deadline for the next issue is noon, **Wednesday, May 16**. Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at [warde@chipola.edu](mailto:warde@chipola.edu).

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**

19-May Paul Dudley

**CONGRATS.** Congratulations to Wendy Pippen, Chipola Human Resources, and her husband Lawrence on the birth of Jenna Marie. Jenna weighed 8 lbs. 9 oz. and was 21 inches long.

**LOCATOR**

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