

# Chipola This Week

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A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends



## Chipola FACC awards six scholarships

The Chipola College Chapter of the Florida Association of Community Colleges recently awarded six scholarships to children and grandchildren of college employees. Scholarship recipients and their sponsors are, from left: Dustin Dryden and mother Mary Bruce Hamilton, Blair Sherrill and mother Melinda Sherrill, James (J.D.) Tyler and mother Angie Tyler, Jessica Whittington and grandfather Dr. Gene Prough. Not pictured is Marshall Hilton and Kylee Shores. Since 1993, FACC has paid tuition in excess of \$106,000 for over 100 students through the FACC Scholarship Endowment funded through concession sales at college sports events.

## Law enforcement officers learn defensive tactics at Chipola

Area law enforcement officers recently participated in a Defensive Tactics training course at Chipola College.

The course was conducted by H. Lee Peacock of the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office in partnership with Chipola's Criminal Justice Training Center.

Officers from the Jackson County Sheriff's Office, Marianna Police Department, Chipley Police Department, Holmes County Sheriff's Office and the Calhoun Sheriff's Office recently participated in the course.

Peacock has been a Deputy with the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office for the 23 years, having been a full time Defensive Tactics Instructor for the past 14 years and serving the last seven years as the lead instructor for the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office Academy. He earned several black belts and Instructor Certifications in various disciplines of Martial Arts and has competed as a professional fighter in both kickboxing and Mixed Martial Arts.

Peacock developed the "Defending the Edged Weapon" course for FDLE/CJSTC, as well as the Women's Self Defense Program for Jacksonville University. He has served as an expert witness on Law Enforcement Use of Force for the City of Jacksonville Office of General Counsel as well as for Florida Department of Law Enforcement.

Peacock developed the Defensive Tactics course specifically for the Chipola training to focus on weapon retention, hand to hand combat and restraint techniques.



Pictured from left, are: Martin H. Basford, Joey D. Rabon, Quinton Hollis, Sean Hill, Derrick Wester, Scott Thompson, Mike Hodges, John Braxton, Billy Benton, Daniel Morris, Michael Raley, H. Lee Peacock, Kevin Arnold, Jeff Fowler, Mark Malloy, Tyler Scarborough, George Owens, Julian G. Basford, Timothy D. Hinson and Shane Tipton.

Steve Anderson, Chipola Public Service Assessment Center Manager, said, "Officers who attended this training found all the instruction to be very helpful in improving officer safety and helping officers to better serve and protect the citizens of our community."

### THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

#### 26 MONDAY

- ♦ Student Government Association — 2 p.m., Z116
- ♦ CEA Meeting — 2:30 p.m., TBA

#### 27 TUESDAY

- ♦ Executive Council — 9 a.m., A192
- ♦ Student Ambassadors — 1 p.m., A156
- ♦ Night Students Social — 7 p.m., Front of Z
- ♦ District Board of Trustees — 7 p.m., Bldg. Y

#### 28 WEDNESDAY

- ♦ FACC Silent Auction — U
- ♦ BCM Bible Study — 10 a.m., A156
- ♦ BSU — 10 a.m., C104

#### 29 THURSDAY

- ♦ FACC Silent Auction — U
- ♦ FCA Huddle — 7 p.m.

#### 30 FRIDAY

- ♦ Deadline to Apply For Fall Graduation All Degrees
- ♦ FACC Silent Auction — U
- ♦ Academic Directors — 9 a.m., A192

#### NOVEMBER 1 SUNDAY

- ♦ Sunday Afternoon with the Arts — 1-5 p.m., I



**Best Pumpkin**

Kendra Pettis of Sneads won the pumpkin contest at the annual Cosmetology Open House on Oct. 15.

**Geeks Help workshops at Chipola**

Geeks Help @ Chipola will offer three informational seminars on Thursday, Oct. 29, in the Continuing Education building.

**Basic Computer Operations I** meets from 10 a.m. to noon. A **Purchasing Electronics Help** seminar meets from 1 to 3 p.m. Cost for either seminar is \$25.

A free **Windows 7 Launch Party** is Oct. 29, from 6 to 8 p.m. Representatives from Fast Lane Computers will be assisting.

More Geeks Help seminars are scheduled in November: **Basic Computer Operations II** workshop, Friday, Nov. 6, 9 a.m. to noon, \$60; **Social Networking** seminar, Thursday, Nov. 12, 6 to 8 p.m., \$25; **Beginning Word 2007** workshop, Saturday, Nov. 21, 9 a.m. to noon, \$60; and **Electronics Purchasing Help** seminar, Saturday, Nov. 21, 1 to 3 p.m., \$25.

Pre-registration for paid events is encouraged to secure a spot. Registration through the website is preferred. Staff will be on-site 30 minutes prior to each event to register individuals.

For more information, call 850-718-7563, or visit [www.geekshelp.com](http://www.geekshelp.com)



**Moffitt cancer researcher speaks**

Dr. Joel Turner, a Senior Research Scientist in the Experimental Therapeutics Program at Moffitt Cancer Center, recently presented a program at Chipola College. Pictured from left, are: Honors adviser Bonnie Smith, Dr. Joel Turner, Moffitt Public Relations director Merritt Martin, and Honors adviser Robert Ivey.

**BOOKSTORE HOURS**

*Monday-Thursday*  
7 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
*Friday*  
7 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**TESTING CENTER HOURS:**

*Monday & Wednesday*  
8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
*Tuesday & Thursday*  
8 a.m - 7 p.m.  
*Friday*  
8 a.m - 1:30 p.m.

**LIBRARY HOURS:**

*Monday - Thursday*  
7:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
*Friday* 7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**TECH CENTER HOURS:**

*Monday - Thursday*  
8 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.  
*Friday* 8 a.m. - Noon

**ACE HOURS:**

*Monday - Thursday*  
8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
*Friday* 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**CHIPOLA FACC EVENTS.**

FACC is **collecting items for US troops** serving in Iraq and Afghanistan. If you have items, such as toiletries or games to donate or need more information, contact Pat Barfield at 718-2355.

FACC's annual **Silent Auction** will be held October 28-30 in the Foundation House. All employees are invited to come and bid. All proceeds go to the FACC Scholarship Fund.

There will be a **Halloween Harvest Social** on Tuesday, October 27 from 11a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Student Services Building Staff Lounge. Employees are invited to stop by for hotdogs, chili, soup and sweets.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**NOVEMBER**

- 2-5 Early Spring Reg for Currently Enrolled Students
- 4 Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Fall Term A
- 5-8 Fall Production, "Musical Comedy Murders"
- 7 CAAP Exam for All AA Fall grads
- 7-8 Milton Johnson Bball Classic
- 9 Last Day for Vertical Transfer - C
- 11 College Closed — Veteran's Day

**THIS WEEK**

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

Deadline for the next issue is 8 a.m., **Wednesday, October 28**. Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at [warde@chipola.edu](mailto:warde@chipola.edu).

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**

- 26-Oct Jeff Johnson
- 26-Oct Gwen Oliver
- 26-Oct Joan Stadsklev
- 31-Oct Diane Timmons

**REP ON CAMPUS.** FSU Panama City will have a representative on campus each Thursday from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the Student Services Building, Room A115.

**NOMINATE NOW.** Please be aware it is that time again to nominate a CEA employee of the month. Nominations should be forwarded to the HR department. For more information, call 718-2375.

**ATTENTION!** Students are cautioned to not leave books and valuables unattended.

**LOCATOR**

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