

Chipola This Week

October 30 - November 5, 2006

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A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends

Chipola's "I Hate Hamlet" opens Thursday

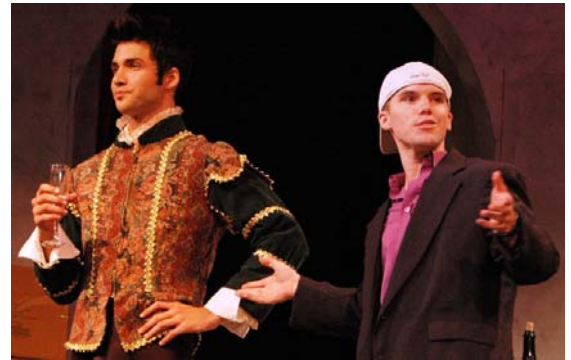
The Chipola College production of "I Hate Hamlet," opens a four-day run Thursday, Nov. 2.

Tickets—\$7 for adults and \$5 for students—are available weekdays in the college Business Office from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Chipola students and employees get one free ticket.

For the courtesy of theatre patrons, no one under age 5 will be admitted. Recommended age for the subject matter is 13.

Chipola Theater director Charles Sirmon cast local actors in the following roles: Brittany Holmes as Felicia Dantine, Kevin Russell as Andrew Rally, Shannon Grice as Deirdre McDavey, Danuta Jacob as Lillian Troy, Mike Milton as John Barrymore and Chris Calton as Gary Peter Lefkowitz. Rowdy Wilbur will serve as the stage manager for the show.

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Mike Milton, (left) and Chris Calton rehearse a scene for Chipola production, "I Hate Hamlet."



WASTE MANAGEMENT HELPS CHIPOLA STUDENTS—

Waste Management recently awarded two \$1,000 scholarships to a pair of students from Chipola College's Educational Talent Search program. Pictured from left, are: Chipola president Dr. Gene Prough; Evan Messer, a graduate of Poplar Springs High and Brittany Pickwick, a Holmes County High School graduate, and Waste Management officials Kevin Hinson and Achaya Kelapanda.



TALKING BUSINESS—Nancy Watts, owner of Waco Gifts and Drugs, recently spoke to students in Chipola College's Phi Beta Lambda business fraternity about operating a business. Pictured from left, are: Kasey Kelly, Kasey Alford, Nancy Watts and Daryl Hunter.

THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

30 MONDAY

- ♦ Health Science Faculty Meeting — 11 a.m.
- ♦ Student Government Association — 2 p.m., A156

31 TUESDAY

- ♦ Deadline to Apply for McLendon Educational Trust Scholarship for Spring 2007 - Chipola Foundation
- ♦ Executive Council — 9 a.m., A 192
- ♦ BCM Lunch — 12 Noon, Cafeteria
- ♦ Student Ambassadors — 1 p.m., A156

NOVEMBER

1 WEDNESDAY

- ♦ Deadline to Apply for Graduation - Fall Term
- ♦ Production, I Hate Hamlet, for Selected Audiences
- ♦ Visual Art Exhibit — I

- ♦ Baptist Collegiate Ministries — 10 a.m., H108
- ♦ Black Student Union — 10 a.m., C104
- ♦ Phi Beta Lambda — 10 a.m., M204

2 THURSDAY

- ♦ Last Day to Withdraw from A Class for Fall Term
- ♦ Visual Art Exhibit — I
- ♦ BCM Bible Study — 2 p.m., D120
- ♦ Fall Production, I Hate Hamlet — 7:30 p.m., J

3 FRIDAY

- ♦ ACT Registration Deadline
- ♦ Visual Art Exhibit — I
- ♦ Fall Production, I Hate Hamlet — 7:30 p.m., J
- ♦ Milton H. Johnson Classic — 1 / 3 / 5 / 7 p.m., R

- ♦ Chipola Women vs. Pye Express— 5 p.m., R
- ♦ Chipola Men vs. Pearl River— 7 p.m., R

4 SATURDAY

- ♦ CAAP Test for Fall Graduates
- ♦ Visual Art Exhibit — I
- ♦ Fall Production, I Hate Hamlet — 7:30 p.m., J
- ♦ Milton H. Johnson Classic — 3 / 5 / 7 p.m., R
- ♦ Chipola Women vs. Kirkwood — 5 p.m., R
- ♦ Chipola Men vs. Brevard — 7 p.m., R

5 SUNDAY

- ♦ Sunday Afternoon With The Arts - Exhibit of Local Artists — 1-5 p.m., I
- ♦ Fall Production, I Hate Hamlet — 2 p.m., J

Chipola to host Johnson Classic Nov. 3-4

The Chipola College men's and women's basketball teams host the annual Milton H. Johnson Classic, Nov. 3-4, in the gym that bears the same name.

The Lady Indians play Pye Express at 5 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 3, followed by the Indians against Pearl River at 7 p.m. The classic tips off Friday with Miami Dade and Kirkwood in a 1 p.m., women's game, and TCC and Brevard in a 3 p.m., men's matchup. On Saturday, Nov. 4, Tallahassee and Pearl River meet in a 3 p.m. men's game. The Lady Indians of Chipola play Kirkwood at 5 p.m., followed by the Chipola Indians and Brevard in the 7 p.m. night-cap

The Lady Indians host the three-day Holiday Inn Express Alzheimer's Women's Basketball Classic, Nov. 10-12. The Lady Indians play at 8 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, and at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 12.

The Lady Indians are still basking in the glory of the best season in Chipola history. The 2006 squad captured the state women's state title for a second straight year and finished fourth in the NJCAA Tournament. The fourth place ranking marked the best finish of any women's team in Chipola history. The Lady Indians earned their spot in the national tournament by winning their second straight state championship in a 73-69 overtime win over Gulf Coast, March 11, 2006. The 2006 Lady Indians finished with a 31-6 overall mark.

The Chipola College men's basketball team is ranked first in the nation in *Street and Smith's College Basketball Yearbook*, the premier pre-season publication for college basketball.

The magazine also listed point guard Jamarcus Ellis and DeAndre Thomas to *Street and Smith's* First Team of Super Sophomores.

Chipola shared the 2006 Panhandle Conference title with Tallahassee last season. Both teams finished with identical 10-2 league records. The Indians finished the 2005-06 campaign with a 29-4 mark, falling just short in their bid to become the first men's team ever to win three straight Florida state titles when they lost to Tallahassee, 98-96, in triple overtime in the 2006 State Championship.

For information, call the Chipola Hotline at 718-2CJC, or visit the website at www.chipola.edu



Chipola Brain Bowl Team wins



The Chipola Brain Bowl Team won second place at the Seaside Academic Tournament held at the Okaloosa-Walton College Niceville campus, October 20-21. Teams from Florida and Georgia participated in the tournament that is cooperatively sponsored by Chipola, Gulf Coast, and Okaloosa-Walton. The tournament winner was Okaloosa-Walton.

Chipola Brain Bowl player Chuck Bryant (Holmes County) won an all-star medallion for his fourth place finish in total points scored. Four other Chipola players finished in the top ten in total points scored. Anthony Bennett (Marianna) finished sixth, Janzten Whitehead (Cottondale) finished seventh, Tyler Land (Bethlehem) finished ninth, and Mark Hodge (Holmes County) finished tenth.

The Brain Bowl coaches are Stan Young and Robert Dunkle.

Haunted Hoops is Monday, Oct. 30

The Chipola College men's and women's basketball teams invite all children and fans to attend the Chipola Haunted Hoops event, Monday, Oct. 30, at the Milton H. Johnson Health Center.

Trick or treat goodies for the kids, a costume contest and a player autograph session begins at 5:30 p.m.

The Lady Indians will play a scrimmage game followed by a 3-point contest at 6 p.m.

The Indians will hold an inter-squad scrimmage and a slam-dunk contest at 7 p.m.

For information, call 718-2364

2006-07 Men's and Women's November Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time	Men/Women
Nov. 3-4	MILTON H JOHNSON CLASSIC		
3	CHIPOLA vs. PY EXPRESS	5:00 pm	W
3	CHIPOLA vs. PEARL RIVER	7:00 pm	M
4	CHIPOLA vs. KIRKWOOD	5:00 pm	W
4	CHIPOLA vs. BREVARD	7:00 pm	M
Nov. 6-7	at Motlow Community College - Tullahoma, TN		M
Nov. 9	BEVILLE STATE CC	7:00 pm	M
Nov. 10-12	HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS/ALZHEIMER'S CLASSIC		
10	CHIPOLA VS. CENTRAL FLORIDA	8:00 pm	W
11	CHIPOLA VS. SOUTHEASTERN IL	8:00 pm	W
12	CHIPOLA VS. TRINITY VALLEY	3:00 pm	W
Nov. 17-18	at Florida CC @ Jax Tournament		
Nov. 18	SNEADS STATE	7:00 pm	M
Nov. 24-25	at Trinity Valley Tournament		
Nov. 24-25	at Okaloosa Walton Tournament - Niceville, FL		
Nov. 28	at Miami-Dade	6:00 pm	M
Nov. 29	at Palm Beach	6:30 pm	M

Chipola president gets excellent rating

The Chipola College District Board of Trustees gave college president Dr. Gene Prough an excellent rating on his annual performance evaluation which was presented during the board's regular monthly meeting on Oct. 24.

All nine board members rated the president's performance as excellent, the highest rating available on the evaluation. In a summary of the trustees' comments, board attorney Gerald Holley stated, "The board is extremely proud of and confident in Dr. Prough. He is to be commended for a job well done."

Board members listed several areas of the president's strengths, including: "leadership," "vision," "strength in fundraising from the legislature and for the foundation," and "always having the best interest of the students in his heart."

In the general comments section, one trustee noted, "Dr. Prough genuinely loves the college and its faculty and students, and provides valuable leadership in all areas."

Following the meeting, Prough said, "I appreciate the opportunity to work in an environment where people appreciate you and the educational opportunities that we are providing to the people in our five-county area."

Prough became Chipola's ninth president in October 2002. He served as executive vice president of the college from 1997 to 2002. Prough first came to Chipola as Director of Vocational Education in 1994.

During his time as president and executive vice-president, Dr. Prough has provided leadership that enabled the college to obtain more than \$22 million in building projects and more than \$15 million in federal and state grants.

Under his leadership, the college foundation has grown from \$2 million to more than \$13 million. Endowments and scholarships in the foundation provide some \$600,000 annually in direct aid to students.

During Prough's tenure as president, the college has begun offering bachelor's degrees in Secondary and Middle School Science Education and Secondary and Middle School Mathematics Education.

Prough received the same six percent salary increase awarded to career and administrative employees in August.

Chipola to host meeting on Masonry

Chipola will host a Masonry Summit and Dinner, **Nov. 9**, to explore the possibility of a Masonry Apprenticeship Program.

Chipola is joining with the Florida Masonry Apprentice and Educational Foundation for the 6 p.m. dinner in the Continuing Education Conference Center on Chipola's campus.

According to Workforce Development Dean Bud Riviere, Chipola is responding to a specific need in the construction industry pertaining to the opportunity for training and employment in the masonry industry.

Masonry contractors and subcontractors in the Florida panhandle as well as those from Alabama and Georgia are invited to participate in the meeting and to

commit to sponsoring employees in the apprentice training program.

Members of the Florida Concrete Products Association, the Masonry Association of Florida, representatives of Florida's Great Northwest, the Chipola Regional Workforce Board and the Florida Department of Education will be in attendance.

Chipola College has committed space and resources to help jump start the program. Riviere says, "This apprenticeship training program will afford the student apprentice an outstanding opportunity to obtain gainful employment in an area of great unmet need in this region. Chipola is pleased to collaborate in this effort."

To register for the meeting, call the Workforce Development Office at 718-2270.

I Hate Hamlet, *continued from page 1*

The Paul Rudnick comedy tells the story of a young, successful television actor who relocates to New York, where he rents a gothic apartment. With his career in limbo, the actor is offered the opportunity to play Hamlet onstage, but there's one problem: he hates Hamlet.

To add to his troubles, Andrew's series has been cancelled; and his girlfriend is clinging to her virtue with unyielding conviction.

When Andrew's agent visits him, she reminisces about her brief romance with

John Barrymore many years ago, prompting a séance that summons Barrymore's ghost. The action becomes more hilarious with the entrance of Andrew's deal-making friend from LA, spouting the laid-back hype of the Coast and offering Andrew a fabulous new TV deal worth millions.

The laughs are nonstop as Andrew wrestles with his conscience, Barrymore, his sword, and the fact that he fails as Hamlet in Central Park.

For ticket information, call 850-718-2220.



BETHEL IS EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH—Glenda Bethel accepts the November Career Employee of the month award from Chipola College president Dr. Gene Prough. Bethel has served as a Programmer/Operator in Information Systems department at the college since 2004.

Youngsters invited to join Chipola Little Indians

The Chipola College men's basketball team invites boys and girls ages 6-12 to join the Little Indians Club.

Practices begin Thursday, Nov. 2, at 6 p.m. with additional practices Nov. 16 and 30, Dec. 14, Jan. 4, 18 and 20.

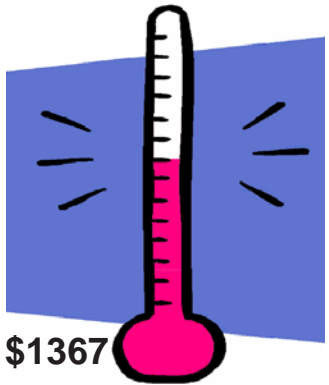
The \$20 membership fee includes: Little Indians t-shirt, instruction from Chipola players and coaches, and the opportunity to perform during Chipola games on Feb. 1, 8 and 10.

For information, call Jake Headrick at (850)718-2378.

FOUNDATION MEETS. Chipola College Foundation Board of Directors will meet on November 7, 2006 at 5:00 p.m. in the Public Service Building board room.

CHECK IT OUT. The Apalachicola River: An American Treasure is available on DVD in the library.

UNITED WAY
OUR GOAL \$3000



UNITED WAY CAMPAIGN. Chipola and FACC invited you to help local families through a gift to United Way. To date we have reached 46% of our goal. For more information, call Lillie Hamil at 718-2375.

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IS REALTY FOR YOU? Kathy Milton, owner of ERA Chipola Realty, will speak about "Being A Realtor" on Wednesday, Nov. 1, at 10 a.m. in M204. Everyone is invited to take this opportunity to hear and ask questions from an experienced and successful realtor.

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PLEASE HELP. October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month and across the country individuals will culminate in a powerful statement celebrating the strength of battered women and their children. This is a great time to show your support for the lives changed due to the efforts of Violence Prevention resources in our area.

The University of West Florida Senior Social Work Students will be collecting diapers, toiletries, phone cards, and gas cards for the House of Ruth Domestic Violence Shelter.

Please drop off donations to Mandy Suggs, Student Services Building, Office 119.

BOOKSTORE HOURS:
Monday - Thursday
7 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Friday
7 a.m. - 1 p.m.

SUCCESS CENTER HOURS:
Monday-Friday
8 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Tuesday & Thursday
5 - 7:30 p.m.

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

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

LIBRARY HOURS:
Monday - Thursday
7:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday
7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Sunday
2-6 p.m.

TECH CENTER HOURS:
Monday - Thursday
8:00 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Friday
8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Sunday
2 - 5:30 p.m.

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A PENNY FOR YOUR...The Chipola Softball Team is sponsoring a Penny-A-Thon. The team hopes to collect donations of one million pennies. Collection cans are set up around campus for individuals to drop off their spare pennies to support the softball team.

UPCOMING EVENTS

OCTOBER

2-9	Visual Art Exhibit — Arts Center
3-7	Milton H. Johnson Classic
4	CAAP Test for Fall Graduates
5	Sunday Afternoon With The Arts
6-9	Early Spring Registration for Currently Enrolled Students
8	Night Student Social
9	Artist Series: The Fabulous Limelitters
10-12	Holiday Inn /Alzheimer's Classic
15	Last Day to Resign from All Classes for Fall Term
15	SGA Blood Drive
21	District Board of Trustees
22-24	Thanksgiving Holidays - College Closed

THIS WEEK
"Chipola This Week" is a weekly publication of the Chipola PR Office. Deadline for the next issue is noon, **Wednesday, Nov. 1.** Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK.
31-Oct Diane Timmons

BE A PART OF IT! If you are not a member of the Chipola Chapter of the Florida Association of Community Colleges and would like to become a member, contact Pat Barfield (2355) or Dianne Green (2254). FACC sponsors social events, community service activities, fundraising activities, as well as being your voice in the Florida legislature.

Sunday Afternoon
with the Arts

You're Invited to the
2nd Annual Sunday Afternoon with the Arts
Sunday, November 5 1 to 5 p.m.
Chipola Arts Center
Free Admission ♦ Light Refreshments ♦ Music Artists Demonstrations
Featuring Over 50 local and regional artists and 150 pieces of 2D & 3D pieces of original artwork.
Join us for a relaxing and entertaining afternoon-perfect for families and people of all ages and interests.
For more information call 850-569-5881.

LOCATOR

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