

Chipola This Week

September 17-23 2007

An Equal Access/Equal Opportunity Institution

— A newsletter for Chipola College students, employees, and friends —

Chipola's Hatcher named Coca-Cola Scholar

Chipola College student Alicia Hatcher has been awarded a scholarship from the Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation. The award—based on outstanding academic and service learning achievements—places her among the top community college students in the nation.

Hatcher was an early-admission student to Chipola and was accepted as a member of the Chipola Honors program. She is president of the Mu Alpha Theta Math Honorary and Public Relations officer in the college's award-winning chapter of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society. She was a leader in Phi Theta Kappa's Project Prom for hurricane Katrina victims at Bay St. Louis High School in Mississippi. She led a team of Chipola students who collected 250 prom gowns and put on a prom for students at the hurricane-ravaged school. Hatcher said, "This project made me value the simple things in my life that I take for granted each day. I will be a lifetime believer in the power of service projects and the power of one person to make a difference in the lives of others."

Hatcher also is a Chipola Student Ambassador and a member of the Student Government Association.

Hatcher was the 2007 Salutatorian at Graceville High and a Class of 2007 Superlative. Her high school honors include: National Honor Roll, Science Fair, Girl's State Representative. She served as an officer in: Beta Club, FFA, Student Council, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Spanish Club, Key Club, Yearbook Staff, and Future Business Leaders of America. She also was a varsity cheerleader and a member of the High School Concert Band. She was crowned Miss Florida Palm in 2007.

During high school, she also competed in Chipola's Brain Bowl, Math Olympics and Literature/Language Festival.

Hatcher is the daughter of Chuck and Patte Hatcher of Greenwood. She is active in the Youth group of the First Baptist Church of Graceville. During the summer, she works as a lifeguard at Blue Springs Recreation Area.



She plans to transfer to Florida State University and then to dental school. She hopes to graduate from either University of Alabama at Birmingham's School of Dentistry or Louisiana State University's School of Dentistry and to specialize in cosmetic dentistry or orthodontics.

The Coca-Cola Scholars program is made possible with funding from the Joseph B. Whitehead Foundation. The late Joseph B. Whitehead was one of the original bottlers of Coca-Cola. 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.

THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

17 MONDAY

- ♦ Health Science Faculty Meeting — 11 a.m.
- ♦ Student Government Association — 2 p.m., A156
- ♦ CEA Meeting — 2:30 p.m., D109
- ♦ Night Student Social — 7 p.m., D Lobby

18 TUESDAY

- ♦ Executive Council — 9 a.m., A 192
- ♦ Student Ambassadors — 1 p.m., A156
- ♦ District Board Of Trustees — 7 p.m., Bldg. Y

19 WEDNESDAY

- ♦ BCM Chapel — 10 a.m., Z116
- ♦ Black Student Union — 10 a.m., C104
- ♦ Caricaturist Steve Gipson — 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., D Lobby
- ♦ Phi Theta Kappa — 2 p.m., Z204
- ♦ Academic Directors — 2:30 p.m., A192

20 THURSDAY

- ♦ Night of Champions — Social Hour 6 p.m., Dinner 7 p.m., Jackson Cty Ag Ctr (Hwy 90)
- ♦ BCM Prayer Time — 6:45 p.m., Dorm Lobby
- ♦ BCM Bible Study — 7:30 p.m., Dorm

21 FRIDAY

- ♦ ACT Registration Deadline

Cast announced for Chipola's "Greater Tuna"

The Chipola College Theater is in full rehearsal for the hit comedy, "Greater Tuna," which opens a four-day run, Nov. 1.

Chipola Theater director Charles Sirmon recently cast local actors in the comedy. Players are Garrett Brolund, Brittney Holmes, Austin Sims, Kevin Russell and Justin McCoy. Supporting Players are Jessie Lawson, Lindsey Baxter, Rowdy Wilbur, Courtney Corbin and Dianna Glaze. Rick Simms and Aaron Moore will serve as stage managers for the show. The crew includes: Lindsey Baxter

and Dianna Glaze, props and costumes; Aaron Summerlin, sound; Arthur Obar, lights.

"Greater Tuna" chronicles the lives of the upstanding citizens of Tuna, Texas, the state's third smallest town. This Off-Broadway hit by Jatson Williams, Joe Sears and Ed Howard unites the entire population of Tuna in quick-change artistry and comic characterizations of small-town values.

For information about Chipola Theater, call 718-2227.

FSU musicians to present recital at Chipola



Chipola College Department of Music will present a recital by Robert Pendergast on baritone horn (euphonium), assisted by Magdalena Shumanova, piano.

The recital is Thursday, Sept. 20, at 2 p.m., in the McLendon Fine Arts Building Recital Hall (H108).

Robert Pendergast holds music performance degrees from the University of North Texas, Florida State University and a post-graduate diploma from the Royal Northern College of Mu-

sic, Manchester, England where he studied with Steven Mead.

Pendergast has been a semifinalist/finalist for the several international competitions and military band auditions. He is currently a doctoral candidate for the degree of Doctor of Music at the Florida State University. Pendergast taught low brass at the Bethune-Cookman College department of music from 2004 to 2006.

Magdalena Shumanova was born in Bulgaria and started her piano studies at age four. At the age of six she entered Secondary School of Music—"Dobrin Petkov" Bulgaria. She graduated with Special Faculty Award for Academic and Performance Excellence in 2002 as well as soloing with the City Philharmonic Orchestra of Plovdiv. She entered Florida State University in 2003 on a music scholarship. She currently is studying with Dr. Carolyn Bridger and seeking a Bachelor's of Music in Piano Performance.

For information about the concert, call 850-718-2301.

Night of Champions set for Sept. 20

Over 300 tickets have been sold for the Chipola College's "Night of Champions" set for Thursday, Sept. 20, featuring Billy Donovan, coach of the Florida Gators national championship basketball team. Proceeds from the \$75 a plate dinner will go to establish a scholarship in honor of retired Chipola coaching legend Milton H. Johnson.

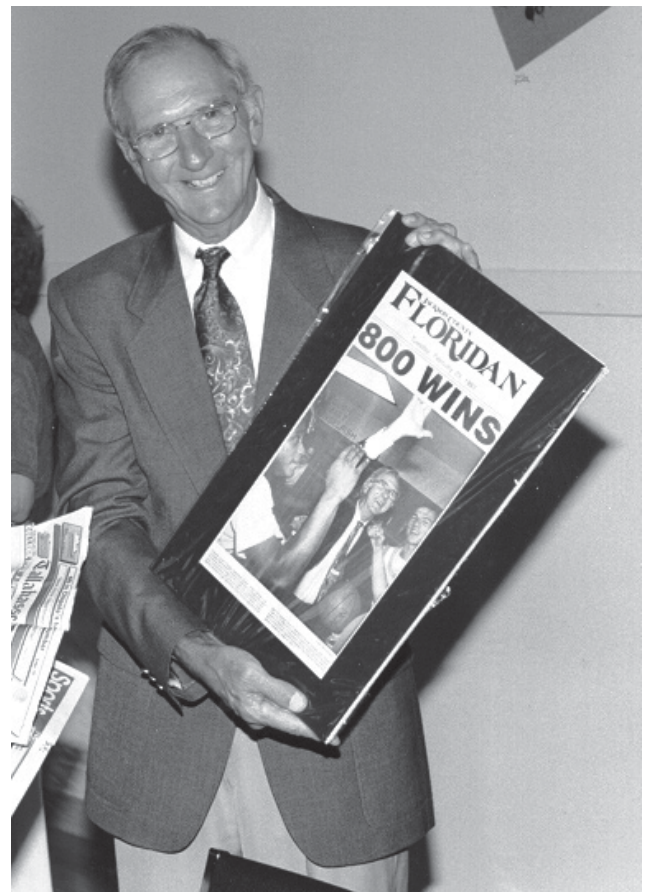
Donovan will be joined by Chipola alumnus and Coastal Carolina coach Cliff Ellis and other alumni and friends who are gathering to honor coach Johnson.

Chipola president Dr. Gene Prough, says, "As we look back at our rich tradition in athletics, no one has contributed more to Chipola's success than coach Milton Johnson. His basketball teams won over 800 games during his 32 years at Chipola. I am proud that we are gathering to honor his legacy."

Chipola's unparalleled success in junior college athletics culminated last year with national championships in both baseball and softball. Men's basketball finished as the national runner-up and the Lady Indians finished fifth in the nation in women's basketball. All four teams captured state titles. "Our little college accomplished something last year that's never been done before," said athletic director Dr. Dale O'Daniel. "This record has never been matched – and we are extremely proud of this accomplishment."

Event organizer Robert Trammell, one of Johnson's former players, said, "A key reason for Chipola's continued success is the commitment of our alumni and friends. Strong support for our athletic programs is vital to maintaining the national-level programs we've put in place here."

For information, call 850-718-2375.



Chipola begins women's cross country program

In the year following Chipola College's finest year in athletics, college officials have added Women's Cross Country to the school's intercollegiate programs.

Chipola aquatics manager Rance Massengill is coach of the new team. Massengill is a Chipola graduate who earned a degree in Health, Leisure and Sports at the University of West Florida. He invites Chipola students to try out for a spot on the team. Scholarships are available.

Chipola's first Cross Country team includes: Nicole Hoff of Marianna; Taylor Guy of Bainbridge, GA; Ellen Manor of Wewahitchka; and Taylor Dover of Jay, FL.

Chipola Cross Country team members bring years of athletic success to the program.

Nichole Hoff, a Chipola sophomore, made it to regionals in cross country her first two years at Marianna High. Her parents are Glenn and Jackie Hoff.

Taylor Guy ran cross country at Bainbridge High where she also was captain of the school's soccer team. She led Bainbridge to the soccer playoffs all four years of her high school career. She is the daughter of Greg and Cheryl Guy.

Taylor Dover was team captain for cross country, track and basketball at Jay High. She placed fourth in the high jump at the state level and placed third in district and first in regional competitions. Her mother is Carla Cook.

Ellen Manor placed second in Regional competition in the 800 meter relay at Wewahitchka High. She also was part of the 4 X 400 Meter relay team that won second at the 2005 regionals. She placed second in regional high jump competition in 2004. She is the daughter of Peggy and Philip Manor.

The Chipola Cross Country team will participate in meets in Atlanta, Pensacola and New Port Richey.

Chipola athletes have played men's basketball and baseball since its inception and the school even fielded a football team for a couple of years. For the last two decades, Chipola has competed in men's and women's basketball, men's baseball and women's fast-pitch softball, with all four of these teams winning state championships this year.

Chipola's unparalleled success in junior college athletics culminated last year with national championships in both baseball and softball. Men's basketball finished as the 2007 national runner-up and the Lady Indians finished fifth in the country in women's basketball.



Team members are pictured from left: (front) Nicole Hoff of Marianna; Taylor Dover of Jay, FL; Taylor Guy of Bainbridge, GA; (back) Rance Massengill, cross country coach and Dr. Dale O'Daniel, Chipola Athletic Director. Not pictured is cross country member Ellen Manor of Wewahitchka.

Speaker to address what college students should know



The Chipola College Academic Center for Excellence (ACE) will present a seminar entitled, "So You Want To Be A Leader? What Every College Student Should Know," Friday, Sept. 21, at 10 a.m. in Jackson Hall.

Dr. Earl Paul of Hillsborough Com-

munity College is the guest speaker for this Academic Success Workshop which will cover leadership, character, goal setting and motivation. Dr. Paul also will discuss soft skills like classroom etiquette, effective and appropriate e-mails and phone calls and other basic skills for the successful college student. Dr. Paul has written a book by the same name as the seminar.

Dr. Paul works in student affairs and is a faculty member at Hillsborough CC in Tampa. Along with his college career, he is a speaker, an author and a radio talk show host.

Dr. Paul earned a Ph.D. in Adult Education at the University of South Florida. He also has a Bachelor's degree in English Education a Master's degree in Student Personnel/Counseling.

For information about the seminar, call Ext. 3247.

REP ON CAMPUS. A Marine recruiter will be available to talk with students in the hallway of the Social Science Building on **Sept. 25** from 9 a.m. to noon.

SUNDAY WITH THE ARTS. The Third Annual Chipola Regional Arts Association's **Sunday Afternoon with the Arts Exhibit** is scheduled for Nov. 1 through 13 at the Chipola Arts Center.

Artists from the five county area are invited to enter this exhibit. The Artists' Reception is **Sunday, Nov. 4** from 1 to 5 pm.

Entry forms are available at www.chipola.edu. Follow the link for CRAA to download entry form and guidelines. Two and three dimensional art will be accepted.

Entry forms must be postmarked by Oct. 6. Each artist may submit up to 3 pieces of original work including original photography. No entry fees are required.

Contact Nancy Zurenda, CRAA Visual Arts Exhibit Committee Chair at nancyz01@embarqmail.com or co-chairs: Michele Tabor Kimbrough and Judy Brooten for more information.

CARICATURIST STEVE GIPSON will be on campus Wednesday, Sept. 19 in the Lobby of Building D from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Everyone is invited to stop by and have your picture drawn. This event is sponsored by SGA and is FREE!

*Nancy Johnson
Student Activities Coordinator*

FINANCIAL AID CHECKS. Expected date for Financial Aid checks (Pell, Bright Futures, etc.) will be **October 8.**

MOD SHOES 4 SALE. Chipola Clubs and Organizations will be selling the March of Dimes Walk America, Saving Babies Together, paper tennis shoes. For a donation of \$1 your name will be placed on the shoe and displayed at CC. Funds raised from this sale will provide public education materials for schools and clinics, or can help researchers find the causes of birth defects.

Nancy Johnson has MOD shoes available for any Chipola organization that wants to participate. The organization that sells the most shoes will be treated to a pizza party by student activities. All money must be turned in by **Sept. 18** to the Student Activities Office, K-104.

FALL FESTIVAL. Fall Festival will be held Wednesday, Oct. 3, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the front lawn of the Health Center. If the weather is bad, activities will be moved inside the Health Center.

Each club needs to have a five member co-ed team ready to participate in the relay and tug-of-war competitions. T-shirts will be given to the winners. Team members need to arrive by 10:15 a.m. Relays begin at 10:30 a.m. Team names should be emailed to johnsonn@chipola.edu by Oct. 1.

The free lunch will include hamburgers, hotdogs and Subway cookies. Door prizes will be given out during lunch. You must be present to win.

Party Hoppers soft inflatable games will at the event. Several universities are expected to have recruiters on hand.

*Nancy Johnson
Student Activities Coordinator*

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. - 7:30 p.m.

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 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Friday 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Sunday 2 - 5:30 p.m.

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

BOOKSTORE HOURS:
Monday - Thursday
7 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Friday 7 a.m. - 1 p.m.

BCM INVITES. Baptist Campus Ministries (BCM) will be sponsoring a Chapel service every Wednesday at 10 a.m. in Jackson Hall (Z-116).

They will hold a Prayer Meeting on Thursdays at 6:45 p.m. in the Dorm Lobby with Bible Study following at 7:30. Everyone is invited.

STUDENT IDS. Student ID's will be made on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 8-11 a.m., and Tuesday afternoon from 1-3:30 in Building A. All students must obtain a 2007-2008 student ID. Replacement ID's are \$10.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- OCTOBER**
- 2 Last Day for Vertical Transfer
 - 3 Fall Festival—Classes Dismissed
 - 5 CAAP Reg Deadline For Nov. Test
 - 6 CLAST Exam
 - 8 Deadline to Apply for Spring Graduation for BS Students
 - 9 Night Students Social
 - 10 FACC Fall Membership Meeting
 - 12 Deadline to Apply for Business Management Program
 - 13 Florida Teachers Certification Exam
 - 15-16 Fall Break - College Closed
 - 21 Fall Ensemble Concert
 - 23 District Board of Trustees
 - 24 Senior Day
 - 24 Deadline to apply for McLendon Educational Trust Scholarship for Spring 2008
 - 24-26 FACC Silent Auction
 - 29-31 SACS Reaffirmation Visit
 - 31 Deadline to Apply For Fall Graduation AA, AS, & AAS
- NOVEMBER**
- 1 SACS Reaffirmation Visit
 - 1-13 Visual Art Exhibit
 - 1-4 Fall Theatre, "Greater Tuna "
 - 2 Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Fall Term
 - 2-3 Milton H. Johnson Classic
 - 3 CAAP Test for Fall Graduates

THIS WEEK

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

Deadline for the next issue is noon, **Thursday, Sept 20.** Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

- 18-Sep Sybil Cloud
- 18-Sep Dianne Green
- 18-Sep Jaden Uken
- 19-Sep Kim Collins
- 19-Sep Jefferson Fowler
- 20-Sep Terri Fowler
- 21-Sep Dennis Kosciw
- 22-Sep Melinda Sherrill
- 23-Sep Kelle Leonard
- 23-Sep Louise Neel

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- Math Annex	O- Workforce Devel / Electronics	Z- Literature/Language
H- McLendon Fine Arts	P- Automotive Tech	BC/SC - Baseball/Softball Complex