

Lecture series slated with River Exhibit at Chipola

Chipola College will host a lecture series in conjunction with the "Apalachicola River: An American Treasure," exhibit now on display in the Chipola College Arts Center.

Lecture series guests will have the opportunity to view the exhibit of large black and white photographs by Clyde Butcher and Richard Bickel, and the documentary film by Elam Stoltzfus. The show also is open to the public, weekdays, 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.; Thursdays, 6 to 9 p.m. and Sundays, 2 to 4 p.m., through Oct. 12.

The series opens with a meeting of the Blue Springs Working Group, Thursday, Sept. 21, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., in the Chipola Arts Center. The public is invited to attend. For information, call Vicki Mathis at 850-718-2289.

Jerry Ziewitz, Biologist with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, will discuss Endangered Species Conservation in the Apalachicola River and Bay, Thursday, Sept. 21, at 6:30 p.m.

Ziewitz has served the USFW Ecological Services division in Panama City since 1994. His work includes recovery and consultation for endangered species of the Florida Panhandle, interstate water issues between Alabama, Florida and Georgia, and coordination with the Corps of Engineers in the Panhandle.

On Thursday, Sept. 28, at 6:30 p.m., Jim Stevenson, Former Chief Biologist for the Florida Park System, will discuss the work of the Florida

Springs Task Force. Stevenson coordinates the Wakulla Springs Basin and the Ichetucknee Springs Basin Working Groups.

On Friday, Sept. 29, at 10 a.m., Edd Sorensen, Certified Cave Diver and dive shop owner on Merritt's Mill Pond, will discuss Blue Springs and underwater caverns.

On Thursday, Oct. 5, at 6:30 p.m., Dan Tonsmeire, Executive Director of Apalachicola Riverkeeper, and Helen M. Light of the U.S. Geological Survey, will discuss their work to protect the river and its tributaries.

On Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 10 a.m., Dr. Steven J. Herrington, Apalachicola River and Bay Project Coordinator with the Nature Conservancy will discuss protection of natural resources in the Panhandle.

On Thursday, Oct. 12, 6:30 p.m., musician Sammy Tedder will perform original music and discuss hand-made instruments.

The Apalachicola exhibit is made possible locally by the Chipola Area Board of REALTORS®, the Marianna Automobile Dealers Association, the Jackson County Tourist Development Council and Friends of the Florida Caverns.

Members of the Chipola Regional Arts Association and the Artists Guild of Northwest Florida are hosting the exhibit.

For information, call 850-718-2301.



THIS WEEK AT CHIPOLA

18 MONDAY

- ◆ Health Science Faculty Meeting — 11 a.m.
- ◆ Student Government Association — 2 p.m., A156
- ◆ CEA Meeting — 2:30 p.m., D109
- ◆ District Board of Trustees — 7 p.m., Bldg. Y
- ◆ Night Student Social — 7 p.m., D Lobby

19 TUESDAY

- ◆ Executive Council — 9 a.m., A 192
- ◆ BCM Lunch — 12 Noon, Cafeteria
- ◆ Student Ambassadors — 1 p.m., A156

20 WEDNESDAY

- ◆ Baptist Collegiate Ministries — 10 a.m., H108
- ◆ Black Student Union — 10 a.m., C104
- ◆ Phi Beta Lambda — 10 a.m., M204
- ◆ Caricaturist Steve Gipson — 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., D
- ◆ FACC Fall Membership Meeting — 2:30 p.m., S

21 THURSDAY

- ◆ BCM Bible Study — 2 p.m., D120
- ◆ Workforce Development Staff Meeting — 2:30 p.m.

22 FRIDAY

- ◆ ACT Registration Deadline

Caricaturist Steve Gipson will be on campus Wednesday, September 20th in the Lobby of Building D from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to stop by and have your picture drawn. This event is sponsored by SGA and is FREE!

Artist Series opens Sept. 26 with Tallahassee Ballet

The Chipola College Artist Series opens **Sept. 26** with **“The Tallahassee Ballet.”**

The troupe will present an evening of classical and contemporary dance works performed to the music of Bach, Schubert and Schumann. The program will draw from works by renowned choreographers Danielle Genest, choreographer and dancer from New York City; FSU Department of Dance Professor Rick McCullough; TTB’s Resident Choreographer Dr. Kathryn Cashin, and Henry Hernandez, TTB’s new Artistic Director. Audiences also will enjoy classical favorites such as variations from *The Nutcracker* and TTB’s new ballet, *Beauty and the Beast*.

Season tickets for the Artist Series are now on sale in the college Business Office located in Building A. Three other events make up the 2006-07 series. **The Fabulous “Limelitters,” will perform Nov. 9.** The Limelitters launched their career in 1959 at San Francisco’s famous Hungry I and emerged as one of the dominant voices of the early 1960’s folk music scene. Their rendition of the jingle “Things Go Better with Coke” became a national hit. In addition there were endless tours with standing room only crowds.

Theatre of Illusion comes to Chipola, **Jan. 29, 2007.** Kevin and Cindy Spencer have dazzled the world with their stage magic and breath-taking illusions. The Spencers take audiences over a threshold of disbelief and are captivated moments after the pair takes the stage. The Spencers create a powerful theatrical experience that audiences will never forget.

The Orlando Opera Company presents “Passion, Power, & Peril,” April 9, 2007. Audiences will experience extraordinary vocal music in this full-featured program, highlighting great classics from Opera, Operetta, and Broadway. Highlighting the over-

all spectacle of Grand Opera, the show features beautiful costumes, sets and props, as well as some of the most endearing operatic and music theater selections ever written.

The Chipola Artist Series is funded through Chipola’s Performing Arts Fund, with grants from the National Endowment for the Arts, the Southern Arts Federation, the Florida Division of Cultural Affairs, the Chipola Regional Arts Association and corporate donors.

Season tickets—\$40 for all four events—entitle holders to same seat reserved seats, invitations to the “Meet The Artist” receptions and subscriptions to the CRAA arts calendar. A limited number of individual event tickets—\$12 for adults and \$8 for ages 18 and under—will be available prior to each performance at the Chipola Business Office.



Chipola to host meeting of Blue Springs Working Group

The public is invited to attend a meeting of the Blue Springs Working Group, Thursday, Sept. 21, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., in the Chipola College Arts Center.

Chipola recently was awarded a grant from the Department of Environmental Protection to coordinate the working group.

Jackson Blue Springs—known locally as Blue Springs—has the second highest nitrate levels of any first magnitude spring in Florida. There also is potential for a change in land use from forestry and agriculture to residential in some areas of the spring basin.

The purpose of the Blue Springs working group is to educate stakeholders about the spring basin and to develop tasks to protect the springs by protecting the surface and groundwater flowing into the springs, and to promote best management practices within the springshed. The project will bring together citizens, landowners, state and federal agencies, non-profit organizations, and municipal governments, including the Nature Conservancy, 1000 Friends of Florida, the Apalachicola Riverkeeper, the Florida Springs Initiative, local County Commissioners, the Jackson County Planning Commission, faculty and students of Chipola’s Natural Science Department, and other interested individuals.

The college will provide scientific expertise, and a library for building and housing a Blue Springs Collection of historical and scientific literature, and other contributions to the project. In addition, Chipola students will be exposed to educational issues involved with Blue Springs. Because Chipola now trains teachers in middle school and high school science education, the effects of this project could be felt in public school systems as these future teachers enter the workforce.

The working group project will be overseen by Dr. Stephen Shimmel, a biology professor at Chipola since 1985. Dr. Shimmel holds a B.S. in Zoology, an M.S. in Botany, and a Ph.D. in Botany from the University of Georgia. He has been retained as a consultant/contractor for the Environmental Protection Agency, the U.S. Air Force, and the U.S. Forestry Service.

Vicki Mathis, Chipola’s Business and Industry Liason, will assist Shimmel in documenting activities, accounting, maintaining the project data base, and submitting quarterly reports. Mathis has extensive experience in grant and project management.

State Cultural Affairs exec to speak at CRAA



Morgan Lewis, Arts Administrator for the Florida Division of Cultural Affairs, is the guest speaker for the Chipola Regional Arts Association Sept. 19 lunch meeting.

Lewis will discuss the programs offered in Florida to enhance the arts. She manages the Division's grant programs for Individual Artists (Fellowships and Artist Enhancement), facilitates workshops, and administers the Local Arts Agency grants and State Service Organization grants. Morgan also serves as the Division's Arts Accessibility Coordinator.

Lewis has been with Cultural Affairs since July of 2004 and previously served as Gallery Director for Florida Craftsmen, Inc., a statewide organization that educates the public about Florida's contemporary craft artists.

The Dutch-treat luncheon will be held at Jim's Buffet in Marianna with lunch available at 11 a.m. followed by the program at noon.

Domestic violence and self defense seminar set

The Chipola College chapter of Phi Theta Kappa will host a Domestic Violence lecture and Self-Defense seminar, Tuesday, Sept. 26, at 2 p.m., in Room 107 of the college Public Service Building.

Robin Baxley, a registered nurse and victims advocate, will present the lecture on Domestic Violence.

Jerry Brown, an instructor with the Florida Department of Corrections, will lead the self-defense seminar in Room 116.

For information about the event, call Pam Rentz at 526-2761, Ext. 3287.

SGA makes plans for Fall Festival

Fall Festival will be held Wednesday, October 4, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., on the lawn in front of the Health Center.

Each Chipola club needs to have a five member team ready to participate in the relay and tug-of-war competitions. T-shirts will be given to the winners. The team members will need to be there by 10:15 a.m., with relays beginning at 10:30 a.m. Team members should sign up in the SGA office by Monday, October 2.

The event will feature free food and drinks for all to enjoy, with a menu of hamburgers, hotdogs and Subway cookies and great door prizes during lunch.

Party Hoppers soft play games will be on hand again this year. Several universities will have recruiters on hand.

CNA course set to begin at Chipola

Chipola College will offer a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) course beginning Oct. 2.

Applications are due in the Chipola Health Science Programs office by Sept. 20.

Classes will be held Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The final week of the course will include clinical experiences for eight hours each day.

The cost is approximately \$500. Students must take the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE) test and submit scores with their application.

For information, call 850-718-2278.

Campus organizations help March of Dimes

Chipola College 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 on campus. 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 College 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 in Bldg. K-104.

Continuing Education courses set at Chipola

Chipola College will offer a variety of short courses in the coming weeks.

Chipola will offer the following Mandatory training for Child Care Facility Personnel and Family Child Care Home: **Rules and Regulations (family)**, Sept. 23, 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.; **Special Needs Appropriate Practices**, Oct. 7, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.; **Pre-School Appropriate Practices**, Oct. 21, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.; **Health, Safety & Nutrition**, Nov. 4, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. **Behavioral Observation & Screening**, Nov. 6 & 8, 6 to 9:00 p.m. Costs range from \$26 to \$43 depending on length of course.

An **Early Care and Education Administrative Overview** course will meet

Tuesdays, Jan. 9 through April 24 from 6 to 9:00 p.m. Cost is \$191. An **Internship** course will meet Thursdays, Jan. 11 through April 26 from 6 to 9:00 p.m. Cost is \$191.

A **Real Estate Sales** course begins Sept. 30 with class meetings on Oct. 1, 14, 15, 28, 29, and Nov. 5. Class times are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost is \$250.

Introduction to Computers with Internet for Seniors will meet Oct. 11 from 9 a.m. to noon. Cost is \$24.

Cake Decorating I begins Feb. 1. **Cake Decorating II** begins March 1. **Advanced Level Cake Decorating III** begins April 5. All classes meet Thursdays, from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Cost of each course is \$41.

Gatlin Education Services (GES) offers, open enrollment, online courses in: health care, internet graphics/web design, business, law and travel. Register online at www.gatlineducation.com/chipola.

Education To Go offers online programs in: computers, photography, languages, writing, entertainment, grant writing, business, sales, accounting, test prep, finance, health, child care, parenting, art, history, psychology, literature, statistics, philosophy, engineering, law and nursing. For dates and course outlines, visit www.ed2go.com/chipola.

For information about any of these non-credit courses, call 850-718-2395.



SPECIAL GUEST. Kim Stone of the United Way will be the special guest at the Chipola Career Service Employees meeting, Tuesday, Sept. 18, at 2:30 p.m. in D-109. All career employees and administrators are invited to attend.



SEEKING EXHIBITS. The 2nd Annual Chipola Regional Arts Association Art Exhibit is seeking 2D and 3D artists to exhibit at the Chipola Arts Center. For information contact Judy Brooten 569-5881 or Nancy Zurenda 526-5977.



WRONG WAY. Chipola students and employees are reminded that tickets will be issued for wrong-way violations and speeding violations on campus. Tickets for wrong way on one-way streets can run as much as \$118. The speed limit on much of the campus is 15 MPH.



REPS ON CAMPUS. Representatives from several of the major colleges at **FSU-Tallahassee** will be on campus on Thursday, **Sept. 14**. Information tables will be located in the hallway of the Social Science Building from 8:30 a.m. until noon. Students planning to attend FSU are urged to take this opportunity to talk to various representatives who will be here that day.

Dr. Michael McKenzie from the **University of Florida-College of Pharmacy** will be on campus on Thursday, **Oct. 5**. He will be meeting with pre-Pharmacy students, interested instructors, and advisors. He will have an information table in the lobby of Building D from 9 a.m. until noon to share information with anyone who wants to learn more about the program.



STUDENT IDS. All students are required to have a Chipola ID in their possession while on the Chipola campus. ID's must be presented for students to have access to the library and computer labs, to receive free or reduced admission to fine arts or athletic events, to pick up checks from the business office, and to take final exams. Student ID's are made only on Tuesdays (8:00 – 11:00 and 1:00 – 3:30) and Wednesdays (8:00 – 11:00) in A-107.



NEW MS DEGREE ON CAMPUS. Troy University offers classes in the field of Counseling and Psychology on the Chipola College campus in Marianna. A Master of Science in Management degree program is proposed for the Chipola location in January of 2007. For information, call (850) 283-4449.



PARKING REMINDER. White and unpainted spots are for students. Green parking spots are for Chipola employees. Red designates fire lanes and blue is for disabled persons.

Parking fines are \$20 and up. Students are required to display parking decals. Failure to pay fines will result in a hold on registration and student records.



BANK PREZ SPEAKS. Harold Donaldson, President First Capital Bank of Marianna, will be the guest speaker for the PBL Meeting on Wednesday, September 20 at 10 a.m. in M204. All students are invited to attend and learn more about banks and banking careers.



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 (Beginning 9/10)
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 (Beginning 9/10)
2-5:30 p.m.



CAN YOU DANCE? Chipola Dance Team tryouts will be held Sept. 26-27 from 4-6 p.m. in the Health Center. Tryout packets are available in Dr. Willie Spires' Office located in Building C. The Chipola Dance Team is sponsored by BSU.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- SEPTEMBER**
26 Artist Series: Tallahassee Ballet
- OCTOBER**
3 Last Day for Vertical Transfer
3 Faculty Meeting
4 Fall Festival - Classes dismissed 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
6 CAAP Registration Deadline
7 CLAST Exam
9 Deadline to Apply for Spring 07 Graduation for BS Students
16-17 Fall Break - College Closed

THIS WEEK

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

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



BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK.

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



WELCOME TO CHIPOLA.

The Chipola family welcomes Jaden Uken, Assistant Coach Men's Basketball.

FACC FALL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
SEPT. 20 2:30 PM
CONTINUING ED BLDG

LOCATOR

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| 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 |