

Chipola awarded professional development grants

Chipola College marked the award of two grants totaling \$80,000 at a celebration on Friday, Sept. 26.

John McNeely, senior educational program director for the Office of Workforce Improvement High Performance Team, presented the checks on behalf of the Florida Department of Education.

A \$30,000 Carl D. Perkins Implementation Plan Grant was awarded to help establish the Regional Professional Development Advisory Council (RPDAC). The newly-formed council will address the professional development needs of Region I's career-technical educators and their colleagues in the related fields of adult education and literacy. The project will implement activities and establish a council of members from educa-



tional, literacy, and community-based organizations from the 15 counties in Region 1. The council will recommend training activities to meet the needs of career/technical educators in the region.

A \$50,000 Adult Education and Family Literacy Act Training Grant will help the (RDAC) provide workshops, seminars and on-line activities for the region. These will be designed to enhance instructional methods, provide additional training resources, and inform members of future funding opportunities. In addition, Chipola will build and maintain both an RPDAC web site and a list serve for the region.

For information about the projects, contact Margie Williams, director of Continuing Education at Chipola College.

Bright Futures Tour to stop at Chipola

The Brighter Futures Express Educational Tour will make a stop at Chipola College, Thursday, Oct. 2, from 1 to 2 p.m.

Florida Senator Ken Pruitt of Port St. Lucie is leading the awareness tour which is scheduled to visit all 28 community colleges and 11 universities in the state before Thanksgiving.

Pruitt says, "This tour is to engage each community in a discussion on the value of preserving our state's commitment to provide every Florida child the opportunity for an affordable college education."

Funding for the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship program has been threatened in recent years by state budget shortfalls. Bright Futures is a non-need based scholarship program that includes the Florida Academic Scholar, Florida Medallion Scholar and Gold Seal Vocational awards.

Fall Festival slated for Wednesday

Chipola College's annual **Fall Festival** will be Wednesday, Oct. 1, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on the lawn in front of the Health Center. If it is raining, it will be inside the Health Center. Students will be excused from classes to participate in this fun event!

SGA has some great activities lined up including soft play and blow up games. There will also be music, door prizes, and hotdogs and hamburgers for everyone. There should be several universities attending that day to display recruiting tables for people that are interested.

Don't forget about the match up between campus clubs. There will be relay and tug of war competitions to see which club rules the campus. Everything is FREE, so come join the fun!

Questions, call 718-2308 or come by the Student Activities Office, K-104.

this week at Chipola

29 MONDAY

- ◆ Student Government — 2 p.m., Z112

30 TUESDAY

- ◆ Student Ambassadors — 1 p.m., Z112
- ◆ FSU-PC Seminar — 5 p.m., D109
- ◆ PTK Satellite Seminar, "America's Health Care System" — 6:30 p.m., S

OCTOBER

1 WEDNESDAY

- ◆ FALL FESTIVAL - Classes dismissed 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Health Center
- ◆ PTK Health & Wellness Day — 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., Health Center

2 THURSDAY

- ◆ Bright Futures Express Tour — 1-2 p.m.

4 SATURDAY

- ◆ CLAST Test

Chipola's Ballyhoo in full rehearsal

The Chipola College Theater is in full rehearsal for the hit comedy, "The Last Night of Ballyhoo," which opens a four-day run, Oct. 23.

The comedy is set in 1939 as the world is on the brink of war, but in Atlanta, residents are lining up for a glimpse of Clark Gable at the premiere of "Gone with the Wind." Meanwhile, the elite of Atlanta's Jewish society are throwing a party of their own. Forget Clark Gable. Boo Levy is looking for an eligible boy to take her daughter Lala to the Ballyhoo dance, the social event of the season. Poor Lala has to compete with her gorgeous cousin Sunny.

With luck, they'll both find romance. And maybe their brawling families will shed a little of their pride-and lots of their prejudice-in this Tony Award-winning comedy by Alfred Uhry, the author of "Driving Miss Daisy."

Four year programs offered at Chipola

The University Center at Chipola College offers many opportunities for students to pursue bachelor's and advanced degrees on the Chipola campus.

Chipola was recently approved by SACS and authorized by the Florida Department of Education to offer its own **Bachelor of Science Degree in Secondary Education with majors in Mathematics and Science**. Classes begin in January of 2004. Graduates of this program will be certified to teach math or science in middle or high school. Students who are close to earning an AA degree, and have a strong background in math or science, should schedule an advising appointment for Fall '03 courses to ensure the best track for program entry. Call **718-2276**.

Chipola's University Center also offers various degree programs in collaboration with four area universities. Classes are taught on Chipola's campus at convenient dates and times. Registration for university

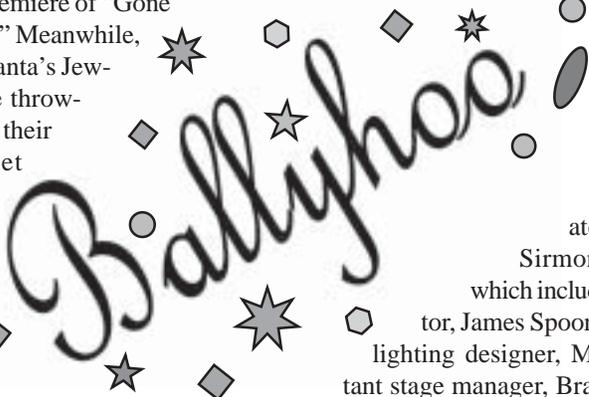
Players in the Chipola cast are: Lee Shook of Marianna as Uncle Adolph, Sylvia Stanton of Atlanta as Boo Levy, Erin Davis of Chipley as Lala Levy, Anne Gilmartin of Orlando as Reba Freitag, Johnathan Dowling of Eufala, AL, as Peachy Weil,

Melody Ruano of Orlando as Sunny Freitag and Tony Horton of Grand Ridge as Joe Farkas.

Chipola Theater director Charles Sirmons leads the crew which includes: technical director, James Spooner; stage manager/lighting designer, Misty Talton; assistant stage manager, Brandon Gardner; assistant technical director/crew head, Paul Carnes; and props head/crew member, Kimberly Hobgood.

The play opens Oct. 23, with a special Opening Night Dinner to benefit the Anna K. Williams Memorial Scholarship Fund.

For information about Chipola Theater, phone 718-2227.



Chipola Cheerleader clinic set

The Chipola College Cheerleaders will host a Cheerleader Day Clinic for ages 5-12, Saturday, Nov. 1, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., in the Milton H. Johnson Health Center.

Cheerleaders will learn the latest cheers, chants and stunts. A Showoff for parents is scheduled for 2 p.m.

The registration fee of \$40 includes a T-shirt, lunch and insurance.

For information, call Geraldine DeFelix, Chipola Cheer Coach, at (850) 718-2322.

PTK to host satellite seminar

The Chipola chapter of Phi Theta Kappa will hold the first in a series of Satellite Seminars on Tuesday, Sept. 30 at 6:30 p.m. in the Continuing Education Conference Center.

"America's Health Care System: How Good Is It and Does It Need to Change?" is the title of the Sept. 30 seminar. Dr. Arnold S. Relman will lead the discussion.

In lieu of admission, PTK members invite guests to bring donations for local pregnancy crisis centers. PTK also will hold a voter registration drive and a health care reform letter campaign in conjunction with the seminar. The group also will be selling yellow ribbons to raise money for the American Cancer Society as September is Childhood Cancer Awareness month.

For information, call Jody Spooner at 526, 2761, Ext. 3279.

Student social workers developing resource list

Student social workers from the University of West Florida @ Chipola College are developing a directory of social workers in the area.

Social workers who would like to be included in the listing and receive a copy of the finalized document, should email Sherri Stone at sstone@uwf.edu. Emails should include name, credentials, areas of specialization, current employment, availability for supervision for licensure, contact information, membership in professional organizations, and other relevant information.

For information call Stone at 526-2761, Ext. 3356.

programs is ongoing through the end of August.

The **University of Florida's** College of Agriculture may offer courses at Chipola leading to a Bachelor of Science Degree in **Animal Science**. Interested students may call 718-2276.

Florida State University programs and contacts at Chipola are: BS, Nursing, 718-2419; MS, Social Work, 718-2419.

University of West Florida programs and contacts at Chipola are: BA, Criminal Justice, 526-2761, ext. 3285; BA, Special/Elementary Ed., 718-2361; BA, Social Work, 526-2761, ext. 3356; MS, EdS and EdD in Educational Leadership and Curriculum and Instruction, 850-863-0730.

Troy State University programs and contacts at Chipola are: MS, Counseling and Psychology, 850-283-4449.

For information about University Center programs at Chipola, call 850-718-2276 or visit www.chipola.edu

Continuing Education offers motivational workshops

The Chipola College Continuing Education Department is offering four new motivational workshops. In most businesses employees are the lifeblood of their success. These workshops can be used by employers to express their appreciation for a job well done and increase their employee capacity at the same time. Groups may register for the following workshops, or on-site seminars may be scheduled at the company's convenience.

Who Moved My Cheese?

An Amazing Way to Deal with Change in Your Work and in Your Life

Based on the number one national best selling book *Who Moved My Cheese?* by Dr. Spencer Johnson. *Who Moved My Cheese?* is a simple parable that reveals profound truths. This amusing and enlightening program focuses on four characters that live in a "Maze" and look for "Cheese" to nourish them and make them happy.

When you come to see "the handwriting on the wall," you can discover for yourself how to deal with change so you can enjoy less stress and more success.

This workshop will be offered Oct. 9 from 9 a.m. - 12 noon at a cost of \$49.

The FISH Philosophy

Imagine a workplace where everyone chooses to bring energy, passion, and a positive attitude with them each day—an environment in which people are truly connected to their work, to their colleagues, and is a tool to help you lead people toward creating that environment.

The remarkable wisdom of a Seattle fish market is inspiring organizations world wide to create fulfilled employees and delighted customers.

A date has not yet been set for our next offering of this workshop.

Eat That Frog! - Stop Procrastinating and Get More Done in Less Time

This program was written based on Brian Tracey's new book. *Eat That Frog*. Brian uses the analogy that if the first thing you had to do everyday was to eat a frog, the rest of your day could not get any worse. This simple but powerful strategy teaches you to think of the one thing each day that would have the greatest impact on your productivity and do that thing first. This program will review strategies for eating frogs and 21 other tips that help you to stop procrastinating and get more done in less time.

This workshop will be offered Dec. 14 from 9 a.m. - 12 noon at a cost of \$49.

Whale Done:

The Power of Positive Relationships

This program was written based on the new book by Ken Blanchard. In *Whale Done!* Ken Blanchard shows how to make accentuating the positive and redirecting the negative are the best tools to increase productivity and improve organizational performance. These techniques are remarkably easy to master and can be applied equally well in your personal life.

This workshop will be offered Nov. 16 from 9 a.m. - 12 noon at a cost of \$49.

Olde time sepia-tone children's portraits available

The Chipola Chapter of the Florida Association of Community Colleges (FACC) is selling certificates for Olde Time Sepia-tone Children's Portraits for only \$9.95. The certificate includes an 8x10 print complete with a multi-level mat and distinctive wood frame (\$80 value). All proceeds of this sale will go toward the FACC Scholarship Endowment Fund.

This offer is available to faculty, staff, students, family, and friends with children 3 months to 10 years of age. General Photographic Resources will provide the clothing for all children (lacy dresses, overalls, knickers, etc.) If a family has a child be-

tween these ages and an older child, the older child may sit in the portrait; however, the participant will have to provide their own clothing.

Pictures will be taken in the Continuing Education Building on October 24 & 25, 2003. Participants will be able to pick their portraits up on November 7 & 8 in time for Christmas.

For certificates or for more information, contact one of the following: Kim Collins (718-2311), Dana Johnson (718-2261), Tammy Neal (718-2494), Alice Pendergrass (718-2370), or Lou Kind (718-2295).

Short Course Offerings

CPR Oct. 7 & 9	5 - 9 p.m.	\$42
Home Health Aide Oct. 14-17	8 a.m. - 2 p.m.	\$122
IV Therapy Oct. 20		\$121
First Aid Oct. 21 & 23	5 - 9:30 p.m.	\$41
20 Hour Childcare Training Oct. 11 & 18	7 a.m. - 5 p.m.	\$76
10 Hour Special Needs (Mainstreaming) Oct. 25	7 a.m. - 5 p.m.	\$38
10 Hour Developmentally Appropriate Practices (3-5 year olds) Nov. 12 & 14	5:30 - 10:30 p.m.	\$38
10 Hour Behavior Observation Course Dec. 6	7 a.m. - 5 p.m.	\$38
Word I Oct. 7 Oct. 14 & 16	8 a.m. - 4 p.m. 5:30 - 9 p.m.	\$53 \$53
Creating Web Pages with Dreamweaver MX Part I. Oct 10 and Oct. 11 Part. II. Oct. 17 and Oct. 18 Part III. Oct. 24 and Oct. 25	6 - 9 p.m. 9 a.m. - noon 6 - 9 p.m. 9 a.m. - noon 6 - 9 p.m. 9 a.m. - noon	\$37 \$37 \$37 \$37
Internet for Seniors Oct. 14	9 a.m. - noon	\$24

Motivational workshops

are scheduled on the following dates:

The FISH Philosophy, Sept. 22;

Who Moved My Cheese?, Oct. 9;

Whale Done: The Power of Positive Relationships, Nov. 16; and

Eat That Frog!, Dec. 14.

All workshops meet from 9 a.m. to noon.

Cost for each course is \$49.

EducationToGo offers online programs in a number of areas, including: Internet, Computers, Certification Prep, Writing, Personal Enrichment, Test Prep, Business, Legal, Nursing, Large Business/Management, and Design and Media Certification Programs. Visit www.ed2go.com/chipola. Online courses on a variety of subjects also are available at www.elementk.com.

For information about any of these non-credit courses, call the Office of Continuing Education at 718-2395.

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SCHOLARSHIPS. Applications for FSU-Panama City Foundation Scholarships are now available in Student Services for students who will attend FSU-PC beginning in the Spring Semester of 2004. Deadline for application for the Spring is Nov. 1. Applicants will be required to complete and submit the 2003-2004 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).



HELP WANTED. Any Chipola student interested in being a manager for the Men's Basketball Team, should contact Greg Heiar at 718-2364 or via email: heiar@chipola.edu



MOD RESULTS. The results of the "March of Dimes Shoes Fundraiser" are: Student Ambassadors (\$266), Phi Beta Lambda (\$184.25), Student Government (\$135), Freshmen Student Nurses (\$20), Cheerleaders (\$18), Sophomore Student Nurses (\$18), Players Club (\$15), and the Science Club (\$12). The total amount sold by all clubs was \$668.25, the most ever sold by Chipola.



SMILE FOR THE JUDGES. The Miss Emerald Coast USA beauty pageant, a preliminary to the Miss Florida USA, Miss USA, and Miss Universe pageants is seeking interested applicants. Interested female students who are between 18-26 years of age and live in any of the following northwest Florida counties are eligible: Escambia, Santa Rosa, Okaloosa, Walton, Holmes, Washington, Jackson, Calhoun, Liberty, Gulf, and Franklin. Visit the pageant website at MissEmeraldCoastUSA.com for more information.



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 Services will issue parking tickets. Parking fines are \$5 and up, if paid within 24 hours. Students are required to display parking decals. Failure to pay fines will result in a hold on registration and student records.



TESTING CENTER HOURS:

Monday-Thursday
8 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Tuesday and Thursday
6 - 9 p.m.

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

The Success Center has compiled a TABE study guide that can be picked up in the Success Center, the Registrar's Office and the Workforce Development Office.



TECH CENTER HOURS:

Monday-Thursday
8 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Sunday
2 p.m. - 6 p.m.



FSU-PC SEMINAR. Kathy Davis from Florida State University, Panama City Campus, will be at Chipola, Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 5 p.m. in Room D 109. Davis will conduct a seminar for students planning to transfer to the College of Education at FSU and will provide information concerning deadlines and pre-requisites. All students interested in transferring to the College of Education at FSU, Panama City Campus, are invited to attend.



LOST & FOUND.

Lost: Nextel cell phone, a blank check for \$100, set of keys, yellow notebook, Patterns of College Writing, man's wallet

Found: Earring, Simon's Saga for the SAT*I Verbal, sunglasses

Lost and Found is located in Student Services (Bldg. G).



PHOTO EXHIBIT. "Through My Eyes: An Exhibition of Photographs by James McLaughlin," will be on display through Oct. 10 in the Chipola College Arts Center from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.



GET HEALTHY. PTK is hosting two Health and Wellness Days in October in conjunction with SGA's Fall Festival and Senior Day. The first will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 1, from 10 a.m.-2 p.m., and Wednesday, Oct. 15 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. in the Health Center. Several organizations will be involved, including the American Cancer Society, Area Health Departments, the Chipola Nursing Program, and the American Heart Association. Planned activities include: HIV/STD Testing, Blood Pressure Testing, distribution of Heart Disease Information, Organ Donation Pamphlets, Great American Smokeout "Quit Kits", and WINGS program information. The American Cancer Society will be selling pink ribbons for Breast Cancer Awareness.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- OCTOBER**
15 Senior Day
21 District Board of Trustees Meeting
23-26 Fall Theatre production, "The Last Night of Ballyhoo"
29-31 FACC State Convention
- NOVEMBER**
5-7 FACC Silent Auction
5 SGA Blood Drive
6 Artist Series: "Red, Hot...and Blue"
6-8 Milton H. Johnson Classic
10-13 Early Spring/Summer Registration For Currently Enrolled Students
18 Last Day To Resign From Classes
19-20 Career Fair
20-22 Chipola Classic
26-28 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, **Thursday, October 2.** Articles will be printed as space permits. E-mail Evelyn Ward at warde@chipola.edu.



BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK.

- 9/30 Brenda Alford
10/1 Joan Lasseter
10/4 Edna Long



INDIAN SUMMER PICNIC. Please join FSU for an Indian Summer Picnic hosted by FSU on Chipola's Campus. The event will be held Oct. 8 from 10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. behind Building A. There will be hamburgers, hotdogs, prizes and music.

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