

**AUGUST 10-16
1998**



CHIPOLA THIS WEEK

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One who lacks
courage to start
has already finished.

Board approves two-year contract for president

The Chipola Junior College District Board of Trustees approved a two-year contract for college president Dr. Dale O'Daniel during a special called board meeting on Aug. 3.

Board chair Josephine Robinson called the single-item meeting to reconsider an action of the July 21 board meeting that left the president with only one year remaining on his contract. O'Daniel became CJC president in May of 1995, and in 1996, trustees approved a two-year renewable contract. Prior to the July 21 meeting, O'Daniel met with a subcommittee of three trustees and requested a two-year contract. And while he did not formally request any percentage increase in salary, he did indicate that he would appreciate the subcommittee's consideration for a raise. The subcommittee recommended—and the board approved at the July 21 meeting—only a one-year contract and no salary increase.

O'Daniel said, "There has been a great deal of public discussion and personal concern about my contract since July 21. In retrospect, I should have asked for clarification of the action during the meeting. In one-on-one discussions, I found

that a majority of the trustees also were unclear as to length of the contract."

Following the Aug. 3 meeting O'Daniel said, "I very much appreciate the board's willingness to meet again to resolve this issue. I consider it a privilege to serve as president of Chipola Junior College and I will continue to do my very best for the students of this great institution."

In June, eight board members gave O'Daniel the highest possible overall rating of "excellent" on an annual evaluation that measured his effectiveness in five areas. One member rated the president as "good." No areas of needed improvement were noted on the evaluation.

During O'Daniel's tenure the college has undergone a \$1 million dollar technology upgrade which has placed some 200 networked and Internet-ready computers on the desks of students and employees. O'Daniel also has led the college in building a new science laboratory, and in breaking ground for construction of a new Public Service Building, a new English Building, and several major renovation projects.

CALENDAR

AUGUST 10 - 16, 1998

10 MONDAY

- ❖ Search Committee for Public Service Registration Specialist—2 p.m., A112
- ❖ CPR Course—5 p.m., S1010

11 TUESDAY

- ❖ Recruiter: FSU School of Nursing—9:30 a.m., G410

12 WEDNESDAY

- ❖ CPR Course begins—5 p.m., S1010

14 FRIDAY

- ❖ One Stop Center Wages Training—9 a.m., K
- ❖ Extended Deadline for Submission for Career Employees Commission Essay Writing Contest—FCCJ

UPCOMING EVENTS

- August 17 Faculty returns for Fall 98
College returns to regular work week
Residence Hall Opens
- August 19 Returning Student Fall Registration
- August 20-21 New & Returning Student Fall Registration
- August 24 Fall Classes Begin
- August 24-28 Late registration/drop/add
- Sept. 7 Labor Day Holiday—College closed



**Happy Birthday
Chipola Family**

AUGUST

- 11 - Joyce Traynom
- 12 - Laurel Pelt
- 13 - Dorothy Bell
- 13 - Dana Chason
- 14 - Donald Adams
- 14 - John Watson
- 16 - Cecil Crawford

LOCATOR

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| A- Administration | F- Residence Hall | K- Conf. Ctr; Cafe, Bookstore | P- Automotive Tech |
| B- Library | G- Student Services | L- Business | R- Johnson Health Center |
| C- Social Science | H- McLendon Fine Arts | M- English | S- Public Service, Cont. Ed |
| D- Fink Natural Science | I- Arts Center | N- Workforce Devel Labs | T- Pool |
| E- Physical Plant Office | J- Theater | O- Success Center, Electronics | U- Foundation House |