Baseball and softball teams begin conference play

Chipola Baseball and Softball teams throw out the first pitch of the Panhandle Conference season on Tuesday, March 14. The CJC Baseball team hosts Pensacola in a single game, March 14 at 5 p.m. The Lady Indians Softball squad opens its season on the road with a double-header at Tallahassee at 3 p.m.

As of March 9, the Indians are 14-11 on the season. Several CJC baseball players are currently listed among the best in the state. Michael Brown is fourth in the state in home runs with 6, and is fifth on the RBI list with 25. Brown is also 11th on the state doubles list with seven. Drew Miller is 19th in doubles with six. Jonathon Swearingen is 12th in runs scored with 23 and 28th in batting with a .387 average.

In pitching, Chipola’s Justin Lord is third in the state in total strikeouts with 40 in 30 innings pitched, and eighth on the ERA list with a 1.49 mark. David Wolensky is eighth in strikeouts with 35 in 24 innings.

Winning pitcher Blake Taylor improved to 4-1. He threw seven innings, with nine strikeouts, and allowed two runs. Nathan Marks pitched one inning and gave up no runs. Caleb Crosby came in the ninth to strike out two batters.

The Lady Indians Softball team is off to a great start with an 18-4 record as of March 9. Chipola swept Iowa Central in a pair of games on March 8. CJC won the first game, 1-0. Tennile Ricci led the Lady Indians with one hit and one RBI. Tanya Teague was the winning pitcher.

In game two, CJC won 9-2. Kim St. Pierre led the hitting attack with two doubles and two RBIs. Winning pitcher was Kanela Piggee. Teague earned the save.

For the latest scores, call 718-2CJC, or visit the CJC website at www.chipola.cc.fl.us
Lady Indians upset top-ranked Daytona in State Tourney

The Chipola Lady Indians defeated top-ranked Daytona Beach 63-61 in the first round of the State Junior College Basketball Tournament on March 2 at Chipola.

The Lady Indians advanced to the semi-final round on Friday, but lost to Tallahassee 80-53. Chipola’s appearance in the state tournament marked the first time the Lady Indians’ first berth since 1990. Chipola finished the season with a 21-12 record.

Two Chipola players—Tina Stapleton and Sheherah Clark of Graceville—were named to the All Tournament Team.

The Gulf Coast Lady Commodores went on to win the tournament for a third straight year with a 59-43 win over Tallahassee in the finals.

In the men’s tournament Brevard defeated Okaloosa Walton, 66-62 to capture the men’s championship.

For complete tournament results, call 718-2CJC, or visit the CJC website at www.chipola.cc.fl.us

Kid’s College begins June 5

Dates for the Fourth Annual Kids’ College program at Chipola have been set. Session I will be June 5 to June 15, and Session II, June 19 to June 29.

Both sessions will have morning camps from 9 a.m. to Noon and afternoon camps from 1-4 p.m. Some of the activities are Swim Camp, Sports Camp, Tech Trek Camp, Performing Arts Camp, Grandmother’s Attic Camp, Arts/Crafts Camp, Around the World Camp, and others to be announced.

Chipola University Center conducting survey

The University Center (UC) at Chipola Junior College is working with the Florida State University, Florida A & M University, the University of West Florida, and other universities, to bring bachelor’s and advanced degree programs to the CJC campus.

The goal of the UC is to make it possible for students to obtain degrees without commuting or moving to a university.

The UC is currently conducting a Needs Assessment to determine which degrees are most needed and desired by area residents. UC director Dr. Kitty Myers says, “A large number of surveys have been distributed to individuals in Chipola’s district, but we want to hear from anyone who has an interest in pursuing an upper-level degree at Chipola.”

Interested persons should call Dr. Myers at (850) 718-2260, or pick up a survey at the CJC Administration Building.

Scholarship information available in Financial Aid office

Information for the following scholarships are available in the Financial Aid Office in A132.


The 2000-01 Children of Deceased and Disabled Veterans, or Children of Servicemen Classified As Prisoners Of War or Missing In Action. The Florida Department of Education website at www.firn.edu/doe. Postmarked no later than April 1, 2000.

Langston Hughes to visit Chipola

Writer and cultural critic James Langston Hughes (1902-1967) will be brought to life in a presentation at the Chipola Junior College Theatre on Monday, March 27, at 11 a.m.

Hughes engaged the American public in an on-going conversation about race and democracy for almost half a century, often using humor to make his point. Known as “the people’s poet,” Hughes was part of the Harlem Renaissance. In the days of Jim Crow, he made plain the absurdity of a system that preached democracy while denying fundamental rights to minorities.

Hughes is portrayed by anthropologist Charles Everett Pace, a 20-year veteran of the Great Plains Chautauqua. Audience members will also have the opportunity to talk with the scholar when he steps out of character to discuss his ideas on this important historical figure.

The performance is part of the National Chautauqua Tour, American Humorist Series. Chautauqua (shuh-taw-kwa) began in 1874 on the banks of Lake Chautauqua in upstate New York and has developed into a thoughtful, educational, entertaining event.

The Florida tour was organized by the Florida Humanities Council and comes to Chipola through the generosity of several groups. Through a grant from Chipola’s Staff and Program Development Committee, the performances is free and open to the public.

Chipola’s Chautauqua also will feature James Thurber, April 17.

For information about the program, call Joan Stadsklev at (850) 718-2301.

Law Enforcement Crossover program set

Correctional officers interested in training for employment as law enforcement officers are eligible to enroll in an evening Law Enforcement Cross-over course.

The course will meet weeknights beginning April 11. Candidates should apply immediately to complete the application process.

For information, contact Paul Dudley at (850) 718-2479, or Byron Quivey at 718-2286.

Continuing Education offers variety

The Office of Continuing Education will offer a variety of short courses during March and April.

Four computer short courses are scheduled: Introduction to Excel, March 13 and 14 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.; Introduction to Excel II, March 27 and 28, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.; Internet, April 10 and 11, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.; Introduction to Windows 95, April 24 and 25, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Cost for each computer course is $45.

A First Aid course will meet March 14 and 16 from 5 to 9:30 p.m. Cost is $40.

A Real Estate course will meet Saturdays, April 1 through 16, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Sundays, from Noon to 4 p.m. A second course will meet Monday through Thursday, from 4 to 8:30 p.m., May 1 through 11. Cost for either session is $115.

A CPR course will meet April 11 and 13 from 5 to 9 p.m. Cost is $34.

A 10-Hour Chilcare Training course will meet Friday, April 14, from 6 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, April 15, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost is $31.

A 40-Hour Insurance Pre-Licensing Home Study course is available. Cost is $295.

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

Unarmed security guard course set at CJC

Persons interested in training for employment as unarmed security guards, should contact Chipola immediately.

Chipola will offer the 40-hour Unarmed Security Guard course weeknights from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m., April 3-14. Class size is limited and pre-registration is required.

Instructor for the course is Robert Hinson. Cost is $83.

For information, contact the CJC Criminal Justice Training Center at (850) 718-2394.

TECH CENTER/LIBRARY

HOURS

Tech Center hours are
Monday - Thursday
8 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Friday
8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Sunday
2 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Library hours are
Monday-Thursday
7:30 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
Friday
7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
Sunday
2:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

JOB LISTING

The following position is available:
Residence Hall Manager
App Deadline: Open Until Filled (Must reside in the Residence Hall)
For information, call the Human Resources Job Line at ext. 2351.

STUDENT SERVICES

The FSU College of Business has raised the admissions GPA to 2.6 for fall term. Any student planning to transfer beginning in the fall term 2000 and who does not have this GPA will be denied admission to the University.

Applications are available for the Minority Community College Transfer Scholarship to Florida Atlantic University.

Students interested in academic transfer scholarships to the University of Florida should check the following website for the application form: http://www.aa.ufl.edu/aa/ccrel

Applications for the UWF Electrical and Computer Engineering Department are available in Student Services. Deadline to apply is March 24.
Things I’ve learned....

All that is necessary is to accept the impossible, do without the indispensable, and bear the intolerable.