

**NOV. 1-7  
1999**



# CHIPOLA THIS WEEK

**AHHA**

*A Sure Sign You've Had  
Too Much of the 90's:*

**You spend half of the  
plane trip with your  
laptop on your lap...  
and your child  
in the overhead  
compartment.**

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## Chipola's Odd Couple opens Thursday

The Chipola production of Neil Simon's "The Odd Couple," opens a four-day run Nov. 4 through 7, with evening performances at 7:30 p.m., Thursday through Saturday, and a Sunday matinee at 2 p.m.

This hit Broadway play was the basis for the hilarious TV comedy series that starred Jack Klugman as the slob Oscar and Tony Randall as the neat-freak Felix.

"The Odd Couple" is theater coordinator Charles Sirmon's directorial debut at Chipola. Sirmon, who led the Dothan High School drama department for nine years, says he has big plans for expanding Chipola's theater program. He already is making preparations for the upcoming large cast musical "Me and My Girl," which will play in the Spring of 2000.

Sirmon selected a talented student cast for the Odd Couple performance with Jaromy Henry of Donalsonville, GA, as Felix, and Matt Lero of Dothan, AL, as Oscar. The poker players are Terry Whitaker of Iron City, GA; Rusty Miller of Ponce de Leon; Chris Bishop of Cottontale; and Josh Smith of Dothan, AL. The Pigeon sisters are Casi Parmer of Sneads and Jessica Dean of Marianna. Production staff for the performance includes: Natalie Johnson, Jacob Baxter, Lee Mack, Lauren Dowd, Matt Rogers, Amy Burgess, Pam Williams, Rachel Webb, Jennifer Burgess and Josh Smith.

Tickets—\$7 for adults and \$5 for 18 and under—are available at the CJC bookstore. CJC students employees get one free ticket.

For information, or to charge tickets by phone, contact the Book Store at 718-2258.

## CALENDAR

### NOVEMBER 1-7, 1999

#### 1 MONDAY

- ❖ Tickets to "Madrigal Dinner" Go On Sale—8 a.m.-3:30 p.m., H
- ❖ Early Spring Registration for currently enrolled honors students—8 a.m.-3 p.m.
- ❖ Architectural Selection Comm—2 p.m., A112
- ❖ Access II Course Begins—6 p.m., S1008

#### 2 TUESDAY

- ❖ Senior Staff—8:30 a.m., A112
- ❖ TIAA—2:30 p.m., A112
- ❖ TABE Test—6 p.m., O
- ❖ Stained Glass I Course Begins—6 p.m.,
- ❖ Fellowship of Christian Athletes—7 p.m., K

#### 3 WEDNESDAY

- ❖ SGA Blood Drive—8 a.m., I
- ❖ Ron Ward's Staff—8 a.m., A112
- ❖ "Starting Your Own Business"—10 a.m., D300
- ❖ Charlton Keen's Staff—1:30 p.m., A112
- ❖ 10-Hour Childcare Training (Mainstreaming)

Course Begins—6 p.m., S

- ❖ CJC Presentation: "The Odd Couple"—7:30 p.m., J

#### 4 THURSDAY

- ❖ TABE Test—6 p.m., O
- ❖ Cake II Course Begins—6:30 p.m., P494
- ❖ Christmas Course Begins—6:30 p.m., P494
- ❖ "The Odd Couple"—7:30 p.m., J

#### 5 FRIDAY

- ❖ Wellness Clinic—8-10 a.m., A112
- ❖ 20-Hour Childcare Training Course Begins—6 p.m., S1003
- ❖ "The Odd Couple"—7:30 p.m., H

#### 6 SATURDAY

- ❖ Little Indian Dribblers Camp Begins—R
- ❖ "The Odd Couple"—7:30 p.m., H

#### 7 SUNDAY

- ❖ "The Odd Couple"—2 p.m., H

LOCATOR

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

**ON DISPLAY NOW**

Original works by Chipola students in Drawing I and II and Two-dimensional Design will be on display in the gallery of the McLendon Fine Arts Building throughout the semester. The exhibit is on-going and ever-changing.

The exhibit may be viewed weekdays, from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., and Thursday evenings from 5:15 to 7:15.

For information, call Stadskev at 718-2301.

**TESTING INFO ON LINE**

The CJC Testing Office now has a web link on CJC's web page.

Registration forms for all tests administered by the Testing Office can now be downloaded and mailed in to our office along with test fees.

*Jayne Roberts, Testing*

**DON'T FORGET!**

Reminder to  
CJC Employees

You may pick up your complimentary ticket at the CJC Bookstore for:

**NEIL SIMON'S  
THE ODD COUPLE**

Nov. 4, 5, 6 at 7:30 p.m.

Nov. 7 at 2:00 p.m.

*Charles Sirmon,  
Theatre Director*

**YUM! YUM!**

Once again, the Marianna Optimist Club is raising funds for the CJC Scholarship Fund. The fifth Annual fund-raiser will be a Grilled Chicken Dinner held Friday, Nov. 12, from 11 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$5 and can be obtained from Warren Almand, Paul Huang, or Ron Ward.

**November is busy arts month at Chipola**

The CJC Department of Fine and Performing Arts has a number of events on tap in the coming weeks.

**Madrigal Dinner** tickets will be on sale weekdays from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the lobby of the Fine Arts Building, beginning Monday, Nov. 1. Madrigal dates are Dec. 2 and 3, and a quick sell-out is expected. Tickets are \$20 per person for dinner and a show. Guests will be seated at tables for 8. Groups wishing to sit together must purchase tickets at the same time. Sorry, no phone or credit card reservations will be taken.

Tickets to Chipola's production of the "**The Odd Couple**" are on sale at the CJC Book Store. Production dates are November 4, 5 and 6 at 7:30 p.m., and a Sunday matinee, Nov. 7, at 2 p.m. Reserved adult tickets are \$7, and \$5 for ages 18 and under. CJC students and employees receive one complimentary ticket. Credit card purchases by phone are available. The Book Store is open weekdays, 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The Chipola **Chautauqua Series** begins with **Mark Twain** on Nov. 15 at 11 a.m. in

the college Theatre. Other characters include Will Rogers on January 31; Langston Hughes on March 27; and James Thurber on April 17. There is no charge for Chatauqua events.

"**Of Ebony Embers**" comes to Chipola Nov. 18 for two performances—at 9 a.m. and 10 a.m., in the college Theatre. This musical theatre work for solo actor and chamber music trio explores the life and times of African Americans who helped shape the Harlem Renaissance. The program highlights three outstanding African-American poets—Langston Hughes, Countree Cullen and Claude McKay. The Core Ensemble, the nationally acclaimed trio, performs music by African American Composers ranging from Jazz greats Duke Ellington, Jelly Roll Morton, Thelonious Monk and Charles Mingus to concert music composers William Grant Still and George Walker. The program is presented to the community at no charge through a grant from the Division of Cultural Affairs.

For information about CJC arts events, contact Joan Stadskev at 718-2301.

**Chipola Little Indian Dribblers program begins Nov. 6**

CJC head coach Ryan Cross is bringing back the popular Little Indian Dribblers basketball program for boys and girls in grades 2-6.

Participants will meet for five Saturday camps, beginning Nov. 6. The cost of the program is \$50, which includes: five practices with individual instruction from Coach Cross, his staff, and the 1999-2000 Chipola Indians; camp T-Shirt; and free

admission to all men's and women's home basketball games. The Little Dribblers will perform during halftime of all six of CJC's home conference games.

For information, contact Coach Cross at (850) 718-2236 or assistant coach Kris Baumann at 718-2320.

**Joan Miller named Faculty/Administrator of the Month**

Joan Miller of Marianna has been named Chipola's Faculty/Administrator of the Month for November.

Miller has worked at Chipola since 1982, and is currently a counselor in Student Services. She also serves as Articulation Officer between area high schools and Chipola, as well as the state universities and Chipola.

In September, Miller presented an Exemplary Practice seminar on the evolution of Chipola's faculty-based advising system and the creation of the Chipola Advising Manual at the National Council on Student Development in Kansas City, MO.

As a Doctoral Candidate at FSU, Miller was recently awarded the Maurice C. Litton Scholarship from the College of Education and also was awarded a Dissertation Research Grant from the Office of Graduate Studies.

Miller's supervisor Al James says, "She is a very loyal and dedicated employee. She always goes the extra mile for students as well as staff."

Joan's husband, Don, works with Gulf Power Company at the Sholtz Plant in Sneads. They have three girls, all graduates of Chipola Junior College, and three grandchildren! Don and Joan are choir members at First Baptist Church in Marianna.

# Chipola hoops squads jump into action

The Chipola men's basketball team opens its season on the road Nov. 5-6 at the Tallahassee Community College Classic.

The Indians will face Chattanooga State, Nov. 5 at 4:30 CST, and Miami Dade, Nov 6 at 4:30. Next, the Indians travel to Florida Community College at Jacksonville for a 6:30 p.m. game on Nov. 8.

Both CJC teams (men and women) open the home season Nov. 12. The Lady Indians host Darton College at 5:30 p.m. The Indians host FCC-Jacksonville at 7:30. On Nov. 13, the Lady Indians host Daytona at 3:30, followed by the Indians vs. Central Florida at 7:30 p.m. The men's team will play 18 games in preparation for the conference season which begins in January.

Chipola's men's squad enters a new era with new CJC men's coach and athletic director Ryan Cross. Cross led Barton County Community College (KS) to a second place finish in the NJCAA tourney in 1999. He says, "Creating an attitude is what we are trying to accomplish at Chipola this season. My goal is to create an attitude of success both on the court and off the court. Cross is a program-builder who says, "We want to establish our program as one of the finest junior college basketball programs in the nation; a program that not only wins on the court, but one that graduates its players and prepares them to move on to productive careers at the next level."

Cross views basketball as just one element of the total person. He says, "We must approach practice and games the same as we do other aspects of life. A basketball player cannot have one attitude toward life and a different one toward athletics. His convictions and principles in playing will carry over into other phases of his life; as you live, so will you play. We work diligently every-day to demand this attitude."

Cross agrees with other coaches in the league that the talent level in the Panhandle Conference is at an all-time high. He says, "Any time you mix talent with great coaching you have great basket-

ball." The Panhandle Conference is traditionally one of the finest leagues in the nation. Several players and coaches have passed through this league and moved on to do great things. Cross says, "As a young coach I am very excited to have the opportunity to coach in this great league."

Cross says the team to beat this season is Okaloosa-Walton. "They return several key players from last season's Panhandle Conference championship team. Along with these returnees, O-W may have had the finest recruiting class in the conference. Fans can expect a tough contest when O-W comes to town."

Cross says Tallahassee is also a team to keep an eye on. TCC returns one of the top players in the country, Antwan Jones. Mike Gillespie is the veteran coach in the conference and his talent level is very good.

Paul Swanson has assembled a quality recruiting class and has some good players returning, at Pensacola, who should also contend for a conference championship. Joe Pons had a great recruiting class, so Gulf Coast is also expected to be very competitive.

Cross says his Chipola team has by far the most question marks in league. Chipola returns only three players from last year's team, but Cross is very pleased with his recruiting class. "We have signed several transfers and quality freshmen that will hopefully make us competitive this season," says Cross. "Chemistry is the key. If our kids come together as a team, we have a chance to be very competitive."

Cross is also opening the doors of the Johnson Health Center to area youth with the revival of the popular Little Indian Dribblers program. Open to boys and girls in grades 2-6, beginning Nov. 6. Cost is \$50. Little Dribblers will perform at six of CJC's home games.

For information, contact coach Cross at (850) 718-2236.

*(Look for a preview of the Lady Indians on Nov. 4)*



## OWN YOUR OWN

Come hear Chuck Fuller, owner of Fuller Sound, speak on "Starting Your Own Business" on Wednesday, November 3 at 10 am in D300. All interested students and staff are invited to attend.

## JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The U.S. Census Bureau has temporary job openings in 1999 and 2000. Information is available in Student Services.

## REPS ON CAMPUS

Representatives from Florida State University Panama City Campus, University of West Florida, and Troy State University at Dothan will be on campus Thursday, November 18 from 9:00 a.m. until noon.

## FOOD DRIVE

It is time to get busy on the food drive for Thanksgiving and Christmas. Bring two non-perishable food items to the Bookstore and receive a free hot beverages.

Sometimes a little incentive is all we need to get things started.

*Thanks,  
Gale Woodham*

## MATH LAB HOURS

Monday  
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
Tuesday & Thursday  
8:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
Wednesday  
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
Friday  
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**Spring 2000 ENC 1153**  
**Writing for Technical Students**  
 Great for A.S. students to help them in the workplace. Real-world assignments.  
 \*How to write about "technical" topics \*How to use graphics in documents  
 \*How to write letters, memos, and reports \*How to use visuals  
 \*How to communicate orally  
 Class: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday ♦ 10:00-10:50 ♦ 3 Credit Hours  
 Call Rachel Cooley at ext. 3321 for more details

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Connie and Steve Young (CJC Comptroller) are the proud parents of a new baby boy Mason James Young. To his credit, the youngest Young weighed in at 8 pounds, 11 ounces, at 5:30 am on Oct. 23—more than one full month ahead of the 1999 Tax Year Deadline.

**EARLY REGISTRATION**

Early registration for the Spring 2000 semester begins Nov. 1 for currently enrolled honors students. Registration will continue Nov. 8-11 and Nov. 15-18.

Registration dates are based on the number of hours in which students are currently enrolled.

Students should check the college catalog for early registration criteria, dates and times. Times printed in the class schedule are incorrect.

**TECH CENTER/LIBRARY**

**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 6:30 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.-7:00 p.m.

**"THIS WEEK"**

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

Deadline for the next issue is noon, **Wednesday, Nov. 3**. Articles will be printed as space permits. Call ext. 2265, or e-mail Evelyn Ward.

# Extended Calendar

**November****8 MONDAY**

- ❖ Early Spring Registration for Currently enrolled students with 45+ hours—8 a.m.-3 p.m.
- ❖ Hospice of Northwest FL, Inc.—12 p.m., C4
- ❖ Fellowship of Christian Athletes—7 p.m., K
- ❖ Christmas Decorating Show Course Begins—6 p.m., Y

**9 TUESDAY**

- ❖ Early Spring Registration for Currently enrolled students with 45+ hours—8 a.m.-3 p.m.
- ❖ Career Fair—9 a.m.
- ❖ CPR Course Begins—5 p.m., S1010
- ❖ TABE Test—6 p.m., O

**10 WEDNESDAY**

- ❖ Early Spring Registration for Currently enrolled students with 30+ hours—8 a.m.-3 p.m.
- ❖ Career Fair—9 a.m.
- ❖ Charlton Keen's Staff—1:30 p.m., A112
- ❖ Social for Night Students—5 p.m., K824

**11 THURSDAY**

- ❖ Early Spring Registration for Currently enrolled students with 30+ hours—8 a.m.-3 p.m.—6 p.m., O
- ❖ TABE Test—6 p.m., O

**12 FRIDAY**

- ❖ SGA Cartoon Portrait Steve Gipson—9 a.m., K803
- ❖ CJC vs Darton (women)—5:30 p.m., R
- ❖ CJC vs FCC@J (men)—7:30 p.m., R

**13 SATURDAY**

- ❖ CJC vs Daytona Beach CC (women)—3:30 p.m., R
- ❖ CJC vs Central FL (men)—7:30 p.m., R

**15 MONDAY**

- ❖ Early Spring Registration for Currently enrolled students with 15+ hours—8 a.m.-3 p.m.
- ❖ CEA—2:30 p.m., D300
- ❖ American Humorists Chautauqua Series: Mark Twain—11 a.m., J
- ❖ Introduction to Excel Course Begins—5:30 p.m., S1008
- ❖ Fellowship of Christian Athletes—7 p.m., K

**16 TUESDAY**

- ❖ Early Spring Registration for Currently enrolled students with 15+ hours—8 a.m.-3 p.m.
- ❖ TABE Test—6 p.m., O
- ❖ Cake I Course Begins—6:30 p.m., P494
- ❖ Board of Trustees—7 p.m., Y

**17 WEDNESDAY**

- ❖ Early Spring Registration for Currently enrolled students with 1+ hours—8 a.m.-3 p.m.
- ❖ Charlton Keen's Staff—1:30 p.m., A112
- ❖ First Aid Course Begins—5 p.m., S

**18 THURSDAY**

- ❖ Early Spring Registration for Currently enrolled students with 1+ hours—8 a.m.-6 p.m.
- ❖ Core Ensemble: Ebony Embers—9 & 10 a.m., J
- ❖ Recruiter: FSU @ Panama City Campus—9 a.m.-Noon, C Lobby
- ❖ TABE Test—6 p.m., O
- ❖ Workforce Development Board—6 p.m., K

**19 FRIDAY**

- ❖ Last day to resign from all classes for fall term
- ❖ Panhandle Classic Begins (men)—? p.m., R

**20 SATURDAY**

- ❖ CJC vs L.B. Wallace (women)—10 a.m., R
- ❖ Panhandle Classic (men)—? p.m., R

**21 MONDAY**

- ❖ Community Thanksgiving Service—5-7 p.m., R

**23 TUESDAY**

- ❖ CJC vs Georgia Perimeter (women)—5:30 p.m., R
- ❖ CJC vs Abraham-Baldwin (men)—7:30 p.m., R



**24-28  
WEDNESDAY - SUNDAY**

**Thanksgiving  
Holiday—  
College Closed**

**26 FRIDAY**

- ❖ CJC vs Miami-Dade (women)—5:30 p.m., R
- ❖ CJC Thanksgiving Classic Begins (men)—7:30 p.m., R

**27 FRIDAY**

- ❖ CJC vs Seminole (women)—5:30 p.m., R
- ❖ CJC Thanksgiving Classic (men)—7:30 p.m., R

**29 MONDAY**

- ❖ Excel II Course Begins—5:30 p.m., S
- ❖ Excel I Course Begins—6 p.m., S1008
- ❖ Fellowship of Christian Athletes—7 p.m., K

**HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY**

**Chipola Family**

**NOVEMBER**

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