



Chipola President announces retirement

Dr. O'Daniel, president of Chipola Junior College, on Tuesday, announced his retirement after 36 years in the Florida Community College System. His last official day on the job will be Oct. 31, 2002.

O'Daniel began his career at Chipola in 1967 as an Economics Professor. He received his BS and MBA degrees from Murray State University in Kentucky in 1967. He earned his Ed.D from Nova Southeastern University in 1978.

After teaching at Chipola for 12 years, he became the Chief Business Officer for the college. With a new president and reorganization, he was promoted to Dean of Administrative Services. In 1986, Dr. O'Daniel accepted the position of Vice President for Administrative Services at Daytona Beach Community College. After nine years in that position, in 1995, he returned to Chipola Junior College as President.

In a letter of resignation offered to the Board of Trustees on Sept. 17, O'Daniel said, "As president, I have had the opportunity to lead the institution that had nurtured me from a 21 year-old idealistic professor to whatever I have become over these past 35 years. It is my hope that history will record that my presidency was one of positive progress for the college." Much of that progress was in the area of technology.

During his tenure as president, Chipola has undergone a multi-million dollar technology upgrade which has placed hundreds of networked computers on the desks of students and employees. The president also has led the college in campus-wide building projects, including the construction of new buildings for Public Service, Literature/Language, Health Sciences, and Physical Education, as well as major renovations to the Library, Business Technology Building, Theatre, and Residence Hall.

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Violinist Linda Wang to play Chipola theater Monday

American violinist Linda Wang will open the 2002-03 Chipola Artist Series with a performance Monday, Sept. 23, at 7 p.m., in the Chipola Junior College Theater.

Tickets—\$12 for adults, \$8 for ages 18 and under, and \$4 for current CJC students—are on sale in the CJC Business Office. Season tickets are \$40.

Wang has been praised among the premier young violinists of the world for her masterful technique and singing and jubilant tone. She was grand prize-winner of the International Markneukirchen Competition in Germany among numerous other awards. Since her debut with the New York Philharmonic at the age

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Chipola to host seminar on genetics and health

A nationally known speaker on genetics, Dr. Paul Lombardo, will present a live interactive seminar entitled, "The Genetic Dimension to Health," Tuesday, Sept. 24, at 6:30 p.m., in the Continuing Education Conference Center at Chipola.

Dr. Lombardo is the Director of the Program in Law and Medicine at the Center for Biomedical Ethics of the University of Virginia where he teaches in the Schools of Medicine, Law, and the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences. His teaching, research and writing build on an informed historical perspective to explore contemporary issues at the intersection of science and social policy. Lombardo's work takes current questions about the relationship of

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Student Activities News

Student Government Election Results

The results of the Fall 2002 SGA Elections are as follows: **SGA Vice President:** Brooke Waters, Cottondale; **Sophomore Class Vice President:** Kayla Laster, Chipley; **Freshman Class President:** April Stoe, Popular Springs; **Freshman Class Vice President:** Tamara Hutchinson, Chipley; **Freshman Senators:** Laura Carrasquillo, Marianna; Sarranda Hall, Sneads; Kevin Hampton, Bonifay; Ashleigh McDonald, Marianna; Sofia Pelt, Graceville; and Kayla Stewart, Altha.

Congratulations to all of these students!

Fall Festival

CJC's annual Fall Festival will be Wednesday, Oct. 2, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on the lawn in front of the Health Center. If it is raining, it will be in the Health Center.

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In 1996, O'Daniel spearheaded the effort to host the FCCAA Men's State Basketball Tournament in Chipola's Milton H. Johnson Health Center. CJC has hosted the combined Men's and Women's Tournament since 1997.

Dr. O'Daniel has held many positions of leadership in the Florida Community College System. He served as chair of the Council of Business Affairs of the Florida Community College system, member of the Community College Presidents' Council, President of the Florida Community College Activities Association (FCCAA), and President of the Florida Association of Community Colleges. O'Daniel was recently selected to receive FCCAA's Distinguished Service Award, the highest award bestowed by that organization.

He plans to enjoy retirement by spending time with his wife, Judith, traveling, spending time with his 94 year old father, watching his grandsons grow up, who, by the way, live just down the street, and enjoying all of the activities of Chipola Junior College.

After accepting O'Daniel's letter of resignation, board members approved a motion to name a new president at the Oct. 15 board meeting.

Students will be excused from classes to participate in this fun event!

SGA has some great activities lined up including soft play blow up games like the Titanic Slide, Bungee Run, and Bouncy Boxing. There will be music, door prizes, and hotdogs and hamburgers for everyone. There will also 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.

March of Dimes Tennis Shoes

CJC Organizations will be selling the March of Dimes Walk America, Saving Ba-

bies Together, tennis shoes. For a donation of \$1 your name will be placed on the shoe and displayed at CJC. 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 CJC organization that wants to participate. The organization which sells the most shoes will be treated to a pizza party by student activities. All money must be turned in by September 25.

Phi Theta Kappa

To promote awareness of Childhood Cancer Month, Phi Theta Kappa encourages everyone to wear a gold ribbon during September.

Ribbons are available for a \$1 donation. Contact Laura Davis, PTK Public Relations Officer, at tutor_kids@hotmail.com.

Seminar on genetics, *continued from page 1*

law to the burgeoning technology in genetics as points of focus. Issues will include: the Human Genome Project findings and personal health; genetic research and experiments; access to the information revealed by the genetic code; and common misconceptions about the role of genetics in personal health.

The program, produced by Phi Theta

Kappa and the National Collegiate Honor Society, is the first part of a five part satellite series designed to accompany the society's 2002 Honors Study Topic, *Dimensions and Directions of Health: Choices in the Maze*.

For further information, contact Jody Spooner, Chipola PTK adviser, at 526-2761, Ext. 3279.

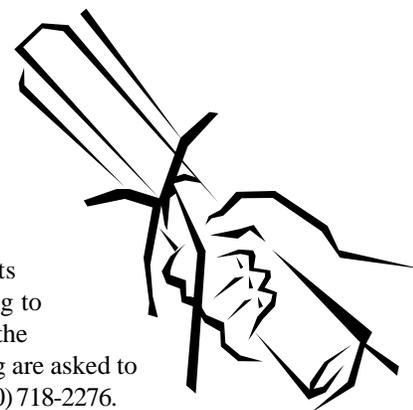
Troy State may offer Master's in Guidance at Chipola

The University Center @ Chipola Junior College and Troy State University, Florida Region, are collaborating to bring an MS degree in School Guidance to Chipola's campus.

An Information/Registration Session for prospective students is set for **Monday, Sept. 30 from 4 to 6 p.m. in L400 at Chipola**. Admissions specialists and faculty will be on-hand to discuss program requirements and to assist in the application process. Students are encouraged to bring transcripts, if possible.

Anyone interested in the program is urged to attend the meeting. Troy State

requires at least 30 completed applications in order to begin the program.



Students planning to attend the meeting are asked to call (850) 718-2276.

UPCOMING EVENTS

□ **EUROPE BOUND.** A group of students and adults will travel to Europe from Chipola this summer.

The summer 2003 trip will include visits to Verona and Venice in Italy, Lucerne, Switzerland and Paris, France. Organizer of this tour, Robert Ivey (Social Sciences) says, "This tour will include some of the most popular sites visited on previous tours." The 11-day tour will run June 18 through 28, 2003.

Cost of the tour is approximately \$2,800, with a discount for early reservations.

Anyone interested in joining the tour group, may contact Ivey at 526-2761, Ext. 3240.

□ **CONGRATULATIONS.** Annie O'Pry (Financial Aid Office) is a grandmother—again. Cassidy Michele O'Pry was born Aug. 5 to Jason and Clarissa O'Pry, weighing in at 8 pounds, 5 ounces. Ethan Tate Chalker was born Sept. 4 to Drew and Lori (O'Pry) Chalker. He weighed 9 pounds and 3 ounces.

□ **HANDICAP PARKING.** New handicap parking permits are available in the Office for Students with Disabilities in Building G, Room 109. The new permit is to be displayed on the rearview mirror. Only students with the special permit will be allowed to park in handicapped parking on campus. If you have a documented disability, whether or not you currently possess a college handicap sticker, you should pick up your permit right away. Students parked in the handicapped parking spaces without the proper permit will be ticketed.

□ **CHIPOLA BOARD TOURS FACILITIES.** Members of the Chipola Junior College District Board of Trustees recently toured new and renovated facilities at the college. Stops on the tour included the new Health Sciences building and renovations of the Business Building, Theater, Library, Public Relations Office and Residence Hall.

□ **LOST & FOUND.**
Lost: pair of woman's prescription glasses with silver frames
Found: pair of woman's glasses with multi-colored frames, set of keys, makeup case, silver bracelet, and ring

Lost and Found is located in Student Services, Bldg. G.

□ **BE A PART OF IT!** If you are not a member of the Chipola Chapter of the Florida Association of Community Colleges (FACC) and would like to become a member, please contact Margie Williams (ext. 2239) or Sandra Harrell (ext. 2302). FACC sponsors social events, community service activities, fundraising activities, as well as being your voice in the Florida legislature. Join today!

□ **TABE TESTING.** The Success Center (O119) has regular testing of the TABE test. Tests are given Monday - Friday at 8:15 a.m. and on Tuesday and Thursday at 6 p.m.

Students should see the registrar's office for a student placement status form before coming to test.

□ **FACC CHAPTER MEETING.** The Fall Chapter Meeting of FACC will be held Thursday, Sept. 26 at 2:30 p.m. in Jackson Hall. All members are encouraged to attend.

□ **REPS ON CAMPUS.** Representatives from the College of Agriculture and the School of Forestry at Auburn University will be on campus on Thursday, Sept. 26. An information table will be set up in the lobby of Building D between 8:45-10 a.m. Students are encouraged to stop by and visit these representatives.

□ **THIS WEEK'S MENU.**
Monday
Salisbury Steak
Chicken Pilaf
Tuesday
Red Beans and Rice
Teriyaki Chicken
Wednesday
Macaroni and Meat Sauce
Sesame Pork and Broccoli
Thursday
Chicken/Broccoli Casserole
Roast Beef
Friday
Seafood Casserole
Country Steak w/Yellow Rice

□ **PBL HAS MOD SHOES.** Please support MOD sneaker sales by purchasing a sneaker for \$1 from the following PBL members: Tiffany Anderson, Amy Bates, Timmy Boone, Chris Duncan, Jessica Jones, LaNeise Leslie, Tameka Larry, Marisa McFarland, Seamus O'Neill, Lora Shelton, Jennifer Taylor, or Tiffany Birge.

All funds raised will go to March of Dimes.

□ **BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK.**
Sept. 23 Louise Neel

THIS WEEK

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

Deadline for the next issue is noon, **Wednesday, Sept. 26.** Articles will be printed as space permits. Call ext. 2265, or e-mail Evelyn Ward.

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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	