Chipola basketball season begins

The top-ranked Chipola College men’s and women’s basketball teams open the regular season at home Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 in the newly-renovated Johnson Center.

Both teams begin play as the number one teams in their respective FCSAA State Polls.

The Lady Indians play Central Georgia Tech, Friday, Oct. 31, at 5:30 p.m., and Denmark Tech, Saturday, Nov. 1, at 4 p.m. The Lady Indians are coming off the most successful season in school history with a 34-2 record, a third place finish in the national tournament and a state championship. The 2013-14 team also ran the table in the conference season finishing (12-0) to take the league title.

Head coach Greg Franklin is starting his third year leading the Lady Indians with his team topping the State Poll and ranked fourth in the national poll.

The Lady Indians will host Santa Fe, Friday, Nov. 7, at 7:30 p.m.

The Indians play Atlanta Metro Friday, Oct. 31, at 7:30 p.m., and South Georgia Tech, Saturday, Nov. 1, at 6 p.m.

The top-ranked Indians are coming a great season with a 26-6 record. They won the conference title, the state title and made it to the Elite 8 of the national tournament losing to eventual champion Jones County. Patrick Blake is beginning his third season as head coach with his Indians sitting atop the state poll and ranked seventh in the nation.

The Johnson Center has recently undergone a $1.6 million renovation that includes a new floor, lighting, roof and HVAC system.

For information, visit www.chipola.edu

APPRECIATION CLUB BOARD TOURS GYM—Board members of the Chipola Appreciation Club recently toured the newly-renovated Milton H. Johnson Center. Pictured from left, are: former players Jack Peacock, Bill Peacock, Robert Trammell, Ronnie Myers and Chipola president Dr. Jason Hurst. For information about the Appreciation Club, call 850-718-2451.

FIRST GENERATION SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE AT CHIPOLA

The Chipola Foundation is accepting applications for the First Generation in College Scholarship for the Spring 2014 semester. Approximately six partial $1,000 scholarships will be awarded.

Students must have applied for Federal Pell Grant (FAFSA) and have been determined to be Pell eligible and still have an unmet financial need in order to apply for the First Generation Scholarship.

The need-based scholarship is available to Florida residents who enroll as undergraduate, degree-seeking students for a minimum of six hours per term. Students must meet the eligibility requirements for demonstrated financial need and must come from a family where neither parent has completed a bachelor’s degree. If the student regularly resides with only one parent who provides support, that one parent must not have completed a bachelor’s degree for the student to be eligible.

Students must submit an application—available in the Foundation Office—with all required items outlined on the application by 4 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 1. For information, call 850-718-2404.
Rumors tickets on sale now!

Tickets are now on sale for the Chipola Theatre production of the comedy, “Rumors.”

The show runs Nov. 13–16 with nightly shows at 7:00 p.m., and a Sunday, Nov. 16, matinee at 2 p.m., in the Prough Center for the Arts.

The public also is invited to enjoy an Opening Night Dinner Theatre Thursday, Nov. 13. Dinner begins at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are $30 which includes dinner and show ticket. Reservation deadline is Nov. 6. The event is sponsored by the Chipola Chapter of the Association of Florida Colleges (AFC).

The story is set in a large, tastefully-appointed townhouse where the Deputy Mayor of New York has just shot himself. Though only a flesh wound, four couples are about to experience a severe attack of Farce. Gathering for their 10th wedding anniversary, the host lies bleeding in the other room and his wife is nowhere in sight. His lawyer and wife must get “the story” straight before the other guests arrive. The play contains some adult humor.

Tickets for all shows may be purchased online at www.chipola.edu, and at the Chipola Center for the Arts Box Office, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and 9 a.m. to noon on Friday.

For ticket information, call 718-2420.

PENDER ART EXHIBIT - The works of the late Jane Ludlum Pender are now on display in gallery of the Prough Center for the Arts at Chipola College. Pictured at the exhibit opening are, from left: Jane’s husband, Laurence Pender, II, and two of her children, Patti Johnson, and Laurence Pender, III.

The Chipola College Library will host a reception to honor Pat Crisp, Wednesday, Nov. 5, 2 p.m. Crisp is a long-time supporter of the college who also enjoys local history. She recently wrote a series of articles about the History of Chipola College which were published in the Jackson County Times.

AFC SILENT AUCTION
Stop by to place your bid on one of over 100 items in the AFC Silent Auction. November 4 from 10-4 or November 5 from 9-1:30 at the Foundation Office.

Chipola College and the Florida Department of Transportation are working together on the upcoming Civil Engineering Technology curriculum, internships, and other training related opportunities. The DOT District 3 Fleet has more than 1,000 vehicles. The Chipola Automotive Technology program is working to develop a series of short courses for DOT technicians. Chipola also is considering the need for a diesel mechanic program given that a third of DOT’s fleet is diesel driven.
Firefighter Courses At Chipola

Chipola will offer several Firefighting courses in the coming months.

The **Advanced Training 8-hour Firefighter Lost Drill** (black out) and **Live Burn** class will be offered Nov. 3, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or Nov. 5 and 6, from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. Students will learn: techniques for donning a SCBA; how and when to call a Mayday; on air to make entry, how to breach a wall covered with dry-wall, and how to escape a wire tangle hazard. To participate in the live burn portion of the course, the participant must be certified as a Firefighter I or II. Cost is $25. This class will satisfy the requirements for training by ISO for 8 of the 18 hours a year needed for training facilities and use (T1).

The **Live Fire Training Instructor (LFT 1)** course will be offered Nov. 17. The class provides the information required to pass the State Exam to be a Live Fire Training Instructor 1.

To participate in the class the student must be a State Certified Firefighter 2 and a Firefighter Instructor I. Class meetings are November 17, 18, 20, 24, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. A live burn will take place Dec. 1, from 2 p.m. to 10 p.m. Cost is $150. Other classes scheduled for early 2015 are: **Firefighting Tactics and Strategy I** (FSFC 206/FFP 1810); **Building Construction for the Fire Service** (FSFC 209/FFP 2740) and **Company Officer** (FSFC 311/FFP 2120).

The **Online Firefighter 1** course will be offered Feb. 17 through April 28. Orientation will be held Jan. 27, at 5:30 p.m., in the Public Service Building.

A **Firefighter Skills Refresher** class will meet Feb. 17 through April 28. Orientation will be held Jan. 27, at 5:30 p.m., in the Public Service Building. Cost is $100.

**Daytime Firefighter I** and **II** classes will begin in February 2015. Evening classes for **Firefighter I** and **II** will meet Monday through Thursday, from 5 to 10 p.m. Orientation for night classes is Jan. 20. For information, contact Martin Fowler at (850) 718-2483, e-mail www.fowlemr@chipola.edu or visit www.chipola.edu.

Faculty in the Chipola College Nursing Department recently participated in the local Breast Cancer Awareness program.

Twelve students recently completed Chipola College Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) program. Pictured from left are: (front) Denise Austin, Latondra Batson, Kevia Bryant, April Glisson, Diane Parker, Kim Lovett, Stacie Ross, instructor Tracy Speights, (back) Alison Myrick, Juanita Bell, Max Saun, Diane Blakely and Brandon Ross.

The Chipola College Future Educators Club invites everyone to get a head start on Christmas shopping at their Scholastic Book Fair the week of Nov. 3-7.

Book Fair hours are 8:30-4:30 daily in Building O (Teacher Education). FEC members will be working the Book Fair which will offer titles ranging from Pre-K through 8th grade. Profits from the fair go to Chipola Teacher Education students who will earn credits to buy books for their future classrooms.

For information, call Casey Bush at 718-2449.
Billy Bailey, Florida Caverns State Park Specialist, directed Chipola College environmental science students in the continuation of the restoration of the Florida ecosystem on campus.

He included both classroom and field training. This project was originally initiated by Dr. David Hilton, Associate Dean of Math and Natural Science, in conservation biology classes. Dr. Steve Shimmel, Professor of biology/botany advocated the preservation and protection of the campus ecology during his tenure at the college.

On Oct. 21, students following a class in exotic plant renewal training with a power point designed by Arthur Stiles, Environmental Specialist from District 1 Park Service, proceeded to the southwest periphery of the campus to remove tagged exotic plants, also known as invasive, non-native plants, including: nandina (sold as heavenly bamboo); and Chinese privet (an ornamental shrub).

The encroachment of invasive plants may be one reason why the South Florida landscape is first on the list of 15 most endangered ecosystems in the United States. Many of these plants are sold locally. The students were given a brochure which may be obtained at the Caverns Park which describes with pictures invasive species found in this part of Florida.

Members of the Chipola College Phi Beta Lambda recently attended the State Fall Leadership Conference and Activity Day, Oct. 24-26, at Lake Yale in Leesburg, FL.

Students attending the conference participated in workshops, a low-ropes course, and open competitions. Alex Anderson, Chipola’s PBL President and District I State Vice-President, won first place in the Math and Calculations open event. Following the conference, FBLA-PBL members and advisers enjoyed Activity Day at Universal Studios and Island of Adventures, where they were able to network with other members.

### Final Exam Schedule Fall 2014

**Friday, December 6**
- 8:00: ENC 1101, ENC 1102, HUM 2210, HUM 2233
- 10:00: AML 2010, CGS 1060-002 & 005, CTS 2392, MAE 4330, MAE 4991, MIF 4404, MUL 2010, PSY 2012, SCE 4330, SCE 4941
- 12:00: ACG 2002, CHM 1030, CHM 1045, CHM 2210, ECO 2013, ENC 0022, ENC 0056, ENL 2012, MAE 4310, RED 3009
- 2:00: ASH 1044, CGS 1100, CNS 1101, EDF 1005, LEI 1000, MAE 4815, RED 4512, SPC 2608

**Saturday, December 7**

**Monday, December 8**
- 8:00: ACG 2021, AML 4121, BSC 1005, BSC 2010, BSC 2011, BSC 2085, BSC 2086, CIS 1352, EVR 1001, MUT 1111, PET 2210
- 10:00: ACG 2071, COP 2000, COP 2224, CTS 1155, CRT 2391, ESC 1000, LAE 3210, MAC 1141, MGF 1107, MGF 1109, PET 2312, SPC 2600
- 12:00: LIN 3010, MAC 1105, MAC 1140, MAC 1141, MAC 2233, MAC 2234, MAC 2313, MAT 0022, MAT 0056, MAT 1033, MGF 1106, SCE 4310, SPC 2605
- 2:00: CGS 1060-001 & 003, CTS 1110, DEP 2004, EME 2040, HLP 1081, LAE 3325, LAE 3940, MAS 4203, SYG 1090, THE 1020

**Tuesday, December 9**
- 8:00: AMI 2010, COP 1700, ECO 2223, EDF 2085, HSC 2400, MCB 2010, RED 4519
- 10:00: AML 2020, ARH 1000, CGS 1060-004 & 700, CTS 2142, ENC 3311, PHY 1055C, PHY 2048C, SSE 3113
- 12:00: PET 2622, REA 0019, REA 0056, REA 1205, SPC 1120
- 2:00: PET 2760, SPC 1121, SPC 2220, WOH 1201, WOH 2022
- 4:00: MAKE-UP PERIOD (see #8 under Notes)

**NOTES**
1. **CLASSES LISTED** – No early final examinations will be given.
2. **ROOM ASSIGNMENT** – Department Deans will make room assignments for each examination.
3. **FRIDAY CLASSES** – The final examination for all Friday classes will be given during the last class period of the semester.
4. **EVENING CLASSES** – The final examinations for all evening classes may be given during the last class period for the semester or during one of the evenings of the three-day examination period. **NOTE:** The final exam period for evening classes may be longer than the regularly scheduled class period.
5. **TERM B CLASSES** – The final examination for Term B classes will be given on the last class period of Term B.
6. **TERM C CLASSES** – The final examination for Term C classes will follow the Term A schedule.
7. **CLASSES NOT LISTED** – A. There is no examination scheduled; or B. The instructor will announce examination arrangements in class.
8. **GRADES** – Grades are due in the Admissions Office, Wednesday, December 10, at 12:00-noon (including “F” grades from SSI & SSII).
9. **MAKE-UP EXAMS** – All make-up exams must be approved by the Department Dean.