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AUSIC, LAUCHTER AND DANCING

Jazz Ensemble to Present Concert

FSU's Jazz Ensemble, under the direction of Jon Bauman, will appear in concert on Friday, Nov. 9, at 8 p.m. in the PAC's Pealer Recital Hall. The performance is free and open to the public.

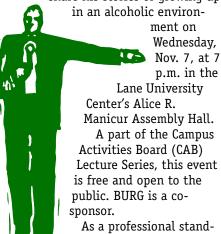
Continuing its tradition of diverse programs, the Ensemble will play big band music spanning the last 60 years. "Duke City Stomp" will get toes tapping with solos from Stephanie Carroll on alto saxophone and Brent Paris on trombone. Next is "How Sweet it Is," featuring singer Ilana Farjhad. The contemporary "Riverscape" highlights solos by Jeremy Calligan on piano and Carroll on soprano saxophone. "Please Don't Shoot the Trombone Players" features the entire trombone section with solos by trombonists Jonas Amoonarquah and George Jones. The first half closes with Jones singing, "The World's Shortest Blues."

The second half begins with Glenn Miller's "In the Mood," with solos by Erin Frankenberry on tenor saxophone, Carroll on alto saxophone and Stevyn Carmona on trumpet. The easy swinging "A Blues for Dave" includes solos by Laurence Bruner, trumpet, and Richard Castellano, alto saxophone. Samba livens things up with "Post," featuring Bauman on trumpet, Alison Welborne on tenor saxophone. Paris on trombone and Carmona on alto saxophone. Bauman's tune, "Charlie," features solos by Armoonarquah, trombone; Bruner, trumpet; Nathan Royer, bass and Chris McMahon, drums.

For information, contact the FSU Department of Music at x4109.

Anti-Alcohol Note Mixed with Humor

Comedian Bernie McGrenahan will share his stories of growing up



up comedian, McGrenahan

has circled the globe to make people laugh. However, nobody laughed when he was incarcerated in the Los Angeles County Jail for six months, after receiving his third "driving under the influence" violation. In this gripping and revealing program, McGrenahan speaks of his difficult childhood and family challenges. His journey to sobriety was tough. He survived a brother's suicide caused by drug and alcohol abuse and has learned how to cope with the pressures of care-taking his mentally handicapped brother. McGrenahan shares his stories to encourage listeners to look at their own stories and learn how to deal with problems using a clear head.

For information, call the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.

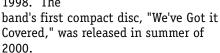
Dance with Queen City Funk & Soul

Dance to or just come enjoy the funky tunes of local favorite, Queen City Funk & Soul, when FSU's baseball team hosts the band Friday, Nov. 9, in the Cordts P.E. Center Arena. The dance is scheduled from 8 p.m. to midnight.

A portion of the proceeds will benefit Johnny Twigg, a local youth with cancer.

The 11-piece band features music from the great horn bands of the '60s, '70s and '80s, including such artists as

James Brown,
Wilson Pickett,
Stevie Wonder and
Steely Dan.
Strong vocals and
exciting instrumental solos have
brought audiences
to their feet since
the band's
formation in
1998. The



Parents with a paid adult admission to the dance can bring their children aged 5 to 12 to a free kids' night out in the PE Center.

Advance tickets are \$6 for FSU faculty, staff and students and \$10 for the general public. Tickets at the door will increase by \$2 each.

For information, call x3139 or x4462. Tickets may be purchased in the Department of Athletics on the second floor of FSU's Cordts Center, Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Presentations



Award Winning Poet Jane Hirshfield to Visit

The Western Maryland Writers' Workshop and the FSU Department of English will host award-winning poet Jane Hirshfield Monday, Nov. 12.

Hirshfield will read from her works at 7:30 p.m. in the Lane University Center room 201. A reception and book signing will follow. The event is free and open to the public.

Considered one of this country's most acclaimed writers, Hirshfield is the author of five collections of poetry, most recently *Given Sugar, Given Salt,* as well as a book of essays on poetry, *Nine Gates*. She has also edited and co-translated two

poetry anthologies. Her work has appeared in The New Yorker, The Atlantic, The New Republic, The Nation, The American Poetry Review and many other publications.

Her poems, called "radiant and passionate" by the New York Times Book Review, explore the connections between human and natural worlds. Through five collections, her work addresses the life of the passions, the way the object and events of

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everyday life are informed by deeper wisdoms, and the darkness, losses and fracturing that are also our shared fate. Whether writing about aging, ink or the heart, Hirshfield searches continually for the points where new knowledge of the world and self may appear. Resonantly clear and shapely, her poems hold penetrating feeling and insight in a clean and moving marriage of image and statement.

For more information, please call FSU's Department of English at x4221.

Appalachian Lab

"Insect Defoliation and Nitrogen Cycling in Eastern Forests" will be presented Thursday, Nov. 8, at 3:30 p.m. in AL room 109 by Gary M. Lovett, Institute of Ecosystem Studies, Millbrook, N.Y.

Electron Microscopy Seminar Offered

Dr. Bob Reno of the UMBC Physics Department will be presenting a seminar titled "Crystallographic Texture, Electron Backscatter Diffraction, and Deformed Aluminum," on Thursday, Nov. 8, at 1 p.m. in 335 Tawes Hall. Following the seminar at approximately 2 p.m., Dr. Reno will meet in 222 Tawes Hall with students in interested in the B.S./M.S. program in applied physics offered by UMBC.

Film



Int'l Film Series To Feature 'The Ice Rink'

FSU's International Film Series continues with "The Ice Rink" Tuesday, Nov. 6, at 7 p.m. in Lane University Center 201. The series is sponsored by Center Stage and the Department of Student & Community Involvement.

Directed by French novelist Jean-Philippe Toussaint, this whimsical French comedy focuses on the joys and perils of filmmaking. A French director hopes to make a hockey romance for the Venice Film Festival, featuring an American leading man (cult favorite Bruce Campbell), a French leading lady (Deloris Chaplin, granddaughter of Charlie) and a Lithuanian hockey team. Things go awry as the ice melts, the Lithuanians can't communicate because they don't speak French and the leading couple engage in a steamy affair.

In French with English subtitles, "The Ice Rink" ("La Patinoire") runs for about 77 minutes, and is free and open to the public. For information, call x4411.

Art



LeGrande Fromage on Display at Roper Gallery

Bachelor of Fine Arts students Nicholas Mohler, Dawn Harrington and Sandra Kenney will display their work, titled "LeGrande Fromage" at Roper Gallery in the Fine Arts Building from Friday, Nov. 9, to Wednesday, Nov. 14. An opening reception will be held on Nov. 9 from 7 to 9 p.m. For more information, contact the Department of Visual Arts at x4797.



Catch the Bus for Regents' Cup in D.C.

"Get on the Bus" to attend the Third Annual Regents' Cup Football Game at RFK Stadium, Washington, D.C., Saturday, Nov. 10. Come watch as the FSU Bobcats Beat the Salisbury Seagulls!

Center Stage is organizing a 45passenger bus to transport faculty, staff and students to the event.

Game time is 1:30 p.m. The bus will leave FSU at 8 a.m. from the parking lot at the corner of University Drive (Loop Rd.) and College Avenue (next to Frost Hall). Game tickets are \$8 for the general public, \$4 for students (with current ID) and anyone younger than 18. The bus ride is FREE! A seat deposit of \$5 is required when you sign up (at the Lane University Center Information Desk) but will be returned upon arrival to RFK Stadium.

Game tickets are available now at the FSU Bookstore. For information, call the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.



Telemarketing Alert

The University Advancement's Office of Annual Giving will be conducting its annual fall telemarketing campaign through Tuesday, Nov. 20. Students will be calling alumni Sundays through Thursdays from 6 to 9 p.m. in the Cordts Center Telemarketing Center to ask for contributions to this year's Annual Fund.

The Annual Fund provides financial support through unrestricted contributions to benefit the University's greatest needs, including student scholarships, student development, faculty and staff development, cultural events, athletic programs, and alumni programs. For information, contact Chris Harmon, Director of Annual Giving, x4758.

Commencement Exceptions, Deadline

The last day for students to request an exception to academic rules and regulations affecting December 2001 graduation or commencement participation is **NOV. 15**. Students must submit a written request and all supporting documentation to the Office of the Provost, Hitchins 213, by 4 p.m. on that date. The Academic Standards Subcommittee will consider these requests at the LAST meeting of the fall 2001 semester on Nov. 19. The December Commencement Booklet will go to press immediately after this meeting. If you

have been told by the Registrar's Office that you have graduation deficiencies, take action now or have the courtesy to tell your family that you will not be graduating or participating in the December commencement.

Approval of Off-Campus Study in Intersession

ALL Frostburg degree candidates MUST file an Authorization for Attendance at Another Institution form in the Registrar's Office before taking courses at another institution if you want these credits to count toward your FSU degree. Undergraduate students with 90 or more credits earned (including transfer credits) are limited to completing no more than seven credits off-campus or by standardized exam during the senior year (with department chair approval required for courses in the major or minor discipline).

Additional off-campus study requires an appeal to the Academic Standards Subcommittee for an exception to degree requirements. The deadline for the committee's LAST meeting for the fall 2001 semester is Nov. 15, 4 p.m. A written letter from the student, along with all supporting documentation, MUST be received in the Office of the Provost, Hitchins 213, by that date if you plan Intersession 2002 study that requires special permission.

Undergraduate Commencement

Any student planning to complete their studies during the current semester (fall 2001) must first officially file for graduation. Undergraduate students should contact the Registrar's Office (x4349, 144 Pullen Hall). Special mailings and notices regarding Commencement are sent only to those students who have completed all filing requirements.

Caps and gowns are provided at no charge to all students cleared to participate; however, each student is responsible for placing an order in advance. Orders should be submitted to the University Bookstore immediately.

Advance information about Commencement is always available on the University's Web site. Go to www.frostburg.edu, click on the "news and events" link (on a navigation bar on the left of the screen), and click on Commencement. For information, contact Beth Deatelhauser in Special Academic Services, x3130, 127 Performing Arts Center, or by e-mail to bdeatelhauser@frostburg.edu.

Grad Students Dec. Commencement!

Please complete your Application for Graduation as soon as possible. Applications received after the Oct. 31 deadline will be processed and every attempt will be made to include the names in the December Commencement Program. Graduate Student Graduation Applications are available from The Office of

Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall; by telephone at x7053; by fax at x4597; and after hours on the display rack outside the Pullen Hall Office.

Collective Bargaining Primer

Unionization does not result in automatic pay raises or benefit adjustments. Everything will be negotiated. **VOTE!!**

Points of Pride



The FSU Bobcat Baseball team, under the leadership of head coach Chris McKnight and his staff, have been involved with many community service projects over the past two years.

One of the first projects they worked on was with Big Brothers/Big Sisters. Most recently, the team and members of the staff volunteered at the Clarysville Fire Department, assisting them with a clean-up program. Recently, the team completed its second year of the state "Adopt-A-Highway" program, cleaning up a one-mile stretch on U.S. 40.

In addition to their volunteer efforts, the staff and players hold various clinics for the community throughout the year.



Deadline for Phase I and II Teacher Ed.

Teacher Education candidates planning to take Phase I or Phase II classes during spring 2002 semester are asked to secure an application from Felicia Leary in the Office of Unit Assessment, 215 Framptom Hall. Deadline is Nov. 16.



Scholarship Brochures Available in Pullen

FSU scholarship brochures for the 2002-2003 academic year are available in the Financial Aid Office in Pullen Hall.

In addition, students who applied for financial aid for the 2001-2002 academic year should soon receive a Renewal Free Application for Federal Student Aid at their home addresses. Students who do not receive a renewal application should obtain a regular application form from the Financial Aid Office. By filing the renewal or regular application, an applicant will be considered for federal and institutional aid that is administered by FSU. Maryland residents will also be considered for state funds. March 1 is the deadline to apply for federal, state and institutional aid. For information, call the Financial Aid Office at x4301.

Perkins Loan Exit Interviews Scheduled

All students graduating in December who received Perkins Loan money as part

of their financial aid packages at FSU are required to complete an exit interview prior to commencement. These mandatory sessions will be Monday, Dec. 3, in Lane University Center, room 202 and Tuesday, Dec. 4, in the Lane University Center, room 201. The session will be held at 9, 10 and 11 a.m. and 2 and 3 p.m. Students may choose the day and time which best meets their schedule. All students must present a picture ID and have telephone and address information for three references. If you are unsure if you received Perkins Loan funds or for information, contact Denise Fazenbaker at x3186.

Athletics



Girls Basketball Clinic

An FSU Girls Basketball Clinic for grades 4 to 12 will he held Nov. 11, from 2 to 5 p.m. at FSU. Registration starts at 1 p.m. Frostburg State University coaches and players will staff clinic. The first 50 to register will get a free T-shirts.

For information and group rates, call x4466 or e-mail jpepple@frostburg.edu.

Community



Nov. Meeting of AAUW

The November meeting of the Frostburg Branch, American Association of University Women, will be Tuesday, Nov. 6, at the Frostburg United Methodist Church Hall at 7:30 p.m. Dr. Barry Fischer will discuss the new dance major at FSU. Refreshments will be served by hostesses Sarah Crall, chair, Charlotte Sigler, MaryJo Price and Helen Bearman. For information, call Jeanne Cordts at (301) 689-8907. The public is welcome.

Get Involved



CCM Meditation Night

Tuesday, Nov. 6, is "Meditation Night" with Catholic Campus Ministry. Spend some time in prayer through meditation starting at 7:30 p.m. at the Osborne Newman Center's Bishop Murphy Hall.

UCM Service

The United Campus Ministry worship service at Centre St. United Methodist Church in Cumberland will be Sunday, Nov. 11, at 10 a.m.

Philosophy Club

The Philosophy Club, as part of its 2001-2002 Film Series, will view and discuss David Cronenberg's film "eXistenZ" on Thursday, Nov. 8, at 7:30 p.m. in 140/141 Lane University Center. Everyone is welcome!

BURG Welcomes Any Interested Students

All students interested in joining or learning more about the BURG Peer

Education Network should attend Thursday's general meeting at Ort Library 237 at 3:30 p.m. This is an opportunity to meet current peer educators to find out how BURG empowers FSU students to develop healthy lifestyles through positive decision-making.

For information on the BURG Peer Education Network and its upcoming events, stop by 111 Sand Spring Hall, call x3081 or e-mail fsu_burg@yahoo.com.

International



Apply Now for Intersession Programs

Spend New Year's in the Andes!

The intersession program in Ecuador will offer courses in Spanish, Latin American Women and Biology, presented at the Centro de Estudios Interamericanos for four weeks from late December through mid-January. Contact Dr. MacGregor O'Brien at x4287 or Dr. Gwen Brewer at x4306.

French, Quebec Culture and Snow Sports

Students can apply now for a three-week, intensive French language program at the University of Quebec in Chicoutimi. French classes are taught at all levels, and students can participate in snow sports and other cultural events during the afternoons. Scholarships are available from the CIE. Contact Tom Carr at x4747.

The Center for International Education offers a variety of ways for FSU students to see the world. In many cases students register at FSU during a semester abroad and can take all financial aid with them and transfer credit back to FSU. For information on any of the programs or scholarships that may be available, check with Dr. Amy Simes at the CIE in the Fuller House on Braddock Road, call her at x3091 or e-mail her at asimes@frostburg.edu. Or visit the CIE Web page at www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm.

Study Down Under: Australia, New Zealand

FSU is affiliated with AustraLearn, an organization that provides unique opportunities to study at a variety of universities in Australia and New Zealand. AustraLearn arranges cheap flights, an orientation program on the Great Barrier Reef, pre-registration and transcript evaluation. Students may choose from a broad range of course offerings at campuses set in beautiful and exotic surroundings. Scholarships are available from both FSU and AustraLearn.

Study in Newcastle, England

Students interested in studying at the University of Northumbria in Newcastle, England, may apply now for next spring semester. Newcastle is one of the liveliest cities in the UK, just across the Channel from Amsterdam and three hours north of London (one hour south of Edinburgh) by train. Course offerings are available in a wide variety of subjects. The cost of the program about the same as one semester

at FSU and all financial aid will transfer.

Do Your Student Teaching in Copenhagen

Education majors who would like to earn a semester of FSU credits while studying in Denmark should apply now for next spring semester's exchange program with the KDAS School of Teacher Training in Copenhagen. Students complete projects and spend several weeks in Danish schools practicing student teaching skills. All courses are in English. Financial aid transfers and scholarships are available.

Octoberfest or Mayfest in Germany

FSU students who would like to take part in UMUC's semester programs in Schwabisch Gmund in southern Germany are advised to apply to the CIE. The campus is part of the University of Maryland system, and all credits transfer back to FSU. Live in a beautiful medieval village and study on a campus with students from over 100 countries. All teaching is in English, and German instruction is offered as well. Scholarships are available from both FSU and UMUC. Students may apply for fall or spring.

Study in Limerick, Ireland

Students interested in taking part in the Ireland Exchange Program in Limerick should come by the CIE for information about the spring 2003 program. Participants in the program study at Mary Immaculate College and take one FSU class and three MIC classes. All financial aid will transfer and scholarships are available.

Semester Overseas for Same Price as FSU

The International Student Exchange Program allows FSU students to register at FSU, pay FSU tuition and housing, and then study overseas for a semester, year or summer at one of over 200 locations. Students may take financial aid with them and may apply for scholarships from the CIE. Students may choose programs taught in either English or other languages. For the price of an airline ticket, this is a great way to earn credit towards your FSU degree while enjoying life in a foreign culture. Apply now for summer and fall 2002.

Choose from over 20 Locations to Study

FSU affiliates with the American Institute for Foreign Study (AIFS) which offers study abroad programs at of universities around the world. Programs are open to all majors. Study in Prague, South Africa or Japan. You may register at FSU and use your financial aid for all programs. AIFS offers scholarships.

Scholarships Available for Overseas Study

In addition to taking financial aid overseas, students may apply for a variety of scholarships for study abroad programs. The CIE offers scholarships for all FSU programs in the amount of \$500 and \$1,000. Some departments also offer scholarships for overseas study. There are additional scholarships available from study abroad organizations, such as AustraLearn and ISEP, and there are two scholarships available for residents of Maryland (MIEA) and for U.S. students on financial aid (Gilman). There are also national scholarships, such as Rotary, NSEP and Fulbright.

FSU Events Calendar



Look for the FSU weekly events calendar on the Web at www.frostburg.edu/weekcal.htm

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5

Enjoy your day!

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

* International Film Series: "The Ice Rink"	7:00 p.m	Atkinson Room
* Sigma Tau Delta Open Mic	7:00 p.m	Derezinski Lounge/Loft
Delta Zeta Date Auction	7:00 p.m	Manicur Assembly Hall

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Alumni Leadership Luncheon Series: Karen Tre	ber, Assistant to the	President -
"Liability and Everything You Are Afraid to Ask"	noon	Atkinson Room
Faculty Senate Meeting	4:00 p.m	Atkinson Room
RHA Meeting	4:45 p.m	Dunkle 218
* CAB/BURG Lecture: Bernie McGrenahan - "B	eware of the Binge"	
	7:00 p.m	Lane ARMAH

* UCM Kristallnacht PAC

BSA General Body Meeting	8:00 p.m	Atkinson Room

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8 * Women's Volleyball: NCAA Regionals (Nov. 8-10) - TBA

FRIDAY. NOVEMBER 9

* Art Gallery BFA Thesis Exhibitions (through Dec. 9)	Roper Gallery
* CAB Film: "America's Sweethearts" 7:00 p.m. & midnight.	Atkinson Room
* FSU Jazz Ensemble 8:00 p.m.	PAC Recital Hall
* Baseball Team: Dance, Queen City Funk & Soul 9:00 p.m 0	Cordts Main Arena

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10

* Men's & Women's Cross Country: NCAA III Mid-East Regional/Championships @ Bethlehem, PA

Graduate Record Exam	7:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.r	n Dunkle 218
* Admissions Open House Recruitment	9:00 a.m	Lane Center
* Regents Cup Football: Salisbury State Univ	ersity 1:00 p.m	RFK Stadium
* Men's & Women's Swimming: Penn State U	Iniversity-Altoona with	Washington &
Jefferson College	1:00 n m	Home
	1.00 p.1111	
* CAB Film Series: "America's Sweethearts"	•	
•	8:00 p.m	Atkinson Room

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11

* UCM Worship Service at Centre Street United Methodist Church (Cumberland) @ 10:00 a.m.

* CCM Mass	noon & 8:00 p.m	Cook Chapel
* CAB Film Series: "America's Sweethearts"	2:00 p.m	Atkinson Room
* Planetarium: "Deep Space Mysteries"		

* Open to the public. Questions? Call 301-687-4411. All information subject to change.

FSU is committed to making all of its programs, services, and activities accessible to persons with disabilities. You may request accommodations through the ADA Compliance Office, 302 Hitchins, 301-687-4102, TDD 301-687-7955.



At Work or at Play, Let Safety Lead the Way



Gain Work/Volunteer Experience Overseas

Students interested in working abroad should come by the CIE for information about internships, volunteer organizations and paid work overseas. Many organizations help students obtain jobs and work permits, and some help to arrange housing as well. Students can choose from short experiences (1 to 2 months) to longer experiences (4 to 12 months), or even look into a more serious commitment (1 to 3 years). Destinations are available throughout the world.

Learn More About Study Abroad

Students who would like to learn more about study abroad opportunities

and how they fit into a degree program, may come to the CIE. The staff will provide an overview of study abroad programs and requirements and have application forms available. Scholarship and financial aid information will also be available. Students may use the CIE library and computer to search for programs. Videos are also available.

Music From Around the World

Tune in to the university's commercial-free radio station, WFWM (91.9 FM), every Wednesday between 7 and 8 p.m. for "Planet Frostburg." Listen to both traditional and contemporary world music and get the latest from the CIE about study abroad opportunities.

^{*} SGA Senate Meeting 7:30 p.m. Atkinson Room