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WELCOME BACK TO THE 'BURG!

Welcome Week Events

Tuesday, Aug. 29

Welcome Back Block Party

(Rain date: Wednesday, Aug. 30)

6-10 p.m.

Main Street Frostburg

Frostburg's Main Street will come alive as local businesses welcome FSU students, faculty and staff and the greater Frostburg community to the annual "Block Party." Enjoy this great Frostburg tradition. Get to know local businesses, churches, community members, services and resources in Frostburg.

The evening of live music, games and giveaways promises fun and entertainment for all ages. A variety of inexpensive food items will also be available. Free shuttles from campus to Main Street will be offered.

This event is sponsored by the Frostburg Business and Professional Association, in cooperation with FSU and the Frostburg Parks and Recreation, as a way to bring together the campus and city communities and to familiarize FSU's students with the businesses in Frostburg.

Wednesday, Aug. 31

UPC Presents: Fooling April

9 p.m.

Manicur Assembly Hall

Infectious pop hooks. Unforgettable melodies. Memorable solo chops. This quartet has all the corners covered. Unpretentious, poignant and humorous lyrics combined with sophisticated song structures are found in the timeless music of Fooling April. Four talented, motivated, hard-working and highly sensitive musicians comprise this outstanding



Fooling April



ensemble. With a focus on acoustic-edged melodic pop seamlessly blending with classic and modern-rock sensibilities, Fooling April has been pulling in new devotees at every opportunity. Fooling April has appeared with John Mayer, Dave Matthews, Dido, Pat McGee Band and the Strokes. Fooling April is a serious player on the national musical landscape. Piano driven pop-rock has always been a staple of American music and seldom have any artists handled it so masterfully.

Aug. 31-Sept. 3

Feature Film: Mission Impossible III

Thursday, 7 p.m.; Friday, 2 and 8 p.m.;

Saturday, 2 and 8 p.m.; Sunday, 6 p.m.

Lane University Center Atkinson Room

Friday, Midnight
Diehl Hall Lounge

Tom Cruise returns to one of his signature roles, Secret Agent Ethan Hunt, in "Mission: Impossible III." In this pulse-racing, mind-bending action thriller, Hunt confronts the toughest villain he's ever faced - Owen Davian, an international weapons and information provider with no remorse and no conscience. This is an enthralling, intricate story with an unexpected and arresting payoff that satisfies on every level. "M:i:III" is the action movie audiences have been waiting for.

Friday, Sept. 1

Back to the 'Burg!

10 p.m. -2 a.m.

Manicur Assembly Hall

Welcome new and returning students. It's the first UPC party of the year, so let' make it a great one. FREE for FSU students with student I.D.; \$3 for all others. Valid I.D. required for entry.

Saturday, Sept. 2

RED/BLACK Scrimmage Game

3:30 p.m.

Bobcat Stadium

Come out and support the football team! There will be music, giveaways, spirit contests and more. You will have the chance to win a "back to school" package and the first 100 visitors to the concession stand will receive FREE popcorn and a FREE soda. The event is sponsored by the FSU Alumni Association, FSU Annual Fund and the Bobcat Club. For more information, contact the Office of Alumni Programs at x4068. !

Comedy: Joel Chasnoff & Roy Wood Jr.

9 p.m.

Manicur Assembly Hall

The University Programming Council is bringing top-notch comedians Joel Chasnoff and Roy Wood Jr. to FSU. The performers, known as two of the brightest young comics in the country, perform in an event that is free and open to the public.

On tour, Chasnoff has performed as the opening act for both Jon Stewart and Louis Black. He is most at home on the college scene where he is known as a clever comic who relishes sharing his college experiences on stage and who analyzes the often crazy and befuddled mindset of the college student.

Hailing from Birmingham, Ala., Wood Jr.



Roy Wood Jr.



Joel Chasnoff

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started his comedy career in 1999 at the age of 19. His creative writing and dedicated work ethic have since earned him the right to perform in front of millions of Americans on various television programs, including the 2005-06 Seasons of Comedy Central's "Premium Blend" and BET's "Comic View."

Sunday, Sept. 3

Off-Campus Trip: FSU Night with the Hagerstown Suns

Bus departs from Performing Arts Center Parking Lot at 3 p.m. Game time at Hagerstown Municipal Stadium is 5:35 p.m.

End the summer with a baseball game. It is FSU Night with the Hagerstown Suns, and the first 1,000 people through the gate will receive a

"My Name is Earl" bobble head. ("My Name is Earl" was created by FSU alum, Greg Garcia). In addition to the bobble head giveaway, you will have the chance to participate in the



world's largest game of duck, duck, goose, receive a coupon for free ice cream at the ball park, and enjoy a picnic dinner with the Alumni Association. Cost is \$12 and includes transportation, ticket to the game, and dinner. Tickets on sale at the Lane University Center Information Desk.

Bus will depart from the ball park 15 minutes after the game ends.

Tuesday, Sept. 5

UPC General Board Meeting

8 p.m.

Lane University Center Game Room

Being a General Board member is a way for you to help plan and implement events without a large time commitment. General Board members can volunteer to assist with one event or all of the events. To learn more about volunteer opportunities, come out and meet the UPC Executive Board. Light refreshments and door prizes will be available.

Thursday, Sept. 7

Pizza & Volleyball Welcome

5:30 p.m.

Sand Spring Hall 124

United Campus Ministry is sponsoring a Pizza & Volleyball Welcome. For those who wish, there will also be an opportunity to play some volleyball in the Annapolis Hall court. This is a great way to meet new people! Contact Larry Neumark at x7490 if you have questions.

Art



Exhibition Reveals Potency of Memories

An exhibition at FSU's Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery will take a closer look at how the passage of time and images from dreams shape memory and imagination. Featuring a colorful mix of paintings,

collages and other works by four distinct artists, "Instigators of Memory" will be on view Sept. 1-27 at the gallery, with a free, public reception from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 1.

Gail Watkins, an artist based in Annapolis, Md., creates richly

collaged abstract paintings that play with perceptions of time by fusing the Pop art aesthetic of American comic strips with ancient motifs and antiqued surfaces. Combining repeated patterns often borrowed from ancient Greek vases and other artifacts with photocopies of modern-day comic strips, Watkins builds up her surface using layers of paper, then tears it down and encloses it in a mix of paint and glue that creates a timeworn look. The comic strip imagery, something that is part of everyday popular culture, pictures that millions of people look at in their daily rituals of reading newspapers, suddenly appears ancient and archaic, worn down from the passage of time. Bringing a lifelong interest in both Near Eastern and Roman archaeology into her painting, Watkins reframes fragmentation, decay, discovery and wonder as metaphors for seeing. "In the cycle of history, the new is repeated from the old," Watkins said. "It is this natural process of formation and dissolution that interests me and is evident in my work."

Like Watkins and her use of comic strips, Connecticut-based Ann Weiner also relies on familiar imagery in her mixed-media artwork. Weiner uses antique dolls, emblems of childhood and innocence, to depict the progress of a spiritual journey. To Weiner, the doll represents intuition, or what she refers to as the "inner knowing" that a mother passes on to a daughter. Weiner embeds dolls and doll imagery in sculpted or painted surfaces marked by targets, spirals and other patterns. These markings represent the various forces that drive individual souls, through a labyrinth of errant destinies, to their own individual destinies. Weiner adds words, often fragments of poems, to illuminate these personal journeys, text she scribbles into encaustic or carves into steel. Holographic or lenticular imagery further enhances these intriguing maps that plot the timeless search for a spiritual self. In discussing her work, Weiner has noted, "My soul's story is spoken in this language of its own."

Elizabeth Austin, an artist who lives in Paris and New Hampshire, paints otherworldly landscapes on the reverse side of thick, plastic panels. Her recent works, "The Nocturnes," feature magical scenes of woods set at night in rich and densely layered reds, blues and greens that sparkle with metallic powders and collaged holographic foil. These dream-like visions of nature remind the viewer how the forest at night evokes an age-old sense of wonder.



Ann Weiner, *Flight Interrupted* (detail), mixed media, kites, 20 x 20 inches each

experienced before, therefore making my work all that more vivid and memorable."

Marian Bingham, or Bing as she is professionally known, also infuses her paintings and photographs with familiar imagery that is timeless and unforgettable. Bing's "Dream Horse Series" focuses on horses, animals that are as present in ancient cave drawings and hieroglyphics as they are in Renaissance and Baroque paintings and modern artwork. Her works often depict faded moments of observation of horses taken from her childhood, when she often rode horses out in her home in California.

"The close association of the horse in the development of man—in the very earliest of art, in myths and literature, and as part of his dreams and literature—forms my connection with them," Bing said.

The Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery has free admission and is open to the public Sunday through Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. For information, call the Department of Visual Arts at x4797.



Speakers

'Science, Religion and Intelligent Design'

Dr. Richard Raesly, professor of biology at FSU, and Rev. Bill Pinches, pastor of the Frostburg Presbyterian Church, will explore the controversial subject "Science, Religion & Intelligent Design" at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12, in the FSU Compton Science Center, room 226.

The all-campus program is free and open to the public. It is sponsored by United Campus Ministry.

Raesly has taught biology at FSU since 1989. His research interests and areas of expertise include ecology and evolution of introduced species, evolution and systematics of freshwater fish, biology of endangered species and stream ecology. Raesly's research has been funded by several granting agencies, such as the Environmental Protection Agency, National Park Service, The Nature Conservancy, Maryland Department of Natural Resources, Soviet Academy of Sciences and National Geographic Society. His work has also been published in many peer-reviewed journals, including "Transactions of the American Fisheries Society," "American Midland Naturalist" and others. Raesly received his B.S. in biology from Albright College, Master of Wildlife

"In my current work, I try to evoke images that will linger in a person's memory as a sort of feeling or even a dreamy location, if you will," Austin said. "I hope my images remind viewers of some place or circumstance that they have even

Biology from FSU and Ph.D. in Ecology from Penn State University.

Pinches has been pastor of the Frostburg Presbyterian Church for three years and is chair of the Committee on Preparation for the Ministry of Baltimore Presbytery. He also serves as a member of the FSU United Campus Ministry Board of Directors. He received his B.A. in religion from Bates College in Lewiston, Maine and both his Master of Divinity and Master of Theology from Princeton Theological Seminary.

For more information, call x7490.

Theatre



CAST Brings 'Twelfth Night' to FSU Sept. 13

CAST, the Cambridge American Stage Tour will present "Twelfth Night" in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre on Wednesday, Sept. 13, at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$5 for students and \$10 for the general public.

Since 1999, CAST, the Cambridge University American Stage Tour, has sent the brightest theatrical talent from Cambridge University, England, across the Atlantic to perform Shakespeare to audiences in the United States.

Directed and produced entirely by members of the student body, this year's offering is one of Shakespeare's greatest works, containing aspects typical of Elizabethan and Jacobean comedy: twins, mistaken identity, thwarted love, pranks and a punning clown. In "Twelfth Night" Shakespeare shows that life is, and must be, a mixture of both comedy and tragedy and that our role is to capture happiness and to hold onto it for as long as possible.

Entertainment



Cultural Events Series Offers Diverse Lineup

With everything from the best of Broadway and New Orleans jazz to puppetry arts and Ramona Quimby, the 2006-2007 FSU Cultural Events Series boasts a lively lineup of entertainment for all ages this year. FSU's two performance series, the CES Jazz Club sponsored by Kauffman Music and the Main Stage series, provide an opportunity to enjoy art, music and theater from throughout the world in the scenic setting of Western Maryland. With affordable admission prices and local, easy-access venues, FSU's Cultural Events Series makes it easy for performing arts fans to see top-quality shows without having to go the distance.

The Main Stage Series gets the season off to an explosive start with Neil Berg's "100 Years of Broadway" at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 21, in FSU's Performing Arts Center Pealer Recital Hall. This spectacular medley recreates some of the biggest moments from the best known Broadway musical shows of the century, including "The Phantom of the Opera," "Les Miserables" and "Jekyll and Hyde."

Supported by an all-star New York band, the show features revivals of Broadway classics as well as numbers from Broadway's newest hit shows being performed by the stars straight from Broadway.

In late September, don't miss FSU's first Appalachian Festival celebrating the artistic and musical traditions of Western Maryland's region! Activities include performances and workshops of old-time music, bluegrass, gospel, shape-note singing and more. Exhibitions and demonstrations of traditional arts such as rug-making, quilting, basketry, spinning, chair-caning, soap-making and folk medicinal practices run throughout the day Saturday, Sept. 23, in the Upper Quad area on campus. Local vendors will also offer regional foods ranging from buckwheat pancakes and maple syrup to sausage and sauerkraut. A special pancake breakfast prepared by the Frostburg Rotary Club will be held 7 a.m.-noon in the St. Michael Church Cafeteria.

The festival is capped off with an evening celebration performance featuring Liz Carroll, John Doyle, Dirk Powell and Bruce Molskey at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the Performing Arts Center. Chicago-born Carroll won the Senior All-Ireland Fiddle Championship at age 18 and has been awarded a National Endowment for the Arts National Heritage Fellowship. Dublin-born Doyle is an accomplished musician whose work is heard on radio, television and film, as well as in concert. This daring and inventive duo will share the stage – and their musical roots – with two talented Appalachian musicians, Bruce Molsky, a fiddler, guitarist, banjoist and singer; and critically acclaimed banjoist and fiddler Dirk Powell.

The CES lineup continues throughout the season:

- Maryland Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 13, Performing Arts Center Pealer Recital Hall.
- Aquila Theatre Company presents "Romeo & Juliet" at 7:30 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 5, Performing Arts Center Drama Theatre.
- The CES Jazz Club sponsored by Kauffman Music presents jazz singer Rachael Price at 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 18, at Windsor Hall at Town Centre, Cumberland.
- Three Irish Tenors present "Christmas from Dublin," 7:30 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 19, and Monday, Nov. 20, in the Performing Arts Center Drama Theatre.
- Moscow Symphony Orchestra presents "Celebrating the Holidays," at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 14, at the Allegany High School Auditorium in Cumberland.
- "Urban Cowboy – The Musical," Friday, Jan. 26, and Saturday, Jan. 27, for three performances in the Performing Arts Center Drama Theatre.
- TheatreworksUSA presents "Ramona Quimby," 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24, at the Performing Arts Center Drama Theatre.
- Capitol Quartet, 3 p.m. on Sunday, March 4, at the Performing Arts Center Pealer Recital Hall.

• Preservation Hall Jazz Band, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 15, at the Lane University Center Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall. Presented as part of the CES Jazz Club sponsored by Kauffman Music.

• Cashore Marionettes, Sunday, April 15, at the Performing Arts Center Drama Theatre. At 3 p.m. is the family program, "Simple Gifts," which is recommended for adults and children no younger than eight. "Life in Motion," performed at 7:30 p.m., is recommended for adult and young adult audiences.

• Mike Tomaro, part of the CES Jazz Club, 8 p.m. on Saturday, April 28, Windsor Hall at Town Centre, Cumberland.

• Los Folkloristas at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, April 30, in the Performing Arts Center Pealer Recital Hall.

Discounts are available for both the Main Stage and Jazz Club series as well as a Build Your Own series. Purchasing series subscriptions guarantees the best seats in the house at a discount off individual event tickets. To purchase tickets or for more information, call the FSU Cultural Events Box Office at x3137 or toll free at 1-866-TIXX-CES, or visit online at ces.frostburg.edu.



Take Note

FSU Gains Middle States Reaccreditation

FSU's accreditation with the Middle States Commission on Higher Education was reaffirmed unconditionally in June.

Reaccreditation means that FSU continues to meet the eligibility requirements put in place by the Commission on Higher Education in its Characteristics of Excellence.

In addition, FSU was commended for the quality of its self-study report.

This reaffirmation is the culmination of an exhaustive two-year self-study process that involved nearly 90 faculty, staff members and students, as well as a visit from a Middle States evaluation team in April.

The evaluation team in particular noted that since the last time FSU's accreditation was reaffirmed in 1996, the University has evolved from a comprehensive college to a regional university.

As part of the self-study, a special emphasis was placed on the University's relationship with and commitment to its community, in particular its cultural, community service and economic development efforts.

That community outreach was one of the areas the evaluation team found commendable, in addition to the University's support systems for students, its innovative general education and online programs and its ability to enroll a diverse student body.

Student Groups Invited to Join Majors Fair

The Advising Center, in collaboration with SGA, the Provost's Office and the

Colleges of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Education and Business, is sponsoring the 2006 Majors Fair in the Manicur Assembly Hall on Wednesday, Sept. 27, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The fair will be an opportunity for upper division students to create displays, share information about their majors and organizations with undeclared students, and compete for cash prizes and gifts. Student honors and interest groups attached to any academic department who have not already signed up and wish to participate should contact Elaine Barry in the Advising Center, 126 Hitchins, x3132, to sign up for an early September information session.

Is the Writing Center Right for You?

The Writing Center is located in Pullen 151. Hours of operation, beginning Sept. 10, are Sundays, 6 to 8 p.m.; Mondays through Wednesdays, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Fridays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Writing Center bookmarks are available with hours of operation included (just ask).

- One-on-one tutoring sessions are free to all students at any level.
- Tutors are trained to help students develop their skills over time rather than offer a “quick fix.”
- Tutors can help students brainstorm, help them with high-order concerns like thesis, focus, organization, and development, or work with them at the sentence level as well as teach them how to proofread.
- Tutors can help students understand written assignments and/or professors’ comments on returned papers.
- The pass rate for tutored students in composition courses in the fall of 2005 was higher across the board than for non-tutored students.

For more information, contact Dr. Phoebe Wiley, x4066 or x3077.

8th Annual Study Abroad Fair – Sept. 19

The Center for International Education will hold its Eighth Annual Study Abroad Fair on Tuesday, Sept. 19, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Delaney Plaza, the clock tower area in front of the Lane University Center (or in Room 201 if it rains). Representatives will be attending from many of FSU’s study abroad affiliates and from other USM campuses. Returning study abroad students and faculty, as well as international students, will be on hand to answer questions about studying, working, volunteering or just traveling overseas. Come celebrate the “Year of Study Abroad.”

Important Reminder for December Graduates

If you are planning to graduate at the end of this semester, please note the following:

- The 129th Commencement Ceremony is scheduled for **Sunday**, Dec. 17,

in the Cordts Physical Education Center. The College of Business and College of Education will hold its service at 11 a.m., while the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will present its graduates at the 2 p.m. ceremony.

- If you have not yet filed for a graduation application at the Registrar’s Office, **YOU MUST DO SO IMMEDIATELY**. All mailings related to Commencement are based on the listing of students who have filed for graduation.

- The first mailing, which details additional information about Commencement, is scheduled for the first week in October. Information is sent to both your local and your permanent address. If the Registrar does not have an updated local address, please provide this information as soon as possible, or you can update your local address online.

- Caps and gowns are provided at no cost to all graduates; however, you must be fitted in advance. Order your cap and gown now at the University Bookstore. Please place your order by Oct. 16.

- A Grad Fair will be held Oct. 16 in the Manicur Assembly Hall in the Lane University Center from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Vendors will be present for ordering your class ring or diploma frames. The bookstore will also be present for fitting and ordering your cap and gown or ordering your announcements. There will also be other University services available, as well as giveaways and refreshments.

Full details about Commencement are on the University’s Web site. Go to “Current Students” and Commencement information is under Academics on the left side.

If you have any other questions about Commencement, please contact Brittini Teter at x4423 or bkteter@frostburg.edu.

FSU Logos to Go

The resolution of the FSU logo copied from our Web site is not suitable for printed documents. High resolution versions of the FSU logo are available on the Campus U drive in a folder named “FSU Logos.” The selections include several formats (tif, eps and jpeg) and both black and two-color versions.

Also, please do not use any creative renditions of the FSU logo, i.e., no homemade or student-created logos, no more “I don’t have the font that’s used in the logo but I like this one better anyway” substitutions. In addition, it is no longer appropriate to use the FSU centennial logo.

If you are unable to access the U drive or have any questions, e-mail cstump@frostburg.edu.

Beyond the Wall Poster Sale Aug. 28-30

From Aug. 28 to 30, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day, the Beyond the Wall Poster Sale will offer a wide selection of art, prints and posters for sale. These are great items for decorating an apartment or residence hall room or giving as gifts. Look for them in Lane University Center 140-141.

Points of Pride



To date, more than \$213,000 has been raised through the FSU Foundation Inc. for the **Catherine R. Gira Campus to Community Fund**, which will support student leadership programs, alumni connections, community service, internships and study abroad.

FSU’s former president established the scholarship because of her belief that that student education is incomplete if it is limited only to classroom learning.

There were two primary fund-raising events. The first, in April, was held at the Hidden Waters home of the University System of Maryland Chancellor, Dr. William E. Kirwan. The second, held in May, was the Crystal Gala, sponsored by the Allegany County Chamber of Commerce and The Greater Cumberland Committee. More than 150 attended the Gala, and about 250 attended the Hidden Waters event.

The Gira Fund is designed to support students who demonstrate an entrepreneurial spirit, critical thinking skills and a determination to be successful. The activities it supports will nurture students who are prepared for the workplace in an increasingly competitive, global economy. Unlike many scholarships, the Gira Fund will assist students with expenses that often make these opportunities otherwise unattainable, such as transportation and housing.

The endowment is now large enough that annual awards are expected to exceed \$8,000.

Counseling and Psychological Services at FSU has been reaccredited by the International Association of Counseling Services Inc., an Alexandria, Va.,-based organization of U.S., Canadian and Australian college counseling agencies.

FSU’s Counseling Center was evaluated by IACS against high standards of counseling practice and was found to offer competent and reliable professional services to its clientele. IACS Approval is also dependent upon evidence of continuing professional development, as well as demonstration of excellence of counseling performance.

In true interdisciplinary fashion, **Karen Starkey** (a social work major) conducted a survey for a marketing course for her minor in business (using the research methods she learned in social work). The report has been accepted as a presentation in Honolulu for the Chinese Management Educators.

Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

Paid Tutoring Positions Available with PASS

Programs for Academic Support and Studies (PASS) has paid positions for tutors for the following subject areas: math, geography, accounting, Spanish, biology, economics, chemistry and history.

If you are interested in getting paid to help others, please drop by Pullen Hall 150 or e-mail rshoover@frostburg.edu.

Blowing the Whistle on Intramurals

Work is available for scorekeepers, referees and officials for FSU Intramurals. Please stop by the intramurals office in Cordts P.E. Center room 153 to pick up an application. Federal work-studies need to get forms from the Financial Aid office first.

Student Telemarketing Positions Available

The Office of University Advancement, Office of Annual Giving is now hiring experienced telemarketers to help with the Fall 2006 Annual Fund Telemarketing Campaign. This is an excellent opportunity to earn extra money and gain experience in telemarketing.

Candidates will be responsible for soliciting contributions from alumni, friends and parents for unrestricted gifts to the University. A number of positions are available. The positions are part-time evenings most of the semester paying \$6.75 to \$9.75 per hour.

Prior telemarketing experience, advanced marketing and sales skills are helpful. Excellent organization and communication skills are a must. Candidates must be available to work most evenings, Sunday through Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Interested candidates can access an application online at www.frostburg.edu/admin/foundation/roi/annualfund/phonathon/index.htm

Print the application, complete it and return it to the University Advancement Office, Hitchins 228 by Sept 11. For more information, call x3163.

Athletics



Intramurals for Fall

Sports available are:

- 4 on 4 volleyball (men and co-ed division)
- Flag football (men and women division)
- Floor hockey (co-ed only division)
- Whiffleball (co-ed division only)
- 3 on 3 basketball (men and women's division)

Please see the bulletin board in the PE center, room 153, or call x4466.



Activities for Life

For information and registration, contact Amy Nazelrod, Center Coordinator at x7934.

Dancing Through the Decades

A Dancing Through the Decades class will be offered on Thursdays from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., running from Sept. 7 to Nov. 9. The class, which will be held in the Cordts PE Center Dance Studio, will be

taught by Desiree Witt. The cost is \$75.

Dancing through the Decades is a fun and physical way to learn styles of dance from the 1920s to today. The class will focus on easy dance moves that reflect the decades of American popular music. This class is suited for the beginner or non-dancer, teenage to adult, male and female.

Proper attire consists of loose fitting clothing, tennis shoes, bare feet or soft-soled shoes. Advance registration is required. At least nine participants are required to hold the class.

Creative Movement Class for 3-5-year-olds

A Creative Movement ballet class for boys and girls ages 3 to 5 years will be offered on Tuesdays from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. It will run from Sept. 5 to Nov. 14 (no class October 31). The class will be held in the Cordts P.E. Center Dance Studio.

The class is designed with the very young dancer in mind. It stresses natural dance movement, stretching, music appreciation and creative dance/movement. Movement focuses on coordination, large motor skills development, musical awareness, spatial awareness, and listening skills. The cost for the class is \$75. A minimum of nine participants is needed to have the class.

For information, please call instructor Desiree Witt at 301-722-4813 or 301-689-3052. Registration deadline is Friday, Sept. 1.

Community



Go Cruisin' Main Street

Cars are the stars and rock 'n' roll rules when Main Street Frostburg turns back the clock for the Fifth Annual Cruisin' Main Street Frostburg on Thursday, Aug. 31.

Classic cars will cruise up and down Frostburg's main drag from 5 to 11 p.m. Then, starting at 7 p.m., rock 'n' roll bands American Pie and The Vogues will perform at the Cordts P.E. Center Main Arena.

Early Bird tickets to the concert are \$10, on sale until Aug. 29. They can be purchased at Allegany County Susquehanna Bank locations, or online at www.cruisainmainstreetfrostburg.com. Tickets will be \$15 at the gate.

AAUW Fall Meeting Scheduled

The initial fall meeting of the Frostburg Branch, American Association of University Women, will be a covered dish supper on Tuesday, Sept. 5, 6:30 p.m., at the Frostburg United Methodist Church Hall, 48 W. Main St.

Following dinner, Dorothea Rowe and Amy Meek will present the program, "Let's Get Acquainted Again." Hostesses will be Rowe, Amy Meek and Martha Meek. Guests are cordially invited. For more information, call Amy Meek at (301) 689-5740.

Janet Paschal Featured Performer at Banquet

Janet Paschal, internationally acclaimed songwriter, vocalist and author, will be the featured performer at the God's Ark of Safety Annual Banquet on Saturday, Sept. 9, at 6:30 p.m. at FSU.

Paschal is one of the most sought-after and admired Christian artists in the country. She has received multiple Grammy and Gospel Music Association nominations and was named Diamond Awards Soloist of the Year in 2005.

Cost is \$20 per person, which includes a banquet meal. For reservations, call (301) 689-3551.

Volunteers



Read to Succeed, Mathletics Needs You

Read to Succeed and Mathletics are accepting applications for new tutors.

Everyone is welcome. This is a great opportunity for education and social work students to earn service hours. Read to Succeed provides two hours a week of free literacy support to children in Kindergarten through eighth grade.

- FSU Ort Library: Monday through Thursday, 5 to 7 p.m.
- St. Michael's School: Tuesdays and Wednesday, 2:45 to 4:45 p.m.
- Rt. 40 Elementary (math only): Thursdays, 3 to 5 p.m.

Training workshops will be offered. For more information, please contact Erin Shank, Read to Succeed coordinator, at x7615.

International



Boren Scholarship Competition Opens

The Institute of International Education is accepting applications for the 2007-2008 National Security Education Program David L. Boren Undergraduate Scholarships for study abroad. NSEP Boren Scholarships provide funding for summer, semester or yearlong study in areas of the world that are critical to U.S. national security but are under-represented in study abroad. IIE encourages interested students to visit www.iie.org/nsep to learn more about the program and begin the application process. All applications must be completed online. The national deadline is Feb. 13, 2007. More information is available from the Center for International Education.

Sept. 1 Deadline for Student Fulbright

The Institute of International Education, in cooperation with the Dept. of State and the Fulbright Scholarship Board, are sponsoring the 2007-2008 Fulbright student competition. The program awards some 1,200 grants yearly and operates in over 140 countries. Students who will be graduating by

May 2007 and are U.S. citizens may apply online at www.fulbrightonline.org. Applications must be submitted both electronically and in hard copy by Sept. 1 to Dr. Amy C. Simes, FSU Fulbright advisor. She will assist with the process. Awards are generous and normally cover overseas costs for a year.

Study Abroad Programs

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 programs or scholarships, contact Dr. Amy Simes at the CIE in the Fuller House on Braddock Road, x3091, asimes@frostburg.edu or visit the CIE Web page at www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie.

Still Time to Apply for Ireland - Spring '07

Students who are interested in applying for the spring semester program at Mary Immaculate College in Limerick, Ireland, are advised immediately to contact either the CIE or Kate Keely (224 Fine Arts, x3209, kkeely@frostburg.edu). Keely will accompany the group next spring and teach three art classes. The program cost is comparable to the cost of attending FSU in-state. An information session will be held in early September (check this space!). Deadline to apply Sept. 29.

The Year of Study Abroad Continues

2006 has been designated by the U.S. Senate as the "Year of Study Abroad." In support, many study abroad affiliates, such as AustralLearn, Cultural Experiences Abroad and the American Institute for Foreign Study will grant financial assistance to students who are accepted for programs overseas. A number of organizations will also award additional scholarship funding to qualifying students as part of this celebration. For information, visit the CIE Web site.

Numerous Cultural Experiences Abroad

Cultural Experiences Abroad has programs in Buenos Aires, Argentina, as well as in Budapest, Hungary, and Prague, Czech Republic. They are also opening their second CEA Study Center in Barcelona. Also, in London they have added Goldsmiths University to their partner schools. For information, visit www.gowithcea.com or the CIE Web site.



Safety Message

You, Me, Pedestrians and Safe Driving

We should know how to drive safely from watching, listening, learning and acting while we are behind the wheel. Have we? Have you?

Do you give pedestrians the right of way? Do you slow down at marked intersections? Do you check your rear view mirror often? Do you avoid distractions?

Today we are the drivers behind the wheel. Tomorrow we may be the pedestrian waiting for the traffic to stop. We should be doing all these and more.

FSU Events Calendar



MONDAY, AUGUST 28

Classes Begin

Late Registration/Drop/Add (through September 1)

- * Student Ethernet Support 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Lane 202
- * UPC Beyond the Wall Poster Sale 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Lane 140-141
- * BURG Mocktail Give Away 11a.m.-3 p.m. ... Chesapeake Dining Hall
- * The Ultimate Road Trip 4:00 p.m. Lane 142

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

- * Student Ethernet Support 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Lane 202
- * UPC Beyond the Wall Poster Sale 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Lane 140-141
- * Frostburg Block Party 6:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. . Main Street, Frostburg

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30

- * Student Ethernet Support 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Lane 202
- * Voter Registration 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Lane Lobby
- * UPC Beyond the Wall Poster Sale 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Lane 140-141
- * Frostburg Block Party (Rain Date) 6-10 p.m. Main Street, Frostburg

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

- * Student Ethernet Support 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Lane 202
- * Voter Registration 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Lane Lobby
- * UPC Feature Film: Mission Impossible III 7:00 p.m. Lane 201
- * UPC Music: Fooling April 9:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

Last Day to Add Classes

- * Student Ethernet Support 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Lane 202
- * Voter Registration 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Lane Lobby
- * Women's Volleyball: Earham Clg. Tournament 2 p.m. Away
- * UPC Feature Film: Mission Impossible III 2 & 8 p.m. Lane 201
- * BSA Welcome Back Cookout 4:00 p.m. Upper Quad
- * Men's Soccer: FSU Tournament 5:30 p.m. & 7:30 p.m. Home
- * Women's Field Hockey: Johns Hopkins Univ. 7 p.m. Away
- * UPC Back to the Burg! 10:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

- * Men's/Women's Cross Country: Shippensburg University Alumni Open Away
- * Women's Volleyball: Earham Clg. Tournament .. 9 a.m. Away
- * Men's Soccer: FSU Tournament 11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m. Home
- * Football: Black & Red Scrimmage 2:00 p.m. Home
- * UPC Feature Film: Mission Impossible III 2 & 8 p.m. Lane 201
- * UPC Comedy: Joel Chasnoff & Roy Wood Jr. ... 9 p.m. Lane ARMAH

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

- * Women's Field Hockey: Lynchburg College noon Away
- * Women's Soccer: Richard Stockton Clg. of N.J. .. noon Home
- * CCM Mass noon & 8:00 p.m. Cook Chapel
- * UPC Off-Campus Trip: FSU Night with the Hagerstown Suns 3:00 p.m.
- * UPC Feature Film: Mission Impossible 3 6:00 p.m. Lane 201

* 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.



The Cost of an Accident Is Always Higher Than the Price of Prevention