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Frostburg State University Commencement Ceremonies Slated for May 21

FSU will celebrate and recognize the achievements of its May 2011 graduating class during the University's 138th commencement ceremonies **Saturday, May 21**, in the Harold J. Cordts Physical Education Center's Main Arena.

President Jonathan Gibraltar will confer degrees on graduates during two exercises throughout the day. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will start at 9 a.m. and the College of Business and the College of Education will present degrees beginning at 2 p.m.

Rose Jackson, College of Business; **Robert Kesler**, College of Education; and **Kenisha Boone**, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, are the featured speakers.

Jackson, of Oakland, Md., will graduate as a business administration major with a minor in management. She was the recipient of the MacVeigh and University scholarships. She has attained a 3.92 grade point average and has active leadership roles in the President's Leadership Circle, the College of Business Student Advisory Board and attended the Sloop Conference on Excellence in Leadership. In March she joined faculty and other President's Leadership Circle members as part of a leadership tour in China. She has served FSU students as a developmental math instructor and has also worked as a historical information specialist at the Ruth Enlow Library in Oakland, Md., and as an activities coordinator for a vacation real estate agent.

Kesler, of Westminster, Md., will graduate as an early childhood/elementary education major. Returning to FSU after taking five years off, Kesler has attained a 4.0 grade point average over the past three years. He



Kenisha Boone, Rose Jackson and Robert Kesler

is a member of the President's Leadership Circle and is the first recipient of the Dennis and Dawn Thomas Presidential Leadership Scholarship. He served as a volunteer and intern for the Head Start program. Kesler was also the Read to Succeed site facilitator and participated in Men Can Stop Rape at FSU. Kesler started as a camp counselor in 1999 for Sunshine Kids Club in Sykesville, Md., moved to director of the before- and after-care program and then to director of the kindergarten through ninth-grade summer camp. He was a part-time kindergarten teacher while living in Hawaii. For his internship in a third-grade classroom, he created an interactive and integrated website for the students.

Boone, of Clinton, Md., will graduate with majors in English and Spanish. She has maintained a 3.93 grade point average while excelling in community service and extracurricular activities. Boone was treasurer of the Latin American Student Organization, is the chair of the Black Student Alliance, a member of The President's Advisory Council on Diversity and the Sigma Tau Delta English and Phi Eta Sigma Freshmen honor societies, and a McNair Scholar. Boone studied abroad in summer 2010 in Madrid and Salamanca, Spain, and volunteered with Habitat for Humanity in New Orleans. She has also worked on numerous activities organized by the Women's Studies Program and as a

tutor in FSU's Writing Center. Boone represented FSU while working as an intern at the Washington Literacy Council. Her professional ambition is to establish and effectively operate a nonprofit

organization specializing in aiding inner-city women, and she intends to pursue a doctoral degree.

Provost **Dr. Stephen Simpson**; **Dr. Ken Witmer**, dean of the College of Education; **Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi**, dean of the College of Business; and **Dr. Cindy Herzog**, associate dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, will present candidates for degrees during commencement.

Tickets are required for admission to the spring commencement. For info, visit the commencement Web site at www.frostburg.edu/commencement.

The Office of the Provost
cordially invites you to join
the Frostburg State University community
in celebration of academic excellence

**THE UNIVERSITY
HONORS CONVOCATION**

Friday, May 20, 2011
7:30-9:30 p.m.

Pealer Recital Hall
Performing Arts Center

Reception following in PAC Lobby

Please join us to recognize the recipients of the

Faculty Achievement Awards
Graduate Program Honors
Undergraduate Departmental Honors
Honors in General Education

Distinguished Alumni to Be Recognized



Robin Wynder and Tony Zook

FSU will present the Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award to campus and community leader and mentor **Robin Wynder** and top pharmaceutical industry executive **Tony Zook** at the 138th commencement ceremonies slated for **May 21** in the Cordts Physical Education Center.

At the 9 a.m. ceremony, FSU will honor 1982 graduate Zook, executive vice president of AstraZeneca's Commercial Operation responsible for worldwide marketing and sales activities, including the development

of strategic marketing of prescription medicines designed to improve the health and quality of life of patients around the world. Prior to this role, Zook directed AstraZeneca's largest market – North America – and headed AstraZeneca's Global Marketing function. He was also president of AstraZeneca's biologics business, MedImmune. Zook joined Astra USA in 1997 as vice president-Marketing and Sales, two years before the merger of Astra AB and Zeneca Group Plc in 1999. Zook earned a bachelor's degree

in biology from FSU and an associate degree in chemical engineering from Penn State University. Zook is a member of the Board for First State Innovation, the Pennsylvania Division of the American Cancer Society and the Board of Trustees for the Healthcare Leadership Council. He is married to Trish Ward Zook, a 1983 Frostburg graduate; they have three children.

Wynder, who earned her bachelor’s degree from Frostburg in 1980 and her master’s in 1987, will be honored at the 2 p.m. ceremony. For more than 20 years, Wynder has offered support to FSU students and served numerous community organizations in Western Maryland. She started her FSU career in 1986 as advisor/counselor for Student Support Services. After taking time to care for her family, Wynder returned in 1999 as assistant director for the Diversity Center; she is now the director. As a consultant in diversity and cultural competency, she has conducted workshops for schools, colleges, businesses and civic groups. Wynder is a trained facilitator of the National Coalition Building Institute and serves on the leadership team for the National Black African Heritage Constituency of NCBI. She founded “Sister to Sister,” a program mentoring females of color from elementary to college age, and co-founded the M.A.P. (Motivation and Academic Preparation) Summer Camp Program after learning that few local African-American children had prepared for or taken the PSAT or SAT exams. Wynder and her husband, Bernard, have two children and three granddaughters.

Tickets are required to attend commencement. For info about the ceremonies, visit the commencement website at www.frostburg.edu/events/commencement.

For info about the Distinguished Alumni Achievement Awards, contact the FSU Office of Alumni Programs at x4068.

LaFemina Honored With USM Faculty Public Service Award

Gerard LaFemina, an assistant professor in the FSU Department of English, was honored at the spring meeting of the University System of Maryland Board of Regents with the Regents’ Faculty Award for Public Service.

The USM Regents’ Faculty Award is the highest honor that the Board bestows to recognize exemplary faculty achievement. LaFemina’s honor marks the fourth time in the past five years that an FSU faculty member has been honored by the Regents.



LaFemina’s nomination highlighted his work piloting the Frostburg Center for Creative Writing, a literary arts outreach program developed within the Department of English and sponsored by the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. As director of the Center, LaFemina created partnerships with the arts, educational and business communities; developed quality educational and cultural programming; and promoted the economic impact of arts programming to the community at large. He facilitated the move of the Center to Main Street in Frostburg where they now serve as a partner in Arts Walks and other downtown activities. Under his direction, the Center has served over a thousand writers during the past three years through such innovative programs as their veteran workshops, the Visiting Writers series, the first annual One Act contest held in 2010 with entrants from throughout the country and the annual Nightsun Writers Conference in 2010 that drew writers from five states.

LaFemina has also offered programming for the past three years as part of the Savage Mountain Summer Arts Academy for high school students. These week-long, residential camps in Creative Writing and Garage Band have been very popular and well attended by students from the local region and throughout the state.

Other activities and events he has sponsored include several book groups and writing groups; free monthly craft talks with established writers; The Process of Making talks, which bring a writer and artists together with an audience to investigate the process by which “art” gets made; a regular writing workshop at the Group Home for Young Women at the Cumberland YMCA; and the annual Western Maryland Small Press Fair, which brings publishers and editors from around the region to Frostburg to meet with writers, readers and students from four states and the District of Columbia.

An active member of the Allegany Arts Council, LaFemina has served on their Board of Directors since 2005. He often partners with the Allegany County Library System to offer workshops and discussion groups and offers readings of his work within the local community.

Faculty Achievement Award Winners to Be Honored

The recipients of the 2011 Faculty Achievement Awards, with top graduating students from every degree program, will be honored at the University Honors Convocation on **Friday, May 20**, at 7:30 p.m. in PAC Pealer Recital Hall. All members of the University community are invited to

attend the Convocation and the reception that follows.

This year’s Faculty Achievement Award recipients are **Dr. William L. Anderson**, Department of Economics, for Academic Accomplishment; **Dr. Scott P. Johnson**, Department of Political Science, for Academic Accomplishment; and **Dr. Yan Bao**, Department of Accounting, for University and Community Service. The awards are made possible through generous gifts to the FSU Foundation, Inc.

In addition to the faculty awards, one graduating student per degree program will be honored for academic excellence and leadership. Faculty members in each program have selected 12 graduate students and 36 undergraduate students to be recognized. Also commended will be 30 undergraduate students receiving honors in general education, based on completion of all requirements of the University Honors Program.



Workshops

Is Long-Term Care Insurance Right for You?

FSU employees will have a chance to get the facts by attending an educational Long-Term Care Workshop on **Tuesday, May 17**, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in Lane 111. Attendees will have the opportunity to speak to a specialist or licensed agent from The Prudential Insurance Company of America. They will also learn about coverage discounts available to eligible employees and their extended families.

If interested in attending, contact Kelly Durst at x7487 by 4:30 p.m. on **Monday, May 16**.



Presentations

‘PlanMaryland’ Open House June 2

The Maryland Department of Planning announces an open house will be held **Thursday, June 2**, beginning at 5 p.m. at Lane Center to present the draft state growth plan “PlanMaryland” to Maryland residents and continue dialogue about the plan.

To date, the outreach effort for “PlanMaryland” has reached several thousand stakeholders throughout the state to ensure multiple viewpoints are heard and represented. The “PlanMaryland” process has included 10 listening sessions in 2008 and 13 public forums in the spring of 2010. MDP has also solicited input through online surveys; meetings with civic, cultural and business organizations; and interviews with numerous stakeholders. The resulting feedback has been incorporated into the current draft of “PlanMaryland.”

MDP has scheduled this open house as part of the next phase of public outreach for “PlanMaryland” to share ideas about how to make the plan work. MDP is soliciting feedback on what needs to be done for growth and development to be directed more to the state’s urban and rural communities, towns and cities.

Attendees will be given the opportunity to learn about the plan, talk to state staff and provide comments and input.

The open house is structured so that attendees can arrive any time between 5 and 8 p.m. and to stay for the duration of the program. While pre-registration is not required, you can RSVP at <http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07e3isjiirf1693051e&llr=ayw45wcab>.

For more info, go to Plan.Maryland.gov. For special needs, contact John Coleman in advance at 410-767-4500 or 877-767-6272.

ACES Annual Research Symposium



The Appalachian Center for Ethnobotanical Studies will present its Annual Research Symposium on **Friday, June 24,**

from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Mount Washington Conference Center in Baltimore. This year’s event, co-sponsored by Johns Hopkins Center for a Livable Future, will provide an opportunity to engage with experts in the field and learn more about genomics in medicinal plant research, food production systems and Appalachian networks for sustainability. Invited speakers include Dennis Stevenson of the New York Botanical Gardens; Sally Goerner, author of “The New Science of Sustainability”; and Joe Chappell from the University of Kentucky. Dr. James Duke, author of the “Green Pharmacy,” will perform Appalachian music in celebration of plants.

The meeting is free and open to the public but advance registration is required. Electronic registration can be found at www.frostburg.edu/aces/community-news-events/symposium-registration/, or contact ACES Outreach Coordinator Mimi Hernandez at mhernandez@frostburg.edu or x3136.

Students are encouraged to submit poster abstracts at <http://mirror.frostburg.edu/aces/community-news-events/abstract-upload/>. The deadline to submit abstracts and to be included in the printed abstract book is **June 3**. Receipt of abstracts will be confirmed with an immediate e-mail after Internet submission. Posters should measure 48 inches (width) by 36 inches (height). Poster setup will be at noon.

ACES is a partnership of Frostburg State University, West Virginia University, the University of Maryland and the Tai Sophia Institute. Its mission is to study native plants with medicinal or other useful properties, promote the conservation of these plants and Appalachian ecosystems as a whole, preserve Appalachian culture as it relates to wild plant harvesting and traditional use and work with local businesses to bring economic benefits to the region from managed development of botanical resources. For info about ACES, go to www.frostburg.edu/aces.

The Johns Hopkins Center for a Livable Future promotes research and develops and communicates information about the complex interrelationships among diet, food production, environment and human health. The center advances an ecological perspective in reducing threats to the health of the public and promotes policies that protect health, the global environment and the ability to sustain life for future generations. For info, about the center, go to www.jhsph.edu/clf.

Points of Pride Police Employees Recognized at ACM Awards Ceremony

Three University Police employees were recognized at the first annual Law Enforcement Awards Ceremony on May 9 at Allegany College of Maryland.

Chief Cynthia R. Smith presented the following Certificate of Excellence awards for outstanding service and dedication to the department and campus community: **Cpl. Mike Ruppenkamp** – Police Explorer Program award, **Bridget Yates** – Police Communications Operator Award and **Karen Clark**, administrative assistant – Outstanding Civilian Employee.

ACM, with the Department of Corrections, Western Correctional Institution and North Branch Correctional Institution, hosted the awards ceremony.

Trident Initiative Business Plan Competition

The Trident Initiative Business Plan Competition, “Own Your Tomorrow,” on May 4 was a huge success. Students from **Marty Mattare’s** MGMT 425 Business Plan Development course made five presentations.

Cash and appreciation prizes were awarded at the event. Prize winners were:

- **Chris Loew** – first place, cash award of \$200
- **Tylor Streott** – second place, cash award of \$150

- **James Thompson** – third place, cash award of \$100
- Other winners, who each received a \$25 University Store gift card in appreciation of participation, were:
- **Elizabeth Mason**
 - **Brad Fowler**
 - **Matt Cosner**
 - **Ashley Moore**

Judges for the event were **Mark Malec** and **Pam Rose** of the Small Business Development Center. Arrangements were made by **Stacy Wassell** and **Wilhelm VanAuken**.

Alpha Sigma Alpha Wins More Awards!

Alpha Sigma Alpha won two more awards on May 4 at the Leadership Awards. Alpha Sigma Alpha won Outstanding Educational Program for their Spread the World to End the World event in March. Also, **Jennifer Gover** won the first-ever Making Your Mark Award! Congratulations Alpha Sigma Alpha for winning a total of eight awards this year!

Members of Society for Collegiate Journalists Initiated



Inaugural members of FSU’s chapter of the Society for Collegiate Journalists were initiated May 9 in Dunkle Hall. Pictured, left to right, are **Lunden Gillespie**, **Madison Martin**, co-adviser **Brent Kice** (Communication Studies), **Amy Barkman**, co-adviser **Andy Duncan** (English), **Brittany Murray**, **Rachel DeWoody**, and co-adviser **Melissa Hendricks Boehm** (Mass Communication). Those interested in the chapter this fall should contact the co-advisers.

Relay for Life Surpasses Goal!

Relay for Life surpassed its goal of \$52,000 by raising \$52,470.45! There were 61 teams and 875 registered participants.

- The top teams were:
- What’s Up Docs – \$6,167.80
 - Chele’s Stars – \$5,550
 - Delta Zeta – \$5,533.34
- Top participants were:
- **Melissa Johnson** – \$947.20
 - **Micayla Bowman** – \$871
 - **Sarah Kuhn** – \$846



Take Note



Graduating May 21?

The 138th commencement ceremony is scheduled for **Saturday, May 21**, in the Cordts PE Center. **The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will hold its service at 9 a.m., while the Colleges of Business and Education will present their graduates at 2 p.m.**

A second commencement mailing was sent to students' home and local addresses in mid-April. Mailings are also posted on the Commencement website (www.frostburg.edu/events/commencement) under Information and Resources for Graduates.

Caps and gowns are provided at no cost and may be picked up in the University Store beginning **May 16**. They will also be available immediately before and after graduation rehearsal in the Cordts PE Center Main Arena lobby on **Friday, May 20**, at 4 p.m.

Tickets are required for all guests attending commencement. Ticket policies were included in the second mailing to prospective graduates.

Full details about commencement are on the University's website at www.frostburg.edu/events/commencement.

For info, contact Brittnei Teter at x4423 or bkteter@frostburg.edu.

Commencement – Taking the Celebration Online

Getting excited about commencement (and the end of the semester)? This year, as part of the celebration, FSU invites students, faculty, staff, and friends and loved ones of its graduates to share their best wishes and congratulations on social media.

Check out the Commencement Facebook invite at www.facebook.com/event.php?eid=112542428831370 for details on how to participate and join in the fun. You can also post pictures, videos and even tweets on Twitter, using this hashtag: **#FrostburgGRAD**.

Feel free to spread the word through this Facebook invite as everyone prepares for this special day. The more the merrier! Let's see how many pics, tweets and other updates we can get!

It's Not Too Late to Get Your Yearbook!

It's not too late to get your 2011 FSU Yearbook! Order your full-color 128-page copy online at www.jostensyearbooks.com for \$45, plus \$5 shipping and tax. If you have photos you'd like to submit, e-mail them to nemacolin@frostburg.edu.

The staff is looking for the best photos that show Bobcat pride!

End-of-Semester Book Buyback

The book buyback at the University Store in Lane Center (back hallway buyback window), Center Street lot (University Store trailer in the parking lot) and Bobcat Store on Main Street will continue through **Wednesday, May 18**. Hours are from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (weekdays only). A photo ID is required at all locations.

University Store Sidewalk Sale

Don't forget to stop by the store to scoop up some last-minute bargains before heading home for the summer. The sale continues through **Wednesday, May 18**.

Grad Sale on May 21

The University Store will be open on graduation day, **Saturday, May 21**, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will also be a grad sale that day – 25 percent off all apparel, imprinted gifts and glassware and 75 percent off all clearance. This is an in-store promotion only; no other discounts apply.

Susquehanna Bank Re-Opens FSU Branch Location

The Susquehanna Bank branch at FSU's Lane Center re-opened May 4, after being closed for several months during construction at the University.

The office will be open Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 1:30 to 3 p.m.

Other Frostburg branch locations include 10721 New Georges Creek Rd. SW and 3 S. Broadway.

LGLG – Save the Date

The last LGLG Committee Meeting of the semester will be **May 17**. The meeting will take place from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. in Lane 113.

For info, contact Lawrence Gingerich at x4360 or lagingerich@frostburg.edu.

First Teaching and Learning Retreat

Save the date for the first Teaching and Learning Retreat on Building Better Students on **June 15** from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Fairways Restaurant at the Maplehurst Golf Club in Frostburg. The event is sponsored by the Center for Teaching Excellence Advisory group and co-sponsored by

the Office of the President and the Center for Instructional Technology. Details to follow via e-mail.

Md. Communication Assn. Conference Call for Proposals

For the second consecutive year, FSU's Department of Communication Studies (CMST) will host the annual Maryland Communication Association conference **Oct. 14 and Oct. 15**. The department will partner with FSU's Beall Institute for Public Affairs and **Dr. Stephen Simpson**, FSU's provost and vice president for Academic Affairs, in hosting and welcoming faculty and students from across the state. The keynote speaker will be Dr. Theodore F. Sheckels, professor of English and Communication Studies at Randolph-Macon College in Ashland, Va., who will speak about the conference theme, "Communicating Politically, Engaging Civilly."

This year's theme is designed to promote discussion of the ways individuals, groups, organizations, communities and nations engage in consciousness raising, communicate values and identities and use persuasive appeals to mobilize actors and actions. Topics of discussion might explore how one communicates individual and collective political messages, how civil and uncivil discourse is upheld in society, how one fosters or severs relationships and builds or dismantles coalitions involving formal/informal, mediated/unmediated or interpersonal/organizational methods. Proposals from faculty, staff and students for individual scholarly presentations, panels of scholarly presentations or interactive workshops from any disciplinary perspective within communication studies are welcome.

Proposals are due by **June 17**. For info, visit the Maryland Communication Association website at www.marylandcomm.org.

Want a Little Excitement in Your Life?

Want to take an exciting elective? Then sign up for CMST 490 Special Topics: Propaganda and Society for the fall 2011 semester. The class will meet Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 10 to 10:50 a.m. and will be taught by **Dr. Brent Kice** in the Department of Communication Studies. The class will explore how propaganda gets used within pop culture consumerism, during wartime and by totalitarian and even democratic governments. For info, contact Kice at bkice@frostburg.edu or x4709.



For info, visit the Fuller House, call x4714 or e-mail Victoria Gearhart at vmgearhart@frostburg.edu. Also check out the CIE website at www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/stryabrd.htm.

Study Abroad

The Center for International Education offers ways for FSU students to see the world. In some cases,

students can pay FSU tuition, room and board and study abroad for a semester or a year. FSU also offers summer study abroad programs. Financial aid, student loans and scholarships are available.

Limerick, Ireland (Fall 2011)

Students can study for a semester at Mary Immaculate College and pay FSU tuition. Credits will transfer back to FSU. For info, go to www.mic.ul.ie/.

Changsha, China (Fall 2011)

Through the China Exchange Program, FSU students can spend a semester at Hunan Normal University in Changsha, Hunan Province, P.R. China (www.hunnu.edu.cn/english/).

Students pay FSU tuition and fees (based on residency status) through their student e-bill account and pay room and board costs to HNU.



New Episode of ‘Down to Earth With Dr. G’

A new episode of “Down to Earth With Dr. G” will air **Monday, May 16**, at 9:30 p.m. on FSU-TV3 Comcast’s Channel 3. **President Gibraltar** will interview **Julie Miller** from FSU’s Brady Health Center about obesity and the importance of staying healthy. During the second half of the show, co-host Marissa Nedved will interview **Megan Martin** about developing a healthy lifestyle, starting as a student.

“Down to Earth with Dr. G” airs Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:30 p.m. For info, log on to www.frostburg.edu/fsu-tv3/programming/original/down-to-earth/.

Follow FSU-TV3 on Facebook and Twitter

Want to find out what’s going on with FSU-TV3? Like FSU-TV3 at www.facebook.com/FSUTV3 and see what new shows are airing! Also follow FSU-TV3 on Twitter at <http://twitter.com/fsutv3>.



The Animal Shelter Still Needs YOU!



Spending your summer in the ‘Burg this year? Why not volunteer at the Allegany County Animal Shelter? Walk dogs, clean kennels, socialize cats, do laundry or dishes or assist with paperwork – there’s a lot of work to go around! And don’t forget to dress in comfortable, washable clothing.

Volunteer applications are available at the shelter at 716 Furnace St. in Cumberland.

For info, call 301-777-5930 or e-mail trafferty@twrwifi.net.

FSU-TV3 Schedule for May 16-22

For more: <http://fsutv3.frostburg.edu/Cablecast/Public/Schedule.aspx?ChannelID=1>

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday		
Midnight	Midnite Mausoleum	Style City Music	Midnite Mausoleum	Open Mic Poetry	Midnite Mausoleum	Midnite Mausoleum	Open Mic Poetry		
12:30 a.m.		The Alternate Root TV	Fast Forward: Contemporary Science Fiction	The Alternate Root TV	Style City Music		Style City Music		
1 a.m.									
1:30 a.m.	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board		
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5:30 a.m.									
6 a.m.	SEA-Inside Pacific Northwest	SEA-Inside Pacific Northwest	SEA-Inside Pacific Northwest	SEA-Inside Pacific Northwest	SEA-Inside Pacific Northwest			Message Board	Message Board
6:30 a.m.	The Reading Lady	The Reading Lady	The Reading Lady	The Reading Lady	The Reading Lady				
7 a.m.	Songspeak Conversations on the Art and Craft of Songwriting	Songspeak Conversations on the Art and Craft of Songwriting	Songspeak Conversations on the Art and Craft of Songwriting	Songspeak Conversations on the Art and Craft of Songwriting	Songspeak Conversations on the Art and Craft of Songwriting				
7:30 a.m.	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board				
8 a.m.									
8:30 a.m.									
9 a.m.	FSU-TV3 Original Programming	FSU-TV3 Original Programming	FSU-TV3 Original Programming	FSU-TV3 Original Programming	FSU-TV3 Original Programming				
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10 a.m.									
10:30 a.m.									
11 a.m.	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board				
11:30 a.m.									
Noon	Social Studies in Action	Essential Science	Social Studies in Action	Essential Science	Social Studies in Action	The Naked Gardener: Gardening Rhythms	The Naked Gardener: Gardening Rhythms		
12:30 p.m.						Future Talk	Future Talk		
1 p.m.	Link TV Explore With Charles Anneneberg	Learning Math: Numbers and Operations	Link TV Explore With Charles Anneneberg	Learning Math: Numbers and Operations	Link TV Explore With Charles Anneneberg	Oven Luvn With Chef Melissa	Oven Luvn With Chef Melisa		
1:30 p.m.	The Habitable Planet	Learning Math: Patterns, Functions and Algebra	The Habitable Planet	Learning Math: Patterns, Functions and Algebra	The Habitable Planet	Go Fish With Dan Kenney	Go Fish With Dan Kenney		
2 p.m.	P2W: Path to Wellness	The Naked Gardener: Gardening Rhythms	P2W: Path to Wellness	The Naked Gardener: Gardening Rhythms	P2W: Path to Wellness	Kids a Cookin	The Alternate Root TV		
2:30 p.m.	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Fast Forward: Contemporary Science Fiction			
3 p.m.						No Excuses Outdoors		No Excuses Outdoors	
3:30 p.m.	SEA-Inside Pacific Northwest	The Reading Lady	SEA-Inside Pacific Northwest	The Reading Lady	SEA-Inside Pacific Northwest	Graceful Aging	Wake Up With Wendy		
4 p.m.	Kids a Cookin	Kids a Cookin	Kids a Cookin	Kids a Cookin	Kids a Cookin	P2W: Path to Wellness	P2W: Path to Wellness		
4:30 p.m.	Graceful Aging	Oven Luvn With Chef Melisa	Graceful Aging	Oven Luvn With Chef Melisa	Graceful Aging	Message Board	Message Board		
5 p.m.	The Book Swap Cafe	Live From Prairie Lights	The Book Swap Cafe	Live From Prairie Lights	The Book Swap Cafe				
5:30 p.m.	Link TV Explore With Charles Anneneberg		Link TV Explore With Charles Anneneberg		Link TV Explore With Charles Anneneberg				
6 p.m.	FSU-TV3 Original Programming	FSU-TV3 Original Programming	FSU-TV3 Original Programming	FSU-TV3 Original Programming	FSU-TV3 Original Programming				
6:30 p.m.									
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8:30 p.m.	Lead TV	ThinkTalk	Lead TV	ThinkTalk	Lead TV				
9 p.m.									
9:30 p.m.	Down to Earth	ThinkTalk	Down to Earth	ThinkTalk	Down to Earth	Cooking With Courtney	Cooking With Courtney		
10 p.m.	Live From Prairie Lights		Dirty Stars {463-471} (612-618)		No Excuses Outdoors	Dirty Stars	Fast Forward: Contemporary Science Fiction	Think Talk	Think Talk
10:30 p.m.		NASA 360	Wake Up With Wendy	NASA 360	Wake Up With Wendy	Link TV Explore With Charles Anneneberg	Link TV Explore With Charles Anneneberg		
11 p.m.	Fast Forward: Contemporary Science Fiction	Midnite Mausoleum	Fast Forward: Contemporary Science Fiction	Midnite Mausoleum	Future Talk	Songspeak Conversations on the Art and Craft of Songwriting	Songspeak Conversations on the Art and Craft of Songwriting		
11:30 p.m.	Future Talk		Open Mic Poetry		Style City Music				

Student Life

Edgewood Commons

Edgewood Commons is accepting applications from current FSU students for **2011-2012**. Complete the application process and secure a space for the fall! All necessary application forms are available at www.edgewoodcommonsapts.com. Simply print and fill out the documents and return them to the Edgewood office with the application fees.

Each apartment comes fully furnished and contains:

- Full-size washer and dryer
- Central heat and air conditioning
- Full-size kitchen with appliances
- Ample kitchen cabinet space
- Dishwasher
- Garbage disposal

All apartments have private bedrooms and semi-private bathrooms.

Other amenities include:

- Fitness center
- High-def media room with Xbox360, Wii and Playstation3
- Hotel-style lounge with big-screen television
- Game room with two pool tables
- Three conference/study lounges
- High-speed wireless Internet
- 24-hour computer lab with **free** printing

Edgewood has on-site management and a full-time maintenance staff. Additionally, utilities (gas, electricity, water, Internet and cable) are included in the contract fee.

Stop by during the week from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. to take a tour. For info, call 301-689-1370 or e-mail info@edgewoodcommonsapts.com.



Community

Call for Submissions



Museums on Main Street, a division of the Smithsonian, with the Maryland Humanities Council, will continue the acclaimed exhibit, “Between Fences,” at Spruce Forest Artisan Village **through June 26**. A partner in this endeavor, the Appalachian Independent (www.appindie.org) seeks essay submissions, creative writing, poetry or short audio/digital explorations (3,000 words or less) complementing the exhibit’s themes: boundaries, place and space.

“Between Fences” strives to engage audiences, create conversations and inspire community members to come together across borders and backyard fences to share their unique “fence stories.” Submissions will be featured in the Appalachian Independent during the exhibit’s stay in Mountain



FSU Events Calendar

MONDAY, MAY 16 – Final Exams

TUESDAY, MAY 17 – Final Exams

Faculty/Staff Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m..... Lane Atkinson Rm. (232)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18 – Final Exams
Residence Halls Close at 7 p.m.

THURSDAY, MAY 19

Blackout Day noon-1 p.m..... Campuswide

FRIDAY, MAY 20

Honors Convocation..... 7:30-9:30 p.m..... PAC Pealer Recital Hall

SATURDAY, MAY 21 – Commencement

Commencement (Tickets are required for all guests attending commencement.)

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences..... 9 a.m. Cordts Main Arena

The Colleges of Business and Education 2 p.m. Cordts Main Arena

MONDAY, MAY 23

First Day of Summer Sessions I

Late Registration/Drop/Add (May 23 and May 24)

TUESDAY, MAY 24

Last Day to Add a Class

MONDAY, MAY 30

Memorial Day – No Classes, Offices Closed

Questions? Call 301-687-4411. All information is subject to change.

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Maryland and may be incorporated into an on-site satellite display.

For info on the exhibition, go to www.museumonmainstreet.org/exhibs_fences/fences.htm. Submissions should be sent to krogersthoas@appindie.org.

Bikes for the World Local Collection



Bikes for the World collects used bicycles (and portable sewing machines) and ships them overseas where they can be put to good use. On **Saturday, May 28**, from 10 a.m. to noon, the Western Maryland Wheelmen bicycling club will team up with the Cumberland Rotary for a local collection at Canal Place, near the Western Maryland Station. Donators can drive up and get help unloading their bikes. Donators are asked for a \$10 cash donation as well to defray shipping costs. All donations are tax deductible.

Bikes for the World partners with agencies in developing countries where people who really need bikes are taught repair skills and then are given affordable bikes. A bike can mean transportation to otherwise inaccessible healthcare or educational facilities.

Additional information is available at www.bikesfortheworld.org. If someone has a bike to donate and is not available on collection day, he or she can bring it early to the Cumberland Trail Connection or call for pickup **before May 28**. For info, call Valerie Van Hollen at 301-777-8783.



Get Involved

Upcoming UCM Events

Group meetings are in Tawes 161. For info, contact the Rev. Dr. Cindy Zirlott at x7490 or c.zirlott@frostburg.edu. Join “United Campus Ministry at FSU” on Facebook.

Free Energy Boost, May 16, 10 to 10:30 a.m. and 1:30-4:30 p.m. Stop by the UCM Office during finals for some hospitality and a quick energy booster!