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'Stop the Hate Vigil' to Feature Md. Del. Branch



Del. Talmadge Branch

The fourth annual "Stop the Hate Vigil" will feature Md. Del. Talmadge Branch of Baltimore City as the keynote speaker, along with participants from the campus community.

The vigil will be Thursday, Oct. 18, at 7 p.m., at the Black Student Alliance Fountain outside the Lane University Center. The public is invited. In the event of inclement weather, the vigil will take place in the Manicur Assembly Hall.

Branch, twice a victim of racial profiling, will speak on this subject. He has served in the Maryland House of Delegates since 1995 and is currently the Deputy Majority Whip and Chair of the Maryland Legislative Black Caucus. He attended FSU for a year.

A host of campus organizations and

university departments are coming together to sponsor the vigil. Members of various student groups will lead responsive readings that reflect the challenge of overcoming discrimination and bigotry. In light of the current global situation, many quotations will be taken from world religions.

There will also be a moment of silence for reflection.

The FSU University Chorale, under the direction of Dr. Karen Soderberg, will perform three songs, including two from South Africa. Dr. Greg Latta will play music before and after the vigil.

Anyone interested in sponsoring or participating in this event or seeking information should call Larry Neumark at x7490.



America, Edwards to Perform at Homecoming

In celebration of Homecoming Weekend, the band America will perform on Saturday, Nov. 3, at 9 p.m. in the Cordts Center Main Arena. Opening for America will be singer-songwriter Jonathan Edwards.

One of the most beloved and influential groups of the 1970s, America helped establish a new genre of popular music that fused free-wheeling rock 'n' roll with elements of folk and country. Now featuring original members Dewey Bunnell and Gerry Beckley, the group's clean vocal harmonies, uncluttered arrangements and evocative lyrics continue to attract fans around the globe. Some of their top hits include "A Horse With No Name," "Ventura High-way," "I Need You," "Tin Man," "Sister Golden Hair, " "Muskrat Love" and the 1980s hit, "You Can Do Magic." Their collection, History/America's Greatest Hits, has sold more than four million copies. The title of their most recent release, Human Nature, reflects America's dual themes of the human heart and mind, and the wonder and freedom of the world at large.

Best known for his '70s hit, "Sun-

Incido.

America

shine," Jonathan Edwards uses his soulful voice and acoustic guitar to express his own distinctive mix of folk and country.

Dinner theatre specials are available prior to the performance, which can be purchased through the CES Box Office.

For information and tickets, contact the CES Box Office Monday through Friday from 10 a.m to 4 p.m. at x3137 or toll-free at 1-(886) TIXX CES. Order requests can also be faxed to x7049 or e-mailed to CES@frostburg.edu. All patrons must have a ticket, and all ticket sales are final.

Maryland Symphony Orchestra to Perform

The Allegany Arts Council will once again bring the Maryland Symphony Orchestra to Pealer Recital Hall Friday, Oct. 19, at 7:30 p.m.

Guest pianist John Browning will perform "Harlem" by Ellington, "Symphonic Pictures" from "Porgy and Bess" by Gershwin, "Three Dance Episodes" from "On the Town" by Bernstein, and "Concerto for Piano" by Barber.

Tickets are on sale through the Allegany Arts Council at 52 Baltimore St. in Cumberland, (301) 777-2787. All seats are reserved. Tickets are \$20 for the general public, \$18 for Allegany Arts Council members and \$15 for students.

The Moonshine Cherrys Offer Good-Time Sound

FSU Center Stage will present The Moonshine Cherrys from Knoxville, Tenn., at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 20, in Manicur Assembly Hall. The concert is free and open to the public.

With a name that comes from a Tennessee bootlegger whose products included maraschino cherries soaked in moonshine, the band brews up its own blend featuring rock rhythms, mandolins, pop tunes and vocal harmonies.

Moonshine Cherrys is rapidly building a solid reputation among the college crowd with live performances and a selftitled, debut CD on Syren Records.

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

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Folk Rock Duo 'The Day' Has Hip-Hop Edge

The Day, a folk rock duo with a hiphop edge, will appear Live at the Loft at 8 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 19, in the Lane University Center. This event is free and open to the public.

Influenced by such artists as Phoebe Snow, Ben Harper and Sly, this Philadelphia-based duo blurs the lines between funk and folk with its own distinctive sound. The Day has appeared around the country with stars ranging from Jill Scott and Common to Tommy Conwell, Ben Arnold and Nelly Furtado.

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



Roundabout Presents 'Charlotte's Web'

The Roundabout Theatre will present the children's classic, "Charlotte's Web," at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 20 and Sunday, Oct. 21 in the Performing Arts Center's F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre.

This show for children of all ages is based on the childhood favorite by E.B. White. An affectionate, sometimes bashful pig named Wilbur befriends a spider named Charlotte, who lives in the rafters above his pen. Wilbur is devastated when he learns of the destiny that befalls his kind. Aided by Templeton, the rat, Charlotte learns her "A-B-C's" and spins a web that reads "Some Pig," convincing the farmer and surrounding community that Wilbur is no ordinary animal and should be saved.

Michael Abendshein, a student at FSU, will direct the all-student cast.

For information, call the FSU Department of Theatre at x4145.



Charney to Speak About Imprisoned Woman

Continuing FSU's celebration of National Hispanic Month, the Latin American Student Organization is proud to announce Dr. Paul J. Charney's presentation, "Lori Berenson: Reformer, Revolutionary, Traitor, Journalist???" Tuesday, Oct. 16, at 7 p.m., in Dunkle Hall 219 (**note location change**).

Lori Berenson, a twenty-something woman from Connecticut, is now serving a 20-year sentence in a Peruvian dungeon after Peruvian courts convicted her of participating in prohibited political activity on behalf of the Tupac Amaru Revolutionary Movement. She declared her innocence at the time of her arrest in 1995 and has never wavered from that assertion throughout the course of two trials.

At FSU, Charney specializes in Latin American History. He has traveled widely in Latin America and lectures frequently on related topics.

The event is free and open to the public. For more information call Charney at x4215 or Dr. María-Luisa Sánchez at x4104.

Fiction Reading by Tim Parrish Presented

Author Tim Parrish will present a reading of his first book of fiction, "Red Stick Men," on Thursday, Oct. 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the Leake Room of the Cordts P.E. Center. The event is free and open to the public.

"Red Stick Men,"

a collection of stories set in and around Baton Rouge, La., was described by The New York Times Book Review as "impressive ... uniformly original and absorbing."



Tim Parrish

Parrish was nominated by Tim O'Brien for Best New American Voices 2002, received a special mention in the Pushcart Prizes and is the recipient of a Connecticut Artists Grant.

The event is sponsored by the Department of English and The Western Maryland Writers' Workshop. For information, call x4221.

Consultant to Speak on 'Mathsemantics'

Business consultant Edward MacNeal will present the lecture and discussion "Mathsemantics Then and Now " Monday, Oct. 15, at 7:30 p.m. in Dunkle Hall 218. The event is sponsored in part by the Faculty Development and Sabbatical Subcommittee.

MacNeal specializes in the airline industry and is the author of several books (including *Mathsemantics: Making Numbers Talk Sense*) and numerous articles. He is the coiner of the term "mathsemantics" and the father of this new, multidisciplinary field of study.

The talk should be of interest to anyone who desires to communicate clearly, including those who study or teach English, mathematics, business, physical science, social science, communication, philosophy, and education. No special knowledge is needed to benefit.

For information, contact Dr. Kurt Lemmert at x7057, or e-mail KLemmert@frostburg.edu.

Philosophical Forum Offers 'Meaning of Life'

The Philosophical Forum will sponsor a lecture, followed by discussion, on Tuesday, October 23, 7:30-9:00 PM, in the Leake Room.

The lecture, titled "The Meaning of Life as a Philosophical Question," will be presented by H. Skott Brill, who joined the Philosophy Department this fall. Brill comes to FSU with a Ph.D. in philosophy from Michigan State University.

It is sometimes said that the most

important philosophical question is: what is the meaning of life? Brill's presentation will emphasize the importance of laying the groundwork necessary for an intelligent and fruitful exploration of this central philosophical question. In his view, laying an appropriate groundwork principally involves becoming clear about the question itself -- that is, generating and critically examining possible interpretations of the question, in an effort to arrive at an interpretation such that the question is "irreducible, answerable, and important to answer." Brill will also connect his view about the importance of laying an appropriate groundwork to an issue central to studies on the meaning of life: whether the existence of God or an afterlife is necessary for life to have meaning. In his view, the answer may well depend in part on how we interpret "life" and "meaning."

For information, call Tom Mappes (Philosophy) at x4262.

Julie Funt, Allen's Daughter, to Speak

Julie Funt, daughter of "Candid Camera" creator Allen Funt, will speak at FSU Wednesday, Oct. 17, at 7 p.m. in the Manicur Assembly Hall in Lane University Center. Her visit is sponsored by the S.A.F.E. Office.

Julie Funt has spent her life observing the hidden truths beneath our social selves and is now empowering college students to increase their self-esteem and value the more important things in life.

Living through much of her youth with an eating disorder and weighing more than 200 pounds by the end of college, Funt has experienced her share of uphill battles, but she has emerged victorious. Luckily, she learned as she got well that changing the outside was only society's answer to her problems. It is changing the inside that can transform one's life.

"Thin was very anti-climatic after a lifetime of chasing it," she said. "At first I reveled in those tiny little pants, but day after day the narcotic effect of my new body wore off. We are trained to chase a lot of false gods in pursuit of contentment – fame, beauty and financial abundance – but often when we reach them, we find they do not fill the holes in our lives."

For more information, contact the S.A.F.E. Office at x4761.

Political Science Roundtable

Pi Sigma Alpha, the political science honorary society, will sponsor "America at Home – The Domestic Implications of America's New War," Wednesday, Oct. 17 at 7:30 in Guild Center 104sd.

You've heard the pundits on television...now its time to hear it from FSU's own experts! Anyone interested in the domestic effects associated with America's "War on Terrorism" are invited to attend this informal and informative discussion brought to you by the Political Science Department. Possible topics include:

• Civil liberties in the United States in response to the attacks;

• Effects on American foreign policy: • An evaluation of George W. Bush's

response to the attacks: • An evaluation of Congress' response

to the attacks; An evaluation of the mass media's

role in the aftermath of the attacks. Call x4278 or e-mail ralexander

@frostburg.edu for information.



"Europe to America" to be Presented at Roper

"Europe to America," a collection of works by local artist Hilmar Gottesthal, will be on exhibit through Sunday, Nov. 4, at the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery in the Fine Arts Building.

This eclectic collection of sculptures. drawings, watercolors and oil paintings reflects Gottesthal's experiences in Europe and the United States.

Born Hilmar Udo Fister in Carinthia, Austria, the artist began to sign his works with "Gottesthal," the name of his childhood village, while studying at the Vienna Academy of Fine Arts. The word means "God's Valley." Now an American citizen, he lives in Flintstone, Md.

Gottesthal's interest in Byzantine art and an Austrian-Turkish Cultural Exchange Grant took him to Greece and Turkey, where he spent 30 years painting, sculpting and studying ancient ruins, myths and religious icons of the region. His style often reflects a Byzantine influence, with its use of mosaic-like patterns and complex pointillism often used to express spiritual ideas. Many of his works are inspired by mythology, Christian scriptures, current issues and the surroundings of his Western Maryland home.

For information, call x4797.



NCATE Accreditation Team to Visit Campus

The visitation team from the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education will be on campus from Saturday, Oct. 20, to Wednesday, Oct. 24. This is an important step for the new state requirement for accreditation of FSU's College of Education.

Any student or faculty member who wishes to speak to the team will have that opportunity on Tuesday, Oct. 23. Students are invited to an open meeting that day at 1 p.m. in Framptom Hall 117. The meeting for faculty members is in the same room at 2 p.m.

The team is made up of five people from around the country appointed by NCATE, as well as four members appointed by the Maryland State Department of Education. The NCATE team will be looking to corroborate what is in FSU's institutional report. The state team will be looking to see to what

degree FSU has incorporated the 1995 Maryland Redesign for Teacher Education into its own standards.

The NCATE team visit is the culmination of nearly three years of effort. Individual subject areas first had to meet standards set by national associations designated by NCATE. FSU has been recognized by the national associations for secondary math, early childhood education, reading, master's level administration and supervision, secondary English, secondary social studies, physical education, all four disciplines offered in secondary science – physics, biology, chemistry and earth science – and elementary education. The only approval that is pending is for the health component of the health and physical education program.

FSU will receive a written report approximately 30 days after the visit and will have 30 days to respond to the report. A recommendation will be made to the NCATE Unit Accreditation Board and a final decision is expected in April of 2002.

"As a professional education unit, we are eager to have national and state validation of our program," said Dr. Dave Fell, co-coordinator of the NCATE accreditation process with Dr. Mary Kay Finan.

For more information, contact the College of Education at x4759.

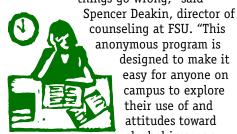
Take a Test That Gives **YOU Answers:**

Have you ever awakened next to someone you didn't know and couldn't remember how you got there? Have you watched a friend pass out from drinking and wondered if you should call 911? Have you failed a test or done poorly on a paper because you were hung over? Are you just curious as to how you fit in with other college students and their drinking patterns?

If so, mark Oct. 18 on your calendar. On that day, you can take a self-test for alcohol problems when FSU participates in National Alcohol Screening Day.

You will also have the opportunity to complete an anonymous written questionnaire about alcohol and talk one on one with a trained individual who can answer your questions more specifically and, if appropriate, direct you to support or treatment services on campus.

"Students come to college and experience freedoms they never had before, but they also need information to make informed choices, as well as guidance and understanding when things go wrong," said



counseling at FSU. "This anonymous program is designed to make it easy for anyone on campus to explore their use of and attitudes toward alcohol in a non-

threatening, stigma-free environment. The 18 through 21 age range is the

developmental period of heaviest alcohol consumption for most drinkers in the United States. Binge drinking (drinking several drinks in one sitting) is the type

of alcohol problem most often engaged in by this age range. In fact, a 2000 study found that 48 percent of FSU students reported binge drinking at least once within two weeks of being surveyed. The local study shows that binge drinkers are involved in more disciplinary problems, have poorer academic performance, experience physical injury and illness and engage in property damage more often.

The project is co-sponsored by the FSU Counseling Center and Psychological Services and the S.A.F.E. Office. Refreshments will be served.

Personal Counseling Groups and Workshops

Counseling and Psychological Services offers a variety of groups for students each semester. Through group sessions, students are able to discuss their thoughts and feelings in response to a number of different issues relating to themselves, the way they relate to others, and how they cope with life in general. The number of students in each group is kept small to allow each member the opportunity to establish comfort, trust, and a sense of community. In building an atmosphere of trust, confidentiality is expected to be maintained by all participants.

If you are enrolled at FSU and feel that a particular group may be of help or interest to you, please come by Counseling and Psychological Services, 101 Sand Spring Hall, or call x4234 to make an appointment to speak with a screening counselor. There is no charge for counseling services.

The following groups are now forming:

Career Exploration Group

*Wednesdays, 4- 5:30 p.m. (Beginning Nov. 14) This five-session group will help students examine their career interests, values, skills, and decisionmaking styles. Participants will work toward developing definite career plans.

Co-Ed Group

*Thursdays, 1:30–3 p.m. (Beginning October 11) This group will provide men and women the chance to share with one another personal views of the struggles that both men and women face within the college environment.

Saying Goodbye: Maneuvering Through Change Following a Breakup

*Tuesday evenings, 7:30- 9 p.m. (Oct. 9 through Dec. 4) A support group for individuals who are adjusting to the loss of a committed romantic relationship. Together group members will increase understanding of the healing process, identify social support and coping resources, and express feelings and thoughts associated with the breakup.

Smoking Cessation Group

*Mondays, noon – 1 p.m. (Oct. 8 through Nov. 5) A five-session psychoeducational and support group that will assist individuals in their plan to quit smoking. Members of the group will be supported in their choice of becoming nicotine free with a quit date on or before Oct. 22.

Women's Issues Group

*Mondays, 3:30- 5 p.m. (Beginning Oct. 8) This group for women will allow each member to address her own unique issues and share, process and problemsolve within a group context. Women can learn to improve their self-confidence, assertiveness and relationships by sharing with other women who have experienced similar issues.

*These days and times are tentative and may be changed based on student responses.

Introduction to the Internet for Families

The FSU Institute of Service-Learning will sponsor an open workshop Saturday, Oct. 27, between noon and 4 p.m. in 108 Pullen Hall. FSU students will assist children and their parents in identifying and evaluating educational resources online and provide parents with information on software designed to protect youngsters from offensive material. The workshop is open to the public. For information, call Lori Senese at 301-697-0103 or e-mail lsenese@frostburg.edu.

Attention Little 'Boos' and 'Ghouls'

The community-wide Trick-or-Treat at FSU will be Sunday, Oct. 28, from 3 to 6 p.m. at the down-hill residence halls (Annapolis, Cumberland, Frederick, Westminster and Cambridge.)

Start planning your costume now! Games will be held.

Results from FSU/Uncle Tucker's Golf Tourney

The FSU College of Business / Uncle Tucker's Golf Scramble was held Oct. 5 at the Cumberland Country Club.

The winners in the Uncle Tucker's Championship Division were (1) 61, The Bobcats, Ralph Brewer, captain; (2) 62, card off, Bond Home Center, Billy Bond captain and (3) 62, Corriganville Auto Sales, Brent Flescher, captain.

The winners in the FSU Presidents Flights:

Herb. F. Reinhard Division: (1) 51, Summit Radiology, Martin Rickelmann, captain; (2) 57.5, R.H. Lapp & Sons, George W. Lapp, captain and (3), 58, Billy Bender Chevrolet Inc., Billy Bender, captain;

In the Nelson Guild Division: (1) 56.5, Young's Unlimited, Butch Young, captain; (2) 61, M & T Bank, Bill Bogle, captain and (3) 63, Document Company, Kevin Brooks, captain.

In the Lillian Compton Division: (1) 71, AES Warrior Run, Pete Convery, captain, (2) 71.5 Cellular One, Karen Blank, captain and (3) 72, Jerry's Pizza, Bud Willetts, captain.

Winners of contests included: Closest to the Pin No. 1, Carl Donald; No. 6, Brett Davis; No. 10, Billy Bender; No. 12 Mike Gearing; No. 15, CP Sines; No. 18, Barry Knotts. The longest drive was won by Ted Femi, shortest drive Vance Ishler and the longest second shot was Dave Lauder. Putting contest winners were (1) Ralph Brewer, (2) Tom Bond, (3) Jason Gehauf and (4) Ray Blank.

Proceeds benefited the FSU Foundation College of Business Scholarship Fund.

Dec. Commencement -Graduate Students!



In order to be included in the December Commencement plans, the Office of Graduate Services must have your completed Graduation Application no later than Oct. 31. Applications received after Oct. 31 will be processed but may not

appear in the December 2001 Commencement Program. The Graduation Application is available from the Office of Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall; by telephone at x7053; by fax at x4597; and is available after hours on the display rack outside the Pullen Hall office.

Commencement Announcement

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), while graduate students should submit all necessary paperwork to Graduate Services (x7053, 141 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. All graduating students are also encouraged to attend the Grad Fair on Oct. 30, from noon to 5 p.m. in the Manicur Assembly Hall.

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, x 3130, 127 Performing Arts Center, or by e-mail to bdeatelhauser@frostburg.edu.

Alumni, Fund-Raising Events on Tap

Homecoming weekend begins Friday, Nov. 2, with the Annual Bobcat Athletic Tournament to benefit FSU Athletics. Shotgun Start is at 1 p.m. at Maplehurst Country Club. Call x4200 for details.

On Nov. 3 will be the **Annual Varsity Club Social** for all FSU Varsity Letter Winners. The social will be from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Elks Lodge in Frostburg. Call x4758 for details.

Collective Bargaining Primer

In order to win an election, a union must obtain the votes of a simple majority of the eligible voters who cast ballots. For example, if there are 400 employees in the bargaining unit and only 200 employees actually vote, the union wins the election if the final tally of ballots were 101-99 in favor of the union, and the union then is certified by the Board as the exclusive bargaining representative of the entire bargaining unit of all 400 employees.

A Message to Smokers

The FSU Smoking Policy prohibits the use of lighted tobacco products in any university academic or administrative buildings, enclosed facilities, automobiles, buses, vans or trucks. In addition, there are no public smoking areas in any residence hall.

For those who step outside to smoke, please be considerate of other employees and students. Walk away from the building entrance to reduce the possibility of second-hand smoke being pulled inside.

Together we strive for a safe and healthy campus to study, work and learn. Call x4897 for more information.

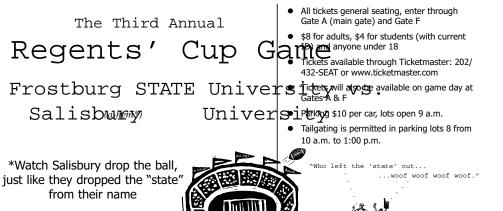


FSU's three elementary education programs, *Early Childhood/Elementary Education, Elementary Education* and the FSU Hagerstown Center's *Master of Arts in Teaching,* have all received national recognition by the Association for Childhood Education International, an important step toward the University's accreditation by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education.

For more information,

Frostburg State University 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 at 301-687-4102, TDD 301-687-7955.

call 301/687



RFK Stadium, Washington, D.C. Saturday, November 10, 2001 Gametime: 1:30 pm FSU was one of only two institutions to achieve national recognition so far under ACEI's new standards, according to an ACEI official. FSU was one of seven colleges and universities to be part of a pilot project that helped shape the ACEI recognition process by providing examples of quality performance standards. FSU was commended for its participation in the process.



Last Day for Withdrawals

The last day for undergraduate students to withdraw with a "W" for the fall 2001 semester is Wednesday, Oct. 24.

Deadline for Phase I and II Teacher Ed.

Candidates in Teacher Education who are 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, Room 215 Framptom Hall. Application deadline is Nov. 16.



National Public Radio Reps Visit Postponed

The National Public Radio (NPR) visit scheduled for Monday, Oct. 15 , has been postponed until a date to be determined in February 2002.

Md. General Assembly Intern Program

The Maryland General Assembly Intern Program was created to introduce college students to the unique challenges and rewards of working in the General Assembly. This program will run from Jan. 9 through April 8, 2002.

Applicants must be either juniors or seniors, with a cumulative GPA of 3.00 or higher. Interns are selected on the basis of their leadership skills, academic achievement and competency in college composition. All majors are encouraged to apply. The deadline is Friday, Oct. 19.

For information and an application, contact John Bambacus, Political Science, Guild Center 135, call x4283 or e-mail jbambacus@frostburg.edu.



CCM and UCM

Catholic Campus Ministry will present its annual Oktoberfest Dinner, hosting the members of United Campus Ministry at Osborne Newman Center's Bishop Murphy Hall at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 16.

United Campus Ministry

UCM will hold a worship service at Frostburg Village Nursing Center Sunday, Oct. 21, at 2 p.m. at the Frostburg Village Nursing Center. Meet behind Ort Library by 1:30 p.m.



Youth and Advanced Gymnastics

Youth and Advanced Gymnastics will be offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays from Oct. 30 to Dec. 13. There will be no class Nov. 20 and 22.

The beginner class will be held from 4 to 5 p.m., while the advanced class will be from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Both classes will be held in Room 170 of the Cordts Physical Education Center. Youths ages 5 to 12 are welcome to enroll in this class.

Compulsory routines established by the USA Gymnastics Association will be taught. This is a great activity for youth as increased strength, balance, coordination, and self-confidence often result.

Advance registration is required. For information and registration, call Center Coordinator Amy Nazelrod at x7934.



Barkley to Participate in Book Group Discussion

Brad Barkley, English Department, will be at Main Street Books of Frostburg on Tuesday, Oct. 16, at 7:30 p.m., to participate in the monthly book group discussion of his book, *MONEY, LOVE: a Novel About Raising Your Parents*. Published by W.W. Norton in New York, *MONEY, LOVE* has just been released in paperback.

The book group at Main Street Book just started its fourth year. Discussions take place on the third Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the bookstore at 2 E. Main St. in downtown Frostburg. New members are always welcome. For more information call (301) 689-5605 or e-mail powell@hereintown.net.



Scholarship Deadline for Study Abroad Monday

Students planning to study abroad during the intersession or the spring 2002 should note that the deadline for CIE scholarship applications is Oct. 15. Application forms are available from the CIE office, or may be downloaded from the CIE Web site: www.frostburg.edu/admin/ cie/cie.htm. Students must have already applied for a FSU study abroad program before applying for a scholarship.

Study in Germany Info. Meeting Oct. 15

All students are invited to attend an information meeting about studying in Germany on Monday, Oct. 15, in Room 203/4 of the Lane Center, starting at 7 p.m. Students who attended both the summer and semester programs this past year will be on hand with photos, souvenirs and stories to share. FSU students have been studying on the University of Maryland campus in Schwabisch Gmund for the past eight years. The campus is about 30 minutes east of Stuttgart in the Black Forest area of Germany and houses international students from over 80 countries. All classes are taught in English (except language classes), and all credits transfer back to FSU. Scholarships are available from both the Schwabisch Gmund campus and FSU.

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 threeweek, 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. Applications for spring 2002 are being accepted.

Study in Newcastle, England

Students interested in studying at the University of Northumbria in Newcastle, England, may apply now for next spring semester. Courses are available in a variety of subjects. The cost of the program is about the same as one semester at FSU; 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.

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 in a variety of locations at 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 to qualified students. Apply now for spring 2002.

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 new 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 the Fulbright.

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Have You Put the Pieces Together?

Applications are available for anyone interested in being a resident assistant starting spring 2002. There will be an information sessions Monday, Oct. 15 at 8 p.m. in Cumberland Hall for interested candidates. Applications are also available in the Residence Life Office, Annapolis Hall. Contact Melissa Kougher or Kathryn Reilly at x4121 for information. Safety Message

A Few Safety Tips

We all know the following safety precautions, but we sometimes fail to act on them ... Here are a few reminders:

• Do not walk down or up a grassy area when it is covered with dew or rain. This is an injury waiting to happen. Use sidewalks, stairs and service roads to prevent slips on wet, grassy surfaces.

• Read the directions as to what can and cannot be placed in a microwave oven. Remove all paper products that are not needed from the product before placing in the microwave. After setting the temperature and time, remain at the unit until the cycle is complete. Remove your item from the oven with a potholder to prevent burning your hand.

• The speed limit in all campus parking lots is 10 m.p.h. Watch for pedestrians starting to cross the street, give them the right of way.

• Seasonal decorations are a welcome sight around campus at this time of year, but REMEMBER OUR DEDICATION TO FIRE PREVENTION. Hay bales, corn stalks and other highly combustible decorations are prohibited from inside of campus buildings. Do not block marked exit doors, emergency lights, exit lights or fire alarm equipment.

• The new Employee Safety and Risk Management Manual has been distributed to each employee. Please find the time to review the manual.

If you have any questions, call x4897.



MONDAY, OCTOBER 15

 * Women's Field Hockey: Bridgewater College 4:30 p.m * Development & Sabbatical Sub-committee Lecture: Mr. Edward MacNeal – <i>"Mathsemantics Then and Now"</i>	Dunkle 218
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16 Staff Senate Meeting 10:30 a.m. Atkir * Bloodmobile 11 a.m 6:30 p.m. Manicur Ass * UCM/CCM Octoberfest 6:00 p.m. Manicur Ass CAB General Body Meeting 7:00 p.m. Atkir * LASO Lecture: Dr. Paul J. Charney – "Lori Berenson: Reformer, Revolution Traitor, Journalist???" 7:00 p.m. Image: Complexity of the second s	sembly Hall ONC nson Room <i>nary,</i>
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17 RHA Meeting	Away sembly Hall
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18 * HPER Health Screenings * SAFE Alcohol Screening Day * Women's Field Hockey: Hood College * Stop the Hate Vigil featuring MD Del. Talmadge Branch of Baltimore City 7:00 p.m. BS	eake Room Home
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19 * Women's Soccer: Grove City College	nson Room
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20 * Men's & Women's Cross Country: Mason Dixon Championships @ Allegan * Women's Tennis: AMCC Championships	TBA Away Away Home dio Theatre

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21

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

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