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Bonnie Rideout

'Scottish Fire' Features Bonnie Rideout Trio

September is packed with entertainment, as the FSU Cultural Events Series offers two more consecutive weeks of first-rate performances.

The Bonnie Rideout Scottish Trio presents "Scottish Fire!" on Saturday, Sept. 20, at 8 p.m. in the Pealer Recital Hall. With a distinctive blend of lyricism and intensity, Bonnie Rideout brings an exuberance and animation to traditional Scottish tunes, Highland bagpipe music and ancient Gaelic melodies. With Steve Holloway's driving Celtic percussion rhythms and Bryan Aspey's dynamic guitar, the Bonnie Rideout Scottish Trio brings a timeless legacy to pulsating, foot-stomping life onstage.

CES opens its new Family Series with the Box of Light Theatre presentation of

the children's classic "Peter Pan" on Thursday, Sept. 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the Pealer Recital Hall. Join Wendy, Michael and John Darling as they take flight with Peter and meet the rambunctious residents of Never-Never-Land.

Season tickets and subscriptions, including the new Family Series Subscription, are available. To buy tickets or for more information, call the CES Box Office at x3137, toll free at 1-866-TIXX-CES or online at ces.frostburg.edu.

Additional packages include the Arts Getaway Packages, providing accommodations for two, selected meal options, transportation between the hotel and the FSU campus, a special welcome gift at check-in, and two tickets for preferred seating for the Cultural Events Series performance. You can also add a Dinner Show Package to your ticket purchase and transform your performance into an enchanting social event.

Visit the Study Abroad Fair Outside Lane Center

FSU's annual Study Abroad Fair will be held on Monday, Sept. 15, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Delaney Plaza between the clock tower and the Lane University Center. If it rains, the event will be in the Lane Center's Atkinson Room.

Sponsored by the Center for International Education (CIE), this event highlights FSU's study abroad programs, along with many other programs, such as Arcadia University, Semester at Sea, Interstudy, Cultural Experiences Abroad and the Peace Corps. Representatives from these organizations, along with study abroad coordinators from Towson University, University of Maryland Baltimore County and Salisbury University, will be on hand to answer questions and provide free literature.

Returning study abroad students will also be available to talk to their peers about what it was like to study or work overseas. Information about financial aid, scholarships, credit transfer, work opportunities abroad, internships and travel discounts will be provided, as well as prizes and refreshments.



For information, call the Center for International Education at x4714. The CIE Web site is www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm.



Speakers

Agnew Prosecutor George Beall to Speak

George Beall, the prosecutor who led the investigation that culminated with the conviction and resignation of U.S. Vice President Spiro T. Agnew, will speak at FSU Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 11 a.m. in FSU's Lane University Center Atkinson Room (201).

The Frostburg native will discuss the events 30 years ago that thrust him, then a 35-year-old U.S. Attorney for Maryland, into the national spotlight. The lecture is free and open to the public.

At the height of the Watergate scandal, investigators in Maryland were looking into other corruption – that of kickbacks being paid to public officials by architects, engineers and contractors doing business with public agencies in the state. Before becoming Richard Nixon's vice president in 1969, Agnew had been governor of Maryland and Baltimore County executive. Investigations pointed to misconduct by Agnew as far back as 1964.

With the investigation beginning to

implicate Agnew, the possibility that the president and vice president would both face charges of official misconduct was a daunting possibility for the nation. Agnew resigned as Vice President on Oct. 10, 1973, pleading "no contest" to charges of tax evasion.

Beall's personal papers concerning the Agnew investigation and resignation are now housed in the Beall Archives at FSU's Ort Library, which also house the papers of his father, J. Glenn Beall, and his brother, J. Glenn Beall Jr., both of whom served in the U.S. Senate.

Beall was at the center of a unique and crucial turning point in our country. He has seldom spoken publicly about his role, making his appearance at FSU a rare opportunity for anyone interested in this important time in American history.

For more information about the George Beall lecture, contact Nat DeBruin at the Beall Archives at x3114.

Rabbi to Discuss Jews and Judaism

Rabbi Stephen Sniderman, who has led Cumberland's B'er Chayim Congregation since January, will speak at FSU on "Who Are the Jews and What is Judaism" at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 22, in Lane University Center 201, the Atkinson Room. The presentation, in which he will speak on the beliefs and

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customs of Judaism, is free and open to the public.

Before coming to Cumberland, Sniderman served congregations in Sharon, Pa., and Rockford, Ill. Before that, he was the rabbi of the Hillel Foundation at the University of Illinois in Champaign-Urbana. Sniderman was born in Toronto, Canada.

The program is sponsored by Hillel Club, United Campus Ministry, and Catholic Campus Ministry.

FSU's United Campus Ministry will also offer a number of other activities that are open to the public during the fall semester. The events are at 7:30 p.m. in Lewis J. Ort Library room 237 unless otherwise noted. The events are:

Wednesday, Oct. 1 – "Faith and Science: Is There a Conflict," presented by FSU philosophy professor Dr. Angelo Bucchino.

Monday, Oct. 13 – "Understanding Islam," presented in Lane University Center 201, the Atkinson Room. Imam Qasim Burmi, leader of The Islamic Society of Western Maryland in Hagerstown, will speak. This event is sponsored by United Campus Ministry, Catholic Campus Ministry and Hillel.

Wednesday, Nov. 5 – "Is Forgiveness Possible," a "20/20" video about a police officer who forgave his assailant.

Wednesday, Dec. 3 – "Spirituality and Christmas Music: Bring Your Own," in which participants will listen to Christmas music and discuss those songs that have touched their souls.

For more information, contact Larry Neumark at x7490.

'Journey to a Hate Free Millennium' Presented

FSU's Division of Student and Educational Services will present the award-winning documentary "Journey to a Hate Free Millennium" at 7 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 22 in the Lane University Center Manicur Assembly Hall. The event will also include a presentation by the film's producer/director Brent Scarpo.

"Journey to a Hate Free Millennium" seeks solutions to ending hate and hate crimes.

The film centers around true stories taken from national headlines including the student shootings at Columbine High School in Littleton,



Colorado; the tortuous dragging death of James Byrd, Jr., an African-American man in Texas; and the brutal beating and death of Matthew Shepard, a gay college student in Wyoming.

The 35-minute documentary addresses the subject of hate by searching out the origins of how it is "taught and learned," the scope of its danger beginning with childhood taunting to murder. Viewers are invited to create their own vision of a world free of hate, where senseless acts of violence are a thing of the past. The program utilizes the documentary in an interactive, multi-media presentation that impacts and changes views of hate in their

world.

Filmmaker Scarpo has 15 years of experience as a producer, writer, director, actor and casting director in Hollywood. In addition to his work on "Journey to a Hate Free Millennium," he is the founder of the non-profit New Light Media, which is dedicated to stimulate, educate and impact the world through multimedia works. Prior to founding New Light Media, Scarpo served as a casting director for six years casting television projects, commercials and motion pictures including "The Shawshank Redemption," "That Thing You Do" and "Air Force One."

The event is free and open to the public. For more information, contact the FSU Student and Educational Services Office at x4311.

'Joining Together to End Violence Against Women'

Former NFL Football player Donald McPherson will present the lecture "Men and Women: Joining Together to End Violence Against Women" at Frostburg State University on Tuesday, Sept. 23, at 7 p.m. in the Lane University Center Manicur Hall. The event is free and open to the public.

McPherson travels to various venues to discuss the issue of stopping violence against women. He and his work were profiled in the October 2002 issue of "O," Oprah Winfrey's magazine, and he was also a guest on the "Oprah Winfrey Show" that same year.

A native of West Hempstead, N.Y., McPherson is the founder and executive director of the Sports Leadership Institute at Adelphi University in Garden City, N.Y. He played for the Philadelphia Eagles for two seasons, before being traded to the Houston Oilers, only to return to Philadelphia following that season. In 1991, he headed north to the Canadian Football League, joining the Hamilton Tiger-Cats (1991-93) and Ottawa Rough-Riders (1994).

Upon retiring from professional football in 1994, McPherson worked as co-director of Athletes in Service to America, director of Sports in Society's Mentors in Violence Prevention Program, a gender violence prevention program designed to encourage men to take a proactive position in the effort to stop men's violence against women.

As program coordinator of the Student-Athlete Leadership Program, McPherson trains thousands of high school student-athletes in motivational speaking and group work dynamics. His training includes mobilizing students within their respective school districts and communities to address self-esteem, substance abuse, violence prevention, bullying and teasing, and academic issues. By using sports as an educational tool, student athletes learn to teach, using their personal experiences as motivating examples for young people.

In 1997, Don was called to testify before the United States Congress on behalf of a resolution to create a national

summit that would address violence in sport and society. He is regularly quoted in print articles and has been featured on several television shows including "A&E: Investigative Reports," MSNBC, Fox News, ABC's "Nightline," "The Phil Donahue Show" and Court TV and WNBC's "Today in New York."

The event at FSU is sponsored by FSU's Feminist Majority Leadership Alliance, Student Government Association and the University Programming Council.

For more information, call Nicole Mattis at x3212.

Free Theatre Workshop for Educators

The FSU Cultural Events Series and the FSU Children's Literature Centre present an evening of arts & literature on Thursday, Sept. 25. The evening is planned as part of the CES production of Box of Light Theatre's "Peter Pan", and the Children's Literature Centre Fall Author Series.

Box of Light Theatre Artistic Director Rand

Whipple will present an interactive workshop, "Encore,

Encore," for teachers and future educators on Sept. 25, from 4:30 to 6 p.m. at Frostburg City Place. In this free, 90-minute session, Whipple will share ways of using active theatre games in the classroom to involve and animate children. The workshop will include a demonstration with elementary school students and a brainstorming session. Participants will have the opportunity to share ideas with other educators, get information on granting opportunities, and how to bring the arts into the school system.

Beverages will be served and free pizza will follow. RSVP to Susan Manger at x7420 or smanger@frostburg.edu. The workshop is limited to 45 participants.



Children's Author Frank Murphy to Speak

The FSU Children's Literature Centre presents its fall author Frank Murphy at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 25, at City Place, 14 S. Water St., Frostburg.



A graduate of Rutgers University, Murphy is a second grade teacher in Newtown, Pa. Murphy loves to chase stories from the past. His first book "The Legend of the Teddy Bear" took him nearly two years to write. His other works include "Always Inventing – The True Story of Thomas Alva Edison" and "Ben Franklin and the Magic Squares." His latest book "George Washington and the General's Dog" has just been released by Random House.

For more information, contact the Children's Literature Centre at x4420.

Appalachian Laboratory

Towson University's Brian D. Fath will present "Ecosystems as Complex Adaptive Systems," another in the UMCES Appalachian Laboratory Fall Seminar Series Thursday, Sept. 18, 3:30 p.m. in AL Room 109. Refreshments will be served after the seminar in the AL Lobby.

Geography Lecture to Discuss Botswana

Department of Geography will host a Sodexho Lecture, "Remote Sensing and GIS for Environmental Analysis in Botswana," on Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 6 p.m. in 226 Compton Science Center.

Dr. Duane Nellis, dean of the Aburley Science College at West Virginia University and President of the Association of American Geographers, will be the speaker. The seminar is free and open to the public.

For more information, contact Shivaji Prasad in the Department of Geography at sprasad@frostburg.edu or x4412.



Music



Patchwork: Suzi Mills, Joan DeVeve Dixon and Greg Latta

Patchwork to Present Concerts Sept. 26, 28

Patchwork will appear in concert in Pealer Recital Hall on Friday, Sept. 26 at 8 p.m. and Sunday, Sept. 28, at 3 p.m. The program will feature classical selections for piano, Broadway love songs, and traditional folk music selections by musicians Joan DeVeve Dixon, Greg Latta, Suzi Mills, Jeff Ward and guitarists Chris Alexander and Jeff Klinetob.

Selections by Dr. Dixon will include "Rhapsody on the Theme by Paganini" by Rachmaninoff, "Rhapsody in Blue" by Gershwin, and "Satin Doll" by Duke Ellington. Selections by Dr. Mills will include "I Will Always Love You," and an original composition, "Hopeless." The ensemble musicians will perform several pieces, including "Some Enchanted Evening" by Rodgers & Hammerstein, "How Sweet It Is" by James Taylor, "Can You Feel the Love Tonight?" by Elton John and "Love Changes Everything" by A.L. Webber.

Tickets are \$15 and benefit the FSU Piano Festival.

There will be a wine and cheese reception beginning at 7:15 p.m. on Friday night. There will be afternoon

coffee/tea and dessert beginning at 2:15 p.m. on Sunday.

For information or to reserve tickets, call x4115 or make check payable to FSU Foundation-Piano Festival and mail to Dr. Joan DeVeve Dixon, Division of Performing Arts, FSU, Frostburg, MD 21532. All tickets will be held at the door.

Theatre



UT Season Discount Cards Now on Sale

Season Discount Cards for the 2003-2004 University Theatre main stage season are now on sale. Purchase three tickets for just \$30, and receive free admission to "Romeo and Juliet," a savings of \$10 as thanks for supporting University Theatre. Card holders do not need to know in advance when they will attend all four shows. Simply make a reservation closer to the date of each production, and you'll receive a reminder in the mail. This special season price is available until Oct. 18. To order a discount card, call x7462, weekdays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

"Romeo and Juliet" will open the main stage season on Oct. 10, 11, 16, 17, 18 at 8 p.m. and Oct. 11 at 2 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center Drama Theatre. The setting is Verona, Italy, where the hatred of two warring families has become the fabric of society. Romeo, a Montague, and Juliet, a Capulet, fall in love, but they must deal with their families' division to stay together. The two "star-crossed lovers" encounter numerous obstacles with an urgency that makes "Romeo and Juliet" the most famous love story in the world.

Rebecca Gilman's "The Glory of Living" will be presented on Nov. 14, 15, 20, 21 and 22 at 8 p.m. and Nov. 15 at 2 p.m. in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre. Gilman has become one of the most prolific and celebrated playwrights in America. "The Glory Of Living" focuses on 15-year-old Lisa, who tries to escape a miserable life with her prostitute mother by running away with, and eventually marrying, Clint, an ex-con. In Lisa, Gilman has created a riveting portrait of a young woman whose most striking quality is not her capacity for evil but the depth of her emptiness.

The musical "Working" will be performed in the Drama Theatre on March 5, 6, 11, 12, 13 at 8 p.m. and March 6 and 13 at 2 p.m. Based on Studs Terkel's 1972 best-selling book of interviews with "ordinary" American workers, "Working" celebrates the anonymous many whose lives touch ours everyday. The story reflects the grievances, hopes and dreams of the unsung heroes and heroines of the American workforce. This musical is influenced by pop, folk, rock, blues and country music.

The season will round out with "The Bald Soprano" and "The Lesson," two one-act plays by Eugene Ionesco, on April 16, 17, 22, 23, 24 at 8 p.m. and

April 17 at 2 p.m. in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre. A leader of absurdist theatre, Ionesco wrote his first play, "The Bald Soprano," while teaching himself English as a third language. The story follows Mr. and Mrs. Smith as they discover "astonishing" truths about the world through a series of humorous conversations. In the company of this English couple, we witness how language is used as a facade in their bourgeois society. Labeled a "comic drama," "The Lesson" also investigates the ways language can be used for purposes other than substantive human communication. An eager young pupil seeks tutelage in arithmetic and philology from her seemingly normal professor. As the lesson proceeds, the student becomes inundated with "knowledge."



Take Note

Human Rights Law Workshop Still Open

How much do you know about federal, state and local human rights laws that affect both employers and employees? Do you know how to access the agencies and information that you would need to deal with issues in the workplace?

To discuss these issues and others, a free half-day workshop is being held on Wednesday, Sept. 17, from 8:30 a.m. to noon at the Lane University Center. Representatives from the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC), Maryland Commission on Human Relations and the Maryland Chapter of the National Association of Human Rights Workers will be presenting information on how to prevent employment discrimination and disputes, recognizing the underlying problems, and how employers the agencies deal with complaints.

The workshop is free. While the registration date has passed some space may still be available. Interested persons should contact Pansye Atkinson at x4101.

Master of Arts in Teaching Info Night

Master of Arts in Teaching - Elementary (grades 1-8): Information Night, Monday, Sept. 22, at 7 p.m. (**new time**), FSU Hagerstown Center. Application and admissions information will be available for students desiring to enter the program in May 2004. For additional program information, contact Dr. Kim Rotruck, Hagerstown Center, at (301) 791-4026 or the Office of Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall, x7053.

Electronic Suggestion Box Launched

If you've always wanted to contribute your two cents, here's your chance. FSU will be experimenting with an electronic suggestion box.

Send your suggestion to fsusuggestionbox@frostburg.edu. An FSU e-mail address is required to make a suggestion. Suggestions are not anonymous.

Depending upon the ability of the server handling the suggestion box to send out automatic replies, each submission will get an immediate, automatic reply that it has been received and will be sent to the appropriate vice president for consideration and reply in a timely manner.

Ten working days is the estimated time for a response. If more than 10 working days are needed, then the person making the suggestion will be told when to anticipate a reply.

If you have difficulty sending a suggestion to the box, contact is Teresa Feck, x7092 or tfeck@frostburg.edu.

Brady Health Center

Correction to previous articles: As previously stated, the BHC does not provide notes for class absences, and if, in the opinion of the provider, the student is too ill to be in class, the appropriate calls will be made to inform faculty and staff. SES does not make the decision to excuse a student from class; this decision is made by the instructor.

Meningitis Immunization

Brady Health Center will hold a meningitis immunization clinic for FSU students on Tuesday, Sept. 16, from 5 to 7 p.m. Call x4310 to make an appointment.

Orioles Outing

The Annual Orioles Outing, sponsored by the FSU Alumni Association, will be Thursday, Sept. 18, at Oriole Park at Camden Yards. The outing starts at 5:30 p.m. with a Pre-Game Picnic featuring Boog's Pit Beef barbecue sandwich, hot dogs, coleslaw, baked beans, tortilla chips with salsa and beverages. The game versus the New York Yankees is at 7:05 p.m.

Tickets (including the picnic) are \$29 per person. Call x4068 by Sept. 15. Sorry, transportation is not provided to Camden Yards.

Commencement Announcement

Any student planning to complete their studies during the current semester (December 2003) must 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). Mailings and notices regarding Commencement are sent only to those students who have completed all filing requirements. The first mailing will be sent the second week of October.

Caps and gowns are provided at no charge to all students cleared to participate in the Commencement Ceremony; however, each student is responsible for placing an order in

advance. Orders should be submitted to the University Bookstore by Oct. 21. All graduating students are also encouraged to attend the Grad Fair on Monday, Oct. 20, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Manicur Assembly Hall in the Lane University Center. More information on this event will be distributed at a later date.

Advance information about Commencement is always available on the University's website. Go to www.frostburg.edu, click on "current students," then on "academics." A drop-down screen will list Commencement. Click on this and it will connect you to full details on Commencement and related activities. (www.frostburg.edu/events/commenc.htm.) For more information, contact Beth Deatelhauser in Special Academic Services, x3130, 127 Performing Arts Center or bdeatelhauser@frostburg.edu.

Handicapped Parking Fine Increases to \$100

You must have official, DMV handicapped parking privileges to use spaces reserved for the handicapped. Mobility-restricted students, faculty and staff presented their parking problems to last year's Administrative Task Group on Parking and asked for extra help in getting to work or class. As a result, the fine for unauthorized use of a handicapped space was increased to \$100 on July 1.

Question: Does that mean that I can't park in handicapped parking just to run to the Library or the Lane Center for a few minutes?

Answer: That's what it means.

Points of Pride



Shivaji Prasad from Department of Geography attended the Western Pennsylvania GIS conference on Sept. 5, held at California University of Pennsylvania at Southpointe campus. Shivaji also presented a paper entitled: "Assessing Potential Hazards Zones on the Eastern Coast of USA".



Activities for Life

Canoe, Kayak Roll Sessions

Canoe and Kayak Roll Sessions will be offered on Tuesday evenings, Sept. 23 to Dec. 9. The roll sessions will be held from 9 to 10:45 p.m. at the FSU Pool in the Cordts Physical Education Center. Participants must bring their own canoes or kayaks. There is a \$4 fee per night.

For more information contact Center Coordinator Amy Nazelrod at x7934.

Get Involved



Homecoming Planning

Interested in being a part of Homecoming? A Homecoming Planning Meeting for interested student organizations will be held Thursday, Sept. 18, at 5 p.m. in Ort Library room 237. Refresh-

ments will be served. Send a representative and lots of ideas.

For more information, contact Gary Van Zinderen at x4151.

United Campus Ministry

UCM will perform a Community Service Project at the Western Maryland Food Bank in Cumberland at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 17. Meet behind Ort Library at 6:30 p.m.

Catholic Campus Ministry

CCM will present "The Gift of Priesthood," featuring Fr. Matt Buening, a newly ordained priest for the Archdiocese of Baltimore, Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 7:30 p.m. in the Osborne Newman Center. Matt will share what the priesthood means to him.

Could You Use \$400?

FSU is teaming up with BURG Peer Education Network to bring in the #1 entertainment event in the country called THINKFAST!!! ThinkFast is an audience response hip hop game show, sure to be labeled as the "Event of the Year." Everyone who comes plays ... everyone has a shot at the \$400 prize. If you could use \$400 this month, then come to the Lane University Center on Sept. 17 at 7 p.m. for a shot at the cash. View ThinkFast online at www.TjohnE.com

Create your own team composed of 8 - 10 players. Registration forms and a \$10 fee must be received as soon as possible. Please pick up and return registration forms at 111 Sand Spring Hall.

Question? Call x4761.

Gay Men's Group

A new support/rap gay men's group for students/faculty/staff/community is forming. It will meet weekly at 7 p.m. beginning Friday, Sept. 19, in PAC third floor conference room. For more information, contact advisor Barry Fischer at x4730.

Leadership News



Leadership Mastery Certificate Program

Earn a Leadership Mastery Certificate by meeting the following requirements:

Go to either the Involvement Fair or the Volunteer Fair; attend one Scholar-In-Residence Program (Jim Cain); three Student Organization Leadership Series programs; two Skills for Success programs; one Sloop Leadership Institute: Experienced Leader program; and the *Fifth Annual Sloop Leadership Institute.

*By completing the first five requirements, you will qualify to attend the Sloop Leadership Institute. Upon attending the Institute, you will earn a Leadership Mastery Certificate, which will be presented to you at the Leadership Banquet in May.

No one event can count for two requirements. Sign up for the certificate

program at the Lane University Center Information Desk.

Involvement Fair

FSU offers involvement opportunities in over 100 student organizations. Stop by Wednesday, Sept. 24, between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. in Delaney Plaza near the clock tower and meet members of these groups, get free stuff and free food. If it rains, the event will move to the LUC lobby.

Scholar-in-Residence with Jim Cain

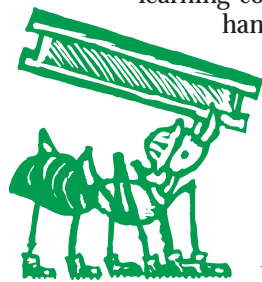
Dr. Jim Cain is the author of the award-winning adventure-based text *Teamwork & Teamplay*, which received the Karl Rohnke Creativity Award presented by the Association for Experiential Education (AEE). He is the former Executive Director of the Association for Challenge Course Technology (ACCT), and a senior consultant to the Cornell University Corporate Teambuilding Program. Jim makes his home in Brockport, N.Y. Dr. Cain frequently serves as a visiting professor on subjects ranging from experiential education, and leadership to challenge and adventure-based activities, and from recreational dancing and games leadership, to structural engineering, chaos and powder mechanics.

Building Leadership in the Greek Community

Designed for FSU Greeks, this special session titled "Working and Playing in Groups" will be Thursday, Sept. 18, from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Osborne Newman Center. It explores the five stages of group development (forming, storming, norming performing, and transforming) using adventure-based activities. Greeks can take these activities back to their chapters in order to assist in challenging and motivating members.

'Community' Building: Play With a Purpose

Open to students interested or enrolled in the leadership studies academic minor, as well as students in learning communities, this hands-on workshop will be Saturday, Sept. 20, from 10 a.m. to noon in Appalachian Station. It uses a variety of simple games that can be used with all groups.



From get-acquainted activities to name games, and from energizers to thought-provoking activities, this workshop is sure to introduce some new activities that require minimal props, and that will be appropriate for all group. We encourage small teams from individual communities to participate and share this experience.

Train the Trainers: Teamwork and Teamplay

Targeted to executive board members of student organizations, peer mentor groups, RAs, G.O.L.D members, HallSTARS!, etc., this presentation will be Saturday, Sept. 20, from 1 to 3 p.m. in Appalachian Station. It is intended to acquaint the audience with a variety of new, ground-level, portable challenge and adventure-based educational activities that can be used to build confidence, cooperation, teamwork, creativity, trust, communication, decision making and problem-solving skills within groups.

The L.E.A.D. Team: Peer Leadership Consultants

The Department of Student & Community Involvement has paraprofessional students available for consultation and advising. Their areas of expertise are in leadership and organizational development, service, involvement and event planning. They believe strongly in empowerment, and therefore, always try to provide enough information for organizations to make wise decisions. Peer Consultants can provide one-on-one advice and feedback or organizational development workshops. In addition, peer leadership consultants sit on the planning committees for the Sloop Leadership Institute and the Fall Leadership Retreat. Interested in joining? Applications are available at the Lane University Center Information Desk or Lane University Center Room 213.

International

Rainforest Ecology and More in Madagascar

Apply now for a new winter term program that will take place during the first three weeks in January in Madagascar, an island nation off the coast of east Africa. Dr. Linda Lyon will teach BIOL 109, Human Biology and the Environment, (4 credits) and BIOL 490 Rainforest Ecology of Madagascar (2 credits). Madagascar is a country of extraordinary natural environments and biodiversity. Students will have an opportunity to explore the biology as well as cultural and ethnic aspects of the country. For more information, contact Linda Lyon at x4213 (llyon@frostburg.edu) or the CIE for application information.

Apply Now for Intersession, Spring

Students are encouraged to come by the CIE to pick up an application form for intersession and spring semester study abroad programs. Intersession programs to Ecuador, Quebec, and Madagascar have mid-October deadlines. Scholarships are available for these programs. Students may also apply for a

range of programs during the spring semester, including programs in Ireland, England, Australia/New Zealand, Denmark, Italy, and in over 150 locations through AIFS, SIT, and ISEP. For more information, check individual program descriptions below or attend the Study Abroad Fair on Sept. 15.

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 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 x4714 or e-mail her at asimes@frostburg.edu, or visit the CIE's Web page at www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm or the newsletter at <http://www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/newsletter.htm>.

Intersession in Quebec Learning French

Students are encouraged to apply for the "French and Snow" program at the University of Quebec in Chicoutimi. This program takes place during the first three weeks of January and features language instruction combined with an introduction to Quebecois culture and snow sports. The cost is \$1,400 for tuition, housing and meals. No previous French instruction is required. Students are placed in classes according to ability.

Study in Limerick, Ireland

Students interested in taking part in the Ireland Exchange Program in Limerick are encouraged to pick up an application form at the CIE. Participants study at Mary Immaculate College and take one FSU class and three MIC classes. In spring 2004, Dr. MacGregor O'Brien (mobrien@frostburg.edu) will be teaching three FSU courses: SPAN 101, ENGL 150, and MDFL 111. All financial aid will transfer and scholarships are available. Apply through Sept. 19 for spring 2004.



Study in Australia or New Zealand

FSU is affiliated with AustraLearn, an organization that provides unique opportunities for students to study at 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 courses at campuses in beautiful and exotic surroundings. Scholarships are available from both FSU and AustraLearn. Apply now for spring 2004.

Study in Newcastle, England

Students interested in studying at the University of Northumbria in Newcastle, England, may apply now for the spring 2004 semester. Newcastle is one of the liveliest cities in the UK, just across the Channel from Amsterdam, and three hours north of London (one hour south of Edinburgh) by train. Courses are available in a wide variety of subjects. The cost of the program is about the same as one semester at FSU (in-state) and all financial aid will transfer.



Italy at the American University in Rome

Students at FSU may enroll in the Towson University semester program in Rome at the American University. Classes are taught in English and all credits transfer back to FSU.

Exchange in Adria, Italy for Music Majors

Music majors may apply now for the spring 2004 exchange program with the Conservatorio Statale di Musica "Antonio Buzzolla" in Adria, Italy, near Venice. Students should have some ability to speak and understand Italian (or may sign up for the Italian course this fall). Students pay FSU tuition and the cost of the hostel, food and round-trip airfare.

Semester Overseas for Same Price as FSU

The International Student Exchange Program (ISEP) 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 more than 140 locations. Students may take financial aid with them and apply for scholarships from the CIE and from ISEP. Students may choose programs taught in English or other languages. For the price of an airline ticket, this is a great way to earn credit toward your FSU degree while enjoying life in a foreign culture. Apply now for fall 2004.

Study in Non-Traditional Locations

FSU is affiliated with the School for International Training. This enables FSU students to study through SIT in over 50 locations while remaining registered at FSU. All financial aid will transfer. SIT offers programs in Africa, Asia, South America, Europe and Austral-asia. This is a fantastic opportunity for students who would like to spend a semester, year or summer off the beaten track.

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, including Richmond College in London. 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.

Spend the Intersession in Ecuador

Student may apply for the winter session program in Ecuador sponsored by Salisbury University. Classes in Spanish and Latin American culture are taught at the Center for Interamerican Studies in Cuenca in the Andes. For more information, contact Dr. MacGregor O'Brien,

x4287 or 224 Fine Arts.

Do Your Student Teaching in Copenhagen

Education majors who would like to earn a semester of FSU credits while studying in Denmark should apply for the spring 2004 semester 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.

Gain Work/Volunteer Experience Overseas

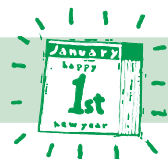
Students interested in working abroad should come by the CIE for information about internships, volunteer organizations and paid work overseas. Many

organizations help students obtain jobs and work permits, and some help to arrange housing as well. Students can choose from short experiences (one to two months) to longer experiences (four to 12 months), or even look into a more serious commitment (one to three years). Destinations are available throughout the world.

Financial Aid for Studying Overseas

FSU students are able to transfer all federal financial aid overseas to help pay for study abroad programs, along with most state and institutional aid for most FSU sponsored programs. The CIE also awards study abroad scholarships of \$500 and \$1,000 to qualifying students. Many other state and national scholarships are also available to help cover overseas costs.

FSU Events Calendar



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

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

- * Study Abroad Fair 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Clock Tower Quad
- * Center Stage Open Mic 7:00 p.m. Derezhinski Lounge/Loft

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

- * Women's Field Hockey: McDaniel College 4:00 p.m. Away
- * UPC *Blizzard of Bucks* 8:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

- * Men's Soccer: Penn State University-Altoona ... 4:00 p.m. Home
- * Women's Tennis: Chatham College 4:00 p.m. Away
- * BURG Program, *Think Fast* 7:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * BSA General Body Meeting 8:00 p.m. Lane Atkinson Room

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

- * National Broadcasting Society Blood Drive .. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * Homecoming Meeting 5:00 p.m. Library 237
- * Student Organization Leader Series, Jim Cain, Scholar-in-Residence, "*Building Leadership in the Greek Community*" 6:00 p.m. Osborne Newman Center
- * Women's Volleyball: Penn State Altoona 6:30 p.m. Away
- * SGA Meeting 7:30 p.m. Lane Atkinson Room

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

- * Women's Tennis: Washington & Jefferson 3:00 p.m. Away
- * Salisbury State University 3:00 p.m. Away

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

- * Leadership, "*Community*" Building: *Play with a Purpose* 10:00 a.m. Lane Appalachian Station
- * Leadership, "*Train the Trainers: Teamwork & Teamplay*" 1:00 p.m. Lane Appalachian Station
- * Football: Montclair State University 1:00 p.m. Home
- * Women's Field Hockey: Roanoke College 1:00 p.m. Away
- * Women's Soccer: Westminster College 1:00 p.m. Home
- * Men's Soccer: Westminster College 3:00 p.m. Home
- * CES, *Bonnie Rideout Trio Scottish Fire!* 8 p.m. Pealer Recital Hall

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

- * Women's Tennis: Shenandoah Invitational 9:00 a.m. Away
- * CCM Mass Noon & 8:00 p.m. Cook Chapel
- * Planetarium: "*Our Earth, Skies of Mars & Marswatch*" 4 & 7 p.m. Tawes Hall

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

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