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## VP 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 Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 11 a.m. in the Lane University Center Manicur Assembly Hall.

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 a 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.

## Undergraduate Education Initiative Proposes Institutional Learning Goals

The Steering Committee of the Undergraduate Education Initiative submits, for the consideration of the University community, a set of five Institutional Learning Goals, created to reflect three purposes:

- To emphasize the specific learning outcomes desired in a liberal arts-oriented education;
- To serve as a foundation for the forthcoming proposals in curricular reform formulated through the efforts of the Undergraduate Education Initiative;
- To provide a framework for institutional assessment initiatives.

Currently, the primary public statement regarding FSU's educational goals is found within its institutional mission statement:

"Couched within a liberal arts tradition, undergraduate programs promote intellectual growth and equip learners with problem-solving and decision-making abilities useful in developing global understanding and effecting civic responsibility and constructive change." (2002-2005 Undergraduate Catalog, p. 1)

The creation of institutional learning goals is vitally important to the University, not only for their value in providing a grounding for our curricular efforts, but because new Middle States accreditation standards specifically cite the importance of having clearly-stated

learning goals. As a result, the proposed Learning Goals are written in an "assessment-friendly" fashion, utilizing a general goal statement that is then itemized into action-oriented objectives that can be used by colleges and departments.

A special open meeting to accept comments and suggestions about the Learning Goals is scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 4 p.m. in the Cordts PE Center's Leake Room. Please attend and share your thoughts and concerns. After public comment has been received, the Institutional Learning Goals will be submitted to the Faculty Senate, through its governance structure, for discussion and final approval.

### Institutional Learning Goals

#### Skills of Inquiry, Critical Thinking & Synthesis

Students will acquire knowledge as they develop their abilities and experience in exercising higher-level critical thinking.

Students will:

- Apply different methods of inquiry from various perspectives and disciplines to gather information;
- Develop and apply various research methods to evaluate information critically;
- Analyze complex issues and

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## Music



REO Speedwagon

## REO Speedwagon to Rock Homecoming

The '70s and '80s are back when the FSU's Cultural Events Series and University Programming Council present the band REO Speedwagon on Saturday, Oct. 18, at 9 p.m. in the FSU Cordts Physical Education Center Main Arena. The concert is part of FSU's 2003 "Blast from the Past" Homecoming celebration.

Since 1970, REO has been on the road and recording non-stop, with 17 critically

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construct logical conclusions;

- Develop and exercise problem-solving skills to creatively synthesize ideas within and across disciplines.

### Core Skills

Students will become proficient in reading, writing, speaking and listening. They will also develop mathematical and technological fluency.

Students will:

- Comprehend and critically interpret information in written and oral forms;
- Communicate information and ideas effectively in varied formats including, but not limited to, written, oral and creative expression;
- Understand and apply basic mathematical skills to solve quantitative problems;
- Use technological resources to access and communicate relevant information.

### In-Depth Acquisition & Application of Knowledge

Students will gain discipline-specific knowledge appropriate to enter into the professional sector and/or graduate school.

Students will:

- Demonstrate technical and analytic skills that are discipline-oriented and applicable to future careers;
- Acquire discipline-specific vocabulary, critical discourse, and research skills;
- Create and maintain a working portfolio;
- Meet professional standards and competencies (for certification and licensure when appropriate);
- Develop a greater sense of community, as through student clubs, memberships in professional organizations and subscriptions to professional journals;
- Engage in service-learning and internship opportunities for disciplinary and professional experience.

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acclaimed albums and 13 Top 40 singles including "Can't Fight This Feeling," "Keep On Loving You," "Time for Me to Fly," "Hi Infidelity," "Take It on the Run" and "Back on the Road Again."

"We started out as a bar band, playing as fast and loud as we could," says REO's bass guitarist Bruce Hall. Like their former rivals, Styx, REO's style of rock features strong melody, even stronger hooks, soaring vocals and a palatable mix of guitars, bass, keyboards and drums. After the band's original guitarist Gary Richrath and drummer Alan Gratzer left the band in the late '80s, REO Speedwagon came

## Bonnie Rideout Trio Rescheduled to March 6

The Cultural Events Series has rescheduled its Bonnie Rideout Scottish Trio performance for Saturday, March 6, 2004, at 8:30 p.m. Tickets originally issued for the Sept. 20 postponed performance will be honored for the March 6 performance.

### Values & Social Responsibility

Students will acquire positive values and become responsible citizens in a complex and changing society.

Students will:

- Demonstrate respect and tolerance for other cultures and societies;
- Make professional and personal judgments based on ethical consideration and societal values;
- Demonstrate sustained intellectual curiosity;
- Exhibit strong civic responsibility and leadership;
- Understand the purpose and value of community service in advancing society;
- Demonstrate an awareness of and appreciation for the natural environment.

### Cultural Identity

Students will gain insight into the ways their own cultural identities and experiences shape their perspective of the world and influence their interactions with people from different backgrounds.

Students will:

- Demonstrate the knowledge, skills and attitudes essential for communicating effectively with people of diverse backgrounds;
- Understand how and why cultures vary in their approaches to race, gender, power and class;
- Recognize and appreciate arguments supporting perspectives different from their own;
- Demonstrate an awareness of their own overlapping, multi-layered and fluid identity and the various factors that influence identity;
- Act as agents for inclusion of all individuals and groups in both their social and intellectual lives.

Please note: Revised goals for the General Education Program will be proposed as part of the recommendations forwarded by the Steering Committee of the Undergraduate Education Initiative.

close to the end of the road, but was convinced by loyal fans to keep on truckin'. Besides Hall, current members include lead singer/songwriter Kevin Cronin, keyboard player and founding member Neal Doughty, drummer Bryan Hitt and lead guitarist Dave Amato.

This show is presented in partnership with the FSU Alumni Association.

Ticket prices for the general public range from \$25 to \$45. To order tickets, call the CES Box Office, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at x3137 or toll free at 1-866-TIXX-CES, or visit online at <http://ces.frostburg.edu>.

Anyone who had previously purchased tickets should contact the CES Box Office to notify them that the rescheduled date is fine or to inquire about a refund. The box office is open Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

## On the Radio



### Barb Hurd's 'Radio Times' Interview Today

Dr. Barbara Hurd's recent interview on radio station WHYI in Philadelphia about her new book, *Entering the Stone: On Caves and Feeling Through the Dark*, will be rebroadcast by WFWM (91.9 FM), the University's public radio station, on Monday, Sept. 29, at 7 p.m. Hurd spoke with Marty Moss-Coane, host of WHYI's Radio Times program.



## Speakers

### 'What Do We Mean by Love of Country?'

What can be learned from the social movements of the 1960s, especially in light of present realities?

Dr. Paul Lyons, professor and author of *The People of This Generation: The Rise and Fall of the New Left in Philadelphia*, will present the talk "Dissent and Patriotism: What Do We Mean By Love of Country?" on Monday, Oct. 13 at 7 p.m. in the Leake Room of the Cordts Physical Education Center and is free and open to the public. Lyons has a rich background integrat-



ing social work and history, and he regularly teaches "The Vietnam War: Senior Seminar" and "The Holocaust and the American Experience." He is a professor of Social Work at Stockton College in Pomona, N.J.

Lyons' other books include *Philadelphia Communists, 1936-1956*; *Class of '66: Living in Suburban Middle America and New Left, New Right, and the Legacy of the Sixties*.

The talk is sponsored by the FSU Faculty Development & Sabbatical Committee. For information, contact Ann Bristow, Psychology, at x4446.

## Appalachian Laboratory

"Nitrate Delivery and In-Stream Denitrification, Raccoon River, Iowa" by Karen L. Prestegard, Department of Geology, University of Maryland, another in the UMCES Appalachian Laboratory Fall Seminar Series Thursday, Oct. 2, 3:30 p.m. in AL Room 109. Refreshments will follow in the AL Lobby.

## 'Who are the Muslims and What is Islam?'

The second part of the Religion and the Middle East Series, "Who Are the Muslims and What is Islam?" will take place on Wednesday, Oct. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in Room 201, Lane University

Center's Atkinson Room. Iman Qasim Burmi, leader of the Islamic Society of Western Maryland, Hagerstown, will make the presentation.

The third and final program, which will take place some time in the 2004 spring semester, will deal with "Israeli-Palestinian Relations and Hopes for the Future." Both Rabbi Sniderman of B'er Chayim Congregation, Cumberland, and Imam Qasim Burmi will be in dialogue. If "dialogue is the beginning of understanding," here is a good opportunity to start.

This series is sponsored by Catholic Campus Ministry, Hillel and United Campus Ministry.

## 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 WVU 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.

## Theatre



### 'Romeo and Juliet' opens UT Season

Tickets are now on sale for William Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet," which will open the 2003-2004 University Theatre season. The production runs Oct. 10, 11, 16, 17 and 18 at 8 p.m. with a matinee on Oct. 11 at 2 p.m.

Through beautiful language and a passionate cast of characters, William Shakespeare takes us on an unforgettable journey in "Romeo and Juliet." The two "star-crossed lovers" encounter numerous obstacles with an urgency that makes "Romeo and Juliet" the most famous love story in the world.

Season discount cards are available for \$30 and cover admission to all four main stage productions. Regular ticket prices are \$5 for students and \$10 for non-students. Call x7462 Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for reservations and information.



## Take Note

### Personal Counseling Groups and Workshops

FSU 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 in 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:

**Alcohol Users Group:** This six-session group will help students learn ways to reduce or stop their use of alcohol. The participants will assess their use, explore their personal history and effects of alcohol, and develop strategies to change their behavior. Facilitator is Dr. Spencer Deakin.

**Diversity and College Living — Open Forum:** This open session is geared primarily toward minority students who are looking for a place to express their views, share their opinions, and/or address concerns or issues that face minority students on a day-to-day basis. Facilitator is Dr. Alisa Howze.

**Feeling Better Fast — Help for Depression and Anxiety:** This group will emphasize cognitive and behavioral means of reducing depression and anxiety. The group will examine relaxation techniques, pleasurable activities, restructuring thoughts, and taking care of one's body. Participants will have an opportunity to share experiences and responses with each other. An initial consultation is necessary. Facilitator is Dr. Spencer Deakin.

**Grief and Loss Group:** This group is for students who have experienced the loss of a significant individual in their lives. The group will focus on issues related to the grief and healing process. Facilitator is Pat Deasy.

**Personal Growth and Development Group:** Interested in finding your potential? This group is structured to help individuals who are seeking a personal growth opportunity. Facilitator is Pat Deasy.

**Women's Issues Groups:** These groups for women will allow each member to address her own unique issues, and share, process and problem-solve within a group context. Women can learn to improve their self-confidence, assertiveness, and relationships by sharing with others who have endured similar experiences. Facilitators are Dr. Alisa Howze and Patricia Robison.

The groups' dates and times will be scheduled based primarily on student responses.

### Hispanic Heritage Month

FSU and the Latino Students are proud to sponsor a variety of activities and events to celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month:

**Tuesday, Sept. 30, 7:30 p.m.** Fine Arts 221, "Little Murders": Life and Death in Ciudad Juarez, Mexico, Dr. Paul

Charney (History Department).

In the last 10 years, more than 300 young females factory workers and students have been kidnapped and murdered in a desert area along the USA-Mexico border. Hundreds more have disappeared mysteriously without a trace. Dr. Charney will discuss these criminal events and the issues surrounding them.

**To be scheduled** — a lecture on the U.S. Supreme Court and its Treatment of Hispanics. Dr. Scott Johnson (Political Science Department).

Organizers and participants will conduct all activities in English and the University invites all members of the public to attend free of charge.

Co-sponsors of these events include The Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, The Diversity Center, The Women Studies Program, The FSU Chapter of Amnesty International and the International Film Series.

For more information, contact Maria-Luisa Sanchez at x4104.

### Edgewood Commons Ribbon-Cutting Oct. 4

The campus community is cordially welcome to the ribbon-cutting for Edgewood Commons on Saturday, Oct. 4, at 11 a.m. A reception and tours of the facility follow the ceremony.

The ceremony will be at the amphitheater, or, if it rains, in the lounge at Edgewood Commons.

Transportation to and from the ceremony will be available from the Lane University Center beginning at 10:15 a.m.

### Scheduling and Religious Observances

FSU President Catherine R. Gira requests sensitive and responsible compliance by all students, faculty and staff to the following FSU and Board of Regents policy:

"It is the policy of FSU that the academic programs and services of the University shall be available to all qualified students who have been admitted to its programs, regardless of their religious beliefs. Students shall not be penalized because of observances of their religious holidays and shall be given an opportunity to make up, within a reasonable time period, any academic assignment that is missed due to the individual participation in religious observances. It is the responsibility of the student to notify his/her instructor of conflicts between religious observances and scheduled course activities."

Courtesy suggests that students should notify their instructors of conflicts and make arrangements for making up missed work PRIOR to an absence due to religious observance.

All faculty and staff will be sent a calendar of Religious and Ethnic Holidays for reference.

### Student Research Day

The Mid-Atlantic Division of AAG is organizing "Student Research Day" conference. It will be a one-day event

and will be held on Friday, Nov. 21, at FSU. The main activities will include research paper and poster presentations by undergraduate, masters and Ph.D. students. Other activities might include Geography Bowl for the students. Faculty and other staff can be co-authors of the paper and/or poster. However, the presentation will be made only by the student.

Though it is being organized by Mid-Atlantic Division of AAG, all of the students from area schools, colleges and universities are welcome to participate.

Please encourage your students to participate and make presentation. Several best presentations will be selected and will be given awards and recognitions.

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

#### Guidelines for submitting an ABSTRACT FOR Paper and Poster

Please submit the abstract via e-mail (as an attachment) in Microsoft Word. Include the author(s) name(s) and institutional affiliation, address(es), and the e-mail address for the lead author. The title should follow in BOLD CAPS and, on the line immediately following, the body of the abstract. The due date for ABSTRACT submission is NOV. 1. If you are late, please let Prasad know for possible submission.

The paper/poster abstract should not exceed 250 words and should describe the presentation's purpose, methods and conclusions. Submission of an abstract conveys the right to include it in the meeting abstract booklet/program and on the conference website (when available).

For example: John Doe, Department of Geography, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI 49008-5424, john.doe@wmich.edu

#### THE INFLUENCE OF PAPER MILLS IN KALAMAZOO COUNTY, MICHIGAN

*This paper investigates the economic importance of ... (maximum 250 words).* The body of the abstract must be single-spaced and without paragraph indentations. If the abstract contains more than one paragraph, an extra space should be left between paragraphs. Authors should carefully edit and proofread the abstracts they submit. They will be printed as submitted.

Papers should conform to a 20-minute time limit, which ideally will include a 15-minute presentation and 5 minutes of discussion. Illustrations must be of high quality and, when projected on a screen, be readable from 25 feet.

## Commencement Announcement

Any student planning to complete their studies during the current semester (December 2003) must 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). Notices regarding Commencement are sent only to those students who have completed all filings. 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 Commencement; 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.

Advance information about Commencement is available on the University's Web site. Go to [www.frostburg.edu](http://www.frostburg.edu), click on "current students," then on Commencement Information under the Academics heading. ([www.frostburg.edu/events/commenc.htm](http://www.frostburg.edu/events/commenc.htm).) This will connect you to full details on Commencement and related activities. For information, contact Beth Deatelhauser in Special Academic Services, x3130, 127 Performing Arts Center or [bdeatelhauser@frostburg.edu](mailto:bdeatelhauser@frostburg.edu).

## Points of Pride



FSU has been awarded a four-year continuation for the **Regional Math/Science Center**. Funded by the U.S. Department of Education, RMSC helps high school students from low-income families from the Appalachian regions of West Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania, as well as from Baltimore City, to strengthen math and science skills. In addition, participants receive instruction in English, foreign languages and study skills in order to prepare them to earn bachelor's degrees in mathematics or science. To date, 53 students have graduated from the program and 80 percent have either graduated from college or are enrolled. Of the 12 graduates, 10 (83 percent) received degrees in math or science. The FSU proposal received 299 of 300 possible points from the field readers. The grant, written by **Rita Hegeman, Sara Briden** and **Clarice Saulpaw**, will bring FSU at least \$1,177,500 during the four-year cycle.

**Sal Agosta**, an honors graduate in the MS program in Applied Ecology and Conservation Biology, and **Dave Morton** of the Biology Department just published three journal papers on their research together. One of them, "Feeding Ecology of the Bat, *Eptesicus fuscus*: 'Preferred' Prey Abundance as one Factor Influencing Prey Selection and Diet," was published in the prestigious *J. Zool., Lond.* Along with Sal and Dave, **Kellie Kuhn** is a coauthor on this article. Kellie is a honors graduate in the undergraduate Wildlife and Fisheries program. Sal is studying for a Ph.D. at the University of Pennsylvania and Kellie, for an MS degree at the University of Nevada at Reno.



## Deadlines

### Education Students: Applications Due Oct. 15

The application deadline for students entering Phase I, Phase II or Phase III of the Teacher Education Program will

be Wednesday, Oct. 15. All applications should be returned to the Office of Unit Assessment, Framptom Hall room 206-6. If you need an application form or have any questions, please call x7953 or stop by the Office of Unit Assessment.

## Internships



### POSC Internship Meeting Oct. 2

There will be an important meeting of all students who are planning to intern in the Political Science Department in the spring or summer of 2004 on Thursday, Oct. 2, at 4 p.m. in OM104.

It is vital that anyone planning to participate during 2004 in a Political Science/Justice Studies/or Law and Society internship attend this meeting. (If unable to attend, please contact John Bambacus as soon as possible, x4283, [jbambacus@frostburg.edu](mailto:jbambacus@frostburg.edu) or GC139, during office hours MW 9-11 a.m. and TR 10-11 a.m. or by appointment.

### Md. General Assembly Internships Available

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. 14 through April 12, 2004.

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. A stipend is awarded for participation. All majors are encouraged to apply. The deadline for applying is Wednesday, Oct. 22.

For further information and an application, contact John Bambacus, Department of Political Science, Guild Center 139, or call x4283 or e-mail [jbambacus@frostburg.edu](mailto:jbambacus@frostburg.edu).

## On Channel 3



### News Notes is Back

News Notes returns on Monday, Sept. 29, at 3 and 6 p.m. Producer Joanna Terry and the students of the Mass Communication Department will provide you with the latest local and national news. Tune in Mondays and Wednesdays at 3 and 6 p.m. on FSU TV Cable Channel 3.

For other questions about Channel 3's programming, contact the Cable Channel Manager Melanie Lombardi at x3011 or [mlombardi@frostburg.edu](mailto:mlombardi@frostburg.edu).

### FSU TV 3 Schedule for Sept. 29-Oct. 3

**Monday:**  
3 & 6 p.m. "News Notes"  
3:05 & 6:05 p.m. Café Frostburg: Tom Acosti  
4 :35 & 7:35 p.m. CAB Lecture: Remember The Titans

**Tuesday:**

3 &amp; 6 p.m. Poet: Lawrence Raab

4 &amp; 7 p.m. MD State of Mind

5 &amp; 8 p.m. Biographies: J. Glenn Beall Jr.

**Wednesday:**

3 &amp; 6 p.m. "News Notes"

3:05 &amp; 6:05 p.m. Destination Tomorrow

3:35 &amp; 6:35 p.m. Jazz Ensemble Concert

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4:30 &amp; 7:30 p.m. FSU Phat Padz Episode #1

5 &amp; 8 p.m. Urban Music Report

**Thursday:**

3 &amp; 6 p.m. FSU Volleyball vs Pitt-Greensburg

4:45 &amp; 7:45 p.m. Kimberly Andrews Piano

Recital

**Friday:**

3 &amp; 6 p.m. Café Frostburg: Jen Chapin

4:25 &amp; 7:25 p.m. FSU Phat Padz Episode #2

5 &amp; 8 p.m. Agnew Prosecutor: George Beall

## Get Involved



### Arboretum: 'Get Rid of the Knotweed'

As some of you are aware, the campus arboretum has become infested with the dreaded invasive Knotweed. Although the removal of this plant will take consecutive seasons, we are hoping to begin its demise this semester.

Therefore, an FSU Arboretum "Get Rid of the Knotweed" Day will be held Saturday Oct. 11 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. (Raindate will be Sunday Oct. 12). The day will consist of cutting and removing the knotweed from the site. Please come with work gloves and lots of energy! For more information, contact Linda Lyon, Biology, at llyon@frostburg.edu.

### Track and Field

There will be a track and field meeting Thursday, Oct. 2, in Cordts PE Center room 104 at 8 p.m. For information, contact Coach Moreno at x3243 or Wendy McFarlane at x3238.

### Interested in Computer Science?

Come to the New Major/Minor's Night Wednesday, Oct. 1, at 5 p.m. in Lane University Center 140-141. Refreshments will be served. You're invited to learn about the curriculum and how you can get involved in student-led activities within the department!

### Catholic Campus Ministry

CCM will discuss "What Does it Mean to be Catholic" on Tuesday, Sept. 30 at 7:30 p.m. in the Osborne Newman Center. The discussion will explore the unique qualities of Roman Catholics.

### United Campus Ministry

UCM presents "Faith and Science: Is There a Conflict," by philosophy professor Dr. Angelo Bucchino, Wednesday, Oct. 1, at 7:30 p.m. in Ort Library 237.

### Baptist Student Ministry

BSM B.A.S.I.C. (praise and worship for students) will be Tuesday, Sept. 23,

at 7:30 p.m. at the Baptist Student Ministry Center

On Wednesday, Sept. 24, BSM's Wednesday Night Bible Study will be held at 9:30 p.m. in the Baptist Student Ministry Center. All are welcome!

Questions? Call (301) 689-2588 or e-mail m.robertson@frostburg.edu.

### Could You Use \$400?

Due to Hurricane Isabel, the ThinkFast National Tour was postponed and has been rescheduled for Sept. 30 at 7 p.m. in Manicur Assembly Hall. ThinkFast is the nation's first mobile audience response trivia based game show brought to the corporate and college market. ThinkFast integrates pop-culture, politics, music, history and other related topics into its unique program.

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. 30 (rescheduled because of the hurricane) 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. Questions? Call x4761.

## Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

### Upward Bound Has Tutoring Positions

The Upward Bound Office is accepting applications from students who are able to tutor algebra, geometry, calculus, trigonometry, physics, biology, chemistry, French or Spanish at the high school level. Applications and information can be obtained from the Upward Bound office at 121 Sand Spring Hall or by calling x4994. Pay is \$5.50 per hour.



## Activities for Life

For more information or registration for any classes, call Center Coordinator Amy Nazelrod at x7934.

### Lifeguard Certification

The Activities for Life Center, in conjunction with the Western Potomac Chapter of the American Red Cross will be offering a Lifeguard Certification Class starting Thursday, Oct. 23.

The class, instructed by Dr. Troy Strieby, will be held at the FSU Cordts Physical Education Center Pool and PE Center Room 105. The class will meet on Thursday, Oct. 23 from 6 to 9 p.m. in 105; Friday, Oct. 24, from 6 to 9 p.m. in pool; Saturday, Oct. 25, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in 105 and 5 to 9 p.m. in the pool; Sunday Oct. 26, from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. in the pool and 6 to 8

p.m. in 105; and Monday, Oct. 27, 6 to 9 p.m. in the pool.

Lifeguard students must have strong swimming skills and must be able to attend all class and pool times. Refunds will not be given after the start of the course. Deadline is Tuesday, Oct. 21.

### Youth and Advanced Swimming Lessons

Youth and Advanced Swimming Lessons will be offered for children ages 5 to 12 on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, Nov. 3 to Nov. 19.

The classes will be from 6 to 6:50 p.m. in the FSU Pool in the Cordts Physical Education Center.

Youth swimming instruction is separated into skill levels. Advanced swimming lessons are for those interested in learning advanced swimming skills or preparing for a swim team.

Advance registration is required.

### Infant-Toddler and Pre-School Swimming

Infant-Toddler and Pre-School swim lessons will be offered at the Cordts PE Center Swimming Pool.

The Infant-Toddler Swimming Class is for children ages 3 months to 36 months and the Pre-School Swimming Class is for children ages 3 and 4. Both classes will be held from 6 to 6:45 p.m. Class days are Oct. 13, 15, 17, 20 and 22.

Both infant-toddler and pre-school swimming classes require parents to be in the water and to participate along with their children.

Advance registration is required.

### Water Aerobics

Water Aerobics will be offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays from Oct. 14 to Nov. 13, from 6 to 6:50 p.m., at the FSU pool in the Cordts PE Center.

This class is geared towards those who want to increase cardiovascular fitness, flexibility and body strength. It is the perfect activity for those with painful joints or other movement limitations. Water Aerobics creates good muscle balance making the muscles limber and strong.

Instructor for the class is Jo Mason. A minimum of eight participants is needed in order to have the class.

## 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.

# 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](mailto:asimes@frostburg.edu), or visit the CIE's Web page at [www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm](http://www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm) or the newsletter at <http://www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/newsletter.htm>.

## Snow and French Winter Term in Quebec

Students interested in studying at the University of Quebec in Chicoutimi can apply through the CIE for this three week program that includes French courses, snow sports, and an introduction to the unique quebecoise culture. Students take a placement exam and are placed in French courses accordingly (including introductory French). Lodging is with homestay families in the city of Chicoutimi. Cost is just \$1,400. For further information, contact the CIE at x4714. Applications due by Oct. 15.

## 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.

## Gain Work/Volunteer Experience Overseas

Students interested in working abroad should come by the CIE for information about internships, volunteer organiza-

tions 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](http://www.frostburg.edu/weekcal.htm)



### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

Have a great day!

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

\* Women's Volleyball: Pitt-Greensburg ..... 7:00 p.m. .... Home

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1

- \* Women's Tennis: Penn State-Altoona ..... 3:00 p.m. .... Home
- \* Faculty Senate ..... 4:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room
- \* UCM Meeting, Dr. Angelo Bucchino, "Faith & Science: Is There a Conflict?"  
7:30 p.m. .... Library 237
- \* RHA Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m. .... Dunkle Hall 218
- \* BSA General Body Meeting ..... 8:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

- \* Fall Career & Internship Fair ..... 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. .... Lane ARMAH
- \* Women's Tennis: Goucher College ..... 3:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* Women's Volleyball:Pitt-Johnstown ..... 7:00 p.m. .... Away

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3 — Family Weekend

- \* Class Ring Promotion ..... 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. .... Lane Lobby
- \* Women's Soccer: Villa Julie College ..... 4:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* Family Weekend Concierge Center ... 4:00 p.m.-11:00 p.m. ... Lane University Center
- \* UPC Film Series, "Sinbad: Legend of the Seven Seas"  
7:00 p.m. & Midnight ..... Lane Atkinson Room
- \* Art Exhibition: FSU Visual Arts faculty .. 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. .... Roper Gallery
- \* Stuff-A-Friend & Footsy/Wootsy ..... 8:00 p.m.-11:00 p.m. ... Derezinski Lounge/Loft
- \* Dan Sanders – Hypnotist ..... 9:00 p.m.-10:30 p.m. .... Lane ARMAH
- \* Casino Night ..... 9:00 p.m.-Midnight ..... Appalachian Station
- \* Game Mania ..... 10:00 p.m.-Midnight ..... Lane Game Room

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4 — Family Weekend

- \* Men's & Women's Cross Country: Dickinson College Long-Short Course Invitational @ Carlisle, PA
- \* Family Weekend Concierge Center ..... 8:00 a.m-5:00 p.m. .... Lane University Center
- \* Student Support Services Reception ..... 10:00 a.m. .... Pullen Hall 133
- \* Ribbon Cutting Ceremony ..... 11:00 a.m. .... Edgewood Commons  
Tours, Reception to follow
- \* Women's Volleyball: Pitt-Bradford ..... 11:00 a.m. .... Away
- \* Family Weekend Picnic ..... Noon-1:30 p.m. .... Bobcat Stadium Grounds  
(Rain site: Cordts Main Arena)
- \* Women's Field Hockey: Goucher College ... 1:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* Men's Soccer: Washington & Jefferson ..... 1:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* Carnival of Fun for the Family ..... 1:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. .... Bobcat Stadium  
\*Rain site: Cordts Main Arena
- \* Volunteerism & National Service Open House . 1-3 p.m. .... Braddock House
- \* Art Exhibition: FSU Visual Arts faculty .. 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. .... Roper Gallery
- \* Planetarium: "Our Moon, Its Influence & Skies of Our Moon"  
1, 2, 3 & 4 p.m. .... Tawes Hall
- \* UPC Film, "Sinbad: Legend of the Seven Seas". 2 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room
- \* Game Room Mania ..... 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. .... Lane Game Room

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5 — Family Weekend

- \* CCM Mass ..... Noon & 8:00 p.m. .... Cook Chapel
- \* Art Exhibition: FSU Visual Arts faculty .. 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. .... Roper Gallery
- \* UPC Film, "Sinbad: Legend of the Seven Seas" 2 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room
- \* Planetarium: "Our Moon, Its Influence & Skies of Our Moon"  
4:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. .... Tawes Hall
- \* Open to the public – Questions? – Call 301-687-4411. All information subject to change.

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



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