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## FSU Responds to Katrina Hurricane Donation Drives

A Hurricane Katrina donation site has been established at the Lane University Center Information Desk at FSU. All who would like to donate to the relief efforts for the victims of Hurricane Katrina may do so weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. All donations will be given to the American Red Cross for the victims of Hurricane Katrina.

In addition, America's Second Harvest & Western MD Food Bank's Hurricane Katrina Relief Drive is now accepting the following items: bottled water, hand held snacks (granola & energy bars), canned meals (pasta, soups & stews), peanut butter, diapers (all sizes) and monetary donations.

These are the only items that can be sent at this time. Any other donations received will remain local.

Drop your donation off at: FSU - The Braddock House Midlothian Road or Western Maryland Food Bank, 816 Frederick St., Cumberland (301-722-2797).

Donations will be accepted through Sept. 30, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

## Education for Victims of Hurricane Katrina

FSU is opening its doors to any college student whose academic studies have been disrupted by the devastation of Hurricane Katrina. University officials met recently to launch a plan to offer a seamless transition for those affected students who wish to continue their studies through FSU.

"Our position is to try and help these students as much as we can," says FSU Provost Stephen Simpson. "We're offering affected students two options."

Students can enroll and immediately begin attending classes on the FSU campus. Students wanting to immediately enroll and attend FSU are encouraged to contact the FSU Office of Admissions at x4201 or tgregory@frostburg.edu. Housing options are available.

Affected students may instead take classes online through FSU's partnership with the Sloan Consortium. Special online courses will begin after Monday, Oct. 10, 2005.

For more information on either study option, visit online [www.frostburg.edu/katrina/](http://www.frostburg.edu/katrina/).



## Music

### CES Launches with Fedchock N.Y. Sextet

The 2005-2006 FSU Cultural Event Series launches with a performance by the John Fedchock New York Sextet on Saturday, Sept. 17, at 8 p.m. in the Manicur Assembly Hall of the campus Lane University Center. The concert is part of the CES Jazz Club, sponsored by Kauffman Music.

Fedchock established his career as a jazz trombonist in 1980 when he joined the legendary Woody Herman Orchestra. He toured with the



**John Fedchock**

Orchestra for 7 years, during which time he was musical director and a featured soloist. Fedchock now leads his own New York Big Band, a 16-piece group of alumni from major big bands and stars from New York's jazz scene. He was honored by the National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences with a 2003 Grammy Award nomination and has performed at jazz festivals and concert halls around the world.

The performance is sponsored by Vision Embroidery and supported by a grant from the Maryland State Arts Council and is funded in part by an award from the National Endowment for the Arts and in part by the Allegany Arts Council.

A special educational jazz session will be held with Fedchock on Saturday, Sept. 17, at 3:30 p.m. in Manicur Assembly Hall. Musicians will lead a discussion on their style of jazz music in the hour-long program. The session is free and open to the public. Space is limited, advance reservations requested. For more information, contact Melanie Moore, educational outreach coordinator at x7420.

To purchase tickets for the concert or for more information, call the FSU Cultural Events Box Office at x3137 or toll free at 1-866-TXX-CES, or visit online at [ces.frostburg.edu](http://ces.frostburg.edu). Ask about special Get-Away packages.

### UPC Presents MAE and the Rory Lowe Band

The University Programming Council presents MAE and the Rory Lowe Band on Thursday, Sept. 15, at 8 p.m. in the Lane University Center's Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall.

You can hear a sample of MAE's music at [www.whatismae.com/main2.html](http://www.whatismae.com/main2.html) hear their unique sound. Rory Lowe Band returns to FSU after their September 2004 appearance. The group has opened for Maroon 5, Howie Day, Ninedays and Pat McGhee Band. You can sample their music at [www.roryloweband.com](http://www.roryloweband.com).

The event is free to FSU students with Student proper ID and \$10 for the general public. A valid ID is required for entry. For information, contact the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.

## Theatre



### CAST Presents 'Much Ado About Nothing'

The Cambridge University American Stage Tour returns to FSU to perform Shakespeare's comedy "Much Ado About Nothing" on Wednesday, Sept. 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center's F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre.

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From Cambridge University, England, CAST productions cross over to the states and feature the best of Cambridge's theatre talent. The show has been 11 months in the making with a full cast and crew working to create a thoroughly professional production.

"Much Ado About Nothing" is set in rural Britain. The scenes on stage will be of Monet-like impressionism, creating an image of heightened realism. The passion of the piece will be echoed in the warm colors of the stage with cool jazz to connect the characters with the audience.

CAST aims to make theatre available to the modern audience and wants to ensure that even those audience members who are not familiar with Shakespearean text will still be able to enjoy the production. This is accomplished by using innovative and ambitious methods and interpretations.

Tickets are \$10 for the general public and \$5 for students. For ticket information, call the FSU Box Office at x4145.

The appearance of CAST is sponsored by the FSU Department of English, with support from the FSU College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and the FSU Office of the Provost.

## University Theatre Announces Season

University Theatre will present "Annie Get Your Gun," "The Violet Hour," "The Playboy of the Western World" and "Quake" as part of the 2005-2006 Main Stage season.

"Annie Get Your Gun" will kick off the season in the Drama Theatre on Oct. 7, 8, 13, 14 and 15 at 8 p.m. with matinee performances on Oct. 8 and 15 at 2 p.m. Legendary sharpshooter Annie Oakley comes to life in this timeless Irving Berlin musical.

Richard Greenberg's "The Violet Hour" will be performed on Nov. 11, 12, 17, 18 and 19 at 8 p.m. with a matinee performance on Nov. 12 at 2 p.m. in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre. Independent publisher John Pace must choose between a novel written by best friend Denis McCleary or the memoir of celebrated black songstress Jessie Brewster, with whom John is having a secret affair.

The Irish classic, "The Playboy of the Western World," will be on stage March 3, 4, 9, 10 and 11 at 8 p.m. with a matinee performance on March 4 at 2 p.m. in The Drama Theatre. When Christy Mahon saunters into a small Irish town claiming to have killed his father in self-defense, the villagers become captivated by his mystique and bravery.

The main stage season will close with "Quake" by Melanie Marnich, with performances in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre on April 14, 15, 20, 21 and 22 at 8 p.m. and April 15 at 2 p.m. "Quake" is a darkly hilarious comedy that follows a young woman as she traverses the country in search of the "perfect love."

The student-directed series, Season Too! will run performances of "The Real Queen of Hearts Ain't Even Pretty" by Brad Bailey on Oct. 28 and 29; Diana Son's "Stop Kiss" on Dec. 9 and 10; the musical

"Dames At Sea," with book and lyrics by George Haimsohn and Robin Miller and music by Jim Wise will be on Feb. 24 and 25; and The Diviners, by James Leonard Jr. on May 12 and 13. All Season Too! shows start at 8 p.m. in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre. Tickets are \$5.

Children's Theatre productions will be Oct. 22 and 23 with "Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf?" by Tom McCabe and April 22 and 23 with "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory." All performances start at 2 p.m. in the Drama Theatre. Tickets are \$2.

Season Discount Flex Cards are now on sale. For \$30, patrons can receive four main stage tickets, a \$10 savings. Card holders can spread tickets throughout the Main Stage season, or use any number of tickets for one show. Individual tickets prices are \$5 for students and \$10 for non-students. Call x7462 to order.

## PlayRights Presents Play about Date Violence

PlayRights will bring its educational theater back to FSU on Thursday, Sept. 15, with "One Night," to help students and the community explore the issue of dating violence. The performances will be at 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. in Pealer Recital Hall. It is free and open to the public.

"One Night" is an original theatre program featuring four actors in a powerful story about rape among friends. One night, they get together to celebrate the end of classes, drinking beer, joking around and having fun. What happens behind closed doors later that night throws each character into an unexpectedly intense situation that will change their friendships forever. At critical points in the plot, the actors will stop the action and remain in character while audience members ask them questions to find out more about what really happened, as well as to uncover each character's motives, feelings, opinions and plans.

For more information, contact the S.A.F.E. Office at x7692.

## Entertainment



## UPC Presents 'One Man Show with Two Guys'

The University Programming Council and the Cultural Events Series at FSU presents "A One Man Show with Two Guys" on Friday, Sept. 16, at 10 p.m. in the Lane University Center's Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall.

John Joseph, most remembered for stealing the show during his appearance as the opener for FSU's 2003 Homecoming with REO Speedwagon, returns to Frostburg in this new show. For the past six years, Joseph has been the exclusive opening act for international star Julio Inglesias and has a thriving career appearing at the top comedy clubs and theatres throughout the country. His new and original comedy show features fellow comedian and pianist Johnny B who joins him on stage for a double shot of lyrics and laughs.

Cost is \$5 for FSU students and \$15

for general admission. Tickets can be purchased at the Lane University Center Box Office. This show is in association with G0106. For information, contact the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.

## Field Goal Contest

BURG will sponsor a Half Time Field Goal Kicking Contest during the Saturday, Sept. 17, football game at 2 p.m. During the half-time show, students will have the opportunity to win a \$75 Gift Certificate from Gianni's Pizza.

## Film



## Int'l Film Series Presents 'Born into Brothels'

FSU's 2005-2006 International Film Series begins with "Born into Brothels" on Tuesday, Sept 20, at 7 p.m. in the Lane University Center Atkinson Room 201. The series is sponsored by FSU Center Stage.

A tribute to the resiliency of childhood and the power of art, "Born Into Brothels" is a portrait of several unforgettable children who live in the red light district of Calcutta where their mothers work as prostitutes. Zana Briski, a New York-based photographer, gives each of these youngsters a camera and teaches them to look at their world with new eyes. Together with Ross Kauffman, Briski captures the magical way in which beauty can be found in the most unlikely of places and how a bright and promising future becomes a possibility for children who previously had no future at all.

Other international films scheduled for this semester include: "Les Choristes," Oct. 11; "A Tout De Suite," Nov. 15; and "The Event," Nov. 29. All film showings are free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.

## Art



## Creative Couples Come Together for Exhibition

FSU Department of Visual Arts presents the exhibition "Birds of a Feather" through Sept. 25 in the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery in the campus Fine Arts Building.

"Birds of a Feather" brings together the works of area couples who are artists. The featured couples include Ann Bristow and Kenny Braitman, Judy Dehart Davis and Dustin Davis, Suzanne Donazetti and Kenneth Payne, Carolyn and James Groves, Penny Knobel-Besa and Hilmar Gottesthal, Deborah and Jim Odgers, Margaret and Dave Romero and Colleen and Chuck Stump. The exhibition will showcase photography, paintings, sculptures and other mediums.

The gallery hours are Sunday through Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. For information, call Visual Arts at x4797.



## Literature



## Poet Carolyn Wright to Read Sept. 19

The Frostburg Center for Creative Writing and English Department at FSU is proud to welcome poet Carolyn Wright for a reading Monday, Sept. 19, at 7:30 p.m. in Lane University Center 142.



**Carolyn Wright**

Wright's collection of poetry, *Seasons of Mangoes and Brainfire*, was awarded the Blue Lynx Prize, American Book Award from the Before Columbus Foundation, and Oklahoma Book Award in Poetry.

Wright has achieved international recognition from her work *The Road to Isla Negra*, which received the PEN/Jerard Fund Award and the Crossing Boundaries Award from International Quarterly and is based on her experiences in Chile on a Fulbright Study Grant. Wright spent four years in Calcutta and Dhaka, Bangladesh, where she collected and translated material for her forthcoming anthology *Majestic Nights: Love Poems by Bengali Women*.

Wright is the first in what is expected to be a fine fall reading line up, which also features fiction writer Charles Baxter on Oct. 10 and poet and nonfiction writer Cynthia Huntington Nov. 3.

The reading, sponsored by the Office of Student and Community Involvement and Main Street Books, is free and open to the public and will be followed by a book signing and reception. For more information, contact FSU's Department of English at x4221 or the Center for Creative Writing at x4024 or visit the Center's Web site at [www.frostburg.edu/dept/engl/nightsun](http://www.frostburg.edu/dept/engl/nightsun).



## Speakers

### American Chemical Society Head to Speak

American Chemical Society President William Carroll will visit Western Maryland and present two talks on Wednesday, Sept. 21. At 3 p.m., he will discuss "Vinyl Chloride, Cancer and Technology" in FSU's Compton Science Center, room 358. A second discussion will be held on "Recycling: The Critical Steps" at Gehauf's restaurant in LaVale. Dinner will begin at 6 p.m. and the discussion at 7:15 p.m. The public is invited to all events.

Carroll is a member of the ACS Budget and Finance Committee and past chair of its International Activities Committee. Carroll has served on expert groups commissioned by the United Nations Environmental Program, the state of

Florida and the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality. He has received the Vinyl Institute's Roy T. Gottesman Leadership Award for Lifetime Achievement and has been an active member of various committees for a number of organizations such as chemistry, plastics, fire protection and recycling. Carroll acquired two patents and possesses over 40 publications in the fields of organic electrochemistry, polymer chemistry, combustion chemistry and more.

His presentation at FSU will review the history of vinyl chloride toxicology, events of cancer cases in workers between 1974 and 1975, and how this event became one of the landmark events in the history of industrial hygiene. The second presentation will be on the four critical steps in recycling, collection, separation, reprocessing and remanufacture and how they relate to plastics.

Sponsors for the event include FSU's Student Affiliates of the American Chemical Society and the Western Maryland Section of the American Chemical Society. For more information on the talks or if you wish to attend the dinner, please contact Dr. J. David Stickler at 301-784-5256 or Dr. Don B. Weser at x4157.

### Maximize Your Buzz: New Approach to Alcohol

The University Programming Council will present "How to Maximize Your Buzz," on Wednesday, Sept. 14, at 7 p.m. in Lane University Center.

Led by speaker Joe Urbanski, the interactive, funny and realistic multimedia presentation focuses on the perceptions of alcohol. Urbanski will teach five core responsible drinking skills and teach students how easy it is to just say "no." The presentation will help students find out who they are and what they want to become.

For more information, contact the Info. Desk at x4411.

### 'Science and Religion: Understanding Evolution'

Dr. Richard Raesly, professor of biology at FSU, and Rev. Bill Pinches, pastor of the Frostburg Presbyterian Church, will explore the controversial subject "Science and Religion: Understanding Evolution" on Wednesday, Sept. 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the FSU Compton Science Center, room 226.

Raesly has taught biology at FSU since 1989. His expertise consists of aquatic ecology and systematics of fishes. Raesly's research has been funded by several granting agencies, such as the Environmental Protection Agency, National Park Service, The Nature Conservancy, Maryland Department of Natural Resources, Soviet Academy of Sciences and National Geographic Society. His work has also been published in many peer-reviewed journals that include Transactions of the American Fisheries Society, American

Midland Naturalist and others. Raesly received his B.S. in biology from Albright College, Master of Wildlife Biology from FSU and Ph.D. in Ecology from Penn State University.

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

Sponsors for the event include FSU's United Campus Ministry and the FSU Department of Biology. For more information, contact x7490.

### Appalachian Lab

Byron Crump of UMCES Horn Point Laboratory will speak on "Freshwater Bacterioplankton Biogeography: Observations from Lakes and Streams in Temperate and Arctic Watersheds" on Thursday, Sept. 15, at 3:30 p.m. in Room 109 at the Appalachian Lab, the first in the fall UMCES Appalachian Lab seminar series. Refreshments will be served afterward in the AL Lobby.

### Zen Lecture/Workshop

The Center for International Education and the Faculty Sabbatical and Development Subcommittee are sponsoring a Zen Lecture/Workshop Friday and Saturday, Oct 7 and 8.

The lecture, given by Zen Sensei Sunya Kjolhede, co-director of the Windhorse Zen Community in Asheville, N.C., will be entitled "Zen: Responding to a Ravaged Planet," and will take place on Friday from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the Cordts PE Center Leake Room.

The workshop (for participation only) on an orientation to zazen meditation will take place Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon, also in the Leake Room. Meditation Orientation participants must bring two firm pillows (not bed pillows) and a blanket for sitting on the floor in motionless meditation in a selected meditation posture. Please wear loose clothing (no tight jeans or shorts please) for this exercise. Both lecture and workshop are free and open to the public.

### Panel, Displays to Mark Constitution Day 2005

In honor of Constitution Day, a national initiative to increase awareness of the U.S. Constitution among federal government employees and students, FSU will present the panel discussion "The Supreme Court, the Constitution and America's Future" on Tuesday, Sept. 13, at 7 p.m. on the fourth floor of the Lewis J. Ort Library on the FSU campus.

The moderator for the evening's talk will be Dr. John Bowman, FSU associate provost. Panel members will include University political science faculty Dr. Stephen Hartlaub, Dr. Scott Johnson, Dr. David Lewis and Dr. Stephen Simpson,

FSU provost. The discussion, which is open to the public, is sponsored by the Beall Institute for Public Affairs and the FSU Department of Political Science.

In addition to the educational discussion, the Ort Library will feature several Constitution-related displays and exhibits throughout the month. Included will be information on three Marylanders – James McHenry, Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer and Daniel Carroll – who served as delegates to the Constitutional Convention in 1787. Original 18th century correspondence from James McHenry and Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer will be a featured part of the display from Sept. 9 to 23. From Sept. 9 through 19, interactive Web sites will exhibit the State of Maryland's role during this most significant time in U.S. history. The audio/visual slideshow presentation, "Maryland's Founding Fathers and the Constitution," will highlight the three delegates and their contributions to the state, both prior to and after the signing of the Constitution. All displays will be on the third (main) floor of the Ort Library.

For more information on all Constitution Day events at FSU, contact Dr. John Bowman, associate provost, at x4211.

## Hadra Forum: Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa

The free weekly James Hadra forums continue each Monday at noon in Ort Library room 237. The 50-minute programs are free and open to the public. Attendees are encouraged to bring lunch; coffee and tea will be provided.

Upcoming programs are as follows:

- Sept. 19, James Saku, "Ethnic Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa."
- Sept. 26, Jenny Davis, Deputy Field Director, and Preetmohan Singh, Senior Policy Analyst, Interfaith Alliance, "Hate as an American Value."

• Oct. 3, Kara Rogers-Thomas, "Mining the Folklore of Maryland's Mountains."

The forum is sponsored by Catholic Campus Ministries, United Campus Ministries and Hillel. For information, contact the Rev. Larry Neumark at x7490.

## Cartoperspectives

Dr. Fritz C. Kessler, associate professor in the Geography Department, will present a talk entitled "Cartoperspectives: A Journey on Where the Map Has Been, Where it is Now, and Where it Will Likely Go" at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 14 at the Frostburg Public Library. The presentation is free and open to the public.

The ever-present map has seen considerable changes throughout its history. From its humble beginnings as simple scratches in the sand to digital representations of the Earth's natural and human phenomena, the map has shown considerable flexibility and uniqueness in its ability to present a variety of information. Kessler will present an interesting tapestry of the map – where the map has been, where it is now, and what the future holds for the humble, yet approachable map.

## Take Note

### Neighbors Sought for Frostburg Association

Students, faculty and staff who live or own property in the neighborhood adjacent to the FSU campus are invited to join the newly formed Frostburg Neighborhood Association. A neighborhood association is a grassroots organization comprised of those who have a direct interest in the neighborhood including homeowners, tenants, and landlords. The association provides a vehicle by which those persons can have a say in shaping the future of their neighborhood. In addition, a neighborhood association works on community improvement projects that enhance the quality of life for all.

The next full association meeting is scheduled for Sunday, Sept. 18, at 7 p.m. at City Place (corner of Water and Mechanic Streets in Frostburg). We will be discussing future plans including the following:

- A public safety forum involving campus and city police and representatives from the district court among others
- A walking tour of our neighborhood for city and university officials
- A meeting with city officials, housing advocates, and local realtors to discuss ways to encourage more home ownership in our neighborhood
- Social activities to bring year-round residents and students together
- A Neighborhood Association newsletter
- A Naming Ceremony to formally adopt a name for our neighborhood

For more information, please contact Kathy Powell in the Dept. of Social Work at x4695.

### Community Music Outreach Begins this Fall

Dr. Susan W. Mills, Division of Performing Arts, in collaboration with Cherie Krug of the FSU Center for Volunteerism and Community Service, is bringing music lessons and recreational music to 60 children in the Cumberland Salvation Army's After School Care program. The Salvation Army and FSU volunteers have been working together to bring tutoring for Cumberland youth for the past five years, and now music is going to be an important addition to the program. Elementary Education majors, Music Education majors and members of the Unified Voices Under God's Dominion (FSU Gospel Choir) will be providing the music lessons and activities for the first time this fall. Classes will include elementary music fun, private instrumental lessons, Gospel Choir and, if a grant from the Mr. Holland's Opus Foundation is awarded, there will also be a World Drumming Class. Janee Johnson, and FSU Music Management major, will coordinate the student visits and direct the Salvation Army Gospel Youth Choir.

## FSU Receives Second Grant from mtvU

For the second year in a row, FSU has received a grant from mtvU, MTV's 24-hour college network. This year, the funds will be used to support the establishment of a HallSTARS! Alumni chapter to serve in partnership with the FSU Alumni Association.

Laura Strong, FSU student and HallSTARS! AmeriCorps alum, secured the \$500 from mtvU, which reaches over 700 campuses nationwide. Throughout the year, mtvU grants are awarded to teams of young people at mtvU partner schools who have proposed a new, sustainable community service or social entrepreneurship project that addresses a well-documented need within the community. The grants are given in hope that it will help students jump start their visions for social change within the community.

HallSTARS! is designed to integrate students with community service activities, as well as educational coursework within the AmeriCorps Education Awards Program. Students may receive up to \$1,500 in educational awards after completing 381 hours of service, training and general education courses.

Thirteen service projects have been identified this fall for the new HallSTARS! Alumni Chapter. Projects include the Alzheimer's Association Memory Walk on Sunday, Sept. 25, located in Frederick, Md.; Help the Homeless Walkathon on Friday, Nov. 18, and Saturday, Nov. 19, in Washington, D.C.; the Spring 2006 C & O Canal Cleanup on Saturday, March, 25, in Cumberland, Md.; and others.

For more information, students can visit [www.mtvU.com](http://www.mtvU.com) or call FSU's Center for Volunteerism at x4210.

## Ethnobotanical Studies Symposium at Rocky Gap

The Appalachian Center for Ethnobotanical Studies will conduct a symposium at Rocky Gap Lodge and Resort Oct. 13 and 14 to look at the study of ethnobotany, which integrates bio-science with herbal medicine practices, wildlife habitats, conservation, cottage industries and economic development for Central Appalachia.

The symposium will bring together people from a variety of disciplines and include discussion on topics such as the economic impact of ethnobotany, folklore and alternative medicines, as well as panel discussions on research the Center has already undertaken and on creating a community of growers for medicinal plants.

This symposium would be useful to anyone interested in any aspect of herbal medicine, from growing and harvesting herbs to its practice, teaching and science. It is also an opportunity for the community to learn about the activities of this new Appalachian





Center for Ethnobotanical Studies and possible future initiatives and economic development opportunities.

The Appalachian Center for Ethnobotanical Studies is a collaborative program of FSU, West Virginia University and the University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute. The Center is devoted to the study and conservation of native medicinal plants, as well as the preservation of the Appalachian culture of harvesting plants for herbal medicines. Among the goals of the Center are education, outreach and economic development, both from cultivating the medicinal plants currently found in the Appalachian wilds and from companies that choose to locate in the area to take advantage of this resource.

The symposium registration fee is \$52, which includes Thursday breakfast and lunch and Friday breakfast. For an additional \$25, participants may attend dinner on Thursday evening, with keynote speaker Dr. Ilya Raskin, professor of plant science from Rutgers University. To register or for more information, visit the Web site at [www.frostburg.edu/ethnobotany](http://www.frostburg.edu/ethnobotany) or contact Linda Steele at x4137 or [lsteale@frostburg.edu](mailto:lsteale@frostburg.edu).



## Deadlines

### Attention Teacher Education Candidates

Applications for Phase I, II and III for the spring semester are due in the Office of Unit Assessment (Frampton 203-3) by Friday, Oct. 14.

For information, stop by the office of call x7953.

## Athletics



### Wrestling Club

The FSU Wrestling Club is holding an info session on Wednesday, Sept. 14, in Cumberland Hall 046 (it's a classroom in the basement level) from 7 to 9 p.m. We will discuss the practice/mat schedule, set-up, the NCWA and our affiliation, fund-raising and more.

The Wrestling Club placed sixth last year at regionals and three qualified for nationals. The Wrestling Club competes in a regional level against other club teams, mostly affiliated with NCWA. The club also shares the mats with those interested in learning other forms of grappling such as Brazilian Ji-Jitsu and Judo.

Contact Club President Jason Goff at [jgoff0@frostburg.edu](mailto:jgoff0@frostburg.edu) or advisor Philip Stamper at [pstamper@frostburg.edu](mailto:pstamper@frostburg.edu) for more information.



## Volunteers

### Read to Succeed and Mathletics Need You

Read to Succeed and Mathletics are accepting applications for new tutors. Everyone is welcome. This is a great

opportunity for Education and Social Work students to earn service hours.

Read to Succeed provides two hours a week of free literacy support to children in grades K-8. Mathletics is the math component of the program and is offered to students in grades K-5.

#### Literacy Tutoring:

FSU Ort Library - Tuesdays or Thursdays, 5-7 p.m.

St. Michael's School - Tuesdays, 2:45-4:45 p.m.

#### Math Tutoring:

FSU Ort Library - Mondays or Wednesdays, 5-7 p.m.

St. Michael's School - Wednesdays, 2:45-4:45 p.m.

Route 40 Elem. - Wednesdays, 6-8 p.m.

Training workshops will be offered in early September. For more information, please contact Erin Shank, Read to Succeed Coordinator, at x7615.

## Get Involved



### We've Got Spirit ... How About You?

Show your school spirit by joining this new and exciting group on campus!

The Spirit Committee was developed to join together organizations and individuals who have "caught" the Bobcat Spirit.

What does the committee do? It's responsible for developing new and innovative ways to spread the Bobcat Spirit here on campus and in the FSU community.

Interested? We are meeting on the following Tuesday evenings: Sept. 13, Sept. 27, Oct. 11, Oct. 18, Nov. 8 and Dec. 6. The meetings are at 5 p.m. in the President's Conference Room, Hitchins Building. Bring your spirit; support and food will be provided!

If you wish to be on the committee, call Dina Rephann at x7588 or e-mail [drephann@frostburg.edu](mailto:drephann@frostburg.edu).

### 'Stop the Hate' Vigil

All interested individuals and campus organizations that wish to support the forthcoming "Stop the Hate" Vigil on Monday, Sept. 26, at 7:30 p.m., at the Upper Quad (outside of Compton Hall), please contact Larry Neumark at x7490. The Stop the Hate Committee is also looking for additional members. The issue is religious intolerance. Speakers from the Interfaith Alliance, Washington, D.C., will be addressing the subject.

### United Campus Ministry

On Tuesday, Sept. 13, at 7 p.m. will be the "Walking the Labyrinth" Experience. UCM will go to Allegany College of Maryland and experience the new in-ground labyrinth. Meet behind the Ort Library at 6:30 p.m. (note new times). All interested people need to contact Larry Neumark at x7490 or [l.neumark@frostburg.edu](mailto:l.neumark@frostburg.edu) in advance due to car pooling efforts. Any questions? Contact Larry Neumark.

## Catholic Campus Ministry

CCM will hold its monthly dinner on Wednesday, Sept. 14, at 6 p.m. in the Osborne Newman Center's Bishop Murphy Hall. Join them for chicken on the grill.

## Internships



### Spring 2006 POSC Internship Meeting

There will be an important meeting of all students who are planning to intern in the Political Science Department in the spring of 2006 on Tuesday, Sept. 27, at 3:30 p.m. in OM104.

It is vital that you attend this meeting if you want to participate in a Political Science/ Justice Studies/Law and Society internship during spring 2006. If you are unable to attend this meeting, please get in touch with John Bambacus as soon as possible. His e-mail is [jbambacus@frostburg.edu](mailto:jbambacus@frostburg.edu).

Of special interest is the Maryland General Assembly Intern Program. Applicants must be either juniors or seniors and have a GPA of 3.0 or higher. A stipend is awarded for participation. The deadline is Monday, Oct. 31. Please see Bambacus or the department secretary for further information and an application.

## Jobs, Jobs, Jobs



### Tutor Position Openings!

Programs for Academic Support and Studies (PASS) has paid positions for the following tutor areas: math, geography, accounting, Cosmic Concepts, biology, economics, chemistry, sociology, physics and psychology.

If you are interested in getting paid to help others, please drop by Pullen Hall 150.



## Schedule for Sept. 12-16

#### Monday:

3 & 6 p.m. NASA SCI Files, "The Case of the Zany Animal Antics"  
4 & 7 p.m. AAST Lecturer: Dr. Lenneal Henderson, "Brown vs. Board of Education"  
5:30 & 8:30 p.m. Snowden Crossing

#### Tuesday:

3 & 6 p.m. Cafe Frostburg: Greg Latta & Cuillin  
5 & 8 p.m. AAST Lecturer: Dr. David Taft Terry

#### Wednesday:

3 & 6 p.m. NASA, Destination Tomorrow  
3:30 & 6:30 p.m. Scales and Tales Presentation  
4:30 & 7:30 p.m. The President's Concert Fall 2004  
5:30 & 8:30 p.m. FSU Phat Padz

#### Thursday:

3 & 6 p.m. Author: Bill Irwin

4:30 & 7:30 p.m. Cafe Frostburg: Blues Works

**Friday:**

3 p.m. NASA Connect, Rocket to the Stars  
 3:30 p.m. MD State of Mind  
 4:30 p.m. Search Warrant  
 5 p.m. Frostburg City Council Meeting to be held on Thursday, Sept. 15.



## Activities for Life

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

**Lifeguard Certification**


The Activities for Life Center at FSU, in conjunction with the Western Potomac Chapter of the American Red Cross will be offering a Lifeguard Certification Class starting Thursday, Sept. 22.

The class, instructed by Dr. Troy Strieby, will be held at the FSU Cordts Physical Education Center Pool. The class will meet on Thursday, Sept. 22, from 5 to 9 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 23, from 4 to 10 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 24, from 8 a.m. to noon, 1 to 4:30 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m.; and Sunday, Sept. 25, from 8 a.m. to noon, 1 to 5 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m.

Lifeguard students must have strong swimming skills, being able to complete a quarter-mile swim using an acceptable swimming stroke, and must be able to attend all class and pool times. Refunds will not be given after the start of the course. The class is limited to 20 participants. Registration deadline is Tuesday, Sept. 20.

**Jeet Kune Do**

Jeet Kune Do classes will be offered on Mondays from Sept. 12 to Oct. 10 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. in room 170 of the Cordts PE Center. Rod Hillegass will be instructing the class. Hillegass is a certified instructor in Jeet Kune Do under Andre Parker and Jeet Kune Do concepts under John Lopez. For more information contact Hillegass sifurod@hotmail.com.



## International

### Study Abroad Programs

The Center for International Education offers a variety of ways for FSU students to see the world. In many cases, students register at FSU during a semester abroad and can take all financial aid with them and transfer credit back to FSU. For information on programs or scholarships, contact Dr. Amy Simes at the CIE in the Fuller House on Braddock Road, x3091, asimes@frostburg.edu or visit the CIE Web page at [www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm](http://www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm).

**Apply Now For Winter, Spring 2006**

The CIE is currently accepting applications for study abroad programs during the winter session (Ecuador, Quebec, Madagascar), and the spring semester (Ireland, the UK, Australia/New Zealand, and more). Hundreds of programs are available through our affiliates, including

the American Institute of Foreign Study ([www.aifsabroad.com](http://www.aifsabroad.com)), AustraLearn ([www.australearn.org](http://www.australearn.org)), the School for International Training ([www.sit.edu/studyabroad/index.html](http://www.sit.edu/studyabroad/index.html)), the International Student Exchange Program ([www.isep.org](http://www.isep.org)), and our newest affiliate, Cultural Experiences Abroad ([www.gowithcea.com](http://www.gowithcea.com)). Application and scholarship deadlines are early October. For more information, visit the CIE Web site ([www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie](http://www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie)) or contact the CIE.

**New Affiliate: Cultural Experiences Abroad**

This summer FSU signed a new partnership agreement with Cultural Experiences Abroad ([www.gowithcea.com](http://www.gowithcea.com)), an independent study abroad program provider that sends U.S. students to locations in Europe, Australia and Latin America. CEA is headquartered in Tempe, Ariz., and has been providing quality study abroad experiences to North American students since 1996. With CEA as a new affiliate,

FSU students will be able to take advantage of all their FSU financial aid along with special scholarship opportunities provided by CEA. For more information, contact the CIE.

**Northumbria Info Meeting Sept. 14**

Students who are interested in spending a semester or year studying at the University of Northumbria in Newcastle, UK, should plan to meet with Prof. David Walker on Wednesday, Sept. 14. Dr. Walker will be available at an information table in the Lane Center foyer between 1 and 3 p.m., and will also meet with students during and after the CIE/Honors "Welcome Back" picnic at the Fuller House between 3:30 and 5:30 p.m. Students who are unable to make either event should plan to come to the CIE at 6 p.m. to meet briefly with Dr. Walker and pick up information and brochures about the program. For further information, please visit the Northumbria web page at [www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/unh.htm](http://www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/unh.htm).



## FSU Events Calendar

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12**

- \* Lecture, Sally Stephenson, "Jim Hadra: Mentor" ..... Noon ..... Library 237
- \* Golf: Penn State Altoona Fall Invitational ..... Noon ..... Away
- \* NPC Open House ..... 5:00 p.m. .... Lane ARMAH

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13**

- \* School Spirit Committee Meeting ..... 5:00 p.m. .... President's Conf. Room
- \* Cumberland Hall Fun Night ..... 6:00 p.m. .... Lane ARMAH

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

- \* Women's Tennis: Juniata College ..... 3:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* Men's Soccer: Catholic University ..... 4:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* Women's Soccer: Catholic University ..... 4:30 p.m. .... Home
- \* UPC Arts & Lectures, Joe Urbanski, "How to Maximize Your Buzz—A New Approach to Alcohol!" ..... 7:00 p.m. .... Lane ARMAH
- \* RHA Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**

- \* Orientation Program: Playrights ..... 3:30 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. .... PAC Recital Hall
- \* UPC: MAE and The Rory Lowe Band ..... 8:30 p.m. .... Lane ARMAH

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**

- \* Annual Fall Leadership Retreat, Camp Allegheny, Stoystown, PA (through Sept. 18)
- \* Women's Tennis: Penn State University-Altoona ... 3 p.m. .... Away
- \* Women's Volleyball: MD Division III Tournament ... 5 p.m. .... Away
- \* UPC Feature Film: "Batman Begins" ..... 7:00 p.m. & midnight ..... Atkinson Room
- \* UPC Program, John Joseph & John Barillaro, "One Man Show with Two Guys" 10:00 p.m. .... Lane ARMAH

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17**

- \* Football: Montclair State University ..... 1:00 p.m. .... Home
- \* Women's Soccer: Allegheny College ..... 1:00 p.m. .... Home
- \* Women's Field Hockey: Transylvania University . 1:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* Men's Soccer: Mary Washington College ..... 3:30 p.m. .... Away
- \* Women's Volleyball: MD Division III Tournament ... 7 p.m. .... Away
- \* UPC Feature Film: "Batman Begins" ..... 8:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room
- \* CES Jazz Club, John Fedchock NY Sextet ..... 8:00 p.m. .... Lane ARMAH

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18**

- \* Golf: University of Pittsburgh-Bradford ..... Noon ..... Away
- \* CCM Mass ..... Noon & 8:00 p.m. .... Cook Chapel
- \* Planetarium: "Earth—Now & Future" ..... 4:00 & 7:00 p.m. .... Tawes Hall
- \* UPC Feature Film: "Batman Begins" ..... 6:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room

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