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FSU President to Address Faculty, Staff Sept. 26

Dr. Jonathan Gibraltar will present his first formal address to FSU faculty and staff at 3:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 26, in the Performing Arts Center's Pealer Recital Hall.

All faculty and staff are cordially invited to this convocation.

President Gibraltar is planning a separate address to FSU students. An announcement will be forthcoming.

Entertainment



CES Presents 'Spencers: Theatre of Illusion'

Audiences won't be believe their eyes when "The Spencers: Theatre of Illusion" comes to FSU's Cordts P.E. Center Main Arena at 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 7. Combining original theatrical elements with cutting-edge illusions, this popular high-tech show performed throughout the United States challenges reality with mind-bending magic and mystery.

This performance is part of FSU's "Family Weekend" Festivities

Kevin and Cindy Spencer, a husband-and-wife team who have been described as "Modern Day Houdinis," bring drama, comedy and suspense to elaborate stage illusions.

Coinciding with FSU's Family Weekend, "The Spencers: Theatre of Illusion" provides fun entertainment for the whole family to enjoy while visiting the University.

"The Spencers: Theatre of Illusion" tickets are \$15 for general public adults and \$8.00 for general public youth. Special discounted pricing is available for all FSU students, family, staff and faculty.



The husband-and-wife team of Kevin (above) and Cindy Spencer have been described as 'Modern Day Houdinis'

For more information on ticket pricing and purchasing tickets, call the FSU Lane University Center Box Office at x3137 or toll free at 1-866-TIXX-CES, or visit online at ces.frostburg.edu. The performance is jointly sponsored by University Programming Council and FSU's Cultural Events Series.

UPC Presents ComedySportz

University Programming Council will present Comedy Night featuring ComedySportz at 9 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 6, in the Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall in the Lane University Center. The event, part of the University's Family Weekend celebration, is free and open to the public.

If you like the hit TV show "Whose Line Is It Anyway," then you are going to love ComedySportz.

ComedySportz is a fast-paced improvisational comedy show that's fun for everyone. Two teams battle for laughs and points as they make up scenes and songs

on the spot. The audience shouts out all the suggestions and votes for the winners, while the referee calls the fouls. ComedySportz is not a comedy about sports; it's the comedy show that is a sport.

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



Speakers

Speaker, Displays Mark Constitution Day

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 an educational discussion at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday Sept. 28, in the Lane University Center Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall.

The keynote speaker will be Judge J. Frederick Sharer of the Maryland Court of Special Appeals. This event is sponsored by the Beall Institute for Public Affairs and the FSU Department of Political Science.

In addition to the educational discussion, the FSU Ort Library will feature the display and exhibit "Historical Mapping of Western Maryland in 1787" through Sept. 29 on the third floor. The display will include a DVD presentation on the Maryland delegates to the Constitutional Convention of 1787, a computer available with access to links about the Constitution, information on the original 13-star flag, information about Western Maryland circa 1787 and information on military lots during the time.

For more details on all Constitution Day events at FSU, contact Sean Morton at x4211.

Appalachian Lab Offers Seminars

The University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science Appalachian Laboratory will offer a series of seminars during the fall semester. Upcoming seminars are:

- Sept. 28: Dr. Richard Pouyat - USDA Forest Service, BES, "Urban Soils: The Brown Infrastructure of Urban Ecosystems."

- Oct. 5: Dr. Peter Morin - Rutgers University, "Using Experimental Model Systems to Explore Environmental Issues: Insights from Small Worlds,"

All seminars are held in AL Room 109 at 3:30 p.m. Refreshments follow in the lobby. For more information, visit www.al.umces.edu/facseminars.htm.

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Film



Film Series Launches with 'Fahrenheit 911'

FSU's 2006-2007 International Film Series begins with "Fahrenheit 911" at 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 28, in the Lane University Center Atkinson room 201. The series is sponsored by FSU Center Stage.

One of the most controversial and provocative films of the 21st century, "Fahrenheit 9/11" is Academy Award-winning filmmaker Michael Moore's searing examination of the Bush administration's actions in the wake of the tragic events of 9/11. The film shows us a nation kept in constant fear by FBI alerts and lulled into accepting a piece of controversial legislation, the USA Patriot Act. "Fahrenheit 9/11" takes us inside the war in Iraq to tell the stories we haven't heard, illustrating the awful human cost to U.S. soldiers and their families.

All film showings are free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.

Theatre



UT Launches Season with 'Urinetown'

"Urinetown," the musical, will open the 2006-2007 University Theatre Main Stage season. With music and lyrics by Mark Hollmann and book and lyrics by Greg Kotis, performances will take place on Oct. 6, 7, 12, 13 and 14 at 7:30 p.m. and Oct. 7 and 14 at 2 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center's Drama Theatre. Please note that evening performances for the University Theatre season now begin at 7:30 p.m.

Don't let the title of this hit scare you off! If you love musical theatre, possess an off-beat sense of humor, and have a taste for something a bit daring, this show is for you. Inspired by the works of Bertolt Brecht and Kurt Weill, this boy-meets-girl romance takes place during a revolutionary time in the near future when private toilets are banned and water is worth its weight in gold. Love, snarling evil, comic mayhem and a relentless stream of puns all come together to make "Urinetown" a witty, irreverent and completely original play that both satirizes and honors the rich traditions of musical theatre, touching on everything from "West Side Story" to "Les Miserable."

Tickets are \$10 for the general public and \$5 for students. Season Discount Flex Cards are also on sale until Oct. 14. For \$30 you receive four Main Stage tickets—a \$10 savings. Spread the tickets throughout the Main Stage season, or use all four tickets at one show.

For reservations, call x7465 weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The box office

opens one hour prior to curtain. Group discounts are available when booked in advance.



Music

UPC Presents Rock Band 'Alternate Routes'

The University Programming Council at FSU presents "Alternate Routes" at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 14 in the Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall in the Lane University Center.

"Alternate Routes" is a young, dynamic rock band with a strong emphasis on songwriting and storytelling. The group, which recently released its debut album, "Good and Reckless and True," was formed in 2002 when vocalist/guitarist Tim Warren and guitarist/vocalist Eric Donnelly began collaborating and found that despite different respective styles and major influences, they shared a similar vision of the songwriting process and a strong desire to develop a style that was uniquely their own. Once bassist Chip Johnson came aboard, the nucleus of the band was complete.

"Good and Reckless and True" features compact, melodic songs with intensely personal lyrics colored by a dark sarcasm, which explore a wide palette of human emotions. The songs are both refreshingly new yet filled with a sense of timelessness.

This event is sponsored by University Programming Council. For more information, call x4151.

Art



Five Artists Combine Creativity in Exhibition

What happens when five distinct artists combine their talents in a series of creative collaborations? An exhibition at FSU titled "In Violation of ..." intends to find out. Featuring both individual and group works by Suzanne Donazetti, Maggy Wagner, Dotti Heimert, Larry Imes and Bob Corrigan, "In Violation of ..." will be on view Oct. 6 through Oct. 29 at the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery, with a free, public reception from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 6.

"Artists are generally quite solitary when they work, and have full control of the creative process," explained group spokesperson Donazetti. "When working collaboratively, these general rules are shattered. That's why we titled our show 'In Violation of...'"

In addition to five individual works from each artist, the show features several large pieces done in a group fashion.

The Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery has free admission and is open to the public Sunday through Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. For information, call the Department of Visual Arts at x4797.

Last Chance to View 'Instigators of Memory'

An exhibition at FSU's Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery is taking a closer look at how the passage of time and images from dreams shape memory and imagination. Featuring a colorful mix of paintings, collages and other works by four distinct artists, "Instigators of Memory" will be on view at the gallery through Sept. 27.

Gail Watkins, an artist based in Annapolis, Md., creates richly collaged abstract paintings that play with perceptions of time by fusing the Pop art aesthetic of American comic strips with ancient motifs and antiqued surfaces.

Connecticut-based Ann Weiner also relies on familiar imagery in her mixed-media artwork. Weiner uses antique dolls, emblems of childhood and innocence, to depict the progress of a spiritual journey.

Elizabeth Austin, an artist who lives in Paris and New Hampshire, paints otherworldly landscapes on the reverse side of thick, plastic panels.

Marian Bingham, or Bing as she is professionally known, also infuses her paintings and photographs with familiar imagery that is timeless and unforgettable.

The Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery has free admission and is open to the public Sunday through Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. For information, call the Department of Visual Arts at x4797.

Presentations



Science, Engineering & Technology Showcase

Join us at the Science, Engineering, and Technology Showcase on Saturday, Oct. 7, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Compton Science Center. As part of the University's 2006 Family Weekend celebration, the Showcase will include the following interactive exhibits:

- Online Education. ART 100: Art Appreciation
- Online Learning @ FSU Center for Instructional Technologies
- Technology and Career Services
- Coal Miner's Legacy
- Maryland Mine Mapping Project
- Model Engineering
- Chemistry in Action
- Visioning the Exploratorium
- Geography Field Techniques
- Summer Environmental Projects
- Using an Online Homework System in Financial Accounting Courses
- Distortion Consortium
- Research Port: Opportunities for Learning
 - Advances in Geospatial Technology
 - Student Web Sites for Community Involvement and Volunteer Opportunities
 - What's Out There? – Microorganisms in Our Environment
 - Engineering Student Design Projects
 - Maryland Summer Center for Future Engineers: Robot Design

• Multi-Media Print and Graphic Design

Contact Sean Morton at x4211 for more information.



Take Note

Majors Fair This Week

Find your place at FSU. Have you identified a major but don't know upper-division students? Do you have no clue what to major in? Are you in a major but changing your mind?

Come to the Majors Fair on Wednesday, Sept. 27, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Lane University Center Manicur Assembly Hall and meet upper-division students representing over 40 honors and academic groups who will be available and eager to share information about their majors.

There will be music, munchies, demonstrations and door prizes. The Majors Fair is sponsored by the Advising Center in collaboration with Student Government Association, Student and Educational Services, Office of the Provost, Assistant to the Provost, College of Education, College of Business, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

Recycling Returns to Residence Halls

The Sierra Student Coalition would like to remind everyone that all downhill Residence Halls once again have recycling bins in them. Uphill Residence Halls will have bins this week. Recycling bins are located in selected lounges in the high-rises and near the trash rooms for all other dorms. Thank you for doing your part to help recycle and keep FSU clean and beautiful.

Help is Here for Students on Probation

Do you have questions about your academic status for the fall 2006 semester? You might ask: "May I take a course at another institution to get off probation? Can I be dismissed at the end of the fall semester?" These questions and more can be addressed at an academic probation meeting. Invest one hour of your time in order to insure you are able to return to FSU for the spring 2007 semester. This meeting could make a difference! The meeting dates are as follows:

- Monday, Oct. 9, 7 p.m., Compton Science Center 226
- Tuesday, Oct. 10, 2 p.m., Compton Science Center 226
- Thursday, Oct. 12, 3:30 p.m., Compton Science Center 224

If you have questions or concerns, call the Provost's Office at x4212.

News for Grad Students

Master of Arts in Teaching – Elementary

Dr. Kim Rotruck, MAT-E Graduate Program Coordinator, will host an

information meeting for prospective applicants for the summer 2007 cohort of the program offered at USM-Hagerstown.

A meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 4, on the FSU Main Campus in Frostburg, in the Leake Room, Cordts PE Center. Meetings will also be held at 6:30 p.m. at the University System of Maryland Hagerstown Center (USMH) on the following evenings: Thursday, Oct. 12; Monday, Nov. 13; and Thursday, Dec. 14, at the USMH, 32 West Washington Street, Hagerstown, Maryland.

The deadline for summer 2007 cohort applications is May 1. The summer 2007 applicant fall admissions interviews will be scheduled for the evening of Tuesday, Nov. 28, at the USMH Center, by appointment. To interview, students must have filed a Graduate Application Form and have a completed portfolio, and have preferably successfully completed the Praxis I examination.

For information please call Dr. Rotruck at (240) 527-2736/2741 or the Graduate Services Office at x7053.

Master of Arts in Teaching: Secondary, K-12

Dr. William Childs, MAT-S, K-12 Graduate Program Coordinator, will host an Information Meeting for prospective applicants for the summer 2007 cohort, a program offered both in Frostburg and USM-Hagerstown.

A meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 10, and Tuesday, Nov. 7. Both meetings are in the Leake Room, Cordts PE Center. The deadline for summer 2007 cohort applications is April 1, 2007.

For information please call Dr. Childs at x4216 or the Graduate Services Office at x7053.

MBA Applicants for Spring 2007

Students entering the MBA Program must complete the GMAT (Graduate Management Admissions Test) or the GRE (Graduate Record Examination). GRE testing registration information is available through the Educational Testing Services website at www.ets.org or by calling the FSU Counseling Center, at x7990.

For information regarding the GMAT, please review the Web site at www.gmac.com/gmac.

International Fellowships for Spring 2007

Applications for an International Fellowship position beginning with the spring 2007 semester are currently available. The position will offer paid tuition (up to 30 hours year) and a \$6650 cash stipend per year (fall and spring semesters), in exchange for 20 hours of service each week.

This position represents an academic honor for an international student, and thus requires the applicant to have been accepted to a graduate program in good academic standing and remain in good academic standing for the duration of the award. The application is available at the Office of Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall (x7053) or on the Web at www.frostburg.edu/grad/forms.htm.

The deadline for completed applications is Oct. 15.

Important Reminder for December Graduates

If you are planning to graduate at the end of this semester, please note the following:

- The 129th Commencement Ceremony is scheduled for **Sunday**, Dec. 17, in the Cordts Physical Education Center. The College of Business and College of Education will hold its service at 11 a.m., while the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will present its graduates at the 2 p.m. ceremony.

- If you have not yet filed for a graduation application at the Registrar's Office, **YOU MUST DO SO IMMEDIATELY**. All mailings related to Commencement are based on the listing of students who have filed for graduation.

- The first mailing, which details additional information about Commencement, is scheduled for the first week in October. Information is sent to both



your local and your permanent address. If the Registrar does not have an updated local address, please provide this information as soon as possible, or you can update your local address online.

- Caps and gowns are provided at no cost to all graduates; however, you must be fitted in advance. Order your cap and gown now at the University Bookstore. Please place your order by Oct. 16.

- A Grad Fair will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Oct. 16 in the Manicur Assembly Hall in the Lane University Center. Vendors will be present for ordering your class ring or diploma frames. The bookstore will also be present for fitting and ordering your cap and gown or ordering your announcements. There will also be other University services available, as well as giveaways and refreshments.

Full details about Commencement are on the University Web site. Go to "Current Students." Commencement information is under Academics on the left side.

If you have any other questions about Commencement, please contact Brittnei Teter at x4423 or bkteter@frostburg.edu.

Points of Pride



Karen Treber, General Counsel of FSU, was featured in the Aug. 13 edition of *USA Weekend*. She was one of four "Parents Who Make Schools Better" chosen from across the United States. Each year in a back-to-school issue, *USA Weekend* salutes parents who are making a real difference in their local schools. Their dedication is a benefit to the kids around them—and an inspiration to the rest of us.

Treber was cited for making math fun for elementary students. After attending Maryland Parent Leadership Institute workshops two years ago—modeled after

Kentucky's groundbreaking Center for Parent Leadership at the Prichard Committee—Treber decided to focus on boosting academic performance in the often-tricky topic. Treber thought, Why not make math a sport? Hence, the concept of "Mathletics" was born. Nearly half the students came to Frost Elementary on a school night to be a part of the program, which included many math activities turned into games, with all the students and parents dressed in their favorite team's uniform, AYSO soccer shirt, even a Green Bay Packers cheesehead.

Ahmad Tootoonchi, chair of the Department of Management, recently announced that the **College of Business** has established its own refereed journal for the first time in its history. **Journal of International Business Disciplines** has been recognized as a refereed publication and will soon be printed in the Cabell's Directory of Publications, which is well known in the institutions of higher education globally. Tootoonchi serves as the Chief Editor of this journal and has several of FSU colleagues on the Editorial Board.

"It is our intention to focus on the quality of this journal and use it as a means to further enhance the positive image of our institution as a whole," he said. "Although the name is about business disciplines, we welcome articles in several related areas such as communication, recreation, hospitality, health care administration, advertisement, international business/politics, etc." Please see www.jibd.org for more information.

Get Involved



Voter Registration Campaign Resumes

The Student Center for Volunteerism and Brothers of Iota Phi Theta's Raise Your Vote Voter Registration Campaign resumes on Monday, Sept. 25.

The results of the first part of the campaign are: 63 Maryland voters were assisted in getting absentee ballots and one Delaware voter was assisted in getting an absentee ballot.

This marks the second part of the campaign, which began at the start of the semester. During this part of the campaign, students will be able to register to vote in the Maryland General Election. Also, students can request absentee ballots for their home states' elections.

Any student who needs to register to vote or would like to pick up an absentee ballot application can visit our table in the Lane University Center, Second Floor Lobby, every Monday and Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The tables will run from Monday, Sept. 25, to Thursday, Oct. 12. A last chance to register to vote for the Maryland General Election will be held from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 12. A last chance to request absentee ballots will be held on Wednesday, Oct.

25, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

With this being an election year, there are many groups that are trying to help students to register to vote or request absentee ballots. We would like to remind the students planning to register to vote or who are planning to request absentee ballots to make sure that the person from whom they are requesting help to register is certified to register people to vote in the state of Maryland. If you have any questions, please make sure to ask to see the volunteers' certification card as proof of their certification.

If you are trying to register someone to vote and you are not a certified Voter Registration Volunteer, you could be fined or even serve jail time for performing this act illegally. Corey Ryan, Emily Gosnell, and Andrea Teyssier of Student Center for Volunteerism are the student coordinators for this event. All coordinators and the brothers of Iota Phi Theta that will be at the table are certified Voter Registration Volunteers. For questions about this event or more information, call x4210 or visit <http://goliath.frostburg.edu/studentvolunteerism/ryv2006/>.

Annual Diversity Retreat

FSU students interested in diversity issues are invited to participate in the 8th Annual Diversity Retreat. The event is scheduled from 4 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 20, through 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22. Offered by the Black Student Alliance and the Diversity Center, the retreat will include workshops on diversity and other related activities intended to promote student awareness and empowerment in diversity issues and coalition building.

We welcome the return of former participants; however, we strongly encourage the participation of new students. This is an excellent opportunity to spend quality time with students from various cultural, ethnic, racial, etc. groups to develop relationships and understandings that reach beyond the surface.

Applications are available at the Lane University Center Information Desk and in the Diversity Center, located in Hitchins 122. Completed applications must be submitted by Oct. 6. Participants will be asked to pay a \$5 refundable fee to hold their spaces. Those concerned with the cost are encouraged to speak with the retreat coordinator, Robin V. Wynder.

For more information about the retreat, contact Wynder at x4050.

United Campus Ministry

UCM will offer bowling on Thursday, Sept. 28. Additional details TBA. Contact the Rev. Larry Neumark at x7490 for more info.

Catholic Campus Ministry

CCM will have a "CCM Retreat Planning" session at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 4 in the Osborne Newman Center to begin planning for the Fall Retreat. Call x5041 for more info.

BURG Event: Thinkfast

On Tuesday, Sept. 26, think fast. Don't miss this fun night to test your contemporary trivia with the BURG event Thinkfast at 7 p.m. in the Cordts PE Center Leake Room. Students will be able to compete against each other to see who knows the most about trivia of all sorts.



Deadlines

Application Deadlines for Education Students

The application deadline for students entering Phase I, Phase II or Phase III of the Teacher Education Program for the spring 2007 semester is Friday, Oct. 13.

All applications should be returned to the Office of Unit Assessment, Framptom Hall, room 203-3.

If you need an application form or have questions, contact Barbara Bluebaugh at x7953 or babluebaugh@frostburg.edu. Deadline for documentation of passing Praxis scores at Unit Assessment for Phase I approval is Friday, Jan. 26, 2007.

Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

Upward Bound Seeking Tutors

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. The position pays \$6.15 per hour. Applications and information can be obtained from the Upward Bound office at 121 Sand Spring Hall, or by calling x4994 or e-mailing esteele@frostburg.edu.

Student Telemarketing Positions Available

The Office of University Advancement, Office of Annual Giving is now hiring experienced telemarketers to help with the Fall 2006 Annual Fund Telemarketing Campaign. This is an excellent opportunity to earn extra money and gain experience in telemarketing.

Candidates will be responsible for soliciting contributions from alumni, friends and parents for unrestricted gifts to the University. A number of positions are available. The positions are part-time evenings most of the semester, paying \$6.75 to \$9.75 per hour.

Prior telemarketing experience, advanced marketing and sales skills are helpful. Excellent organization and communication skills are a must. Candidates must be available to work most evenings, from 5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday through Thursday.

Interested candidates can access an application online at www.frostburg.edu/admin/foundation/

roi/annualfund/phonathon/index.htm

Print the application, complete it and return it to the University Advancement Office, Hitchins 228 by Sept 11. For more information, call x3163.



Want to Get Your Message on FSU TV3?

If you have an announcement about an activity that you would like to advertise on the TV3 message board, log on to www.frostburg.edu/dept/mcom/channel3/messreqform.htm click on the TV 3 Request Form and enter your information. Then click "submit." It's as easy as that.

If you would like to submit your request with a hard copy and need the form, contact Melanie Lombardi at x3011, mlombardi@frostburg.edu or stop by Old Main Room 201.

Schedule for Sept. 25-29

Monday:

3 p.m. NASA SCI Files, "The Case of the Energy Crunch"

4 p.m. Fall 2005 Percussion Ensemble
5 p.m. Frostburg City Council Meeting held on Thursday, Sept. 21

Tuesday:

3 & 6 p.m. Live at the Loft: Edie Carey
4:30 & 7:30 p.m. AAST Lecturer: Betty VanNewkirk

Wednesday:

3 & 6 p.m. NASA, "Destination Tomorrow"
3:30 & 6:30 p.m. FSU Guest Artists Series: Pohl & Garies Piano Duo
5 & 8 p.m. Author: Daniel Mark Epstein

Thursday:

3 & 6 p.m. Live at the Loft: Armor & Sturtevant
4:30 & 7:30 p.m. Counting Doves

Friday:

3 & 6 p.m. NASA Connect, "The Right Ratio"
3:30 & 6:30 p.m. NASA, Destination Tomorrow
4 & 7 p.m. MD State of Mind
5 & 8 p.m. FSU Jazz Ensemble Concert Spring 2004

Community



Join in on Day of Caring and Sharing

Join campus groups for the FSU Day of Caring and Sharing from 8 a.m. to noon Saturday, Sept. 30, on Main Street in downtown Frostburg. This special event brings together residents of Frostburg and other community organizations to help beautify the city. Volunteers may participate in a variety of activities, including painting, trash removal and landscaping. Breakfast, lunch and T-shirts will be provided. For more information about the event, call

the Center for Volunteerism and National Service at x4210.

AAUW Presents Update on Frostburg Museum

The October meeting of Frostburg Branch, American Association of University Women, will be at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 3, at the Frostburg United Methodist Church Social Hall. Frostburg Museum curator Garry Ritchie will present the program, "Museum Update." Hostesses Joann Clise, Jeanne Cordts, Jane Grindel and Alice Shupe-Rhoten will serve refreshments. The public is cordially invited to attend.

International



Boren Scholarships for Study, Research

The Institute of International Education is accepting applications for the 2007-2008 National Security Education Program David L. Boren Undergraduate Scholarships and graduate fellowships for study or research in regions of the world that are of critical interest to the US. NSEP Boren Scholarships provide up to \$20,000 for an academic year's study abroad. Boren Fellowships provide up to \$30,000 for language study and international research. IIE encourages interested students to visit www.iie.org/nsep to learn more about the program and begin the application process. All applications must be completed online. The national deadline is Feb. 13 for scholarships, Jan. 30 for fellowships. More information is available from the Center for International Education.

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.

The Year of Study Abroad Continues

2006 has been designated by the U.S. Senate as the "Year of Study Abroad." In support, many study abroad affiliates, such as AustraLearn, Cultural Experiences Abroad and the American Institute for Foreign Study will grant financial help to students accepted for programs overseas. A number of organizations will also award additional scholarships to qualifying students as part of this celebration. For information, visit the CIE Web site.

Intersession in New Zealand and Australia

FSU affiliate, AustraLearn (www.australearn.org), is introducing two new short-term programs for

January 2007. Leadership Development will be offered the first three weeks of January in the north island of New Zealand. Cultural Studies will be held in various locations in Australia January 3-24. Both programs provide students with field excursions, practical experience, and transfer credit. Deadline for applying is Nov. 1.

Spend a Semester in Cyprus

FSU students can take advantage of a new affiliation with Global Learning Semesters (GLS), an organization that specializes in programs for students interested in learning about politics, business and cultural studies in Europe. The semester program in Cyprus is one of the most reasonably priced study abroad programs available. Students pay \$7650 for all program costs except meals and airfare. Scholarships are available, and all financial aid will transfer. Visit Sandi Smith on Tuesday at the Study Abroad Fair to find out more, or visit the GLS Web site at www.globalsemesters.com/program/Semcyprus/semcyprus1.html.

Numerous Cultural Experiences Abroad

Cultural Experiences Abroad has programs in Buenos Aires, Argentina, as well as in Budapest, Hungary, and Prague, Czech Republic. They are also opening their second CEA Study Center in Barcelona. Also, in London they have added Goldsmiths University to their partner schools. For information, visit www.gowithcea.com or the CIE Web site.



Safety Message

Emergency Evacuation Procedures

For Staff, Faculty and Students:

- All employees and students shall be familiar with a primary and an alternate evacuation route from each area within the building where they work. The individual instructor shall be familiar with a primary and an alternate evacuation route from each area where he or she teaches. These procedures should be shared with students during the first meeting of each class and each time a fire alarm is sounded. Evacuation routes are any clear hallway that leads to the stairs and/or directly outside.

- Emergency evacuation from the building when the alarm is sounded applies to all faculty during teaching and non-teaching times.

- DO NOT USE THE ELEVATOR.**

- When an alarm sounds, immediately evacuate the building in a safe and orderly manner. The instructor shall immediately release the class, telling the students to proceed in a safe and orderly manner to the nearest clear stairs (exit). Be sure to remind them, "DO NOT USE THE ELEVATOR." The instructor shall also evacuate immediately.

- Take your books, coat and other personal items.

- Assist any individual requiring additional help with directions to the stairs or directly outside.

- Instruct all occupants that you may

meet while evacuating to evacuate the building immediately.

• When safely out of the building contact the University Police at x4222 by cell phone or from another building.

• Do not congregate at the entrance of the building. Move across the sidewalk or the street away from the building. The instructor will assist in preventing students and other occupants from congregating near the building exits.

• No one shall re-enter the building the University Police give the "all clear."

• When safely out of the building, contact the University Police at x4222 by cell phone or from another building.

FSU Events Calendar



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

- * Golf: Penn State University-Altoona noon Away
- * Raise Your Vote Voter Registration 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Lane Lobby
- * Student Activities Planning Commission 5:00 p.m. Lane 202
- * Leadership Workshop Series: Successfully Running Fun & Effective Meetings
7:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

- * Athletics Sneaker Sale 8:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * Men's Soccer: Hood College 4:00 p.m. Away
- * Greek Council 5:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * BURG Contemporary Click It Program 6:00 p.m. Cordts PEC Leake Room
- * Women's Volleyball: Catholic University 7:00 p.m. Away
- * NAACP General Body Meeting 8:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

- * Advising Center Majors Showcase 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * UPC Global Prints Poster Sale 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Lane 201
- * Raise Your Vote Voter Registration 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Lane Lobby
- * Women's Tennis: Penn State-Altoona 3:00 p.m. Home
- * JV Men's Soccer: Lord Fairfax CC 7:00 p.m. Home
- * RHA Open Body Meeting 7:30 p.m. Lane ARMAH

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

- * UPC Global Prints Poster Sale 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Lane 201
- * UPC International Film: Fahrenheit 911 7:00 p.m. Lane 201
- * African Student Association Beauty Shop 7:00 p.m. Library 237

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

- * UPC Paintball Extravaganza 4:00 p.m. WISP Ski Resort

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

- * Enrollment Management Open House 9:00 a.m. Lane
- * CVNS: Day of Caring & Sharing 8:30 a.m.-noon Main Street, Frostburg
- * Women's Volleyball: Hilbert College 11:00 a.m. Home
- * Women's Soccer: Medialle College 1:00 p.m. Home
- * Women's Tennis: Bethany College 1:00 p.m. Away
- * Men's Soccer: Medialle College 3:00 p.m. Home
- * Women's Volleyball: Goucher College 3:00 p.m. Home

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1

- * CCM Mass noon & 8:00 p.m. Cook Chapel
- * Women's Field Hockey: Virginia Wesleyan noon Away
- * Golf: LaRoche College noon Away
- * Planetarium: Comets & Asteroids: Threat or Treasures?
4:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. Tawes Hall

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