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Fairy Tales Kick Off UT Season

'Into the Woods' Opens Oct. 12

FSU's University Theatre invites audiences to become enchanted by the power of storytelling when it presents the Tony Award-winning musical "Into the Woods." "Into the Woods," with music and lyrics by Stephen Sondheim and book by James Lapine, kicks off UT's Main Stage season, with performances at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 12, 13, 18, 19 and 20 and matinee showings at 2 p.m. on Oct. 13 and 20 in FSU's Drama Theatre.

A dark yet beguiling take on Brothers Grimm fairy tales, "Into the Woods" weaves together the familiar stories of "Cinderella," "Jack and the Beanstalk," "Rapunzel" and "Little Red Riding Hood" to tell the tale of a baker and his wife who cannot have a child until they break the curse of the witch who lives next door. With wit, wisdom and a magical score, the musical explores the loss of innocence, the price paid for getting the things you really want and what happens after "happily ever after."

University Theatre's 2007-2008 season continues with several other exciting shows, including Beth Henley's quirky and dark comedy, "Abundance," Nov. 9, 10, 15, 16 and 17 at 7:30 p.m., with a matinee on Nov. 10 at 2 p.m. in



Cinderella is one of several characters who appear in "Into the Woods."

the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre. "Machinal" by Sophie Treadwell then opens the spring semester with performances on Feb. 29, and March 1, 6, 7, and 8 at 7:30 p.m. and a matinee performance on March 1 at 2 p.m. in

The Drama Theatre. The Main Stage season closes with Lorraine Hansberry's classic, "A Raisin in the Sun." Performances will take place in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre on April 18, 19, 24, 25, and 26 at 7:30 p.m. and April 19 at 2 p.m.

Tickets to Main Stage performances are \$5 for FSU students and \$10 for non-students. Theatre fans may want to consider purchasing a Season Discount Flex Card. For \$30 receive a Season Discount Flex Card and receive four Main Stage tickets and save \$10! Card holders can spread tickets throughout the Main Stage season, or use any number of tickets for one show.

To purchase tickets to "Into the Woods" and to get a 2007-2008 season brochure and information about Season Discount Flex Cards, please call the University Theatre box office at (301) 687-7462, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., or visit the box office in the FSU Performing Arts Center lobby, Monday through Friday, noon to 2 p.m.

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Music

MSO Performance Set for October

Residents of Allegany County have much to look forward to during the fall: the spectacular showcase of trees changing color, cool, sunny days in the mountains— and the annual performance of Hagerstown's acclaimed Maryland Symphony Orchestra, a concert that draws classical music enthusiasts from throughout the region.

Under the exuberant baton of music

director and conductor Elizabeth Schulze, the Maryland Symphony Orchestra will perform its much-anticipated annual fall concert at 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 12, in FSU's Performing Arts Center's Pealer Recital Hall. The performance features guest artist and virtuoso pianist Yuja Wang and includes major works in the true romantic style: Smetana's "Bartered Bride Overture" and the deeply emotional "Symphony No. 7" by Dvorák.

Twenty-year-old pianist Yuja Wang, a recipient of the prestigious 2006 Gilmore Young Artist Award, provides the centerpiece of this program, performing the "Piano Concerto: No. 1" by

Tchaikovsky. Wang's virtuosity and poise have critics raving—her January 2008 Kennedy Center appearance has already sold out.

To learn more about the musical selections, consider arriving early for a prelude concert discussion with Schulze beginning at 7 p.m. in the Pealer Recital Hall.

Co-presented with the Allegany Arts Council, the Maryland Symphony Orchestra concert is a fall tradition that is not to be missed! To purchase tickets or for more information, call the FSU Cultural Events Box Office at (301) 687-3137 or toll free at 1-866-TIXX-CES, or visit online at ces.frostburg.edu.

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Learn About New Bands at Lounge

Check out the University Programming Council's New Music Listening Lounge at 9 p.m. Friday, Oct. 12, in the Lane University Center Loft. Students are encouraged to bring CDs of any type of music. Get together and listen to tunes by up-and-coming artists and new releases as well as your own favorite songs and bands. For more info, call x4411.

Check out Traditional Arts Festival

Enjoy a spirited evening of folk dancing and music and learn what makes North America's cultural history so vibrant when FSU presents the North American Festival of Traditional Arts with a daytime percussive dance workshop at 2:30 p.m. and an evening concert at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 14.

The North American Festival of Traditional Arts showcases heroes of folk music and dance from Mexico, French Canada and the Southern Appalachian region of the United States in a lively demonstration of the Spanish, French and English heritage in the continent of North America. Check out how each nationality has created its own unique folk music with singing styles and instrumental virtuosity, complemented by percussive dance.

Kick up your heels and learn a few steps of your own earlier in the day by checking out a free percussive dance workshop at 2:30 p.m. in the Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall in FSU's Lane University Center. Participants will be introduced to three styles of folk dancing: Quebecois, a precise and rapid step dance similar to Irish step dance; Southern Appalachian clogging, a more relaxed and freewheeling dance style with high kicks and jumps, and veracruzano, a physically aggressive style with metered stomping that creates a powerful percussive drive. Space is limited and reservations are required: call Carol Clites at (301) 687-7420.

Then later that evening, the North American Festival of Traditional Arts brings its talented performers to the stage for a concert beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the Performing Art Center's Pealer Recital Hall. Take a cultural tour without leaving your seat as dancers demonstrate steps and styles from Mexico, French Canada and the South Appalachian region, performed to diverse folk music. Tickets are required: \$16 for the general public, \$14 for FSU faculty and staff, \$13 for children under 17 and \$5 for FSU students. To purchase tickets or for more information, call the FSU Cultural Events Box Office at x3137 or toll free at 1-866-TIXX-CES, or visit online at ces.frostburg.edu.

Charlie Brouwer celebrate their talents as respective artists and honor their relationship as father and daughter in the upcoming exhibition, "This Time, This Place," a show that highlights collaborative pieces they created together, as well as their individual works. "This Time, This Place" will be on view Oct. 5 through Oct. 28 at the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery, with a free, public reception from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday, Oct. 5, that includes a gallery talk from 6 to 7 p.m. in Fine Arts room 132.

Collins and Brouwer first noticed the visible and meaningful similarities in their imagery, themes, metaphors and aesthetic vision when the two first exhibited together in 1998, similarities Collins says reflect their natural relationship as father and daughter. The title of the exhibition, "This Time, This Place," refers to Collins' focus on making paintings that always are based on what the world looks like; she paints specific times and places. Unlike Collins, Brouwer usually pulls the subjects of his work from his imagination, which creates a dynamic collaboration between the two artists.

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



Take Note

YouTube Contest Deadline Extended

Attention students and alumni: Need more time to enter the Frostburg: Take 5 contest? Well, guess what: the YouTube crew at FSU has extended the deadline! **The new deadline for the Frostburg: Take 5 contest is Friday, March 7.** But that's not all—we've also added a new and convenient way for participants to submit clips. In addition to snail mail, you can now post your video online at FSU's very own Frostburg: Take 5 YouTube group. Just visit <http://www.youtube.com/group/FrostburgTake5> to post your videos and e-mail us a contest entry form. Still got questions? E-mail frostburgtake5@frostburg.edu.



Grade Changes Due TODAY

The deadline for undergraduate grade changes for spring 2007 and summer 2007 is today. This also includes the removal of "I" grades. For more info, call x4281.

Assistance for Students on Probation

Assistance will be offered to students on academic probation for the fall 2007 semester in a series of three meetings from Tuesday, Oct. 9, through Thursday,

Oct. 11, in the Compton Science Center. The meetings will be held Tuesday, Oct. 9, beginning at 12:30 p.m. in Compton Science Center Room 224; Wednesday, Oct. 10, at 7 p.m. in Compton 226; Thursday, Oct. 11, at 3:30 p.m. in Compton 224.

Please come and invest an hour to ensure that you are able to return to FSU for the spring 2008 semester. This meeting could make a difference!

For more info, call the Provost's Office at x4212.

Deadline for Dec. '07 Grad Requirements

Are you planning a December 2007 graduation? If your official degree progress report indicates you have not completed all requirements and you have a basis to request an exception, submit your written appeal letter and supporting letters and documentation to the Academic Standards Subcommittee, Office of the Provost, Hitchins 213 by 4 p.m. on **Oct. 11** for the October meeting or **Nov. 15** for the November meeting (last chance for graduation exceptions and inclusion in the Commencement Booklet). If you have questions or concerns, please call Bonny Griffith in the Provost's Office at x4212.

Planning to Graduate in December?

If you are planning to graduate at the end of this semester, please note the following: The 131st Commencement Ceremony is scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 15, in the Harold J. Cordts Physical Education Center. The College of Business and College of Education will hold their event at 10 a.m., while the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will present graduates at the 2 p.m. ceremony.

Please complete your graduation application at the Registrar's Office **now** in order to be listed in the December 2007 Commencement Program. This will enable you to receive information about your upcoming Commencement. The first Commencement mailing is scheduled for the first week in October and will be sent to both your local and your permanent address. Please update your address information in PAWS or with the Registrar's Office to assure that you will receive all the details.

Caps and gowns are provided at no cost to all graduates and may be ordered at the University Bookstore. **Your order must be placed by Oct. 15.**

A Grad Fair will be held Oct. 15 in the Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall in the Lane University Center from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Vendors will be present for ordering your class ring and diploma frames, and you will also have the opportunity to order your cap and gown and announcements. Additional University services will be available and there will be giveaways and refreshments.

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

Visual Art



Father, Daughter Combine Creativity

Painter Jennifer L. Collins and sculptor

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

Attention All Education Students!

The application deadline for students entering Phase I, Phase II or Phase III of the Teacher Education Program in the spring semester is Monday, Oct. 15. **ALL APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE OFFICE OF UNIT ASSESSMENT, FRAMPTON HALL, ROOM 203-3 on or before DEADLINE DATE.** If you need an application form or have questions, contact Barbara Bluebaugh at x7953 or babluebaugh@frostburg.edu.

Learn about Ph.Ds

Students who aspire to receive a Ph.D. and faculty and staff who can recommend students with Ph.D. potential are invited to attend an information session on the 2008 McNair Scholars Program on **Tuesday, Oct. 23**, in the Leake Room, Cordts PE Center. The director of the University of Maryland, College Park McNair Program (with seven places reserved for FSU students) will be visiting to speak with faculty and staff only at 10 a.m. and with faculty and students at 11 a.m. Current participants will display their research and be available to answer questions.

To be eligible, a student must be a low-income, first-generation college student OR be from a group that is traditionally underrepresented in graduate education programs (such as Hispanic, African American or Native American students, or women in science and technology.) The ideal candidate will have completed the sophomore year by May 2008 and have a GPA of 2.8 or higher. Juniors also are considered. Participants receive unparalleled support, including two paid summer research experiences, coursework, and assistance in preparing for graduate school. The application deadline for summer 2008 is before Thanksgiving.

For further information, contact Dr. Mary Mumper, Faculty Coordinator, x4359; Dr. Mary Gartner, Associate Provost, x4212; or Ms. Harriet Douglas, Director of Student Support Services, x4263.

News for Grad Students

Graduating in December?

Please complete your graduation application at the Registrar's Office by Nov. 4 in order to be listed in the December 2007 Commencement Program. The forms are available at the Office of Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall, or by calling x7053.

Open House: FSU at USMH

Students who are interested in continuing their graduate studies through FSU at the USMH should plan to attend an Open House and Advising Seminar on Wednesday, Oct. 24, from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. The USMH is located at 32 W. Washington Street, Hagerstown,



Md. (see the Web site for details at <http://www.frostburg.edu/centers>). FSU at USMH offers the following graduate programs: College of Education currently offers the Master of Arts in Teaching – Elementary and Secondary K-12, Master of Education programs in Administration & Supervision, Curriculum & Instruction, Interdisciplinary, Reading and Special Education. The FSU College of Business currently offers the Master of Business Administration at the USMH. You may wish to review the center's Web site for additional information regarding programs offered by other USM institutions.

M.B.A. Applicants for Spring 2007

The M.B.A. program requires that students entering the program complete the GMAT (Graduate Management Admissions Test) or the GRE (Graduate Record Examination). GRE testing registration information is available through the Educational Testing Services Web site at www.ets.org or by calling the FSU Counseling Center at x7990. For information regarding the GMAT, visit <http://www.gmac.com/gmac>.

Civil War Display on View at Library

A new display in Lewis J. Ort Library on view through October commemorates the 145th anniversary of the Civil War's Battle of Antietam, the largest Civil War battle fought in Maryland. On Sept. 17, 1862, Union and Confederate armies clashed on the outskirts of Sharpsburg, just 85 miles east of Frostburg. The battle resulted in nearly 23,000 casualties, becoming the bloodiest single day of the war. The Union victory ultimately resulted in President Lincoln's issuing of the Emancipation Proclamation. Stop in the Library's main lobby and take a look!

Get a Taste at 'Key Ingredients'

"Key Ingredients: America by Food," a Smithsonian Institution traveling exhibition that delves into the historical, regional and social traditions that merge in everyday meals and celebrations of the American table, will be on view at the FSU Compton Exploratorium through Nov. 10.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Assistant Professor of Sociology at FSU, and a committee of area residents including educators, farmers, agriculture extension agents, historians and artists have created a number of complementary programs and exhibits featuring regional foodways. Three of those exhibits on display with the Smithsonian exhibition are "Cookbooks Through the Ages," which shares a sampling of the history of regional and U.S. cookbooks from the 1800s through contemporary times; "All About Food," featuring a photographic collection of Mountain Maryland's food traditions; and "Cooking Antiquities," which uses cooking-related items on

loan from regional museum collections to test the memory and knowledge of exhibition guests.

FSU is working in cooperation with the Maryland Humanities Council to host the local showing. Key Ingredients is part of Museum on Main Street, a unique collaboration between the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service (SITES), state humanities councils across the nation, and local host institutions. To learn more about Key Ingredients and other Museum on Main Street exhibitions, visit www.museumonmainstreet.org.

The exhibition will be open for viewing on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m., Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturdays from 1 to 5 p.m. and Sundays from 3 to 8 p.m. To learn more, visit www.frostburg.edu/events/keyingredients or contact Rogers Thomas at FSU at x3124.



Eat a Doughnut for Physics

The FSU Physics and Engineering Club is now selling mugs featuring the club logo for \$10, in addition to T-shirts for \$10, to support club-sponsored activities, like the campus Physics and Engineering Day. The Club is also selling doughnuts and coffee on the 2nd floor Atrium of Compton on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. The Club meets every Wednesday at 7 p.m. in CSC 233. For information, contact Eric Moore at x4500 or ejmoore@frostburg.edu.

Improve Foreign Language Skills

This semester, the Foreign Language Department is starting a "Conversation Partners" program to provide conversation practice for second-language learners in the FSU community. The conversation partners are native or near-native speakers of Spanish, French and Chinese who will be available for individual and group appointments in the Foreign Language Lab. The conversation partners program is also open to everyone—instructors, past language students or anyone wishing to practice and improve conversational skills. Conversation Partners are available at the following days and times:

Spanish: Tues: 10 a.m. to noon, 3 to 5 p.m., Wed. and Thurs: 3 to 5 p.m., Fri: 10 a.m. to noon

French: Mon: 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Tues: 3 to 5 p.m., Thurs: 3 to 5 p.m.

Chinese: Tues: noon to 1 p.m., Thurs: noon- 1 p.m.

You can make an appointment with a conversation partner at the Foreign Language Lab in Fine Arts 202, Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. For additional information contact Nicole Houser, Department of Foreign Languages and Literature, FA 215, nhouser@frostburg.edu, x4716.

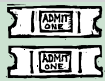
Employee Training Sessions Available

FSU will offer a variety of fall 2007 training classes for interested employees.

Upcoming courses in Information Technology include: **"Introduction to Adobe Photoshop"** from 10 a.m. to noon today and **"Web Site Management Using Dreamweaver"** from 2 to 4 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 9. Management and Human Resources will offer **"Foundation and Practical Elements of Leadership"** from 1 to 4 p.m. Friday, Oct. 12. For more details, see "Presentations" section of StateLines. Health and Safety will offer **"Housekeeping in Your Workplace"** from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 10. Finally, Research and Sponsored Programs will present **"Grant Proposal Basics 101"** Friday, Oct. 12.

To register for training, call x7487 or e-mail humanresources@frostburg.edu.

Entertainment



KT Tatara Performing

FSU's University Programming Council presents comedian KT Tatara at the Lane University Center Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall on Thursday, Oct. 11, at 9 p.m.

Tatara is known as one of the best young comedians of today, renowned for his unique opinions and unpredictable jokes that leave people on the edge of their seats. His creative performance covers a wide range of topics that is appealing to any audience.

For more information, call x4411 or visit www.kttatara.com.

Get Medieval!

Time for another fun fieldtrip with University Programming Council: don't miss Crownsville's Maryland Renaissance Festival Saturday, Oct. 13! There's never a dull moment at the Renaissance Festival. Spend the day with the king, queens and the knights. The village is comprised of pubs, stages, food booths and more than 130 craft shops. Eat, drink, wander through the village and enjoy the atmosphere. Buses depart from the Performing Arts Center parking lot at 8 a.m. and will leave the Festival to return to Frostburg at 7:30 p.m. after closing ceremonies. Tickets are \$25 (FSU students only) and include charter bus, admission and light snack. For more info, call x4411.

Literature



Award-Winning Author to Read at FSU

FSU welcomes award-winning fiction writer David King for a reading on Tuesday, Oct. 16, at 7 p.m., in the fourth floor of the Lewis J. Ort Library, with a reception and book-signing to follow.

King's debut novel, "The Ha-Ha," tells the story of Howard Kopatash, an Army veteran who has lost the ability to speak

or write, but whose thoughts are unimpaired. He is asked to care for the nine-year-old son of an ex-girlfriend and is thus pulled out of his isolation and challenged to somehow communicate. The 2005 novel made many "Best of" lists and was a finalist for The Book of the Month Club's "Best Literary Fiction Award."

The reading is free and open to the public. It is made possible in part by the University's Faculty Development and Sabbatical Subcommittee and the Allegany Arts Council. For more information, contact Jeff Maehre at Ort Library at x4734.

Presentations



Pentagon Insider To Speak

FSU's United Campus Ministry will present Lt. Col. Karen Kwiatkowski, a Pentagon insider who will be presenting "Lies of the Iraq War" Tuesday, Oct. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Lane University Center Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall.

While she worked at the Pentagon, Kwiatkowski's duties included desk officer and speechwriter for the director of the National Security Agency, and her final assignment was in the Office of the Secretary of Defense as a Policy directorate. Kwiatkowski is well known for chastising the Pentagon's Office of Special Plans with her insider account on how it manipulated intelligence to justify the invasion of Iraq. During her presentation, Kwiatkowski will discuss the corrupting political influence on the course of military intelligence leading up to the 2003 invasion of Iraq.

This event is free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Rev. Larry Neumark at x7490.

Appalachian Lab

The University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science Appalachian Laboratory will offer a series of seminars during the fall semester. The next seminar is "Multiscale Landscape Analysis of Nutrient Concentrations in Streams Across the Mid-Atlantic Region of the U.S." by Dr. Kenneth (Bruce) Jones, the chief scientist for Geography at USGS, hosted by Bob Gardner. It is scheduled for 3:30 p.m. Oct. 11, in Room 109.

Refreshments follow in the lobby. For more information, visit www.al.umces.edu/seminar/schedule.

Learn More about Leadership

Dr. Danny Arnold, dean of the College of Business, and Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi, chair of the Department of Management, will conduct training on Foundations & Practical Elements of Leadership on Friday, Oct. 12, from 1 to 4 p.m. in Lane Center 201. The session is open to all FSU faculty and staff at no cost.

Survival in any management position depends upon managerial skills. To truly succeed, however, one must develop his/

her leadership skills and apply them to the work situation appropriately. The overall focus of this session is on developing positive leadership skills, and on avoiding those things that undermine good leadership. It covers strategies and tactics that are relevant for all types of leadership situations and positions.

To register, please call OHR at x7487 or e-mail humanresources@frostburg.edu.

Motivational Speaker Returns to FSU

Bobby Petrocelli will return to FSU to present his motivational speech, "10 Seconds Can Change Your Life," at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 17, in FSU's Lane University Center Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall.

Petrocelli has traveled the country sharing his inspirational message and life experiences to motivate and empower crowds all over the United States. The title of his speech comes from the 10 seconds that changed his own life: the night he awoke to find that a drunken driver had driven a truck through his bedroom wall, killing Petrocelli's wife. Since then, Petrocelli has taken this dreadful event and turned it into an inspiring speech on life and its fragility.

Petrocelli's speech is sponsored by the BURG Peer Education Network and is free and open to the public. For more information call the SAFE office at x4761.

Film



Attention Muggles: Free Potter Flick

Don't miss the next free film sponsored by University Programming Council, "Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix." Several showings and times are available from Thursday, Oct. 11, through Sunday, Oct. 14, in the Lane University Center, Room 201:

- 8 p.m., Friday, Oct. 11
- 8 p.m. & midnight, Saturday, Oct. 12
- 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 13
- 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 14

For more info, call x4411.

Check Out Epic 'Hero'

FSU's International Film Series will show the Japanese martial arts epic, "Hero," on Tuesday, Oct. 16, at 7 p.m. in the Lane University Center Atkinson Room. The viewing is free and open to the public.

For more information, call x4411.



Want to Get Your Message on TV3?

If you have an announcement about an activity that you would like to advertise on the TV3 message board, log onto www.frostburg.edu/dept/mcom/channel

nel3/messreqform.htm and enter your information. Then click submit. It's as easy as that. If possible, please try and submit your requests at least a week in advance. 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 Oct. 8-12

Monday:

3 & 6 p.m. NASA SCI Files, "The Case of the Energy Crunch"

4 & 7 p.m. Democracy in America: "Civil Rights: Demanding Equality"

4:30 & 7:30 p.m. Earth Revealed: "Running Water II: Landscape Evolution"

5 & 8 p.m. AAST Lecturer: Dr. Jerome Miller

Tuesday:

3 & 6 p.m. SGA Meeting held on Thursday, Oct. 4

Wednesday:

3 & 6 p.m. NASA "Destination Tomorrow"

3:30 & 6:30 p.m. Author: Susan Perabo

4:30 & 7:30 p.m. American Cinema: "Film in the TV Age"

5:30 & 8:30 p.m. American Passages, A Literary Survey: "Utopian Promise"

Thursday:

3 & 6 p.m. FSU This Week

3:15 & 6:15 p.m. FSU Women's Soccer vs. Hilbert College

Friday:

3 & 6 p.m. NASA Connect, "Breaking Barriers"

3:30 & 6:30 p.m. "NASA Destination Tomorrow"

4 & 7 p.m. "MD State of Mind"

5 & 8 p.m. Exploring the World of Music: "Sound, Music & Environment"

5:30 & 8:30 p.m. Earth Revealed: "Groundwater"

Get Involved



Learn About FSU's NYC Roadtrip Nation

Need direction in your life? Trying to find your path? Ready for the ultimate roadtrip? Start spreading the news — **Frostburg Roadtrip is heading to New York City!**

Frostburg Roadtrip is a program in which University students travel to meet and interview FSU alumni who are established and thriving in their chosen careers. The interviews are filmed and made into a documentary for the campus community.

Inspired by Roadtrip Nation, an organization that encourages young people to find the open road, the FSU program helps students discover their passions and their own journeys in life.

The NYC Frostburg Roadtrip will take place the week of Jan. 20, 2008. Tentative interviews will focus on individuals in the theatre and TV industries, as well other fields.

An information session on the NYC trip will be held Wednesday, Oct. 10, at 7:30 p.m. in Lane University Center room 202. Students from the 2006 and 2007 Roadtrips will be in

attendance to answer questions and applications will be available. Applications are also available for pick-up at the Division of Student and Educational Services, 118 Hitchins.

The previous Frostburg Roadtrip documentaries have been broadcast on FSU TV 3. Copies of the DVD are also on reserve in the Lewis J. Ort Library.

For more information, contact Dr. Tom Bowling, Vice President for Students and Educational Services, at x4311.

Meet Other Non-Traditional Students

ENCORE, a group for non-traditional students (age 25 and older) will meet at 4 p.m. today at the Lane Center cafeteria. New members welcome. For more information contact mmoran0@frostburg.edu.

Gender Identity Workshop Offered

An educational workshop about gender identity, "Transcending Gender," will be offered at FSU's Ort Library room 237 on Saturday, Oct. 13 from 1:30 to 4 p.m. This interactive workshop is sponsored by B-WARM (Baltimore-Washington Area Reconciling Methodists) and co-sponsored by United Campus Ministry and the FSU Gay-Straight Alliance.

Presenter Sally Sparks will review such issues as to definitions of gender and sex and how they differ. For the past four years, Sparks has presented workshops on gender identity and transgender education. Her interactive style invites the audience to move toward a better understanding of gender diversity.

For information, please contact Mittie Quinn (mquinn2@gmu.edu) or Jen Ihlo (jen.ihlo@gmail.com), or visit the B-WARM Web site at www.bwarm.org.

Retreat on Forgiveness

Do you need forgiveness? Are there barriers in the way? Do you wish to remove them? Those questions and others will be raised and answered during a Fall Retreat on Forgiveness. The event will be held at beautiful Camp Living Waters, in Schellsburg, Pa., on Nov. 2 through Nov. 4. The cost is only \$15 for the entire weekend. People regardless of spiritual or religious background are welcome. Any interested students, faculty, staff and community people are invited to attend. It is sponsored by United Campus Ministry. Contact Larry Neumark, Protestant Chaplain, at x7490 or l.neumark@frostburg.edu or Erin Lauer, UCM president, at (443) 742-0872 or elauer0@frostburg.edu for more info.

Community



Small Business Resource Center Opens

Local business owners and those

needing assistance in establishing a business can now find resources through the Business Resource Center at FSU.

The Center, located on the ground floor of the Guild Center, provides access to software and reference materials to help entrepreneurs learn more about planning for a business, managing their business, and growing their business.

For more information, contact Dr. Keramat Poorsoltan at x7498.

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, contact the CIE in the Fuller House on Braddock Road, x4714, or visit www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie.

Study Down Under

Australearn offers a unique opportunity for students to study in Australia, New Zealand or Fiji. Programs are offered for the full year, semester and intersession or summer terms. Students are offered unique college experiences in various locations around each island. Volunteer and work opportunities are also available. Visit the Australian Outback or the Great Barrier Reef. While in Fiji visit the Island of Yasawa or island hop for three days. Swim with the dolphins in New Zealand or go skiing. These and many more adventures are waiting for interested students. Australearn also offers a wide range of scholarships for students. Application deadline for the spring semester is **Nov. 15** and for Summer Programs the deadline is **April 15**. For more information or to apply visit Australearn at www.australearn.org or the Center for International Education, located in the Fuller house, or call x4714 or visit www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie.



Activities for Life

For more information on Activities for Life and registration, contact Amy Nazelrod at x7934 or anazelrod@frostburg.edu.

Tumbling Classes Available

Activities for Life will offer beginner and intermediate tumbling classes for children ages 5 to 12. The classes will be held on Mondays, Oct. 22 to Nov. 26, excluding Nov. 19. The beginner class will be held from 5 to 6 p.m. and the intermediate class will be held from 6 to 7 p.m. in Cordts PE Center room 170.

The beginner class will be basic floor tumbling exercises and some work on the low balance beam. Space is limited to 15 participants with a minimum of seven. Pre-requisites for the intermediate class are a round-off and a kick over from a

bridge (back walk-over). Instructors will be Heather Buccheri and Dominique Dozier. Space is limited to 12 participants with a minimum of six. Advance registration is required for both classes.

Splish Splash I was Getting So Fit

Activities for Life will offer Water Aerobics on Tuesdays and Thursdays, Oct. 16 to Nov. 15, from 6 to 6:50 p.m. at the FSU pool located in the Cordts Physical Education Center. Participants may register for Tuesday or Thursday class, or both nights for a discounted price.

Swimming Lessons for Youth

Activities for Life will offer Youth and Advanced Swimming Lessons for children ages 5 to 12. The classes will be from 6 to 6:50 p.m. in the FSU Pool in the Cordts PE Center. Classes will be held

on Monday and Wednesday from Oct. 22 to Nov. 7. 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.



Safety Message

Avoid Slip-ups

Here are some safety tips from State Injured Worker's Insurance Fund on how to prevent slips, trips and falls, both here and at home.

Keep all cables, wires and cords, away from walkways; use cord covers.

When you see a paper clip, nail, piece of paper, a pen or pencil, pick it up.

Clean up or report all wet spots to the Physical Plant Staff.

Use caution when walking over loose or broken floor tile, brick, pavement. Watch for loose gravel or stone. Make sure that all rugs are tacked down and not frayed. Report worn or loose spots on carpet or flooring to the Physical Plant Staff.

Use the hand railing when using stairs. Don't carry a load that you can't see over or around, and make sure one hand is free to use the railing. Make sure stairways and hallways are well-lighted.

Be sure that your pants, dresses and skirts aren't so long that they catch your foot while walking.



FSU Events Calendar

MONDAY, OCT. 8

- * S.A.F.E./BURG DWI Jail Bail 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Lane Lobby
- * Women's Field Hockey: College of Notre Dame 4 p.m. Away
- * English Program: Banned Books Reading 7 p.m. Lane 201

TUESDAY, OCT. 9

Mid-semester Warnings Distributed to UNDERGRADUATE Students

- * S.A.F.E./BURG DWI Jail Bail 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Lane Lobby
- * Women's Soccer: Penn State University–Altoona 5 p.m. Home
- * Men's Soccer: Penn State University –Altoona 7 p.m. Home
- * UCM Speaker: A Pentagon Insider Speaks: Lies of the Iraq War 7:30 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * S.A.F.E./BURG: House Rules: Prescription Addiction 8 p.m. Edgewood Commons

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10

- * S.A.F.E./BURG DWI Jail Bail 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Lane Lobby
- * Student Recital #1 3 p.m. PAC Pealer Recital Hall
- * BURG Meeting 4 p.m. Cordts PEC Leake Room
- * Leadership Development Workshop Series: Goal Setting: An Interactive Look at How to Set & Achieve Goals: 7 p.m., Lane 201
- * Women's Volleyball: La Roche College 7 p.m. Home
- * RHA General Body Meeting 7 p.m. Dunkle Hall 218

THURSDAY, OCT. 11

- * S.A.F.E./BURG DWI Jail Bail 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Lane Lobby
- * Depression Screening 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Lane Lobby & Lane 201
- * Women's Field Hockey: Juniata College 4:30 p.m. Away
- * UPC Comedy Show: KT Tatara .. 9 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * UPC Feature Film Series: "Harry Potter & the Order of the Phoenix" 8 p.m. Lane 201

FRIDAY, OCT. 12

- * University Theatre: "Into the Woods" 7:30 p.m. PAC Drama Theatre
- * UPC Feature Film Series: "Harry Potter & the Order of the Phoenix" 8 p.m. & midnight Lane 201
- * UPC Music Lounge 8 p.m. Lane Derezinski Lounge/Loft
- * CES Main Stage Series: Maryland Symphony Orchestra 8 p.m. PAC Pealer Recital Hall

SATURDAY, OCT. 13

- * Men's/Women's Cross Country: Gettysburg College Invitational, Gettysburg, PA Away
- * UPC Off-Campus Trip: Maryland Renaissance Festival (Bus will depart from PAC Parking Lot at 8 a.m. and will depart from the Festival at approximately 7:30 p.m.)
- * Enrollment Management Open House 9 a.m. Lane University Center
- * University Theatre: "Into the Woods" 2 p.m. & 7:30 p.m. PAC Drama Theatre
- * Football: Southern Virginia University 6 p.m. Home
- * UPC Feature Film Series: "Harry Potter & the Order of the Phoenix" 8 p.m. Lane 201

SUNDAY, OCT. 14

- * Women's Field Hockey: Virginia Wesleyan College noon Home
- * CCM Mass noon & 8 p.m. Cook Chapel
- * Planetarium: "Giant Planets: The Shield, The Pretty One, The Clown and The Windy One" 4 p.m. & 7 p.m. Tawes Hall
- * JV Football: North Carolina Tech 5 p.m. Home
- * UPC Feature Film Series: "Harry Potter & the Order of the Phoenix" 6 p.m. Lane 201
- * CES Main Stage Series: North American Festival of Traditional Arts 7:30 p.m. PAC Pealer Recital Hall

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