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Jean Ritchie and Sons Headline Festival Event Celebrates Region's Culture With Music, Film, Food and Family Fun

The public is invited to learn more about the region's rich cultural heritage during FSU's 2009 Appalachian Festival **Sept. 18 and 19**. Now in its fourth year, the much-anticipated event brings together performers and craftspeople to celebrate the natural landscape, history, food and musical and artistic offerings of Western Maryland and the surrounding areas. Folk music legend Jean Ritchie and Sons perform on stage at the Historic Palace Theatre in Frostburg during the popular Saturday evening concert.



The Festival kicks things off **Friday, Sept. 18**, with "Appalachia: People and Place," an informative symposium highlighting a sampling of regional work in which FSU faculty and students are engaged from 1 to 4:30 p.m. at the Lane Center.

Following the symposium, Appalachia enthusiasts can drift down to the Mountain City Traditional Arts venue at 25 E. Main St. in downtown Frostburg for a clogging and flat-footing workshop from 5:30 to 7 p.m. featuring the RockCandy Cloggers, with music by Jason Twigg and Fritz Kessler. An Appalachian Film Festival featuring the Academy award-winning documentary "Harlan County, USA" caps off Friday's festivities at 8 p.m. in Frostburg's Palace Theatre.

Then on **Saturday, Sept. 19**, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., check out daylong presentations, workshops, arts and crafts demonstrations, live music, Appalachian dance environmental talks and children's activities on the FSU campus. These festivities, held on FSU's Upper Quad, are free

and open to the public. Performers include Frostburg Arion Band, Jay Smar, Highland Grass, Abe Folmsbee, Rachel Eddy, Garrett Highlands Pipes and Drums and Allegheny Drifters. Hands-on demonstrations, workshops and other activities will also be available.

Festival goers "can learn traditional basket weaving, try their hand at playing the mountain dulcimer, practice traditional Appalachian dance steps or prepare for the fall fishing season by tying flies," said FSU folklorist Kara Rogers Thomas, festival founder and key organizer. "In addition to our always popular children's hands-on area, we have several programs appealing to children and adults featuring storytellers and the theatrical performance, 'Witches, Britches, Rings and Things,' by Front & Centre Stage Productions."

Frostburg's Appalachian Festival culminates with an 8 p.m. Saturday night performance at the Palace Theatre featuring Jean Ritchie and Sons, with an opening concert by Zane & Hugh Campbell and Friends.

Celebrate and sample Appalachian culture, music and more. Tickets for Jean Ritchie and Sons are \$17 for adults and \$12 for young people under 17. Group rate tickets are also available. Tickets may be ordered by calling x3137 or 1-866-849-9237, or by visiting ces.frostburg.edu. For full Appalachian Festival program information, visit www.frostburg.edu/events/afestival or call x3124. You can also find the Appalachian Festival on MySpace and Facebook (Search "Frostburg State University Appalachian Festival.")

What's Going on at Lane Center?

FSU, which is embarking on a \$17 million renovation of the Lane University Center, wants the public to be aware of changes to the building's access starting as early as **Thursday, Sept. 17**. The building will be surrounded by construction fencing, which will limit entry to the building to only the northwest entrance nearest to Ort Library.

The walkway between Lane and Tawes Hall will also be closed, but access will be provided through Tawes Hall. Persons parking in the Performing Arts Center lot for Lane Center events should use the Tawes entrance at the end of the building nearest the clock tower, exiting through the Tawes front doors.

The long-awaited renovation of the FSU student union building, which is

being funded by student fees collected over a series of years, will be the first major renovation since the building was dedicated in 1973. The final product will be an expanded building with more meeting space, a 24-hour computer lab, student organization offices, a cardio workout room, a larger bookstore and expanded food service, among other amenities.

The Lane Center will be open to the public throughout the fall semester, but it will close and be taken off line for all of 2010. Most offices and services currently available in Lane will move to Tawes and the attached Engineering Annex until the renovation is complete in the spring semester of 2011.

Interested persons can follow the ongoing developments with the building at <http://renovatingthelane.blogspot.com>. For info, call the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.



4th Entrepreneurship Conference to Be Held

The Trident Initiative at FSU, the Western Maryland SCORE Chapter 0682 and the Small Business Development Center - Western Region announce the Fourth Annual Entrepreneurship Conference will be **Thursday, Sept. 24**, and **Friday, Sept. 25**, at Lane Center.

Titled "Turning Your Green Ideas Into Gold ... Entrepreneurial Pathways to Shaping a Sustainable Economic Future," this year's conference will emphasize green entrepreneurship opportunities and practices within the region. Practicing entrepreneurs, leaders in sustainable practices and economic development, and business

experts from various industry sectors will share their insight on adoption of green technologies. The conference will also hold a vital information session on locating funding from diverse sources to support the startup and ongoing operations of green and/or greening businesses.

The 2009 Model Entrepreneur of the Year and 2009 Young Entrepreneur of the Year awards will be made at an Awards Luncheon ceremony on **Friday, Sept. 25**, in the Lane Center.

Cumberland Mayor Lee Fiedler and regional business leaders will also address the conference.

For info on the event and registration, visit www.frostburg.edu/trident. For additional information, contact Sudhir Singh (FSU – Trident) at x4093, Terri Hast (SCORE 0682) at 301-722-2773 or Mark Malec (SBDC – Western Region) at x1080.



Theatre

'Two Gentlemen of Verona' Coming

FSU's Department of English will host the Cambridge American Stage Tour presentation of Shakespeare's "Two Gentlemen of Verona"

Wednesday, Sept. 16, at 7:30 p.m. in PAC Pealer Recital Hall.

One of Shakespeare's early comedies, "Two Gentlemen of Verona" tells the story of Proteus, Valentine and their affections for Julia and Silvia. The play is a charming and carefree story about the universal experience of being young, confused and in love.

Founded in 2000, CAST is proud to celebrate its 10th Anniversary Tour and continues to present Shakespeare with the finest talent from Cambridge University in England. This production, like the others before it, is directed and produced entirely by members of the Cambridge student body.

Ticket prices are \$6 for students and \$12 for the general public. For info, call x4145. For CAST information, visit www.castonline.org.

PlayRights – 'One Night'

Acquaintance rape, a problem on college campuses today, will be the subject of an interactive play for students that will be performed **Thursday, Sept. 17**, at 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center.

Exciting Theatre & Dance Season

Comedies and classics, dance and drama are on tap for the 2009-2010 season of offerings from FSU's Department of Theatre and Dance, showcasing the performance skills of FSU's students, as well as student direction and choreography.

The season will open with the "The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940" by John Bishop. The production will be presented **Oct. 2, 3, 8, 9 and 10** at 7:30 p.m. with a matinee performance on **Oct. 3** at 2 p.m. in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre

Next in the season is the Fall Dance Concert Series presented by The FSU Dance Company. Performances will be held **Thursday, Oct. 22, through Saturday, Oct. 24**. All performances are at 7:30 p.m. in the Drama Theatre. New this season is the addition of a Thursday evening performance.

"A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens will headline the holiday season. The play begins **Dec. 4** and runs through **Dec. 12**. Show times are 7:30 p.m. with performances on **Dec. 4, 5, 9, 10, 11 and 12**. Special matinee performances will be held at 2:30 p.m. **Dec. 5 and 12**. Performances take place in the Drama Theatre.

"Dark of the Moon" by Howard Richardson and William Berney will kick off the second half of the season. "Dark of the Moon" debuts **Feb. 26, 2010**. Shows are scheduled to run **Feb. 26 and 27** and again **March 4, 5 and 6**. A matinee performance will be held on **Feb. 27** at 2 p.m. All other show times are 7:30 p.m. Performances will be held at the Drama Theatre.

"Godspell" is scheduled to run from **April 16 until April 24**. Shows are slated for **April 16, 17, 22, 23 and 24**. Special matinee performances are scheduled for **April 17 and 24** at 2 p.m. All other show times are scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Performances take place in the Drama Theatre.

The annual Spring Dance Concert by the FSU Dance Company will end the 2009-2010 season. The concert will be held **May 6 through 8** in the Drama Theatre. Show times begin at 7:30 p.m.

"Topdog/Underdog" by Suzan-Lori Parks will headline the Second Stage Series of student-directed plays in the month of November. Shows are set for **Nov. 5, 6 and 7**, with all shows beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre.

"Wonder of the World" by David Lindsay-Abaire will end the 2009-2010 Second Stage Series, running **April 29, 30 and May 1, 2010**. All show times are 7:30 p.m. and can be seen in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre.

Season subscriptions are available. The Main Stage subscription offers the general public four tickets to Main Stage shows for \$40, and the student subscription offers students six tickets to Main Stage and Second Stage productions for \$30. In addition to cost savings, season subscribers can reserve tickets in advance of the general public. Tickets are \$12 for general admission and \$6 for students.

For info, call the Theatre and Dance box office at x7462, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 until 4 p.m.



Presentations

Scarpo to Present Anti-Hate Message

Brent Scarpo, celebrated speaker on anti-hate issues and solutions, will present the talk "Why Do You Hate Me?" at FSU on **Wednesday, Sept. 16**, at 7 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall. The program is free and open to the public.

"Why Do You Hate Me?" explores the issues of hate on a much deeper level. Scarpo takes his collective experiences and shares with his audience the issues of hate and diversity as well as self-hate and how it affects one's self-confidence, self-esteem and self-worth. The program looks at abusive behaviors such as binge drinking, drug usage, gambling, perfectionism, anorexia and others and reviews steps that can be taken to

better one's self-worth and manage behaviors that promote self-hate.

For info, contact Student and Educational Services at x4311.



'Road to Hollywood'

Careers in Hollywood are not just for actors, writers, producers and directors. Speaker Brent Scarpo, with 20 years' experience in the business of Hollywood, will enlighten his audience on the realities of a career in entertainment in a presentation at FSU **Thursday, Sept. 17**.

Scarpo's talk, which is free and open to the public, will be at 7 p.m. in Dunkle Hall 218.

The presentation will cover questions such as whether a student's major provides for a career in the entertainment industry and whether those same opportunities are available outside Hollywood. Scarpo will provide sample resumes for various positions in the entertainment industry and a list of major studies and their job hotlines and Web sites. There will also be an opportunity to ask questions.

For info, call the FSU Office of Career Services at x4403.



Music

'Live at the Depot'

WFWM 91.9 FM, Public Radio from FSU, in cooperation with the Western Maryland Scenic Railroad, will present "Live at the Depot," a series of live old-time radio shows at the historic Old Depot in Frostburg. The shows will feature 15-minute performances by local roots music bands and musicians. Chuck Dicken, WFWM station director, will serve as emcee. The performances

will be recorded by WFWM for broadcast on the station at a later date. The Mass Communication Department will also videotape each show for use on the WFWM Web site and for possible television airing.

"Live at the Depot" will take place Fridays in September between 12:30 to 2 p.m., while the Scenic Railroad's train is at the depot. The public can attend the recordings for free. For info, call x4143 or e-mail wfwf2@frostburg.edu. WFWM can be heard at 91.9 FM, Frostburg, and 96.3 FM, Oakland.

The remaining performances are:

- **Sept. 18:** Highland Grass (Bluegrass)
Bear Hill Bluegrass (Bluegrass)
- **Sept. 25:** Greg Latta (Folk)
Amy Fabbri & Amanda Barger (Old-Time Appalachian)



Visual Arts

'Body Mapping' on Display at Roper

"Body Mapping," an exhibition of paintings and drawings that explore the human body from each artist's standpoint, will be on display in the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery. The exhibition will run through **Sunday, Oct. 4.**

The collection features enigmatic painted, oil-glazed wood panels by Eileen Senner displaying glowing, fragmented torsos set in dark expanses of undefined space; hand-painted photographs by Kaethe Kauffman that probe the body's dynamics that bring muscular substructures to light; watercolors by Tina Blondell that appropriate poses and symbols inspired by biblical and mythic heroines; and pencil drawings by Giedra Montvila, who draws on her experience as a runway fashion model to take issue with the barrage of media-generated glamour propaganda. Each artist's focus differs, covering metaphysical issues, bodily mechanisms, personal growth patterns and society's obsession with appearances.

The Roper Gallery is open Sunday through Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. For info, contact Dustin Davis at ddavis@frostburg.edu or call the Department of Visual Arts at x4797.



Tina Blondell's "Jezebel," watercolor on paper



Literature

FSU Announces Press Fair

The Center for Creative Writing at FSU, in partnership with the Allegany

County Library System, announces that the third annual Western Maryland Small and Regional Press Fair will be held **Saturday, Sept. 19**, from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Washington Street Branch of the Allegany County Library. The event, which features editors, publishers, writers and educators, includes panels on writing and getting published; writing the region; writing, kids, reading and teaching; and blogging and new media publishing. Roundtable discussions with published authors will also help aspiring writers work through practical matters of getting their work on the page. The event ends with a 5 p.m. poetry slam for high school students and a 6:30 p.m. poetry slam for adults. Cash prizes will be given.

Two new panels created for this year's event, "Teachers, Publishers and Students" and "Pick Up That Book – Getting Kids to Want to Read," are designed with educators in mind and focus on helping to get new literature into the hands of students, or helping teachers and school districts publish a student literary magazine.

The event is free and open to the public. For info, contact the Washington Street Library at 301-777-1200 or the Frostburg Center for Creative Writing at x4024, or visit the center Web site at www.frostburg.edu/cwcenter.

Staking Our Claim

Griffiths' Support Benefits Community



Sam Griffith, president of National Jet Co. in LaVale, Md., and his wife, Pam Griffith, were thinking of their own community when they decided to contribute \$15,000 to the FSU Foundation in support of Staking Our Claim: The Campaign for Frostburg.

"I recognize the impact of the University in our region," Sam Griffith said. "It's a force economically, culturally and educationally. I think it's important to keep this asset local."

"I've always been impressed by the caliber of the students I encounter at Frostburg," Pam Griffith said.

The insight Griffith gained from his role on two vital boards serving FSU helped guide his gift's distribution. In particular, as the president of the FSU Foundation's Board of Directors, he has come to learn of the crucial value of unrestricted gifts, so the bulk of this gift and the \$10,000 they previously contributed to the Staking Our Claim campaign was designated as such.

"Unrestricted (funds) give us the ability to put the money where it is needed immediately," Griffith said.

Money that is given with restrictions may only be used for the purposes for which it was designated, such as to a specific scholarship fund, but unrestricted contributions provide the institution with the flexibility required to address the most pressing needs as they appear. When the Foundation board in 2008 sought proposals for the first time to fund new educational projects, Griffith was struck by the range and size of requests the Foundation received, nearly 50 seeking more than \$320,000. The Foundation had only \$41,000 in unrestricted funds to give. "That really highlighted the need for more unrestricted money," Griffith said.

"You don't have to be a graduate of Frostburg to help the University," he said. "If you live in the region, you should recognize its value to this area. There's a real need for us to support it."

For info about supporting FSU, visit foundation.frostburg.edu or call x4161 or 1-866-241-3296, toll free.

S.A.F.E./BURG

Upcoming Activities

Tuesday, Sept. 15, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Lane Manic Hall: BURG Sampler. Meet the peer education network and get some goodies!

Wednesday, Sept. 16, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Lower Quad: Law Enforcement Day. Enjoy a day of law enforcement awareness as well as food, mocktails and freeze pops.

Thursday, Sept. 17, 3:30 and 7:30 p.m., PAC Recital Hall: PlayRights, a theatrical group that has been educating FSU students for 16 years, will address the serious topics of high-risk drinking and date rape. Everyone is welcome!



Take Note

Get Your Flu Shot!

A seasonal flu vaccine clinic will be held **Monday, Sept. 14**, from 8 to 10 a.m. (students, faculty and staff) in the Brady Health Center. (Note: This is the annual seasonal flu vaccine, not the H1N1 vaccine.) The cost is \$20 for the flu shot or \$25 for FluMist. Accepted method of payment is cash, check or Bobcat Express Card.

Nominations for Staff Awards

One of FSU's goals is to reward outstanding service to the institution. Again this year the FSU Foundation will fund three \$500 Staff Awards for Excellence. FSU exempt/nonexempt staff are eligible to be nominated, whether contractual, full- or part-time.

Detailed award categories, nomination criteria and nomination forms have been distributed to all employees via campus e-mail. Complete nomination packets will be due no later than 4 p.m. on **Monday, Sept. 14**. The awards will be presented with Dr. Gibraltar's Fall Convocation. For info, contact Kelly Durst at x7487 or kdurst@frostburg.edu, or Patrick McLane at p.m.clane@frostburg.edu.

Academic Scheduling/ Religious Observances

It is FSU's policy that academic programs and services be available to all students admitted to its programs, regardless of their religious beliefs. Students will not be penalized because of observances of their religious holidays and will be given an opportunity to make up, within a reasonable time, assignments missed due to participation in religious observances. It is the student's responsibility to notify his or her instructor of conflicts between religious observances and scheduled course activities.

Students should notify their instructors of conflicts and make arrangements for making up missed work before an absence due to religious observance.

Faculty and staff have been sent the link to a Web-based interfaith calendar for reference.

FSU Logos (& More!)

You'll find FSU logos in various formats on the campus U drive, in the FSU logo folder. These logos have been created with the appropriate resolution for print materials, so use these and don't copy from the Web site. The folder also includes templates for FSU fax cover sheets, labels and nametags, and a campus map in PDF format.

For info, e-mail cstump@frostburg.edu.

Risk Management Plan Revisions

Revisions have been made to the Risk Management Plan. Since some of the changes involve billing and ticketing practices, risk management training sessions have been set up for any group having an event where a risk management plan or event production plan is needed.

A risk management plan is needed for an event ending beyond 10 p.m., a student-focused/student-sponsored event with anticipated attendance of over 450 persons, a student event involving the potential for high-risk or safety factors and/or a student-focused/student-sponsored event that has had a risk management/safety issue within the past two years.

Training is offered for advisors as well as members of student

organizations. Advisors are asked to pass on this information to their organizations. The training will be offered **Tuesday, Nov. 3**, from 3 to 4:30 p.m.

Members of any organization having student events (as defined above) must attend one of these meeting dates (if they have not already).

For info, contact Jamie Winters at x7398 or jwinters@frostburg.edu.

Graduating in December?

The 135th commencement ceremony is scheduled for **Saturday, Dec. 19**, in the Cordts PE Center. The College of Business and College of Education will hold their service at 10 a.m., while the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will present its graduates at the 2 p.m. ceremony.

Complete your graduation application in PAWS to receive information about the upcoming commencement.

The first commencement mailing is scheduled for mid-October and will be sent to your local and permanent addresses. Update your address information in PAWS to ensure you will receive all the details.

Caps and gowns are provided at no cost to graduates and may be ordered at the University Bookstore. Your order must be placed by **Dec. 4**.

A Grad Fair will be held **Oct. 19** in Lane Manicur Hall from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Vendors will be present for ordering your class ring and diploma frames. You can also order your cap and gown and announcements.

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

For info, contact Brittni Teter at x4423 or bkteter@frostburg.edu.

Graduation Exceptions

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. **Sept. 17** for the September meeting, **Oct. 15** for the October meeting or **Nov. 12** for the November meeting (last chance for graduation exceptions and inclusion in the Commencement Booklet). For info, call the Provost's Office at x4212.

Grad Student News FSU Sets Joint MBA/ MAT Info Meeting

FSU will present a joint informational meeting for prospective applicants for its Master of Arts in

Teaching and Master of Business Administration programs at 6 p.m. (MAT) and 7 p.m. (MBA) on **Wednesday, Sept. 16**, at the University System of Maryland-Hagerstown at 32 W. Washington St.

For info, contact the office of Graduate Services at x7053.



Get Involved

Awakening the DREAMER Initiative

The Awakening the DREAMER: Changing the Dream Symposium will be **Sunday, Oct. 11**, from 1 to 4 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall. The symposium is a workshop designed to inspire people to take action in pursuit of a fair, peaceful and sustainable future.

The event is free and open to everyone. For info, contact Patrick O'Brien at x4210, e-mail lglg@frostburg.edu or visit <http://awakeningthedreamer.org>.



Writing Green

Students are encouraged to submit materials for the spring '09 issue of "E=(LG)2." The magazine will consider 200- to 1,000-word articles with an environmental or sustainability emphasis that pertain to student research, class activities, nature appreciations, club or Greek activities, reportage and more, including photos and digital artwork. The magazine will be published in print and online. Submit materials to lgmag@frostburg.edu by **Tuesday, Oct. 20**.

The portal Web site, which links to current and archived issues, is online at <http://organizations.frostburg.edu/lgmag>.

UCM Events

Off-Campus Study Break Day.

Registration for the Study Break Trip to DelGrosso's Amusement Park on **Saturday, Sept. 19**, is due **Monday, Sept. 14**. Bring your registration form and \$5 fee to 114 Sand Spring Hall. The trip includes all-day rides – you are responsible for your meals. Coolers will be available.

Faith Connections Sunday

Morning. Want to visit various churches in the area but don't want to go alone? Join Chaplain Cindy Sunday for breakfast treats at 8:30 to 9 a.m. in 114 Sand Spring Hall. The group will decide which church to visit that day.

True North. True North, the weekly Sunday evening program that involves biblical explorations on various topics (and free food!), will meet at 7:30 p.m. in UCM's new location, **161 Tawes Hall**. The topic for the next six weeks is True Life in a Virtual World.

Local Service Project. UCM is sponsoring a Service Project Day to help build a porch and steps **Saturday, Sept. 26**. For info, contact Chaplain

Cindy at x7490 or c.zirlott@frostburg.edu. This is a Frostburg NAILS project to help a senior citizen.



Community

Neighbors Meeting on FSU Strategic Plan

University Neighbors, an association of residents and property owners in the area adjacent to FSU, will host a discussion on FSU's Strategic Plan at its meeting **Sunday, Sept. 20**, at 7 p.m. at City Place (corner of Water and Mechanic streets). Invited guests are **Dr. Jonathan Gibraltar**, president, and **Rob Smith**, asst. vice president of Planning and Assessment. "Because of the integral role that FSU plays in our neighborhood, we are very interested in learning what FSU officials project for the future of the University," said Lois Deasy, a member of the association's leadership team. "The City of Frostburg is also in the process of updating its comprehensive plan, and this conversation with the University is timely for that reason as well." A question-and-answer period will follow the presentation. For info, contact any member of the association's leadership team: Maxine Bond (301-689-5464), Lois Deasy (301-689-8082), Eleanor Miller (301-689-3572), Patrick O'Brien (240-580-4336) or Jeffrey Sellers (321-604-5920). All those who live or own property in the neighborhood next to the campus are invited to attend.

MCTA Offerings

A partnership of the Allegany Arts Council, Folklore & Folklife Programming at FSU and FrostburgFirst: A Main Street Community, Mountain City Traditional Arts is dedicated to the education, sales, documentation and perpetuation of traditional art in the Appalachian region.

Fall Knitting Gatherings

Intermediate to Advanced Knitting with Amy Shuman (beginners are welcome, but should call ahead) will be offered Wednesdays, **Sept. 16, Oct. 7 and Oct. 21**, from 6 to 8:30 p.m. The cost is \$12.50 a class or \$42 for the series of four (paid the first evening). For the first gathering, participants may bring a project they are working on or all the supplies needed to start something new. For info, call Shuman at 301-777-3719 or e-mail amy@shumanlifecenter.com.

Clogging/Flat-Footing Workshop

This workshop will be **Friday, Sept. 18**, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at MCTA and features the RockCandy Cloggers with music by Jason Twigg and Fritz Kessler.

Learn traditional Appalachian dance steps from the RockCandy Cloggers. Beginners are welcome! Candy Ranlet and Rock Howland are instrumentalists and award-winning cloggers who have

been teaching and performing Appalachian clog dancing for many years in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia. Jason Twigg and Fritz Kessler play strictly old-time fiddle music. Twigg plays fiddle and Kessler accompanies him on guitar.

Sublime Saturday Workshops

On **Saturday, Sept. 19**, MCTA will host several hands-on Sublime Saturday workshops as part of the Appalachian Festival.

Learn to Play the Mountain Dulcimer

At 12:15 p.m., Margi Stephens will teach participants a quick and easy way to begin playing the lap dulcimer. After becoming comfortable with the instrument, workshop attendees will be given the opportunity to play on the Compton Stage at 2:30 p.m.

Traditional Basket Making

From 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Lori Senese will teach traditional Cherokee basket weaving using the Japanese honeysuckle vine and a rattan from Indonesia for the base and will describe the types of plants the Cherokee traditionally used to construct these vessels. She will teach a simple weave using an over-under pattern. The workshop is limited to 10 students and is on a first-come, first-served basis. The materials fee is \$5.

Natural Dyes

From 1 to 2:30 p.m., Valerie Fritz will demonstrate the use of native plants and various mordant for dyeing wool and other materials. Some of the plants or plant parts used to make the dyes will include wild cherry, golden rod and pine cones. Participants will be able to purchase and dye items. The materials fee is \$5 or less.

Making Old-Fashioned Lye Soap

From 3 to 4:30 p.m., participants will learn how to make old-fashioned lye soap using lard, vegetable oil, coconut oil, goat's milk and lye. The discussion will focus on its properties and benefits, saponification, trace, additives and essential oils. Participants can color and scent their own bar of "already cured," "remelted" soap. The materials fee is \$10.

Barbecue Dinner!

Frostburg Methodist Church will host a pulled pork barbecue dinner on **Saturday, Sept. 26**, from 4 to 7 p.m. Eat in or takeout is available. Tickets, which are \$15 for adults and \$10 for children 12 and under, must be purchased by **Sept. 20** from the FUMC Church Office, Main Street Books or Dave Fell (x4218). Profits from the dinner will support the FUMC Sanctuary Restoration Fund. For info, e-mail dfell@frostburg.edu.



Message Board

FSU-TV3 cablecasts an automated educational and community message channel when not showing video programming. The message channel provides info about FSU events, non-profit organizations and community events. If you have an activity announcement to advertise on the FSU-TV3 message board, log on to www.frostburg.edu/dept/mcom/channel3/admin-pic/cf_upload.cfm, enter the information and click submit. A graphic or pre-made message can be loaded as well. Submit requests at least one week in advance.

For info, contact Melanie Lombardi at x3011 or mlombardi@frostburg.edu.

Taping Request Form

FSU-TV3 has a Taping Request Form for groups or departments interested in having a speaker or musician taped to air on FSU-TV3. Submit your request by logging on to www.frostburg.edu/dept/mcom/channel3/tapingreqform.htm, fill in all required information and hit submit. Be sure to give FSU-TV3 at least four weeks' notice before the event to plan the shoot.

For info, contact Melanie Lombardi at x3011 or mlombardi@frostburg.edu.

Sept. 14-18 Schedule

For more: <http://fsutv3.frostburg.edu/Cablecast/Public/Schedule.aspx?ChannelID=1>

Monday:

- 3 p.m. NASA Connect: Ancient Observations: Timeless Knowledge
- 3:30 p.m. NASA Connect: Better Health From Space to Earth
- 4 p.m. NASA 360, Archaeology/Paleontology
- 4:30 p.m. Learning Math: Patterns, Functions & Algebra: Functions & Algorithms
- 5 p.m. Bridging World History: Land and Labor Relationships
- 5:30 p.m. The Habitable Planet: Earth's Changing Climate
- 6 p.m. Essential Science for Teachers: Physical Science: Rising & Sinking
- 7 p.m. Channel Cats Benefit Concert for the Dept. of Mass Communication
- 8 p.m. C & O Canal Documentary: The Great National Project
- 8:30 p.m. NASA 360, Archaeology/Paleontology
- 9 p.m. LEAD-TV Fall 2008 Episode 3
- 9:30 p.m. Think Talk Spotlight: Avenue Q With Rob McClure and Anika Larson

Tuesday:

- 3 p.m. Down to Earth Episode 3: Psychological Implications of Sustainability & E= LG2 Magazine
- 3:30 p.m. LEAD-TV Fall 2008 Episode 3
- 4 p.m. FSU Football vs. Southern Virginia University 10/13/2007
- 7 p.m. Live at the Loft: Lavish Mikell
- 7:45 p.m. FSU Women's Volleyball vs. Waynesburg 9/13/2007

Wednesday:

3 p.m. NASA: Destination Tomorrow Program 6
 3:30 p.m. NASA: Destination Tomorrow Program 8
 4 p.m. Democracy in America: Interest Groups, Organizing to Influence
 4:30 p.m. Learning Math: Numbers & Operations: Divisibility Tests & Factors
 5 p.m. Earth Revealed: Volcanism
 5:30 p.m. Social Studies in Action: State Government & the Role of the Citizen
 6:02 p.m. American Passages, a Literary Survey: Masculine Heroes
 6:31 p.m. NASA 360, Archaeology/Paleontology
 7 p.m. Zen Lecture: Responding to a Ravaged Planet

8 p.m. Live at the Loft Mieka Pauley
 9 p.m. Fiction Reading: Brenda Flanagan

Thursday:

3 p.m. Down to Earth Episode 3: Psychological Implications of Sustainability & E= LG2 Magazine
 3:30 p.m. LEAD-TV Fall 2008 Episode 3
 4 p.m. FSU Women's Volleyball vs. Medaille 10/8/2005
 5:10 p.m. Grippled
 5:30 p.m. FSU Spring Dance Concert 2009
 6:30 p.m. FSU Football vs. Buffalo State University 10/1/2005
 9 p.m. Author: Susan Perabo

Friday:

3 p.m. SciFiles: The Case of the Mysterious Materials

4 p.m. Connecting With the Arts: Teaching Practices Library 6-8: Breathing Life Into Myths
 4:30 p.m. Exploring the World of Music: Sound, Music & the Environment
 5 p.m. Frostburg City Council Meeting Sept. 17, 2009
 6 p.m. Human Geography: People, Places & Change: Reflections on a Global Screen
 6:30 p.m. American Cinema: The Star
 7:30 p.m. NASA 360, Full Circle
 8 p.m. Frostburg City Council Meeting Sept. 17, 2009
 9 p.m. Human Geography: People, Places & Change: Reflections on a Global Screen
 9:30 p.m. Ghosts of Frostburg



International

Study Abroad

The Center for International Education offers ways for FSU students to see the world. In some cases, students can pay FSU tuition, room and board and study for a semester in Ireland, England, Spain, France or many other countries. For info, visit the Fuller House (across the street from Braddock House) or call x4714.

Friday, Sept. 25, is the deadline to submit an application to study abroad during the spring and Intersession 2010 semesters.

Study Abroad Fair

The Center for International Education will hold its 11th Annual Study Abroad Fair on **Tuesday, Sept. 22**, from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Clock Tower in front of the Lane Center (Lane 201 if it rains). Representatives from various study abroad programs will attend. Returning study abroad students and faculty as well as international students will be on hand to answer questions.



FSU Events Calendar

MONDAY, SEPT. 14

*Greek Council 5:30 p.m. Dunkle 218
 *UPC Lecture Series: Sex Signals 8 p.m. Lane Manicur Hall

TUESDAY, SEPT. 15

*BURG Sampler 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Lane Manicur Hall
 *SES: Road Trip Nation 4 p.m. Cordts Center Leake Room
 *Women's Tennis: Penn State Altoona 4 p.m. Home
 *N.A.A.C.P.: We Thought You Were Listening..... 7:30 p.m. Lane 201
 *Delta Zeta/Pi Lambda Phi Benefit Concert 8 p.m. Lane Manicur Hall

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 16

*Athletics Sneaker Sale..... 9 a.m.-6 p.m.. Cordts Center Leake Room
 *Advising Center Monster College Advantage 3 p.m. Lane Manicur Hall
 *BURG General Body Meeting..... 4 p.m. Lane 201
 *Men's Soccer: Franklin & Marshall, Lancaster..... 7 p.m. Away
 *Women's Volleyball: McDaniel, Westminster..... 7 p.m. Away
 *BSA General Body Meeting..... 8 p.m. Lane 201

THURSDAY, SEPT. 17

*Diversity Center/LASO/UPC Event: Cuban Guy.... 7 p.m. Lane Manicur Hall
 *RHA General Meeting..... 5 p.m. Compton 226
 *Career Services: "Road to Hollywood"..... 7 p.m. Dunkle 218
 *SES: PlayRights 3:30 & 7:30 p.m. PAC Pealer Recital Hall
 *SGA Meeting 7:30 p.m. Lane 201

FRIDAY, SEPT. 18 – Appalachian Festival

*Women's Volleyball: Carnegie Mellon Tournament:
 w/Point Park, Pittsburgh..... 2 p.m. Away
 w/Case Western, Pittsburgh..... 4 p.m. Away

SATURDAY, SEPT. 19 – Appalachian Festival

*Men's/Women's Cross Country: Dickinson College Invitational, Carlisle, Pa. Away
 *Appalachian Festival..... 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Upper Quad
 *Women's Volleyball: Carnegie Mellon Tournament:
 w/ John Carroll, Pittsburgh noon Away
 w/ Carnegie Mellon 2 p.m. Away
 *Football: SUNY Brockport, Brockport, N.Y. 1 p.m. Away
 *Women's Field Hockey: Goucher 1 p.m. Home
 *Women's Soccer: Penn State Behrend, Erie, Pa... 1 p.m. Away
 *Men's Soccer: Penn State Behrend, Erie 3 p.m. Away
 *CES Main Stage Series: Jean Ritchie & Sons..... 8 p.m. Palace Theatre

SUNDAY, SEPT. 20

*CCM Mass noon & 8 p.m. Cook Chapel
 *Women's Field Hockey: Roanoke..... noon Home
 *White-Blue Ball and Pale Grey Dot..... 4 & 7 p.m. Tawes Hall

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