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#### Welcome Families!

### **FSU's Cultural Events Series Concerts Hosts Lifehouse**

FSU's Cultural Events Series Concerts presents the alternative group Lifehouse with opening act, Days Difference, on **Saturday, Oct. 9**, in the Cordts PE Center Main Arena. Part of FSU's Family Weekend, the concert kicks off at 8 p.m. with doors opening at 7 p.m.

Lifehouse's 10-year career as an alternative band has been a delicate balancing act of two identities – radioready song craftsmen and raucous live rock-and-roll band. On their fifth and most recent album, "Smoke and



Mirrors," the band finally unites these two personalities.

Opening for Lifehouse is Days Difference, a young quartet from Virginia Beach, Va.

VIP tickets are available on a first-come, first-served basis and are \$65 a person. Advance tickets are \$40 per person for gold floor, \$35 for reserved floor and \$24 for reserved bleacher. Tickets for all seatings are an additional \$10 if purchased the day of the performance. Tickets may be ordered online at <a href="http://ces.frostburg.edu">http://ces.frostburg.edu</a> or by calling x3137.

## **F** Music

Note: Unless otherwise noted, recitals and concerts will take place in PAC Pealer Recital Hall. For info, contact the Dept. of Music at v4109

## President's Concert and Chamber Choir

The Department of Music presents its annual President's Concert featuring student and faculty artists and the FSU Chamber Choir **Sunday**, **Oct. 10**, at 3 p.m. It is free and open to the public.

The concert will feature newly appointed faculty artist *Mariana Mihai-Zoeter*, soprano, and faculty artist *Timothy Powell*, saxophone.

FSU student musicians include Sarah Galvin, clarinet; Britany Poindexter, soprano; Justin Smith, timpani; and Mengwan Tu, piano.

The Chamber Choir's performance, under the direction of **Dr. Karen Soderberg**, will include compositions by Thomas Morley and Claudio Monteverdi.

## Music Dept. Presents FSU Wind Ensemble

The FSU Department of Music presents the FSU Wind Ensemble in concert **Sunday, Oct. 17**, at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$3 for students; children 17 and under are admitted free.

The program will feature the winners of the 2010 Wind Ensemble Solo Competition held last spring: **Sarah Galvin** and **Lane Conklin**. On the program will be pieces by Mozart, Giacomo Puccini, Robert Russell Bennett and Eric Whitacre.

## **Theatre**

## **'Bent' Kicks Off Theatre Season**



The 2010-2011 season of FSU
Theatre will begin with the Main Stage production "Bent" by Martin Sherman. The performance dates are Oct. 8, 9, 14, 15 and 16 at 7:30 p.m.

with a matinee performance on **Oct. 9** at 2 p.m. in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre.

This play depicting the Nazis' persecution of many groups in the years leading up to World War II focuses on lovers Max and Rudy. After a night of debauchery, they are faced with a Gestapo raid, which sends them on a nightmare odyssey through Nazi Germany. In the camps, since homosexuals are ranked lower than Jews, Max bribes a guard to obtain a Jewish star to replace his pink triangle. There Max meets Horst, who makes him confront his own humanity.

Tickets are \$6 for students and \$12 for the general public.

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

## Presentations The Road to Hollywood

Brent Scarpo will present "The Road to Hollywood" **Monday, Oct. 4**, from 5 to 7 p.m. and **Thursday, Oct. 7**, from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Leake Room of the

Cordts PE Center. The presentation is free and open to the public. With over 20 years of experience in the business of Hollywood, Scarpo will provide insight on the opportunities different majors offer students and how to apply them to the entertainment industry.

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

## Wise to Speak on Racial Equity



As part of
Diversity Week, the
FSU Black Student
Alliance and the
Student Diversity
Center will present
"Colorblind: The
Rise of Post-Racial

Politics and the Retreat From Racial Equity" by anti-racist and author Tim Wise on **Thursday, Oct. 7**, at 7 p.m. in PAC Pealer Recital Hall.

In his talk Wise will discuss the pitfalls of "colorblindness" in the Obama era and argue for deeper colorconsciousness in public and private practice. He argues that Americans can move toward authentic social and economic equity by acknowledging the diverse identities that shaped their perceptions and the role that race continues to play in the disparities between whites and people of color.

Wise's books include "Colorblind: The Rise of Post-Racial Liberalism and the Retreat from Racial Equity" and a collection of his essays, "Speaking Treason Fluently: Anti-Racist Reflections From an Angry White Male."

For info, contact Robin Wynder at x4050 or <a href="mailto:rwynder@frostburg.edu">rwynder@frostburg.edu</a>.

## **Open Forum With Student Regent**

The USM student regent, Leslie Hall, will visit FSU for an open forum on **Oct. 9** at 6 p.m. in Compton 226. Hall is a student within the system and a senior at Bowie State.

This is an opportunity to speak openly with one of the regents about the direction for FSU and Maryland's higher education institutions. FSU student leaders are urged to attend.

For info, contact Gregory Brightbill at <a href="mailto:gabrightbill0@frostburg.edu">gabrightbill0@frostburg.edu</a>.

### **Learn to Fight Right!**

FSU and the Allegany Conflict Resolution Center will celebrate National Conflict Resolution Day on **Thursday, Oct. 21**. A presentation will be held at 6 p.m. in the Leake Room at the Cordts PE Center. The event is free and open to the public and is part of a Leadership Workshop Series at FSU.

The presentations will bring the campus and local community together to learn about "The Value of Conflict." They will feature students from *Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski's* CMST 345/Conflict Management class, who are organizing, promoting and presenting the event in collaboration with ACRC. The students will provide an interactive overview of what conflict is, why it is valuable to face rather than avoid it and basic strategies and resources for managing conflict.

ACRC, with nearly 20 other community mediation centers in Maryland, provides free and low-cost conflict resolution services, including mediation of family, neighborhood and business conflicts, as well as training and education about conflict resolution.

A Basic Mediation Training is tentatively planned for spring. The center is recruiting participants for the unique 50-hour training program.

For info on the event or about volunteering with ACRC, contact Ruminski at <a href="mailto:elruminski@frostburg.edu">elruminski@frostburg.edu</a> or x4480. For info about using community mediation, contact ACRC at 240-727-0408 or <a href="mailto:conflictresolution">conflictresolution</a> center@allconet.org. Info is also available at <a href="https://www.marylandmediation.org">www.marylandmediation.org</a>.

### **Herbalist Series**

The Appalachian Center for Ethnobotanical Studies' Mountain Herbalist Series is designed to increase awareness of useful plants and



reconnect people with mountain traditions. Events are on Mondays from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Mountain City Traditional Arts at 25 E. Main St. in Frostburg. The programs are free and open to the public.

The third of the series will take place **Oct. 11**. In "Making Topical Salves," learn to make salves for everyday skin issues while becoming familiar with local plants.

For info, contact Mimi Hernandez at x3136 or <a href="mailto:mhernandez@frostburg.edu">mhernandez@frostburg.edu</a>.

## Appalachian Lab Fall Seminar Series

Dr. William T. Peterjohn, West Virginia University, will present "Lessons From Long-Term Research at the Fernow Experimental Forest" **Thursday, Oct. 7**, at 3:30 p.m. in AL Room 109.

For info, see <a href="https://www.umces.edu/al/seminar/schedule">www.umces.edu/al/seminar/schedule</a>.

## Visual Arts

## President's Art Exhibition

The "2010 President's Art Exhibition" is on display in the second floor hallway of Hitchins. Dr. Gibralter is asking those who work in the building to vote for their favorite. Prizes will be awarded to the students.

E-mail your vote to Sandra Rohrbaugh at <u>srohrbaugh@frostburg</u>. <u>edu</u> or send it to her via interoffice mail by **Friday**, **Oct. 8**, at 4 p.m.

### Kappi Pi/Art Club Seeks Exhibit Entries

The Kappi Pi Art Fraternity is putting on their annual juried art exhibition, titled "Identity," at the Saville Gallery in Cumberland.

Drop off will be **Oct. 7 and 8** from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in room 128 of the Fine Arts Building. Entry forms will be available. The cost is \$3 per entry (limit four per artist).

Judging will be on **Saturday, Oct. 9**, beginning at noon. Alexander Heilner, professor of photography and digital imaging, Maryland Institute College of Art, will be the juror.

Pickup of non-accepted works will be **Oct. 10** from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Fine Arts 128.

Works will be on display in the Saville Gallery from **Oct. 12-16**. The closing reception and awards ceremony will be **Saturday**, **Oct. 16**, from 6 to 8 p.m.

Exhibited works can be picked up no later than **Monday**, **Oct. 18**, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Fine Arts 128.

## **Literature**

#### **Press Festival**

The FSU Center for Creative Writing, in partnership with the Allegany County Library System, will hold its fourth annual Western Maryland Small and Regional Press Festival **Saturday**,

**Oct. 16**, from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Main Street in Frostburg.

The event brings together editors and publishers with writers and educators of the local literary community. Participating journals and presses will display books, submission guidelines and other promotional materials inside Frostburg's Lyric Theater. Panel discussions and roundtable sessions will include topics on writing and getting published, teachers and students, blogging and new media publishing, using social media for promotion and multi-genre craft discussions.

This year the festival has been expanded to include several partnering locations on Main Street, including MCTA and the Frostburg Public Library.

On **Friday, Oct. 15**, the festival will kick off with a poetry reading by Nancy Krygowski from the Gist Street Reading Series at 5:30 p.m. at Main Street Books; a reception for the press and journal attendees at the Center for Creative Writing from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.; and a panel discussion on forging a literary community at 7:30 p.m.

Leading up to the festival, interviews and information about participating presses and journals will be featured on the center's website (<a href="www.frostburg.edu/cwcenter">www.frostburg.edu/cwcenter</a>) and Wordpress blog.



## Science Special Effects in the Movies

As part of National Chemistry Week, the Western Maryland section of the American Chemical Society will put on a show with film clips and demonstrations followed by workshops on science special effects in the movies **Thursday, Oct. 21**, at 6 p.m. for the show and 7 p.m. for the workshops at Allegany College Theater. The event is free and open to the public.

RSVP by **Oct. 18** to Joanne Budzien at <a href="mailto:jbudzien@frostburg.edu">jbudzien@frostburg.edu</a> or 7072.

## $\overline{\mathbb{Z}}$ Points of Pride

## Wildlife Society Honors Frank Ammer



FSU's *Dr. Frank Ammer*, a faculty member in the Biology
Department, was selected for the national 2010
Student Chapter
Adviser of the Year by The Wildlife

Society. Ammer was honored at the 73rd Annual Awards Ceremony in Snowbird, Utah, Oct. 3.

The Wildlife Society awards the title of Student Chapter Adviser of the Year to an adviser who demonstrates admirable work in devotion to wildlife, natural resources and students pursuing careers in the field.

Ammer was nominated for the award by members of FSU-TWS. He advises graduate and undergraduate students, often encouraging undergraduates to participate in graduate students' projects. When his students are required to present their projects, Ammer actively advertises the presentations. From talking about conservation to discussing career goals, Ammer is known for his willingness to share his time with students.

Ammer is also a passionate and active conservationist. He is a member of numerous conservation organizations and has seen the FSU-TWS active membership grow from less than 10 to nearly 60 active members as of this year. Ammer even oversaw the development of the Chapter's website, <a href="http://organizations.frostburg.edu/wildlife/index.html">http://organizations.frostburg.edu/wildlife/index.html</a>.

Ammer is an advocate of experiential learning and provides countless opportunities for students inside and outside the classroom. He gives his time selflessly to students and to conservation organizations, serving as a knowledgeable guide.

For info about The Wildlife Society, visit <a href="https://www.wildlife.org">www.wildlife.org</a>.

## Staff Awards for Excellence



From left, President Jonathan Gibralter, Ann Townsell, Dean Bolden and Karen Frink

FSU honored three outstanding employees, *Ann Townsell, Karen Frink* and *Dean Bolden*, at its recent Fall Convocation. The annual Staff Awards for Excellence recognize outstanding service to the institution, and the recipients are nominated and chosen by their colleagues.

Townsell was honored in the Exempt (salaried) employee category. Employed by FSU for the past 14 years, Townsell is currently assistant director of Publications. Examples of her professional excellence are on view in numerous University fliers, posters advertisements and graduate recruitment materials. In line with FSU's mission to provide "real-world situations," Townsell has tutored countless interns in graphic design and has been an active member of the Learning Green, Living Green Committee since its inception. She has also provided years of dedication and service to the local art community,

which has grown because of her involvement; she was recently recognized by The Allegany Arts Council with a Lifetime Membership Award.

Frink, administrative assistant in the Department of Recreation and Parks Management, was honored in the category of Nonexempt employee. Frink began her employment at FSU five years ago. Not only has she performed her normal job duties and responsibilities with dedication and professionalism, her contribution to the department's students has been exemplary. In fact, Frink's contribution to the department was recognized in the Report to the Council on Accreditation. Frink also volunteers her time serving in various capacities for Frankfort High School.

Bolden, an FSU employee for 11 years, was recognized under the Nonexempt employee/facilities/ maintenance category. Examples of his work as a carpenter can be found throughout the campus. In addition to his work duties, Bolden serves on the University's Health and Safety Committee. He genuinely cares about the safety and well-being of his coworkers, students and the campus community. Bolden's service to the community includes 26 years of service to the Eastern Garrett County Volunteer Fire and Rescue Department.

Award recipients were given a plaque, a certificate commemorating their dedication and a monetary award. Staff Awards for Excellence are funded by the FSU Foundation's Annual Fund Campaign.

## Take Note

#### Seminars 'To Go'

FSU employees are invited to come and bring their lunch to the MSRP Lunch and Learn Seminars on Monday, Oct. 4, in Tawes 153. "Stretch Your Dollars" from noon to 1 p.m. will cover setting goals, saving more and spending less, shopping smarter, controlling debt and where to turn for help. "The Sandwich Generation" (for those taking care of their children and aging parents at the same time) will show how to save for retirement while meeting the needs of both generations. For info and registration, contact Lee Ann Nightingale at lnightingale@frostburg.edu or x4398.

## Help Is Here!

Do you have questions about your academic status for the fall 2010 semester? Invest an hour of your time at an academic probation meeting to ensure you will be able to return to FSU for the spring 2011 semester. Meeting dates are Monday, Oct. 4, at 7 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 5, at 5 p.m.; and Thursday, Oct. 7, at 4 p.m. in Compton 224. For info, call the Provost's Office at x4212.

## **Information Session on Nursing**

An information session will be held **Tuesday, Oct. 5**, at 7 p.m. in Compton 327. *Kara Platt*, a lecturer in the Chemistry Department, will talk about FSU's pre-nursing program, the transfer process to other nursing schools and careers for nurses.

### **Tired of Feeling Blue?**

Thursday, **Oct. 7**, is National Depression Screening Day. The staff at Counseling and Psychological Services will offer free depression screening to students, faculty and staff from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the third floor of Tawes Hall (in the hallway).

#### **Blood Drive**

The Pre-Professional Medical Society will host a blood drive **Thursday**, **Oct. 7**, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Compton Science Center in the Discovery Center.

### 'Passport FSU'

As part of its 2010 Family Weekend celebration, FSU will host a "Passport FSU" event on **Saturday, Oct. 9**, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Attendees can pick up their "passports" and campus maps at the Family Weekend information table in the main lobby on the first floor of Tawes Hall from 4 to 10:30 p.m. on **Friday, Oct. 8**, and beginning at 8 a.m. on **Saturday, Oct. 9**.

Through a self-guided walking tour of campus locations, students and their families can meet faculty members, participate in fun demonstrations and see displays. Each stop on the tour will have a "stamping station" so attendees can have their passport stamped and take home a memento of their visit to FSU.

This event is free and open to the public.

For more details on Passport FSU 2010, contact Stacey Utley-Bernhardt at x4211.

#### **Come Join SCSA!**

The Student Communication Studies Association, a relatively new organization, is making its presence known on the FSU campus. Although it began as a club for Communication Studies majors, SCSA encourages students from other majors to join, stressing the importance of communication in all areas of study, work and life.

This semester, SCSA has planned various social and academic events that everyone can attend. To sign up, stop by SCSA's weekly interest meetings on Mondays at 5 p.m. in PAC 139. Some upcoming events are listed below.

- Ravens Fundraiser in Baltimore,
   Sunday, Oct. 10 (sign-up required).
- "The Social Network" Film Viewing, Lunch and Discussion, Saturday,
   Oct. 16, 1 p.m., Country Club Mall.
- Majors Fair, **Wednesday**, **Oct. 20** (sign-up required).

For info, contact Heather Beard at <a href="mailto:hlbeard0@frostburg.edu">hlbeard0@frostburg.edu</a>, or Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski at <a href="mailto:elruminski@frostburg.edu">elruminski@frostburg.edu</a> or x4480.

### Frostburg: Take 5



FSU's Frostburg: Take 5 includes two competitions (alums and students) and three top prizes this year as well as a People's Choice Award.

The People's Choice Award will be determined through an online vote on FSU's You Tube Channel. Winners will be announced during a screening and award ceremony **Dec. 1** at the Lyric Theatre on Main Street.

The final deadline to submit a video is **Nov. 12**; however, clips submitted by **Oct. 15** will be considered for an early screening that may be held at Homecoming to promote the contest. Videos must be five minutes or less and fall under one of these themes:

#### I Chose Frostburg

Tell why you decided to go to school at FSU, why you're proud you're getting your degree at Frostburg!

#### Frostburg: The "Reel" Deal

Tell true stories about Frostburg that put it in a positive light.

#### My Heart Belongs to Frostburg

Tell why FSU is near and dear to your heart.

For info, e-mail <u>efrostburgcomm@</u> <u>frostburg.edu</u> or visit <u>www.frostburg.edu/take5</u>.

## FSU Celebrates Women in Sports

FSU will showcase women's sports achievement with "Celebrating Women in Sports" on **Monday, Oct. 18**, at 6:30 p.m. in Compton 224.

The panel will feature Nina Kuscsik, a former long distance runner and activist. Other participants include Pamela Boteler, the first American woman to compete in sprint canoeing against men and president of WomenCAN; Jody Pepple, senior women's administrator and women's basketball coach at FSU; and Dr. Mihaela Wood, an FSU history faculty member specializing in sports history.

**Jessica O'Neil**, an FSU student and member of the FSU Cross Country and Track teams, initiated, coordinated and organized this panel discussion.

The presentation is free and open to the public.

The event is sponsored by the FSU Student Government Association, Queen City Striders, the FSU StudentAthlete Advisory Committee and the FSU Women's Studies Program. For info, contact Jessica O'Neil at <a href="mailto:jmoneilo@frostburg.edu">jmoneilo@frostburg.edu</a> or 240-427-8053, or Dr. Randall Rhodes at <a href="mailto:rrhodes@frostburg.edu">rrhodes@frostburg.edu</a> or x4047.

#### **MCA Conference**

FSU's Department of Communication Studies will host the 26th annual Maryland Communication Association conference "Let's Chat: Negotiating Communication Today," **Friday and Saturday, Oct. 22 and 23.** 

Two events are open to the public. The first is a "Let's Chat" preconference celebration on Friday, Oct. 22, at 7 p.m. at Mountain City Traditional Arts (25 E. Main St.), featuring live musical entertainment from Kathleen and Ed Myers of Keyser, W.Va. The second is the keynote address on Saturday, Oct. 23, at 11:30 a.m. on "Negotiating Communication Technologies: Technology as a Tool" by Dr. David Westerman, an assistant professor in the Department of Communication Studies at West Virginia University. To attend, RSVP by Oct. 13 to Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski, chair of Communication Studies at FSU and first vice president of MCA, at x4480 or elruminski@frostburg.edu.

In addition to Ruminski's role as conference organizer, Professor Sheri Whalen serves as MCA's second vice president and Dr. Brent Kice serves as webmaster. Communication Studies alumnus Eric Chaney and major Anastasia Otranto helped organize the conference. Members from the Student Communication Studies Association will be featured in a roundtable titled "Chatting About Student Leadership and Communication in Campus Organizations: Frostburg State University Student Perspectives." Communication Studies alumnae Shavonne Shorter and Christine Yurko will present during the conference, as will FSU Public Information Specialist Becca Ramspott.

The conference is also being sponsored by the Department of Mass Communication; Pearson, McGraw Hill; Cengage Publishers; and local establishments, including RC Theatres and Baltimore Street Grill.

For info, contact Ruminski at x4480 or <a href="mailto:elruminski@frostburg.edu">elruminski@frostburg.edu</a>. Visit <a href="www.marylandcomm.org">www.marylandcomm.org</a> for details and a tentative program.

## **Science & Engineering Festival Satellite Event**

FSU will be the site of a satellite event of the national USA Science and Engineering Festival on **Saturday**, **Oct. 23**, from 9 a.m. to noon. The event will be held on the Upper Quad, and demonstrations will take place at the University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science Appalachian Laboratory in Frostburg. A shuttle will be available.

The event is open to K-12 students in public or private schools and their parents. There will be numerous hands-on activities. The Allegany County event is sponsored by FSU, Allegany County public schools and the UMCES Appalachian Lab.

Displays by high school student clubs and organizations are welcomed. For info, contact Karen Bundy at <a href="mailto:karen.bundy@acps.k12.md.us">karen.bundy@acps.k12.md.us</a>, Kristen Lennon at <a href="mailto:kalennon@frostburg.edu">kalennon@frostburg.edu</a> or <a href="mailto:x4500">x4397</a>, or Dr. Eric Moore at <a href="mailto:ejmoore@frostburg.edu">ejmoore@frostburg.edu</a> or <a href="mailto:x4500">x4500</a>.

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## Fight the Flu!

The Department of Budget and Management, Employee Benefits Division and the Office of Human Resources invite employees to the Wellness Fair/Flu Clinic Wednesday, Oct. 27, from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the Leake Room of the Cordts PE Center. Flu shots are sponsored by SECU. Cost of the flu shot is \$10 (by check or money order payable to Maxim Health Services). For info, contact Lee Ann Nightingale at x4398.

## Graduating in December?

The 137th commencement ceremony is scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 18, at 11 a.m. in the Cordts PE Center. The commencement ceremonies, which were previously held as two separate ceremonies, will be combined as one. The Colleges of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Business and Education will present their graduates at that time.

Tickets **will be** required for admission. The number allotted to each graduate will be determined later.

Complete your graduation application in PAWS now to receive information about commencement!

The first commencement mailing is scheduled for **mid-October** and will be sent to students' local and permanent addresses.

Caps and gowns are provided at no cost to graduates and may be ordered at the bookstore in the Tawes Annex. Orders must be placed by **Dec. 3**.

A Grad Fair will be held **Monday**, **Oct. 18**, in the bookstore from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Vendors will be available to take orders for class rings and diploma frames, and students can also order their caps and gowns and announcements.

Details are at <a href="www.frostburg.edu/events/commencement">www.frostburg.edu/events/commencement</a>. For info, contact Brittni Teter at x4423 or <a href="https://bkteter@frostburg.edu">bkteter@frostburg.edu</a>.

## Fundraisers Help Rebuild the Zoo!

**Becky Clevenger** of the Xi Chapter is running for Homecoming Court at FSU. Her charity of choice is the Tri-State

Zoological Park in Cumberland (see www.tristatezoologicalpark.com). For info, contact Clevenger at rlclevenger0@frostburg.edu.



## **Political Science/Law** & Society Internships

Tim Magrath, internship director in the Political Science Department, will conduct meetings for political science and law and society majors planning to intern in spring or summer 2011 on

Wednesdays on Oct. 20, Nov. 17 and Dec. 8 at noon in Old Main 205.

For info, contact Magrath at x4080 or tmagrath@frostburg.edu.



### **Deadlines**

## **Last Day for Grade** Changes

The last day for undergraduate grade changes for spring and summer 2010 is Oct. 12. This includes removal of incomplete grades.

## **Graduation Exceptions**

If 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. 14** for the October meeting or Nov. 11 for the November meeting (last chance for graduation exceptions and inclusion in the Commencement Booklet). For info, call the Provost's Office at x4212.

#### 'Cooking With Courtney' Premieres!

"Cooking With Courtney," FSU-TV3's newest series, premieres Monday, **Oct. 4**, at 6 p.m. You can see it again on Saturday, Oct. 9, at 4 p.m. Tune in to see the first show, "Welcome Back," and what Courtney and co-host Curtis Eaddy are cooking up.

Follow FSU-TV3's shows and happenings on Facebook at www.facebook.com/home.php?#!/ group.php?gid=63865599096&ref=ts.

#### FSU-TV3's New URL

FSU-TV3 is launching its new website Monday, Oct. 4!

Go to <a href="https://www.frostburg.edu/fsu-tv3">www.frostburg.edu/fsu-tv3</a> to see what's happening on the channel.



For info, visit the Fuller House (across the street from Braddock House), call x4714 or email Victoria Gearhart at vmgearhart@ frostburg.edu. Also check out the CIE website at www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/stdyabrd.htm.

## **Study Abroad**

The Center for International Education offers various ways for FSU students to see the world. In some cases, students can pay FSU tuition, room and board and study for a semester or a year in Ireland, England, Spain, France, China, Italy, Mexico, Malta, Botswana or many other countries.

Financial aid, student loans and scholarships are available.

#### Limerick, Ireland (Spring 2011)

Students can study at Mary Immaculate College and pay FSU tuition. Credits will transfer back to FSU. For info, go to <a href="www.mic.ul.ie/">www.mic.ul.ie/</a>.

#### Changsha, China (Spring 2011)

Through the China Exchange Program, FSU students can spend a semester at Hunan Normal University (<u>www.hunnu.edu.cn/english/</u>). Students pay FSU tuition and fees (based on residency status) through their e-bill account and pay room and board costs to Hunan Normal University.

#### FSU-TV3 Schedule for Oct. 4-10

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

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Midnight	Open Mic Poetry	Midnite Mausoleum	Human Geography	Midnite	Human Geography The Alternate Root TV	Midnite Mausoleum	Human Geography
12:30 a.m.	85 db TV		Cooking With Marie	Mausoleum			Go Fish With Dan Kenney
1 a.m.			Link TV World	Fast Forward: Contemporary Science Fiction		Bread & Circuses	Life & Style With Sara
1:30 a.m. 2 a.m.							
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3:30 a.m.			Message	Message	Message	Message	
4 a.m.		Message Board	Board	Board	Board	Board	
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6 a.m.		NASA Sci Files	NASA Sci Files	NASA Sci Files	NASA Sci Files	NASA Sci Files	
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7 a.m.							
7:30 a.m. 8 a.m.							
8:30 a.m.		Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	
9 a.m.		FSU-TV3 Original	FSU-TV3 Original Programming	FSU-TV3 Original Programming Message	FSU-TV3 Original Programming Message	FSU-TV3 Original Programming Message	
9:30 a.m.							
10 a.m. 10:30 a.m.		Programming					
11 a.m.		Message					
11:30 a.m.		Board	Board	Board	Board	Board	
Noon	Gardening Rhythms	Social Studies	Essential	Social Studies	Essential	Social Studies	Gardening Rhythms
12:30 p.m.	Life & Style With Sara	in Action	Science	in Action	Science	in Action	Life & Style With Sara
1 p.m.	Cooking With Marie	Bridging	Learning Math: Number & Operations	- Bridging World History	Learning Math: Numbers & Operations  Learning Math: Patterns, Functions & Algebra	Rridaina	Cooking With Marie
1:30 p.m.	Go Fish With Dan Kenney	World History	Learning Math: Patterns, Functions & Algebra			World History	Go Fish With Dan Kenney
2 p.m.	The Alternate Root TV	Connecting With the Arts	Gardening Rhythms	Connecting With the Arts	Gardening Rhythms	Connecting With the Arts	The Alternate Root TV
2:30 p.m.	Link TV World Music	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Message Board	Link TV World Music No Excuses
3 p.m.	Outdoors	o Excuses					Outdoors Graceful
3:30 p.m.		NASA Connect	NASA Connect	NASA Connect	NASA Connect  Live From Prairie Lights	NASA Connect	Aging Cooking
4 p.m.			Live From Prairie Lights				With Courtney
4:30 p.m.		Graceful Aging		Graceful Aging		Graceful Aging	
5 p.m.		Democracy in America	American Cinema	Democracy in America	American Cinema	Democracy in America	
5:30 p.m.		The Habitable Planet		The Habitable Planet		The Habitable Planet	
6 p.m.		Cooking With Courtney					
6:30 p.m.		•	0-1-1- 1	FSU-TV3	FSU-TV3	FSU-TV3	
7 p.m.	Message	FSU-TV3	Original Programming	Original Programming	Original Programming	Original Programming	
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8:30 p.m.							Message Board
9 p.m.		Lead TV	ThinkTalk	Lead TV	ThinkTalk	Lead TV	Board
9:30 p.m.		Down to Earth		Down to Earth		Down to Earth Fast Forward:	
10 p.m.		Live From Prairie Lights	Dirty Stars {463-471} (612-618)	No Excuses Outdoors	Dirty Stars	Contemporary Science Fiction	
10:30 p.m.			NASA 360	American Passages	NASA 360	American Passages	
11 p.m.		Earth Revealed	Midnite	Earth Revealed	Midnite	Earth Revealed	
11:30 p.m.		Bread & Circuses	Mausoleum	Open Mic Poetry	Mausoleum	85 db TV	



## **Get Involved**

### Hillel Interest Meeting

There will be a Hillel Interest Meeting with Rabbi Stephen Sniderman and Chaplains Ed Hendricks and Cindy Zirlott on Wednesday, Oct. 6, at 7 p.m. in the Osborne Newman Center. Hillel's main focus is to provide opportunities for Jewish students to explore and celebrate their Jewish identity through its global network and local campus Hillel student organizations. Students interested in exploring a Hillel organization on FSU's campus are urged to come.

### **Upcoming UCM Events**

Group meetings are in Tawes 161. For info, contact the Rev. Dr. Cindy Zirlott at x7490 or c.zirlott@frostburg.edu.

Wednesday Meditation Group, 12:10 to 12:50 p.m. This meeting for faculty and staff will begin Oct. 13.

Wednesday Spiritual Study Break, 9 to 9:45 p.m. Students, faculty and staff are invited to UCM's Vesper-style worship experience.

Thursday FCA Huddle Bible Study, 8 to 9:15 p.m. UCM's Christian Athletes group invites students to this studentled weekly Bible study.

Sunday Faith Connections, 9:30 a.m. Every Sunday during the fall semester, the group tours a church in Frostburg.

Sunday True North Meetings, 7 to 9 p.m. Finding our way in the world without getting lost often means we need to find direction. We all need to find our true north to know the direction in which we are heading.

S'mores and Prayers Twilight Retreat to Knobley Mountain, Saturday, Oct. 16, 3:30 to 10 p.m. A free event for students, faculty and staff. Deadline for sign-up is Oct. 10.







### **AAUW Meeting**

The Frostburg branch of the American Association of University Women will meet Tuesday, Oct. 5, at 7 p.m. at the United Methodist Church on Main Street. Members and quests are invited. For info, call Liz West at 301-722-6445 or 301-697-4755.



### **Volunteers**

## **Campus Tree Planting**

FSU invites volunteers from the community to join in for a campus tree planting Sunday, Oct. 10, at 10 a.m. Volunteers will plant trees by the main entrance at Midlothian Road and University Drive to commemorate the Global Day of Action.

## FCII Evente Calendar

FSU Eve	ents Calendar
MONDAY, OCT. 4	
	Tawes 156
Career Services: "The Road to Hollywood"	5 p.m Cordts Leake Room
LIPC Motivational Speaker: "The Cuban Gr	uy"8 p.m Cordts Leake Room
	9 p.mTawes 222
OFC Meeting	9 p.111
TUESDAY, OCT. 5	
	10 a.m3 p.mTawes Lobby
Faculty Assembly	4 p.m Cordts Leake Room
NAACP General Body Meeting	6:30 p.mTawes 232
	7 p.m Cordts Leake Room
	7 p.m
Women's Soccer: Pitt-Greenshurg	7 p.m
Anti Hazing Workshop	8:30 p.m
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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 6	
	10 a.m3 p.mTawes Lobby
Faculty Senate	4 p.m Cordts Leake Room
Women's Field Hockey: St. Vincent	4 p.m Away
Women's Volleyball: Mary Washington	7 p.m Away
Men's Soccer: St. Vincent	7 p.mHome
	Tawes 232
	9 p.mTawes 161
THURSDAY, OCT. 7	
	10 a.m2 p.mTawes Lobby
	10: a.m3 p.mTawes Lobby
	ut) noon-1 p.mCampuswide
	2 p.m Cordts Leake Room
RHA General Meeting	5 p.m Dunkle 218
	7 p.m Cordts Leake Room
	7 p.m PAC Pealer Recital Hall
African Student Association Forum	8 p.mTawes 232
EDIDAY OCT 9 Family Weekend	
FRIDAY, OCT. 8 – Family Weekend	3 p.mHome
2 on 2 Reskethell Renefit Come	4 p.m
	9 p.m PAC Pealer Recital Hall
UPC Feature Film: "Toy Story 3"	11 p.m PAC Pealer Recital Hall
SATURDAY, OCT. 9 – Family Weekend	
	7:45 a.m12:30 p.m Dunkle 218
	8 a.m1 p.m
Carnival: "Snakes Alive With Tom Kesseni	ch" 1-4:30 p.mUpper Quad
	2 p.m Away
UPC Feature Film: "Toy Story 3"	2 & 4 p.m
University Theatre: "Rent"	2 & 7:30 p.m F. Perry Smith Theatre
Women's Field Hockey: Vork	
	8 p.m Cordts Main Arena
CES Concerts. Elleriouse	Cordis Main Arena
SUNDAY, OCT. 10 - Family Weekend	
CCM Mass	noon & 8 p.mCook Chapel
Planetarium: "Time - From Stars to Atoms	" 187nm Tawes Hall

Questions? Call 301-687-4411. All information is subject to change.

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Planetarium: "Time – From Stars to Atoms".......4 & 7 p.m. ........Tawes Hall



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The tree planting is part of the Global Work Party created by 350.org, a website dedicated to raising awareness and activism for reducing carbon emissions worldwide.

The event was registered by Kelly Martin and Adam Plourde of the nonprofit George's Creek Watershed Association that is partnering with FSU. For info, contact Martin at 240-522-2522 or kmartin25@verizon.net, or Plourde at 207-577-4675 or adam. plourde@qmail.com.

### Arboretum Work Days

The FSU Arboretum Committee is looking for volunteers to assist with work days this fall Saturday, Oct. 9, Friday, Oct. 22, Saturday, Nov. 6, and Friday, Nov. 19. The group will meet at the gazebo near the stadium parking lot at 2 p.m. and work until 5 p.m. For info, contact Dan Fiscus at x4170 or dafiscus@frostburg.edu.