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All members of the FSU Campus Community are welcome to
Dr. Catherine Gira's Spring Convocation
Thursday, April 8, beginning at 3 p.m.
in the Performing Arts Center Drama Theatre.

'Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration' April 15

In memory of the life and accomplishments of Martin Luther King, Jr., FSU will hold the "MLK Celebration," a joyous evening of music, dance and reflection, celebrating freedom and equality, on Thursday, April 15, at 7 p.m., in the Performing Arts Center's Pealer Recital Hall.

This event is a new approach to the MLK Convocations held previously at FSU. This year's "MLK Celebration" will feature the words and images of Dr. King, along with special performances and presentations by FSU students and organizations.

The evening time will allow community members and students to participate in the celebration of this inspiring and courageous Civil Rights leader.

The FSU Chamber Choir will sing two selections: "Freedom Come," a South African work that deals with issues of rights and equality, by Ben Allaway and "Take My Hand, Precious Lord" (known to be Dr. King's favorite hymn), arranged by Ed Lojeski.

FSU students will read three selections by Dr. King, including "The Principle of Non-Violence," "Beyond Vietnam: A Creative Psalm of Peace" and "The Mountaintop and the Promised Land."

In addition, FSU student Tashia Gaskins will dance an original composition to the Etta James classic "At Last" and Unified Voices Under God's Dominion, the student gospel group, will perform.

Please join this special celebration, which is free and open to the public.

For more information, contact the FSU Office of the Provost at x4211 or visit the Web site at www.frostburg.edu/events/mlk.

Music

Center Stage Presents Guitarist Gulezian

Acoustic guitarist Michael Gulezian will perform at FSU's "LIVE! at the Loft!" series at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, April 7, in the Lane University Center.

Gulezian is one of the finest solo acoustic instrumental guitarists of our time. With his new release, "Language of the Flame," Gulezian delivers a work of transcendent originality and stunning emotional depth. A phenomenal technical guitarist with a history of critical acclaim, he takes the aesthetic of contemporary acoustic solo guitar to a new level.

The event is free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.

UPC Presents Pop Band 'Maroon 5' in Concert

FSU's University Programming Council will present the pop band "Maroon 5" at its annual Spring Concert on Saturday, April 24, at 8 p.m. in the FSU Physical Education Corbts Center Main Arena.

"Maroon 5" released its hit single "Harder to Breathe" in the fall of 2002 and by the summer of 2003, it remained on multiple radio charts. The group's latest single, "This Love," is popular in current radio airplay and the song's video is regularly featured in VH1's Top 20 and MTV. Lately, "Maroon 5" was the musical guest on NBC TV's "The Tonight Show with Jay Leno" and "Saturday Night Live." They have performed over 200 live shows and have opened for artists such as John Mayer, Sheryl Crow, Jason Mraz and Counting Crows. Other appearances include "David Letterman," "Jimmy Kimmel Live," "Last Call with Carson Daly" and "The Late Show with Craig Kilborn."

Singer/guitarist Adam Levine, guitarist Jesse Carmichael, bass player Mickey Madden and drummer Ryan Dusick comprise "Maroon 5." The band blends elements of funk and blues influences into their rock and roll songs. Formerly known as "Kara's Flowers," members of the band have been friends since junior high school. They played their first show at The Whisky in Los Angeles back in 1995. More information can be obtained on the group's Web site at www.maroon5.com.

Tickets are \$17 for the general public. Local student discounts are available. Tickets are on sale in the Lane University Center. They can also be ordered by calling x3137 and online at involvement.frostburg.edu. To receive the student price, tickets must be purchased at the box office with a valid school ID.



Maroon 5

WFWM Fund-Raiser Scheduled at Holiday Inn

The Holiday Inn in downtown Cumberland will host a benefit concert for WFWM, Public Radio from FSU, on Friday, April 16, from 8 p.m. to midnight. The

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event will be held in the Holiday Inn's Crown Ballroom and will feature three bands.

The Channel Cats Blues Band, who will be featured performers at a couple of shows this summer at the Rocky Gap Amphitheatre, will open the benefit with a rare acoustic blues set. They will be followed by Pickin' @ Bluegrass from Somerset, Pa., with Tim Custer, a multi-award winning banjoist, leading the group. Headlining the show is Shanty Irish, the house band for the Cumberland Celtic Fest, with a set of Irish pub tunes.

There is a \$5 cover charge and all proceeds from the door go to WFWM, Public Radio.

WFWM broadcasts from the campus of FSU at 91.9FM and in the Deep Creek/Oakland area at 96.3FM. For more information concerning the benefit, please call the Holiday Inn at (301) 724-8800 or WFWM at x4143.

Theatre



CES Presents Shakespeare's 'Othello'

FSU's Cultural Events Series will present the Aquila Theatre Company's production of "Othello" on Wednesday, April 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center Drama Theatre. This Shakespearean classic is presented in partnership with the Department of English.

The play explores the destruction of a noble spirit. Othello, a Moor and mercenary soldier for the Venetian army, secretly marries Desdemona, the daughter of a powerful senator. Iago, Othello's ensign, plots revenge after he is passed over for promotion. Envious of Othello's conquests, he begins his revenge, cunningly using his position as confident to plant seeds of jealousy and doubt in Othello's mind about his wife's fidelity. The audience becomes a part of the drama as Iago confesses his villainous plan to make "the net that shall enmesh them all" (Othello, Act ii, Scene 3).

"The New Yorker" has described Aquila's productions as "beautifully spoken, dramatically revealing and crystalline in effect." Founded in 1991 by producing artistic director Peter Meineck, the Aquila Theatre Company has also won both critical and academic kudos for its work worldwide, and is the Company in Residence at the Center for Ancient Studies at New York University.

This presentation is part of "Shakespeare in American Communities," a national theatre touring initiative sponsored by the National



Endowment for the Arts and The Sallie Mae Fund in cooperation with Arts Midwest.

To purchase tickets or to find out 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.

Additional packages include the Arts Gateway Packages, providing accommodations for two (at The Best Western Braddock in LaVale, Cumberland Holiday Inn or Rocky Gap Resort), selected meal options, transportation between the hotel and the FSU campus, a special gift at check-in, and two tickets for preferred seating for the Cultural Events Series performance.

You can also add a Dinner Show Package to your ticket purchase and transform the performance into a social event. The Dinner Show package provides you with complimentary transportation to and from the FSU campus to any one of five participating restaurants, including BJ's at the Gladstone, Gehauf's, Giuseppe's Italian Restaurant and Harrigan's Restaurant.

University Theatre to Present 2 Ionesco Plays

University Theatre will present "The Bald Soprano" and "The Lesson," two absurdist one-act plays by Eugene Ionesco, on April 16, 17, 22, 23 and 24 at 8 p.m. and April 17 at 2 p.m. Performances will take place in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre of the Performing Arts Center.

A leader of absurdist theatre, Eugene Ionesco wrote his first play, "The Bald Soprano," while he taught himself English as a third language. Studying from the "Assimil Manual," he became intrigued by the banal and repetitive practice sentences, which ultimately influenced the dialogue of his characters. "The Bald Soprano" follows Mr. and Mrs. Smith as they discover "astonishing" truths about the world through a series of humorous conversations. In the company of this English couple—along with their maid and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Martin and the Fire Chief—we witness how language is used as a façade in their bourgeois society.

Labeled a "comic drama," "The Lesson" also investigates the ways language can be used for purposes other than substantive human communication. An eager young pupil seeks tutelage in arithmetic and philology from her seemingly normal professor. As the lesson proceeds, the student becomes inundated with "knowledge," which culminates in a twisted phonetic exercise on the word "knife."

For over 30 years "The Bald Soprano" and "The Lesson" have played night after night at the tiny Theatre de la Huchette in Paris.

Tickets are \$5 for students and \$10 for non-students. For reservations and information, call x7462, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

UT to Perform Children's Show, 'Snow White'

University Theatre will present, "Snow White and the People of Diamond Mountain," a children's theatre production, on Saturday and Sunday, April 24 and 25, at 2 p.m. each day in the Performing Arts Center's Drama Theatre.

This classic Brothers Grimm fairy tale follows Snow White, the love of her life (Prince Eric), and her evil stepmother (Queen Isadora). In a jealous rage, the Queen tells Huntsman Philip to take Snow White into the forest and to return alone. The Huntsman has a kind heart and can do no harm to the beautiful young lady, so he lets her escape. While alone and lost in the forest, Snow White meets the People of Diamond Mountain (better known as the seven dwarfs). The People, who mine and add color to the precious gems, take care of Snow White and help to foil the Queen's wicked plans. Adapted and directed by Catie Childers, "Snow White and the People of Diamond Mountain" highlights singing, dancing, and even a chase scene that is sure to thrill audiences of all ages.

Snow White will be played by Jarett Iliff, Queen Isadora by Jen Bonner, Prince Eric by Nate Kurtz, Huntsman Philip by George Jones, Mork by Mike Virts, Lily by Christine Allen, Royce by Donnie Combs, Sally by Karah Stoops, Goober by Crystal Rice, Frankie by Larry Lewis and Kit by Thom Cutler.

All tickets are \$1 and can be purchased at the door.

Literature



Poets Hinrichsen, Beatty to Present Reading

Two poets, Dennis Hinrichsen and Jan Beatty, will present a reading at FSU on Thursday, April 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the Lane University Center Atkinson Room, 201. The event is free and open to the public.

Hinrichsen is the author of three books of poetry, "The Attraction of Heavenly Bodies" (Wesleyan), "The Rain That Falls This Far" (Galileo) and "Detail from the Garden of Earthly Delights" (University of Akron Press), which won the 1999 Akron Poetry Prize. A fourth collection, "Cage of Water," will appear from the University of Akron Press in 2004, as will a chapbook, "Message To Be Spoken into the Left Ear of God," from Mayapple Press. He has been the recipient of a National Endowment for the Arts fellowship and two grants from the state of Michigan. His poems have appeared in "American Literary Review," "Black Warrior Review," "Crab Orchard Review," "Field," "Notre Dame Review" and "Passages North." His work has also been featured on the Poetry Daily and The Academy of American Poets Web sites and has been honored by "Carolina Quarterly" and "Poetry Northwest." He teaches at Lansing Community College.

Beatty is the author of "Ravenous,"

(State Street Press), "Mad River" (winner of the 1994 Agnes Lynch Starret Prize from University of Pittsburgh Press) and "Boneshaker" (University of Pittsburgh). Her poems have appeared in numerous literary journals including "Nimrod," "Poetry East," "Seattle Review" and "Southern Poetry Review," and among her awards and honors are the Pablo Neruda Prize and a Pennsylvania Council for the Arts fellowship. A former social worker, she currently teaches at the University of Pittsburgh and is co-host of *Prosody*, a radio talk show featuring interviews and readings with/by contemporary poets and writers.

For more information, contact the FSU Department of English x4221.

Film



Int'l Film Series Presents 'American Splendor'

FSU's 2004 International Film Series will present the movie "American Splendor" at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, April 6, in Lane University Center Room 201.

The life of misanthropic comic book writer Harvey Pekar is brought to the screen in this thoroughly original combination of dramatic narrative, animation and documentary. Taking its name from Pekar's series of autobiographical comics, the very funny and often heartwarming film looks at the writer's life in drab Cleveland, Ohio, and his rise to reluctant infamy via collaborations with friend R. Crumb and many self-deprecating appearances on late-night television. With narration by Pekar himself and a career-defining performance by Paul Giamatti as the hilariously downtrodden writer, the movie also stars Hope Davis.

The event is free and open to the public, and refreshments will be served. For more information, contact the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411. The series is sponsored by Center Stage and the FSU Department of Student and Community Involvement.



Speakers

Former Asst. Secretary of Defense to Speak

Dr. Lawrence J. Korb, former United States Assistant Secretary of Defense in the Reagan administration, will give the presentation "A New National Security Strategy in an Age of Terrorists, Tyrants and Weapons of Mass Destruction" at FSU on Tuesday, April 20, at 2 p.m. in the Lane University Center's Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall.

Korb is an expert on national security, arms control and the U.S. defense budget. He currently holds the positions of adjunct senior fellow at the Council on Foreign Relations and senior fellow at the Center for American Progress. Previously, he served as vice president

and director of studies at the Council on Foreign Relations from 1988 – 2002. He was also a senior fellow in the Foreign Policy Studies Program and directed the Center for Public Policy Education for the Brookings Institution. He served as dean of the Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, University of Pittsburgh, from 1986 – 1988 and is a former advisor FSU's International Studies program.

Korb is a frequent contributor to foreign affairs and national security journals and guest columnist for several national newspapers. He is the author of many books including "A New National Security Strategy..." (2003); "American National Security: Policy and Process" (1993); "The Fall and Rise of the Pentagon" (1979) and "The Joint Chiefs of Staff: The First Twenty-five Years" (1976).

The program at FSU, which is free and open to the public, is sponsored by the Department of Political Science and the Office of the Provost.

For more information on the program, please contact Steve Twing, Department of Political Science, at x3097 or John Bowman, Office of the Provost, at x4211.

Appalachian Lab

"Applying the Concept of Biological Integrity: IBIs and Beyond" is the topic of the next UMCES Appalachian Lab seminar on Thursday, April 8, at 3:30 p.m. in AL room 109. Presenter is Paul L. Angermeier from the Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit of the Virginia Tech Department of Fisheries and Wildlife Sciences. Refreshments will follow in the AL Lobby.

Presentations



Political Science Panel: 'Iraq: One Year Later'

FSU's Department of Political Science and the International Relations Club will sponsor a panel discussion entitled "Iraq: One Year Later" on Thursday, April 8, at 7 p.m. in FSU Lane University Center's Manicur Assembly Hall. The discussion will look at the situation and its influence on politics in the United States.

Panelists will include FSU professors and administrators: Dr. John O'Rorke, Dr. Steve Twing, Dr. Steve Simpson, and Dr. Kevin Spiker. Moderator for the discussion will be Dr. Steve Hartlaub.

O'Rorke, an associate professor of political science, will discuss the prospects for democratization in Iraq. O'Rorke received his Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania and specializes in comparative politics and public administration.

Twing, an associate professor of political science, will discuss the use, misuse and non-use of intelligence in the run-up to the Iraq war. Twing received his Ph.D. from the University of South Carolina and specializes in international politics.

Simpson, a professor of political science and provost, will discuss the

relationship between public opinion and foreign policy. Simpson received his Ph.D. from Princeton University and specializes in public opinion and political behavior.

Spiker, an instructor of political science, will discuss the influence of the Iraq war on the upcoming national election. Spiker received his Ph.D. from West Virginia University and specializes in political parties, elections and the media.

Hartlaub, an associate professor and the chair of the Political Science Department, will serve as moderator for the discussion. Hartlaub received his Ph.D. from Michigan State University and specializes in public policy and political philosophy.

This discussion is free and open to the public. For more information, call x4211.

Mathematics Symposium to be Held April 16

The 33rd FSU Mathematics Symposium, which serves mathematics educators at all levels and usually brings more than 100 mathematics teachers from the Tri-State area to the FSU campus, will be held Friday, April 16.

Under its ongoing theme, "Teaching, Learning, Exploring," the Symposium's featured speaker will be nationally known author and editor of "Science News Online" and "Science News for Kids," Ivars Peterson, who will speak on "Moebius Madness."

In addition, the symposium will feature talks on fractals, geometry, statistics, use of technology, mathematics pedagogy and other topics of interest. Among the speakers are FSU professors Renny Azzi, Marc Michael, Vaughn Snyder and Gerard Wojnar, as well as FSU Interim Director of Research and Sponsored Programs Frank Peto.

Registration is required. For information, call the FSU Mathematics Department at x4384, e-mail Dr. Karen Parks at kparks@frostburg.edu, or consult the Symposium Web site at <http://faculty.frostburg.edu/math/wojnar/mathsymposium/2004>.

The Mathematics Symposium is supported by grants from the FSU Provost's Office and the FSU Faculty Development Subcommittee.



Take Note

Health Fair April 8

The S.A.F.E. Office and the Office of Human Resources are co-sponsoring a Health Fair on Thursday, April 8, in the Lane University Center Manicur Assembly Hall from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be a wide variety of exhibitors, including a reflexologist and a massage therapist. Please try to stop by and visit.

Environmental Photo Contest Open to Area

The Environmental Planning and Land Management Institute at FSU, a joint effort of the FSU Geography

Department and the Maryland Bureau of Mines (Maryland Department of the Environment), is sponsoring an environmental photography contest, open to students and residents in Allegany and Garrett counties.

Amateur photographers who are students from middle school to college or anyone over age 11 who lives or works in Allegany or Garrett County are eligible. Photos must be of an environmental or natural habitat scene, especially those that depict an interpretation of the natural environment that defines Western Maryland.

Entries must be received by Monday, April 19, accompanied by the official contest and release forms. Only printed photographs will be accepted, no smaller than 5 inches by 7 inches in size. The photos can originate from film or digital camera. All photographs must have been taken since the beginning of 2003.

Finalists will be on display in FSU's Ort Library from April 25 to 30, with awards to be presented on April 30 at 5 p.m. at a ceremony in the FSU Compton Science Center. First, second, third and honorable mention awards will be presented. Prizes include cash and gift certificates.

Photos must be delivered to the FSU Department of Geography, 202 Gunter Hall; or the Bureau of Mines Lab in Dunkle Hall 307, by the deadline. All forms and rules are available from the FSU Department of Geography, the Bureau of Mines Lab, or under the "Community" section of the FSU Web site at www.frostburg.edu. Look for the Environmental Planning and Land Management Institute link. For more information, call the Geography Department at x4369 or the Bureau of Mines Lab at x4721.

Physics/Engineering 'Welcome to the Major'

The Department of Physics and Engineering will host a "Welcome to the Major/Group Advising" event on Wednesday, April 7, at 5 p.m. in Compton 220. This will be an opportunity for students to meet the faculty and their fellow students, and to ask questions about the programs of study. Students will hear about courses being offered for fall semester and advisors will be on hand to help with course selections. Refreshments will be served. All physics and engineering majors as well as those interested in the majors are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

FSU to Host Future Robotics Engineers

Maryland high school students will have the opportunity to build robots this summer at FSU at the Center for Future Engineers: Robot Design, part of the Maryland Summer Centers for Gifted and Talented Students.

FSU's brand new robotics laboratory in the Compton Science Center will be the location for the weeklong residential camps, scheduled for July 11 to 16 and July 18 to 23, for about 40 high school students. The first class is for

entering freshmen and sophomores, the second for entering juniors and seniors.

The curriculum will focus on the design of intelligent robotic systems, with daily opportunities for hands-on lab and computer activities. Two-person teams will work to design a robot system, test it and present it publicly in an open session. There will also be a field trip to Allegany Ballistics Laboratory in nearby Rocket Center, W.Va.

Dr. Oguz Soysal, camp co-director and one of its two faculty members, says students will work on several projects including exploration robots in the vein of the Mars rovers. Students will also learn how to program automated systems involving robot arms. Ideal candidates will be those who love to play with gadgets and make things work.

The Maryland State Department of Education Summer Center programs offer unique instructional experiences for students who are gifted and talented and give students the opportunity to work in settings and with resources not available during the regular school year. Activities are designed to encourage critical thinking, creativity and problem solving while challenging students academically.

Brochures and applications are available from schools and local gifted and talented education coordinators, as well as on the Web site of the Maryland State Department of Education at www.marylandpublicschools.org/summercenters. Applications must be postmarked by Thursday, April 15. Students will be notified in early May whether they were accepted.

The cost is \$375 for the one-week (Sunday through Friday) residential program. Some scholarships are available.

For more information about the Center for Future Engineers: Robot Design, visit the Web site at <http://faculty.frostburg.edu/engn/soysal/robot/> or contact Soysal at soysal@frostburg.edu or x7079.

Commencement News for Graduate Students

Students who plan to graduate in May 2004 need to complete the "Application for Graduation" by Friday, April 9, in order to be included in the FSU May 2004 Commencement Program. "Applications for Graduation" received after April 9 will be included in the program given space available. The "Application for Graduation" and the "Cap & Gown Bookstore Ordering Forms" are available at the Office of Graduate Services 141 Pullen Hall, or by calling x7053.

Commencement Announcement

Any student planning to complete studies during the current semester (May 2004) must first officially file for graduation. Undergraduate students should contact the Registrar's Office (x4349, 144 Pullen Hall), while graduate students should submit all necessary paperwork to Graduate Services (x7053, 141 Pullen Hall). Mailings and notices

regarding commencement are sent only to those students who have completed all filing requirements.

Caps and gowns are provided at no charge to all students cleared to participate in the commencement ceremony; however, each student is responsible for placing an order in advance from the bookstore.

Advance information about Commencement and related activities is always available at www.frostburg.edu/events/commenc.htm. For more information, contact Beth Deatelhauser in Special Academic Services, x3130, 127 Performing Arts Center or bdeatelhauser@frostburg.edu.

Points of Pride



Philip Allen was lead speaker at a Department of State conference on security matters in the Indian Ocean during Spring Break. He also recently completed a chapter for *Africa Contemporary Record* and participated in a Library of Congress survey of civil-military relations in Africa.



Deadlines

Graduation Exceptions

The LAST day this semester for undergraduates to appeal to the Academic Standards Subcommittee for exceptions to graduation requirements or other academic rules and regulations is THURSDAY, APRIL 15. Your written letter of appeal and any supporting letters or documentation must be RECEIVED in the Office of the Provost, Hitchins 213, no later than 4 p.m. on that date. The May Commencement booklet will go to press immediately following the April 19 meeting of the Committee.

Volunteers



Students Offer Free Tax Preparation Help

Free help preparing 2003 tax returns is available through the IRS-sponsored VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) Program at FSU.

Help with basic federal and Maryland income tax returns will be offered through early April by FSU's College of Business students who have been trained and approved by the IRS. Faculty members will oversee these student preparers.

The VITA program offers this assistance to taxpayers filing Form 1040EZ, Form 1040A, or a basic Form 1040 federal tax return. Volunteers will alert taxpayers to special credits and deductions for which they may be eligible.

Appointments must be made in advance by calling Joyce Middleton, VITA site co-coordinator, at x4154. Students will work Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Framptom Hall. A drop-off service will also be available throughout the week.

Taxpayers arriving for an appoint-

ment should bring any tax packages mailed by the IRS and the state, Form W-2 from all employers, interest and dividend statements (Form 1099), a copy of last year's returns, if available, and any other relevant information about income and expenses. Taxpayer and dependent social security numbers and birth dates are also needed.

Get Involved



Assoc. for Computing Machinery Competition

The student chapter of the Association for Computing Machinery at FSU will hold a programming competition on Saturday, April 24, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Pullen Hall Computer Labs. The contest is open to all area high school and college students.

Amateur programmers will participate solo or in teams (of up to three) to solve as many computer-programming problems as possible in an allotted amount of time. Prizes will be given to the top three teams based on the greatest number of problems solved in the least amount of time.

Registration is \$8 on or before April 9. Late registration is \$13. Event T-shirts are available for \$7, sizes to be specified with registration. Participants must show valid student ID or proof of enrollment. To register, visit the ACM chapter's Web site at <http://goliath.frostburg.edu/acm/> or e-mail the chapter at acmchapter@frostburg.edu. For more information, contact Dana Wortman, instructor of computer science and the chapter advisor, at x4718 or dwortman@frostburg.edu.

RUN for MOM

FSU Cable TV 3s 5K Race/2 Mile Walk/1 Mile race on Saturday, May 8, will be a fitness event for the entire family.

The 5K and 2 mile races start at 8:15 a.m. The 1 mile race starts at 9. There will also be a 50 meter run for kids 2 to 6 years old. Awards and drawings will be held at 9:30 a.m. Racers can run, jog, walk, or stroll. Start and finish are on the FSU Bobcat Stadium track, with the route through the FSU campus. Strollers are welcome; bikes are not.

Registration for the 5K and 2 Mile is \$12.50 before May 5 and \$15 through race day. For the 1 mile race, registration is \$8 before May 5 and \$10 through race day. There is no charge for the children's 50 meter run.

Proceeds will cover operating costs for TV 3's presentation of FSU athletics, events and activities. For more information, call Connie Capacchione at x3049 or Robert Scott at (301) 687-0342 evenings from 6 to 9.

For more information, visit the race Web site at <http://lib.allconet.org/qcstriders/mom/index.html>.

Catholic Campus Ministry

CCM will make Easter cards for the senior residents of St. Vincent dePaul

Nursing Home on Tuesday, April 6, at 7:30 p.m. in the Osborne Newman Center.

Holy Week services include a Holy Thursday Mass at 8 p.m. on April 8, a Good Friday service at 8 p.m. on April 9 and Easter Sunday services at noon and 8 p.m. All services are in Frost Hall's Cook Chapel.

United Campus Ministry

UCM will watch a video clip from "Jesus of Nazareth" for Holy Week on Wednesday, April 7, 7:30 p.m. in the Osborne Newman Center.

On Channel 3



FSU TV 3 Schedule for April 5-9

Monday:

3 & 6 p.m. "Frostbytes"
3:10 & 6:10 p.m. "Eye On Frostburg"
3:40 & 6:40 p.m. Destination Tomorrow
4:10 & 7:10 p.m. George Beall Lecture

Tuesday:

3 & 6 p.m. Live at the Loft: Hannah Bingman & Aaron Wilhelm
4:25 & 7:25 p.m. MD State of Mind
5:25 & 8:25 p.m. FSU Phat Padz

Wednesday:

3 & 6 p.m. "Frostbytes"
3:10 & 6:10 p.m. "Eye on Frostburg"
3:40 & 6:40 p.m. Café Frostburg: Blues Works
5 & 8 p.m. Urban Music Report

Thursday:

3 & 6 p.m. Scales & Tales Presentation
4 & 7 p.m. Destination Tomorrow
4:30 & 7:30 p.m. Live at the Loft: Edgar Cruz
5:40 & 8:40 p.m. A Significant Journey

Friday:

3 & 6 p.m. "Eye on Frostburg"
3:30 & 6:30 p.m. AAST Lecturer: Dr. Jerome Miller
4:30 & 7:30 p.m. FSU Phat Padz
5 & 8 p.m. Live at the Loft: KJ James



Activities for Life

For information and registration for any AFL program, contact Center Coordinator Amy Nazelrod at x7934.

Youth and Advanced Swimming Lessons

Youth and Advanced Swimming Lessons for children ages 5 to 12 will be offered on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from April 12 to 28.

The classes will be from 6 to 6:50 p.m. in the FSU Pool in the Cordts Physical Education Center.

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.

Advance registration is required.

Golf Clinic

A golf clinic will be offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. from May 11 to June 3 at Maplehurst Country Club in Frostburg.

Golf pro Rick Flowers will offer eight one-hour clinics over the four-week period. Clinics will include group and individual instruction. Sessions will focus on the golf swing, putting, chipping, rules and etiquette, etc. Beginner and intermediate golfers will benefit most from these classes. A full set of golf clubs is preferable, but a 7-iron, wedge, putter and wood will be adequate. Sneakers will be sufficient; golf shoes would provide the most benefit. The class is limited to 12 participants. Registration and fees must be paid no later than May 5.

Infant-Toddler and Pre-School Swimming

Infant-Toddler and Pre-School swim lessons will be offered at the Cordts Physical Education Center Swimming Pool.

The Infant-Toddler Swimming Class is for children ages 3 months to 36 months and the Pre-School Swimming Class is for children ages 3 and 4. Both classes will be held on April 19, 21, 23, 26, and 30, from 5 to 5:45 p.m.

Both infant-toddler and pre-school swimming classes require parents to be in the water and to participate along with their children.

Community



AAUW Annual Meeting

The American Association of University Women, Frostburg Branch, will hold its annual meeting on Tuesday, April 6, 7:30 p.m. at Frostburg United Methodist Church Hall. The fun program for spring, "Bringing Color Into Our Homes," will be presented by Andrea DePalatis of Spectrum Design Service, Main Street. The hostesses are Martha Meek, Amy Meek and Gail LaFief. Refreshments will be served. Members, guests and the public are welcome to attend. For information, call Elizabeth West at (301) 722-6445.

International



Semester at Sea Info Meeting April 7

Students who would like to learn more about taking part in a semester at sea through the Institute of Shipboard Education (Univ. of Pittsburgh) should attend an information meeting on Wednesday, April 7, at 2 p.m. in room 202 of the Lane University Center. A representative from Semester at Sea will show a video and hand out information. Dr. Keramat Poorsoltan (Business Administration), who took part in the voyage last year, will also be on hand to talk about his experiences.

Students unable to make this meeting can stop by the main foyer of the Lane Center between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. where a table will be set up with additional information. For further information, contact the Center for International Education at x4714.

Gilman Scholarships for Study Abroad

Students who are Pell Grant recipients may apply for a Gilman Scholarship (which awards up to \$5,000) to help cover study abroad program costs. The application is online at: www.iie.org//programs/gilman/index.html. The deadline for summer and fall programs is April 15.

Still Time to Apply for Summer Study Abroad

Students who are interested in studying overseas during the summer should submit an application form to the CIE as soon as possible. Applications are being accepted for summer programs in Ecuador, Ireland, England, Costa Rica, Finland, China, and many other locations. For further information about summer programs, or to download an application form, visit the CIE Web site.

Study Abroad Programs

The Center for International Education offers a variety of ways for FSU students to see the world. In many cases, students register at FSU during a semester abroad and can take all financial aid with them and transfer credit back to FSU. For information on any of the programs or scholarships that may be available, contact with Dr. Amy Simes at the CIE in the Fuller House on Braddock Road, x4714, asimes@frostburg.edu or www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm or the newsletter at www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/newsletter.htm.

Spend a Semester or Year Down Under

Students who are interested in studying in Australia or New Zealand may apply for an AustraLearn Program through the CIE. AustraLearn is an FSU affiliate program provider that sends U.S. students to over 25 universities in Australia and New Zealand. Applications for fall 2004 and spring 2005 are being accepted now. For further information, contact the CIE or visit the AustraLearn Web site: www.australearn.org/

Study in the UK at In-State Costs

Students who are interested in spending a semester or year studying at the University of Northumbria in Newcastle, England may submit an application form at the CIE for fall 2004 or spring 2005. FSU students are given a special program fee which is comparable to in-state FSU costs. All financial aid travels with the student, and scholarships are available to qualified applicants. For more information, visit the Northumbria Web site: www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/unn.htm.

Apply Now for Ireland 2004-5

Students who are interested in spending a semester or year studying at Mary Immaculate College in Limerick should submit an application to the CIE. Costs are similar to in-state costs at FSU. In spring 2005, Dr. Kevin Kehrwald will accompany the group and will teach three FSU classes, including two film studies classes. Financial aid will transfer, and scholarships are available

to qualified applicants. For more information, visit the Ireland Web site: www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/irelandexchange%20program.htm.

Semester Overseas for Same Price as FSU

The International Student Exchange Program (ISEP) allows FSU students to register at FSU, pay FSU tuition and housing, and then study overseas for a semester, year or summer at one of more than 140 locations. Students may take financial aid with them and apply for scholarships from the CIE and from ISEP. For the price of an airline ticket, this is a great way to earn credit toward your FSU degree while enjoying life in a

foreign culture. Apply now for fall 2004.

Gain Work/Volunteer Experience Overseas

Students interested in working abroad should come by the CIE for information about internships, volunteer organizations and paid work overseas. Many organizations help students obtain jobs and work permits, and some help to arrange housing as well. Students can choose from short experiences (one to two months) to longer experiences (four to 12 months), or even look into a more serious commitment (one to three years). Destinations are available throughout the world.

FSU Events Calendar

Look for the FSU weekly events calendar on the Web at www.frostburg.edu/weekcal.htm



MONDAY, APRIL 5

Fall Registration (through April 23)

- * Delta Zeta Blood Drive 11:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * Center Stage Pool Tournament..... 7:00 p.m. Lane Game Room

TUESDAY, APRIL 6

- * Men's Tennis: Pitt-Greensburg 3:00 p.m. Home
- * Women's Lacrosse: Catholic University 4:00 p.m. Home
- * International Film Series: "American Splendor" .. 7:00 p.m. Lane Atkinson Room

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7

- * Baseball: LaRoche College 1:00 p.m. Home
- * Faculty Senate 4:00 p.m. Lane Atkinson Room
- * Greek Council 5:00 p.m. Lane 202
- * **LIVE! at the Loft**, Guitarist Michael Gulezian 7:00 p.m. Derezhinski Lounge/Loft
- * Student Organization Leadership Series, "Transitioning Your Organization's Leadership" 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Lane 140-141
- * UCM, "Jesus of Nazareth" Holy Week Video 7:30 p.m. . Osborne Newman Center
- * RHA Meeting 7:30 p.m. Dunkle Hall 218
- * BSA General Body Meeting 8:00 p.m. Lane Atkinson Room

THURSDAY, APRIL 8

- * SAFE/Office of HR Health Fair 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * Dr. Gira's Spring Convocation 3:00 p.m. PAC Drama Theatre
- * Political Science Panel Discussion 7:00 p.m. Lane ARMAH
- * English Department Poetry Reading 7:30 p.m. Lane Atkinson Room
- * CCM Holy Thursday Mass 8:00 p.m. Cook Chapel
- * Center Stage Open Mic..... 8:00 p.m. Derezhinski Lounge/Loft

FRIDAY, APRIL 9

- * Faculty Assembly 2:00 p.m. Lane Atkinson Room
- * UPC Feature Film, "The Last Samurai" 7 p.m. & midnight .. Lane Atkinson Room
- * CCM Good Friday Service 8:00 p.m. Cook Chapel

SATURDAY, APRIL 10

- * Men's/Women's Outdoor Track: Lynchburg College Classic Lynchburg, VA
- * Men's Tennis: Penn State Behrend w/ Alfred U. . 10:00 a.m. Home
- * Baseball: Villa Julie College Noon Home
- * Women's Lacrosse: Goucher College 1:00 p.m. Away
- * Women's Softball: Pitt - Bradford 1:00 p.m. Away
- * UPC Feature Film Series, "The Last Samurai" ... 8:00 p.m. Lane Atkinson Room

SUNDAY, APRIL 11—Easter

- * CCM Mass Noon & 8:00 p.m. Cook Chapel
- * UPC Feature Film Series, "The Last Samurai" ... 5:00 p.m. Lane Atkinson Room

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

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