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Princeton Review Lists FSU Among 'Greenest Colleges'

FSU is one of the 322 most environmentally responsible colleges in the U.S. and Canada, according to The Princeton Review. The education services company known for its college rankings, ratings, guidebooks and test prep, profiles FSU in the fourth annual edition of its free, downloadable book, "The Princeton Review's Guide to 322 Green Colleges."

The Princeton Review chose the schools for this guide based on a 50-question survey it conducted in 2012 of administrators at hundreds of four-year colleges, analyzing the schools' course offerings, campus infrastructure, activities and career preparation to measure commitment to the environment and sustainability.

In the guide's profile on FSU, The Princeton Review highlights Frostburg's commitment to green education and lifestyle, highlighting the Learning Green, Living Green initiative that addresses multiple sustainability aspects, a wide variety of academic opportunities for green-minded students, its off-grid Sustainable Energy Research Facility for the study of renewable energy technologies, student involvement in environmentally focused organizations and institutional policies designed to reduce energy consumption and waste.



"I am so proud of students, faculty and staff for ensuring, through their numerous efforts, that Frostburg State University maintain a strong commitment to sustainability and addressing climate change, which has led to us being highlighted in 'The Princeton Review's Guide to 322 Green Colleges,'" said FSU President Jonathan Gibraltar. "This has included everything from securing LEED Gold certification on our beautifully renovated student union center to organizing a variety of great educational events for our campus that allow our community to critically examine environmental issues. I know this tremendous momentum in making sustainability a part of our institutional identity will only grow in the years ahead."

FSU, which was first listed among Princeton Review's Green Colleges in

2010, received an 87 rating out of a possible 99.

FSU and Gibraltar have been widely recognized for commitment to sustainability. Gibraltar is a charter signatory to the American College & University Presidents Climate Commitment and has been a member of its steering committee since 2010. FSU was recently designated a Tree Campus USA, a national program of the Arbor Day Foundation and Toyota Motor North America, Inc., for meeting five core standards for sustainable campus forestry. The University was listed in the 2012 edition of Sierra magazine's ranking of the nation's "Coolest Schools," which salutes U.S. colleges that are helping solve climate problems and making significant efforts to operate sustainably. In 2011, FSU was recognized for its commitment to sustainability and environmental education with a Second Nature's Second Annual Climate Leadership Award for Institutional Excellence in Climate Leadership.

Published just before the April 22 celebration of Earth Day, the 215-page guide is the only free, comprehensive resource of its kind. It can be downloaded at www.princetonreview.com/green-guide and www.centerforgreenschools.org/greenguide.

Music

Note: Unless otherwise noted, recitals and concerts will take place in PAC Pealer Recital Hall and are free and open to the public. For info, contact the Department of Music at x4109 or visit www.frostburg.edu/dept/music.

CES Presents 'Three Phantoms in Concert'



Gary Mauer, Craig Schulman and Ciarán Sheehan

The FSU Cultural Events Series 2012-13 performing arts season will draw to a close with the magic of Broadway when "Three Phantoms in Concert" is performed on **Friday, April 26**, at 8 p.m. in PAC Pealer Recital Hall.

Gary Mauer, Craig Schulman and Ciarán Sheehan, three Broadway stars who have performed the coveted title

role in Andrew Lloyd Webber's "The Phantom of the Opera," will present solos, duets and trios from the male repertoire of American musical theatre. In addition to songs from "Phantom," they will share selections from such Broadway hits as "Les Misérables," "Guys and Dolls," "Man of La Mancha," "Jesus Christ Superstar," "West Side Story" and "Kiss Me Kate."

For tickets and info, contact the CES box office at x3137 or visit CES' webpage at ces.frostburg.edu.

Percussion Ensemble

The FSU Percussion Ensemble will present its spring concert on **Thursday, April 25**, at 8 p.m.

The concert will begin with a classic of the percussion ensemble repertoire, the "Overture for Percussion Ensemble" by John Beck, followed by "Alegre Muchacho" by percussionist and noted humorist Alan Abel. The first half of the program will conclude with Christopher Rouse's tribute to the drumming rituals of the Caribbean, "Ogoun Badagris."

Also included is a selection by Ney Rosauro, the world-renowned Brazilian composer and percussionist. His "Mitos Brasileiros" ("Brazilian Myths") explores five legends of the country's folklore through the timbres and rhythms of the percussion family – with additional sound effect surprises. The program will conclude with a transcription of a Bela Fleck favorite, "Sinister Minister."

'Carmina Burana'

FSU's Department of Music will present "Carmina Burana" by Carl Orff on **Sunday, April 28**, at 3 p.m.

"Carmina Burana" is one of the most popular works of the 20th century. The texts ("Songs From Beuern") are taken from a 13th-century manuscript found in the early 19th century in a secularized monastery at Benedictbeuern near Munich. The work is in three parts: "Spring," "In the Tavern" and "Love." In 1956, Orff arranged the scenic cantata for two pianos and percussion. This was intended to make the music more widely available to schools and choral

groups where large orchestras were not available.

This collaborative concert features the FSU University Chorale, directed by **Dr. Karen Soderberg**; the Cumberland Choral Society, directed by Judith Brown; the FSU Children’s Choir, directed by **Olivia Hartman**; the FSU Percussion Ensemble, directed by **Dr. Ron Horner**; and duo-pianists **Dr. Jay DeWire** and **Thomas Hunter**. The soloists include baritone **Eugene Galvin**, an FSU alumnus and professor of voice at George Washington University and Catholic University; soprano **Mariana Mihai-Zoeter**, a professor of voice at FSU; and tenor Peter Drackley, a student at the Peabody Conservatory in Baltimore.

Tickets are \$5 for general admission, \$3 for students and free for youth under 12. Tickets may be purchased at the door or by calling the FSU Department of Music.

Jazz Ensemble

The FSU Concert Jazz Ensemble will present “Joy Spring,” a celebration of the season’s abundance on **Thursday, May 2**, at 8 p.m. The diverse styles of jazz will represent this abundance as each tune demonstrates a unique cross-section of the jazz idiom from the classic swing sound of Glenn Miller’s Band to the contemporary Third-Stream technique of Fred Sturm. The ensemble will feature student soloists and special guests, including local music teachers Tom Harrison, Jim Roderick and Mark Gauthier.

Brass Ensembles Concert

The FSU Brass and Low Brass Ensembles will present a program on **Friday, May 3**, at 7:30 p.m.

Under the direction of **Kevin McManus**, the ensembles will perform works by Edmund Haines, Ralph Vaughan Williams, Percy Grainger, J.S. Bach, Michael Davis and David Uber.

Wind Ensemble

The FSU Wind Ensemble, conducted by **Philip Klickman**, will perform **Sunday, May 5**, at 3 p.m.

The Wind Ensemble will begin their concert with “National Emblem,” a march by E.E. Bagley that cleverly incorporates the first 12 notes of the “Star Spangled Banner.” Next, the group will play “Sun Dance” by the contemporary American composer Frank Ticheli, followed by “The Earle of Oxford’s March,” a march written by William Byrd during the Renaissance period and transcribed by the 20th-century composer Gordon Jacob. Then they will play “American Salute” by Morton Gould and “Oliver’s Birthday” by Bruce Broughton, featuring trumpet soloist **Brooke Speake**. The concert will end with a fan favorite, “Rocky Point Holiday” by Ron Nelson.

Tickets at the door (no reservations) are \$5 for general admission, \$3 for students and free for those 12 and younger.

Clarinet Ensemble

The FSU Department of Music will present its Clarinet Ensemble on **Monday, May 6**, at 8 p.m. **Dr. Mark Gallagher** is the artistic director of this concert.

The ensemble will perform works by Jacques Bouffille, Eric Whitacre, Alfred Uhl and Peter Schickele.

Members of the ensemble include **Jasmine Chung, Sarah Galvin, Sierra Green, Amanda Gold, Bradley Herget, Charles Robinson, Danielle Sheally, Geoffrey Westbrook** and **Heather Wahl**.

Flute Studio

Join the FSU Flute Studio on **Wednesday, May 8**, for a recital of flute solo and chamber music, beginning at 8 p.m.

The repertoire will include the popular “Sonatina” for flute and piano by Eldin Burton, the lovely “Passages” for piccolo and piano by Daniel Kelley and “Fantasie” by Georges Hue. The FSU Flute and Guitar Ensemble will present the second half of the program. **Ryan Sheally**, on flute, and **Robert Wallace**, on guitar, will perform the celebrated “Trois Gymnopedies” by Eric Satie, “Sicilienne” by J.S. Bach and the fiery “Milonga” by Christopher Caliendo.

bravery with the villainous pirate, Captain Hook. As danger ensues and principles are tested, Peter and the children teeter between the innocent world of their childhood and looming adulthood.

This adaptation, directed by Chris McCabe, stays true to Barrie’s classic tale with the simplistic detail of a child’s imagination.

Earnest is a professional director whose many plays, original works and operas have been seen throughout the United States, Europe and Africa. He is the co-founder of Lunar Stratagem, an international touring company based in West Virginia. For info about Earnest’s work, visit www.matthewearnest.com.

Tickets are \$12 for general admission and \$6 for students. 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.



Film

‘Thin Ice,’ the Story of Climate Science

FSU will celebrate Earth Day by presenting a screening of the film “Thin Ice” on **Monday, April 22**, at 4:30 p.m. in Compton 226. This event is free and open to the public.

In recent years, climate science has come under increasing attack, so geologist Simon Lamb took his camera to find out what is really going on from his climate science colleagues.

The aim from the outset was to give people from all walks of the life the chance to see the astonishing range of human activity as well as scientific endeavor required to help understand Earth’s changing climate. Lamb visited researchers on four continents and the ocean as they studied the changes in the atmosphere, oceans and ice sheets through measurements (from instruments, satellites, ice and rock) and computer modeling. They talk about their work, and their hopes and fears, with a rare candor and directness. Lamb notes that we have to think in terms of human time scales (hundreds of years), as well as Ice Age time scales (tens of thousands of years) and even beyond (before 2 to 3 million years ago) when Earth was naturally warmer.

The 73-minute film will be followed by a commentary and brief question-and-answer session.

This program is sponsored by the FSU College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and the FSU Sustainability Minor Program.

For info, contact Linda Steele at x4137 or lsteel@frostburg.edu. For info about the global launch of the film, go to <http://thiniceclimate.org/launch>.



Theatre

‘Peter Pan’



Peregrine Herlinger as Captain Hook and Haley Schott as Peter Pan

FSU’s Department of Theatre and Dance is bringing everyone’s favorite lost boy to FSU in “Peter Pan or ... The Boy Who Would Not Grow Up.” Adapted by Matthew Earnest from J.M. Barrie’s play “Peter Pan” and his novel “Peter and Wendy,” performances will take place **Thursday through Saturday, April 25 to 27**, at 7:30 p.m. Performances are in the Drama Theatre. “Peter Pan” is recommended for ages 6 and up.

The adventure begins when Peter Pan returns to the Darling household in London to capture his escaped shadow. When his mischievous outline causes trouble, the household children awaken, and Peter entices them to fly away to Never Never Land. On arriving, Peter, Wendy, Tinkerbell and the Lost Boys engage in a battle of wits and



Presentations

‘Earth: Old as Dirt’

The Western Maryland Section of the American Chemical Society will present a presentation by **Dr. Phillip Allen**, an assistant professor in FSU’s Department of Geography, titled “Earth: Old as Dirt and Worth Its Weight in Salt.” The talk will be held on **Tuesday, April 23**, at 6 p.m. in Compton 224.

It can be argued that humans take the planet and its resources for granted and assume these resources are infinite. From an earth scientist’s perspective, the planet is at a major crossroad, but how many others realize it? Allen will explore two of the materials taken for granted, soil and salt. By looking at the small and large scale concurrently, one can gauge just how loudly alarm bells are ringing.

For info, contact Allen at x4891 or ppallen@frostburg.edu.

Center for Advising and Career Services

For info, call x 4403, follow the center on twitter [@fsuadvising](https://twitter.com/fsuadvising) or post on Facebook.com/FrostburgStateCenterForAdvisingAndCareerServices.

Career Exchange/Internships

The prospect of finding the “right career” can be overwhelming. This activity is designed to help students make decisions about the best fit for a major and/or a career. The group will discuss some factors to consider when choosing a career as well as have fun in this interaction session.

The presenter will be **Amy Lynn Shimko**.

Originally scheduled for April 18, this event has been rescheduled for **Tuesday, April 23**, at 2 p.m. in Lane 111.

The Real Cost of Credit

This latest Financial Literacy Workshop, “Credit: What Everyone Needs to Know,” will help students understand the advantages and disadvantages of credit and the costs and dangers associated with credit card use. The presenter will be **Tamara Lowry**.

The following sessions will meet in Lane 113:

- **April 24**, 3 p.m.
- **April 25**, 3:30 p.m.

‘Contesting the Arctic’

The Department of Geography will present Dr. Jeremy Tasch on **Tuesday, April 23**, at 7 p.m. in the Lane Atkinson Room (232). He will discuss the results of his research in “Contesting the Arctic: Politics and Imaginaries in the Circumpolar North.”

Tasch is Towson University’s first interdisciplinary hire in Eurasian and global studies. He came to Towson from his previous position as an assistant professor at the University of

Alaska, Anchorage, where he helped create the university’s first geography and environmental studies department and first undergraduate degree program in international studies. Tasch is a principal investigator on a five-country, NSF-funded study of the geopolitics of climate change in the Arctic. A recipient of two Fulbright awards to the Russian Far East and the Kyrgyz Republic, he spent almost five years as country director of an international educational non-governmental organization in Azerbaijan, where he helped create the first multi-institutional educational center and library funded by the U.S. Department of State.

After the presentation, student inductees in Gamma Theta Upsilon, the International Geography Honor Society, and other accomplished geography students will be recognized.

For info or to set up an individual meeting time with Tasch earlier in the day, contact Tracy Edwards at tedwards@frostburg.edu.

Entrepreneurship in the Arts by Flutist Joan Sparks

The FSU Department of Music will present guest speaker Joan Sparks on **Wednesday, April 24**, at 3 p.m. in PAC 213. Sparks will lead a discussion on entrepreneurship in the arts, drawing on her own journey as a professional musician and business owner. Afterward, she will be available from 4 to 6 p.m. to meet individually with attendees in PAC 121.

A performing flutist for most of her professional life, Sparks opened the Flute Pro Shop in Delaware in 2009 to realize her passion for helping fellow musicians find their own musical voice.

Sparks has been a frequent substitute performer with the Philadelphia Orchestra, as well as a member of freelance orchestras in the mid-Atlantic area. Along with harpist Anne Sullivan, she founded the flute and harp duo SPARX in 1986. Through all this, Sparks has maintained a thriving private studio, earning the Music Teacher’s National Association’s highest designation of Master Teacher.



Undergraduate Research Symposium

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at FSU will host an Undergraduate Research Symposium on **Friday, May 3**, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall and the surrounding conference rooms of the Lane Center. University Provost/Academic Vice President **Dr. Steven J. Simpson** will kick off the

event with an address to attendees at 10 a.m. This symposium will celebrate the research accomplishments of FSU undergraduate students by providing them with the opportunity to present their work to their peers and share experiences across disciplines. The symposium will feature over 80 posters, oral presentations and displays representing research in biology, chemistry, communication studies, computer science and information technologies, English, foreign languages and literature, geography, history, honors, mathematics, nursing, physics and engineering, psychology and visual arts. The event is open to the public.

For info or to schedule an interview with Dr. Karen Keller, contact her at x4174 or kkeller@frostburg.edu.

AL Seminar Series

“The Energy Sustainability Dilemma”

The Appalachian Laboratory will present “The Energy Sustainability Dilemma: Powering the Future in a Finite World” by unconventional natural gas expert David Hughes on **Tuesday, April 23**, at 7 p.m. at 301 Braddock Rd. in Frostburg. This lecture is free and open to the public.

According to Hughes, the energy sustainability dilemma is unfolding and will profoundly impact future generations unless the finite nature of fossil fuel resources is managed for long-term sustainability. He will discuss the “Shale Revolution,” the ongoing dependence on various fossil fuel sources and the need to rethink the way we use energy.

Hughes is a geoscientist who has studied the energy resources of Canada for nearly four decades. He has researched, published and lectured widely on global energy and sustainability issues in North America and internationally. He is president of Global Sustainability Research Inc.

For info, contact Dr. Keith Eshleman at keshleman@umces.edu or 301-689-7170.



Visual Arts

Three New Displays at Ort for April

To celebrate National Library Week, “Highlighting the Variety of Resources in the Library” on the third floor (main entrance) highlights the varieties of resources the library offers: books, DVDs, CDs, records, e-books and more.

The second display, also on the third floor, showcases Shakespeare and highlights the many Shakespearean phrases now common in the English language. The display was created by **Emily Zumbrun**.

On the fifth floor, the last display, “Points in Time: Formal Biface Typology in Maryland,” celebrates Maryland Archaeology Month and

highlights some of the projectile points that have been recovered from Maryland archaeological sites.

For info, contact Theresa Mastrodonato at x4425 or tmastrodonato@frostburg.edu, or MaryJo Price at x4889 or mprice@frostburg.edu.



Workshops

Photo Workshop

Photography professor **Robert Hein** will host a photography summer workshop for area high school students **June 17-22**. An exhibit of prints from the workshop will be on display in the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery in the Fine Arts building at the end of the workshop, **June 22**.

For info, contact Hein at rmhein@frostburg.edu or x4354.



Points of Pride

Recent Presentations

The following are some recent presentations by **Dr. Thomas Serfass and his graduate students**:

- 69th Annual Northeast Fish and Wildlife Conference, Saratoga Springs, N.Y., April 7-9:
 - Bohrman, J., D. Fecske, T. Serfass and S. Henry, "Mixed Effects of White Nose Syndrome on Native Bat Communities at Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, N.J."
 - Serfass, T.L., and J. Bohrman, "Wildlife Policy, Science and Marketing: Through the Eyes of the North American River Otter."
- Wild Musteloid Conference – The Biology and Conservation of Wild Mustelids, Skunks, Procyonids and Red Pandas, Oxford University, Oxford, England, March 18-21:
 - Serfass, T., and J. Bohrman, "Wildlife Policy, Science and Marketing: Through the Eyes of the North American River Otter."
 - Serfass, T., and S. Stevens, "Spotted-Neck Otters and Rubondo Island NP, Tanzania: The Process of Developing an Ecotourism Flagship."

Gavin Caupp Presents at AAG



Gavin Caupp, an environmental analysis and planning/earth science double major, presented a poster at the 2013 Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers held in Los Angeles this month.

Dr. Matt Ramspott, an assistant professor in the Geography Department, was the faculty advisor for Caupp's poster, "Extent of Woolly Adelgid Impacts on Coniferous Stream Buffer Zones."



Take Note

Beautify the 'Burg, Community Dialogues Celebration Picnic

Two activities that exemplify the growing collaboration between year-round Frostburg residents and members of the FSU community, Beautify the 'Burg and the celebration picnic for the Sustaining Campus and Community Dialogue Series, come together on **Saturday, May 4**. Both events are free and open to the public.

Beautify the 'Burg, formally called the Day of Caring and Sharing, is now in its 13th year. Volunteers will gather at 8 a.m. in the parking lot of Fat Boys Pizza. From there, participants will fan out across town to plant flowers, paint light posts, sweep sidewalks and perform other tasks to spruce up Frostburg for spring.

The picnic, with lunch by B & B Meats and local leaders as "celebrity chefs," will begin at noon at City Place. The event will feature live music by guitarist and vocalist Sheri Whalen and '80s cover band, The Phoenix Band, a popular band from the 1980s that recently regrouped for a series of special performances. Performers include Bob Flanigan, Jeff Wilt, Jack Kenney, Gary Riggelman and Mitch Cline.

The joint events are hosted by the City of Frostburg with FSU, the Dialogue Series, Frostburg First and the Greek Council at FSU.

The community dialogue series gathers students, year-round residents, local officials and University leaders to discuss a variety of issues and create new opportunities for collaborative problem-solving and coalition-building in Frostburg. Four action groups created through the series are focusing on managing conflict and preventing violence; improving relationships and race relations; managing off-campus housing tensions; and discovering Western Maryland, Frostburg and FSU pride.

The project, funded in large part by Maryland Judiciary's Mediation and Conflict Resolution Office, focuses on community-based action plans to support improved campus-community communication and a non-violent culture in Frostburg. Details and documentary segments about the series can be seen at www.frostburg.edu/dept/cmst/dialogue-series.

Those interested in joining Beautify the 'Burg should contact Jamie Williams at x7598 or jwilliams@frostburg.edu. Those who would like to be part of the dialogue series should

contact project manager Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski at x4480 or elruminski@frostburg.edu.

Ruminski is the chair of the Department of Communication Studies and coordinator of Leadership Studies at FSU, as well as the president of the Mountainside Community Mediation Center, a local partner of the dialogue series that offers free mediation services.

Open Enrollment

Employees are reminded that Open Enrollment for Health Benefits will run **through April 30**. A correction period will follow **from May 8 through 15**. This is the time of year when employees can enroll in or make changes to benefit selections for the upcoming short plan year covering **July 1 through Dec. 31**.

The state of Maryland is converting from a fiscal plan year to a calendar plan year for health benefits starting **Jan. 1, 2014**. To make this switch, a short plan year will cover only the 6-month period of **July 1 through Dec. 31**. Another Open Enrollment period will be held this fall for the 12-month plan year starting **Jan. 1, 2014**.

For info, contact Lee Ann Nightingale at x4398 or lnightingale@frostburg.edu.

Printed StateLines to End

In our ongoing effort to be more environmentally sustainable in our operations, as well as to be able to utilize features of our redesigned FSU News website, which will debut soon, the printed version of StateLines will end after the **May 13** issue. We encourage you to consider subscribing to StateLines by email. Send a message to statelines@frostburg.edu, and we will add you to our list.

FSU's Upward Bound Program Now Accepting Applications

The Upward Bound Program of FSU is accepting applications. This pre-college program is designed to assist 89 qualified Allegany County students in developing the skills and motivation necessary for success in high school and college. The program serves rising ninth graders through graduating high school seniors, is funded entirely by the U.S. Department of Education and is free to participants.

Upward Bound offers academic support and enrichment in an environment that helps foster personal growth and development. To accomplish this, Upward Bound is structured as a year-round program that offers an academic year component and a three- or six-week

summer residential program. The program’s goal is to help students overcome the financial, social, academic and cultural barriers to higher education that can exist for the individual student. Students also have the unique opportunity to meet and work with students from other Allegany County high schools.

Applications are accepted from students in grades 8 through 11. High school seniors are not eligible to apply. Once accepted, Upward Bound students may participate until graduation from high school. Students can expect to receive assistance in many areas, including academic advising, tutoring, career exploration, enrichment classes, assistance with filling out forms, scholarship information, SAT and ACT prep, college visits and field trips.

To be accepted for Upward Bound, students must have the potential for post-secondary education and meet one or both of the following criteria: have a first-generation college status, meaning that the parent(s) the student lives with does not have a bachelor’s degree from a four-year college, and/or come from a family with a modest income. This varies according to household size and is based on taxable, not gross, income.

For info or for an application, call the Upward Bound office at x4994. Visit the website at www.frostburg.edu/clife/upb for downloadable forms or pick up an application in Sand Spring 121. Guidance counselors in area middle and high schools also have applications.

Trip to D.C.

The Center for International Education will host a trip to Washington, D.C., on **Sunday, April 28**. The bus will leave at 9 a.m. and return to campus around 9 p.m.

If interested, stop by the CIE office to sign the travel waiver and pay the \$10 fee before **April 25**.

Spend the day in D.C. and enjoy the great museums, restaurants and activities! There is also a Washington Nationals baseball game that day at 1:30 p.m. If interested, go to their website at washington.nationals.mlb.com for ticket information.

BURG Peer Education Network Event

“Protect Your Balls”

Join the BURG Peer Education Network on **April 26** (the night of Relay for Life) for the “Protect Your Balls” dodgeball tournament, where guy Bobcats can learn how to prevent and check for testicular cancer. Come to the center of the football field in Bobcat Stadium. Note: There is no exact time because of the nature of the Relay for Life event.

Children’s STEM Fest

FSU, Appalachian Laboratory and the Allegany County Board of Education will host a STEM Fest for regional elementary school students on **Saturday, May 4**, from 10 a.m. to noon in the Cordts PE Center Main Arena. This event is free and open to the public.

Students will have the opportunity to participate in hands-on science investigations, including stream tables, fractal cubes, a topographic moon globe, germ warfare and electric circuit experiments.

For info, contact Linda Steele at x4137.

Health and Human Performance Lab

FSU presents the Health and Human Performance Lab, featuring body fat testing, flexibility testing, cardiovascular testing, blood pressure screening and more!

- Hours are as follows in Cordts PE Center 110:
- Monday: 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
 - Tuesday: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 5:30 p.m.
 - Wednesday: 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 - Thursday: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 4:30 p.m.
 - Friday: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
 - Weekends: by appointment only

For info, contact Dr. Melody Kentrus, lab director, at mhkentrus@frostburg.edu or x4415, or dsfoote0@frostburg.edu.

Graduating?

It’s not too early to think about graduation, especially if you intend to graduate on **Saturday, May 18**. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will present their graduates at 9:30 a.m. and the colleges of Business and Education will present theirs at 2 p.m. in the Cordts PE Center.

Tickets will be required for admission. College of Liberal Arts and Sciences graduates will receive six tickets, and colleges of Business and Education graduates will receive eight tickets.

An informational mailing was sent to your home, local and email addresses. A second mailing will be sent in the next few weeks.

Complete your graduation application in PAWS now and check with the Registrar’s Office to assure everything is in order. If necessary, update your information in PAWS to ensure all upcoming mailings will be sent to the correct locations.

A Grad Fair will be held **Monday, May 13**, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the University Store in the Lane Center. If you have ordered your cap and gown and selected pickup at the Frostburg Main Campus, it will be available for pickup at the Grad Fair. Orders picked

up at the fair will receive a coupon for 40 percent off regular-priced apparel at the University Store. You can also pick up your graduation tickets, enter drawings, purchase graduation merchandise and more.

Full details about the ceremony can be found on the Commencement website at www.frostburg.edu/events/commencement. For info, contact Brittnei Teter at x4423 or bkteter@frostburg.edu.

Get Involved

Upcoming UCM Events

For info, contact the Rev. Dr. Cindy Zirlott in Hitchins 308, or at x7490 or c.zirlott@frostburg.edu.

Upcoming Events

Bob Evans Community Fundraiser, Friday, April 26, 6 a.m. to 10 p.m., 1203 National Hwy., LaVale. Bob Evans is partnering with UCM for Relay for Life. When you eat at Bob Evans on **April 26** and present the Relay for Life flyer at checkout, 15 percent of the amount will go to FSU’s Relay for Life Campaign. To download a flyer, go to <http://unitedcampusministryatfsu.org> or contact chaplain Cindy.

Paid Internship “Peer Minister.” Applications are being accepted for a paid internship “peer minister” position for fall and spring. If interested in learning more, come by the chaplain’s office. The deadline for applications is **May 12**.

Weekly Opportunities

Salvation and Praise Bible Study, Mondays, 7 p.m., Dunkle 123. This is a student-led group.

Spiritual Study Break – A Contemporary Vesper Worship Experience, Wednesdays, 9 p.m., Lane 108.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Thursdays, 8:15 to 9:30 p.m., Library 237. This is a student-led group.

Finding True North Bible Study, Sundays, 6:45 to 9 p.m., Library 237. “Lies and Misconceptions About God and Christianity You May Have Heard” continues. You don’t have to be a member or Christian to join the discussion.

Catholic Campus Ministry Events

For info, contact Kathleen Broadwater at 301-689-5041 or k.broadwater@frostburg.edu. Unless otherwise indicated, events will be held at the Osborne Newman Center.

Weekly Events

Dinner and Program, Tuesdays, dinner at 6 p.m. and program from 7 to 8 p.m.

Word-to-Action Bible Study, Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday Mass, noon at St. Michaels.



Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

bWell Is Hiring!

Allen Hall is seeking a bWell resident peer mentor for the 2013-14 academic term. The position requires the RPM to live within Allen Hall to promote wellness-oriented programs among its first-year student residents. Applicants must also be in good standing at the University, have a vested interest in wellness and have

outstanding communication skills. Free housing is included for 2013-14. For an application packet, contact April Baer at apbaer@frostburg.edu. Applications are due **Wednesday, April 24.**



International

Study Abroad

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 and the Facebook page at www.facebook.com/FSUStudyAbroad.

Limerick, Ireland, Fall 2013 Semester

Students can study abroad for a semester in Ireland at Mary Immaculate College and pay FSU tuition. Financial aid can be used to help cover the costs of room and board while studying in Ireland. Credits will transfer back to FSU. Check out the website for Mary Immaculate College at www.mic.ul.ie.



Student Life

Residence Hall Room Sign-up Continues

Off-campus students and any on-campus students who did not sign up for a room can come to the Residence Life Office weekdays between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. to select a room in a residence hall. Log in at www.welcome-mat.net/frostburg_terms to make sure your housing application is submitted before coming to choose a room. Students who register for a room will sign a contract that will be in effect for the entire academic year.

Edgewood Commons

Now is your chance to complete the application process and secure your space for the fall! All the necessary application forms are available at www.EdgewoodFSU.com. Simply print and fill out the documents and return them to the Edgewood office along with the application fees. Apartments come fully furnished and have private bedrooms and semi-private bathrooms. Edgewood has on-site management and a full-time maintenance staff. Additionally, utilities (gas, electricity, water, Internet and cable) are included in the contract fee. Stop by during the week from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. to take a tour. For info, call 301-689-1370 or email info@EdgewoodFSU.com.



Community

Frostburg Museum Happenings

The Frostburg Museum is a nonprofit organization located at the corner of Hill and Oak streets and is open to the public Thursday through Saturday from noon to 4 p.m. For info, call 301-689-1195 or email frostburgmuseum@verizon.net.

FSU Student Art Show

The museum will present a show of all varieties of work by FSU Art Department students through May 4.



FSU Events Calendar

MONDAY, APRIL 22		
Greek Life Greek Week: Mud Wars	5-8 p.m.....	Upper Quad
UCM: Salvation and Praise Bible Study	7 p.m.	Dunkle Hall 123
University Programming Council Meeting	8 p.m.	Lane 109
TUESDAY, APRIL 23		
Geography Department: Jeremy Tasch	7 p.m.	Lane Atkinson Room (232)
Greek Life Greek Week: So You Think You Can Step?	7 p.m.	Lane Manicur Hall
Sigma Alpha Iota: Music She Wrote.....	8 p.m.	PAC Pealer Recital Hall
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24		
Baseball: Marietta	4 p.m.	Home
Greek Life Greek Week: Olympic Games	7-9 p.m.....	Cordts Main Arena
UCM: Spiritual Study Break	9 p.m.	Lane 108
THURSDAY, APRIL 25		
Blackout Day	noon-1 p.m.....	Campuswide
RHA General Body Meeting	5 p.m.	Dunkle 218
BURG Peer Education Network General Body Meeting.....	6 p.m.	Lane 113
African Student Association Forum	7 p.m.	Compton 226
Greek Life Greek Week: Don't Forget the Lyrics.....	7 p.m.	Lane Manicur Hall
Intervarsity Christian Fellowship.....	7:30 p.m.....	Lane 108
Intervarsity Christian Fellowship: Is the Bible Reliable?.....	7:30 p.m.....	Lane 111
University Theatre: "Peter Pan"	7:30 p.m.....	PAC Drama Theatre
FSU Percussion Ensemble	8 p.m.	PAC Pealer Recital Hall
UCM: Fellowship of Christian Athletes	8:15-9:30 p.m.....	Library 237
FRIDAY, APRIL 26		
Baseball: Penn State Altoona (DH)	2 p.m.	Home
Spring Festival of Children's Literature	4 p.m.	Lane University Center
Volunteerism & National Service: Relay for Life	6 p.m.-6 a.m. (4/27).....	Bobcat Stadium
University Theatre: "Peter Pan"	7:30 p.m.....	PAC Drama Theatre
CES: "Three Phantoms in Concert"	8 p.m.	PAC Pealer Recital Hall
SATURDAY, APRIL 27		
Men's/Women's Track & Field: Paul Kaiser Classic, Shippensburg, University, Pa.....		Away
Spring Festival of Children's Literature	8 a.m.	Lane University Center
University Theatre: "Peter Pan"	7:30 p.m.....	PAC Drama Theatre
SUNDAY, APRIL 28		
University Chorale & Cumberland Choral Society: "Carmina Burana"	3 p.m.	PAC Pealer Recital Hall
UCM: Finding True North	6:45-9 p.m.	Library 237

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

Note: FSU is committed to making all of its programs, services, and activities accessible to persons with disabilities. To request accommodations through the ADA Compliance Office, call 301-687-4102 or use a Voice Relay Operator at 1-800-735-2258.

The Era of Medium-Rare Hamburgers Is Over!



Ground beef should be cooked to an internal temperature of 160°F to kill germs found in raw and undercooked meat.