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President Gibraltar Named Co-Chair of NIAAA College Presidents Working Group to Address Harmful Student Drinking

President Jonathan Gibraltar, who has emerged in recent years as a national leader in efforts to reduce the culture of high-risk drinking among college students, is continuing in that role in a new position as co-chair of the College Presidents Working Group to Address Harmful Student Drinking, a program of the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA). NIAAA is one of the 27 Institutes and Centers of the National Institutes of Health and the lead federal agency for research on alcohol, including college drinking.

Gibraltar was invited to join the group when it was formed in 2011. He was selected as co-chair following the resignation of former Dartmouth College President Jim Yong Kim when Kim was named president of the World Bank. Gibraltar's co-chair is Dr. Robert Carothers, president emeritus of the University of Rhode Island.

"It is important that college and university presidents take a leadership role in describing the impact of high-risk drinking, just as we have a role to play in speaking out on any topic that affects the well-being of our students," Gibraltar said. "I'm proud that this appointment highlights the success that FSU has achieved through our broad-based and research-supported efforts."

FSU has seen a significant decline in high-risk – sometimes called "binge" – drinking in recent years. Based on the national Core Drug and Alcohol Survey, administered to FSU students every three years since 1997, the percentage of students who reported binge-drinking (five or more drinks at a sitting) within the previous two weeks fell from 59 percent in 1997 to 41 percent in 2012, below the national average of 43.1 percent. Similar decreases were reported among those students who reported drinking anything at all for the previous 30 days. Perhaps most telling, the average number of drinks students reported consuming per week dropped from 9.5 in 1997 to 3.9 in 2012; the majority of that decrease has occurred since 2006, which is the year Gibraltar assumed FSU's presidency.

Gibraltar and FSU have been recognized nationally for this leadership. In 2008, Gibraltar was given the first-ever Presidential Leadership Award from a group of seven major higher education organizations for his success in promoting a vibrant intellectual and social campus climate that de-emphasizes the role of alcohol. In 2011, FSU was invited to join the Learning Collaborative on High-Risk Drinking, housed at Dartmouth, a group predominantly populated by

flagship state universities or Ivy League schools.

Gibraltar has spoken at numerous conferences and presented workshops about FSU's efforts and the importance of presidential leadership in fighting alcohol abuse. He was a featured contributor on the topic in the spring 2012 issue of "The Presidency," the American Council on Education's magazine.

The NIAAA College Presidents Working Group to Address Harmful Student Drinking was formed to help bridge the gap between research that continues to identify promising interventions and the development of real-world campus programs to address alcohol-related problems. The 10 presidents in the invitation-only group advise NIAAA on the types of information they need and the ways they want to receive it.

One practical remedy under development by the NIAAA is an idea promoted by the presidents group: an interactive, user-friendly, online "decision support system" to help colleges and universities select appropriate strategies to meet their alcohol intervention goals. The ultimate goal is to share science-based information in accessible and practical ways to provide college administrators with a planning foundation.

FSU Honored as a Tree Campus USA



National Program of Arbor Day Foundation and Toyota Motor North America Inc.

FSU has been honored as a Tree Campus USA, a national program of the Arbor Day Foundation and Toyota Motor North America Inc., which honors colleges and universities and their leaders for promoting healthy trees and engaging students and staff in the spirit of conservation.

To obtain this distinction, FSU met five core standards for sustainable campus forestry required by Tree Campus USA, including establishing a tree advisory committee, evidence of a

campus tree-care plan, dedicated annual expenditures for its campus tree program, an Arbor Day observance and the sponsorship of student service-learning projects.

"We are honored by the Tree Campus USA recognition," said President Gibraltar. "Providing hands-on learning opportunities for our campus community to support environmental stewardship by beautifying our campus with native trees is a huge part of how we're working to make sustainability a part of our institutional culture. I know our students, faculty, staff and community members and partners will continue making great strides in supporting sustainability at Frostburg."

FSU is the only campus in Maryland that has adopted a standard of planting native trees and shrubs, according to **Dr. Sunshine Brosi**, an assistant professor in the FSU

Department of Biology and chair of the Campus Tree Advisory Committee.

Other members of the Campus Tree Advisory Committee include **Greg Partsch** from the Facilities Department, Safety and Sustainability Coordinator **Lawrence Gingerich**, Assistant Professor of Biology **David Puthoff**, Becky Wilson from the Maryland Department of Resources and community member Liz McDowell.

FSU students **Laura G. Smith**, an undergraduate ethnobotany major, and **Mitch Hall**, an ethnobotany graduate and student in the Applied Ecology and Conservation Biology master's program, played a large part in achieving the recognition. Smith, of LaVale, worked on completing the application, and Hall, of Accident, assisted in developing the tree care plan. Both are also members of the Campus Tree Advisory Committee.

Dr. Joseph Hoffman, dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Science,

praised Brosi's role in bringing this Tree Campus USA designation to FSU. "Dr. Brosi's tireless and effective leadership was instrumental in FSU receiving this honor and distinction as a Tree Campus USA," Hoffman said. "This award is still another example of FSU's institutional dedication to improving our regional environment."

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.

Classical Guitar Duo Sise and Edwards in Concert

As part of its Faculty/Guest Artist Series, the FSU Department of Music will present classical guitar duo **Patrick J. Sise** and Mark Edwards performing solos and duets in concert on **Saturday, Feb. 9**, at 8 p.m.

Faculty Artists Present Chamber Recital

The FSU Department of Music will present "Il Venti Semplice" in a Faculty Artist Recital on **Monday, Feb. 11**, at 8 p.m. "Il Venti Semplice," the FSU faculty trio, is comprised of **Pamela Murchison**, on flute and alto flute; **Dr. Mark Gallagher**, on clarinet and bass clarinet; and **Dr. James DeWire**, on piano.

The group will perform a recital of 20th- and 21st-century chamber music celebrating women composers. Jennifer Higdon's energetic "Dash," Maria Grenfell's picturesque "Poems of a Bright Moon" and Zenobia Perry's "Four Mynms for Three Players" will be featured, along with Cynthia Folio's bluesy "Developing Hues." Guest speaker **Dr. Steven Soebbing** will also present a short talk on the role of women composers in today's world.

Murchison plays piccolo with the West Virginia, Akron and Ohio Valley Symphony Orchestras. She is also active as a chamber musician, performing with Matt Murchison Mutiny and other chamber groups throughout Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Maryland. She was a founding member of Mainspring, a chamber group devoted to a fusion of classical and world music. Murchison holds degrees from Duquesne and Youngstown State Universities, and is completing her Doctor of Musical Arts degree at West Virginia University.

Gallagher is a graduate of the Oberlin Conservatory of Music, where he received a B.M. degree and studied with Lawrence McDonald. He also holds an M.M. degree from the Eastman School of Music, having studied with D. Stanley Hasty, and a D.M.A. degree from the University of Wisconsin-

Part of Brosi's contribution to the regional environment beyond the FSU campus is her work with the city of Frostburg to develop a Shade Tree Commission, with the aim of a Tree City USA designation, and assisting Allegany College of Maryland in its efforts to be the second Western

Madison, where he studied with Dr. Linda Bartley. He made his New York recital debut performing with violinist Sylvia Rosenberg at Lincoln Center's Alice Tully Hall and is also a winner of the Artist International Competition in New York City, being awarded a solo recital in Weill Hall. An active chamber musician and co-founder of "Il Venti Semplice," Gallagher has performed throughout the U.S., Europe and China, with recent concert tours of the Netherlands, which included a live national radio broadcast from the Concertgebouw, and performances in Beijing and Changsha, China.

DeWire is a frequent solo performer and member of the West Shore Trio, has appeared up and down the eastern seaboard and is becoming known for his dynamic interpretations of 20th-century works and his "old world flair." His recent concerts include solo recitals in Guildenhorn Recital Hall at the University of Maryland; performances of the West Shore Trio in the D.C. area, including Oaklands Presbyterian church; and a collaborative performance in Auer Hall of Indiana University with John Tafoya. DeWire has recorded three live performance solo CDs and has also received numerous prizes, including the Brander Wyatt Morrison Prize. He received a B.A. with High Distinction and a Master of Arts in piano performance from the University of Virginia, a Master of Music from the New England Conservatory and a D.M.A. from the University of Maryland School of Music (College Park).

Film

One Vision Many Voices Films Explore the Environment



One Vision Many Voices, the year-long celebration of Appalachian culture and community connections, resumes **Feb. 11** with the first of four film screenings at Allegany College of Maryland and FSU.

These four events, which explore environmental issues relevant to the

Maryland campus to be named a Tree Campus USA.

To learn more about FSU's focus on sustainability, visit www.frostburg.edu/lglg or email lglg@frostburg.edu, or become a fan of the "Learning Green, Living Green at FSU (LGLG)" Facebook page at facebook.com/frostburglglg.

region and its people, begin at 7 p.m. on Mondays in February and March. All are free and open to the public.

The film series is a major component of the One Vision Many Voices project of The Appalachian Independent. OVMV uses the arts and humanities to spark dialogue about the community and its vision for a healthier, more sustainable future.

The film series opens **Feb. 11** with "Green Fire, Aldo Leopold and a Land Ethic for Our Time" in ACM's Zimmer Theatre. This feature-length documentary about the legendary environmentalist highlights an extraordinary career that shaped and influenced the modern environmental movement.

A panel discussion will follow the film screening, and representatives of local organizations who are working with these issues will be present for discussion with interested individuals.

The post-film discussions at ACM will be facilitated by students and members of the college's Democracy Commitment initiative, while those at FSU will be led by students in the University's Sociology of the Environment course.

The other three films are:

- "Home" – Filmmaker Yann Arthus-Bertrand uses aerial-only footage to provide an awe-inspiring view of the planet and a concern for its health. His tour of over 50 countries provides a unique perspective and insight into the effects that humans have had on Earth. (**Feb. 25** in ACM's Zimmer Theatre)
- "Dirt! The Movie" – This timely film takes a humorous but substantial look into the history and current state of the underappreciated living organic matter under our feet. The film was inspired by author William Bryant Logan's acclaimed book "Dirt: The Ecstatic Skin of the Earth." (**March 4** in Compton 226)
- "Getting to the Point: Five Issues, Five Films" – Food, water, energy, the economy and the environment are examined in five short but eye-opening films that explore some of the biggest concerns of our times. (**March 11** in Compton 226).

For info, contact Michael Snyder, OVMV project director, at 240-284-8400 or visit www.onevisionmanyvoices.com. Info is also available on the college and university Web sites, www.allegany.edu and www.frostburg.edu.

FSU Presents Int'l Film Festival



A Scene From "Journey to the Sea"

FSU will host the Fourth Annual Bridges to the World International Film Festival featuring films from Uruguay, Israel, Taiwan, Australia and the Czech Republic, in conjunction with the Office of Student Activities and Greek Life, International Division of Maryland's Office of the Secretary of State and World Artists Experience.

"Journey to the Sea" (Uruguay), the first film, will be screened on **Tuesday, Feb. 12**, at 7 p.m. in Lane 111. The film is free and open to the public and will be shown with English subtitles.

"Journey to the Sea" ("El viaje hacia el mar") is a warm and sunny film about friendship and adventure, based on a short story by Juan José Morosoli, an important literary figure in Uruguay. On a Sunday morning in 1963, six men (and a dog) travel from the small, interior town of Minas to the Atlantic Ocean. Driving through Uruguay, the men talk, drink, sing and share their lives and philosophies. "El viaje hacia el mar" is one of Uruguay's best films, with a unique tone and flavor that captures personality of the country. The film runs 80 minutes.

Dates for the remaining films (same time and place) are as follows:

- **Feb. 19:** "Eli and Ben" (Israel)
- **Feb. 26:** "Kung Fu Dunk" (Taiwan)
- **March 5:** "Red Dog" (Australia)
- **March 12:** "Citizen Havel" (Czech Republic)

The Bridges to the World International Film Series is a statewide initiative in recognition of the state's global reach and a reflection of those connections here in Maryland. All films were chosen by the embassies of the respective countries. Each film will be introduced, and participants will be able to sample food representing the various international locations.

For info, call the FSU Information Desk at x4411.



Presentations

Appalachian Lab Spring Seminar Series

Dr. Richard Thomas, West Virginia University, will present "A New Story From Old Trees: Possible Causes of a Recent Anomaly in Tree Growth in the Central Appalachian Mountains" on **Thursday, March 7**, at 3:30 p.m. in AL Room 109.

For info, go to www.umces.edu/al/seminar/schedule.



Black History 101 Mobile Museum

To Celebrate Black History Month, the Diversity Center, in partnership with **Dr. Amy Branam**, an associate professor in the English Department, the Black Student Alliance and the Lane Center University Staff, will sponsor the Black History 101 Mobile Museum on **Monday, Feb. 25**, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall. At 5 p.m., Professor Griff from Public Enemy, a hip-hop group nominated for the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, will speak on the legacy of Malcolm X and his influence on the group's music. The event is free and open to the public.

Financial support is also provided by the President's Office, African-American Studies Program, Department of Communication Studies, Department of English, Department of Mass Communications, Department of Sociology, Leadership Studies Program, Learning Communities Program and the President's Advisory Council of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

If interested in attending, RSVP by **Feb. 20**.

For info, visit www.blackhistory101mobilemuseum.com.



Theatre

V-Day Presents a Benefit Production of "Vagina Monologues"



V-Day@FSU will present benefit performances of Eve Ensler's award-winning play, "The Vagina Monologues," at FSU on **Feb. 22 and 23** at 7:30 p.m. in PAC Pealer Recital Hall. This year's student director is **Shelby Herbert**.

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. for the Information Festival, which features the Clothesline Project, campus and community groups who provide assistance, and V-Day merchandise. The Clothesline Project was designed to essentially "air out society's dirty laundry." Both women and men are invited to create their own T-shirts to be put on display as a visual representation of real stories of violence against women. Alongside the Clothesline Project is the scarf sale, otherwise known as the Scarf Project.

Tickets will be available **starting Feb. 4** and are \$12 for the general public and \$6 for students and may be purchased by phoning x7462 Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 to 4 p.m. For the 12th year in a row, V-Day@FSU will donate the proceeds from ticket and merchandise sales. The Dove Center and the Family Crisis Resource Center will benefit, as well as this year's V-Day Spotlight, One Billion Rising, a campaign that has issued a call to one billion women and men to walk out, dance, rise up and demand an end to violence against women on **Feb. 14, 2013**, V-Day's 15th anniversary.

Hailed by The New York Times as "funny" and "poignant" and by the Daily News as "intelligent" and "courageous," "The Vagina Monologues," which was first performed off-Broadway by Ensler, dives into the mystery, humor, pain, power, wisdom, outrage and excitement buried in women's experiences. Ensler has performed the play to great acclaim all around the world. Villard Books/Random House first published "The Vagina Monologues," which includes a foreword by Gloria Steinem, in February 1998. A special edition was released in hard cover and paperback in February 2008 in honor of V-Day's 10-year anniversary.

V-Day is a global activist movement to end violence against women and girls, and is a catalyst that promotes creative events to increase awareness, raise money and revitalize the spirit of existing anti-violence organizations. V-Day generates broader attention for the fight to stop violence against women and girls, including rape, battery, incest, female genital mutilation and sex slavery. This movement strives to empower women to find their collective voices and demand an end to the violence that affects one in three women in the U.S. and around the world.

The V-Day movement is growing at a rapid pace throughout the world in 140 countries from Europe to Asia, Africa and the Caribbean and all of North America. In 2001, V-Day was named one of Worth Magazine's "100 Best Charities," in 2006 one of Marie Claire Magazine's Top Ten Charities and in 2010 was named as one of the top-rated organizations on GreatNonprofits. In 11 years, the V-Day movement has raised over \$85 million.

To learn more about V-Day@FSU, call x4293 or email the organization at fsuvday@gmail.com. To learn more about V-Day and its campaigns, visit www.vday.org.

Center for Creative Writing's Playwriting Competition

The FSU Center for Creative Writing will hold its fourth annual One-Act

Playwriting Competition to showcase new works. Writers must submit their one-act plays (with a running time of 40 minutes or less) to the center by **Monday, April 1**. Entries will be judged on plot, character development, dialogue and overall quality.

The first prize winner will receive \$750 and production of his or her play at the Frostburg One-Act Playwriting Festival, which will be held on the FSU campus in September. Second and third prize winners will receive \$250 and \$100, respectively, as well as staged readings of their works.

For complete submission guidelines, go to www.frostburg.edu/cwcenter/one-act-play-festival on the Center for Creative Writing's website.



Entertainment

LIVE! at StarScape Presents Comedian Sandra Bernhard



FSU's Cultural Events Series will present a LIVE! at StarScape club event with iconic comedian and actress, Sandra Bernhard.

Bernhard's

musical cabaret performance will take place on **Thursday, Feb. 28**, at 7:30 p.m. and **Friday, March 1**, at 8 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall.

Described admiringly by The New York Times as "a living breathing bonfire," Bernhard's provocative cabaret performance encompasses all the boldness and vitality that have made her legendary in the entertainment world.

During her visit, Bernhard will also present a lecture on women's studies as part of CES' Inspiring Audiences program. This lecture is free but attendance is limited. Contact Hannah Byler at x7420 to reserve a space.

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



Visual Arts

'Recent Work' at the Roper Gallery



"The House of Green Lanterns" by James Giampaoli

"Recent Work," an exhibition by James Giampaoli and John Alderton,

will run **through Feb. 24** at FSU's Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery.

This impressive and colorful exhibit of the artists' most recent work is the first time this father-in-law and son-in-law have held an art show together.

To view the artists' work, visit their websites at www.jimgiampaoli.com and www.aldertonart.com, or their Facebook pages at www.facebook.com/jimgiampaoli.fineart and www.facebook.com/pages/John-Alderton-Fine-Artist/178197472235267.

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



"Summer Rest" by John Alderton



Points of Pride

High School Students Visit Geography Dept. as Part of CPIP

On Jan. 17, 40 local high school students visited FSU's Department of Geography as part of the College Preparation Intervention Program (CPIP). The goal was to provide the students with multiple experiential experiences relating to Earth science, using a range of equipment in Gunter Hall. These activities were hands on, informative and fun!

Participating faculty included **Dr. Phil Allen**, **Dr. Matt Ramspott** and **Adam Lewis**, as well as FSU employee **Gale Yutzy**. Undergraduates **Christyna McCormick**, **Tom Mackay**, **Gavin Caupp** and **Michael Schoelen** also gave visiting students valuable insight into the department and life at FSU. **Dr. Cindy Herzog**, associate dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, and Frank Pinto also contributed to the program.

The day ended with a model volcano demonstration (powered by liquid nitrogen). **Dr. Bob Larivee** and **Dr. Ben Norris** from the Chemistry Department contributed their expert support.

A video of the model volcano can be seen via the department's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/DepartmentOfGeographyFrostburgStateUniversity?fref=ts.

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



Take Note

Sociology Honor Society

Students interested in joining the sociology honor society should contact Dr. John McMullen by **March 1**.

Requirements are 60+ credits earned, 3.3 GPA, 3.0 in sociology courses and at least 12 credit hours of sociology.

For info, contact McMullen at x3162 or jmcmullen@frostburg.edu.

National College Health Survey – Participate and Win!

Beginning **Monday, Feb. 4**, all FSU undergraduate students will receive an email invitation to participate in the National College Health Assessment survey. This survey will provide an overview of what FSU students think and feel about topics ranging from sleep to nutrition. Fifty survey participants will be selected at random to win free FSU stuff, including University store gift cards and hoodies. Check your FSU email and participate today! The survey closes **March 8**.



Flu Shots Are Still Available at Brady!

Brady Health Center still has the influenza vaccine available for students, faculty and staff.

If you have not yet received a flu shot this year, call x4310 to schedule an appointment. The cost is \$20.

Call for Papers

All undergraduates at FSU are invited to submit papers for possible inclusion in the inaugural issue of *ACTIVIST: Journal of Undergraduate Research (AJUR)*, a publication of the Department of Sociology. *AJUR* is a peer-edited and faculty-reviewed journal, committed to highlighting excellence in undergraduate research and scholarship at FSU.

Submissions from any major program of study are welcome, but papers should be concerned with, or relevant to, some social problem or aspect of society and social life.

Submissions must be received by **Feb. 15** for consideration; papers from the previous academic year are acceptable. All papers must be typed, double-spaced, in Times New Roman font, size 12, and should not exceed 20 total pages. All documents must be in Word format (.doc). All papers must be in APA style, with appropriate in-text citations; consult the APA Style Guide for more details at www.apastyle.org. References must be included; all footnotes, endnotes and appendices should be included separately from the body of the paper.

Submit papers electronically via activistjournal@gmail.com.

For info, contact Gary Austin at 240-527-2708 or gaustin@frostburg.edu.

Community Dialogue Series Continues

FSU continues its "Sustaining Campus and Community" dialogue series this spring with dialogue sessions in Frostburg on **Wednesday, Feb. 20**, and **Tuesday, March 26**, both at 5:30 p.m. in the Lyric Theater, 20 E. Main St., and a celebration picnic on **Saturday, May 4**, from noon to 3 p.m. at City Place on Water Street.

These community meetings, initiated last spring, convene 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. Everyone with an interest in the Frostburg community is invited to participate in any part of this process.

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. This fall, a planning retreat, training sessions and two dialogues were held at FSU and in downtown Frostburg.

Nationally known conflict resolution scholar-practitioners Dr. Frank Dukes, lecturer and director of the Institute for Environmental Negotiation at the University of Virginia, and Dr. Marvin Johnson, founder and executive director of the Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution, will continue to offer their expertise for these events.

Details and documentary segments capturing the "Sustaining Campus and Community" efforts can be seen at the dialogue series website at www.frostburg.edu/dept/cmst/dialogue-series.

Anyone interested in being part of this community-building effort should contact project manager Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski at elruminski@frostburg.edu or x4480. 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 in this dialogue series that will provide additional support.



Get Involved

Upcoming UCM Events

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

Special Campus-Community Event: Ash Wednesday Worship Event, Feb. 13. This campus-community reflective event will feature special

guest musicians, time for reflection, Imposition of Ashes and an offering to support the "Nothing But Nets – Stop Malaria" program, which buys mosquito nets and distributes them to people living in Africa and South America.

Weekly Campus Ministry Opportunities – Open to All

Spiritual Study Break – A Contemporary Vesper Worship Experience, Wednesdays, 9 p.m., Lane 108. The news series is "Authentic Worship" – What is it, what's the difference and do we do it? Contact Chaplain Cindy if interested in joining the praise and worship team.

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

Finding True North Bible Study, Sundays, 6:45 to 9 p.m., Library 237. "Bible 101 Workshop" (not for credit but for yourself) will provide you with tools and methods to study the Bible for yourself. By the end of this free workshop, you won't be a theological scholar, but you will know the fundamentals about reading and getting the most from reading the Bible. This event is open to the entire University community.

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.

Winter Special Olympics Trials, Sunday, Feb. 10, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., White Tail Ski Resort.

Weekly Events

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

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

Sunday Mass, noon at St. Michaels.



International

Where Would You Like to Study Abroad?



Kaitlynn Ahalt in Austria (fall 2012)

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, Australia, Peru, Botswana or in many other countries. FSU also offers summer study abroad programs. Financial aid, student loans and scholarships are available.

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. Don't miss this opportunity to enhance your resume!

Study Abroad in Limerick, Ireland, During the 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.



Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

Upward Bound Tutors/Counselors

Summer Positions Available

Upward Bound is seeking tutors/counselors for its summer residential program on FSU's campus. Upward Bound is a federally funded program that encourages qualified Allegany County high school students to seek education beyond secondary school. The summer residence program provides the main focus and aims to provide students with a sample of the college experience.

Tentative dates are **from June 9 to July 26** (which includes five days of training). Tutor/counselor salary is \$2,000. Room and board are provided. The deadline to apply is **March 1**.

For info, contact the Upward Bound office at x4994, email esteele@frostburg.edu or visit the Upward Bound website at www.frostburg.edu/clife/ubp.



Activities for Life

For info and registration, contact AFL coordinator Amy Nazelrod at x7934 or anazelrod@frostburg.edu.

"Move It and Lose It!" Dance Classes

A "Move It and Lose It!" dance class for individuals over 16 will be offered **from Feb. 6 through March 13**, as well as a second session **from March 27 through May 1**. The classes will be held on Wednesdays from 7:15 to 8 p.m. in the Cordts PE Center Dance Studio, room 106. Six participants are needed for each class.

Need to exercise but want to have fun? With "Move It and Lose It!" participants will dance to popular

music and lose weight at the same time. Basic dance movements will be taught, and the students will follow along with the teacher to popular upbeat music for a fun way to get in shape. Participants are urged to wear comfortable clothing that allows for easy movement. Bare feet, socks and non-street shoes are all acceptable.

Nicole Frost will be the instructor for the class.

The registration deadline for Session 1 is **Monday, Feb. 4**, and for Session 2 is **Monday, March 25**.



Community

Frostburg Museum Artists' Exhibition

The Frostburg Museum will present an exhibition by artists Ed Coffey and **Parris Ashley through Feb. 23**.

Coffey earned a degree in design from the University of Illinois. His awards include Best in Show from the Western Maryland Watercolor Society Spring Show in 2011 and Best in Show from the 2012 "Play in the Streets" exhibition at the Frostburg Museum. His work includes watercolor and mixed media, while the subject matter explores the real and imagined world,

focusing especially on technique and misuse of artistic materials.

Ashley, a student of Visual Arts at FSU, has created a series of light-boxes displaying mosaics of prints and film slides. These mosaics, formed by the efforts of many artists, photographers and illustrators, embody the ideals of America's forefathers – equal representation and the guarantee of certain rights. Along with the light-boxes, his work will include wine bottles recycled into works of art through painting and colored paper.

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



Student Life

Edgewood Commons Has Space Available For Spring 2013!

Now is your chance to complete the application process and secure a space for the spring! All the necessary application forms are available on the website at www.EdgewoodFSU.com.

Simply print and fill out the documents and return them to the Edgewood office along with the application fees.

Each apartment comes fully furnished and contains:

- Full-size washer and dryer
- Central heat and air conditioning
- Full-size refrigerator with icemaker
- Dishwasher
- Stove
- Microwave
- Garbage disposal

All Edgewood apartments have private bedrooms and semi-private bathrooms. Other student amenities include:

- Fitness center
- High-def media room with Xbox360, Wii and Playstation3
- Hotel-style lounge with big screen television
- Game room with two pool tables
- Three conference/study lounges
- High-speed wireless Internet
- Extended basic cable television with HBO
- 24-hour computer lab with free printing

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FSU Events Calendar

MONDAY, FEB. 4

Lauren Huyser Recital Clearance3 p.m.....PAC Pealer Recital Hall

TUESDAY, FEB. 5

Leadership & Experiential Learning

Fireside Chats5:30 p.m.....Cordts Hall of Fame

Colleges Against Cancer Relay for

Life Team Captain Meeting7 p.m.....Dunkle 218

Greek Life: Sorority Life Open House7 p.m.....Lane Atkinson Room (232)

Natl. Society of Leadership & Success

Speaker Broadcast, Rudy Giuliani.....7 p.m.....Lane Manicur Hall

UPC Film With Taco Tuesday: "Skyfall"8 p.m.....Lane 111

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6

Faculty Senate4 p.m.....Lane Atkinson Room

Women's Basketball: St. Mary's,

St. Mary's, Md.....6 p.m.....Away

Diversity Center: "What Is Black

History Month?"7 p.m.....Compton 226

Black Student Alliance General

Body Meeting.....8 p.m.....Library 237

Men's Basketball: St. Mary's8 p.m.....Away

THURSDAY, FEB. 7

Blackout Day.....noon-1 p.m.....Campuswide

Residence Hall Association

General Body Meeting.....5 p.m.....Dunkle 218

United Campus Ministry: Fellowship

of Christian Athletes8:15-9:30 p.m.....Library 237

FRIDAY, FEB. 8

National Council of Negro Women,

Inc.: Apollo Night6 p.m.....Lane Loft Stage

SATURDAY, FEB. 9

Men's/Women's Track & Field:

Susquehanna Invitational,
Selinsgrove, Pa.9:30 a.m.....Away

Women's Basketball: Salisbury1 p.m.....Home

Men's Basketball: Salisbury3 p.m.....Home

Classical Guitar Duo: Patrick Sise

and Mark Edwards.....8 p.m.....PAC Pealer Recital Hall

SUNDAY, FEB. 10

UCM: Finding True North6:45-9 p.m.....Library 237

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