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FSU Cultural Events Series Announces Exciting Season

In its 36th annual season, the FSU Cultural Events Series will present a line-up of professional artists in genres of music, dance and theatre. Tri-state residents can choose from affordable events offered as part of two exciting performance series. The Main Stage Series offers artists in a traditional theatrical setting while LIVE! at StarScape delivers club-style seating in an intimate atmosphere. In addition, CES' Inspiring Audiences program allows community members to connect with the arts through attendance at events such as workshops, lectures and open forums.

"Love American Style!" from RHAW



CES will launch its 2013-14 season with the world premiere of "Love American Style!" from the Philadelphia-based dance company, RHAW (Rennie Harris Awe-Inspiring Works). There will be two performances of this hip-hop dance musical, the first on **Thursday, Sept. 12**, at 7:30 p.m. and the second on **Friday, Sept. 13**, at 8 p.m., both in the PAC Drama Theatre.

The winner of numerous awards, grants and fellowships, Lorenzo "Rennie" Harris is recognized worldwide as an innovative choreographer. A critic for The Dance Enthusiast writes that Harris' "nuanced and thoughtful choreography displays athletic bravura, but ... is not dominated by tricks. He staggers lines and alternates facings to create a full-bodied stage effect." His company, RHAW, is composed of some of the best and brightest young dancers on the professional scene. Through Harris' choreography, they explore the electrifying movement vocabulary of street dance and bring the artistry of hip-hop culture to contemporary audiences by making it accessible, inspiring and fun.

"Love American Style!" is a new full-length work that features classic rock music. As part of the project, four talented dancers – three of whom are FSU students – from the Frostburg area will also perform with the dancers from RHAW. **Henry Newby, Amy Milligan, Leah Becker** and Autumn Hudson auditioned in February and were chosen to dance onstage with the professional company.

Tickets are \$23 for adults and \$19.55 for youth under 17.

Seán Keane & Friends in Appalachian Festival Capstone Concert

CES will present Seán Keane & Friends in the capstone concert, "From Ireland to Appalachia," for FSU's eighth annual Appalachian Festival on **Saturday, Sept. 21**, at 8 p.m. in PAC Pealer Recital Hall.



Hailing from Galway, Keane has long been admired in the Celtic music community for his distinctive singing style. Before the age of 16, he had already won 13 All-Ireland awards for singing and flute. He is the two-time recipient of Irish Music Magazine's award for Performer of the Year. A review from The Irish Times described Keane's musical gifts this way: "Could you imagine anybody, anywhere in the world, having a voice like Seán Keane's? It's so distinctive, so Irish, so full of the West of Ireland that it might as well wear a badge. The brogue is easy and rounded, the voice honeyed, rich, thrillingly expressive and relaxed."

Also performing are award-winning musicians, Al Petteway and Amy White, who present an inviting acoustic performance of contemporary Celtic and Appalachian melodies. This husband-and-wife duo has been performing and recording together since 1995, blending original, traditional, contemporary Celtic and Appalachian-influenced music on acoustic guitars, mandolin, Celtic harp, banjo, Irish bouzouki, piano and world percussion.



Tickets are \$18 for adults and \$15.30 for youth under 17. For info about the concert or to purchase tickets, visit ces.frostburg.edu/keane.html.

To learn more about the FSU Appalachian Festival running **from Sept. 19 to 21**, visit www.frostburg.edu/events/afestival, look for it on Facebook or email krogersthomas@frostburg.edu.

Additional CES productions are as follows:

- Maryland Symphony Orchestra featuring the strings band, Time for Three, **Friday, Oct. 11**, 8 p.m., PAC Pealer Recital Hall
- FSU's annual Family Weekend celebration highlighted by the Pedrito Martinez Group, **Saturday, Oct. 12**, 1, 2:15 and 3:30 p.m., Lane Manicur Hall, part of an Afro-Cuban festival, 1 to 5 p.m., Lane University Center
- Scottish singer Julie Fowlis in "Music of the Scottish Isles," **Tuesday, Oct. 29**, 7:30 p.m., PAC Pealer Recital Hall

- The children’s musical, “Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day,” **Thursday, Nov. 7**, 4:30 p.m., PAC Pealer Recital Hall
- LIVE! at StarScape presents jazz and blues singer Catherine Russell, **Friday, Nov. 22**, 8 p.m., Lane Manicur Hall
- Vienna Boys Choir holiday concert, **Thursday, Dec. 12**, 7:30 p.m., PAC Pealer Recital Hall
- “Driving Miss Daisy,” **Tuesday, March 11, 2014**, 7:30 p.m., PAC Drama Theatre
- The children’s “Math Maniac Show” with Max Millions, **Monday, March 24**, 4:30 p.m., PAC Pealer Recital Hall
- LIVE! at StarScape presents “Broadway’s Next H!T Musical,” **Saturday, March 29**, 8 p.m., and **Sunday, March 30**, 3 p.m., Lane Manicur Hall
- LIVE! at StarScape presents Spanish Harlem Orchestra, **Saturday, April 12**, 8 p.m., Lane Manicur Hall
- “An Afternoon of Solo Piano” with Robin Spielberg, **Sunday, April 27**, brunch at 1:15 p.m. and performance at 2:30 p.m., Frostburg’s Lyric Theatre, 20 E. Main St.

Tickets, including ticket packages and discounts, are available for all CES performances: a Build Your Own Series package for those planning to attend several events throughout the year; Corporate Nights offering group pricing, priority seating and personalized service; and Group Sales with special rates for purchases of 15 or more tickets for a single performance. Tickets may be ordered by calling 1-866-849-9237 or x3137 or by visiting ces.frostburg.edu.



Theatre

CAST Brings Shakespeare’s ‘Measure for Measure’ to FSU



The Cambridge American Stage Tour (CAST) will bring William Shakespeare’s “Measure for Measure” to FSU on **Tuesday, Sept. 17**, at 7:30 p.m. in PAC Pealer Recital Hall.

Since 1999, CAST has sent the brightest theatrical talent from Cambridge University across the Atlantic to perform Shakespeare to audiences in the U.S.

Directed and produced entirely by members of the Cambridge student body, this year’s performance is a dark comedy about mercy, justice and truth. In “Measure for Measure,” the Duke of Vienna leaves Angelo, a strict judge, in charge of the city while he is away on a diplomatic mission. Angelo assumes power with relentless spite, oppressing the people of Vienna in his determination to enforce the disregarded laws. He decides to make an example of Claudio, who impregnates his unofficial wife, by sentencing him to death. But, after meeting Claudio’s sister, the enchanting, soon-to-be nun Isabella, he cannot adhere to his own rules. Deceit, hypocrisy and scandal spiral out of control.

Tickets are \$6 for students and \$12 for the general public. Tickets can be purchased in Dunkle 115, or at the door on the night of the performance. For info or reservations, call x4221. For CAST info, visit www.castonline.org.

This event is being sponsored by FSU’s Department of English, with support from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, the Office of the Provost and the FSU Foundation.

Fourth Annual One-Act Play Festival

The FSU Center for Creative Writing is hosting its fourth annual One-Act Play Festival on **Friday, Sept. 27**, and **Saturday, Sept. 28**, in the Lyric Theater, 20 E. Main St. The festival showcases the top three winning plays of the 2013 One-Act Playwriting Competition with a full performance of the first-place play and staged readings of the second- and third-place plays. Performances will start at 7:30 p.m. both nights.

The first-place play is “The Singular of Dice” by Ross Tedford Kendall of California, the second-place play is “The Glass Ceiling” by Sue Lange of Pennsylvania and the third-place play is “The Shrine” by Michael Edan of New York.

“The Singular of Dice” explores the relationship between a hired killer and a reporter interviewing her for a tell-all feature story.

“The Glass Ceiling” is the story of three female co-workers who are supportive of and competitive with each other as they hope to advance to a new position in their company.

“The Shrine” examines the relationship between two mothers: one whose son was killed in a school shooting and one whose son was the shooter.

Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students. They will be available at Main Street Books, the Allegany Arts Council and the Palace Theater box office on the nights of the performances.

For info, visit www.frostburg.edu/cwcenter or contact the Creative Writing Center at x4340 or cwcenter@frostburg.edu.

Matt Murchison Mutiny in ‘Music Without Boundaries’



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.

The FSU Department of Music will present the chamber group Matt Murchison Mutiny performing a mix of musical styles on **Wednesday, Sept. 11**, at 7:30 p.m. The show will include masterful instrumental grooves by composer, arranger and founder Matthew Murchison, as well as a mix of jazz, Latin and classical music performed by the five-piece group.

For the show, Murchison will provide vocals and play the euphonium, tuba and trumpet. Other musicians are Pam Murchison on flute; Matt Pickart on the violin, viola and bass; Randy Bibri on piano; and Colin Pinto-Martin on percussion.

In addition to their Wednesday evening show, the musicians will have an open rehearsal that day from 1 to 3 p.m. in PAC Pealer Recital Hall, followed by a panel discussion on pursuing a career in chamber music at 3 p.m. in room 216 of the Performing Arts Center. The rehearsal and panel discussion are free and open to the public.

Piano Recital by Dr. Jay DeWire

The FSU Department of Music will present a recital by pianist **Dr. Jay DeWire** on **Friday, Sept. 13**, at 7:30 p.m. The audience will be led on a musical journey in which they flee from the French with Beethoven’s patron, visit the Joyous Isle and the Valley of the Bells with Debussy and Ravel and crawl through the underworld in a piece by Liszt.

DeWire is known for his dynamic interpretations of 20th-century works. His recent concerts include solo recitals at the University of Maryland College Park; a collaborative performance at Indiana University with John Tafoya, then-principal timpanist of the National Symphony Orchestra; and performances at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel and New England Conservatory. He has appeared in numerous competitions and was a finalist in the American Musicological Society Mid-Atlantic Chapter Writing Competition.

University Programming Council Presents Jeremiah’s Kall

FSU’s University Programming Council will host a performance by Jeremiah’s Kall on **Saturday, Sept. 14**, at 7 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall. Jeremiah’s Kall performs a range of hip-hop music and poetry that promotes a positive message. These gospel rap artists travel the country to perform high-energy poetry and rap concerts in which they do not use profanity or derogatory lyrics.

For info, contact the Office of Student Activities and Greek Life at x4049.

Faculty Jazz Concert

The FSU Department of Music will present a Faculty Jazz Concert on **Saturday, Sept. 14**, at 7:30 p.m. The concert will feature recently hired faculty members **Bill Green** on tenor saxophone, **Jim Roderick** on bass, **Tom Harrison** on piano and **Marc Lawrence** on drums. Department of Music faculty **Brent Weber** on alto saxophone and **Brent Madsen** on trumpet will join their colleagues to form a jazz sextet. Special guest and FSU student **Olivia Hartman** will offer her unique vocal style on selected tunes.

The program will consist of classic jazz tunes by Oliver Nelson, Cedar Walton, Lee Morgan and Horace Silver. Contemporary works by Joshua Redman, Chick Corea and Don Grolnick will offer a look into the current jazz scene.



Mentalist Robert Channing



FSU’s University Programming Council will present a show by mentalist Robert Channing on **Wednesday, Sept. 18**, at 8 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall. The event is free and open to the public.

Channing performs his mind-boggling shows across the country at colleges and universities. He reads minds, predicts the future and can even tell the serial number on a dollar bill while blindfolded. His energetic and entertaining shows use audience participation, ensuring that everyone in attendance is fully engaged.

For info, contact the Office of Student Activities and Greek Life at x4049.



‘Education to Go’ on Retirements Plans and Long-Term Care Insurance

Julia Graham, a representative from Maryland Supplemental Retirement Plans, will be on campus **Monday, Sept. 16**, to present two “Education to Go” seminars in Lane 108. The following seminars are open to all employees.

- “Supplemental Retirement Plans Overview”: 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (appropriate even if you are not enrolled in a

supplemental plan or enrolled with TIAA-CREF or Fidelity)

- “Go for Broke or Purchase Long-Term Care Insurance?”: 1 to 2 p.m.

Employees are welcome to bring their lunch. For info or to register for either or both seminars, contact Lee Ann Nightingale at x4398.

Center for Creative Writing to Present Poet Rick Campbell



The FSU Center for Creative Writing will begin its fall 2013 Reading Season with poet Rick Campbell, who will read his poetry on **Thursday, Sept. 19**, at 7:30 p.m. in the Lyric Theatre, 20 E. Main St. in Frostburg. The event is free and open to the public.

Campbell’s narrative poetry presents readers with a different view of the world and the human condition with poignant imagery and various topics that range from baseball to mental illness. He has published four books of poetry, “Dixmont,” “The Traveler’s Companion,” “Setting the World in Order” and “A Day’s Work.” He has won a Pushcart Prize, an NEA Fellowship in Poetry and two poetry fellowships from the Florida Arts Council. He has published poems and essays in many journals, including “The Georgia Review,” “The Florida Review” and “Prairie Schooner.” Campbell is the director of Anhinga Press, an independent poetry publisher, and teaches English at Florida A&M University in Tallahassee, Fla.

For info, visit www.frostburg.edu/cwcenter or contact the Creative Writing Center at x4340 or cwcenter@frostburg.edu.

Mathematics Seminar on Game Theory

The FSU Department of Mathematics will host a seminar, “An Introduction to Mathematical Games,” on **Wednesday, Sept. 25**, at 6:30 p.m. in Compton 226. The seminar will provide attendees with an introduction to game theory, a mathematical means to model strategic interactions among people and organizations, and illustrate its application to the fields of business and economics. It is free and open to the public.

The speaker, Dr. Anthony Dukes, is an associate professor of marketing at the University of Southern California in Los Angeles. In his research, Dukes uses game theory to understand firms’ marketing strategies, particularly as it applies to retail and distribution channels, pricing and antitrust.

For info, contact the Department of Mathematics at x4384.

Foundations Sponsor Seminar on Visualized Estate Planning

“Visualized Estate Planning” to Explain Estate-Planning Concepts

Five local charitable foundations – the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation, the Community Trust Foundation, the FSU Foundation, the Garrett College Foundation and the Western Maryland Health System Foundation – have joined forces to offer an advanced development opportunity for professionals involved with any and all aspects of financial and estate planning.

“Visualized Estate Planning,” which will be held at the Cumberland Country Club on **Thursday, Oct. 3**, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., is designed to teach the practitioner how to explain basic and complex estate-planning concepts to clients using visual and graphic techniques. Topics will include patterns of estate planning, how to graphically explain a client’s estate plan, marital deduction/credit shelter trusts, split interest trusts, charitable trusts and business continuance agreements.

The speaker is Arthur Werner, J.D., M.S.T. His areas of practice include business, tax, financial and estate planning for high net worth individuals. In addition to the practice of law, Werner is an adjunct professor of taxation in the Master of Science in Taxation program at Philadelphia University.

The cost of the course is \$49; deadline to register is **Sept. 23**. To register or for more information, contact Rebecca Ruppert at Allegany College of Maryland at 301-784-5338.

AL Seminar Series

Laura Lapham, UMCES Chesapeake Biological Laboratory, will present “Methane Biogeochemistry: From Natural Hydrocarbon Seeps to Oil Blow-outs” on **Sept. 19**, at 3:30 p.m. in AL Room 109. For info, go to www.umces.edu/al/seminar/schedule.



Workshops

MCTA to Host Shape-Note Singing Workshop by Bumper Jacksons



Mountain City Traditional Arts, a project of folklore and folk life programming at FSU, will host a ballad and shape-note singing workshop by the Washington D.C.-based Bumper Jacksons on **Friday, Sept. 13**, at noon at MCTA at 25 E. Main St. In this 45-minute workshop/demonstration, attendees can gain basic aesthetic, structural and historical understandings of shape-note and ballad singing. The Bumper Jacksons will demonstrate a breadth of different ballad and shape-note forms, give historical background on both styles and end the workshop with a shape-note tune sung by all. Later that evening, the duo will perform at Dante’s in Frostburg.

For info, contact MCTA at 301-687-8040 or mountaincitytradarts@gmail.com.



Visual Arts

Roper Gallery to Host Installation by Lawrence Cromwell



FSU will host “Jim Morrison Is the Red Ranger,” an installation by contemporary artist Lawrence Cromwell, in the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery **through Wednesday, Sept. 25.**

The works in “Jim Morrison Is the Red Ranger” are colorful collisions of masterfully crafted figures. The installation incorporates paintings on organically shaped boards, large mobiles, hanging sculptures and short stop-animation films playing on mounted screens.

Cromwell’s work has been in numerous exhibitions across the country, including a handful of solo and group shows at the Jordan Faye Contemporary Gallery in Baltimore.

The Roper Gallery is in the Fine Arts Building. It is open Sunday through Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m.

For info, contact the Department of Visual Arts at x4797 or jbrown@frostburg.edu.



Points of Pride

Bingman Receives WVU Hall of Fame Honor and Alumnus Award

The West Virginia University College of Education and Human Services will recognize alumni and other individuals who have contributed to the College’s mission during its 2013 Scholars’ Honors/Hall of Fame Reception **Oct. 4** from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Grand Hall of the Erickson Alumni Center.

One of the four Hall of Fame awardees is **Dr. William Bingman** of Frostburg, Md.

Bingman received his master’s degree (1967) in elementary education and a doctorate of education (1972) in curriculum and instruction from the College. Bingman taught more than 38 years at FSU in the Department of Educational Professions. He founded and still directs FSU’s Children’s Literature Centre to enhance study and dissemination of children’s literature.

Under his guidance, the Children’s Literature Festival was started and has operated for 33 years. The festival is one of the largest on the East Coast and provides librarians, educators, students and other literacy advocates the opportunity to experience firsthand interaction with celebrated authors, illustrators and storytellers. Additionally, he oversaw the creation of an exchange program with Mary Immaculate College in Limerick, Ireland.

Bingman, now faculty emeritus at FSU, remains active in academia, continuously promoting literacy and exposure to quality literature. In addition to the Hall of Fame honor, Bingman has been chosen as the 2013 Distinguished Alumnus Award recipient.

Whalen to Be Part of ATAS Faculty Seminar

Dr. Sheri Whalen, an assistant professor in the Department of Mass Communication, has been accepted into the 2013 Academy of Television Arts and Sciences Foundation Faculty Seminar, one of the most prestigious seminars in the field, which offers professors opportunities to see how television entertainment works behind the scenes. Whalen will be one of 20 faculty members who will travel to Los Angeles for five days of discussions, presentations and interactions with major studios, production companies, the networks and their top production and programming people.

For info, go to www.emmysfoundation.org/faculty-seminars.



Take Note

Law Enforcement Awareness Day

University Police will host its Seventh Annual Law Enforcement Awareness Day (L.E.A.D.) on **Monday, Sept. 9**, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall. The event is sponsored by the FSU Student Government Association, and the committee is headed by **Sr. Cpl. Michael C. Ruppenkamp**. It is free and open to the public.

This year’s theme is “Crime Prevention – Working Together and Making a Difference.” Representatives from University Police, as well as state, county, municipal and federal law enforcement agencies, will be on hand to provide information and crime prevention tips. Attendees will have the chance to talk to an officer or discuss their concerns, access information regarding their safety and security and observe demonstrations of the latest technology in the law enforcement field. There will be table exhibits, recruitment opportunities and giveaways.

For info, contact Ruppenkamp at x4223.

Come Join The Bottom Line for Its 65th Anniversary!

The Bottom Line, FSU’s independent student-run newspaper, will hold its first full staff meeting of the year on **Wednesday, Sept. 11**, from 5 to 6 p.m. in Lane 113. If you have an interest in writing, journalism, graphic design, photography or marketing/business, come learn about the organization.

The Bottom Line is a recognized student organization that produces a professional quality publication every week during the school semester. The staff consists of students of all backgrounds and majors who are interested in making a difference.

Not interested in being a part of the publication? You can still be involved with shaping the content of the newspaper. The Bottom Line accepts letters to the editor, story ideas and freelance work from anyone connected with the FSU campus. To send in these materials, visit the "Contact Us" page on the website at www.thebottomlineonline.org. You can also stop by the office in Lane 217.

If you can't make the meeting, stop by the table set up at the organization fair on **Tuesday, Sept. 10**, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. outside Lane Manicur Hall.

FSU to Host Cancer Prevention Study

FSU will host one of the appointment sites for the American Cancer Society's landmark new research study, Cancer Prevention Study-3. ACS is recruiting a diverse group of men and women across the U.S. to better understand the lifestyle, environmental and genetic factors that cause or prevent cancer. The study ultimately aims to eliminate cancer as a major health concern for future generations.

If you are between the ages of 30 and 65 and have never been diagnosed with cancer, you are eligible. There is no cost to participate. To enroll:

- Visit www.CPS3AlleganyCounty.org to schedule your appointment. Appointments will take place on **Thursday, Sept. 12**, from 3 to 6:30 p.m. in the Hall of Fame Room of the Cordts PE Center. Your appointment should last 20 to 30 minutes.
- After scheduling your appointment, you will receive a confirmation email with instructions to go online and complete the comprehensive survey, which will take approximately 45 to 60 minutes.
- At your appointment, you will be asked to sign an informed consent form, complete a short survey and provide a waist measure and a small blood sample.
- At home, you will be asked to complete mailed surveys every two years over the next 20 to 30 years to update lifestyle, medical and behavioral information.

CPS-3 ultimately aims to eliminate cancer as a major health concern for future generations. For info, visit www.cancer.org/cps3, email cps3@cancer.org, or call toll-free 1-888-604-5888.

Frostburg Community Dialogue Series Continues

Emphasis Is on Neighborhood Relationships, Safety and Housing

FSU's "Sustaining Campus and Community" dialogue series will continue for another year of facilitated sessions aimed at helping the community strengthen neighborhood relationships and foster a nonviolent, civil culture. Dialogue sessions, open to the public, are scheduled for **Thursday, Sept. 12**, and **Tuesday, Oct. 15**, at 5:30 p.m. in the Lyric Theater on Main Street.

In this second year of the series, community members will come together to create tangible solutions for deeper-level, sensitive and structurally challenging town and gown tensions that affect safe, secure living conditions and civil relationships between long- and short-term residents in the college town. Nationally recognized 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 help facilitate the sessions, along with project manager **Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski**, chair of FSU's Department of Communication Studies and an associate professor in that department.

Details and documentary segments about the project are available at www.frostburg.edu/dept/cmst/dialogue-series. Those interested in being part of this community-building effort should contact Ruminski at elruminski@frostburg.edu or x4480.

Open Enrollment Benefits Fair

The Open Enrollment Benefits Fair will be held **Tuesday, Sept. 17**, from 9 a.m. to noon in the Lane Atkinson Room (232). Representatives from the state's various medical plans (Aetna, CareFirst BC/BS and United Healthcare), United Concordia (dental plan) and Express Scripts (prescription plan) will be available, as well as vendors from ConnectYourCare, Minnesota Life, Prudential and APS. Additional representatives will include SECU, the Department of Budget & Management, AFSCME, MCEA, Nationwide, TIAA-CREF and Fidelity. For info, contact Lee Ann Nightingale at x4398.

'Change Your World'

Oct. 12 is world service day. UCM and Volunteer Services will mark that date with a "Change Your World" community service day and will perform various services around the neighborhood for the elderly and disabled.

Neighborhood Friends Care, a local community service organization, will set up the spots around town that UCM/Volunteer Services will visit and then determine the number of volunteers and equipment needed for the tasks. If you know a neighbor, friend or relative that needs some help, let him or her know about this opportunity.

If you need a service request application form, contact the Rev. Dr. Cindy Zirlott at c.zirlott@frostburg.edu. The deadline to return completed forms to NFC is **Sept. 17**.

If you want to volunteer, sign up at the Student Organizational Fair on **Sept. 10** from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. or email Chaplain Zirlott.

Clothing Needed for Dress for Success

The Women’s Studies Steering Committee will host a Dress for Success Program for female students on **Oct. 18** from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall. As part of the program, the group will help create a professional dress closet for young women. For a small amount, the women can purchase pieces for their closets.

The Diversity Center is accepting donations and is looking for gently worn items for the girls. Items needed include sweaters, slacks, suits, button-down tops, skirts, belts, jewelry, dresses and blazers in all sizes.

For info, contact the Diversity Center at x4050.

Annual Majors Fair

The Center for Advising and Career Services will sponsor the annual Majors Fair on **Wednesday, Nov. 13**, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Lane Manicur Hall. Student organizations from academic departments across campus will showcase their majors with interactive demonstrations and information about career and internship areas within the fields.

For info, call x4403.

Early Reminder for Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will host the Third Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium the **first week in May 2014**. The symposium will give undergraduate students the opportunity to showcase their research or experiential learning projects to their peers and share experiences across disciplines. The symposium will include poster presentations, oral presentations and physical displays. Projects conducted in summer 2013, fall 2013 or spring 2014 will be included. The application form will be posted on the CLAS website soon, but will not be due until **February 2014**.

Keep this opportunity in mind as you think about undergraduate student projects for the fall semester!

Questions may be directed to Karen Keller at kkeller@frostburg.edu or x4174, or Linda Steele at lsteel@frostburg.edu or x4137.



Volunteers

Science Discovery Center Looking for Student Volunteers

FSU’s Science Discovery Center is looking for student volunteers to help show this impressive display of animals from all over the world. Hours are flexible. For info, contact Susan Snow at srsnow@frostburg.edu or x4723.



Get Involved

Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Alpha Sigma Tau to Sponsor Blood Drive

The fraternity of Sigma Alpha Epsilon and the sorority of Alpha Sigma Tau will sponsor a blood drive for the American Red Cross on **Wednesday, Sept. 18**, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Lane Atkinson Room (232). There will be sign-up tables in the Lane Center on **Tuesday, Sept. 10, Thursday, Sept. 12** and **Tuesday, Sept. 17**, all from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A shortage of blood in exists Western Maryland. Just one donation can save someone’s life!

For info or to sign up, contact Brent Butler at bmbutler0@frostburg.edu.

Upcoming UCM Events

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

Fall Campaign to Fight Malaria. UCM will once again coordinate its Fall Campaign to Fight Malaria in Africa, starting with a “Party for a Cause: Imagine No Malaria” **Sept. 20** at 7:30 p.m. in Lane 111. The event will include a short documentary film about the epidemic, “Killer in the Dark,” karaoke and open mic, refreshments, some fun games and a craft area. Departments and student groups are encouraged to begin collecting money now for this campaign, which will end **Oct. 31**. A \$10 contribution will purchase a net that can cover four people. Each net is treated and will last for three years. UCM’s goal is to end the malaria epidemic by 2015. Let’s see how many nets FSU can send this year!

Weekly Campus Ministry Opportunities Open to the FSU Community

Salvation and Praise Bible Study, Mondays, 7 p.m., Lane 111. This student-led Bible study group will start **Sept 9**.

Spiritual Study Break – A Contemporary Vesper Worship Experience, Wednesdays, 9 p.m., Lane 108. This will start on **Sept. 11**. If interested in joining the Praise team, contact UCM for practice times.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Thursdays, 8:15 to 9:30 p.m., Library 237. This student-led Bible study will start **Sept. 12**.

Finding True North Bible Study, Sundays, 6:45 to 9 p.m., Library 237. “Pressure Points: Bible Meets Life” study and discussion will start **Sept. 15**.



Activities for Life

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

Youth Swimming Lessons

Youth swimming lessons for children ages 4 to 13 on will be offered on **Mondays and Wednesdays, Sept. 23 through Oct. 9**, from 6:40 to 7:30 p.m. in the Cordts PE Center swimming pool.

Youth swimming instruction is separated into skill levels based on the child's swimming ability when enrolling in the class.

The registration deadline is **Friday, Sept. 20**.



Student Life

Edgewood Commons Still Accepting Applications for This Year!

Edgewood Commons still has space for the fall! Application forms are available at www.edgewoodFSU.com. Simply print, fill out and return the documents to the Edgewood Commons office with the \$200 application fee.

Apartments come fully furnished, with private bedrooms and semi-private bathrooms. Utilities 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.



International

Where in the World Would You Like to Study Abroad?



Kira Almcateen in Spain (Summer 2013)

The Center for International Education offers ways for FSU students to see the world. In some cases, students can pay FSU tuition, room and board and study for a semester 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 can help fund a study abroad experience.

For info on programs or scholarships, visit the Fuller House (across the street from the 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.

Mary Immaculate College, Limerick, Ireland, Spring 2014

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

Northumbria University, England, Spring 2014

Students have an opportunity to study in England for a semester. Tuition and fees are paid to FSU while room and board are paid to Northumbria University. Courses will transfer back to FSU with prior approval. Check out the university's website at www.northumbria.ac.uk.

Study Abroad in Latin American Countries

Come out and learn more about studying abroad in Latin American countries on **Sept. 16** at 4 p.m. in Lane 109.

Mexican or American?

Many Mexican-Americans have trouble identifying fully with either culture. A forum will be held on **Sept. 25** at 7 p.m. in the Lane Atkinson Room (232) to discuss the identity of the Hispanic people and how the cultures of Mexico and America "intersect."



FSU Has Its Own Cable Channel

Did you know FSU has its own cable channel? FSU-TV3 is available on Comcast's channel 3 in Frostburg, Mt. Savage and Lonaconing. The channel offers various programming – student-produced shows like "Bobcast," "Down to Earth With Dr. G," varsity athletics and local Frostburg City Council meetings.

Check out what's going on at www.frostburg.edu/fsu-tv3 and follow FSU-TV3 on www.facebook.com/FSUTV3 and <https://twitter.com/fsutv3>.

Have a Federal Work Study or Need an Internship?

Check out what opportunities are available at www.frostburg.edu/fsu-tv3/work-opportunities.



Mountain City Center for the Arts to Open This Month

Mountain City Center for the Arts will host “Broadway and Main – An Opening Performance Celebration,” **Saturday, Sept. 14**, from 7 to 9 p.m. at MCCA located at 2 W. Main St. in Frostburg, formerly the First National Bank. Hosted by the owner, Coty Warn, the evening will showcase the teachers of MCCA as well as many talented local artists, performers and writers. Performers will include Warn, **Jamie McGreevy**, Mallory Smith, Jessica Seminerio, Erin Dettinburn, Ian Sullivan, **Mairzy Yost-Rushton**, Henry Newby, Jordan Kline, Gina Powell, **Tiffany Pirolozzi**, Jen Virts, Christian Robinson, Chris Coy and Maddie Bohrer.

Md. Native Plant Society Conference

The Maryland Native Plant Society will host its annual fall conference **Sept. 21 and 22** at the Lyric Building on Main Street. The conference theme is “The Threatened Natural Communities and Rare Plants of Maryland’s Mountains.” Registration is \$15 for FSU staff and students.

For info, contact Dr. Sunshine Brosi at slbrosi@frostburg.edu or visit www.mdflora.org.

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 or to volunteer, call 301-689-1195 or email frostburgmuseum@verizon.net. The website is www.frostburgmuseum.org.

The Frostburg Museum, in association with Savage River Arts, presents poetry, paintings and other creative accomplishments of students, ages 8-12. These students explored Western Maryland’s beauty and produced reflections of their experiences during workshops held in New Germany State Park and the Savage River Forest this summer. The opening reception will be held at the museum on **Sunday, Sept. 22**, from 3 to 5 p.m.



For info on FSU events, go to <http://events.frostburg.edu/calendar>.

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.

Julia Child Was Wrong! Don’t Wash Your Raw Chicken.



Washing increases the chances you'll spread foodborne pathogens like salmonella and Campylobacter.

Some studies suggest bacteria can “fly” up to 3 feet away from where meat is rinsed.

FROSTBURG STATE UNIVERSITY MISSION STATEMENT

Frostburg State University is a student-centered teaching and learning institution featuring experiential opportunities. The University offers students a distinctive and distinguished baccalaureate education along with a select set of applied master's and doctoral programs. Frostburg serves regional and statewide economic and workforce development; promotes cultural enrichment, civic responsibility and sustainability; and prepares future leaders to meet the challenges of a complex and changing global society.

INSTITUTIONAL PRIORITIES

- 1. Enhance experiential and applied learning opportunities for students both inside and outside the classroom.
- 2. Improve facilities so that students live and learn in a modern and technologically sophisticated environment.
- 3. Increase student quality and improve student persistence to graduation.