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A Night of Classics on Tuesday

The First Tuesday Performance Series at ABAC on Tuesday will feature "A Night of Classics" from Chopin and Handel. The concert will begin at 7 p.m. in the Chapel of All Faiths. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$1 for students. Guest performers for this event are David Bradshaw, guitarist; F. Scott Kroll, clarinet; Susan Spivey, piano; and Lucy Hudson Stembridge, vocalist.

A one-person art show by Meredith Phillips, recent recipient of the Marian Jones Girtman Scholarship, will follow the event.

The performance will begin with *Elegie in E-flat minor* by Sergei Rachmaninoff and *Waltz in D-flat Major, Op.*

64, No. 1 with Spivey as the featured pianist. Next, Stembridge and accompanist Gina Lawhon will perform *Rejoice Greatly* from Handel's "Messiah", *C'est L'Extase* by Debussy and *Ain't it Good* from "Children of Eden".

Clarinet Sonata No. 2 by Carl Vollrath will be played by Kroll with Lawhon as accompanist. The final pieces will be played by feature guitarist Bradshaw. He will perform *A Ravel* by Arnaud Dumond and *Sonata* by Federico Moreno Torroba.

The concerts are held the first Tuesday of each month. For more information, contact Dr. Susan Roe, coordinator of the series, at 386-3097.



Susan Spivey is one of the performers who will be featured at the First Tuesday Concert this week.



Champs Once Again!

For the fourth time in the past five years, the faculty-staff team defeated the students 19-16 in the annual Moonlight Mania game at Gressette Gym. Coach Jeff Gibbs' team held off a late charge by the students in the 15-minute running clock game. Team members included Chris Martin, Donna Campbell, Steve Janousek, Don Coates, Julie Conner, Todd Sheppard, Robert Moore, Emory Smith, John Davis, and Carlos Howard.

Open Campus Day Saturday

The annual fall Open Campus Day will be held Saturday from 10 a.m. until noon in the Cordell Conference Room of the Carlton Center.

Offices and divisions can set up their displays in Section A of the Cordell Conference Room from 1-5 p.m. on Friday and from 8-9 a.m. on Saturday. All exhibits and personnel must be in place by 9 a.m. on Saturday. Students and parents usually begin arriving by 9:15 a.m.

Highlights of the day will include the academic exhibits, tours of the campus by the ABAC Ambassadors, tours of the ABAC Place apartments, driving tours of the campus, an info session on financial aid, admissions, and housing, and a free ABAC souvenir.

Over 100 visitors have already signed up for the Open Campus Day. If you have questions, call 3264.

Basketball Teams Begin Play Tonight

The Golden Fillies and Golden Stallions will begin their basketball seasons tonight at Mount Vernon to take on the Brewton Parker junior varsity. The home opener for Coach Julie Conner's Fillies and Coach Todd Sheppard's Stallions will be on Nov. 8 against the Brewton Parker JV. The Fillies tip off at 5:30 p.m.



Baldwin Players Present 'The Death of a Hired Man'



The Baldwin Players will present *The Death of A Hired Man* by Jay Reid Gould, adapted from the poem by Robert Frost, on Nov. 11-13.

Preceding the show each night will be a recitation of the poem and a brief explanation by Jeff Newberry, ABAC Humanities professor. The play will be held in Conger Hall, Room 319 at 7:30 p.m. Admission is free to all students, faculty, and staff. General admission is \$5.

The play is set on a New England farm in the early part of the last century. The play concerns a farm couple and how they deal with the reappearance of an elderly field hand who used to work for them. It is a play about family, home, compassion, and understanding.

For additional information, contact Galyean on campus at 386-3099, or e-mail him at jgalyean@abac.edu.

Beauty Revue November 16

Ms. Abraham Baldwin 2005 will be crowned on Nov. 16 at the 36th annual ABAC Beauty Revue. Sponsored by the Inter-Activities Council, Student Government Association, and the Campus Activities Board, the Revue begins at 7:30 p.m. in the Donaldson Dining Hall. Admission is \$3.

The event will feature 52 contestants who will compete in casual wear and evening gowns. They will also be judged on a written essay and an interview with the judges.



Fall Band, Choir Concert November 18

The ABAC Concert Choir, a 40-voice ensemble directed by Associate Professor of Music Wane Jones, will perform a variety of choral music on the campus of ABAC on Nov. 18 at Howard Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. This concert is free and open to the public.

The choir will open with the anthem "Daemon Irreplit Calidus" by the Hungarian composer Gyorgy Orban."

The ABAC Concert Band under the direction of Eugene Wyles will



also be featured in the concert with selections from musicals and overtures. Their program will begin with the "William Tell Overture," from Rossini's famous opera by the same name.

Cheek, Davis Join One Stop Shop Staff

Enrollment Services Office Manager Michelle Barton reports that two new staff members, Emily Cheek and Dawn Davis, are on the job in that area.

Cheek is a TCHS graduate who received her Associate in Applied Science degree in General Business and her Associate degree in Business from ABAC. She also has a BBA in Management from Georgia Southwestern.

Cheek worked at the Baldwin Li-

brary for six years as a Library Assistant II before moving to the UGA Tifton Campus Library for three years.

Davis is a Cook High graduate who attended ABAC and then graduated from Valdosta State with a bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education. She worked for the Clayton County Board of Education and the Georgia Building Authority before coming to ABAC.



Couch Potato Shootout Winner

Tara Caldwell, a Family and Childrens' Services major from Moultrie, won the annual Couch Potato Shootout at the Moonlight Mania festivities at Gressette Gym Tuesday. Caldwell is a member of the ABAC cheerleaders. While sitting in the recliner, she hit a shot from the free throw line to win the chair. The contest was sponsored by Bernice Hughes, ABAC Place, and BACCHUS.

Sam Brown Recipient of Wine & Spirits Scholarship

Sam Brown, a non-traditional cooperative degree student from Norman Park, has received a scholarship to ABAC worth \$1,922 from the Wine and Spirits Wholesaler Foundation.

On hand for the presentation were Tom Call, Interim President of ABAC; Fred Kitchens of the Wine and Spirits Wholesaler Foundation; Paul Thomas of United Distributors; Jim Glass and Shawn Utley of Moultrie Technical College; Regent Julie Hunt; Representatives Penny Houston and Jay Roberts, and Senator Rooney Bowen.

Brown, a newlywed of four months to wife Mary Beth, has only attended ABAC for a year at the Moultrie location of ABAC on the Square. He is completing a cooperative degree in carpentry between ABAC and Moultrie Tech and has already begun teaching at Moultrie Tech.

Brown said, "I'm honored and grateful for the scholarship that has been given to me." Brown has worked a full-time job while maintaining a GPA of 4.0.

The scholarship awarded by the Wine and Spirits Wholesaler Foundation is given every other year to a non-traditional student who shows financial need with outstanding academic standing. Each business in the foundation is a family-owned Georgia business.



Sam Brown (center) is congratulated by (l-r) Interim President of ABAC, Tom Call; Representative Penny Houston; Wine and Spirits Wholesaler Foundation Representative Fred Kitchens; Paul Thomas of United Distributors; Shawn Utley of Moultrie Tech; Senator Rooney Bowen; Jim Glass from Moultrie Tech; Julie Hunt from the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia; and Representative Jay Roberts.

Scholarships have been given by this organization for the past 40 years, resulting in 938 scholarships totaling

almost \$1 million. This year alone, 24 scholarships were awarded to 20 institutions for a total of over \$47,000.

Noted European Orchestra to Play in Tifton Nov. 11

The Polish Philharmonic Resovia which hails from a land renowned for its rich musical heritage will perform on Nov. 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the Tift County High School Performing Arts Center. This event is the third production of the South Georgia Arts Alliance's Arts and Entertainment Series.

This 48 member orchestra is known throughout Europe for its magnificent performances at cultural festivals along with great concerts in its own Artur Malawski National Philharmonic Hall. In their concert, these musicians skillfully present classics by Bach, Mozart, Beethoven, and Chopin as well as pieces from composers of their home-



The Polish Philharmonic Resovia

land.

"Be transported by the exotic sounds created by this distinguished international orchestra. We are delighted to present this European orchestra as a part of the Arts and Entertainment Series. This concert is a treat

for South Georgia," said Wayne Jones, Executive Director of the ABAC Arts Connection.

Members of the orchestra will talk informally about the concert at the informance at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$15 for students under 18, and free for ABAC students with a valid ID. Call the Arts Connection 386-3558 or go to www.southgaarts.com

for more information or

to purchase tickets. Tickets can also be purchased as a part of the Arts and Entertainment Series subscription which has five performances remaining. Season subscriptions are \$50 for adults, \$15 for students under the age of 18 and free for ABAC students.

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Raffle for Women's Basketball Team



A reverse raffle, barbecue dinner, and silent auction will be held on Nov. 19. The event is scheduled for

7 p.m. at the Rowan Pavilion at Lake Baldwin to help benefit the ABAC Women's Basketball Team.

Tickets for the raffle are \$50 each and include a buffet barbecue dinner, one raffle ticket, one season pass for each regular season home game, and the listing of the participants' names as contributors on the ABAC Fillies web page. Tickets will be sold by the women's basketball players and the ABAC Rowdies.

Three hundred tickets will be sold for this event. Every 25th ticket pulled from the reverse raffle will win \$50 dollars and the last ticket pulled will receive \$1,000. Participants do not need to be present to win.

A silent auction will also take place as part of this event. Those interested in donating items to the auction can contact Coach Julie Conner at 386-3927 or by e-mail at jconner@abac.edu.

Regents' Test Tuesday

Please remind your students that the Regents' Test will be administered on Tuesday. Those taking the test must go by the Student Development Center today to confirm their clearance for the test and to commit to a time slot. Call 3231 for more information.

Celebrating Birthdays

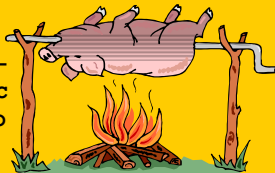
November

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- 6 Patricia Willis
- 7 Kathy Moreno
- 8 Phyllis Kester
- 8 John Settini
- 8 Marc Steinberg



Ambassadors Selling Cooked Boston Butts

The ABAC Ambassadors are selling 7-9 pound fully cooked Boston butts at a cost of \$20 each. The meat can be picked up on Nov. 23 between 4-6 p.m. in the parking lot of the Ag Sciences Building. Contact any Ambassador or Public Relations to place orders.



Fillies Host Pancake Breakfast

The Fillies softball team will hold its annual pancake breakfast at Applebee's on Saturday from 8-10 a.m. Tickets are \$6 each. Contact any team member or Coach Donna Campbell to purchase your tickets and support this fundraising effort.



Open Enrollment

The Open Enrollment period for your 2005 ABAC Benefits will run through Nov. 12. If you have questions call Human Resources, 3491, or College Services, 7232.

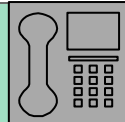
ABAC Family

Tom Call, Beth Saxon, Bruce Applewhite, Ali Csinos, and Dr. Gail Dillard attended the GACROA Conference held in Savannah on Oct. 24-26. At the conference, Call was installed as president and Applewhite as treasurer of the organization for 2004-05. Dillard presented a session titled "ACE: The Adult College Entry Program for Non-Traditional Student," and former ABAC President **Mike Vollmer** was the keynote speaker at the conference.

Stephanie Holcombe presented a session entitled "Making Connections: Numeric versus Algebraic Fractions" to middle and high school math teachers at the Georgia Council of Teachers of mathematics state conference held at Rock Eagle on Oct. 15.

Dr. Maggie Martin and **Arlene Bailey** administered the National ACT to 17 students from 11 different schools on Oct. 23. **Anita Williams, Phyllis Moore, and Kim Scarborough** also assisted.

Use Your New Phones for On-Campus Calls



ABAC is getting ever closer to using its new phone system. Please begin using your new phones for all on-campus calls. At this time you cannot call off-campus but that's coming very soon, possibly in the next two weeks.

Use your directory on your new phone to find the person you're trying to call or use the updated phone list you can access at ABAC Central. Let's hear those new phones buzzing and beeping and even talking back to you!

Care & Concern

Stefane Hightower's niece, Laneah Beth Whiddon, is in the neonatal ICU at John Hopkins in Baltimore, Md. Please keep this family in your thoughts and prayers.

Calendar of Events

Monday, November 1

8 p.m.-Christian Student Fellowship (Chapel)

Tuesday, November 2

9 a.m.-Regents' Test (Cordell Conf. Room)
1:30 p.m.-Regents' Test (Cordell Conf. Room)

6 p.m.-Regents' Test (Cordell Conf. Room)

7 p.m.-First Tuesday Concert (Chapel)

Wednesday, November 3

11 a.m.-Student Support Services Workshop (Cordell Conf. Rm A)

Noon-Christian Student Fellowship (Chapel)

7 p.m.-Student Union Show—
Chinua Hawk (Dining Hall)

Thursday, November 4

7:30 p.m.-Middle S. Ga. Soil & Water Conservation District Banquet (Dining Hall)

9 p.m.-Christian Student Fellowship (Chapel)

Friday, November 5

7 p.m.-Swafford/Reeves Wedding Rehearsal (Chapel)

Saturday, November 6

10 a.m.-Open Campus Day (Cordell Conf. Room)

2 p.m.-Swafford/Reeves Wedding (Chapel)

Monday, November 8

8 p.m.-Christian Student Fellowship (Chapel)

6 p.m.-Hunter Safety (Cordell Conf. Room A)

6 p.m.-Tifton-Tift Co. Arts Council (Cordell Conf. Room C)