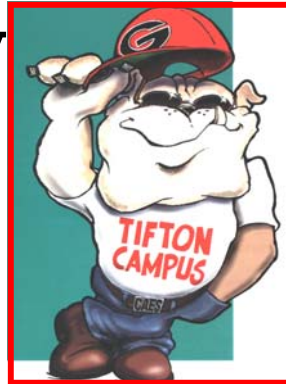


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UGA Info Session Thursday

An information session on entering the Tifton Campus the University of Georgia UGA Program for the 2004 classes being taught in Tifton spring term should plan to attend. For further information, contact UGA Tifton Campus Academic Programs Coordinator Donna Webb at 386-3528 or by email at dwebb@tifton.uga.edu.



Design Contest Underway

The annual design contest for the official ABAC holiday card is now underway. President Mike Vollmer and his wife, Lennie, want to continue the tradition of having an original design that depicts or promotes the college. To be eligible, you must have some connection to the college. That can be as a student, faculty member, staff member, administrator, or alumnus. The winner will receive a \$50 gift certificate from the ABAC Bookstore and a short bio on the back of the card.

Submit your entries to Fran Kinchen in the President's Office by Oct. 15. The only guidelines are your imagination and the ability to have your entry reproduced.

Moonlight Mania



Mark your calendar for the annual Moonlight Mania showcasing the ABAC faculty and staff against the students in a basketball game at Gressette Gym at 7 p.m. on Sept. 29. Also, the Fillies and the Stallions will be introduced that evening. Those teams start practice on Oct. 1 for the 2003-2004 hoop season.

Those faculty and staff members who wish to play against the students should sign up with Coach Julie Conner at jconner@abac.edu or call her at 3927 so she can order you a T-shirt.

High Museum Trip Planned

Arts Connection Assistant Director Polly Huff is working on a fall trip to the High Museum of Art in Atlanta. The trip is scheduled for Sept. 23 from 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. The cost is \$55 for students and \$60 for adults. This price includes transportation, museum ticket, and snacks for the bus.

The museum is offering two exhibits for the price of one. You will see the Edward Hopper exhibit, never before seen at the High, and the extremely popular Ansel Adams exhibit.

Email phuff@abac.edu for more details or call her at 386-3558.

Last Day to Apply for VP

Today is the last day to apply for the position of Vice President and Dean of Academic Affairs at ABAC. Members of the search committee are Dr. Bobbie Robinson (Chair),

Wasdon Graydon, Tom Call, Kay Powell, Wanda Golden, Julie Conner, Dr. Larry McGruder, Dr. Marvin Holtz, and Dr. Doug Waid.



AAC New Hours

New hours for the Academic Assistance Center begin today. The AAC will be open Monday-Thursday from 8 a.m.-6:30 p.m. On Friday, the Center will be open from 8 a.m.-1 p.m. The change in the tutoring hours will allow the Center to have more tutors available to assist the many students who are utilizing the AAC. The new hours will also alleviate budgeting concerns due to the decrease in the SWSP budget.

Tickets for Cordell Lecture Available



Tickets remain available for the Tom M. Cordell Distinguished Lecture Series featuring Anthony Grooms on Sept. 30 at 7:30 p.m. in the Cordell Conference Room of the Carlton Center. There is no charge for the tickets, but due to limited seating

capacity, every person who desires to attend the lecture must pick up a ticket from the Public Relations Office on the second floor of Tift Hall.

Grooms is the author of *Bombingham*, the book featured in the freshman reading program this fall.

ABAC Public Relations

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Tifton, GA 31793-2601
(229) 386-3264

State Garden Club Here Wednesday

The Garden Club of Georgia will indulge in a unique activity on Wednesday from 8-10 a.m. on campus. Members will be planting trees and shrubs as a service project on the north side of the Carlton Center. Stephen Rakestraw, Lorie Felton, and Dr. Ed Seagle are assisting in the coordination of the project.



Attention Newcomers

Welcome to Tifton! Tifton has a newcomers' club called the Tiftonite Club. The group meets the second Thursday of the month at the Carousel House on Second Street at 7:30 p.m. The club has many exciting activities planned. On Saturday, newcomers are invited to a High Tea from 1:30-3:30 p.m. at the home of Susan Groff. Please call her at 386-3106 or 382-9452 or by email at sgroff@abac.edu if you are interested in attending.

ABAC Family

Mike Vollmer and **Mike Chason** gave the Tifton Sertoma Club an ABAC update on Sept. 11.

Mike Chason spoke to seven classes at Worth County High School about ABAC and *The Eagle in You* on Sept. 10.

Members of the **ABAC Family and Consumer Sciences Club** attended the State Fall Leadership Conference at UGA on Sept. 6-7.



Stephen Rakestraw enjoys the Carlton Center fountain when ABAC opened the first phase of the Pedestrian Mall at Homecoming 2003.

La Fiesta Sept. 27

La Fiesta Del Pueblo will be held on Sept. 27 from 10 a.m.-10 p.m. at Fulwood Park. The Fiesta board is in dire need of volunteers. Call Polly Huff at the Arts Connection at 3558 to sign up for one of the many festival jobs.

Celebrating Birthdays September



- 15 Demeatrious Newton
- 20 Susan Roe
- 22 Wasdon Graydon
- 23 Lum Roberts

Positions Open

ABAC

Trio/Upward Bound:

- Student Affairs Counselor
Temporary Part Time
(deadline 10/13) To apply, contact Ken Newkirk
- Teaching Positions: English, Math, Science, Reading — Parttime
(deadline 10/13) To apply, contact Ken Newkirk
- Program Coordinator, Full Time
(deadline 10/1) Send resume to Human Resources

Ribbon Cut October 14

The grand opening of Phase II of the Pedestrian Mall will be held at 9 a.m. on Oct. 14 at the new fountain in front of the Donaldson Dining Hall. Chancellor Thomas Meredith will be the featured guest.

Note of Thanks

We would like to thank the ABAC Family for all the beautiful cards and thoughtful expressions of sympathy during the time of Alan's dad's illness and death. Your kindness is a wonderful comfort.

Alan & Jennifer Murphy



Calendar of Events

Monday, September 15

11:45 a.m.-Student Union Show—
Flying Cats Circus (Dining Hall)
1 p.m.-Garden Clubs of Georgia
Conference (Cordell Conf. Room A/B)

Tuesday, September 16

8 a.m.-Garden Clubs of Georgia
Conference (Cordell Conf. Room A/B)
6:00 p.m.-ACE Program Dinner
(Magnolia Room)

Wednesday, September 17

Noon-Fit for Life (Magnolia Room)
11 a.m.-Garden Clubs of Georgia
Conference (Cordell Conf. Room)

Thursday, September 18

11:30 a.m.-Faculty/Staff Luncheon
(Magnolia Room)

Friday, September 19

3 p.m.-Police Academy Graduation
(Cordell Conf. Room)
6 p.m.-Hale/Hogan Wedding Rehearsal
(Chapel)
7:30 p.m.-Hale/Hogan Rehearsal Dinner
(Magnolia Room)

Saturday, September 20

9 a.m.-Hunter Safety & Education
(Cordell Conf. Room A)
2 p.m.-Hale/Hogan Wedding (Chapel)
2:30 p.m.-Hale/Hogan Wedding Reception
(Dining Hall)

Sunday, September 21

2 p.m.-Hunter Safety & Education
(Cordell Conf. Room A)

Monday, September 22

8 a.m.-Georgia Chiefs Assoc. Management
Class (Cordell Conf. Room C)
9 a.m.-TCHS Northeast Tour Group
(Cordell Conf. Room A)
5:30 p.m.-DAR Tallassee Chapter Dinner
(Magnolia Room)