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Student Planner and Activities Guide

florida community college at jacksonville

Welcome to Student Activities!

Student Activities Centers provide you with a comfortable place to relax, meet new people and study with friends. Each of the centers features group study areas, comfortable furniture, meeting rooms, table tennis, billiards, information on area camping and state parks, television, table games, and bus schedules. They are also your starting point for getting involved on campus through student government, activities and events, clubs and organizations, recreation and intramurals! Do you have a talent? Opportunities exist in drama, Brain Bowl, intramural and recreational tournaments, mathematics, music, photography and student leadership, as well as a number of intercollegiate athletic teams. Contact any campus Student Activities office: **Downtown**, Clashous Witherspoon, Coordinator, C-102, 633-8210; **Kent**, Kelly Warren, Coordinator, G-149, 381-3674; **North**, B.J. Hausman, Director, E-232, 766-6786; **South**, Walter Fitzpatrick, Coordinator, U-205, 646-2272.



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Olympian Kicks Off Leadership Series

Ruben Gonzalez knows about achievement and living one's life as an adventure, and as a three-time Olympian and a national luge champion, he kicks off this semester's Leadership Series. A master storyteller, Ruben inspires audiences to think differently, to live life with passion and to have the courage to take the necessary steps toward their goals – to push beyond their self-imposed limitations. To live life on their own terms in pursuit of their dreams.



The challenges Ruben had to overcome make his story powerful. Ruben, who has been called "the Rudy of the Olympics", didn't take up the sport of luge until he was 21 years old. Making it to the Olympics with such a late start demanded unwavering faith, unrelenting persistence, and the courage to act no matter what obstacles lay ahead. In 2002, Ruben beat the odds again by qualifying to compete in his third Olympics at the age of 39! Ruben shares with his audiences the lessons he discovered by rising to the daily challenges of organizing and executing a plan to qualify for the Olympics. Ruben relates how those lessons can be applied to every challenge we face in our personal, family and professional lives. Ruben's story gives people hope, and his mission is to equip and influence others to achieve greatness.

See Ruben on campus January 28 at 11am the NC auditorium and at 12:30pm in SC Wilson Center; January 29 at Noon in KC F-128; and January 30 at 12:15pm in DC C-103. Check the calendar for monthly Leadership 'n' Life Series lectures/workshops.

Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band

Warm up with a little steel and reggae! From Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, to a world tour, this amazing group of performers plays a repertoire of music that ranges from classical to rock and roll...on oil drums. This feat has astounded audiences not only because of its oil drums, but also because of the unbelievable fidelity and artistic accomplishments with which they render each concert or dance, whether it be modern, classical or their native reggae Calypso.

Born from the desperate days following World War II when it was not possible to get their instruments or money to play their Calypso music, the natives of Trinidad discovered that abandoned oil drums could be used for musical tones. Thus began the original steel drum band, and now Trinidad Tripoli has taken the stage in Rockefeller Plaza, Central Park and the Lincoln Center in New York City, as well as stages around the world. See them on stage at FCCJ January 21 at 9:30am in the NC auditorium and at 11:30am on the KC G-Stage; and January 22 at 10am in the DC cafe and at 12:30pm in the SC Cafe.



Gainesville, Florida, native Amanda Garrigues takes the North Campus stage on January 15 at noon in the auditorium and the Kent Campus stage on January 16 at 11:30am on the G-stage.



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<h1>January 2003</h1>						
		L'n'L designates Leadership Series; WC designates the Wilson Center; AAHM designates African American History Month	1	2	3	4
5	6 Welcome Tables, All	7 Welcome Tables, All NC: Gallery Opening–Natalie Babson, 6pm, D-103	8 Welcome Tables, All	9 Welcome Tables, All DC: Student of the Month Award, 12:15pm, Lobby	10 KC: SGA Story Time, 11am, Child Care Center NC: Gameroom Open House, 11am-1pm, E-235 SC: Tibetan Monks, WC; SGA Meeting, TBA, U-153	11
12	13 KC: SGA Meeting–Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126	14 KC: Gallery Opening, Photo Competition, 6pm, E-112	15 KC: SGA Open Mic, 11am, G-Stage NC: Amanda Garrigues, Noon, Aud. SC: AAHM Kickoff–Carol Alexander, 11am, WC	16 DC: MLK Program, 11am, A-1068; Gallery Opening, 5:30pm, A-2117C KC: Amanda Garrigues, 11:30am, G-Stage	17 Registration Deadline for February 15 CLAST Test	18
19	20 Martin Luther King Jr, Day College Closed	21 KC: Trinidad Steel Band, 11:30am, G-Stage NC: Trinidad Steel Band, 9:30am, Aud. SC: Ping Pong T-ment, 1pm, U-205	22 DC: Trinidad Steel Band, 10am, Café SC: Trinidad Steel Band, 12:30pm, Café	23 NC: Table Tennis Clinic, Noon, E-235	24	25
26	27 KC: SGA Meeting–Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126	28 DC: SGA General Mtg., 12:15pm, Lobby NC: L'n'L–Ruben Gonzalez, 11am, Aud. SC: L'n'L–Ruben Gonzalez, 12:45pm, WC	29 DC: Discussion Group–Letter from Birmingham Jail, 11am, C-103 KC: L'n'L–Ruben Gonzalez, Noon, F-128	30 DC: L'n'L–Ruben Gonzalez, 12:15pm, C-103 NC: Table Tennis T-ment, Noon, E-235	31	

Sparky Rucker Headlines African American History Month



Kicking off African American History Month is internationally acclaimed James "Sparky" Rucker, recognized as a leading folklorist, historian, musician, storyteller, and author who has been singing songs and telling stories from the American tradition for over 35 years. Accompanying Sparky is his wife Rhonda, who practiced medicine for five years before becoming a full-time folk musician. She is a versatile performer, playing blues harmonica, piano, banjo, and creating wonderful vocal harmonies.

Whether Rucker is garbed in the uniform of a Union soldier or in his more familiar black boots, vest, neckerchief, and cowboy hat, he takes an audience on an educational and emotional journey that ranges from poignant stories of slavery and war to an amusing rendition of a Brer Rabbit tale to his witty commentaries on current events. Sparky has appeared on numerous radio programs, including National Public Radio's *Morning Edition*, *Prairie Home*

Companion, and *Mountain Stage*. He also performed in *Carry it On* and *Amazing Grace: Music in America*, two videos produced by the Public Broadcasting System. The Ruckers' 1991 audio release, *Treasures & Tears*, was nominated for the W.C. Handy Award for Best Traditional Recording; they contributed music to the television miniseries *The Wild West*; and their unique renditions of John Henry and Jesse James were used in National Geographic's 1994 media project entitled *Storytelling in North America*.

The Ruckers' concert performance is a humor-filled journey through 400 years of African-American cultural and folk history. It includes railroad songs, Appalachian music, old-time blues, slave songs, Civil War music, gospel, work songs, cowboy music, ballads, and Sparky's original compositions. See them live February 3 at Noon in KC F-128; February 4 at 12:30pm in the SC Wilson Center; and February 5 at Noon in the NC auditorium.

Campus Student Volunteer Centers

FCCJ students contribute a tremendous amount of time and effort to the Jacksonville community through the activities of the campus volunteer centers. The student volunteer center can connect you with the type of organization you would like to work with and keep track of your volunteer hours for you.

Don't be left out! Get involved in making your community a better one today! Find out more by calling one of the student volunteer centers listed below. Interested in becoming a student volunteer coordinator? Contact your campus Student Activities office!

Downtown Campus—TBA, C-101B, 633-8272
 Kent Campus—Courtney Presha, G-149, 381-3490
 North Campus—Dawn Grove, E-277, 766-6788
 South Campus—Micah McCrary, U-223, 646-2279



Student Government Association members volunteering for the Special Olympics

Student Government Association

FCCJ's Student Government Association (SGA) is the official voice of the student body and the connection between students, faculty and College administration. Members sit on various Collegewide committees, such as the student appeals committee, the curriculum committee and campus presidents' governance councils. SGA members also have the opportunity to travel to district and state meetings, leadership retreats and conferences, gaining leadership development and life skills.

Represented on each campus, SGA holds elections for vice president, senator and representatives during the fall term, and for president and an additional senator and representatives during the spring term. Tuition talent grants are available to each campus SGA president and vice president. Help make a difference on your campus! Contact any campus SGA president (listed below) or Student Activities office for more information.

Downtown Campus, Andrew Crawford, Room C-101B, 633-8272; Kent Campus, Brittany Jowers, Room G-149, 381-3490; North Campus, Anne Corum, Room E-277, 766-6788; and South Campus, Amanda McCrary, Room U-202, 646-2284.

FCCJ Celebrates African American History Month in February. Check the calendar below or your campus Student Activities offices for more information on events happening on your campus.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>February 2003</h1>						
					L'n'L designates Leadership Series; WC designates the Wilson Center; AAHM designates African American History Month	1
2	3 KC: AAHM Kickoff—Sparky Rucker, Noon, F-128; SGA Meeting—Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126	4 KC: Gallery Opening, AAHM, 6pm, E-112 NC: Gallery Opening—Aaron Mervin, 6pm, D-301 SC: Sparky Rucker, 12:30pm, WC	5 DC: AAHM Kickoff, 11am, A-1068 NC: AAHM Kickoff—Sparky Rucker, Noon, Aud.	6 DC: Student of the Month Award, 12:15pm, Lobby	7	8
9	10 KC: SGA Meeting—Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126	11 KC: L'n'L—Mars/Venus: The Real Difference, 11:30am, G-121 NC: Chess Challenge, Noon, E-235 SC: Pool T-ment, 1pm	12 DC: Poetry, Noon, Plaza KC: AAHM—Marsha Phelts, American Beach, Noon, F-128 SC: SGA Info, 12:30pm; Poetry Reading, 2pm	13 DC: Gallery Opening, 5:30pm, A-2117C KC: SGA Open Mic, 11am, G-Stage	14 KC: SGA Story Time, 11am, Child Care Center	15
16	17 Presidents' Day College Closed	18 DC: The Glory Train, Noon, A-1068 KC: AAHM—Carol Alexander, Noon, F-128	19 DC: SGA General Mtg., 12:15pm, Lobby	20 NC: The Tuskegee Airmen, 11am, Aud.	21	22 DC: Soul Fest, 11am, Lobby
23	24 KC: SGA Meeting—Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126 SC: SGA Info, 12:30pm, U Bldg	25 DC: Book Discussion—Souls of Black Folk, 11am, C-103 NC: AAHM—Marsha Phelts, American Beach, 11am, Aud.	26 DC: Fashion Show, Noon, A-1068 KC: Medieval Fair, 9am-2pm, Courtyard SC: Ethnic Food Fest, 11:30am, Café	27	28	

Nurse Without Boundaries



After working as a nurse in emergency rooms throughout the United States, Mary Lightfine, a self-professed adrenaline junkie, decided to join an organization called Doctors without Borders. That decision changed her life. Since then, she's lived in more than a dozen countries, including some of the most hellish spots on Earth: Uganda, Somalia, Liberia, Sri Lanka, Pakistan, Nicaragua, Macedonia, and most recently, South Sudan and Afghanistan.

Mary's personal stories will amaze you. She has lived through the anarchy of Mogadishu: "A friend of mine was assassinated; I was shot at!" In Sudan, "I was forced to step over the dead bodies of famine victims so that I could supervise the feedings of

hundreds of malnourished and dehydrated children a day. Dozens died before my eyes." In Nicaragua, she was the on-line correspondent for ABC International News and aided relief efforts for victims of Hurricane Mitch. She worked the Kosovo refugee camps: "ten day old bullet wounds, people who have not slept for a month because of the horrible things they saw." Her lecture will give you the human story behind the news articles. Mary has been seen in *Life Magazine* and on ABC News, NBC News, CNN and the History Channel. See her now at FCCJ March 12 at Noon in KC G-121; and March 13 at 11am in the NC auditorium and at 12:30pm in SC Wilson Center.

Leadership 'n' Life

Get a leg up on your classmates and fellow job seekers by participating in our "Slice of Leadership and Life Series" workshops! Leadership skills are life skills, for you don't have to be an SGA President to be a leader. You can be a leader at school, at home, in your church or in the local PTA. Each campus offers a series of leadership workshops that cover topics like self discovery through learning your "True Colors", motivation, conflict resolution, goal setting, and time management. Check the collegewide activities calendar and look for "L'n'L" workshops or call your campus activities office to find out when you can grab a slice of leadership and life on your campus.

Flemming on Leadership

Sheila Flemming, Ph.D., is a fifth-generation Floridian, Executive Assistant to the President for the College Centennial, and Professor of History and Chair of the Social Sciences Division at Bethune-Cookman College (B-CC). A graduate of Bethune-Cookman College, Atlanta University and Howard University, she is author of *Bethune-Cookman College 1904-1994: The Answered Prayer To A Dream* and an article in the volume *Civil Rights in The United States*, among other pieces on B-CC and Mrs. Bethune. And through all that, she still finds the time to talk with college students about leadership.

Recently an American Council on Education Fellow at Spelman College in Atlanta, Dr. Flemming has served as scholar/historian/lecturer for several women's and children's conferences. She is Lay Leader at Stewart Memorial United Methodist Church (Daytona Beach); a member of the Board of Directors of the Florida Humanities Council; and the Vice Chair of the National Park Service Advisory Commission for the Mary McLeod Bethune National Council House Historic Site, Washington, DC. She's a children's advocate with local, state and national service to organizations advocating for the rights of children and a Fulbright scholar, with research and teaching interests in the history of black higher education, African and African American history, with special emphasis on women and race relations. She is a global citizen having traveled to every continent in the world except Australia.

As the March keynote for the Leadership 'n' Life lecture series, Dr. Flemming will present a dynamic and informative program about following the path to public service, and the qualities and skills necessary to succeed, March 25 at 11am in the NC auditorium and at 1pm in the SC Wilson Center; and March 26 at Noon in KC G-121.

Shana Smith



Nashville Scene describes Shana as "a cross between Joan Armatrading, Cassandra Wilson, and the jazzy excursions of Joni Mitchell." Ft. Lauderdale's *City Link Magazine* remarks that she "sings with sophistication and style, calling into mind Pat Benatar-rock at one moment, and at another the keening of a Scottish lament." *Listen.com* said: "This versatile singer-songwriter can croon her way through smoky, late-night lounge jazz, or soar over uplifting, hand-clapping acoustic folk-rock." Call it folk, jazz, or blues, Tampa Bay-based Shana Smith is one dynamic singer/songwriter. She performs nationwide, including venues such as the Olympic Village in Atlanta, the White House, the Seattle Center, Florida Seminole Indian reservations, and at colleges across the U.S.

Writing and singing original songs is her first love, but Shana also performs a range of cover material, from contemporary artists to classic standards. She is equally appropriate for and comfortable at a fine arts event, a college cafeteria, a folk festival, or a late-night blues joint. She performs as a solo artist, but also works with some "killer" musicians in duo, trio, or full band combinations. "Just give me a mic and a place to sing. I'll bring the guitar and, if you want, a whole band. We can lose ourselves to music for the next one, two, three, four hours." Experience Shana first-hand March 4 at 11:30am on the KC G-Stage; March 5 at Noon in the NC auditorium; and March 6 at 12:30pm in the DC Cafe.

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<h1>March 2003</h1>					L'n'L designates Leadership Series; WC designates the Wilson Center	1
2	3 KC: SGA Meeting-Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126 SC: Women's History Month Kickoff-Charlotte Mabrey, 11am, WC; SGA Info, 12:30pm, M Bldg	4 KC: Shana Smith, 11:30am, G-Stage; Gallery Opening-B. Chaudhrt, 6pm, E-112 NC: Gallery Opening-NCHS, 6pm, D-301	5 KC: SGA Open Mic, 11am, G-Stage NC: Shana Smith, Noon, Aud.	6 DC: Student of the Month Award, 12:15pm, Lobby; Shana Smith, 12:30pm, Caf�	7	8
9	10 KC: SGA Meeting-Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126	11 DC: SGA General Mtg., 12:15pm, Lobby	12 KC: Mary Lightfine, Noon, G-121 SC: Volunteer Fair/SGA Safe Break, 11am, Caf�	13 DC: Gallery Opening, 5:30pm, A-2117C NC: Mary Lightfine, 11am, Aud. SC: Mary Lightfine, 12:30pm, WC	14 KC: SGA Story Time, 11am, Child Care Center	15
16	17 Spring Break	18 Spring Break	19 Spring Break	20 Spring Break	21 Spring Break	22
23	24 KC: SGA Meeting-Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126	25 NC: L'n'L-Sheila Flemming, 11am, Aud. SC: SGA Info, 12:30pm, M Bldg; L'n'L-Sheila Flemming, 1pm, CDC	26 DC: L'n'L-True Colors, Noon, C-103 KC: L'n'L-Sheila Flemming, Noon, G-121 SC: Poetry Reading, 2pm, WC	27 NC: Spring Fling and Student Services Showcase, 11am-1pm, Courtyard	28	29
30	31 KC: SGA Meeting-Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126					

Clubs and Organizations

Get involved! FCCJ is home to a variety of intercollegiate social, academic, service and occupational organizations. Each campus has its own special blend of clubs with several reaching all campuses. Check the list, contact the appropriate advisor and find out how you can get involved! Don't see an organization you may be interested in? Start your own! Chartering an organization can be as simple as obtaining a list of at least seven interested students and a faculty/staff advisor. Student Activities offers a "Starter Kit" to help you get your club up and running.

Phi Theta Kappa

The international honor society for community colleges, Phi Theta Kappa can give you an edge far beyond your classes here at FCCJ. Each year, PTK participates in a wide variety of academic, social and service activities, allowing you to gain experience outside of the classroom. To join PTK, you must have completed a minimum of 12 credit hours, maintain an overall GPA of at least 3.0, and have made a GPA of 3.25 or higher during at least one term. For more information, contact the Phi Theta Kappa office at 381-3440, KC G-150.

CLUB	ADVISOR	LOCATION	PHONE
Adult Studies	Rodney Taylor	SC/E-115	646-2298
	Ed Watkins	DC/A-2079	633-3178
Art Guild	S. Galloway	SC/M-2242	646-2360
AMATYC	Debbie Millard	KC/A-239	381-3487
Ballroom Dancing	Debbie Millard	KC/A-239	381-3487
Baptist Campus Ministries	Kelly Warren	KC/G-149	381-3674
	Cindy Lyle	NC/E-166	766-6737
	Lenora Basso	SC/B-216	646-2405
Brain Bowl	J. Fortin	DC/A-2049	633-3148
	Rosalie Abraham	NC/C-221	766-6545
CASS International	Luis Montalvo	DC/A-1093	633-8228
Campus Choice Dancers	Rosalie Abraham	NC/D-262	766-6746
Chemistry Bio Tech	S. Milczanowski	SC/C-135	646-2074
College Republicans	Cynthia Carter	NC/A-220	766-6651
Dental Hygiene (SADHA)	Hazel Kerr	NC/A-347	766-6575
Dental Assisting	Glenda Miller	NC/A-347	766-6579
English Honor Society	Marian Beaman	SC/T-241	646-2322
Fencing	Jenny Ohayon	KC/B-244	381-3691
Florida Student Nurses	M. Donovan	NC/C-218	766-6548
French	M. Tege-MacMillan	KC/A-201	381-3431
Forensics (Speech/Debate)	Jeff Hess	KC/B-236	381-3620
Health Information Management	Eudelia Thomas	NC/A-210	766-6749
Honors Academy	Suzanne Hess	KC/A-220	381-3714
	Lynn Lisenby	DC/A-3099	633-8269
	Brian Hale	NC/D-280	766-6706
	David Bryes	SC/D-124	646-2038
	Gary Harr	SC/U-115	646-2424
International Students	M. Kamiar	SC/N-212	646-2414
	Aleen Marsh	DC/A-2167	633-8135
Jacksonville Office Professionals	Margaret Fisher	DC/A-3024	633-8485
Legal Assisting	Elaine Puri	KC/B-208	381-3506
Math Awareness and Assistance	Jonah Eng	NC/A-327	766-6667
Physical Therapy Assistants	Kathy Hastings	NC/A-212	766-6500
Science	Mandu Itiat	NC/C-303	766-6741
Skills USA (VICA)	Michael McGill	DC/B-151	633-8375
Soccer	Pierre Satkowiak	SC/C-122	646-2045
Student Society of Physics	Ker-Fong Lee	DC/A-3101	633-8141
Surgical Technicians	C. Salisbury	NC/A-210	766-6503
Travel	Jonah Eng	NC/A-327	766-6667
Zibibi	Tim Sinclair	DC/A-2005	633-8137



Tango Dancers of Bahia Blanca

Sergio and Adriana Katz, lead dancers for the Tango Dancers of Bahia Blanca, Argentina, have been tango dancing professionally for more than ten years, debuting in the dance concert "Nora Roca, Bahitango 90" at the Municipal Theatre of Bahia Blanca, Argentina, in 1990. Since then they have travelled internationally designing tango classes for all ages, from kindergarteners to primary and secondary schools and college and community groups. They'll perform at FCCJ April 8 at 11am in the NC auditorium; April 9 at Noon on the SC Outside Stage; April 10 at Noon in the DC Lobby; and April 14 at Noon in KC F-128.

FCCJ Performing Groups

Students with musical or dramatic talent might enjoy participating in one of FCCJ's performing groups. The FCCJ Chorale, Jazz Ensemble and Symphonic Band perform locally and throughout the Southeast, and the Jubilee Singers perform gospel music for area events.

Students from any campus may participate in the many aspects of theatrical production as well. Collegewide productions are full scale and allow participation for actors and stage hands in a community theater setting. Campus productions enable students to develop their talent through acting, directing, stagecraft and costuming. Contact the appropriate person below for your particular interest.

Jazz Ensemble—Matt Vance, SC, 646-2113
 Symphonic Band—Paul Weikle, SC, 646-2010
 Chorale—Wayne Bailey, SC, 646-2364
 Theatre—Ken McCollough, SC, 646-2042
 Jubilee Singers—Clashous Witherspoon, DC, 633-8210
 Dance Repertory Company—Rosemary Fletcher, SC, 646-2361

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<h1>April 2003</h1>						
	L'n'L designates Leadership Series; WC designates the Wilson Center	1 KC: Spring Fling, 11am-1pm, Courtyard	2 SC: Spring Fling, 11am-1pm, Outside Café	3 DC: Student of the Month Award, 12:15pm, Lobby NC: Checkers T-ment, Noon, E-235	4 SGA Officer Application Deadline—All; Elections April 9 th and 10 th	5
6	7 KC: SGA Meeting—Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126 NC: Job Fair, 10am, Courtyard	8 KC: Gallery Opening—DCMSA, 6pm, E-112 NC: Tango Dancers, 11am, Aud.; Gallery Opening—Laura Gurule, 6pm, D-301	9 DC: Gallery Opening, 5:30pm, A-2117C KC: L'n'L—Enhancing Self Esteem, Noon, G-121 SC: Tango Dancers, Noon, Outside Stage	10 DC: Tango Dancers, Noon, Lobby	11 KC: SGA Story Time, 11am, Child Care Center	12
13	14 KC: Tango Dancers, Noon, F-128; SGA Meeting—Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126 SC: Pool T-ment, 1pm, U-205	15 DC: SGA General Mtg., 12:15pm, Lobby NC: Video Game T-ment, Noon, E-235 SC: Tom Kennedy—Billiards, Noon U-205	16 KC: Student Awards Program, Noon, F-128 NC: Student Awards Program, Noon, Aud. SC: Student Awards Program, 12:15pm, WC	17 DC: Spring Fling, 11am-1pm, Plaza	18 Good Friday College Closed	19
20	21 KC: SGA Meeting—Open to All, 3:15pm, G-126	22	23 DC: Student Awards Program, Noon, A-1068	24 Finals Begin	25	26
27	28	29 KC: Gallery Opening—DCESA, 6pm, E-112	30			

Artist Series

For more than 30 years, the FCCJ Artist Series has been bringing dazzling Broadway shows and exciting theater to Jacksonville. This year's schedule promises the same. Last minute student and employee discount tickets are available for some shows with some discounts as much as 50 percent off the regular price. Tickets may be purchased in any Student Activities office (Business Office at Kent), at the Artist Series office in the Martin Center, 501 W. State Street, or by calling 632-3373. Mastercard, Discover and VISA are accepted for your convenience, as well as cash and check. Take a look at this spring's impressive lineup. (Dates and events are subject to change.)

Disney's Aida, Jan. 7-12	The Chieftains, Feb. 28
Int'l Acrobats of China's Shanghai Circus, Jan. 24	Madama Butterfly, March 2
Swing, Jan. 25	Grease, March 9
The Glenn Miller Orchestra, Jan. 28	Contact, March 11-16
David Copperfield, Jan. 28-29	Capitol Steps, March 25-30
Michael Flatley's Lord of the Dance, Jan. 31-Feb. 2	Aeros, March 26
The Vienna Boys Choir, Feb. 2	Unsinkable Women: Women of the Titanic, April 2
Pirates of Penzance, Feb. 6	The John Lennon Experience, April 13
The Full Monty, Feb. 11-16	Cathy Rigby in Seussical, The Musical, April 15-20
Hubbard Street Dance/Chicago, Feb. 20	Swan Lake, Moscow Ballet, April 29
The Presidents, starring Rich Little, Feb. 22-23	The Flying Karamozov Brothers, May 13-18
The Acting Company's As You Like It, Feb. 26	Disney's Beauty and the Beast, June 17-22

Campus Voice

The Campus Voice is FCCJ's student newspaper...planned by students, written by students, edited by students and designed by students.

How can you get involved? Write us a letter. Want to air your opinion? Send a letter to the editor; maybe you'll see it printed on the editorial page. More involved than that? Volunteer to write an article, cover a game, take pictures, draw a cartoon, or design a page. No experience is needed because we'll help you over the rough spots. All it takes is a word from you. Or better yet, compete for a job. The jobs range from editor to office manager. For most of them you'll need either a journalism course or newspaper experience. The pay ranges from talent grants to weekly wages, and it's great experience!

Call the newsroom at 633-8409 or the advisor, Robert Blade, at 633-8157, or drop by Downtown Campus, Room 1057. Can't make it by? Write The Campus Voice at 101 W. State Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202. Or see them on the web at www.fccj.org; e-mail campusvoice@students.fccj.org.

...everything you wanted to know about Graduation, but didn't know who to ask...

Let's start with a few definitions...

Graduation—the completion of all requirements necessary for your academic program.

Commencement—the formal ceremony at which degrees or certificates are conferred, held at the end of spring term.

Honors—graduating with an all-college cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.5-3.74.

High Honors—graduating with an all-college cumulative GPA of 3.75 or higher.

Since the commencement program is printed before spring term grades are recorded, honor graduates are identified based on their GPA at the beginning of spring term.

Rehearsal—forget it; we don't have one!

Now the basic facts...

When—college credit commencement is Saturday, May 10, 11am. Adult High School and GED commencement is Saturday, May 10, 3pm.

Information about when to report for the ceremony and how to confirm your attendance will be mailed to graduates' homes in early April.

Where—Veteran's Memorial Coliseum, 1145 E. Adams Street.

Who—anyone may participate who has graduated at the end of Summer Term '02, Fall Term '02 or Spring Term '03.

Caps and Gowns—available for purchase in your campus bookstore in April.

Graduation Announcements—available from the campus bookstore in March. Neither announcements nor tickets are required for admission to the coliseum. Your family and friends are welcome to attend the ceremony.

Graduation Photos—official photographers will take your picture as you cross the stage and a proof will be mailed to you. Photo purchase information will be included with the proof if you wish to buy copies.

Who to call for information—for questions regarding applying for graduation and approval for graduation, contact student records...

Downtown: 633-8240

Kent: 381-3559

North: 766-6700

South: 646-2124

For questions regarding the ceremony itself, contact the campus student activities centers listed on page one of this calendar.

FCCJ Athletics

FCCJ's athletic program is recognized in the state and nation for its competitiveness and excellence. Teams are fielded in baseball, softball, basketball, track and field, volleyball and tennis. The program has produced more than 100 All-Americans, three national champions and numerous state and conference titles. FCCJ's teams are quite often found in the top 20 national rankings.

Home basketball, tennis and volleyball matches are played at the South Campus gym, 11901 Beach Blvd. Home baseball and softball games are played at the North Campus Sports Complex, 4501 Capper Road. Come out and cheer on the FCCJ Stars! For more information, contact the coaches listed below.

Baseball—Chris Blacquiere, 766-6752
Basketball (M)—Gregg Gierke, 646-2217
Basketball (W)—Debra Woods, 646-2215
Softball—Jami Friedman, 766-6795
Tennis (W)—Mike Stroud, 646-2214
Volleyball (W)—Mary Andrew, 646-2220
Athletic Director—Ralph Daniel, 646-2203

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5 Summer Term Classes Begin	6	7	8	9	10 College Credit Commencement, 11am; Adult High School Graduation, 3pm
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Memorial Day College Closed	27	28	29	30	31

Super Ticket Discounts!

Dinner and a movie? Bowling with your buddies? Skating for the kids? A leisurely round of golf? We've got you covered! FCCJ offers discount tickets to most area movie theaters and recreational facilities at reduced prices. Discount bus tickets from the JTA are also available. Tickets are available at any location below or by calling 766-6745.

Downtown Campus, A-1139
633-8210
Monday-Friday, 10am-3pm

Kent Campus, B-102
381-3511
Monday-Thursday, 8am-6pm
Friday, 8am-3pm

North Campus, E-229
766-5550
Monday-Thursday, 9am-5pm
Friday, 9am-3pm

South Campus, U-207
646-2273
Monday-Thursday, 8am-6pm
Friday, 8am-3pm

Betty P. Cook Nassau
County Center
760 William Burgess Blvd., Yulee
225-0506
Monday-Thursday, 8am-6pm
Friday, 8am-1pm

Donald T. Martin Center for
College Services, 141
632-3394
Monday-Friday, 10am-5pm

Movie Theatres — Save 28%

AMC

Regency Mall (24 screens)
Orange Park (24 screens)

Regal Cinemas

Beach Blvd. (18 screens)
103rd Street (10 screens)

Carmike Cinemas

Amelia Island (7 screens)
Carmike Mandarin Corners (6 screens)

Bowling Lanes — Save 55-60%

Bowl America - Beach (One game and shoes)
Bowl America - Mandarin (One game and shoes)
Bowl America - Orange Park (One game and shoes)
Jax Lanes - West (Two games and shoes)
Paula Carter Bowl (One game and shoes)

Golf Courses — Save 20-30%

Fernandina Beach Golf (18 holes, 1/2 cart fee) \$18.00
Hyde Park (18 holes, 1/2 cart fee) \$19.00
Deerfield Lakes (18 holes, 1/2 cart fee) \$11.00*
Mill Cove (18 holes, 1/2 cart fee, Monday-Friday only) \$20.00

*Additional charge payable on site for weekends and holidays.

Family Entertainment

Adventure Landing Dry Park \$10.95
Skate Station (All area locations) \$1.00*
Skate World (Behind Market Square) \$4.00

*Additional charge for weekends.

JTA Bus Ticket Books

Book of 40 tickets \$28.00
Book of 10 tickets \$7.00

Prices and offerings subject to change. Quantity rights reserved.

Student Cost

\$4.50
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\$1.50
\$1.50
\$1.50
\$1.25
\$1.25

\$18.00
\$19.00
\$11.00*
\$20.00

\$10.95
\$1.00*
\$4.00

\$28.00
\$7.00



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