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Discover what it means to be an Eagle.

Don't Miss Day Six Tonight!

Due to the rain, Day One is now Day Six! Georgia Southern will host the event tonight, Monday, Aug. 24, to welcome the newest members of the Eagle Nation. At Day Six, students will not only learn the traditions that make our University great, but they'll also join in the excitement of this upcoming school year and meet several guests from campus administration and organizations, including Interim President Dr. Jean E. Bartels and Head Football Coach Willie Fritz. Day Six will also feature the Southern Pride Marching Band, Georgia Southern Cheerleaders, GUS, and Freedom, the University's mascot.

CHHS Honors Three Faculty for Scholarship, Teaching and Service



Each year, the College of Health and Human Sciences makes one award to a faculty member for distinctive achievement in each of the following three categories: scholarship, teaching and service. The College announced the recipients at its opening meeting on Wednesday, Aug. 12.

Barry Joyner, Ph.D., dean of the College, presented Brandonn Harris (R), Ph.D., associate professor in the School of Health and Kinesiology, with the CHHS Award for Scholarship; John Dobson (C), Ph.D., assistant professor in the School of Health and Kinesiology, with the CHHS Award for Teaching; and Kathy Thornton (L), Ph.D., associate professor in the School of Nursing, with the CHHS Award for Service.

Baritone Allen Henderson and Guitarist Brian Luckett Featured in Faculty Recital Aug. 25



On Tuesday, Aug. 25, at 7:30 p.m., the Georgia Southern Department of Music will host a faculty recital featuring baritone Allen Henderson and guitarist Brian Luckett in the Carol A. Carter Recital Hall.

The duo will present a concert of works for baritone and guitar by composers John Rutter, Michael Fink and Stephen Foster. Henderson says the concert will have "something for everyone."

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Performing Arts Center Presents "Driving Miss Daisy" Aug. 29



Hometown stars Carol Thompson, Mical Whitaker and Alan Tyson bring to life this heartwarming Pulitzer Prize-winning play at the Performing Arts Center on Saturday, Aug. 29, at 7:30 p.m. Written by Alfred Uhry, "Driving Miss Daisy" is a tale of friendship between an elderly widow, Daisy (Thompson), and Hoke (Whitaker), her African-American chauffer.

Told against the backdrop of evolving racial relations in Atlanta during the mid-20th century, Daisy and Hoke's relationship gets off to a rocky start when he is hired by her son, Boolie (Tyson), to be her driver after she crashes her car. Gradually, Hoke earns Miss Daisy's trust as he defies stereotypes, and over their 25 years together, the two grow to become great confidantes, teaching each other about life and friendship along the way.

For more information and tickets, visit the Performing Arts Center website.

In the Media...

<u>'Driving Miss Daisy' – bigger and better</u> <u>than ever</u> – Connect Statesboro

<u>Alumnus still going 'Left'</u> -- Connect Statesboro

On Campus...

Paint the Town Blue Week Activities
Announced

Don't Miss the 2015-2016 Season at the PAC

New students begin college journeys at Georgia Southern -- WTOC

<u>Merchants, restaurants rejoice as GSU</u> <u>returns</u> -- Statesboro Herald

<u>Paint the Town Blue Event</u> -- Studio Statesboro

GSU fashion, design program draws praise -- Business Savannah

GSU AD says Ellison has learned from his mistake -- Savannah Morning News Georgia Southern Single-Game and Season Tickets on Sale Now!

'Taste the Farmer's Market' Kickoff at the RAC



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