

Play written by Steve Martin coming to Porter Center

'Picasso at the Lapin Agile' Opens Feb. 19

by **Thomas Lide**
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Brevard College is hosting a play written by famous actor Steve Martin called Picasso at the Lapin Agile from Feb. 19, 21, 26 and 27 in the Porter Center.

Although the play was written by Mar-

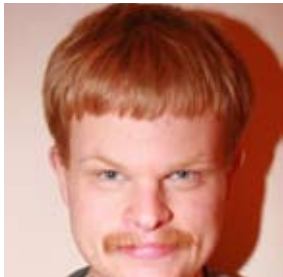
tin in 1993, the setting of the play takes place during 1904 in Paris, France where characters Albert Einstein and Pablo Picasso meet at a bar called Lapin Agile. Both characters are in their early 20's and engage in a conversation about talent and intellect which leads to a debate involving the importance of science and art in the twentieth century.

The play has not sold out yet, but tickets are selling fast. Any student interested in seeing the play should purchase their ticket as soon as possible, since Steve Martin is an Emmy Award-winning actor, comedian and writer. Martin's play has had a successful run in the past when performed in other cities, and the BC cast will not let the audience down with this performance.

A poster for the play has not been released yet, but there is a contest to see who can create the best poster design which will be used to promote the play around campus. Anyone that has already created a design or is interested in creating a design should speak to Kelly Gordon.

Keeping it reel with the Beej

'Quantum of Solace' not nearly as bad as expected



by **BJ Wanlund**
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Quantum of Solace. When the title was first announced, I was like "Quantum of WHAT?" Then, the title theme came out, the Alicia Keys-Jack White monstrosity "Another Way To Die", and my expectations for the film were lowered significantly.

I must say, I was expecting a far worse movie than we got. This movie is actually quite good, with a number of key action scenes; however, two of these key action scenes were ruined by fast cutting: the big chase scene cutting between Bond's chase and the racetrack, and the scene at the opera where it cuts real quick between the action in Tosca and what's happening not that far away.

Overall, it was a good movie, and I'll probably buy it when it comes out on DVD in a few weeks, but I docked a half-star for the 2 ruined action scenes and the atrocious title theme that is worse than Tom Jones's Thunderball theme.

WAYS TO ENTERTAIN YOURSELF THIS WEEK

February 6, 2009

Brevard College Contra Dance at Dunham Auditorium with live music and calling 8:00 – 9:00 p.m.

WILSIN plays The Orange Peel

Weekend caving trip to Worley's Cave. Contact Jason Djuren (828-884-2232)

February 9, 2009

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February 10, 2009

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