

Brevard issued flash flood warning Tuesday

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Anywhere it rains, it can flood. Flooding can happen anywhere, but certain areas are especially prone to serious flooding, such as Brevard since we are located in a temperate rainforest.

Just because you haven't experienced a flood in the past doesn't mean you won't in the future. Flood risk isn't just based on history; it is based on a number of factors including rainfall, river-flow and tidal-surge data, topography, flood-control measures, and changes due to building and development.

According to Weather.com, on Nov. 30, Brevard, which is located in Transylvania County, was given a flash flood warning that lasted until 1:15 a.m. At around 9:00 p.m. that night, the National Weather Service Doppler radar continued to indicate very heavy rain falling across the warning area. Flooding was becoming widespread over much of Transylvania and southern Henderson counties.



Stream gauges and local officials reported Mud Creek, the Little River, the Davidson River, and the headwaters of the French Broad River were overflowing their banks.

The forecast flooding increased from minor to moderate severity. The Flood Warning continued for the river stage for the French Broad River at Blantyre. It was 16.3 feet and the flood stage was at 16 feet. The forecast of the river

was to be of a continuous rising above flood stage Tuesday night and Wednesday, which would crest to around 19 feet around midnight Wednesday night.

The river was said to fall below flood stage by early this Friday morning. The impact of the river has been steadied at 19 feet. Flooding at this level will be similar to flooding that occurred on Jan. 26 of this year.

Campus Security Report:

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- Nov. 18: Beam Residence hall fire alarm went off.
- Nov. 19 7 p.m.: Former student issued citation for marijuana, and issued a no trespass order.
- Nov. 20, 2a.m.: Vandalism in East Jones Residence hall.
- Nov. 20, 5a.m.: Vandalism Exterior of Taylor Hall.
- Nov. 23, 12 a.m.: Alcohol incident on campus
- Nov. 23, Evening: A North Village was cited for alcohol, and a fire safety issue
- Nov. 24: Alcohol found in Beam Residence hall.
- Nov. 24: A Green Hall resident someone cited for fire safety.
- Nov. 29, 10 p.m.: Alcohol incident in Beam Residence hall.

Alcohol is allowed in Green Residence hall only.

Artwork by BC professor selected for exhibition

Four paintings by BC Art Professor Jo Pumphrey have been selected for the upcoming Winter Show Collector's Choice Annual Exhibition at the Green Hill Center for North Carolina Art in Greensboro.

This year's show, which spotlights the work of more than 150 of the state's best artists, will include four paintings by Pumphrey. The works are based upon the fields of the farm surrounding the Gethsemani Monastery in Kentucky.

The exhibit will be on display at the Center

from Dec. 5 through Jan. 15, 2011.

A special Collector's Choice viewing on Dec. 4 will give new and seasoned art appreciators and collectors a chance to preview the Winter Show as well as purchase the fine art and craft pieces on display. Proceeds from Collector's Choice support Green Hill Center's exhibition and educational programming.

For more information go to www.greenhillcenter.org.



Gethsemani III by Brevard College Art Professor Jo Pumphrey

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