

Rock gym expansion

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The local Brevard Rock Gym is changing locations! The new location will be open to the public next Tuesday Nov. 1. The new gym is literally right behind the current location next to Brevard Cross Fit.

The owners decision to move was made, among other reasons, to have more room. "We're going to have more routes, more room, taller walls and new features," said Sophomore Hughes McGlone. McGlone is not only a Brevard College student but he is also an active member of the rock gym and a part time teacher to the younger climbers.

The gym will still hold free climb night for BC students and possibly begin to hold more competitions. The rock gym is getting ready to hold an ABS (American Bouldering Series) competition this Saturday and the CCS (Collegiate Climbing Series) competition in the near future.

The location of the new gym and the bigger space it will provide will hopefully bring in more competition opportunities for not only local climbers but for BC climbers as well.



Photo from BRG Facebook page

BRG Climbing Team working hard to get the new gym ready for climbing! (facebook page)

Senior project highlight

Kaitlyn McConomy's The Colors, Shapes, and Sizes of "The Taming of the Shrew"

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After three months of researching and designing costumes for "The Taming of the Shrew," Theatre major Kaitlyn McConomy presented her senior project this past Wednesday at the Morrison Playhouse.

McConomy was the costume designer for Brevard's fall play "The Taming of the Shrew" for her senior project. The project entailed researching and studying Elizabethan clothing, analyzing the play, and making all of the costumes. McConomy also decided what the actors makeup would look like and on top of all of that, she created a design portfolio. "Much time was spent on how color, pattern, and silhouette effect character relationships," McConomy said.

Choosing the topic was an easy choice for McConomy. "We had an adjunct here for a while who's focus was costume design, Katie

Fuller, who kind of became my mentor my Sophomore year. Ever since then I've been obsessed with fashion, design, and costumes," she said. "Also I really wanted to challenge myself and figured costuming and Elizabethan period piece was a great opportunity."

In the end, all of her hard work paid off. "I really enjoyed everything about this project. It's something I am very passionate about and really enjoyed," said McConomy. "It's always nice to see what you've worked so hard on come to life."

McConomy also offered some solid advice for rising seniors. "Choose something that

you are passionate about! Also, don't be afraid to take a risk and challenge yourself," McConomy said, "If you don't try now to do something you love, you may end up never having that opportunity again."



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