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BC welcomes alumni for Homecoming

by Zack Harding Arts & Life Editor





BC tailgate site.

Do you need something to do for homecoming weekend? Well, here are some scheduled events that you can look

On Friday, the Derby Days competition will be held in the Village quad beginning at 4 p.m. The event will feature tug-o-war, eating contests, egg tosses, and more. At 5 p.m, the BC volleyball team will take on Carson Newman in the main

Boshamer Gym. To complete the evening, the Dirty Dozen Brass Band will play in the Scott Concert Hall of the Porter Center starting at 7:30 p.m.

On Saturday, Open Campus Day will be held from 9 a.m until 2 p.m. There will be several sporting events to attend. BC volleyball plays North Greenville College at 10 a.m in the main Boshamer Gym. and BC football goes up against North Greenville College at 2 p.m at Brevard High School. Also, BC woman's soccer plays St. Andrews College at 2:30 p.m. and BC men's soccer competes against the same school at 5 p.m.

Further activities include an alumni grill-out at the Alumni House from 11 a.m to 1:30 p.m, a homecoming BBQ dinner in Myers Dining Hall from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m, and a Will Kimbrough concert at Porter Center Pavilion from 8 to 9:30 p.m. The Evening will conclude with the first Foam Dance Party, located in the Boshamer parking lot from 9:30 p.m to 12:30 a.m. It will feature a DJ, a foam pit, and an inflatable slip n' slide.

Sunday will see the BC fencing team in the auxiliary gym of Boshamer from 1 until 4 p.m., and the BC Worship Service in the Reserve Dining Room of Myers from 7-9 p.m.

Explosions raise concern on campus, one student arrested

by Tom Cowan News Editor

Last week, campus security received numerous reports of small explosions occurring on various parts of campus, including the inside of Beam Hall. The explosions caused no injuries or property damage. One student, Mathew Thrialkill, has been arrested in connection to the homemade bombings.

Head of Security Stan Jacobson believes the bombs consisted of plastic bottles containing tin foil and a liquid cleaning product, called "the works." When this mixture is sealed in a pressurized container, an explosive chemical reaction normally occur within minutes.

On Sept. 27, a plastic bottle detonated in the main stairwell of West Beam Hall. Apparently, the explosion caused nothing more than a loud noise and a small mess. On the following Friday night and Saturday morning, other outdoor explosions were reported to have occurred near the gym and between the tennis courts and the North Village.

On Oct. 2, police arrested BC student Mathew Thrialkill on three counts of disorderly conduct for allegedly causing the explosions on campus. Thrialkill was also charged with one count of misdemeanor larceny for stealing a case of beer from Ingles on Sept. 24.

Dean Sue Yowell says that Campus Life initially placed Thrialkill under an interim



Primitive bomb found on campus

suspension, which was lifted after an Administrative Hearing, where it was decided that Thrialkill is not currently a danger to the campus community. On Oct. 4, a College Hearing Board took place to decide on disciplinary sanctions; the sanctions have not yet been released for public record.

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