Armstrong Center Opens This Month
Armstrong Atlantic will host the grand opening of the new Armstrong Center on September 22 at 11 a.m. The event is open to the campus community and the general public.

Within the center there are meeting rooms and event spaces to satisfy the needs of almost any university, community, or business function. The beautiful atrium, with its double staircase and marble floor, will serve as a charming location for receptions, while the grand ballroom will accommodate up to 350 guests for a banquet. The ballroom can also be divided into three smaller sections as needed. A large, tiered auditorium seats 270. In addition, there are five traditional classrooms for AASU courses, and six seminar/breakout rooms with space for 25-45 classroom-style and up to 80 theater-style.

9/11 Memorial Service
The AASU Student Government Association will sponsor a memorial service on Monday, September 11 at 12:05 p.m. on the University Hall Plaza. The program will feature the AASU Wind Ensemble and Choir and will last approximately 35 minutes. In the event of inclement weather, the program will be moved to the Fine Arts Auditorium.

AASU Received $10,000 from Siemens Building Technologies
Siemens Building Technologies, Inc. pledged a very generous $10,000 gift to AASU’s Community Campaign, 3 Days for AASU. This annual campaign gives all businesses, large and small, the opportunity to contribute to the university.

On July 20, 2006, John Petrillo, Siemens senior sales representative, visited President Thomas Z. Jones and C. Leary Bell, vice president for external affairs, to present a check from Siemens Building Technologies, Inc.
AASU Students Care for Chilean Orphans

Students from Armstrong Atlantic State University spent three weeks this summer in Chile as part of a study abroad program. In addition to art, Spanish, political science, and geography classes, they completed a public service project at the Hogar Redes Orphanage in La Serena.

During their stay in the city, they made several trips to the orphanage where they helped the children under the supervision of caretakers. They spent their time folding laundry, feeding and playing with small children, and changing diapers in the nursery. The students dispensed school supplies, soccer balls, toys, and lots of hugs and kisses to the residents.

Seventy-six orphans, from newborns to preteens, live in Hogar Redes Orphanage. Most are victims of domestic violence or sexual abuse. Others have been abandoned. Where the courts have deemed parents negligent, custody of the children has been awarded to the orphanage.

The faculty for this study abroad trip included Bill Deaver and Ana Torres, languages, literature & philosophy; Jose da Cruz, criminal justice, social & political science; Harry Trendell, Kennesaw State University; and Lai Orendorf, Valdosta State University.

Update on Faculty and Staff Campaign ’06

Chairman Chris McCarthy, School of Computing, gave an inspirational and entertaining talk at the university meeting on August 10 to celebrate First Day, the kickoff for the Faculty and Staff Campaign. This campaign is the opportunity for all university employees to contribute money to scholarships, university, or departmental funds.

Those employees who made pledges on August 10 received an AASU lunch cooler and enjoyed a back to school lunch. The campaign will officially end at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, September 12, and the winner of the campaign cup will be announced on September 13.

Departments already reporting 100% participation are:

- Assistant to the President
- Central Supply
- College of Arts & Sciences
- College of Health Professions
- Dental Hygiene
- External Affairs
- Health Sciences
- Human Resources
- Institutional Research
- Lane Library
- Liberal Studies & Faculty Development
- Liberty Center
- Medical Technology
- Military Science (ROTC)
- Nursing
- Physical Therapy
- Plant Operations
- President’s Office
- Radiologic Sciences
- Respiratory Therapy
- Student Activities
- University Relations
- Vice President’s Office

Co-chairs for this campaign are Fern Illidge, College of Arts & Sciences; Mario Incorvaia, art, music & theatre; Helen Taggart, nursing; and Susan White, special lab experiences.

If you would like to know your department’s percentage and how you can help your department reach 100%, please contact Gail Rountree at 927.5208 or e-mail: rountrga@mail.armstrong.edu or Georgia Massey at 921.7487 or e-mail: masseyge@mail.armstrong.edu.
Student Recreation Center Open

The new Student Recreation Center is a 38,000 sq. ft. building, with a 5,200 sq. ft. fitness center outfitted with top of the line cardio machines, weight machines, and free weights. There are two additional rooms for fitness classes as indoor cycling, aerobics, yoga, and kickboxing. Students pay a $30 recreation fee per semester. Faculty and staff can join by paying $120 per year. You must have a new AASU ID card to use the facility. Below are the fall semester hours:

Monday-Thursday  6 a.m. to 11 p.m.
Friday           6 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Saturday         8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday           1 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Edwards Named Director of Admissions

Ana Maria Edwards has been named director of admissions. Edwards served 14 years at Georgia College & State University in the Office of Enrollment Management and the Office of the Registrar. She is an active member of the Georgia Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, serving on the executive board for 2006. She is currently serving as the 2006-2007 chair of the Regents Advisory Committee on Records and Admissions. Edwards holds a Bachelor of Business Administration and a master's in management information systems from Georgia College.

Whaley Named Director of Recruiting

Stephanie Whaley has been named director of student recruitment. Whaley comes to AASU from Brewton-Parker College in Mount Vernon, GA, where she earned her bachelor's degree and was hired as an admissions counselor following her graduation. After two years as a counselor she was promoted to director of admissions and recruitment. In 2006 she received the Brewton-Parker College Staff Member of the Year Award. Whaley, a native of Beulaville, NC, holds a master's of education in higher education from Troy University.

Ashraf Saad Appointed Department Head for Computer Science

Ashraf Saad has been named department head and associate professor in the Computer Science Department in the School of Computing. Saad served as associate professor of electrical and computer engineering at the Georgia Institute of Technology from 2001 to 2006. He is the founder and former director of the Developmental Robotics Laboratory on the Georgia Tech-Savannah campus, and received the 2006 Institute-wide Outstanding Undergraduate Research Mentor Award. Saad holds a doctoral degree in electrical and computer engineering from Vanderbilt University, where he was a member of the Intelligent Robotics Laboratory between 1991 and 1996. He obtained his master of science in applied artificial intelligence from Cranfield Institute of Technology in England. He holds a bachelor of science in computer and automatic control engineering from Ain Shams University in Cairo.
Bettye Anne Battiste Appointed to Interim Head of Early Childhood Education

Bettye Anne Battiste has been appointed to interim department head of early childhood education in the College of Education. An experienced educator, Battiste joined Armstrong in 1989. Most recently she served as associate professor of early childhood education.

For the past two years, Battiste has been a volunteer teacher with Partners in Teaching, a project to teach early childhood education in Belize. The program has been in place for five years, involving AASU education faculty and students.

Battiste holds a doctorate in education and curriculum instruction from the University of Florida and a master’s in education from the State University of New York-Brockport. She earned a bachelor’s degree from Savannah State College.

Will Lynch Named New Head of Chemistry & Physics

Will Lynch has been promoted to head of the Department of Chemistry and Physics. Lynch has served at AASU since 1993. He is very well regarded for his mentoring of individual students, strong record of scholarship, and active involvement in the American Chemical Society.

The National Science Foundation has awarded Lynch three grants during his tenure, the most recent in 2003 to advance his research and instruction focusing on nanotechnology. That same year he was honored with the AASU Distinguished Service to the Academic Discipline Award.

Lynch holds a doctoral degree in inorganic chemistry from Wayne State University and a bachelor’s degree in chemistry and mathematics from Kalamazoo College. He conducted post-doctoral work at the University of Georgia.

From Plant Operations to Studios and Labs

With the move of plant operations to their new facilities in the Armstrong Center, the old Plant Operations Building will now begin a two-step renovation to support the burgeoning art and engineering programs. Step one will be a $600,000 renovation to retrofit part of the space with two classrooms, two offices, and two ADA compliant bathrooms. This renovation is funded and scheduled for completion around January 2007. Step two will allow for the creation of a suite of spaces to support the ceramics program and to create project laboratories for engineering students. Funding is still being sought for this step.

News from the Coastal Georgia Writing Project

The Coastal Georgia Writing Project (CGWP) is inviting teachers K-16 from Georgia and surrounding areas to campus November 10-11 for a conference designed to address writing and reading instruction in the era of performance standards, school reform, and other issues.

The keynote speaker for this year’s conference is Linda Christensen, director of the Portland Writing Project, Portland, OR (see link below). Christensen is author of Reading, Writing, and Rising Up: Social Justice and the Power of the Written Word.” The theme for the 2006 conference, suggested by Beth Howells, is “Voices from the Coast: Navigating the Tides of Teaching.”

For more information go to: www.rethinkingschools.org/publication/rwru/rwru.shtml.
The conference will be held in the new Armstrong Center for Continuing Education and Community Engagement.

Debbie Rotkow and Nancy McCorkle, teacher-consultants, will kick-off a series of workshops for teachers and at-risk teens to demonstrate how writing can be used as a therapeutic tool for reflection. The dates planned for the workshops are 8/30, 9/6, 9/27, 10/4, 10/11, and 10/18. There will be two more sessions that have yet to be scheduled. The workshops will be held at the Multi-Service Center, located at the Department of Juvenile Justice at 1149 Cornell Avenue in Savannah.

The project will continue its partnerships with various community groups in the upcoming year. Tina McElroy Ansa will speak at the Beach Institute, 502 Harris Street, at 7 p.m. on October 28 as the final presentation of the Beach Institute Lecture Series for 2006. The theme is “Understanding the Global Village: Literary Voices of the African Diaspora.” Ansa’s works include Baby of the Family, Ugly Ways, The Hand I Fan With, and You Know Better. CGWP will offer a campus “Book Buffet” from 5-6 p.m. on each Wednesday in October in Gamble Hall to share refreshments, read, discuss, and reflect on Ansa’s works.

Building Ties with the Other Georgia

George Simongulashvili and David Iremadze from Caucasus University in Tbilisi, Republic of Georgia, recently visited the campus and met with President Thomas Z. Jones and Jim Anderson, international education. Professor Simongulashvili is vice-president and dean of academic affairs in the School of Business. Professor Iremadze is director of the DUAL IEMBA Program in the School of Business. He also attended Armstrong State College from 1992-93 as the first exchange student from the Republic of Georgia. Simongulashvili and Iremadze are working to build a faculty/student exchange program between their university and AASU. They also hope to revive the sister-city relationship that the City of Savannah has with Batumi, a Georgia city on the Black Sea.

Filmmaker to Visit

Documentary filmmaker Ellen Perry will be on campus September 21-22 to discuss her award-winning film, The Fall of Fujimori. The film traces Alberto Fujimori’s rise to power in Peru, his controversial and Machiavellian tactics once in office, and his life in exile after resigning the presidency in disgrace.

The film will be shown on Friday, September 22, at 7 p.m. in the Armstrong Center auditorium.

Anyone wanting to schedule the director for a class visit should contact Mark Finlay at 921.5642 or finlayma@mail.armstrong.edu.

Welcome Aboard

Ana Marie Edwards, Registrar/Admissions Department
Jessica Miller, Athletic Department
Stephanie Whaley, Recruitment Department
Kudos

Bill Daugherty, criminal justice, social & political science, has won the Intercollegiate Studies Institute’s Henry Paolucci/Walter Bagehot Book Award for his book, *Executive Secrets: Covert Action and the Presidency* (Lexington: University Press of Kentucky, 2004). The award identifies one book per year that “embodies the humane and liberal spirit” of the political analysts and historians Paolucci and Bagehot.

David Roberts, plant operations, appeared as a volunteer colonial history interpreter at the Wormsloe Historic Site in Savannah on Georgia Public Broadcasting’s recent showing of “Sites to Behold.” This show commemorated the 75th anniversary of the Georgia State Parks and Historic Sites founding in 1931. For more information, go to www.gpb.org/public/tv/gastateparks/.
Leona Avey, languages, literature & philosophy, and Cynthia DeVoe, dental hygiene, were each awarded a $50 Staff Textbook Scholarship for fall semester 2006. The Staff Advisory Council randomly selects recipients. Staff members may apply for the scholarship prior to the beginning of each semester.

Daniel Liang, computer science, recently had his new book *Introduction to Java Programming, Sixth Edition*, published by Prentice Hall.

Suzy Carpenter and Richard Wallace, chemistry & physics, presented “Student Resource CD for Organic Chemistry” at the American Chemical Society's meeting in Atlanta. They also published “A Quick and Easy Simplification of Benzocaine's NMR Spectrum” in the *Journal of Chemical Education*.

Hassan Aziz, medical technology, was invited to serve on the Diagnosis and Staging Workgroup as part of the Georgia Cancer Coalition and the Georgia Division of Public Health. Aziz and others were asked to revise the state’s comprehensive cancer control plan. The purpose of the plan is to create a roadmap that builds on current strengths, establishes priorities, allocates responsibilities, and sets targets using evidence-based metrics that will focus the efforts of all stakeholders.

Aziz was appointed to the Medical Devices Advisory Committee of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The committee reviews and evaluates data on the safety and effectiveness of marketed and investigational devices and makes recommendations for their regulation. The panel provides advice to the commissioner on complex or contested scientific issues between the FDA and medical device sponsors, applicants, or manufacturers relating to specific products, marketing applications, regulatory decisions and actions by FDA, and agency guidance and policies. The panel makes recommendations on issues that are lacking resolution, are highly complex in nature, or result from challenges to regular advisory panel proceedings or agency decisions or actions.

Lisa Anderson, Aziz, Michelle Butina, Yvonne Jefferson, senior student, and Jennifer LeFebvre ‘05, medical technology, represented Georgia at the American Society for Clinical Laboratory Science (ASCLS) annual conference. Anderson is the current president of ASCLS-GA, while Aziz is the immediate past president; Jefferson is the Georgia student president. Butina was the recipient of the Theriot Award for developing an educational CD-ROM, “Peripheral Blood Explorer.” LeFebvre received the Quest Diagnostics Student Forum Leadership Award. Butina, LeFebvre, and Mary Nelson ‘05, were also recognized as ASCLS Keys to the Future. Anderson, Aziz, and Butina received the prestigious Omicron Sigma Award. Barry Eckert, College of Health Professions, and Aziz delivered a presentation, “Health Professions Workforce: Partnership can be the Answer.”

Jonathan Roberts, psychology, and Nancy Remler, languages, literature & philosophy, presented their poster “Communication with Students: Consolidation of an Honors Database,” at the annual conference of the Southern Regional Honors Conference in Orlando.

Vann Scott, psychology, presented his poster, “Rubric Creation as Professional Development,” at the annual meeting of the Association for Psychological Science and the Society for the Teaching of Psychology Teaching Institute in New York.

Kathryn Craven, biology, presented “Microbial Populations Associated with unhatched Loggerhead Sea Turtle (Caretta caretta) Eggs: A Comparison of Traditional and Molecular Identification Techniques” at the 26th International Symposium on Sea Turtle Biology and Conservation in Crete, Greece.

Judy Awong-Taylor, biology, gave a talk, “The Invisible World Around Us,” at the Week of the Young Child Conference in University Hall during April.

Don Emmeluth, biology, and Cathy MacGowan, chemistry & physics, gave a talk “Science on a Shoestring,” at the Week of the Young Child Conference in University Hall during April.

Scott Mateer, biology, and Brent Feske, chemistry & physics, hosted a biocatalysis symposium. Jon Stewart, University of Florida, gave a talk and students from Mateer’s molecular biology class presented posters detailing the results of their molecular biology course projects.

Michael Mahan, middle grades and secondary education, has co-authored an article with Suzanne Reynolds, Kean University, Union City, NJ, Building for the future: The mathematics of architecture and design, to be published in early 2007 by the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics. Mahan has also been invited to write an article on evolution and intelligent design for Kean’s publication, Connections.

Leah Holland Fiorentino, College of Education, has been named chair of the National Association for Sport and Physical Education task force on graduate student recruitment and retention. She has been invited to speak on this topic at the Physical Education Teacher Education conference in Long Beach next month. At the same conference, Fiorentino will present the opening session, “Bridging the Technology Gap: Inception to Integration in Higher Education.”

Melissa Jackson, Lane Library, and Heather Dray, from the South Eastern Library Network, presented a workshop, “Mission Possible: Everything You Need to Know About ILL (Interlibrary Loan Policies) and the OCLC (On-line Campus Library Center) Policies Directory,” at the Georgia On-Line Database/GALLIEO Annual Users’ Group Conference in August. It was held at the University of Georgia Center for Continuing Education.

Pat Brignati, middle grades and secondary education, has been invited to participate in the training for the Georgia Professional Standards Commission’s Board of Examiners. The board of examiners represents the Professional Standards Commission during on-site reviews of institutions/agencies and is composed of teacher educators from institutions of higher education, classroom teachers, and administrators from local school systems, and Regional Educational Service Agency personnel. Highly qualified and well-trained boards of examiners members are a critical part of the peer-review approval system established in Georgia for professional education units and educator preparation programs.

“Determinants of Female Labor Force Participation: Preliminary Evidence,” written with Amber Montgomery Williams, will be published in the Fall 2006 edition of The Business Renaissance Quarterly. Cebula will present this paper at the Academy of Business and Economics Conference in Miami in December.


The Edgar Elgar Publishing Company has published The Elgar Companion in Public Economics: Empirical Public Economics by Cebula and Attiat Ott of Clark University.

Pat West, languages, literature & philosophy, appears as a judge in the latest production of “My South Speaks” recently aired by Turner Broadcasting and Comcast Cable 7. Armstrong Atlantic was mentioned in the introduction. “My South Speaks” is an essay and poetry competition that features winners during commercial breaks on Turner Broadcasting. For more information, contact West at 927.5280 or westpatr@mail.armstrong.edu.

West presented “Where Outreach Matters: Molding Lives Through Literacy” at the National Writing Project's (NWP) Urban Sites Conference in San Diego and participated in the NWP Directors Retreat in Wheeling, NV.

Barry Eckert, College of Health Professions, Richard St. Pierre, health sciences, Hassan Aziz, medical technology, Peggy Mossholder, nursing, and Amber Derksen, nursing, have been named to the task force for development of the State Cancer Plan for the next five years.

Will Lynch, chemistry & physics, has been selected to serve a three-year term as college mentor to the United States National Chemistry Olympiad Program. Every two years, one faculty member from a U.S. university is selected from a national search process to serve the program.

Avistine Cook ’06, received the New Teacher Assistance Grant from Georgia Power for 2006 at an awards luncheon in September. The grant is to encourage some of the best and brightest new teachers by helping them purchase materials and supplies for their classroom. Cook teaches sixth grade language arts at Snelson-Golden Middle School in Hinesville.


She was associate editor of the proceedings for the Las Vegas conference and served as conference vice chair for E-Learning, co-chair of “E-Learning, Feedback, Reinforcement, Practices, and Learning Management Issues,” and as a program committee member.
Bahrami also served as a program committee member for the 2006 International Conference on E-Learning in Montreal and as a program committee member for the 2006 International Conference on Web Information Systems and Technologies in Setubal, Portugal.

She received the Award for Outstanding Achievement at the Las Vegas conference.

Events

September 1
Women’s Soccer vs. Presbyterian College, 5 to 7 p.m., AASU’s Cingular Field

September 2
Savannah Art Association Workshop, sponsored by Art, Music & Theatre, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Fine Arts Annex 001

September 4
Labor Day Holiday (students, faculty, and staff)

September 8
AASU/Chatham Orthopaedic Volleyball Classic
AASU vs. Presbyterian College, 1 p.m., Aquatic & Recreation Center
AASU vs. Florida Southern, 7 p.m., Aquatic & Recreation Center

September 9
AASU/Chatham Orthopaedic Volleyball Classic
Women’s Volleyball vs. Lenoir-Rhyne College, 1 p.m., Aquatic & Recreation Center
Women’s Volleyball vs. University of Tampa, 7 p.m., Aquatic & Recreation Center

September 10
The Latino Health Fair, sponsored by HOLA, 1 to 5 p.m., Alumni Arena

September 11
The Department of Education Data Collections Workshop, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., University Hall 156. For more information contact Wendy Marshall at 921.5441 or marshawe@mail.armstrong.edu.

9/11 Memorial Service, 12:05 p.m., University Hall Plaza

September 11-October 5
Art, Music & Theatre presents an art faculty exhibition, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, Fine Arts Gallery

Executive Committee Meeting, Noon to 1:30 p.m., University Hall 282

September 12
Graduate Council Meeting, 2:30 to 4 p.m., Solms Hall 110

September 13
A Constitution Day Celebration will be held by the Department of Criminal Justice, Social & Political Science. A film, A More Perfect Union, will be presented from Noon to 2 p.m. in University Hall 156. Phi Alpha Delta is sponsoring a pizza lunch for all students who attend this event. For more information, contact Zaphon Wilson at 927.5296 or thomasfe@mail.armstrong.edu.

September 14
Administrative Council Meeting, 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., University Hall 156
September 15
A Constitution Day Celebration will be held by the Department of Criminal Justice, Social & Political Science from Noon to 2 p.m. in University Hall 156. John Kearnes will present a lecture, “We ‘Builted’ it Better than We Knew: The Conspiracy of the Fourteenth Amendment.” For more information, contact Zaphon Wilson at 927.5296 or thomasfe@mail.armstrong.edu.

Art, Music & Theatre art faculty exhibition, 6 p.m., Fine Arts Gallery

The Masquers present The Family Secret, a new play by AASU alumna Kelly Young, starring Kelly Young and Dawn Peterson, AASU theatre alumnae, at 7:30 p.m. in the Ashmore Auditorium.

September 16
Women’s Soccer vs. North Georgia College & State University, 4 to 6 p.m., AASU’s Cingular Field

The Masquers present The Family Secret, 7:30 p.m., Ashmore Hall Auditorium

September 17
The Masquers present The Family Secret, 3 p.m., Ashmore Hall Auditorium

September 18
Faculty Meeting, 12:10 to 1:30 p.m., University Hall 156

The Masquers will hold auditions for the November 2006 production of Jean Anouilh’s contemporary rendition of the classic Antigone, 6 to 9 p.m., in the Fine Arts Auditorium. For more information, contact Mario Incorvaia at 927.5325 or incorvma@mail.armstrong.edu.

September 19
The Masquers Antigone auditions, 6 to 9 p.m., Fine Arts Auditorium

September 20
University Curriculum Committee, 3 to 4 p.m., University Hall 282

Women’s Soccer vs. Columbus State University, 4 to 6 p.m., AASU’s Cingular Field

September 21
The Masquers present The Play’s the Thing, 7:30 p.m., Jenkins Black Box Theater

September 22
Belize Dinner, noon to 2:30 p.m., University Hall 158. For more information, contact Susan White at 961.3062 or whitesus@mail.armstrong.edu.

Robert I. Strozier Faculty Lecture Series — Jack Simmons, philosophy, presents “Genes, Memes, Evolutions, and the Technologies of Information” at 12:10 p.m. in University Hall 156. In this presentation, Simmons will discuss the contemporary work in memetic theory and its basis in Richard Dawkins’ gene’s eye-view theory. In the gene’s eye-view theory of natural selection, evolution occurs for the sake of the gene-line, not the organism or the species.

Women’s Volleyball vs. University of South Carolina-Upstate, 7 to 9 p.m., Aquatics & Recreation Center

The Masquers present The Play’s the Thing, 7:30 p.m., Jenkins Black Box Theater
September 23
Women’s Volleyball vs. Lander University, 4 to 6 p.m., Aquatics & Recreation Center

The Masquers present The Play’s the Thing, 7:30 p.m., Jenkins Black Box Theater

September 24
Women’s Soccer vs. Clayton State University, 2 to 4 p.m., AASU’s Cingular Field

The Department of Art, Music & Theatre hosts the 8th Annual Southeastern Choral Arts Festival. Denver A Cappella Project, AASU Singers, and AASU Chorale all perform at 7:30 p.m. in the Fine Arts Auditorium.

September 25-29
Latino Heritage Week — For more information, use link below: www.hola.armstrong.edu/culturalprograms.htm

September 25
The 8th Annual Southeastern Choral Arts Festival concludes with the Choral Arts Festival Choir in concert under the direction of Darin Drown at 7:30 p.m., in the Fine Arts Auditorium.

September 26
Academic Council Meeting, 2:30 to 4 p.m., University Hall 157

Women’s Soccer vs. Savannah College of Art & Design, 7 p.m. to 12 a.m., AASU’s Cingular Field

September 28
The Masquers present Picnic, 7:30 p.m., Jenkins Theater

September 29
Ernie Watts, saxophone, public rehearsal, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., Fine Arts Auditorium. The Department of Art, Music & Theatre welcomes Watts to rehearse with AASU’s Jazz Ensemble as a tune up for his upcoming performances. Jazz enthusiasts are welcome to listen. For more information, contact Mario Incorvaia at 927.5325 or incorvma@mail.armstrong.edu.

The Masquers present Picnic, 7:30 p.m., Jenkins Theater

September 30
The Masquers present Picnic, 7:30 p.m., Jenkins Theater

University system electronic news sources
Take advantage of the range of informational publications published online by the University System of Georgia (USG). The newest is an interactive monthly piece called Linkages that reports news of the university system and provides hot links to related source materials: www.usg.edu/linkages/.

During the legislative session, the USG keeps state university employees abreast of issues that affect them through the weekly Legislative Update: www.usg.edu/pubs/lu/.

For news of both the university system office and individual campuses, read the monthly System Supplement: www.edu/pubs/sys_supp/.
The submission deadline for the October issue of eArmstrong is September 15.

Please send submissions to news@mail.armstrong.edu.

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