

Homecoming Week Has Started!

Hey, have you voted for Homecoming Court yet? Did you know that The Clarion Editor-in-Chief, Anna Ervin, is actually nominated to be Homecoming Princess? Other Clarion members, such as Aaron Butts and Scott Douglas are also nominated for homecoming court. Please use this link to vote for whoever you would like to represent you.

To vote, you can find the link on the BC Radar app, or use this QR code:





Anna Ervin, nominee for Homecoming Princess, in her PJ's for PJ day on Monday, Oct. 3.

Don't forget about the fun dress up days and events set for the week:

Wednesday, Oct. 5 - Pink Out

• All Day: Can Food Drive

• Boxes located in Tornado Alley and are collected by SAAC and BC Serves for

the food pantry

• All Day: Signing Homecoming Banners

• Banners located in Tornado Alley for the home contests this week

(Men's/Women's Soccer, Volleyball, and Football

• Event: Dodgeball at 8:00 pm in the aux gym

Thursday, Oct. 6 - Black Out

• All Day: Can Food Drive

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• All Day: Signing Homecoming Banners

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(Men's/Women's Soccer, Volleyball, and Football

• Event: Kickball at 9:00 pm on the turf field - aux gym if raining

Friday, Oct. 7 - White Out

• All Day: Can Food Drive

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the food pantry

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(Men's/Women's Soccer, Volleyball, and Football

• Event: Pep Rally after the Women's Soccer match in Boshamer Gym

 \circ Homecoming Court will be announced here!

• President Inauguration Ceremony at 2 pm in Porter Center

Saturday, Oct. 8 - Blue Out at the Football game

Chiaroscuro open for submissions, yay!

By Sara Laboe Chiaroscuro Staff Writer

Happy October, Brevard College students, faculty, staff, and alumni! We know you are all looking for things to do over the coming Fall Break, so you'll be pleased to know that we have the perfect solution for you! Chiaroscuro, our school literary journal, is currently accepting submissions for the 2022-2023 journal until Nov. 15!

So, while you are painfully bored and desperately seeking an exciting and enjoyable challenge during your Fall Break, why not work on your favorite form of art and send it in to share with your fellow students in our yearly journal? We accept written fiction, non-fiction, poetry, theater, and more- as well as images of your art of any media including photography, drawing/painting, and sculpture!

Are you filled with inspiration and pulling out your creative tools yet? Well, not so fast. We are thrilled to inform you that we have an upcoming event at the end of October, and submissions for our Halloween contest are also open! We know, so many mind-blowingly amazing opportunities all at once can be a little overwhelming but bear with us.

The Halloween contest submissions will close on Oct 25, and the winners will be announced at our Launch Party on Oct. 28. First, second, and third place winners will all receive prizes. Submit anything spooky, horror, or Halloween related for this contest and your chance to be recognized for your art! We're sure you're dizzy and weak with exhilaration and intense creative passion by now, but don't worry because we're here to help you harness your excitement and iron out the details!

Just email your submissions, questions, and rambling admirations to our email: chiaroscuro@ brevard.edu or find more information in My Brevard in the Chiaroscuro section under the publications tab. What will you create for Chiaroscuro? Don't miss your chance to submit!

Faculty Spotlight **Professor Mike Moreschi represents the best of Brevard**

By Sarah Hajkowski Copy Editor

Housekeeping Supervisor Clerissa Hawkins has written to the Clarion with a special thank you addressed to Criminal Justice Professor Mike Moreschi.

"Understaffed" is a word that many people have come to understand with new significance in the midst of economic and occupational instability since the advent of the COVID-19 pandemic. The U.S. and Western North Carolina in particular have seen considerable upsets in the working world in the past: water and electric resource crises, the 2008 recession, fluctuating taxes and wages and more. But even for the long-graduated among Clarion readers, labor shortages and job stress have taken on fresh and specific meaning since 2020.

On Wednesday Sept. 28, Brevard's Housekeeping Supervisor Clerissa Hawkins

wrote to the Clarion about how some of BC's own have been working together to offset the demands being made of our housekeeping department. This week's shoutout goes out to Professor Mike Moreschi. To quote Clerissa Hawkins, recently Mr. Moreschi "graciously took it upon himself to help us vacuum classrooms in MG last week."

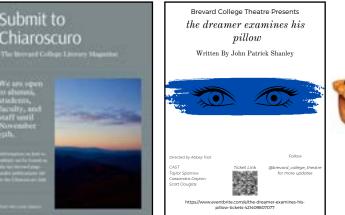
For those who may not know, Professor Moreschi joined Brevard College Faculty about two years ago and is currently an Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice. He came to Brevard having retired from years serving as a detective with the Orlando Police Department. And clearly, Professor Moreschi is invested in being an involved member of the Brevard College community. Clerissa Hawkins went on to say of Moreschi: "He goes above and beyond every day to make sure we're doing ok and to help wherever needed. Just wanted to recognize him for this and let him know that he is greatly appreciated."

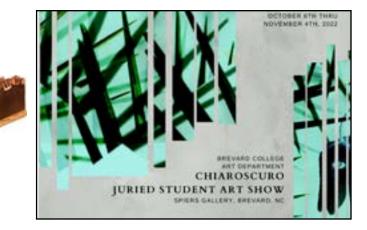
Many Clarion readers will likely have prior knowledge of Professor Moreschi, whether for his cheerful smile and friendly demeanor with all who cross his path, attendance in his classes, or encounters from the professional sphere.

This week we join the housekeeping department in thanking Professor Moreschi for his energy and dedication in and outside the classroom, and keep in mind the example that both he and the housekeeping staff set for our campus. Let us all try and remember to stay aware of our fellow college community members, and help out where we can!









ARTS & LIFE

Inside Scoop: Who is the Squirrel behind the mask?

By Caroline Hoy Co-Editor Chief

Some of you may have heard of a special white squirrel named Nado. This special white squirrel likes to run around campus in a Brevard College jersey and is usually a work study student.

Last week I went around campus with NADO and two work study students to try and get to the bottom of the mystery of who is NADO exactly. We asked staff and students alike who is the NADO, and there were many interesting answers.

Many believe that the NADO is actually a prominent member on the campus, such as President Andrews, Alessandra Tavoloni

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Caroline asks Gabby Galvan, SGA President, on her thoughts on the matter.

(Le), Chris Center or Lynne Joyce. But how plausible are these theories? Going through the Brevard College Tik Tok page where NADO is commonly found, NADO is never seen with any of these people... hmm, fishy.

Another common theory is that NADO is actually a student at Brevard College. There were mixed ideas of whether NADO is actually a male or female student, but someone did point out that apparently NADO looks to be short, or average height for a female. Someone else pointed out that NADO also has small hands.

These theories are both very interesting, but I believe that the most plausible theory is that

NADO is actually a bunch of squirrels. Through my questioning, I have come to believe that NADO is in fact a bunch of squirrels from the FLSS, Free Lance Squirrel Society. In fact, NADO is nothing but a meca suit, like in Power Rangers, and is controlled by gray squirrels looking for a job.

These gray squirrels have decided to pose as NADO is proud that gray squirrels are actually superior to white squirrels and that they are planting themselves throughout the Brevard community. First they plan to take over Brevard next the world.

Although this theory is the most plausible and likely theory there were other theories that we can't forget. 'Ur mom', 'I have no clue' and 'how should I know' are also great guesses. Unfotunally, only some people were able to be asked.

Here is what we do know: NADO is a criminal justice major who is studying to be squirrel at law. In NADO's free time they enjoy twerking, napping, eating pecan pie and doing Tik Toks on the Brevard College Tik Tok.

After an intense investigation the identity of NADO could not be revealed so if you have any additional information to help of with mystery please contact us <u>here</u>.



Caroline asks students about their thoughts on the identy of NADO.

While we were trying to figure out the identity of NADO, we found a picture of their favorite food, pecan pie, off of Pinterest on Suanne Murphy's profile and hid them around this issue of the Clarion. See if you can find the ten missing pieces of pie! Look there is one here:



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BC Theater goes on tour

By Scott Douglas Staff Writer

Sept. 28-30, the Brevard College theater department went out to different high schools in North Carolina for recruiting purposes. This was the first tour BC Theater has done since the pandemic.

Brevard college went to Enka High School, Asheville High School, North Iredell High School, Franklin School of Innovation and Hendersonville High School.

Alongside the faculty, they brought along six students that would help bring good energy into these high schools.

Sarah Hajkowski and Elijah Hughes did a scene from The Comedy Of Errors, which was a play that featured in the season last fall.

Scott Douglas and Gabriel Bernhard did a stage combat demo, they showed the importance of telling a story through action.

Grace Dempsey and Oliver Morgan helped the session run smoothly, gave out cards and encouraged students to be enthusiastic during participation segments.

Brevard College Theater also taught the high school students new theater games. This was

well received by the students as they all were super engaged and competitive.

A lot of fun was had by the high school students, college students and college faculty. It's an experience that they all want to do again.

Brevard Theater faculty Andrea Boccanfuso, Abbey Toot and Dan Toot touched on the importance of this tour. "Theater tour is important because it cultivates community contacts, promotes art education, and reaches out to local students to get them excited about Brevard College.

Gabe Bernhard, senior, said that "Theatre tour was a surreal experience. It felt so strange to see how different the average culture of high school theater has changed since I've been in college."

He also stated that there was an element of surprise. "It was surprisingly nice to present our work and our information to future college students."

This was such an amazing experience for all involved, with one high school student saying "this has made my day."

"Theater tour is important because it cultivates community..."



The theatre majors of Brevard College take the stage at North Iredell High School in Statesville, NC



Front row (left to right): Abbey Toot and Andrea Boccanfuso Second row (left to right): Dan Toot, Grace Dempsey, and Elijah Hughes Third row (left to right): Oli Morgan and Sarah Hajkowski Fourth row (left to right): Scott Douglas and Gabe Bernhard

Chamber Singers go on tour

By Emme Griffith Staff Writer

At 8:15 a.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 28, the Brevard College Chamber Singers departed campus to begin their Fall 2022 tour. The itinerary was set, and the students made their way to their first stop in Spartanburg, South Carolina.

The choir's set consisted of "O Radiant Dawn" written by James MacMillan, "Animal Crackers" by Eric Whitacre, "I Dreamed of Rain" by Jan Garrett, "Siúil a Rúin" arraigned by Michael McGlynn, and "I Know I've Been Changed" arranged by Damon Dandridge.

Two of Brevard's students were featured as soloists: Tenor Ishmeal Parsons and Mezzo-Soprano Emme Griffith. Soprano Mackenzie Douglas was also featured singing a descant part.

After Spartanburg, the Chamber Singers took Columbia, South Carolina, by storm. On the first day alone the choir sang at a total of three schools. Their hard work was already paying off with one audition application to the college having already been submitted by a local high schooler.

The second day took the group back north to Charlotte, North Carolina. There they sang at two high schools, then finished out the day giving a mini concert to the master singers choir school at St. Peter's Espiscopal Church in Charlotte.

The tour had originally been scheduled to take three days, but due to the uncertainty of hurricane Ian the schools on the docket for Friday decided to do a virtual day. The Chamber Singers decided to head home that night, arriving back to campus at around 10:30.

The season is far from over for our choristers! Both the Chamber Singers and the Concert Choir are having their Fall concert on Oct. 13, at 7:30 p.m. In the Porter Center's concert hall. You'll get to hear both the repertoire that the Chamber Singers took on tour, plus the songs that the Concert Choir will be performing! We hope to see you there!



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Memoirist Lucy Bryan visits Brevard



Bryan shows us her book of essays"In Between Places" which she read from on Oct. 4. She came for the Visting Authors Series. More infomation can be found on Bryan on her website <u>here.</u>



Many people came to listen to Bryan. Her wonderful reading could be heard throughout Jones Library.



One didn't even need to sit with everyone else. A wonderful view of the reading could be seen and heard from the second floor.

Cookie's Crumbles: #3

By Oreo Ellis and Isaiah Collison Staff Writers



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Halloween intermission! Scarion coming soon, and other fun Spooky Month events!

The Scarion is coming out at the end of this month which means that Two Sentence Horror Stories are due Oct 24. So please fill out the form <u>here</u> or use the top QR code. If you don't feel like doing a two sentence horror story and still want to fill out a fun survey then click <u>here</u> or scan the QR code on the bottom.



<u>Use this link to sign up to go: https://tinyurl.</u> com/yckzkd83





Don't forget to celebrate Spooky Month and participate in the fun activities across campus!

Blue Zone comes to Brevard campus

Blue Zone is a project to improve health through a community. Brevard College is hosting Blue Zone walks on Wed Sept. 28, Wed Oct. 12 and Wed Oct. 26 all at 1:00 p.m. The project is being spearheaded by Dr. Paula Hartman-Stein, Adjunct Instructor of Psychology, on the Brevard College Campus. She is working very hard to put this together. For more information on the topic please look at the link <u>here</u> that Hartman- Stein has provided for additional information. If you are interesting in going please follow up!



Everyone excited for their new Blue Zone shirts!



Ready for the Blue Zone walk to start!

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Nados Dominate First FNL Game on Campus

By Brady Penn Staff Writer

Hurricane Ian had major implications for many football games across the Southeast this past week. Some teams were having to relocate, and some were having to reschedule.

Brevard College fell into the latter. On Wednesday afternoon, the Tornados had a press release announcing that the team's week five matchup against the Greensboro College Pride, originally scheduled for October 1st, was being moved to the night of Sept. 30.

For the first time in the history of Ives-Lemel Family Field, there would be a night game on the campus of Brevard College. This game would also have a High School Football type vibe, on a Friday Night.

Both teams were coming into action with winless records, Brevard at 0-3, and Greensboro at 0-4.

The game served as the USA South conference opener for the Tornados.

Obvious weather implications were in play, with the unpredictability of hurricane Ian and the effect it would have on surrounding areas.

And the weather indeed was less than ideal. Before kickoff, the sunset was beautiful on a nippy Fall night. Once the game commenced, temperatures dropped and rain gradually progressed throughout the ballgame.

While temperatures may have cooled down, the Tornado offense heated up in a big way. In the first quarter, Graduate Quarterback Miles Hayes found Zack Orr in the back of the end zone for a 23 yard touchdown strike.

In the second quarter, Hayes scampered into the end zone to make it 14-0 Tornados. Shortly after, Senior Tight End Jaden O'Leary hauled in a prayer of a pass from Hayes in the back right corner of the end zone.

The Nados had nearly matched their season long scoring total a total of 22 points coming into the game, in one half of football.

A touchdown run from transfer Running Back Chancellor Lee-Parker made it 28-0 with less than a minute left in the first half essentially wrapped the victory up for Brevard before halftime even hit.

The Pride scored in the second half to break up a shutout by the Tornado Defense, but could not get much going. Sophomore Safety Colby Yancey got his first career interception off of Greensboro Quarterback David Loughry II.

Brevard tacked a second half field goal onto their tally, and finished the game with a 31-13 victory.

Brevard got both their first win and first conference win of the season, as they look ahead to the Methodist University Monarchs, who are coming off of a loss to Bellhaven.

Hayes, in his second start of the season, threw for 253 yards and 2 touchdowns, as well as 17 yards on the ground.

O'Leary racked up a whopping 8 catches and 114 yards to go with his touchdown, absolutely searing the Pride Defense.

For the Nados Defense, Senior Linebacker and Captain Toby Naylor had 9 tackles, as well as a sack and an interception. Senior Outside Linebacker Jerome Bass had 7 tackles, and 3 QB hits.

Junior Defensive End Trey Williams also added his second sack of the 2022 campaign.

The Nados take on Methodist this Saturday at Ives-Lemel for their homecoming game. Kickoff is at 2 p.m.



Football team is excited for their first FNL game and in the rains of a hurricane to boot!

SPORTS

Six in a row for Brevard men's

SOCCEP By Paul Bienefeld

Staff Writer

The winning streak of the Tornados does not end this week. Two wins brought Coach L D'Anna's team. On Sept. 28, BC hosted Asbury University who traveled to Brevard with a record of 2-3-4 prior to the game.

For the first 20 minutes, most of the action took place in midfield. Brevard had more possession, but no dangerous scoring opportunities to show for it. Until the 23rd minute: Ryan Lynch brought a harmless cross from the right side into the penalty area. The ball could not be cleared properly by the Asbury defense.

Finally, the ball landed in front of Igor da Silva. The Brazilian shot the ball with the first contact into the upper right corner of the goal. A lucky goal for a lucky lead. With 1-0 it then also went into halftime.

The second half started similarly to the first. Only a few shots found their way to the goal. Both teams could record only 3 shots on goal. The all-important goal was scored by the Tornados in the last minute of the game. From about 35 yards, Ryan Lynch got the ball after receiving the ball he turned quickly and chipped the ball skillfully over the goalkeeper of Asbury, who stood very far in front of

his goal. 2-0 was the final score. The men's soccer presented themselves well in front of their home crowd, where they were supported musically by the BC Tornado drumline, among others.

Full of confidence, but without Ryan Lynch still suspended from the previous season, the Tornados traveled to Southern Virginia for their first conference game.

The Tornados were able to create a very large number of chances over the 90 minutes. It took 32 shots to ultimately bring home the 1-0 win to Brevard. The goal of the day was scored by Daniel Morgan. The actual center back, however, played on this day as a forward on Oct. 1 to play to his heading strengths. In the pouring rain, a cross in the box landed at his feet. From close range, he eventually tripped the ball over the line and redeemed the Tornados with the lead with 10 minutes remaining.

The first conference game this season was thus won. BC men's soccer now heads into their next game on Oct. 5 at 7:00 p.m. against Johnson & Wales at Ives-Lemel Family Field with a record of 6-3.



Men's soccer plays hard and wins again!

WSOC still searching for the win in

conference play

By Scott Douglas Staff Writer

Last time we met, Brevard College women's soccer suffered a defeat in their first conference game of the season. I left you all with a question, can they bring back the magic and return with a win. The answer is yes.

The Tornados bounced back in an emphatic way, by beating Berea 8-0! An amazing win away from home, in Kentucky, which left many fans amazed.

The junior forward, Abby Mayer scored her third hat trick of the season. An amazing achievement for the transfer student, who has wasted no time becoming a fan favorite.

Taylor Richardson, junior, got her first two goals of the season in this game, meaning she is one goal away from matching her goal tally from her freshman year.

The other three goals came from Grace Black, Olivia Guillermo and Mikayla Zvekan. This is now 30 goals in 9 games for the Tornados which is an incredible stat.

The Tornados also got their 6th clean sheet of the season. Mackenzie Lozano was in goal for the Tornados.

Spirits were high after the Berea game, and everybody involved with the tornados wanted to see more of the same. However the desires of the Tornados were not met.

On Sept 29th Women's Soccer traveled to Raleigh, NC to take on Meredith College. This was the Tornados' second conference game of this season.

The first conference game for the Tornados ended in defeat. Although this one wasn't a defeat, it was not what anyone in the camp wanted.

Even though the Tornados had 13 shots, seven of those being on target, the game tied 0-0. Meredith managed to get 9 shots off, 4 of those being on target.

So what does this all mean? BC Women's soccer is currently at 0-1-1 in conference play. They have 7 games to turn their form around and win the conference.

These women know how to win. When they win, they win convincingly. Now what we want and need to see is consistency. Can the Tornados find the key to the winning formula?