



# CAT TRACKS



September, 2011

Family Astronomy Night at the Fulford Center, under the direction of Jean Schwabe, was a major success. Nearly 200 guests enjoyed the planetarium shows, arts and crafts for the little people, storytelling, computer interactive space activities, and presentations by Max McKelvey from Oatland Island Education Center. Below are photos of the Center's First Family Astronomy Night.



East Georgia College awarded scholarships to two current students during the recent Miss Emanuel County/ Miss Southeast Georgia Scholarship pageants. EGC awards a cash scholarship to the winner, 1<sup>st</sup> runner up and 2<sup>nd</sup> runner up in the annual pageant if the contestants choose to attend the college. This year, Morgan Lothridge (on left), the current Miss East Georgia College was crowned Miss Emanuel County and was awarded a \$500 scholarship given by the EGC Foundation. First runner up was Rachel Frederick, a current EGC student. She received a \$250 Foundation scholarship.

Morgan, a 2009 graduate of Toombs County High School is a current sophomore journalism major at EGC. She is the daughter of Mike Lothridge and Chari Smith. Her future plans include transferring to Georgia Southern and/or possibly trying out for a collegiate golf team.

Rachel Frederick (on right) is a 2010 graduate of East Laurens High School in East Dublin. A current sophomore nursing major, she is the daughter of George and Jane Frederick. She plans to pursue a B.S. in nursing upon graduation from EGC.



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**COMING IN OCTOBER**



## SOA to Perform at EGC

The annual performances of Symphony Orchestra Augusta (SOA) under the musical direction of Shizuo Z. Kuwahara (Maestro Z) at EGC will be on Thursday, October 6. Formerly known as The Augusta Symphony, SOA will perform at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. in the auditorium of the Luck Flanders Gambrell Center. Free and open to the public, the performances are sponsored by the Vision Series, a privately funded initiative that seeks to bring programs of cultural and intellectual enrichment to EGC and its constituency.

## FIRST ANNUAL BOBCAT DASH

The EGC Foundation is sponsoring the First Annual Bobcat Dash 5K and Fun Run on Saturday, October 22, beginning at EGC's Gambrell Center at 9 a.m. for the 5K and 10 a.m. for the one-mile fun run. Registration for the 5K is \$20 (\$15 for EGC students/faculty/staff) and \$10 for the Fun Run (\$7 for EGC students/faculty/staff). Entry must be completed by October 14 to guarantee a t-shirt. Online registration is available at <[www.ega.edu](http://www.ega.edu)>. Race day registration and check-in for the Fun Run begins at 8:30 a.m.



## Job Searching?

Here's your ticket to meet potential employers in the area...

**Student Employment Fair**

**September 22, 2011**

**9 a.m. - Noon**

**Gambrell Center Rotunda**

**Sponsored by the EGC Human Resources Office.**



## A DAY FOR EGC

The annual Day for EGC will be held this year on October 13<sup>th</sup>. This is the major fund-raising day for the EGC Foundation and will include participation by faculty, staff, students, foundation members and members of the community. Funds raised on a Day for EGC are vital to support the mission of the college, including scholarships, faculty and staff development, and institutional support. Only a portion of the funds needed for operations are met by tuition, fees and other funding. The balance is covered by the Foundation. Please consider supporting the effort with any size donation. Contact Elizabeth Gilmer at 478-289-2037 for details or go to [www.ega.edu](http://www.ega.edu) and choose the \$ icon to donate on line. The EGC Foundation is a 501 C (3) corporation.