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Gators roll over Tide

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The elated screams of the season-high O'Connell Center crowd rained down on the Gators, skipping to the locker room with their index fingers pointed toward the sky.

And like a shaken victim of a head-on collision with a semi, the despondent visiting Alabama team stumbled off the court, likely wondering what they just had experienced.

Seconds earlier, junior guard Matt Walsh drained a buzzer-beating three-pointer to cap a 17-3 half-ending UF run. The scoring surge ended a whirlwind opening-period domination of the No. 11 Crimson Tide (17-4, 6-2 Southeastern Conference) en route to an 85-54 UF win — the largest margin of victory in school history against a ranked opponent.

"The crowd was great," Coach Billy Donovan said. "But I think we gave them something

to cheer about."

Effectively burying the Tide before they ever started rolling, the first half also featured a 20-3 Gators run and each of UF's

Men's Basketball		Big Three
Alabama	54	— guards
UF	85	Walsh and Anthony Roberson and forward David Lee — scoring in double-digits.

In all, four Gators finished with double-digits in scoring, as Roberson, Walsh and Lee tied with a game-high 18, and freshman Al Horford matched a career-high with 14 and earned his second double-double of the season with 18 rebounds.

The Gators (14-5, 6-2 SEC) are now 13-0 when scoring at least 80 and 7-1 when each of the Big Three score more than 10.

"They had four or five guys that were pivotal," said Alabama junior forward Kennedy Winston. "When you have those kinds of games, it's awfully impossible to win."

Winston, who came into the game with a second-best 19.1 points per game in league play — behind Roberson's 22.1 average — scored 6 in UF's first win against a ranked opponent this season.

Conversely, Walsh, who entered the game shooting 25.9 percent since returning on Jan. 19 from an ankle injury, busted out of his slump with a 6-for-12, seven-assist and no-turnover performance.

"I wasn't going to stop shooting," Walsh said. "It wasn't even my shooting. I just haven't felt like my game was all there."

Donovan said the coaching staff has been trying to get Walsh to take the emphasis off his play and just "get lost in

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Matt Marriott / Alligator Staff

Snoop Dogg raps in a concert at the Stephen C. O'Connell Center on Friday night. He entertained a crowd of about 4,600.

Snoop plays O'Dome

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National media outlets carried reports of the woman's allegation Jan. 31.

"They came to us and asked us if we could make arrangements," Yeatman said.

Fans attending Friday's concert at the Stephen C. O'Connell Center had to wait an extra hour for their top Dogg to drop in.

Dressed in a characteristic fur coat, cream shirt and silver tie, Snoop appeared in an exclusive interview on CNN's "Larry King Live" before Friday's concert to address a former makeup artist's claims that he and four others sexually assaulted her after a taping of the ABC show "Jimmy Kimmel Live" two years ago.

"It was his chance to respond to the allegations being made against him," said Renee Musson, business manager of the O'Connell Center, where the interview was broadcast live via satellite.

Jeff Yeatman, chairman of Student Government Productions, the organization that helped bring Snoop Dogg to UF, said he did not know about the suit until he was approached Friday afternoon by representatives of Snoop Dogg.

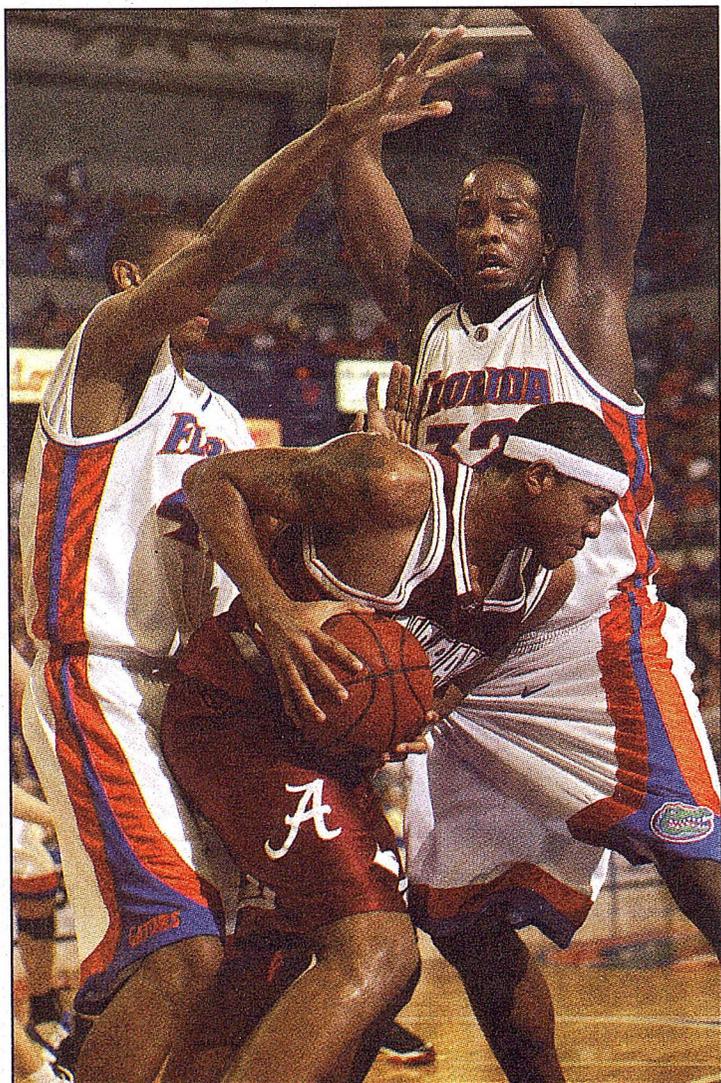
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Renee Musson
an O'Connell Center manager

Allocating a room for the interview and "some of the technical aspects" were the only accommodations made by SGP for the interview, Yeatman said, noting that costs of the live satellite feed were not footed by his organization.

Elda Auxiliaire, executive director of Black History Month, said she was unaware of the allegations until she heard about the arrangements from Yeatman on Friday.

In the CNN interview, Snoop Dogg said he was "shocked" to

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Matt Marriott / Alligator Staff

UF forwards Al Horford and Chris Richard suffocate Alabama's Chuck Davis during an 85-54 UF rout of Alabama.

■ New England Patriots head coach Bill Belichick is doused after the Patriots beat the Philadelphia Eagles 24-21 in Super Bowl XXXIX on Sunday in Jacksonville. See story, pg. 10.



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■ Those interested in running for select Gainesville City Commission seats must sort out their political ambitions this week. See story, pg. 8.

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Kick-Off

**Orange & Brew
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CORRECTION

Due to an editor's error, Alachua County Judge Thomas M. Jaworski was misquoted in Friday's Alligator. The quote should have read, “It is one of the noblest callings, being a judge, and I'm absolutely delighted.”
We regret the error.

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MULTICULTURAL

More than 500 attend Chinese New Year events

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Wagging their tails and batting their eyelashes flirtatiously at the audience, four lions danced to the beat of Chinese cymbals and drums Saturday night.

The colorful and intricately decorated lion costumes, each manned by two members of Wah Lum Kung Fu of Gainesville, followed the lead of a laughing Buddha figure, a masked man wielding a red fan, teasing them across the stage and through the aisles of the Reitz Union Grand Ballroom.

The lion dance, meant to symbolize the repelling of evil demons, was the first of several presentations at the Chinese American Student Association's annual Chinese New Year celebration.

A diverse crowd of more than 500 attendees, young and old, watched the performances that fused both modern and traditional elements.

"It's not only a celebration of the year, but a celebration of culture in general," the organization's special events coordinator Wand Gan said.

Students sang and danced to modern Chinese and American songs, as well as to traditional Chinese music.

A kung fu demonstration by UF's Kung Fu Club, a skit by members of the Asian American Greek Interest Group and a fashion show rounded out the evening.

June Wong, also a special events coordinator for the Chinese American Student Association, said she felt there had been a good balance between the traditions associated with the New Year and modern entertainment.

"Most of us are American-born Chinese," she said. She added that she had hoped "to show that we still remember our culture."

UF improv comedy group Theatre Strike Force also performed, drawing laughs as one performer poked fun at former UF football coach Ron Zook.

The celebration also featured two performances by musicians playing traditional Chinese stringed-instruments: the ehru and the pipa.

"We were really lucky to find them," Gan said.

Jin Xia, 26, who came to Gainesville from China less than a month ago, played the pipa, a four-stringed instrument that looks similar to a mandolin and rests in the player's lap.

Members of the audience were impressed with Xia's agile and precise playing of the song "Go to the Flower Festival."

"I really hope that more people can under-



Andrea Morales /Alligator

Wah Lam Kung Fu of Gainesville performs a lion dance during the Chinese New Year celebration Saturday at the Reitz Union. Sponsored by the Chinese American Student Association, the event featured dance, skits, martial arts, a fashion show and music.

stand Chinese music and culture, and it's my pleasure to present Chinese culture," she said. The Chinese New Year is celebrated widely in Asia. This year, the new year falls on Feb. 9, marking the beginning of the Year of the Rooster.

Bush reappoints two members to Board of Trustees

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The governing body that oversees UF is likely to keep at least two of its members for five more years.

Gov. Jeb Bush reappointed trustees Earl Powell and Roland Daniels on Friday, extending their terms on the UF Board of Trustees until Jan. 6, 2010. A confirmation

hearing in the Florida Senate this Spring will seal the appointment.

"We've got two great leaders in Roland and Earl, and I'm glad to have them continue on the board," said trustee Dianna Fuller Morgan.

Appointed to the board since its creation in 2001, Daniels is president of the car dealership Saturn of Gainesville.

Jamal Sowell, who has served on the board since becoming Student Body president last Spring, said he



Daniels

has always been impressed with Daniels and his involvement with the university.

"He is one of few trustees who lives in Gainesville, so he sees the daily interactions of campus," he said.

Powell, who was appointed to the board in 2003, founded Trivest Partners LP, a Miami investment

firm, and is a director on the UF Foundation Board, which oversees the university's independent fundraising arm.

Although trustees are supposed to hold their positions for five years, their terms were set to be staggered in 2003 because of the creation of the Board of Governors, the body governing the state's public universities.

The Board of Trustees is made up of 13 members, six that are appointed by the governor and

five that are chosen by the Board of Governors. The remaining two seats are filled by the Student Body president and the UF Faculty Senate chairman, currently physics professor Pierre Ramond.

The board will benefit from the ongoing efforts of Powell and Daniels, Morgan said.

"I think they each bring their business expertise, and Roland, with his roots in Gainesville, had really helped us address town-and-gown opportunities," she said.

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STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Party to unleash 'independent' voice with platform

By BRIDGET CAREY

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After listening to the concerns of three student focus groups, the Voice Party will unveil its campaign platform this week, highlighting a need to help graduate students who party members say continually get the shaft from Student Government.

The Voice Party, whose members call themselves "the party of independents," will officially release its platform for the Spring election Tuesday at 2 p.m. on the Reitz Union Colonnade.

It is also expected that the party will announce Sen. Justin Lauer, an independent senator from the College of Engineering, as this year's candidate for Student Body treasurer.

Party chairman Sen. Christian Duque said there are no plans to run a Student Body presidential or vice presidential candidate under the Voice Party, but the party will be campaigning to fill seats in the Student Senate.

"We just might lose, it's a big possibility," said Duque, who said the party will probably not garner much Greek support.

"But if we really let everyone on that really wants to be in Student Government, then we won't lose."

After three focus-group meetings held last week, Voice members say they will put a stop to an SG ruled by Greek and Florida Blue Key connections, and will aspire to give entry to the most qualified applicants.

"If you're not Greek, the doors (to SG) close for you," said Duque, a fraternity member himself, who won his Senate seat with the Access Party last Spring.

One goal Voice members were vocal about at each focus group is to make SG more supportive to graduate students and family-housing communities.

"Offering them a few new swing sets just isn't enough," Duque said of the recent SG spending to improve on-site playgrounds within UF's family-housing communities.

Voice leaders said they plan to help graduate students have their own parking decals, which is one part of making graduates' voices heard as loudly as the undergraduates'.

And considering the importance UF's administration places on research, Duque

says it surprises him that SG doesn't do more to cater to the graduate-student community.

"There's not much research going on at the undergraduate level," he said.

But it's not just graduate students who aren't best represented, Duque said.

"If you're not Greek, the doors (to SG) close for you."

Christian Duque
Voice Party chairman

He said that through his Senate experience, he sees many senators are not putting forth their best efforts to really talk to students to see what they want.

"Quit saying you represent them if you don't know who the hell they are," Duque said.

An average of 10 students attended each of the three meetings.

They brought up their concerns about poor funding for campus organizations and programs, which included dissatisfaction with how much money was spent on the Chomp the Vote voter-registration drive.

Also discussed was the quality of Regional Transit System buses and the creation of 24-hour study centers. Discussions revolved around those topics, and also centered on Lauer's and Duque's Senate experience.

"After a month of being in Senate, I felt like I wanted to jump in front of a train," Duque said.

He said his frustrations with the body were one of the main factors fueling his goals to campaign for change in SG.

Another topic discussed was the creation of a fairer way to distribute money to student organizations. According to party leaders, some student groups receive a greater amount of money than they should.

Duque said the University Gospel Choir was one such group. The choir got about \$40,000 in funding, compared to the larger Hispanic Student Association which received about \$50,000.

Duque said the University Gospel Choir received the Senate-approved funding because Student Body President Jamal Sowell is a member.

"A lot has to do with politics and who you know," Duque said.



Megan V. Winslow / Alligator Staff

Into the looking glass

As a line of girls await their turn, Layla Cravem, 4, gazes into face painter Elizabeth Farrell's mirror Saturday at the Hoggetowne Medieval Faire. Farrell, of New York City, has painted faces for six years.

Santa Fe students aid relief

■ AN AUCTION FOR TSUNAMI VICTIMS RAISED MORE THAN \$2,300.

By MEGAN V. WINSLOW

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Bracing cool temperatures amplified by a windy breeze-way, SFCC students and faculty manned collapsible tables Friday in an effort to support victims of the Dec. 26 tsunami.

Sponsored by the SFCC Student Government and a group of students under the guidance of professor Deborah Simon, the silent auction and sale raised \$2,312 for the cause.

Among the goodies up for grabs were gift certificates for restaurants such as David's BBQ, The Melting Pot, Newberry's Backyard BBQ and Hops.

Simon also donated a mosaic coffee table she built as well as pieces of antique jewelry.

"I have a house, and those people don't, so I decided to give what I could to help them," Simon said.

"We're just a group of students trying to make a difference," she said.

Simon, who has been on the faculty at SFCC for 27 years, said she first came up with the idea in class. Her microbiology and chemistry students helped organize the event.

Many SFCC students and faculty helped donate items for the garage-sale portion of the fund-raiser.

"I just think it's a great thing — a great cause," said student Erica Maguire.

All proceeds are to be donated to CARE International, a private humanitarian organization providing relief for tsunami victims.

Simon said she plans to mail the check Thursday.

Until that time, however, Simon said she encourages those who wish to contribute to contact SFCC at 395-5000.

"I'd like to challenge anybody in town to match our funds," she said.

Forum explores race inequality

By LINDSAY TAULBEE

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With differing perspectives and opinions, a doctor and five professors came together Friday to voice their views on issues such as identity, success and racial inequality.

The forum, entitled "Black (Inter)Nationalism, Civil Rights, and the Illusion of Equality," was hosted by the Black Graduate Student Organization as part of Black History Month.

Angelique Nixon, BGSO's Black History Month chairwoman, said the forum was a reminder to honor the past while moving forward.

"We have to contextualize the issues that face us," she said.

The six black panelists — each holding the highest possible degree in their respective fields — began by debating the definition of black nationalism and the concept of identity.

Black nationalism, a political and social movement in the 1960s and 70s, sought to gain economic power for blacks and promote a separate identity, said Terry Mills, an associate professor of sociology and the panel's moderator.

Another theme touched on disparities that exist in education, healthcare and crime.

"If there's anything that unites us as a black people, it's our experience of incarceration and oppressive policing," assistant English professor Amy Ongiri said.

"If there's anything that unites us as a black people, it's our experience of incarceration and oppressive policing."

Amy Ongiri

UF assistant English professor

Later, law professor Kenneth Nunn compared blacks in the United States to a homeless person living in someone else's house. They may have a place to stay, but no say in the furniture, he said.

Blacks need to find their own home, he said. Assistant professor of African-American Studies Stephanie Evans later asked how many in the audience knew the names of the people who clean up after them on campus.

"You have to find your home, but you also have to put that home into practice," she said.

Media offer reality, not safe image

You do not have a constitutional right not to be offended. Deal with it.

The media is going to present information that makes some uncomfortable, but that's how it has to be: the world is an uncomfortable place. Everything isn't as shiny and pleasant as some would like to pretend.

Now, there are some things that are not appropriate to be presented in easily-accessible media. Had Janet Jackson's "wardrobe malfunction" been intentional, it would have been over the line. Explicit sex or nudity on network or basic cable TV would be over the line.

Howard Stern occasionally takes week-long vacations over the line.

But to say commercials and broadcasts that merely mention these things are offensive is ridiculous. Ideas such as this, backed up by Federal Communications Commission fines and regulations, are leading American society to a dangerous position in which it is better to produce bland content rather than risk punitive censorship.

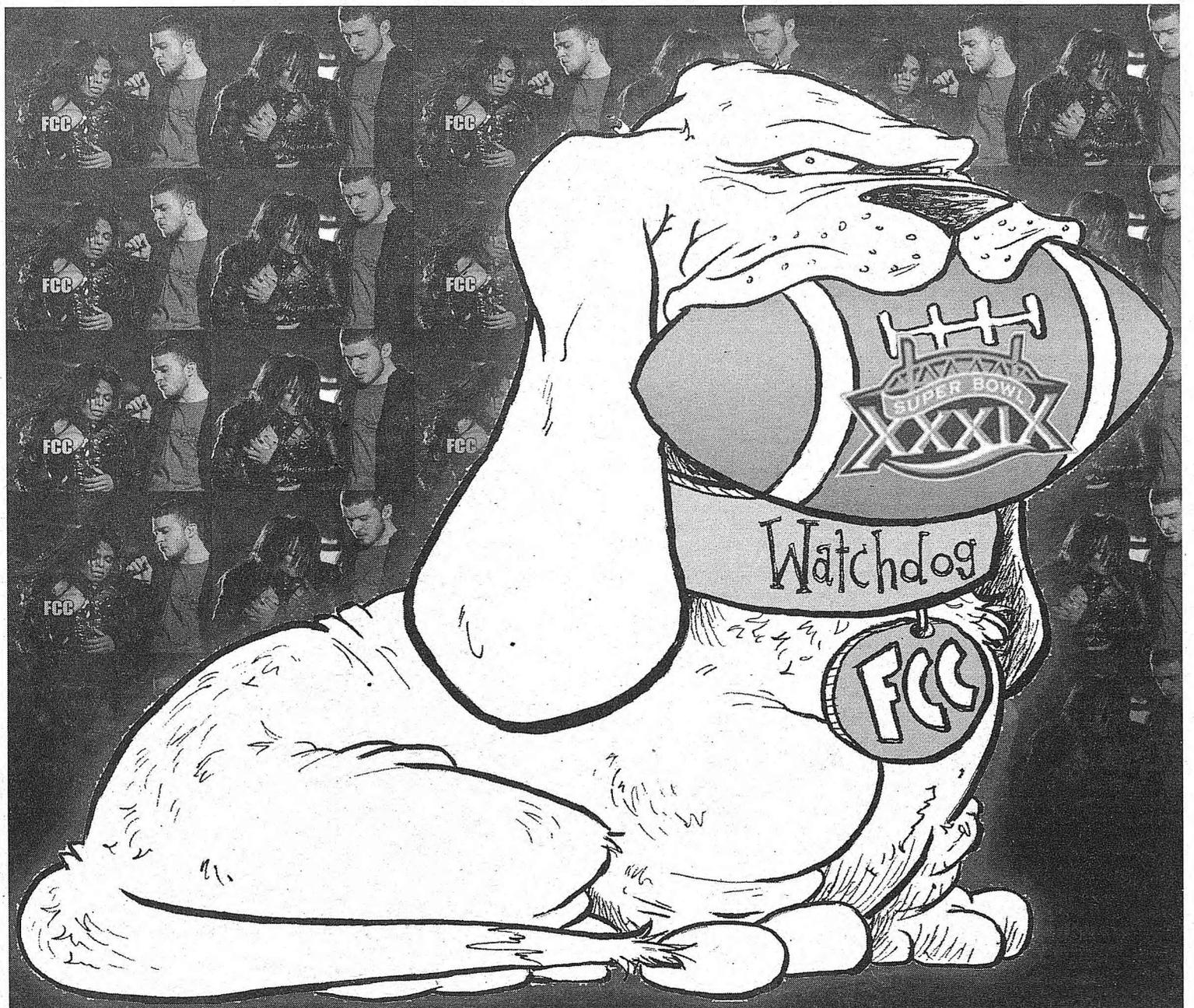
After the last year's Super Bowl, the Parents Television Council pressured the FCC to revoke CBS stations' broadcasting licenses. How could the media operate if even accidental offensive content was to be so harshly punished?

It's time for these thin-skinned citizens to grow up. Adults worry about what they can do to make the world a better place, rather than trying to get the media to say that it is.

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Super censored

Dropped advertisements show a dangerous trend

That was the most boring Super Bowl ever. No, not the game: the commercials. Instead of the risk-taking humor expected from the world's most ostentatious spectacle of advertising, the theme of the day was "play it safe."

But it didn't have to be that way. A number of companies had planned funny and — admittedly — raunchy ads that would have ranked among the best shown at the yearly event.

These companies self-censored the commercials, however, fearing the oppressive might of the Federal Communications Commission: After Janet Jackson's "wardrobe malfunction" at last year's Super Bowl, the FCC has gone on a crusade against any media that has even the possibility of offending anyone.

At the center of the controversy at this year's Super Bowl was a commercial for Bud Light, which played off of Jackson's revealing moment. In a light-hearted lampoon, the spot offered a possible explanation of the event that showed a stagehand damaging the garment by using it to open a bottle of Bud Light.

Anheuser-Busch pulled the ad in fear of possible repercussions from the FCC. It may have been right: The prevailing belief among the FCC and sympathetic groups seems to be that even referring to something offensive can be offensive.

This is in blatant disregard, of course, of the fact that the news media prominently featured the "wardrobe malfunction" and its ensuing controversy for weeks afterward. If it wants to be fair, the FCC should fine every single publication and broadcast that dared mention such an offensive occurrence.

Another sad example was Ford's pulling of an ad for its Lincoln Mark LT luxury truck, easily one of the funniest ads created for this year's event. The ad depicted a priest gazing lovingly at a Mark LT, causing him to put "Lust" on the church's outdoor sign as the subject for the upcoming sermon. This offended members of the group Survivors Network of those Abused by Priests, who felt the ad exploits church sex scandals and "offends females who have been molested."

Admittedly, there is a thin line between humorous social commentary and unduly taking advantage of an unfortunate situation, but this does not even approach it. Furthermore, they did not say why it only was molested females — and not males — who were supposedly offended.

The fact is, however, that not many people really care. The indignant outburst to this "offensive" content comes only from an extreme minority of the American public.

FOX's record \$1.2-million fine for references to sex on its show "Married by America," ostensibly was based on the strength of 159 complaints — already a relatively low number. But there weren't 159 complaints.

Blogger Jeff Jarvis of www.buzzmachine.com revealed, after filing a Freedom of Information Act request to see the complaints, that only three of them were unique. The remaining were copies of those three complaints, which were either sent to multiple FCC employees by the original authors or turned in by others who switched the author's name with their own.

If the outcry from three concerned citizens, out of the millions who watched the show, decides the definition of inappropriate content in the country, there is a problem.

The morals of this nation should reflect the morals of the people in this nation, not those of a backward-thinking minority.

Besides, if the commercials during the Super Bowl aren't funny, what do we have?

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Column

Hypocrisy prevails in American society

American culture always has been hypocritical, but it is getting to the point that I feel like I'm living in some kind of surreal nightmare. Here are just a few of the ways in which the hypocrisy is inescapable.

Let's start with violence: Americans tell their children to turn the other cheek when confronted with violence, yet parents push their kids into contact sports almost as soon as they can walk.

Worse, we support the multi-billion-dollar war machine we currently have in use in Iraq and glorify this violence by giving our unparalleled attention to war and sports.

Sex: A boob supposedly shocked Americans during the last Super Bowl halftime show, yet we have a multi-billion-dollar porn industry that broadcasts its products into millions of American homes.

Many of these homes undoubtedly received the Lingerie Bowl along with the Super Bowl. This year's Lingerie Bowl advertised that a "shocking moment" would occur. It seems shocking sexual content is only bad when it is free.

Gender equality: Americans tell their little girls they can be anything they want to be when they grow up, yet Britney Spears tells her pimple-popping followers about the joys of being a slave for a man.

Infanticide: When a woman kills her child by throwing it into a garbage dump, Americans call her a monster. Yet, if she had killed it a few months prior, she would have been exercising her right to choose.

Genocide: America sent Vice President Dick Cheney to southern Poland to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz. He was among the many world leaders who gathered there to remember how an advanced Western nation adopted a policy of genocide.

America has no such day of remembrance for the Native Americans, however. There is no nationally rec-

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Jason Levitt
The Watch Tower

ognized anniversary of the Trail of Tears, or for any of the many other acts of genocide carried out by the American government.

Even during Black History Month, there is no national day of mourning for all of the death and degradation caused by the slave trade.

Drugs: America tells kids to say no to drugs, yet the most dangerous drug, alcohol, is not only legal but also an integral ingredient in every American holiday. Most of us grew up watching the grown-ups get wasted on every New Year's Eve, Fourth of July and Super Bowl Sunday.

It was like another spectator sport.

According to CNBC, "No company will be better represented in Super Bowl XXXIX than Anheuser-Busch. The beer maker has 10 commercials, proving once again that when it comes to big time sports, it is a major player."

Well, then, is it really such a surprise when a recent UF survey showed that 50 percent of students surveyed binge drink?

Does UF President Bernie Machen really think he is going to solve anything with a few panels on the subject this month?

It seems hypocritical for him to discuss making UF a dry campus when he can tip back a cold one during a Gator football game in his cushy presidential stadium box.

With all of this hypocrisy intruding into every facet of American culture, there was nothing I needed more than a good binge-drinking episode — that, and watching some football.

But I had to prepare to be shocked.

Jason Levitt is a journalism and political science senior. His column appears on Monday.

Reader response

Today's question: Were the Super Bowl's commercials as good as in past years?

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Letters to the Editor

Naming practice honors merit, not personal beliefs

Editor: I am writing in response to the bizarre article composed by Drew Melville in Friday's Alligator. First off, when donors bequeath a vast sum of money onto an academic institution, the receiving body usually honors them by (re)naming a building, sports ground or, in this case, a road. It seems to me Gale Lemerand and our university completed this process much to their mutual satisfaction.

Second, spouting off about O'Connell's legacy and its relation to the naming of an on-campus structure is ludicrous. Should we also change the name of the Reitz Union because J. Wayne Reitz witch-hunted communists and despised homosexuals? Although these two men probably were not the best people in the world, these structures have their names imprinted primarily for meritorious service provided by the pair to UF.

Finally, renaming a building after Mary McLeod Bethune, whose legacy includes an entire college, or Martin Luther King Jr., who plagiarized substantial portions of his dissertation — probably not a good role model for an academic institution — on the pretext of Black History Month and President Machen's "commitment to diversity" baffles me. I see no reason to deviate from a system that has been in place more than a sesquicentennial at UF and replace it with one that assigns, arbitrarily, names to our esteemed buildings on campus.

Nicholas R. Pillat
4LS

Conservatives rally against cartoons

On the day of Bush's inauguration, the papers were full of sobering news — the prospect of election-day violence in Iraq, the rising death toll in the Middle East and the 60th anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz — but when James Dobson of Focus On the Family woke up that morning, he saw a more ominous enemy on the horizon: SpongeBob SquarePants. Dobson says SpongeBob moonlighted as the star of a video that promoted a "pro-homosexual agenda." More recently, right-wingers have created a furor over two women in Vermont who apparently like each other too much. Forget the war in Iraq; we're in the middle of the cartoon wars.

Last week, Secretary of Education Margaret Spellings urged PBS to pull an episode of "Postcards from Buster," a children's show meant to promote diversity, because the titular bunny visited the daughter of a lesbian couple. She says parents don't want to "introduce this kind of subject matter" to their kids. Even though the episode focuses on Buster's trip to a dairy farm and the parents of the child are only a backdrop, PBS pulled the episode the same day of the outburst, taking into consideration that the Department of Education provides 63 percent of the show's budget. It seems Spellings' aim is to guarantee that homophobia is free to operate, and the best way to do that is to prevent children from seeing gays as part of their community. Spellings plainly is following her boss' mandate: It

Erik Maza
Speaking Out

was last month that President Bush relegated homosexuals to second-class status again when he said, "Studies have shown that the ideal

is where a child is raised in a married family with a man and a woman."

Studies have shown there is no difference in the wellbeing of children of gay couples and children of heterosexual couples. In fact, according to a 2001 UCLA study, daughters of gay couples are not as intimidated as girls from straight couples in co-ed activities and the workplace, and boys of gay couples tend to be more nurturing than boys from heterosexual homes. I suppose conservatives must be quivering at the specter of gay characters in children's television. But as episodes of "Finger me Elmo" and "You're a Gay Dad, Charlie Brown" have yet to be made, conservatives seem to have forgotten the child caught in the crossfire.

It's important for children to see their own lives reflected on television so that they can feel part of a community, but by removing the episode, Spellings has committed a sort of stereotyping by omission. Children like the one featured on the episode have no role models on TV.

Although gay characters are welcome on primetime, they apparently have no place in Mr. Rogers' neighborhood.

Erik Maza is a journalism freshman.

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ELECTIONS 2005

Candidate registration to close

By **DAVID COHEN**
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Those interested in running for select Gainesville City Commission seats must sort their political ambitions this week.

Qualification for Districts 2 and 3 seats, as well as the commissioner at-large seat, begins at noon Monday and ends noon Friday, when paperwork is due to the Alachua County Supervisor of Elections Office, 12 SE First St.

So far, three candidates filed paperwork to run for the at-large position; two candidates filed for District 2, largely the area north and northwest of the UF campus; and three filed for District 3, which is the area west and southwest of UF.

"I want Gainesville to be a good city where families can raise their children," District 2

incumbent Ed Braddy said.

Braddy described himself as a "decisive leader" and said he is in favor of improving Gainesville's business environment.



Braddy

On the other side of the District 2 contest is Grant Thrall, who has had a 22-year career as a professor in UF's geography department, specializing in business location.

"On my side, we have a lot of help from groups on the UF campus," Thrall said.

This list of supporters includes UF Student Government Vice President Jennifer Puckett, who is assisting Thrall's fundraising efforts.

"If elected, I will be the third or fourth UF faculty member that

was on the City Commission," Thrall said. "I am at a point in my career where I want to help the community."

Thrall called the district seat "an appropriate next step" for his life.

He said he believes citizens can benefit from his business sense, which has brought 3,000 jobs to Gainesville with the impending University Corners, a development which will house both residential and commercial space at the corner of University Avenue and Northwest 13th Street.

Any at-large candidate needs to be a qualified voter living anywhere within Gainesville for more than six months and would oversee the entire city.

District seats are limited to those who have lived within their specific region of responsibility for more than six months.

Fraternity's efforts spruce up campus

By **LINDSAY TAULBEE**
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In an attempt to spruce up the UF campus and bring their service efforts a little closer to home, members of one fraternity spent their Saturday with shovels in hand.

About 40 Sigma Pi fraternity members planted approximately 100 trees around a reservoir behind the Florida Museum of Natural History.

"It's just a cool way of showing that we care about where we go to school," member Chris Ferrante said.

The young trees include dogwood, black gum, bald cypress and water pine trees, said Unay Cruz, chairman of the Sigma Pi program Altruistic Campus Experience Project.

The tree-planting project was completed as part of ACEP, through which Sigma Pi hopes it can work toward fulfilling campus needs, Ferrante said.

He also said any student group is welcome to participate. "It's just trying to refocus the service side of the organizations back to campus," he said.

The group had approached UF's Physical Plant Division to see how it could help and chose from among several projects.



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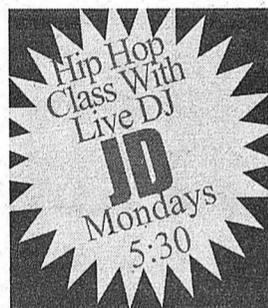
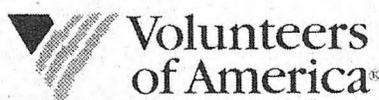


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Man deploys extinguisher

Despite the fact that neither smoke nor flames were anywhere in sight, a trigger-happy local man took it upon himself to set off a fire extinguisher early Sunday morning within a UF fraternity house, University Police reported.

Jason Michael Applebaum, 19, admitted to discharging the extinguisher inside the Tau Epsilon Phi fraternity house, at Nine Fraternity Row, because he was drunk and just "fooling around," UPD reported.

Applebaum, of 1716 NW Third Ave., has been charged with preventing or obstructing the extinguishment of a fire, a felony, police reported.

Although members of the fraternity would not com-

ment on the incident, Tau Epsilon Phi President Jordan Hammer said he does not believe the defendant is a member of the fraternity.

WAFFLE HOUSE CUSTOMER ARRESTED: Impatient with the service at a local Waffle House, a woman reportedly threw sugar on another patron who defended restaurant staff, Gainesville Police reported.

GPD charged 26-year-old Shanate Gerraine Cook, of 627 SW 69th St., in simple assault and disorderly conduct in an establishment, both misdemeanors, after the incident Friday morning, according to reports.

Cook, police said, cursed and yelled at workers for not preparing her food in a

timely manner at the Waffle House located at 2120 NW 13th Ave.

Michelle Renee Johnson, a restaurant patron, verbally defended the staff before she attempted to flee the establishment and the 7-inch-tall sugar shaker that Cook threw at her, according to police reports.

Cook, who was released from the Alachua County Jail on Friday, denied the charges in a phone interview Sunday night.

"I was treated unfairly," she said. "Three girls tried to jump me, kill me, and I'm the only one going to jail. And I don't think it's fair that GPD did me like that."

— MEGAN V. WINSLOW

Little things make big game

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the game" by focusing on aspects other than scoring.

But Walsh, who led the Gators in scoring before suffering the Dec. 30 injury, wouldn't concede his offensive game.

Donovan said that Walsh worked on his shooting at the team's practice facility until 4 a.m. following his 1-for-5 performance in UF's loss to Mississippi State on Tuesday.

And following the extra practice, Walsh disproved the Samson theory, scoring his SEC-season high, while sporting a freshly cut hairdo.

"I'm going to shave it," Walsh joked. "Maybe I'll have 36 next game."

After missing on his first three attempts, Walsh shook his slump, connecting on a three-pointer with 9 minutes, 29 seconds remaining as part of UF's 20-3 first-half run.

Chalked with highlight-worthy plays, including a falling-down, right-handed shot from the south-paw Lee, the run also marked a 14-

21 half-ending stretch in which the Tide made two field goals.

According to Walsh, the Gators are in prime condition for their Tuesday trip to Lexington to face No. 6 Kentucky based on Saturday's win.

"We feel like we can play with anybody when we play the right way," Walsh said. "We did all the little things today."

Little things like committing one first-half turnover and five in the game.

Little things like gaining a 20-3 advantage in put-back points, while allowing Alabama five offensive rebounds and none in the first half. And little things like out-rebounding the second-best rebounding team in the SEC.

Led by Horford's 18 rebounds — the second-most by a UF freshman — the Gators outrebounded the Tide 46-23.

"I had a couple where I went to get it, and all of the sudden, I look up, and [Horford] was already up in the air," said Lee, who finished with six rebounds. "I said, 'Hey take it.' He did a great job getting to the ball."

Sparser crowd than expected watches Snoop invite female students onto stage

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learn of charges that the makeup artist was drugged with spiked champagne before being raped by him and four others.

Snoop Dogg said that although the woman had applied his makeup prior to the Jan. 31, 2003 episode, he left directly afterward and took off the makeup himself at home.

"Rape is not in my nature," he said on CNN. "I don't get down like that."

Snoop Dogg said he does not appear in any of the police reports under either his stage name or his given name, Calvin Broadus, and told King he felt it was "straight extortion" because the alleged victim has taken settlement money from

The Walt Disney Company until recently and filed the matter in civil, not criminal court.

"I got a lot of money, true and deep, but I'm not gonna give it to you for something I didn't do," Snoop Dogg said.

A source close to the Alligator was one of several women chosen from the audience during Friday's performance to join Snoop Dogg onstage for "Beautiful" and "Drop It Like It's Hot," his newest single.

As the women left the stage after the song ended, Snoop said they would receive "seven backstage passes for seven backstage asses."

However, the situation was not as she said she thought it would be

when they arrived in Snoop Dogg's dressing room.

"I thought there was going to be alcohol laying everywhere — there wasn't," she said, though she did notice a "couple of bottles" of two different kinds of beer.

She said they were not offered the alcohol. "They offered us water," she said.

Yeatman said SGP did not purchase alcohol for Snoop Dogg or his entourage despite provisions in the rapper's rider. Under Florida law, it is illegal to use Activity & Service fees, which fund SGP, to buy alcohol.

"But what he had otherwise is out of our control," Yeatman added.

Snoop Dogg asked about the girls' majors and teased some of the girls who partook of the catering table about college students not

turning down a free meal, she said.

"He gave us hugs. We took pictures," she said, adding that nothing happened between members of his party and the women escorted backstage and that they all left together.

Yeatman said there was never any concern about female employees working that night, several of them college-aged.

"They treated the staff with the utmost respect," Yeatman said of Snoop Dogg and his crew.

Despite the last-minute controversy and delay — during which a previously unslated opening act performed to accommodate the schedule, according to O'Dome staff — the fans who turned out stayed rowdy through the hour-long set.

Only about 4,600 of 7,500 total

tickets were sold, Musson said.

Front-row audience member Andrew Holcomb, 20, saw Snoop Dogg in Washington, D.C. in June.

"I didn't have this good seats though," Holcomb said. "This is gonna be tight."

When Snoop Dogg finally made his entrance at 10:20 p.m. he did not appear burdened by the backstage interview. The crowd jumped, waved and chanted — including a short "song" consisting of, "Smoke weed, get drunk and [expletive deleted]" — at his command, but Snoop kept the vibe as mellow as his trademark laid-back rhymes.

There were no problems with security, Musson said, adding there was no additional staff hired compared to other concerts.

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RECYCLE

Super Bowl festivities enjoyed by viewers worldwide

Homeless view Bowl, chow down in church

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Gainesville's homeless and hungry football fans filled the First United Methodist Church on Sunday night for their own Super Bowl party.

A projection television at the church, 419 NE First St., broadcast the game to more than 100 guests. Nachos began the evening, and attendees filled tables and a long row of couches near the television.

"We got the barbecue pigs," Senior Pastor Earl Parker announced. "Don't make up too much of a line — there's enough for everyone."

Church member Randy Stacey took the microphone and blessed the meal. Volunteers served barbecued pork

donated by Sonny's Real Pit Bar-B-Q, along with beans, cole slaw and Texas toast.

"Gainesville's in the Top 10 for meanness to the homeless," Stacey said, referring to the National Coalition for the Homeless' annual 20 Meanest Cities list released last year. "The idea is to start treating everyone as a human being."

Stacey is part of the Helping Hands Clinic, which will begin providing medical care this week at the church from 5 to 7 p.m. every Monday night. The clinic moved from its former home at the Salvation Army last week, Stacey said.

About a third of the diners cheered for their team as the game proceeded, but most concentrated on their meals.

"It's a blessing, this night," said

David Bricker, who came from his tent in the woods to attend the meal.

His bicycle held hand-made signs that read, "Jesus loves me & you."

"God is wonderful," Bricker said. "God's got me in the wilderness to keep me off of the crack cocaine."

Pastor Parker's personal interest in the homeless has fueled his organization of the Super Bowl party for the last three years.

"I've had homeless people in my family," Parker said. "I understand it."

Parker is part of the Homeless Banquet Ministry, which plans to serve a spring banquet complete with tablecloths, candles and table service. They also plan to host banquets July 4 and in the fall.

"We're not a country club church," he said. "We're going to reach people's needs where they are."

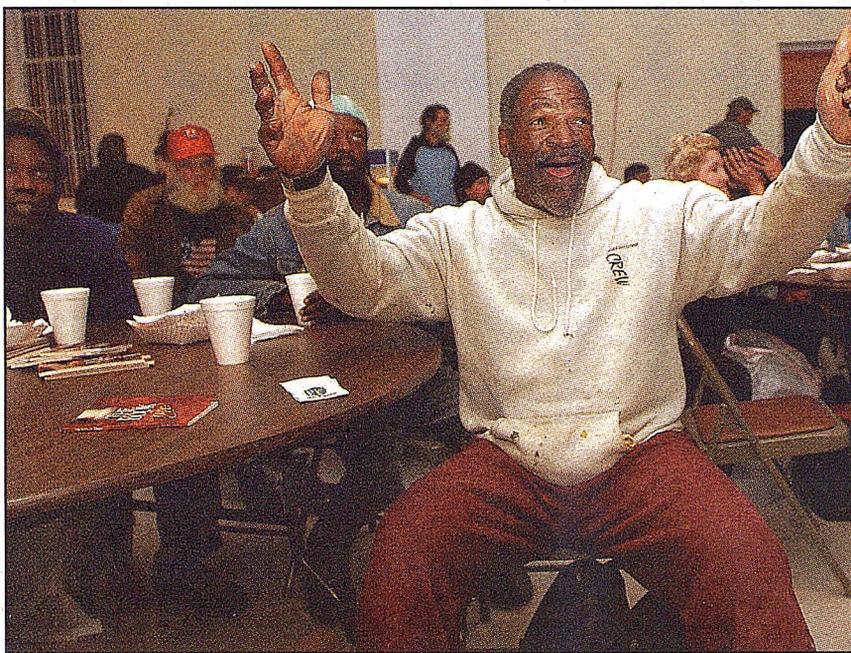
Parker interrupted the Super Bowl regularly to take a microphone and announce door-prize winners. Guests won jackets, sweatshirts, sleeping bags and tents, and every one of the first 100 guests received a JanSport backpack obtained by youth coordinator Will Vinson.

Vinson, 18, began serving at church Super Bowl banquets when they began five years ago.

His phone call convinced the company JanSport to donate the backpacks. Church volunteers filled the backpacks with fruit and pudding cups, shampoo, deodorant and more.

Slices of cake and coffee and beverages of tea and lemonade ended the meal. Al, a diner who declined to give his last name, took a break from singing along to Paul McCartney's "Hey Jude" during the half-time show to say he has been coming to the church's Super Bowl banquet from the beginning.

"I love it," Al said. "All the people are nice. But Philly's got to play to win this one."



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A homeless man shows Super Bowl spirit Sunday at First United Methodist Church. The church held a Super Bowl party for homeless locals.

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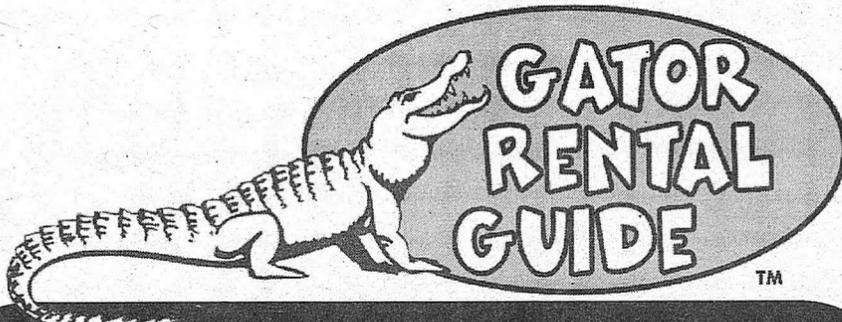
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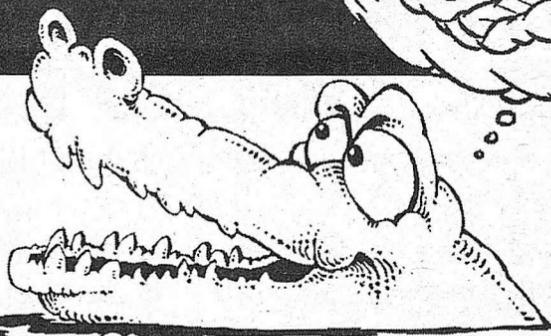
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It was also the last time the No. 5 Gators gymnastics team won a meet in Athens, Ga.

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UF fended off a late charge by No. 7 Georgia and overcame two falls on balance beam to defeat the Bulldogs 195.725-195.60.

"Historically speaking, it's tremendous," Coach Rhonda Faehn said. "It's a big boost to their confidence as far as doing something to that magnitude after so many years of losing to Georgia."

The Gators (7-2, 2-1 Southeastern Conference) held a commanding 1.175-point lead heading into the final rotation but struggled on the balance beam, an

event on which they are ranked No. 4 in the nation.

UF had two falls, but Samantha Lutz scored a 9.75 as the Gators' final performer to seal the win.

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Rhonda Faehn
UF gymnastics coach

"I honestly didn't even know our team score until the very end," Faehn said. "I look at the here and now and at that point I was disappointed with the mistakes we had made."

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UF was able to jump out to such a large lead because of Georgia's struggles on uneven bars.

The Bulldogs (8-1, 3-1 SEC) had two falls on the apparatus, and they were forced to count a score of 8.275 to the team total.

Georgia's struggles on bars were counteracted by an impressive Gators performance.

UF's 49.075 was their second highest score on the event this season.

Freshman Ashley Reed scored her first collegiate event title on bars, garnering a 9.90 on her routine.

"It was nice to see the improvement there," Faehn said. "Everyone did a really nice job; Ashley did a phenomenal routine and stuck her dismount."

Despite the landmark win for her program, Faehn evoked a familiar refrain after the meet.

"Obviously it's still fresh in their minds that they made mistakes," she said. "They made some crucial mistakes that we don't want to see happen under the next serious pressure situation, and that's going to be the focus this week in the gym."

UF hurdles winless fall

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The wait is over for the UF men's golf team. After going winless in the fall, UF repeated the success as team champions in the Gator Invitational, shooting a combined 858 to defeat Wake Forest by eight shots and Florida State by 10. The Gators totaled a tournament-low team score of 280 on Sunday to overtake second-round leader Wake Forest and surpass Alabama at Birmingham, who tied UF after two rounds.

"[The UF golfers] were awesome down the stretch," Coach Buddy Alexander said. "It was just good to play well here, get this win, put the fall behind us and move into the spring."

Brett Stegmaier led the Gators with a three-round score of 211 (+1), placing him in a tie for second, two shots behind the tournament individual champion, Florida State golfer Jonas Blixt. After two rounds, Stegmaier stood in a first-place tie with Louisiana State golfer Heath West.

"I made a few dumb mistakes [on Sunday]," Stegmaier said. "I thought I gave the tournament away, but I'll take second. It's a good start."

Ryan Cochran and Richard Treis paced the Gators with third-round scores of 68 and 69, respectively, at the UF Golf Course. Cochran steadily improved throughout the two days,

despite receiving individual disqualification because of the opening round. The junior shot an 11-over-par 81 but actually signed for an 80.

"When you're driving well and you're putting well, it's kind of hard to play bad, and those were two things that I was doing pretty good [Sunday]," Cochran said. "I thought I was playing decent [Saturday], just everything was going wrong. I thought I had it in me to come out here and do this today."



Alexander

Treis birdied three of the final five holes on Sunday, redeeming himself after recording five bogeys during the same stretch a day earlier. The North Carolina transfer

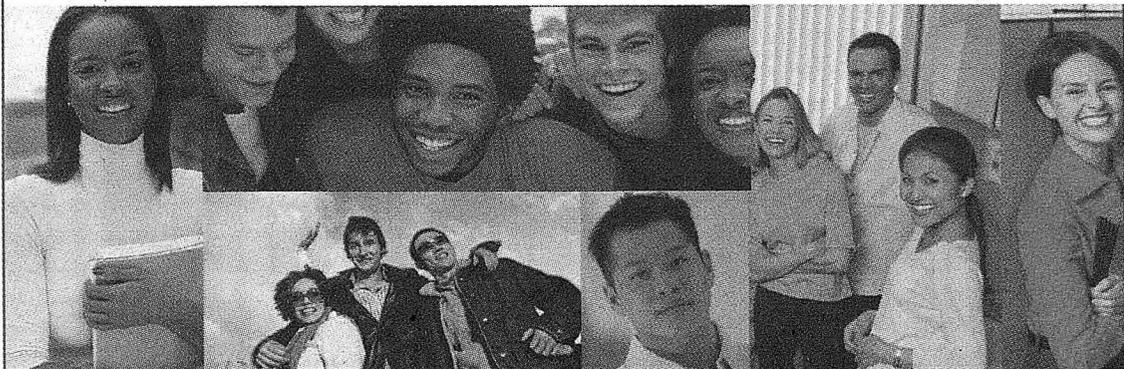
finished by sinking an 18-foot birdie putt on the 18th hole.

James Vargas carded his first top-10 finish of the season, a tie for ninth after shooting 214. Treis improved seven shots from a second round 76, finishing in a tie for 14th.

UF redshirt freshman Manuel Villegas, playing as an individual, shot rounds of 77, 71 and 73 to finish in a tie for 27th.

Matt Every rounded out the Gators team score, finishing at 12-over-par and tied for 34th place.

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Alabama puts UF in dire seat

■ COACH SAYS THE GATORS WILL HAVE TO WIN NEXT FIVE GAMES FOR POSTSEASON.

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Following an overtime loss to No. 5 Tennessee Thursday, the UF women's basketball team looked almost like a different team Sunday.

Shooting just under 30 percent, the Gators lost to Alabama 77-66.

Perhaps feeling an emotional let down after their inspired play Thursday, the Gators (12-10, 3-6 Southeastern Conference) looked sluggish, aside for the last 10 minutes of the second half.

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Peck said her team's focus was "very different" from the Tennessee game and said that the team thought — with their great play versus the Vols — they would handle Alabama.

"We didn't handle the success [of Thursday], if you can call it that, very well," Peck said. "We came in with not much respect, but Alabama was a much better team and took advantage of that."

The Gators started a rally toward the end of the second half, but by that point, Alabama (13-8, 4-4 SEC) had stretched its lead to 25 points. Peck said the team did not quit, but she was disappointed that UF had fallen behind by so much before it started a rally.

UF trimmed the deficit to 9 points at the 1 minute, 16 seconds mark but never got much closer.

Leading the scoring for the Gators were junior Bernice Mosby with 24 points and senior Tashia Morehead with 20. Both players had eight rebounds. However, no other Gator scored more than 5 points.

The Gators had trouble inside, scoring 10 points in the paint to Alabama's 30. UF was also 20-29 from the free-throw line, shooting 69 percent.

"That's just focus," said Peck of UF's inability to capitalize on the little things. "It's going to be layups and free throws that determine how far teams go and what position they play at the end of the season."

UF has now lost five consecutive games and six out of the last seven. At 3-6, UF is in serious danger of missing the NCAA tournament.

Peck knows the pressure is on and says the Gators have to win their final SEC games if they want an invitation to the Big Dance.

"If we have any hope of playing in the postseason, we're going to have to go 5-0," she said. "With only 3 wins in the SEC right now, we put our backs against the wall."

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Horford rivals Tide in rebounding

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Ten? Twelve? Fifteen? How many rebounds did Al Horford just grab against Alabama?

"I thought he had about 25, to be honest with you," senior forward David Lee said. "I had no idea. I had never been in a game when someone had that many. It was just shocking."

You can't blame Lee for losing track of Horford's 18 rebounds — nine of which were offensive — against Alabama. It seemed like everyone did, including perhaps the statistician. Even UF coach Billy Donovan joked that there might have been a mistake.

It was that kind of afternoon for the freshman. At the unlikeliest of times, against the unlikeliest of opponents, Horford manhandled the Crimson Tide. There were no shots he didn't contest. There was no loose ball he didn't chase. And even when he failed to snatch those one or two stray shots, Alabama still felt his presence.

"He kicked our fannies today," Alabama coach Mark Gottfried said. "There's no mistaking that."

Toward the end of the second half, the stat sheet read: Horford — 18 rebounds; Crimson Tide — 18 rebounds. The 6-foot-8, 240-pounder had just inhaled his last rebound. To make sure no one forgot, he gathered himself, soared and dunked points 13 and 14, his final score. The crowd — including a trio of students who sported a flag of the Dominican Republic in honor of his homeland — erupted into a "HORFORD" cheer.

"There's just certain nights when you feel you can get every rebound,"

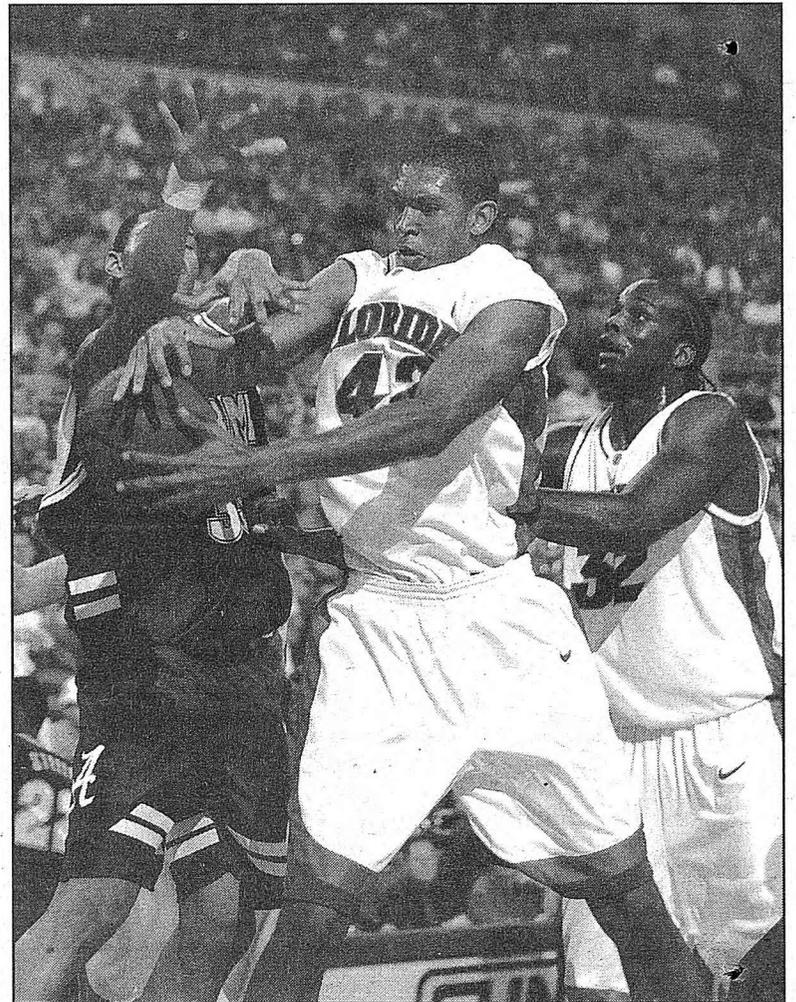
Horford said.

But no one expected this Saturday. Not after Horford struggled against a physical Mississippi State team Tuesday. Saddled in foul trouble for

much of the game, he finished with just 6 points and 3 rebounds.

After that, the "sponge effect" kicked in. Donovan likens Horford's

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UF freshman forward Al Horford recorded the second most rebounds by a freshman in UF history by grabbing 18 Saturday.

Nothing negative to write about this victory

Last week, perhaps I filled this space with a little too much negativity. It's bad when even my dad says it's too harsh.

The Gators may have fixed my perspective with their statement win against the Tide, though.

Even I couldn't write a negative column after the hurting UF put on Alabama Saturday.

I could've probably looked at every little detail and not found a single thing to be negative about.

The big three played like the big three is capable of playing, with each scoring 18 points.

Eighteen also happens to be the number of rebounds Al Horford (Hor-board?) had. That's unbelievable. Memo to ESPN, who spelled his name "Hoford" in the bottom line: get the spelling right because this freshman is the real deal.

When Horford got his 18th rebound, the whole Alabama team had matched that. Not to mention, he had more than twice as many offensive boards as all of Alabama did in only



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26 minutes.

The Gators did everything right. The balanced attack that destroyed Alabama received national praise. One ESPN analyst said that UF has all the pieces of a championship team. Call me cynical, but I'm still not sold on that one. What I am sold on is that the Gators are a legitimate tournament team. They needed a big win. Instead, they got a huge one.

David Lee said the margin of victory didn't matter, which was the right thing to say. However, the fact that it was UF's biggest win against a ranked opponent mattered very much. It made the front page of ESPN.com. A 4-point win wouldn't have.

It's hard to have pictured this dismantling, given the

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■ Log on to alligator.org/sports for complete updates on the men's and women's swimming and diving teams and the softball team, which were all in action during the weekend. Also, check out a preview of the women's golf match starting today.

TODAY IN UF SPORTS HISTORY

■ 2004: UF guard Matt Walsh sinks all 14 free throw attempts against Vanderbilt, the second greatest number of free throws made without missing in school history. Walsh also made 14 of 14 free throws against Miami in 2002.

