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**Some kind of night**

UF student Lisa Aukerman sings her revised version of "Some Kind of Wonderful" accompanied by rock 'n' roll band Kansas. The group performed at Phi Kappa Tau Fraternity's house during a rush event Wednesday.

# UF stretched by population

■ AS FLORIDA QUICKLY GROWS LARGER THAN EVER, IT MAY NEED ANOTHER UNIVERSITY.

By **JOHN W. COX**  
 Alligator Contributing Writer

Charley, Frances, Ivan, Jeanne, Dennis and even Katrina can't scare them away. The Sunshine State is still the place to be.

A projected population increase of more than 2 million people in the next five years may make a new state university a necessity, a UF professor said.

UF is already feeling the pressure with a freshman class of about 550 more students than expected.

"There are various areas in the state where students don't have good access to higher education," said Grant Thrall, a UF economic geography professor, who was hired by the board that oversees the State University System to analyze the demand for higher education.

Thrall submitted a report to the Florida Board of Governors outlining the importance of a new university.

"It is a necessity if our objective is to provide higher quality education," Thrall said. "It's not uncommon that a very good student has to go away to Orlando or South Florida."

The Board was not looking to create competition for UF but rather a supplement, Thrall said. A new university would target good students who couldn't get into UF.

Good students who cannot get into UF do not have fair access to other reputable universities, he said.

Central Florida is not the only area affected by these issues. Most population increases will occur in South Florida, Thrall said.

"If we're going to have access to higher education in the state, there will have to be more branches of already existing campuses or new campuses," Thrall said.

UF has been impacted already by an increase in student enrollment. Each year, admissions officials must estimate how many students they should accept in order to bring in the desired number of freshmen. If for some reason their estimate is off, for example, when the Bright Futures Scholarship Program first began, they may end up with more students than the university can manage.

The estimates are never exact because officials never know how many of the accepted students will decide to attend.

"The yield rate was pretty phenomenal," said Albert Matheny, UF's director of Academic Advising.

Of the 22,000 applications for the Summer and Fall terms, 12,000 students were accepted, Matheny said. The normal yield rate for the Summer term is much

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## STUDENT GOVERNMENT

# Elections may hamper computer lab

By **DAVID COHEN**  
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Student Government may have to throw a glitch into the accessibility of a popular computer lab for a few days to make sure the Fall election runs smoothly.

SG Supervisor of Elections Daniel Maland said he needs nine more computers to implement secured-site online voting Sept. 27 and 28 — and he may have to take the machines from SG's computer lab on the third floor of the Reitz Union.

"No matter what the computer lab will not be closed in its entirety to students," he said. "I can't eliminate [borrowing some computers] as an option right now as much as I'd like to. This is Plan Z. Borrowing from one area (of campus) is an extremely difficult process."

However, Maland said he is confident, that with the help of the CIRCA computer

labs and the University Registrar, the situation will be resolved.

"I think it's going along great," he said of the transition to online voting. "As of right now we are directly on target to have it implemented this Fall."

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In late Summer, Student Senate passed the secured-site online voting initiative allowing students to vote by computer at designated polling locations on campus and is expected to save SG \$30,000 each election. The Senate rejected "unsecured-site" online voting, which would

have allowed students to vote from any computer, on campus or off, using their GatorLink accounts.

Maland said the new system calls for about 50 polling-station computers that run Microsoft Internet Explorer 6.0.

Student Body President Joe Goldberg said he would approve removing the computers if it ensures the voting system will be ready for later this month.

"I think that we have a mandate by the student body to do online voting," he said. "I think it's unfortunate that we don't have all the resources to do that, but we have been asked to make that happen. We're going to make that happen in whatever way we can."

Goldberg said the apparent lack of resources was caused mostly by the proximity of the legislation to election time but added the new election system is worth possible growing pains.

"It's a step in the right direction," he said.

■ Wyoming's pass attack is expected to give UF's revamped secondary trouble. Jarvis Herring believes the Gators' secondary is underrated. See story, pg. 26.



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■ Student Government kicks off the Fall election season as the Gator and Impact parties begin seeking candidates for the 46 open Student Senate seats. Students seeking to represent their peers can apply in the Reitz Union today, Friday or Tuesday. See story, pg. 4.

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## NATIONAL

### Poll: Public divided on whether humans evolved

WASHINGTON (AP) — Americans are divided on whether humans and other living things evolved over time or have existed in their present forms since the beginning of time, according to a new poll.

People on both sides of the argument think students should hear about various theories, however.

Nearly two-thirds of those in a Pew Research Center poll, 64 percent, said they believe creationism should be taught alongside evolution — a finding likely to spark more controversy about what is taught in the schools.

That controversy could be related to the difficulty of measuring public sentiment about teaching evolution, creationism or the more recent concept of "intelligent design," a Pew official said.

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### AASU to hold assembly

The Asian-American Student Union will hold its annual assembly

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tonight, focusing on how students can become activists, AASU President Sandy Chiu said.

The doors will open to the University Auditorium at 6 p.m., and the show will start at 6:30.

Main speaker Jack Ong, an activist, writer and actor, will explain what it's like to be an Asian Pacific American in the media.

Ong will discuss "his struggle as an Asian ... in the predominantly white industry" of entertainment, said Peter Nguyen, assembly co-director for AASU.

The event is co-sponsored by Accent, Student Government's speaker's bureau.

Students don't have to be Asian to attend, Nguyen said.

Following the show, organizations will table on Turlington

Plaza and free pizza will be handed out. The event was designed for freshmen to see what AASU organizations offer, he said.

Chiu said the Chinese American Student Association, Korean Undergraduate Student Association, Vietnamese Student Organization, Filipino Student Association and Health-Educated Asian Leaders will feature dance presentations.

— DIANA MAZZELLA

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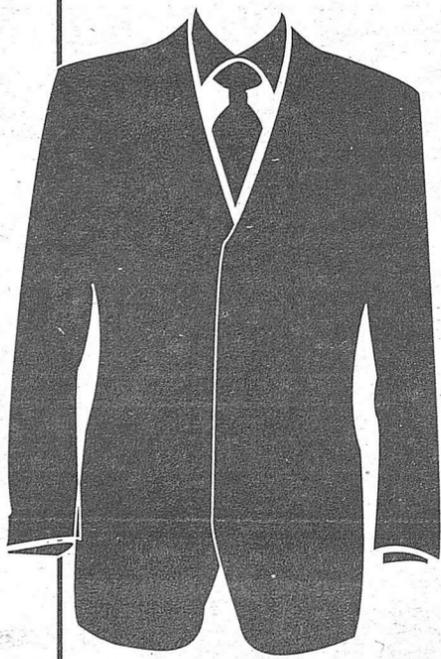
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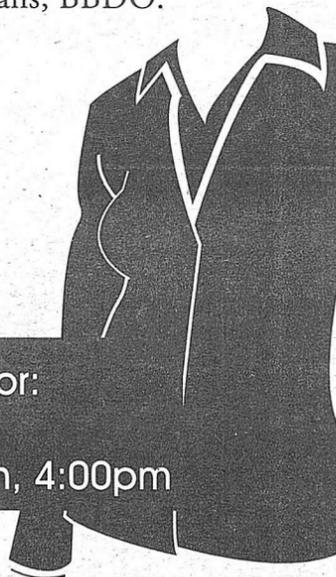
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# SG election season begins with ethics vows, slating

By **JUSTIN RICHARDS**

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Students seeking to represent their peers in the Senate can apply in the Reitz Union today, Friday or Tuesday.

The 46 open Senate seats represent residence halls and off-campus zip codes.

The first step to being slated, or tapped to run with an SG party, is qualifying, which will take place in Room 346 of the Reitz Union today and Friday and in Room 288 on Tuesday. Prospective senators must have a 2.0 GPA, a 12-credit undergraduate or 9-credit graduate coursework and a clean conduct record on campus.

Qualified students can then interview with the Gator or Impact party, the only two slating candidates for the Fall election. Gator will interview in Room 347 today and Friday and Room 276 on Tuesday. Impact's interviews will be in Room 355 today, Room 349 on Friday and Room 277 on Tuesday.

Qualifying and interviewing both go from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Students who do not interview, or who interview and are not slated, can run independently. All candidates must attend a mandatory election meeting Sept. 7.

Student Government kicked off the Fall election season Wednesday with a first-of-its-kind meeting to ensure the two parties run ethical campaigns.

Impact and Gator party leaders met with Supervisor of Elections Daniel Maland on Wednesday night.

The supervisor watched party representatives read the SG election codes, asking them to affirm after each section that they understood the contents.

"Ignorance is no longer an excuse," he said. Students had pled ignorance to accusations of foul play in the Spring elections, he said.

Maland swore to hold the parties accountable for any violations committed during campaigning.

The statutes prohibit campaigning in classrooms, door-to-door campaigning on campus and promising benefits to a student or organization in exchange for political support.

Dean of Students Gene Zdziarski also spoke at the meeting.

"Last year's elections were a bit of a challenge," he said, noting a state official told him Florida elections were simpler than UF's.

Zdziarski said he wanted to see an ethical campaign without people being "threatened, coerced and harassed."

Maland said members of the election commission were cornered and threatened by party members during last Spring's election, according to accounts he had heard.

"Horrible, horrible things were done," Maland said. "They won't be taken lightly."

The two parties also begin reviewing candidates for Student Senate seats today.

Gator spokesman Thomas Philpot said his party offers the more experienced leaders.

"You're going to see a considerable advantage in the experience and the ideas that The Gator Party is able to offer," he said.

Impact President Thomas Jardon said his party will try to "turn no one away."

"Our main intent is to make sure SG represents all students fairly and equally," he said.

Impact's platform has three tenets: "real" online voting, responsible spending of student money and the end of legacy positions in SG.

Jardon said SG should "spend less on lobbying trips to (Washington) D.C." and more on free printing, Sunday bus service and wireless access throughout campus.

Gator's platform has not been finalized, but Philpot said the party will continue to pursue last Spring's objectives. These include free online music, campus wireless access, gym towels and improved readership programs.

The Voice and Access parties also regis-

tered for the Fall election, but representatives said they were only securing the party names.

"I felt pretty bad last year when it was taken for political reasons," Access President Ansell Fernandez said. "We're looking to get Access back to the way it was."

Fernandez said he has not yet decided whether he will support a party.

Voice President Peter Gruskin said his party is "with Impact and Progress."

"We don't want to split up the non-Gator vote," Gruskin said.

Students interested in Student Senate candidacy can apply for 11 seats representing on-campus housing and 35 seats representing off-campus constituents.

**Step One: Qualifying**  
Today and Friday Room 346  
Tuesday Room 288  
9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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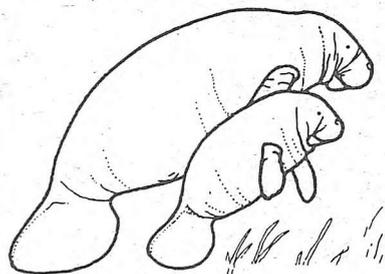
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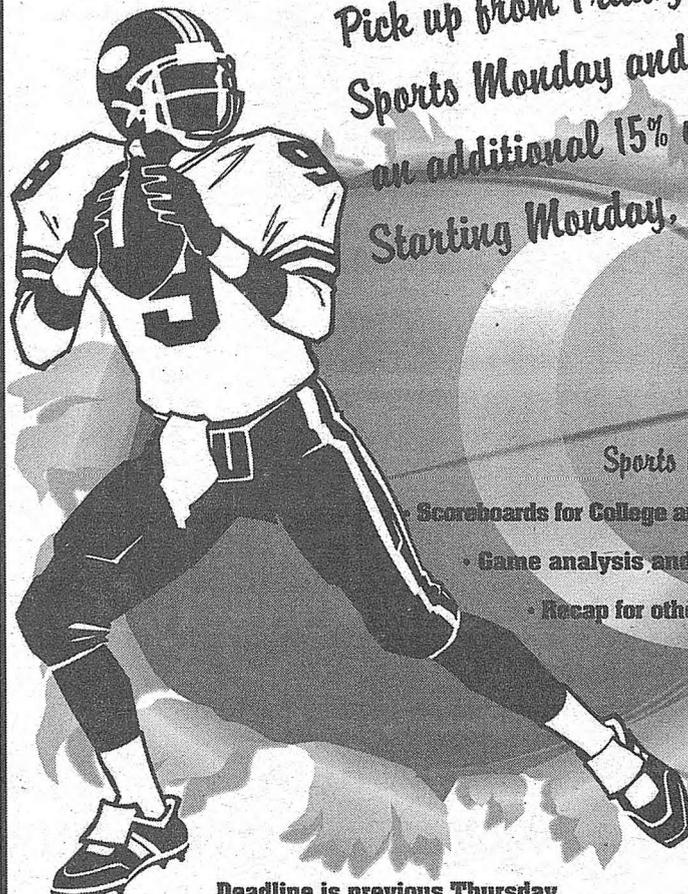
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# Credit-card surcharges affect students' bottom lines

## UF: No profit gained from 'convenience fee'

By **BOBBY KEITH**

Alligator Contributing Writer

There's a banner hanging above the back entrance of Criser Hall that states, "Students enter here to pay your fees."

Maybe it should say, "Students enter here to avoid paying extra."

Since July 26 a fee of 2.6 percent has been added to all online credit-card payments made on ISIS for all student fees and "account-receivable charges." This encompasses everything UF students owe to the university, including parking fines, infirmity charges and tuition.

Students have only two ways to avoid paying the fee: pay online with

an electronic check or wait in line at S113 Criser Hall and pay in person. Making the trek to Criser Hall will spare students the extra charge.

"I had to come here in person because it cost, like, \$77 more to pay [tuition] online," said graduate student Tiffany Lightner, 22. "I also had to park illegally."

UF implemented the additional cost in order to offset processing fees charged to the university.

The trip to Criser Hall may be difficult for some students who don't live near campus.

Jeff Grant, 23, is taking all his classes through the Internet in Naples and is not required to set foot on campus all semester.

"This could be a real hassle for me," Grant said.

About 22 percent of UF students paid their fees on ISIS with credit cards last year, said Stuart Hoskins, senior associate controller at UF.

Graduate student Leila Noriega, 24, decided to pay in person this year to avoid the added cost.

"It doesn't make much sense why they just decided to charge us," Noriega said.

But Hoskins said it does.

The revenue generated through the "convenience fee," he said, will go directly to the credit-card companies and to the contracted outsourcing company, which is a middleman that processes ISIS transactions. UF

will not profit from the fee, Hoskins added.

As a result of the charge, students will no longer be able to use their VISA credit cards to pay tuition on ISIS, creating another potential inconvenience for many students.

**"It doesn't make much sense why they just decided to charge us."**

**Leila Noriega**

UF graduate student

VISA doesn't allow surcharges to be added to the consumer's bill by any merchant, said Randa Ghnaim, spokeswoman for Visa USA.

"Other universities have stopped using VISA for the same reason,"

Ghnaim said. "It's a rule that we require every merchant to follow."

As a result MasterCard and American Express are the only two remaining credit cards students can use on ISIS.

Hoskins said VISA would still be accepted if the service charge were a flat rate, such as \$10 per transaction, instead of a percentage.

"We couldn't decide on a flat fee that would be appropriate to use for both a parking ticket and your tuition," Hoskins said.

He said most UF students receive grants and scholarships, and their fees are paid out within the first weeks of the school year. These students receive deferments and are not required to pay until November.

But even then the same rules will apply for all students.

## Despite stern statute ISIS surcharge likely not illegal under Florida law

By **STEPHEN MAGRUDER**

Alligator Writer  
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UF's new online credit-card usage fee has raised the question of whether or not it is legal to charge students more money depending on how they pay their tuition.

Florida Statute 501.0117 states a seller "may not impose a surcharge on the buyer or lessee for electing to use a credit card in lieu of payment by cash, check or similar means, if the seller or lessor accepts payment by credit card."

However, the statute "does not apply to the offering of a discount for the purpose of inducing payment by cash, check or other means not involving the use of a credit card, if the discount is offered to all prospective customers."

Calls to UF's General Counsel and University Financial Services for comment were not returned Wednesday.

The statute also makes exceptions for surcharges on approved state or federal tariffs.

UF law professor Christopher Peterson said the statute, despite some ambiguous wording, probably would allow the surcharge.

"It's more likely than not that section 501.0117 does not apply to the university because the charges in question are imposed pursuant to an approved state tariff," he said.

The cost of operating a public university like UF is covered only in part by tuition, he said.

"Every student at this university gets a generous subsidy from the taxpayers of the state," Peterson said.

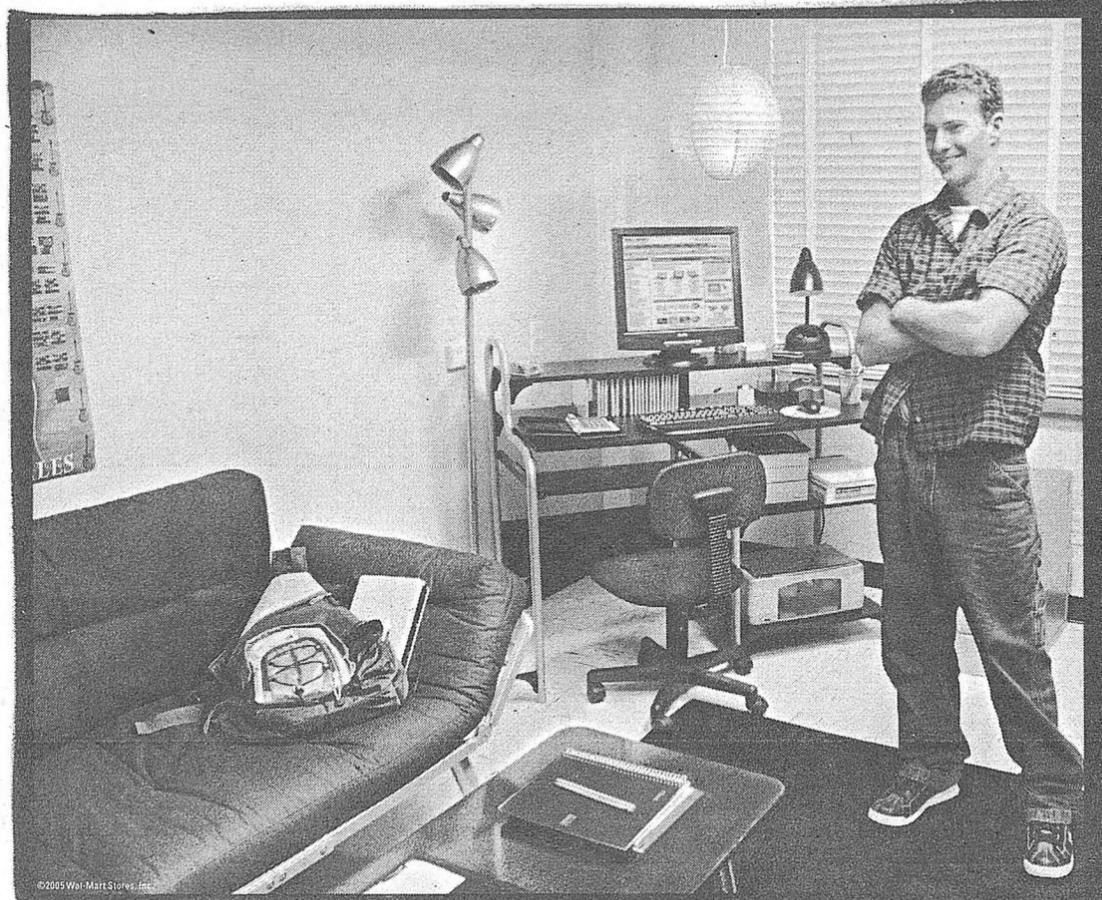
"Those students who were paying by credit card were being more generously subsidized by the taxpayers than students who paid by cash or check," he added.

Florida is one of 10 states to prohibit credit-card surcharges, according to Bankcard Holders of America.

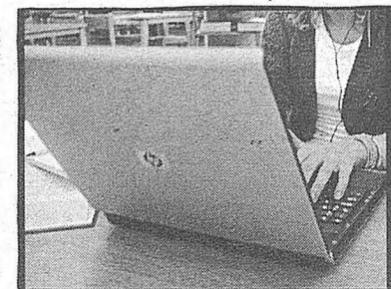
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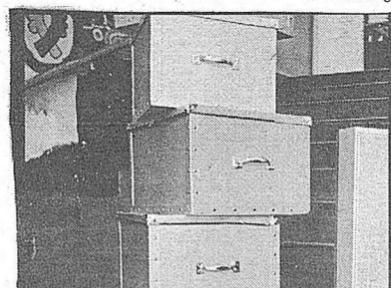
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## Editorial

# Rash decisions

## Bush administration cut funds for hurricane plans

More than two days after Hurricane Katrina hit New Orleans, the city is in worse shape than during the 145-mph storm.

Thousands of people are trapped in the city. Water has broken through levees, causing the Mississippi River and Lake Pontchartrain to flood the town's famous streets. Everything is contaminated, and citizens are without food and water.

Most shocking, officials say dead bodies will soon cause disease to spread through the lake that was once a town. With every street becoming a canal of its own, people are trapped in houses drowning in water. Current predictions put the death toll into the thousands.

We all knew that someday this would happen. Some areas of New Orleans are two meters below sea level; it resembles a soup bowl just waiting for someone to ladle in the liquid. Every time a hurricane even points in the direction of the Gulf, people talk about how New Orleans could disappear like Atlantis.

So why is the aftermath such a fatal mess?

The blame first goes to the Bush administration. Since 2001 the federal government has reduced drastically funding to the New Orleans district of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. That means the halt of plans for hurricane-proof levees and studies into how to withstand Category 5 hurricanes.

In the 2006 fiscal year alone, the Corps received a \$71.2-million reduction in federal funding.

Where did those five years of extra funding go? Probably much was diverted to homeland security, the fight against terrorism and the war in Iraq.

Now officials are floundering in what they repeatedly call a "logistical nightmare." Of course it's a logistical nightmare, but funds should have gone to help plan for it.

Instead, it's a guessing game. The latest idea is to drop five-ton sandbags into the 400-foot breach in the London Avenue Canal. If that doesn't work, officials are planning to lower pieces of concrete highway.

But the federal government isn't the only one to blame for this operation's shortcomings.

New Orleans officials only began evacuating the city a day before the hurricane struck, despite the lack of roads leading out of town. Pictures of the evacuation showed cars in stopped traffic, with people loitering on the highway.

This exodus wasn't nearly efficient enough.

Furthermore, residents without transportation were left to Mother Nature. Herded into the highly inappropriate Louisiana Superdome, families waited in darkness as the roof of their "safe haven" ripped off and water seeped underneath the doors.

Now officials are planning to move the thousands still stranded in the Superdome to the Reliant Astrodome in Houston, 350 miles away. About 15,000 refugees a day will be removed from the city. They say they'll do it by bus — in a city 80 percent covered in water.

Wouldn't this have been easier before the hurricane struck?

Of course evacuating such a big city is never easy, and no one likes to leave home unless it's certain a hurricane is going to hit. However, officials had decades to plan for such an event. They knew it would happen one day — each generation just hoped it wouldn't be its problem. Now it is.

When the tsunami hit Asia last fall, everyone balked at the lack of organization after hundreds of villages and towns were washed out. No one thought such chaos could happen in the Western world, especially the United States.

Hopefully, officials will continue to focus their energy on evacuating survivors. The damage to the city was sealed before the hurricane even hit.

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## Guest column

## Party labels grow more meaningless

CNN's "Crossfire" is dead. Long live "Crossfire."

While the summer death of CNN's long-running and groundbreaking shout-at-you political debate program inspired mourning in news junkies and ovations from media critics, such as Comedy Central's sharp-tongued Jon Stewart, don't shed too many tears for Robert Novak or the rest of the "Crossfire" gang.

They'll no doubt find employment on any one of the other approximately 19,000 debate programs, where they will continue to further the public discourse. In the manner of Cicero and Caesar. By shouting vulgarities at each other.

Of course the great irony in all this is that the flunkies and hacks on these shows burst capillaries in defense of politicians who long ago abandoned the core values on which they were elected.

Your Paul Begalas and James Carvilles will argue with ferocity for liberal ideals and programs that vanished from the political discourse during the Reagan administration. The Democratic Party hasn't nominated a truly liberal candidate for the presidency since George McGovern. Walter Mondale, Michael Dukakis, Bill Clinton, Al Gore, John Kerry — they were never the acolytes of the far left that Republicans portrayed them to be.

The modern Democratic Party has descended so far into cowardice and middle-of-the-roadism that it seems surreal for left-wing pundits to defend it with more passion than it is willing to display in defending itself.

However, never let it be said that irrational ardor is a partisan quality. You find on the right, too, many who will preach with obvious sincerity on the virtues of small government and in the next breath ferociously defend the Patriot Act and President Bush's misadventures in Iraq.

Where in the platform of the classical Republican Party is it written that conservatism is manifested in aggressive and

unnecessary foreign wars?

Andrew Bare  
Speaking Out

Where were small-government republicans, so anxious in the '80s to

eviscerate the Department of Education, when the president pushed through the No Child Left Behind Act? This piece of education legislation established new layers of obnoxious and obtrusive federal standards for schools at the local and state levels.

Those Republicans exist, yes, but they find themselves bound and gagged by their party's leadership, which has sold out the once-laudable principles of the Republican Party to the religious right.

So be it. Their extremist allies have delivered on their side of the bargain, spearheading electoral eviscerations over the past several years. But in the deal the soul of the Republican Party has been torn asunder and sold for scrap to those more interested in preventing two men from committing to a legally recognized monogamous relationship than the virtues of small government.

There was a time when Republicans believed the federal government should not interfere if a corporation wanted to... well, do anything up to and including kidnapping citizens and using their bodies to fuel machinery.

There was a time when Democrats were society's irrational dreamers, demanding the piss-pots ran with naught but claret wine.

And now the party of Lincoln is dedicated wholeheartedly to making gay citizens second-class citizens. And the party of FDR no longer has the backbone to resist them.

Those expecting the Rs and Ds next to our representative's names to mean something find that they only mean that an R stands for a Bushite, and D is an Amorphous Blob Man.

Principle is dead. Long live obsequiousness.

Andrew Bare is a journalism junior.

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## Reader response

**Today's question:** Should SG cut funding for the USA Today and New York Times readership programs?

**Wednesday's question:** Should UF recognize the faculty union?

89% YES

11% NO

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Letters to the Editor

**SG should fund readership program**

I am appalled that Student Government is going to abandon the extremely successful USA Today and New York Times readership program. The readership program has brought international and national news to UF students, which papers like the Gainesville Sun and other local papers on campus are lacking.

So students are going to be able to get the Sun, complete with its disappointing student section, but not the New York Times or USA Today? The difference in the grammar alone is reason enough to bring us the New York Times rather than the Sun. Additionally students can get the Sun's information for free in the Alligator (local and campus news), but not international or national news.

Also, I am extremely disappointed SG is spending \$67,187 to advertise itself but refuses to spend that money on services that actually help students. What exactly are they advertising anyway, SG's existence? The best way to do that is to give students services they use and enjoy like the readership program, not TV commercials saying how great SG is.

The Gator Party promised to "bring SG to every Gator," but it seems like one of the most-used services actually will be taken away from students by the Gator Party.

Rosemarie Clouston  
2JM

**Students had say in road construction**

In Tuesday's column "Students should have more say in UF issues," Scott Gilton should have checked his facts before he started talking.

Although I agree with most of what he said, his comments on the construction of Second Avenue were careless. Spend five minutes on the Internet and you'll find out that Second Avenue is State Road 26A. It is a state, not a city, project.

Second, they're not idiots. They do think of the timing of construction, and it is scheduled for completion in 465 days. It's hard to fit that into a summer.

If you want to "have more say," go to the public meetings! There were several boards announcing the open house at the Women's Club along Second Avenue regarding the construction.

Take a little time and you'll find out a lot.

Nathan Currier  
4EG

**Freedom isn't achieved through force**

In Wednesday's Alligator Matthew Melone gave a stark appraisal of the situation the United States now finds itself in Iraq, and went into some detail of what would happen in the event of an American pullout. He said

Iraq would be a 'terrorist breeding ground' torn by civil war, disrupting the entire region.

To remain in Iraq is untenable; to leave is disastrous. What a mess!

I wonder why Melone did not speak up and air these possibilities before the invasion of Iraq that he, as last year's president of the so-called Freedom Foundation supported. It appears he thinks the problem is not that invading Iraq was a stupid idea, but that the U.S. occupation of Iraq is remarkably unpopular at home and abroad.

Of course freedom is never achieved by military occupation. Real freedom requires democracy, equality and justice - concepts that aren't forced at the point of a soldier's bayonet.

John Dryden  
BCN

**Music program offers class, concerts**

Thank you for your article in The Avenue last Thursday, "Music students lack promotion." I would like to take this opportunity to expand on some of the facts you presented in your article.

As for the number of majors, we screen very carefully students entering into music to better ensure they will be successful in a very competitive profession. We also pride

ourselves in the fact that each student studies music with a full-time faculty member rather than with graduate assistants.

Although our enrollment has not increased much over the past few years, the quality of musician scholars accepted into the School of Music has increased considerably, as has the number of students we are unable to accept.

For the general student on campus, each year we offer numerous opportunities in both performance and academic classes. Many of our performance groups are open to non-majors. Hundreds more non-music majors can learn about music in non-performance classes such as jazz history, theory, literature and music history. We've come a long way from "offering only two courses for non-majors."

As for audiences at our performances, it is indeed true that at certain events, the number of attendees is small. However, for many of our events, we are seeing increased attendance. Student groups such as the Jazz Band, the Orchestra, the Wind Symphony, Symphonic Band, Jacare Brazil, University Choir, as well as other music groups, enjoy large audiences.

I hope your readers will take the time to explore these opportunities. Take a course. Join a band. Attend some concerts. We look forward to seeing you.

John A. Duff  
Director, School of Music

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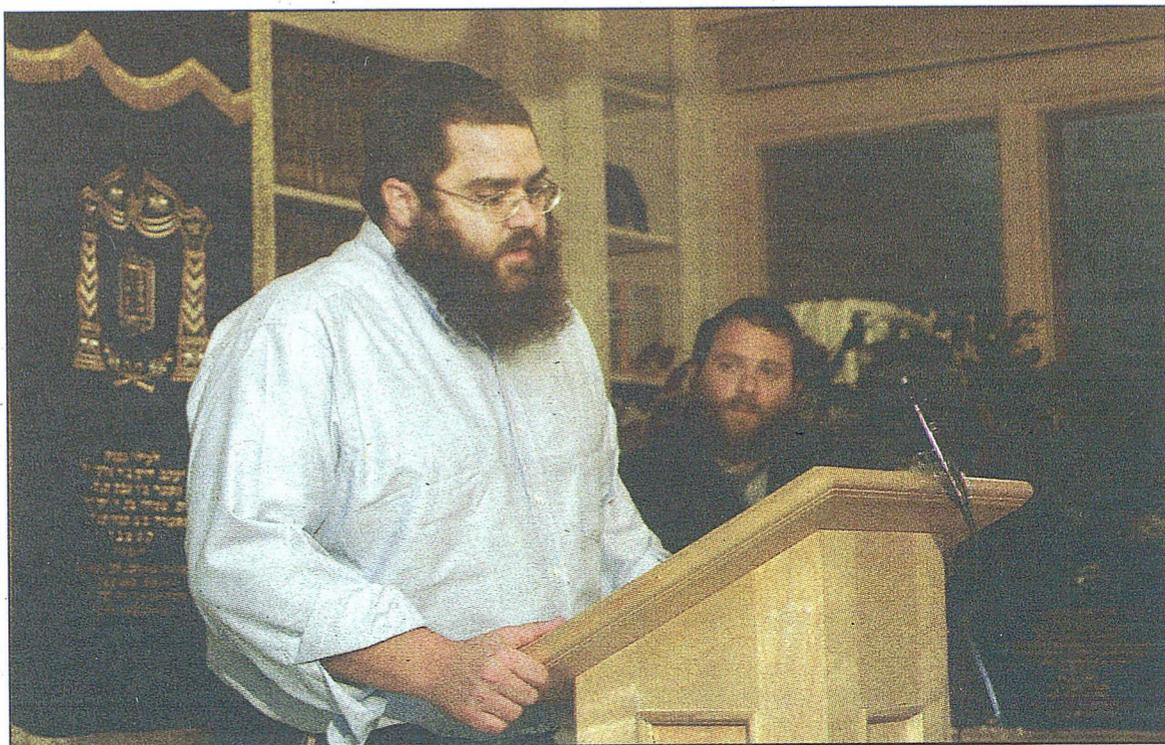
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## ON CAMPUS

## Center serves as local haven for hurricane victims



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Rabbi Yochanan Rivkin, director of the Chabad Jewish Student Center at Tulane University, leads a prayer for victims of Hurricane Katrina on Wednesday evening in the Lubavich-Chabad Jewish Center. Rivkin and his family left New Orleans last week, following evacuation orders.

By JULIA CARVALHO  
Alligator Contributing Writer

As the effects of Hurricane Katrina become more serious with each day that passes, the Lubavitch-Chabad Jewish Center in Gainesville is working to keep the hope and faith alive.

Tulane University's Chabad Director Rabbi Yochanan Rivkin, who left New Orleans last week with his wife and four children, created a temporary command post at the center, through which hurricane survivors can communicate with relatives and find nearby relief centers.

Rivkin and Rabbi Berl Goldman, director of the center, led a small prayer service Wednesday evening for those still in New Orleans. It began, "Deliver me, O God, for the waters have reached unto my soul."

Goldman said Rivkin and his wife, Sarah, have been working day and night to help people who have left New Orleans to get in touch with nearby Chabad centers. They are also serving as

messengers, sending e-mails or calling people whose relatives they have been able to reach in New Orleans.

Today, for example, a woman was able to reach Rivkin to say she had made it out of New Orleans to Alabama. Rivkin immediately sent the girl's grandmother an e-mail.

"We're talking about mind-numbing devastation," Rivkin said and stressed that faith is comforting when dealing with disasters like this.

"Faith helps show that life is more than just material possessions," he said.

The Rivkins have attended conferences in Gainesville in the past and decided last week they would come here when New Orleans received an evacuation order.

Though they thought it would be only for a few days, they are now unsure of when they will go home.

The Rivkins said their family of six will stay with relatives in New York if they are unable to return soon to New Orleans.

## Officials: Sharp increase in UF student body may be related to Meyer

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higher, with a yield of about 76 percent last year. In the Fall it's about 50 percent. But this year about 7,200 students enrolled, making the yield rate about 3-percent higher for both Summer and Fall compared to the previous year.

Students' better understanding of the advantages of the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship may have influenced the higher number of students, he said.

The new Gators Head Football Coach

Urban Meyer's arrival also may have contributed to the increase in enrollment, he said.

"I really believe that that has something to do with it," Matheny said.

More students attended UF after the basketball team's appearance in the 2000 NCAA Final Four and the football national championship in 1997, he said.

Thrall said UF's new president and its attempt to increase academic prestige also may have played a role.

The recent influx of freshmen at UF has created pressure on the dorms, said Norb

Dunkel, director of Housing and Residence Education.

"We knew about three months ago that the numbers were ahead of any previous year," Dunkel said.

There are about 148 temporary triples, or dorm rooms housing three students instead of the usual two, he said. Three hundred more students are on a waiting list to get in, Dunkel said.

UF freshman Richard Precious is living in one of the triples.

"They didn't really tell me how long this

was going to be," he said. "I just applied for housing too late."

Precious shares a desk with one of his roommates and finds room on the floor and under the bed to keep his belongings.

"It's a cramped lifestyle," he said.

Precious and his roommates have not unpacked because the room is so crowded.

"They call it a temporary, but it's basically permanent," he said.

The only advantage is lower rent for the room, Precious said.

"It basically sucks," he said. "I can't wait until one of my roommates gets out."

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All Students interested in becoming javelin throwers are encouraged to attend the information meeting. In the Southeastern Conference, the javelin throw has traditionally been an event heavily influenced by walk-ons; so it is highly possible for a walk-on to have immediate impact on not only the Florida team but also the conference level.

For more information on the meeting and subsequent tryouts, please call Florida Women's Track and Field Assistant Head Coach Steve Lemke at (352) 375-4683 (ext. 5548).

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## FBI files inspire local art exhibition

By GABRIELLA VIGIER  
Avenue Writer

Many in America believe The Man is watching them. History proves the government not only did that, it kept files on them, too.

Most people never see their files, but UF fine arts professor Arnold Mesches went a step further.

Through the Freedom of Information Act, he obtained his FBI file and turned it into an internationally acclaimed art show called "The FBI Files." The show opened last Friday in the University Gallery on Southwest 13th Street and Southwest Fourth Avenue in Building B of the Fine Arts Complex. It will run through Oct. 7.

Mesches discovered he was being watched by the FBI in the mid-1940s. The government based its actions on the belief that Mesches was involved in communist, un-American activities, he said.

"The first page of the report I got was dated Oct. 5, 1945," he said.

Mesches was well-aware he was being followed, along with many other people.

"There were hundreds of thousands of people being followed back then," Mesches said. "Everybody knew they were being followed. You'd see them in cars, and you'd wave at them. You knew who they were."

Mesches started his written requests to see the file around 1997 and finally received the 760-page file in early 2001. The exhibition at University Gallery is the presentation of this file in the form of collages, paintings and drawings.

"I think that is what art is," Mesches said. "It's taking something personal in your life and turning it into an artistic statement."

Mesches uses vibrant colors to display memos and files placed alongside different media images of the past 22 years like an image of Rosa Parks on her famed bus ride and an image of Marlon Brando from "The Wild One."

"I took images that worked aesthetically," Mesches said. "That was more important than anything else."

When Mesches received his file, many of the important names and incriminating details were redacted, or blacked out. Mesches said he believes that these black slashes add to the work's beauty.

Opening night for "The FBI Files" attracted an audience of more than 150 people, which Amy Vigilante, University Gallery director, said she was very happy about.

"I love it," Vigilante said. "I think Arnold has done a brilliant job."

Barbara Jo Revelle, creative photography professor, said she was not surprised by the exhibition's immediate success.

## Pissing on the Past

By MARIA LAVERGHETTA  
Avenue Writer

Susie had a bad night last night. She really pissed someone off literally.

At least that is what local band Pissing on Susie thinks.

"It's just a name," lead singer and guitarist, Silo said. "It has nothing to do with anything."

Susie's nonexistence aside, this punk band has a promising future that all started with the usual: sex, drugs and rock 'n roll.

"I'm a high-school dropout as well as a recovering coke and heroin addict, so basically without music there is nothing," Silo said. "I don't want to work a 9-to-5, so if I don't make it into music, I won't make it at all."

Like Madonna and Prince, Silo goes by only one name. He also feels his music is more truthful than others because of his tainted past.

"I hate it when people write about what they don't know," Silo said. "I did what I had to in the past to get a needle in my arm, and some bands

write about it when they are living on daddy's money."

This "all or nothing" approach has been working quite well for the trio.

Neither the bassist nor drummer share the same background as Silo, however.

"When I was 10, I would stay up all night watching my dad play," said Nick Sessions, the 17-year-old bassist.

Although Sessions can barely see a R-rated movie, his music does not reflect his age.

"As long as someone can find something in our music for themselves, that's what it's really about," Sessions said.

Roger Cohen, the 24-year-old drummer, recently moved down to Florida from Massachusetts to take a new job, but he considers the drums his passion.

"Drums were really the only thing I had the self-discipline to practice," Cohen said. "It is the only thing I find

myself not caring about what other people think."

The three might be in different walks of life, but their passion for music holds them together.

"Playing music is like meeting someone and having a conversation," Silo said. "I've never been in another band where we connected so much.

**"As long as someone can find something in our music for themselves, that's what it's really about."**

**Nick Sessions**  
Pissing on Susie  
bassist

I pour so much emotion into what I play in this band."

After a two-year streak as a band, but only six shows as a three-piece, the band foresees much promise for itself. With a show at Eddie C's on Sept. 1, Pissing on Susie sees no other bladder problems in the future.

"If we're touring around all the time, paying our bills and playing music," Cohen said, "that would be enough for me."



Tim Casey / Alligator

Members of local band Pissing on Susie, with a name like an R-rated movie, practice for their upcoming show, which is scheduled for tonight at Eddie C's.

### INSIDE

■ Looking for something to do, but don't want to spend a lot of money? Check out our new cheap beat writer, Diana Jo Godfrey, on pg. 14.

### ONLINE

■ The untimely death of... is playing at Eddie C's tonight, get to know the band with Avenue writer Maria Laverghetta online at [www.alligator.org](http://www.alligator.org).

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# Opposite music styles attract at Common Grounds

It's interesting how music from what seems like two completely different realms can co-exist within one person's musical fancy. Really, choosing a favorite is hard. Although we all have our preferences, you can't settle for just one type.

So for the afflicted people who fall into the category above, shake hands with local alt-country great Swayze (yes, greats and local in the same sentence!) as the band teams up with the indie-punk style of Jet By Day Sept. 5 at Common Grounds.

"We're really only concerned with the songs being good," said Jesse Zeigler, guitarist and vocalist of Swayze.

Zeigler couldn't have put the band more in a nutshell if, well, it was in a nutshell.

The group, for those who haven't seen or heard them already, are an acoustic alt-country quartet, complete with intricate harmonies by Ziegler and Wade McMullen (on bass), intertwining guitar melodies alongside Andy Kulick and multi-instrumentalist Mike Maines, who plays pedal steel guitar, trumpet and, well, whatever he can when it's needed.

Besides the time that Sufjan Stevens and the Fiery Furnaces dominated Ziegler's ears, the group has been working on new material any chance it can. It

debuted a song or two at its past show at the Civic Media Center.

"New stuff is definitely happening but happening slowly. Our practice and recording schedules are far from rigorous, so patience is an important virtue. We have eight or nine new songs with at least a rough track or two down on tape," Zeigler said. "I'm happy with the way that most of the new stuff is feeling."

Ever since the group released its first full-length, "A Shame Play," a year ago, it's gone sans

drummer, and it's going to keep it that way. It's better that way, honestly. The "home" feeling of the songs comes through, the lyrics aren't bashed over by swirls of cymbals, and frankly, the music itself is actually heard instead of just listened to.

The group is releasing a three-way split EP with Warren Hixson and ASPE due out this September on Arkain Records. On that and at this show, fans can hear why Swayze is the best act of its kind in town.

Jet By Day ... Jet By Day ...



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What to say? Well, the band travels a lot, playing tons of shows alongside groups such as Braid and Jucifer with loud, anthem-like punk sounds topped off with vocals that rival those of Hoobastank and Relient K. Whether or not that's a good thing or a bad thing depends on the listener, of course. The songs are non-stop rock blasted from stacks of amps, probably turned up to 11.

Let's recap. Splendid acoustic melodies, pedal steel guitar, loud indie-punk, both in the middle of their Florida/Georgia tour with each other. Loud, then mellow.

Opposites attract, right? Right.

## Walk of shame no longer embarrasses; embrace morning-after look

It's often called the walk of shame — the tousled-hair, wrinkled-clothes, morning-after return trip to the apartment in front of God, friends and roommates. But I think it's a misnomer.

Shame is so rarely involved. In my experience it should be called the walk of awkward situations at an hour too early for quick thinking or social recovery.

The first time I slept over with the guy I'd been seeing earlier in the summer, I made a quick, easy escape in the morning without seeing his roommate, who is his recent ex.

Feeling inspired for being up so early and wanting to take the day on full charge, I headed to Starbucks for a coffee fix.

In my still-sweaty-from-dancing-the-night-before clothes and with my hair standing on end, I went in to find a former writing professor waiting for his drink in front of me.

He says hello and tells me he's impressed I'm up so early, adding that it's very atypical for a student.

"I didn't sleep in my own bed last night, and so I had to leave early," I said boldly.

He looked me over, starring specifically at my disheveled hair for a moment, then nodded.

No shame. Instead, I felt empowered to

show this part of my life to someone who had a narrow view of my life.

More recently the first time my guy slept over at my place with my new, and random, roommates, he walked out of my room in the early morning to find one of them on the couch.

I stayed in bed, so my "walk of shame" was much later. My walk started from my bedroom and ended with cereal in my kitchen.

In my pajamas I braved looks from my roommate who probably was still contemplating the implications of a male leaving

my room in the early morning.

Again, I felt no shame.

This Sunday morning I had a new, but still shameless, walk.

I was at his place. He left early to go to work, and I set my cellular-phone alarm to get up an hour later. I planned to be up and out before his roommate/ex had to leave for work.

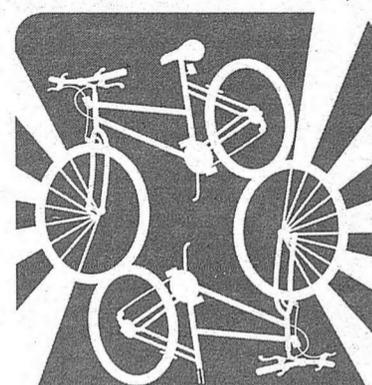
As I turned off the alarm, loud banging followed an attempt to open the locked bedroom door. I got dressed and was shuffled out with forceful politeness by the ex.

That morning, I walked with my eyes low and my head down, but not for shame. I walked self-consciously out of the apartment, filled with pity.



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## Horns play at Shammy

**B**and names are sometimes deceiving. In fact, much of the time it seems band names don't make any sense. But they have to mean something, right?

Local Gainesville band, The French Horns, has a perplexing name in that none of the four band members plays the French horn.

"My wife played the French horn in middle school," says drummer Josh Ney. "That's pretty much where our name came from."

The way the band chose its name gives great insight to the type of group they are. The indie pop band, comprised of Ney; Steve Clay, guitar and vocals; Dan McCoy, bass; and Jesse Long, violin; is laid back, which makes the songs easy to listen to.

The bands' front man, Clay, is the shy one. The onstage banter comes from behind the drum set where Ney sits on his vintage chair.



"We're not the typical band," Clay said. "We are different, and we do songs in styles you won't hear other bands do."

An album, with a yet-to-be-determined title, is in the making. The band records from a home operation in a relaxed environment similar to its practicing habits.

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"We practice one or two times before the show," Clay said. "We try and set most of our time aside for recording our new album."

The bands single, "Amy L," will be released in a couple months by Clairerecords, and the full album soon after that by a record label in Japan — Quince Records.

Come see The French Horns live at The Shamrock Friday night for a \$5 cover if you are under 21 years old and \$3 if you're over. The show kicks off with the band Lyndon and finishes up with the band Pet Monument.

frenchhorns.mrclay.org

## Naked girls, wild strip

**I**f you like bizarre thrillers with more twists and turns than curly fries, then I've got the comic for you. Unbeknownst to some, comics, like movies and music, have many genres. They're not all spandex and superheroes.

Best of all, with the book "Girls" there are no strings attached: You don't have to be a huge comic book fan with decades of knowledge under your belt to read it. The book "Girls," from Image Comics, is created by the very talented Jonathan and Joshua Luna, known for their inventive superhero book "Ultra."

Set in quiet, rural Pennystown, the story centers around Ethan, a nice-enough guy with some serious issues with women. (Maybe you can relate.) After a big blow-up at the local bar, something strange happens. Ethan loses his cool, there's a large boom, windows shatter and he leaves in quite a huff.

It's not long before he nearly

runs over a disoriented woman, wandering in the road (who just happens to be naked and hot, by the way).

Naturally, Ethan does his best to help the girl, but things sort of spiral out of control from there.

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The Luna brothers continue to add layers and dimensions to their tale, while slowly panning out to a bigger picture.

"Girls" was originally intended to be a 12-issue maxi-series, but it rocked so hard with the first issues that it's been announced that the book will be an on-going title with a definite ending.

So, just like "Reading Rainbow," you don't have to take my word for it. Issue No. 4 hit stands Aug. 17, so hop out to a local comic shop and see for yourself, but it is for mature readers, so don't buy it for your little brother.

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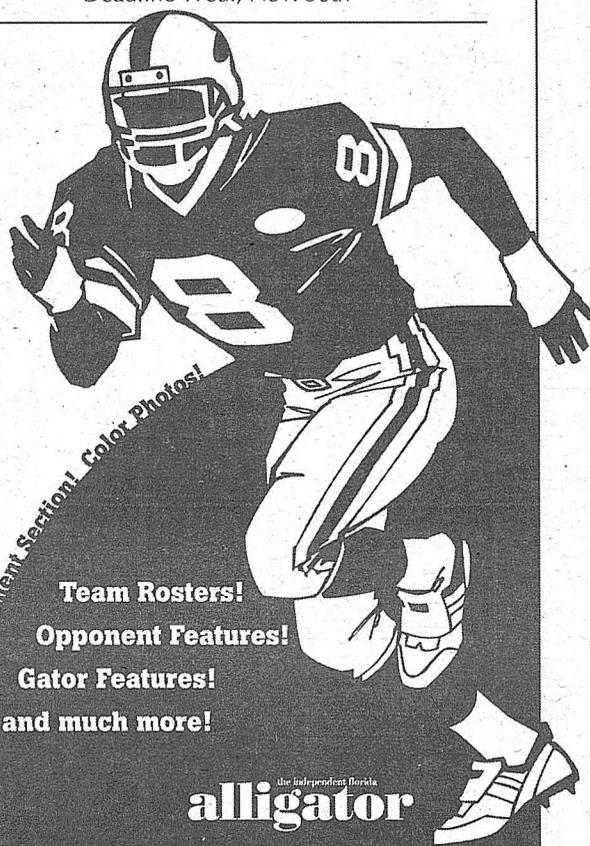
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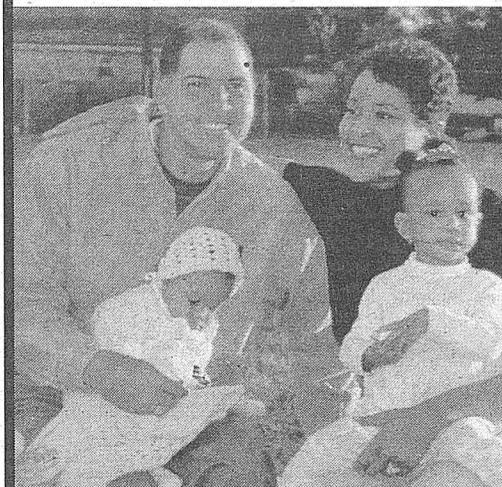
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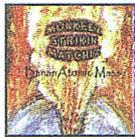
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# Munkeez prove funky, 30 Seconds trapped by funk



**Munkeez Strikin' Matchiz**  
*BanamAtomic Mass*  
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Munkeez Strikin' Matchiz brings it big time in its decidedly funky debut, "BanamAtomic Mass."

Munkeez Strikin' Matchiz keeps the fight alive for all things funky.

"BanamAtomic Mass," is a straight-ahead record. The first track, appropriately titled "The Mission," declares: "To extend to you some funk is our only desire." I must relay, mission accomplished. The subsequent 10 songs bring the funk relentlessly, in a way that feels retro but never old.

Along with that, it also serves up something truly special: a historic collaboration featuring three generations of legendary musicians. In a wonder to behold, "Wreck It" features Bo Diddley, Chuck D and Bernie Worrell. Something that has to be heard to be

believed is the sheer force behind Bo Diddley, whose rough growl is just as powerful as it was 50 years ago. Even Chuck D's famous boom of a voice is left sounding shallow next to his. Underneath Bo and Chuck trading raps, Bernie Worrell lays down the keys that bring it its funky edge.

In a testament to the band, the rest of the record is not simply blown away by the historic nature of "Wreck It." It stays away from the major fault of bad funk records in which the same inane phrase is repeated for infinite periods of time. The Munkeez keep vocal and horn arrangements tight and explore their grooves without it feeling forced.

A highlight track, "Doin' What We Got To," brings a guitar-heavy sound straight from classic funkadelic. The song also personifies the simple but effective political messages funksters love to bring, all while being exceedingly fun to dance to.

"BanamAtomic Mass" brings the funk and a historic track that will keep maggot-brains

happy until the mothership lands. Buy it locally at Hyde & Zeke Records, No Future Records and CD Warehouse.



**30 Seconds To Mars**  
*A Beautiful Lie*  
 Virgin Records America

30 Seconds To Mars again fails to find its niche. Its sophomore album, "A Beautiful Lie," features throwaway post-grunge garbage that only sees the light of day because of its famous frontman Jared Leto.

Though I respect his artistic aspirations, he's in a role simply typecasts himself into an angsty 20-something and offers little that is noteworthy.

The problem with 30 Seconds To Mars has always been an ironic one: it's extremely bland. Its model lead singer does more than fail to exploit his good looks; he hides from

them. This I find kind of silly. Almost every single successful rock band in history has some sort of iconic lead singer.

Even when the band is not performing, it set a tone for its music by the way it simply conducts itself. With 30 Seconds, almost all of what can be picked up has to be from the songs themselves.

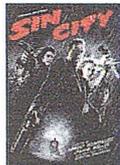
Unfortunately, the songs are extremely vague. Leto is sad. Leto is angry. That's just about the extent of his range.

What's worse is the overproduction of its sound, which is slick but ungraceful. There are overdubs and vocal effects, which result in something extremely sanitized despite Leto wailing and screaming on top of it all.

Thankfully, at only 10 tracks, "A Beautiful Lie" is on the short side. With any hope it will be 30 Seconds' last, because its 15 seconds is twice over.

— BRIAN OFFENTHER

# "Sin City" DVD lacks behind-the-scenes, disappoints



**Sin City**  
 Robert Rodriguez,  
 Frank Miller (II)  
 Rated R

Walk down the right, back alley in Sin City, and you can find anything. Anything except a worthwhile DVD, that is.

Visually beautiful, emotionally captivating and groin-bustingly violent, "Sin City" has something for everyone. Based on a line of graphic novels penned by the astonishingly talented Frank Miller, "Sin City" was without a doubt one of the biggest movies of the year. The \$74 million it made domestically at the box office can

attest to that.

And it really did earn every penny.

Director Robert Rodriguez, of "Desperado" and "Once Upon a Time in Mexico" fame, did an excellent job of bringing the comic to life without losing the essence of the novels themselves, a very important factor in any comic-book movie. Can we say "Catwoman?"

This element was especially vital to Miller, who had originally refused to give up the rights to any of his works. Rodriguez shot the opening sequence of the movie and sent the finished footage to Miller, who was so impressed he immediately approved the film and signed on as co-director.

Filmed entirely in front of a green screen, Rodriguez and Miller produced the most accurate comic book adaptation to date.

The movie was nearly frame-for-frame the same as the novels, which is understandable considering Miller and Rodriguez used the comics as storyboards for the film. The movie was presented in black and white with splashes of color here and there, mimicking the art of the comic. The effect is visually spectacular.

Interestingly, because of the use of the green screen, Nick Stahl's

character the Yellow Bastard was actually painted blue because yellow would have reacted negatively with the green.

With so much going on behind the scenes, one would expect to find a plethora of extras in the special features section of the DVD.

Unfortunately, we don't get any of this. No special-effects featurette, no commentary from the cast and crew, no extended or deleted scenes (of which there are many because Rodriguez and Miller shot the entire comic and then edited for time) and no hid-

den Easter-egg extras.

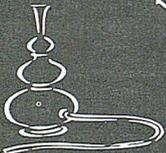
But worry not; salvation is on the way.

In a recent interview with DVD Review, Rodriguez informed us that a "Sin City: Special Edition" will be hitting shelves around December. And this edition will be packed full of goodies, the coolest of which is having all three stories in their entirety on separate discs, so it'll be like watching three separate movies, and the oddest of which is the "Ten Minute F\*\*\*ing School." Yeah, you read me.

Why bother with the recent release then? Don't. If you really want to just watch the movie, rent it and hold out for the special edition.



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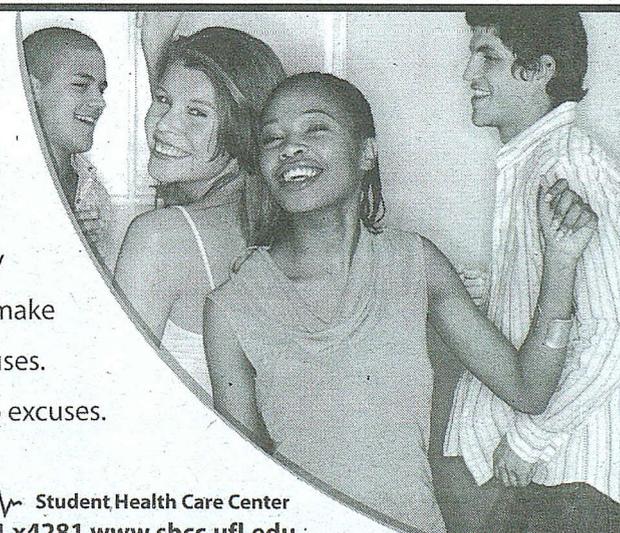
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# iPods offer distraction, delight, danger

They can be seen all around campus their presence indicated by thin, white cords sticking out of random purses, jean pockets and backpacks. They supercede stereotypes. Mohawk-donning punk rockers and pink-Lacoste-wearing frat boys alike gotta have 'em.

iPods have become more than a trend. iPods make it possible for a person to listen to his or her specific music choice whenever and wherever he or she likes.

Apple calls iPod the "digital music revolution," and it is exactly right.

With more than 21 million iPods sold worldwide, iPod is the world's most popular digital music player. UF reflects these stats; students toting iPods clipped on their belt loops are everywhere.

While walking to class can be seen person after person walking to the beat of their own music on their iPods.

UF senior Nathan Easley, who has 1,900 songs on his iPod, said he enjoys the convenience of his iPod.

"I listen to it in my car and when I'm walking around campus," he said. "You can listen to exactly what you want, when you want."

But Christiane Kaminsky, a UF health science senior who enjoys the 682 songs on her iPod, found that the iPod has decreased her safety while she is walking to class.

"I think I am more prone to getting clipped by a biker," Kaminsky said. "Those suckers come out of nowhere."

Despite the risk Kaminsky continues to walk to a beat all her own.

"It lets me focus on something else besides how unbearably hot it is outside," she said.

Through weather and accident-prone bikers, UF iPod owners trod on. The most obvious place to observe the obsession that is iPod is on an RTS bus.

"I would dread taking the bus if I didn't have my iPod," UF senior Duke Romkey said. "I'd probably resort to randomly staring at people for entertainment."

Romkey has 908 songs on his iPod and had just listened to "Blood Brothers" by Papa Roach.

Heather Britton, a UF psychology senior who calls herself an aspiring iPod owner, said the only reason she doesn't have an iPod yet is because she isn't ready to shell out the \$299 for the constantly evolving iPod technology.

iPods have expanded from their original state of merely allowing owners to download

thousands of songs quickly. They now offer fun, color LCD screens, photo-storage capabilities and can even pick up digital radio stations called Podcasts.

"I wouldn't know where to start," Britton said.

UF even has its own podcast, enabling the millions of iPod owners across the world to tune in to the university's news and latest happenings.

From here the iPod can only evolve further as the technology continues to develop.

It is only a matter of time before iPod owners can download movies and watch digital-quality TV from the convenience of their handheld devices.

Kaminsky said she believes that while this is definitely the foreseeable future for the iPod, it might be a little bit more dangerous for her while walking on campus if both her hearing and sight were preoccupied.

"I probably wouldn't even make it across the street," she laughed.



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Courtesy of Apollo Quartet

Local band Apollo Quartet is a tight-knit group of friends. Together since 2002, the band recently put out a CD titled "The Eleventh Hour" with producer J. Robbins.

## Apollo creates personal beats

*The band will play Friday at The Side Bar*

By **VERA HADZI-ANTICH**  
Avenue Writer

Notes and lyrics scribbled on a page do not hold the promise of quality music.

There's so much behind the mechanics of music.

Some bands have it, and many bands crave it.

Local rock band Apollo Quartet reaches that personal level where each instrument does more than just create harmonies — they create something the members themselves would listen to.

Apollo Quartet is comprised of members Sam Marine (guitar), Wes Jones, (guitar/vocals), Josh Jenkins (bass), and Chris Marine (drums).

They have been rocking together since about 2002.

Jones and Marine have played together since they were about 11 years old in their hometown of Vero Beach.

The other members came along once they ar-

rived in Gainesville.

"Our parts mesh well together," Jenkins said. "We mesh together almost surgically."

The lyrics are written by Jones, and the music is put together through a few different methods-guitar riffs can inspire a song, lyrics or a successful jam session.

"We are four musicians," Jones said. "All of us are self-taught musicians except for Josh, who has had some lessons."

The band put together a CD named after its title track, "The Eleventh Hour."

The 10-track album was recorded with producer J. Robbins, former guitarist and vocalist of the band Jawbox.

"That was like working with Tom Cruise for us," Jenkins said.

"You know, like Tom Cruise would be for other people. Tom Cruise in the music world."

Apollo Quartet is playing Friday at The Side Bar along with One Drop and Gavin Castleton of Gruvis Malt for a \$5 cover.

"If you want to hear loud rock 'n roll that doesn't sound like other cookie-cutter rock bands, come see our show," Jones said.

"We're a breath of fresh air."

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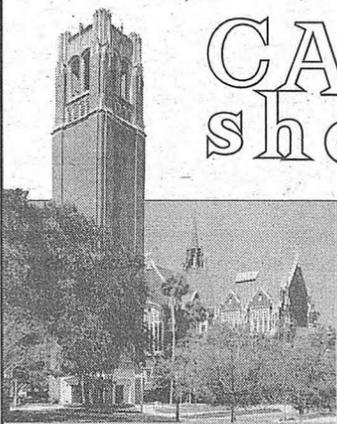
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Fellow student, adventurer on a budget, extremely time-constrained traveler, jaded resident who whines that there isn't anything to do in Gainesville, this column is for you. Let me be your guide to all that is inexpensive and removed from Archer Road.

Instead of buying this Sunday's paper, I visited one of Florida's most famous sinkholes.

For only \$1 per person, or \$2 for as many friends as you can pack into your Honda, you

can visit the Devil's Millhopper. When heading west on Northwest 39th Avenue, turn right on Northwest 43rd Street, left on Northwest 54th Avenue and right into the park entrance.

The visitor's center is a short walk from the parking lot. As a science major, I felt compelled to stop and watch the short video. I learned there is actually a Florida Sinkhole Research Institute; water eating through the limestone created the Millhopper thousands of years ago; and it would be more fun to be an Indian princess than a student.

Feeling educated I followed a sign point-

ing toward a nature trail. The wide dirt path looped through the forest and offered a bench about every 100 feet. Several giant butterflies dipped through the humid air. Flowers and bushes with bright berries lined the trail.

Other than the occasional family, lone wanderer or couple walking a dog, I was alone on the trail. After a week of crowded classes, the solitude was refreshing. Armed with bug spray, Thoreau would be pleased with this quiet place's proximity to the city.

An Indian legend states that the constant

flow of water is the tears of braves the devil trapped and turned to stone as they tried to rescue their princesses the devil had kidnapped. Settlers in the area named the sinkhole because it resembled the hopper they used to feed grain into their gristmills. Old bones and teeth at the bottom of the hole were evidence enough to conclude the deep hole fed unfortunate bodies straight to the devil.

Despite its malevolent name, visiting the Devil's Millhopper was a peaceful experience. Whether you're looking for a new place to jog, a serene retreat from the city or a unique place to take a date, this is your place. Just don't take your swimsuit expecting a rope swing — that's a whole different, now defunct, sinkhole.



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# Groovy-chill gives way to beatnik fashion movement

This fall designers and runways in New York are fettered with the boho-chic look.

And right on is our own public catwalk: campus.

What, you may ask, is boho-chic?

Well my style-challenged brothers and sisters, boho is short for bohemian, and it's chic because it's groovy.

Can you dig it? In case you still aren't sure what's boho-chic, I've put together a guide.

I call it Four Ways to Spot a Boho Babe:

1. Tiered skirt: These are usually long and consist of many layers.

As of late the most common is white, but you can find some wicked DayGlo colors, too.

2. Beads: Big, small, multi-stranded and long, these fashionable necklaces don't just stand for love and friendship anymore.

They do their own thing. 3. Peasant blouses: A folkloric shirt often ruffled and tying at the collarbone, just like in the fairy tales.

4. Tooled leather belt: Worn over a peasant blouse or tiered skirt, these wide accessories are hip and hard to miss.

The trend peaked this summer with ultra-feminine, super laid-back threads made of light, flowing materials like silk, cotton and linen.

In the fall you'll see heavier and more rich and far-out fabrics.

The weather will give way to velvet, satin, fur and fringe.

However, here's a little fashion 411 that just might blow your mind.

I heard that style in the next

couple of months is going to do a 180 and flash back to the Beatnik trend.

Rooted in the '50s, the Beat look now thrives in the ultra underground scene of emo and hipsters.

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Reminiscent of rock 'n roll and gothic, this bag is mixed with a small

dose of Audrey Hepburn chic.

Elements of the new style include drainpipe skinny jeans, baker-boy caps, loose-fitting sweaters that fall off the shoulder and flat-kneed

boots in everyone's favorite anti-color: black.

You emo cats get ready because you're about to go mainstream. Crazy.

But don't go on an ego trip against the establishment, man.

Everyone deserves to get his or her kicks.

Just because it sounds like boho-chic will be left for the squares, your Fashion a Go-Go doesn't discriminate, and neither should you.

Explore both looks, mellow out and go with the flow.

In fact I'm so chill, I think I'll go play the bongos.

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## Pianos rock once again

Gators flocked to the club Abbey Road last Thursday for the triumphant return of the original Alligator Rocks crew with its gut-bursting renditions of classic bar songs and scandalously suggestive parodies.

"It's exciting to be back," said pianist Mark King, who lives in Orlando and will be traveling to Gainesville once a week for shows.

"I jumped at the opportunity."

Mike Scott, director of entertainment for the new downtown club, said bringing the dueling pianos back was a "no-brainer."

King and a revolving group of about five piano players will perform Thursday nights. He says he hopes to bring in as many fans as Alligator Rocks did.

"We used to have it jammed," King said.

Alligator Rocks closed in 2003 after being sold and is now home to Jewells, a billiard lounge and pub.

Abbey Road, formerly known as Brick City, is part of a new "downtown entertainment experience" that combines three

different atmospheres into one all-inclusive party area.

New owner Randy Grinter already has revamped and refurbished what was once Martini's and 238 West, now Ace of Clubs and Ocean Avenue, respectively, and has big plans for the future.

While Abbey Road will feature shows by local bands in addition to the dueling pianos, Ocean Avenue will be more of a high-energy dance area, Grinter said.

Ace of Clubs has a more lounge-like feel to it, with big velvety couches and tables to chill around.

Grinter also plans on eventually opening a restaurant in the area with the help of the former owner of Casino's Pizza.

Grinter makes good use of a huge space with his new venture, and college students will appreciate the variety the three clubs offer for just one cover.

As for the former Alligator Rocks groupies, they will be happy to see that Abbey Road has maintained the loud, sing-along atmosphere, albeit with a slightly less cozy feel.

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## Ellis' 'Lunar' a rare find

I usually can't stand — or stomach, for that matter — Bret Easton Ellis' work. "Less Than Zero" left me bored (oh, look at all the spoiled coke heads.)

"American Psycho," while an interesting concept, struck me as lazy, obnoxious and too over-the-top (though I love the 2000 film version). So imagine my surprise when I picked up Ellis' latest offering, "Lunar Park," and actually liked it.

The story starts off simply enough with Ellis charting "Bret Easton Ellis'" rise to literary and popular fame, as his eventual plummet with terrific irony (something he painfully lacks in his earlier books) and hilarious exaggeration.

Having struck bottom Ellis returns to a former love, actress Jayne Dennis. He marries her, moves to the suburbs with his son and stepdaughter (note that the real Ellis lives in Manhattan and is childless and single), takes up teaching and tries (and fails) to clean up his act. It's then that things begin to get a bit weird.

What follows comes straight out of a Stephen King novel.

A toy bird comes to life, a serial killer copycats the deeds of "American

Psycho" Patrick Bateman, a number of young boys begin to go missing, and the family dog meets a sudden, gruesome fate. All of these happenings seem to be connected in some way to Ellis' dead father.

Everyone around Ellis blames the events on his own chemical addictions and utter egomania.

To say anything more would serve to give the entire book away.

Ellis employs the meta-fictional trickeries that have been downright overdone in Western literature in recent years, but

"Lunar Park" is still a surprisingly clever, honest and even sensitive book, especially given Ellis' previous work.

I still don't think he's that great of a writer.

Stylistically, many of the themes and ideas he pursues here are interesting and, to some measure, unique. For once Ellis attempts to write an entertaining, thoughtful and genuine novel rather than trying to shock and sicken his readers.

In short if you have a high tolerance for weirdness, violence and gore, and are looking for something at least relatively stimulating to read, pick up "Lunar Park."

**James Fleming**  
Off the Press  
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## Calendar

### today

Eddie C's: live music, Alphabet City, Pissing On Susie, the untimely death of... 10 p.m.

Studio Percussion (519 NW 10th Ave): classes, Hand Drumming and Shona Marimba, 7-9 p.m., free

Florida Museum of Natural History: Museum Nights, "Natural Curiosity: Artists Explore Florida" Gallery, 5-10 p.m.

Samuel P. Harn Museum of Art: Museum Nights, "Toulouse-Lautrec: Artist of Montmartre" Gallery, 5-10 p.m.

### friday

Gainesville Community Plaza Concert: "Let's Go Downtown" Plaza Series, 8 p.m., free

Gainesville Community Playhouse: theater, "The Subject Was Roses," 8 p.m.

Reitz Union: Gator Nights: Theatre Strike Force, Putt-Putt Golf, Cosmic Bowling, 6:30 p.m.- 2 a.m., free refreshments at midnight

### saturday

The Atlantic (15 N Main St): live music, Chiisai-Oto, On\*tic, AwesomeNewRepublic, 9 p.m.

Eddie C's: live music, Junkie Rush, Bad Cat, Mama Trish, 10 p.m.

Damon's Downtown: live music, Unusual Suspects Blues Band, Puddin, 8 p.m.

### sunday

The Hippodrome State Theater: play, "Mere Mortals: Six One Act Plays," 2 p.m., 7:30 p.m.

Gainesville Dance Association: class, Israeli Dance, 7-9 p.m.

Trinity United Methodist Church (4000 NW 53rd Ave): exhibit, "People, Places and Pets" Photography

Reitz Union Cinema: free movie, "Clerks," 8 p.m., 10:30 p.m.

### monday

Common Grounds: live music, Swayze, Jet by Day, 10 p.m.

The Purple Porpoise: live music, TBA, No

Prouto, Low Income Bracket, 9 p.m.

Reitz Union Cinema: free movie, "Clerks," 8 p.m., 10:30 p.m.

### tuesday

Eddie C's: karaoke, 11,000 Songs, 8 p.m.

Harn Museum of Art: exhibit, "Pleasures of Paris: A Century of Photographs," 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Matheson Museum (513 E University Ave.): exhibit, "60th Anniversary of the End of World War II," 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

### wednesday

Common Grounds: live music, Against Me!, The Exit, William Elliott Whitmore, doors open at 9 p.m.

Gainesville Dance and Music Association Studio: class, Irish Dance, 6-7 p.m. (beginner), 7-9 p.m. (advanced)

FUS Restaurant and Lounge (10 SW Second St.): event, Wine and Cheese featuring Live Jazz!, 5-10 p.m.

## Gainesville-area band follows footsteps, gives people voice

It is nothing new: Public Enemy, N.W.A., KRS-One and, to some extent, even the Beastie Boys all have socially and politically charged material, describing or decrying the misdeeds or ignorance of the government with sharp beats and heated, conscious rhymes. What is new, however, is one of these kinds of groups emerging from the Gainesville area.

"We try to report on the things we see in front of us — the suffering of all people in hopes to raise awareness and inspire commonality in others who might be suffering the same," said Voice of the People's emcee Marley Montano, aka The Messenger.

Admittedly, Gainesville is not one of the

most problem-plagued cities in America, nor does it have a cool abbreviation like the CPT of Compton, but that hasn't slowed down the conscious hip-hop group.

"You could certainly go about your business at a club or at a party as we perform in the background," said Montano. "But if you stop to listen for even a moment, you will be most definitely drawn in."

The group is mainly comprised of Montano and Hector Galvez (Etch One) with bringer of beats DJ Kenfolk, Kenny

Johnson. The group initially came together when Montano linked up with Johnson via an online music forum. That connection sparked a partnership that attracted many other musicians who have worked with Voice of the People.

"When you have that many talented and most importantly, passionate, people onstage, you can't help but be touched and/or moved by what is being shared with you," Montano said.

Though not nearly as "gangsta" as similar groups of the genre, Voice of the People does not aim to be hardcore. With influences

ranging from John Lennon to Common, Voice of the People still conveys powerfully the hardships of the every man, but with a more positive outlook and jazzy melodies.

Having just independently released its first group album, "What We're Feeling," the group looks forward to performing live and growing in every respect.

"Our live performance is very energetic, exciting and engaging," Montano said. "It's something you can watch from beginning to end and never get bored with."

Voice of the People will be performing Sept. 2 at Common Grounds. Until then check them out on the Internet at [www.myspace.com/voiceofthepeople](http://www.myspace.com/voiceofthepeople).

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 CH/AC, large kitchen, w/d hookups,  
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**Village West Apartments**  
 800 NW 18th Ave  
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Large country home. 3 acres, huge oak trees, bike or bus to UF & Shands. Efficiency w/hwd floors \$400/mo. Garbage, water & cable incl. Share utils. Pets ok 376-6886, 262-0642 9-2-9-2

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 Parquet floors, carport, screen porch, w/d hookups, \$875/rent  
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**3/2 PARTY HOUSE AVAILABLE NOW.** 904-710-3050  
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Mill Run condo, very nice. 2/2. Close to UF, 1000 sq ft, W/D hkups, ceramic tile. Great deal @ \$625/mo in such a great location. Call Sergio @328-1459 9-7-10-2

**HOME OR OFFICE**  
 3 and 1.5 NW area. Close to banks, businesses and shopping centers. Central Ht and A/C. Private driveway and space for parking. Call 352-375-6754. No section 8. 9-30-27-2

**FREE MONTH'S RENT**  
 2BR/2.5BA townhome. New tile, carpet & paint. W/D, sec system, 1.5 mi to UF in NW. \$750/mo (pets ok) Available immediately. Call 352-219-6340 9-16-15-2

**FREE RENT!**  
 Brighton Park 2/2 TH with W/D. Quiet student community w/pool, close to campus. Rent \$825/mo. Security \$700. Call 318-3194 lv. msg. 9-2-7-2

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**Have Roommates?**  
 4/BR/2BA House \$950  
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Homes near UF!  
 3BR/2BA, wd flrs, 2635 W. University Ave.  
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**2 For Rent unfurnished**

4/3 & 3/2 HOUSES Walking distance to UF. Newly remodeled. W/D, carport and huge yard. Call 352-283-2828. 9-9-11-2

LARGE YARD W/CANOPY OAKS! 3BR/1.5BA w/washer/dryer, central air, hardwood floors, close to UF, \$975/mo, 1115 NW 14 Ave, call 514-0518 9-8-10-2

**1/1 CONDO 4 BLOCKS to UF**  
 Near HSC, sorority row. Brand new kitchen, tile flrs, patio, cent AC, Off-str parking, \$600/mo incl water, swr, garbage  
 1st, last, sec. Avail now. 352-222-6344 9-9-11-2

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 Lg 4BR/3BA house, many amenities. \$1600/mo no pets. K&M Properties 352-372-1509 9-13-13-2

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Pets free, 2BR/1.5BA Townhouse near UF and Shands. Fenced yard, deck, dishwasher, W/D, Central Heat/AC, beautiful tile, \$750/mo. Available now. Call Shannon 258-2857. 9-8-10-2

NW 39th Ave. Nice 2BR/2BA + loft. With Wood Laminate floor ● Lg., open, bright. Light carpet ● Good neighborhood, convenient ● Patio, gate, trees ● \$590-\$610 ● Call 373-8310. 9-6-8-2

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Only \$570. No deposit, lg kitchen, poolview, gym, patio, great bus route & much more. Call Flo 352-371-6846 or Evelyn 407-496-7887 9-1-5-2

SEPTEMBER RENT FREE  
3BR/2BA house near Duckpond. CH/A, W/D, Mexican tile and wood flrs, close to UF, great for grad students. 2101 NE 7 Ter. \$980/mo. No dogs please. 256-3916 9-1-5-2

NEAR LAW SCHOOL 3/1, \$1200/mo. 1st, last, sec. Pref grad student. No pets, W/D hook up, DW, wood flrs, cent A/C, gas heat, trees. Call Tom >8pm or wkd 954-529-4031 9-12-10-2

MOVE IN SPECIAL - 3BR1BA. 1 block to UF. 1227 SW 4th Ave. Spotless, extras incl. \$1000. Cent H/AC 352-331-0590, 514-5060 cell. 9-1-4-2

3BR/2BA newly renovated condo. Close to UF & mall. No pets. Smoke-free. \$1000/mo + dep. Phone: 850-496-0367 or 352-336-6421 9-12-10-2

BRANDYWINE spacious 2BR/2BA Ground floor, end unit. Newly renovated. \$650/mo, H2O included. Avail now. 328-8473 9-2-5-2

Walking distance to UF!  
Completely renovated studio  
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\$460/mo, 1/1 apt, no deposit. Close to UF & swimming pool. Call Bob 352-264-7740, 314-956-9323 9-6-5-2

Share w/two other student in 3BR/2BA duplex. BR are large. Cable avail, on bus rte. Near UF. Large fenced backyard. Pets permitted w/one time fee. \$325/mo + 1/3 util. Whole flat \$850/mo 475-5772, 246-9070 9-6-5-2

Beautiful, brand new Sorrento Subdivision. 2192 sq ft 4BR/2BA 2056 NW 47th Pl. 4.6 miles from UF. \$1550/mo + sec dep. [www.gatorpads.com](http://www.gatorpads.com) or 284-0316 or 281-0733 9-13-10-2

SPARROW CONDO - SW location. A cute 1BR/1BA condo w/ loft, foyer, living/dining room combo, clubhouse, pool, bball, exercise rm, tennis ct. Close to UF & on busline. \$575/mo, 1st& last. \$300 dep. 352-278-6048 9-14-10-2

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**COUNTRYSIDE APTS.**  
Rent 1BR/1BA in 4BR/4BA; 6 to 12 mo lease available; all utilities incl, cable, ethernet, W/D. Near pool. Info 786-412-9337. 9-14-10-2

1 or both rooms in 2BR downtown apt. Quiet neighborhood. Close to Shands, UF, & library. \$350/mo per room. Pets ok. Call 262-1351 9-15-11-2

**3207 W University Ave. \$1600/mo**  
Furnished + pool table, W/D, 2 car garage, off-street parking, tile floors.  
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**217 NW 35th St - 3BR/3BA \$1050/mo**  
Ceramic tile, large fenced yard, W/D, dishwasher, carport, lawn care incl. Excellent condition!  
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Affordable 3BRs close to UF!  
1418 NW 6th Pl.  
W/D, fenced yard, private parking \$950/mo 625 NW 10th Ave.  
Private parking, W/D hu, lg yard \$900/mo  
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**LUXURY 1BR/1BA overlooking creek**  
Washer/Dryer. Ready for immediate occupancy. Near Sam's Club, on bus line. Close to UF \$560.  
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behind Leo's 706. Walk to UF & downtown. \$375/mo 333-2918 leave message 9-12-7-2

**3 Subleases**

Apt for Sublease.  
2 bedroom, 2.5 bath, 1100 sq. ft. dswhr, A/C, W/D. Call Melissa 378-5993 9-2-11-3

Luxury apt. Available immediately. 3BR/3BA \$1200/mo + \$25/dog. 4700 SW Archer Rd. W/D, pool, gym. Looking for someone to take over lease. 1st month + deposit free. Call 373-7736 9-2-9-3

**!!!!AVAILABLE NOW!!!!**  
All inclusive sublease for female  
\$480/mo OBO @ Gainesville Place  
Contact Amanda 727-637-7077. 9-1-7-3

2BR/2.5BA Arbor East townhouse \$655/mo tile floors extra storage close to UF, Shands & shopping 1st month free 1002 sq ft pets welcome. Call 373-1828. 9-8-10-3

1BR Unfurnished 1 yr. lease at Oxford Manor end-unit must go! BELOW LEASE \$. Call 904-739-7455 or 386-328-9876. 9-8-10-3

2BR/2BA w/full size W/D hook-up, util rm, balcony overlooking lake, Rocky Pointe Apts. 3100 SW 35th Pl Apt 2D. W/D also for sale. Pets allowed. 1st mo rent 1/2 price. Monthly rent \$674. Contact Jamie 352-213-0885 9-1-5-3

Sublease Available - Sept 1 2BR/2BA Townhouse \$645/mo. Towne Parc. Apt 1301. 352-375-3072 - Ask for Matt 9-2-5-3

1BR Apt to sublet throughl Dec. Sundowne Apts. Windmeadows Blvd near Butler Plaza theater. Move in Sept 8th. Rent w/water \$440/mo. Call Brett. 352-491-0959 9-2-5-3

1BR/1BA in 4BR/4BA at Melrose Apts Close to UF on great bus rte. Great Roommates! W/D, util, cable, internet included. Only \$395/mo! Contact Henry at 352-804-8554 9-19-15-3

Melrose Apt. 1000 SW 62nd Blvd. 1BR furn in 4BR/4BR, W/D in unit. All utilities free, ethernet. 1st class weight room & gameroom, 2 pools, tennis. 2nd fl woods view. Sublet to Dec 31st. \$450/mo neg. 954-816-0888 9-2-5-3

4 month sublease/fall semester  
2BR/2BA, W/D  
Full kitchen, pool, hot tub & gym.  
Unfurnished. No deposit/no security.  
\$865/mo. Call Ross 352-871-3483. 9-6-5-3

2/1 w/office. Close to Butler Plaza. Great layout, lots of windows, awesome neighbors, very clean, pets welcome. Available end of Sept. \$569/mo. 305-491-4371 9-6-5-3

**3 Subleases**

1 or both rooms in 2BR downtown apt. Quiet neighborhood. Close to Shands, UF, & library. \$350/mo per room. Pets ok. Call 262-1351 9-15-11-3

**GREAT LOCATION**  
1BR apt 3 blks behind Swamp Restaurant. Lease ends 8/16/06. \$539/mo. 352-371-7482 9-8-5-3

**4 Roommates**

Roommate Matching HERE  
Oxford Manor 377-2777  
The Landings 336-3838  
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Cobblestone 377-2801  
Hidden Lake 374-3866  
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Female roommate for one/two female UF students. Quiet. Responsible. 60 second walk to UF. Old house charm with all amenities. Avail Now. \$400 - up. 352-538-2181. Lv message. Private Owner 12-7-72-4

M/F roommate wanted for 2/1 apt. Lg bedrooms, cable, hi speed internet. \$350/mo. Call William at 514-9320. Walking distance to stadium. Still available 9-2-20-4

1 male roommate needed - serious students to share 3BR/2BA house. Located South of UF on Williston Rd. W/D, cable, wireless DSL. \$395/mo + 1/3 utils. Call 258-9116 9-14-27-4

\$195 small room. Close to UF & SFCC Great house, great roommates. Close to UF. W/D, dsl. Possible pets. Lease. ALSO Large room \$250/mo No cash dep for UF & SFCC stdt w/good credit. Call 371-9409 9-15-28-4

Unfurn BR for rent in brand new, spacious condo w/2 F, UF students. NW 55th St. Call Lisa for details @ 352-514-1763. 9-30-21-4

F NS grad/prof needed for 1BR in BRAND NEW 2/2 condo. 2 mi to UF on bus rte. W/D. \$475 + 1/2 util/mo. Common area furnished, tile flrs. 904-386-6485 or apena13@ufl.edu 9-7-15-4

Ready NOW!  
M/F Nonsmk & clean to share 2/1.5 twnhs w/ 20yr pre-vet M. No cats pls. W/D, DW, full kitchen, tile, pool. SW 20th Ave. \$350 + 1/2 utils. 828-775-8807. 9-8-14-4

Roommate needed for 2/1. M/F quiet. Rent \$350/mo + 1/2 utilities hi speed internet. Southfork condos. No pets. Avail now. Call Sergei at 246-1775. 9-6-10-4

\$250/mo + 1/3 utils  
3BR/2BA for F at Boardwalk. Close to UF on bus rte, lg pool, tennis cts, fitness rm, dsl, cable & internet. 1 yr lease. Mike 352-316-6219 or ffmike2508@aol.com 9-8-12-4

1BR/1BA available in 3/2 mobile home on bus line. \$300/mo + 1/2 utilities. Call 352-262-6930 9-2-9-4

Share 2BR/2BA Mobile Home. Clayton Est. \$150 dep, \$275/mo 1/2 GRU ph/cab & satt. incl. Will trade rent 4 work 4 minor home improv. Near shop, bus, Oaks Mall. Caged pets ok. Police clear req. 333-2444 Donna 9-8-12-4

Rental to share w/ male roommate. 6 mi. from UF. 2BR/2BA condo in nice complex. Avail immediately. 2nd floor, privacy. \$450/mo incl utils, W/D. References required. Call 941-232-9940. 9-7-10-4

1 male wanted to rent room in nice clean 3BR/2BA house 4 miles to campus \$350-375/mo + 1/3 util. Call Ryan 850-261-3571 9-7-10-4

3rd ROOMMATE NEEDED - furn 3/2 home on 39th Ave. Resp & clean M/F share w/2 guys. Digital cable, wireless net, W/D. \$400/mo + 1/3 utils. Call 561-951-3654 9-7-10-4

2 roommates needed, M or F, to share a great 4/1 house with 2 easy-going female UF students. Off University Ave, 5 min walk to campus, wood floors, W/D, porch. \$275/mo + 1/4 util. 352-359-3044 or rachba@ufl.edu 9-7-10-4

**4 Roommates**

Spacious 1BR avail in 3BR/2BA house. All utils incl + wireless hi-spd internet svc. Off bus rt. \$525/mo. Available immediately. Call 352-283-2005 9-7-10-4

Roommate wanted; responsible female grad/prof, share lg house w/retired lady, NW, 2 min SFCC/Publix, quiet n/hood, all utilities, \$450, 372-5634, lv mess. 9-8-10-4

Student needed for 1 unfurnished BR/BA in 2BR/2.5BA condo. \$450/mo incl utilities, hi-speed internet, cable, WD. Call Tim at 321-298-5156 9-2-7-4

SPRING LEASE 4BR/4BA CONDO.  
\$410/mo everything incl. Countryside Apts. Female only non-smokers looking for a fun roommate! Contact Jackie (831) 924-1520 9-9-11-4

Male roommate needed for 2/1 in Brandywine. \$282/mo + shared utils. \$282 deposit. New paint, no pets. Month-to-month lease available. common area furnished. Call 407-944-0088 9-8-10-4

Roommates - bring a friend. Share utils. Houses on East University Ave. Bike or bus to class. \$475-550 + sec & last mo. Available now. Call 352-375-4250 or 745-0785. 9-22-20-4

3BR in 4BR/2BA house \$350/mo each + part utils. Pet fee. 15 min to UF. Contact Denise 407-509-4574 or Jen 352-495-8068 9-10-10-4

BEAUTIFUL HOUSE. GREAT LOCATION!  
1 Open BR. No Security Deposit!!  
Approx. \$325/month + 1/4 Utilities!  
Wood Floors. Big Closet & Huge Kitchen  
Call 352-395-6788. By 34th St. & 8th Ave. 9-15-15-4

8 BLOCKS FROM CAMPUS 4BR/2BA Co-ed house w/huge private deck, W/D, TIVO, pool table, \$400/mo Incl utils, cable, hs internet. Call David 352-870-7726 9-8-10-4

**1BR/1BA AVAILABLE**  
in NEW 2/2.5 townhouse. Everything NEW + W/D. \$430 + 1/2 utils. Call 352-870-2506 or email apt4rent06@yahoo.com 9-8-10-4

Female student to join 2 females for your own BR in attractive 3BR house near NW 8th Ave, 3mi. from UF on bus rt. #43, tile/hardwood, \$275/mo + 1/3 GRU&HSInternet-digital cable, avail Sept, 222-1125 or 332-3852. 9-9-11-4

Prof. student seeking quiet neat roommate for 2BR/2BA furn. apt in Hampton Oaks. Internet, cable, W/D, pool, exercise room, etc. \$425/mo + 1/2 utils. Call 954-540-1905. 9-8-10-4

2BR/2BA CONDO- Nice, gated community. Own parking space, on bus route, close to UF, own W/D, community pool, racquetball court, clean. \$430/mo incl utils, cable, internet. M/F. 561-809-0892. 9-9-10-4

Master BR, walk-in closet, private bath, in townhouse 2 miles from UF campus. No parking restrictions. 7th Street Station. \$400/mo, utils incl. Pets ok. Call 954-579-0862, available immediately. 9-1-5-4

Room in NW home. \$350/mo incl utils & DSL. No pets mature male non-drinker/smoker. Avail immed (flex). Scott 335-8209 9-9-20-4

Beautiful Countryside Room 1BR/1BA in 4BR/4BA available NOW! First stop on bus route, high speed internet, dig cable, util included. \$450. wood floors, washer/dryer. Call Nicole 352-328-4551 Aug 24. 9-9-10-4

REDUCED and Ready NOW! M/F student to share 2/1.5 twnhs w/21yr pre-vet M. Animals welcome! 1/2 mi to UF, 2 story W/D, DW, full kitchen, tile, pool, SW 20th Ave \$325/mo + 1/2 uti 352-871-7460 9-6-7-4

F roommate for large 3BR/2BA townhouse only 1 mile to UF. \$450/mo all utils, dig cable & hi spd net incl. Pool. Call 954-298-7591 or amyb@ufl.edu. 9-9-10-4

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**4 Roommates**

Room in 2BR/1BA condo 2 blocks from campus, 1 block south of Mellow Mushroom. Wood floors, washer dryer, parking. \$450/mo, utilities included. Call Zac for more info 352-281-9900 9-12-10-4

Large 2BR condo. Quiet neighborhood. Beautiful area. Female student or professional only to rent 1 unfurn BR. Now thru Dec. \$575/mo incl util. Cent AC, W/D, pool. Private owner 305-853-7070 9-2-5-4

Need roommate who doesn't suck! Oak Forest 2BR/2BA - HUGE fast & safe 2 mi ride up 13th St to UF. \$350 + util. Nice & quiet area. Call Steve @ 386-299-8366 9-2-5-4

Female roommate for NW 39th Ave home, \$475/mo, all utilities incl, fully furnished, private BR, internet, W/D, avail. ASAP, more info. 870-5291 9-8-7-4

**Dorm Life Suck?**

Female roommate wanted to share new 4/4 Oxford Terrace condo 2 blocks from UF near Sorority Row. Furnished private BR and bath, all util. & internet, W/D, reserved parking. \$550/mo. Call Rebecca (850) 774-9792 9-6-5-4

Modern apt. furn/unfurn 4/4, 3 min drive to campus. Bus stop in front of apt. Living area furn. Amenities & digital cable internet incl. \$400/mo 305-562-3190 9-13-10-4

FEMALE ROOMMATE WANTED for 2BR/2BA apt. 3515 SW 39th Blvd. \$425/mo + 1/2 util. Cable free. Call at 335-5024 or email me minakung@hotmail.com 9-6-5-4

\$385/mo + util. SW area. Room in furn house w/4 UF upperclassmen. 3 mi from campus. Internet & cable incl. Immediate occupation. Please call Regan at 305-495-7409 9-6-5-4

1BR avail now. 5 min to UF. Free dig cable, \$300/mo + 1/3 util. Female or male, non-smoker. 352-332-2234, 352-514-1441 9-14-10-4

M/F responsible student to share 3BR/2BA home in quiet NW area. \$300/mo + 1/3 util. Call 352-303-6128 or 727-458-2737 9-14-10-4

●●AVAILABLE NOW!●● Wanted: Quiet, NS, serious student/grad, own bedroom and bath in furnished condo, hike or bus to UF \$425 + 1/3 utilities 375-1971 9-6-5-4

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**DELIVERY DRIVERS**

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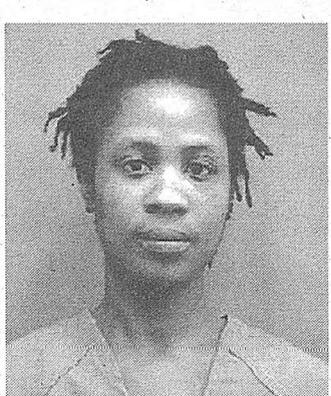
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# Young Gators rely on experience

■ UF'S CORE IS MADE UP OF SOPHOMORES.

By **BRYAN JONES**  
Alligator Writer

The UF volleyball team has its sights set on the number 15 — as in a 15th consecutive Southeastern Conference title. But in order to achieve its goals, the key number for the Gators may be five.

Last year's recruiting class was ranked No. 2 nationally by prepvolleyball.com. The then-freshmen group consisting of Marcie Hampton, Angie McGinnis, Kari Klinkenborg and Kisyia Killingsworth saw extensive playing time in what UF coach Mary Wise described as the "trickle down" from the injury to opposite hitter Amber McCray.

After taking a medical redshirt last season, McCray will retain her sophomore status, making the group even stronger and deeper.

Now, all five of UF's sophomores are starters this season, meaning they comprise roughly 71 percent of the starting lineup. That means the team's ability to rebound from a somewhat disappointing season in 2004 and contend for a national title rests, in large part, on the shoulders of the Gators' version of the "Fab Five."

McGinnis, last season's SEC Freshman of the Year, feels more confident after getting a year under her belt.

"I'll be a lot more confident because I know the opponents and I've already played against them," she said. "I know the game a little more than I did last

year. I think the team's confidence as a whole will be a lot higher than last year."

UF's senior captains, reigning SEC Player of the Year Jane Collymore and defensive specialist Rachel Engel, fill the other two starting spots.

Collymore said she believes the experience the younger players gained on the court last season and in international competition this spring could have a major impact on the Gators' ability to improve upon last year's 28-5 record.

"I think experience is the big difference," Collymore said. "We were inexperienced on certain levels last year. The team as a whole is more experienced and three of us have competed at international events and I think there's nothing that can substitute for that."

McCray said she expects big things this season as UF's youthful, but gifted, core continues to develop on the court.

"Our expectations are high," she said. "I feel like our whole team knows that we have great talent. The players who were young and inexperienced last year have a year under their belt and they're ready to play."

## Sunshine State Dominance

With UF's season opening win against Jacksonville on Monday night, the Gators improved their all-time record against the Dolphins to 13-0. This is nothing out of the ordinary for the Gators, who have dominated their in-state rivals over the course of their history. UF is 108-20 all-time



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After Angie McGinnis (9) came to UF as part of a star-studded high school class, the sophomore is already a key ingredient to the Gators.

against its Florida foes, and they are 51-2 during the Mary Wise era.

## Gainesville's Native Daughter

Monday's season opener marked the freshman debut of Gainesville native Kelsey Bowers of Gainesville High. Bowers played sparingly, recording three kills and a

block assist, but she was able to display the energy and quickness that her coaches have been raving about.

"What you saw in Kelsey was some aggressive play and her foot speed," Wise said. "How fast she is — I think it is going to be really fun to watch her develop not only over four years, but even just this season."

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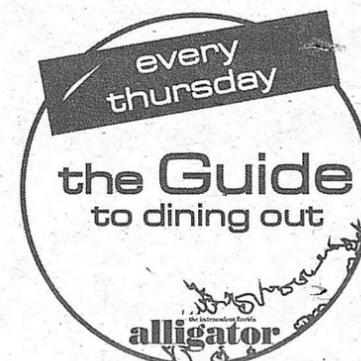
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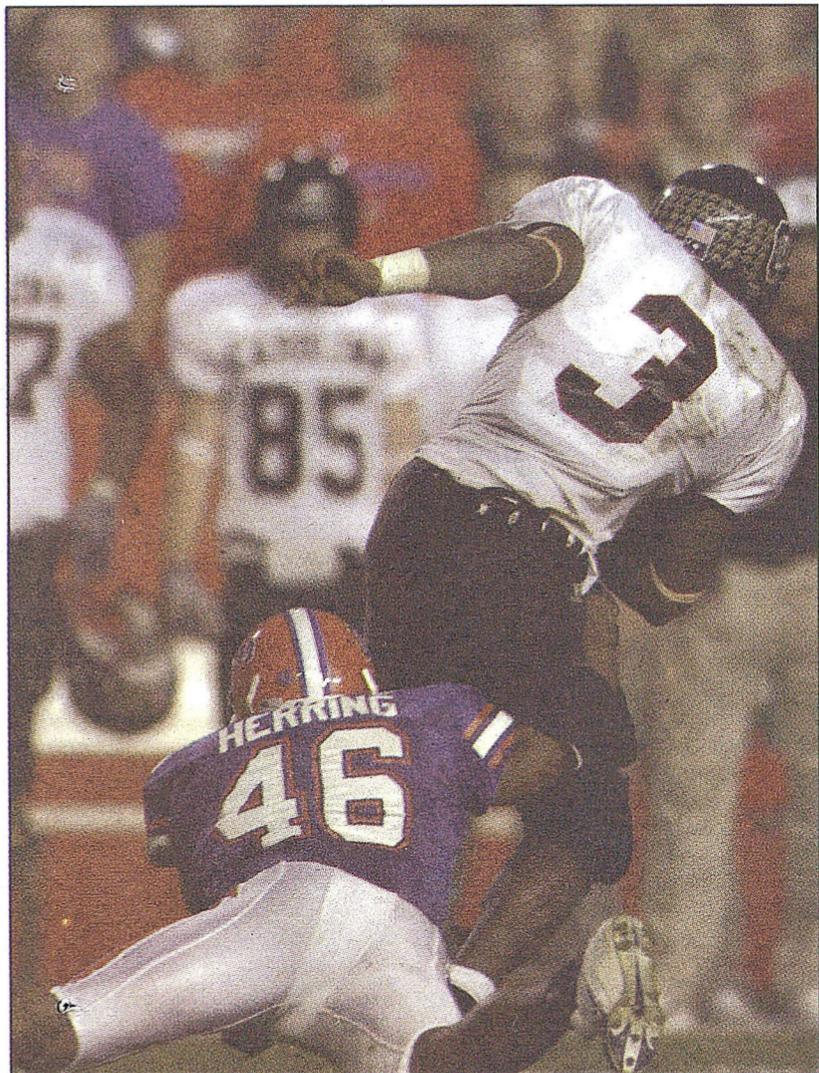


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## Tradition of easy opener may be tested by Wyoming



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Wyoming's pass attack is expected to give UF's revamped secondary trouble. Jarvis Herring believes the Gators' secondary is underrated.

By **ERIC ESTEBAN**  
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A favorable trend is about to end for UF.

In past years, the Gators' first game had traditionally led to an easy opener to prepare for Tennessee. While Wyoming may not play in a strong conference, the Cowboys' impressive finish to 2004 has the projected Mountain West champions filled with self-confidence for Saturday's game.

The Cowboys finished 7-5 last year and played the role of underdog in a 24-21 bowl game victory against UCLA. With 19 starters returning, Wyoming was optimistic throughout fall camp. But it's the team's strengths and the Gators' weaknesses that have Cowboys coach Joe Glenn excited.

"I think [we] know we are going into a tough place to play against a good football team, but at the same time we feel that after the last game we played last year that we have some confidence about who we are and what we're doing," Glenn said.

Glenn faced UF coach Urban Meyer twice while Meyer coached at Utah, giving Glenn a chance to see Meyer's offense first hand. At the same time, Meyer is well aware of Wyoming's weak points and will try to exploit a suspect defense.

"Is it an advantage? [Utah] scored 42 on us last year so I don't know if I'd call it an advantage," Glenn said. "We know the offense,

but getting it stopped is another thing."

Wyoming will attack the Gators' most untested group, the secondary, with its spread-offense aerial attack led by senior quarterback Corey Bramlet.

Bramlet threw for 2,409 yards and 12 touchdowns last season and has earned praise from Meyer.

"Bramlet may be the top quarterback we face this fall," Meyer said. "He's an excellent player."

**"Bramlet may be the top quarterback we face this fall. He's an excellent player."**

**Urban Meyer**  
UF football coach

He may not grace the cover of Sports Illustrated or draw serious preseason accolades, but Bramlet's arm will test a Gators' secondary that is high on potential, but low in experience. Aside from starting cornerback Dee Webb, no other corner on the team has ever started a game. Senior Vernell Brown played well enough in the fall to earn the other starting corner spot, but the nickel-and-dime coverage packages remain untested.

Freshman Avery Atkins, sophomore Reggie Nelson and junior Reggie Lewis have yet to register a play in their collegiate careers and will have to grow up quickly in order to stop the likes of Wyoming

receiver Jovon Bouknight.

Bouknight, who finished 2004 with 63 catches for 1,075 yards and seven touchdowns, is the third leading active receiver in the NCAA in career receiving yards, with 2,510.

However, UF starting free safety Jarvis Herring isn't too concerned.

"I'm not worried about our secondary, and I think it's one of our strengths," Herring said. "Nobody knows it yet, but they'll see."

The Cowboys return a strong secondary led by junior cornerback Derrick Martin. Martin finished 14th in the nation with 17 passes defended last year and will have his hands full with the Gators' talented receiving corps.

Wyoming's rushing offense is hindered by injuries and the Gators' revamped defensive front could shine. Linebacker Earl Everett is expected to play after dealing with a sore neck for the past week. He should help UF's blitzing attack that will try to put pressure on Bramlet.

Senior defensive end Jeremy Mincey said UF's defensive line unit, which Meyer recently called the most improved position on the team, is confident that they'll be able to stop Wyoming's attack.

"I really feel like they are going to come in here confident, play as hard as they could and expect to win," Mincey said.

But can Wyoming pull off the upset?

"I doubt it," Mincey said with a grin.

## Not just Urban legend, the Swamp Things strike fear in opponents

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Meyer's message is clear to the newly christened student section: "Go nuts. Help us win a game and I think you can."

A new year and a new coach should equate to a new mentality in the newly christened the Swamp Things student section, and that responsibility falls squarely on you, the average student.

A long time ago in a student section far, far away, the Swamp boasted a home-field advantage to be reckoned with. From 1990 to 2001, the Gators lost just five games at home, making the Swamp one of the most feared venues in the nation. Players and coaches had a swagger and bravado to them. No matter whom the Gators faced each week,

opponents were genuinely scared to make a trip to Gainesville and that was largely in part to Steve Spurrier's dedication to making it that way.

"You tell Coach Fulmer that the Swamp is going to be loud this year...as loud as it's ever been," said Spurrier prior to the Tennessee game in 1997.

Honestly, there's no reason why the student section can't be crazy like it once was. While students were mired in the hell-on-earth that was the Zookster, that time has come and gone and it's time to make some noise.

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-It's all about the defense. The second an opposing team quarterback lines up under center, don't be alarmed by the drunken fool screaming at the top of his lungs, for he is on the right track. A solid portion of the Swamp belongs to students, so be sure to make noise

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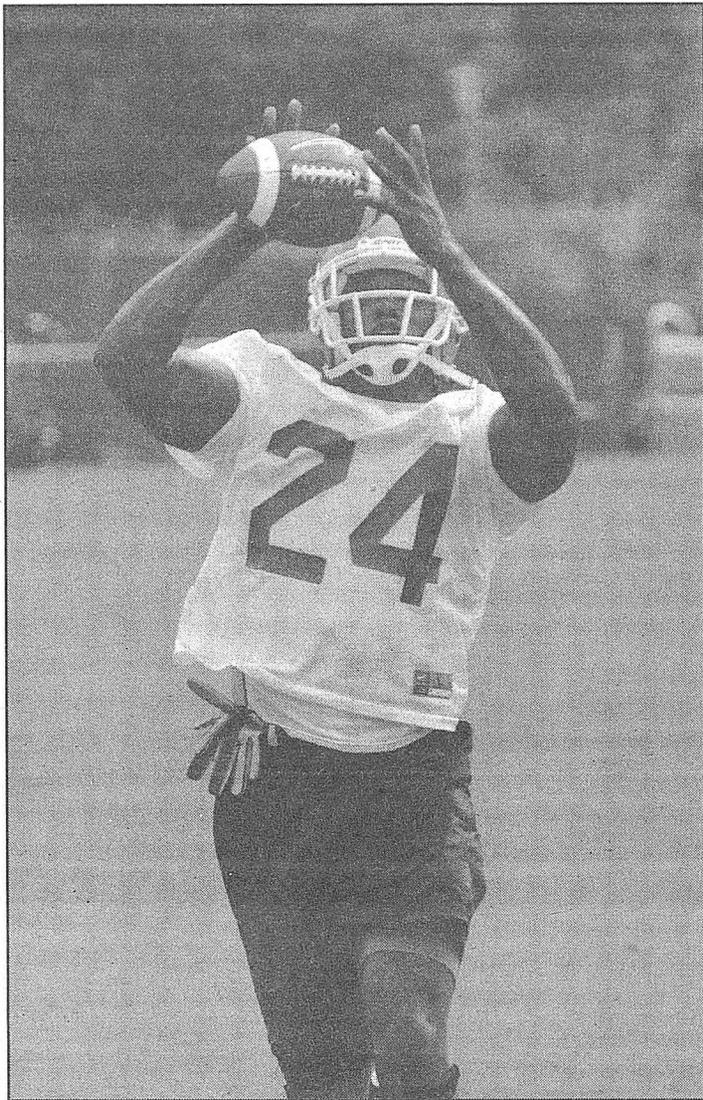
### TODAY IN UF SPORTS HISTORY

■ 1984: Miami defeats UF in Tampa 17-10. After tying LSU the next week, UF wouldn't lose another game, finishing the season 9-1-1. UF may have had a shot at a national title, but the Gators were on probation.

### ON TELEVISION

■ College Football : UCF vs. South Carolina ESPN, 7:45 p.m.  
■ College Football : Oregon vs. Houston ESPN2, 7 p.m.

# UF to split Pay-Per-view revenues for hurricane aid



Kim Klement / Alligator

Senior safety Deshawn Carter, a Hammond, La., native, nearly drove home to help his family after Hurricane Katrina.

By IAN FISHER and ANDREW ABRAMSON  
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The Gators may have escaped the path of a hurricane so far this year, but that doesn't mean UF isn't willing to help the cause.

UF announced Wednesday that it would donate \$75,000 of its Pay-Per-View revenue from the Wyoming game to the American Red Cross in order to aid victims of Hurricane Katrina.

"The effects of Hurricane Katrina are nothing short of tragic and we know there is a tremendous need for assistance," UF athletics director Jeremy Foley said. "Floridians endured four hurricanes last year and understand the amount of work the affected areas have in front of them. Our thoughts and prayers are with those who have been so severely impacted by this devastating hurricane."

One UF player took the news of Katrina personally. Senior safety Deshawn Carter finally heard from his family Wednesday morning after not knowing if Katrina affected the Carter clan.

Carter is from Hammond, La., which is about 30 minutes away from New Orleans.

Fortunately, it was mostly good news for Carter.

"Basically everything is fine," he said. "There's no flooding. A lot of trees are blown down, a lot of power lines. The power went out, so that's

why they weren't able to contact me."

Carter said his family's shed was damaged, but the house was fine.

He said at one point he called UF coach Urban Meyer and told him he was going to drive home to make sure his family was all right, but he didn't because he wouldn't have gotten that far anyway.

That left him watching TV like everyone else.

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**Jeremy Foley**  
UF athletics director

"It's been horrible," Carter said. "The only thing I could do was watch the news and hope and pray for all families and make sure I don't see my family on there."

**KICKERS CONFIDENT:** Meyer wouldn't name a starting tailback, backup quarterback or kicker Wednesday.

He said the starting kicker would be a game-time decision.

The kicking competition is between junior walk-ons Eric Nappy and Chris Hetland. Freshman Jonathan Phillips was also in the mix but he failed to impress Meyer.

"We've been kicking really well, but neither one of us has really come out and been perfect," Hetland said.

Both Hetland and Nappy said they have been kicking well in streaks. They said they'd each have three or four good days, then they'd miss an easy kick and the other would pull ahead for the starting job.

Regardless, they remained confident.

"I'm not worried about either one of us right now," Nappy said. "Not to diss the other guys, but we're definitely the two most capable to handle the job."

**AND THE WINNER IS:** Meyer will receive his national Coach of the Year award tonight, given by the Fiesta Bowl, the Football Writers Association of America and the Eddie Robinson Foundation.

Last year Meyer led Utah to an undefeated season. The Utes became the first non-BCS school to participate in a BCS bowl game, crushing Pittsburgh 35-7.

"Honestly I wish [I had received the award] sometime last year because that's old news," Meyer said. "I'm very appreciative of it, especially it being the Eddie Robinson award."

**THIS AND THAT:** Defensive tackle Javier Estopinan pulled a muscle and was wearing a boot during Wednesday's practice. Meyer said he won't be ready this weekend but may return in time for Louisiana Tech the following Saturday. Linebacker Earl Everett returned to contact drills Wednesday and will be ready to play Saturday, Meyer said.

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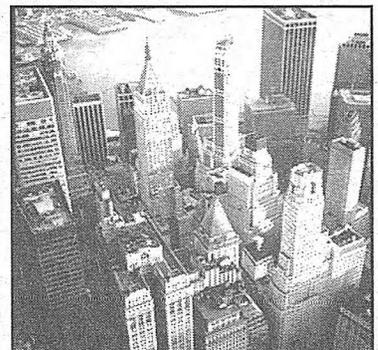
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**SEC FOOTBALL**

# UF icon Spurrier debuts with new team tonight

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The world's largest tug-of-war will be held in Florida living rooms everywhere tonight.

For the first time in three years, Steve Spurrier — Gainesville's Golden Boy and UF's Ol' Ball Coach — will coach college football. For the first time in 16 years, Spurrier will coach a college football team besides the Gators. At 7:30 p.m. EDT, Spurrier leads UF conference rival South Carolina against Central Florida. Tune in and grab a snack. But for whom will you cheer?

"I'll watch the game and root for Coach Spurrier every day of the week until the one day he plays Florida," said ex-UF receiver Chris Doering, who played under Spurrier from 1992-95. "I'm a Gator and I have no split allegiance when it comes to that. The University of Florida is my school and I hope they pound South Carolina when they play them."

You'll have a more difficult time convincing today's Gators to support Spurrier. When asked what interest they would have in the game, most players said they will watch mainly because the game is the season's first.

"It doesn't really matter if Steve Spurrier is there or not," wide receiver Dallas Baker said. "I can't say that I have deep feelings for him from a coaching standpoint, but I respect him because of the things he accomplished."

Redshirt senior center Mike Degory, one of the few remaining players recruited by Spurrier, could care less.

"It's great to have him back in college football, but Coach Meyer's our coach, and it was a long time ago when Coach Spurrier did

great things here," he said. "Will I watch? I don't know. I have a game to focus on this week."

**Moving Along**

The best way to describe local sentiments about the man who resurrected a dormant UF program is guarded curiosity. Or perhaps controlled interest.

Rooting for Spurrier may be easier tonight when the Gamecocks face a non-conference opponent. In a few weeks, however, South Carolina morphs into a virtual enemy for Gator Nation. Even UF athletics director Jeremy Foley, who calls himself a fan and friend of Spurrier, admits he won't be chummy-chummy with Spurrier once that happens.

"Do I call Phil Fulmer during the season? Obviously [Spurrier's] the coach of one of our opponents," Foley said. "We'll be watching him with interest but we're competing with him now. That doesn't mean we don't shake hands or we wouldn't have a beer together, but we're competitors right now and that's just the way it is."

Foley found himself at the center of a national Spurrier saga toward the end of the 2004 season. After former coach Ron Zook was fired during the season, fans and media began speculating that Spurrier would consider a return to the Swamp. Instead, Foley hired Utah coach Urban Meyer. And in the end, it seems like the odyssey's outcome satisfied both UF and South Carolina.

"If I went back there, I'd be doing something I'd already done," Spurrier said.

**More fun, or more gun?**

For now, at least for one day, all eyes are focused on the lead Gamecock. Can Spurrier overcome 12 arrests of former or current players? Will the Cock-n-Fire work in a more athletic and offensively-wary Southeastern Conference? Can Spurrier win more games than he loses?

"I hope we play like winners



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play," Spurrier said. "Don't beat yourself. Don't do the careless things that cause you to lose. We're going to try our best to accomplish those goals as we go through the season."

Despite South Carolina's semi-depleted team — mostly composed of players recruited by former coach Lou Holtz — UCF could be in trouble. The Golden Knights finished last season 0-11 and have lost their previous 15 games.

"I think for games like this, there are no big speeches needed," UCF coach George O'Leary said. "If you have any blood in your system, you're going to be ready to play."

Though Spurrier will be favored in his first game back, his long-term project is a treacherous one. South

Carolina has won just three bowl games and has only recorded one 10-win season (1984) in its history. Its only conference title of any sort occurred in 1969, when the Gamecocks played in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

**UF legend still lives**

No matter what he does, or doesn't do, no matter how he flops — or resurrects South Carolina's place in the SEC — no honest man can deny Spurrier's lore at UF.

He quarterbacked the Gators from 1964 to 1966, winning the Hesiman Trophy in '66 after volunteering to kick the game-winning field goal against Auburn. He returned to UF as a quarterbacks' coach and — of course — in 1990,

when he finished his first season as UF's head coach with the SEC's best record. The Gators would win their first six conference titles under Spurrier. Gainesville would never be the same.

"He used to say, 'You can't take rings away from me,'" Foley recalled. "And when I first got here people could only dream about the type of program that he built. Back then all anybody wanted to do was win one SEC championship, and he won six."

"They didn't talk about national championships until he got here. He raised the bar and he created what Florida football is all about. No one will ever forget about him. Ever."

*The Associated Press contributed to this report.*

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