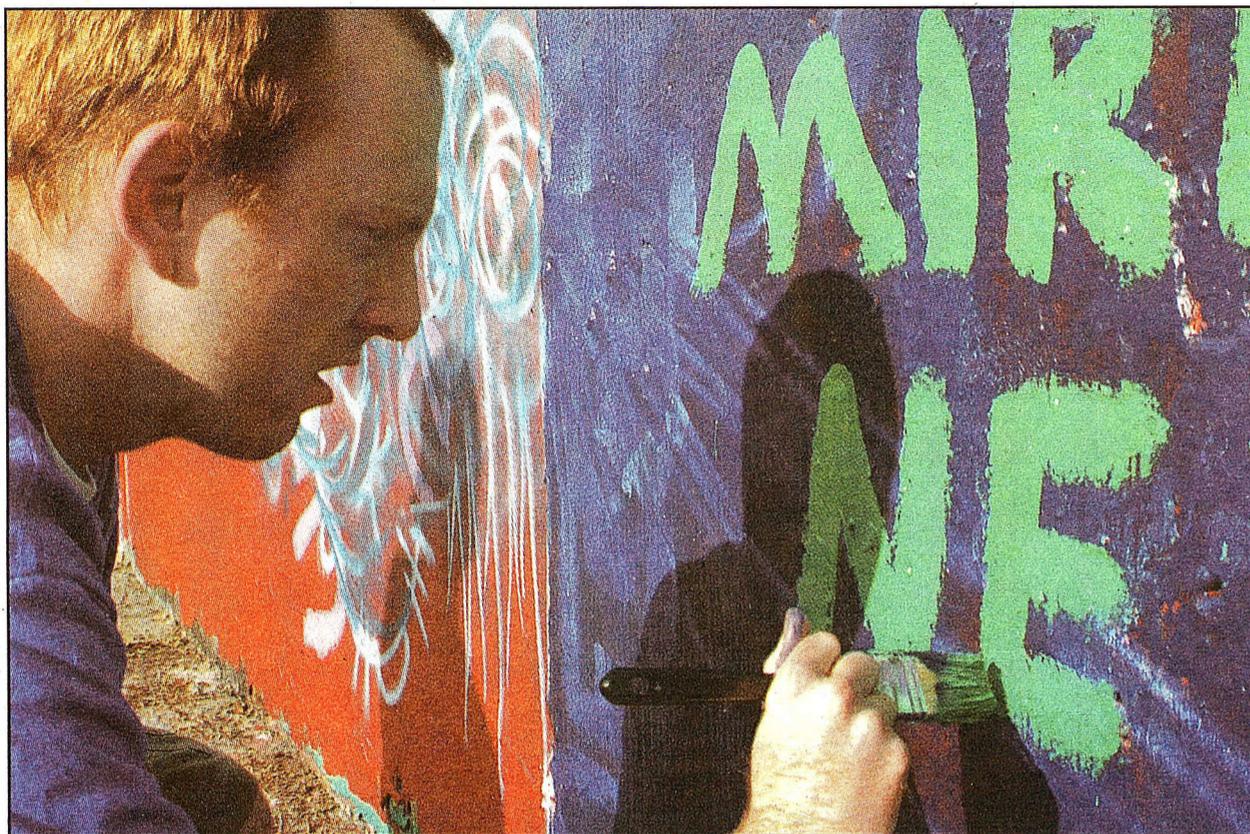




# Words on wall leave mark on local history



Drew Harwell / Alligator

UF sociology junior Ronnie Potts paints a mural on the 34th Street Wall on Thursday advertising his fraternity's participation in Dance Marathon.

## ■ A LOCAL PROJECT WILL DOCUMENT IT.

By **DREW HARWELL**  
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Few places display birthday wishes and marriage proposals as prominently as they do sketched grenades and graffiti penises.

In a way, that's what makes Gainesville's 34th Street Wall so special.

Several local organizations have decided to save the history of the wall, dubbing their project "The Concrete Blog: Messages on the Wall," in hopes that future generations will be able to observe the memories left behind in paint.

The project, organized by UF's Digital Library Center, the Florida Humanities Council and the Matheson Museum, relies on contributions from people who have kept photographs of the wall over the years.

So far, the project has compiled about 187 pictures and published them online.

Jeff Laskin, who worked at Shands at UF as a surgeon for 10 years and is one of the project's main contributors, said he didn't always appreciate the wall.

At first, Laskin said the 1,120-foot-long concrete slab, created in 1979 when the Florida Department of Transportation widened Southwest 34th Street, was hardly worthy of his attention.

When painters, graffiti artists and locals with a message began to splash and swirl the wall with color, Laskin said he barely noticed.

However, in 1989, a large mural finally piqued his interest. At that time, local artist Jim Evangelista painted a section of the wall to commemorate the death of Salvador Dalí, one of Laskin's favorite painters.

Touched by the mural, Laskin took a photograph with his "pretty damn heavy" 35mm Nikkormat camera. Every couple of days or so, he would return to the wall and

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## UF ADMINISTRATION

# Bush not to get UF degree

By **KIMBERLY FULSCHER**  
 Alligator Contributing Writer

The UF Faculty Senate denied former Gov. Jeb Bush an honorary degree after a debate at a meeting Thursday, as some senators criticized his lack of support for the university.

"I wonder what's in it for us," said Mark Davis, a senator and clinical associate professor of operational dentistry.

"I don't think this would make a tremendous contribution to our school, and I don't see where (Bush) comes in to getting this award," Davis said.

Other senators, like family, youth and community sciences professor Elizabeth Bolton, disagreed.

"I think it was a great mistake," Bolton said in an interview after the meeting. "I think he's a national figure. These people aren't looking at the big picture."

Senate Chairwoman Danaya Wright, a law professor, said the matter was added to the meeting's agenda at the last minute. She thinks members of the faculty and administration should have met before the meeting to determine new rules for giving the degrees.



Bush

She suggested implementing rules like one requiring that politicians be out of office for a certain amount of time before they can be nominated for an honorary degree.

Wright added that she wasn't aware of anyone ever being denied an honorary degree at UF.

"Being a politician should not exclude someone from an honorary degree," Wright said. "But the conversation showed that the

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# Protest lacks '60s scale

By **ADRIAN ERLNBACH**  
 Alligator Contributing Writer

UF sophomore Rachel Greenfield was the only student to walk out of her sixth-period journalism class to participate in Tuesday's anti-war protest, which was organized by the Gainesville Area Students for a Democratic Society.

Holding a spray-painted sign, she joined the march toward Tigert Hall. But she said the protest didn't compare to those that took place in the days of Vietnam.

"Back then they were more hardcore," she said. "There were protests all the time."

In May 1972, thousands of students

blocked sections of University Avenue and Northwest 13th Street, said Scott Camil, a 60-year-old UF alumnus.

This was not a scene from a national **Student Activism** championship victory, but rather a two-and-a-half-day demonstration against the Vietnam War. About 400 students were arrested, and 72 police officers were injured. It sounds revolutionary, but in a time of domestic unrest, the scene was typical for college campuses throughout the country, Camil said.

Camil, a coordinator for Veterans for Peace who served 20 weeks in Vietnam and was awarded two Purple Hearts, also attended the society's protest.

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■ Kentucky men's basketball coach Tubby Smith (right) is headed to Minnesota, a Gophers school official said Thursday. Smith spent 10 seasons in Lexington. See story, pg 19.



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# News Today

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### Panel Discussion

Weimer Hall, Rm. 1064,  
10:40 a.m.  
UF's Public Relations Advisory Council holds a panel on balancing work and life.

### Dance Marathon Kickoff Rally

Reitz Union Rion Ballroom,  
5 p.m. to midnight  
The Dance Marathon Overall Team holds a pep rally to promote the upcoming event.

### Relay for Life

O'Connell Center, 6 p.m.  
Colleges Against Cancer hosts an overnight event to raise money for cancer research and honor those who have battled cancer.

## SUNDAY

### Campus Speaker

Norman Hall, Rm. 137, 2 p.m.  
The Atheist, Agnostic and Freethinking Student Association at UF presents "Who Made Who? God and Man" with Eddie Tabash.

## UF RESEARCH

### Professors study lightning

When lightning strikes, the average person runs for shelter. But that's when members of UF's Lightning Research Group go to work to conduct research that could help in understanding global warming.

Researchers from UF and Uppsala University in Sweden, who have been gathering data since 2005 at a military base near Starke, discovered the amount of nitrogen oxide gas given off by a

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lightning strike.

The gas is also emitted by power plants and automobiles, and it can harm the ozone layer, which protects the earth from the sun's ultraviolet radiation.

Vladimir Rakov, a UF electrical and computer engineering professor and the project's head researcher, said lightning has long been known as a natural source of the gas.

But the research puts a number on how much is given off — which is a factor for scientists studying global warming.

"The problem of global warming is still a huge uncertainty," Rakov said. "These calculations, we believe, are potentially more accurate measures and reduce the uncertainty of how much nitrogen oxide actually is given off."

— ARIELLA GUTMAN

## TRAVEL

### Wait time up for passports

Students who plan to travel this summer may want to get their passports now.

It typically takes about two weeks to receive a passport. But due to a greater number of requests, it now takes about 10, according to the passport services Web site.

Because of Spring Break and the upcoming summer season, February to April is the busiest time of the year for passport

services, said Susanne Hill, coordinator of study abroad services at UF's International Center.

Hill said she advises those interested in studying abroad this summer to begin the application-process now.

"We tell students the minute they walk in to take care of that before anything else," she said. "It's a lengthy process."

— CAROLYN MARTIN

## CORRECTION

Planned Parenthood didn't pass out Plan B illegally in the past. The National Organization for Women has passed out the emergency contraceptive illegally. We reported otherwise in Tuesday's Alligator.

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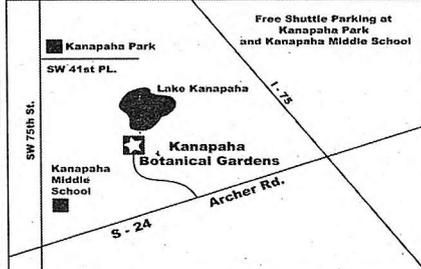
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## STUDENT LIFE

# Cohabiting couples live outside the law in Florida

By **BRITTANY DAVIS**

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When Jessica Neff and Andrew Lawrence decided to live together two years ago, they thought of the money they'd save by splitting expenses.

The two were already inseparable, Neff said, so moving in together was a natural step in the relationship.

"We were already spending so much time together, and we're both comfortable," she said. "He likes to cook, I like to clean, so it works out."

But Neff and Lawrence did not consider that they were breaking an archaic Florida law.

Statute 798.02, established in 1868, criminalizes those who "lewdly or lasciviously" live together and those who, whether married or unmarried, engage "in open and gross lewdness and lascivious behavior."

But according to some, the law is screaming to be modified or eliminated.

Neff said she knew about the law, but she wasn't concerned about the possible punishment of 60 days in jail or a \$500 fine.

"I'm not worried about it,"

she said. "In Gainesville, especially, it's hard to enforce. They can't just go around knocking on doors."

According to a 2002 survey by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, about 50 percent of women between 15 and 44 years old have lived with their partners.

"We were already spending so much time together, and we're both comfortable."

**Jessica Neff**  
UF student

Telisha Martin, a sociology doctoral student who is doing her thesis on cohabitation, said low-income couples are more likely to live together than couples with higher incomes.

"This could be because they don't have enough money for the kind of wedding they want, or maybe they just haven't met the financial milestones they want," she said.

Students, on the other hand, often view living together as an extension to their current relationship or a prelude to mar-

riage, Martin said.

Martin said the law is silly because it's out of touch with today's generation.

"This mentality is so far in the minority, I don't see it changing how people behave," she said.

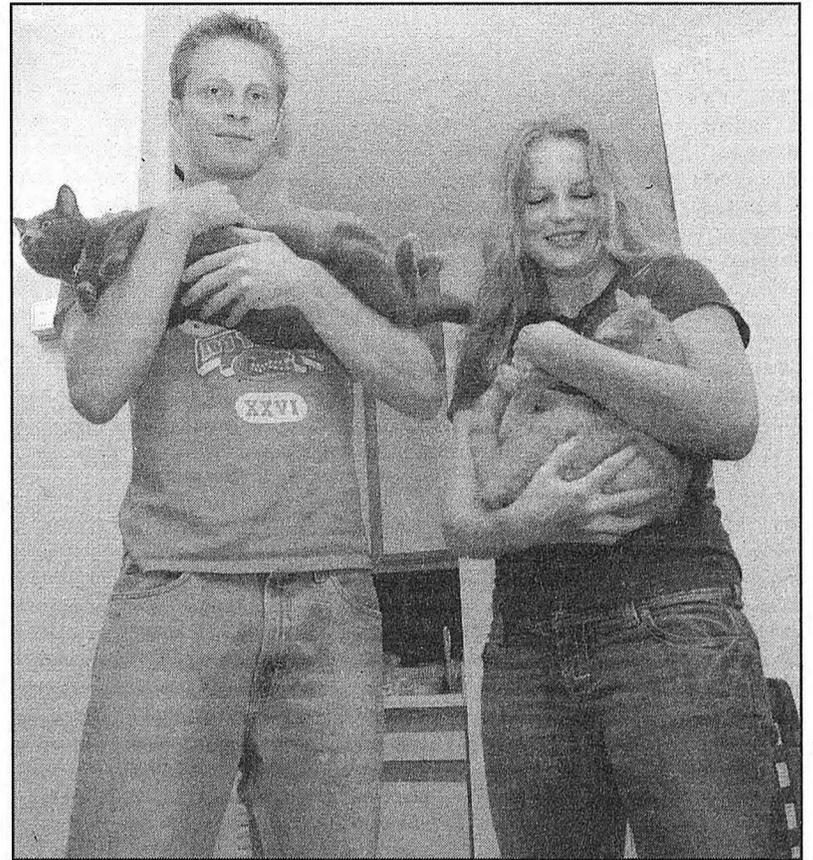
In September, a similar law was challenged and struck down in North Carolina, leaving Florida as one of six states with an anti-cohabitation law. The other states are Michigan, Mississippi, Virginia, West Virginia and North Dakota.

Law professor Joseph Little said the Florida Legislature may purposely keep the law intact because it forbids people from being "lewd or lascivious" in public places. Although other laws also criminalize public lewdness, Little said the law might be better off amended than eliminated.

"If a married couple wants to copulate in front of Tigert Hall, they can't do that," he said. "For that reason, the state does have an interest in keeping this law."

Little said since the law isn't usually enforced, nobody has challenged it.

"If it were to be eliminated, somebody has to get the legislature interested in removing it," he said.



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Jessica Neff and her boyfriend, Andrew Lawrence, pose with their cats Thursday evening in the apartment they share.

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**HOMELESSNESS**

# Plaza event halted

By **JESSICA DaSILVA**

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Before a UF student organization was able to enter the Plaza of the Americas on Wednesday morning for a homeless awareness event, its members were confronted by a group of UF officials and armed, plainclothes police officers who told them to leave.

Though its permit to host the event was revoked, Students for a Human Society showed up on the plaza because they felt unjustly targeted by UF officials, said group member Christina Bates.

Dean of Students Gene Zdziarski said the permit was revoked after UF officials found out through a Facebook profile that the group planned to stay three days longer than the permit allowed. The profile was posted by the Gator Homeless Coalition, a student group that planned to stay on the plaza after the society's event.

David Reznik, a member of both organizations, said in an interview that the coalition was planning to attend the awareness event and campout until Saturday. As members of both groups lugged their tents onto the plaza, Reznik said Zdziarski, three Reitz Union staff members and two police officers told them they weren't allowed to set up their event. Reznik said he also noticed other associate and assistant deans stationed at all corners of the plaza.

Bates said she was shocked at the number of officials who tried to quell such a small conflict.

"It's not like we were threatening to take anything over. We just wanted to set up tents," she said. "When 500 people protested, they didn't do anything," she said, referring to Tuesday's student protest of the Iraq war.

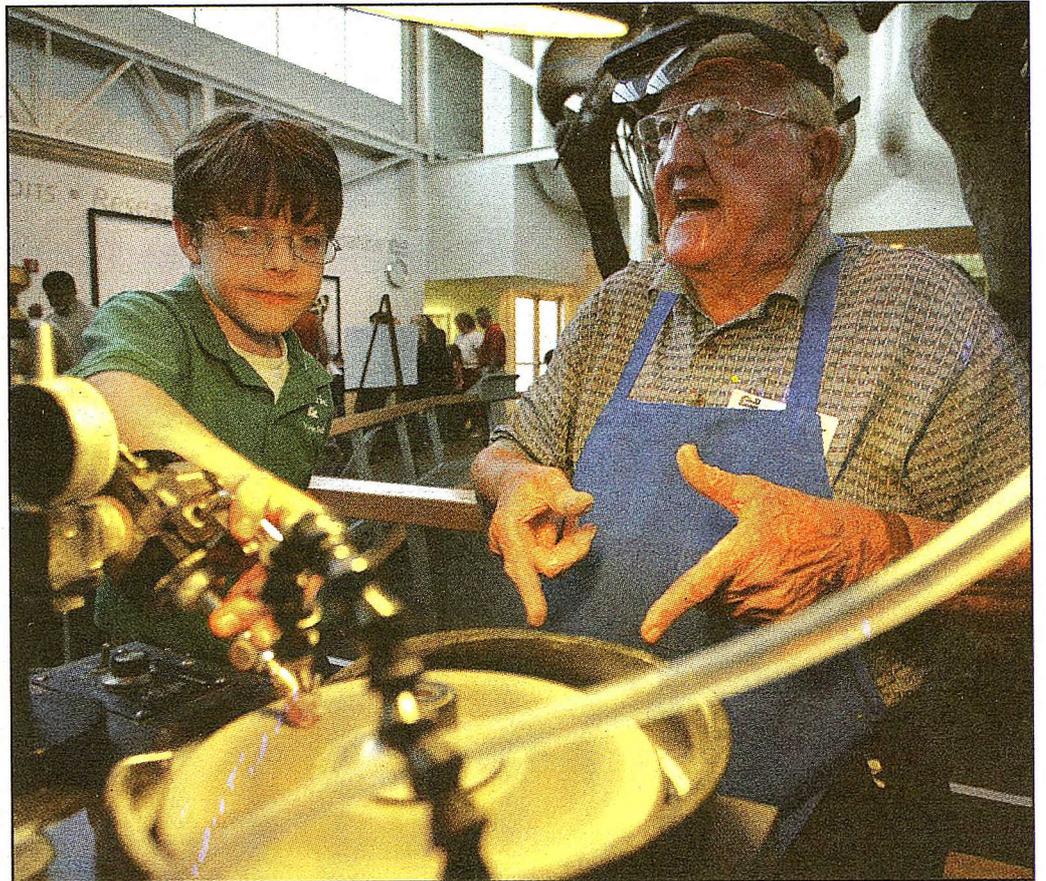
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**Christina Bates**  
member of Students for a Human Society

The society was planning to feature a "tent city" to represent the living conditions of some of the homeless in Gainesville, Reznik said.

Zdziarski said the society never mentioned the tents when registering the event, which he said violated a UF policy. However, he said the society was asked to reschedule so its event could be differentiated from the coalition's campout. He invited the group to come back so it could host its event according to UF policies.

However, Reznik disagreed with the decision to void the permit, saying the coalition's plans didn't officially have anything to do with the society's event.



Jason Henry / Alligator

**Polished to perfection**

Tyler Jobs, 8, experiments with stone cutting and polishing Thursday at the Florida Museum of Natural History, while Kirk Kirkland, 85, explains how the faceting machine works. Kirkland, a member of the Gainesville Gem and Mineral Society, was participating in "Can You Dig it?," part of Museum Nights sponsored by Student Government.

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# Controversial cartoonist to speak

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Cartoonist Keith "Keef" Knight has to be careful when checking his mail. Each envelope could contain anything from marijuana from fans to death threats from critics. But that's what happens when you draw cartoons about the controversial subjects of politics and race.

The creator of the semiautobiographical K Chronicles and (th)ink comics will speak at UF today about his career and how students can use their creativity. The speech is at 5:30 p.m. in Turlington Hall, Room L011.

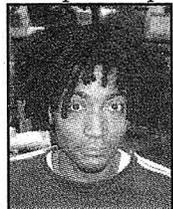
Knight and his twin sister, who he later incorporated into his comics as his "evil" twin, were born into a lower-middle-class family in 1966.

Knight grew up on a strict diet of classic Warner Bros. and Looney Tunes cartoons. His favorites were old Daffy Duck cartoons by Chuck Jones and Bob Clampett. Knight reproduced the cartoon characters' expressive eyes in his drawings. He was also inspired by the drawings in

Mad Magazine and the illustrations on Parliament-Funkadelic albums.

"I could spend hours looking at those drawings," Knight said.

When the first Star Wars movie landed in theaters in 1977, an 11-year-old Knight embarked on an attempt at superhero art. Working



Knight

from his cousins' ideas for Star Wars-like characters, Knight illustrated the adventures of characters like Captain Neptune, Zap Man, Otis, the Friend of

Justice. After graduating college, Knight resurrected them in some of his early comics.

Knight received some of his most memorable lessons about race relations after entering middle school in the late 1970s. The long battle to desegregate public buses in Boston had stressed race relations in the city and the surrounding area. While camping with his friends, Knight was accused of stealing a canoe by

the white campground manager and ejected from the grounds.

"The accusation was absurd because everyone knows black people can't swim," Knight said, mocking an old stereotype.

After moving to San Francisco in 1990, he grew intrigued with cartoonists, such as Nina Paley, who drew their life stories. As time passed, he realized his adventures and observations as a black man in America gave him a voice that was absent from the comic scene at the time, giving birth to his comic: The K Chronicles. His drawings in this series are semiautobiographical stories mixed with drawings on race and politics.

Though he started by selling his work to independent publications, his comics are now published in more than 30 publications, including Mad Magazine.

Knight's speech is sponsored by OASIS, a program that aids with recruitment and retention of minorities at UF. It cost \$2,000 of university money, in addition to airfare and other expenses.

## UF Senate denies Bush

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faculty needs to have a discussion that's not on the back of a political candidate."

The criteria for nomination for an honorary degree includes achievement in scholarship or high distinction in public service, according to the UF Web site. Preference is given to those who are connected in some significant way with the state or the university.

At the meeting, UF Provost Janie Fouke said that many political figures have been given honorary degrees. Six former governors have been awarded honorary degrees at UF, and Fouke said giving high-profile people the degrees could benefit the university.

"We could bring some really cool people in if we were aggressive," Fouke said. "I think we've got the opportunity to exploit the mechanism for the improvement of the institution."

Andrew P. Hines Jr., a mechanical engineer and UF alumnus, and Barry C. Barish, a professor emeritus of physics at the California Institute of Technology, were both approved for degrees, although UF President Bernie Machen will have to approve their degrees.

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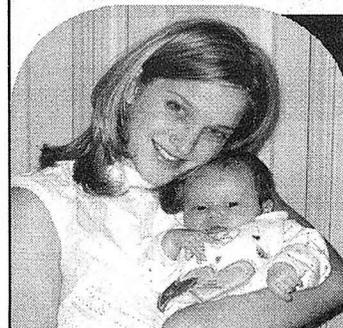
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Letters to the Editor

**Italian men not as sexy as they seem**

I am writing in response to Kelly Sereikas' "Sex on the Avenue" column. I am studying abroad in Florence, and I think she got the wrong impression about Italian men. They have the sexy-mysterious act down pat for American women, who have a different concept of free love. The come-ons are always directed at starry-eyed American tourists — not respectable Italian women.

But that's the problem. American girls

go to Italy wanting to use their black lace underwear, and the men here are more than welcome to oblige — as long as they are leaving the next weekend. Stay a little longer, and they'll find out how different they really are — in a good way. Despite that I now know the differences, I, like most American women, haven't lost the dream of a tall dark man on a Vespa — it's a good one to keep.

Kelli Wood  
4FA

**Some sequels are as good as the original**

In response to Todd Portnowitz's Thursday column, here are 10 reasons to see sequels.

1. "Star Wars: Episode V — The Empire Strikes Back"
2. "The Godfather: Part II"
3. Any of Sean Connery's James Bond films after "Dr. No" — with the exception of "Diamonds Are Forever."
4. "Star Trek: The Wrath of Khan"
5. "Evil Dead II" and "Army of Darkness"

6. "X2," the X-Men sequel
7. "Spider-Man 2"
8. John Woo's "A Better Tomorrow II" — gotta fulfill my foreign film quota
9. "Batman Begins"
10. Um...er... "City Slickers II: The Legend of Curly's Gold"? Wait, no. "Weekend at Bernie's II"!

I guess only 1-9 are exceptions to the rule.  
Jeff Stevens  
UF employee

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# Wall art captivates local man

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take another picture of a different section. Anything on the wall that interested him, amazed him or made him laugh was chronicled on film.

"Some were touching and poignant. Some were filthy," Laskin said. "I just kept shooting."

For the next 11 years, Laskin took hundreds upon hundreds of photos of birthday announcements, memorials to friends, endearing poems, graffiti scribbles and dating proposals. Some paintings rallied against wars while others cheered for the Gators. Laskin captured them all.

"I think the gift that these artists have given this town over the years is beautiful," he said. "They've basically documented everything."

Laskin stopped taking the pictures in 2000, when he said the art on the wall no longer captivated him. He still has the heaps of pictures, however, and is contributing them all to The Concrete Blog. The project needs all of the pictures it can get.

Besides the countless layers of scrawling, the wall has a history of its own. After its birth in '79, the wall went through

growing pains. Students and locals were comfortable using the wall as a public easel, but some residents and city officials weren't as taken. At first, they said the graffiti was illegal.

Over time, those same officials began to accept the wall as a citywide memorial when then UF student Adam Tritt, along with several friends, painted a memorial in 1990 to the five Gainesville students

**Around Gainesville** murdered by serial killer Danny Rolling. With strokes of paint in black, red and white, the friends quieted the wall's opposition.

Sixteen years later, the memorial still stands — although it's been repainted more times than anyone can remember.

The territory on each side of the framed panel is still paintable. In fact, students can be seen at the wall all the time painting their own designs.

Ryan Morrow, a UF nuclear engineering junior, painted the wall for love. On Nov. 12, he and a friend spent an hour painting a dating proposal to a girl he liked. After a friend brought her to the wall, Morrow met her with flowers and showed her the wall. The two of them are still together.

# Past protests attracted thousands

**ACTIVISM**, from page 1

But he pointed out that although UF's student population has doubled since his time there in the early 1970s, only a few hundred students attended this protest. Three decades ago, he said, the Plaza of the Americas was the scene of hundreds of demonstrations that attracted thousands of people.

Aside from the Vietnam War, UF students demonstrated for civil rights, women's rights and other issues.

"A lot of the rights that students have today they have because we fought for those rights," he said.

While at UF, Camil spent time in jail for crimes associated with his political actions. He estimated he had been arrested about 14 times while he was a student. He was never convicted of a crime.

Camil said students today lack the passion for democracy and dedication to change that students of his generation had. He blames the difference partly on

the lack of a draft, but also on a deeper problem with modern education.

"Back then, we were taught that this is a democracy," he said. "Somewhere along the line in the last 30 years, things have changed. Kids don't learn about civics. They don't learn about the Constitution. They don't learn about civil rights."

Camil said now, Gainesville's peace and justice movement is led mostly by adult community members, but back then it was almost completely student-based.

The Gainesville Area Students for a

"Back then, we were taught that this is a democracy."

**Scott Camil**  
UF alumnus

Democratic Society is a reincarnation of the organization of the same name that was much more active in the '60s and '70s, said UF sophomore and society member Tina Steiger.

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Furnished apartments close to UF  
Individual bedroom leases  
Semester leases  
\$399 - \$725  
www.Action-realtors.com  
352-331-1133 3-30-54-2

**Unbelievable Location**  
Studios, 2, 4, 5 Bedroom Apartments  
Virtual Tours at LiveNearCampus.com  
4-25-72-2.

Available in April  
Walk to UF Studio \$390,  
1 Br \$450 2 Br house \$550  
Gore-Rabell Realty 378-1387  
www.gore-rabell.com 4-25-65-2

**LUXURY 2BR**  
**ACROSS FROM UF**  
W/D, Private bath, pets welcome!  
Monitored alarm, open weekends  
371-7777 Collegeparkuf.com  
4-25-60-2

**ONLY 2 BLOCKS TO CAMPUS!**  
1 bedrooms and studios  
Wood floors, pets ok, avail Fall  
Open late and weekends  
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**LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION!**  
Live downtown & have it all!  
Spacious studios, 1/1s, 2/2s, & 3/3s  
W/Ds\*Huge Closets\*We Love Pets!  
Going fast - don't miss out! 338-0002  
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**Save \$\$\$! Move-in TODAY!**  
2BR, 3BR or 4BR Ask about our 2006 rates!  
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4-25-65-2

**BLOCKS TO UF**●3BR houses from \$1400  
●4BR houses from \$1600●3BR patio  
homes from \$1300●4BR patio homes from  
\$1600● 1-2BR apts from \$475 Ample park-  
ing. DalyProperties.com, Carol 377-3852  
3-30-39-2

**\*\*LUXURY APTS\*\***  
**CLOSEST TO CLASS**  
2BR/2BA available for Fall  
www.LookingGlassApartments.com  
111 NW 16th St. #1. Call 376-1111  
4-25-56-2

Historic Duckpond  
1BR/1BA in vintage house. Hardwood floors.  
W/D Quiet area, large yard. 3 blocks to  
downtown. 304 NE 6th Street. \$525/MO  
379-4952 Available April or May 3-26-30-2

1BR & 2BR/1BA apts with W/D, cent H/A/C,  
DW, ceramic tile, private patio. Pets arranged.  
Off SW 34th St. Near bus route. From  
\$630/mo. 377-1633 www.lenoxcorner.com  
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**2 bedroom WOOD FLOORS**  
**GREAT FOR PETS!**  
Across the street from UF  
Open late and weekends  
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**SW 20th AVE CONDO**  
2BR/2.5BA. Perfect for Roommates.  
Pool, bus route, W/D, \$800/mo  
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**\*ABSOLUTE LUXURY\***  
2/2 Town Homes & 3/3 Flats  
FREE Water \*Cable \* Tanning\* Gym  
Roommate match available  
Leasing Now/Fall \* 379-9255  
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**2 For Rent unfurnished**

www.10houses.com  
2 & 3BR houses for August in quiet areas. cute, clean, cent. H/AC, W/D, wood floors, nice yards. Bike to UF. \$775-\$1300 email nancy@10houses.com or call 352-336-6116 4-2-25-2

\*Cozy 2/2 rental: Haile Village\*  
Avail April Contact: 352-337-1740  
\$1200. Large, Sunny, Bright, & Many Upgrades. Walk 2 cafes, stores & restaurants. Many running trails! Pets Allowed 3-29-20-2

1 Blk to UF. 1017 SW 1st Ave., 2BR/2.5BA townhouse. Lg. kit, parking, W/D, D/W, over 1100 sqft. Avail. Aug 1. Call 333-0800. 3-30-15-2

2158 sq ft 4/3 home rent/sale NW Gville mins from campus. Appliances stay, remodeled, wd flrs, 2 car gar, deck, 1/2 acre, beautiful landscaping, low utils, fenced. \$1,550/m, \$2K SD. 3120 NW 31st Blvd, 352 466-0358 4-12-30-2

MASTER BR W/BA IN 4BR/3BA HOUSE  
5 mins to SFCC & 10 mins to UF.  
Low utilities divided by 4. W/D, RTS bus routes. \$325/mo. Short term leases available Small pet okay. 352-428-0500 Evan. 3-30-20-2

Houses, Duplexes, condos or Townhouses Walk/Bike/Bus to campus. Neat, clean, good quality. Visit www.gatorpads.com for available units or call 284-0316 or 281-0733 4-25-36-2

Space, Solitude and Disposable Income Beautiful, Spacious home on wooded landscaped lot, 8rms + 400 sq ft porch. 3BR/1BA, bike to UF, W/D, \$1270 + util. No pets. Available August. 275-1259 4-2-20-2

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Luxury 3 Bedroom Townhouses For Fall W/D\*Loft Spaces\*Walk In Closets\*Pets OK Walk to everywhere-bars, shopping, dining Call now! Only 10 left! 338-0002 4-25-30-2

Luxurious Victoria Station Condo  
Avail fall. Less than 1 mi from campus 2BR/2.5BA. W/D, interent incl. Pool, w/3 convenient bus rts avail. \$875/mo. 352-222-4235 3-30-16-2

**PETS FREE AVAIL NOW OR FALL 3 BED 2 BATH LARGE MASTER WOOD FLOORS BEHIND OAKS MALL \$1050 MONTH 262-7462 FOR MORE.** 4-25-34-2

**PETS FREE AVAIL NOW OR FALL WOOD FLOORS 2 BED 2 BATH TOWNHOME PRIVATE DECK 2871 SW 38TH PLACE \$875 MONTH 262-7462 FOR MORE** 4-25-34-2

**PETS PARADISE**  
No app or pet fee. 2BR, fireplace, privacy fence, W/D hookup. 4511 SW 71st Terr. \$540/mo. Call 352-331-2099 3-26-10-2

●●●●●1BR APT, \$550/mo●●●●●  
Quiet nhood; greenspace, trees, private patio, near UF, busline, parking, spacious rooms, adorable kitchen, carpeted fans, no dogs. 1825 NW 10th St. 376-0080 4-9-20-2

**University Area rentals!**  
Watch our Website!  
www.rentgainesville.com  
**Union Properties, Inc.**  
373-7578 4-25-32-2

**Hawthorne Reserve** off University Ave. New 1, 2, and 3 Bedroom Condos, Completely Refurbished, Quiet Wooded Setting. Pool, Clubhouse and Cardio Center. W/D in each unit, Short Term OK. Close to Mall and Royal Park. \$750-\$1200.

**Garland Condos** off NW 13th Street. End unit Townhouse w/Alarm System, W/D hookup and Pool onsite. 2BR 2.5Bath @ \$1,000/mo.  
**Union Properties, Inc. 373-7578** 4-25-32-2

1BR/1BA, no lease. Courtyard, 2 mi to UF, on bus line, quiet neighborhood, next to park. Free water, no pets: \$440/mo + \$440 sec dep. Call 374-7175 3-26-10-2

1BR in a 2BR/1BA. \$275/mo.  
Avail now. No smoking. Must love cats. 328-4682 3-27-10-2

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**MOVE IN TODAY!**  
1BR & STUDIOS  
Walk to UF!  
**From only \$589**  
371-7777  
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\*\*\*GOTTA SEE\*\*\*  
Remodeled 900 sq ft clean 3BR/1BA duplex on quiet NE street. Bike to UF. New carpet/paint-tile bath & kitchen! CH/AC. Laundry rm W/D. NS. \$895/mo 376-7529, 219-2399 l/m. 4-4-15-2

**1 & 2 Bed Cottages & Apts. \$500/MO. Central AC., W/D hookups. Close to downtown & UF. Cute & MUST SEE! See photos & info @ www.rentalworkshop.com 352-870-0904, 318-4553** 3-28-10-2

**HOUSES! 1 to 4 beds \$450-\$1500. All close to UF & on bus routes, W/D hookups, Hardwood, central AC, porches, pets OK, See photos @ rentalworkshop.com 870-0904, 318-4553** 3-28-10-2

**DUPLEX FOR RENT**  
3215 SW 26 Terr. 1 mi from UF & Shands. 2BR/1BA flat, 850 sq ft. Cent AC, private front patio & backyard. \$550/mo. 407-363-7198 or cell 407-234-1380 4-2-12-2

**LIVE ON UF LAKE**  
Pristine Biven's Arm condo. Huge 2BR/2BA, large den (possible 3rd BR), hardwood floors, pool incl. \$1295/mo. Call 321-231-1505 4-25-29-2

**2 For Rent unfurnished**

★★★★★10 BLOCKS TO UF★★★★★  
Quaint 1BR/1BA apts in Historic Victorian House. Huge rooms, wood floors, high ceilings, pvt entrance. \$525/mo. Avail Aug 1st. Pets ok. 376-2184. 225 SW 3rd Ave. 3-29-10-2

★★★4 Blocks to UF★★★  
3BR/2BA. Hard wd floors, tile, C A/C. Private porch. Off-street parking, W/D. Recently renovated. 1102 & 1112 NW 4th Ave. Avail Aug \$1230/mo Call 871-8280 Drive by first 3-30-10-2

**EFFICIENCY APT. \$350/MO**  
Includes electric & water. Upstairs unit w/AC & ceiling fans. 8 mi West of I-75 on Archer Road. No pets. No smoking Call 495-1023 3-23-5-2

**700 sq ft apartment.**  
1BR. 2 Blocks to campus.  
W/D. Central air \$799/MO.  
Call Scott 561-767-0868 3-30-10-2

Available now 1BR/1BA clean & quiet, carpet, central H/AC, covered patio, on site pool, fitness, clubhouse, bball, laundry, close to UF, shopping, entertainment, on bus route, utilities, pets ok. 904-814-6976 4-2-10-2

**2 For Rent unfurnished**

2BR/2BA Luxury Town Hse 1586SF, 2 Story, 4941 NW 1st Place, near UF. Monticello in Mills Pond across from Gainesville Health and Fitness on Newbury Energy Star rated, built 2001, fiber optic. Nature Preserve, 2 Master BR, Ref, W&D, DishWash. Secur sys. French doors, Small pets OK, Pool, Tennis Court, Rec Ctr, \$950 per mo. unfurn. Available 8/1/07 Call 954-928-4750/ 352-377-0921 4-6-14-2

2BRs AVAILABLE IN LARGE 4/2 ON FARM less than 10 mi to UF. Pet friendly. Horse ok. \$275/mo. 1 room avail May, 1 in June. Jen 352-495-7714 4-3-10-2

2/1.5 Mill Run 2 story twtnhs by UF/Butler Plaza on bus rt 20/21. W/D, DW, Tile, 1000 sq ft, Pool. Pets ok. \$700/mo + security. 352-871-7460 4-6-10-2

WALK TO SHANDS/VA/VET SCH. Large 1 & 2BR, Downstairs, CH/A, fans, carpet, Laundry on site, pool, parking, quiet. 1BR \$600-\$650; 2BR -\$725-\$800. Avail Summer/Fall. 352-376-0080 or 352 284 3873 4-25-26-2

**ADORABLE 3BR/2BA HOME**  
1500 sq ft. Screened porch, laundry room. Avail April 1st. 4300 NW 17th Terr. \$900/mo 1st & sec req'd to move in. 352-318-3830 3-27-5-2

**2 For Rent unfurnished**

**5BR/2BA HOUSE**  
815 NW 7th Place. \$1200/mo. Available now. Big yard, 10 min walk to UF. Call 352-318-3830 3-27-5-2

**\*\*PRIVATE VILLAS\*\***  
Single-story close to UF  
**1BR ONLY \$529**  
**2BR \$699 + FREE Water**  
NOW & FALL 375-1519  
8-15-51-2

**\*\*LIVE ALONE\*\***  
**1BR VILLA ONLY \$519**  
1/2 mile to UF & Butler Plaza  
Walk-in closet! Alarms avail  
375-3077 Avail NOW & FALL  
8-15-51-2

**NO ROOMMATE HASSLES**  
Private Villas next to Butler Plaza  
**Studios \$499\*1BR \$549**  
**\*\*FREE WATER\*\***  
Call for Fall\*\*377-2596  
8-15-51-2

**CLOSEST to UF/Shands**  
Enjoy privacy & convenience  
**1BR Villa ONLY \$529.**  
**Duckpond\*POOL\*Alarm avail**  
Leasing FALL Fast! 372-4835  
8-15-51-2

# The Worship W Guide

**alliance of divine love**  
**Seraphim Center & Chapel**  
Home of "The Secret". Free movie "The Secret" come and learn how to create the life you want. 1:30-3:30 Sun March 11 Q&A after. Learn the science and laws of allowing, deliberate intent & attraction.  
412 NE 16th Ave., 373-3133  
Sunday Services at 11 am  
*See You There*

**baptist**  
**Parker Road Baptist Church**  
3200 SW 122nd Street.  
Dr. James Jackson, Interim Pastor  
332-4991. 9:45 Sunday School  
Worship @ 11am & 6pm Wednesday  
Worship @ 7pm and Youth WOW @ 6:30pm

**episcopal**  
**Holy Trinity Episcopal**  
100 NE First Street Sunday  
Services Summer Worship Schedule  
Holy Communion 8am, 10am and 6pm.  
Wednesday Service 12:15pm.  
Healing and Holy Communion.

**evangelical**  
**Creekside Community Church**  
Sunday Adult Electives, 9am. Sunday Service, 10:30am. Wednesday College Bible Study (at Christian Study Center) at 7:00. 2640 NW 39th Avenue, for more information call 352-378-1800  
www.creeksidecc.org

**jewish student centers**  
**Hillel Jewish Student Center**  
This Shabbat, do it Jewish! Join us every Friday night at 6:30pm. Your choice of student-led services: Orthodox, Conservative and Reform, followed by a free glatt Kosher Shabbat dinner! We also serve the only daily gourmet Kosher lunch and dinner in Gainesville. Join us for great food, Shabbat, Jewish Programs and more...

**lutheran**  
**First Lutheran Church**  
Anti Gravity Campus Ministry 1801 NW 5th Ave.  
Services @ 8:30 & 11  
Free College Lunch After!!!  
www.fallingupward.org 376.2062  
College Worship Wed. 8pm.

**methodist**  
**University United Methodist Church**  
Wesley Foundation  
Meeting at Presbyterian Student Center 1402 W. Univ. Ave. Sunday Worship 1:30am; Thursday Contemporary Worship 8:00pm. For more info: 372-8183 or myuumc.com

**mosques**  
**Islamic Center of Gainesville**  
1010 W University Ave.  
Friday Prayer at 1:30pm  
352-372-1980  
Hoda Center  
5220 SW 13th St.  
Friday prayer 1:30pm  
352-377-5656

**non-denominational**  
**The Rock of Gainesville**  
The Rock is a non-denominational Christian Church, making a revived effort in the college scene in 2007. Our college group RockUF is now meeting by campus Wednesday nights (9PM) at the Baptist Student Center (on University Avenue). For details & campus activities, visit www.rockuf.com. Weekend services are Sundays at 8:45am and 11am; call 352-331-ROCK or visit www.therockonline.org.

**Trinity Metropolitan Community Church**  
Offering truly open and inclusive Christian worship. Sunday worship, 10:15am. 11604 SW Archer Road for info, call 352-376-1100 or visit mccgainesville.com. "Tearing Down Walls Building Up Hope"

**University City Church of Christ**  
www.gatorsforchrist.org College ministry meets at University City Church of Christ. Bible class Sunday at 9:30am and Wednesday at 7pm- plus service projects and much more!

**presbyterian**  
**First Presbyterian Church**  
Missing your home church? Come worship with us at 10:55am and then be our guest at The College Cafe for a nutritious lunch.  
www.1stpc.org/colleggroup  
106 SW 3rd Street 352-378-6565

**Presbyterian & Disciples of Christ Student Center**  
Open, affirming and spiritually diverse. Taize worship sun. at 7pm \$1 Dinners Weds. at 7pm. Theology on Tap Thurs. at Stubbies Pub Downtown 8pm 1402 University Ave, 376-7539, pdcsc.org

**christian study centers**  
**Christian Study Center**  
"Why work?" Mondays at 8pm. Home of Pascal's Coffeehouse. Open Monday-Friday. 112 NW 16th St. 379-7375. For more information, visit www.christianstudycenter.org

**for more information on the worship guide**  
Contact **Jonah Kinsler** at Alligator advertising at 376.4482

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**alligator**

**2 For Rent unfurnished**

**\*Affordable & Nice\***  
Gym\*POOL\*Alarm avail  
1BR \$539+FREE water  
Phase I 2BR ONLY \$699  
Phase II 2BR from \$829  
Great Location\*SW 34 St  
CALL TODAY! 376-0828

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HUGE 1BR ONLY \$499  
Single-story Villa in NW  
Private patio\*Full kitchen  
Alarm avail\*Pool\*Laundry  
Lease Now/Aug 372-3826

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**ONLY 1 MILE to UF!**  
Across from NEW Starbucks!  
HUGE apts\*Pool\*Laundry  
2br \$699 \* 3br \$869  
Open Afternoons\*378-1755

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**DUCKPOND AREA STUDIO**  
Avail May 1st. Rent \$375/mo incl elec. \$450  
sec dep. No pets. Please call 371-3473 4-  
10-15-2

Desired 4BR, 5BR, 6BR Houses Available  
Great Sizes & Location.  
Family Discounts Available!  
Call 352-682-7424 3-27-5-2

**2 For Rent unfurnished**

CHEAP RENT!  
FREE for March!  
1BR/1BA Apt. \$479/mo. No Security or Last!  
Renewable Lease in Aug. Laundry/Pool and  
Close to Campus 352-505-0497 3-27-5-2

\*\*\*\*\*10 BLOCKS TO UF\*\*\*\*\*  
Private 2-story garage apt. Fenced yard.  
Pets ok. Large 1BR/1BA. W/D, porch. \$650/  
mo. Avail Aug 1st. 226 SW 4th Ave. 376-  
2184 3-27-5-2

**LUXURIOUS VICTORIA STATION CONDO.**  
2BR/2.5BA. Avail for year lease. Close to  
campus. 3 bus rts. W/D in unit, internet.  
\$950/mo. Call 954-242-4633 or email  
kvabraham@aol.com 3-26-5-2

**ONLY 3 HOUSES LEFT!**  
**ACROSS FROM UF!!!!**  
3 and 4 bedroom avail  
Wood floors, HUGE floor plan  
Pets welcome! 371-0769

4-25-25-2

Walk to downtown/UF!  
2/1 vintage charmer  
Huge back porch,  
appreciating area. \$105,000  
Gore-Rabell Real Estate, Inc.  
378-1387/352-DREAM IT!  
4-25-25-2

**2 For Rent unfurnished**

**MOVE IN TODAY!**  
Charming 1/1 and 2/1 apartment homes!  
Ready for you to move in now!  
Minutes from UF and Shands!  
Water included! Pets welcome!  
**Special low rates starting at \$499!**  
Special ends March 31st!  
Limited availability - call now!  
352-376-1248

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**FOR SALE OR FOR RENT**  
3BR/2BA w/pool on 1 acre. Nice SW neigh-  
borhood. 12 min to Shands & UF. Recently  
remodeled. \$249,000 or \$1500/mo. Call 772-  
201-9933 4-5-10-2

**\*\* Near UF \*\***  
\* 4BR/2BA \* Newly Renovated Kitchen \*  
\* 10' x 10' Laundry Room \*  
\* 2 car Carport \* Pets under 20 Lbs \*  
610 NW 34 Terr. MANNY 352-317-4408  
3-29-5-2

**3 Subleases**

**LARGE 1BR THE POLOS** Apr 1 - Jul 31. I  
will pay \$300 fee. Pets ok. Rent \$550/mo.  
Bus routes 9 & 35. Screened patio. Fitness  
center, pool, computer lab, tanning salon &  
more. Call Jason 941-585-1079 4-25-47-3

**3 Subleases**

**WALK TO CLASS IN MINUTES!**  
1BR avail in 4BR/2BA house across from the  
law library. Rent \$365 plus 1/4 utilities. Email  
jbrar7@yahoo.com or call 407-461-0355 3-  
28-25-3

**MAY-AUG, TIVOLI**  
4BR/4BA, \$360/each + utilities, nego-  
tiable. Great bus, no towing, quiet, spacious,  
washer/dryer & balcony. chinooke@ufl.edu,  
407-701-7352 4-2-20-3

Now til Aug or longer! Fully furnished, w/d  
in apt, cable, water, electric, internet all in-  
cluded! gym, biggest pool in g-ville (campus  
Dodge), computer lab, free tanning, tennis &  
b-ball courts. Great roomies. female only. call  
352-283-9999 Christine 3-30-16-3

Quiet 1BR on SW 20th - Low rent. On the  
busline, easy walk/bike to UF Sublease any-  
time May-Jul Apt includes security system.  
Call Christopher 859-630-9353 3-26-11-3

Sublease at Gainesville Place Apts  
2800 SW 35th Place  
Early May - August 7 \$509/mo  
Pool, Tennis, Weights and More  
727-439-7094 3-27-10-3

**CABANA BEACH APTS**

1BR/1BA in a 4BR/4BA. Furn. poolside, util  
incl. Move in ASAP. \$500/neg. No move in  
fee. Call 727-364-6981 4-11-21-3

Summer Sublease  
Greenwich Green Lux Apts. 1BR/1BA in  
3BR/3BA Townhouse, ALL 3 AVAILABLE.  
W/D, water, cable, Pool, Gym, hot tub, incl  
\$360/mo each negotiable. 352-216-2261  
3-27-10-3

Move in NOW - MARCH FREE  
1BR/1BA @ Pine Rush Villas - 20th Ave.  
No deposit, No fees.  
Rent \$529 U pay \$499 until August + Utils  
Erika 352-226-1332 3-27-10-3

Sublease 1BR/1BA unfurnished apt @  
SUNRISE Apts. Available now thru July 31st.  
\$400/mo. On 2 bus routes 9 and 35. Call  
Shirl @ 347-385-1793 3-29-10-3

**ACROSS FROM STADIUM!**  
2 BLOCKS FROM BARS! 118 NW 2nd Ave.  
Avail May 1 - Jul 31 w/ possible lease renew-  
al. 1/1 duplex, 425 sq ft. No neighbors. \$480/  
MO. Utils incl. 321-438-5435 3-30-10-3

**COBBLESTONE SUMMER LEASE:**  
Deluxe 2BR/2BA- pool & gym, W/D unit,  
cable incl, - on bus route to UF \$750/MO  
+utils. avail. May 1-July 30 (or longer)-furn.  
available. Call 352-870-1150 3-23-5-3

May FREE!!! 1BR/1BA in 2BR/2BA  
4 blocks from UF \$350/MO + utils.  
Washer/Dryer 10 ft. ceilings.  
Brick building private bath.  
Avail May-July 352-256-1999 3-23-5-3

\$300/mo Avail May thru July @ Countryside  
1BR/1BA in 4BR/4BA. utils incl.  
Washer / dryer in unit & fully furnished.  
Call 904-705-1689 3-23-5-3

**APRIL 1 - AUGUST 1 2007** Bivens Cove  
Apartments-Near UF \$900/ \$300 per person  
3BR/2BA Amenities/pool, basketball court/  
laundry rooms (2) and optional W/D appli-  
ances Call 352-505-5414 3-23-5-3

Summer sublease May - Aug. Melrose Apts.  
1BR/1BA in a 4/4. \$399/mo. Everything  
included. Furnished. Contact 561-801-5353  
3-30-9-3

Sublease Available now thru July 31. 1BR  
in a 3BR house. Walk to campus and down-  
town. \$300 month + utilities. Call 239-272-  
2144 3-26-5-3

1 Bedroom/1 Bath for April 1 to August 1  
sublet. \$570/month. On bus routes 12, 1, 36.  
Close to campus. 750 sq. ft. Quiet complex  
with option to renew. Phne 860-377-7713.  
3-26-5-3

**SUMMER SUBLEASE**

1BR/1BA in 3BR/3BA Male only. The  
Estates. \$530/mo all incl. Furnished. Avail  
1st wk in May - Lease to Aug. 386-439-8441  
4-10-15-3

**1BR/1BA Apt**

Sublease w/option to renew. \$499 w/water  
incl. Avail Apr 1st. Near SW 34th & Archer.  
Call 561-400-0936 3-27-5-3

**3 Subleases**

**SUMMER SUBLEASE** University Commons  
only \$310/mo + ? utils Furnished, close to  
campus. Females only. Call Andrea at (321)  
795-8789 or email asmith87@ufl.edu. Exact  
move in/out dates are negotiable. 3-27-5-3

Royal Village Apts.  
1BR in 4BR/2BA. \$475/Mo. 5 min walk to  
campus. Furn, W/D, Internet, Cable-HBO,  
Pool, Gym, All Util incl. Avail April 1 - Aug.  
Call 510-303-9213 thenny5@ufl.edu 4-3-  
10-3

1 or 2 rooms for summer rent in furnished, 2  
bed/2.5 bath townhouse. On busline, close  
to campus. Neighborhood has pool and gym.  
\$450/mo + utilities to rent 1 room, or \$700/  
mo + utils to rent 2. 352-201-0082 3-27-5-3

Room for sublet in Melrose Student Living  
\$439/mo includes pvt BA, all utils, internet,  
& cable. W/D in unit shared by three other  
rooms. 2 swimming pools, fitness rooms &  
much more. Contact Sandy 226-9184 3-  
27-5-3

**ONLY \$425! Available NOW.** 1 room in 4/4  
apt w/huge walkin closet! Fully furnished.  
Utils incl. University Terrace by parking and  
pool 813-817-1524 3-27-5-3

Female roommate wanted for a 1BR/1BA in  
a 4BR/4BA @ \$470/mo. Lexington Crossing.  
Avail April 1st. Contact Briana @ 352-328-  
7304 3-27-5-3

Summer Sublease: Estates: Beautiful, spa-  
cious 4BR/4BA. Fully furnished, close to  
campus. Great condition. Cable/High speed  
Internet incl. Pool, gym, clubhouse. Price/  
Dates Negotiable. Call Lauren 561-866-7746  
4-5-11-3

**CAMPUS LODGE** sublease 2BR/2BA avail-  
able in a 3/3. Fully furnished, W/D, utilities  
included. Avail April - August. Contact 352-  
281-8131 4-11-15-3

**ASPEN RIDGE APTS** 3813 SW 34th St.  
Quiet complex. 1BR apt. 3rd floor  
Pay \$545 for 5/7 - 5/31; \$675 for 6/1 - 6/30  
Can renew my lease. No security/redc fee.  
W/D, tan, gym, pool, alarm 813-484-8484  
3-28-5-3

\*\*\*Large 1BR/1BA in 2BR/2BA only \$325  
avail May-July 31st. Private patio each room,  
spacious, no towing, quiet. 3 bus routes 352-  
262-7166 \*\*\* 3-30-5-3

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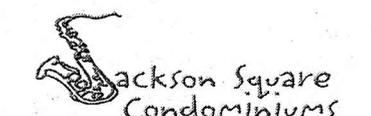
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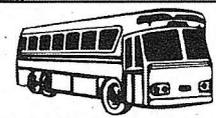
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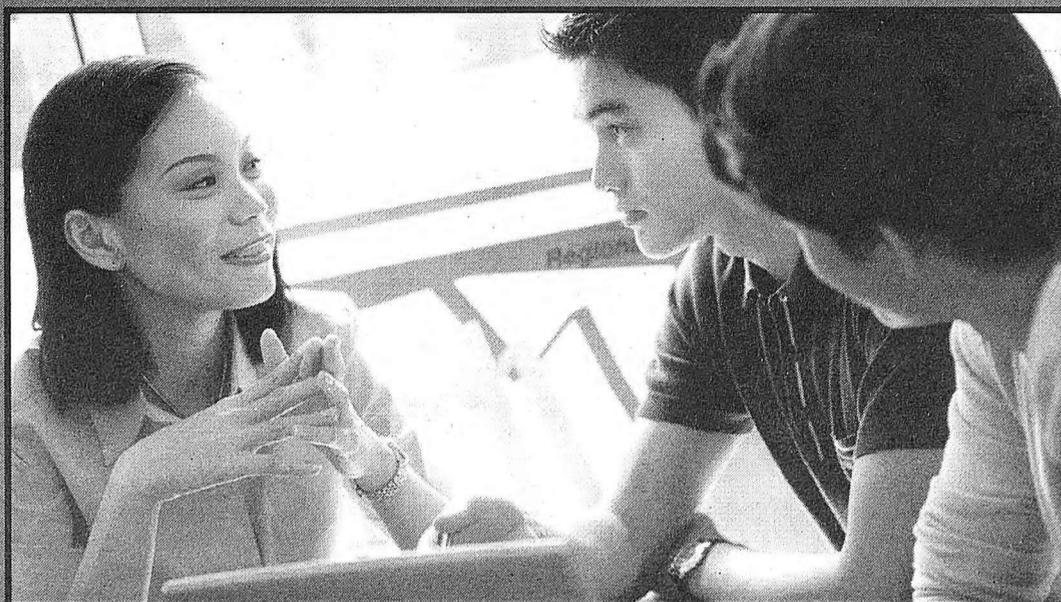
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UF SOFTBALL

# Gators take two from Tigers

By **KARL HYPOLITE**  
Alligator Writer

Princeton may be home to the nation's best and brightest, but it couldn't figure out the UF softball team in Thursday's doubleheader.

The Gators (24-14, 2-6 Southeastern Conference) took the first game 1-0, improving UF's record in one-run games to 6-8. UF embarrassed the Tigers in the second game as right fielder Mary Ratliff's two-run home run in the bottom of the fifth inning gave UF the 9-0 win.

Holding a lead greater than eight runs after the fifth inning stopped play on account of the mercy rule.

"It's good to get one," said Ratliff, who finished the night 2 for 5 with two RBI. "I've been waiting about three years, so it really feels good. I had no idea I was going to hit it out.

"Coach and everybody else have really been razzing me lately because I've hit every part of the wall, but I haven't been able to get it out of the field — they make fun of me and say I have warning

track power."

Pitcher Stacey Stevens got UF off to a hot start in the second game with four strikeouts in the first two innings. She allowed the first two batters to get hits but quickly settled down, retiring the next 15 batters and finished the game with six strikeouts.



Stevens

"I gave up a few hits there," she said. "But the hits they got weren't doubles or anything like that, but they weren't my best pitches. After winning a tough one-run game I can't go out there and give up hits like that. It's just a matter of throwing my best pitches."

Coach Tim Walton was pleased with what he considers to be Stevens' best performance this season and the implications it may have on the rest of the season.

"That's Stacey Stevens at her best," he said. "When she's pitching like that, we're going to be tough to beat, and we'll be playing late into the season."

Center fielder Lacy Howard kept the early momentum going in the bottom of the first when she hit a two-run homer for the 2-0 lead.

It was Howard's team-leading fourth home run of the season and second in as many days.

Howard wasn't done yet. The senior doubled into left field in the bottom of the second, driving in shortstop Lauren Roussell and first baseman Alexandra Gardiner to give the Gators a 7-0 lead.

Pitcher Stacey Nelson won her fourth one-run game of the season. The sophomore allowed just two hits and struck out three in her sixth complete game this year.

The Gators are hoping to ride the momentum of their current four-game winning streak into this weekend's series against No. 19 Georgia at the Florida Softball Stadium at 1 p.m. Saturday.

"Having something like this before Georgia is always big," Ratliff said. "That's such a big rivalry and emotions are going to be running high for Georgia. We're going to come out ready to play and swing the bats."

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### UF BASEBALL

## Barnes finds team role

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A couple of weeks ago, Pat McMahon had a problem.

The UF baseball coach was struggling to get consistent hitting from his lineup outside of the top three hitters.

He started sophomore Avery Barnes for a few games to see what the local High Springs native could offer.

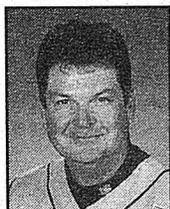
Flash forward to this week, and McMahon is all smiles.

“He’s done a really good job in the field,” he said. “Avery’s been a clutch performer for us too. His on-base percentage has been a critical component (of the offense).”

The coach has a point.

Barnes is batting .288 with a .333 on-base percentage. He has also scored 18 runs — third most on the team, despite only becoming an everyday starter against Kent State on Feb. 23.

“The goal of any player here is to try and get out on the field and to help the team,” Barnes said. “I’m doing good, but there’s still a lot of room for me to improve. I just need to keep working hard.”



McMahon

He has also moved from center field to second base, where he has helped alleviate the teams fielding woes.

But Barnes is still concerned about the team’s recent struggles.

“I don’t think we are where we need to be yet,” he said. “But we’re heading in the right direction, and I think we’ll be alright in the long run.”

In the short term though, things have not been good. The team has dropped seven of its last nine games and is a pal-

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## UF hopes for rejuvenation

By **PHIL KEGLER**  
Alligator Writer

The UF women’s tennis team has a new storyline as it plays this weekend. For the first time this season, the No. 2 Gators (11-1, 2-1 Southeastern Conference) are rebounding from a loss.

UF heads on the road again this weekend, facing Arkansas (7-6, 0-4 SEC) at 3 this afternoon and LSU (8-5, 1-3 SEC) at 1 p.m. Sunday.

The Gators defeated both teams 7-0 last season at home.

UF has had a long time to stew over its last match, a tough 4-3 defeat at the hands of now-No. 1 Georgia on March 11.

“The loss to Georgia was a very well played match, from both parts,” UF coach Roland Thornqvist said. “Fitness played a part, particularly at (courts) one, two and three.”

Prior to the Georgia match, UF had won three matches 4-3.

“Sometimes you come off a loss like this and you learn a lot,” Thornqvist said.

“We’ve had these 4-3 close wins before and you’re so happy to win that you don’t maybe pay attention to the little things as much as you do when it really hurts when you lose one of these 4-3 matches.”

UF worked on fitness during spring break before taking the last three days off to recoup.

While able to practice, injuries had kept the Gators from working on their fitness as much as Thornqvist would have liked. No. 39 Diana Srebrovic and No. 56 Csilla Borsanyi have both been bothered by foot



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■ The UF track teams are headed for the Jim Click Shoot-Out this weekend. The women’s golf team is also in action as the Gators look to build on momentum from their first place finish in the Gator invitational. Read full coverage online.

## Gators face daunting road ahead with top-10 opponents

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try 1-4 on the road this year. UF (11-13, 1-2 Southeastern Conference) is looking to

change that this weekend, when it heads north to face Auburn for only its second road series this season.

The Tigers (18-6, 0-3 SEC) just dropped out of Baseball

America's top 25 after being swept by Georgia last weekend.

But UF still needs more consistency if it expects to have success against Auburn:

That doesn't faze McMahon, who is excited for the weekend set.

"We have great respect for that ballclub," he said. "It's going to be a great challenge for us."

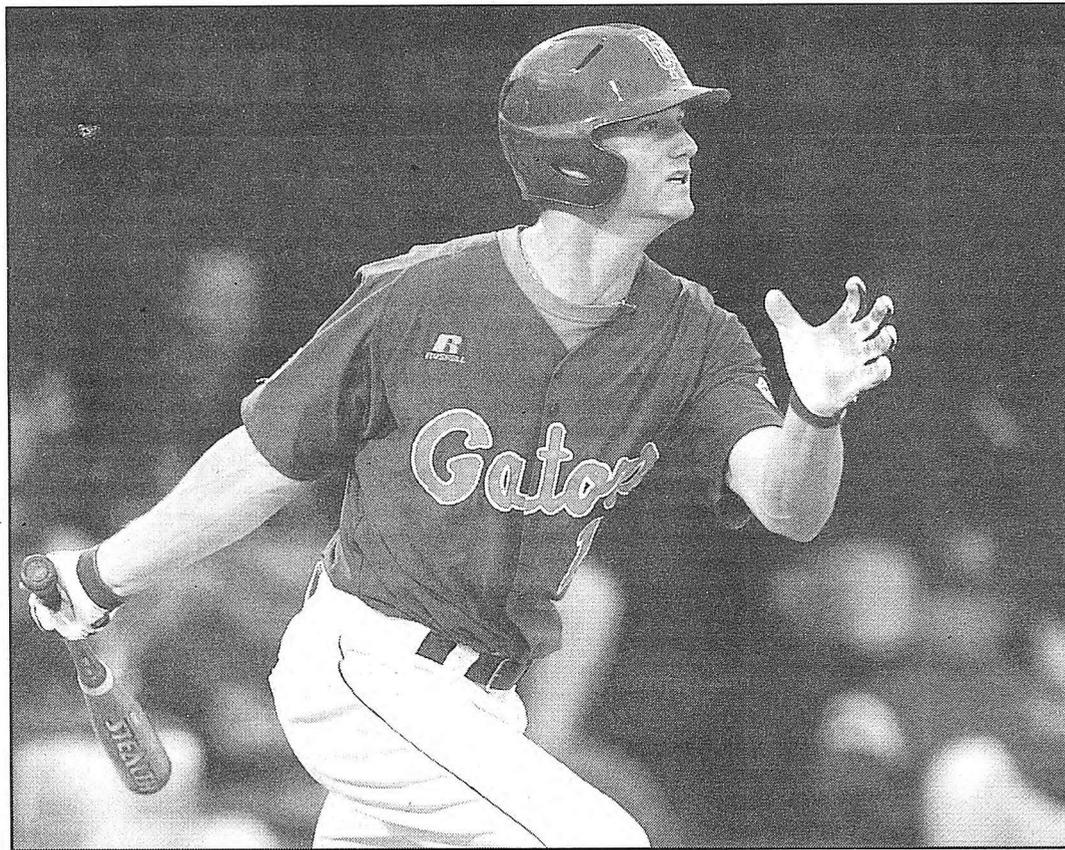
The schedule will not let up after Auburn, either. Next weekend, the Gators travel to Georgia for a series. The weekend after that, UF hosts No. 2 South Carolina. Additionally, there will be a midweek game against No. 3 Florida State sandwiched between the two.

This weekend's series provides a chance to rebound from UF's three-game losing streak. The Gators dropped two of three to Mississippi State despite scoring 32 runs. The pitching — which had been a strong point — faltered late in both losses.

Then, two days later at Stetson, it was the offense faltering and the pitching that showed up in what ended as a 4-3 Gators loss.

For McMahon, it's just about improving the small details of every game.

"In many games, it's the little things you do that determine the outcome," he said. "We are moving in the right direction to become a good team. We just have to do those little things."



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Sophomore Avery Barnes swings during the third inning of the Gators' 24-4 home win in the second game of a doubleheader against George Washington on March 3.

## Fatigue impacts loss to Bulldogs

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injures.

"We couldn't really run," Thornqvist said. "We could practice and hit balls. We could keep our forms and backhands and serves and volleys going."

He felt the lack of stamina was part of the reason for the loss to the Bulldogs.

"In a three-set match like Diana had against Natalie Frazier, I could tell even though we won the first set there, in the second set I could tell fatigue started setting in," Thornqvist said. "In the third set, it was over in 20 minutes, largely because we just had a hard time moving."

Srebrovic has an opportunity to bounce back as she will likely face No. 2 Megan Falcon from the Tigers and No. 25 Ela Kaluder from the Razorbacks.

Borsanyi also hopes to regain the form that allowed her to start the season with five straight singles wins.

"Csilla relies on her fitness through the style she plays," Thornqvist said. "(Fitness) not only helps your game, it helps your confidence. Fatigue makes a coward of us all."

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## SPECIAL TACTICS

### Donovan inspires with diverse cast of speakers

By JENNA MARINA  
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It's been seven years since Memphis Grizzlies forward Mike Miller suited up in his No. 13 Gators jersey under Billy Donovan's guidance, but not much about the UF coach has changed.

Perhaps the reason for the Gators' unprecedented success during Donovan's 11-year tenure is the way he motivates his team.

"That's what makes him the best coach in college basketball," Miller said.

It's Donovan's constant brainstorming that has led him to use homemade gimmicks to inspire his players.

It's his brainstorming that made him dress up as a cop before UF's game at Auburn to demonstrate the Gators' play to break up opponents' parties on the road.

It's his brainstorming that has led him to bring in famous names like three-time Super

Bowl championship coach Bill Belichick to speak to the team.

"People talk a lot about the word motivation, and I think that sometimes when people think about the word motivation, they think it's a rah-rah speech everyday," Donovan said. "There are different ways of motivating different people."

In Miller's sophomore year, his last at UF before turning pro, Donovan required the players to wear white sweatbands around their wrists or ankles during the NCAA Tournament.

Donovan had the players write the name of a loved one on each of their bands to remind them that they were playing for a cause, for someone other than themselves.

Miller wrote "family." Udonis Haslem wrote "Big Bro" for Sam Wooten, his half brother who had passed away after a battle with cancer.

The Gators made it all the way to the national championship game that year.

During the past four years, Donovan has made sure there's never been a shortage of motivation, and he's used inspirational figures as a way to create the desired effect.

During this season's juniors' careers, the speaker they said they were most drawn toward was Belichick.

"I don't know too much about the NFL," forward Joakim Noah said. "I mean, I didn't even know the rules 'til I got here. I didn't really know him that well before he came to speak to us, but I started following a little

once he came to speak to us because I really respected what he had to say."

The New England Patriots coach spoke to the team last season after the Gators won the Southeastern Conference Tournament and delivered a very different message from the praise the team had been receiving.

"He told us that if we play to that level, we're going to go home," Noah said. "(He said) you have to elevate your game. Elevate your team play. Elevate your sacrifice. I thought that was interesting that, even though we won a championship and everyone is congratulating us, he's really keeping it real with us.

"I just think that's cool that a guy like that shows his support and comes in to talk to college guys."

Belichick returned before the 2007 SEC Tournament, this time with another message and a different medium to explain it.

The coach played a video of the 1973 horse race in which Secretariat, who became the first Triple Crown winner in a quarter of a century, ran away with the competition.

Although the race occurred before any of the players were born, the story still resonated with the team.

"The only reason why I knew about Secretariat was because I used to watch all the SportsCenturies on ESPN Classic," guard Lee Humphrey said. "I thought that was one of the coolest stories — just how dominant he was."

Since that day, the Gators adopted a philosophy that has become the focal point for the rest of the season.

"He was just saying just never look back," Noah said. "That's going to be our motto: Just never looking back. Just looking forward. Being the best you can be."

While the team enjoyed everyone who came to speak to them, some of the players connected strongly with certain figures.

For senior Chris Richard, it was former Detroit Pistons guard Isiah Thomas — the Pistons all-time leader in points, assists, steals and games played — who visited the team in 2003.

"He was basically telling us the same things that coach told us," Richard said. "Just go out every night, play it like it's your last and try to stay focused and stay humble."

For forward Al Horford, it was 2006 World Series Champion St. Louis Cardinals manager Tony La Russa. Horford's a Cardinals fan and admires his fellow Dominican, first baseman Albert Pujols.

The players said they've never been star struck when someone enters the locker room, but the closest they've ever been was in October 2006 when former Los Angeles Lakers guard Jerry West walked through the door.

"We were surprised," Taurean Green said. "It's an honor when you have the guy who's the NBA logo come and talk to you."

West — the man responsible for swishing a 60-foot buzzer beater that tied Game 3 of the 1970 NBA Finals against the New York Knicks — spoke about winning and the mindset players need before games.

"It was weird — he's the greatest shooter ever, Mr. Clutch," junior Corey Brewer said.

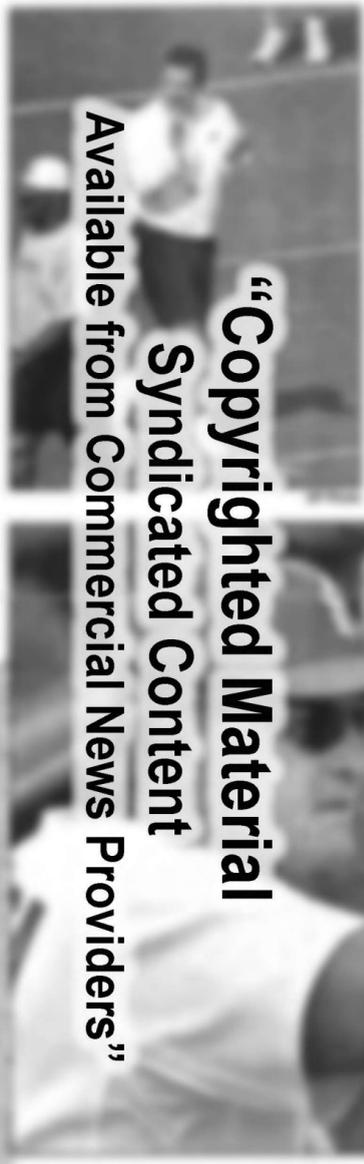
Donovan has also brought in speakers who weren't athletes, and they have been just as effective, if not more so.

In 2004, when Donovan felt the Gators were tired and weren't pushing themselves, he brought in a Navy SEAL to speak about Hell Week so the players would put their exhaustion in perspective.

"I respected him more than any of the other people (Donovan) brought in, because he's been through a lot of things," Richard



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## Gators heavy favorite in Sweet 16

By JENNA MARINA  
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Surviving the first two rounds of the NCAA Tournament is not a huge accomplishment for the defending national champions, but the Gators couldn't be more pleased.

"I'm happy to say we're going to St. Louis — going to the Sweet 16," forward Joakim Noah said emphatically.

When top-seeded UF (31-5) takes on fifth-seeded Butler (29-6) tonight, it will be the sixth time in school history that it has played in the Sweet 16.

Out of those six times, four have occurred in the previous nine years.

The Bulldogs are coming off a second-round win against Maryland, but it's going to take more than sheer will to upset the Gators. UF is the 10.5-point favorite against Butler, the highest mark of any matchup in the Sweet 16.

UF's postseason opponents have all fallen short, but they have relayed insight on how to best the defending champions.

Purdue guard David Teague said the key to defeating UF was stopping one player in particular — and it wasn't a passionate Joakim Noah or his muscle-ripped counterpart Al Horford.

"Just pressuring the ball, pressuring (point guard) Taurean Green, try to wear him down," Teague said. "He's the head of the monster. He makes that team go."

With all eyes on Green, UF has a chance to showcase its other talents.

"A lot of people put pressure on

Taurean, try to take away the 3-point line, try to take away the post, but it's pretty tough to take away all of that at one time in one game. They have to pick which one they want to take, and then everybody else has to step up," Chris Richard said.

While all the Gators do their part to contribute, junior Al Horford is the standout.

The forward said UF coach Billy Donovan and the assistant coaches have been working with him on his hook and jump shots. He said Donovan now has confidence in the junior's shot and feels comfortable letting Horford have free reign.

"Now it's kind of smooth when I shoot it," Horford said. "The mechanics (are different). I used to release it a lot slower, and if you want to play at this level, you have to release the ball quicker. In high school I could take my time. Now I can shoot it right away and that's the biggest difference."

Out of his 17 points on Sunday against the Boilermakers, Horford scored 12 off jumpers, sinking 6 of 8.

The Gators will take advantage of Horford's presence inside against the Bulldogs since he is 2 to 3 inches taller than Butler's post players.

"When we threw it inside (against Purdue) I knew they were a little too small; he was too physical," small forward Corey Brewer said. "You can't stop his jump hook. When you're 6-6, 6-7, you can't stop the jump hook."

Even if Horford is on his game tonight, the Gators could have a hard time

maintaining control if the game comes down to turnovers.

Butler leads the nation in fewest turnovers with 9.5 per game compared to UF's 14.

"They're getting a lot of good angles — good passing angles, they get their hands on a lot of basketballs, and they're very disruptive in a lot of ways," Donovan said. "They hold onto the basketball, and they do a great job of keeping possession of the ball."



**Who:** Butler vs. UF  
**Tipoff:** 7:10 p.m.

**Where:** Edward Jones Dome, St. Louis

**Series:** UF won 69-68 in the only previous meeting.

**Notes:** The Gators are 18-1 in the postseason the past three seasons... Lee Humphrey is three 3-pointers shy of the school record 274 (Brett Nelson)...UF has shot 55.7 percent from the field and 74.1 percent from the free-throw line thus far in the NCAA Tournament.

## UF saddled with weight of success

As UF treks to the Midwest for the second consecutive season, it has the weight of history and heavy expectations on its shoulders. The Gators are competing against that history and tremendous hype that has enveloped the program during the past year.

The one fundamental question that has to be answered by fans is this: If the Gators lose this weekend and don't make it back to the Final Four, would they consider this season a success?

Never have expectations for one team changed so radically from one season to another.

This time last year, fans were thrilled that UF had finally gotten out of the first weekend of the NCAA Tournament.

The rest was gravy. The national championship was beyond a dream.

Now, winning this weekend is not only expected, it's almost considered a birthright.

There's no way a team with three possible lottery picks and all this experience could fail to at least get back to the Final Four, right?

Consider, however, the plight of the 1998 Arizona squad that returned all five of its starters, including future NBA All-Star Mike Bibby, and still fell a game short of the Final Four, losing to Utah.

Even if a team makes it to the Final Four, repeat success is not assured.

See a 1995 Arkansas team, who returned five starters from its national title team, including future first-round draft pick Corliss Williamson, yet still lost in the national title game to UCLA, which won its first title since John Wooden's exit.

It is remarkable that a season in which the team saw five players crack the 1,000-point career mark,



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won the second Southeastern Conference regular season title in school history, won a third consecutive conference tournament title, won the SEC Sixth Man of the Year Award and managed a Sweet 16 appearance could be considered anything but successful.

Yet, if UF doesn't win this weekend, the year will feel incomplete and hollow, because there was greater success to be had that ultimately wasn't achieved.

Before you say that it is a media-created expectation, think if you, deep down, would feel that this team, with these players, really reached its potential if it fell in a critical spot to a team that it is clearly superior to.

Point is, the Gators draw is wide open. Butler is a nice story, but it lacks the interior presence necessary to contain the three-headed Al Horford-Chris Richard-Joakim Noah monster.

If they get past that, and they should, the Gators also have clear advantages against both Oregon and UNLV, one of which they'd face in the next round.

Essentially, the Gators have no excuse not to prepare for a trip up Interstate-75 to Atlanta one week from now, but how will you feel if they aren't headed that way?

Will you feel angry? Disappointed? Content? Fate, however, is still in the Gators' hands. They can curtail this debate by going out and taking care of business this weekend.

UF is the best team. Now it's time to prove it.

# Underdog Bulldogs on the rise

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If Butler needs any reminder of how oddsmakers measure it up against mighty UF, it can look at its home stadium.

The Bulldogs, the regular-season champions of the Horizon League, play in Hinkle Fieldhouse, a site for the classic basketball movie "Hoosiers."

Like the film's Hickory squad, the Bulldogs head into their big game, Friday's Sweet 16 date, as the underdogs.

That's just fine with Coach Todd Lickliter.

"We always see ourselves probably as the underdog," he said.

But that label is fading.

Butler has helped lead the movement of the mid-major in the last few years and earned a No. 5 seed in the NCAA Tournament, its highest ever.

The No. 21 Bulldogs (29-6) won the regular-season Horizon title in addition to the postseason automatic bid.

They won the NIT Season Tip-Off, posting resume victories against Notre Dame, Indiana, Tennessee and Gonzaga in New York's Madison Square Garden.

But the Bulldogs still hold a small-town moniker.

Their top scorer, scrawny 6-foot-1 guard A.J. Graves, said he's seen "Hoosiers" about 100 times.

He hails from Switz City, Ind., a town of about 300.

"We're going to try to make whatever adjustments we need to make without changing the entire system, without going away from our philosophy."

**Todd Lickliter**

Butler men's basketball coach

He was the kid who shot on his asphalt driveway until darkness set in, the youngest of four hoops-crazed brothers.

That work has paid off, as Graves is one of the best shooters in the country.

He averages more threes per game than UF sharpshooter Lee Humphrey.

Graves also ranks second in the nation in free-throw shooting at 95.3 percent.

Graves said he made 169 free throws in a row during a high school practice.

He feasted on Horizon foes this

season. But can Graves and Butler's small, jump-shooting lineup have success against UF's powerful and athletic arsenal?

"We're going to try to make whatever adjustments we need to make without changing the entire system, without going away from our philosophy," Lickliter said.

Jackson State used a similar style in the first round, hanging with UF for 20 minutes.

Then the Gators exploded for 71 points in the second half and finished with a 62-19 rebounding advantage, an NCAA Tournament record.

"We have so many weapons," UF forward Chris Richard said. "They have to pick which one they want to take out, and then everybody else has to step up."

Butler knows advancing would take a major effort, but they're hoping for some more Hoosier Hysteria.

The Bulldogs almost did it seven years ago, too. The then-12th seeded Butler team lost to UF 69-68 in the first round.

"It's a daunting task," said Butler assistant coach LaVall Jordan, who played against UF in the 2000 NCAA Tournament. "But our guys are up for it."

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## Shooting Guard



**UF: Lee Humphrey, Sr., 6'2" 192 pounds, 9.9 ppg, 1.4 apg**  
Humphrey is not as automatic behind the 3-point line as he was to start off conference play, but the senior is hitting a very solid 42.9 percent during the postseason. He only needs four more to become UF's career leader in 3-pointers made.



**Butler: Mike Green, Jr., 6'1" 175 pounds, 13.9 ppg, 6.0 rpg**  
Green is new to the Butler program after transferring from Towson and sitting out last season per NCAA rules, but the junior has become a big-time player for the Bulldogs. He recorded a double double in the first round and nearly recorded another with 8 points and eight rebounds against Maryland in the second. Green has been quoted saying he can't wait for a shot at UF, so the guard will undoubtedly bring his A-game.

Advantage: Butler

## Small Forward



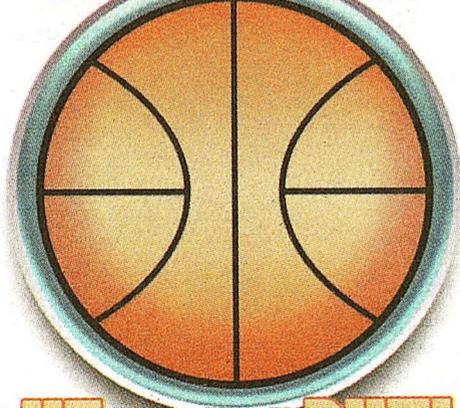
**UF: Corey Brewer, Jr., 6'9" 185 pounds, 13.1 ppg, 4.6 rpg**  
Since the postseason has commenced, Brewer has been lighting it up. In the previous five games, the junior has averaged 16.8 points in addition to grabbing five rebounds per game.



**Butler: Julian Betko, Sr., 6'5" 200 pounds, 4.3 ppg, 2.1 rpg**  
Betko does not post big numbers, but he makes buckets when they count. If he is still nursing an injured shoulder from Butler's game against Old Dominion, Brewer's quickness and tenacious defense could be a problem for the senior.

Advantage: UF

## Breakdown



No. 1 UF vs. No. 5 BUTLER

## Point Guard



**UF: Taurean Green, Jr. 6'0" 177 pounds, 13.0 ppg, 3.7 apg**  
Green has portrayed a level head as the floor general and has pushed the Gators to overcome their first-half deficits. He dished out a career-high 12 assists against Jackson State, but the guard was cold from the 3-point line during both tournament games, sinking 3 of 15 attempts.



**Butler: A.J. Graves, Jr., 6'1" 155 pounds, 17.1 ppg, 2.4 rpg**  
Graves is the bread and butter of Butler's offense. Not only does he sink 95.3 percent of his free throws, but he knows how to take care of the ball — committing 1.6 turnovers per game — and has guided the Bulldogs to lead the nation in fewest turnovers per game.

Advantage: Butler

## Power Forward



**UF: Joakim Noah, Jr., 6'11" 232 pounds, 12.1 ppg, 8.3 rpg**  
Butler wants to stay away from driving the lane if Noah is underneath the basket. The giant has been a shot-blocking machine lately, swatting away 13 in the previous four games. Add in Noah's point production and rebounding, and the junior will be a lot to handle for the Bulldogs' short-stature lineup.



**Butler: Brandon Crone, Sr., 6'6" 225 pounds, 11.4 ppg, 4.7 rpg**  
Crone is as consistent as they come. The senior captain has scored in double digits for the previous 11 games and chips in rebounding, occasionally with a 10-rebound game. But a consistent game is not going to compare to an explosive effort from Noah.

Advantage: UF

## Center



**UF: Al Horford, Jr., 6'10" 245 pounds, 13.3 ppg, 9.3 rpg**  
Ever since earning MVP at the Southeastern Conference Tournament, Horford has been a monster on the floor. The junior just earned his 15th double-double, and Coach Billy Donovan has given him the green light to shoot his increasingly bankable jump shot.



**Butler: Brian Ligon, Sr., 6'7" 240 pounds, 3.5 ppg, 3.2 rebounds**  
As Butler's tallest starter, Ligon will have to fight off miss-match plays with a 3-inch differential. Ligon suffered season-ending knee injuries in his first two years at Butler, so the lack of experience could hurt the senior.

Advantage: UF