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# King's message spread by candlelight

By **MELISSA GRAJALES**  
 Alligator Contributing Writer

UF's weeklong celebration of Martin Luther King Jr. came to a close Tuesday evening with a candlelight vigil.

During a speech at the Reitz Union Amphitheater, UF President Bernie Machen said students have always been at the center of the civil rights movement, and King, a civil rights leader who was assassinated in 1968, lives on through them.

"All of you can be the conscience of Dr. Martin Luther King," Machen told attendees.

"We need your help. We need you to step up and take up the challenge that he put before us all those many years ago."

"We celebrate him more and more every year as we realize what he means to our lives and what he means to our country."

**Bernie Machen**  
 UF president

He said King's words and beliefs are just as important today as they were when he said them.

"We celebrate him more and more every year as we realize what he means to our lives and what he means to our country," Machen said.

About 150 people attended the vigil, which was sponsored by the Campus Ministry Cooperative, the Dean of Students Office, Student Government and the Reitz Union.

After speeches, songs and readings of excerpts written by King, attendees slowly lit candles to represent his memory.



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The Rev. Nancee Martin-Coffey, of the Chapel of the Incarnation, lights a candle held by David Dean of the Presbyterian Disciples of Christ Student Center at a candlelight vigil honoring Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. at the Reitz Union Amphitheater on Tuesday night.

Anthony Crenshaw, director of UF's Institute of Black Culture, told the crowd that the way the candles were lit represents how change takes place. The fire starts with one person, and with time, it spreads to the rest.

"Whether you choose to take this candle with you, please take the light with you," he said.

As the evening came to a close, Crenshaw lit his candle and passed the flame throughout the audience.

Once everyone's candle was lit, the crowd shared a moment of silence to honor King and reflect on Bachmann's challenge.

"What is the flame that you will bring to this world?" Bachmann said.

## UF law student remembered for inspiration, courage

■ **HE HAD DIABETES, LUNG DISEASE AND CANCER.**

By **DEBORAH SWERDLOW**  
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In 26 years, Eric Gold ran a half marathon, raced up 94 flights of stairs for charity, patrolled the waters at a children's diabetes camp, started his own photography business and interned in a U.S. Attorney's Office.

In that same time, Gold battled diabetes, underwent a double lung transplant, coped with a disease that deprived him of almost all of his adrenaline, and fought cancer with rounds of chemotherapy and radiation.

The second-year UF law student died Sunday at Shands at UF from pneumonia related to his cancer and a lung transplant.

"He had so many medical challenges thrown at him, and he never let any one of them stop him until the cancer did," said Randy

Gold, Eric Gold's father.

Gold said his son's medical issues began at age 7 when he was diagnosed with diabetes. Although he was young, he confronted the disease head-on by attending Florida Diabetes Camp at various locations in the state to learn how to manage it. He also volunteered as a counselor, lifeguard, program director and member of the camp's board of directors.

Randy Gold said his son was di-

agnosed with lung disease in 2003 after he learned to live with his diabetes. He received a double lung transplant in July 2004, Gold said. Seven months later, he climbed 94 flights of stairs for a respiratory health fundraiser, and later that year he ran a half marathon.

He was planning on graduating law school in spring 2009 to become a federal prosecutor or medical malpractice attorney, Gold said.

Lyrisa Lidsky, a UF law professor who taught Eric Gold in two

classes, said earning a law degree was one of the most important things to him.

"If he was not in the hospital, he was in class, and if he was in class, he was prepared," Lidsky said.

When she announced in her class Tuesday that Eric Gold had died, she said students told her how his courage inspired them.

"It's just something somebody in their 20s should never have to face, and he faced it with such courage and fought to the end," she said.

### Local News

#### Presidential campaigns make local stops

A Republican presidential hopeful and the spouse of another made stops in Alachua County on Tuesday. Mike Huckabee, the former governor of Arkansas, visited Gainesville for a private fundraiser.

Ann Romney, wife of former Massachusetts governor Mitt Romney, spoke to a group of about 25 people at Conestoga's Restaurant in Alachua, restaurant manager Lori Anderson said. Huckabee's campaign headquarters did not release any details about the fundraising event, which was not open to members of the media.

— JESSICA PONN

■ Three candidates are running for the District 2 City Commission seat. See profiles, pgs. 4 and 5.

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■ UF men's basketball coach Billy Donovan (left) has utilized unusual methods of inspiring his team during his tenure with the Gators, and his latest ploy involved boxing great Muhammad Ali. UF will travel to Columbia tonight to face South Carolina for its fifth conference game. See story, pg. 14.



# News Today

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### Writing on the Wall

Plaza of the Americas, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., today  
Students will be able to paint a brick describing a personal experience of intolerance, which will be used to construct a wall of similar bricks to be torn down on Feb. 1.

### Jewish Student Union Breakfast

Broward Hall, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., today  
The Jewish Student Union will be serving a breakfast of bagels, orange juice, milk and water outside of Broward Hall.

### Contemporary Art Discussion

Harn Museum, 3 p.m., Sunday  
UF professor Celeste Roberge will present a gallery talk of the exhibition "Vision/Revision: Contemporary Art from the Harn Collection."

### Like What You See?

If you have an event you would like to see posted here, please e-mail it to [dculclasure@alligator.org](mailto:dculclasure@alligator.org), and put "What's Happening" in the subject line.

## STUDENT GOVERNMENT

### Senate honors Tim Tebow

UF quarterback Tim Tebow's collection of honors and awards grew with the addition of a Student Senate resolution passed Tuesday night.

The Student Government resolution calls for UF students

## FORECAST

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to thank the 2007 Heisman Trophy winner, the third in university history, for "increasing the prestige" of UF through his football achievements and "commendable character." The resolution alluded to Tebow's involvement with his parents' orphanage and medical clinic in the Philippines, and his record-breaking 2007 season.

Senators also approved funding for several UF organizations, including the University Gospel Choir and Heal the World during Tuesday's meeting.

The Florida Swing Dancing Club received \$2,586 to support the club's annual workshop, called "Leaping through Time," which will be held from Feb. 29 to March 2.

Senators also approved a \$1,152.14 request from the UF Fly Fishing Club, supporting half the cost of gas for a fishing trip to North Carolina, two sets of waders and two fishing rods.

— KATIE SANDERS

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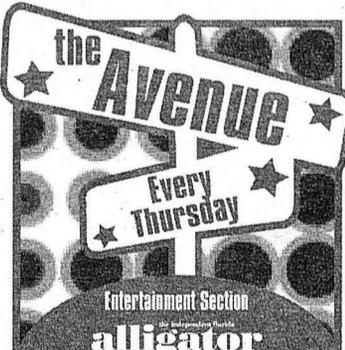
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## Lane closures might slow buses

Occasional lane closures on Southwest 62nd Boulevard could delay traffic, including Regional Transit System bus routes 20 and 21, for the next month.

The buses — which stop at The Oaks Mall, Melrose Apartments, Cabana Beach Apartments and McCarty Hall on UF's campus — could be delayed between about 10 and 15 minutes, RTS spokeswoman Theresa Harrison said.

**Local News** The delays are a result of construction of a new apartment complex just north of Southwest 20th Avenue, said Brandon Daly, the project's assistant superintendent.

Lane closures will occur off-and-on over the next month as turn lanes are installed, he said.

While there were no lane closures Tuesday, Harrison said buses were slightly delayed by bulldozers and equipment along the road, and RTS received several complaints.

Up to 100,000 people ride route 20 each month, and about 30,000 ride route 21, Harrison said.

— KATIE GALLAGHER

## ON CAMPUS

# Walk focuses on sexual assault

By LIA GANOSELLIS

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In recognition of UF's sexual awareness month, about 50 people equipped with red blinking reflectors walked, jogged and sprinted around the UF campus Tuesday night for the fifth annual Take Back the Night Safety Walk.

The event was organized by two groups at UF — the Center for Sexual Assault/Abuse Recovery Education, also known as CARE, and Acting Against Rape: Every Student's Task Force, or AAREST.

Participants could choose between a nearly 2-mile walk or a roughly 3-mile walk.

University Police officer David Miles led the runners on a motorcycle, and ROTC officers were stationed throughout the route to direct the participants.

Members of CARE and AAREST applauded as the run-

ners took off from the Reitz Union Colonnade.

Beth-Anne Blue, CARE coordinator, said the theme for this year's safety walk was "bystander apathy."

"This is about changing our culture that allows sex assault to continue."

**Beth-Anne Blue**  
CARE coordinator

Although Gainesville's sexual assault rate is low in comparison to other cities, Blue said that's most likely because of low reporting rates. About 80 percent of sexual assaults occur between people who know each other, so few victims report abuse.

"This is about changing our culture that allows sex assault to continue," Blue said.

If women and men don't come forward, the statistics will inevita-

bly be skewed, she said.

Blue added that alcohol increases the chances of a sexual assault.

"Wherever there's high-risk drinking, there's high risk for sexual assault," she said.

Jodi Schneider, AAREST chairwoman, said most people underestimate the seriousness of sexual assault.

"I think people hear stories and hear statistics," Schneider said. "Hearing stories — that's not reality."

People can't grasp the reality of sexual assault until it happens to them or someone close to them, she said.

Clayton Hofstra, a UF microbiology senior, said he's participated in the walk for the past four years.

"We can't take back the night," Hofstra said, referring to nights when sexual assault occurs. "We've got to prevent the night."

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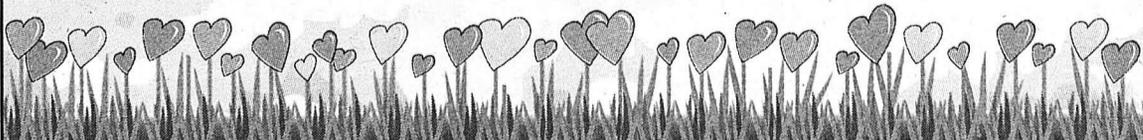
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# Candidate gets personal

By **DREW HARWELL**  
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Public appeal, city knowledge and a love of politics are virtues that boost the chances for local government hopefuls.

For Bryan Harman, a City Commission District 2 candidate, trekking door-to-door around Gainesville doesn't hurt, either.

In this race — Harman's first election and one with no clear front-runner — the 33-year-old has cited his walks as something that separates him from his opponents.

Over the past several weeks, Harman, who worked in real estate and marketing before taking a break to campaign, said he has walked numerous neighborhoods and knocked on several thousand doors in an effort to meet the taxpayers he hopes to serve.

"I've tried to make myself unique," he said. "I've tried very hard to go face-to-face with people."

Harman said his policy of direct conversation with constituents has helped him realize what city residents feel local government could work on.

"If you are a candidate for local office and have not been knocking on doors," he added, "I don't think you're prepared to lead our city."

Specifically, Harman said he hopes to lead the city in attracting more high-paying jobs to Gainesville.

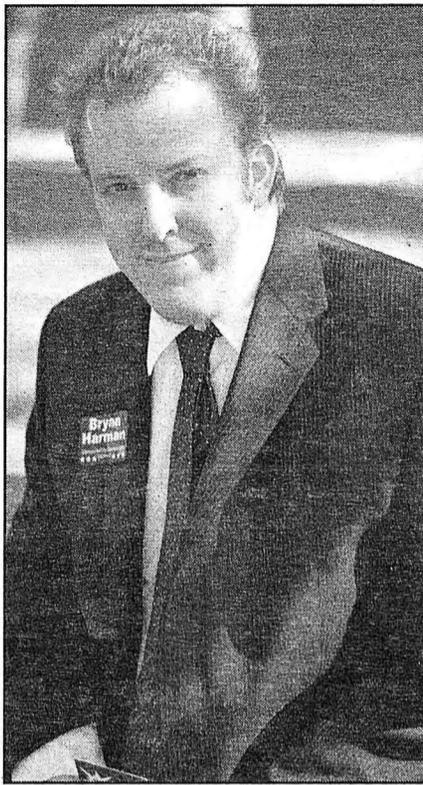
Social programs for the needy, like vocational training and affordable housing, are also important goals he said the city should support. As for where the city could find the extra funding needed to pursue these programs, he mentioned stopping bureaucratic waste by spending less on consulting fees.

The city should also exercise more caution in deciding which companies it

chooses to support financially, he said.

Tax incentives, like those granted from the city to developments like University Corners, should go to companies with a good environmental background and a history of treating employees well.

This selectivity, he said, would invite companies that would give back to the community and not just corporations that would turn the city into the next "Orlando, Jacksonville or Tampa."



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Bryan Harman, a candidate for Gainesville City Commission District 2, poses on the Downtown Community Plaza on Monday afternoon.

# SFCC prof. vies for seat

By **DREW HARWELL**  
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English professors have gone on to write best-selling novels. Biology professors have cured diseases. But can someone who teaches about government actually run one?

City Commission District 2 candidate Lauren Poe thinks so.

Poe, 37, has lived in Gainesville for 25 years and earned UF master's degree in education from UF a decade ago. He now works as a professor at SFCC.

Poe teaches economics and government to about 100 students at SFCC's dual enrollment program, which allows high school students to enroll in college-level classes.

He encourages his students to stay civically involved by attending speeches and following local politics, he said.

Some of his students have become big supporters — at a commission candidate forum last week, several of his students cheered his name as he left the stage.

Poe said one of his biggest goals is to build up downtown Gainesville by inviting emerging businesses, such as biotechnology and clean energy research firms to the area.

Not only would the influx of businesses increase revenue in what he called the city's urban core, it would also bring in more jobs and establish Gainesville as a high-tech research center, he said.

Poe was quick to add, however, that his plan of welcoming business should not be interpreted as giving tax incentives indiscriminately to big corporations, as evidenced by the yet-to-be-built University Corners.

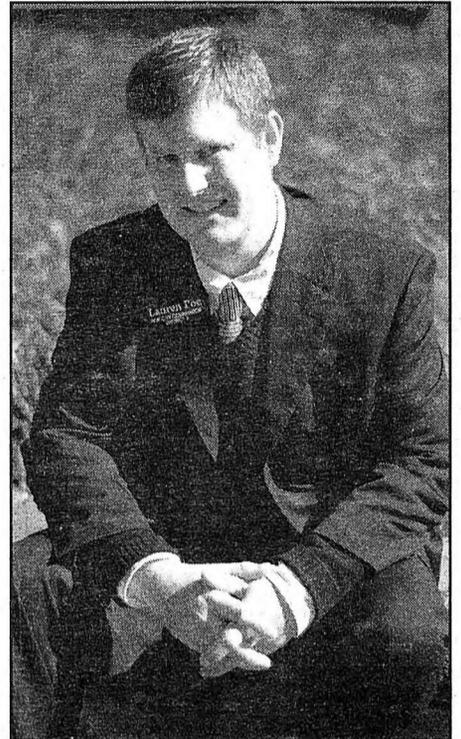
Besides becoming a thorn in the side of local developers and community redevelopment officials, the issue has also polarized some residents who believe the incentive program is nothing more than a

bureaucratic corporate handout.

Poe said he believes the rebates can work only if they are used to encourage companies to develop local infrastructure that the city would have paid for anyway.

Poe also said he has big hopes for improved relations between UF, SFCC and the city. An SFCC bus service with more routes and a closer connection between UF's research labs and technology marketing firms could only help Gainesville's havens of higher education, he said.

"Gainesville could be perfect for it," he said. "We just need to create those right conditions and convince companies that this is the best place to be."



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Lauren Poe, a candidate for Gainesville City Commission District 2, poses on the Downtown Community Plaza on Monday afternoon.

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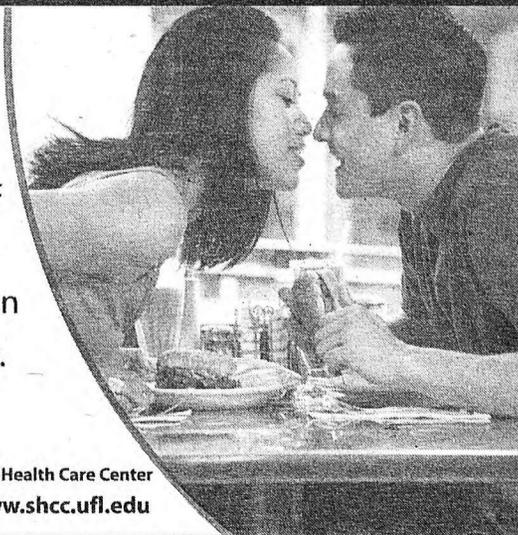
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# Candidate stresses experience

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attention from the commission. Some students, she added, could show more respect for their neighbors, and those same neighbors could do a better job of welcoming students.

Running a city is not much different from running a business. Both have money to spend, programs to organize and most importantly, people to please.

That could be why Bonnie Mott, a business owner and City Commission District 2 candidate, thinks she would be the best person for the commission seat.

Mott, 58, said municipal work like preparing budgets, listening to constituents and organizing priorities is nothing new to her.

She has been the owner of Prudential Preferred Properties, a local real estate company, since 1993, an experience she said qualifies her for a seat on the commission managing thousands of residents.

She also said her 43 years in Gainesville — more than both of her opponents combined — give her a better perspective on the city's future.

"I've been here longer," she said. "I've seen more things that have occurred and even more things that have not occurred."

Like her opponents, Mott emphasized that the city's policy of distributing tax rebates to new corporate construction needed an overhaul. Though she's not completely against the system, which allots city funds to corporations as an incentive to build locally, she said she thinks money should be handed out on a more scrutinized basis.

She said she also disagreed with some early plans to build the GRACE Marketplace, an open facility for homeless people to get meals, counseling, child care and other social resources, in an area far from those who the facility would help.

"I am not in favor of the homeless center being built across town," said Mott, who went on to question the financial sense in busing homeless people. "It just adds another layer of expenses to get them there."

She said Gainesville's mass transit system, which is plagued by too few routes and overly congested buses, could also use work.

Neighborhood tensions between long-term homeowners and student renters, she said, also deserved



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Bonnie Mott, a candidate for Gainesville City Commission District 2, poses on the Downtown Community Plaza on Monday afternoon.

# Crew team back

By **KRISTEN HUFF**  
Alligator Contributing Writer

UF Crew members are ready to get their feet wet after more than a month of dry-land training.

Two of the three motors from the coaches' boats were stolen Nov. 29, severely limiting practice on the water.

The team hopes to finally get new motors purchased with both school funding and its own resources sometime this week.

Adam Kallin, the team's president, said the motors are an essential safety precaution, and they allow the coaches to instruct rowers out on the water.

The Sport Clubs Council, a governing board composed of eight students from different sport clubs, considered the team's request for \$3,100 to buy new motors on Jan. 10, said Eric Ascher, sport clubs coordinator for the UF Department of Recreational Sports.

The ruling was delayed because the council had concluded meetings for the semester when the request was submitted, Ascher said.

Regardless, the team is frustrated with the pace of action. Its first race is Feb. 23, Kallin said.

"We alerted the school about this a month ago," he said. "No action was done until the first week back."

The council members decided to give the team \$1,500 from "special-request funding" to buy one motor. The team will replace the other motor with money it earned through fundraising.

John Kauderman, president of the Sport Clubs Council, said the special-request funding allocation covers emergencies, but larger allocations of money are reserved for situations that completely debilitate a team. He said the council decided money for one motor would be sufficient for practice to continue.

Some team members don't feel that enough has been done.

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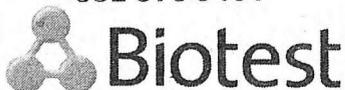
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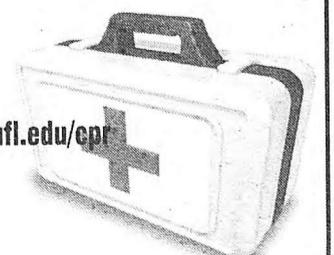
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## Editorial

# Choosing Sides

## Machen's endorsement irresponsible, bad for UF

While it may not have been as glamorous or as influential as Oprah Winfrey's endorsement of Sen. Barack Obama — and certainly didn't receive as much media attention — UF President Bernie Machen's unusual public announcement that he would endorse Sen. John McCain for president this week did raise more than a few questions across campus.

Though Machen adamantly maintains that his endorsement of the Republican senator is completely separate from his duties as university president, we can't imagine why he would want to make such a public gesture unless it was to capitalize on his notoriety as a university leader.

If this election truly is such a personal matter to him, why did he agree to publicly endorse the senator only after a representative from the McCain campaign approached him?

Why didn't Machen just endorse McCain months ago when he first announced his candidacy?

Not only was this public endorsement made shortly before Florida's primaries completely inappropriate for someone in Machen's position. We also aren't accepting the flimsy explanation that this announcement was merely a reflection of Machen's personal opinion.

It was a blatant gesture to influence public opinion as a state leader.

As students and Floridians, we think that public universities are supposed to serve all residents of a state, and a president of such a university should not show even a hint of political partisanship for a few reasons.

First, those who do not share his political views — namely faculty and students — may be angered by what normally would and should be the president's private choice.

Once that issue has been made public, the president needlessly and carelessly politicizes a campus that is supposed to be a safe place for the exchange of ideas. He has essentially chosen a side before the election has even begun, even if he is a registered independent.

Also, the mere appearance of partisanship by someone who represents the university may inadvertently cause damage to the university's reputation.

Who's to say that fellow state leaders within the Republican Party won't completely disagree with Machen's choice for presidential candidate?

This may cause an acrimonious situation that is completely unnecessary. Machen has a responsibility as president not to behave in ways that create risks — especially political — to the university he serves. He should realize that his job may sometimes have to be the top priority.

However, we're not saying that Machen doesn't have the right to vote for whomever he wishes.

While we realize that he did not give up his right to be politically active as an American citizen when he accepted the position as UF's 11<sup>th</sup> president, he did become a representative for UF in the public realm, whether he accepts that fact or not.

So, as much as Machen may try to separate himself from his official title, it is impossible for him to do so until he no longer holds it.

Until then, it's better for the university if he just kept his politics to himself.

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## Column

## Think before voting on Amendment 1

"Taxes are the price we pay for civilization." That's what my macroeconomics professor would always say. As profound as it is obvious, this maxim relates a timeless, commonsense principle. But I must admit, it's a principle that I hadn't really thought about in great detail until hearing it in class.

I would venture to guess that most students don't exert much effort thinking about how matters of taxation affect them, both in the present and future. Indeed, probably the furthest thing from most young peoples' minds is the labyrinthine and convoluted tax policy that lawmakers seem to have such an insatiable affinity for codifying.

It's not just that tax policy tends to be complicated and mind-numbingly boring—this is a sentiment shared by a vast majority of citizens, regardless of age. Rather, tax policy fails to elicit concern from many students because it seems about as relevant to their lives as the Articles of Confederation.

However, regardless of whether students deem tax policy as pertinent to them right now, soon such issues will command great concern as we get our first "real job" and purchase our first house. Therefore, students would be wise to consider tax policy in the present, especially when voting.

Tuesday offers such an occasion. Floridians will not only cast ballots for their preferred presidential candidate, but they will also consider an intrinsically inequitable property tax amendment: Amendment 1.

The proposed amendment would perpetuate rather than reform an already-unfair system that is structured to benefit the wealthy and long-time homeowners at the expense of the middle class and first-time buyers.

Amendment 1 seeks to make the tax rate "portable"—that is, to enable homeowners to take their current tax rate with them when they purchase another house. Proponents of the flawed proposal insist that as soon as residents are no longer "locked in" to their current homes by fears of



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increased property tax rates, they will invest in a new house. The idea is to stimulate the state's economy, especially its struggling housing market.

But the real estate slowdown is not endemic to Florida; it is a nationwide phenomenon largely sparked by the subprime mortgage debacle. As such, it is dubious that Amendment 1 will have any substantial impact on the

state's housing woes.

The tax cut is estimated to drain billions from local government coffers over the next five years. If the amendment passes, local governments will either have to increase taxes or cut services—or both—in order to recoup the lost revenue that the passage will incur. This will most likely mean less funding for first responders, parks and recreation, and infrastructure and development.

Gov. Charlie Crist and the special interests he was elected to confront have put their full weight behind Amendment 1. Adroitly employing Orwellian double-speak, Crist has dubbed his latest cause célèbre the "people's tax cut." Amendment 1 would more aptly be described as the "millionaire's tax cut." Crist's presentation of the proposal has been duplicitous, disingenuous and deceitful.

Crist's crusade to undermine Florida's local governments and further denigrate the state's abysmally funded public school system betrays the ideals upon which his gubernatorial campaign was built. Amendment 1's adoption would be a disastrous blow to Florida's future—that's us.

Think about that when you vote on Tuesday.

Joshua Fredrickson is a political science senior. His column appears on Wednesdays.

The views expressed here are not necessarily those of the Alligator.

## Reader response

**Today's question:** How will you vote on Amendment 1?

**Tuesday's question:** Should UF-President Machen have publicly endorsed John McCain?

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Letters to the Editor

**Gainesville community responded to need**

On behalf of Bread of the Mighty Food Bank and the people of our community, I thank you for supporting the food bank by publicizing the need for emergency food supplies during the holiday season.

As we entered the holidays, the shelves of the food bank were nearly empty. A public appeal requesting help resulted in an outpouring from the Gainesville and University of Florida communities.

We had a vision to distribute 300 food boxes at Thanksgiving and 250 food boxes for the Christmas holiday. Through the community's generosity, we were able to distribute 390 food boxes at Thanksgiving and another 299 boxes in the week preceding Christmas.

To give you an idea of the response from the university community alone, a total of at least 30 food drives were conducted resulting in over 11,000 pounds of food and \$1,200 in donations. Again, thanks to you, the Alligator, and to the University of Florida community for your response to the need.

Anne Voyles  
Director, Bread of the Mighty Food Bank



**College is not limited to career seekers**

Tuesday's letter from Kaitlyn Hastings regarding Carly Hallam's Friday column was

unnerving. How could someone imply that higher education is solely for those that will pursue their careers?

My father graduated as an engineer and now intentionally works retail. Was his intellectual acquisition a waste, too, or does that only apply to housewives?

Everyone has the right to expand his or her mind, and the most accessible way to do so is through college. Being a housewife is commendable and being one who has taken the time to explore other avenues in life should be highly praised.

To say that a woman should have to choose between both of those extremes is more discriminatory toward women than Hallam's plan. Why should acceptance into a university be measured and limited by the different ambitions of students for when they leave academia? College is for everyone.

Pamela D'Andrea  
3LS

**Reader missed column's life lesson**

I was disappointed in Ms. Hastings' response to Carly Hallam's Friday column, as it is evident that she attacked Ms. Hallam as a result of her own misunderstanding.

Ms. Hastings clearly missed the column's central theme: coming to realize the important things life has to offer. Ms. Hallam's statement that what she decides to do once she gradu-

ates will not be her "reason for living," is not to discount the importance of her education or career, but to assert that she now realizes that her eulogy shouldn't simply read, "She was a great employee." Ms. Hallam's column expresses her view that there is more to life than a job, and that as we mature, this concept simply becomes clearer.

It is unfortunate that Ms. Hastings criticized the column without recognizing the life lesson.

Shanna Groom  
4BA



**Machen's endorsement puts UF at risk**

I suspect Mr. Machen does not possess a very strong respect for the intellect of the UF student body or faculty.

This endorsement of Mr. McCain is over the line for the president of a public university. He risks the reputation of the university, he risks losing funds for the university, and he risks the politicization of the university.

But Mr. Machen tells us that his endorsement is separate from his position as university president, and therefore, does not put the university community at risk. This is dishonest at best. Who would care enough to solicit his endorsement if he wasn't UF president? If Mr. Machen decides to publicly endorse can-

didates, then I suppose that comes with the job, but please don't lie to me in the process.

Greg Markowski  
political science graduate student



**Congress is to blame for state of country**

Tuesday's editorial cited President Bush as the cause of many ills, when in fact, it is Congress that passed those bills. The president, after all, has little authority. Mostly, he can start and stop wars. In the end, it's the legislature that introduces and passes bills, and they can override the president's veto.

Start looking at what Congress is doing, pandering to every entitlement, to our ever increasing level of ease — the "what's in it for me" syndrome. Will somebody please reintroduce the line-item veto and get rid of those greedy earmarks?

How can you pay for an education without government assistance? A job, a scholarship, a savings account — work and more work, not grant and more grant. The more government intervention in our affairs, the more liberty we lose.

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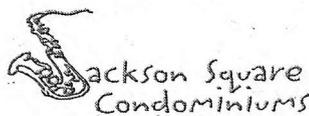
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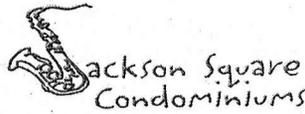
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## Donovan provides motivation with boxing footage

### THE GATORS TRAVEL TO SOUTH CAROLINA TONIGHT.

By **DANNY KLEIN**  
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In a heavyweight bout, the Gators know they don't stand a chance.

That's why, inspired by one of boxing's greats, UF is looking to perform its own version of a rope-adope on opponents.

Before last week's game against Mississippi, UF coach Billy Donovan showed his players highlights of the famed 1974 "Rumble in the Jungle," which pitted the smaller, quicker Muhammad Ali against George Foreman.

Ali spent the opening few rounds leaning on the ropes and letting the stronger, more physical Foreman pummel him. Foreman soon tired and Ali sprung, eventually knocking Foreman out in the eighth round.

This strategy of outlasting one's opponent has been vital to the Gators' (16-3, 3-1 Southeastern Conference) success this season. UF will look to dig deep again Wednesday, when the Gators head to Columbia to take on South

Carolina (9-8, 1-2 SEC).

"That's what we do — we're a conditioned team," forward Chandler Parsons said. "He (Donovan) kind of made that the theme. That we need to be the better-conditioned team, and as long as we keep running, keep pressing, keep trapping, keep executing, keep screening and stuff like that, we're going to tire them out throughout the game."

Although Parsons insists the Gators don't need any motivation, he looks forward to the plethora of guests and antics Donovan has been known for during his tenure at UF.

Past speakers include the WWE's Ric Flair, New Jersey Nets coach Lawrence Frank and New England Patriots coach Bill Belichick. Last season, before a game against Auburn, Donovan dressed up as a cop to show his team that he planned to break up any party the opposing fans were planning on throwing if they beat UF.

"He does anything to motivate us," Parsons said. "We don't really need it, but it's just awesome having it."

Donovan's inspirational tactics

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UF coach Billy Donovan (left) huddles with his players during overtime of the Gators' 81-70 victory against Kentucky at the O'Connell Center on Saturday.

## Calathes at top of freshman class

Nick "Yes sir, no sir" Calathes has said all the right things since he arrived in Gainesville.

Now he's starting to do the right things on the court, too.

It was never more apparent than on Saturday night, when Calathes redeemed himself in UF's primetime, overtime win against Kentucky.

"This is what basketball players dream for," said Calathes, who scored 13 points in overtime, four more than Kentucky did. "We know we can finish it out at the end of games."

In this "Year of the Freshman," Calathes' dramatic performance ought to put him smack dab in the middle of the elite group, perhaps a notch higher than the Wildcats' Patrick Patterson.

Buy now, because his stock is going to keep rising after his performance against Kentucky.

It's not just the 13 overtime points that he scored that's impressive, even though it is. But how about the 4 points he didn't



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score?

Calathes missed four straight free throws late in the second half, helping UK stay in the game.

You worry about how that affects the psyche of a freshman.

Former Memphis guard Darius Washington, who hails from Calathes' hometown, Winter Park, infamously missed two of three free throws with no time left to cost the Tigers an NCAA Tournament bid in his freshman year.

He slowly fell onto the court, covering his face with his jersey.

Washington still hasn't gotten back on his feet.

He now plays with Aris TT Bank in Greece with such stars as Dimitrios

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## RECRUITING UF adds highly ranked DE

By **RYAN LEVICK**  
Alligator Writer

The Gators added a premier prospect to their 2008 class Tuesday as Buford (Ga.) High's Omar Hunter verbally committed.

Hunter — rated at five stars and as the nation's No. 2 defensive tackle by Scout.com — decommitted from Notre Dame during the holiday break and then repeatedly said that UF was his new top school.

Buford coach Jess Simpson said Hunter chose the Fighting Irish in July because he was tired of the media and the constant barrage of phone calls.

"He just wanted to get it over with," Simpson said.

After Hunter decommitted from Notre Dame, Georgia began to show interest in the in-state prospect, but Simpson said the Bulldogs didn't have enough scholarship room to fit the big man.

With the acquisition of Hunter, UF gains its first true defensive tackle of the 2008 class, a position filled last season

by a rotation of players ranging from experienced upperclassmen to freshman Mike Pouncey — a converted offensive lineman.

Defensive line play was the root of many of the Gators' defensive problems, as a lack of pressure on opposing quarterbacks stressed an already suspect secondary. Hunter could help cure some of those woes next season, Scout.com recruiting analyst Jamie Newberg said.

"[UF has] got a glaring need for [solid defensive line play]."

**Jamie Newberg**

Scout.com recruiting analyst

"[UF has] got a glaring need for [solid defensive line play]," Newberg said. "And I rarely say this, but he is physically ready to play."

UF will also return two five-star defensive tackles from the 2007 recruiting class next season. John Brown, who did not play after complications with

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### ON TELEVISION

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SUN, 8 p.m.

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ESPN, 9 p.m.

### TODAY IN UF SPORTS HISTORY

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### I DID NOT KNOW THAT

■ According to the Lexington (Ky.) Herald-Leader, the Southeastern Conference might postpone Thursday's men's basketball media teleconference after prank callers disrupted the women's call Tuesday (see story, pg. 16).

# Gators hope to improve stats at free-throw line against struggling USC

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seemed to work against Kentucky, when the Gators outlasted and outworked the Wildcats in an 81-70 overtime victory. Donovan said he's eager to see how his team responds moving forward and fears a post-win hangover may be in store.

"In our league, there's going to be these emotional flows back and

forth," Donovan said. "I'm hoping they can handle what happened on Saturday, because it's only one game."

Donovan also questioned how his young group would handle the national attention and hoopla surrounding the Kentucky game.

"Often times, young people handle adversity better than they handle prosperity," he said. "And generally, young guys have a very

"In our league, there's going to be these emotional flows back and forth."

**Billy Donovan**

UF men's basketball coach

difficult time when they or the team performs well."

UF will take on a South Carolina team recently jolted by news that its

coach, Dave Odom, will step down at the end of the season.

The Gamecocks struggled out of the gate, dropping games to UNC-Asheville and Baylor at home.

UF has defeated South Carolina in 12 of the last 14 meetings, including a 63-49 win at home last season to clinch the team's first outright SEC title since 1989.

If the Gators plan to continue their success, they will have to im-

prove greatly from the free-throw line. UF is shooting just 70.5 percent on the year and hit a mere 28 of 40 attempts against Kentucky.

"It's one of the hardest things to practice," Donovan said. "I've never been a big believer of 'Hey, let's just go in there and take 100 free throws.' Because they go in there and everyone shoots 85, 90 percent, but when the game goes on it's a little different."

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Karadoulamis and Spyridon Panteliadis.

But unlike Washington two years ago, Calathes got another chance and made all 10 of his free throws in overtime.

So much for freshman nerves.

"It's a lot mental," Calathes said. "In overtime, I really just didn't think about it. I just shot the ball, and it helped."

Call it shooting stupid. Don't think; just let your normal routine take over.

Calathes has put a lot of thought into the rest of his game to make his teammates better.

His passing played a big part in Marreese Speights' solid first half against Kentucky, and his ability to drive and dish has helped others cash in, too. Calathes leads all Division I freshmen and

the SEC with 113 assists (5.95 per game), despite sharing point-guard duties with Jai Lucas.

He has it tougher than any of the other teenage phenoms because he has the responsibility of leading a young, unranked team.

UCLA's Kevin Love and Memphis' Derrick Rose have the luxury of playing with experienced stars, while Indiana's Eric Gordon and Kansas State's Michael Beasley are just being told to score, score, score, the same orders their high school coaches handed down to them.

I think Calathes has the total package, and hopefully, the rest of the country is catching on, too.

"Eric Gordon, Michael Beasley, they probably have to score that much because they're the key on their team," Calathes said. "We have five guys that can score. I just look to create for them. When I have my shots, I'll shoot."

## Hunter joins young, talented line

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NCAA eligibility at the beginning of last season, and Torrey Davis, who saw action in 11 games, were both ranked in the top five at the position out of high school.

Newberg believes that the combined presence of Brown, Davis and Hunter gives UF's defensive line the potential to be special.

At 6-foot-2 and 297 pounds, Hunter is already heavier than all but one — Pouncey — of the returning defensive linemen for the Gators, and Simpson believes he possesses great athletic ability along with his size.

"I've never seen a guy that big be able to dunk a basketball so eas-

ily," Simpson said. "He's the most powerful and explosive player I've seen."

Hunter's freakish abilities showed through best during the Kirk Herbstreit Challenge in Canton, Ohio, when he brought an opposing quarterback down nine times and eventually knocked him out of the game.

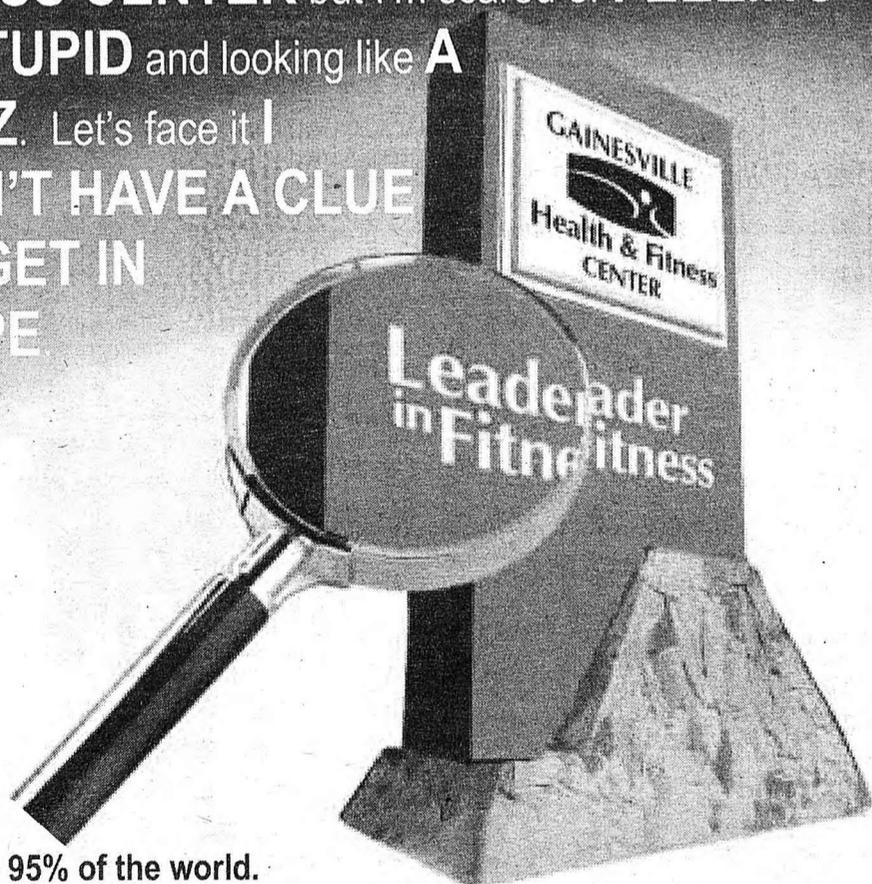
"That was probably the best game I've ever seen him play," Simpson said.

Verbal commitments are non-binding until a letter of intent is signed on or after Feb. 6, National Signing Day.



Davis

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## UF FOOTBALL

## Meyer being investigated for possible recruiting violation

By JENNA MARINA

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The UF compliance office is currently gathering information about a possible secondary recruiting violation involving Gators football coach Urban Meyer and his communication with a junior college transfer and his girlfriend, a Gators gymnast.

According to a Jan. 16 article in the Gainesville Sun, gymnast Maranda Smith said Meyer called her about signing with UF in hopes of luring her boyfriend, Carl Moore, a five-star wide receiver from Sierra (Calif.) College, to Gainesville. Moore signed his letter of intent with the Gators on Dec. 19 and en-

rolled in classes earlier this month. Smith competed for UCLA but transferred to Sierra last year before enrolling at UF.

"I used to talk to him every day back in November when he was recruiting Carl," Smith said in the story. "He kept asking how Carl was doing, and (he) wanted me to come here and do gymnastics."

There are two issues at hand: The first is that coaches are limited to recruiting athletes in the sport they coach; the second is the timeframe in which coaches can contact recruitable athletes more than once per week.

The compliance office has been gathering information about the incident for about a week or two, said Jamie McCloskey, UF's associ-

ate athletics director of compliance and sports administration. Once the office is done with the investigation, it will write a report to give to the Southeastern Conference.

**"We have a duty and obligation to look at everything and anything that's been reported."**

**Jamie McCloskey**  
UF associate athletics director

"We have a duty and obligation to look at everything and anything that's been reported," McCloskey said Tuesday. "We're trying to find out if this occurred, and if it did occur, what does it mean?"

Smith did not respond to an e-mail, but her mother, Patricia, said Tuesday evening that her daughter had never mentioned that Meyer called her. Patricia did say her daughter called Meyer once when Moore went on a recruiting visit and was stuck at an airport.

Patricia also pointed out that the Gators had recruited her daughter when she was a junior in high school in 2005, and her college decision came down to UF and UCLA. She contacted UF coach Rhonda Faehn this past December about joining the Gators.

The Orlando Sentinel reported Tuesday that Meyer met with McCloskey last week and left the office thinking he had committed no recruiting violations.

Meyer is on the road recruiting and could not be reached for comment.

The incident is considered a secondary violation, and McCloskey said UF deals with about 15 to 20 secondary violations on average every year.

It is a relatively minor infraction, and McCloskey did not say what type of penalty Meyer would face if a violation did occur.

"That's like three steps ahead of where we are," McCloskey said. "We're not even close to that point yet."

McCloskey said there is no timetable for a conclusion to be reached, but that the compliance office hopes to have it wrapped up in a week or two.

## Gators host Stetson for opener

■ THE MATCH WAS RESCHEDULED DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER LAST WEEK.

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Take two.

After its first scheduled match of the season was postponed last week due to inclement weather, the UF women's tennis team will hope once again to begin its dual-match season Wednesday against Stetson.

The match is slated to start at 3:30 p.m. at the Ring Tennis Complex.

Because of the postponed match, the No. 4 Gators will now have to play three matches in four days. UF coach Roland Thornqvist said that shouldn't affect the team much.

"I'm very excited about starting," he said at his weekly press conference Monday. "We were hoping to play last week against Stetson, but playing three matches this week here is going to be a lot of fun. So we're looking forward to it."

Playing back-to-back matches on Wednesday and Thursday will now give UF's coaches a chance to mix up the lineups and play all eight of the eligible players on their roster.

Thornqvist said everyone will play on Wednesday, in some capacity, whether it be on the singles or doubles courts.

He also noted that the doubles teams might still change in the first few matches.

"We need to get good looks from all eight here on all three days," Thornqvist said. "The lineup will probably be mixed a little bit. We might throw a different doubles pairing in here and there. We

still don't really quite know exactly where everybody stands."

Following Wednesday's match against the Hatters, UF will host Central Florida on Thursday and South Alabama on Saturday.

After not playing in a dual match for so long, Thornqvist said the Gators certainly won't mind playing someone other than themselves.

"It's fun," he said. "At this point, too, we've been going since the beginning of January, so I think our players are really excited to play somebody else."



Cohen

Freshman and newest addition Julia Cohen will see her first action as a Gator. Cohen chose playing for UF over a professional career in January.

"She has aspirations beyond college tennis," Thornqvist said. "So getting her on board has certainly helped our team. She loves to play, and that is what we want here. We want players who like to play and like to play beyond college."

Sophomore Marrit Boonstra will also hit the court for UF for the first time. She was recently cleared to play after being ineligible in the fall.

"She's a tall, very good athlete," Thornqvist said. "Both of them will certainly help us."

The addition of those players will give UF's coaches the challenge of choosing the best six players for each match.

"To be one of the ones to play in the top six certainly adds a different element to practice," Thornqvist said. "That, I think, long-term over the course of the year is really going to help us, because we have not only eight talented players, but eight players who really want to play."

## UGA coach nears 700

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As the Gators prepare to host No. 17 Georgia on Thursday, they will hope to keep Bulldogs coach Andy Landers from a milestone.

Landers, a member of the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame, will be going for his 700th win as a Bulldog.

"I really haven't thought about it at all," he said during the Southeastern Conference teleconference Tuesday. "It's a number that's bound to happen sooner or later, because we have been blessed to have a lot of good basketball players."

Landers has coached at Georgia since 1979.

**PRANK CALLS DISRUPT TELECONFERENCE:** A teleconference between SEC coaches and members of the media was disrupted by prank calls Tuesday. The callers got patched into the call by posing as members of the media and asked inappropriate questions to multiple coaches.

Arkansas coach Tom Collen was the biggest victim, as he got two such questions in a row.

"During a game, did you ever s— your pants?" one of the callers asked Collen.

Needless to say, the caller was disconnected — and Collen answered no in case you were wondering.

**BUBBLE WATCH:** It's never too early to start thinking about the NCAA Tournament.

With 11 games left, the Gators (13-5, 2-1 SEC) have an RPI ranking of 41 according to

the Collegiate Basketball News, and they are fourth in the SEC.

"We've talked about championship expectations since the beginning of the season, and that's part of championship expectations — being part of the NCAA championships," UF coach Amanda Butler said.

"It's not something we talk about daily; however, they know that's the goal."



Women's Basketball

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