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► Senior wide receiver Louis Murphy (left) and the Gators will open their season Saturday afternoon against Hawaii at 12:30 in The Swamp.

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THE LEGEND CONTINUES

By **MIKE McCALL**
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Here's a scary thought: Tim Tebow can get better.

After the wave of attention and praise that was heaped on UF's junior quarterback after his first year as a starter, it's hard to imagine some areas of his game need sprucing up.

But Tebow has spent his offseason determined to make some changes that might not result in gaudy statistics, but could make an impact in a different, more important area — the win column.

"I definitely don't think I have peaked, that's for sure," Tebow said. "I still have a lot of room for improvement in a lot of different areas that I can get a lot better at. My main focus is just decision-making.

"You look at great quarterbacks and you see what separates them from the rest of the quarterbacks. You look at Tom Brady, Peyton Manning, guys like that. What separates them is their decision-making."

It's hard to poke holes in Tebow's sophomore season, when he became the youngest winner of the Heisman Trophy and slapped his name on more records than The Rolling Stones with a 55-touchdown season.

A loss to Michigan in the Capital One Bowl, however, was not how the Gators envisioned their season winding up.

Tebow and the offense had chances to score late and win games against Auburn, LSU and Michigan but failed.

The inability to come through with a game on the line is the only doubt left for Tebow to erase, but making believers is his specialty — on and off the field.

The Family Business

The big news surrounding Tebow in the

ger than football.

He preached in prisons, schools, hospitals and other public places in Croatia and Thailand, as well as America, and he made headlines for assisting doctors performing circumcisions and other minor surgeries in the Philippines.

"It's something I enjoyed doing, and that I love doing," Tebow said.

"It's something I'm very passionate about. Doing those things, taking my platform as a football player and using it for good, using it to be an influence and change people's lives, that's more important than football to me."

You probably know about Tebow's devotion to Christianity, and it is often viewed in a separate realm from his on-field accomplishments.

But what fuels his faith is the same thing that drives him through pile-ups at the line of scrimmage, and makes him dive to finish a practice sprint a millisecond faster or play with broken bones.

Competitive is the first word you might use to describe Tebow, but he has something better.

"The better word for it might be passion," he said.

"People know that football is No. 4 on my

list of priorities behind faith, family and school. I

think if you watch me play you can see how passionate I am about football. With that in mind, you can imagine how passionate I am about my faith."

His religious message is one nearly his entire family has been devoted to, and he is bringing it to a bigger stage.

His parents, Bob and Pam, run the Bob Tebow Evangelistic Association and promote Christianity in the Philippines; his



Alligator File Photo

ABOVE: UF quarterback Tim Tebow throws a pass in the first half against Auburn on Sept. 29, 2007 in The Swamp. The Tigers won in the last three seconds with a field goal making the final score 20-17.

RIGHT: Tebow poses with the Heisman Trophy. He could become the first player since Archie Griffin to win back-to-back Heismans.

Wuerffel runs Desire Street Ministries, a group that aims to rejuvenate impoverished areas through spiritual and community development.

"If I can change a kid's life for the better, that's much more important to me than going out there and beating Georgia or Florida State or whatever team it is," Tebow said.

"That's very special to me too, but it doesn't come close to having the ability to put a smile on a kid's face or go to a hospital and see a girl who is about to die, see her smile because you're there to see her."

And he makes more than just the little ones

a role model, but it also puts him in a vulnerable position.

One picture could bring his whole image crashing down, a problem some of his counterparts dealt with this offseason.

Georgia quarterback Matt Stafford was criticized during the summer when pictures surfaced on the Internet showing him lifting a keg of beer, and photos that appeared to show Notre Dame signal caller Jimmy Clausen drinking prompted an investigation by the university.

"It definitely makes you think about it, and you have to think about it because people are always trying to take advantage of you," Tim said.

"Someone could say, 'Will you take a pic-



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UF alcohol limits prompt student backlash

■ CODES OUTLAW DRINKING GAMES OFF CAMPUS.

By **JACQUELYN WEINER**
 Alligator Writer

Some UF students are fighting for their right to party.

About 40 students, mostly members of Student Government, gathered Thursday at a Reitz Union meeting room to voice their opinions on proposed changes to the Student Conduct Code to Patricia Telles-Irvin, vice president for Student Affairs.

The final decision on the proposed amendments will be made in September by the Board of Trustees, UF's highest governing body. The decision includes a ban on common-source alcohol containers such as beer balls and kegs and taking away the Student Honor Court's right to hear academic dishonesty cases.

"I didn't know if students were going to care about regulations, but here you are," Telles-Irvin said.

"So I'm thrilled."

After speaking to the students for a few minutes without providing background information on the resolutions, Telles-Irvin opened the floor for student comment.

Sam Miorelli, president of the Orange and Blue Party, spoke up several times during the two-hour discussion.

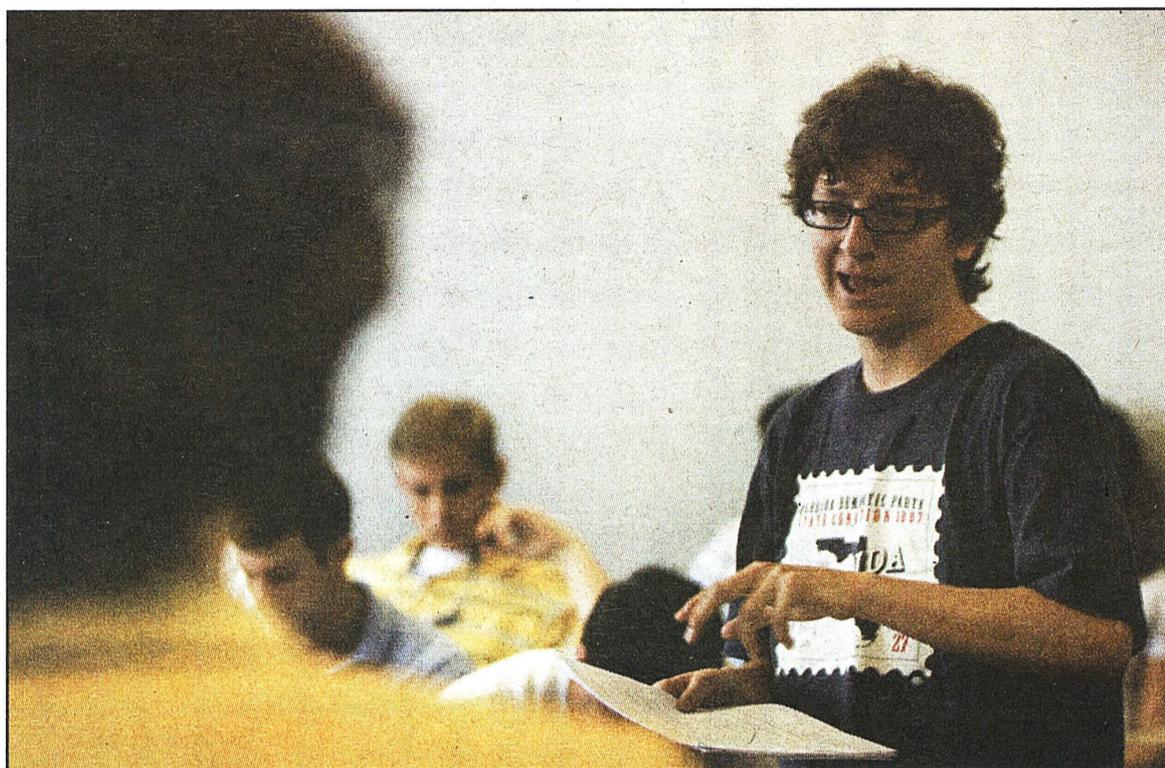
"I am going to start by saying that I am guilty of three of these regulations," Miorelli said. "I have engaged in a drinking game before."

He said he's also been inebriated on campus and shared a bottle of wine with his girlfriend Wednesday night, making it a common source container.

The proposed regulation changes to the conduct code that are causing such a stir ban the use of common source containers and drinking games, such as keg tipping and alcohol luges.

These apply to on-campus locations, including sorority and

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Student Sen. Ben Cavataro asks Patricia Telles-Irvin, UF vice president for student affairs, about the alcohol policy in the new student conduct code at a student forum in the Reitz Union Thursday.

Apts limit parking

By **ANDREA ASUAJE**
 Alligator Writer

Living across from campus may seem like a comfort.

But for students in the University Heights and College Park neighborhoods, it can mean struggling to find parking and avoiding tow trucks.

City regulations requiring apartment complexes to provide set numbers of parking spots don't apply to certain areas near UF's campus, city spokesman Bob Woods said.

In University Heights, which is to the east of campus, and College Park, which is to the north, apartment complexes are exempt from requirements to provide a minimum one parking space per bedroom per unit, Woods said. This would mean that multiple

residents living in one apartment in these neighborhoods might not all get parking passes.

"They are not held to the same standards as other developments throughout the city," Woods said.

Neighborhood residents are eligible to apply for on-street city parking decals.

But most apartment residents depend on the closer, more convenient parking spaces in their apartment complex lots. And they don't necessarily get them.

Though most developments in the areas offer some parking to residents, he said, they don't have to.

"Because of the proximity to the

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UF ADMINISTRATION

Machen: UF future unsure

By **ILEANA MORALES**
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UF President Bernie Machen said in his State of the University address Thursday that UF needs to focus on ways to build new revenue and preserve its resources — even after budget cuts.

At the first Faculty Senate meeting of the year, he told senators that UF's Florida Tomorrow capital campaign and the Differential Tuition Program are generating millions of dollars for the university, but UF needs to also work on getting students to graduate faster as it receives more applications.

UF had to cut \$69 million during the 2007-2008 academic year, because of state revenue shortfalls. About eight faculty and 70 staff members were laid off to meet part of a \$47 million cut taken at the beginning of the summer.

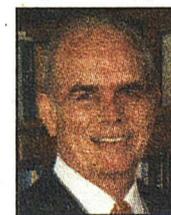
Machen told senators that more budget cuts were expected later this year because of the state's "gloomy" economy.

Machen said UF's Florida Tomorrow capital campaign, which aims to raise \$1.5 billion by September 2012, has been successful in raising \$700 million since its start in 2005. That money is designated by the donor, he added. But UF needs more to make up for its recent losses.

Machen said he hoped members of the Faculty Senate would help him convince the Florida Legislature to tap into its \$3 billion "rainy day" fund before hitting UF or other universities with more budget cuts.

That emergency fund is primarily reserved for hurricane relief.

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Machen



■ Hawaii senior linebacker Adam Leonard will help lead his team into The Swamp Saturday against UF. The Warriors' defense had five all-conference selections last year. See Story, Page 21.

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■ Check out Alligator.org to see a map of where the recent string of muggings near UF's campus occurred.

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GPD warns residents after crime wave

By **ASHLEY HEMMY**
Alligator Contributing Writer

Three recent crimes not far from UF's campus have prompted Gainesville Police to warn residents to exercise caution.

A man was arrested with charges of prowling and loitering early Thursday morning.

Citizens called the police when they spotted Leon Denzel Roberts, 24, walking in the shadows, hiding behind a Dumpster and peering into cars

on Northwest Third Avenue, said Gainesville Police spokeswoman Summer Hallett.

The arrest followed two muggings in the area Monday, though police were unable to say if Roberts was related to them.

A man was walking alone at 1:10 a.m. Monday along Northwest Fourth Street when two men, one holding a gun, walked up to him, Hallett wrote in an e-mail.

The one holding the handgun said, "Give it up, you know what time it is," she wrote.

When the victim said he had no money, the first suspect hit him in the back of the head with the handgun.

Then the suspect took his wallet and cell phone, she wrote.

The wallet and phone were later found in a storm drain.

About two hours later Monday morning, a man asked a woman walking on Southwest Second Avenue if he could help

her, Hallett wrote.

When she turned to him, the man stole her purse and pushed her to the ground.

After he disappeared, the woman called her mother, who then called another relative, who called the police about 20 minutes after the incident, Hallett wrote.

Hallett recommended that victims dial 911 right away.

"If your family lives out of town, calling them is not going to help you," she said.

The Gainesville Police Department offers the following tips to stay safe:

- When leaving, let someone know where you are going and when you will be back.
- Be aware of your surroundings.
- Avoid poorly lit areas.
- Do not walk alone.
- Don't talk to strangers.
- Don't carry valuables or large amounts of cash.
- Don't wear headphones.
- When walking to your car, have keys ready.
- Carry a cell phone to contact 911.

ON CAMPUS

UF exhibit to travel to Honolulu on nationwide tour

By **BRETT DALY**
Alligator Writer

As Hawaii football players prepare to take on the Gators this weekend, UF is preparing to send a 60-foot-long metal shark in their direction.

After being on display for seven months and attracting more than 115,000 visitors, the Florida Museum of Natural History's megalodon exhibit will leave next week from its Gainesville home to the first stop on its traveling tour: Honolulu.

The exhibit, called "Megalodon: Largest

Shark that Ever Lived," showcases a model of an extinct, prehistoric shark that will take three 40-foot-long containers to move, said Tom Kyne, the museum's traveling exhibits coordinator.

The exhibit contains fossils, artifacts, full-scale models of sharks and a 60-foot-long metal sculpture of an adult megalodon that visitors can walk through, according to the museum's Web site.

It is scheduled to arrive at the Bishop Museum in Hawaii on Sept. 24. Two weeks and two crew members will be needed to set it up, Kyne said.

"Packing up a huge exhibit like that is a monumental affair."

Bruce MacFadden

Bishop Museum curator of vertebrate paleontology

Bruce MacFadden, curator of vertebrate paleontology for the museum, and a team of about 24 designers, writers and builders created the exhibit.

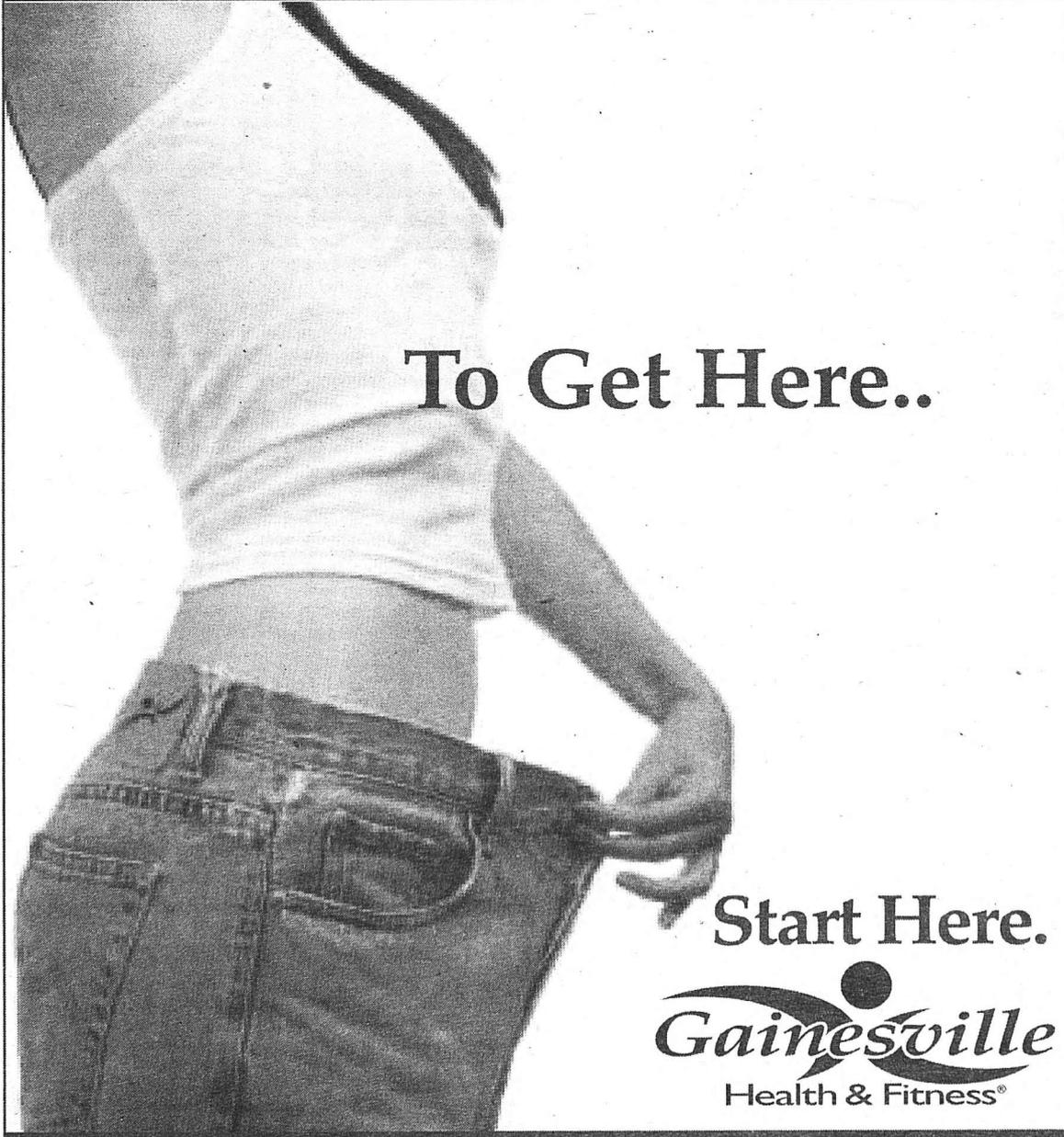
The exhibit debuted at the Florida Museum of Natural History in June 2007 and remained on display until January.

Since January, MacFadden said they have been making adjustments to the exhibit and stabilizing the structures to make them more portable.

Honolulu is the first stop on the exhibit's tour of the U.S., which MacFadden hopes will last five years.

He said the exhibit will then travel to Miami, and the Florida Museum of Natural History is in the process of booking other venues as well.

The cost for a museum to rent "Megalodon" is around \$80,000 for a 12- to 16-week period, Kyne said.



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Exhibit shows off city employees' artistic talents

By **KATIE GALLAGHER**
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Gainesville resident Mallory O'Connor pauses to look at animals created from recycled plastics designed by Paul Gabbard on Thursday.

Among its clerks and commissioners, the city of Gainesville's employees include a variety of artists.

An exhibit of artwork by city employees — including paintings, sculptures and carvings — is on display in the Thomas Center Mezzanine Gallery until Sept. 21.

The show was first held in 2005 and has expanded to include more than 50 works by 15 artists.

Erin Friedburg, the city's visual arts coordinator, first discussed the idea with Matt Dubé, an artist who works for the Community Redevelopment Agency.

"He mentioned there was a lot of creative talent in the city and that there should be a show," Friedburg said.

For many of the artists, the works on display reflects their work with the city.

Steve Phillips, director of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs, said his interest in plants and animals led him to work with both art and wildlife issues.

Phillips' nature prints have been used as illustrations by the Alachua Audubon Society. He's also used his woodcarvings to show the employees of the Nature Operations Division the difference between a coral snake and a king snake.

"My job is perfect," he said. "I have the best of all worlds."

Gary Paul, Nature Operations coordinator for volunteer services, was originally inspired to become a photographer by Gainesville's Morningside Nature Center.

Six years ago, a UF graduate student recorded more than 530 species at the park, Paul said.

So far, Paul has photographed 358 species. He edits most of his pictures to look like botanical prints, on a white background with a scientific

name.

He's also been influenced by Morningside's Living History Farm, where costumed actors reenact life in 1870, and he has photographed the staff's pictures in sepia tones.

Paul doesn't sell his work, but the city often uses it in newsletters and annual reports, he said.

"I am getting used, and that feels nice," he said.

Others worked in art long before working for Gainesville.

"My job is perfect."

Steve Phillips,

Director of parks, recreation and cultural affairs

Sherry Wetzel is a computer programmer for Gainesville Regional Utilities who is showing her pencil sketches in the exhibit. She said she's been drawing since elementary school and put herself through college with her portraits.

Wetzel's job doesn't require her to sketch much, she said, but it does require an artist's eye.

"When I'm designing the programs, I get to use the design elements you would use in a good painting," she said.

David Ballard, a city events coordinator who worked for 30 years as a puppet master, had his handmade marionettes on display.

Ballard is helping to plan a children's amphitheater at the Thomas Center, influenced by his background in theater.

Once the theater is complete, it may host a few puppet shows, he said.

"For me, it's a passion," Ballard said.

Friedburg, whose own pottery and handmade jewelry is on display in the show, said she didn't think Gainesville's employees included more artists than any other city.

"I think we all have an artist within us," she said.

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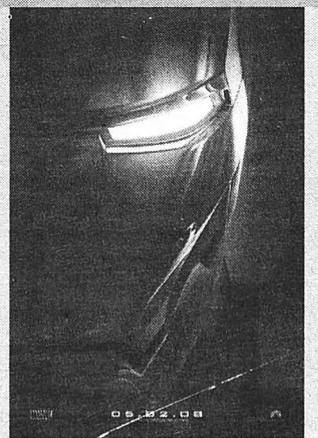
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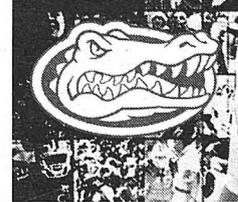
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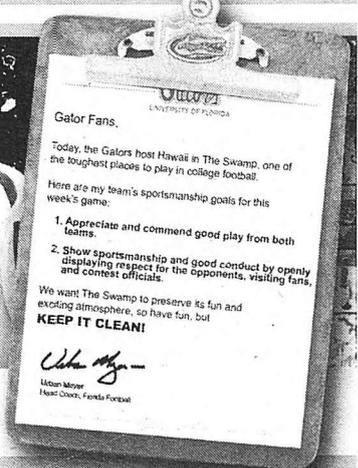
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Prof researches plant

■ UF IS CONDUCTING RESEARCH FOR ENERGY FARM.

By **RACHEL ARROYO**
Alligator Writer

While it's not the Emerald City, it certainly is green.

Destiny, Fla., the state's first fully environmentally conscious city, will harness the power of wind, water and rain to operate.

Located about 50 minutes south-east of Orlando, the development project sprawls over 41,300 acres and already boasts the state's first energy farm.

Along with myriad public and private companies, UF also has a stake in the success of the farm.

Zane Helsel, an agronomist and biofuel specialist at Rutgers University, is a UF visiting professor who has been working on the energy farm since April researching an alternative ethanol source.

Helsel, who works out of UF's Everglades Research and Education Center, is researching a plant noted for its contributions to southern cooking.

From sunup to sundown, Helsel monitors the growth of sweet sorghum, a plant commonly found in states such as Tennessee and Kentucky, where it has been farmed for the production of food commodities such as syrup.

The plant is now being harvested in Florida because it may be the key to producing another source of etha-

nol, one that may be derived much more easily than ethanol produced from corn.

"Sugar can be squeezed out (of the plant) just like sugarcane," he said.

Agricultural specialists believe the plant will do well in southern Florida because it is able to grow in sandy soils and subsist on less water, he said.

"In this case, because we have less water and nitrogen, we're being more sustainable," he said.

After doing the scientific testing of the soil moisture levels, measuring sugar content, and weighing samples for plant

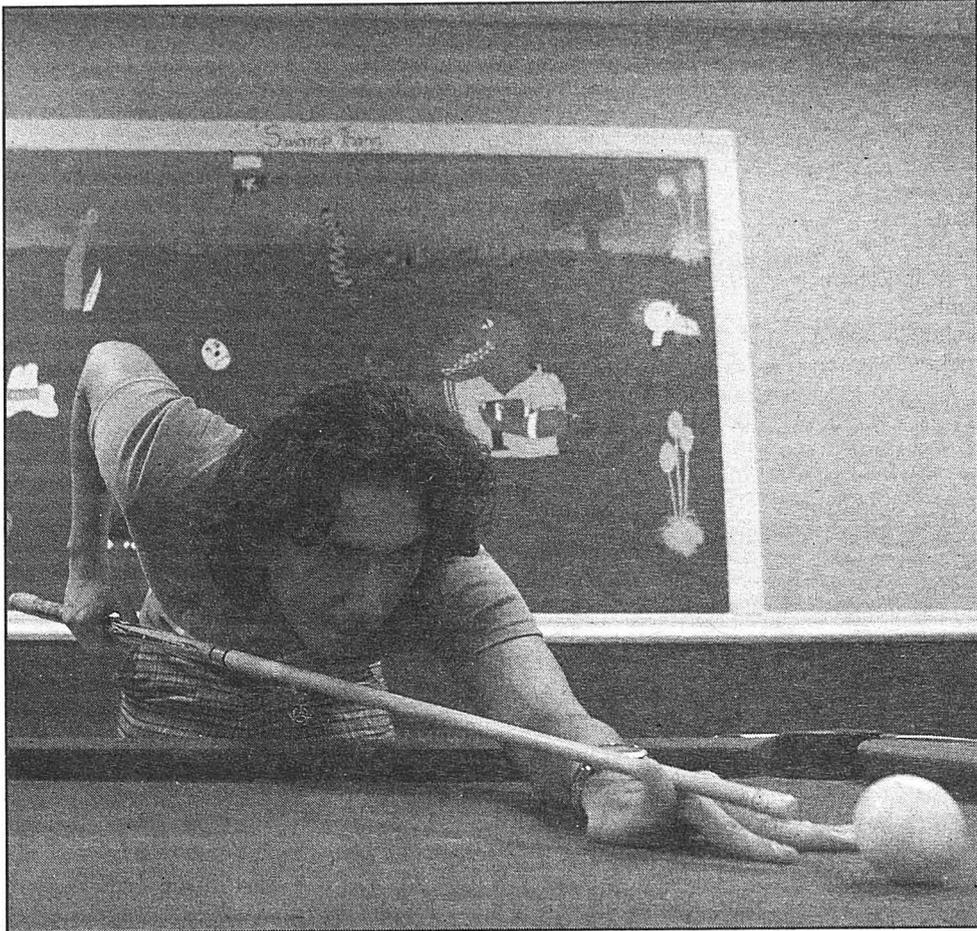
performance data, Helsel gets out of the lab and works alongside local, independent farmers who are growing sweet sorghum as a test crop.

Which fertilizers are used and how crops are irrigated is a huge factor in determining how to get the best harvest of sweet sorghum and, ultimately, how to produce the most ethanol for alternative fuel sources, he said.

After the first few months of testing, Helsel said the plant did both very well and very poorly in different areas.

He attributed these results to the fact that it has been a somewhat dry year, and he said the research will go on as long as there are positive tests.

Helsel will continue his work on the Destiny Sustainable Energy Farm as a visiting professor with UF's Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences for a year.



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Staff Swamp Shooter

UF student Willi Karbaum lines up a shot while playing a pick-up game of cutthroat in the Murphree Commons on Thursday. Cutthroat is a three-player billiards game in which the balls are divided up evenly and players try to know their opponents' balls out first.

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Editorial

Nearly eight months after our depression-inducing Capital One Bowl loss to the University of Michigan, Florida football is set to make its triumphant return, and the Editorial Board couldn't be more prepared to return to the Swamp.

Naturally, as the most wonderful time of the year returns, so does our favorite opinion piece — the yin to Tebow's stiff-arm yang, the campus-renowned ...

Darts & Laurels

First off, we would like to issue an at-least-someone-does-their-homework LAUREL to UF spokesman Steve Orlando for calling out the Editorial Board for an embarrassing blunder. We wrongly implied that UF President Bernie Machen contacted the St. Petersburg Times with an editorial when it was the other way around. From now on, we will quadruple check ourselves before we wreck ourselves. Our bad.

We're hurling an enormous wait-for-the-spike-in-car-on-pedestrian-beat-downs DART to the University of Miami for banning freshmen from having cars on campus. Last time we checked, people in Miami drive their cars as if they're playing "Grand Theft Auto IV."

Hopefully their freshies are good at "Frogger."

Next, we'll issue a well-deserved thank-you-for-clearing-up-a-long-standing-rumor LAUREL to Assistant Vice President for Student Affairs Jeanna Mastrodicasa for her efforts to refute the myth that UF dispenses academic punishments to those of us who are taken to Shands for alcohol-related reasons. Since freshman year, we've been hearing horror stories about our cousin's friend's brother who had to get his stomach pumped at 3 a.m., and the hospital called his parents. As it was originally told, he was never heard from again. Thanks to Mastrodicasa, we know stories like this are all crap. He probably just failed out like a respectable drunkard.

Here's an as-if-Gainesville's-parking-situation-wasn't-bad-enough-already DART to our beloved city for suspending parking codes in the overcrowded areas around campus. Between moving in, going to Publix and just getting home from work, we spent half of our week trying to find a resting place for our cars, which is more time than we spend in class and almost as much time as we spend choking on mildew in the windowless caverns of the Alligator office.

Speaking of moldy places, we would like to give UF's Physical Plant Division a believe-it-or-not-we're-actually-sincerely-appreciative LAUREL for renovating Turlington Hall. These lecture halls were the stuffiest rooms on campus and were filled with chairs that screeched like a cat being waterboarded. Thank you for finally putting them out of their misery.

We're going to launch a please-don't-come-after-us-for-sharing-this-bottle-of-wine DART to UF for its clarification of already posted policies against drinking.

Tailgate season is upon us, which means there will be an entire parade of communal sources of alcohol.

We know it's not what the administration would like to hear, but it's the truth, and they know it as well as we do. We just can't wait to see a group of alumni get busted for hosting Beer Olympics in the Plaza of the Americas.

Lastly, the Editorial Board would like to issue the City of Gainesville a thank-you-for-sensibly-amending-this-situation LAUREL for setting up taxi stands downtown. In addition to saving lives and permanent records by making it easier for barhoppers not to drink and drive, this also eliminates the need for cabs to circle aimlessly and, in turn, saves fuel.

That's all for this week. Go Gators!

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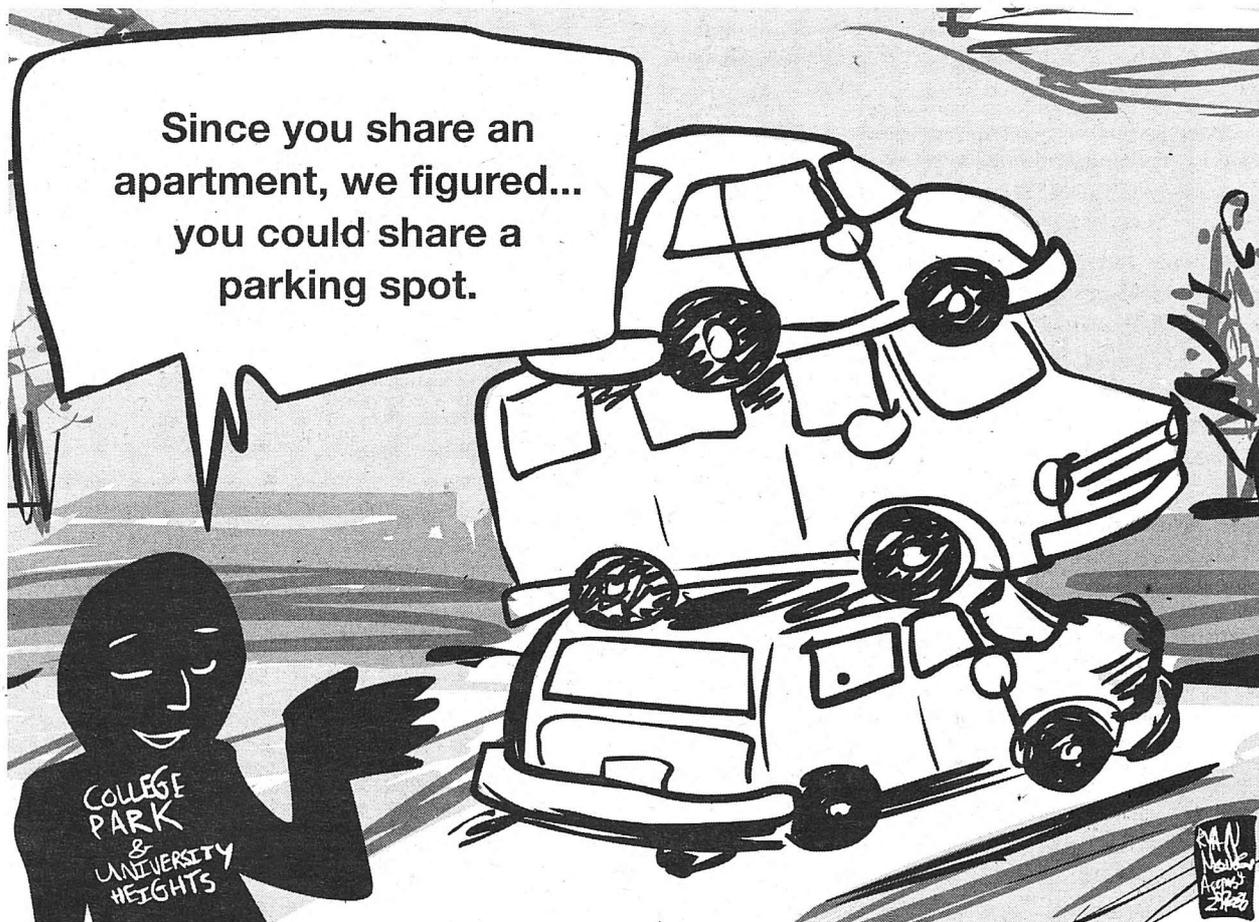
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Guest column

Clinton supporters vital for Obama win

Unity is the talk of the town in Denver this week. The Democrats have gone out of their way to try to demonstrate that their party has healed its rift in the months following the grueling primary battle between Sens. Barack Obama and Hillary Clinton.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, respectively, Sen. Clinton and her husband, former President Bill Clinton, took center stage in order to swear their allegiance to Obama, the new titular head of the party.

Media reports of disunity have been somewhat exaggerated. Surveys purporting to show that a large number of Clinton supporters will bolt from the party to vote for Sen. John McCain are most likely flawed. Clinton's delegates will mostly support Obama, despite the existence of a small splinter group known as the "PUMA Pack."

PUMA stands for "Party Unity My Ass," which represents the group's determination to continue to promote Clinton for president, despite Obama's nomination.

The constant talk of unity is testimony to its absence. The most immediate effect of disunity is not likely to be huge numbers of Democrats switching their votes to McCain, but it does influence the ability of the Democrats to mobilize resources and support for the fall election campaign.

Obama supporters tend to hold the view that Clinton has not shown Obama the respect that he deserves since becoming the nominee. Similarly, Clinton supporters tend to hold the view that Obama has not respected her. Both groups tend to believe that there are still hard feelings between the supporters of Obama and Clinton. As a result, Clinton supporters are less likely to help the party raise money and to get out the vote in the fall.

These hard feelings are augmented by attitudes to-

ward Obama's vice presidential selection. Clinton delegates tend to be less supportive of the selection of Sen. Joseph Biden than are

Obama's delegates.

While few of Obama's delegates believe that Clinton would have been a good choice for vice president, about half of Clinton's delegates wish that he had named her.

These divisions threaten the chances that the Democrats will reclaim the White House in November. Obama is unlikely to be able to win the general election with only 60 percent or 70 percent of his party behind him.

The dangers to the Democratic Party extend beyond the 2008 election. If Obama loses the election, and his loss is perceived to be due to lack of support from the Clinton wing of the party, resentment may linger for decades to come. Black Americans have been among the most loyal supporters of the Democratic Party since the 1960s.

If the party's base undercuts the chances of electing the nation's first black president, a long-term schism in the party would be possible, potentially preventing Democrats from recapturing the White House for a generation or more.

The only hope for the Democratic Party this year, and in years to come, is for Clinton's supporters to fully back Obama. They need to do more than just vote for him. They need to campaign and raise money for him. This support is especially needed in states such as Florida, which voted for Clinton in the primary and is expected to be a battleground state in the general election.

Michael T. Heaney is an assistant professor in UF's political science department. He wrote this column from the Democratic National Convention, where he is conducting poll research.

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

Reader response

Today's question: Will you use drinking games to get trashed before the Hawaii game?

Thursday's question: Would you take down a gunman in Carleton Auditorium?

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Guest column

Chinese, Americans not so different

I recently returned from a summer studying Chinese in Beijing. It was an intense summer, to say the least, in a war zone of culture fought in the urban jungle that is Beijing. The language barrier was daunting, the food hard to digest and the cabbies had a death wish that Charles Bronson couldn't deliver on.

I landed in Beijing at a very opportune time. I witnessed the final stages of the transformation of the capital city firsthand, without editing from NBC or CCTV.

When I returned home to watch the Olympics on the couch like everyone else, I saw a cleaner, brighter version of the city that I didn't expect.

On the screen, the air looked crisp and the streets vibrant-free. China went through a transformation for the Olympics, its own personal crucible.

Hosting the Olympics acted as a catalyst for the country, sparking the government and its people to rally around one central cause.

Despite the beautiful portrayal of the Olympics on television, my experience was not consistent with the international show.

Obvious problems exist in China. In Beijing, the juxtaposition of the haves and have-nots is astonishing. You could see incredible opulence mashed against extreme squalor.

Fifty-story buildings next to dilapidated migrant construction workers' barracks. Luxurious BMWs next to donkeys pulling brick carts. The gap in wealth was hardly subtle.

It's always in the back of your mind, when it's not

Anthony Paglino shoved in front of your face. Despite all the differences I encountered in food, traffic, fashion, hygiene and sexual

habits, the Chinese people are basically the same as Americans.

Family, compassion, respect and dignity are values shared by people of all cultures.

Their government may have some serious character and managerial flaws, but we can't lump the people of China into the same category.

The fate of the Chinese government and country is not for America to judge; rather, it is the responsibility of Chinese citizens to decide.

It's difficult to separate a country's people from its government, but the distinction must be made because we can't afford to dehumanize the citizens. They really do deserve a better government.

I sat on a dilapidated ancient watchtower on a piece of the Great Wall that has been eroded by years of vegetative growth, lack of tourists and zero renovation. This stretch of the wall is still inside the Beijing municipality.

On an unusually clear day I could see the city's rising skyline miles away through a pair of binoculars.

From there, I could see living proof that building walls doesn't solve problems. It failed against the Mongolians, and the ideological wall crumbled after Mao's death.

Hopefully, America can learn from China's mistakes.

Anthony Paglino is a fourth-year economics student.

Letter to the Editor

Without western opposition, Russia gets bolder

Because no action was taken by the West to stop the invasion of Georgia, Russia has now become bolder. Russian troops remain on Georgian land, days after the newest cease-fire was brokered by Condoleezza Rice.

President Mikheil Saakashvili of Georgia even pleaded to the West in an interview with "The Early Show." He stated that Russian tanks are going through villages inhabited by Georgian citizens, throwing families from their houses and putting people into concentration camps.

President Valdas Adamkus of Lithuania, who joined Saakashvili at a news conference in Tbilisi, also called upon the West to stop appeasing Russia's actions.

Unless Russia is stopped from the onset, its hegemony over other countries is inevitable.

The Baltic states and Poland, all NATO countries watching the conflict, have voiced concern over the lack of action from western allies and have all offered support to the struggling nation. The former Soviet territories understand the gravity of the situation.

If a small country with democratic ambitions is not backed up by the West, why would any other former Soviet territory take the risk to become more democratic?

Ukraine is now sleeping uneasily, knowing that it is next in Russia's crosshairs.

Russia is testing the waters. Without any physical action from the West, it knows it will suffer no recourse from spreading its borders and committing crimes against humanity.

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Students in search of cash flock to part-time job fair

■ MOST ON-CAMPUS JOBS ARE WORK-STUDY ONLY.

By **JACQUELYN WEINER**
Alligator Writer

When Eric VanVeelen arrived for fall classes, he found that most of the job opportunities in Gainesville had already been snatched up.

VanVeelen and other UF students attended the Part-Time Job Fair on Thursday on the Reitz Union North Lawn in search of a way to fill their wallets.

"It's hard to find work anywhere else, especially this late in the semester," VanVeelen said.

More than 1,000 students browsed the displays and spoke with 24 local off-campus and on-campus employers, said Ja'Net Glover, assistant director for career events for the Career Resource Center.

The center co-sponsored the event with Student Financial Affairs.

Last year's attendance level was about the same, Glover said.

Students strolled from employer to employer beneath a large white tent, chatting with different companies, collecting fliers and

filling out paperwork.

Zubin Kachhi, a UF sophomore, said rising food and gas prices forced him into a job search.

Laura Gonzalez, a UF freshman, needed spending money and a job that was flexible enough to fit around her class schedule.

Other students said they were less concerned about earning money than finding something constructive to do with their time.

Alexander Rothschild, an economics junior, said he found what he was looking for at the fair: an instructor position for test preparation with Kaplan.

Other employers included retailers such as Buckle, which offers sales and marketing internships; Publix; the YMCA; Creative Catering; and a few on-campus positions, such as working at a library circulation desk.

Donna Kolb, assistant director in the Office for Student Financial Affairs, said students in search of an on-campus position would have a more difficult time landing a job.

Almost all on-campus jobs will go to those who qualify for Federal Work-Study, Kolb said.

The program pays 75 percent of qualifying students' wages, so

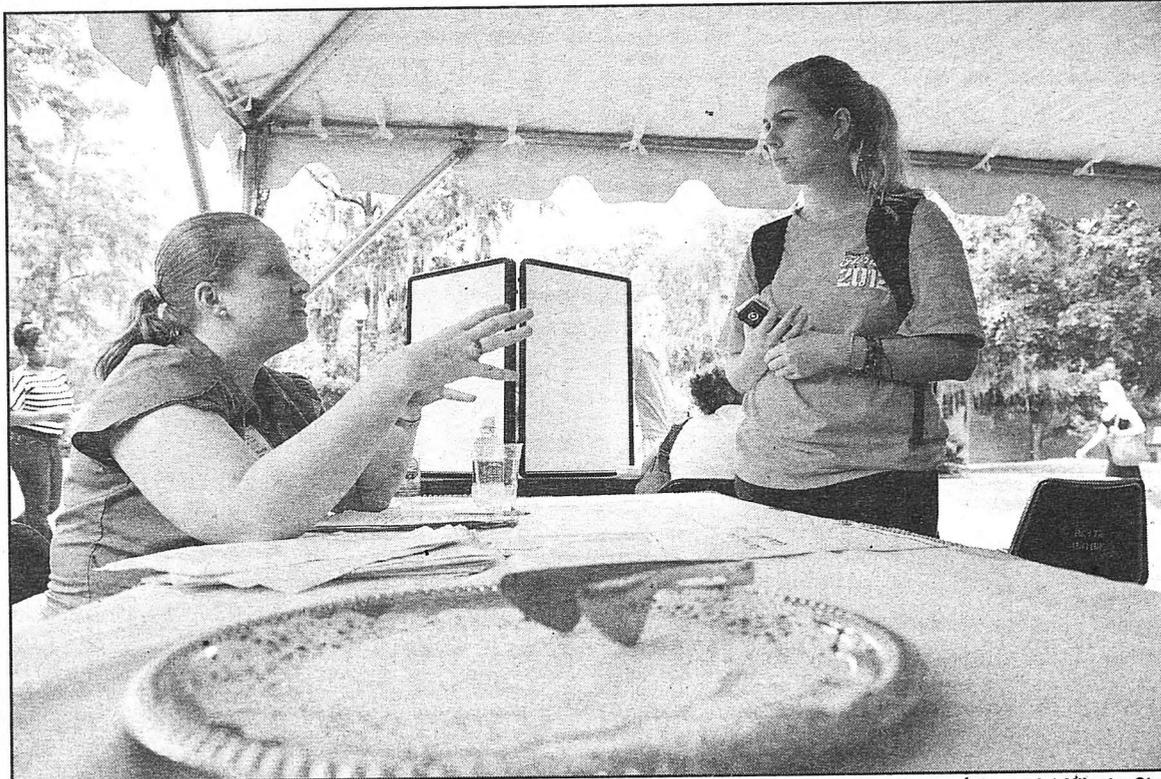
hiring four work-study employees would cost a department the same as hiring one who doesn't qualify, said Kristy Mills, an office assistant in the Human Resources

Office of the George A. Smathers Libraries.

Students who don't qualify for the program will not be considered for jobs the libraries are

looking to fill, Mills said.

"It's definitely more of the focus this semester because of budgets, money the way it is," she said.



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Cory Blommel, a supervisor for Classic Fare Catering, talks to Chloe Dooley, a UF freshman, about job opportunities during the Part-Time Job Fair, which took place Thursday on the Reitz Union North Lawn.

County crisis center offers acupuncture to rape victims

Therapy may relieve post-traumatic symptoms

By **CARLA ASTUDILLO**
Alligator Contributing Writer

Acupuncture sessions will soon be offered as a free, alternative method of therapy for rape victims.

Starting Sept. 16, Alachua County Victim Services & Rape Crisis Center will offer free acupuncture therapy during confidential individual and group counseling sessions for survivors of rape trauma and sexual assault.

"Acupuncture therapy has been proven to help with headaches, stress, insomnia and indigestion," said Linda Murray, victim advocate therapist at the crisis center.

"These symptoms are similar to the ones survivors of rape trauma go through."

The 12-week program will accommodate five women with 10 acupuncture sessions at Dragon Rises College of Oriental Medicine, Murray said.

Even though acupuncture itself is gaining popularity, the idea of using it to

treat the post-traumatic symptoms of rape victims is still new, said Amy Galvan, a Dragon Rises student who suggested the program two months ago.

Local News "When I started learning about acupuncture and started realizing how much this could help, I decided I was going to take this to the community," Galvan said.

The program's acupuncture therapy sessions consist of certified acupuncturists

pricking certain points to liberate the chi, the Chinese concept of a life force that connects body, mind and spirit, Galvan said.

Galvan said Dragon Rises specializes in healing "heart shock," which is when the body and mind have a difficult time going back to a normal state after a trauma like sexual assault.

"It can facilitate the healing process in counseling by removing mental roadblocks and producing faster recovery," she said.

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Changes also include limiting Student Honor Court's jurisdiction

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fraternity houses, and off-campus locations in certain situations.

Some students criticized the guidelines for those situations, saying that they are too vague.

"As it's written, if you're a 30-year-old grad school student drinking a punch bowl at your sister's party halfway around the world, you're violating the Student Code of

Conduct," said Student Sen. Ben Cavaturo.

Cavaturo recommended that the amendments be changed to better explain the scope of UF's jurisdiction over student activities.

Miorelli called for the changes to be eliminated completely.

"All this does is it creates an opportunity for the university to play heavy-handed at the biggest party school in the nation," he said.

However, Telles-Irvin said the amendments don't actually change UF's policies

— they just clarify them.

"If you have a bottle of wine, Sam, enjoy it," she said. "I'm not going to come after you."



Telles-Irvin

It's only an issue if student safety is jeopardized, she said.

Also discussed was a move to take the ability to hear academic dishonesty cases away

from the Student Honor Court, which

in the last seven years has heard only 22 of the 11,000 incidents at UF, she said. Currently, students charged in academic dishonesty cases can go before the Student Conduct Committee, composed of students and faculty, or deal directly with administrators and go to trial in the student-run honor court.

"If you take away their jurisdictions, I mean, that's the same as getting rid of it," said Jonathan Ossip, Student Senate parliamentarian.

Revenue sources for universities could be taken from state 'rainy day' fund

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If the Legislature decides to use it in UF's favor, Machen said it would be distributed after hurricane season and the November presidential election.

At the end of his speech, Machen said he couldn't say much about the future, only that it will be "devastating" if they do not recognize the need to help Florida's universities.

For now, the \$1.8 million generated from the Differential Tuition Program, which allows UF to incrementally raise tuition 40 percent over four years start-

ing with this fall's freshman class, will be enough to hire 17 to 22 new faculty members for the 2009-2010 academic year.

Steve Orlando, UF spokesman, said that money would also be used this school year for temporary lecturers and starting searches for new faculty hires.

A 6 percent tuition boost from the state Legislature and the 9 percent boost from UF will increase UF's tuition by 15 percent this fall.

Machen said the program's start was delayed for the 2008-2009 year, and instead, the Legislature

gave UF \$2 million to hire 15 to 20 new faculty members for the 2007-2008 academic year.

He said the program was established to raise money intended for hiring more faculty members in courses and colleges that are in high demand from students.

Part of the deal was committing to seek student input, Machen added.

UF Provost Joe Glover said he will decide what specific areas the \$1.8 million would go to after he receives student suggestions through Student Government officials next week and sorts through them with the long "wish lists" sent in by college deans.

Student Body President Kevin Reilly said members of Student Senate representing each college or area on campus would collect suggestions from students about how to spend the money for faculty.

"Some colleges need more than others."

Kevin Reilly
Student Body president

"There's a lot of need," Reilly said. "Some colleges need more than others."

The freshman class paying the first round of the Differential Tuition Program is also one of the smartest, with averages scores of

1293 on the SAT and a 4.18 GPA, Machen told the faculty.

UF's application process will continue to get more selective with fewer resources and a higher number of intelligent students applying, he said.

This year, Machen said UF had a 16 percent increase in applicants, which brought in its highest-ever number of applications — 28,000.

At 39 percent, it's UF's lowest acceptance rate ever.

One way Machen said he hopes to get every UF student to take at least 15 credit hours each semester instead of the current average, which is less than 13 credit hours, to graduate faster.

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SG parties register

By LAUREN BAKER
Alligator Writer

The Orange and Blue Party and the Gator Party are back for this fall's Student Government election.

The two parties that ran against each other in the spring semester, with the Gator Party snagging the executive ticket and the majority of Student Senate

Student Government seats, have registered their parties again this week.

While Orange and Blue Party members have yet to be chosen, Sam Miorelli, Orange and Blue Party president, said his party's plan for action would stay the same.

"We're going to run on the idea that this is your Student Government, this is your University of Florida and this is your money that's being handed out," said Miorelli, who registered the party Tuesday morning.

Luis Nobriga, Gator Party president, registered the party Wednesday.

Nobriga said they have some goals in mind, but couldn't share specifics on the party's upcoming platform until new the party members are chosen.

Convincing more students to vote is one of the biggest challenges Nobriga said he expects to face.

Parking jump

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university, the idea is to encourage residents in those areas to consider using bicycles, using mass transit and walking," he said.

But for students who own cars, the push for mass transit is more of a hassle than help.

"It's ridiculous," said Shane Carroll, a business administration junior at UF. "But there's nothing I can do."

Carroll is a resident of Oxford Terrace Phase I, where only one parking spot is assigned per unit.

Some students go as far as attempting to buy parking decals from other developments, he said.

Carroll said he wouldn't consider moving this year because of the good location, but he's unsure about the future.

Joanne Fallati, a UF biochemistry senior who also lives in Oxford Terrace Phase I, said when she gets home from work at night, she has to circle the parking lot hoping for a spot.

"I don't know who thought about the parking situation before they even built the place, but it doesn't make any sense," Fallati said.

But others said parking has never been an issue.

Santa Fe College student



Sara Hsu / Alligator Staff

A vehicle is parked across the street from Oxford Terrace Apartments Phase I. Oxford Terrace has been issuing one parking pass per apartment, which is causing parking problems.

Eddie Freeman, who lives in La Mancha Apartments, said many residents don't own cars, so he's always found a parking spot, and he's never been towed.

But while parking is not a problem for him, he said he doesn't believe a push for mass transit should be en-

forced by limiting spaces.

"Gainesville really isn't a metropolitan city," he said.

"I don't think the city should restrict that because to a certain extent, you need a car."

Michelle Lowe, a UF sophomore and resident of Royal Village, said she's learned to

live with the situation.

"If you want to go out at night, you're going to lose your parking spot," Lowe said.

However, she said the good location outweighs the parking situation.

"It's just a parking spot," she said.

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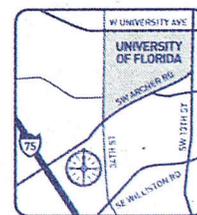
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UF VOLLEYBALL

Wise implements new offense for young Gators

By KYLE MAISTRI

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If one word describes the last 17 seasons under coach Mary Wise, it's consistent.

Each year, the Gators have finished with at least 25 wins and a Southeastern Conference title.

Friday night against Alabama Birmingham, however, No. 8 UF will change to an offensive system it has scarcely used in the past.

The Gators will take advantage of their two talented freshmen setters (Cindy Bathelt and Kelly Murphy) and implement the 6-2 offense, which hasn't been seen in Gainesville since Angie McGinnis and Lauren Moscovic were tallying assists in 2004.

"It was really weird at first because I've never run a 6-2, and I don't think Florida has ever run a 6-2," sophomore outside hitter Callie Rivers said.

"It gives us a lot more opportunities in the front row because there's always three attackers."

Wise said every college team uses a three-hitter attack at some point, and the adjustment from offenses of the past

— for instance, the 5-1 — to the 6-2 has been minimal for the players.

Four years ago, the Gators used that offense in the preseason and before the SEC schedule, but the 6-2 never stuck as the team's permanent attack.

Now, UF has gone back to that system because of its versatile personnel and six true freshmen to use it.

"The problem was we just didn't have the right-side players to go along with it," Wise said.

She added that Rivers' ability to hit and set along with the option of playing Lauren Bledsoe, Kristy Jaeckel or Colleen Ward up front allows them to effectively run the offense with this team.

The 6-2 offense requires that a team have two setters to pass and attack from the back row instead of one.

A new offense is hard enough to install with veteran players, but the Gators will be trotting out a very young team, in sharp contrast to that of the Blazers, who rely heavily on their six experienced seniors.

"What a great piece of scheduling," Wise joked.

"When you're coaching a really young team, probably the last team you would want to pick to open up against is a team full of seniors with a lot of international experience. That's UAB."

The issue for the Gators may not be

where to put the ball, but rather where their teammates will be directing it.

Rivers said playing together in the Orange and Blue game gave the team confidence in its ability to gel and play together, something Wise has emphasized in the early going.

"We have heard that we're a young team, but we have a lot of talent, so hopefully that can balance it out."

Kelly Murphy
UF freshman setter

She has said all the players, including the freshmen, need to take responsibility for leadership and production.

Leading up to the season opener, Murphy said Wise has been telling the team that the Blazers are an experienced squad that is going to play hard against UF in their own gym.

"We've been preparing well, and I think we should have a pretty good shot," Murphy said.

As for that whole youth thing, she didn't seem too concerned.

"We have heard that we're a young team, but we have a lot of talent, so hopefully that can balance it out," she said.

Friday's the first step to finding out.

New Women
on the Court

Cassandra Anderson
Middle Blocker 6-1
Bakersfield, Calif.
(Bakersfield)



Cindy Bathelt
Setter 5-9 Colorado Springs,
Colo. (Pine Creek)



Elissa Hausmann
Defensive Specialist 5-6
Tampa, Fla. (Galther)



Kristy Jaeckel (Redshirt
Freshman) Outside Hitter 6-2
Littleton, Colo. (Heritage)



Kelly Murphy
Setter 6-2 Joliet,
Ill. (Joliet Catholic
Academy)



Betsy Smith
Middle Blocker
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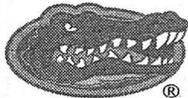
UF RUN vs. HAWAII RUN DEFENSE

UF rushes for 200.2 yards per game; HAWAII allows 133.8 yards per game.

KEY PLAYERS: UF: Jr. QB Tim Tebow (210 attempts - 895 yards, 4.3 avg, 23 TDs), Sr. TB Kestahn Moore (104 att - 580 yards, 5.6 avg, 6 TDs); UH: Sr. LB Solomon Elimimian (141 tackles, 12 TFL), Sr. LB Adam Leonard (105 tackles, 4 INTs).

ANALYSIS: This game might be won on the ground, but don't expect the battle to be between Tebow and Hawaii's linebackers. Moore, Emmanuel Moody and Chris Rainey should be all over the Warriors. The Hawaii linebackers are both seniors with impressive stats from last year, but they already folded against the Bulldogs last season, so you shouldn't expect them to stand up to UF's running backs on Saturday.

ADVANTAGE: UF



UF PASS vs. HAWAII PASS DEFENSE

UF passes for 257 yards per game; HAWAII allows 214 yards per game.

KEY PLAYERS: UF: Jr. QB Tim Tebow (3,286 yds, 32 TDs, 6 INTs, 66.9 pct, 172.46 rating), Sr. WR Louis Murphy (37 rec, 548 yds, 14.8 avg, 5 TDs), Jr. WR Riley Cooper (8 rec, 182 yds, 22.8 avg, 3 TDs); UH: Sr. DB Ryan Mouton (26 tackles, 2 INTs), Sr. DB Desmond Thomas (56 tackles, 1 INT).

ANALYSIS: The Gators are Harvin-less, but that shouldn't stop Tebow and company from throwing balls all over the field. Again, Hawaii's defensive backfield was torched by Georgia back in January, and not much has changed. Mouton and Thomas are a year older, but so are Cooper, Murphy and Tebow. Expect a few deep bombs into the end zone for the Gators.

ADVANTAGE: UF



HAWAII RUN vs. UF RUN DEFENSE

HAWAII rushes for 72.6 yards per game; UF allows 103.3 yards per game.

KEY PLAYERS: UH: So. WR Kealoha Pilaes (68 att - 388 yds, 5.7 avg, 3 TDs), So. RB Leon Wright-Jackson (33 att - 219 yds, 6.6 avg, 2 TDs); UF: Jr. LB Dustin Doe (85 tackles, 5 TFL), So. LB A.J. Jones (36 tackles, 2.5 TFL).

ANALYSIS: Without Brandon Spikes in the middle, the UF linebackers will be less impressive than usual. But that doesn't mean they'll allow the Warriors to flatten them all game. On the contrary, Hawaii's running game is pretty pitiful. They were a passing team last year, and they're a passing team this year. UF linebacker Ryan Stamper, replacing Spikes, should have himself a nice day.

ADVANTAGE: UF



HAWAII PASS vs. UF PASS DEFENSE

HAWAII passes for 439.5 yards per game; UF allows 258.5 yards per game.

KEY PLAYERS: UH: So. QB Brent Rausch, Jr. WR Kealoha Pilaes (26 rec, 249 yds, 9.6 avg, 1 TD), Jr. WR Malcolm Lane (14 rec, 270 yds, 19.3 avg, 2 TDs); UF: So. S Major Wright (67 tackles, 1 INT, 1 FR), So. DB Joe Haden (63 tackles, 3.5 TFL).

ANALYSIS: How things have changed. The Colt Brennan-less Warriors are still a pass-first team, so expect their yardage to be somewhere in the 200s. But without its top four receivers from the 2007 season, Hawaii is going to be spending most of Saturday trying to get into a rhythm. And that's especially true for Rausch, who will be starting his first Football Bowl Subdivision game in The Swamp. Good luck.

ADVANTAGE: UF



SPECIAL TEAMS

KEY PLAYERS: UF: Sr. Kicker Jonathan Phillips (0-1 FGs in 2007), So. Punter Chas Henry (37 punts, 39.3 avg, long 54); UH: Sr. Kicker Dan Kelly (12-17 FGs, long 54), Sr. Punter Tim Grasso (35 punts, 39.7 avg, long 51).

ANALYSIS: If this is analysis for who will see more action, that would be Hawaii's special teams. Their field goal kicker is more experienced than UF's, and the punters have strikingly similar numbers. Still, having a kick and punt returner like Brandon James puts the Gators over the top here. Any time Hawaii punts — and it will be often — James should bring the ball to midfield, setting UF up for a score.

ADVANTAGE: UF



INTANGIBLES

Both teams are playing their first games after embarrassing bowl losses, and both are hungry for victories. Hawaii is going to be starving after this one. The inexperience in the Warriors' offense will be evident after the first quarter, and their new coach, Greg McMackin, will also be getting the first-game jitters out. The home field only strengthens the Gators' advantages in this game. UF's defense will get a chance to prove itself after a dismal Capital One Bowl, and though it is missing Spikes, the rest should keep Hawaii's numbers way down.

ADVANTAGE: UF



How They
Match
Up
UF vs. HAWAII



UF SOCCER

Abdullah looks to provide leadership for young team

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Ameera Abdullah is no stranger to injury.

Abdullah missed seven matches her freshman year with a left shin stress fracture and four matches early last season after she collided with South Florida's goalkeeper on Sept. 7, suffering a left peroneal tendon strain.

This summer, she reinjured the tendon in her foot and underwent surgery on June 11. She had some bone taken out to tighten her ligament.

She went two weeks on crutches without ground contact and then wore a boot to protect her foot.

She wasn't allowed to start running again until just a week before the preseason started.

Eager to return, Abdullah jumped into practice too soon and created more heel and muscle problems for herself.

But after scoring a goal in a 1-1 tie against Colorado last Friday, she appears to be back to her normal, goal-scoring self.

Though Abdullah missed extensive time due to injury last season, she was named to the All-Southeastern Conference second team at midfield and was tied for second on the team in assists with five.

Perhaps her most memorable moment from a year ago was scoring the game-winning penalty kick that propelled UF past Central Florida in the second round of the NCAA Tournament. Now, she'll get the chance to do it again as the No. 22 Gators (1-0-1) host the Golden Knights.

A preseason All-SEC selection and one of only three Gator seniors, Abdullah will try to lead a team filled with 16 freshmen, the second-most in the program's history.

So chalk up being a leader as one more thing Abdullah has to take care of.

"I want to have as big an impact as possible," Abdullah said. "It's your last year. You always want to go out with a bang, do better than you do previous years and really show (your) potential as a player and as a leader and as a teammate.

"It's very important. I mean, you have 16 freshmen who don't know what it's like to compete at this level and seniors who do. So it's our job to get them acclimated to that and to the way that Florida does things."

UF coach Becky Burleigh is looking to Abdullah and the other seniors to take advantage of their final year and impart their knowledge of the game to the younger players.

"I think the home opener, they're gonna



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UF senior forward Ameera Abdullah goes for the ball against Kentucky defender Julie Hull during the first half of the Gators' 1-0 win on Oct. 7 at Pressly Stadium.

be excited because there's so many limited opportunities for them to play at home now that they're seniors, and I think that they'll spread that to the rest of the team," Burleigh said. "We expect that UCF will be fired up and ready to play, that's for sure."

On Sunday, the Gators will face Nebraska at 1 p.m.

Last year, the teams tied 1-1 in Lincoln in

Abdullah's first game back from injury.

Burleigh hopes to use these non-conference games as tools to prepare the newcomers for SEC play. Burleigh is known for making a tough non-conference schedule, and 2008 is no exception.

"We challenge ourselves in this non-conference part, and hopefully that pays off in the long run," she said.

The Ameera Abdullah File



2006 All-American
2006 All-Southeastern Conference First Team
2007 All-Southeastern Conference Second Team

Abdullah's Stats

Year	2005	2006	2007
GP/GS	13/11	25/25	21/18
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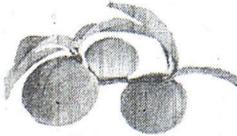
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4 Roommates

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Since Hawaii is so far away, we here at alligatorSports figured we should get a better sense of the culture there.

So, we decided to call a lei stand.

It took a week's worth of phone calls to a place six time zones behind us, but we finally got in touch with a very nice woman named Naomi Braine, a third-generation lei-maker and owner of Aunty Bella's Lei Stand in Waikiki, where she works 12 hours a day. Her grandmother, the original Aunty Bella, started the business in 1928. It's been in the family ever since.

Leis are good for graduations or departures, which might explain what former Hawaii quarterback Colt Brennan was doing wearing one at last season's Heisman Trophy ceremony.

Brennan's lei was mostly kukui nuts, which mean good luck, though it didn't seem to help him much.

Still, that didn't hurt the island's opinion of him.

"Oh yeah," Braine said. "He's terrific."

Here in Florida, we're most used to seeing those crappy, plastic, bright-blue leis that pull apart with ease. Remember them from your bar mitzvahs and lame fake luaus as a kid?

Braine was quite condescending toward them, and they seem to be her main competition.

"Well, plastic is not Hawaiian," Braine said. "Unfortunately, the market is flooded with plastic leis (that are) imported from China and Thailand and everywhere else. We don't believe in those type of leis. It has no meaning."

And what about the Hawaiian natives with the gall to disgrace their necks with plastic?

"For local people, it's not, we say, 'pono,' not right," Braine said. "It means someone not real."

She spends up to an hour making her most intricate leis, which can contain 100 to 500 flowers. Pretty intense. And that's certainly more than those

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New-look Hawaii depends on defense

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Forget the run-and-shoot offense.

Sure, Hawaii is still going to throw it around this year, even without Colt Brennan or any experienced quarterback. The Warriors will probably find a way to score

their usual 40-plus points, but the offensive side of the ball is not where the identity of this year's squad will be.

This time it's all about the defense.

"(Our linebackers) and our front seven are the strength of our team," Hawaii coach Greg McMackin said.

That's where the Warriors

return most of their players, and while you were busy watching Brennan throw the ball in four- and five-receiver sets, Hawaii actually had five players who made the 2007 All-Western Athletic Conference first team.

Linebackers Adam Leonard (105 tackles, four interceptions and two touchdown returns) and Solomon Elimimian (145 tackles,

1.5 sacks and three pass breakups) are leaders of one of the more experienced groups in the nation.

McMackin, the defensive coordinator last season, took the top gig after former coach June Jones left for a bigger contract at Southern Methodist.

The offensive system will stay the same, and you can't blame McMackin for keeping it. The Warriors' offensive production has been among the most explosive in the nation with quarterbacks and receivers putting up ridiculous numbers. But McMackin's defensive knowledge is where he can make his mark on this team.

"Definitely it was a little bit more physical this year in camp than it has been before," Leonard said. "He's a defensive-minded coach, and he loves that part of the game."

"As far as the defense, the media will put a spin on it that our defense wasn't strong the past couple years, but we didn't get the attention just because of the great athletes we had on offense."

He wasn't kidding about the great athletes. Even in the WAC, Hawaii has a reputation for developing playmakers. Brennan and Timmy Chang, also a quarterback, come to mind.

Now, however, the Warriors don't have that experience. Besides Brennan, they also lost their top four receivers. Brent Rausch was named the starting quarterback recently, but a right bicep injury has his status in question.

In other words, Hawaii won't



Photo Courtesy Hawaii Sports Information Department

Hawaii's Adam Leonard goes for a tackle against Boise State tight end Richie Brockel on Nov. 23.

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Tebow, Gators robbed of chance to get back at Jones

I hate you, June Jones.

There, I said it.

But it's not for the reasons you would think. It's because after making comments about Tim Tebow being a system quarterback that was equal parts hilarious and arrogant, he ran out on us all and took a job at Southern Methodist after last year.

As a sportswriter, I feel robbed on multiple levels. First, he robbed us of a built-in storyline for a game where the Warriors' best performance may come from their patented pregame dance. Secondly, he robbed us from seeing that funny, sarcastic side of Tebow that we all know he has in him.

I know Tim is probably fit to give children baptisms in between touchdown passes, but when you're an athlete of his caliber, there's no



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way you don't have a bit of an ego.

Do you remember what he said when asked about Jones' comments and about former Hawaii quarterback Colt Brennan?

"I think he's a good quarterback, and he runs a good system."

On the surface this seems like your run-of-the-mill, safe response. But seeing the smirk on Tebow's face when he said it, there was definitely a little bite to it.

Especially since Jones was attempting to make the case that Brennan was an NFL-caliber quarterback running an NFL passing attack.

By the way, Hawaii runs the run-and-shoot, and while I am not Sports Illustrated's Peter King, I'm pretty sure no one in the NFL runs anything resembling the run-and-shoot. You'd think he were running the West Coast offense down there or something.

One thing I do know is Tebow ran the run-and-shoot in high school and was mildly successful with it. By mildly, I mean he broke records.

It's safe to say Tebow would have enjoyed pounding Hawaii with Jones at the helm. Maybe there's some way to get SMU to play here Saturday instead of the Warriors.

"That wouldn't be bad, either," Tebow said. "I'm sure they run a good system over there."

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I DID NOT KNOW THAT

■ UF coach Urban Meyer wants a "White Out" at Saturday's game against Hawaii. All fans are encouraged to wear white to the game to support cancer awareness and to stay protected from sunlight.

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Today's question: What will be the result of the UF-Hawaii game?

Monday's question: Who will have the most rushing yards for UF on Saturday? (see right for results)

	Percent (Votes)
Moody	48% (44)
Rainey	30% (27)
Moore	12% (11)
Tebow	10% (9)
91 TOTAL VOTES	

Phillips to start at kicker; second DT spot undecided

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With two days until their first game against Hawaii, the Gators solidified their kicker position and narrowed down the starting defensive tackle candidates.

Senior Jonathan Phillips will be the starting kicker, replacing graduated senior Joey Iijas.

"When I came in, I was a little bit too young. I didn't really know what was going on," Phillips said. "Then when I was ready to kick, I got hurt and that took a whole year. ...

(UF coach Urban Meyer) said, 'Stay. I really think you can do it.' And I said, 'All right,' and

it's happened to work out."

Caleb Sturgis will take the backup spot and will perform kickoff duties.

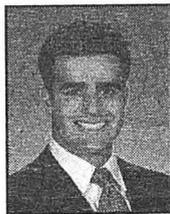
Meyer said Thursday he was still deciding between sophomore Terron Sanders and freshman Matt Patchan for the second defensive tackle spot.

After missing much of preseason practice, Patchan has come on strong in the last week. He has gone from not participating to potential starter. During spring, he was practicing with the first team. Sophomore Lawrence Marsh has had a starting job at nose guard locked up for weeks. Meyer was unsure, however, of the backup quarterback role.

Cameron Newton and John Brantley have

been in competition for that spot all summer, but there is no clear-cut winner.

"They're both fairly even, and hopefully we get them both in the game," Meyer said.



Phillips

MEYER CONFIDENT: Without wide receiver Percy Harvin, Meyer is not worried about the quality of the wide receivers he will put on the field Saturday.

"You've got Riley Cooper, you've got Louis Murphy, Carl Moore has had a brilliant camp," Meyer said.

He is also high on the rest of his offense.

"You have four running backs right now who can basically go into the game, excellent quarterback play and a strong offensive line. Yeah, we'll be okay."

SWEET REWARDS: Thursday was candy day at practice, and all the football players could be seen taking tasty treats out of the practice fields.

They were carrying Skittles, Kit Kats and Butterfingers, but the best reaction was from 6-foot 5, 312-pound offensive lineman Mike Pouncey.

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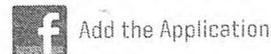
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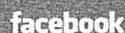


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Warriors lose Brennan, top four receivers

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be in unison with its offensive weapons as much as usual. Leonard has confidence in his players, but admitted "they may not catch their stride in the first game or the second."

"They just have to continue to get reps," McMackin said. "We've been going against each other. Now we need game reps. We'll find out. We're playing, I think, one of the top two teams in the country. So we're going to find out where we are."

When the Warriors ended their 2007 Cinderella season in the Sugar Bowl against Georgia, they didn't look like they knew where they were. A more physical and talented Bulldogs team quickly pounded on Hawaii.

"We were a little star-struck," McMackin said.

"I've been to a lot of bowl games — Orange Bowl, Fiesta Bowl. The atmosphere at that game was unbelievable, a lot because of our fans. It was really a Super Bowl-type atmosphere. We never really got going. That's something we will have learned. We have to go and be ready to play from the start. There's going to be a lot of people (at The Swamp), but we've played in front of a lot of people."



McMackin

And there's that Tim Tebow guy they have to prepare for. "My motto always was, 'If you want to be the best, you have to play the best,'" Leonard said. "To go down there and play in one of the hardest places in the country, I'm just excited."

KARL, from page 21

And what about his teammates? I'm sure his receivers want a piece of good old June.

"I'm not touching that one," wide receiver Louis Murphy said with a laugh.

That laugh said everything to me. But Jones cost us all this June by running out for the big bucks at SMU (though I must admit that I didn't know SMU

had the big bucks to offer).

The highlight of the season for me would have been someone asking June what he thought of the Gators system after what would likely have been a rather embarrassing loss.

I guess I'll have to live with imagining Tebow running across to Hawaii's sideline after throwing a 25-yard strike to Murphy and saying, "How do you like my system?" But it will never be.

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plastic lei companies can brag about.

"It's artwork," Braine said. "Lei-making is artwork."

If you're ever in Waikiki, stop by Auntie Bella's. The small shop's much nicer than those lolo okole puka big lei companies. Braine said she can pack the leis so you can travel for 24 hours without needing refrigeration, and she's even had someone take her leis back to Germany.

Look at that. A column about leis, and not once did we resort to the sophomoric lei/lay joke that was sitting there the whole time.

And now, what you've all been waiting for — the picks!

In first place, due to the wonders of alphabetical order, with a 0-0 record is Assistant Sports Editor Evan "alligatorSports' personal Janitor" Drexler, who spent four hours cleaning the sports office instead of, well, being normal. God forbid a piece

of paper be out of order.

In second, making him the first loser, at 0-0 is Karl "Hungry Hungry" Hyppolite, who is completely whipped by his new wife, Rose, despite her living 350 miles away. He actually knows the exact distance to her apartment, to the meter, but it took him six back-and-forth trips in one week to figure it out.

Our middle man this week, with a 0-0 record, is Phil "Candace Parker, will you marry me?" Kegler, whose love of Tennessee women's basketball is exceeded only by his love for the iPhone. Pray for Earth if he figures out he can get an image of Candace Parker on his iPhone.

In fourth, clocking in with a 0-0 record is Sports Editor Brian "David" Steele, who is so anonymous that the Palm Beach Post got his first name wrong on a recent story. He sure could use a slap in the face with a bucket of opportunity.

In dead-ass last place, with a piss-poor record of 0-8 before the season even begins, is Mike "Oyster King" McCall, whose mastery over all things bivalve even impresses Nick Calathes. But he's still not so cool and sweet it's unreasonable, like his

one true love, Bodie from "The Wire."

Note: McCall was so infuriated that his beloved Eastern Carolina Pirates were not included in our slate of picks this week that he decided to pick ECU in every game except the Gators' contest and the Illinois game (because he hates former Alligator writer Nick Zaccardi more than he loves ECU). Thus, he begins in an 0-8 hole. We cannot confirm that a 2-8 record after week one would be the worst in Picks Column history.

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offseason revolved around an unlikely topic — circumcisions.

Seriously.

No one could have blamed him for wanting to take a break, but that's not his style.

Instead of lying low at home for a while when the eyes of the college football world weren't on him, Tebow spent his three off-season breaks on mission trips.

He had to do his other job, one that's big-

— sister, Christy Allen, is a missionary in Asia; and his two brothers, Robby and Peter, are involved in ministry in Florida.

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Tim has his own long-term goals as well, and they include starting a ministry similar to that of former UF quarterback and Heisman-winner Danny Wuerffel.



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UF quarterback Tim Tebow runs for a first down in the first quarter at Mississippi on Sept. 22, 2007. The Gators defeated the Rebels 30-24.

"I don't think I've ever coached a guy like Tim," coach Urban Meyer said. "He really uses his position as a platform for things that he believes in."

The Price of Fame

Pam Tebow can remember a time when her youngest son wasn't used to his fame.

Then he was still Timmy, and he had just finished his first semester at UF after enrolling in the spring.

Pam and Timmy traveled to Washington, D.C., to collect an award for being the nation's top high school quarterback, but when they couldn't check the trophy on the flight home, Tebow had to lug it around through the airport.

It wouldn't fit in storage compartments or under the seat, either, so he had to keep it squarely on his lap during the flight.

"He was so embarrassed because he doesn't like to draw attention to himself," Pam said.

"It was hysterical. We tried to wrap things around it, but there was nothing we could do because it wouldn't fit in any kind of shopping bag."

He has since adjusted to his high-profile lifestyle, but there are few places he can go without incident.

His trips overseas offered a rare glimpse of anonymity — he said he's approached in Asia simply for being white — but there were a few admirers along the way.

Tebow said he was recognized in a German airport and in the Philippines by two people who spoke only enough English to sound out his name.

His fame has been a blessing for his job as

you say, 'Sure.'

"But if they do the wrong thing in that picture or take advantage of you, or as the picture is about to be taken they take something off, a picture says a thousand words, even if it's not true. Unfortunately, people try to do stuff like that."

Not Done Yet

Tebow's junior season will be watched closely by most around the country to see if he can join former Ohio State running back Archie Griffin as the only players with more than one Heisman Trophy.

But that's the last thing on the minds of Tebow and his coaches and teammates.

What they need from him, aside from his usual stat-filled performances, is to take the team down the field in the clutch.

Critics aren't going to give him the break this year if he doesn't lead this team to a better bowl game.

It's the only thing he hasn't done yet, and if history is any indication, it's a safe bet Tebow will accomplish his goals.

He slapped down critics' claims that he wouldn't be able to run through college defenses in his freshman year by posting eight touchdowns and 5.3 yards per carry.

Then, in his sophomore year, he threw for 3,286 yards, 32 touchdowns and just six interceptions to quiet those who said he wouldn't be a productive passer.

He became the first player in NCAA history to rush and pass for 20 touchdowns in one season.

But what made him such a deadly threat — his ability to run and throw — sometimes posed a problem for the Gators when time

With the clock ticking down, defenses didn't have to worry about Tebow taking off downfield and instead dropped into coverage.

That left the offense out of sync, and it wasn't as effective.

In the LSU loss, Florida took the ball with 1:09 on the clock needing a touchdown for the win.

Tebow broke off a 21-yard run, but he was 1-for-5 passing with an intentional grounding penalty on the drive, which ended when the clock ran out after a desperation heave.

Sequences like that are all that Tebow's naysayers have left to cling to, and Meyer and offensive coordinator Dan Mullen have made it a focus this offseason.

"Pocket presence and obviously to be able to win a game in a two minute drill (are what Tebow can improve)" Meyer said.

"We have worked extremely hard on the pocket presence, and that comes from experience. Whenever I talk about Tim I say that he has pretty good personnel around him, so you can bet that he's going to be able to throw the ball down the field. People can criticize a quarterback all they want, but Tim can throw."

Call it passion, competitiveness or whatever you want, Tim Tebow just wants to play.

A summer away from the excitement of football games is an eternity for him, and the pent-up energy leaves him like a caged animal.

And that's bad news for everyone else. The new and improved Tebow is coming.

"I don't know if anyone can't wait to get out there more than me," he said.

No. 5 UF opens season as huge favorite against rebuilt Hawaii

■ WARRIORS COACH CALLED THE GATORS ONE OF THE BEST TEAMS IN THE NATION.

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No June Jones or Colt Brennan.

No. 5 UF opens its 2008 season Saturday against a Hawaii team that went 12-1 last year, although with a different coach and a different quarterback.

Jones, now the coach at Southern Methodist, stirred up plenty of controversy last fall by referring to UF quarterback Tim Tebow as a "system quarterback."

The comments were made in an attempt to bolster his quarterback's Heisman Trophy chances, although Brennan still fell short in the end.

The removal of those two storylines means it will be just another regular-season opener for the Gators against a team picked to finish fourth in the Western Athletic Conference by the league's coaches.

UF is roughly a 35-point favorite, according to many betting Web sites.

Hawaii coach Greg McMackin knows the uphill battle his team faces and thinks UF should be ranked higher than fifth in the country.

"We played Georgia last year, and I think Florida's at least (No.) 1 or 2," McMackin said in a teleconference.

"With the Heisman Trophy winner and then playing at The Swamp, that's a big challenge. I believe in my coaches and players, but it's a big challenge."

Hawaii's task will be made even more difficult by the 12:30 p.m. kickoff, which is the equivalent of a 6:30 a.m. start in Honolulu. McMackin said his team regularly practices at 7 a.m. back home, which will help smooth the adjustment across time zones.

"That's just something you have to deal with," McMackin said. "It's just about the time we practice. We're going to be fine with it."

Travel was also a concern for the Warriors, who left their island home on Tuesday, flying to Atlanta with a connection in Los Angeles.

Hawaii planned to practice at Georgia Tech's facilities for a few days before flying to Ocala and staying there until a final bus trip to Gainesville on game day.

The crowd noise will pose yet another challenge, with Ben Hill Griffin Stadium's capacity listed at 88,548. McMackin said he piped in noise during the Warriors' practice this week, although he doesn't expect that to represent what his team will face Saturday.



Meyer

For UF, this weekend will be a chance to show just what improvements have been made since last year's disappointing 9-4 record. Meyer said the two biggest advancements came at the running back and cornerback positions.

Kestahn Moore, Chris Rainey, Emmanuel Moody and possibly Jeff Demps are all expected to see time at running back Saturday.

"Our goal for them is to just get them the ball, which is something that we have not done," Meyer said. "I'm kind of like a fan in that I can't wait to see these guys

play."

The defense has plenty to prove coming off a season where it finished last in the Southeastern Conference in pass defense.

A big part of the problem was the lack of pass rush, something defensive end Carlos Dunlap says will change come Saturday.

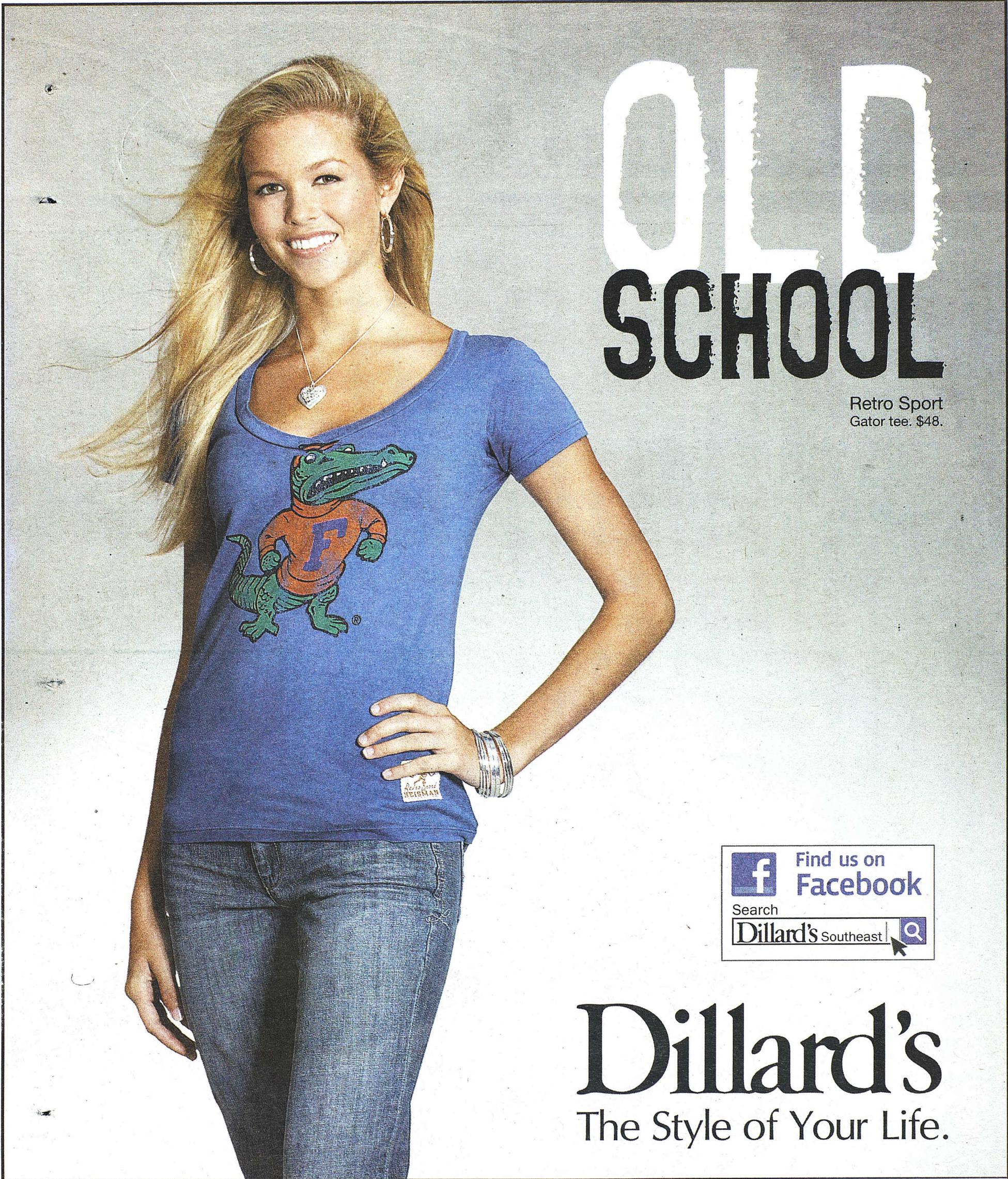
"The defensive line is going to show out," Dunlap said.

"It's going to show everybody what we've got, so everybody knows what we have. Ain't going to hide nothing."

"Right now we're just hiding it. First game, you're going to see for yourself. Ya'll can judge us."

Saturday also begins Tebow's second season as a starter. McMackin said his defense wouldn't prepare any special scheme to handle Tebow but rather focus on execution.

"You just have to run your basic defenses and be sound and everybody do their job and their responsibility," McMackin said. "It makes you a lot more disciplined."



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