

WICKOFF WICKOFF

► Florida's matchup with FIU at 12:30 p.m. Saturday should give the Gators a chance to rest some of their veterans while giving reserves an opportunity to make a case for playing time. See Story, Page 32.

Big Dropoff



Can't Turn the Corner

UF struggles to rack up big plays without Harvin

By **BOBBY CALLOVI**
Alligator Staff Writer
bcallovi@alligator.org

When Percy Harvin left Florida early for the NFL, he took with him more than a third of the offense's big plays in conference games.

The Gators have struggled this season filling the void left by the play-making receiver.

Harvin could attack defenses anywhere on the field, rushing or receiving.

Florida coach Urban Meyer knew entering the season that replacing the big-play threats of Harvin and fellow receiver Louis Murphy, who added another eight of the Gators' 40 plays longer than 20 yards during the conference slate, would not be easy.

But Meyer did not imagine how much of a struggle it was going to be.

In Southeastern Conference games, the number of plays longer than 20 yards are down to 31, and out of those only nine went for touchdowns compared to 17 in 2008 — a decrease of 14 percentage points, from 43 percent last season to 29 this season.

With opposing defenses realizing the big plays were likely to come from the three dynamic backs for the Gators, teams have schemed to take away the outside runs that allowed the UF running backs to use their speed to break off huge gains.

The Gators have had to pound the ball up the middle, limiting the speed threat of Jeff Demps, Chris Rainey and Emmanuel Moody.

That has left it up to the receivers to make most of those game-changing plays, and they have dropped the ball, literally.

"I was concerned about it. Any time you lose two talented guys and CI (tight end Cornelius Ingram) got hurt as well, and he had some big-play potential, so you are always worried about that," Meyer said. "I was expecting more hits out of our tailbacks than we have had so far, but we still have some big games left and I know we are down, but we (are) also up in some other areas."

The Percy Effect

There wasn't much Harvin didn't do for the Gators offense in the three years he was at Florida.

He lined up in the backfield, in the slot and out wide, and he was a threat to break off a big play from wherever he was on the field.

Not only was he a threat all over the field, but Harvin could hurt defenses rushing or receiving. He racked up 10 catches and four rushes longer than 20 yards in conference play last season.

While the Florida coaches define a big play as anything more than 20 yards, Harvin often extended those plays to 30 yards or more.

Five of his 14 big plays were more than 30 yards.

UF offensive coordinator Steve Addazio recognized Harvin as a major reason for why the really big plays are down this year.

"Who was the guy that made those big runs? The guy that will be the Rookie of the Year in the NFL," Addazio said of Harvin, who

has scored three receiving and two kickoff return touchdowns in his first season with the Minnesota Vikings after being picked in the first round.

He wasn't just providing the Gators with a lot of big plays, but he was doing it on a consistent basis.

Harvin had at least one play longer than 20 yards in every conference game in 2008 and added two more in the BCS National Championship Game, leading the Gators in rushing with 122 yards on just nine carries on the way to winning the national title.

His departure not only took away a large portion of the Gators' big-play potential, but it changed the focal point of the offense.

Running Backs

Without Harvin or Murphy returning, it wasn't hard to see who the Gators would rely on to provide them with big plays.

Florida was bringing back three speedy running backs, who combined for 12 of the 18 big plays not made by the receiving duo.

Demps, Rainey and Moody had the ability to provide Florida with the explosive plays they would be losing, especially Demps.

In his freshman season, Demps totaled six runs for more than 20 yards. In fact, they were all longer than 30 yards.

But without Harvin and Murphy to occupy defenses, opponents have been scheming to keep Demps and the other two backs bottled up.

Defenses have been playing to prevent the trio from getting to the



Harrison Diamond / Alligator Staff

UF sophomore Jeff Demps and fellow running backs Chris Rainey and Emmanuel Moody have been forced to mostly run inside this season, due to defenses forcing them up the middle.

outside, limiting the open space where they can use their speed.

Demps said he expected defenses to force him inside this season after the success the Gators had last year running outside.

"Defenses are spreading out to the wide field more than they did last year because we try to get the ball on the perimeter, so they're blitzing a linebacker to the field," Demps said.

That game plan has worked, allowing Demps to only rush for more than 20 yards four times in conference play and none longer than 25 yards.

Rainey and Moody have not fared much better, with only two runs longer than 20 yards each, and only Moody has had one longer than 30 yards in SEC games. Being forced to run between the tackles, the backs have had to fight through tackles to break off big runs.

And if they are going to start providing the Gators with the huge plays that Meyer expected from them before the season, the three backs are going to have to make them in the middle of the field.

"The holes are there. We just got to do a better job of breaking tackles and get vertical," Demps said.

Wide Receivers

It was not going to be easy replacing Harvin and Murphy's production in the passing game.

But Meyer still expected his current receivers to step up more than they have.

With the running backs being forced to run up the middle, Meyer said he needs the receivers to be able to spark the offense with big plays on the outside. They have had their chances, but multiple drops have plagued the receivers this season especially on deep balls.

After catching a slant and running with it for a 68-yard touchdown on the first drive against South Carolina, senior Riley Cooper let two other deep passes go off his fingertips later in the game.

"You got to make those plays," Addazio said. "If you go back and systematically look through the season, you will see that they are there to be made."

While dropped balls are the most glaring reason the Gators have not come up with big plays in the passing game, they have also lacked plays with a lot of yards after the catch, something that has been part of Meyer's offenses in previous years.

"We have had some opportunities and some guys have pulled through them and others guys haven't," Meyer said. "We have had some big plays from our guys. I remember one year Bubba Caldwell caught a bubble screen and took it 70 yards. We haven't had that yet this year."

Senior receiver David Nelson, whose longest reception this season is 14 yards, said they have been working in practice on breaking tackles in the open field to try igniting more big plays off short passes.

Besides Cooper's touchdown on a slant route against South Carolina, the receivers have been unable to beat a defender after the catch.

Nelson knows it is important for the receivers to start filling Harvin's big-play void with the postseason approaching, and teams game-planning to stop the running backs.

"It's one of those things if they are playing the run, we need to start beating them with the pass. We need to start beating them with the pass and with big plays in the passing game," Nelson said.

statistical breakdown

FIU		FLORIDA
25.1	Points Per Game	33.9
33.4	Points Allowed Per Game	10.5
221.8	Passing Yards Per Game	198.1
100.8	Rushing Yards Per Game	230.6
252.4	Passing Yards Allowed Per Game	139.6
238.5	Rushing Yards Allowed Per Game	94.3
58/162 (36%)	3rd Down Conversions	56/127 (44%)
61/152 (40%)	3rd Down Defense	37/138 (27%)
31/38 (63%)	Red Zone Scoring Efficiency (TD %)	36/48 (44%)
37/44 (55%)	Red Zone Defense (TD%)	14/17 (35%)
-3	Turnover Margin	+7

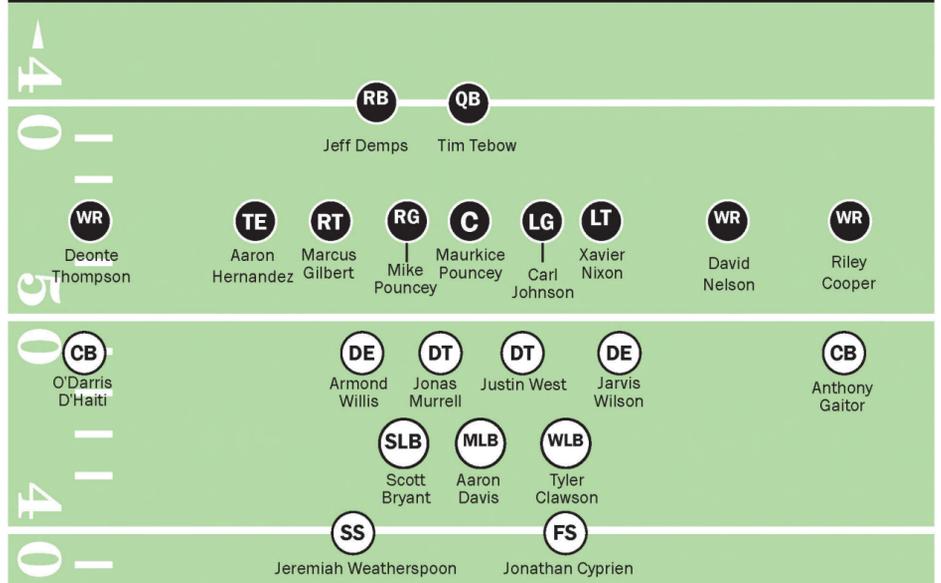
by the NUMBERS

- 9** Losses by Urban Meyer in four-plus seasons at UF.
- 9** Wins by Mario Cristobal in two-plus seasons at FIU.
- 1** All-time wins by Sun Belt Conference opponents in 14 games vs. Florida(North Texas defeated UF 20-12 in 1947.
- 0** Losses for the Gators in 15 nonconference home games under Meyer.
- .516** Current winning percentage of Florida's 12 regular-season opponents (63-59).
- .538** Current winning percentage of FIU's 12 regular-season opponents (63-54).

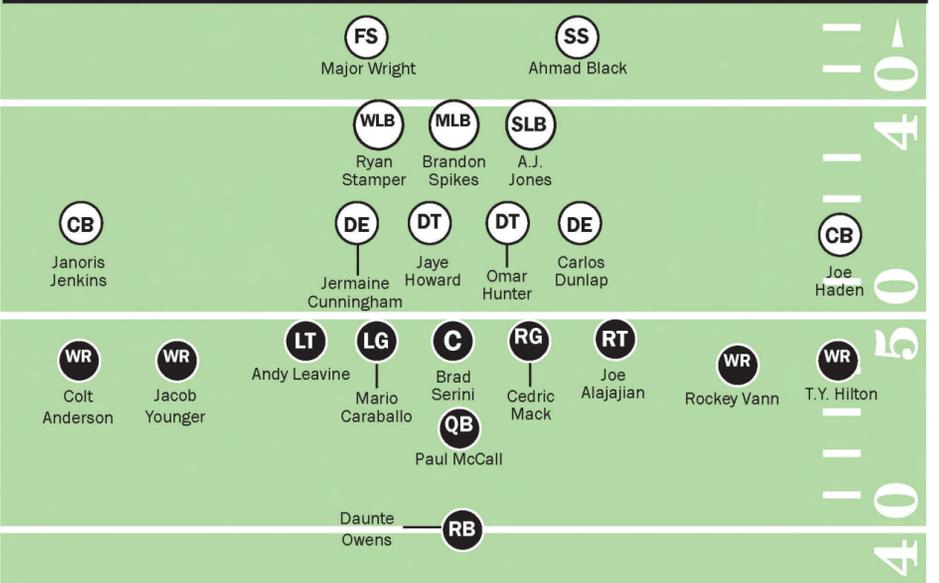
INJURY REPORT

- OUT**
 - WR Carl Moore (back)
 - CB Jeremy Brown (back)
 - DT Brandon Antwine (knee)
 - RB Emmanuel Moody (ankle)
 - DT Terron Sanders (rib)
- QUESTIONABLE**
 - Jermaine Cunningham (shoulder)
- INJURY REPORT**
- DOUBTFUL**
 - LB Winston Fraser (neck)
- QUESTIONABLE**
 - S Chuck Grace (ankle)

UF offense vs. FIU defense



UF defense vs. FIU offense



TEXT ESTATES TO 47464
THEESTATESUF.COM



TEXT UCLUB TO 47464
UNIVERSITYCLUBAPTS.COM



TEXT ROYAL TO 47464
ROYALVILLAGE.COM

STANDARD TEXT RATES APPLY



Harrison Diamond / Alligator Staff

Poking Fun

Acupuncture physician Jennifer Downey treats George, one of her patients, at Gainesville Community Acupuncture Thursday afternoon. Downey and her partner, Theresa Rizzo-Ovia, treat patients in a group setting, which allows them to see more patients at once to reduce the treatment's price. They also offer a sliding fee scale that sets the cost of a session based on each patient's income. See Story, Page 5.

Heisman tour makes Swamp stop

■ IT WILL TAKE PLACE FROM 6 P.M. TO 9 P.M. AT THE SWAMP RESTAURANT

By **CJ PRUNER**
 Alligator Writer

The road to the Heisman is going through Gainesville once more.

From 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. today, the coveted award given to the top college football player in the country, will be on display on the front lawn of The Swamp Restaurant, located at 1642 W University Ave.

The display is part of Nissan's 2009 Southeast Heisman Trophy Tour, which has the trophy traveling to different cities across the South, mostly those with Southeastern Conference schools.

"It's exactly where it needs to be the day before Game Day," said Kathleen Williams, the restaurant's office manager. "There's so much life and spirit with our fans. We want to make this experience special."

The trophy is scheduled to be in Gainesville until Saturday when it will then travel to Jacksonville for the Jaguars-Bills game. The tour will conclude with a weeklong trip to Atlanta, the site of the SEC title game.

Fans will be allowed to look at, touch and take pictures with the trophy. Those in attendance will also be allowed to enter their names into a drawing for a trip to the Heisman ceremony in New York City this December.

Michael Taphorn, the restaurant's general manager, had been trying for the past few months to get the trophy. When he found out on Wednesday that it would be on display at his restaurant, he was ecstatic.

"Sure you can go down to the stadium and see it, but how many times do you get a chance to actually touch it?" he said.

According to Taphorn, an average Friday evening at Swamp sees about 500 customers come and go. He hopes the display will bring in double that amount.

In honor of the occasion, the restaurant will be offering a special "Heisman drink," which will consist of Jack Daniel's, cranberry juice and Triple Sec.

For Justin Morris, a criminology junior and a die-hard Gators football fan, seeing the trophy is more than enough to make the stroll down University Avenue.

"Oh yeah, I'm definitely excited," he said. "Hopefully Tim will win a second one and solidify himself as the greatest college football player of all time."

Homecoming Queen gets DUI

■ SHE IS THE FORMER PRESIDENT OF DELTA GAMMA SORORITY.

UF's Homecoming Queen was arrested on a charge of driving under the influence early Thursday morning.

Kristen Gillis, 21, was pulled over at about 2 a.m. on West University Avenue after running two red lights, according to the arrest report.

When asked if she had been drinking, Gillis told the arresting officer she had one beer about six hours earlier, the report stated.

After failing field sobriety tests, she was arrested and taken to a University Police Department holding cell, where she consented to a breath test.

Her blood-alcohol content was determined to be almost

.14. The legal driving limit is .08.

She was booked in the Alachua County Jail and released later that day.



Gillis

Gillis declined comment when reached by phone.

In addition to Homecoming Queen, which was announced at Gator Growl last month, Gillis is the Panhellenic Woman of the Year and former president of Delta Gamma sorority.

She has also held positions in Florida Blue Key, the Florida Cicerones, Dance Marathon and the First and Fifteen flag football philanthropy, according to a profile on UF's Web site.

—THOMAS STEWART

■ UF junior forward Chandler Parsons (right) has found success as the Gators' sixth man through his first two games. He's leading the team with nine rebounds per game. See Story, Page 21.



County officials warn residents to beware of magazine salespeople

Alachua County police would like residents of Gainesville to be on the lookout for seasonal scams after responding to a suspicious disturbance call Tuesday.

Police responded to a call at the Days Inn at 7516 W Newberry Road and found a 17-year-old girl trying to sell magazines door to door, Alachua Sheriff's Office spokesman Art Forgey said.

They found that the girl belonged to a group of about 50 out-of-towners working the Gainesville area, several of whom had

extensive criminal histories, he said.

Although there is no evidence that this group is acting illegally, police ask residents to be extra careful this holiday season.

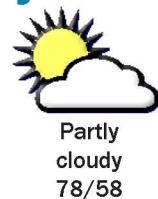
Forgey said it's not unusual for criminals from the north to come down and run similar scams during colder months then leave before anyone realizes what happened.

"I think any time you've got people from out of town, you need to make sure what you're buying is legitimate," Forgey said.

—KATHERINE BEIN

Today

FORECAST	2
OPINIONS	6
CLASSIFIEDS	16
CROSSWORD	17
SPORTS	21



visit www.alligator.org

News Today

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Great American Smoke-Out

Today, 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Turlington Plaza
Colleges Against Cancer, the Alachua County Health Department and GatorWell will be providing you with the necessary materials to stop smoking. For more information, visit relayforlife.org/uffl.

Free Concert at Pascal's Coffeehouse

Today, 7:30 p.m.
Pascal's Coffeehouse and Gallery 112 NW 16th St. (inside the Christian Study Center)
Join us for our first Friday concert series featuring local musical artists Andrew Duran, Sally Privette and Nathan Beam. Music starts at 7:30. This event is free and open to the public.

Start and end Shabbat at Hillel

2020 W. University Ave.
Today, 7 p.m. and Saturday, 5 p.m.
Hillel will have Shabbat services today at 7 p.m., followed by free Kosher dinner at 8:30 p.m. On Saturday at 5 p.m., students can choose between a yoga class or a learning discussion and Ma'ariv service. A community Havdallah service and song session will follow at 6:15 p.m.

AEPHI Afterdark

Friday night, 1 a.m. to 4 a.m.
Party and philanthropy at the AEPHI house. Enjoy DJ Red Alert and food. Tickets are \$5 presale and \$7 at the door. All proceeds go to the Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation. Check AEPHI Afterdark Facebook group for more information.

FORECAST

TODAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
PARTLY CLOUDY	PARTLY CLOUDY	PARTLY CLOUDY	PARTLY CLOUDY	RAIN
78/58	72/52	75/52	73/52	73/52

Alpha Zeta Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.
Applebee's, 1005 NW 13th St.
Enjoy a delicious pregame breakfast at Applebee's while supporting the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences' co-ed honors fraternity. Tickets are \$6 and can be purchased presale or at the door.

Lakeside's First Annual Culture Clash

Sunday, 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Come out and enjoy performances, games and free food as Lakeside Residence Hall and Graduate & Family Housing take you on a journey through the countries of the world.

Got an event?

And want to post it in this space? Send an e-mail to bkelly@alligator.org with "What's Happening" in the subject line. Please include a one- to two-sentence synopsis of the event. Make sure all submissions are formatted properly. Space in this section is limited, and inclusion of event postings is up to the discretion of the Editorial Department.



The Alligator strives to be accurate and clear in its news reports and editorials. If you find an error, please call our newsroom at 352-376-4458 or send an e-mail to editor@alligator.org.

the independent florida alligator

VOLUME 103 ISSUE 63

ISSN 0889-2423

Not officially associated with the University of Florida
Published by Campus Communications Inc., of Gainesville, Florida

NEWSROOM

352-376-4458 (Voice), 352-376-4467 (Fax)
Editor Kristin Bjornsen, kbjornsen@alligator.org
Managing Editor / Print Brian Kelley, bkelly@alligator.org
Managing Editor / Online Jennifer Jenkins, jjenkins@alligator.org
Assistant Online Editor Andrew Stanfill, astanfill@alligator.org
Metro Editor Emily Fuggetta, efuggetta@alligator.org
University Editor Chelsea Keenan, ckeenan@alligator.org
Will Olsen, wolsen@alligator.org
Opinions Editor Phil Kegler, pkegler@alligator.org
Sports Editor Kyle Maistri, kmaistri@alligator.org
Assistant Sports Editor Bobby Callovi, bcallovi@alligator.org
alligatorSports.org Editor Kristin Bjornsen, Brian Kelley, Jennifer Jenkins, Will Olsen
Editorial Board Harrison Diamond, hdiamond@alligator.org
Photo Editor Matt Tripp, mtripp@alligator.org
Assistant Photo Editor Ashley Ross, aross@alligator.org
Freelance Editor the Avenue Editor Lane Nieset, lnieset@alligator.org
Graphics Chief Jessica Warshaver
Copy Desk Chiefs Jack Benge, Adam Berry, Emily Blake, Joe Holzer, Rachael Pino
Copy Editors Alex Chachkevitch, Sanika Dange, Ashley Hemmy, Corey McCall, Amanda Milligan, Emily Morrow, George Pappas, Paul Runnestrand, Jennifer Smith, Erica Zayas

DISPLAY ADVERTISING

352-376-4482, 800-496-0265 (Voice), 352-376-4556 (Fax)
Advertising Director Rose Sierra, rsierra@alligator.org
Advertising Office Manager Victoria Livingston, vlivingston@alligator.org
Advertising Assistant Melissa Bell
Intern Coordinator Sara Ingebretsen
Display Advertising Clerks Sara Ingebretsen, Shaun O'Connor
Sales Representatives Zoya Ayaeva, Jen Cowie, Caitlin Dilks, Natasha Dykes, Brittany Fayne, Joaquin Martinez, Megan Meckstroth, Samantha Owen, Melany Valderrama

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

352-373-FIND (Voice), 352-376-3015 (Fax)
Classified Advertising Manager Ellen Light, ellight@alligator.org
Classified Clerks Ashley Flattery, Wildivina Rosario

CIRCULATION

Operations Assistant David Carlson

BUSINESS

352-376-4446 (Voice), 352-376-4556 (Fax)
Comptroller Ramona Malloy
Senior Bookkeeper Melissa Bell, mbell@alligator.org
Accounting Clerks Stephen Roskowski, Dyana Sanchez
Assistant Bookkeeper Amanda Miller

ADMINISTRATION

352-376-4446 (Voice), 352-376-4556 (Fax)
General Manager Patricia Carey, tcarey@alligator.org
Administrative Manager Judy Moore
Administrative Assistant Lenora McGowan, lmcgowan@alligator.org
President Emeritus C.E. Barber, cebarber@alligator.org

SYSTEMS

Desktop Support Manager Kevin Hart

PRODUCTION

Production Manager Stephanie Gocklin, sgocklin@alligator.org
Assistant Production Manager Erica Bales, ebales@alligator.org
Advertising Production Staff Shannon Close, Doug Eastman, Shaun O'Connor, Briana O'Sullivan
Editorial Production Staff Erica Ervin, Jocelyne Sanchez, Max Weissler

The Independent Florida Alligator is a student newspaper serving the University of Florida, published by a nonprofit 501 (c)(3) educational organization, Campus Communications Inc., P.O. Box 14257, Gainesville, Florida, 32604-2257. The Alligator is published Monday through Friday mornings, except during holidays and exam periods. During UF summer academic terms The Alligator is published Tuesdays and Thursdays.

The Alligator is a member of the Newspaper Association of America, National Newspaper Association, Florida Press Association and Southern University Newspapers.

Subscription Rates: One Semester (Fall or Spring) \$18
Summer Semester \$10
Two Semesters (Fall or Spring) \$35
Full Year (All Semesters) \$40

The Alligator offices are located at 1105 W. University Ave. Classified advertising can be placed at that location from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, except for holidays. Classifieds also can be placed at the UF Bookstore. © Copyright 2005. All rights reserved. No portion of The Alligator may be reproduced in any means without the written consent of an officer of Campus Communications Inc.

keep it COOL
Auto A/C Starters Alternators
Repair/Service Foreign & Domestic
Free Electrical Check with purchase
AAMAC
378-7676
508 8th Ave.

GAINESVILLE'S ULTIMATE SPORTS BAR
Art of Billiards
opening at
11:45 AM... Grab Your Seat
For the 12:30 Kick-off against FIU
Free halftime muchies
Game Time Specials:
Beat the Clock 60oz
Domestic Pitchers start at \$4 at kickoff
All Game Day: \$3.50 Bourbon Meyers
\$4 Jager Shots
Check out our website for the all new drink specials.
Remember us for your holiday parties. Schedule now.
352.225.3535 — 4251 SW 13th St.
HOURS: Mon-Thu 3pm-2am
Fri & Sat Noon-2am - Sunday Noon-11pm
www.artofbilliards.com

This paper has been there, done that.
alligator
printed on recycled newsprint
RECYCLE YOUR NEWSPAPER.

ON CAMPUS

Students react to distribution of altered Darwin book

By ALISON SCHWARTZ
Alligator Writer

There are still remnants of paper stuffed in Corey Davila's trash can from Wednesday morning.

After reading creationist author Ray Comfort's introduction tacked onto the thousands of copies of Charles Darwin's "On the Origin of Species" distributed near Turlington Plaza, he described his reaction as instinctual.

"I ripped them out," the UF women's studies freshman said in reference to Comfort's 49-page

introduction. "It's still a perfectly good book, just without the introduction."

The introduction criticized evolution, describing Darwin's theory as racist and sexist.

Charles Baer, an assistant professor in UF's department of biology, countered the criticisms and urged students to consider the historical context of Darwin's theory.

"I would say read the origins first, then read the rebuttal," he said. "Read it in chronological order."

Bridge-Logos Foundation, a nonprofit publishing company

"I do believe in evolution, but I don't believe that just because I believe in evolution, I can't believe life was created by a higher power,"

Corey Davila
UF Student

based in Alachua, published about 170,000 copies of the book, according to Shawn Myers, a representative of the foundation.

Myers said the book, which is valued at \$4.99, was originally restricted to students.

After it gained widespread national interest, it was made available on Amazon.com.

She said the foundation has received mixed feedback.

In one e-mail directed at the publishing company, a UF student wrote, "Giving this book out on college campuses is an offense to the intelligence of the next generation of leaders and a dangerous placement of deceitful propaganda."

In another e-mail, a local business owner wrote, "You created a big stir, which is exactly what is needed."

Myers wasn't surprised.

"It's pretty funny because we really never see anyone in between," she said. "It's completely bias(ed) either one way or the other."

As the 150th anniversary of "On the Origin of Species" approaches, Davila said he recognized the rocky foundation of this issue.

"I do believe in evolution, but I don't believe that just because I believe in evolution, I can't believe life was created by a higher power," Davila said. "I believe life was initiated by a higher being, but science and evolution — there's just too much proof."

SHCC gives out about 1,400 swine flu vaccines Thursday

■ ADDITIONAL VACCINES AVAILABLE MONDAY AT THE REITZ UNION.

BY ELIZABETH BEHRMAN
Alligator Contributing Writer

Students waiting outside the Student Health Care Center Thursday had more on their minds than the upcoming Thanksgiving break.

About 1,400 students stopped by the center to receive the H1N1 vaccine between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

They met with medical professionals

under the check-in tent to discuss whether to get the vaccine as an injection or as a nasal mist.

Kat Lindsey, marketing coordinator for the SHCC, said the center received 1,850 doses Monday, including 500 nasal mists with the live virus. The rest were injections with the inactive form of the virus.

Lindsey said the injection is mainly for high-risk patients, especially those with chronic conditions.

She said people may think the live virus is dangerous, but it is perfectly safe for any healthy person younger than 25.

"That's why we've had the medical staff set up to talk to folks and give them the option," Lindsey said.

Senior Jennifer Frey got the vaccine because she has asthma and her doctor recommends she gets flu shots.

On Campus "I decided this was the right choice, especially because I talked to people in the medical community and they said they definitely recommend it, and they're getting it for themselves and their family," she said.

Senior Kaylee McCall said she got the

injection because she is traveling out of the country after she graduates and will be spending eight hours on a plane.

However, she said she feels the injection is only necessary for travelers or people with health risks.

"I think you build up an immunity to it just being around it," McCall said.

Lindsey said the center's administrators will meet Friday to discuss how they will distribute leftover doses.

She said they will be offering more vaccinations at the Reitz Union Monday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Ride to SOUTH FLORIDA this
THANKSGIVING in

our luxury motorcoaches will take you
home for the holidays and bring you back!

Luxury

Red Carpet Treatment

Plush Reclining Seats with Footrests

Luxury Late Model Coaches

Onboard Beverage & Snacks

Safe Professional Drivers

Free Onboard WiFi

Blockbuster Movies

Multiple Stops in So Fla

Everyday Low Fares

DEPARTING FROM GAINESVILLE

Monday 11/23 - 4:30PM

Tuesday 11/24 - 12:30AM & 4:30PM

Wednesday 11/25 - 12:30AM

RETURNING FROM SO. FLORIDA

Friday 11/27 - 4:30PM

Sunday 11/29 - 10:00AM & 2:00PM

RESERVE YOUR
TICKET TODAY!!!

Fabulous
EXPRESS

A Ray Land Productions Company

WWW.GOFABULOUS.COM | 1-877-GOFABULOUS



SPOTLIGHT ON THE SWAMP

UF HyGreen system recognized by Popular Science

By **CJ PRUNER**
Alligator Writer

One of Gainesville's newest innovations has earned praise on the national stage.

Popular Science, a monthly magazine with a circulation of about 1.3 million, has recognized Xhale Innovations Inc.'s HyGreen system with the 2009 Best of What's New award. The award, the magazine's top honor, is given to 100 recipients out of thousands of entrants.

"We are thrilled by the award," Elena Casson, Xhale's director of marketing, wrote in an e-mail. "It's such an honor to be rated one of the top new technologies by such a well-known publication."

Developed at UF by Dr. Richard Melker and Dr. Donn Dennis along with a team of Xhale engineers, the HyGreen hand sensors monitor the cleanliness of health care workers' hands.

After washing their hands, health care workers, who wear small bad-

ges, run their hands underneath the sensors. When they have scrubbed their hands thoroughly, the badge will give off a green light that tells the worker that he or she may proceed to work with a patient.

Another monitor is set up near a patient's bed. When the health care worker approaches, the bed-



Melker

side monitor sends out infrared and acoustic signals to the badges. If the monitor reads clean, it will give off a green light. If health care workers need to go back and wash their hands more thoroughly, the monitor will vibrate.

The HyGreen system helps prevent the transmission of health care-acquired infections, which according to statistics provided by Xhale Innovations Inc., account for the deaths of nearly 270 people in the U.S. daily and about \$40 billion in health care

costs. At this time, the system is only at Shands, but the company is taking orders and will be installing in April 2010. The cost will vary depending on the size of the hospital.

Although the company is completely focused on the HyGreen at this point, Casson said, Xhale would like to take its technology into the food service industry.

"Wouldn't you like to know if your waiter or waitress has washed their hands?" she said.

Improv group hosts benefit

■ PROCEEDS WILL GO TO TOYS FOR TOTS FOR NEEDY CHILDREN

By **RENEE MONTALTO**
Alligator Contributing Writer

Augie Artiles will help play Santa Claus for children in Alachua County this year as he and other members of a comedy group collect toys for children in need.

Artiles and other members of Aracka Spontaneous Comedy! will host their second annual Toys for Tots benefit show at Brophy's Irish Pub, 60 SW Second St. at 9 p.m. Saturday.

Every person who attends is encouraged to bring a toy for a less-fortunate child in Alachua County, Artiles said.

Aracka spokeswoman Lauren Harmon said events like Toys for Tots are important because each toy impacts a child.

"Coming out to events like this affect(s) the community in ways you wouldn't imagine," Harmon said. "Any toy helps at least one child have a better Christmas."

Harmon said coming out and supporting Aracka and Toys for Tots, will help someone you might never expect.

"You never know who you are influencing. It might just be your next-door neighbor who is benefiting from this," she said.

Artiles said the main focus of the Toys for Tots show is to give underprivileged children a message of hope and encouragement through a toy.

"There are a whole bunch of underprivileged children, and we want to raise as many toys as we can so they can have a nice Christmas," Artiles said.

"You never know who you are influencing."

Lauren Harmon
Aracka Spontaneous Comedy spokeswoman

Harmon said there are a lot of families who cannot afford toys for their children, especially in this economy, so to be able to provide families with toys would help make a memorable Christmas.

"Without Toys for Tots, millions of children would not have the opportunity to experience the type of Christmas that they deserve," Harmon said.

The show will open with three local stand-up comedians, continue with improv from Aracka's cast members and end with karaoke.

Toys should be new, unwrapped and age-appropriate for children younger than 15.

"No matter what the toy is, bringing anything is such a help," Artiles said.

Song covered for kids

By **JOHN J. BOOTHE**
Alligator Contributing Writer

At the end of the third quarter, the crowd rises, arms lock and 90,000 begin to sway to a simple, 10-stanza song.

As the crowd draws out the last high note of "We Are The Boys From Old Florida," Ben Hill Griffin Stadium resumes its regular, Richter scale-registering raucous. But for some fans, like local artist Mark Gaignard, the tune lingers and the less-than-a-minutelong chorus isn't enough to mute the calling song for all hard-core Gators fans.

So Gaignard, former front man of the band Big Sky, is recording his own version of the song for the charity Big Brothers Big Sisters of Mid-Florida.

The studio-recorded song will be in Jack Johnson spirit.

Paul Halpern, executive director of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Mid-Florida, said all of the funds will go directly to helping local children.

With his YouTube version garnering

more than 4,600 views in two weeks, Gaignard feels like it's only a matter of time before he begins making money for the charity.

Although the tune is prominently featured by UF athletic teams, Gaignard doesn't think he should owe royalties when the song is put up for sale.

"I would love to see them try and squash it," he said. "Do you know how much extra publicity that would be?"

David A. Waybright, UF director of bands, confirmed in an e-mail that the university owns rights to the band version but the lyrics and tune are public domain for anyone to use.

"You know I'm a good guy, and I've played a lot of shows and had a lot of fans," Gaignard said. "But I would be very proud if I can contribute in this way."

For more information, search "We Are The Boys" on YouTube or visit bbbsmidflorida.org.

COLD STONE CREAMERY

Buy 1 Get 1 Free

Like It size or bigger with this coupon

WE DELIVER

j. doobies

WRAPS & STACKS

SUN-WED 11AM-3AM
THURS, FRI & SAT 11AM-4AM
WWW.JDOOBIES.COM

672-6111
FREE WIFI
NEXT TO SWEETBAY
34TH ST. PLAZA

RESERVE YOUR COTTAGE TODAY!

COTTAGE GROVE AT GAINESVILLE

EST. 2007

A FRONT PORCH COMMUNITY

facebook

4600 SW 13th Street, Gainesville, FL 32608

SG STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Tackling Cancer

SG FLC FRESHMAN LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

Benefitting the American Cancer Society

Sunday, November 22nd at 7 pm

Reitz Union Amphitheatre

A one of a kind event for the University of Florida brought to you by Student Government, the Freshman Leadership Council, Dance Marathon, RUB Entertainment & the American Cancer Society!

STUDENT LIVING REDEFINED
352.373.7959 | CottageGroveatGainesville.com

UF, FIU spar for breasts

By **BRANDON BRESLOW**
Alligator Contributing Writer

Before UF and Florida International University face off on the football field Saturday, the schools are teaming up to inform fans about breast cancer.

Students from UF's College of Medicine will educate fans about breast cancer prevention and awareness from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday in the FanFest area south of the O'Connell Center.

Rep. Debbie Wasserman Schultz, a UF graduate, will attend the event.

Schultz is a breast cancer survivor and a supporter of university research and philanthropy.

"I am thrilled to be raising awareness and increasing education about breast cancer with my alma mater," she said. "The phenomenal work The Gator Nation is doing to shed light on breast cancer has not gone unno-

ticed."

UF spokeswoman Janine Sikes, said the ideal time for this event would have been October, during National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, but the two schools wanted to work together on the project.

Breast cancer is the second deadliest cancer among women and is expected to kill more than 40,000 women in 2009, according to the American Cancer Society.

The event will also feature the Gator Mobile Health Clinic, one of UF's newest community outreach programs.

The clinic will offer tours of its bus, which will hit the road in January to provide health screenings for underserved populations of Alachua County and offer information on disease prevention, according to a mission statement provided by the UF College of Medicine.

On Campus

Acupuncture offers relief

■ PATIENTS RECEIVE TREATMENT IN GROUP SETTING.

By **KRISTEN BOWE**
Alligator Contributing Writer

Melissa Castillo was tired of draining her insurance expense account by going to UF's Student Health Care Center for her migraines.

She needed a solution to help her not max out her estimated \$600 limit on medication.

After ruling out acupuncture because her insurance didn't cover it, Castillo found out about Gainesville Community Acupuncture, which serves patients for as little as \$20 per session.

Jennifer Downey, one of the center's certified acupuncturists, said the business is growing rapidly with uninsured patients who cannot afford to go to the doctor or purchase medication. Other patients, she said, look for a natural alternative to medication.

Downey and her business partner, Theresa Rizzo-Ovia, are graduates of Gainesville's Dragon Rises College of Oriental Medicine. Downey said they started the clinic because they knew people who could benefit from acupuncture but couldn't afford it. The clinic said private acupuncture can cost between \$50 and \$150.

At Gainesville Community Acupuncture,

patients fill out health assessments and meet an acupuncturist. After a consultation about health, diet and the ailment, the patients relax in a room of recliners and meditative music for about an hour.

"It's like Gator fans in the stadium all there to cheer on the Gators."

Jennifer Downey
acupuncturist

Downey said in order to help as many people receive acupuncture as possible, the center holds the sessions in a quiet room with other people there for the same cause: to get better.

"It's like Gator fans in the stadium all there to cheer on the Gators," she said.

According to Downey, acupuncture works with the body and helps patients deal with their problems.

Downey said it can help with depression, stress, anxiety, cold and flu, any type of body pain as well and ailments.

Castillo said the medication she got from the doctor for pain was masking the problem, and acupuncture prevented her from going down a long road of medication for migraine relief and prevention. She was afraid of taking more medication because the side effects were keeping her out of work.

KAPLAN TEST PREP AND ADMISSIONS

GMAT | GRE | LSAT | MCAT | DAT | OAT | PCAT*

Enroll by November 30th and get

\$200 BACK

Only Kaplan Offers:

The Most Personalized Prep
Unmatched Expertise
Guaranteed Results

LSAT: LSGA0109B 1/5-2/4 (Su, T, Th)
MCAT: MCGA0101 1/9-4/10 (Su,M,T,Sa)
GMAT: GMGA10001 1/14-2/11 (T,Th)
GRE: REGA10001 1/19-2/16 (T,Th)
DAT/OAT: DAGA10101 1/20-3/6 (W,Sa)
PCAT: PCGA10001 4/13-6/5 (T,Th,Sa)

Visit kaptest.com/rebate or call 1-800-KAP-TEST

*Test names are registered trademarks of their respective owners. †This offer applies only to Kaplan Test Prep and Admissions LSAT, GMAT, GRE, MCAT, DAT, OAT and PCAT Classroom Courses, 6-, 10-, and 15-hour Admissions Consulting Packages, 15-, 25-, and 35-hour Private Tutoring Programs, Premium Online, Live Online, Math Intensive, Extreme, and Advanced Courses, and Summer Intensive Programs in the 50 United States, the District of Columbia, and in Vancouver, Montreal, and Ottawa, Canada. Cannot be combined with any other offer, discount, or promotion. To be eligible, you must enroll between November 16, 2009 and November 30, 2009. Tuition must be paid in full and rebate form postmarked by December 31, 2009. Certain conditions apply; see redemption form at kaptest.com/rebate for complete details. ‡Conditions and restrictions apply. For complete guarantee eligibility requirements, visit kaptest.com/hsg. PGR05025

PREP SMARTER, SCORE HIGHER—GUARANTEED OR YOUR MONEY BACK.†

HPV Fact #11:

You don't have to actually have sex to get HPV—the virus that causes cervical cancer.

There's something you can do.
Visit your campus health center.

Editorial

Last week was unusually slow for the Department of Darts and Laurels. In light of this, we made a (desperate?) plea for Gators to go out and make some real news. While we doubt that the overwhelming response was due entirely to the public pity party we held for ourselves last week, we think it helped. So now, inundated with news, we would like to present you with a be-careful-what-you-wish-for edition of:

Darts & Laurels

Because it's all bad news (well, almost).

First up, people are actually paying attention to Student Government! Alright, that's not the real story, but it was a surprise to us. The controversial issue SG took up this week was a resolution in support of student fees for the proposed Reitz Union renovation and expansion.

We find it painfully ironic that the only way to get more students involved in SG is for it to basically ignore students' interests by voting on the Reitz fees without enough discussion.

For voting on an issue that should be left to the Student Body (Hooray for direct democracy!) and for unleashing your legion of senators to downplay concerns about rising fees, we have to throw a stop-trampling-on-students-Reitz **DART** at **SG**.

But at least this week's letter writers had something other than the Alligator to direct their anger toward.

When the Department of Darts and Laurels heard that Jeremy Piven would be speaking at UF this month, we were moderately amused; he can be a funny guy, sometimes. But when we found out that Piven was to be paid \$85,000 for the appearance, we were shocked. For agreeing to pay Piven more than the salary of some staff members lost to budget cuts, we have to throw a that-goon-from-"Entourage"-is-making-how-much? **DART** at the **Accent Speakers Bureau**.

At least UF was fortunate enough to get stood up. Piven must have had one hell of a schedule conflict to turn down \$85,000.

On Wednesday, a group of people distributed thousands of copies of Darwin's "The Origin of Species" on Turlington Plaza. Hidden beneath the cover of this inviting gift was something most didn't expect: an "introduction" by creationist author Ray Comfort — basically a refutation of all that was to follow in Darwin's groundbreaking book. For hiding your true motives with these underhanded tactics, we are happy to throw a there's-a-reason-people-turn-down-your-literature **DART** at **Ray Comfort and his cronies**.

If you have to resort to tricks to get your message across at UF, maybe it's time to look elsewhere.

Ready for the good news? Thanks to UF alum Beau Thompson, you'll never fumble around in bedroom again! While that's not exactly the case, putting on a condom might be one less thing for you to foul up. That's because Thompson has invented a condom that rolls on "with ease," featuring two straps that peel away "like a Band-Aid."

While a Band-Aid is the last thing we want near our junk, anything to streamline this sometimes awkward process is welcome. For making our lives just a little bit easier, we're happy to give a hope-this-idea-doesn't-go-limp **LAUREL** to **Mr. Thompson**. Because we're looking forward to it.

That's all for this week. Go make some (good) news, Gators! (No DUIs — yes we heard about that.)

the independent florida
alligator

Kristin Bjornsen
EDITOR

Brian Kelley
Jennifer Jenkins
MANAGING EDITORS

Will Olsen
OPINIONS EDITOR

The Alligator encourages comments from readers. Letters to the editor should not exceed 150 words (about one letter-sized page). They must be typed, double-spaced and must include the author's name, classification and phone number. Names will be withheld if the writer shows just cause. We reserve the right to edit for length, grammar, style and libel. Send letters to letters@alligator.org, bring them to 1105 W. University Ave., or send them to P.O. Box 14257, Gainesville, FL 32604-2257. Columns of about 450 words about original topics and editorial cartoons are also welcome. Questions? Call 376-4458.

Opinions

ALLIGATOR
www.alligator.org/opinions



Column

Cuban embargo should remain in place

It seems that there are many people out there ill-informed about the Cuban embargo. The first false assumption people make is that the U.S. initiated the embargo because Cuba became a communist country. The truth is that the U.S. enacted the embargo because when the Castro regime took power in 1959, it expropriated all of the properties of the U.S., including that of American citizens and corporations. Castro enriched his regime with the millions of dollars he stole from the U.S. and has never paid the money back.

The U.S. has tried numerous times to broker a deal with the Castro regime to lift the embargo, but he has outright rejected any negotiations. Former President Jimmy Carter traveled to the University of Havana in 2002 and called for an end to the embargo. He offered the Castro regime a chance to repay the U.S. for the properties it had seized in a timely manner in return for a lifting of the embargo, but Castro turned down this opportunity.

Many people are also misled by those who argue that U.S. citizens are allowed to travel to other communist states like China. The difference, though, is that China made a settlement with the U.S. in 1979 over confiscated American property. Since Castro refuses to repay Americans, why should the U.S. lift an embargo without compensation for its losses?

Others argue that 50 years have passed and the communist regime still stands strong; thus, the embargo has not actually caused any harm to Castro. Yet, until 1989, Cuba's economy was maintained by the Soviet Union, which provided \$4.5 billion in subsidies every year. Since then, Cuba's economy has shrunk by more than half.

While the regime blames the U.S. for the misery of the Cuban people, the truth is that it was caused by the regimes ruinous economic policies. Castro's command economy severely restricts Cuban citizens' rights to own a private enterprise, and at the national level, productivity has fallen dramatically

Dayme Sanchez
Speaking Out

with two-thirds of the industrial facilities shut down. While the average citizen does not have a full plate of food, all of the government officials live lavish lifestyles and exploit the country's wealth.

You may very well ask yourself, why do I care if U.S. citizens and corporations lost millions of dollars decades ago? That's not my problem; I want to go smoke a Cuban cigar in the sunny beaches of the Caribbean island.

Just remember that as a tourist you will be enriching a regime that beats, jails and sentences to death anyone who expresses his or her thoughts freely. While you are drinking your piña colada and enjoying the ocean breeze or just walking through Havana to see how life is there, you will be supporting one of the worst regimes in the world through the money you spend. And along with the corruption, you will support the endless human rights violations that take place in Cuba.

In March of 2003, the government imprisoned 75 dissidents, including journalists, librarians, human rights activists and democracy activists. Just last week, Yoani Sanchez, a Cuban blogger who is censored by the government, was viciously attacked and beaten by state security agents for her writings of the reality of Cuba and not the pretty picture that the regime paints for the world. At least 13,000 Cuban citizens have been executed since 1959, and more than 100,000 have been jailed for opposing the Castro regime, including at least 28,000 still in prison today, according to the Heritage Foundation.

So if after all of this you still decide that the best thing for Americans and Cubans is to lift the embargo and support the wishes of the Castro regime, then it is your decision.

Dayme Sanchez is a UF economics and political science student

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

Reader response

Today's question: Would you play on UF's quidditch club team?

Thursday's question: Should UF implement a student fee to pay for Reitz Union renovations?

26% YES
74% NO
131 TOTAL VOTES

Vote or post a message at www.alligator.org

Letters to the Editor

Reitz repairs irresponsible, unnecessary

Sitting in the Reitz Union yesterday, I was approached by a student senator who encouraged me to sign a petition in favor of a "small fee" that would favor a new student union. He assured me that the fee would "only be a couple of dollars" and that I would be leaving a legacy for future Florida students.

Implementing a \$20 fee plus a per credit hour fee is outrageous in light of cuts to Bright Futures. The Reitz Union is not going to collapse tomorrow, and there are empty seats in the union. If Student Government is so concerned about rebuilding a crucial aspect of student life, why is it funding a group that can afford to pay as much as \$85,000 for a sub-par speaker (Jeremy Piven)?

Every time a building is pronounced "defunct," the solution is not to build multi-million-dollar structures funded by students already under crucial financial strains. In essence, the rebuilding of the Reitz Union is an altogether irresponsible and unnecessary endeavor.

Rachael Day
UF student



Undergrads shouldn't complain about fee

Are undergrads seriously up in arms over a \$20 flat fee plus \$3 per credit hour for the new Reitz Union? I'm an out-of-state student

receiving \$0 in government aid. In case you're unaware, out-of-state tuition is now approaching \$800 per credit. My Reitz student fee of \$65 would buy me a little more than one hour of class at UF.

I'm not complaining about my out-of-state tuition. I made a conscious decision to go to school here instead of my own in-state university, a school that pales in comparison (academically, athletically, socially and otherwise) to UF. I'm just saying that \$65 (assuming a 15-credit semester) is not unreasonable, considering what we're getting in return. It's not like we're all shelling out \$65 to help Bernie Machen buy a private jet. A renovated student union in the dead middle of campus for \$65 a semester? Sounds like an OK deal to me.

The grad students have ground to complain; I understand most are accumulating debt by the day and are making a salary such that any tuition increase hits their wallets pretty hard. But for the Bright Futures undergrads whose parents probably shelled out \$65 for dinner last night at Outback anyway — relax. Be grateful you're a citizen of this state in the first place, pay no state income tax and have the opportunity to attend one of the top 50 schools in the nation for little or no cost.

Matthew Powers
UF student



Grad students shouldn't have to foot bill

On Wednesday, the UF Graduate Student Council unanimously passed a resolution opposing additional student fees for the renovation of the Reitz Union. This measure was taken to contest the recent resolution passed by UF Student Government proposing such fee increases.

What some may not know is that Bright Futures would shelter most UF undergraduate students from an actual increase in their out of pocket expenses. However, all graduate students pay fees out of pocket since fees are not covered by tuition waivers. SG's proposal, if supported by the state, would saddle graduate students with real additional fees for a project the Graduate Student Council opposes. Since it will cost most undergraduate students nothing, the proposed funding structure for this project may seem logical to SG members (nearly all of whom are undergraduates). However, graduate students will actually carry the cost of this project for decades to come.

Tim Johnson
UF student



Actions speak louder in the 'war on terror'

In Patrick Poage's response to Tuesday's guest column, he took offense to the characterization of the United States' actions against

al-Qaida and other terror organizations as a "war on terror."

Poage correctly points out that the Obama administration has dropped use of that phrase. Regardless, if it is not a war that we are engaged in, then what exactly is the U.S. military doing in Afghanistan and Iraq? If the United States is not at war, then why is the U.S. military, as opposed to law enforcement agencies, being sent into those countries?

Indeed, President Barack Obama may add or drop the use of any such phrase to garner support among his party's base; however, such a change in wording amounts to semantics at best. If Poage thinks that by simply refusing to call our actions abroad a "war on terror," terrorists will somehow magically gain sympathy for people they are otherwise religiously sworn to kill ("infidels"), then I am afraid Poage is holding terrorists to a standard well above what they deserve. Let us remember that long before President George W. Bush, or anyone else, used the phrase "war on terror", al-Qaida attacked the World Trade Center in 1993, bombed U.S. embassies in Kenya and Tanzania and bombed the U.S.S. Cole, and these events occurred prior to al-Qaida's hijacking air planes and flying them into the Pentagon and the World Trade Center in 2001.

Stephen Bradford
UF student

Advertising Sales Representative Positions Available for Spring Semester!

Work at the Alligator and gain sales experience by managing a territory. Learn prospecting skills and improve communication skills while making some spending money. This resume builder offers a flexible schedule, no weekends, with a minimum of a 20-hour workweek. Ad majors can get class credit through your college.

Call Rose at 352-376-4482
or email resume to: rsierra@alligator.org

the independent florida
alligator

HPV Fact #9:

HPV often has no signs or symptoms.

There's something you can do.
Visit your campus health center.

ON CAMPUS

Quidditch sweeps UF as students join magical trend

By **EMILY HANSON**

Alligator Contributing Writer

Thirty students gathered under the moon Wednesday, broomsticks in hand, and brought a sport called quidditch to UF.

Quidditch, famed by the "Harry Potter" book series, is a mix between dodgeball, basketball and capture the flag.

Amy Lobasso, a UF sophomore, saw YouTube videos of college students playing a modified version of the game and started a Facebook page to see what response it would get from UF students.

"I thought everyone would laugh at me," she said.

But within two weeks, more than 300 students joined the group and posted comments about their excitement on the page.

In the books, the game is played by witches and wizards flying on broomsticks. In the nonmagical version of the game, broomsticks are required, but flight is not.

Students at Middlebury College in Vermont started an intramural quidditch league in 2005, and interest gathered quickly.

The Intercollegiate Quidditch Association was founded in 2007, and a rule book was formalized. There are now more than 200 teams from colleges all over the world.

"UF is such a big school," Lobasso said. "It's not right for us not to have one."

Each team has seven players, explained Gerri Sterne, the team's



Andrew Stanfill / Alligator Staff

A member of the UF quidditch club runs with the quaffle and a hand in his pocket to simulate holding a broom during practice on Wednesday. The team had not yet purchased brooms.

webmaster.

Three offensive players called chasers pass a volleyball dubbed the quaffle and try to throw it into one of the three hoops guarded by a keeper at the end of the field for 10 points.

Quidditch is a contact sport where one-handed tackling and grabbing are allowed while teams wrestle for the quaffle.

Two beaters throw dodgeballs called bludgers at the opposing team's chasers to try to tag them out

of play. If a chaser is hit, he or she can continue playing after taking a lap around his or her team's goalposts.

The last member of a team is the seeker, whose job is to catch the snitch. In the books, the snitch is a

small golden ball with wings that flies around the playing field. In the nonmagical game, the snitch is a neutral player who is often dressed in yellow and keeps a tennis ball in a sock in its back pocket that others try to capture.

A seeker captures the snitch by grabbing the sock or ball out of the snitch's pocket. The capture is worth 30 points and ends the game.

The snitch is allowed to run around campus and do almost anything to evade capture, including climbing a tree or riding a bike.

"The snitch is the entertainment factor," Lobasso said.

The chasers, beaters, keeper and seeker must have a broom between their legs and one hand on the handle during the entire game. Nick Murado, a first-year law student at UF, knows what it takes to play quidditch.

He has played since 2003, before Middlebury College created its league, in tournaments at Harry Potter conventions. He said the intensity of the game is what he loves most about it.

UF's team formed too late in the semester to apply to Student Government for recognition as a formal club, but Lobasso said she plans to apply in the Spring semester and hopes to receive some funding.

Lobasso said if the team receives funding, she would like to have full uniforms with capes and travel to compete with other schools.

For more information, search "Quidditch at UF" on Facebook.

SERU survey reveals UF students study less than peers

■ MORE THAN 22,000 STUDENTS TOOK THE SURVEY.

By **THOMAS STEWART**

Alligator Staff Writer
tstewart@alligator.org

Validating the Princeton Review's party school rankings, UF students reported in a survey conducted earlier this year that they spend less time studying than their peers.

Forty-six percent of students said they spent 11 or more hours hitting the books each week, compared with 59 percent at five similar classified universities.

The party-school ranking considers time

spent studying as well as drug and alcohol use and the popularity of the Greek system.

The survey, conducted by UF, was a little more scientific.

The Student Experience in the Research University survey was open to most undergraduates at UF and had to be completed in order to remain eligible for football tickets. As a result, UF had the highest participation rate — 69 percent, compared with 26 to 39 percent at the other schools surveyed.

More than 22,000 students participated.

According to the survey, UF students said they spent less time in class and noted "allow[ing] time for other activities" as "very important" when selecting a major more often than other students.

Only 48 percent of UF students said they felt graduating in four years was important, compared with 57 percent at other schools.

UF also ranked No. 1 among the six schools surveyed in educational value for the price.

Addressing the Faculty Senate Thursday, UF President Bernie Machen said the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program had a lot

to do with students wanting to stick around, noting that students take fewer than 13 credit hours on average per semester.

"[It] makes me feel like there is room for increasing the rigor of our undergraduate experience," Machen said, "if we can only fig-

ure out how to get them to register for more classes."

The Senate also discussed a proposal that would change how faculty can be laid off.

After a proposal submitted by the UF administration met widespread disapproval in May, the Senate was asked to recommend its own. The Senate's proposal made it clear that UF should not be able to target individuals when making layoffs.

Instead, only units, such as a department or a program, could be targeted.

UF's desire to make the change to its lay-off rules came after two professors were reinstated by an arbiter who determined that UF violated university regulations when laying them off.

\$25.50 Student Special
(includes golf cart)
Valid: Mon-Thurs (All Day)
Fri-Sun (After 11am)
Valid thru Thursday, 11/30/09

IRONWOOD GOLF COURSE

Call 334-3120 For Your Tee Time Today
2100 NE 39th Avenue

Advertise in the last home game.

FL vs. FSU

Call your sales rep today
376-4482

Deadline: Monday

alligator
the independent florida

Where are you going for breakfast?

Mi Apa
LATIN CAFE

Open daily from 7 am - 10 pm,
Fridays & Saturdays until 12 am

114 SW 34th St, Gainesville, FL 32607
(352) 376-7020

Study abroad too costly

1st spacewalk productive

Copyrighted Material Syndicated Content

Available from Commercial News Providers

The Board of Directors of Campus Communications, Inc., publisher of

alligator the independent florida and @lligator.org

announces the openings for the positions

Editor,

a paid position as head of the Editorial Division
and as an unpaid member of the Board of Directors

Managing Editor/Print

AND

Managing Editor/Online,

Paid positions. Unpaid member of the Board of Directors.

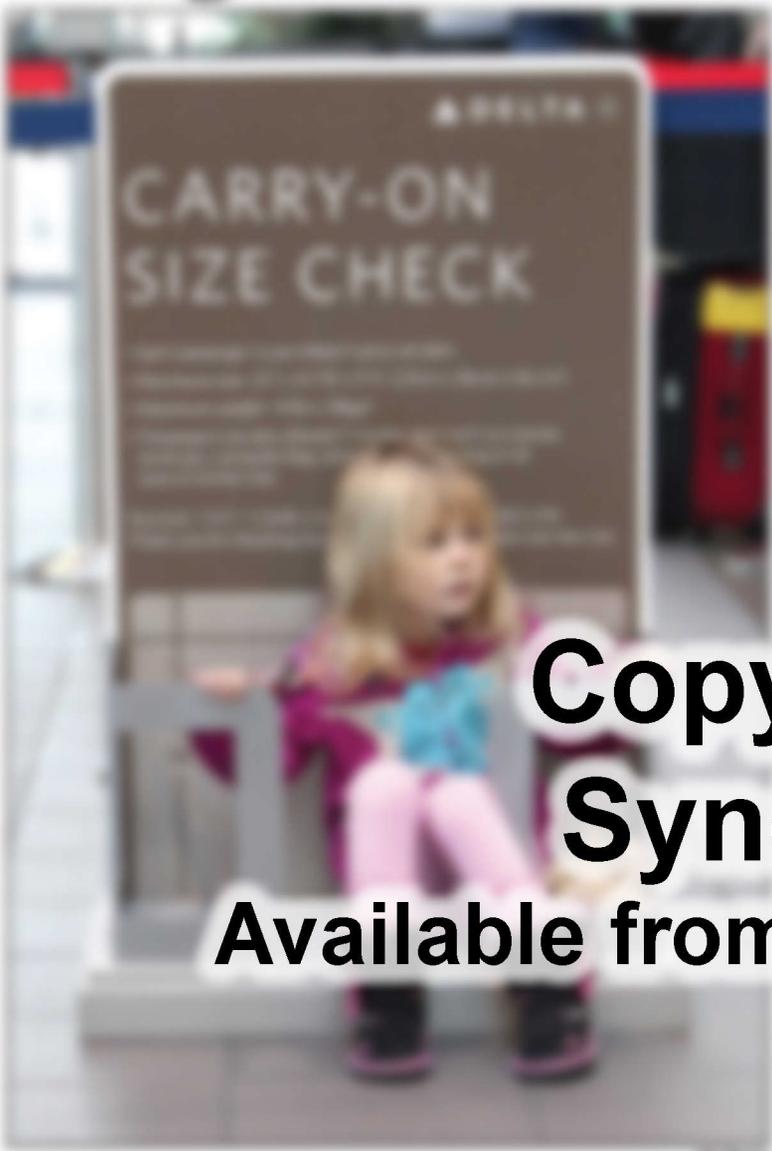
The applications for these positions are available at the reception desk at the entrance of the first floor of *The Alligator* Building at 1105 W. University Ave., **each weekday between 1:00 and 4:00pm from now until November 20**. Please do not call. Further written information is available at the time an application is picked up. Please allow up to 15 minutes at that time to read information you will need for the application process. The application must be returned to the same desk by **4:00 pm, November 23. THIS IS AN ABSOLUTE DEADLINE**. Interviews and selections by the Board of Directors will be held at *The Alligator* offices in a meeting open to the public beginning at **4:00 pm, Sunday, December 13**. Applicants must be present at that meeting to be considered. Applicants must be degree-seeking college or university students. Preference will be given to those who have experience at *The Alligator*.

Campus Communications, Inc. is an Equal Opportunity Employer

HPV Fact #12:
Condoms
may
not fully
protect
against
HPV.

There's something you can do.
Visit your campus
health center.

FAA glitch causes widespread US air travel delays



Sharon Brown, 4, sits on a Delta's carry-on sign while waiting for her mother. Her mother, who was trying to check off for Delta flight was delayed due to an FAA glitch, Thursday.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — An FAA glitch that caused widespread US air travel delays Thursday was caused by a software error that prevented the FAA's flight information database from updating flight status information.

The FAA's flight information database is the primary source of flight status information for airlines and pilots. It is used to determine if a flight is on time, delayed, or canceled. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked. The FAA's flight information database is also used to determine if a flight is overbooked.

Copyrighted Material Syndicated Content

Available from Commercial News Providers

NATIONAL

Bus company: Driver in Minn. crash had aneurysm

THE CRASH KILLED TWO PEOPLE AND INJURED 25 OTHERS.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MINNEAPOLIS — A bus driver who died in a fatal crash that killed two people and injured 25 others Thursday was suffering from an aneurysm, a medical condition that can cause a blood vessel in the brain to bulge and rupture.

The driver, 47-year-old Robert J. Johnson, was driving a bus for the Minneapolis-based company, Golden State Transit, when the crash occurred on Thursday. The bus was carrying 27 passengers and the driver.

The crash occurred on a highway near Minneapolis. The bus was traveling in the right lane when it suddenly veered into the left lane and struck a concrete barrier.

The driver was killed at the scene. Two other people were killed and 25 others were injured. The bus was carrying 27 passengers and the driver.

The crash occurred on a highway near Minneapolis. The bus was traveling in the right lane when it suddenly veered into the left lane and struck a concrete barrier.

The driver was driving a bus for the Minneapolis-based company, Golden State Transit, when the crash occurred on Thursday. The bus was carrying 27 passengers and the driver.

The driver was driving a bus for the Minneapolis-based company, Golden State Transit, when the crash occurred on Thursday. The bus was carrying 27 passengers and the driver.

The driver was driving a bus for the Minneapolis-based company, Golden State Transit, when the crash occurred on Thursday. The bus was carrying 27 passengers and the driver.

The driver was driving a bus for the Minneapolis-based company, Golden State Transit, when the crash occurred on Thursday. The bus was carrying 27 passengers and the driver.

The driver was driving a bus for the Minneapolis-based company, Golden State Transit, when the crash occurred on Thursday. The bus was carrying 27 passengers and the driver.



Survivors of a bus crash gathered around the wreckage of a bus that crashed on a highway near Minneapolis, Thursday.

The driver was driving a bus for the Minneapolis-based company, Golden State Transit, when the crash occurred on Thursday. The bus was carrying 27 passengers and the driver.

The driver was driving a bus for the Minneapolis-based company, Golden State Transit, when the crash occurred on Thursday. The bus was carrying 27 passengers and the driver.

Big powers ponder how to punish Iran for nukes

They fear Iran will build nuclear weapons

Copyrighted Material Syndicated Content

Available from Commercial News Providers

Advertising Internship Positions Available!

The Alligator has sales intern positions available for the Spring semesters. You will receive classroom training, firsthand sales experience, and an opportunity to improve your communication skills. This resume builder offers a flexible schedule with a minimum of 10 hours per week.



the independent florida
alligator

Call Sara or Rose at 352-376-4482
or email resume to: advertising@alligator.org

HPV Fact #1:

Your boyfriend can't get screened for HPV.

So there's no way to know whether he could expose you to the virus.

There's something you can do.
Visit your campus health center.

Follow Us Down the RABBIT HOLE!

The ADDY®s in Digital Wonderland honor advertising excellence in all media including print, broadcast, out-of-home and public service advertising.
Student entries encouraged.

<p>TO ENTER: All entries must be received by 6pm on Friday, January 8, 2009 at The Gainesville Sun, located at 2700 SW 13th Street</p> <p>For more information or to receive an entry packet, contact Albert Coronel at 352.376.4221 or albert.coronel@neutral7.com</p> <p>For more info visit www.adfedgainesville.com</p>	<p>GALA: The banquet begins at 6:30 p.m. Friday, February 19, 2010 at the Best Western Gateway Grand in Gainesville. Dress to impress with this year's theme "ADDY® in Digital Wonderland."</p> <p>Seating is limited! RSVP by February 15 to Joleen Cacciatore at 352-338-9300</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Students \$35 ◦ Individuals \$50 ◦ Corporate tables \$350 (8-person)
---	---

Find your calling.

Alligator Classifieds. [352]373.FIND



Copyright © 2009 Merck & Co., Inc. All rights reserved. Printed in USA.

hpv.com

20904324(13)-09/09-GRD

UF SWIMMING

Men sit 4th; women 7th

By **TONI-ANN MILLER**
Alligator Writer

A slow start on Thursday at the South Carolina Gamecock Invitational may have set Florida's men back in their quest to challenge some of the top competitors in collegiate swimming.

UF's team was divided for two invitationals: A part of the team traveled to the Georgia Tech Invitational, and the remainder, some of the less-proven athletes, traveled to South Carolina. The Gators faced tough competition on the first day and were unable to get any sort of consistency in the early events.

The meet's participants included the College of Charleston, Duke, East Carolina, Florida, Georgia Southern, James Madison, North Carolina, Old Dominion and host South Carolina.

After completing day-one preliminary rounds earlier that afternoon, UF began day-one finals Thursday evening with a seventh-place finish in the 200-yard freestyle relay, putting the team fifth (30 points) in the overall standings behind leader North Carolina (84 points).

The Gators followed that performance with redshirt freshman Csaba Gerscak finishing eighth in the 500 free.

In the team's third event of the night, UF began to climb up the leaderboard. Three Gators finished in the top five of the 200

individual medley: Junior Bobby Walsh took second, sophomore Brian Howell took fourth and junior Alex Martin finished fifth.

Another redshirt freshman, Rodion Davelaar, took sixth in the 50 free.

When it was time for the final event of the evening, the 400 medley relay, UF had moved up to fourth place in the overall standings.

On the women's side, UF had an even slower start to the invitational.

The women finished 13th in the 200 free relay and stood at a distant seventh (8 points) behind the leader, North Carolina (80 points).

The evening didn't improve much for UF.

In the second event for the women, freshman Sharla Milne took 10th in the 500 free, and freshman Kaitlin Taylor finished 10th in the next event, the 200 individual medley.

Senior Coral Lopez finished 16th in the 500 free.

After five events, UF's women stood in seventh overall with 42 points, while North Carolina had 357 points in the lead.

The teams will continue competition today with day-two preliminaries at 10 a.m.

Florida coach Gregg Troy was unavailable for comment for this story.



Walsh

CB Shaw commits to UF

By **MICHAEL PIPITONE**
Alligator Writer

The Gators football team plucked a highly touted prospect from the recruiting hotbed that is Southern California.

Joshua Shaw, a 6-foot-1, 195-pound cornerback from Palmdale High, verbally committed to play for Florida on Tuesday.

With rumors swirling on whether Joe Haden will return for a senior season at cornerback, Urban Meyer has not taken any chances, making Shaw the fifth defensive back in the 2010 Gators recruiting class. Shaw, a four-star recruit according to Rivals.com, has no problem leaving the Los Angeles area and coming to a school 4,000 miles from home.

"[The distance] doesn't bother me at all," Shaw said.

He was considering Ohio State, LSU and USC, among other schools, before verbally committing to UF.

"Always if I had an opportunity, I am going to take it and run away with it," said Shaw, the 23rd-ranked player in the country and third for his position, according to Rivals.com.

After visiting UF's campus on an official visit for the Tennessee game and an unofficial visit for the Vanderbilt game, Shaw knew that Gainesville was special.

"Great education that you can get at UF and a chance to compete right away," Shaw said.

He also liked the college-town feel of Gainesville.

"I like the city," Shaw said. "The whole town rallies around Florida football. Coaching staff was really nice."

Jeff Williams, Shaw's high school coach, thinks the cornerback will do fine playing for Meyer across the country.

"I have known Urban for a long time," Williams said. "A great player's coach. Genuinely wants to make them better people and football players."

Shaw has a big build for a defensive back at 195 pounds. He has played on both sides of the ball for the Palmdale Falcons.

Shaw ran and caught 10 touchdowns in his junior year and excelled on defense with 40 solo tackles, six for a loss.



Football

DOWNTOWN gainesville

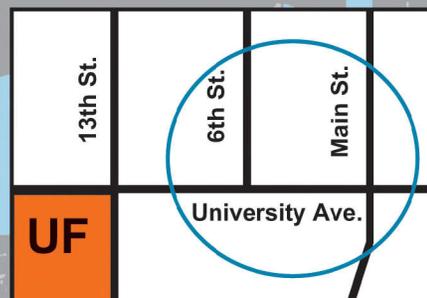
**BIG ULY'S
BURGERS**
OPEN LATE
5 pm to 3 am
Mon-Sat
204 SW 2nd Ave

\$2.99 DOWNTOWN
Regular Price
BARBER SHOP
15 W. University Ave. • (352) 373-4841
Hours: M ~ F • 9 am ~ 6 pm
www.DTBarbershop.com

"Delicious food made by Mom"
FLACO'S
Snacks and Beer
Cuban Sandwiches, Plates, Pastries, Coffee, and more!
371-2000
Downtown Across from 8 sec,
next to Dirty Nelly's

**MAIN STREET
BAR & BILLIARDS**
Friday & Saturday Night
MARTINI MADNESS
\$4 House Martinis
Tuesday 8 pm - 12 am
QUARTER BEER
108 S. Main St. Downtown Gainesville

ti amo!
restaurant & bar
Where Food & Love Meet!
Downtown at 12 SE 2nd Avenue
352-378-6307
tiamogainesville.com
Late Night Dining



:08 Seconds
**Thursday Night
College Night**
• Ladies Drink Free
• \$1⁵⁰ Longnecks for Everyone
**Friday
Jason Michael Carroll
Live in Concert**
Saturday
• \$2 Longnecks
• \$4 U-Call-It
**Live DJ - Hip Hop, Country, & Rock
& Live Country Music**
201 W. University Ave.

The Gift Guide

2009

THE COOLEST GIFT IN TOWN!

Give a **D'Lites Gift Certificate** This Holiday Season

gatordlites.com

d'LITES EMPORIUM

4216 NW 16th Blvd. 352-375-4484

GNC

GENERAL NUTRITION CENTERS

25% OFF any one GNC Product

3914 SW Archer Rd

only available at Butler Plaza location

Daily Specials 377-6020 Exp. 11/31/09

SHOP ILENE'S NEW DESIGNER GATOR WEAR

2441 NW 43 St. (25-B) • 378-1611

HAROLD'S Frames & Gallery

Haroldframes@windstream.net

Now through December 21st, 15% off John Moran framed Photos.

10% off Gator Diplomas.

352.375.0260 101 SE 2 Place

GIFT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE
OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK

20% OFF

373-6574

ALL SERVICE & PRODUCTS

2133 NW 6TH ST Gainesville, FL

bikes and more

www.bikesandmoregainesville.com

COUPON GOOD THRU 12/24/09 *EXCLUDING COMPLETE BIKES & FRAMES

\$1.00 off ONE admission to the Festival with this ad

Craft Festival 2009

Stephen C. O'Connell Center
University of Florida
December 5th and 6th
Saturday 10-6 Sunday 10-5

Bring this ad for \$1 off one, single-day admission.
UF students get in FREE with this coupon

For more information, call (352) 392-5500
Admission: \$4 Public; \$1 students with ID; FREE for kids under 13

Gainesville Dojo
Boxing or Kickboxing

Purchase 1 month 2nd month 1/2 price

378-3070 536 SW 2nd Ave

Must present coupon.

Springhill Liquors

Sailor Jerry 1.75L.....\$19.99
Svedka 1.75L.....\$19.99
Jameson Whiskey 75ml..\$19.99

39th Ave in Publix Plaza

Simply Gorgeous

- Gator Gifts
- Gator Accessories
- Gator Stationery
- Pandora Jewelry
- Vera Bradley

Mon - Sat 10 AM - 7 PM Sun 12 PM - 6 PM
201 SE 2nd Place Suite 112
Downtown Gainesville
352-376-3266

Now Open

EUROPE Mon-Sun 10am-9pm

Grocery just Around the Corner

- Sausages • Ham
- Deli Meat • Cheese • Salads
- Fish • Cakes • Candy • Juices & More

3312 SW 35th Blvd
Next to Kohl's entrance

The Salon @ 716

Welcomes Mary Beth Warren! Specializing in the Brazilian Keratin Treatment and offering a free cut with any color service or \$10 off any haircut.

Go Gators!

Call for appointment: 352-226-8636 716 W. University Ave.

Limited Time Offer

\$30/month Unlimited

Nationwide talk, text, int'l text and voicemail

metroPCS Authorized Dealer

\$5/month Unlimited International Calling

see store for details

Viva Wireless

Convenient to UF
1620 W University Ave.
352-376-9611

405 NW 13th St. 352-254-0026 1144 NE 16th Ave. 352-338-0857

Sports Marketing

50% off select items
15% off all non-sale items

Prices starting at \$69

Great gifts for: Graduation Christmas

99 SW 34th Street, Gainesville
352-375-3797
www.sportsmarketingintl.com

need a GIFT for the person with EVERYTHING?

give the gift of passion

sold by the cardful at the box office

available at the hipp box office
hipp.org 352.375.HIPP

25 SE 2nd Place downtown, across from Starbucks

find us on Facebook and Twitter!

Hippodrome Theatre gift cards

the gift of passion

Seven NINE WEST JEANS
CHINESE LAUNDRY

Surprising brand names at low discount prices

Get exactly what you asked for

Valid through 12/6/09

20% off any one item

Stein Mart

once you go you get it

6111 NW 8th Avenue • Gainesville • 352.331.8808
1-888-Stein Mart • www.steinmart.com

Leonardo's Musical Instruments

Vintage New & Used Stringed Instruments

Guitars, Banjos, Mandolins and Ukles

302 Cholokka Boulevard
Micanopy, FL 32667 • 352-450-0928

Free digital tuner with purchase of any instrument over \$100.

Must present coupon

University Liquor

Polar Ice (flavors only) 1.75 @ 99¢ after mail-in coupon

30 pk Light Beer..\$11.99

Bacardi 1.75L...\$19.99

University Ave. & 34th

PRANGE'S florist

335-0100
www.pranges.com

16 E. University Ave
Downtown

10% off with any Purchase
Santa Fe College, UF Students,
Shands Employees
with ID

*Excludes flowers sent out of town.

The Perfect Gift Made Simple. Spa Royale INSTANT Online Gift Certificates.

Easy online appointments available anytime you wish!

Spa Royale

618 NW 60th Street, Suite B
Near the Oaks Mall Next Door to McAlister's Deli
352.333.5800

Expert Waxing!
Lip & Brow
Brazilian
and much more!

Nail Spa!
Spa Pedicures
Spa Manicures
Title Town Toes Pedi
A Must for any Gator!
Designer Nails

Wednesday-Saturday 10am-7pm
Sunday Noon-6pm

www.sparoyale.net

Mention This Ad And Save 10% Off Service of \$50 Or More



Classifieds

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2009

ALLIGATOR
www.alligator.org/classifieds

1 For Rent furnished

\$430 per bedroom-All inclusive!
3/3 TH!! Roommate match avail
<1 mi from UF! Huge 24hr gym!
free tanning, free HBO/showtime
Oxford Manor(352) 377-2777
these apts kick other apts in the teeth
12-9-75-1

WOW! Live for \$325!
All Inclusive 3/3s and 4/4s
* Cable * Internet * Utilities *
* Furnished * Tanning * 24 Hr Gym *
* TheLandingsUF.com * 336-3838 *
* 3801 SW 13th St *
12-9-75-1

Save Some Green
2's from \$789 * 3's from \$829
FREE Cable*Tanning*Gym
www.greenwichgreen.net
352.372.8100
12-9-09-75-1

1, 2, 3, 4BR Apts.
www.ApartmentsInGainesville.com
12-9-75-1

\$399 all inclusive 4/4
\$489 all inclusive 2/2
Roommate Match * Full Student Suites
24hr Fitness Center * 2 Pools
Now Feline Friendly
352-271-3131*GainesvillePlace.com
12-9-75-1

MOVE IN TODAY
Starting @ \$349, \$0 to sign
All inclusive, fully furnished
2/2's, 3/3's & 4/4's close to UF
3700 SW 27th St. 373.9009
LexingtonCrossingUF.com
12-9-09-75-1

2 BLOCKS TO UF--\$299/MO
Everything Incl + Fully Furn!
Rms avail in 4BR Call Eric, 352-219-2879
12-9-74-1

SUN ISLAND
FURNISHED 2BR AVAILABLE
352-376-6720
12-9-09-75-1

ALMOST SOLD OUT
2 MONTHS FREE
Brand New Gated*Upscale 1br-4br*
3000 SW 35th Place
EnclaveUF.com*352.376.0696
12-9-09-75-1

2BR/2BA Furnished Apartment in Windsor Park. \$450/ea. room. FREE Internet and cable! New W/D. On bus route to UF. 305-788-5681/windsor515@gmail.com. 11-23-09-45-1

CASABLANCA WEST
Townhouse near UF, Shands, shopping. Easy access. 2BR/2.5BA; great for student/family. Only \$800/mo; 1st mo rent free & flex terms. Renovated & ready! Ed 305-972-6432 12-3-09-35-1



Tradition of Student Living
Fully furnished student suites
Starting @ \$399 all inclusive
3700 SW 27th St 373.9009
LexingtonCrossingUF.Com
12-9-09-40-1

1 For Rent furnished

Walk to Campus. Indiv. leases available at Oxford Terrace. Private bedroom and bath. Washer/Dryer, Dishwasher, cable, internet and utilities included. Campus Realty 352-692-3800 rentals.campusrealtgroup.com 12-9-09-20-1

Walk to Campus. \$380 per month, cable internet, utilities included. Indiv. lease, short term, furnished. Campus Realty 352-692-3800 rentals.campusrealtgroup.com 12-9-09-20-1

\$385-3 bed/3 baths open in 4/4 Countryside condo. Rent alone or with friends! On routes 9 and 35, all utilities included, for Spring or longer. Call Nalini @ 352.514.3398. 11-23-10-1

All u need to move in is your computer.Room for rent \$425/Mo incl all util and internet. Treehouse Village apt. 2BR-2BA 4 blk fm campus. 904-210-7203 11-24-09-5-1

1 bedroom in a nice quiet NW 3/2 house, on bus route to UF, parking. \$500 utilities incl, fenced backyard, wood floor, internet, W/D, flexible term, visiting scholars or grads. 352-281-4229 12-9-09-14-1

4 Bdrm/4 Bath condo partially furnished. Close to campus & on bus line. Very clean w/ new carpet and all appliances. Pool, basketball court & workout room on premises. \$1,000.00/month Call (352) 483-1052 (must dial area code) 11-20-09-3-1

2bed/2.5bath twnhome> Casablanca 675/month, new appliances great bus route to campus 5 mi from campus, pets welcome call Igor (954) 6830009 12-8-12-1

Will Consider Semester Lease! Oxford Terrace-short walk to UF. Private room/bath in 4/4, clean and ready to move-in. Includes furnishings, utilities, wi-fi, cable and W/D. M or F okay, No smoking or pets. bewaiss59@hotmail.com or 321-228-3379 1-6-09-10-1

2 For Rent unfurnished

●QUIET, CLEAN, LOTS OF GREEN SPACE. Rustic 1BR apt. \$375/mo.
●1BR cottage \$435/mo. Call 213-8798 or mobile 213-3901. 12-9-09-75-2

★LYONS SPECIAL★
\$99 1st month's rent 377-8797
12-9-09-75-2

Amazing Values @ Arbor Park!
1brs from \$539 * 732+ sq ft
2brs from \$599 * 1015+ sq ft
3brs from \$750 * 1223+ sq ft
Water Included * Pet-friendly
335-7275 * www.arborpark.com
12-9-09-75-2

Tired of Roommates?
Hate Living Far From Everything?
Downtown One Bedrooms Now Leasing!
Move-in TODAY for only \$699!
Pool*Free Parking*Blocks to Campus
www.arlingtonsquare.org*338.0002
12-9-09-75-2

1 & 2's * SPECIAL RATES!
1BR/1BR \$465 * 2BR/1BA \$569
No Move In Fees! * Quiet
Beautiful Pools * Pets Loved!
Park Free Across From UF! 372-7555
12-9-09-75-2

Deluxe, Large 3, 4, 5, 6, 7BR apt/house, 60 second walk to UF. Remodeled, Old House charm. Central AC, washer/dryer included. Wood floors. With Parking. By Private Owner. 538-2181 lv message 12-9-09-74-2

2 For Rent unfurnished

Quality & Affordability!
1br \$559 / 2br \$619--\$649
3br \$749 / 4br \$899
W/D, pool, B-ball/tennis courts!
We love Pets! Call @ 376-4002
www.apartments.com/pinetreegardens
12-9-09-75-2

Deluxe, large one or two bedroom, 60 second walk to UF. Wood flrs, washer dryer included, fireplace, patio deck. Can furnish. Short term available. Private Owner. \$595-up. 352-538-2181. Lv msg 12-9-09-74-2

No deposit, No move-in fees!!!
Huge 1/1's 2/2's 3/3's
<1 mi from UF! Giant 24hr gym
FREE tanning/FREE cable
Oxford Manor (352) 377-2777
These apts kick other apts in the teeth
12-9-75-2

★★ ELLIE'S HOUSES ★★
Quality single family homes. Walk or bike to UF. www.elliushouses.com 352-215-4991 or 352-215-4990 12-9-09-75-2

Live **SECONDS** from UF!
Studios & 1 Beds from \$499 & \$575
FREE Parking Near UF
NEVER worry about Game Day Parking!
371.7777 CollegeParkUF.com
12-9-09-75-2

Now you can easily submit your classified ad for print and/or web editions right thru our website!

Just go to
www.alligator.org/classifieds
Visa and Mastercard accepted.

Come see our 1/1, 2/2 & 3/3 townhomes!!
FREE Cable w/HBO and Showtime
All Amenities plus **FREE** Tanning
Gated*Alarms*Pet Friendly
Sign Today, Get up to \$1800 Cash Back
www.thelaurelsuf.com 352-335-4455
12-9-09-75-2

Affordable Living & Close to Campus
Huge 2's available for only \$678
3500 Windmeadows Blvd
www.spanishtrace.org* 373-1111
12-9-09-75-2

Cobblestone Apartments-NW 23RD BLVD
Move in now or Fall 2010.
2 & 3 Bedroom Townhomes.
Private Bathrooms~W/D~Screened porches
BB Court~Tanning~24 hr fitness~Dog Park
352-377-2801 cobblestoneuf.com
12-9-75-2

A SPECIAL PLACE TO CALL HOME
* 1 BR from \$585
* 2 BR from \$625
* 3 BR from \$755
Tanning*Fitness*Tennis*Pool*Playground
Washer/Dryer*Fireplaces*Pools
Call us for a tour! 376-2507
12-9-09-75-2

●●●PARKING●●●
Private, Secure, Guaranteed. 60 sec to UF. Reserve now! Reasonable rates. 352-538-2181. Can leave mssg. 12-9-09-74-2

1, 2, 3's! madisonpointe.org
Enormous Screened Patio!
W/D~Walk-in closets~Tanning
Fitness Center~Full size bball court
NW 23rd Blvd*352-372-0400
12-9-75-2

2 For Rent unfurnished

THE POLOS of Gainesville
Three Pools! Three Bus Routes!
Two Jacuzzis! Business Center!
Billards Room! Fitness Center w/ Free weights! Sand Volleyball!
Tennis Courts! Basketball Courts!
Close to UF, Shands, I-75, & Shopping!
1, 2 & 3 Bedrooms for NOW & Fall!!!
GREAT SPECIALS!!!
1/1-\$684 2/2-\$512w/all util 3/3-\$399w/all util
2330 SW Williston Rd.
www.ThePolosUF.com 352-335-7656
12-9-09-75-2

Huge Private Dog Park
1's from \$499 * Waive all fees
Close to UF, Shands, Butler Plaza
Pet Friendly * 376-1248
www.hiddenvillageapt.com
2725 SW 27th Ave
12-9-74-2

1's, 2's and 4's
AS BIG AS A HOUSE!
Great School Districts
Free Personal Training
75 SW 75th Street Call 332-7401 12-9-75-2

No Move-In Fees
1/1's from \$659 * 3/2's from \$799
FREE Tanning*Pool*Gym
www.aspenridgeuf.com
352.367.9910
12-9-09-75-2

MUSEUM WALK
2/2's - \$945 CABLE & WATER Included
All Inclusive roommate matching - \$606
ParkRide Bus Route-Always be on time!
3500 SW 19th Ave*www.museumwalk.com
* 379-WALK*
12-9-09-75-2

HUGE 5 BED HOUSE!
3 baths, enclod front patio
W/D, Wood Floors, Fireplace
3 blocks to UF! Pets welcome!
372-7111 * 106 NW 10 Street
12-9-09-75-2

LAKWOOD VILLAS
Large 1, 2 & 3 bdrm Floor Plans;
Starting at \$830. Corporate units available.
Furniture Packages Include: Washer/Dryer;
Workout Rm, Tennis Court; Swimming Pool;
Sauna etc. Mon-Fri 9-6, Sat 10-3
700 SW 62nd Blvd 877-781-8314
www.lakewoodvillas.com
text (lakewood)@65586
12-9-09-74-2

● **SPYGLASS** ●
Individual Leases: Furniture Packages
Incl Washer/Dryer, FREE Hispeed Internet;
Rates start at \$399
Every Unit is an End Unit
Mon-Fri 9-6, Sat 10-3
701 SW 62nd Blvd 888-267-5078
www.spyglassapts.com
text (spyglass)@65586
12-9-09-74-2

ACROSS FROM UF!
Studios - \$465, includes electric!
Wood floors available. FREE parking.
1225 SW 1 Avenue * Pets welcome
372-7111 No move-in fees!
12-9-09-75-2

2 For Rent unfurnished

BRAND NEW REDUCED RATES!
1's, 2's, 3's
* Inclusive Pkgs Available
* Pet Friendly!
* Immediate or Fall Move In
352-374-3866
12-9-09-75-2

Walk to Class!
1brs from \$499 - 150 ft from UF!
Move-in today. FREE parking!
Pets Welcome! No Move-in Fees.
372-7111 * 1216 SW 2nd Ave
12-9-09-75-2

\$399 FOR EVERYTHING
All Inclusive Student Suites
Roommate Match*Feline Friendly!
Astroturf Soccer Field
352-271-3131*GainesvillePlace.com
12-9-75-2

Action Real Estate Services
Houses to Condos
1-4 BR, Starting at \$450
www.action-realtors.com
352-331-1133
12-9-09-75-2

***Fully Furnished*All Inclusive* Roommate Matching**
2 MONTHS FREE
Brand New Gated*Upscale 1br-4br*
3000 SW 35th Place
EnclaveUF.com*352.376.0696
12-9-09-75-2

Now you can easily submit your classified ad for print and/or web editions right thru our website!

Just go to
www.alligator.org/classifieds
Visa and Mastercard accepted.

WALK TO CAMPUS
1BRs from \$550 2BRs from \$600
Sun Bay ● Sun Key ● Sun Harbor
352-376-6720 www.sunisland.info
Ask about our new pet policy & other specials
12-9-09-75-2

Wake Up 10 Min Before Class
...AND be on time!
Studios from \$499, 1s from \$575
\$0 M/I Fees, Pet Friendly
371.7777 CollegeParkUF.com
12-9-09-75-2

● Check out our apartments. Priced from \$400-\$525. Close to shopping & university.
● Also 3BR/2BA house available. \$900/mo. No section 8. Call 335-7066 for info. 12-9-09-75-2

FOX HOLLOW
Gated Entry
Ask about our move-in specials!
7301 W Univ Ave
Mon-Fri 9-6, Sat 10-2
877-288-2921 352-332-3199
www.cmcp.com/foxxhollow
12-9-09-74-2

REDUCED 1st Mo 1/2 off! 2/2 off of SW 35th Pl, Close to UF & bus route. Great for grad students! Building is 3 yrs old w/ only 1 prev tenant. W/D, D/W, tile & carpet in BDs \$775/ mo Avail ASAP, no smokers. (904) 386-6485 12-2-09-86-2

FREE Rent until January 2010!!!
Pine Rush Pet Friendly No Weight Limits
1 bdr. from \$459 2bdr. from \$639
Near UF and Oaks Mall
Ph. 375-1519 www.gremco.com
11-30-09-85-2

3 Subleases

Female roommate wanted! sublease spring. \$520/mo, 6 bdrm big house, awesome location! 3 min walk to Campus & 5 min walk to Sor. Row! free park spot, 2ba, 2 kitchen, porch, firepl, Lg rm, wd floors. Call (772)216-5773 11-20-5-3

Large 1 Bedroom in 4/2. Spring/Summer 2010. 1.5 miles to campus and on the bus route. Clean house, quiet roommates, washer/dryer, dishwasher, new carpet. Pets ok. \$305/month. call 850-525-4532 11-23-09-6-3

Canopy Apartment 1br/1ba
4 bed unit w/3 male roommates
Jan 1 2010 - May 4 2010
Save! Current rate \$625/mth
Now \$400/mth call 239-634-3130 11-25-09-5-3

4 Roommates

Roommate Matching HERE
Oxford Manor 377-2777
The Landings 336-3838
The Laurels 335-4455
Greenwich Green 372-8100
Hidden Lake 374-3866
12-9-75-4

Now you can easily submit your classified ad for print and/or web editions right thru our website!

Just go to www.alligator.org/classifieds
Visa and Mastercard accepted.

1BR INDIVIDUAL LEASES IN FURNISHED 4BR CONDOS. 2 blocks to UF. \$345/mo incl elec, cable tv, internet, pool, laundry facility. 914 SW 8th Ave. 378-4626 11-30-09-55-4

Enjoy A Romantic Old House
Near library downtown. \$295-375/mo + utils. Short term. No pets. No smoking. 378-1304 11-23-09-30-4

1 month free-Share 2B/2B MH in Cornerstone. Furn rm avail now. \$200 N/R dep. \$400/mo or \$100/wk util incl. Laundry/cook/clean svc avail. Near bus/shops. 30 day notice to vacate. Some pets ok. Call 331-0762 11-23-25-4

1BR/1BA or 2BR/2BA avail Jan 1st. for responsible mature individual. \$400-\$800/mo OBO + utils. Brandywine on Archer Rd. yttek@hotmail.com or 305-332-6566 11-20-09-21-4

Walk or bike to UF, Shands or VA. Roommate needed for nice 2/1, \$350/mo + half utilities at Summit House on SW 16th Ave. Recently renovated. \$200 dep. Call 352-843-0220 to see. 11-25-21-4

Female wanted to share new 3BR/3BA home near campus(SW area)2400sf. On bus route. Washer & dryer included. Furnished, except your bedroom. \$425 plus utilities. Serious, non-smoking students only. 813-610-1698 11-20-15-4

Female roommates needed. Live in a big new house w/ bus stop to UF, quiet/relax area, fenced yard,private pool. 520/month all inclusive. Joyce 941-724-0961. Must see House Pics: tinyurl.com/mbs77r 11-25-15-4

A clean, preprofessional, non-smoking female roommate for a 2/2.5 townhome close to UF and Santa Fe. \$350 + 1/2 of the utilities and internet included, W/D, Bdr unfurnished. Contact Madgene at 561-827-4970. 12-1-09-15-4

Female roommate needed, 4/2.5 townhouse, l-75 and Newberry, all included, gated, \$400 baezwp@bellsouth.net 954-557-4769 1-19-09-30-4

\$385-Female roommate needed for 1/1 in 4/4 Univ. Terrace condo with all utilities included, fully furnished, on routes 12 and 35, very clean, for Spring or longer. Call Anu @ 352-262-0628. 11-23-10-4

4 Roommates

Female UF roommate needed for 3 bedroom house walking distance to UF. Share with 2 UF students. Private yard and parking. \$450.00 month plus util. email Lauren at ciba123@aol.com 11-24-09-5-4

2 bedrooms available now in a GREAT 4 BR house near campus. Easy walk to law school, bike to main campus. Live with one student, one professional. \$450/mo. Nice neighborhood, sunny porch, great place to live. Call David, (321) 303-2214. 12-4-09-10-4

5 Real Estate

Sell your house, condo, acreage, mobile home and much more in the ALLIGATOR CLASSIFIEDS! Reach thousands of possible buyers! Mastercard and Visa accepted over the phone, by fax, email or **CHECK OUT PLACING YOUR AD THRU OUR ONLINE AT www.alligator.org**. or please call 373-Find (373-3463)

SEE ALL CONDOS
www.UFCONDOS.COM
Matt Price Campus Realty, 352-281-3551 12-9-74-5

NEW CONDOS -WALK to UF
3 Blks to UF. For info on ALL 1, 2, 3, 4 Bedrooms for Sale, Call Eric Leightman, Campus Realty at 352-219-2879. 12-9-74-5

AFFORDABLE LUXURY NEW CONSTRUCTION NEAR UF, SHANDS, LAW SCHOOL
2Bed/3 Full Baths + Office. Granite Counters, 2 Direct Bus Stops to UF.
Matt Price, Campus Realty 352-281-3551 12-9-74-5

WALK TO UF & DOWNTOWN!
THE PALMS - New Ultra-Luxury Condos. Granite, Huge Closets, Pool, Call Eric Leightman, Campus Realty, 352-219-2879
12-9-74-5

Gator Getaway -Exp old Florida. 20 acre lot 4 miles south of Archer. Century old live oaks, high & dry, beer & turkey. 15 mins from Gville. Investment priced \$6500/acre. Certified appraisal as of 9/8/09. 352-528-2406 Ten 11-30-09-30-5

130 FEET RIVER FRONTAGE! 1.5 ACRES, BUILDABLE LOT WITH LARGE SELECTION OF HUGE TREES ON PEACEFUL SECTION OF RIVER. GREAT INVESTMENT! ONLY 25K. (352)665-8067 1-13-09-20-5

Great for Students 1BR/1BA.
Walk to Campus. Only \$49,900
Gore-Rabell Realty 378-1387 4-21-75-5

Bank Foreclosures! 3 Br only \$199/Mo! 5 Br only \$225/Mo! Buy, 5%down 30yrs @8%apr. for listings (800)366-9783 ext 5853 11-20-1-5

FORECLOSED HOME AUCTION 300+ FLORIDA Homes Auction: Dec 5 REDC | View Full Listings www.Auction.com RE No. CQ1031187 11-20-1-5

LAND BARGAIN 21+ AC Only \$89,900 Beautifully wooded acreage close to FL/GA border. Enjoy end of road privacy! Perfect for weekend getaway/ cabin in woods/ horse farm. Possible subdivide. Excellent financing. Call owner now (912)674-0320 www.GAforest.com 11-20-1-5

NC MOUNTAINS - Brand New! \$50,000 Mountain Top tract reduced to \$19,500! Private, near Boone area, bank financing, owner must sell, (866)275-0442 11-20-1-5

Plantation and Land Auctions 960+/-Ac Brooks Co. Georgia Land Auctions Nov. 27th, 10AM. Home, Land and Farm. Excellent Investment Potential. www.CertifiedRealEstateAuctions.com (800)711-9175 AU-C002792 10%BP 11-20-1-5

6 Furnishings

BED - QUEEN - \$120 ORTHOPEDIC Pillow-top, mattress & box. Name brand, new, still in plastic. Call 352-372-7490 will deliver. 12-9-09-74-6

6 Furnishings

BED - FULL SIZE - \$100 ORTHOPEDIC Pillow-top mattress & box. New, unused, still in plastic w/warranty. Can deliver. Call 352-377-9846 12-9-09-74-6

MICROFIBER SOFA & LOVESEAT - \$400 Brand new still packaged w/warranty. Must sell. Can deliver. Retail \$1600. 352-372-7490 12-9-09-74-6

BED - KING - \$170 PILLOWTOP mattress & box springs. Orthopedic rated. Name brand, new, never been used, in plastic with warranty. Call 352-372-8588. Can deliver. 12-9-09-74-6

CHERRY SLEIGH BED solid with Pillowtop Mattress & Box. All new still boxed. Cost \$1500, sacrifice \$450 352-333-7516

Sofa \$175 Brand new in pkg 333-7516 12-9-74-6

BEDROOM SET. 7pc Cherry, Queen/ king bed, dresser w/mirror, 2 nightstands, chests avail. Dovetail const. New, in boxes. Can deliver. Retail \$6500, must sell, sacrifice \$1100 (352) 372-7490 12-9-09-74-6

SOFA & LOVESEAT 100% Italian leather. Brand new in plastic w/warranty. Retail \$2650. Sacrifice \$750. Call 352-377-9846 12-9-09-74-6

DINING ROOM Beautiful cherry set w/table, 6 Chippendale chairs, hutch & buffet. New, still in boxes. Retail \$5200, sacrifice \$1100. Must sell. Can deliver. 352-372-8588 12-9-74-6

FUTON Solid oak mission-style frame w/ mattress. New, in box. \$160 332-9899

DINETTE SET 5pc \$120 Brand new in box. Never used. 352-377-9846 12-9-09-74-6

****BEDS - ALL BRAND NEW****
****Full \$100 Queen \$125 King \$200****
Orthopedic pillow-top sets. Brand name matching sets not used or refurbished. Still in plastic, direct from factory! 352-333-7516. 12-9-74-6

BED- QUEEN New orthopedic pillowtop mattress and boxspring set. Brand name, brand new, still in plastic with warranty. Can deliver. \$130 352-377-9846. 12-9-74-6

Bed- All New King! 3pc Orthopedic pillowtop mattress set. Brand NEW, still in plastic with warranty. Can deliver. \$200 352-333-7516. 12-9-74-6

BEDROOM SET- \$300 BRAND NEW Still in boxes! 6 pieces include: Headboard, 2 Nightstands, Dresser, Mirror, Chest. Must sell, can deliver. 352-377-9846. 12-9-09-74-6

FUTON - \$60 Solid Oak Mission Style. With plush mattress \$160. All brand NEW still in box. Can deliver. 352-333-7516 12-9-74-6

Bed-FULL size pillowtop mattress & box. New in plastic, warr. Can del. \$100 317-4031

SOFA \$185 Brand new! Love seat \$150 still in pkg. Can del 352-333-7516 12-9-74-6

7 Computers

CASH PAID: Laptops & Cameras Parts & Repair Mac & PC laptops AC adapters Joel 336-0075 www.pcrecycle.biz 12-9-09-74-7



GATORLAND COMPUTERS
12-9-74-7

Computer Help Fast Gatorland Computers House/Dorm Fast response. No waiting/unplugging/hassels. \$30 Gator discount w/ID. Certified MCSE Technicians. 352-338-8041. www.GatorlandComputers.com 12-9-74-7

COMPUTER & LAPTOP REPAIRS
Network specialists
We buy computers and laptops
Working and Non-working
378-4009, 607 NW 13th Street
12-9-09-71-7

7 Computers

●KALEV ON KALL●
I come to your location
All PC and Networking Problems
● 352-262-6704 ● Only \$25 per hour ●
12-4-09-10-7

9 Bicycles

In the market for a new set of wheels or just looking to add a second to that collection? Want personalized handlebars or a fitted seat? Check in the Alligator Classifieds

NEW & USED BIKES FOR SALE
WE REPAIR ALL BRANDS
* Best Prices in Town *
SPIN CYCLE 373-3355
424 W UNIV AVE (DOWNTOWN)
12-9-74-9

10 For Sale

●●●●PARKING●●●●
Private, Secure, Guaranteed. 60 sec to UF. Reserve now! Reasonable rates. 352-538-2181. Can leave mssg. 12-9-09-74-10

UF SURPLUS EQUIPMENT AUCTIONS are underway...
bikes, computers, printers, vehicles & more. All individuals interested in bidding go to: surplus.ufl.edu 392-0370 12-9-09-75-10

THE ORIGINAL RALLY TOWEL. YOU'VE SEEN THEM IN THE STADIUM, NOW GET YOUR OWN. THE ORIGINAL RALLY TOWEL. JUST HOW BIG OF A FAN ARE YOU? www.therallytowel.com 11-24-09-14-10

METAL ROOFING TAX CREDIT! 40 yr Warranty. Direct from manufacturer. 30 colors in stock Quick turnaround. Delivery available. Gulf Coast Supply & Manufacturing, (888)393-0335 www.gulfcoastsupply.com 11-20-1-10

ALL CASH VENDING! Do you earn \$800 in a day? 25 Local Machines and Candy \$9,995. (888)629-9968 B02000033 CALL US: We will not be undersold! 11-20-1-10

11 Motorcycles, Mopeds

★★★WWW.RPMMOTORCYCLES.COM★★★
FULL SERVICE REPAIR SHOP 11TH YEAR OEM + AFTERMARKET PARTS + ACCY'S HUGE TIRE SELECTION IN STOCK, CALL FOR PRICES + DISCOUNTS 352-377-6974 12-9-75-11

11 Motorcycles, Mopeds

★★★★New Scooters 4 Less★★★★
Motor Scooter Sales and Service!
Great Scooters, Service & Prices!
118 NW 14th Ave, Ste D, 336-1271
www.NS4L.com
12-9-09-75-11

★★★GatorMoto★★★
Largest Scooter Store in Town! Run by Gator Grads! New scooters starting at \$999. No legit shop can beat these prices! 1yr Warranties included. 376-6275GatorMoto.com 12-9-09-75-11

SCOOTER SERVICE
New Scooters 4 Less has LOW service rates! Will service any make/model. Close to UF! Pick-ups avail cheap oil changes!! 336-1271 12-9-09-75-11

*****www.BuyMyScooter.com*****
Buy A New Scooter, Buy A Used Scooter All on one site! Check the website or call 336-1271 for more info! 12-9-09-75-11

GATORMOTO Gville's #1 service facility. We repair ALL brands of scooters. Pickups available. Lowest labor rates around. Quickest turnaround time. Run by Gator Grads so we know how to treat our customers! 376-6275 12-9-09-75-11

●●●●● SCOOTERS ●●●●●
RPM MOTORCYCLES INC
SALES, SERVICE, PARTS
Many Brands Available 518 SE 2nd St.
www.RPMMotorcycles.com 377-6974
12-9-75-11

★★SCOOTER RENTALS★★
Rent for a day, week, semester, or rent to own! Reserve now for Game Day Weekends! NS4L.com 352-336-1271 12-9-09-75-11

*******NEW SCOOTER*******
Eagle 49cc, black/silver
max speed 37 mph, 1 yr warranty
\$950 obo call Julia 772-349-3879 11-20-09-1-11

12 Autos

●FAST CASH FOR ALMOST ANY CARS ●
●Running or not!●
●NEED HONDA, TOYOTA, PICKUPS
●Over 15 yr svc to UF students
●Call Don @ 215-7987 12-9-75-12

CARS - CARS Buy●Sell●Trade
Clean BMW, Volvo, Mercedes
Toyota, Honda, Nissan cars
3432 N Main St. www.carrsmith.com
CARRSMITH AUTO SALES 373-1150
12-9-75-12



ATTENTION ADVERTISERS

DEADLINES

The Alligator will not publish on Thursday, November 26 and Friday, November 27, due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

The deadline for Monday, Nov. 30 is Tuesday, Nov. 24 by 4 p.m.

The deadline for Tuesday, Dec. 1 is Wednesday, Nov. 25 by 4.p.m.

These deadlines apply to both Display and Classified advertising.

Display Advertising 376-4482

Classified Advertising 376-4446

alligator the independent florida

12

Autos

\$500! POLICE IMPOUNDS!
HONDAS, CHEVYS, TOYOTAS, ETC.
For listings 800-366-9813 ext 4622
12-9-75-12

★★HEADLINERS SAGGING?★★
POWER WINDOWS DON'T WORK?
On site avail. Steve's Headliners 352-226-1973
12-9-74-12

WE BUY JUNK CARS
Titles Only. Call K.T. (352) 281-9980
12-9-75-12

I BUY CARS & TRUCKS
Call Anytime 352-339-5158
11-30-09-50-12

12

Autos

SUN CITY AUTO SALES
All vehicles \$0 down
No credit check
Cash vehicles \$1000 and up.
352-338-1999 12-9-49-12

SUN RISE AUTO SALES
No credit check
Cars, SUVs, Trucks & Vans
30 day warranty
352-375-9090 12-9-49-12

96 Plymouth Minivan \$699 cash
92 Nissan Stanza \$999 cash
98 Pontiac Grand Am \$999 cash
96 Kia Sephia \$999 cash
352-338-1999 12-9-40-12

12

Autos

96 Lincoln Mark 8 \$999 cash
95 Pontiac Bonneville \$999 cash
98 Chrysler Cirrus \$999 cash
96 Chevy Cavalier \$1499 cash
352-338-1999 12-9-40-12

92 Honda Accord \$1499 cash
97 Mazda Millenia \$1999 cash
92 Chevy Camero \$1999 cash
96 Mits Galant \$1999 cash
352-338-1999 12-9-40-12

97 Jeep Cherokee \$1900
96 Chevy Astro Van \$1900
96 Chevy Blazer \$1499
98 Ford Expolorer \$2500
352-338-1999 12-9-48-12

12

Autos

95 Dodge Ram PK \$2900
98 Dodge Ram PK \$2900
98 Pontiac Transport \$2900
94 Toyota Camry \$2900 SOLD
352-338-1999 12-9-48-12

97 Mercury Grand Marquis \$2900
00 Hyundai Elantra \$2900
94 Toyota Station Wagon \$2900 SOLD
97 Mits Diamonte \$2900
352-338-1999 12-9-48-12

96 Honda Accord \$2500
94 Toyota Camry \$2900
96 Cadillac Deville \$2900
01 Hyundai Sonata \$2900
352-338-1999 12-9-48-12

Sun City Auto Sales
60 Day pay off
On cash vehicles
Pay off time negotiable
352-338-1999 12-9-48-12

2003 Honda Civic, 79k \$8999 CASH
2003 Honda Civic, 115k \$8499 CASH
2003 Honda Civic, 69k \$8999 CASH
2002 Honda Odyssey, 117k \$6999 CASH
352-375-9090 12-9-40-12

2003 Nissan Sentra, 80k \$6999 CASH
2005 Nissan Altima, 94k \$9999 CASH
2006 Suzuki Aerio, 54k \$8999 CASH
2001 Nissan Altima, 99k \$5999 CASH
352-375-9090 12-9-40-12

2002 Toyota Camry, 76k \$8999 CASH
2004 Toyota Corolla, 111k \$7999 CASH
1999 Toyota Sienna, 135k \$5999 CASH
2002 Toyota Corolla, 68k \$6999 CASH
352-375-9090 12-9-40-12

CALL US! TOP DOLLAR PAID!
Fash Cash - Free Towing
Cars, Trucks, RVs, Motorcycles
386-365-1855 12-9-09-12-12

DONATE YOUR VEHICLE RECEIVE \$1000 GROCERY COUPON UNITED BREAST CANCER FOUNDATION Free Mammograms, Breast Cancer Info www.ubcf.info FREE Towing, Tax Deductible, Non-Runners Accepted, (888)468-5964. 11-20-1-12

1999 Honda Civic \$200! 2001 Nissan Altima \$350! 2003 VW Jetta \$400! POLICE IMPOUNDS! for listings call (800)366-9813 ext 9271 11-20-1-12

Police Impounds! Honda 2000 Civic \$800! Nissan 2001 Altima \$350! Ford 2001 Taurus \$700! For listings call (800)366-9813 ext 9275 11-20-1-12

13

Wanted

LOCAL ARTIST NEEDS:
★ Gold ★ Diamonds ★ Gems ★ Class Rings
★ ETC ★ Top Cash \$\$\$ or Trade ★
OZZIE'S FINE JEWELRY 373-9243. 2-10-74-13

UF GRAD PAYS MORE
for gold jewelry, scrap gold, Rolex, diamonds, guitars, etc. Top \$\$\$ Get my offer before you sell! Call Jim 376-8090 or 222-8090
12-9-75-13

The American Cancer Society
Road to Recovery Volunteers Needed!
VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED
to transport cancer patients to treatment.
Flexible schedule.
Training and liability insurance provided.
Please call
352-376-6866 ext. 5079 if interested.

BE AN INSPIRATION!
Take a blind lady to Mass on Sundays and for walks and shopping as needed. We'll have lots of fun! And you will make a new friend! Contact 219-6948 12-4-09-74-13

LOOKING FOR SOMEONE TO HELP ME LEARN TO RAKE KNIT A HAT, second and fourth wednesdays of each month. These hats are made for people in Haiti. Come and have fun with Lenora. Call 219-6948. 12-4-09-74-13

14

Help Wanted

This newspaper assumes no responsibility for injury or loss arising from contacts made through advertising. We suggest that any reader who responds to advertising use caution and investigate the sincerity of the advertiser before giving out personal information or arranging meetings

the independent florida
alligator

RETAIL ADVERTISING MANAGER FULL TIME POSITION
Sales driven person to train student sales staff in outside newspaper advertising sales. Motivator needed who works well with a constantly changing staff. Duties include training university students in outside newspaper sales, layout and copy writing. Must work well within and meet daily deadlines. Good organizational skills a must. Newspaper ad sales background an advantage. Modest salary, good benefits and excellent working environment. With resume, send cover letter that must include salary requirements, to: General Manager, The Independent Florida Alligator, PO 14257, Gainesville, FL 32604 or email to tcarey@alligator.org. No phone calls please. EOE

LIKE TO WORK WITH LUXURY CARS? Bright? Enthusiastic? Like people? Must be over 22, stable work history, clean driving record, drug-free, personal references. www.carrsmith.com for details. 12-9-75-14

\$STUDENTS GET CASH ON THE SPOT! For gently used clothing/accessories & furniture. No appt.necessary! - Sandy's Savvy Chic Resale Boutique 2906 NW 13th St. 372-1226 12-9-09-74-14

Now you can easily submit your classified ad for print and/or web editions right thru our website!

Just go to www.alligator.org/classifieds
Visa and Mastercard accepted.

BARTENDING \$250 A DAY POTENTIAL
No experience necessary, training provided. 800-965-6520 ext 138 12-9-09-75-14

FUTURE GMs
Now hiring assistant managers
GatorDominos.com/jobs
12-9-75-14

PHONE AGENTS NEEDED
Must have Excellent Vocabulary and Communication skills. PC skills needed. Apply Now! 6020 NW 4th Place, Suite G. 352-371-5888 x 111 12-9-74-14

DOMINO'S
Now hiring Delivery Drivers - \$12-\$16/hr. You need a great attitude & dependable car. Hiring lunch, dinner & late night shifts. Our closing drivers earn \$100 per night. Apply @ any of our 8 location or @ gatordominos.com/jobs. 12-9-09-75-14

Students in Accounting, Aviation, Business/Sales and computer science needed for various positions. Flexible schedules and competitive pay. Join our team! Learn more at www.gleim.com/employment 12-9-09-82-14

STUDENTPAYOUTS.COM
Paid survey takers needed. Gainesville. 100% FREE to join. Click on Surveys 12-9-09-73-14

Graduate debt-free. Earn cash while attending college. For a confidential interview call 1-800-577-2021 & please leave your name & number TWICE 12-9-68-14

Breakthrough product, everyone wants it, everyone needs it. 50% commissions paid bi-monthly. For an interview, call 1-800-577-2021 12-9-68-14

Worship Guide

BAPTIST

North Gainesville Baptist Church

Independent & Missionary
www.ngbcfl.org
Heritage Park bldg
3401 NE 34th St
352-388-9050

The Christian Missionary Alliance

New Life Community Chapel

International Day: Celebrating Our Uniqueness
Sunday Oct. 18 : 10:30 AM to NOON
International Dinner, guest speakers and music
All are welcome, but space is limited.
RSVP by Oct 15
New Life Community Chapel
Westside Park Rec. Center
Sundays at 10:30 AM
www.newlifecommunitychapel.org
phone: (352) 214-4462

Episcopal/Anglican

Episcopal Chapel House Chapel of Incarnation

Chapel of Incarnation
www.ufchapelhouse.com
2 weekly communion services, lovely garden, sweet fellowship, holy fun! 352-372-8506

EVANGELICAL

Creekside Community Church

College Bible Study, Sun 7pm
Prayer and Praise, Wed 7:30pm
Worship Service, Sun 10:30am
For more info email Mary at college@creeksidecc.org

Jewish Student Centers

Chabad Lubavitch Jewish Student Center

-Your home away from home.
-Friday Night Live!
-Services & Shabbat Dinner.
-7:30pm ALL FALL
-352-336-5877; 2021 NW 5th Ave.
-(5 blocks north of the stadium)
-www.JewishGator.com

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

Imagine a religion embracing many different beliefs... including yours.
Join us on Sunday at 11 AM
4225 NW 34th St.
Info: 377-1669 or www.uufg.org and Facebook, Twitter, YouTube

METHODIST

Gator Wesley Foundation

Sunday worship 11am at the Presbyterian and Disciples of Christ Student Center 1402 W. Univ. Ave. with FREE lunch to follow. Thursday evening the Gathering/Bible Study 8pm. Office located 104 NW 14th Street. For full schedule of events visit gatorwesley.com

NON-DENOMINATIONAL

Trinity Metropolitan Community Church

Offering truly open and GLBTS? inclusive Christian worship.
Sunday Worship, 10:15a.m.
11604 SW Archer Road
For info: mccgainesville.org
Or call: (352) 495-3378
"Tearing Down Walls; Building Up Hope"

Universal Faith Ministries

Universal Faith Ministries Inc invites you to our open session Bible Teachings Tues at 7pm
Night of prayer Fri at 7pm and

NON-DENOMINATIONAL

Sunday worship at 11am
1930 NE Waldo Rd Gainesville
You may call 352-505-3005

University City Church of Christ

Gators for Christ campus ministry college group meets at University City church on Sundays at 9:30am and Wednesdays at 7pm - practical application from God's word, plus service projects, large group events, free meals, and much more!... (directions and events calendar at www.gatorsforchrist.org)

PRESBYTERIAN

Faith Presbyterian Church

10am Worship - Lunch Following
9am Sunday School
5916 NW 39th Avenue
Phone: 352-377-5482
www.fpc-gnv.org

First Presbyterian Church

www.1stpc.org
Sunday Worship:
Early service-8:30am Chapel, Worship-10:55am Sanctuary
College Ministry:
College Café-Following 10:55am worship service. Free home-cooked meal.
Trajectory-Wednesday night 7:30-9:30pm. Discipleship studies, Recreational activities, Missions and Evangelism.
"Set the Trajectory of your life on Christ"

Redemption Orthodox Presbyterian Church

Christ-centered preaching
Joyful traditional worship
Rev Joel Fick, Pastor
Meets: 7th Day Adventist Church
2115 NW 39th Avenue
Worship at 10:30am
Evening Instruction at 6:00pm
www.redemptionopc.org 327-8127

For more information contact Megan,
Alligator Advertising, at 376.4482.

the independent florida
alligator

14 Help Wanted

PT Sales /Leasing Agents Needed
Help students find their new apartment!
Great pay plus bonuses. Sales experience & outgoing personality required. No real estate exp req (training provided). Send resume, cover letter & avail schedule to hr@trimarkproperties.com
12-9-65-14

Earn Extra Money. Students needed ASAP. Earn up to \$150 per day being a Mystery Shopper. No Experience Required. Call 1-800-722-4791 11-20-41-14

Telecommunications--Software Engineers/Programmers C/C++ programmers for Embedded digital TV software (Cable, Satellite, Video over IP). Nagravisation has openings in our Atlanta and Gainesville, FL offices. 2-7 years experience. Competitive salaries, benefits, relocation. Send resume or questions to: resumes.atlanta@lw.net 11-25-09-28-14

Hair models wanted for long hair in motion studios. Hip-length or longer only. No experience necessary. \$70 to \$120 and hour. Call 352 792-1824 modelsh@yahoo.com 1-14-09-32-14

GET PAID TO TAKE NOTES! Email your course listing and a brief description about yourself to ufi@sharenotes.com
START EARNING TODAY! 11-20-09-10-14

University of Florida
Survey Research Center
408 W University Ave. suite 106
Mon-Fri 9am-9pm
392 2908 ext. 105
\$8/hr + BONUS + Paid Training
Telephone Interviewing NO SALES 12-9-09-20-14

Sales rep for Internet finance company. Must work independently & meet deadlines. Strong attention to detail & organization. Research skills required. Sales experience a plus. Salary starts at \$24k/year + commission. Send resume to jobs@nationaltechmark.com or fax 1-866-728-4579 w/Financial Sales in subject. 11-23-09-10-14

Programmer needed w/experience in ASP &/or ASP.net, Javascript programming, relational databases, Perl &/or PHP, Ajax, JSON, & semantic web development w/ CSS. \$32,000/yr commensurate w/exp. Fax 1-866-728-4579 or jobs@nationaltechmark.com w/"Programmer" in Subject. 11-23-09-10-14

PRC NOW HIRING
Find a job you'll love. Immediate Openings for Customer Care Representatives. \$10.00 to \$10.50 per hour. Paid Training and multiple schedules available. For more information contact us at 386-326-5030 or 386-326-5008 or apply online at www.prcnet.com 1-5-09-20-14

\$10 Gift Card to Sign Up!

The first 50 women and 50 men that sign up for www.takemeintrade.com with a real photo and detailed profile with receive a \$10 iTunes Gift Card. 11-20-09-7-14

--- FAN PHOTOGRAPHERS NEEDED ---
UF Football Home Games (BHG Stadium)
\$7.50 - \$25/hr + Paid Training.No Exp.Reg. Enthusiastic/Hardworking. Equipment prov. CONTACT: ufphotomanager1@gmail.com 11-20-09-5-14

Marketing Intern:Input/analyze marketing & financial data for College of Vet Med. Knowledge of MS Excel/Access req. Apply at: jobs.ufl.edu REQ. #0803249 11-23-09-5-14

Busy young professional (gator alum) looking for part time cooking and cleaning help around the house. Within 1 mile to UF. 1-2 hours per day. Email builds4fun@gmail.com 11-30-7-14

EARN WHILE YOU LEARN
SFla sales office lkn4 pt sales \$8-10/hr+incentives contact:michael@cocard.net 954 420 9394 11-20-09-2-14

Babysitter needed for 3 kids (ages 1,3,4) from 2-6pm M/W/F starting in Dec. Submit resume, references and class schedule to eibray74@gmail.com 11-25-09-5-14

14 Help Wanted

Chef/Cook - needed for Fraternity Part-time to fill in until Dec. 11th with possibility of continuing on to full time employment in January. Experience required. Must be able to order food in quantities needed, plan meals, prepare and cook lunch and dinner. Pay is 10/hr Send resume to fratmgmt@gmail.com or call 352-375-3676 11-25-09-4-14

Office Manager, full time, pay based on experience. No weekends! Piccadilly Apts. Apply in person. E-mail questions to office@piccadillyapts.com No phone calls please. 11-30-5-14

PTL OTR Drivers. NEW PAY PACKAGE!
Great Miles! Up to 46cpm. 12 months experience required. No felony or DUI past 5 years. (877)740-6262. www.ptl-inc.com 11-20-1-14

15 Services

IMPORT AUTO REPAIR. BMW, Mercedes, Porsche, Volvo, VW, Honda, Toyota, Nissan, Mazda. Quality craftsmanship, reasonable prices, near UF, AAA approved 378-7830 www.carrsmith.com 12-9-75-15

EVERGLADE EQUESTRIAN CENTER
The countryclub for horses & owners. Customer lounge w/full kitchen & bath. 250' x 160' riding ring, round pen & jump paddock. Lessons. 30 acres, 40 matted stalls, 19 separate paddocks. 24-hr security, 352-591-3175 everglade-equestrian.com 12-9-74-15

Want to be a CNA, phlebotomist or pharm tech? Express Training offers courses, days, eve, weekend. All classes live, no videos. Call 352-338-1193 or expresstrainingservices.com 12-9-09-74-15

PERSONAL TRAINING 300
Personal and Group Training
Flexible Scheduling Exclusive Facility
Call for a free workout 339-2199
12-9-74-15

TLC HORSEBOARD
All facilities & amenities, quality instruction; 15 minutes from UF. Jan at 376-7762. Greathouse Equestrian Ctr. 12-9-75-15

HORSE BOARDING
Hourly work available. 12 x 12 stall - cement block barn. Good grass turnout with room to run! Limited # of stalls available. \$350/mo. 352-472-2627 for info & directions. 12-9-09-74-15

HYPNOTIST - Stop smoking. Improve memory & concentration. Eliminate bad habits. Past life regression. Learn self hypnosis. Low Student Rates. Leonard Umans AAPH, NGH certified 379-1079 12-9-75-15

T-SHIRT SCREEN PRINTING
Greeks-Sports-Clubs-Bands
Call or Stop by for a QUOTE
MONSTER PRESS 373-3355
424 W UNIV AVE (in Spin Cycle)
12-9-74-15

Mini Maxi Warehouses; corner Waldo Rd & NE 31st Ave; 12 acres, student/staff rentals; UHaul warehouse complex, trucks, trailers. 6 x 10 rentals \$39/mo! 352-373-6294 or 1-800-559-2449 Also 100 sheds for sale. 12-9-09-68-15

Gator Slide Farm: Horse boarding.
Owner housing. Dressage, stadium jumping, X-country. Lessons/schooling opportunities. Feeding/mucking mitigate monthly charges. Visitors always welcome. Contact Dibble 352.466.3538 or gtrslfrm@aol.com 1-7-09-120-15

GUTTER & ROOF CLEANING
Free Estimates. Super Service! Lic & Ins. Steve "The School Teacher" 352-377-7086 12-9-09-74-15

HORSE BOARDING Premier facility next to Canterbury. Stall or pasture board from \$250. Two sand/clay arenas, round pen, jumps, lessons. Work avail to defray costs. 352-472-9977 weecfl@gmail.com 1-19-09-95-15

15 Services

★ ★ GREAT BANNERS & SIGNS ★ ★
Full-color Decals●Exhibits●Vehicle Wraps
Top Quality●Fast Service●Low Prices
www.signpower.com
SignMasters 335-7000
1-29-83-15

★ ★ PLAQUES AWARDS TROPHIES ★ ★
Name Badges●Buttons●ADA Signs
Top Quality●Fast Service●Low Prices
www.signpower.com
SignMasters 335-7000
1-29-83-15

BEGINNER GUITAR & PIANO LESSONS
For ALL ages.
My EXPERIENCE: 10 yrs-guitar & a lifetime-piano. If interested call 352-256-3800 or email gidonherman00@gmail.com 12-9-57-15

FLOOR COVERING
James R. Langford Inc.
Carpet Vinyl Repairs
Restretches Installs
Call Jim 352-222-8827
12-1-14-15

GET A TICKET?
TAKE TRAFFIC SCHOOL 100% ONLINE
STATE OF FLORIDA APPROVED
NO POINTS ON LICENSE
www.EasyTrafficSchoolNow.com 1-8-20-15

Green cards - permanent resident status - for postdoc researchers and new faculty. Self-petition through national interest waiver. Email robjac@myimmigrationlaw.com or call 352-335-2699 for consultation. Robert Jacobs, PA - Limited to Imm & Nat Law 12-3-09-10-15

Advertise in Over 100 Papers throughout Florida. Advertising Networks of Florida. Put us to work for You! (866)742-1373 www.florida-classifieds.com. 11-20-1-15

Become Dietary Manager (average annual salary \$40,374) in eight months in online program offered by Tennessee Technology Center at Elizabethton. Details www.ttelizabethton.edu, (888)986-2368 or email patricia.roark@ttelizabethton.edu 11-20-1-14

BIG PLANS Being Held up by the Economy? Turn Court Settlement, Annuity, or Lottery Winnings into the Cash You Need. Call Chris (816)582-1193 or chris@yourcashout.com 11-20-1-15

ATTEND COLLEGE ONLINE from Home. *Medical,*Business,*Paralegal,*Accounting,*Criminal Justice. Job placement assistance. Computer available. Financial Aid if qualified. Call (888)203-3179, www.CenturaOnline.com. 11-20-1-15

AIRLINES ARE HIRING - Train for high paying Aviation Maintenance Career. FAA approved program. Financial aid if qualified - Housing available. CALL Aviation Institute of Maintenance (888)349-5387. 11-20-1-15

16 Health Services

HIV ANTIBODY TESTING
Alachua County Health Dept. Call 334-7960 for app't (optional \$20 fee)

All Women's Health Center
ABORTION
Free Pregnancy Test
RU-486 Available
378-9191
www.abortiongainesville.com
12-9-75-16

THE TRUE YOU!
Lose 8-15 pounds in 4 weeks
Only \$119!
Gain muscle while you lose fat
Groups forming now. 339-2199
12-9-74-16

16 Health Services

Think you're pregnant?
Free pregnancy tests & referrals
Free, confidential advising
For appt., call 352-367-2716
A Woman's Answer Medical Center 12-8-38-16

18 Personals

HIV ANTIBODY TESTING
Alachua County Health Dept. Call 334-7960 for app't (optional \$20 fee)

★Family Chiropractic★
Since 1977. Two blocks from U.F.
373-7070
12-9-74-18

SAVE ON RAYBAN/SUNGLASSES
University Opticians
300 SW 4th Ave. 378-4480
12-9-09-75-18

IMMIGRATION LAW
Marriage Green Cards
Employment Visas & Naturalization
www.ruthlaw.com (352) 335-6748
2-2-40-18

19 Connections

Want to make a connection?
Place your ad here to look for someone to share a common interest with or for your true love

20 Event Notices

IS YOUR BUSINESS, CLUB OR ORGANIZATION HAVING AN EVENT? DO YOU HAVE A SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT? PLACE YOUR AD HERE AND GET IT NOTICED!

NATIVE AMERICAN POW WOW
Nov. 27, 28 & 29.
Crafts, Storytelling, Flutes, Drumming, Dancing and Demos. Alachua County Fair Grounds. gainesvillepowwow@live.com 11-25-4-20

21 Entertainment

WALDO FARMERS & FLEA MARKET
Every Sat & Sun - Hwy 301
15 min from Gainesville 468-2255
12-9-09-99-21

SHOTGUN SHOOTING SPORTS
Open To Public We-Fr-Sa-Su, Noon-Dusk
Skeet - Trap - Olympic Trap -5 Stand
gatorskeetandtrap.com 352-372-1044
12-9-09-75-21

Rocky Creek Paintball
In Gainesville ★ Better Prices
Better Fields ★ Better Call 371-2092
12-9-09-99-21

●●●BAHAMAS SPRING BREAK●●●
Complete 5-Day packages from \$189.
All packages include round-trip cruise and hotel. www.BahamaSun.com 800-867-5018
FL Seller of Travel Reg No 35585
3-1-09-85-21

22 Tickets

Need Hotel & Gas Money for Atlanta? Sell your football tixs and come for the PARTY! I need two tickets to the SEC Game...Big Gator Fan/Alum traveling from S.FL. Email me at - gatorbenjamin@gmail.com 11-20-09-3-22

LOYAL GATOR ALUMNI NEEDS SEC TIX, WILLING TO PAY GOOD MONEY \$\$\$ FOR TIX. 352-283-2495. CASH PAID 12-9-09-12-22

23 Rides



GMG TRANSPORT
FREE WiFi on buses — New Departures
Thur 1 & 4:30 / Fri 1 & 4:30
Ret Sun 2 & 4 pm — Mon 2 pm -Also
Reverse trips Credit card payments, no extra charge pay by phone or online- \$35 O/W - \$45 R/T www.gmgtrans.com 352-215-8196
12-9-74-23

Dance Marathon at UF Presents

ZOO DAY

Nov. 22, 2009
11 a.m. - 2 P.M.
Santa Fe Teaching Zoo

with an inflatable bounce house provided by SPACE WALK, a live broadcast from KISS 105.3, and a performance by no southern accent

Benefiting Children's Miracle Network at Shands Children's Hospital at UF

Admission to the event is free. Admission to the zoo is \$4 for adults; \$3 for seniors & kids ages 4-12
Santa Fe Teaching Zoo is located at 3000 NW 83rd Street

For more information, visit our Web site: www.floridaDM.org

A copy of the official registration and financial information may be obtained from the division of consumer services by calling toll free 1-800-435-7352 within the state. Registration does not imply endorsement, approval, or recommendation by the state.

Picks Column



SITE: The Swamp (cap. 88,548)

KICKOFF: Saturday 12:30 p.m.

TV: Pay-Per-View

We know, we know, this is one of the worst college football weeks of the year. Don't blame us for not having anything to distract you from schoolwork. We here at the alligatorSports Brand Picks Column have done our best to predict this week's game, but believe us, bad games aren't any easier to project.

OKLAHOMA WILL COVER THE -6.5 SPREAD BECAUSE ... Last year's matchup between the Sooners and Red Raiders decided the Big 12 South champion and gave Oklahoma the inside track to the national title game.

I wish I could say this year's game will be as meaningful but it's not.

Both teams already have four losses and are just trying to fight off mediocrity.

While Landry Jones is no Sam Bradford, DeMarco Murray knows it's his time to step up.

My team in the alligatorSports Fantasy Challenge was in disarray heading into the first round of the playoffs with running backs Jonathan Dwyer and Joe McKnight on bye weeks, and Jahvid Best still out with a concussion.

Murray made the cut as a replacement, and my team's hopes of winning the 'ship is resting on his shoulders. He knows this and will come through for me and the team he actually plays on.

— BOBBY CALLOVI

TEXAS TECH WILL COVER THE +6.5 SPREAD BECAUSE ... It's really just not Oklahoma's year. Anytime you lose your Heisman Trophy-winning quarterback and All-American tight end, you have to realize the heavens are against you. Landry Jones stepped in at quarterback and had one of the

SEE PICKS, PAGE 28

UF BASKETBALL

Parsons leading Gators from bench

By ADAM BERRY
Alligator Staff Writer
aberry@alligator.org

For the second game in a row, Chandler Parsons kept one of Florida's most impressive streaks alive.

When his team was hitting nothing but iron against Georgia Southern on Wednesday night, he broke the ice, nailing the team's first three with 6:12 remaining in the game. This came one game after he preserved UF's 580-game streak with a 3-point shot by hitting a last-minute shot against Stetson in the season opener.

"I'm a hero, I guess," Parsons joked.

But the 6-foot-9 forward has found success in another role for the Gators so far this season — sixth man.

Despite leading the team with nine rebounds per game, averaging the second-most points (14.5) and playing the third-most minutes per game (26.5), Parsons will likely be the first player off the bench tonight when UF hosts Troy at 7 in the O'Connell Center.

Parsons recorded his third

career double-double against the Eagles on Wednesday, scoring 15 points and grabbing 12 rebounds while providing some much-needed energy off the bench against a scrappy opponent.

"It's just what I'm going to do all year," Parsons said. "I'm going to come in, play hard, bring energy and I'm going to be relentless on the offensive glass."

Parsons' long, athletic frame allows him to make plays some of his teammates aren't able to, but for a player who struggled to stay consistent from game-to-game in his first two years, UF coach Billy Donovan said the biggest change has been in his head.

"It's much more mental," Donovan said. "The mental preparation he put in in the offseason, the way he's practiced the last month and a half, his maturity as a player and person, he's totally different as a basketball player."

Part of that change has been simply doing what his coaches have asked of him. Donovan said after the game Wednesday that he had to refocus Parsons after his freshman year and get him to understand what his role on the

SEE HOOPS, PAGE 26



Rayiaz Khan / Alligator Staff

UF forward Chandler Parsons leads the team in rebounds (9 rpg) and is second in points (14.5 ppg).

FIU gives Florida a chance to rest, fix passing game

As much as Urban Meyer tries to play up FIU, it is still just FIU.

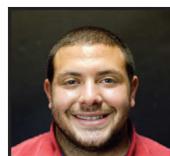
The Panthers will be completely overmatched when they step onto Florida Field to face the Gators. There is no reason for Meyer or anyone else to pretend otherwise.

That doesn't mean the Gators can't get anything out of the game.

First off, this is a good opportunity for players to get healthy before the final stretch of the season.

Any Gator who is listed as questionable should not play. There is no reason to risk injuring those players any further with the Southeastern Conference Championship Game looming.

This game can also be a chance to get some of the younger players more game experience.



Bobby Callovi
Bobby's World
bcallovi@alligator.org

fensive players.

Everybody knows the Gators can run the ball as well as any other offense in the nation.

Everybody knows Tim Tebow can still run the ball effectively.

But it is going to be the 11th game of the season and the Gators' passing game is still a work in a progress.

The receivers have dropped balls, failed

to turn short passes into big gains and looked like they were on a different page than Tebow.

Tebow just has not looked comfortable throwing to any other receiving option then Riley Cooper or Aaron Hernandez, and none of the other options have done enough in their few chances to warrant more touches.

The Gators can't rely on just Cooper and Hernandez to produce in the passing game.

Tebow needs to be able to throw to other receiving options when those two are being blanketed by defenses or are having an off night.

FIU can serve as a test dummy for UF's offense.

The Gators can work on building trust

SEE BOBBY, PAGE 28

TEERING OFF WITH MIKE MCCALL

■ The hate Thierry Henry is getting for his handball that helped send France to the World Cup over Ireland is misdirected. The real culprits are the officials and FIFA ... And I'm glad soccer is getting more play on SportsCenter these days, but can the anchors please stop reading the highlights like they're surprised the sport exists?

INSIDE — PAGE 13

■ The UF swim teams continue action at the Georgia Tech and South Carolina Invitationals today. The Gators' football team received a commitment for the 2010 season from cornerback Joshua Shaw.

alligatorSports Podcast

■ Bobby Callovi and Mike McCall join host Adam Berry to discuss Florida's big plays as well as Urban Meyer's comments regarding the Gators' seven NFL-ready juniors. Who might they be? Check it out on iTunes.

UF WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Florida looks to build on FSU lessons

By **EUGENIO TORRENS**

Alligator Staff Writer
etorrems@alligator.org

The UF women's basketball team was outsize in its loss against No. 13 FSU on Tuesday.

But that experience will come in handy sooner rather than later.

The team plays its first road contest of the season at Pittsburgh tonight. The Panthers (1-0) pose a size advantage similar to that of the Seminoles. It's the second game the Gators (1-1) are playing in a span of four days.

"Pitt is huge," coach Amanda Butler said. "They're a lot bigger than us. They have size that we just don't have, strength that we just don't have. But we have things they don't have."

The Panthers routed North Florida 61-35 and held the Ospreys to 29.8 percent shooting and forced 27 turnovers.

Against FSU, the Gators played stingy defense — forcing 19 Seminoles turnovers — and smaller lineups to gain a quickness advantage against a larger team.

Targeting foul-prone players also proved to be an effective strategy, neutralizing the physicality of bigger post players by forcing them to the bench with foul trouble.

And while strategizing may be productive, the Gators know they'll need more shots to fall in future games.

Sharielle Smith, the only effective shooter beyond the three-point line (4 of 6) Tuesday for UF, racked up 18 points and 13 rebounds, but it wasn't enough.

Following the game, players have been taking shots in practice during shooting drills as if they were being guarded, trying to mimic game-speed shooting.

"Me and Steffi (Sorensen) were terrible from behind the 3-point line, and

I just don't think that's going to happen again," said Jordan Jones, who finished 2 of 11 from beyond the arc. "We got our bad shooting night out of the way."

Jones and Sorensen combined for a bleak 4 for 21 from beyond the arc, and the Gators only shot 33 percent from the field and 29 percent from downtown.

"I don't believe in moral victories at

all, but if there is such a thing, then (FSU) was something we can build off of," Jones said.

Despite the faulty shooting, the team only lost by four against the Seminoles.

"We're supposed to be this great shooting team, but we weren't," Butler said. "But we were still in position to win the ballgame."



Harrison Diamond / Alligator Staff

UF guard Jordan Jones is leading the Gators with 15 points per game. Florida will again face a size disadvantage at Pittsburgh tonight.

LT Nixon keeps start a surprise

By **PHIL KEGLER**

Alligator Staff Writer
pkegler@alligator.org

Xavier Nixon became the first Florida freshman to start at left tackle in 18 years Saturday, but his parents were just as shocked as everyone else in attendance.

Nixon wanted it to be a surprise. It has been a trying month for the family. Both his parents are in the military, and his mother, Fotini, is stationed at Fort Hood military base in Texas, site of the Nov. 5 shooting.

His parents flew to Columbia, S.C., not knowing how much he would play.

"I didn't tell them I was going to start," Nixon said. "After the game, my mom was crying and stuff, and they were all telling me how proud they were."

His mother has been stationed at Fort Hood for four or five months. He isn't sure where she was at the time of the shooting.

"She was just as shocked as everybody else in the country was," Nixon said, "but thank God she was safe."

Besides being his first start, the South Carolina game held a little extra meaning because of the military salutes at the game and its connection with the Wounded Warrior project.

The Gamecocks wore special black jerseys with camouflage on their shoulders, and each uniform had an ideal, such as Identity or Honor, instead of a player's last name.

"It kinda struck me a little," Nixon said. "I just thought about my parents, about what they sacrificed for the country, and it just made me feel good."



Football

LAPTOP
PC & MAC
REPAIR

IMPACT COMPUTERS

CREEKSIDE MALL
1 MILE FROM UF
NEXT TO GATOR TEXTBOOKS

371-1110

Don't Tell Dad *Fix It Up Here*

GT Motorcars

Specializing in Collision repairs on all makes

Mention this ad and receive special discount

33 SE 13th Road www.GT-motorcars.com 371-0215

Sake Cafe *Grand Opening!*
Gainesville's #1 restaurant!

SUSHI
College students could afford!

Bento Boxes
Hibachi or Kitchen.....\$6.95

Sushi Combo Boxes
.....starting at \$7.95

Sushi Rolls
.....starting at \$4.00

HAPPY HOUR
Every day
4pm - 6pm
Buy one get one
free at Liquor Bar!

Full Liquor Bar

Student or UF ID gets 10% discount
Eat In or Take Out; GatorFood.com Delivery
On Archer Rd., east of 34th St. next to Bennigan's.
tel: 352-872-5888 | fax: 352-872-5889

Getting the degree...

Now get the SMILE you want to go with it and make a great first impression.

It's never been easier!

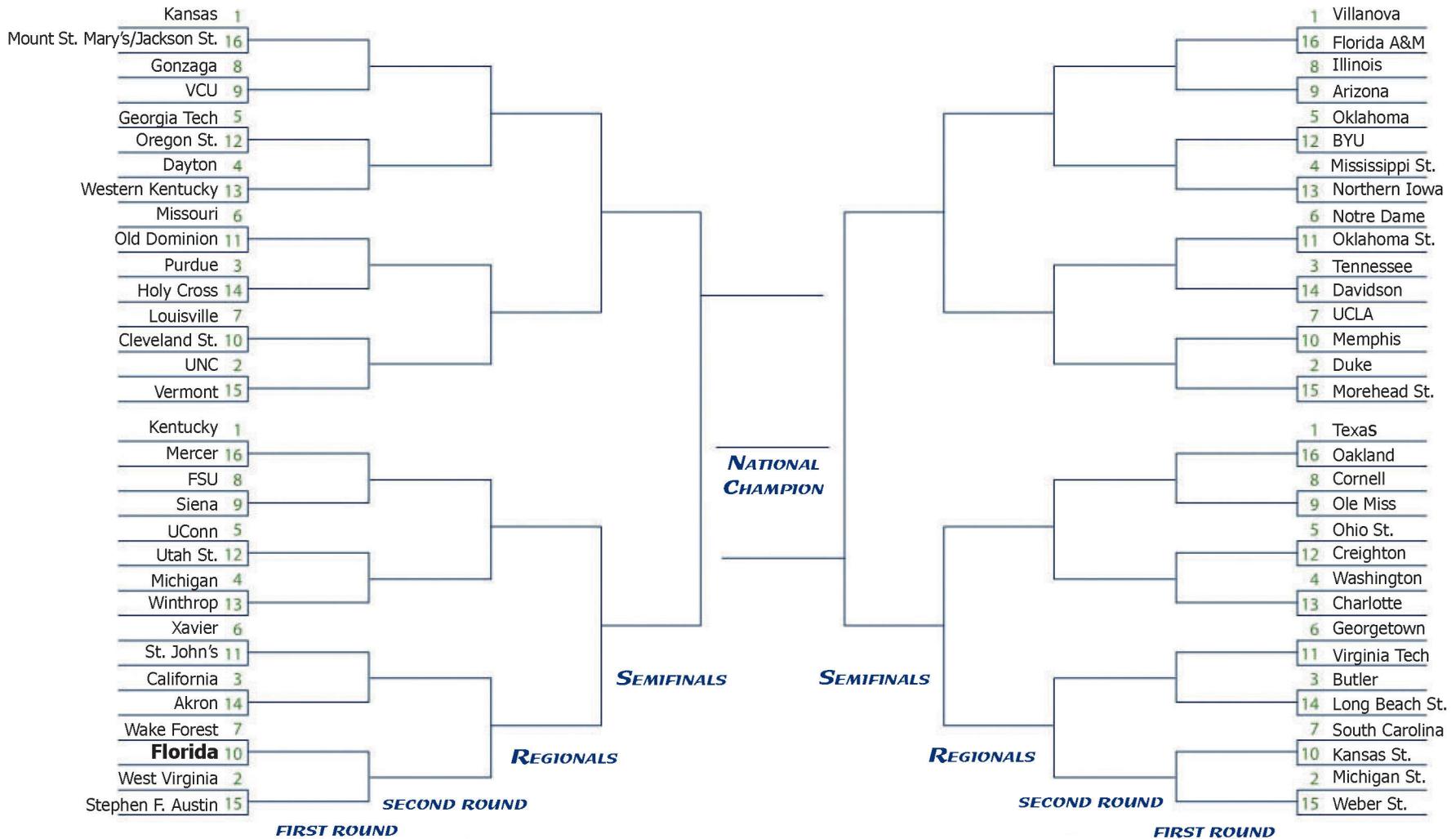
invisalign

1
invisalign
Elite
PREMIER PROVIDER
2009

Pappas & Tapley
Orthodontics
Specialists in Orthodontics

Call today for a complimentary evaluation 332-7466 or visit www.ptorthodontics.com

PROJECTED FIELD OF 65



Predictions made by Phil Kegler, Kyle Maistri and Bobby Callovi/ Alligator Staff

**FEW CAN BE
MARINES.
EVEN FEWER
CAN LEAD THEM.
CAN YOU?**



MARINEOFFICER.COM



Men's Basketball PREDICTIONS

SEC

**Mike
McCall**

**Kyle
Maistri**

**Bobby
Callovi**

**Phil
Kegler**

**Player of
the Year**

Patrick Patterson
Kentucky

Jarvis Varnado
Mississippi St.

John Wall
Kentucky

Devan Downey
South Carolina

**Rookie of
the Year**

John Wall
Kentucky

Kenny Boynton
Florida

John Wall
Kentucky

John Wall
Kentucky

**Coach of
the Year**

John Calipari
Kentucky

Andy Kennedy
Ole Miss

John Calipari
Kentucky

Darren Horn
South Carolina

**Projected
order of
finish**

1. Kentucky 7. **Florida**
2. Tennessee 8. Ole Miss
3. Vanderbilt 9. Arkansas
4. Miss St. 10. Alabama
5. S. Carolina 11. Auburn
6. LSU 12. Georgia

Kentucky Vanderbilt
Tennessee LSU
Mississippi St. Alabama
Ole Miss Arkansas
S. Carolina Auburn
Florida Georgia

Kentucky Ole Miss
Mississippi St. Vanderbilt
Tennessee LSU
Florida Arkansas
S. Carolina Auburn
Alabama Georgia

Kentucky Vanderbilt
Tennessee **Florida**
S. Carolina Arkansas
Ole Miss Alabama
LSU Georgia
Mississippi St. Auburn

**Florida's
Record**

21-10, 8-8 SEC

21-10, 9-7 SEC

23-8, 12-4 SEC

17-14, 6-10 SEC

**Sleeper
Team**

Vanderbilt

Ole Miss

Florida

South Carolina

**Bust
Team**

Georgia

Vanderbilt

Vanderbilt

Mississippi St.

NCAA

**Player of
the Year**

Sherron Collins
Kansas

Evan Turner
Ohio State

Sherron Collins
Kansas

Damion James
Texas

**Rookie of
the Year**

John Wall
Kentucky

Derrick Favors
Georgia Tech

John Wall
Kentucky

John Wall
Kentucky

**Coach of
the Year**

John Calipari
Kentucky

Jay Wright
Villanova

John Calipari
Kentucky

Paul Hewitt
Georgia Tech

Final Four
(Champion bolded)

Kansas Villanova
Kentucky UNC

Vilanova Duke
Kansas Dayton

Kansas Texas
Kentucky Villanova

Texas Kentucky
Villanova Butler

**Sleeper
Team**

Dayton

Dayton

Georgia Tech

Georgia Tech

Bust Team

Duke

Oklahoma

UConn

West Virginia



MAKE THE SEASON MERRY.

Ring in the holidays with apps, games and music for more than 50 phones.

Plus, get a **15%** faculty and staff discount.

On calling plans \$39.99 or higher with a 1- or 2-yr. agreement.



Nokia Twist™

- Unique square design that twists open to reveal a QWERTY keyboard
- V CAST Music with Rhapsody® and Visual Voice Mail™ capable

NEW! BlackBerry® Storm2™

- Do more in more places with Wi-Fi capability
- Enhanced touch screen with SurePress™ lets you be even more accurate

The Best Destination For Holiday Gifts.

Switch to America's Largest and Most Reliable Wireless Network.

Call 1.888.VZW.4BIZ (899.4249) Click verizonwireless.com/getdiscount Visit any Communications Store

VERIZON WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS STORES Open 7 days a week.

Technicians available at select locations.

CLERMONT 1415 E. Hwy. 50 352-243-6826

GAINESVILLE 3401 S.W. Archer Rd. 352-378-8828

Oaks Mall Kiosk 352-331-0379

3401 SW Archer Rd. 352-378-8828

3626 SW Archer Rd. 352-491-2500

LADY LAKE 870 N. Hwy. 27/441, Ste. G. 352-350-2861

LAKE CITY Lake City Mall 386-719-2173

LEESBURG Lake Square Mall 352-787-2449

OCALA 2613 S.W. 19th Ave. Rd. 352-620-0025

OCALA HUB/EAST 2606 SW 19th Ave. Rd. 352-237-3434

OCALA WEST 4414 SW College Rd. 352-237-8697

BUSINESS CUSTOMERS
1-800-899-4249

In Collaboration with

Alcatel-Lucent

MEXICO
Aceptamos La
Matrícula Consular

BY'S
WHOLESALE CLUB

Visit verizonwireless.com
to find a Club near you.

Activation fee/line: \$35.

IMPORTANT CONSUMER INFORMATION: Subject to Customer Agmt and Calling Plan. Device capabilities: Add'l charges & conditions apply. Offers & coverage, varying by service, not available everywhere. Network details & coverage maps at verizonwireless.com. Rhapsody and the Rhapsody logo are trademarks and registered trademarks of RealNetworks, Inc. All company names, trademarks, logos and copyrights not the property of Verizon Wireless are the property of their respective owners. All Rights Reserved. ©2009 Verizon Wireless

HOLA

UF VOLLEYBALL

Gators face slim odds to win SEC title

By **ANTHONY CHIANG**

Alligator Writer
a Chiang@alligator.org

This weekend could prove to be historic for the Gators, just not in a way they may want.

Kentucky can clinch the Southeastern Conference championship with just two more wins over an SEC opponent, two losses by No. 13 Florida (20-4, 14-3 SEC), or if the Gators lose and the Wildcats win on Friday. It would be the first time in 19 seasons that a team other than UF has captured the title.

The Gators will have a shot to deter No. 10 Kentucky (26-2, 16-1 SEC) from ending its streak of conference dominance on Sunday at 2 p.m. in Lexington, Ky. However, UF must first worry about traveling to take on Tennessee (20-7, 13-4 SEC) tonight at 7.

"Everybody is still chasing Kentucky and that hasn't changed," coach Mary Wise said. "It's going to be a lot harder to win the conference now but our goal has not changed as terms of playing our best volleyball at the end of the season."

Although there is only a slim chance remaining, the Gators could still win the SEC albeit with a lot of help from other teams. UF will have to win its final three SEC matches while hoping the Wildcats can lose two of theirs and LSU can slip up once for the Gators to just grab a share of the SEC title.

On Friday, if Kentucky wins its match against South Carolina and UF beats the Volunteers, it would set up a scenario in which the Wildcats could clinch the conference with a win against the Gators on Sunday.

But Wise believes that the pressure that comes along with the 18-year streak should not be placed upon the 2009 squad.

"It isn't fair to this team," Wise said. "Some of them weren't even born when it started."

Coming off of a loss to LSU that put them in this position, the Gators will have to be quick to turn it around as they face two of the best teams in the SEC.

"Well I don't think it would be smart to focus on that loss," junior opposite hit-

ter Lauren Bledsoe said. "We just need to put that behind us, like it is — and leave it there."

After the Gators lost to the Tigers earlier in the season, they were able get back on track and grab eight-straight sweeps, which is something they will try to repeat after los-

ing to LSU for the second time in their last match. However, the schedule will make it a little bit tougher this time around.

"One must also take a look at the schedule after that loss," Wise said. "We did not play the likes of Tennessee and Kentucky after that loss, so it's a little bit different."



Harrison Diamond / Alligator Staff

UF coach Mary Wise will lead her team on the road this weekend against Kentucky and Tennessee. The Gators could break their streak of 19 straight SEC titles.

Forward not worried about 3-pointers

HOOPS, from page 21

court was.

As a junior, he is finally proving capable of being the player Donovan hoped for. While filling any position from shooting guard to power forward, Parsons has played on the ball in the team's full-court press, showed a newfound commitment to defense and relentlessly crashed the boards.

Sophomore point guard Erving Walker praised Parsons' versatility, particularly on defense, and his willingness to play whatever role has been



Men's Basketball

asked of him, even if it means not starting like he did in 28 of UF's 36 games last year.

"Just his whole attitude, his hustle is good. He brings another dimension to the team," Walker said. "Dan (Werner) is a great player, but Chandler's more athletic. He's the guy who gets tip dunks besides Alex (Tyus). That's what we need."

As for the fact that he is seemingly the only player capable of hitting a three in the team's first two games — his two threes account for two-thirds of the Gators' 3-point production — Parsons isn't worried about that yet.

"We have a lot of great shooters," Parsons said. "The shots will come. We're going to get better on offense. I don't think we're too worried about it."

50% OFF ALL FOOD
11am-7pm Fridays
and 4pm-7pm Monday - Thursday
Great drink specials too!

alligatorSports
THE PODCAST
Tune in for the latest Gators sports news and analysis from our beat writers and columnists.
Check it out on alligatorSports.org or subscribe on iTunes.

Dyslexia
-Slow Reading?
-Poor Comprehension?
-Poor Spelling?
Years of gain in weeks of treatment!
Serving Gainesville for over 22 years.
The Morris Center, Inc.
352.332.2629 | 5930 SW Archer Rd
info@morriscenters.com

FLORIDA vs. FIU
Tomorrow @ 12:36 PM at Ben Hill Griffin Stadium
Stop by the Verizon Wireless Gator FanFest located outside of Gate 2 of the O'Connell Center. See the Gator Radio Network pre-game show live! Win prizes, play games, get autographs from Florida athletics teams and more! FanFest starts at 9:30 a.m. and goes until kick-off!
Don't forget to bring canned goods to FanFest for the Gator Canned Goods Challenge for Kids!
GATORZONE.COM
Urban Meyer
Head Coach, Florida Football
verizon wireless
Persons with disabilities requiring assistance or information may contact the UAA at 800-34-GATOR. The speech and hearing impaired may call the Florida Relay Service at 800-455-8771 (TDD).

\$8 OFF
Jiffy Lube Signature Service® Oil Change

No Coupon Needed! No expiration date to remember!
Just bring in a valid student ID to any Gainesville Jiffy Lube.

5 area locations.

For the Jiffy Lube nearest you please visit jiffylubesoutheast.com

See store for more details. Not valid with any other offer. Restrictions may apply. Jiffy Lube, the Jiffy Lube design mark and Jiffy Lube Signature Service® are registered trademarks of Jiffy Lube International, Inc.
©2009 Jiffy Lube International, Inc. All rights reserved.



Three-man safety rotation working as planned

Black, Wright, Hill compliment each other

By **KYLE MAISTRI**
Alligator Staff Writer
kmaistri@alligator.org

When Florida's coaches decided they were going to give significant playing time to Major Wright, Ahmad Black and Will Hill before this season started, many questioned how that plan would be embraced by the three safeties.

Including the safeties themselves.

"Actually, I thought people were going to end up crying. Worrying about this, worrying about that," Hill said. "But all three of us are level-headed, and we know that we're going to play."

The honesty of the coaching staff has been key to the players buying in to the system.

In the preseason, defensive coordinator Charlie Strong, coach Urban Meyer and safeties coach

Chuck Heater said all along that all three players earned the right to play, and therefore would get snaps when the time came.

But Meyer also said that about backup quarterback John Brantley, who will end up playing in fewer games this season than he did in 2008 even if he makes an appearance in all four of the Gators' remaining games.

The safety situation, however, played out exactly how they said it would with no one feeling like the third wheel.

The coaches have played all three an equal amount and have even found a way to play them at the same time with the expanded use of Strong's Joker package. The 3-3-5 defense puts an extra defensive back on the field and gives Strong the opportunity to utilize the secondary's versatility.

Against South Carolina, Hill said he played more nickelback

than usual, meaning he was matched up with receivers in the slot, where Strong used his sophomore defensive back to not only cover but also rush quarterback Stephen Garcia.

"Actually, I thought people were going to end up crying. Worrying about this, worrying about that. But all three of us are level-headed, and we know that we're going to play."

Will Hill

UF sophomore safety

As a result, Hill came away with 1.5 sacks, including the first of his career.

The Gamecocks threw for 186 yards Saturday, almost 50 yards more than the Gators' Southeastern Conference-leading 139.6 per

game average.

UF has two lockdown corners in Joe Haden and Janoris Jenkins, which allows Strong to play Wright as the lone deep safety, patrolling the field from sideline to sideline in much the same way Reggie Nelson was used in his time in Gainesville. Wright, who was thought of as just a hard hitter after his first two seasons as a Gator, has shown a big improvement in his coverage and ball skills this season, as he is tied for the team lead with three interceptions.

Black has been allowed to roam free in the box, and as a result, the junior has recorded 51 tackles, good for third on the team and first among the safeties.

Each player possesses a different skill set that can help the team win.

"Major will knock your lights out. Will is a big guy. And I'm the small guy, but I'm probably the surest tackler," Black said.

In addition to splitting time in the secondary, the three are all major special teams contributors.

A season ago, Hill led the Gators in special teams' tackles, and Black worked his way into a starting role after making a name for himself on coverage teams. Now, they all remain critical parts of a special teams unit that Meyer calls his best ever, even after establishing themselves as exceptional every-down defensive players.

Plenty of playing time to go around and a mutual respect for each other have kept the trio content with their individual roles in the three-man rotation.

"If you had a guy who wasn't as good of a player, in your opinion, then you would probably have a problem with that," Heater said. "But all three guys know they bring certain things to the table, all three of them contribute and all three of them make plays."

BILLY BALL

FRIDAY

LEGENDS CLASSIC

November 20th vs. Troy @ 7 PM

UF Students - Register online at GatorZone.com

Rowdy Town

Rowdy Town will be open outside of Gate 3 from 3-5 PM

Play EA Sports games, listen to live music and more!

GATORZONE.COM

THE WASTE WATCHER'S TAILGATING TIPS

BEN HILL GRIFFIN STADIUM

Alachua County, Florida

HEY GATOR FANS, HELP US Embrace Zero Waste!

1. Reduce Waste with Reusable Plates, Cups and Utensils
2. Recycle Aluminum Cans, Plastic and Glass Bottles
3. Dispose of Trash in Proper Receptacles

Alachua County Office of Waste Alternatives
(352) 374-5213 • www.TheWasteWatcher.com

THE WASTE WATCHER
Embrace Zero Waste

Quality Express

OVER 12 YEARS OF SERVICE
1 YEAR GUARANTEE

Butler Plaza (Next to Archer Road Wal-Mart) 335-1232
Newberry Square (Next to Newberry Road K-Mart) 332-3937

EZ Tennis

International
Lowest prices in the world or 10% off the lowest price you find online.

2120 SW 34th St. Plaza
(352) 372-2257
www.eztennis.com

Gators vs Crimson Tide: December 5, 2009
Going to the game? Stay the night!

\$98 SEC Rate package:*
overnight accommodations
complimentary bucket of beer

Doubletree Hotel...We're more than just a cookie!
* Use Rate Code: SEC. Proper ID required; normal liquor laws apply.

WWW.GODOUBLETREE.COM

4156 LAVISTA RD. | ATLANTA, GA 30084 | 770.938.1026



FRIDAYS

\$5 BUD LIGHT PITCHERS
\$5 LITS

SATURDAYS

\$5 MILLER-LITE PITCHERS
\$5 BOMBS

Happy Hour 4-9pm
\$5 Pitchers
\$1.50 Drafts

GATOR city

374-4984
1702 W. University Ave.

FRI:
\$3 PITCHERS
XS-80's Night

SAT:
\$1 Wells
\$1 Drafts
Live DJ - XS

The GROG HOUSE
Bar & Grill

Saturdays
Free Beer
Live DJ

Fridays
Beat the Clock
Live DJ

352-378-7033
1718 W. Univ. Ave.

BOBBY, from page 21

in games between Tebow and some of the other receivers like Deonte Thompson, David Nelson and Omarius Hines.

All three have shown glimpses either this season or last of being a receiving threat for the Gators.

They have not been even close to do-

ing it on a consistent basis though, making it tough for Tebow to feel comfortable throwing to them when it counts in big games.

Against FIU, Tebow can give them a chance. Throw that deep fade to them, let them try and turn a 10-yard route into a 50-yard play, but the Gators need to develop them as trustworthy options for future games.

There is no reason to rely on Cooper and Hernandez in a cupcake game like the one Saturday.

If Tebow still chooses to throw to those two, then he definitely will not feel comfortable throwing it to the others against FSU or Alabama.

It can only help the Gators to try to fix some of the kinks against FIU because even if they struggle to pull away with the

different game plan, they will not be in a danger of losing the game.

It's understandable to not want to test the receivers out during conference games, but this is the chance to do it.

If they can't do it against FIU, the Gators can go back to what they know they do well.

But it can't hurt to try. After all, it is just FIU.

PICKS, from page 21

worst performances of the year against Nebraska -- he completed 44.8 percent of his passes, had no touchdowns and five interceptions for a mighty 63.07 passer rating. This game is going to come down to offenses, and I'm always putting myself in the hands of Mike Leach. — PHIL KEGLER

Now on to the picks!

Moving atop the leaderboard at 60-49 is Bobby "I'm a big kid now" Callovi, who was so proud of himself for not having to "make a poopy" on the way home from Columbia, S.C. Now, if we could only teach him to change his own diaper...

Falling to second at 59-50 is Kyle "Can you wire some money to my PayPal?" Maistri, who went on a furious eBay shopping spree after finding an old Dante Hall Chiefs' jersey. Other attempted jersey purchases: Steve Kerr, Mark Price and Tim Hardaway.

The last guy above .500 at 58-51 is the Tampa Tribune's Mike "We all need to stop walking through the metaphorical sprinkler" DiFerdinando, who proved his manhood by not conforming to societal gender roles and cowering like a little girl after a nearby sprinkler unexpectedly went off. What's next? Giving up watching football for True Blood?

Coming in at fourth with a 53-56 record is the Gainesville

Sun's Ed "I can't hold my chicken" Aschoff, who projectile vomited after going to all-you-can-eat wing night. We're sure DiFer would defend your manhood here.

Rounding out the top five at 51-58 is Mike "I'm starting a revolution" McCall, who is one of 27 people in this country who care about replay in soccer. Keep fighting the good fight, McCall.

Checking in at sixth with a 48-61 record is the Florida Times-Union's Mike "Write it as bad as you f---- want!" DiRocco, who offered his young correspondent Kyle Maistri that exact piece of advice on his latest story. Some would call him a mentor.

The lowest Alligator guy in seventh with a 47-62 record is Phil "How am I supposed to compete with a terrier?" Kegler, whose girlfriend seems more concerned with getting a new puppy than spending time with him. It's understandable, Phil's about as cute as Uga. Too soon?

Beginning a two-way tie for eighth at 46-63 is the Orlando Sentinel's Jeremy "I like to set the mood" Fowler, who took Ben Volin out for a romantic dinner the other night. He lit some candles, played a little Kenny G and ordered a bottle of wine.

Also sitting in eighth is the Miami Herald's Joe "Wait, we pick 10 games?" Goodman, who managed to pick both UConn and Notre Dame this week, while withholding his opinion on the LSU-Ole Miss game. We wouldn't want to go on record with LSU this week either, with the Klan being in town and all.

And continuing to sit in dead-last place but slowly gaining at 44-65 is the Palm Beach Post's Ben "I became a man 15 years ago today" Volin, who offered up a little bit too much information in his latest Facebook status. Apparently he made the transition from Bernice to Ben on the same day as his 13th birthday. Seems a little early to be making that move, but it sure explains the affinity for anything pink and the violent mood swings.

OSU (-12) at MICH
UL (+11) at USF
MSST (+11) vs. ARK
OU (-6.5) at TT
CONN (+6) at ND
LSU (+4) at MISS
CAL (+7.5) at STAN
UK (+9) at UGA
ORE (-6) at ARI
FIU (+45) at UF

BC	KM	MDF	EA	MM
OSU	MICH	MICH	MICH	MICH
UL	USF	USF	USF	UL
ARK	ARK	MSST	ARK	MSST
OU	TT	OU	TT	OU
ND	ND	ND	ND	CONN
MISS	MISS	LSU	LSU	LSU
STAN	STAN	STAN	CAL	CAL
UGA	UGA	UGA	UGA	UK
ORE	ORE	ORE	ORE	ORE
UF	FIU	UF	FIU	FIU

OSU (-12) at MICH
UL (+11) at USF
MSST (+11) vs. ARK
OU (-6.5) at TT
CONN (+6) at ND
LSU (+4) at MISS
CAL (+7.5) at STAN
UK (+9) at UGA
ORE (-6) at ARI
FIU (+45) at UF

MDR	PK	JF	JG	BV
OSU	OSU	OSU	MICH	MICH
USF	UL	USF	UL	USF
MSST	MSST	ARK	ARK	ARK
OU	TT	OU	TT	TT
ND	ND	ND	CONN	ND
MISS	LSU	MISS	LSU	LSU
STAN	CAL	STAN	STAN	CAL
UK	UGA	UGA	UK	UGA
ORE	ORE	ORE	ARI	ARI
FIU	UF	FIU	FIU	FIU

Pediatric Speech-Language and OT Services

- Assessment
- Treatment
- School Liaison
- Sensory Integration Certified

The Morris Center, Inc.
352.332.2629 | 5930 SW Archer Rd
info@morriscenters.com

2 miles from UF!

**New Class...
Not So Much Cash...
Nobody Parties Like CJ's**

Happy Hour at the Oyster Bar
4-7p.m., 11-2a.m. Everyday

FRIDAY	SATURDAY
99¢ Domestic Draft	\$5 Domestic Pitchers
\$5 Jager Bombs	(10 p.m. - close)
\$2 Lemon Drops	99¢ Margaritas
Live Music	

**SUNDAY & MONDAY
FOOTBALL SPECIALS**

50¢ Wings & 60¢ Oysters	\$5 Jager Bombs
99¢ Drafts	\$2 Wells
	\$3 Calls

375 - BEER • 3501 SW 2nd Ave • CalicoJacks.net • 371-1675

Smile...

Saving lives is not only a good thing, it makes you feel good too.

Plasma Donors Needed Now

Please help us help those coping with rare, chronic, genetic diseases.

New donors can receive \$20 today and \$60 this week!

Ask about our Specialty Programs!

Must be 18 years or older, have valid I.D. along with proof of SS# and local residency

Wireless Internet Now Available!
Walk-ins Welcome.

Student Government Celebrates its 100th Year on Campus!

Come celebrate with us today from 11 am to 2 pm in Plaza of the Americas & Turlington. Get your photo taken in our giant Gator 1 & answer SG trivia questions to win cool prizes!

UNIVERSITY of FLORIDA
ALLIGATOR AL
UFID# 5055-3333
STUDENT

<p>Services Trivia</p> <p>Student Legal Services has 4 licensed attorneys, & was created in 1977.</p>	<p>Student Nighttime Auxiliary Patrol (SNAP), a service that transports students to destinations of choice on campus in the evenings, was founded & funded in 1976.</p>	<p>The computer lab was opened in 1998, & provides students with 50 computer stations & 250 free prints.</p>
--	---	--

Biotest
From Nature for Life

1112 N. Main St.
Gainesville, FL 32601
352-378-9431

EMPOWER YOUR BUSINESS.

Advertise in the country's largest college newspaper.

Contact us at [352] 376.4482 **alligator**

FIU game gives reserves chance to prove worth

■ IT IS UF'S SECOND-TO-LAST HOME GAME.

By **MIKE McCALL**
Alligator Staff Writer
mmccall@alligator.org

No. 1 Florida's matchup with FIU probably won't provide much excitement for fans, but there's plenty at stake for the players.

Lesser-used reserves have a chance to prove they deserve more playing time as the season draws to a close.

The offense can gain some confidence ahead of meetings with Florida State and Alabama in the Southeastern Conference Championship Game.

And for the seniors, Saturday's 12:30 p.m. kickoff is the beginning of the end of their time in The Swamp. With just two home games left, they'll be committing everything to memory.

"I think about that every day," senior linebacker Ryan Stamper said. "This is the second-to-last game in The Swamp, and we have four games left. It's kind of sad, but it's exciting at the same time."

It's a longshot that the Gators' bid for an undefeated season will suffer against the Golden Panthers (3-7, 3-4 Sun Belt), but when dominance is expected, anything less can affect a team's morale.

Florida (10-0, 8-0 SEC) is favored

by around 45 points by most online betting sites and has had its way with weak opponents late in recent

seasons. UF has faced Western Carolina, Florida Atlantic and The Citadel before playing the Seminoles in

the last three years, outscoring them 191-39.

"We just try to focus on doing

everything we've done in the past weeks," Stamper said. "We're playing FIU, but believe it or not, we've been practicing hard just like we have for previous games like South Carolina and Georgia."

There isn't much room for playing time to be earned on defense, but a few offensive players could state cases for increased roles.

Receiver Omarius Hines had seven catches against Charleston Southern and Troy but didn't register another statistic until last week, when he had two receptions for 20 yards against South Carolina.

Freshman running back Mike Gillislee is also likely to see a lot of action. As the fourth back on the depth chart, Gillislee has rushed for 145 yards and a score on 20 carries, including the team's second-longest run of the season, a 49-yarder against Georgia.

While those two try to earn more playing time, the clock on quarterback Tim Tebow's UF career will be counting down. Tebow isn't likely to make it through the third quarter, giving him less than two games left in Gainesville.

"[Tebow] realizes we have two more Gator Walks, two more times running out of the tunnel and two more times being able to play on this field in front of the greatest fans in the country," receiver David Nelson said. "It may hit the fans hard, but it's hitting him even harder to realize these are his last two chances."



Andrew Stanfill / Alligator Staff

UF linebacker Ryan Stamper is one of many players who will be taking Florida Field for the second-to-last time Saturday when Florida hosts FIU at 12:30 p.m.

The Ultimate Game Day Meal starts here.

Save on great tailgating items each week, only at your neighborhood Publix.

THE ULTIMATE TAILGATE PARTY
RULE THE LOT

Boar's Head® All American Platter..... 33⁹⁹
Turkey, Ham, Yellow American and Swiss Cheese, Garnished With Jumbo Olives, Small, Serves 8 to 12, each
SAVE UP TO 6.00

PUBLIX DELI

Publix Deli Macaroni Salad..... **BUY 1 GET 1 Free**
For Fast Service, Grab & Go!, Located in the Publix Deli, 32-oz cont. Quantity rights reserved.
SAVE UP TO 3.69

PUBLIX BAKERY
established 1957

French Hamburger Buns, 8-Count..... 2⁷⁹
Handmade in Our Bakery, Baked Fresh Throughout the Day, From the Publix Bakery, 16-oz pkg.
SAVE UP TO .50

Hellmann's Mayonnaise..... **BUY 1 GET 1 Free**
Assorted Varieties, 30-oz jar Quantity rights reserved.
SAVE UP TO 4.81

Snyder's of Hanover Pretzel Pieces..... **2 FOR 5⁰⁰**
Or Nibblers, Assorted Varieties, 10-oz bag
SAVE UP TO .98 ON 2

12-Pack Selected Coca-Cola Products..... **BUY 3 GET 1 Free**
12-oz can (Sale Price 3/12.00 With 1 Free, That's 4/12.00 or 3.00 each With the Purchase of 4.)
SAVE UP TO 7.56 ON 4

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA VS. FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY
Saturday, November 21, 2009

Publix.

Proud Sponsor of the University of Florida Gators®
Gators® is registered trademark of the University of Florida®

Visit theultimatetailgateparty.com for your next play.

Prices effective Thursday, November 19 through Wednesday, November 25, 2009.
Only in Orange, Seminole, Brevard, Marion, Volusia, Alachua, Flagler, and Columbia Counties in Fla. Quantity rights reserved.