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STUDENT GOVERNMENT

System causes problems with voting

CLARE LENNON
 Alligator Writer

Votes in this week's Student Government elections might not count if SG officials agree with a Students Party petition that claims results are invalid.

Students Party member Jonathan Ossip told the UF Supreme Court that the election should be redone because of technical and administrative errors with the electronic voting system.

Supervisor of elections Toni Megna said Tuesday's votes tallied in at 5,486. Megna said she was advised not to further break down the results by voting location.

During elections Tuesday, the computers used for voting didn't match students' addresses and voting districts, Megna said, which she said was corrected by linking the voting system with students' addresses from the Office of the University Registrar.

However, many students have their permanent home addresses listed, not their local ones. When the computer system read this, Megna said, it placed those students in voting District E, which includes all ZIP codes except those listed in Districts A, B, C and D.

Students who didn't catch the mistake when the computer verified their district would have proceeded to the voting page, which would list the candidates for District E.

Anyone who tried to vote under District E after the problem was corrected in the afternoon had to complete an affidavit with his or her address to make sure he or she was zoned for District E.

Once a student had viewed the voting page, he or she could not go back or vote again, Megna said.

She said students should pay attention to their voting district and know their ZIP code.

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Emily Doyle / Alligator

Warren Burgher, 19, a mechanical engineering major at UF, votes in UF's Student Government elections held Tuesday.

College of Medicine may get new center on campus

► THE PLAN CALLS FOR A \$40 MILLION BUILDING.

MINA RADMAN
 Alligator Writer

Students and faculty may soon look down the hill on Newell Drive to see the Health Science Center's equivalent of Century Tower.

Under the UF&Shands label, UF hopes to build a \$40 million, 100,000-square-foot building for the College of Medicine.

The building would be the architectural symbol of the medical campus, said David Guzick, senior vice president for health affairs and president of the UF&Shands Health System.

"It is a symbolic idea that would connect the two parts of campus," Guzick said.

The structure, tentatively called the UF Health Science Education building, would be built next to the Health Professions/Nursing/Pharmacy Complex on

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Berkeley bake sale protests using race to determine admissions

Event has attracted national media attention

EMILY MORROW
 Alligator Writer

A bake sale on the University of California, Berkeley campus Tuesday afternoon stirred up national attention with its pricing.

Baked goods were sold to white males for \$2, Asian men for \$1.50, Latino men for \$1, black men for 75 cents

and Native American men for 25 cents. Women could purchase baked goods for 25 cents off those prices.

The bake sale was an effort to protest legislation that would require admissions officials to take an applicant's race, gender and ethnicity into account when making admissions decisions.

The bill was passed by the California state legislature and must be either signed into law or vetoed by Gov. Jerry

Brown by Oct. 9.

Bake sales like these have been held on college campuses since the '90s. In some instances, like at Bucknell University, the College of William and Mary and the University of California, Irvine, university officials stepped in to stop the sales.

Clay Calvert, a UF professor of Law of Mass Communication, said this type of interference violates students' First Amendment rights to freedom of expression on col-

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News Today

WHAT'S HAPPENING

First Year Florida Peer Leader

Info Session

Today, 3 p.m.
Institute of Black Culture
First Year Florida is now accepting applications for Peer Leader positions. Peer Leaders are an influential group of student leaders who co-teach FYF and assist freshmen with the opportunity to learn about campus resources, diversity and involvement opportunities. Applications are due to New Student and Family Programs by 4:30 p.m. on Oct. 10. To learn more, attend tonight's info session, visit bit.ly/teachfyf or contact Alison Spannaus at alisons@dso.ufl.edu.

Students with Diabetes First

General Body Meeting

Thursday, 6 p.m.
Reitz Union, Room 355
Interested in raising awareness about diabetes?
Students With Diabetes is part of a national organization that aims to provide a community for students with diabetes on college campuses and will provide both a social and educational environment to make new friends and promote diabetes awareness around campus.

Gay Movie Night — "La Mission"

Friday, 7:30 p.m.
Pride Community Center
3131 NW 13th St.
Set in the colorful, seedy streets of the San Francisco district that bears its name, "La Mission" is a haunting story of healing and transformation: the healing of a broken man, of a father's relationship with his son and of a neighborhood struggling to break the chains of violence. Free, but \$2 donation for snacks. More info at gainesvillepride.org/gaymovienight.php.

The Counseling and Wellness Center Recognizes Mental Illness Awareness Week

Oct. 4, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Reitz Union Colonnade
The Counseling and Wellness Center is collaborating with other community agencies to host a tabling event that will

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recognize and honor Mental Illness Awareness Week and the impact of mental illness on UF students. The purpose of this event is to raise awareness and reduce the stigma of mental illness.

Haunted Broward Volunteer Meeting

Oct. 4, 6 p.m.
Broward Library
Haunted Broward — the largest haunted house on campus — will have its first volunteer meeting. Last year, more than 650 students and Gainesville residents attended Haunted Broward. Haunted Broward, which takes place Oct. 27, is a large-scale tradition, but it can't be a success without amazing volunteers. There will be another meeting later on in October to finalize details. This upcoming meeting is an overview of what to do in each committee such as publicity, decorations, set up/take down and acting and generating ideas for the house. There will be refreshments. Visit the Haunted Broward page, facebook.com/hauntedbroward, or email nicdyelah@ufl.edu if there are any questions.

Horizons Community Service Organization's Second

General Body Meeting
Oct. 5, 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.
McCarty B Room 2102
Come learn about different volunteer opportunities with the awesome officers and members of Horizons. The community service organization serves the Gainesville community and surrounding areas. The group hosts events, socials and fundraisers every month. There are also four committees that are available: a Relay for Life Committee, a Charity Sports Event Committee, an Awareness Day Committee

and a Scrapbook Committee. To learn more, come to the meeting and enjoy free pizza and drinks, or visit the website at ufhorizons.org and find us on Facebook at Horizons.

31st Annual Gainesville Cycling Festival

Oct. 22 to 23, 8:30 a.m.
Both rides begin and end at the Northwest Boys & Girls Club at 2700 NW 51st St. The cost per ride is \$25 for a mail-in form postmarked by Oct. 15, \$26 for a credit card registration, \$30 for an Internet registration or \$40 for a handwritten registration on Oct. 22 or 23. Proceeds benefit the Boys & Girls Club of Alachua County. For more information, visit the festival's website at gccfla.org/gcf/.

Got something going on?

Want to see it in this space? Send an email with "What's Happening" in the subject line to jflechas@alligator.org. To ensure publication in the next day's newspaper, please submit the event before 5 p.m. Please model your submissions after above events. Improperly formatted "What's Happening" submissions may not appear in the paper. Press releases will not appear in the paper.

CORRECTION

In Tuesday's edition of the Alligator, a headline stated that Gainesville residents can take Spanish courses for \$499 a month. Classes will cost \$499 for a semester-long program. Also, survival Spanish begins Oct. 31 instead of Oct. 3.

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Free flu shots available for students beginning next week

► **FLU SEASON STARTS IN THE FALL AND ENDS IN THE SPRING.**

EMILY MORROW

Alligator Writer

Morgan Conn doesn't get an annual flu shot because it's not vegan. David Byron said he doesn't get one because he heard it makes you sick. John Richter said he's just lazy.

The UF Student Health Care Center is working to put student concerns and misconceptions to rest with the annual flu shot campaign next Monday.

From Monday on, students can get free flu shots at the Infirmary and the Student Health Care Center at Shands. Shots will also be offered at campus locations like the Reitz Union Colonnade, the Plaza of the Americas and several residence halls on specific days throughout the next few months. The complete schedule can be viewed at shcc.ufl.edu/services/primary-care/flu. The shots are \$20 for faculty, staff and spouses of UF students.

"The flu shot is not only about protecting the person who gets the shot, it's also about protecting everyone around them," said Catherine Seemann, spokeswoman for

the UF SHCC. "It's especially important if you're on campus — you have no idea who sat in your desk or chair before you and sneezed all over."

Flu season typically starts in the fall, peaks in January and February and tapers off in the spring, she said.

The vaccine is developed each

year by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention based on research that predicts what three strains of the influenza virus will be most common that upcoming year.

Seemann said one of the most common misconceptions about the shot is that it will make you sick.

The flu shot contains a killed, or inactive, virus. The immune system recognizes the flu strains and creates defenses but does not actually transmit the virus.

It takes the body about two weeks to create the correct defenses after getting the shot. If someone were to be exposed to the virus prior to the shot or during that two-week window, they could still fall ill, she said.

The vaccines have been traditionally produced in chicken eggs — a practice that may concern vegans and people with egg allergies. However, according to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' website, a new, cell-based method of vaccine production is expected to begin later this year. The batch UF SHCC is using this year was produced in chicken eggs.

The UF SHCC has 5,000 vaccines on hand, Seemann said, and is hoping to order more.

"By getting the shot, you're really doing yourself and the people around you a favor," Seemann said. "Getting that vaccination that takes five minutes and doesn't really hurt too much is the best protection you can have."



Dana Burke / Alligator Staff

Biology major Lily Pham gets a free flu shot from Kelly Mitchell, a RN at the UF Student Health Care Center, on the Reitz Union Colonnade last fall.

Adult film star to promote name-bearing spiced rum

Ron Jeremy also looking for a slogan

JOEY FLECHAS

Alligator Staff Writer

Adult film actor Ron Jeremy will be in Gainesville today to promote a new spiced rum that bears his name — Ron de Jeremy — and to hear any suggestions for a slogan.

His take?

"Any other rum doesn't have a third leg to stand on," he said.

Jeremy will appear to sign bottles of the new spiced rum at University Liquors at 105 SW 34th St. from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. and at Gator Beverage at 1126 W University Ave.



Jeremy

Besides, he said, he was the only famous Ron available.

from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Jeremy, whose first name is the Spanish word for rum, isn't much of a drinker, but he said he loves the thrill of endorsing a product and seeing it succeed.

"Ron Reagan died, Ron Howard's making movies, and I'll do anything," he said.

Jeremy said he's interested to see if anyone can come up with a catchy slogan for the rum. He also encouraged students to be careful.

"Drink responsibly," he said. "If you've got homework to do, do not drink my rum. You want to drink when you got recreational time."

FALL 2011 STUDENT BODY ELECTIONS

VOTE AT ANY OF THESE LOCATIONS

- Broward (Basement)
- Murphree (Common Area)
- Jennings (1st floor library)
- Springs (Rm C201)
- Marston Science Library
- Reitz Union (Computer Lab)
- McCarty (Computer Lab B – Room 2103)
- Law School (Common Area by Lounge)
- SW Rec (Lounge)
- HSC Library Collaboration Center (Rm C2-041C)
- CSE (last 3 rows)



Elections University of Florida

Ballot

Hume Area Senator

Please select up to 1 candidate

The Students Party

Stephanie Kreitzer

Independents

Will Baskock

Unite Party

Sofia Shepard

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No

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Sample Ballot

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ALACHUA COUNTY

Mayors vying to have fairgrounds moved to their cities

MEREDITH RUTLAND

Alligator Staff Writer

Gainesville and Newberry officials are trying to persuade the Alachua County Commission to put the Alachua County Fairgrounds in their respective stomping grounds.

The city that secures the fairgrounds is expected to get the tourism that comes with the horse shows and large-scale festivals held on the county-owned site every year.

Whichever city can persuade the commission that its site is better for the county will reap the benefits. But it's possible they'll have competition.

The commission noted last week it would consider moving the fairgrounds from Gainesville to Newberry, but it also opened the floor for a month to other proposals for projects that use money from the county tourist development tax, a 2-cent fee that is added onto bills at hotels, motels, camp sites and short-term rentals. The terms allow for the possibility for other cities to pitch in for the fairgrounds.

The Alachua County Fair this year is

scheduled to kick off Oct. 22 at the current fairgrounds location just south of the Gainesville Regional Airport.

The fair will eventually move to the chosen location after the county decides where to put the fairgrounds and any necessary construction is finished. Right now, there is no set date for moving the fairgrounds.

The county's current plan is to move the grounds to about 148 acres of land the county bought on Northeast Waldo Road in east Gainesville. Half of that land, about 75 acres, would be used for the fairgrounds, said Robert Avery, the county's parks superintendent.

The county will decide whether that plan will change after the requests have been submitted for tourist development tax projects.

Mark Sexton, spokesman for Alachua County, said the commission wants to be fair to all of the cities in the county, including Newberry.

"The commission just wants to give the City of Newberry its due," Sexton said.

Gainesville officials aren't thrilled about the possible change of location.

Gainesville Mayor Craig Lowe sent a letter to county commissioners last week, which asked them to keep the fairgrounds in Gainesville to avoid the possible perception that they aren't interested in developing that part of the county.

"Such action may well encourage public perception that there is a lack of commitment to revitalize economic development in east Alachua County or worse still, that an impartial, equitable and transparent allocation process has been arbitrarily compromised and circumvented," Lowe's letter reads.



Lowe

Gainesville City Commissioner Thomas Hawkins said he's concerned that buying a new piece of land for the fairgrounds when the county already owns land in Gainesville is an unwise use of taxpayers' money.

Newberry Mayor Bill Conrad said it would be cheaper for the county to choose Newberry because it already has a developed space for the fairgrounds at its Canterbury Equestrian Showplace.

He said it would cost between \$4 million and \$6 million for the county to buy the roughly 86-acre site. The site has not yet been appraised. It would cost between \$7 million and \$8 million to fix before the fairgrounds could start hosting events.

The Waldo Road site wouldn't cost the county anything to buy because the county already owns it.

The county bought the land for \$2 million during the 2006-2007 fiscal year. It would take about \$22 million to get the fairgrounds in working order. More improvements could follow later.

Conrad said horse, cattle and agriculture shows usually fill fairground agendas, and residents of Newberry are frequent faces at those events.

If the fairgrounds move to Newberry, he said, the county land in Gainesville will be freed up to create an industrial park where businesses could create jobs in the city.

"It's kind of a win-win situation both for east Gainesville and for Newberry," Conrad said. "But we need to do a better job at getting people to understand why it's best for both."



Aundre Larrow / Alligator Staff

Gas prices across Florida have dropped 7 cents per gallon over the last week. The tax on gas in Alachua is 37 cents on the dollar.

Gas prices drop across state

MINA RADMAN

Alligator Writer

It costs Ariel Cohen, a 19-year-old nursing sophomore, \$45 to fill up her 2002 Mazda Protege5.

She usually fills up her car every 2 1/2 weeks, depending on how often she drives and whether she goes to Tampa to visit her boyfriend, Kyle.

The recent drop in gas prices has left her feeling happier and her wallet feeling a bit heavier.

"The less money I have to spend on gas, the better," Cohen said.

Cohen's not the only person happy with the price at the pump.

In the past week, gas prices have fallen 7 cents across Florida, and the cheaper prices are allowing people to save and spend money elsewhere.

The average price for a gallon of regular unleaded gas in Florida is \$3.47, according to ongoing price analysis by AAA. That's 7 cents cheaper than last week and 21 cents cheaper than a year ago.

Gas prices have dropped because of increased oil production in Libya and a declining worldwide demand for fuel,

according to AAA's weekly news release on gas prices.

At \$3.45 per gallon, the Kangaroo gas station at Southwest 34th Street and Southwest 35th Place has the cheapest gas in Gainesville, according to Justin Diggs, the store manager.

Diggs said customers have been asking questions about the price of gas and are excited about the decrease.

Those who want cheaper gas can drive 30 minutes south to Marion County, where gas prices are as low as \$3.26 per gallon.

Gasoline prices may vary based on county and state taxes and how many people live in the area, said Jessica Brady, AAA spokeswoman.

The taxes on gas for Marion and Alachua counties are the same at 35 cents per dollar.

John Xanthos, a 19-year-old accounting sophomore, spends about \$80 every three weeks to fill up the 22-gallon tank in his 2001 Dodge Durango. He said he thinks gas prices are still too high.

"I still remember when gas was \$1.25 a gallon," Xanthos said.

Prices are predicted to drop again this week.

UF students sell shirts to raise money for Alabama tornado relief

► T-SHIRTS ARE ON SALE FOR \$15.

ORIANA PAOLILLO

Alligator Contributing Writer

UF students can help the Crimson Tide one T-shirt at a time.

In response to the tornadoes that tore through Tuscaloosa in April, students in the College of Health and Human Performance have organized a campaign to raise money for tornado relief efforts at the University of Alabama.

The campaign, known as Champions Helping Champions, consists of selling T-shirts for the University of Alabama Acts of Kindness Fund.

So far, the campaign has sold about 300 T-shirts and raised about \$4,500. The fund gives aid to university students and employees directly affected by the tornadoes in Tuscaloosa.

The idea was first brought to Beth Chaney's attention by Rachel Bush and Kristin Rucker, undergraduates in UF's Department of Health Education and Behavior.

"We want to do as much as we can because Alabama is still recovering from the devastation."

Sarah Napolitano

Eta Sigma Gamma President

Chaney, an assistant professor in the department, became interested in the cause for personal reasons and because she wanted to lend a hand to a college town in need of assistance.

"I grew up in Alabama and received my bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Alabama," Chaney said. "I have friends and family that live in Alabama and some that are in Tuscaloosa."

Members of Eta Sigma Gamma, a health education honor-

ary, have also supported the cause by organizing the sale of the T-shirts.

"We want to do as much as we can because Alabama is still recovering from the devastation," said Eta Sigma Gamma President Sarah Napolitano.

The T-shirts display an alligator and an elephant holding hands and read "Champions Helping Champions" at the bottom.

"The shirts simply remind people that there is still work to be done in Alabama," Napolitano said.

Students are being asked to wear the T-shirts to the UF vs. Alabama game Saturday to show their support. The cost for each shirt is \$15, and they will be on sale until Saturday at the Florida Gym.

T-shirts are also available online on the College of Health and Human Performance website. The shirts can be shipped anywhere in the United States.

SG debates charging stations

EMILY MORROW
Alligator Writer

Students on campus may soon be able to dismiss their phones' "low battery" warnings with confidence.

Student Senate gave preliminary approval Tuesday night to legislation that would earmark money for six new cell-phone recharging stations.

The proposed bill called for \$28,800 to be appropriated to the SG Cabinet under the vice president to purchase the stations, which cost \$4,800 each.

The stations can charge as many as 10 devices within 15 minutes, said Budget and Allocations Chairman Andrew Mason.

There is currently a recharging station in the UF Bookstore in the first floor of the Reitz Union that Mason said has seen positive student response.

Minority Sen. Kyle Collins called the amount "exorbitant."

"It's a perfect example of more SG waste," he said.

The bill passed the first round of the legislative process Tuesday.

The Senate also passed two reapportioning bills changing representation of areas in the Senate.

These bills transferred one senator from District B to District A and one senator from the Warrington College of Business Administration to the Graduate Student population.

ON CAMPUS

Cirque du Soleil show to bring clowns, acrobatics

JULIA GLUM

Alligator Contributing Writer

Fifty-two performers from 14 different countries will perform for 2 1/2 hours at the Stephen C. O'Connell Center when Cirque du Soleil comes to Gainesville next month.

UF will host "Dralion" (pronounced "dralee-on") for three shows from Oct. 11 to Oct. 13. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. each night. Tickets range from \$31 to \$90.

"Dralion" audience members will see 10 acrobatic numbers, including clown comedy, contortionist acts and live musical performances, said Julie Desmarais, spokeswoman for the show.

Performers use equipment like trampo-

lines, a 50-foot-by-26-foot metallic wall and about 1,500 costume pieces.

Cirque du Soleil last came to campus in May 2009 when the O'Connell Center hosted six performances of the "Saltimbanco" show, said O'Connell Center director Lynda Reinhart.

Reinhart's staff started working to figure out when the company could return almost immediately following their visit.

For "Dralion," Reinhart expects 3,000 to 4,000 people to attend per night.

Jennifer Sato, a 19-year-old business sophomore, is looking forward to "Dralion."

"I've always wished that I could be able to do some of the contortion and acrobatic moves that the performers do," Sato said.

The current building is inadequate for the new teaching concepts

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Newell Drive.

An official name will not be determined until the Board of Trustees approves the project.

The building would accommodate a new medical school curriculum, which emphasizes small group learning spaces, stimulation activities and technology learning.

The current building, which was built in the 1970s and contains large lecture halls and lab rooms, is inadequate for the new teaching concepts.

"We are creating the form that fits the function of the curriculum," Guzik said.

At least half of the funding for the project would come from donations. A number of people have already expressed interest in donating money, Guzik said.

"There has been a lot of enthusiastic support," Guzik said. "It's very encouraging, but we can't say we will definitely proceed."

Once there is enough funding, the building plans will go to the Board of Trustees for approval.

Construction on the building will hopefully begin this academic year, Guzik said.

Two other UF&Shands facilities are currently under construction.

The first is a primary practice office called UF&Shands Family Medicine on Main Street, which will replace the Family Medicine at Fourth Avenue practice.

The second will be a specialty care medical office on Northwest 39th Avenue, which will include specialists in dermatology, women's health and neurology.



Rachel Crosby / Alligator

The UF Health Science Education building will cost \$40 million to build and will be 100,000 square feet. An official name will be determined when the Board of Trustees approves the project.

UF College Republicans hosted similar event in February

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lege campuses.

"This is precisely the type of speech that the First Amendment was intended to protect," he said. "The reality is that such bake sales call attention to larger issues over which there is much disagreement in the United States today."

The UF College Republicans hosted a similar sale in February to protest affirmative action.

Eric Weber, executive director of the organization, said the bake sale was not meant to be racist but to draw attention to the argument that affirmative action systems should be based on socioeconomic status — the real culprit, he said — rather than race.

Under regulations made by the Florida Board of Governors, the body that regulates all Florida public universities, discrimination based on traits like race, sex or national origin is forbidden.

Programs to increase diversity, on the other hand, are not.

"This is precisely the type of speech that the First Amendment was intended to protect."

Clay Calvert
UF professor

However, UF does not currently employ any type of affirmative action when making admissions decisions. Admissions

officials take a holistic approach — looking at all factors of a candidate, including socioeconomic status, according to the admissions website.

"Florida is working in the right direction," Weber said.

"We were just trying to say that we disagree with the fundamental belief that affirmative action has to be based on race, when socioeconomic status seems to be the real issue."

Students Party will file for a hearing with UF Supreme Court

ELECTIONS, from page 1

"Before they sit down to vote, they should know what district they live in," she said.

However, Ossip argued that students weren't educated about the system and that the screen was misleading.

"Nobody's properly explaining it to them at all," he said. Ossip said many students might have voted under the wrong district.

Because of these problems, Ossip and the Students Par-



Ossip

ty scheduled an emergency hearing with the UF Supreme Court for Tuesday night. Under Florida law, the public must be notified of a meeting 24 hours in advance, but Ossip said continuing elections would cause "irreparable damages."

Student Body Chief Justice Matt Michel and three Associate Justices ruled that they could not hold the hearing because they were uncomfortable interpreting state law in-

stead of the UF Constitution, which is what they interpret.

Unite Party spokeswoman Christina Bonarrigo said she isn't worried about an issue going unresolved.

"If there is a problem, it will go through the channels it needs to," she said.

Ossip said the Students Party will file for a hearing, but he doesn't know when. Michel said that when a meeting date, time and place have been agreed upon, the information will be posted in the SG Office at least 24 hours in advance.

Editorial

Facebook Fodder *People need to shut up about the changes*

The American people are mad. Are they mad about the next possible government shutdown? No, not really. Are they mad about the fact that Rick Santorum is a moron hell-bent on out social-conservative-ing every other GOP nominee by saying he'll re-instate Don't Ask Don't Tell? No, not really. Are they mad about President Barack Obama's Solyndra scandal where he endorsed a government loan to a green energy company that was financially insecure? No, not really. Mess with people's Facebook and all hell breaks loose. So over the past couple of weeks, Facebook has been making some changes to its layout. For Facebook users, this means the end of the world as we know it. Yes, Facebook "Inception'd" you by placing a news feed in the corner of your news feed. Can you still post a status update to complain about this change? Yes. Can you still post links to pictures of Xzibit saying that he heard you liked Facebook, so he put a Facebook in your Facebook so you could Facebook while you Facebook? Yes. Can you still upload photos of you flicking off Mark Zuckerberg? Yes.

Facebook is still Facebook, and it will always be Facebook no matter how much they change it. Remember when they first installed the chat feature and everyone complained about how it never worked and was worse than AIM?

The majority of Facebook users use chat more than their message inboxes, which are now interconnected so that your conversations are saved. That's actually kind of cool.

Facebook also went Google+ by reforming its existing friends "lists" to filter your news feed. Do you really like getting updates from every "friend" you have? Probably not.

But whether or not the changes are for better or worse, the main point is this:

IT DOESN'T MATTER.

Facebook is a free, convenient service that everyone uses to connect with people. As long as it serves this purpose, what is there to complain about?

If you really are pissed off at Facebook, stop using it. Otherwise, stop whining.

And of course, earlier this week some morons convinced gullible suckers (again) that Facebook was going to start charging for usage.

Did you really think that copying and pasting a status would exempt you from being charged? How in the hell would they track that? Why would they make it so easy to become exempt?

In the grand scheme of things, your life has not gotten any more difficult because of these changes, yet everyone has acted like it has ruined his or her very existence.

It's unfortunate that we have to devote an editorial to this nonsense, but a) it's a slow news day and b) we want people to start worrying about things that really matter.

Reader response

Today's question: Will you try Ron Jeremy's new spiced rum?

Tuesday's question: Would you consider buying a pink trash can for a good cause?

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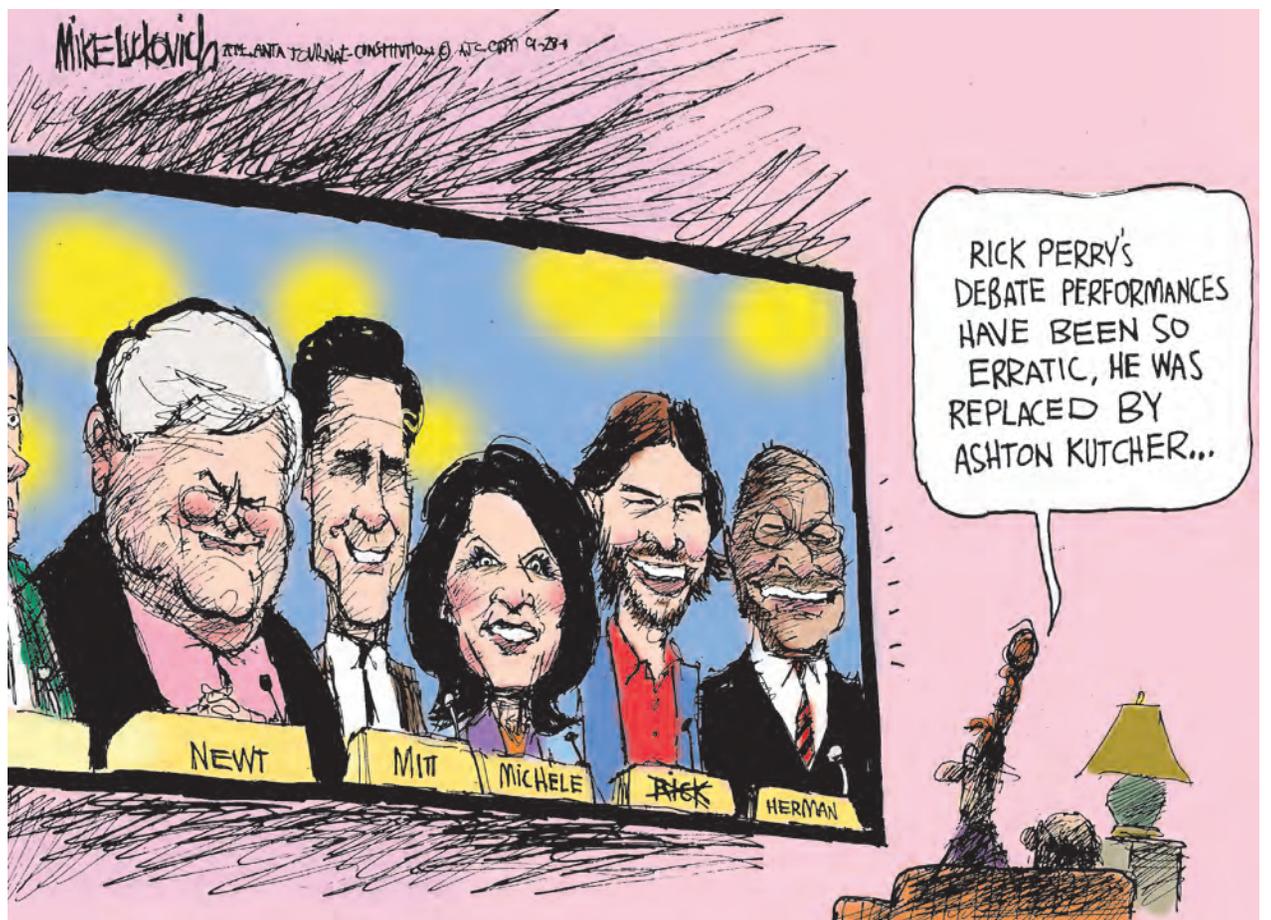
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Column

Women play an influential role in politics

I have a humble rebuttal to last Tuesday's column "Politics Needs Better Female Role Models" by Sami Main. I reject the premise that today's young women do not have anyone to look up to.

Women are more prominent than ever. Ms. Main turned a blind eye to some of the strongest and most brilliant minds of the past century.

"Young women today often have very little appreciation for the real battles that took place to get women where they are today in this country. I don't know how much history young women today know about those battles." Guess who said that? It was none other than former U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor.

Main had it out for two very specific women: Sarah Palin and Michele Bachmann.

She writes, "Sarah Palin took that to mean being more rogue, more every-woman and more detached from the news media. She basically became a complete caricature of herself."

To be upfront, the quote warrants a very finite amount of merit. Palin is by no means a stupid woman, but her attempts to paint herself as an "average Jane" often make her come across as a simpleton.

Bachmann falls into a similar category.

"Bachmann is just another example of how important extremes are to this nation. If someone isn't making a scene, they're not going to earn press. And I think we all know Bachmann likes a scene. Women in politics will not be listened to unless they are causing a ruckus — that is a little absurd to me," she continues.

Although she may have a point, the behavior of these two female public figures is not exclusive to women. Instead, it describes the behavior of almost everyone in politics and entertainment.

To gain political traction, you need showmanship. Both men and women put on a charade to be palpable to the American public, even though it might leave some scratching their heads.

Palin certainly has the star quality with a huge fol-



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lowing, and Bachmann says some statements that fly out of nowhere. But it brings publicity, which is what they desire.

However, Main discounts the serious women who exist outside this media "circus" and deserve credit for their achievements.

In the 1980s, Margaret Thatcher was the first woman to lead a Western political party and the first female prime minister.

During her term, she battled the former Soviet Union and came down on power-hungry labor unions, earning her the nickname "Iron Lady." She also survived an assassination attempt during her time in office.

For something a little closer to home, what about Hillary Clinton? She is intelligent and respectable, her husband notwithstanding. Only four years ago she hit the campaign trail as a senator from New York. Although she lost the bid for the White House, she is the third woman to hold the position of Secretary of State.

We cannot discount women like Condoleezza Rice, Ruth Ginsburg, Sonia Sotomayor, Elena Kagan and Janet Napolitano, who are all great examples of how far our country has come in accepting females as political leaders.

Politics aside, women play prominent roles in society throughout the media, entertainment and business (such as Meg Whitman of eBay Inc., Indra Nooyi of PepsiCo Inc. and Irene Rosenfeld of Kraft Foods Inc.). Right now is a great time to be a woman.

Gents, our female counterparts deserve our respect and appreciation for what they accomplish. Ladies, do not ever forget that these women broke the glass ceiling, increasing your opportunities as you embark on your careers.

Nicholas Butler is a journalism sophomore. His column appears on Wednesdays.

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

Letters to the Editor

Columnist needs to get the facts straight

In today's economy, I understand the criticism of government spending. What I do not understand are outrageous fact errors and misconceptions of Student Government at UF that were displayed in Monday's column.

First off, all of these numbers are rounded and are for the 2011-2012 fiscal year.

SG has a \$4.8 million dollar budget, not \$16.7 million. The \$16.7 million referred to is the Activity and Service Fee Budget, which is split three ways between the operations for the Reitz Union at \$6.2 million, RecSports at \$5.7 million, and lastly SG. SG's portion of the Activity and Service Fee Budget is \$4.8 million. Each student pays \$3.93 a credit hour or \$117.90 based on a 30-credit-hour year for SG, not \$436.50 (as claimed by both Monday's column and the Students Party Guest Column).

Again, these next numbers are rounded. SG's budget for the 2011-2012 fiscal year can be broken down between \$1.6 million for the organizational budget (including academic organizations, graduate student council, new student organizations and special events), about \$1 million for Accent Speakers' Bureau and Student Government Productions, about \$500,000 for Student Legal Services, about \$500,000 for miscellaneous services (free bike repair, free printing, the Housing Fair, CPA ticket subsidy, readership programs, welcome assemblies, Museum Nights, etc.) and the rest for staff salaries and IT that help us manage the entire operation.

As far as the SG "perks" mentioned, none of them come from students' money. Students do not pay for SG officials' BlackBerrys.

Also, a Hungry Howie's pizza for a student organization is the same for a regular person: \$5. There are codes and regulations against frivolous spending (both state law and SG statutes found in the 800 codes) so organizations can't wastefully spend

their money.

Organizations are not guaranteed to lose their budgeted money if they don't spend it. All registered student organizations already have access to meeting rooms; SG does not hinder this. All of this is public, so please fact check before making assumptions.

After correcting these factual errors, I would love to write a thesis on the benefits and services SG provides for students and how it reaches out to tens of thousands of students every day and how graduate students actually get more funding proportionally than undergrads. However, you can check the SG website for more information or come by the third floor of the Reitz Union and meet some SG officials.

I encourage all students to stop and talk to us when we table and hold public forums or ask us anything by email or through our office hours. We would love to hear your thoughts and explain exactly how SG works and how students benefit from SG. But first, I want you to focus on two things:

First, SG at UF is completely student-run. Talk to students from the University of Georgia, the University of Texas at Austin, Ohio State University or just about anyone else across the nation, and they will tell you they are fed up because their respective administrations control their activity fees and take any leftover money.

UF students have complete control over SG reserves and where our money should be allocated. We should be thrilled we are all Gators because we have the most say out of any Student Body and are by far the most influential within our campus. This is a student-centered campus, and I say that proudly.

Lastly, I encourage you to use your voice and vote in SG elections today. Your vote allows you to have direct say over where SG money should be allocated. Polls are open between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. Be proud, be smart and opinionated, but most

of all, be factually correct.

Thank you, and Go Gators!

TJ Villamil

Student Body Treasurer and Proud Gator



Obama isn't "walking on egg shells"

Regarding this week's cartoon of President Barack Obama "walking on egg shells" around the Middle East conflict, I would like to point out that Obama and his administration have taken a clear stance on the Palestinians' recent request for statehood. In his address to the U.N. General Assembly, Obama reasserted his stance that negotiations are the only path to peace between the Israelis and Palestinians.

Through his speech he reaffirmed his support for Israel, America's strongest ally and the only democracy in the Middle East.

As a student senator, I was a proud author of the Student Government resolution in support of direct negotiations and in opposition to a unilateral declaration, which overwhelmingly passed 66-to-1. This resolution stands with members of Congress, who passed a similar resolution supporting the US-Israel relationship and direct negotiations in this time of great need.

I understand there is no shortcut to end a conflict that has lasted for decades. Obama, Congress and the Student Senate recognize that the recent move by the Palestinian Authority to seek unilateral U.N. recognition for statehood represents an abandonment of good faith negotiations and is an effort to diplomatically isolate Israel.

Shelley Greenspan
UF Student Senator

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Students interview with 284 companies at career showcase

AMANDA COHEN
Alligator Contributing Writer

Despite the heat, about 2,500 students packed into the Stephen C. O'Connell Center Tuesday, donning jackets, dress pants or knee-length skirts in hopes of landing those prospective jobs or internships.

The showcase has been a regular event in the Fall and Spring since the 1980s, said Angel Iverson, assistant director for career events.

Iverson said the number of employers this year has increased to 284 corporations from 265 last fall.

"I'm seeing more diverse opportunities for students," Iverson said. "In the past, the majority of students were business and engineering students."

Opportunities are available in sales, marketing, business, engineering, IT, healthcare, banking, advertis-

"I expect the students who are serious about getting a job with us to dress professionally..."

Ed Cranford
recruiter for Averett Warmus Durkee Osburn Henning

ing and agriculture.

Psychology senior Ilexis Elba, 21, said she's not sure exactly what career path she wants to take but expects the showcase to give her some insight.

Accounting firm recruiter Ed Cranford, of Orlando-based Averett Warmus Durkee Osburn Henning, said it's imperative students dress the part.

"Appearance makes a difference," said Cranford, 35. "I expect the students who are serious about getting a job with us to dress professionally,

especially at a nationally recognized university."

The Career Showcase is sponsored

by UF's Career Resource Center and will also be held today from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the O'Connell Center.



Amanda Cohen / Alligator

Accounting student Jonas Wilken, 19, takes a break from the exhausting interviewing process at the Career Showcase in the Stephen C. O'Connell Center Tuesday to check out which corporation he might like to visit next.

Game developer to talk about online gaming on Oct. 4

► SHE WILL EXPLAIN HOW GAMING CAN SOLVE SOME REAL-WORLD PROBLEMS.

KATHERINE KALLERGIS
Alligator Contributing Writer

Jane McGonigal, renowned game developer and an expert on alternate reality games, will speak in a special forum at the Bob Graham Center for Public Service on Oct. 4.

McGonigal is a leader in the growing movement to create online games rooted in real-world problems. She is The New York Times best-selling author of "Reality is Broken: Why Games Make Us Better and How They Can Change the World."

Shelby Taylor, digital communications director for the Bob Graham Center for Public Service, said she expects about 150 people to attend.



McGonigal

McGonigal has listed hunger, poverty, climate change and obesity as problems that gaming could solve by the next decade.

"What we want to do is make the future," she said at a TED conference last year. "We want to imagine the best-case scenario and then we want to empower people to make that outcome a reality."

McGonigal has already designed games that combine cutting-edge graphics with examinations of real-world problems.

After McGonigal speaks, there will be a Q-and-A session. The event will be streamed live at bobgrahamcenter.ufl.edu.

"Games are a powerful platform for change," McGonigal said. "Let the world-changing games begin."

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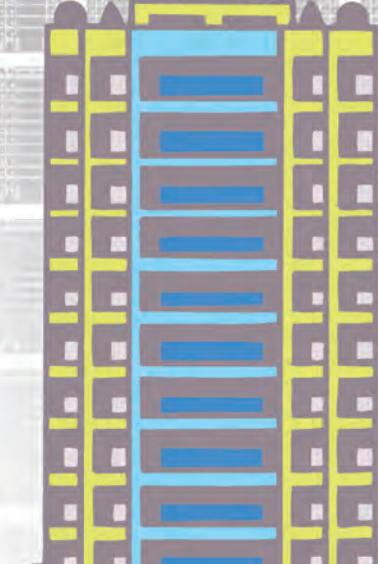
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Hillel rings in Jewish new year

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DIANA LOPEZ

Alligator Contributing Writer

If you've heard a sound similar to a horn recently in Turlington Plaza, it's probably Jeffrey Kaplan with his shofar.

UF Hillel will be hosting a series of events and services to celebrate Rosh Hashana, the Jewish new year, which begins today and will end at sunset on Friday.

Kaplan, program director at Hillel, will be organizing a series of shofar flash mobs this year and is aiming for about 300 people to attend and blow mini shofars, or ram horns, to remind students

the High Holidays are here.

On Tuesday there were three flash mobs on the Plaza of the Americas. Today there will be another flash mob at Turlington Plaza at 12:40 p.m.

Kaplan has been in Turlington Plaza for the past week handing out toy shofars to passers-by. Kaplan said the shofar has been used in the Jewish culture for centuries as a call of worship.

"What I'm doing goes back thousands of years," he said.

Kaplan said Rosh Hashana is a day of introspection and a day for asking for forgiveness.

Students who wish to attend the Hillel services are encouraged to make meal reservations at ufhillel.org. For more information on the shofar flash mob, visit Hillel's Facebook event page.

WOMEN'S RIGHTS

Saudi Arabians welcome reform

SAMANTHA SHAVELL

Alligator Contributing Writer

Women in Saudi Arabia are getting a right that women in the United States have had since 1920.

King Abdullah of Saudi Arabia on Sunday granted women the right to vote and run in municipal elections. Although there is an election next week, women will not participate in it. The first election that women can participate in will be in 2015.

Abdullah also announced women will now be allowed to be appointed to the Shura Council, the advisory body that the king selects. Currently, the council consists only of males.

The Association of Saudi Arabian Students at UF welcomed the reform.

"I'm always glad to hear any reform steps that the kingdom [does], and that includes giving women the right to vote," said Ahmed

AlBassam, the organization's vice president.

Ammar Naji, the treasurer of the organization, said the decision reflects women's previous achievements in society.

"I'm always glad to hear any reform steps that the kingdom [does]."

Ahmed AlBassam

vice president of the association of Saudi Arabian Students

"The initiative recognizes women's political role and puts them in the heart of society where their rightful place is as a citizen, wife, mother, daughter and partner in building the society," he said.

Although the association doesn't have anything planned for this particular reform, they will be celebrating Saudi Arabia National Day on Friday in the Rion Ballroom B Half from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., according to Naji.



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6 Furnishings

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CASH VEHICLES \$999 & UP!
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89 FORD BRONCO \$999
94 FORD TAURUS \$999
96 HONDA ACCORD \$1499
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96 CADILLAC DEVILLE \$1999
95 NISSAN 200SX \$1999
98 FORD F250 \$2500
02 CHEVY BLAZER \$4999
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98 PONTIAC GRAND AM \$1999
01 DODGE NEON \$1999
00 OLDS ALERO \$2500
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NO CREDIT CHECK
MOVE VEHICLES \$500 & UP!
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12 Autos

03 HONDA CIVIC \$8900
04 HONDA ACCORD \$8999
03 MITS ECLIPSE \$7999
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13 Wanted

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
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●Rides to church: Mass at Queen of Peace.
●Learning to rake knit hats to send to Haiti & other places. Call 352-219-6948 10-6-11-74-13



St. Francis House is a homeless shelter and soup kitchen located in downtown Gainesville and we are looking for help from volunteers like you. St. Francis House is in need of donations such as personal hygiene items and household cleaners such as bleach and liquid Lysol. If you are interested in helping, please contact Stephanie Breal at (352) 378-9079 or by e-mail at sfhcoor@stfrancis.cfcoxmail.com

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14 Help Wanted

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14 Help Wanted



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STUDENT INTERN
If you are a student able to work 4-10 hours per week this fall and are eager to gain valuable hands-on experience in desktop support and network infrastructure, then stop by the Alligator, 1105 W University Ave, M-F, 9am-4pm to fill out an application. Please include available work schedule, references, and resume.
EEO/AA.

BARTENDING
\$300 A DAY POTENTIAL
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14 Help Wanted

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JUMBLE CROSSWORDS™
by David L. Hoyt 9-28-11

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ACROSS

CLUE	ANSWER
1. Openhanded	REILABL
5. _____ Mountains	SLTAA
6. Type of group	TETCO
7. Elders	REONSIS

DOWN

CLUE	ANSWER
1. Despises	HTSEAOL
2. Helium _____	LNOALBO
3. Rice dish	SIRTOTO
4. Finds	ACSETOL

CLUE: In 1755, this city was almost completely destroyed by an earthquake.
BONUS

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How to play Complete the crossword puzzle by looking at the clues and unscrambling the answers. When the puzzle is complete, unscramble the circled letters to solve the BONUS.

Send comments to TMS - 435 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 1400, Chicago, Ill. 60611 or DLHoyt@aol.com

14 Help Wanted

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19 Major-
20 *Test that sounds easier than it often is
23 Fill with bubbles
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26 "End of discussion" cartoonist
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31 Symbol of strict control
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27 Occupy, in a way
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Few players admit importance of 'Bama game

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Alabama matchup as a Southeastern Conference game.

"This is why they go to Alabama, this is why we come to Florida — to play big games like this," Burton said. "It's an SEC team, so you get a little more excited for SEC games than non-conference games."

Although the days of Urban Meyer pumping up the Gators prior to pivotal showdowns are gone, Brantley acknowledged that certain games still bring a higher level of intensity, even as preparation remains constant.

"Different games bring different intensity," Brantley said Monday. "But we try to be as intense from game one to game 10. You always want to bring that."

When pressed on where Saturday's matchup with Alabama ranks on the intensity scale, Brantley said, "It's pretty high, probably."

Twelve times a Florida player has said that the team's approach is to prepare, play or work hard this week — nothing different from what UF did prior to matchups with FAU, UAB, Tennessee or Kentucky.

"It's nothing new to us, we're just going to prepare and play to the best of our ability," sophomore defensive end Sharrif Floyd said.

Although Florida and Alabama's showdowns have held major national championship implications as recently as 2008 and 2009, the Gators have refused to build the hype.

For anyone who is displeased by such a boring approach, Harrison offers a simple response.

"Sorry."

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Florida quarterback John Brantley said the matchup with Alabama rates "pretty high" on the intensity scale, admitting it is an important game.

Weis: Crimson Tide will get the 'kitchen sink'

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Rainey and Jeff Demps, who have combined for 765 rushing yards and six scores on the ground.

Although Harrison said he is sure Florida will be able to establish the run against Alabama, the Gators will be facing a tough test, as the Crimson Tide's run defense ranks third in the nation (45.75 yards per game allowed).



Brett Le Blanc / Alligator Staff

Gators offensive coordinator Charlie Weis said he plans to "throw the kitchen sink" at the Crimson Tide on Saturday in The Swamp.

"It's a line-of-scrimmage game," Harrison said. "If the offensive line does their job, and does their job successfully, then the offense in general will have more success."

Patience key: Offensive coordinator Charlie Weis said Tuesday that Alabama's defense is solid at all 11 spots on the field and that the Gators need to play fundamentally sound against the Tide if they want to come out on top.

"Sometimes when you're playing football you have to realize that punting isn't necessarily a bad thing," Weis said. "What you have to do is make sure you make good decisions in the game where you don't make a critical mistake ... and all of a sudden give one to them."

While Weis said the Gators need to be cautious in not making bad decisions, he added Florida will be sure to empty its playbook on the field Saturday night.

"You have to go ahead and throw the kitchen sink at them now," he said. "They're going to get the kitchen sink. You guys have been writing about holding things back, well you won't have to worry about that this week."

Brantley fine: Weis said quarterback John Brantley, who briefly exited the Kentucky game after taking a couple of hard hits, is healthy and took "most of the reps" in practice Tuesday, an encouraging sign for the offensive coordinator.

"He's glad the game is still a few days away," Weis said. "But he's moving along nicely. He's progressing nicely. He threw the ball well [Tuesday]."

Etc.: Defensive tackle Omar Hunter said the injured finger in his right hand is getting better and that he hopes the protective mitt he has been wearing during games will be even smaller this weekend.

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division powerhouses (Alabama, LSU), improve as the year goes on, beat the only other contenders in the East (Georgia, South Carolina) and reach the SEC championship.

Matt: That sounds eerily similar to a season ago, when the Gators went to Tuscaloosa, Ala., fired up and ready to show the world they meant business. Instead, 'Bama sent them into a hole they could never climb out of.

Three straight losses in October drained most of what positive energy remained around the program, and with the SEC East on the line against South Carolina in November, the Gators laid an egg.

Muschamp has looked exhausted and on the verge of losing his sanity after wins against UAB and FAU; what's going to happen when he gets that first loss in the books?

Right now, we don't know if losing could mean this team is a volatile volcano waiting to erupt or a focused group that won't pin its season on one game.

I'm betting on the former.

Tyler: Florida didn't play bad last year because it was blown out against Alabama. Florida played bad because Florida was bad.

If the Gators didn't have the Crimson Tide on their schedule last year, they still would have dropped those October games to the Tigers and the Bulldogs. Prior to the Alabama loss, we had plenty of reasons to think Florida would struggle. Cue the Miami (Ohio) game tape.

Similarly, this season won't be determined in a 60-minute stretch Saturday. Yes, a victory would provide an emotional lift. And yeah, a loss will be disappointing. Losses always are. But win or lose, Florida will have seven games left on its regular-season schedule.

Matt: Those are facts, yes, but this game has the potential to set a blueprint for stopping Florida in the future. We have never seen Chris Rainey and Jeff Demps be as effective as they have been this season.

Much of the credit goes to Weis for drawing up plays to get them in space, but that may not matter going forward. Weis said Tuesday he's going to open up the playbook against Alabama.

What happens when the pages stick together?

What happens when Nick Saban shows Muschamp who's the boss?

What happens when defenses shut down Demps and Rainey and force John Brantley and his unimpressive corps of receivers to beat them?

Missed snaps aside, the Florida offense looked somewhat impressive coming into last year's Alabama game — similar to this year. But after the shellacking in Bryant-Denny Stadium, the Gators had three losses in which they failed to score more than 14 points.

While many things are different this time around, the Alabama game very well could be the downfall of a 4-0 Florida team. Again.

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Swimmer arrested Monday on cocaine possession charge

Ramirez no longer with team after second arrest since February

TOM GREEN
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Former Gators swimmer Lily Ramirez, 21, was arrested Monday night for cocaine possession and resisting an officer without violence at the Alachua County Fair Grounds.

The drug charge is a third-degree felony and the latter is a first-degree misdemeanor.

It is Ramirez's second arrest since February, and it cost her any future she had with the Gators' swimming and diving team.

"We are aware of Lily's arrest," swimming coach Gregg Troy said in a statement Tuesday.

"She was attempting to work

her way back on to the team as a walk-on this fall after being suspended indefinitely in the spring.

"One of the most rewarding moments as a coach is seeing your athletes take advantage of their opportunities; it is even more disappointing when they don't. As of [Tuesday], she will no longer be granted that opportunity and is not a member of the Florida swimming and diving team."

According to the police report, Ramirez was witnessed hitting another female in the face Monday night at the Alachua County Fair Grounds, where a DJ Tiësto

concert was being held.

After the victim told officer Michael Rodenwoldt that she did not want to pursue criminal charges against Ramirez, the officer escorted Ramirez to the event gate to be removed.



Ramirez

When Rodenwoldt attempted to identify Ramirez, she ran and Rodenwoldt chased after her by foot before Ramirez tripped and was detained.

According to the report, after Ramirez was detained, a search

of her purse discovered a small plastic bag containing a "white powdery substance."

The substance tested positive for cocaine following a field test administered by the officer.

Ramirez refused to give the officer her name and provided several false ones to the officer. She eventually said she would give Rodenwoldt her real name if he did not take her to jail.

According to the police report, Ramirez finally provided her actual name upon arriving at the jail.

If convicted for the cocaine charge, Ramirez could face a maximum of five years in prison.

Ramirez has been arrested twice in the last eight months.

In early February, Ramirez and former Florida swimmer Daniela Victoria were detained for shoplifting at the Florida Mall in Orlando, where they were caught attempting to steal a pair of \$130 jackets.

Both UF swimmers were suspended indefinitely from the team and were charged with misdemeanor petit theft of \$100 or more.

Ramirez, a senior, earned All-America honors as a freshman at the 2009 NCAA Championships as a member of the 200-yard freestyle relay team, which finished ninth at the competition.

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Gators 2012 oral commit Hardin breaking the kicker mold

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Austin Hardin is 5-foot-11, 200 pounds, squats twice that weight and maxed out benching 290 pounds last year. He said his 40-yard dash clocks in at 4.4 seconds. He regularly takes snaps for Atlanta Marist High as a corner, a strong safety or, depending on the sugar content of his coach's breakfast cereal, a halfback.

And he's rated the nation's No. 9 kicker by Rivals.com.

"I guess I'm not your typical kicker," said Hardin, a Florida oral commit.

Hardin, who will be in Gainesville for the Alabama game this weekend, was hardly noticed before his junior year, as he warmed the bench behind Justin Moore, who is now at Georgia Tech. Then, Hardin kicked a text-

book, arching field goal from 59 yards out against rival Decatur (Ga.) Southwest DeKalb last fall.

"They wouldn't send the kicker out to try this, would they?" a GPBSports announcer inquired during the locally broadcast game. "Nah, it's too far for a field goal," the other booth man said.

Marist won, 17-14, fans stormed the field, and Hardin was soon swarmed with invitations to universities across the country.

He began prioritizing which schools he would visit in the spring. Florida was at the top of his list, although not first on the schedule.

"That was the one camp that we had really marked off, like, 'OK, this is the one camp we're going to,' even though I had a whole summer filled up with coaches wanting me to come (visit)," he said of UF.

Hardin's camp season started at Ole Miss. In May, Derek Dooley offered him at

Tennessee, then Gene Chizik at Auburn. The calendar days narrowed down until Hardin's anticipated visit to Florida, followed by a stop at Virginia Tech.

"I'm kind of excited to see what it'll be like to just be a kicker."

Austin Hardin
UF commit

"At Florida, I would've been surprised if I didn't pick up the offer," he said. "Like, (two) other [Southeastern Conference] schools had just offered me, so it was kind of what I was waiting for. So they pulled me out, about the second day of camp, and were like, 'Alright, let's cut to the chase: You're the guy we want.'"

Soon after, he went on an unofficial visit to Gainesville and talked with coach Will Muschamp. Hardin never made the Virginia Tech visit. He committed to UF on the spot.

In Marist practice, Hardin does the things all the big boys do — he hits, he sprints, he scrimmages. Most high school kickers stick around for about 20 minutes of practice, like Hardin's little brother, Luke, who kicks for another Atlanta school. Hardin thus has arguably the least-fresh — yet the best — legs in high school football, which presents a separate challenge to take on at Florida.

"I'm kind of excited to see what it'll be like to just be a kicker," he said. "But at the same time it's kind of sad because I really do like hitting and tackling and stuff. On kickoffs, when I'm not hitting it in the end zone, I'll probably be running downfield for tackles."

Most would think that kickers don't pose a tackling threat. But then again, Hardin has never been a typical kicker.

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Gators remain focused on preparation, not Tide

By GREG LUCA
Alligator Staff Writer

When the Gators study the Crimson Tide on film, all they see are nameless, faceless numbers.

The 5-foot-11, 224-pound Heisman candidate at running back plowing over, around and through defenses isn't Trent Richardson. He's No. 3. The 6-foot-4, 260-pound monster who leads the Crimson Tide with 25 tackles is No. 30 rather than Dont'a Hightower.

And the team with a No. 3 national ranking that will invade The Swamp on Saturday isn't Alabama. It's just another team.

Since Florida's 48-10 win at Kentucky on Saturday, the phrase "nameless, faceless" has been uttered by UF players seven times.

The simple expression has become a motto that sophomore center Jonotthan Harrison said coach Will Muschamp has used in every meeting.

It is a constant reminder that the Gators need to treat each week the same. To be more focused, more excited or simply better against teams like Alabama would mean Florida wasn't at its best versus its other opponents.

"That's just how we approach every team," Harrison said. "It keeps us focused on the assignments and the football concepts in general."

Indeed, the Gators have stressed the need to stay "focused on Florida," something Harrison and Muschamp said was critical.

"We don't worry about nobody else; we worry about Florida," sophomore Ronald Powell said.

Powell added that the Gators need to "do exactly what we do



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Florida center Jonotthan Harrison, like many players this week, said the Gators are approaching the game against Alabama just like any other. "Nameless, faceless" opponents, he said.

every week," matching the sentiment of teammates Jaye Howard, Matt Elam and Dominique Easley, who all said Florida needs to "prepare the same."

Indeed, eight different players provided 12 variations of, "It's just like any other game," or "Just like every other week."

Only Trey Burton, John Brant-

ley and Matt Elam have strayed slightly from the norm, acknowledging the significance of the

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Run game will be key Saturday

TOM GREEN
Alligator Staff Writer

Gators center Jonotthan Harrison believes this week's matchup with No. 3 Alabama will be all about the battle at the line of scrimmage.

And he has no doubts No. 12 Florida will find success running the ball come Saturday.

"We will get the run," Harrison said Tuesday. "We will get the run. It starts with the offensive line, and

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that's the position I play, and I have confidence

in my unit."

When asked if he was making a guarantee, Harrison wouldn't take it that far, simply responding that he is confident in his position group.

Considering the numbers, it's understandable that Harrison feels sure about Florida's ability to run against Alabama. The Gators currently tout the top rushing offense in the Southeastern Conference and rank 10th in the nation with 259 yards per contest on the ground.

Florida also averages nearly 6 yards per carry behind its close-knit offensive line and a running back corps led by speedsters Chris

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THE RALLY

Does the 2011 season hinge on this week's Alabama game?

Tyler: The Gators have not proven much yet. Yes, Florida is 4-0 and looked great last week against Kentucky. Florida started 4-0 last year, including a dominating win against Kentucky. Then, they played Alabama. Then, the season spiraled out of control.

Still, Florida's season does not hinge on Saturday's game. This year's team is different from last year's if, for no other reason, the Gators have a new coaching staff.

After last year's 31-6 whooping at the hands of Alabama, there was no reason to think Florida could improve. The players knew Urban Meyer's system. This year, however, the

Gators should get better as the season progresses, as they grow more familiar with Will Muschamp's defense and Charlie Weis' offense. If Saturday's game goes south, don't throw the towel in just yet.

Matt: While the season may not hinge entirely on Saturday's game, it's going to mean a lot more than you think. Players, fans and even some sports writers are starting to buy in to these Muschamp-led



Gators. This is their chance to prove that all the hype and all the work in the offseason meant something. A blowout loss at home to Alabama — which is in play — sinks the ship before it can officially set sail.

This team is full of young, impressionable players who, for as much as they toe the company line in interviews, are an emotional bunch.

Losing at home in The Swamp to Alabama would start the murderous October schedule

off on the wrong foot and potentially set the table for four straight losses.

Tyler: Of course this is a young team, but that doesn't mean one loss will warp their minds. They have all played sports most of their lives. They know how to bounce back from losses.

Falling to Alabama will hurt, but this is a team that should continue to improve as the season goes on. Every year, the Gators' No. 1 goal is to get to Atlanta. This Saturday's game won't make or break their journey.

Don't be surprised to see Florida drop games against Southeastern Conference West

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UF swimmer Lily Ramirez was arrested Monday at the DJ Tiësto concert on multiple charges, including cocaine possession. See Story, Page 15.

Florida-Alabama Showdown

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39% YES
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