



# Last year hottest on record nationally, rainier than usual locally

## Mosquitos thriving in heat

**RACHEL CROSBY**  
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Shawna Clark's hair was tied back on Tuesday. She wore denim shorts and an orange Gators T-shirt. Small beads of sweat slid down her forehead.

It was 77 degrees Fahrenheit. "It's not as cute as wearing winter clothes," said the 19-year-old

applied physiology and kinesiology sophomore. "But I guess I'd rather be warm than freezing."

According to the National Climatic Data Center, last year was the hottest on record.

The average temperature of 2012 was 55.3 degrees Fahrenheit — 3.2 degrees above last century's average and one degree higher

than 1998, the hottest previously recorded year.

WRUF Chief Meteorologist



Huffman

Gainesville.

He attributed the higher rain-

fall to tropical storms Beryl and Debby and said the extra precipitation followed a two-year area drought.

Though Huffman said the current weather in Alachua County is unusual for the season, he warned it may change soon.

"The coldest nights of the winter could still be ahead of us," he said.

Roxanne Connelly, an associate professor of medical entomology, said the higher temperatures have

had an effect on the local mosquito population, which breeds in the heat.

She said summer is the peak season for mosquitoes, and temperature drops during winter normally knock out most of the North Central Florida population.

"Typically, in winter months and even early spring, the activity you're seeing in Alachua County would be much more reduced if temperatures were lower," she said.



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### Gettin' Rowdy

Fans cheer for the Gators men's basketball team in the student section before the SEC season opener against Georgia on Wednesday night at the Stephen C. O'Connell Center.

## LOCAL Friends, family remember UPD officer

**JENNA BOX**  
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NEWBERRY — Rows of officers in forest green, black and brown uniforms stood at attention near the entrance of the Canterbury Showplace, their faces somber as the gray sky.

A hum of muffled voices filled the covered arena — the sounds of those waiting to say their last

goodbyes.

Two officers on white horses led a black hearse as it backed into the arena. Uniformed law enforcement officers saluted their friend, their co-worker, their brother, in his casket.

Jean-Guy Deffense, who had served with the University Police since 2008, died in a car accident Friday afternoon in Orlando.

Deffense, 43, and his wife, Mar-

cia Wolf, 45, were headed westbound on State Road 408 when Deffense drove around a curve, lost control of his 2008 Dodge Ram 1500 and veered into a grass shoulder. Wolf was unharmed.

During the memorial service Wednesday, dozens of family members, co-workers and acquaintances praised Deffense for his patriotism, dedication and strength.

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## Study says female binge drinking overlooked

**ALEXA VOLLAND**  
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About one in eight women over the age of 18 binge drink.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention released a statement Tuesday that stated excessive drinking is a dangerous behavior that is under-recognized as a women's health issue.

*"Be aware of how much you are actually drinking based on alcohol content, not number of drinks."*

**Maureen Miller**

GatorWell Health Promotion Services director

Joan Scully, a substance abuse coordinator and licensed clinical social worker at UF Counseling and Wellness Center, said the first step to recognizing binge drinking as an illness is to lower the stigma that comes with addiction.

For the 14 million American women who binge drink, the chances of breast cancer, heart disease, sexually transmitted diseases and unintended pregnancy are heightened, according to the center.

"You can't find that label on a bottle of vodka or a bottle of wine," Scully said.

She said binge drinking needs the same level of social awareness that cigarette smoking has.

Despite these risks, women who binge consume six drinks in one sitting and drink three or more times a month.

Although males have historically been more involved with high-risk drinking, women are catching up, said GatorWell Health Promotion Services director Maureen Miller, who also specializes in alcohol and other drug prevention.

Miller said it's important to use common sense when drinking.

"Be aware of how much you are actually drinking based on alcohol content, not number of drinks," she said. "You are probably having more than what you really think."

Carolina Garcia, a 20-year-old public relations junior, said she worries when she sees people overindulging.

"I think it should definitely be made known," she said. "People don't see it as anything except socializing."

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### Murphy returns from injury

Senior Erik Murphy played through a broken rib, scoring 11 points in Wednesday night's 77-44 win against Georgia, pg 14.



## WHAT'S HAPPENING?

**Florida Leadership Council to host Freshman Frenzy**

FLC invites all freshmen to come out to Weaver Beach between 7 p.m. and 10 p.m. Friday for Freshman Frenzy, a social event to welcome back the Class of 2016 and ring in the new semester. There will be inflatables, free food, a photo booth, music, performances and more.

**"The Wall Speaks" workshop series: video oral histories**

The Center for European Studies, along with several other sponsors, is offering a four-session oral history workshop that spans the semester. "The Wall Speaks" workshop series is devoted to narrative and technical aspects of recording and producing oral history videos, especially testimonies of people hurt by negative spin. The series is led by Anna Muller of the center and visiting artist Wojtek Sawa. It is open to 12 students. People interested in signing up must contact Muller at [anmuller@ufl.edu](mailto:anmuller@ufl.edu).

**Talking Gators welcomes officers**

Talking Gators Toastmasters Club welcomes its newest officers: Vice President Membership Daniel Tinkler, Sgt. at Arms William McCombie and Vice President Education Daniel Fitzpatrick. The club meets Tuesdays at 5:45 p.m. in the Entomology Building, Room 1031. It welcomes people interested in learning public speaking and leadership skills using workbooks and in a supportive environment. For more information, visit [www.talking-gators.toastmastersclubs.org](http://www.talking-gators.toastmastersclubs.org) or the Talking Gators Facebook page.

**Improv Company Auditions**

Auditions for the new improv group "Much Ado about The Doris" will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday at The Doris Bardin Cultural Community Center, 716 N. Main St. Some improv experience would be good for those auditioning, but all are welcome. For more information, call Sidney Homan at 352-378-9166 or email [shakes@ufl.edu](mailto:shakes@ufl.edu).

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Foto Frenzy is an annual picture scavenger hunt geared toward UF students. From 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, teams of up to five students can compete to take pictures next to landmarks on campus. The team that uploads the most pictures before the two-hour time limit wins. Each member of the winning team will win a cruise for two to the Bahamas. In order to participate, students must pledge five hours of community service at a Pledge 5 Foundation service social. Visit [www.fotofrenzygainesville.com](http://www.fotofrenzygainesville.com) for more information.

**Life planning seminar**

dam Roark of the Roark Law Firm and Ryan Z. Westerburg of Merrill Lynch Wealth Management will host a free discussion about wills, trusts, living wills, financial planning and the other steps you can take to reduce the burdens created by the death or incapacity of a loved one. The discussion will also touch on things parents should have in place for children. The talk will take place from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Jan. 15 at the Millhopper Branch Library, 3145 NW 43rd St.

**Hippodrome Cinema shows foreign films**

A festival favorite, "The Loneliest Planet" follows a couple on their backpacking trip through the Caucasus Mountains and explores the unexpectedly huge repercussions of a momentary misstep. "The Other Son" tells the story of two young men — one Israeli, the other Palestinian — who learn they were switched at birth and must reassess their identities. Both films run until Jan. 17. Find show times at [www.thehipp.org/cinema](http://www.thehipp.org/cinema), call 352-375-HIIPP for tickets and head to 25 SE Second Place to see

the films.

**OAS Peer Mentor applications available**

The Office of Academic Support offers academic and personal enrichment services to UF students. It primarily serves first-generation students and students considered economically, educationally or culturally disadvantaged. Peer mentors provide an encouraging and welcoming environment for students. Peer mentors help incoming first-generation students transition from high school to college. Applications are due Jan. 25 by 5 p.m. in Little Hall, Room 311. Visit the website to access the application and browse a detailed description of duties: [www.oas.ua.ufl.edu/student-positions.aspx](http://www.oas.ua.ufl.edu/student-positions.aspx).

**Latina Women's League to offer citizenship classes**

The league will hold free citizenship classes from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Thursdays from Feb. 7 to March 28 at the Alachua County Public Library Millhopper Branch, 3145 NW 43rd St. This is not an English class. For more info, email [info@latinawomensleague.org](mailto:info@latinawomensleague.org), or call 352-378-9787.

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# Florida university to build Catholic dorms

►UF IS NOT IMPLEMENTING THE CONCEPT.

**RACHEL KURLAND**

Alligator Contributing Writer

Housing at two universities are getting an upgrade with a twist.

Texas A&M University-Kingsville and Florida Institute of Technology will add residence halls geared toward Catholic students on their respective campuses in the Fall.

The Newman Student Housing Fund, which is separate from FIT, is financially supporting the Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Student Residence at the Florida school, according to a press release.

The fund's goal is to provide housing arrangements that deepen students' faith on a secular campus, according to its website.

The new FIT residence halls will house 140 students and will eventually be accompanied by a chapel.

Though this concept is not being implemented at UF, Sharon Blansett, assistant to the associate vice president for Student Affairs and UF Housing spokeswoman, wrote in an email that the UF Department of Housing and Residence Education "supports all students in seeking spiritual well-being, health and balance, and supports all religions and faiths."

Blansett also wrote that UF housing is open to exploring special interests for all students.

"When developing special interest housing for college-age students, it is important to be inclusive rather than exclusive," she wrote.

Blansett said faith-based housing has the potential to benefit university communities and its students if both support the idea.

Abigail Nabors, a 20-year-old biomedical engineering junior, said public universities should remain secular so there is no conflict with certain students or groups not being acknowledged.

"Finding sufficient on-campus housing is already difficult," she said.

UF student Marielle Molina said the idea of Catholic residence halls seems unfair to other religions.

The 19-year-old biology sophomore said the idea is strange to her, although she was raised Catholic. Dorms should remain secular, she said.

Molina said some religious students may force their views onto others and may be judgmental toward other religions or lifestyles.

Molina said students would have to question that living situation and whether they would fit into that community.

"Are you Catholic enough to be here?" she said.



Kelly Logan / Alligator Staff

Supporters of Gainesville Regional Utilities and Gainesville Renewable Energy Center hold signs outside City Hall on Wednesday evening. The group was advocating for the new biomass energy plant that is scheduled to be completed in the summer of 2013.

# Deffense wore all uniforms with pride

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They described him as a man who could overcome challenges, and to one officer, Deffense was "the toughest guy I ever met."

Family members said he was a man who held himself to a high standard. As a young man, Deffense worked at McDonald's, and when he dressed for work, he took pride in his uniform: shined shoes and pressed pants.

"No one looked better at that McDonald's than Jean-Guy," a family member said.

His friends reminisced about how Deffense once got his hands

on a Boy Scouts uniform, even though he wasn't one.

He later became a member of the JROTC at his high school, where he wore his uniform even on prom night.

Deffense served as a United States Army military police officer and was involved in Operation Desert Storm and Operation Iraqi Freedom.

Jonathon Defino, who led the memorial, spent 18 months deployed with Deffense.

"Even in the desert his uniform was spotless," he said.

Defino also described Deffense as a friend who had a "coolness factor about him: slow to speak, fast to listen."

Once the service ended, mourners moved to say their final good-byes at West Hills Memorial Gardens in Jonesville.

There, after a three-volley salute and "Taps" trumpet call, Deffense was lowered into the ground.

"If Jean-Guy could come back, I believe he would say, 'Our lives are short. We need to enjoy it, prepared for what's next,'" Defino said.



Deffense

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# City commissioner will campaign again

**CHRIS ALCANTARA**

Alligator Staff Writer

Gainesville Commissioner Randy Wells will run for reelection after he submitted paperwork Monday to the Alachua County Supervisor of Elections.

Wells is the third candidate in the District 4 city commission election, which is set for March. He will run against W.E. "Mac" McEachern and Alfredo Espinosa for the position.

District 4 consists of the eastern part of UF's campus, as well as areas north of West University Avenue.

Wells previously won the commission seat in 2010 when he beat Penny Wheat, a former Alachua County commissioner, in a runoff election.

During his first term, Wells worked to improve city code enforcement and promote small businesses throughout Gainesville, according to his campaign press release. He is also chair of the Equal Opportunity Committee.

For his 2013 campaign, Wells said he would work to improve

the relationship between the city and small businesses.

"When local government can develop relationships with local business and community groups, we find unique opportunities to better our city and the lives of our residents," he said in a statement.

*"There has been a disconnection with citizens and the city commission, and I want to address that."*

**W.E. "Mac" McEachern**  
former city commissioner

McEachern, a former city commissioner, announced his candidacy Thursday, according to the Supervisor of Elections' website.

McEachern said he wants to bridge the gap between residents and the city.

"There has been a disconnection with citizens and the city commission, and I want to address that," he said.

Espinosa could not be reached for comment.

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## CRIME

# Theater gunman turns self in after call

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Alligator Writer

A Gainesville man who shot a gun at a group of people outside the Butler Plaza movie theater turned himself in Wednesday afternoon.

Gainesville Police arrested Zairon Jarquis Fussell, 19, on attempted murder and possession of a weapon by a convicted felon, according to GPD. Fussell turned himself in after police called and spoke with him on his cellphone, GPD spokesman Ben Tobias said.

Police had been searching for Fussell since he fled the scene Monday morning. Police already arrested another suspect involved, Robert Nathaniel Morris, 19, on four counts of attempted murder and one count of conspiracy.

Fussell and Morris got into an argument with a group of four friends before a movie at the Regal Stadium 14, located on the 3100 block of Southwest 35th Boulevard, according to a GPD police report. After the movie ended, the argument continued in the parking lot. Fussell pulled out a handgun and fired a single shot at the group, according to the report. No one was hurt.



Fussell

Fussell was booked into the Alachua County Jail, where he remained Wednesday night with a \$1,015,000 bond.

"That's good that his a-- got caught," said victim Brandon Richardson.

Contact Kathryn Varn at [kvarn@alligator.org](mailto:kvarn@alligator.org).

# Biomass plant sparks civic discussion

► A GROUP OF ABOUT 70 MET WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

**SHAYNA POSSES**

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As an international airline pilot, Pamela Mincey has witnessed the effects of climate change. She saw a biomass plant slated to open this summer eight miles north of Gainesville as a step in the right direction.

At a Gainesville City Commission workshop Wednesday, a divided group of about 70 people discussed their concerns about the plant.

The workshop was held as part

of a lawsuit settlement between the commission and response group Gainesville Citizens Care Inc.

Ray Washington, a local attorney, gave a presentation about what he called the "public process" flaws in the commission's handling of the plant's contract. He said details of the contract were kept hidden through redactions to protect Gainesville Renewable Energy Center from competitors.

"The commission would not listen. It became comical," Washington said.

Gainesville Regional Utilities signed a power purchasing agreement in 2009 to purchase all energy produced by the plant.

GRU general manager Robert Hunzinger said the company has had no success finding other entities to purchase some of the energy from the city.

Biomass plants use wood to create energy with less pollution than fossil fuels while helping to provide communities with energy security and diversity, said GREC President Jim Gordon.

Hunzinger estimated the total value of the plant plus fuel costs at about \$3 billion in the 30-year contract.

Gordon said investing into the plant will help Gainesville and the surrounding communities, creating jobs and providing tax revenue.

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Editorial

## Cathedral catharsis: Victory in marriage equality

Who says you can't teach an old church new tricks? The Washington National Cathedral announced Wednesday that it would begin to host same-sex marriages.

"The cathedral's congregation and leadership include many gays and lesbians," stated an article by The Associated Press. "The church was just waiting for the right moment and the right leader."

This is pretty exciting.

Don't forget to continue to be excited by news such as this. Every once in a while, some positive news for the LGBT community is announced, but we should continue to make a "big deal" out of every step in the right direction. It's like when a parent has to be enthusiastic for each new piece of "art" their toddler makes them. You have to keep giving positive reinforcement with an excited face and a compliment.

"For more than 30 years, the Episcopal Church has prayed and studied to discern the evidence of God's blessing in the lives of same-sex couples," the Rev. Gary Hall of the National Cathedral said in an article by ABC News. "We enthusiastically affirm each person as a beloved child of God — and doing so means including the full participation of gays and lesbians in the life of this spiritual home for the nation."

"As a kind of tall-steeple, public church in the nation's capital, by saying we're going to bless same-sex marriages, conduct same-sex marriages, we are really trying to take the next step for marriage equality in the nation and in the culture," Hall said in the AP article.

This decision sets an amazing example for the rest of the country — especially as it is taking place in our nation's capital.

We don't fully understand people who don't agree with equality at this point in our nation's history. You can't continue to put people down or discriminate against them because they are different than you.

That's not how it works. And no, we're not going to delve into the religious facet of the marriage equality argument, because there's no need to bring extra stress into this.

"I consider it a great honor to lead this Cathedral as it takes another historic step toward greater equality — and I am pleased that this step follows the results made clear in this past November's election, when three states voted to allow same-sex marriage," Hall said, according to ABC News.

Good for you, dude. There is nothing more admirable than standing up for what you truly believe in despite what adversity you might face.

Let's all try to be so brave.

"I read the Bible as seriously as fundamentalists do," Hall said to the AP. "And my reading of the Bible leads me to want to do this because I think it's being faithful to the kind of community that Jesus would have us be."

It's incredibly inspiring to see an era of change attempt to sweep its way across our nation.

Don't be a stick in the mud, because it's way more fun to just jump in and enjoy yourself.

### Reader response

**Today's question:** Do you think college binge drinking is under-diagnosed?

**Wednesday's question:** Do you think Bernie Machen should stay as UF's President?

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### FAST TIMES



Column

## Kanye and Kim's baby: What to expect

Kim Kardashian, living brand and professional Beyoncé wannabe, made headlines Dec. 30 when her beau Kanye West announced her pregnancy at a concert in Atlantic City.

According to "Entertainment Tonight," West sang, "Now you having my baby," and urged the crowd to congratulate his "baby mom."

In an interview on Jan. 1, "Entertainment Tonight" asked Kardashian about the pregnancy. Has she encountered morning sickness? Cravings?

"I wouldn't say it's been easy," Kardashian, 32, said. "When people say pregnancy is, like, fun and they love it, I would have to disagree."

Kardashian is right on with this one, you guys. She's juggling an unresolved divorce, a Sears' fashion line, the gargantuan ego of Kanye and the everyday stress of fitting all your Kardashian k-thoughts into a 140-character tweet. The same pregnancy guidelines hawked by the now-outdated "What to Expect When You're Expecting" don't quite fit.

In lieu of a baby-shower gift, because my budget won't allow for any pieces from the Baby Dior at Bergdorf Goodman collection, I offer to you, Kim Kardashian, a brief and accessible overview of pregnancy.

First, you may have questions about the inevitable changes to your body. You may be thinking, "Should I start sewing elastic waistbands into my J Brand jeans? Is it still OK to wear peplum dresses? Will extended wear of Alexander McQueen armadillo heels damage the fetus? Are muumuus really a thing? What's a cervix?"

Well, there's no way to dance around it: Your standard diet of D-A-S-H water bottles, edamame and sugarless gum will no longer suffice. Remember, there's a miniature Kanye growing inside that bandage-dress-wrapped belly.

The sculpted hourglass figure you're paid to maintain will soon resemble a lumpy potato — embrace it! For the next nine months, look forward to a break from running on the giant hamster wheel that powers the Kris Jenner Empire.

And who knows — maybe a Kardashian maternity line (with possible Jessica Simpson collaboration?) is the perfect opportunity to jump from Sears to the more versatile, lucra-



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tive Target.

In addition, you're probably wondering about matters of exercise, diet and sexual activity. "What about juice cleanses? Will my Bikram yoga practice give my baby a lopsided head? Will my changing body affect my duties as Kanye's personal Barbie/mannequin? Why am I craving bananas

with Tabasco sauce?"

Unfortunately, a hiatus from rigorous activity is what your baby needs. According to "Entertainment Tonight," you are 12 weeks pregnant, and according to TheBump.com, your fetus is the size of a plum. I shudder to think how that plum would look after a session of Kim Kardashian Fit Into Your Jeans by Friday workout session. Be kind to that plum.

And whatever you do, pay no attention to Gwyneth Paltrow and her Goop maternity website. This same woman named her children Apple and Moses and tried to launch a country-music career. In her Goop article, she suggests her favorite brand of \$148 faux-leather leggings. Paltrow is ridiculous. Do not ever listen to Paltrow.

Above all, Kim K, I wish you the best of luck.

Remember, nobody is judging you for having a baby. They're judging you because Kanye announced it in song in front of an audience, your divorce to Kris Humphries hasn't been consolidated and, according to the "New York Daily News," your mother is already collecting bids from celebrity magazines for photos of your baby bump and eventual infant.

Oh, and you once said in an interview with "The Guardian" on your pending divorce, "Like, I spoke to a girl today who had cancer and we were talking about how this is such a hard thing for her, but it taught her a big lesson on who her friends are and so much about life . . . and I was like, that's how I feel."

Happy motherhood.

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## Hometown heroes: Hot Water Music to play Gainesville show



Courtesy to the Alligator / Marco Krenn

Gainesville punk rockers Hot Water Music will be playing a hometown show at Element Nite Club, formerly the Florida Theater, on Jan. 18. The band's headlining tour is in support of their first studio album in eight years, "Exister." The Menzingers and La Dispute are the band's opening acts.

► THE SHOW IS JAN. 18.

### MIKE LLERENA

Avenue Writer

Punk rock legend Hot Water Music has remained an integral part of Gainesville's musical DNA since its inception nearly two decades ago.

With its first studio album release in eight years, the band will return to its old stomping grounds at Element Nite Club, formerly the Florida Theater, on Jan. 18 at 8 p.m., with openers The Menzingers and La Dispute.

This show marks the third stop on the quartet's tour, following the release of "Exister," in May.

Singer and guitarist Chris Wollard said that after six months of opening gigs and festivals, a headlining run gives the band more creative freedom.

"It was really important not only to play in the South, but we really wanted to start the tour here in Florida," he said.

Headlining the tour also gives the band greater flexibility when it comes to preparing the set list, including new material, Hot Water Music classics and the possibility of playing songs they haven't played

in several years.

Wollard described the recording process as easier than past records, in which the band toured for 200 days and went straight into writing and recording on a regimented three-month schedule.

"We just eased ourselves back into the groove," Wollard said. "The more we did, the more we were enjoying it. It didn't seem like something we had to do — it seemed like something we wanted to do."

Living in Gainesville for many years, Wollard, 37, is no stranger to the local music scene.

"I've been around the world, and I still love it here," he said. "I still love the community. I love that No Idea is still putting out records and supporting the scene. There are still people doing local shows. It's the thing that keeps me here."

The band will release "Live in Chicago," a triple LP/double CD and DVD, Tuesday. The album documents the band's performance at the Metro in Chicago on Feb. 1 to 2, 2008.

Tickets for the show are available for \$17 at [www.ticketweb.com](http://www.ticketweb.com). Tickets can also be purchased at Hear Again Music and Movies, and Arrow's Aim Records.

### dining

## Taco Bell teases fans with ranchy photo

### BROCK SENG

Avenue Writer

Doritos Locos Taco lovers may have a hard time sticking to their New Year's resolutions this year.

On Jan. 2, Taco Bell tweeted a picture of a taco next to a bag of Doritos Cool Ranch chips with the caption, "Anything could happen in #2013."

*"I'm still excited, though. It will definitely be a cool twist to the Doritos Locos."*

**John Michael Yakulevich**  
*industrial and systems engineering junior*

It posted the same photo on Facebook. As of Wednesday night, the photo had about 132,700 likes.

After the tweet, Twitter was abuzz with replies such as, "SHUT UP AND TAKE MY MONEY!" and "STOP PLAYING WITH MY HEART, @TacoBell! EITHER COMMIT OR DON'T."

John Michael Yakulevich, a

20-year-old industrial and systems engineering junior, said, as a college student, he frequently visits Taco Bell and loves the Doritos Locos Taco.

"I'm stoked," he said. "I love Cool Ranch Doritos. I love Taco Bell tacos. I can't wait to experience the combination."

Taco Bell released the nacho-cheese-flavored Doritos Locos Taco last March.

According to Taco Bell, the Doritos Locos Taco launch was the most successful in the company's 50-year history.

Yakulevich said he thinks the Cool Ranch taco would sell just as well in the beginning, but he thinks it may not have the lasting power that the original has.

He said although cheese and tacos go well together, ranch is something he has "never been tempted to drizzle across the top of my taco."

"I'm still excited, though," he said. "It will definitely be a cool twist to the Doritos Locos."

## Resolutioners: Ditch routine workouts for adventure programs

### CAITLYN FINNEGAN

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If working on your physique found its way to the top of your resolution list, trade crowded campus gyms for adventure by considering local alternatives.

From rock climbing to running for beer, beginners and gym junkies alike can ditch boring, solo workouts for good by taking advantage of social fitness programs.

**CrossFit:** A rigorous training program that pushes participants to complete rounds of activities ranging from flipping tires to Olympic lifting, CrossFit has developed a loyal following of people looking for a challenge.

Classes follow a national Workout of the Day schedule and are taught in a group setting, in which each member tries to beat their personal record.

For those who want a test run, both CrossFit Gainesville and Gator CrossFit offer free introductory courses.

**Mixed Martial Arts:** Cages and graphic T-shirts aside, MMA and jiu-jitsu training offer cardio conditioning and can come in handy if you ever get in a tough situation. Capoeira, a Brazilian dance-style martial art, is also an alternative for gaining strength

and flexibility.

F2 Arena and Global Mixed Martial Arts Academy both offer classes ranging from introductory to competition fighter training.

**Rock Climbing:** Boulder climb to a more sculpted upper body at Gainesville Rock Gym. With 8,500 square feet of vertical climbing space and a separate cave and tunnel system, there's plenty of room to spread out and meet other climbers.

Never tried scaling a 36-foot cliff before? Classes are available to teach climbing basics like belaying and lead climbing.

**Beer Run Club:** A self-proclaimed drinking club with a running problem, the Gainesville Area Thirsty Runners practice the tradition of "hashing," a hare-and-hound-style run that ends with a celebratory beer social at a local bar.

Before each run, a preselected "hare" lays a 2- to 5-mile trail for the rest of the group to follow as "hounds," with signals and dead ends along the way.

To track down when and where the group is meeting next, or to learn more and start a hash group of your own, visit [gath3.wordpress.com](http://gath3.wordpress.com).



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### Hot Water Music Ticket Giveaway:

We're giving away two pairs of tickets to Hot Water Music on Jan. 18. To enter, like the Avenue's Facebook: [Facebook.com/AlligatorAvenue](http://Facebook.com/AlligatorAvenue) and like our post about the show. You must do both to win.

### Online exclusive:

What artists and songs topped the charts in 2012? Find out in our end-of-year music sales recap at [www.Alligator.org/the\\_Avenue](http://www.Alligator.org/the_Avenue)

**movies**

# Hidden Gems of Netflix: "2 Days in New York"

**BAKR SALIQ**  
Avenue Writer

Lost in an endlessly growing queue and buried underneath thousands of rows of titles, there are these few hidden gems of Netflix.

**"2 Days in New York" (2012)**  
Rated R, 96 minutes

How we act around our family is not always how we act with our friends, co-workers or even our special someone.

There is a certain rhythm established with family that makes it difficult to fit in any newcomers. This is where the heart of Julie Delpy's "2 Days in New York" lies.

Marion (played by Delpy) is a French photographer in New York City. She has a 3-year-old son and lives with her boyfriend, Mingus (Chris Rock) and his daughter. Marion's eccentric family will be visiting New York for the weekend to tour the Big Apple.



Rock

Her family brings out a side of Marion that Mingus is completely unfamiliar with, challenging what he had originally thought of her.

"2 Days in New York" has a quick and crass sense of humor that is punctuated with philosophic questions on life and love.

At times, these jumps feel a little rushed, but that isn't a deal breaker.

Possibly the best note of the film is Rock's performance as Mingus. He is always funny and even a little intimidating during the more tense scenes of the movie.

**Hidden Gem you've already seen: A bunch of Disney movies**

During the break, Netflix acquired the rights to stream many Disney movies including "Aristocats," "Pocahontas," "Dumbo," "The Fox and the Hound" and many other bits and pieces of your childhood.

Pixar movies, however, will not be on Netflix for some time.

# Keep calm; carry on.

## 5th Ave.

By Dana Burke

Drop fall's baggage and start the Spring semester anew with a fresh campus carry-all. From the minimalist girl, who only brings a tablet to class, to the over-achieving guy, who carries all of his textbooks, 5th Ave. has got your back. Even if you plan on never stepping foot on campus, these styles are great for carrying your precious cargo wherever you decide to go. The best part: They can all be purchased locally. Shop on, Gainesville.



Vera Bradley Tablet Hipster in Go Wild \$65 at Simply Gorgeous, 201 SE Second Place, Unit 112

Vera Bradley's newest style is perfect for carrying that new tablet to class. In a fun cheetah-floral hybrid-print with a 52-inch adjustable strap, this cross-body looks adorable as you travel across campus.

VS PINK backpack in solid coral \$39.50 at Victoria's Secret, located in the Oak's Mall or www.victoriassecret.com.

Coral is a hot color for spring, so apply the trend to your bag instead of your outfit. This backpack has multiple pockets and plenty of space, perfect for any girl-on-the-go.

Obey Noreaster Duffle Backpack in Olive \$48 at Gift Horse, 201 SE Second Place, Unit 111

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# Trophy hunting: What to watch to catch up this awards season

**ALYSSA HOLCOMB**

Avenue Writer

It's that time of year again — Twitter feeds and gossip sites are abuzz with speculation. It's award show season, and all eyes are on Hollywood's finest. January kicks off a jam-packed period of glamorous gowns, surprises and snubs, and even the occasional wardrobe malfunction.

## What (And Who) To Watch:

Every year, I divide the numerous nominations into three categories (known affectionately as "the trophy three"): favorites, underdogs and "that got nominated?!"

This year, all three groups are full force in their selections.

**Favorites:** "Argo," "Zero Dark Thirty," "Lincoln."

These three are your typical awards season darlings, ranging in their patriotic-centered dramatic forte from finding Osama Bin Laden ("Zero Dark Thirty"), to depicting one of the nation's most famous figures ("Lincoln"). Plus, all three have leading actors who are no strangers to the Academy and its precursors.

**Underdogs:** "Django Unchained," "Silver Linings Playbook."

These films are the ones being hyped by both critics and crowds. Both "Django," the latest from Quentin Tarantino, and "Playbook," a

film-festival feature, have stark performances from stars Leonardo DiCaprio and Jennifer Lawrence that have had everyone talking.

**"That Got Nominated?!":** "Salmon Fishing In The Yemen," "Hotel Transylvania."

This year more than any, the animated features seemed to be lacking. Less-than-stellar flicks, including Adam Sandler's "Hotel Transylvania," scored some nods. As for "Salmon Fishing in The Yemen," to me, it appears this is a filler nomination among the other more-notable features.



DiCaprio

## How to catch up:

### • Check out the cinema:

There is no better prep for awards season than sitting down with a bucket of popcorn and watching the nominees themselves. Both of Gainesville's Regal Cinemas and the Hippodrome have nominated flicks on the marquee.

### • Read the blogs (all of them):

If you want all-around coverage, blogs are the best places to read up on it all. From the LA Times' "The Envelope" to your average movie fan's personal place, there are lots of picks and predictions for your online reading pleasure.

### • Tune in:

The Golden Globes are on Sunday at 8 p.m. on NBC.

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## After football season: What to do in G'ville

**SAMANTHA DOUCETTE**  
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After a disappointing loss against the University of Louisville in the Sugar Bowl, the Gators football team has traded in its gameday uniform for practice jerseys this semester.

So, what is there to do in Gainesville now that football season has come and gone? There might be more than you think.

Basketball is the sport of choice for students during Spring. Currently ranked 11th in the country, the Gators men's basketball team has been predicted to be a national threat this season.



A major perk for students is that the games are free when you register for them at [www.gatorzone.com](http://www.gatorzone.com).

As the weather warms up, it becomes the perfect time to head out to Ginnie Springs, Paynes Prairie or Lake Wauburg. All three locations offer scenic views, hiking and a great way to explore the nature of Gainesville.

"Gainesville has so much to offer when it comes to doing stuff outside," said Patrick Wang, a 23-year-old UF engineering senior. "Floating down Ginnie Springs and canoeing at Wauburg are some of my favorite ways to relax with my friends on a beautiful day."

Spring Break will come and go before you know it, and then, graduation will whisk away another class of seniors into the real world.

Plays, speeches, museum events and concerts — whatever you do this semester, remember: There are plenty of things to keep yourself busy, even if football season is over.

# Mediocre Advice

*Dear Mediocre Advice, My boyfriend and I have been together for more than four years. We are both 20 years old. It's time to decide what our living plans are for next year, and I really want us to live together, but his dad keeps saying it isn't "morally" right. He isn't very religious, but he keeps making the same excuse. It is really starting to aggravate me. What do I do?*

Dear Friend,  
Because his dad is probably paying for your boyfriend's rent, you have to go with his rules. Morals don't really apply here because I'm pretty sure you and your boyfriend have been bumping uglies since the day you met. He probably thinks you guys are too young to move in together, despite your long relationship, which you may think earns you the right to move in with his son. Talk to his dad one-on-one, so he knows this is something you really want, and maybe you can get a better idea as to why he doesn't want you and his son on the same lease. If that fails, just find a place close to your boyfriend — maybe even in the same apartment complex. Living with boys is gross anyway.



Ariel Barnes

This column is provided by Ariel Barnes, a 21-year-old majoring in international studies. Would you like to get some Mediocre Advice? Visit <http://mediocreadvicegators.tumblr.com/ask>

*Dear Mediocre Advice, When I talk to women I am not interested in, I am funny, charismatic and charming. But when I try to talk girls I am interested in, I come off as a bumbling idiot. Do you have any advice for that?*

Dear Bumbling Idiot Friend,  
You're trying too hard to come up with something clever. Just calm down and speak to the girl you're interested in like a normal, homely person. Don't try to impress her because in your case, you would probably end up looking cocky. Avoid the often misused way of flirting by being a d---. You only get to act like a d--- if the woman you're flirting with is acting like an equal or greater d--- than you. Be yourself, and show a little respect. If those two things contradict one another, I can't help you.

*Dear Mediocre Advice, How do you make a long-distance relationship work?*

Dear Friend,  
You don't. Long-distance relationships are meant to be temporary. They do not work unless there is an ultimate goal of living in the same city in the near future. Our minds have a way of creating an idea of who we think a person is when we're not around them all the time. Skyping, phone calls and endless texting can keep you updated, but the distance between two people will continue to grow.

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- 1 Jon of "Mad Men"
  - 5 Site of the volcano Olympus Mons
  - 9 Mosque official
  - 13 Double Stuf treat
  - 14 Downwind
  - 15 Hells Canyon is on its western border
  - 16 Switch from a bottle to a cup, say
  - 17 "Design pattern on some Irish crosses
  - 19 "Migrant Mother" photographer Dorothea
  - 21 Q7 automaker
  - 22 Mop &
  - 23 "Not surprising
  - 27 Carpenter's accessory
  - 29 Event in many 30-Across
  - 30 Newspaper inserts
  - 31 Tizzy
  - 33 Church leader
  - 37 Stray
  - 39 Monetary interest
  - 42 Retailer Strauss
  - 43 Use a lever on, as a floorboard
  - 45 Org. with bowls
  - 47 Chem cousin
  - 48 Rainbow goddess
  - 51 Battery partner
  - 53 "Ready to come clean
  - 56 Place for a ring
  - 57 Have on
  - 58 Vague
  - 61 "Got some gumption
  - 65 Bog down
  - 66 Voice of the difficult homeowner in "Up"
  - 67 Chief Justice Warren
  - 68 Told about, as a secret
  - 69 Try to lose
  - 70 Apothecary's measure
  - 71 Soufflé essentials
- DOWN**
- 1 Bay in the woods
  - 2 Zone
  - 3 "Intend when speaking
  - 4 Genghis Khan, notably
  - 5 Jobs creation
  - 6 Sierra Nevada, e.g.
  - 7 "Calm down"
  - 8 Frame jobs
  - 9 Textspeak disclaimer
  - 10 Itchy canine ailment
  - 11 "Get \_\_\_ of yourself!"
  - 12 Fictional detective skilled in judo
  - 15 Winty spike
  - 18 It might just come to you
  - 20 Subsidies
  - 24 Geologic times
  - 25 Way out
  - 26 Spill the beans
  - 27 Protective cover
  - 28 Bouquet
  - 32 Salon acquisition
  - 34 Correcting, in a way ... or what would need to be done to remove the things hidden in the answers to starred clues?

- 35 Like some fictional twins
- 36 Serious uprising
- 38 Naturalist John
- 40 Heat energy meas.
- 41 "No problem"
- 44 Like 1930s prices
- 46 "Yeah, right!"
- 49 Middle of March
- 50 Lathered (up)
- 52 Breakdown of social norms
- 53 Ankle bones
- 54 Damaging 2011 East Coast hurricane
- 55 Tuck's title
- 56 "Zounds!"
- 59 Pirate's brew
- 60 Longings
- 62 In the water
- 63 Second Amendment
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## Senior forward plays through fractured rib in blowout win



Ryan Jones / Alligator

Forward Erik Murphy passes the ball during Florida's 77-44 win against Georgia on Wednesday night in the O'Connell Center.

### UF defeated UGA 77-44

**LANDON WATNICK**

Alligator Writer

Forward Erik Murphy fractured one of his ribs when he absorbed contact from a teammate during Friday's practice.

Murphy missed Sunday's game against Yale, and coach Billy Donovan listed the senior as "doubtful" on Monday.

Still, Murphy dove for balls and drew charges Wednesday night.

In 18 minutes off the bench, Murphy scored 11 points as No. 11 Florida (11-2, 1-0 Southeastern Conference) opened its SEC slate with a 77-44 victory against Georgia in the O'Connell Center.

"(With) a broken rib and him trying to breathe and run and be a frontcourt player and take on the amount of contact he takes on, it's a painful experience on a daily basis," Donovan said. "I give him a lot of credit."

Murphy made 4 of 9 field goal attempts, including 3-of-6 shooting from behind the arc. He scored eight points in the first half.

Despite hustling through pain, Murphy was critical of his performance.

"I wouldn't say I played that well," he said. "I have to rebound better."

Murphy first felt discomfort in his ribs against Air Force on Dec. 29 but fractured one of his ribs Friday. He missed practice Monday but returned Tuesday.

Murphy wore a pad wrapped over the fractured rib Wednesday night.

*"(With) a broken rib and [Murphy] trying to breathe and run and be a frontcourt player and take on the amount of contact he takes on, it's a painful experience on a daily basis. I give him a lot of credit."*

**Billy Donovan**  
UF coach

"[Athletic trainer Dave Werner] is the best in the business, so I just trusted him," Murphy said. "He'll always nurse me back to health. ... [Werner] made a little contraption, so when I get hit, it doesn't hurt that bad."

Redshirt senior guard Mike Rosario scored a team-high 19 points on 6-of-10 shooting, while junior forward Casey Prather notched 10 points on 5-of-7 shooting and grabbed seven boards.

Prather started ahead of Murphy and junior forward Will Yeguete, who is dealing with tendinitis in his right knee.

Yeguete, who averaged 24.8 minutes per game before Wednesday, went scoreless in 14.

"This has been going on for a couple of weeks here. It just got progressively worse," Donovan said.

"After the Yale game, it really, really bothered him, and he tried to practice on Monday and couldn't go, then tried to go again [Tuesday] and couldn't go. ... This is going to be kind of an ongoing thing with him for a little while until we can kind of get it calmed down."

In his third career start and first since Feb. 24, 2011, Prather set the tone early for the Gators.

During Florida's 11-0 run in the first five minutes, Prather scored the game's first six points and notched two steals, including one in the full-court press.

"It was just a good feeling because the crowd was into it, my teammates jumping around," Prather said. "It was a great energy boost for our team."

Florida had runs of 8-0 in the first half and 9-0 in the second period.

The Gators held Bulldogs guard Kentavious Caldwell-Pope to 11 points on 4-of-10 shooting.

The 6-foot-5 sophomore entered the game averaging 17.5 points, 7.2 rebounds and 2.3 steals per game. No other Georgia player scored more than six points.

Florida's win snaps a four-game

**SEE HOOPS, PAGE 15**

### BASEBALL

## Senior will not return to team despite earning medical redshirt

**ADAM PINCUS**

Alligator Staff Writer

After losing nine players to the MLB draft, UF coach Kevin O'Sullivan can add Tyler Thompson to the list of players the Gators must replace this season.

The redshirt senior decided to leave the team, creating a void in center field.



Thompson

He is expected to graduate in May, according to a UF release.

Thompson suffered a right ACL tear during Florida's Southeastern Conference opener against Vanderbilt on March 18. The injury occurred when

Thompson rounded first base after reaching on a dropped third strike in the eighth inning.

The NCAA granted Thompson a sixth year of eligibility in June.

Thompson finishes his Florida career with a .280 average, 10 home runs and 64 RBIs. He made 90 career starts, including 80 in either left field or center field.

Defensively, Thompson committed just one error in 183 chances.

Postseason play brought out Thompson's best at the plate. He hit .339 in 23 NCAA Tournament games. He earned NCAA Gainesville Regional All-Tournament honors during his sophomore and junior seasons.

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## Leading scorer, rebounder questionable to play tonight

**PHILLIP HEILMAN**

Alligator Staff Writer

Florida netted its first Southeastern Conference win of the season with a 77-72 victory against LSU on Sunday, but the Gators suffered a troubling loss during the game.

Senior forward Jennifer George

is questionable for tonight's game at 8 against Mississippi State after suffering a dislocated shoulder in the second half against LSU. George has been considered day-to-day this week and will be evaluated prior to the game.

"My range of motion really de-

### UF Women's Basketball

cides what I can do," George said. "If I'm not able to be 100 percent, I will save it for Tennessee on Sunday."

If George is unavailable, the

Gators will have just eight active players against the Bulldogs.

Florida has been without Chandler Cooper since she suffered a left foot injury on Nov. 15 in a 98-67 loss to Florida State. Viktorija Dimaite, a player coach Amanda Butler hoped would provide another option on

the low-block, suffered a torn ACL before the season in practice on Nov. 3.

"We've faced a lot of adversity this year," redshirt freshman Carlie Needles said. "Losing George is obviously [big], but losing Chandler,

**SEE GEORGE, PAGE 15**



Freshman gymnast Morgan Frazier has impressed coach Rhonda Faehn early. See story, page 16.

### Punter wins award

Kyle Christy won the 2012 College Football Performance Award Punter Trophy. Christy, a Ray Guy Award finalist, led the Southeastern Conference with 45.8 yards per punt this season.

### Perfect attendance

Student attendance for Florida's 77-44 win against Georgia on Wednesday night was 3,200, the highest turnout in seven years.

# Thompson suffered torn ACL on March 18

**BASEBALL,**  
from page 14

Thompson scored the only run in Florida's 2-1 loss to South Carolina in Game 1 of the College World Series Finals in 2011.

Thompson struggled to stay healthy throughout his career, suffering knee, back, hamstring, hand and wrist injuries. Before last season, O'Sullivan was optimistic that Thompson's injury issues were behind him.

"We are hoping we are able to keep him healthy," O'Sullivan said during fall practice in 2011. "I know he is, too. He has had some string of bad luck. Hopefully, he is beyond that. He is a very capable defender, and he has worked awfully hard on his arm. I am just excited to see him go a full year injury free."

Thompson's season ended when he suffered the ACL tear on March 18. Florida went 13-1 in Thompson's 14 starts last season.

With former UF outfielder Daniel Pigott in the Cincinnati Reds organization, sophomore Justin Shafer is Thompson's likely replacement. Shafer batted .284 and made 41 starts in left field when Pigott switched to center to fill Thompson's void in 2012.

Sophomore Josh Tobias and senior Vickash Ramjit could see time in the outfield. Ramjit made 12 starts in left field primarily against left-handed pitchers last year.

Outfielder Christian Dicks, an Under Armor All-American, headlines the group of incoming freshmen.

Florida opens its season at home against Duke on Feb. 15.

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Alligator File Photo

Tyler Thompson runs around the bases during Florida's 13-9 win against Kentucky on May 17, 2009, at McKethan Stadium.

# Florida forced 19 Georgia turnovers

**HOOPS,** from page 14

winning streak for Georgia (6-8, 0-1 SEC).

The Gators' 33-point victory is the second-largest margin of victory against the Bulldogs in the history of the series.

The Bulldogs shot 38.9 percent and were 1 of 10 from behind the arc. Florida shot 52.7 percent and was 12 of 26 on three-point attempts.

"Our defense wasn't as ready as we had been the last couple of games," Caldwell-Pope said.

"We just laid down and gave them easy baskets."

UF utilized a full-court press to force 19 UGA turnovers. In the game's first 11:44, Georgia had 10 giveaways and took only six shots.

"We know that we could be a very, very good defensive team," Rosario said.

"We're playing for something, so right now, it means a lot to us holding teams under 50. We're just trying to keep that intensity on that end because it creates offense for our team."

# Gators have only eight healthy players

**GEORGE,** from page 14

one of our best three-point shooters, and [Dimaitie], a big body in the paint, we have faced a lot of different things."

George suffered the injury with 5:06 remaining in the second half on Sunday. She got tangled defending LSU's Adrienne Webb and fell awkwardly on her right shoulder.

Florida's medical staff assisted George off the court and popped her shoulder back into place in the locker room. George watched the duration of the second half from the bench with her right arm in a sling and her shoulder heavily wrapped.

George leads the Gators with 14.6 points, 9.3 rebounds and 2.5 steals per game. George is also the SEC's active leader in career double-doubles with 26, seven of which have come this season.

Florida (12-4, 1-1 SEC) will be challenged to stop Mississippi State (8-7, 0-2 SEC) without George. The Bulldogs are led by 6-foot-4 sophomore Martha Alwal, who averages 11.6 points and 9.4 rebounds per game.

Redshirt sophomore Kayla Lewis acknowledged the Gators would be undermanned without George but said fighting through adversity has become one of the team's strengths the past two seasons.

"Our coaches have done a great job of letting us know that adversity was going to come even before we had it," Lewis said. "You've just got to be resilient. That's what defines a great team, is being resilient."

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Florida posted a season-opening 71-49 victory against Fairfield on Nov. 9, a game George missed due to personal reasons. Lewis scored 12 points and pulled down seven rebounds.

Butler said the Gators will need to bring that type of intensity into Starkville, Miss., particularly if

George's balky shoulder causes her to miss the game.

"It's just an unfortunate part of our game," Butler said. "It's not something that affects our expectation. It doesn't affect our momentum or our mood. I think our team understands that."

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Senior forward Jennifer George dribbles in the lane during Florida's 77-72 win against LSU on Sunday in the O'Connell Center.

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# Freshman adjusting to college quickly

**CHUCK KINGSBURY**

Alligator Writer

Last week's opening meet against Ball State gave coach Rhonda Faehn the chance to evaluate Bridget Sloan's collegiate debut.

With Florida traveling to No. 8 LSU on Friday for its first road meet of the season, Faehn may have the chance to see how another freshman, Morgan Frazier, performs in competition after a few weeks of training.

"She is definitely pushing herself, and I would love to see her get out there because she can certainly bring depth to this team on three events," coach Rhonda Faehn said.

Frazier is one of three gymnasts who signed a national letter of intent with Florida in November, along with teammates Silvia Colussi-Perez and Claire Boyce.

Frazier, from Orlando Metro's club team, won 2012 Florida Level 10 titles for all-around, vault and balance beam.

She enrolled at UF this spring, marking the fourth consecutive season a gymnast joined the team midyear.

While confident Frazier will provide depth in many events, Faehn is especially intrigued by both her vault and floor routines.

*"I saw how confident Bridget was going out there and that gave me confidence to say 'I can do that too, I can hang with them'."*

**Morgan Frazier**  
UF coach

Sloan is also impressed with her fellow freshman.

"I haven't seen her compete much from the time she was a (Florida) Level 10 (competitor), but I heard she was really dedicated and she's brought that here," Sloan said. "She's been working her butt off."

Frazier said she has seen an increased workload since coming to Florida.

"The training is much faster and the practices are much faster, more intense because you can only train for a certain amount of time," Frazier said.

Frazier has taken notice of the work ethic and style of sophomore Kytra Hunter and All-American Ashanee Dickerson.

The duo showed Frazier several nuances, such as running faster and opening her shoulders during her vault routines.

The added time in the gym has aided Frazier's college transition, and she noted that Sloan's recent debut has been reassuring.

"I saw how confident Bridget was going out there and that gave me confidence to say 'I can do that too, I can hang with them,'" Frazier said.

Whether Frazier will be competing on vault come Friday has yet to be determined, but UF has a range of gymnasts it can call upon when needed.



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UF gymnastics coach Rhonda Faehn is impressed with the quick development of freshman Morgan Frazier this season.

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