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Empty pockets



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An office building stands empty along South Keller Road, Maitland, part of a growing problem of unfilled leases in the city's largest economic corridor. The Maitland Center has topped 17 percent vacancies this year, eclipsing much of Central Florida.

How Maitland Center's vacancy rates could impact the city

ABRAHAM ABORAYA
GUEST REPORTER

It's Monday at 1:15 p.m. Less than a dozen cars are in the parking lot and only three people are eating lunch inside Café Marty.

The small strip mall off of Keller Road in the Maitland Center, the commercial heart of Maitland, is on the verge of a ghost town. There's Café Marty, Hollie's Nail and Spa and Keller Cleaners open for business.

Beyond that, there's an empty Quizno's and half a dozen empty storefronts, all with signs advertising their availability for rent. It's a microcosm of Mait-

land Center's larger problem: Vacancy rates are edging more than 17 percent in the commercial park, higher than any other place in Maitland.

"Absolutely, it absolutely does concern me," says Marty Krever, the owner of Café Marty, behind the register. "We need to get these buildings full and get people working. On a day-to-day basis, I rely on these businesses for my business. If they're not filling up, if the economy doesn't turn around, people are brown bagging it and not going out to lunch as much as they used to."

During the last quarter,

15.6 percent of Maitland's commercial properties sat empty citywide. But Maitland Center, the sprawling, 6 million-square-foot office park in the west end of the city, edged higher at 17.3 percent, according to Maitland commercial real estate firm NAI Realvest.

It's disconcerting to some at the city level because Maitland's tax base is two-thirds commercial to one-third residential, and Maitland Center is the biggest part of that commercial base. It's led some to speculate that, if occupancy rates continue to decline,

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Census skips seniors

KRISTY VICKERY
GUEST REPORTER

A four-page list contains more than 200 names of Winter Park seniors who have yet to receive their 2010 census forms, and it's still growing.

That has many at the Mayflower Retirement Community worried that they won't be counted, as the April 1 deadline to submit the form has come and gone.

"About half of the residents here just didn't get one sent to them yet," Mayflower resident Janet Donahue, 83, said. "And that kind of leaves us up the creek."

Betty Nelson, Mayflower community services director, said the percentage of residents that are still awaiting their forms in the mail could be even higher than half, and the Mayflower is doing all it can to get those residents accounted for.

The residents on the list will get a visit from a district representative, who will come bearing forms, as well as help them to fill it out.

Orange County Complete Count Community Liaison Tiana Davis said she is not sure why this happened to the Mayflower Retirement Community, but believes it could have been because they got termed as "group quarters," a place that houses a specific group of people, which therefore gets count-

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Maitland org to raffle off BMW

New Hope for Kids, which counsels grieving families, hosts fundraiser on April 16

KAREN McENANY-PHILLIPS
OBSERVER STAFF

Danielle Scherrer was born with three holes in her heart, but 11 years later the suicide of her "Uncle Freddy" left a gaping hole no heart surgeon could mend.

Fred Rice, the ex-husband of Danielle's mother, Michelle, "loved her like a second dad since she was a toddler," Michelle said. Danielle and Michelle experienced sadness and guilt for being unable to prevent Rice from

taking his own life in September 2007.

Danielle attended a six-week counseling program at school but was asked not to discuss the circumstances of Rice's death for fear of upsetting other children. She grew sullen and angry.

"Her grades were slipping," said Michelle, "I was losing her."

Then a coworker told Michelle about The Center for Grieving Children in Mait-

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PHOTO BY KAREN McENANY-PHILLIPS — THE OBSERVER
A shiny new BMW 128i, donated by Fields BMW, sits in the front yard of New Hope for Kids' Center for Grieving Children in Maitland. The car is being given away on April 16.



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NEW HOPE | Families who have lost loved ones are encouraged to attend biweekly grief sessions

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land, part of the New Hope for Kids non-profit organization, which provides free grief support services to children and their families.

The Center will host a fundraiser and will auction off a new 2010 BMW 128i courtesy of Fields BMW on Friday, April 16. Tickets are \$100 and two tickets are \$150.

The grief center is in a vintage two-story gold

stucco home surrounded by beautiful landscaping, sheltering trees and a screened front porch, rather than being housed in a sterile office. The home puts families at ease with comfy sofas, hardwood floors, flowers and area rugs.

"After the first visit, Danielle asked 'How soon can we come back?'" Michelle said. "Once Danielle realized she could finally talk about what happened, she couldn't stop."

Program Director Tamari Miller also knows grief. She was 17 when her mother died of cancer. "Grief is taboo in our society; no one talks about death until it happens, then people don't know what to say. However it is a journey you can't walk alone," she said.

Miller has helped more than 2,500 families and 3,300 children in the past decade. Families meet bi-weekly and break into age groups 3-6 years, 7-12 years, 13-18 years and adult. The children sit on the floor in a circle, introduce themselves and name the loved one who died. A grief beach ball covered with questions is tossed about, and children are encouraged to answer

whatever question the ball lands on. Then each child chooses an activity room.

"We have rooms for arts and crafts, dress up, painting, air hockey and a sand room as well as our hurricane room," said Cory Johns, Marketing and Volunteer Programs manager.

Most rooms have wall murals, stuffed animals and pillows to hug. "Our walls upstairs are covered floor to ceiling with their artwork, which is very therapeutic. The youngest children often cannot express themselves in words. But they may bury a plastic dinosaur, police car or ambulance in the sand."

Families are encouraged to commit to a year of bi-weekly visits. Miller said some families stay longer. "It isn't just about coping with grief; it is learning how to get through it." There will always be members along the journey to give encouragement to newer members, Miller said.

Danielle's favorite room was the hurricane room. Named for its blue padded floors and walls and signature punching bag, kids can vent aggression.

New Hope for Kids, formerly Children's Wish

Foundation, grants wishes to children with life-threatening illnesses and also operates the largest independent grief support center in Florida.

After completing the program many decide to volunteer, such as Michelle Scherrer, who lost her job last year. Michelle helps with office duties, snack preparation, activities and art projects. Executive Director David Joswick is proud of their work. "It is truly a team effort — everyone is committed to the mission of helping these kids and their families."

Danielle and Michelle celebrate Fred's memory on his birthday by watching his favorite movie, eating his favorite foods and releasing pink and green balloons — Danielle's favorite color is pink and green celebrates "Uncle Freddy the Frog". Danielle recently graduated from the center's program after two years. Her mom proudly reports that Danielle prevented a classmate's suicide and wants to be a grief facilitator.

New Hope hosts three key fundraisers per year supported by Art of the Vine organizations such as Fields

New Hope for Kids

The Center for Grieving Children is located at 900 N. Maitland Ave. in Maitland. Call 407-599-0904 or visit www.newhopeforkids.org.

BMW Winter Park. General Manager John Mantione, who has been involved from the beginning, said, "New Hope helps families thrown in the most horrific conditions when a loved one is lost. They are extraordinary people doing extraordinary work, and we continue to support it the best we can."

Joswick says the center always needs volunteers for events and summer camp. He is currently seeking assistance to resurface the center's parking lot.

"The grieving process is like a roller coaster — you're never sure which crazy turn is going to spin you around. You appreciate the highs but you know the lows are lurking," Miller said.

Win a BMW

Win a New 2010 BMW 128i courtesy of Fields BMW.

The New Hope for Kids 20th Annual Drawing of Chance is Friday, April 16. Tickets are \$100 and two tickets are \$150.

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Lighting the path to employment

More than 70 percent of blind people are unemployed; Lighthouse project will create jobs for them

KATIE ADAMS
OBSERVER STAFF

Getting a job is a major hurdle for blind people, but Lighthouse Central Florida is working to change that.

Lighthouse President and CEO Lee Nasehi and the staff at Lighthouse have been working on a project to employ the visually impaired — a group that has a 70 percent unemployment rate, Nasehi said.

Six months ago, they brought in Russ Hauck, former executive director of the National Simulation Center, to get it running.

“We want to start our own lines of business that we will own and operate, that will employ vision-impaired people,” Hauck said.

Lighthouse Central Flor-

ida Vision Rehabilitation Resources is the only non-profit agency offering free professional rehabilitation services in Central Florida. Serving about 1,000 people each year, it helps those with vision loss learn new ways to approach tasks and daily living, in everything from discerning salt and pepper to using computer programs.

For many years, the organization has helped connect its clients with existing employers, but by the end of the year, it hopes to become one of those employers.

Employees would provide services and produce office supplies and other products for federal and state governments, with jobs available for a range of skill and interest levels.

They’re referring to the new project as Lighthouse Works! and are currently seeking a new building to facilitate the growth and change it will bring.

Program Services Director Lee Van Eepoel said they brought Hauck on board to explore the development of new industries, to market their new vocational and employment services and to do major higher level job development, meeting and building relationships with area employers so they can identify potential job placement opportunities on a larger scale. Hauck is a Navy veteran and former mayor of Altamonte Springs. His experience with politics and legislation has helped Lighthouse Works! progress quickly.

“We’re all scrambling to learn and educate ourselves, and now we’re rolling out these new vocational programs. At the same time, Russ has been making progress with the products we plan to potentially pursue for industries,” she said.

“Agency-wide, we’re turning the page and starting a whole new adventure. This is the most exciting thing that I think has ever happened in our field since I’ve been here.”

Lighthouse’s satellite office in Avalon Park is currently the hub of employment services. Lighthouse was given an American Recovery and Reinvestment Act contract stimulus award through Florida’s division of blind services in March, which pays for job develop-

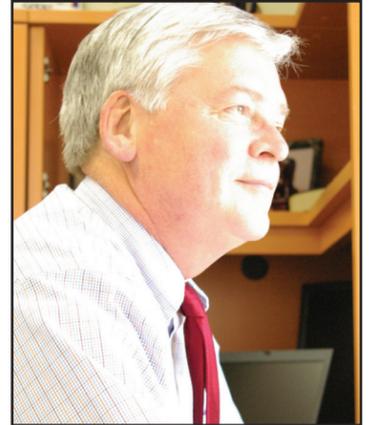


PHOTO BY KATIE ADAMS
Russ Hauck was hired by Lighthouse to help develop the program that will employ the visually impaired.

ment, placement specialists and job readiness training.

“For us, it’s all about employing people,” Nasehi said.

WE REMEMBER...

Robert L. Bush, 65, of Orlando, Fla., passed away Saturday, April 3, 2010 at Winter Park Memorial Hospital. The funeral service will

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Wildcats go nationwide in sports

Basketball falls a game short of national championship, while track dominates and baseball struggles

ISAAC BABCOCK
OBSERVER STAFF

Twenty-six points of scoring magic by Austin Rivers wasn't enough to carry his Winter Park basketball team to a national championship on Friday. They fell to Montverde 62-56 in the semifinal round.

The Wildcats had wowed the organizers of the National High School Invitational, which invited only eight teams nationwide for the tournament.

The Cats entered the tournament with a bang, knocking off North Carolina's Christ School 82-72 in the first round. Montverde had barely defeated Montrose Christian 51-49 to advance to face Winter Park.

Montverde entered the tournament as easily the physically largest team, sporting two monster centers that are 7 feet tall or taller.

But the Wildcats had led for much of the game, as much as 8 points ahead

of Montverde, but they watched a horrifying chain of events swing the score around. A dunk, a steal, a layup, a steal and a shot from outside the arc changed the score by 7 points in a matter of seconds.

Suddenly the Wildcats were playing catch-up. The swing in morale proved devastating, as the Wildcats' scoring mojo seemed to go out the door. In the final seven minutes of the game, the Cats only scored from the charity stripe.

The 62-56 score ended the Wildcats' tournament run.

Baseball

The Winter Park baseball team is struggling to evade the .500 mark on the season after a 5-6 loss to Spruce Creek last week.

The Cats faced off with road games at Olympia and Colonial at press time, returning to their home field at 7 p.m. Monday against Colonial.



PHOTO BY ISAAC BABCOCK — THE OBSERVER

A tough 6-5 loss against Spruce Creek soured the Wildcats' spirits as the team struggled to build on a middling season.

Track and field

Winter Park dominated in the four-mile relay at the

Florida Relays last week-end, with the girls finishing second with a total time of

21:40.55, and the boys finishing fourth with a total of 18:33.03.

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Correction

In the article "Holler makes way for college" published April 1, Joseph Sarnovsky's title with Seminole State College was incorrect. He is the vice president for administrative services and chief financial officer.

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Knights down, Tars up in conference

Despite a strong overall record, the Knights drop second C-USA series, as Rollins prevails over Lynn

ISAAC BABCOCK
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The Knights dropped their second conference series in a row last weekend, as they lost two of a three game series to UAB at home.

But Game 1 was a different story for the Knights (18-12, 2-4), as they opened their second conference series of the season with another win. It was a big one, as they came out on top of a 16-7 slugfest.

That included four RBIs by third baseman Derek Luciano, who had three hits in the game. Four other Knights knocked in two runs of their own in a series of rallies that reached a high point in a 5-run fifth inning.

But bats cooled for the Knights in the next two games, as they only scored 3 runs combined in their following two losses.

In the final game of the series Sunday, the Knights scored just once, striking out nine times against the one-two punch of starter Ryan Woolley and closer Nick Graffeo.

On the Knights' side of the mound, a short start for Alex Besaw saw him giving up two earned runs after shutting down just four batters.

Joe Rogers would provide the long relief for the Knights, going more than six innings while striking out four and giving up three earned runs. Brian Adkins was brought in to face just one batter, who he then beamed.

Finishing up for the Knights, Matt Manning saved his team from even more embarrassment by ending a threatening inning with two strikeouts, though he did allow two runners who were already on board with the bases loaded to score.

A long series of road trips is on deck for the Knights, at South Florida during press time then a three game series in Hattiesburg, Miss. against Southern Miss. They return home April 13 against Stetson.

Rollins Tars

The Rollins Tars swept Lynn in three to improve to 23-13 on the season. The Tars are also 7-5 in the conference.

Tim Griffin's nine-inning complete game shutout opened the series that included seven strikeouts.

The Tars return to their home field at 6 p.m. Friday to face Tampa in a two-game series. On Saturday they play Tampa again at 1 p.m.



PHOTO BY ISAAC BABCOCK — THE OBSERVER
A strong game one performance wasn't enough for the Knights, who dropped the next two against UAB to lose the series.

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the city could face huge shortfalls in upcoming budgets.

And declined revenues, in some places, have translated to higher tax rates to balance budgets.

"I would never consider an increase in taxes on residents," said Maitland Mayor Doug Kinson. "You can quote me on that. And my parents always told me, never is a really long time."

Maitland's mayor has pledged that budget shortfalls won't result in more taxes on residents. That, however, leaves few alternatives.

As the commercial crisis continues, Maitland will have to get creative to get by without increasing taxes. That could mean budget cuts, layoffs and the like.

"I think it's going to be a concern over the next few years, frankly," Kinson said. "We can't afford to have a deep drop in assessments in Maitland Center because there's literally no other way we can make up those revenues."

Paul Partyka is a managing partner at NAI Realvest, located in the Maitland Center. While Maitland Center is running the highest vacancy rates in the city, Partyka has seen worse.

Longwood, for example, is pushing 20 percent vacant on the commercial side, and Orlando Central Park is at 21 percent. The best area around, along University Boulevard, is tracking 10 percent unoccupied.

That may seem low compared to the area, but even 10 percent unoccupied is high.

"There isn't a good area," Partyka said. "When I say good, it's better than some of the others, but relatively speaking, these are all-time high figures."

That's led to some landlords leasing space at 50 percent of what it went for in peak times. All commercial properties have a break-even point where, if occupancy dips below it, landlords are no longer able to pay operating costs and fixed costs — such as bank loans — from the money coming in.

But there's another tipping point. To keep the businesses in a center vibrant, a commercial property can't be a dark space with empty storefronts.

Once that happens, the vibrant surviving businesses will start to struggle as well. And that's what's led to landlords offering the huge breaks.

"At least some of the dark spaces are being taken up," Partyka said. "You don't want a dark center. What people have to understand is it's a tenant's market right now."

The commercial market lags behind the residential market, and as vacancy rates rise, more and more landlords won't be able to pay their bank loans.

In 2009, more than 120 banks closed nationwide, according to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, and in 2010, 40 banks have already closed their doors. Partyka said the estimates between 200 and 400 banks will close this year alone.

And economists are saying the worst is yet to come.

"This particular recession, there was no escaping the impact," said Sean Snaith, a University of Central Florida economist. "I think everyone's getting hit in Florida because of the recession and the nature of the housing crisis and the credit crunch. I think it's very difficult to avoid a pretty powerful impact on local government finance."

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Community Bulletin

The Junior League of Greater Orlando's annual Blue Note Ball held February in Winter Park more than doubled previous profits, resulting in proceeds and donations of more than \$15,000, which will go directly to the League's community programs. The League also launched a new "brown bag" campaign leading up to the Blue Note Ball, asking attendees to fill a brown bag with monetary donations and bring it with them to the event. For more information, visit www.jlgo.org.

Independent charity Dress for Success Greater Orlando is celebrating 10 years of community partnership. Located in a donated portable on the campus of Winter Park Tech since

inception, the charity's mission is to support and encourage employment for disadvantaged women by providing interview-appropriate attire and career development tools. Their employment retention program, Professional Women's Group, conducts ongoing training and support to aid in career development. Last year alone, 842 women were successfully suited.

Austin Rivers, a 6 foot 3 inches guard from Winter Park High School, has been named to the second team of PARADE's 54th annual All-America High School Boys Basketball Team. Many members of past teams have gone on to star in college and the pros. See the entire PARADE All-America

team at Parade.com/basketball.

The Give Kids the World Golf Classic will take place at Orange Lake Resort & Country Club, 8505 W. Irlo Bronson Memorial Hwy., Kissimmee, at 9 a.m. on Thursday, May 20. All proceeds benefit Give Kids the World. Registration is \$175 per player or \$600 for a team of four. Sponsorship opportunities are available. To register or learn more, visit www.gktw.org/golfclassic or contact Karen Cook at 1-800-995-KIDS.

Miss Florida USA Megan Clementi and Sonny's partnered in two of their locations on two evenings from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. to raise funds for Give Kids the World and raised \$1,000!

Give Kids the World is one of Megan's "Charity of Choices." She will be leaving to compete in the Miss USA pageant in May.

During the month of April, the Orange County Health Department (OCHD) recognizes Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD) Awareness Month by encouraging people to become educated and empowered about STD infections. The health department will provide free STD/HIV testing from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Friday, April 9, at the Pine Hills Shopping Center, corner of Pine Hills Road and Silver Star Road, and from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 17, at Orlo Vista Park. For information, visit www.orchd.com.



PHOTO COURTESY DRESS FOR SUCCESS Dress for Success hosts a rummage sale. It is celebrating its 10th year.

Business Briefs

Despite the turbulent economy, Coastal Reconstruction Group has expanded its presence in Central Florida, with a new 13,600-square-foot warehouse in Longwood and a remodeled sales office in Winter Park. The company also recently hired Keith Freeman as an estimator.

Allstate Agents Rhonda DeMatteis from Altamonte Springs, John Brennan from Apopka and Gary Olson from Winter Park received the Agency Hands in the Community Award for their commitment to helping others in the community.

Attorney Drew Sorrell, a partner with Lowndes, Drosdick, Doster, Kantor & Reed, P.A., recently presented "Rules of the Internet Road" at the Crummer Graduate School of Business at Rollins College.

Cuhaci & Peterson Architects based in Orlando's Baldwin Park was recently awarded a contract by Benchmark Group, based in Buffalo, N.Y., to design the interior of a rug outlet at Lady Lake Crossings in Sumter County.

The Central Florida office of SIKON Construction, Maitland, announced a boost to Neptune Beach's local econ-

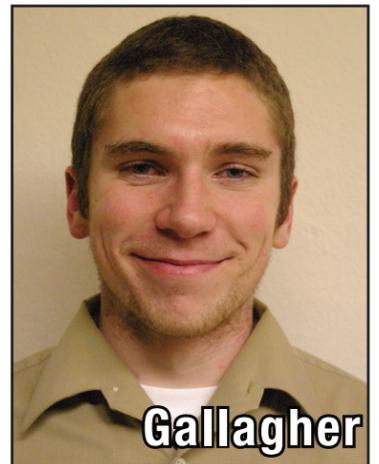
omy where more than 200 construction workers are working on SIKON's new Publix-anchored Seminole Shoppes retail center located at Atlantic Boulevard and Seminole Road in Neptune Beach, near Jacksonville.

NAI Realvest recently negotiated two new lease agreements for office space in East Orlando and Oviedo totaling 3,727 square feet.

CenturyLink employees' Relay for Life team recently held its Fifth Annual "Hoop it Up" charity basketball tournament on Saturday, March 27 in Maitland. The tournament raised

more than \$800 bringing the team's year-to-date total to \$3,200.

Observer Newspapers bids farewell this week to Jonathan Gallagher, our copy editor and legals/classifieds designer. Gallagher, who has been with the company for 2 1/2 years, will spend five months blazing and maintaining trails for the California Conservation Corps. The newspaper staff wishes him the absolute best. We also would like to welcome Ashley McBride, a recent graduate of Valencia Community College's journalism program, as Gallagher's replacement.



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Winter Park

March 26 to April 1

Criminal mischief

An unknown suspect broke a business's window on the 400 block of West Fairbanks Avenue on March 26.

Vehicle burglaries and theft

An unknown suspect stole a white 1996 Acura Integra on the 400 block of North Orlando Avenue on March 26. Lakeland police recovered the vehicle on March 29.

An unknown suspect entered an unlocked vehicle parked on the 1000 block of North Park Avenue and stole two Channel Island surf-

boards, cash, a credit card, Fendi sunglasses and two bottles of prescription medications on March 26.

An unknown suspect broke the driver's side window of a vehicle parked on the 1800 block of Village Lane and stole a Garmin Nuvi 225W GPS unit and checkbook on March 29.

An unknown suspect used a screw driver and coat hanger to open a locked vehicle on the 600 block of Depugh Street and steal money from the ashtray on March 29.

Residential Burglary

An unknown suspect entered a residence on

the 900 block of Golfside Drive through an unlocked garage door and stole two iMac desktop computers and a Sony Ericson cell phone on March 28.

Commercial Burglary

An unknown suspect cut a hole in a fence on the 1200 block of Miller Avenue and then cut a lock to a storage shed that contained multiple Echo trimmers, Stihl leaf blowers and two-cycle oil on March 29.

An unknown suspect cut through a rear-door deadbolt lock on the 500 block of North Orlando Avenue and removed the floor safe and cash register drawer on March 31.

Robbery

A subject was arrested for stealing retail property and then forcefully resisting the merchant's attempt to recover the stolen property on March 31 on the 500 block of North Orlando Avenue.

Arrests were made in Winter Park between March 26 and April 1 for crimes including grand theft, making a false claim, refusing to sign a citation, resisting without violence, driving with a suspended license, warrant, harassing phone calls, retail theft, driving under the influence, robbery, petit theft, resisting a merchant, possession of alcohol by a minor and leaving the scene of an accident.

CENSUS | Each census form that's not returned could cost the county \$850-\$1,400 in federal funding

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ed as a group.

"This should not have happened because they live in apartments with individual addresses," she said. "But I am glad to hear it's getting worked out."

The impact of just one person on federal funding can be detrimental. The loss in funding for government services for just one uncounted person in Orange County is anywhere between \$850 and \$1,400, according to Census.gov.

Many forms unaccounted for

Many Seminole and Orange

county residents who have received their census forms still have not returned the little blue questionnaire.

Although April 1 was the deadline for the 2010 Census forms, they can still be mailed in throughout the month of April. In May, census workers will begin circulating to homes that haven't returned the forms.

The 2000 Census response rate was 44 percent for Orange County and 54 percent for Seminole County. The national average was 52 percent.

"It's important that everyone be counted, because for everyone that is counted, we receive our fair share of dollars that can help sup-

port resources that we currently have," Davis said. "Everyone can benefit from it."

This small form is more than just a statistical count of the number of people living in a household; it can affect the number of seats the state occupies in the U.S. House of Representatives, as well as determines how much of the \$400 billion in federal funding will be spent on infrastructure and services, such as schools, hospitals, senior centers and other public works projects.

"Anything that we are eligible for that benefits the community and quality of life that we recognize here is important," Seminole

County principal planner Tony Mathews said. "We are trying to make the community aware of the census and the importance of the census and at the end of the day increase that return rate."

Community outreach

Both counties are trying to demonstrate the importance of the forms by reaching out to residents, especially in minority areas that have otherwise had poor response rates by spreading the word through the community at churches or other community events.

"We have done a lot of community outreach, whatever community event was

going on within our county ... we attended whether it was minority-oriented or not," Davis said.

Davis said Orange County has gone door-to-door passing out fliers in minority areas, reminding residents of the importance of the forms.

"Our goal this year is to have 70 percent of the population within the entire Orange County, that includes all the municipalities' participation in the mail-back response rate," Davis said. "So that when the census takers do come out maybe our percentage will be higher."



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Calendar

There are still some seats left at the upcoming JCC Professional Leadership Luncheon at noon on Wednesday, April 14 featuring Otis Smith, the General Manager of the Orlando Magic. The luncheon will be held at the Citrus Club. To RSVP, visit OrlandoJCC.org by Thursday, April 8.

At 8 p.m. on Friday, April 9, and 11 a.m. for a family concert on Saturday, April 10, the Bach Festival Society presents the Baroque ensemble Red Priest. The group will perform "Pirates of the Baroque," which features music from known and unknown Baroque composers. The performance will be held in Tiedtke Concert Hall in the Keene Music Building at Rollins College, 1000 Holt Ave., Winter Park.



PHOTO COURTESY OF ROLLINS COLLEGE
The Asian Cultural Association presents an Evening on Indian Music on April 17.

Call the Box Office at 407-646-2182 or visit www.bachfestivalflorida.org for more information.

At 7 p.m. on Thursday, April 8, The Central Florida Anthropological Society (CFAS) will meet at Harry P. Leu Gardens, 1920 N. Forest Ave., Orlando. The free, public meeting will feature "The Cultural Heritage of St. David's Islanders," a presentation by Dr. Rosalyn Howard, an associate professor of anthropology and director of the North American Indian Studies program at the University of Central Florida. For more information, call 321-948-3994.

From 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Thursday, April 8 through Saturday, April 10, and from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday, April 11, Earth Inspired Living, 300 N. Park Ave., Winter Park, will have a Spring Fling Trollbead Trunk Show. More than \$10,000 worth of Trollbeads have been brought in and there are plenty of special prices.

At 6:30 p.m. on Friday, April 9 is Florida Film Festival's Opening Night Film and Party – No Grits, No Glory! – at the Regal Winter Park Village 20, Enzian & Eden Bar. Cost is \$100; discount options available. Tickets for just the opening night film that starts at 6:30 p.m., "Paper man," are \$30. Tickets for just the opening night party that starts at 8 p.m. are \$80. For more information, visit www.florida-filmfestival.com.

On Saturday, April 10, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., come to Baldwin Park at the corner of New Broad Street and Jake Street for a 5K to benefit the

Wounded Warrior Project. For more information, contact Melissa at 386-956-6843 or Melissa.Mabrey@yahoo.com.

On Tuesday, April 13, from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., the International Association of Administrative Professionals – Winter Park Chapter will have a meeting featuring guest speaker Howie Appel. The meeting is free and starts at 6 p.m. at the Clarion Inn & Conference Center, 230 W. Highway 436, Altamonte Springs. Please register by April 9 by e-mailing Cheryl Hollister, CPS/CAP, at cherylh@nodarse.com.

The UCF Communication Disorders Clinic, Florida Hospital Cancer Institute and The Ear Nose and Throat Surgical Associates will jointly offer free screenings for oral, head and neck cancer in observance of Oral, Head and Neck Cancer Awareness Week. The screenings will take place from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Thursday, April 15, at the Winter Park Memorial Hospital Medical Library, 200 N. Lakemont Ave., Winter Park, and from 11 a.m. to noon on Friday, April 16, at the UCF Communication Disorders Clinic, 12424 Research Parkway, Suite 155, in Orlando's Central Florida Research Park. For more information about the UCF Communication Disorders Clinic, visit www.ucfspeechlanguagetherapy.com.

The Asian Cultural Association will present an Evening of Indian Music, featuring a trio of world-renowned musicians, from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 17 at Rollins College's Tiedtke Concert Hall in the

Keene Music Building. Direct from India, performers include sitar master Purbyan Chatterjee and acclaimed flautist Rakesh Chaurasia. The concert includes an open-forum dialogue with the performers. Tickets are \$15. To purchase, call the box office at 407-333-3667. To learn more about the Asian Cultural Association, visit www.ACA-Florida.org.

From noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday, April 25, Friends of First Response, a Maitland-based non-profit, is hosting their Second Annual Kickball tournament at Keller Road Baseball Complex to raise funds for Maitland's police and fire departments. For information, call Dr. Mark Round at 407-629-7091 or e-mail roundmark@hotmail.com.

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Actually it goes far beyond mere salads. You'll also find tabouleh, asparagus and grilled portobello mushrooms, as well as an assortment of cheeses, salmon, and shrimp. And roasted peppers and hearts of palm. And hot items, such as black beans and rice, ground yuca, pasta and mashed potatoes.

For dinner, diners are given a little disk to put next to their plates. One side is green and the other side is red. Green, go; red, stop. As long as the green side is facing up, the servers will offer you meats. When you've had enough, or just need a breather, turn the red side up.

The meats are on big skewers that the gauchos carry throughout the dining room. Seeing green disks, they will ask if you'd like the particular meat they're carrying. Each guest also has a small pair of tongs. As the gaucho slices the meat, the guest grabs a corner and keeps it from falling to the table.

Nelore boasts an array of 15 meats, including lamb chops, filet mignon, flank steak, beef ribs, parmesan crusted pork, rump roast, top sirloin and shrimp, as well as sausages and chicken.

Nelore joins the Park Avenue pantheon of restaurants and adds to its growing international flavor.



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Hunting for bounty in Winter Park



PHOTOS BY ISAAC BABCOCK — THE OBSERVER
Duane "Dog" Chapman, aka Dog the Bounty Hunter, poses with Bryce Dupree, 7, at left, and his mother Stephanie, who drove from Kissimmee and waited seven hours at the Borders bookstore in Winter Park to meet the TV star. Other members of the show's cast toured with Chapman to promote his new book, "Where Mercy is Shown, Mercy is Given."



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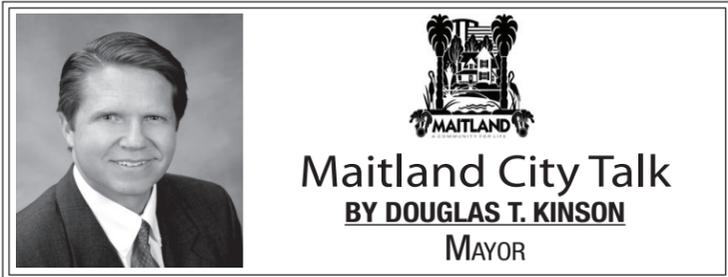
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Maitland City Talk
BY DOUGLAS T. KINSON
MAYOR

Strategic planning guides our future

Strategic planning is a multi-year process that guides and directs a business or city such that long-term financial and organizational stability may be sustained. This week, Maitland's City Council and key members of staff met to discuss our current and long-term financial challenges.

The successes of past planning sessions can be seen all around us. From attracting new businesses to our community to succession planning to communicating more effectively with our residents, we have utilized strategic planning to become a more vibrant community.

And although our priorities for the coming year are no less important,

the majority of our time and discussion this year centered on the expectation that our single greatest challenge would be how to address the coming fiscal year's budget shortfall.

Just like last year, mandates by government, a deteriorating economy, depleting resources and growth issues were all factors that entered greatly into our discussions. Reductions in taxes and other revenue sources, combined with skyrocketing costs have brought us to the stark reality that should our economy worsen, Maitland will have to do not more with less, but get by with less with less.

The stark reality for our city is that Maitland

could face a budget deficit of nearly 5 percent of our overall budget, or about \$1 million. Some say Chicken Little really does exist, and it is rumored he was even in the room, but on this day, given the talent in the room, nobody involved in planning Maitland's future would dare say the sky was falling.

We are using sound business practices have helped Maitland through tougher economic times, and this year will be no different. The key to addressing Maitland's short-term financial woes will be to leverage revenues and keep expenses in check. We discussed a renewed concentration on securing grants, securing event-related sponsors and focusing on new and existing public-private partnerships, all of which would result in driving new revenues to our city. But balancing the coming year's budget will not be accomplished by securing new revenues alone, but by keeping each and every expense in check. Each department was directed to analyze ways to reduce expenses, including but not limited to a critical review of staff in order to identify ways to consolidate duties and

responsibilities in order to provide efficiencies in our greatest asset and expense — personnel.

I have every confidence that Maitland will meet our short-term financial objectives, but the key to a sustainable city lies in our ability to provide core services without an unnecessary financial burden to our taxpayers. Enhancing our resident's quality of life while keeping taxes low has been the watchword of strategic planning sessions of the past. Accomplishing this with the financial pressures of today will be nothing short of a miracle, yet I have every confidence with the talent and experience we have with staff and on Council, that all of our objectives will be met with flying colors.

Our priorities for the coming year will include the following:

- Complete a new downtown fire station
- Begin construction of City Hall
- Secure a new west side park
- Plan appropriately for downtown and Maitland's west side
- Maintain employee moral
- Increase volunteerism
- Promote green city

initiatives

But as we approach the coming year, we cannot lose sight of our long-term goals of realizing the dreams of a pedestrian-friendly downtown, a rejuvenated west side, connectivity throughout our community, and the integration of culture and partners in everything we do as a community.

The good news is that the years to come will be met with a rebounding and more vibrant economy. Maitland's focus on keeping control of expenses, while incenting businesses to locate and grow in our city has helped us survive the worst of economic times. With the talent we have working toward a better future, I have every confidence Maitland will not only win our economic battle, but be much stronger financially and economically down the road.

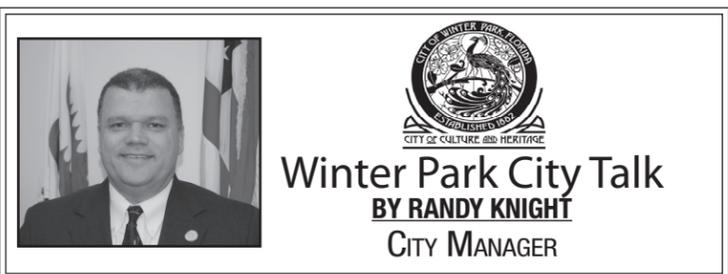
So let's all do our part, stay involved and help make Maitland the best it can be — A Community For Life.

Our thanks to Marilyn Crotty with the UCF Institute of Government for her efforts in Maitland's strategic planning process.

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Winter Park City Talk
BY RANDY KNIGHT
CITY MANAGER

APRIL 12 COMMISSION WORK SESSION

There will be a City Commission Work Session at 2 p.m. Monday, April 12 in City Hall Commission Chambers to discuss the upcoming 90-day plan and the strategic planning session.

The public is invited to attend, however, no public comment will be taken.

APRIL 12 COMMISSION MEETING TOPICS OF INTEREST

There will be a City Commission meeting on Monday, April 12, at 3:30 p.m., in City Hall Commission Chambers. Below are a few topics of interest:

BOARD UPDATES:

-Tree Preservation Board

MAYOR'S REPORT:

-Election of Vice Mayor

-Presentation of Mead Garden Birding Checklist Pamphlet by Dexter Richardson

-The Friends of Mead Garden check presentation

-Employee of the Quarter Presentation to Ron Moore

-Proclamation of Administrative Professionals Week

-Recognition of the 110th Anniversary of the Winter Park Fire-Rescue Department

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT:

-Discussion of scheduling a work session with Canin & Associates regarding the Form Based Codes Project

-Schedule executive session

-Union negotiations

-Pro Shop update

CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORT:

-Commuter rail discussion

CONSENT AGENDA:

-Approve the minutes of March 22.

-Approve the Fire-Rescue Department's 2010-2015 Strategic Plan.

-Approve bid for PVC Pipe to HD Supply Waterworks and Ferguson Waterworks.

-Approve the three-year contract renewal with the YMCA for the operation of the Cady Way swimming pool to expire on April 17, 2013.

ACTION ITEMS REQUIRING DISCUSSION:

-Potential 2010 Comprehensive Plan changes.

-Extension of Conditional Use for the Residences at Morse Boulevard and Knowles Avenue (170 S. Knowles Ave.)

-Extension of Conditional Use for the Morse Boulevard/Pennsylvania Avenue parking garage.

-Proposed Plug-In policy. —Recommendations from the Ethics Board.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

-Resolution - Notice of Intent to use the uniform method for collecting special assessments within the platted area defined as Granville Drive and

Williams Drive, to fund the city's undergrounding of the neighborhood electrical/BrightHouse Networks facilities.

-Resolution - Notice of Intent to use the uniform method for collecting special assessments within the platted area defined as Golfview Terrace and North Park Avenue, within the municipal boundaries of the city of Winter Park to fund the city's undergrounding of the neighborhood electrical/Bright House Networks facilities.

-Second reading of the ordinance adopting new zoning regulations Section 58-89 and Section 58-90, amending the process and procedures, standards and criteria for approval of changes to the zoning regulations text and official zoning map, and for conditional uses.

-First reading of the ordinance authorizing the refunding of the outstanding Park Avenue Improvement Revenue Bonds, Series 1998; providing for the issuance of not exceeding \$3 million Park Avenue Refunding Improvement Revenue

Bonds, Series 2010.

-First reading of the ordinance changing zoning on four properties:

Changing the existing zoning designation of Commercial (C-3A) to Commercial (C-2) at 400 W. New England Ave.

Changing the existing zoning designation of Commercial (C-3) to Commercial (C-2) District at 463 W. New England Ave, 535 W. New England Ave. and at 227 E. Hannibal Square.

-First reading of the ordinance changing the Future Land Use Designation of Commercial to Central Business District at 301 W. New England Ave.

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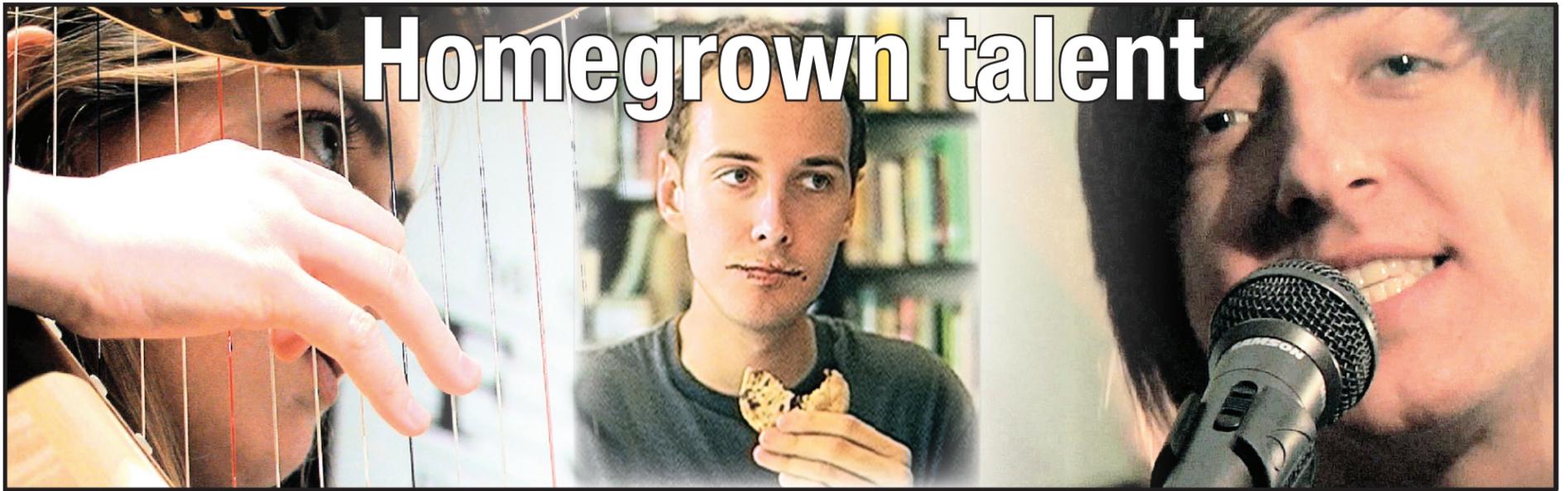
-CoffeeTalk schedules

-Winter Park Memorial Hospital master plan

You can find the Commission's full agenda at www.cityofwinterpark.org and by clicking on Government > City Commission > Packets.

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Lifestyles



Homegrown talent

PHOTOS COURTESY OF ENZIAN THEATER

From left, 'The Young Composers Challenge,' 'New Low' and 'Keep your Head Up' are Florida films being showcased at the 19th Florida Film Festival. The screenings will be at the Enzian Theater and Regal Cinema.

A UCF professor, a former Full Sail student and a Dr. Phillips High student debut at Florida Film Festival

BRITNI JOHNSON
GUEST REPORTER

A few Florida-based films will be showcased at this year's 19th annual Florida Film Festival. The Festival, produced by the Enzian, begins on Friday, April 9, and runs for 10 days. The Festival premieres new American and international films at three theaters: the Enzian,

1300 S. Orlando Ave., Regal Winter Park Village, 510 N. Orlando Ave., and new this year, the Plaza Cinema Cafe, at 155 S. Orange Ave.

"New Low"

For Florida native Adam Bowers, the Florida Film Festival won't be the first showing of his film, "New Low." The feature was also

shown at the Sundance Film Festival.

Bowers based what he calls an "anti-romantic comedy" on his own search for the perfect girl. He plays the main character in the film, a neurotic man who can't seem to decide whether he wants to be with the best or worst girl he's ever met. For Bowers, who wrote, produced, edited and starred in

the film, the neurosis wasn't just an act. Being in charge of everything on the film made it easier for him.

"I'm really OCD," he said. "I could recite the script from beginning to end right now."

The film, shot and set in Gainesville, will show at the Enzian on Thursday, April 15, at 4:15 p.m. and Winter Park Village on Saturday,

April 17, at 4 p.m.

"The Young Composers Challenge"

Lisa Mills, also a Florida native, will debut her film "The Young Composers Challenge" at the Enzian on Sunday, April 11, at 3:45 p.m.

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Family Calendar

From 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, April 21, join Maitland Middle School as it displays its creative talents by transforming the courtyard into the streets of Paris. The event will feature artists, musicians and wandering mimes throughout the evening. The Book Fair will also be open to the public.

Audition materials for the 2010-2011 season with the Florida Symphony Youth Orchestra (FSYO) are now available for download from www.fsyo.org. Applications are due by Wednesday, April 28. For more information or questions, call the FSYO office at 407-999-7800. Comprised of four ensembles (Symphonic Orchestra, Philharmonia Orchestra, Prelude Orchestra, Overture Strings), the youth orchestra annually trains more than 200 students from eight Central Florida counties, with musicians from second grade through second year of college students.

On April 29, the Kindergarten class at St. Margaret Mary Catholic School will be hosting the Second Annual Kindergarten Dime Bake Sale. The children will use all of the proceeds from their bake sale to assist in the relief efforts for the school's sister parish, St. Joan of Arc School in Haiti. The students will dress like chefs and sell baked goods at all lunches, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:50 p.m., in the school cafeteria. Items will be priced from \$.50 to \$1, and only dimes may be used for purchase, so the children easily practice counting money. For more information, visit www.smmknight.org.

From 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursday, April 29, The Hebrew Day School will hold a Nutrition and Fitness Expo in the school's multipurpose room, 851 N. Maitland Ave., Maitland. The Expo, which is open to the public, will feature an "ask the expert" area where leading physicians from the community will be on hand to provide information and hands-on activities. Companies or individuals interested in exhibiting or sponsoring this event are encouraged to call Shari Wladis at 407-647-0713.

Events this month at the Maitland Public Library, 501 S. Maitland Ave.:

- At 7 p.m. on Mondays is Bedtime Stories.
 - At 10:30 a.m. on Tuesdays is story time for ages 36 months to preschoolers.
 - At 10:30 a.m. on Thursdays is story time for babies up to 36 months old.
 - At 4 p.m. on Thursdays is Reading Buddies.
- For more details, contact 407-647-7700.

Take Care Clinics, located at select Walgreens drugstores throughout the country, will be offering camp and sports physicals for \$35 through the end of September. Visit www.takecarehealthsystem.com for more information.



Rob Burwell, Angel Hamby's stepfather and coach, helps her put on her boxing gloves before a spar at M.C. Boxing Club in Winter Park on March 23. PHOTO BY BRITNI JOHNSON — THE OBSERVER

Angel Hamby started boxing at age 8; now she's working toward 2012 Olympics

BRITNI JOHNSON
GUEST REPORTER

Rows of storage garages fill a parking lot. There's little noise besides the passing rumble of a truck, until you step inside the M.C. Boxing Club in Winter Park. Inside there's chatter, the sharp pound of fists on punching bags, whips of jump ropes clattering to the floor. The small gym is filled with men and teenage boys. And then there's Angel.

"I only spar with boys," said 17-year-old high school junior Angel Hamby.

But she isn't one of the boys. She covers sparkly purple eye shadow and perfectly straightened hair with headgear, pushes boxing gloves over French manicured nails and — possibly the one hint at her life's love — hands away a necklace of dainty boxing glove charms to her mom before heading into the ring.

And while she doesn't look like one of the boys, her sparring partners have learned that she leaves the girl outside the ring, and leads with her skills as a boxer.

"She's like a man in there," said Steven Pineiro, one of her sparring partners.

Because she trains with boys, when she competes against girls, it's no big deal. "Girls don't hit as hard,"

"I ONLY SPAR WITH BOYS."

—ANGEL HAMBY
17-YEAR-OLD
HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR

she said with a laugh.

Angel hopes to participate in the first ever Olympic women's boxing competition in 2012. She's ranked No. 11 in the U.S. in the featherweight division, according to USABoxing.org. She's been the Ringside World Champion,

National Police Athletic League Champion, and Best Boxer PAL, all twice, just to name a few of the competitions she's won. To get to the Olympic tryouts, Angel must do well in the next three tournaments she has coming up. Nicknamed the "female beast of Florida" by fellow boxers and coaches, Angel isn't worried she won't make the team.

"I'm really confident — some people may say I'm cocky, but those people don't know what I'm capable of," she said.

Her stepfather and coach, Rob Burwell, isn't worried either.

"If she keeps her head on, and barring boys and injuries, she'll more than hold her own," Burwell joked.

Angel said nothing would hold her back from doing her best to get on the Olympic team. She cried for joy when she found out they were hosting women's boxing for the first time. She trains six days a week after school, sometimes until well after dusk. Angel admits she gives up a lot as a teen to chase this dream — "I go to school and I box" — but she

has no regrets.

"If I have to make sacrifices to be an Olympian and get a gold medal, that's what I'm going to do."

This is an attitude she's had since age 8, when she first picked up a pair of boxing gloves. Her mother, Tammy Hamby, said she knew she was meant to be an athlete.

"She was standing on her head at 2," Tammy said.

So when Angel was 7 and wanted to kick box with her brothers, Tammy, a boxer herself, thought she'd be fine. But she was more than fine, she was a natural. Her first fight was against another boy, and it was a draw. In the last 10 years since then, she's only lost four fights.

"She has something you can't teach," said Tammy. "She's just so talented it's unreal; her mind just thinks boxing."

Angel wasn't always a confident boxer; her mom called her a "skirt clinger" as a child because she wouldn't ever let go of her leg when they were out. Since learning and succeeding at boxing, Angel's broken out of her shell.

Angel said she likes how it makes her feel.

"It's just fun... after it's the best feeling ever; it's indescribable."

That's a feeling she hopes to continue as she forges her way to the next Olympics.



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A showcase of this week's releases, and a look ahead to upcoming movies.

Coming April 23



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'The Back-up Plan'

Coming April 30



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'Please Give'

Coming May 7



Photo courtesy Paramount Pictures

'Iron Man 2'

'Date Night' — Opens Friday



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A case of mistaken identity at a fancy Manhattan bistro leads suburban couple Phil and Claire on a dangerous tour of New York City, where they encounter a rogues' gallery of characters, some helpful, some threatening.

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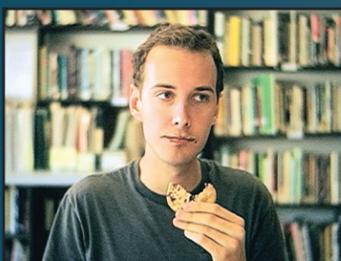
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'Robin Hood'

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Movies big and small will light up screens at the Enzian, Regal Winter Park, and the Plaza Cinema Cafe in downtown Orlando from April 9-18 during the 19th Annual Florida Film Festival.

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...sor of film at UCF follows five teens while they go about their everyday lives and work over the summer, competing against dozens of other kids, to create their own classical composition in the hopes of winning the Young Composers Challenge.

"This film is about what it's like to be a teenager who also happens to compose," Mills said.

In the end, six out of more than 40 competitors are chosen and get to hear their composition played by the Orlando Philharmonic Orchestra. One of the musicians in the documentary achieves this honor.

"I really fell in love with all five of these teenagers,"

Mills said. "When I was filming the judging it was hard to be quiet, I was silently rooting for them."

"Keep Your Head Up"

Michael Patti, director of the music video "Keep Your Head Up," might have more interests in common with Mills, but his life is more like the young composers in her film. Patti, who won his way

"I USED TALENT AS MY CREW."

—MICHAEL PATTI, DIRECTOR OF "KEEP YOUR HEAD UP,"

into the FFF by being the best of Brouhaha, is only a senior at Dr. Phillips High. He said he doesn't let age intimidate him.

"Being on that level is exhilarating," he said. "But creativity stands higher than age or stance."

Patti, who made the music video for the Florida band Dang We're On Fire, shot the video himself all around Orlando and produced the whole thing.

"I used talent as my crew," he said.

"What's Organic About 'Organic?'"

This documentary film explores the challenges that occur when a grass-roots agricultural movement — organic farming — turns into

a booming international market. The film hopes to show audiences how supporting the organic movement is a social responsibility, as it has the power to solve many environmental problems. Director Shelley Rogers hopes to teach through her film.

"I'm not a big advocate of telling people what to do, but I want to make people more aware so that they have the opportunity to make better decisions."

The film, which features stories from farmers who steward land from New York to Florida, spends a lot of time in Gainesville with Marty Mesh, executive director of Florida Organic Growers and Consumers.

"He's the voice of the small farmer," she said.

The film will be screened Saturday, April 10, at 3:30 p.m. at the Enzian.

"Bomber"

In this film, an elderly man convinces his son to drive him and his wife back to a small village in Germany to atone for something he did there. The film follows the family along this road trip. Editor and Full Sail alum Matt Maddox described it as a "bittersweet family comedy-drama."

"There's a real earnestness about the film, it's compelling and funny," Maddox said.

Maddox, who said he has many great memories of the Enzian, hopes to make it to the April 12 screening at the Winter Park Village.

2010 FLORIDA FILM FESTIVAL GUIDE/SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, APRIL 9TH

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

6:30 - 9PM OPENING NIGHT FILM: PAPER MAN PRECEDED BY MY RABBIT HOPPY

ENZIAN

8 - 11PM OPENING NIGHT PARTY: NO GRITS, NO GLORY!

SATURDAY, APRIL 10

ENZIAN

1 - 2:30PM SOUTHERN COMFORT: LUNCHEON AND DISCUSSION

2 - 7PM FARMER'S MARKET
3:30 - 5:15PM WHAT'S "ORGANIC" ABOUT ORGANIC? PRECEDED BY THE BAKE SHOP GHOST

6:30 - 8:15PM THE TIGER NEXT DOOR PRECEDED BY DEVOLUTION

9:15 - 11PM CLEANFLIX PRECEDED BY WATERMELON MAN

12MID - 1:45AM MIDNIGHT SHORTS

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

11:30AM - 12:45PM THE SECRET OF KELLS

12 - 1:35PM HOW TO FOLD A FLAG PRECEDED BY THOMPSON

1:15 - 3PM SHORTS #2: "BURN"

2:15 - 3:45PM HOMEWRECKER

3:30 - 5:20PM SHORTS #4 "EXTINGUISH"

4:15 - 6:05PM MY SUICIDE

6 - 7:40PM WINTER'S BONE

6:30 - 8:45PM HOME FILM: CHINATOWN

8:30 - 11:05PM THE GIRL WITH THE DRAGON TATTOO

9:15 - 10:55PM DRONES

11:30 - 1:20AM THE REVENANT

12MID - 1:45AM CROPSY

BORDERS - WINTER PARK

11AM - 12PM CELEBRITY CHEF BOOK SIGNING

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6:30 - 10PM TENNESSEE WILLIAMS' SOUTHERN GOTHIC "FAMILY" REUNION

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SUNDAY, APRIL 11

ENZIAN

10:30AM - 12PM DIAL B FOR BACON: CHEF JOSH'S SOUTHERN BRUNCH

11AM - 12:15PM THE SECRET OF KELLS

1 - 2:50PM SHORTS #1: "IGNITE"

3:45 - 5:30PM FLORIDA DOC: THE YOUNG COMPOSERS CHALLENGE PRECEDED BY YAMASONG

6:30 - 8PM LOVELY, STILL

9 - 10:40PM CUMMINGS FARM

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

12 - 1:40PM DON'T LET ME DROWN

12:30 - 2:30PM THE LOTTERY PRECEDED BY LESSONS LEARNED

2:30 - 4:05PM DUMBSTRUCK PRECEDED BY THE POODLE TRAINER

3 - 4:45PM COOKING WITH STELLA

4:30 - 6:20PM OBSELIIDIA

5:15 - 6:55PM NO. 4 STREET OF OUR LADY PRECEDED BY OVERNIGHT STAY

6:45 - 8:30PM SHORTS #3: "SMOLDER"

7:30 - 9:30PM CON ARTIST PRECEDED BY MEET ME AT GERONIMO'S

9 - 11PM COCO CHANEL & IGOR STRAVINSKY

10 - 11:30PM CROPSY

LAKE EOLA BANDSHELL - DOWNTOWN ORLANDO

8 - 10PM COCOON

MONDAY, APRIL 12

ENZIAN

6:30 - 7:45PM MID-AUGUST LUNCH

7:45 - 8:45PM OLIVE GARDEN ITALIAN CINEMA NIGHT WINE & CHEESE RECEPTION

8:45 - 10:45 PM I AM LOVE

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

6:30 - 8PM LOST SPARROW PRECEDED BY MY LIFE AS CHERRY

7 - 8:25PM BOMBER

8:30 - 10:15PM BEST WORST MOVIE PRECEDED BY THE S FROM HELL

9 - 10:30 PM PUNCHING THE CLOWN

TUESDAY, APRIL 13

ENZIAN

6:30 - 8:30PM HOW TO FOLD A FLAG PRECEDED BY THOMPSON

9:30 - 11:30PM CON ARTIST PRECEDED BY MEET ME AT GERONIMO'S

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

4 - 6PM THE WIND JOURNEYS

4:45 - 6:20PM 3 X REAL: DOC SHORTS SHOWCASE

6:30 - 8:30PM DON'T LET ME DROWN

7 - 8:55PM SHORTS #4: "EXTINGUISH"

9 - 11:05PM CUMMINGS FARM

9:30 - 11:10PM STRANGE POWERS: STEPHIN MERRITT AND THE MAGNETIC FIELDS

FULL SAIL UNIVERSITY'S FILM BACKLOT

10AM & 2PM KODAK FORUM: "STOP BY. LEARN FILM. SHOOT FILM"

CENTRAL PARK, WINTER PARK

8 - 10:05PM POPCORN FLICK: THE APARTMENT

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14

ENZIAN

10AM & 2PM KODAK FORUM: "STOP BY. LEARN FILM. SHOOT FILM"

3:30 - 5:30PM WINTER'S BONE

6:30 - 8:30PM SHORTS #5: ANIMATED SHORTS

9:30 - 11:15PM HOMEWRECKER

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

1:30 - 3:15PM LOVELY, STILL

3:30 - 5:30PM THE TIGER NEXT DOOR PRECEDED BY DEVOLUTION

4 - 5:55PM SHORTS #1: "IGNITE"

6 - 8PM

RACING DREAMS

PRECEDED BY Q & A

6:30 - 8:45PM HOME FILM: THAT'S ENTERTAINMENT!

9 - 11PM BEST WORST MOVIE PRECEDED BY THE S FROM HELL

9:30PM-12:05AM THE GIRL WITH THE DRAGON TATTOO

PLAZA CINEMA CAFE

7 - 8:45PM HARRY BROWN

9:30 - 11:PM THE TOPP TWINS: UNTOUCHABLE GIRLS

EMBER - DOWNTOWN ORLANDO

8 - 11PM FILMMAKER WELCOME PARTY

THURSDAY, APRIL 15

ENZIAN

11AM - 12:30PM PERSEVERANCE: WOMEN IN INDUSTRY FORUM

1:30 - 3:30PM NO. 4 STREET OF OUR LADY PRECEDED BY OVERNIGHT STAY

4:30 - 6:40PM THE LOTTERY PRECEDED BY LESSONS LEARNED

7:30 - 9PM FLORIDA FEATURE: NEW LOW

9:45 - 11:45PM DUMBSTRUCK PRECEDED BY THE POODLE TRAINER

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

4 - 6PM SHORTS #3: "SMOLDER"

4:30 - 6:15PM PUNCHING THE CLOWN

6:30 - 8:15PM WAKING SLEEPING BEAUTY

7:15 - 9PM BOMBER

9 - 10:50PM SHORTS #2: "BURN"

9:30 - 11:40PM MY SUICIDE

PLAZA CINEMA CAFE

7PM - 9PM I AM LOVE

9:30 - 11:50PM K-20: THE FIEND WITH TWENTY FACES

ORANGE COUNTY REGIONAL HISTORY CENTER

7 - 10PM V.I.P. RECEPTION

FRIDAY, APRIL 16

ENZIAN

11AM - 12:30PM THE ART OF THE PRODUCER FORUM

1:30 - 3:30PM OBSELIIDIA

4:30 - 6:30 PM DRONES

7:30 - 10:30PM A CASSAVETES EVENING WITH GENA ROWLANDS AND SEYMOUR CASSEL; HOME FILM: FACES

12MID - 1:30AM A MILLION IN THE MORNING PRECEDED BY STONEY

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

1:30 - 3PM FILMMAKER FORUM

1:30 - 3:20PM LOST SPARROW PRECEDED BY MY LIFE AS CHERRY

3:30 - 4:45 PM MID-AUGUST LUNCH

4 - 6PM CLEANFLIX PRECEDED BY WATERMELON MAN

5:30 - 7:15PM INTERNATIONAL SHORTS

6:30 - 8:15PM SPACE TOURISTS

7:45 - 9:30PM SHORTS #5: ANIMATED SHORTS

8:45 - 10:30PM WELCOME

10 - 11:35PM THE SUN CAME OUT

12MID - 1:50AM THE REVENANT

PLAZA CINEMA CAFE

7 - 8:45PM LEAVES OF GRASS

9:30 - 11PM SOLITARY MAN

12MID - 1:35AM TROLL 2

URBAN FLATS - DOWNTOWN ORLANDO

8 - 11PM INDUSTRY PARTY

SATURDAY, APRIL 17

ENZIAN

10 - 11:30AM AWARDS BRUNCH

4 - 6PM RACING DREAMS PRECEDED BY Q & A

7 - 8:30PM WAKING SLEEPING BEAUTY

9:30 - 11PM STRANGE POWERS: STEPHIN MERRITT AND THE MAGNETIC FIELDS

12MID - 1:45AM MIDNIGHT SHORTS

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

12:15 - 2:15PM 3 X REAL: DOC SHORTS SHOWCASE

1:30 - 3:30PM FLORIDA SHORTS: BEST OF BROUHABA

2:45 - 4:20PM THE SUN CAME OUT

4 - 5:45PM FLORIDA FEATURE: NEW LOW

5 - 6:45PM COOKING WITH STELLA

6:30 - 8:25PM THE WARLORDS

7:15 - 8:45PM THE TOPP TWINS: UNTOUCHABLE GIRLS

9 - 10:45PM HARRY BROWN

9:30 - 11:05PM INTERNATIONAL ANIMATED SHORTS

11:30PM - 1:05AM TROLL 2

12MID - 1:30AM A MILLION IN THE MORNING PRECEDED BY STONEY

FULL SAIL UNIVERSITY'S FILM BACKLOT

8 - 11PM REVEL 19

SUNDAY, APRIL 18

ENZIAN

1 - 3:15PM HOME FILM: I REMEMBER MAMA

4:15 - 5:50PM INTERNATIONAL ANIMATED SHORTS

6:45 - 8:30PM INTERNATIONAL SHORTS

9:30 - 11:10PM CLOSING NIGHT RETRO: PSYCHO

REGAL WINTER PARK VILLAGE

12 - 1:40 PM SPACE TOURISTS

1 - 3PM THE YOUNG COMPOSERS CHALLENGE PRECEDED BY YAMASONG

2:15 - 4PM WELCOME

3:45 - 5:15PM SOLITARY MAN

4:30 - 6:30PM THE WIND JOURNEYS

6 - 7:45PM WILD GRASS

7 - 8:55PM THE WARLORDS

8:30 - 10:50PM K-20: THE FIEND WITH TWENTY FACES

9:30 - 11:15PM LEAVES OF GRASS

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32 Artists from UCF in Downtown Maitland

In an inspired combination of fine art, education, and commerce, 32 artists from the University of Central Florida will exhibit their work at The Village at Lake Lily. Called Maximum Capacity, the free exhibit runs from April 9 to April 16, at the luxury apartment complex at 925 S. Orlando

Ave. in Maitland. The UCF student/artists have come together to market, design and construct their own gallery opening. Under the supervision of Professor Robert Reedy, who understands the importance of giving his students 'real-world' experience, the artists have transformed raw retail space into an urban art gallery, beginning that all-important transition from student artist to exhibiting artist. The space is available thanks to the generosity of Jon Wood, President of Urbanscape Properties. Opening receptions (there are two) will be Friday and Saturday, April 9 and 10, from 8 p.m. to midnight. The gallery will be open daily through Friday, April 16 from noon to 8 p.m. For more information call Robert Reedy at 407-719-9754 or email max-cap2010@gmail.com.

Third Thursday

I've often written about the fun openings that happen on "Third Thursday" in downtown Orlando. That's the night – each month – when all the downtown galleries have openings (free) for their new exhibits. Third Thursday arrives next week – April 15 from 6

p.m. to 9 p.m. In addition to the must-see galleries that fill the City Arts Factory and the Gallery at Avalon Island (both on Pine Street), other businesses have found ways to make Third Thursday work for them and for the artists they present – presenting art that is related to their business.

That is definitely the case at Dog & Friends at 431 E. Central Blvd. who invite the public to an 'opening' where they will present paintings and sculptures by Sally Evans and Heather Sooder. Sally Evans' bold, colorful pet portraits have received national acclaim and Heather Sooder's soulful sculptures bring an artistic depth to the subject of animals. Curated by Brad Biggs of BiggsLee Artistic Services, the opening is part of Third Thursday (April 15) from 6-9 p.m. Call 407-247-4552, or email bbiggs214@aol.com

Orlando Philharmonic Offers World Premiere

There is more than a hint of Easter in the Orlando Philharmonic's upcoming symphony concert, which it is calling Color Cathedral. Led by Music Director Christopher Wilkins, the

Philharmonic will perform Rimsky-Korsakov's Russian Easter Overture, Respighi's Church Windows, and Debussy's Sunken Cathedral.

A significant addition to this program is a world premiere work by Composer-In-Residence Stella Sung, titled The Circle Closes. Sung describes the work as "two distinct sections joined together without break. Ultimately, I found myself thinking of this composition as a 'Yin and Yang' expression, the Asian circular symbol that represents and encompasses the duality of heaven and earth with the intent for unified balance." As a unique feature, crystal 'singing bowls' will be used as part of the instrumentation. The concert will take place Saturday, April 17 at 8 p.m. at the Bob Carr Performing Arts Centre. For tickets, call 407-770-0071, or visit www.orlandophil.org

TALK TO GARRICK

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Perspectives by...

Chris Jepson



On the perfectibility of man. Of males.

"I sometimes think that God, in creating man, somewhat overestimated His ability."
— Oscar Wilde

I am going to give a "talk" in May at the Winter Park University Club. This rambling essay is a search for a topic. Over the past few years, I've explored the nature of beauty and have made the case for optimism (a distinct challenge). I've recounted the contributions four specific men made to the quality of my life as well as touched on the value of history.

I am intrigued by the research on the human brain and how "some" scientists argue that men and women really do think differently and, as a result, reach different conclusions. This seems "old hat" ever since, well, that book came out titled, "Men Are from Mars...". Nonetheless, science seems to be validating that premise with research and clinical observation.

What intrigues me about our species is how we are so beastly and women seem to get a pass on that, as if they are not, somehow, complicit in what we are. Whenever I hear of the latest wholesale atrocity (99.9 percent of the time committed by men or gangs of men) I

wonder if I am capable of that? Recall the mass killings of the Tutsis by the Hutus. Nearly 900,000 people were slaughtered in a matter of days by men wielding machetes in 1994 Africa.

Could I have been a Nazi? A concentration camp guard? Could I have been a soldier who rounded up Cherokee Indians in 1838 Georgia and marched them to their deaths during the infamous "Trail of Tears"? Just following orders, don'tcha see. Such a timeless justification.

Could I have been just another Southern '60s redneck who terrorized blacks by lynching uppity "negras"? Or burned crosses and bombed churches? Men who do such things are, for all intents and purposes, just like all other men, just different.

But where does that difference originate and why do women seemingly get a pass on accountability concerning any of the atrocities that are so common in our species?

To women who suggest "beastly" behavior is strictly a male prerogative, I ask one fundamental question: "Where exactly do males come into existence and spend their many formative months?" That's correct.

Tucked securely, motherly in your tummies. Out of which came Adolf Hitler, Mao, Stalin and any of the countless machete-wielding marauders who hacked to death tens of thousands of innocents in Rwanda or who unloaded Jews at Auschwitz.

No, just as it takes two to tango, it takes two to create our species and we are the gnarliest, nastiest, toughest species on the planet. Thank you, Dad. And a tip of the hat to Mom, too. We are, after all, your little boundless bundles of joy. Just look what the stork delivered! Is that you, Adolf?

But if we (mankind) were merely atrocious, what sort of story would that be? So very booring! We create incredibly "beautiful" art in all its many manifestations and we are capable, too, of inspired acts of compassion and self-sacrifice (although science is suggesting such acts may not be so altruistic). And, as my sister says, "We are the universe talking to itself," at least in this part of the Milky Way. We are such clever little monkeys. Yakyety-yak! Can we talk about it? She asked.

Actually, right there is a beeeeeeg difference between men and women. I don't mind (so much) talking about "something" oh, say, six or seven times. Really, I don't. I'm a Chatty-Cathy, up to a point and on a subject of my (or mutually agreed-upon) choosing. But, after something has been discussed, after the differences of opinion(s) have been formed, delineated and discussed (debated, if you will), what is gained by revisiting the subject yet again? Clarification has been achieved. If "X" is 100 percent clear and under-

stood, what is to be gained by going over it again? And again. Ad nauseam.

I don't want to make a broad generalization but I will. "Some" women will "jaw" some things to death. Literally. Just to make a point. Or, at least, until the conversation is no longer, hmmm, quite so engaging. Hah! This subject would be an appropriate topic for further exploration. So many examples abound.

I am interested, at the moment, however, in fathers and fatherhood. I've been a father for 40 years. My daughter turned 40 on April 6. I've not done anything in my life that has been as rewarding or as challenging. Children, to state the obvious, change your perspective. I believe humans are selfish and men, generally speaking, are more selfish than women. Whatever the science behind that assertion (on females being less selfish), I have sufficient anecdotal evidence to make that claim and do.

Fathers are one of the "really big" themes of literature. We all have one and/or are one. It's about as basic as it gets. Either dad measures up or he doesn't. He's either a force or he is absent. He sets and enforces standards or he acquiesces. He's either comfortable with who he is or he is troubled. He is either loving, affectionate and supportive or something less than. Most men are fathers and they comprise a whole myriad of qualities that are a mixture of both the positive and negative. At times. They may be strong, energetic and ambitious when young yet inexplicably (to you) surly and bitter when old. They may be unfaithful but loyal husbands or some

combination in between. They may be treacherous, demonic and complete scoundrels but love you unconditionally as their child. Fathers can gut an enemy one day yet cry heartfelt tears over missing their loved ones the next.

I've said before that there is no bigger gift a child can receive than a loving, caring mother. From that, all else follows. It's both a leg up and a head start. If a child gets an equivalent father, he/she is doubly blessed.

I marvel at the complexity of life and specifically, I marvel at the human species. We are both the demonic and angelic. And nowhere is that more clearly demonstrated, our dual natures (our dueling nature), than in men (as in male).

It is no wonder to me that the gods mankind has forever created have this duality of personality. I think immediately of Shiva (a Hindu god), the destroyer and the benefactor. Or, Yahweh. Two brotherly peas in the godly pod.

That is our story (is us) encapsulated by what we worship.

Yet I share Henry David Thoreau's sentiment, "I know of no more encouraging fact than the unquestionable ability of man to elevate his life by conscious behavior." I so want to believe that.

Now there's a subject: On the perfectibility of man. Of males.

Do we have our work cut out for us?

TALK TO JEPSON

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Letters to the Editor

Teacher pay should be performance-based

Recently there's been a significant amount of debate surrounding the proposed legislation regarding Senate Bill 6 and House Bill 7189. The focus of this legislation shifts compensation toward rewarding excellent teachers for student learning gains versus the current structure that focuses on

teacher longevity.

The bill would require school districts to adopt performance appraisals for teachers and school administrators to evaluate performance in the classroom. Beginning with the 2014-2015 school year, performance appraisals will be based on student learning gains and other factors relating to the instructional

practices used by the teacher, including knowledge of the subject matter and classroom management.

This bill does not require that a teacher bring students to grade level if he or she receives the students two to three years behind grade level. Rather, it evaluates and rewards the gains that a teacher makes with students over a year's

time. Learning gains are to be measured by existing assessments statewide. School districts have the next three years to develop or acquire end-of-course assessments to measure learning gains in subjects and grade-levels not tested by these examinations.

The bill also authorizes school districts to financially encourage teachers

to take on the greater challenges in our education system. The bill requires school districts to provide incentives for high-priority schools and critical shortage areas, such as math and science, in order to better prepare all students to be successful. By providing incentives for teaching in high-priority schools and critical shortage areas, we will be able to continue decreasing the gap between the highest performing schools and the lowest.

The current system categorizes teachers as either successful or unsuccessful. However, in 2008-2009, 99.7 percent of teachers received a "satisfactory" evaluation, yet 50 percent of high school students, 35 percent of middle school

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Noted & quoted

My greatest fears are coming true when I see our lefty President Barack Obama walking in step with Nasty Pelousy, Hugo Chavez, Fidel Castro, Vladimir Putin, and the rest. It's not a matter of where we're going. What scares me is, we're almost there.

Two years ago I said to my b.w., "If the U.S. does not return to original principles, I sense with my whole being that we have seen the best years that this country has to offer, that from here on it's downhill all the way." B.w. agreed.

From The Patriot Post, February 15: "In lecturing us about blowing our money, The Great Ozbama displays breathtaking gall. ... I hold in my casino chip-calloused fingers a list procured ... of

Mrs. Obama's staff and their salaries. She reportedly has a staff of 22 assistants. ... a Chief of Staff costing \$172,000 a year; a Deputy Chief of Staff at \$90,000; a Director of Policy and Projects at \$140,000; a Director of Communications at \$102,000; a Deputy Director of Scheduling at \$62,000; two Social Secretaries ... one at \$65,000, one at \$64,000; an Associate Director of Correspondence at \$45,000, an Assistant to the Social Secretary at \$36,000, and more, in total consuming \$6.3-million annually ..." — Columnist Dan Kennedy

Obama is messin' up bad with his: 1. alienation of our best allies, i.e., Israel, Poland, Czech Republic, Colombia, etc., and 2. his eradication of the world's best health care system — which involves 1/6 of the U.S. economy.

President Obama took from our pockets some \$787 billion to pep up the economy before unemployment ran rampant in the land. Little of this money has yet been spent to make jobs. This money may mysteriously reappear when Dems need campaign money to elect their guys in November — FDR used this ploy way back in the '30s and it worked! Are Obama and FDR characters drawn straight from the "bad boys" of history?

"Democracy is a pathetic belief in the collective wisdom of individual ignorance." — H.L. Mencken

Many school teachers report that kids today pay

no attention to lectures or instruction. They also do not listen to their parents. One likely communicative method is that one kid hears something on TV and passes it on to others. How far can secondhand soaps get you when you live in the real world?

I'm trying once again this year to get my b.w. to go out and buy some "new spring clothes." As yet she has "not been in the mood." I bet plenty of other husbands will view me as a menace influencing their clothes-hungry mates.

"Recession is when your neighbor loses his job, Depression is when you lose your job, Recovery is when Obama loses his job" — Anonymous

Eric Massa, former New York U.S. Representative, can't tell his preposterous "tickle fight" story to people who have served in the U.S. Navy. In my four years' experience as a shipboard naval officer, I assure you that any guy starting that kind of thing may well have ended up over the side in the middle of the night.

Mr. Obama is perennially depending on his "unpopular" platform. Also, hardly a day seems to go by without reference to his questionable credentials for leading our land. Sinking polls don't seem to bother him, and sinking our national wealth into his favorite projects seems to afford him his best jollies.

Did you catch the short announcement on radio that His Divine Majesty Obama

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is planning to control all fishing, by sports and professional anglers in both freshwater and saltwater? He's no longer preaching; he's now meddlin' in dangerous waters.

A Longwood neighbor sends me the following: "Thank God For Obama! WHY? Obama is destroying the Democratic Party before our eyes! Dennis Moore quit, had never lost a race — Evan Bayh quit, had never lost a race — Byron Dorgan quit, had never lost a race — Harry Reid — Soon to be GONE. (We hope!) These are just a handful of the Democrats whose political careers Obama has destroyed! Thanks Obama!"

As Ronald Reagan said, "The trouble with our liberal friends is not that they're ignorant; it's just that they know so much that isn't so."

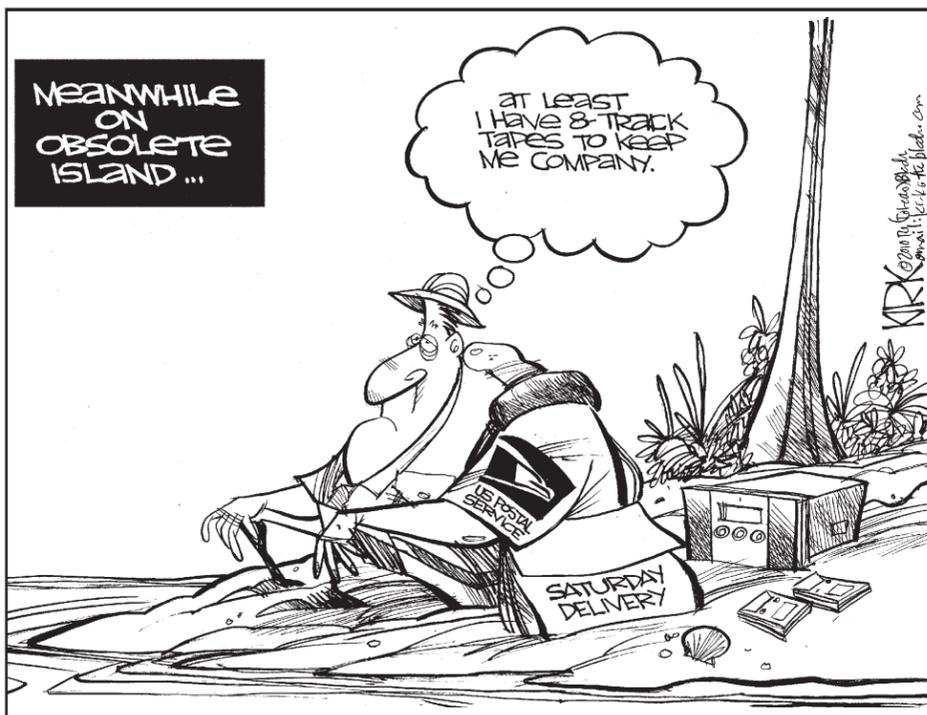
Asked to name the two best presidents in my memory, I

mused a moment and said: Dwight Eisenhower and Ronald Reagan.

We simple citizens darn well better learn to understand the *jargon* that flows in the narratives about "government doings." The Truth may or may not be buried in the Maelstrom that is written to suck us in, and to enlighten us. However, if we don't discover the truth — or the lack of it — the scoundrels will never be found out, and we all will go down with the ship ...

"The budget should be balanced, the Treasury should be refilled, public debt should be reduced, the arrogance of officialdom should be tempered and controlled, and the assistance to foreign lands should be curtailed lest Rome become bankrupt. People must learn to work, instead of living on public assistance." — Cicero, 55 BC

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LETTERS | Proposed legislation would give teacher raises based on their students' learning gains

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“THE STATUS QUO CLEARLY IS NOT WORKING WHEN IT COMES TO DETERMINING WHICH TEACHERS ARE HELPING OUR STUDENTS MAKE THE LEARNING GAINS THAT THEY NEED TO BE SUCCESSFUL.”

students, and 30 percent of elementary students did not make a year's worth of progress (and 60 percent, 40 percent and 30 percent, respectively, were not reading on grade level).

The status quo clearly is not working when it comes to determining which teachers are helping our students make the learning gains that they need to be successful.

This common-sense approach maintains teacher salaries at present levels, so no teacher will see a salary reduction under this plan. But performance increases will be focused on allowing school districts to recognize and reward excellence in teaching by establishing a performance-based appraisal system for increases in compensation.

The bill revises contracts for teachers hired on or after July of this year, introducing one probationary contract and up to four annual contracts. By establishing

yearly contracts, school districts can continue to reward its teachers, now with raises based on classroom success, as well as remove those teachers who are not providing an opportunity for their students to learn. Current teachers are grandfathered-in under this system. The bill does not eliminate tenure for the current 175,000 Florida teachers.

The bill creates a performance fund for purposes of implementing the requirements of the bill, including performance pay, performance appraisal systems, and end-of-course assessments. The performance fund equals 5 percent of the state, local and federal FEFP funds. The bill sets aside more than \$900 million a year that must be used to raise salaries for teachers in high-poverty schools, teachers of subjects that are in high demand, and teachers whose students are making learning gains.

My two children and I are proud

products of Orange County Public Schools, and I would never do anything to jeopardize future generations from attending the world-class education opportunities we have here in our community. I recognize that a quality K-12 education program is vital to the constituents of District 38. As your state representative, one of my top priorities has been ensuring that all students have access to a high-quality education that will enable them to succeed alongside the best and brightest — not just in the U.S., but also around the world.

Due to my committee assignments, I will not be able to cast a vote on this important legislation until it is on the House floor, but I will continue to give input to my fellow members as the bill progresses.

—Florida Rep. Bryan Nelson

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Q. I have heard there is an extra-conversion tax you have to pay up front?

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Q. But I don't have that extra money lying around right now...

A. Because of the special advantages for converting to 2010, you can skip payments for up to *2 1/2 years. And only pay 1/2 the amount in two payments.

Q. What happens if income tax rates go up?

A. If you think your personal tax rates are going to go up (and there may be good reason for that) it is best to convert now while taxes are at their lowest in years.

Q. But I still have to pay taxes on Social Security benefits. I really hate that.

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Q. What about the required minimum distributions. Do I still have to take those?

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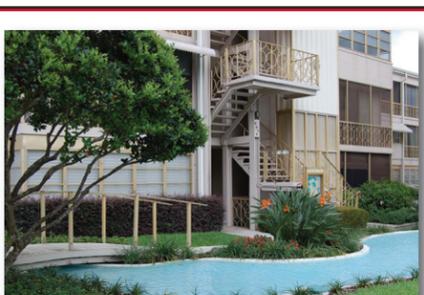
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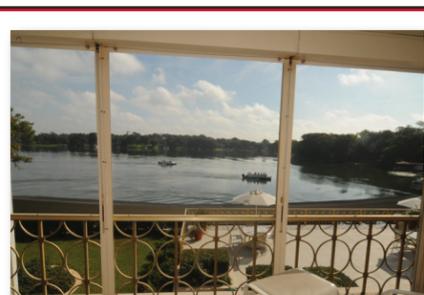
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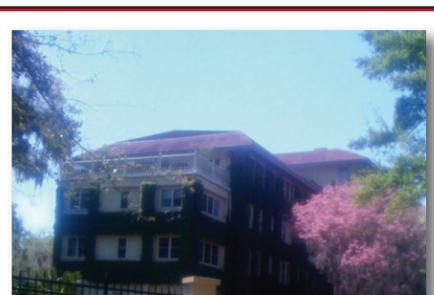
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The following is a snapshot of area zip codes 32751 and 32789 that are following this regional trend:

Zip Code	Sales	Avg List \$	Average	Median	Days on Mkt	Days to Close
32751						
Overall	32	\$151,103	\$139,014	\$69,575	81	49
Single Family						
Overall	8	\$386,775	\$345,250	\$251,000	128	46
Bank Owned	2	\$207,200	\$203,500	\$203,500	119	30
Short Sales	1	\$309,000	\$290,000	\$29,000	17	133
Normal	5	\$474,160	\$413,000	\$212,000	153	36
Multi Family						
Overall	24	\$72,546	\$70,269	\$48,000	65	49
Bank Owned	13	\$55,546	\$56,188	\$40,000	22	30
Short Sales	4	\$97,500	\$79,625	\$79,750	301	125
Normal	7	\$89,857	\$91,071	\$48,000	10	41
Zip						
32789						
Overall	37	\$450,149	\$405,097	\$257,000	205	44
Single Family						
Overall	29	\$500,597	\$448,211	\$340,000	197	48
Bank Owned	7	\$672,371	\$598,918	\$350,700	81	24
Short Sales	6	\$178,133	\$138,917	\$127,000	189	108
Normal	16	\$546,369	\$498,262	\$406,500	251	35
Multi Family						
Overall	8	\$267,274	\$248,811	\$57,250	234	30
Bank Owned	4	\$34,574	\$34,247	\$33,500	33	29
Short Sales	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0
Normal	4	\$499,975	\$463,375	\$245,000	436	31

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First-time homebuyers can receive up to \$8,000 in tax credits, while buyers who already own a home may qualify for up to \$6,500 in tax credits. Since the first-time homebuyer tax credit was approved, it has helped more than 1.2 million people purchase their first home, according to housing analysts.

Lower sales prices, an inventory well stocked with homes at all price points, stable interest rates, and

the recent extension and expansion of the federal income tax credit have created a great market for buyers in Orlando.

But buyers today face many difficult questions: Is now the right time to invest in a home or condominium? How do I know if a home I like is really a good value? Am I better off purchasing a property in foreclosure that needs repairs, or should I buy a more expensive home in 'mint' condition? Can I qualify for a mortgage loan? Do I qualify for the federal tax credit – up to \$8,000?

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 1160 S. Lake Sybelia Dr. | \$549,000 | Dee Morgan
 1716 Viburnum Ln. | \$125,000 | Catherine D'Amico
 1192 Valley Creek Run | \$229,500 | Julie Bombardo
 1431 Mayfield Ave. | \$569,000 | Gwyn Clark
 1558 Indian Dance Ct. | \$584,900 | Patrick Higgins

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620 Darcey Dr. \$359,900
 4 BR | 2 BA | 2,068 SF
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 Adorable Lost Creek home.



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 5 BR | 3 BA | 2,952 SF
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Legal Notices

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO. 2009CA3668-14
 DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE IN TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS FOR ARGENT SECURITIES INC. 2006-W4, ASSET-BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-W4, PLAINTIFF,
 VS.
 ALI VOLKAN GUL, ET AL.
 DEFENDANT(S).
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated March 31, 2010 in the above action, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at Seminole, Florida, on JUN 03 2010, at 11:00 AM, at Room S201 of Courthouse - 301 N. Park Ave., Sanford, FL 32771 for the following described property:

Condominium Unit 268, The Stratford, A Winter Park Condominium, together with an undivided interest in the common elements, according to the Declaration of Condominium thereof recorded in Official Record Book 5851, Page 763, as amended from time to time, of the Public Records of Seminole County, Florida

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within sixty (60) days after the sale. The Court, in its discretion, may enlarge the time of the sale. Notice of the changed time of sale shall be published as provided herein.
 Dated MAR 31 2010

MARYANNE MORSE
 Clerk of the Circuit Court
 By Tina Smith
 Deputy Clerk of the Court

Prepared by:
 Gladstone Law Group, P.A.
 1499 W. Palmetto Park Rd, Suite 300
 Boca Raton, FL 33486

If you are a person with a disability who needs accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled at no cost to you, for the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Court Administration at 301 N. Park Avenue, Sanford, Florida 32771, telephone number (407) 665-4227, within 2 working days of your receipt of this document; if hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8771.

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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 Case No.: 09-CC-15309
 OVERLOOK AT PARKSIDE EROD ESTATES CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 DELTA CROOKS and ARIEL SMITH,
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION
 TO: ARIEL SMITH
 710 Ashworth Overlook Drive, Unit A
 Apopka, FL 32712
 YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to enforce a lien foreclosure on the following property in Orange County, Florida:

Unit A, Building No. 60, OVERLOOK AT PARKSIDE CONDOMINIUM, according to the Declaration of Condominium thereof as recorded in Official Records Book 8585, Page 715, amended in Official Records Book 8654, Page 813, Official Records Book 8771, Page 1234, Official Records Book 8793, Page 1664, and any amendments thereto, of the Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
 A lawsuit has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on JEFF A. STONE, ESQUIRE, Plaintiff's Attorney, whose address is CLAYTON & MCCULLOH, 1065 MAITLAND CENTER COMMONS BLVD., MAITLAND, FLORIDA 32751, within thirty (30) days after the first publication of this notice, and file the original with the Clerk of this Court either before service on Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Lien Foreclosure Complaint.
 DATED on 03/17/10.

Lydia Gardner
 Clerk of the Circuit & County Courts
 By: KERRY BRICKNER
 CIVIL COURT SEAL
 As Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES
 If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Court Administration at 425 North Orange Avenue, Suite 2130, Orlando, Florida 32801, telephone (407)836-2303, within 2 working days of your receipt of this Summons; if you are hearing impaired, call 1-800-955-8771; if you are voice impaired, call: 1-800-955-8770.

4/1, 4/8

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO. 59-2009-CA-005165
 THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-AB5,
 PLAINTIFF,
 VS.
 JORGE BERNAL, ET AL.
 DEFENDANT(S).

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated November 20, 2009 in the above action, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at Seminole, Florida, on May 27, 2010, at 11:00 AM, at Room S201 of Courthouse - 301 N. Park Ave., Sanford, FL 32771 for the following described property:

LOT 38, SANDALWOOD, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 18, PAGE 11, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA BY VIRTUE OF THAT CERTAIN / WARRANT DEED / RECORDED / 11/04/03 IN OFFICIAL RECORDS BOOK / 5085 / PAGE 698, PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within sixty (60) days after the sale. The Court, in its discretion, may enlarge the time of the sale. Notice of the changed time of sale shall be published as provided herein.
 Dated APR 1 2010

MARYANNE MORSE
 Clerk of the Circuit Court
 By Kathryn Limback
 Deputy Clerk of the Court

Prepared by:
 Gladstone Law Group, P.A.
 1499 W. Palmetto Park Rd, Suite 300
 Boca Raton, FL 33486

"If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator, Ms. Stacy Brady at 2825 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Viera, FL 32940; telephone number 321-633-2171 two (2) working days of your receipt of this notice; if you are hearing impaired, call the Florida Relay Services at 1-800-955-8771 (TTY); if you are voice impaired, call the Florida Relay Services at 1-800-955-8770.

4/8, 4/15

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROBATE DIVISION
 File No. 2010-10580-PRDL

IN RE: ESTATE OF MARIANNE REINHARDT
 Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Marianne Reinhardt, deceased, whose date of death was January 18, 2008, is pending in the Circuit Court for Volusia County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P. O. Box 8043, Deland, FL 32721. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is April 1, 2010.

Attorney for Personal Representative:
 Catherine E. Davey
 Attorney for George H. Reinhardt, Jr.
 Florida Bar No. 0991724
 Post Office Box 941251
 Maitland, FL 32794 1251
 Telephone: (407) 645 4833
 Fax: (407) 645 4832

Personal Representative:
 George H. Reinhardt, Jr.
 2952 Portsmouth Street
 Deltona, Florida 32738

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 9th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO.: 09-CA-33732
 ANDOVER LAKES PHASE I HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 RAUL RIVERA and JOHN DOE and JANE DOE, as unknown tenants,
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION

To: RAUL RIVERA
 10855 Norcross Circle
 Orlando, Florida 32825
 YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a lien on the following described property in Orange County, Florida:

Lot 10, ANDOVER LAKES PHASE 1-A, according to the Plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 28, Pages 142 through 147, Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
 has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Matt G. Firestone, Esq., the Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is POHL & SHORT, P.A., 280 W. Canton Avenue, Suite 410, Post Office Box 3208, Winter Park, Florida 32790, on or before May 1, 2010, and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on the Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

DATED: March 26, 2010.

LYDIA GARDNER
 CLERK OF COURTS
 By: DEBRA S. MILLS
 CIVIL COURT SEAL
 As Deputy Clerk

In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, persons with disabilities needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact Court Administration, at 425 N. Orange Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32801, telephone (407) 836-2303, not later than two (2) days prior to the proceeding. If hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8771, or Voice (V) 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.

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Notice of Public Auction
 Pursuant to Ch 715.109 FS and/or 83.801 and/or 677.210 FS etal United American Lien & Recovery as agent with power of attorney will sell at public auction the following property(s) to the highest bidder subject to any liens for the purpose of satisfying claim of lien and/or disposition of abandoned property(s); owner/lienholder may redeem property(s) for cash sum of lien; all auctions held in reserve
 Inspect 1 week prior @ lien facility; cash or cashier check; 15% buyer prem; any persons interested ph (954) 563-1999

Sale date April 23, 2010 @ 10:00 am 3411 NW 9th Ave #707 Ft Lauderdale FL 33309
 1978 1974 Fern hs vin#: 60123965F tenant: karen b fimmel

Licensed & bonded auctioneers flab422 flau 765 & 1911

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROBATE DIVISION
 File No. 2010CP0462

IN RE: ESTATE OF SHELLEY M. STRAIN, JR.,
 Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS (summary administration)

The administration of the estate of SHELLEY M. STRAIN, JR., deceased, File Number 2010CP0462, is pending in the Circuit Court for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 301 N. Park Avenue, Sanford, Florida 32771. The names and addresses of the petitioner and the petitioner's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, including un-matured, contingent or unliquidated claims, must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.
 The date of the first publication of this Notice is April 8, 2010.

Attorney for Person Giving Notice:
 Edward W. Soulsby
 Attorney for Petitioner
 Florida Bar No. 488216
 KENNETH B. WHEELER, LL.M. TAX, P.A.
 1155 Louisiana Avenue, Suite 100
 Winter Park, Florida 32789
 Telephone: (407) 645-1779

Person Giving Notice:
 David J. Strain
 1911 Long Pond Drive
 Longwood, FL 32779

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(p) 407-563-7058
 (f) 407-563-7099
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 9th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO.: 08-CA-9843

WATERFORD LAKES COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 MARCIA DEL CARPIO, EDUARDO ALFREDO D. DEL CARPIO, and JOHN DOE and JANE DOE, as unknown tenants,
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION
 To: Eduardo Alfredo Z. Del Carpio
 603 Spring Island Way
 Orlando, Florida 32828
 YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a lien on the following described property in Orange County, Florida:

Lot 42, Waterford Lakes Tract N-25A, Phase I, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 32, Pages 132 and 133, of the Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
 has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Matt G. Firestone, Esq., the Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is POHL & SHORT, P.A., 280 W. Canton Avenue, Suite 410, Post Office Box 3208, Winter Park, Florida 32790, on or before May 1, 2010, and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on the Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

DATED: March 25, 2010.

LYDIA GARDNER
 CLERK OF COURTS
 By: Christopher Clements
 Civil Court Seal
 As Deputy Clerk

In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, persons with disabilities needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact Court Administration, at 425 N. Orange Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32801, telephone (407) 836-2303, not later than two (2) days prior to the proceeding. If hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8771, or Voice (V) 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 Case Number: 2009-CA-022961-0
 Division: 39

HANCOCK BANK, as assignee of PEOPLES FIRST COMMUNITY BANK,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 LUIS E. SIGCHA; ELAINE SIGCHA, husband and wife; and ORANGE COUNTY, a political subdivision of the STATE OF FLORIDA,
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE
 Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of July, 2010, at 11:00 a.m. in Room 350 of the Courthouse of Orange County, Florida, 425 S. Orange Avenue, Orlando FL 32801, the undersigned Clerk will offer for sale the following described real property:

The East 105 feet of Tract 60, CAPE ORLANDO ESTATES UNIT 4A, F/K/A ROCKET CITY UNIT 4A, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book Z, Page 110, of the Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
 The aforesaid sale will be made pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure in Civil Case No. 2009-CA-022961-0; Division 39, now pending in the Circuit Court in Orange County, Florida.

In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, persons with disabilities needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact Court Administration at 37 North Orange Avenue, Suite 1130, Orlando, Florida 32801, telephone number 407/836-2050, not later than seven (7) days prior to the proceeding. If hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8771, or Voice (V) 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.
 Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within sixty (60) days after the sale.
 Dated this 17 day of March, 2010.

By: ROBERT J. FRAXEDAS, Attorney
 Florida Bar No. 20888

JEFFRY R. JONTZ
 ERIC B. JONTZ
 SWANN & HADLEY, P.A.
 Post Office Box 1961
 Winter Park, Florida 32790
 Telephone: (407) 647-2777
 Facsimile No.: (407) 647-2157

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Public notice is hereby given that, on the date and at the time listed below, and continuing from day to day until all goods are sold, we will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the warehouse of United Stor-All, at 965 S. Semoran Blvd., Winter Park, FL 32792, the contents of the following storage units containing household and/or business goods, for rent and other charges for which a lien on same is claimed, to wit:

DATE OF SALE: April 23, 2010
 TIME OF SALE: 12:00 PM or thereafter
 Brandon Nevius #41, Furniture, Big Screen TV: Janet Mackin #185 Household Items; Luis E Cordevez #387 Household Items, tools; Carlos Moscoso #302 Household Items; Janet Mackin #404 Household Items, Furniture; Robin Tamariz Howell #441 Household Items, tools.

Auctioneer: Storage Protection Auction Services -license 593. The above notice is to be published once a week for two consecutive weeks. Said sale to be under and by virtue of the statutes of the State of Florida, in such cases made and provided.

Thank you
 JORGE HITSCHFELD – PROPERTY MANAGER

4/1, 4/8

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 Case No.: 2009-CA-024290-0

FIRSTBANK PUERTO RICO d/b/a FIRSTBANK
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 MARK A. KORNAK, UNKNOWN TENANT IN POSSESSION NO. 1, UNKNOWN TENANT IN POSSESSION NO. 2, and WALDEN PALMS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.,
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION
 To the Defendant, Mark A. Kornack, and all others whom it may concern:
 You are hereby notified that an action to foreclose a mortgage lien on the following property in Orange County, Florida:

Unit 1731, Building 17, Walden Palms, a condominium, according to the Declaration of Condominium therefor as recorded in Official Records Book 8444, Page 2553, as thereafter amended, of the Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
 has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Michael C. Caborn, Esquire, Underwee, Haines, Ward & Woodman, P.A., Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 390 N. Orange Avenue, Suite 1500, Orlando, Florida 32801, within thirty (30) days after the first publication of this notice, and file the original with the Clerk of this Court either before service on Plaintiff's attorneys or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

Dated on 3/15/10.

Lydia Gardner
 Clerk of the Circuit Court
 By: Kerry Brickner
 As Deputy Clerk

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 9th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO.: 09-CA-11396-0
 DIVISION: #34

IRMA LAKES HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION, INC.,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 MARISOL RUIZ; THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF MARISOL RUIZ; and JOHN DOE and JANE DOE, as unknown tenants,
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF RE-SCHEDULED SALE
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Default Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above styled cause in the Circuit Court of Orange County, Florida, the Clerk of Court will sell the property located in Orange County, Florida, described as:

Lot 14, IRMA LAKES, as recorded in Plat Book 63, Page 125 through 133, of the Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
 at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in the Orange County Courthouse, 425 N. Orange Avenue, Room 350, Orlando, Florida 32801, at 11:00 a.m. on the 4th day of May, 2010. Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

The aforesaid sale will be made pursuant to a Final Judgment entered in this cause on August 26, 2009.
 DATED this 28th day of January, 2010.

Matt G. Firestone, Esq.
 Florida Bar No.: 381144
 Pohl & Short, P.A.
 280 W. Canton Avenue, Suite 410
 Post Office Box 3208
 Winter Park, Florida 32789
 Telephone (407) 647-7645
 Facsimile (407) 647-2314
 Attorneys for Plaintiff

In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, persons with disabilities needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact Court Administration, at 425 N. Orange Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32801, telephone (407) 836-2303, not later than two (2) days prior to the proceeding. If hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8771, or Voice (V) 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.

4/8, 4/15

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROBATE DIVISION
 File Number: 48-2010-CP-527-0

IN RE: ESTATE OF Elinor Caines a/k/a Elinor H. Caines,
 Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 The administration of the estate of Elinor Caines a/k/a Elinor H. Caines, deceased, whose date of death was January 5, 2010, is pending in the Circuit Court for Orange County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 425 North Orange Avenue, Room 340, Orlando, FL 32801. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against the decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.
 The date of the first publication of this Notice is 4/1/10.

Personal Representative:
 Bank of America, N.A.
 329 Park Avenue North, 2nd Floor
 P.O. Box 880
 Winter Park, FL 32790

W. Graham White
 Attorney for Personal Representative
 Florida Bar No. 0777544
 Underwee, Haines, Ward & Woodman, P.A.
 329 Park Avenue North, 2nd Floor, P.O. Box 880,
 Winter Park, FL 32790
 Telephone: (407) 423-4246

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 9th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO.: 09-CA-34183-0

ANDOVER LAKES PHASE I HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 RICARDO WILLIAMSON and NEUTNE M. WILLIAMSON and JOHN DOE and JANE DOE, as unknown tenants,
 Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF ACTION
 To: Neutne M. Williamson
 10981 Norcross Circle
 Orlando, Florida 32825

Neutne M. Williamson
 24 Coral Court
 Malverne, New York 11565

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a lien on the following described property in Orange County, Florida:

Lot 29, ANDOVER LAKES, PHASE 1-A, according to the Plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 28, Pages 142 through 147, Public Records of Orange County, Florida.
 has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Matt G. Firestone, Esq., the Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is POHL & SHORT, P.A., 280 W. Canton Avenue, Suite 410, Post Office Box 3208, Winter Park, Florida 32790, on or before May 1, 2010, and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on the Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

DATED: March 26, 2010.

LYDIA GARDNER
 CLERK OF COURTS
 By: DEBRA S. MILLS
 CIVIL COURT SEAL
 As Deputy Clerk

In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, persons with disabilities needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact Court Administration, at 425 N. Orange Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32801, telephone (407) 836-2303, not later than two (2) days prior to the proceeding. If hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8771, or Voice (V) 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF MOTOR VEHICLE
 Pursuant to Florida Statute 713.585, Mid-Florida Lien and Recovery, will sell at public sale for cash the following described vehicle located at lienor's place to satisfy a claim of lien. 1994 MAZDA VIN: 1YVGE22C0R5207209. Lien Amt:\$325118. Lienor/ AAMCO TRANSMISSION. 1563 S. HWY 1792 LONGWOOD, FL 407-339-3017. Sale Date: April 26, 2010, 10:00 AM. At Mid Florida Lien & Recovery 3001 Aloha Ave. Winter Park FL 32792. Said vehicle may be redeemed by satisfying the lien prior to sale date. You have the right to a hearing at any time prior to sale date by filing a demand for hearing in the circuit court. Owner has the right to recover possession of vehicle by posting a bond in accordance with F.S. 559.917. Any proceeds in excess of the amount of the lien will be deposited with the Clerk of Circuit Court in the county where the vehicle is held.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
 Case No. 48-2009-CA-003919-0
 Division: 35

TRUSTCO BANK,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 JULIO BOTEJ; and ALTAGRACIA BOTEJ,
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE
 Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of August, 2010, at 11:00 a.m. in Room 350 of the Courthouse of Orange County, Florida, 425 S. Orange Avenue, Orlando FL 32801, the undersigned Clerk will offer for sale the following described real property:

The Marketplace

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ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE
Account Representative needed to work on behalf of our company. 18+ needed and must have computer skills. Accounting experience needed. Any job experience. Email to mclarkemployment111@gmail.com for more information.

professional services

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Let me take care of the chores you don't have time to do — yard work, carpentry, painting, (whole house or interior rooms), driveways, repairs, pressure washing, and more. No job too small. Local. Prompt. Affordable. Call Scott at 321-460-3905.

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FREE CONFIDENTIAL CONSULTATION - Julie Jo Adams, Esq. - Mark Andrew James, Esq. - Offices: 415 South Orlando Avenue, Winter Park. Contact: Adams & James, P.L., 407-679-3111, mjames@adamsjameslaw.com



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Weekly SUDOKU

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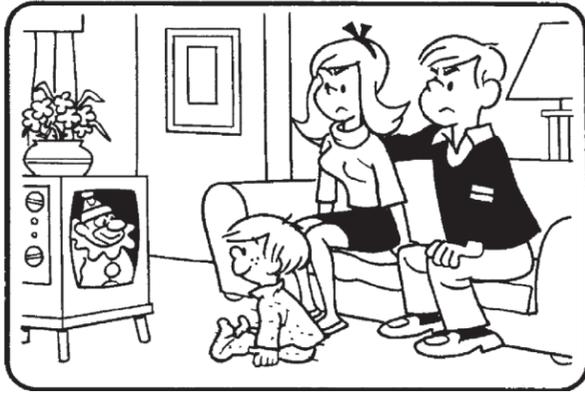
Fun & Games

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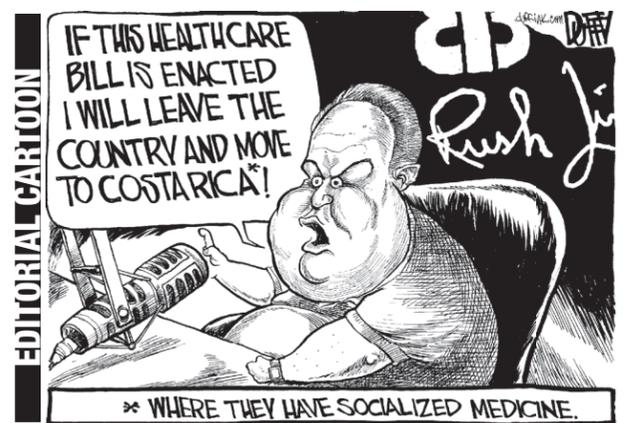
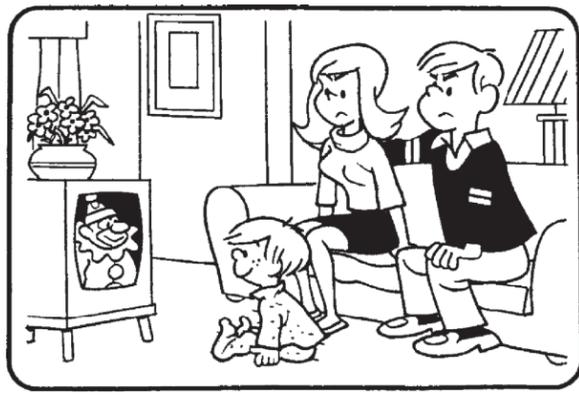
HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOF

Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Bow is missing. 2. Both sleeves have stripes. 3. Lampshade is different. 4. TV knobs are missing. 5. Picture has been moved. 6. Plant has more flowers.



King Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Mid-month date
 - 5 Get on
 - 8 Tranquil
 - 12 Ships' warning noises
 - 14 Solo by Sills
 - 15 Time saver
 - 16 Encounter
 - 17 "Monty Python" opener
 - 18 Type of monkey
 - 20 String quartet member
 - 23 Acerbic
 - 24 — nitrate
 - 25 Beauty contest, e.g.
 - 28 Play on words
 - 29 Wise ones
 - 30 Dine
 - 32 Frosty, for one
 - 34 Long skirt
 - 35 Knocks
 - 36 Goosebump-inducing
 - 37 Distance
 - 40 Pismire
 - 41 Neighborhood
 - 42 Classical music lover
 - 47 Carriage
 - 48 Usual
 - 49 Hotel furniture
 - 50 Marble type
 - 51 Needing crutches
 - DOWN**
 - 1 Conditions
 - 2 Homer's interjection
 - 3 Id counter-part
 - 4 Piercing
 - 5 Curved lines
 - 6 Wildebeest
 - 7 Female hormone
 - 8 Paparazzi's need
 - 9 War god
 - 10 Stead
 - 11 Gymnasts' surfaces
 - 13 "Beetle Bailey" dog
 - 19 Colors
 - 20 Upper limit
 - 21 Ostriches' kin
 - 22 Singer Loretta
 - 23 Long stories
 - 25 Brochure
 - 26 Approach
 - 27 Cab
 - 29 Bat a gnat
 - 31 Dead heat
 - 33 Transplanted body parts
 - 34 Kind of alcohol
 - 36 MIT grad, maybe
 - 37 Easter entree
 - 38 Ontario neighbor
 - 39 Require
 - 40 From the top
 - 43 Eggs
 - 44 Oklahoma city
 - 45 "— the Walrus"
 - 46 Reuben bread

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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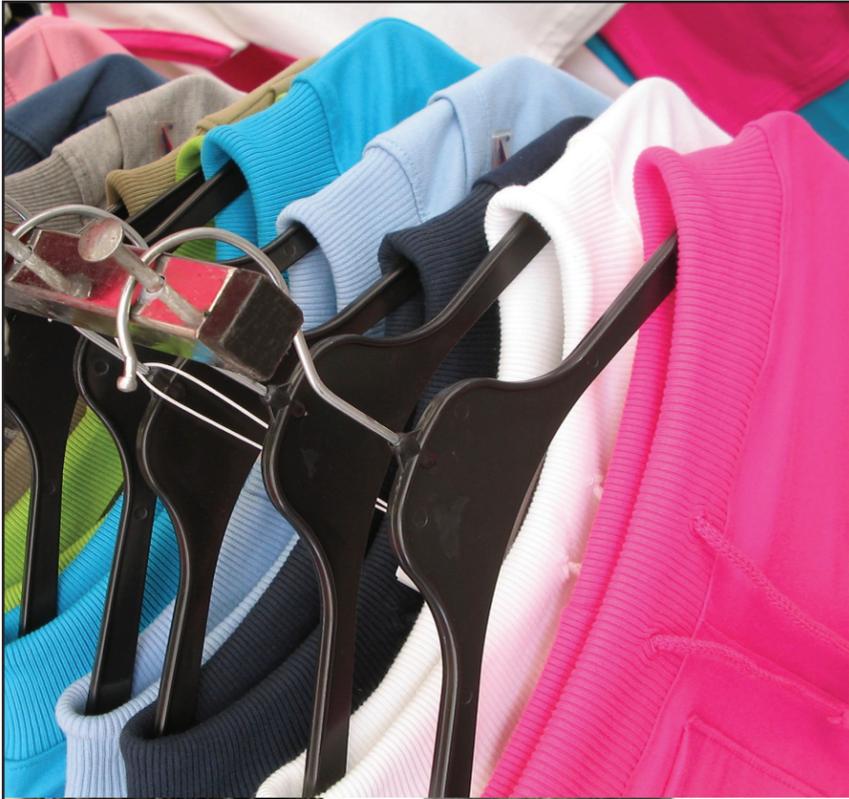
Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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