

Apopka man presumed dead in lake mishap

By Jamie J. Anderson-Potter Staff Writer

19-year-old borrowed canoe but did not know how to swim

NEAR APOPKA - Al-n McMurray of Apopka is missing and presumed dead after a canoe accident Thursday.

The search for the 19-year-old began early Thursday afternoon in Bear Lake near Apopka after Seminole County sheriff's deputies received a 911 call.

According to reports, McMurray was canoeing on Bear Lake with friend and roommate, Jessy Hanks. The two, who recently moved into a home located on

Cecelia Drive in Apopka, had borrowed the canoe from their landlord, Shirley Smith.

According to Hanks, the canoe capsized approximately 50 to 100 feet offshore due to windy conditions and rough surf. Neither Hanks nor McMurray, who didn't know how to swim, were wearing life vests when the canoe tipped over.

Hanks told police he attempted to assist McMurray to shore, but because McMurray was panicking and pulling them both underwater he was unsuccessful in the rescue. Hanks later swam to shore and made the 9-1-1 call from a nearby home on Bear Lake Road.

Upon arrival, Officer A.L. Homan of the Seminole County Sheriff's Office, borrowed a ski boat from a resident on Bear Lake Road

and began searching the area. The canoe was found partially submerged just off shore.

"Divers are still looking for the victim," said Steve Olson, public information officer of the Seminole County Sheriff's Office. "They do a grid search, which is when they try to map out the location based on the witness' state-



McMurray

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Sizzling for SCC

On a spring day Swarthout pitched the greatest game of not only her life but in Seminole Community College's history, throwing a perfect game, striking out 13, and winning 11-0. See story, Page 10

Renowned Seminole educator dies at age 88

By Jamie J. Anderson-Potter Staff Writer

LONGWOOD - Rayburn T. Milwee, former superintendent of Seminole County Schools and one of the founders of Seminole Community College, died Tuesday at home. He was 88.

"He was a wonderful man who was devoted to education and his family," said longtime friend, Geraldine "Gerry" Weldon.

Milwee was born in Crockett, Texas, and moved to Longwood in 1938 to accept a teaching position at Lyman High School. While an instructor at the school, he met his wife, an English teacher named Aldia. During their 50-year marriage, Aldia would give birth to the couple's two children, Tom and George.

As Milwee began to climb the professional ladder - being promoted to principal at Lyman - he took leave to join the U.S. Navy. Serving during World War II, he was assigned to ships in the Pacific and Atlantic oceans.

Once he returned from active duty, Milwee was elected as superintendent of schools, a position he held until the late 1960s. During his tenure, Milwee oversaw the desegregation of public schools in Seminole County.

In 1967, Milwee was instrumental in founding Seminole Community College, the state's 23rd junior college. He served as the college's vice president for 20 years before his retirement.

"He was my husband's right hand man," said Weldon, whose husband, Earl, was founding president of Seminole Community College. "He was the most humble man I've ever known.

"My children adored him," she added. "He was like a grandfather figure to Steven and Janice. From our first day in Seminole County he made us feel like family. He was always there for us. I just can't say enough good things about him."

Family friend and Seminole Community College Professor

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Making money one POP! at a time



Wicklow Elementary School fifth-grade teaching assistant Lisa Borows Friday makes popcorn for a class fundraiser. The fifth-graders have already raised \$1,200 for an end-of-the-year trip to Islands of Adventure.

Students learn about business while raising money for trip

By Michelle Joris Managing Editor

The smell of fifth-graders raising money filled the hallways Friday at Wicklow Elementary School.

The familiar fragrance emanated from a popcorn machine located in the school's main hallway. For more than two hours, students helped pop, stuff and deliver the light and fluffy snack to raise money for an upcoming field trip to Universal's Islands of Adventure.



Fifth-graders Charlton Ingram and Corey Chiang count money earned during Friday's popcorn sale.

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For Crooms students, school serious business

By Sarah Seales Herald Intern

SANFORD - What do business suits, computer programs, and Dallas have in common? For seven students at Crooms Academy of Information Technology, they represent the opportunity of a lifetime.

Because of their recent awards at the state level, these students have been invited to attend the National Business Professionals of America competition in May.

"Our students continue to impress us with their determination and drive to succeed," said Corrie Collins, principal of Crooms ACOIT. "In competitions like the Business Professionals of America, the students are not only demonstrating their academic knowledge but their abilities to apply concepts in practical situations."

In careers after graduation, students will surely go on to use the technological proficiency they gained while in the BPA.

The purpose of Business Professionals of America (BPA), as declared by the national organization, is "to contribute to the preparation of a world-class workforce through the advancement of leadership, citizenship, academic, and technological skills." The students at Crooms Academy have exemplified the success of these goals through their impressive rankings at the state competition.

The following students placed in their respective events and will advance to the national level: PC Servicing and Troubleshooting: Kevin Walsh (1st), Joshua Mendez (2nd); CISCO: Steven Schulz (1st), Matthew Clark (2nd), Curtis Hill (3rd); Advanced Word Processing: Yusuf Corley (4th); Information Technology Concepts: Ariel Poliak (3rd), Steven Schulz (4th), Matthew Clark (5th); Visual Basic: Ariel Poliak (1st) and \$1,000 scholarship.

These events required skills such as working with system design concepts, using VISUAL BASIC computer language, acting as a PC technician, performing fundamental network management tasks, and demonstrating advanced skills in document production and the information technology industry. Obviously, the members of the BPA at Crooms have mastered each of them.

The specific program in which Crooms ACOIT participated is named the Workplace Skills Assessment Program, an integral

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Out of the Dust

Tajiri Arts, Inc., a Sanford after school program that teaches self-esteem through the performing arts, has announced the development of the "Sanford Out of the Dust: History Still/History Alive" tour. Page 18



Light & delicious

Longer days and warmer weather inspire light and tasty meals that can be enjoyed outdoors in the backyard or patio. Page 88

Seminole Smile



Richard G. Bartlett - Chef for Meals on Wheels, Ect., of Lake Mary

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Commissioner Eckstein retires after 17 years

By Dan Ping Editor

SANFORD - The torch was passed Tuesday night as Sanford City Commissioner Whitey Eckstein participated in his last official meeting, the swearing-in ceremony for his replacement - and neighbor - Kevin Hipes.

Eckstein was first elected to the city commission in 1986 and distinguished himself by becoming, in his words, "the city's penny pincher." Almost any discussion of city business brought a warn-

ing from Eckstein to consider the fiscal impact of another new program or service.

"I know I was always saying that back in the '80s we did this or that, and I'm sure this commissioner wanted to hang me for it," Eckstein said.

Mayor Brady Lessard joked about Eckstein's reputation as a tightwad, but noted that his commitment to financial stability is a hallmark every elected official should have.

"You can dream all you want for a city, but at the end of the day,

the bottom line is you've got to have the money to pay for it," Lessard said.

Eckstein praised his fellow commissioners and said cooperation had been the hallmark of his years in public service.

"If I had to say anything that got me through these years is that I liked all of the city commissioners I worked with," Eckstein said. "You don't have to agree, but you should listen to each other. Don't get caught up in who gets the

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Commissioner Whitey Eckstein, left, shakes hands with Sanford's newest commissioner, Kevin Hipes, following a swearing-in ceremony held Monday.

Photo submitted to the Herald

SEMINOLE SUMMARY

A GLANCE AROUND OUR COUNTY

Big spender: So how tight with a buck is Whitey Eckstein? Ask the valet parking attendants in Anaheim.

Eckstein, who officially retired Tuesday as District 4 city commissioner after 17 years of service, traveled to California last fall to watch his son David play in the American League Championship for the Anaheim Angels.

Around the Clock



Upon his return to the Celery City, the former school teacher and world-class curmudgeon was greeted by Mayor Brady Leonard, who of course wanted to hear all the stories about being at the big games.

"Brady, your not going to believe how expensive California is," was Eckstein's first response.

by Dan Ping

Leonard was surprised that money, not the Angels' march toward the World Series, was the topic of conversation and pressed for some examples. David's dad noted that valet parking was a bit pricey.

"Do you know you have to tip the guy when you drop off your car and when you pick it up?" Eckstein said incredulously.

"Whitey, how much could it cost to tip the valet guy?" Leonard inquired.

"Well, if you didn't make eye contact, you could get away with 50 cents," Eckstein advised.

Leonard said he's not sure if Eckstein is kidding. "I'm not sure I want to know."

Street talk: There's a new "media outlet" in town that is so exclusive you can't buy a subscription to it. Its mission is to publish "for the First Street Merchants who will be negatively impacted by the First Street Streetscape Project." In other words, it's Bill Kirchhoff's main source for news.

The publisher of this Mini Mullet Wrapper (as I call it) refuses to attach his, or her (but I doubt it), name to it, though my suspicion is that the person has a real desire to express himself. I would also conclude that the publisher is a great lover of the ARTS and ENDS up writing a sassy little street sheet.

It's actually a fun read if you like that "Chicken Little" sort of thing where every attempt to make progress is proof that the sky is falling. For instance, to hear this tabloid sheet's publisher carry on, you'd think the city's plans to switch 1st Street from angled parking to parallel parking is the death toll for downtown.

Here's why parking is a smoke screen for those who come against renovating 1st Street.

Whether there are 100 spaces or 50 spaces, parking on 1st Street is not an option if you plan to have a successful downtown. You want lots of people in downtown shopping and dining at our fine establishments? You're going to need a heck of a lot more than 100 parking spaces. The solution is a parking garage. So if we're building a parking garage to house all of these vehicles coming into downtown, why not build wider sidewalks so pedestrian traffic along 1st Street doesn't resemble a Mardi Gras-style group grope?

Furthermore, if there is true concern about parking for customers of 1st Street business, perhaps business owners, including the publisher of the Mini Mullet Wrapper (MMW), should refrain from parking in front of their own establishments.

Not all downtown merchants share the views expressed in the MMW (when said out loud it should be "Double M W"). In fact, a meeting with Pete Sechler, the city's engineering and design consultant, drew just four merchants. This was the meeting that Kirchhoff, president of Sanford Main Street, said all the merchants were demanding. Those attending said they represented the views of all the other merchants. That's an overstatement. Privately, some merchants desperately want the improvements made, while others just want to get it over with as quickly as possible. They don't speak up because they fear getting caught up in all the petty politics.

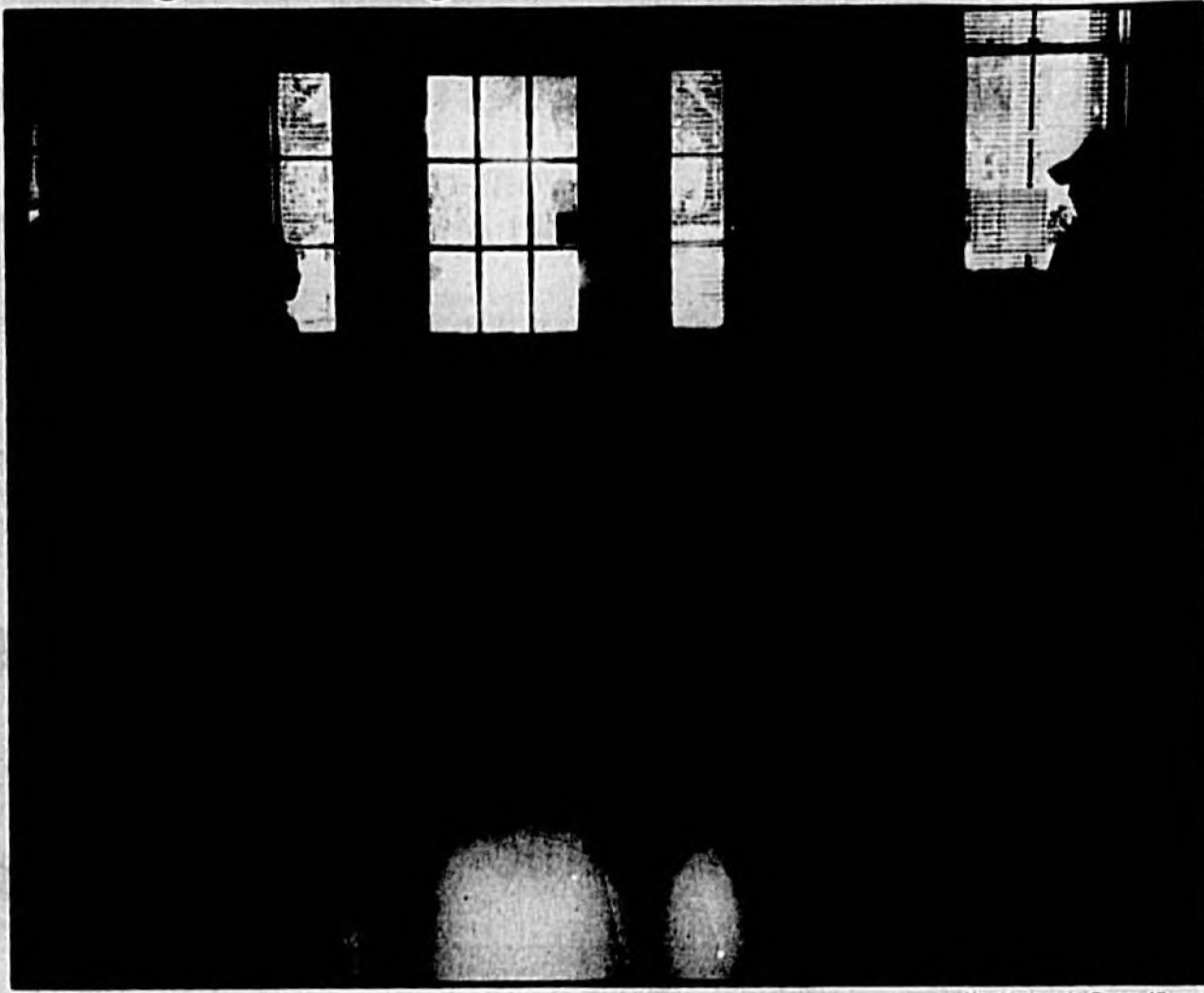
"I just want to run my business," said a downtown merchant who made me swear to withhold name, business and gender. "If I wanted to get involved in politics, I would have run for Congress."

Up all night: The good news for downtown merchants is that business is about to pick up. Yes, the television commercial commissioned some years ago by the Sanford Advertising Co-Op is finally going to pay dividends.

I caught it a few weeks ago when I couldn't sleep. Hoping that Channel 9's rebroadcast of its 11 p.m. newscast would do the trick, I saw the commercial at about 1:15 a.m. For those less media-savvy than the Sanford Advertising Co-Op, 1 to 4 a.m. is a key time slot to reach the always important insomniac demographic.

Any day now, Central Florida's sleep deprived community is going to converge on downtown to shop for antiques — if they don't fall asleep on the drive over.

Waiting in the Wings



Performers wait patiently for their turn to entertain at Tripi School of the Arts, located in the first public school in Sanford built in 1883. The performers were part of the "Sanford Out of the Door" History 8th-11th Grade cultural tour.

Herold photo by Tommy Vincent

Battery

• Donald Francis Lebeau, 59, Orlando Drive, Sanford, was arrested by Sanford police Monday on Orlando Drive in Sanford. He was charged with aggravated battery (offender knew or should have known the victim was pregnant).

• Paul Brian Mulvehill, 44, Youngstown Parkway, Altamonte Springs, was arrested by Altamonte Springs police Monday at his home. He was charged with aggravated assault (domestic violence).

• Joshua Lee, 22, Cochran Road, Geneva, was arrested by Seminole County sheriff's deputies Wednesday at Bush Boulevard in Sanford. He was charged with battery (on a law enforcement officer).

Multiple

• James Willis Napier, 42, West Seminole Boulevard, Sanford, was arrested by Sanford police Wednesday at his home. He was charged with hit and run (failure to remain at a crash involving injury), driving while under the influence of alcohol or drugs (DUI), damaging property while driving under the influence, two counts of causing injury while driving under the influence and reckless driving.

• Leo Erickson Hillocks, 32, East Central Parkway, Altamonte Springs, was arrested by Altamonte Springs police Wednesday at a store on South State Road 434 in Altamonte Springs. He was charged with retail theft and resisting a merchant.

• David Christopher Merrick, 18, Robinwood Drive, Longwood, was stopped by Seminole County sheriff's deputies Thursday near the intersection of Whittingham Place and Greenway Boulevard in Lake Mary. He was charged with possession of less than 20 grams of cannabis, possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under 21 years of age.

• Reddick Pendleton, 20, Burrows Lane, Sanford, was stopped by Sanford, police Thursday at the intersection of East 11th Street and Hickory Avenue in Sanford. He was charged with possession of less than 20 grams of cannabis, driving with a suspended license, resisting an officer without violence and resisting an



officer by refusing to stop when ordered.

• Melanie Tanya Griffin, 42, homeless, was arrested by Altamonte Springs police Thursday at East State Road 436 in Altamonte Springs. She was charged with trespass to a conveyance and loitering and prowling.

Other

• Joseph Carl Paschek, 40, Mullet Lake Park Road, Geneva, was arrested by Seminole County sheriff's deputies Wednesday on Radio Avenue in Sanford. He was charged with trespass (after warning).

• Robert Kirk Reeve Jr., 26, Carriage Hill Drive, Casselberry, was stopped by Altamonte Springs police Wednesday on East Altamonte Drive in Altamonte Springs. He was charged with driving with a suspended or revoked license (knowingly).

• Jacqueline E. Little, 32, Little Pond Court, Orlando, was arrested by Seminole County sheriff's deputies Wednesday at a school on East State Road 436 in Apopka. She was charged with trespass (failure to leave property upon order by custodian).

• Norald Coakley, 29, Chase Avenue, Sanford, was arrested by Sanford police Wednesday on Wyndham Crest Boulevard in Sanford. He was charged with trespass (after warning).

• Alexander Kinghorn, 26, Lorraine Drive, Altamonte Springs, was arrested by Seminole County sheriff's deputies Wednesday on South Hunt Club Boulevard in Apopka. He was charged with probation violation.

• Morris Dean Cockman, 49, Seminole Avenue, Longwood, was arrested by Seminole County sheriff's deputies Thursday on Lake Marion Drive in Altamonte Springs. He was charged with contempt of court (willful violation of domestic violence

injunction).

DUIs

• Michael Ray Lyda, 40, Vienna Drive, Casselberry, was stopped by Seminole County sheriff's deputies Tuesday on Hidden Pines Court in Casselberry. He was charged with DUI and driving with suspended license. According to the police report, both are his first such convictions.

• Barbara Jean McNeil, 38, Crooked Pine Drive, Sanford, was stopped by Winter Springs police Wednesday at the intersection of Edgemon and Murphy. She was charged with DUI.

• Antonio Ortiz, 25, Zavatt Street, Inwood, N.Y., was arrested by Oviedo police Wednesday at an accident scene at the intersection of Mitchell Hammock Road and State 434. He was charged with DUI.

Theft

• Jose Luis Choez-Ramirez, 52, Forest Avenue, Ridgewood, N.Y., was arrested by Oviedo police Wednesday at a department store at Oviedo Marketplace on Oviedo Marketplace Boulevard in Oviedo. He was charged with retail theft.

• Robert Shayne Beaty, 34, homeless, Sanford, was arrested by Sanford police Wednesday at the intersection of 10th Street and Maple Avenue in Sanford. He was charged with two counts of burglary of a structure (unarmed without a person inside) and larceny (petty).

Drugs

• Melissa Anne Ayyaz, 21, Southeast Fallon Drive, Port St. Lucie, was stopped by Altamonte Springs police Wednesday on East Altamonte Drive in Altamonte Springs. She was charged with possession of less than 20 grams of cannabis.

• Robert Allen Ramage, 23, Camellia Avenue, Altamonte Springs, was arrested by Seminole County sheriff's deputies Thursday at the intersection of State Road 434 and Montgomery Road in Altamonte Springs. He was charged with possession of less than 20 grams of cannabis and possession of narcotic equipment.

OUT & ABOUT

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Remote Area Medical (RAM) and the Seminole County Health Department are conducting a free medical, dental, and eye clinic today and Sunday from 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Seminole High School in Sanford.

Dental cleanings, fillings, extractions, PAP smears, mammograms, OB, birth control, diet education, eye exams, glasses, blood pressure, diabetes, cholesterol and HIV screenings will be provided. All services provided by volunteer physicians, dentists, optometrists, nurses, hygienists, dental assistants and other health care professionals.

The fourth annual Spring Fest and Earth Day will take place 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. today at Touhy Park and Sanford's Student Museum, located at 301 W. 7th St. The event will include musical entertainment, vendors, exhibits, food, a student art festival, contests and tree give-aways. Rain date is Sunday. For more information, call 407-330-5688.

The Casselberry Spring Egg Hunt will take place 10 a.m. until noon today at Secret Lake Park, 200 N. Triplet Lake Drive, in Casselberry. Groups of 0-3 year olds, 4-8 year olds and 9-12 year olds will search for 16,000 eggs. The event also features live music by Greg Camacho and the Caribbean Crew, games, pony rides and clowns. An autograph session will include the Orlando Predators' Prowler Dancers, Sealvester, Orlando Seals' mascot, and Knightro, UCF's mascot. Free admission. For more information, call 407-262-7720, ext. 1304.

Midway Elementary School of Performing Arts will host its annual Spring Carnival 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. today at the school, located at 2251 Jitway Ave., in Sanford. Activities will include a Rock n Roll Ride, obstacle course, moonwalk, dunking booth, games, cake walk, lots of food, prize drawings throughout the day and performances from some of the children in the community.

Sanford Youth Football Association (SYFA) will host a spring fashion and talent show from 5 until 8 p.m. today at the Sanford Boys and Girls Club, 919 Permisson Ave.

Enjoy local talent, charming children's Easter fashions and elegant prom attire for a donation of \$5. All proceeds will benefit SYFA. Participants will also be eligible to win a prize at the end of the day.

Participating retailers include J.C. Penney's of Seminole Towne Center and Mr. Formal of Altamonte Springs.

For more information or to participate, call Mrs. Layton at 407-302-1688.

Seven step teams will compete during the Middle School Stomp Down Competition at 6 p.m. today at Teague Middle School, located at 1350 McNeil Road, in Altamonte Springs. For more information, call 407-320-1481.

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Obituaries

MARK JOSEPH ADRIAN SR.

Mark Joseph Adrian, Sr., 50, of Longwood, died Saturday, April 5, 2003. He was born May 2, 1952, in New Port, R.I. He was CEO of Medical Imaging Co., and a member of Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Lake Mary. He was an Eagle Scout and Boy Scout leader as well as a member of the Alpha Kappa Psi.

Survivors include wife, Maria Adrian; sons, Mark Joseph Adrian, Jr., Michael Adrian, both of Longwood; parents, Rodger and Gertrude Adrian, Lake Mary; brothers, Todd Adrian, Annandale, Va., Scott Adrian, Fremont, Mich.

Memorial services were held Thursday at Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Lake Mary, with Rev. Paul Hoyer officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be made to Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 760 Sun Drive, Lake Mary, FL 32746.

Gramkow Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

JAMES MONROE ARROYO

James Monroe Arroyo, 96, Grand Plaza, Orange City, died Friday, April 4, 2003, at home. Born Nov. 20, 1906, in New York, he moved to the area in 1972 from Miami. He was a retired salesperson for Rockford Nail and Screw Company in Rockford, Ill. He was a member of First United Methodist Church of Deltona, United Methodist Men and Kiwanis Club of Deltona.

Baldauff Family Funeral Home/Crematorium, Orange City, in charge of arrangements.

LUE ELLA GRANT

Lue Ella Grant, 51, Coach Light Court, Sanford, died Thursday, April 10, 2003, at Central Florida Regional Hospital in Sanford. She was born Oct. 14, 1951, and was a lifelong resident of Sanford. She was a nurse at South Seminole Hospital and a member of New Bethel A.M.E. Church in

Sanford. She was also a member of Daughter of Isaac, Herlan of Jerico, Eastern Star and Evergreen Lodge No. 83.

Survivors include son, Milton Williams III, Coleman; daughters, Tonya Yvette Meneses, Atlanta, Ga., Ora Mae Williams, Sanford; brothers, Roosevelt Grant, Rochester, N.Y., Emoral Grant, Jarvis Grant, Jerome Grant, all of Sanford; sisters, Sally Sherman, Lake Mary, Angela Ashley-Woodward, Sheila Ashley, Chetaly Mills, all of Sanford, Yvonne Harrison, DeBary; five grandchildren.

Visitation will be held 5-9 p.m. Monday at Sunrise Funeral Home Chapel, 900 Locust Ave., in Sanford. Funeral Services will be held at 4 p.m. Tuesday at New Bethel A.M.E. Church, 3615 Main St., in Sanford, with Rev. Michael B. Price officiating.

Care of Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

LUCILLE A. HUETHER

Lucille A. Huether, 99, of Sanford, died Wednesday, April 9, 2003, at home. Born March 1, 1904, in New York, she moved to the area in 1991. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include husband, William R. Huether; sisters, Marie, Louise; son, Arthur Lang Jr.; daughter-in-law, Lori Lang; father, James Iovine; one grandson.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home Oaklawn Chapel, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

ALBERT WINFIELD JANUARY JR.

Albert Winfield January, Jr., 78, died Thursday, April 10, 2003, at St. Francis Hospital in Greenville, S.C. He was born in New Jersey. He was an U.S.

Navy veteran of World War II and a member of the Battleship Alumni of the USS North Carolina. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Sanford.

Survivors include daughters, Jamie Mervine, Orlando, Cathy Bailey, Greenville, S.C.; sister, Marie Downs, North Carolina; brother, Wesley January, Florida; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren.

Cremation Society of South Carolina, Greenville, in charge of arrangements.

ALTON ANTONIO KING

Alton Antonio King, 28, Lyman Avenue, Winter Park, died Monday, April 7, 2003. Born in Orlando, he was a native of Central Florida. He was a pressure cleaner with King's Enterprises.

Survivors include mother, Alice Ruth King, Orlando; father, Jimmy Hogan, Winter Park; children, Akianna King, Nayasha Ely, both of Orlando; sisters, Shawanna King, Christine Hogan, Dominique Hogan, all of Orlando, Shatara Hogan, Winter Park; brothers, Jimmy Hogan, Christopher Williams, both of Orlando, Faxton King, Winter Park; maternal grandmother, Mary Alice King, Orlando; maternal grandfather, M.C. 'Jabo' King, Jr., Orlando; paternal grandmother, Louise Hogan, Orlando.

Golden's Funeral Home, Inc., Winter Park, in charge of arrangements.

THOMAS PANGBURN

Thomas Pangburn, 89, Graves Avenue, Orange City, died Monday, April 7, 2003, at Florida Hospital - Fish Memorial in Orange City. Born Dec. 23, 1913, in Lawrence, Mass., he moved to the area 24 years ago. He was an U.S. Army veteran of World War II and a foundryman at a foundry. He was a Protestant and a member of Odd Fellows in Lawrence, Mass. He enjoyed fishing and woodworking.

Survivors include wife, Anita Pangburn, Orange City; daughter, Susan Gunning, Claremont, N.H.; brother, William Pangburn, Lawrence, Mass.; two grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Fourtowns Cremation, Inc., Orange City, in charge of arrangements.

JANET R. MARTIN

Janet R. Martin, 82, of Sanford, died Friday, April 4, 2003. She was born June 30, 1920, in Knoxville, Tenn. She attended the University of Tennessee and was a member of Alpha Delta Pi sorority.

Survivors include niece, Eleanor Griffith, Knoxville, Tenn.; great-nieces, Martha Barker, Largo, Ann Hexham, Ocala; roommate, Willie Simpson.

Graveside Services will be held at 1 p.m. Monday at Oaklawn Memorial Park, with Pastor Larry Leonard officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the University of Tennessee, College of Veterinary Medicine, Small Animal Clinic, 2407 River Road, Knoxville, TN. 37996-4550.

Brisson Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

RAYMOND H. PANTEL

Raymond H. Pantel, 84, Galgano Avenue, Deltona, died Wednesday, April 9, 2003, at Deltona Health Care. Born Aug. 18, 1918, in Sheboygan, Wisc., he moved to the area 25 years ago.

He was an U.S. Army veteran. He was a retired accountant for May Company Office Furniture and a member of Lutheran Church of Providence in Deltona.

Survivors include wife, Jean Pantel, Deltona; daughters, Ellen Axlen, Elkton, Judith Leiteman, Milwaukee, Wisc., Roberta Levinson, Orlando; three grandchildren.

Baldauff Family Funeral

CELESTINE A. RAWLS

Celestine A. Rawls, 72, Maytown Road, Osteen, died Tuesday, April 8, 2003, at Central Florida Regional Hospital. She was born Dec. 21, 1930, in Fernandina Beach. She was a homemaker. She was a member of Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church in Osteen.

Survivors include sons, Alfred Rawls, Jr., Lake Mary, Robert Rawls, Osteen; daughter, Sandra Janice Gaines, Osteen; brother, Willie W. Williams, Fernandina Beach; sister, Ira Mae Cribb, Fernandina Beach; four grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday at Zion Hope Missionary Baptist Church in Sanford.

Care of Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

VALDA J. ROBBINS

Valda J. Robbins, 82, Santa Barbara Avenue, Sanford, died Sunday, April 6, 2003. Born Sept. 29, 1920, in Sylvania, Ga., he had lived in Sanford since 1946. He was the chief sanitation officer for the Seminole County Health Department for 37 years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Sanford.

Survivors include sons, Van Robbins, Seffner, Jim Robbins, Tallahassee; sisters, Mildred Van Popering, Micanopy, Gayle Lanier, Live Oak; friend, Irene Ashby; four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Thursday at First Baptist Church in Sanford, with Rev. Rick Blythe officiating.

Gramkow Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

MARY GIVENS SINGLETON

Mary Givens Singleton, 55, West 20th Street, Sanford, died Thursday, April 10, 2003, at Central Florida Regional Hospital. She was born Feb. 3, 1948, in Griffin, Ga. She was a supervisor clerk in Seminole County court. She was a member of Peaceful Zion Baptist Church.

Survivors include father, Walter H. Reeves, Griffin, Ga.; step-father, Noel Martin, Altamonte Springs; daughter, Valerie Coggins Brewer, Clarkston, Ga.; brothers, Tommy Reeves, Walter Reeves, Jr., Charles Reeves, Michael Reeves, all of Griffin, Ga.; sisters, Julia Reeves, Charlene Reeves, Sandra Reeves, all of Griffin, Ga.; two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Peaceful Zion Baptist Church, 1164 Pine St., Altamonte Springs, with Rev. Charles Home officiating.

Wilson-Eichelberger Mortuary, Inc., Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

ROBERT ZLATOS

Robert Zlatos, 62, Carrin Street, Deltona, died Wednesday, April 9, 2003. Born Aug. 17, 1940, in Chicago, Ill., he moved to the area in 1980. He was an U.S. Army veteran and the co-owner/operator of Fluid Sealing Distribution. He was a member of Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church and enjoyed traveling and golfing.

Survivors include wife, Geraldine Zlatos, Deltona; son, Jeff Zlatos, Deltona; daughter, Laura Jung, Deltona; mother, Marian Zlatos, Westchester, Ill.; brother, Frank Zlatos, Lemont, Ill.; sister, Patricia Lindberg, Neenah, Wisc.; four grandchildren.

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OPINION

Flag waving

Let's stay united even after all the statues fall

It's like the days immediately following the Dec. 7 attack by the Japanese on Pearl Harbor. I don't believe I have ever seen the country as gung-ho as they were when that statue of Saddam Hussein came down in downtown Baghdad on Wednesday.



Rick Phillips

Yes, it was a lift to the people of Iraq who knew of Saddam's brutality to the citizens, but probably even more, it was a lift to the people of the United States who saw this as a symbol of the end of Hussein's rule.

New reports even tell us the Democrats and Republicans in

Washington are hailing the event with a new feeling of unity. The support of President Bush has sky-rocketed to a much higher level.

People with service men and women serving in the Iraq area are elated that a member of their family made a direct blow to Saddam. Did you see the faces of the two families whose sons tied that line around the Saddam statue? (They were extensively interviewed on television). They were as proud as the family of the man who raised that flag on Iwo Jima in the Pacific area of World War II.

Even people who knew their offspring were in the same detachment or brigade as those who did this were as proud as punch. Watching the news probably more than the average, I was elated to hear one of the government officials comment that this statue dropping was an historic occasion. "It's much more than the doom and gloom predicted by those retired generals who house themselves in TV stations," he said.

For those who don't remember the unity we had right after Pearl Harbor, we can give a similar comparison to the feeling we all had right after the disaster of 9/11 in New York City.

It is my hope, and I feel certain the hope of most Americans, that we can continue to be a unified nation, supporting our military and our government. We may not agree to everything coming out of Washington, but this is OUR nation. They are OUR sons, daughters, husbands, wives, relatives, neighbors or friends.

If you think this is a flag-waving column — you are ABSOLUTELY correct.

And keep in mind, while we are Americans, we are residents of the UNITED STATES. Let's keep it that way.



Who defines what is and what is not patriotic?

There was a photograph of the memorial in an Allied military cemetery near Calais, France, on the front page of The Washington Times last Friday morning. You may have seen it in other papers. Somebody spray-painted across the front of it in red, in French that translates as: "Dig up your trash, it's soiling our land."

There was also a swastika, the names of President Bush and British Prime Minister Tony Blair, and the line, "Death to the Yankees."

I almost threw up. Living in France during the 1980s, I walked many of those cemeteries and was moved beyond words each time. There are 60,486 Americans in military graves in France — young men who came there in World War I and again in World War II to protect and liberate the people of that country. Except for the most famous of the 11 American cemeteries, the one above Omaha Beach where we landed on D-Day, June 6, 1944, few people come to see them — partic-

ularly the oldest ones, from World War I.

Once while I was walking through one of them, west of Paris in the valley of the Marne, where no one had signed in the guest book for several days, I said to my wife: "It's amazing that so few people come. You would think their children or grandchildren ..."



Richard Reeves

"They never had children," she said. "That's what war does."

It was impossible not to cry that day, reading names the same as the ones I knew where I grew up, in Jersey City. I was proud of that, and of what those men forever young did there. Is that what patriotism is? It is certainly not patriotism to the dozens of people who write each day to accuse me of treason or mental illness because I oppose the war in Iraq.

(The vicious graffiti discovered last week at the Etaples Cemetery, with the graves of 10,744 soldiers from the British Commonwealth, also included the line: "Saddam will triumph and spill your blood.")

The United States is a hyperpatriotic country and always has been, probably because it was created in reaction to the sins and corruptions of an older place, Europe. A shining city on a hill, we would be. And we are in many ways, the best in the world.

"Nothing is more annoying in the ordinary intercourse of life than this irritable patriotism of the Americans," Alexis de Tocqueville wrote in his notebook in 1831, when he was in Albany, N.Y., collecting material for his classic, "Democracy in America." "A foreigner will gladly agree to praise much in their country, but he would like to be allowed to criticize something, and that he is absolutely refused."

The night before I saw the picture of Etaples, we went to see the Chris Rock movie, "Head of State." The funniest bit, which is not saying a lot, was a foolish vice president who ended every speech and appearance by saying, "God Bless America! And no place else!"

A man of the times. He could pour French wine down the drain,

champ freedom fries and then call Peter Arnett a traitor, as Fox News does. He could read David Frum's cover story in the current National Review, which lists "Unpatriotic Conservatives — A War on America." One of those listed is Pat Buchanan.

Maybe that's because Buchanan is anti-immigrant. One of the more interesting stories to come out of this war is the fact that so many of the men and women in American uniforms in Iraq are not American citizens. There are more than 31,000 green-card holders (legal immigrants), most from Mexico and the Philippines, on active duty now, many hoping to move up the date they can become naturalized citizens.

They want to be a patriotic part of a great country. They are doing their duty to become citizens. Some of us think we are doing our duty by understanding that we have the right and the responsibility to analyze and criticize the actions of our government, in the hope of making the United States an even better place.

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Tides of cultural change may yet reach fairways of Augusta

America's newest hero is the petite Pfc. Jessica Lynch, who was rescued from behind enemy lines on April 2. Private Lynch, who may have engaged Iraqi troops in a firefight before being captured, is one of the valiant women warriors helping to erode the strictures against allowing women in combat.

But Jessica's heroics mean nothing to the imperious William "Hootie" Johnson, who runs his own little tyranny in the conservative east Georgia city of Augusta. His exclusive club, Augusta National, will not abide incursions by women members — no matter their courage, honor, stature or wealth. While the Army, the Navy, the Air Force and the Marines have given up the old-fashioned notion that placing women alongside men would erode discipline and hurt morale, the snooty Hootie has not.

Johnson runs the club as his predecessors did — with an iron fist, brooking no dissent, rarely admitting error. (Johnson did, however, reverse an earlier edict that would

have stripped all Masters champions of a lifetime right to play in the tournament. But that reversal may have arisen from Johnson's natural sympathy toward his AARP contemporaries.)

Just last month, Johnson lambasted Gov. Sonny Perdue for suggesting that it would be logical to include women — even though the governor also went out of his way to express a modicum of sympathy for Johnson's defiance.



Cynthia Turley

"From what I'm hearing, they want to do the right thing," Perdue told an Atlanta Journal-Constitution reporter. "They just feel a little trapped. I think there can be some argument made for not doing it at the point of some ... figurative bayonet."

"I think everyone at some point would like to see (the club admit women)," Perdue added.

The governor, by the way, hardly has a reputation as a crusading progressive. He also knows something about feeling trapped. After all, he is still mired in a foolish campaign

pledge to allow Georgians to vote on the return of a recently retired state flag, which prominently features the Confederate battle emblem, a divisive symbol that especially galls black Georgians.

Johnson insists that his club, as a private group, has every legal right to exclude women. As a strictly legal matter, he is probably right. But it is a curious policy, nevertheless, especially at a time when at least one other female soldier, Army Specialist Sohana Johnson, is still being held as a prisoner of war, Condoleezza Rice advises President Bush on national security, and 14 women serve in the U.S. Senate, surely the most exclusive club in the nation.

But, Johnson's defenders insist, the members of Augusta National are entitled to their privacy, one of the most important privileges of a free society. OK, I'll buy that. But it still seems an odd view of privacy. What could the boys be up to that they must hide from the likes of the handful of women who would be eligible to join — Supreme Court justices, CEOs of Fortune 500 companies, U.S. senators?

Does Johnson think women

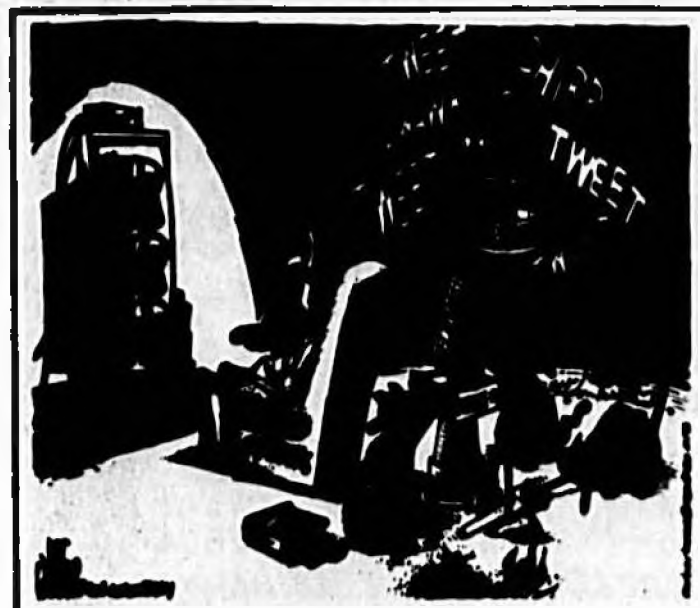
would recoil from cigar smoke or agitate for facial and manicures? That they'll try to change the color of that garish green jacket?

Johnson and his supporters point to polls, which they claim show that most Americans support their implicit policy of gender segregation. Actually, they're wrong. A poll that Johnson commissioned supports his view, but independent polls commissioned by news organizations show that Americans are evenly divided over Augusta's exclusionary practice, with women more likely than men to support change.

Besides, Johnson ought to know better than to rely on polls for moral clarity. As a man who enjoyed a reputation as a progressive on racial matters earlier in his career, Johnson knows perfectly well that public sentiment is no guide for a man trying to do the right thing.

No matter what polls may show, Augusta National is wrong to exclude women from its membership. It's as simple as that.

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On the Street

The Herald asks people what they think ...

Coverage of the war in Iraq has been 24/7 since U.S. troops began moving into the country three weeks ago. We asked people what they think of the media coverage of the war.



Paula Marchese, Geneva



Pat Vines, Geneva



Nancy Anderson, Geneva



Nancy Anderson, Geneva



Olive Sabatini, Oviedo

It's been good — but I think it's also been too much. They have made it like a war on a computer game, and I wonder about the effect it will have on children.

Some of them have presented a balanced view, while some of them have not. Some of it I don't watch because of the slanted opinions.

I think it's overdone, but I've been glued to the television. It's been such an over saturation, you can't help but be glued to the television.

I think overall it's been fairly good. But, sometimes they've presumed too much. They don't need to discuss things until they get at the facts.

I think they have told things too far ahead of time and given out too much information, which could have helped Iraq intelligence.

Popcorn

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responsible," Haynes said. "We all have a job to do, and we are learning about business. When we are older and have a job, what we learn now will help us out."

Borows couldn't agree more. "They are doing a great job, and they are learning all aspects of business," Borows said. "They are learning to work together, and they are

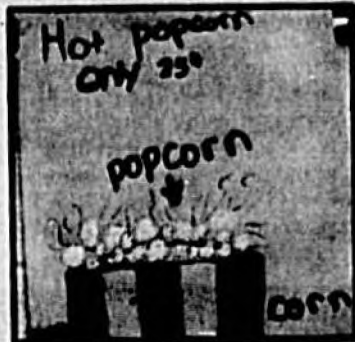
having a good time doing it."

Orders for the popcorn are taken during morning roll call and then given to Borows, who begins popping the corn around 9 a.m. The fifth-graders, who use their "special area" time for the fund-raiser, begin counting money, filling orders and delivering their product by 9:30 a.m. Around lunchtime, the popcorn machine is ready to be cleaned up and put away for another week.

Each bag of popcorn costs 25 cents. As of Friday, the fifth-graders had raised more than \$1,200. With two weeks left, they have almost reached their goal of \$1,500. Since the school's PTA has provided the supplies needed for the fund-raiser, everything the students earn is profit.

Borows said there probably will be money from the fund-raiser not used for the field trip, which will be used to benefit the entire student body.

"It will go back to the school in



some way," she said. "It might be used for a party gift to the school from the fifth-graders."

As for the students, including Janay, they are just looking forward to their end-of-the-year field trip.

"I can't wait to ride the Hulk, because it's the most twisty of the rollercoasters," Janay said. "But, mostly, I think it's going to be fun because we can spend the day together one last time before school gets out."



Special photo by Tommy Vincent
Janay Haynes holds up a bucket of popcorn she is getting ready to put into bags so it can be distributed to other students at Wicklow Elementary.

Lake Mary Fire Department's CERT class begins Wednesday

From Staff Reports

Are you prepared for a hurricane or other type of disaster? If you had to stop and think of your answer then you should contact the Lake Mary Fire Department to find out how you can get better prepared. On April 16, the fire department will host their next CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) course.

The CERT program provides information regarding disaster awareness and preparedness, rescuer safety, basic emergency medical skills and search and rescue techniques. The course is designed to provide citizens with the basic knowledge and skills needed to assist themselves, their neighbors and emergency responders after a disaster. The information provided is applicable to both nat-

ural and man-made disasters as well as to every day situations.

Working under pressure, working as a team, utilizing your available resources and creative thinking are emphasized throughout the course.

If you'd like to get involved in your community or have several members of your neighborhood or business interested in the program, contact Wendy Benton at the Lake Mary Fire Department, 407-333-8207 or wbenton@lakemaryfl.com. The next class starts Wednesday, April 16, and runs through June 11.

The program is an eight-week course consisting of one 2-1/2 hour class each week.

The program is offered at no cost to Lake Mary residents and business members. Class space is limited, so sign up early and get prepared.

Drowning

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During the days since his disappearance, Volusia County Sheriff's Dive Team, Orange County Sheriff's Dive Team and Volusia County Beach Patrol have assisted in the search.

If you have any information on this case, call the Seminole County Sheriff's Office at 407-665-6722. The Florida Wildlife Commission is also investigating the case.

According to area residents, the lake is only 4 feet deep in most areas, but there is a hole that reaches 12 to 17 feet.

"That is complicating things a little," said Olson.

Crooms

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part of Business Professionals of America. It was created to provide business students with the opportunity to demonstrate skills learned in business education curriculums. Because of Crooms' information technology focus, the aims of the school and the BPA are perfectly in line.

The motto that guides the philosophy of the organization is: "We are met in the spirit of friendship and goodwill as we prepare for productive lives in business and office careers. We work together to develop professionalism and leadership through Business Professionals of America and pledge our loyalty to our nation."

Further explicating the aims of the club, the BPA website broke down each part of the name. "Business—the field for which we prepare our students, emphasizes that we educate our members to work efficiently, not only in an office setting, but also in a wide variety of business situations. Professionals—our students indicate they join to take advantage of a wide variety of professional development opportunities.

America—symbolizes pride in our country and its free enterprise system." Not only do members represent their school well, they also make their country proud.

According to the mission statement of the school, "Crooms Academy of Information Technology (AOIT) offers a non-traditional curriculum that enables students to take part in the integrated projects. Designed to develop essential workplace skills—with an emphasis on information technology—the school's IT courses include networking, keyboarding, computer programming, and business systems and technology. Students can earn college credit and industry certifications as well." One way administration achieves this objective is through the Business Professionals of America, a club in which any student can participate.

Business Professionals of America is a national career and technical organization including over 23 state associations and over 55,000 members. Despite these large numbers, Crooms students will certainly go on to distinguish themselves at the national competition. Congratulations to all!

Milwee

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Stephen Wright first met Milwee in 1964 as a senior at Crooms High School.

"Mr. R.T. Milwee was a brilliant man who was generous and firmly compassionate," said Wright, who teaches English and creative writing. "He was a humanitarian, gifted with sound vision."

"He shared his wisdom with me, as he did with many others," he added. "I am honored that he called me 'friend.'"

In recognition of Milwee and his devotion to education in Seminole County, when Lyman High School became a middle school in 1973 the community renamed it R.T. Milwee Middle School.

During his years of retirement, Milwee enjoyed traveling and spending time on the English

countryside. He was also a charter member of St. Marks Presbyterian Church in Altamonte Springs.

A graveside service was held Thursday at Greenwood Cemetery in Orlando. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested that memorials be sent to Hospice of Comforter, 595 Montgomery Road, Altamonte Springs, FL 32714.

Milwee is survived by his sons, Tom Milwee of Altamonte Springs and George Milwee of Longwood; daughters-in-law, Judy Milwee of Altamonte Springs and Barbara Milwee of Longwood; grandson, Allen (Leigh) Milwee of New Smyrna Beach and granddaughter, Shannon (Matt) Saftenberg of Apopka; two great-granddaughters and his dear friend and long-time companion, Connie Bauman.

Eckstein

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credit." Eckstein also thank the city's department heads for their service to the city.

"If I made any of you angry, I apologize," Eckstein said. "I always tried to put your interests first, but sometimes you have to make decisions and have to do what is right for the city."

Hipes, who replaces Eckstein as District 4 commissioner, is an able replacement, Eckstein said.

"If I'm stranded on an island, I want to be on it with the world's best boat builder," he said. "Kevin is a boat builder."

Following the swearing-in ceremony by City Clerk Jan Dougherty, Hipes thanked

Eckstein for his comments.

"I take this role very seriously, and I'll do my best to be a good city commissioner," Hipes said. "I want you to know how much I appreciate the advice you have given me in the past. These are big shoes to fill. I've got a long road ahead of me, and I do appreciate your support."

"This is the end of my public life," said Eckstein, who is the father of David Eckstein, starting shortstop for the World Champion Anaheim Angels. "I'm now known as David's dad, although right now he's hitting .145. If he doesn't get a hit tonight, I'm going to be known as David's dad in the minor leagues."

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Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club
Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. Monday at the Community Center, Fox Valley Drive, in Longwood, for a brief meeting prior to a Watercolor Garden Party at the Bradlee-McIntyre House in Longwood. Pat Jones will instruct on the process of painting a Mandala. A box lunch from Panama Bread will be served. Cost is \$8.50 with materials at \$5. New and prospective members are welcome. Please make reservations by calling Pat at 407-464-0961.

Seminole County Sheriff's Office Assessment
As part of the on-site assessment by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc., members of the community are invited to offer comments at a public information session at 7 p.m. Monday at the Sheriff's Office Community Room, 100 Bush Blvd., in Sanford. The agency will examine all aspects of the Seminole County Sheriff's Office's policies and procedures, management, operations and support services. If you are unable to attend the meeting and would like to comment, call 407-665-6947 between the hours of 1-5 p.m. Tuesday.

Income Tax Assistance
Tax-Aide volunteers, sponsored by AARP and trained/certified by the IRS, will provide free income tax assistance now through Tuesday at 20 locations in Seminole and Orange counties. Locally, the service is available noon to 4 p.m. Tuesdays at the Seminole County Library, West Branch, 245 Hunt Club Blvd., Longwood. For information, please call 407-628-4381.

Lyman High School Dedication
After several years of construction, the campus at Lyman High School, located at 865 S. C.R. 427 in Longwood, is nearing completion. A dedication ceremony for the new facilities will be held Tuesday, in the courtyard at the school. A town meeting will begin at 6 p.m. in the auditorium and the dedication will follow at 6:30 p.m. Featured entertainment includes the award winning Lyman jazz band, drama, chorus, dance and ROTC programs. Food and beverages will be served and tours of the new facilities will be conducted. For more information, call 407-320-2050.

Support Our Troops
American Legion Post No. 53 will sponsor a support group for military families and friends at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the American Legion, 2874 Sanford Ave., in Sanford. Everyone is welcome. The meeting will feature counselors, resources, group discussions and networking.

Florida Trail Association
The Florida Trail Association (FTA) will feature a 4-mile hike at 8 a.m. April 19 in Brickyard Slough, from the Water Management area to the St. Johns River on a loop trail. Bring water, snacks and sunscreen. Meet at 8 a.m. at Oviedo Mall in front of Target.

Easter Egg Hunt
The Sanford Recreation Department will hold its annual Easter Eggstravaganza at 9:30 a.m. April 19 at Lee P. Moore Park, located on Sweet Bay Drive in the Hidden Lake subdivision. Children ages 12 and under can hunt for more than 3,000 eggs. Prizes will be given to participants who find the "golden" eggs. Come and enjoy face painting and a moonwalk. Bring your Easter baskets. For more information, please call 407-330-5697.

Earth Day Fair
Mount Dora's Earth Day Fair will be held 10 a.m.-5 p.m. April 19 at Main Street Festival Park, located at the corner of Fifth and

McDonald streets, in downtown Mount Dora. For more information, please call 352-735-0334.

Bluegrass Pick-In
The city of Longwood is holding its monthly bluegrass pick-in 6 to 10 p.m. April 19 at the Longwood Community Building, located at 200 W. Warren Ave. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy the music, bring strings and join in. Refreshments will be available, and no alcoholic beverages are allowed. For more information, call 407-260-3447.

2003 Battle of the Bands
The City of Altamonte Springs T.O.P.S. team will present the 2003 Battle of the Bands noon to 8 p.m. April 19 at Cranes Roost Park in Altamonte Springs. The winner will receive a one-day recording session at Greg Rike Productions. All genres welcome. Fifty percent of each band must be high school students and present a valid school ID card. For more information or to receive a participant package, contact Jason Marick at 407-571-8781.

Torch Run
The 2003 Torch Run for Special Olympics will be held April 21 in Seminole County. The course is U.S. Highway 17-92 from the Orange/Seminole

county line north to the rear of Sanford City Hall. The run will begin shortly after 9 a.m. The purpose of the Torch Run is to raise money and awareness for Special Olympics. Torch Run T-shirts and ball caps will also be

on sale during the event. For more information, call 407-665-6670.

CLEA Class
Class 29 of the Community Law Enforcement Academy

begins at 6:30 p.m. April 23 at the Seminole County Sheriff's Office. The 14-week course will include hands-on, scenario-based training, in which the entire class observes and participates. To be eligible you must

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Joint Work Session with
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8:30 to 4:45 p.m. in the City
Commission Chambers, First Floor

**1. Presentation of First Street Plan
by Staff and Consultants**

WORK SESSION

11 p.m. or as soon thereafter as possible, in the City Commission Chambers, First Floor

1. Presentation to Employees of the Month for April 2003.
2. Discussion re: electoral process enhancements.
3. Discussion re: moratorium on multiple family developments and preparation of Comprehensive Plan and Land Development Regulation Amendments affecting multiple family developments.
4. Discussion re: election process for the position of City Manager.
5. Discussion of Regular Agenda Items, Add-On Items, and Other Items.
6. Mayor's briefing.
7. Interim City Manager's briefing.
- A. Second May Regular Meeting date. (C-1)

REGULAR MEETING

7 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers, First Floor

- Approval of Minutes March 24, 2003 Work Session and Regular Meeting. Recommended by the City Clerk and the Interim City Manager.

Consent Agenda

1. Set second May Regular Meeting date as discussed in Work Session. Recommended by the Interim City Manager. (WB-7.A.)
2. Approve water service to property outside the City at 2885 Cameron Avenue, with owner to pay all fees; and authorize the City Clerk to record the Annexation Petition and to consider annexing the property when it becomes annexable, Todd and Shirley Driscoll, owners. Recommended by the Interim

City Manager.

3. Authorize purchase of ProTrac computer software, training and maintenance for the Recreation and Parks Department, in the amount of \$12,750. Recommended by the Interim City Manager; funds available in account number 001-0001-573-04-08 and 001-0001-573-00-01.

4. Award contract to Aguard-Military Construction, Inc. and Janus Building Corp. for the Department of Community Affairs funded Residential Construction Mitigation Project (RCMP). In an amount not to exceed \$66,000; funds awarded by DCA. Recommended by the Interim City Manager.

5. Award contract to Aguard-Military Construction, Inc. for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funded 13th Street Passade Project. In an amount not to exceed \$66,000. Recommended by the Interim City Manager.

6. Award contract to Brothers Keepers, Inc. for the Pinecrest Wall Neighborhood Improvement Project. In an amount not to exceed \$14,500. Recommended by the Interim City Manager.

7. Approve sale of Fire Department's old cell contained swimming apparatus that have been replaced with new SCBA, to Seminole Community College Fire Training Program at a cost per unit of \$400 for 15 to 20 SCBA, to include cylinders; and waive sealed bid process. Recommended by the Interim City Manager.

Public Hearings

1. Second reading and adoption of Ordinance No. 3778 to amend City Code, Chapter 9, pertaining to Fire Prevention and Safety. Recommended by the Fire Chief and the Interim City Manager. This item was tabled at March 24, 2003 meeting. Ad published April 2, 2003.
2. Second reading and adoption of Ordinance No. 3779 to rezone B.577 some of property lying between Narcissus Avenue and W. S.R. 46 and between Rand Yard Road and N. Kennel Road

(2885 W. S.R. 468-Indian Furniture) from GC-2, General Commercial, PD-1, Restricted Industrial, and AG, Agricultural, to PD, Planned Development, and approve Development Order No. 08-0002. Fred C. Hudson, III and Catherine J. Hudson, Trustees; Mitch Collins, P.E., Inc., applicant. Recommended by the Interim City Manager. Ad published March 28 and April 2, 2003.

3. First reading of Ordinance No. 3780 rezone 3-1/4 acres of property lying between E. Airport Boulevard and Cornwell Road and between Mulloville Avenue and Sanora Boulevard from AG, Agriculture, to SR-1A, Single Family Residential (2810 Mulloville Ave. (Vintage Oaks); Daniel Beatty, Matthew G. DeBoard, L. Keith Fangle, owners; Recommended by the Planning & Zoning Commission, Director of Planning and Community Development, and the Interim City Manager. Ad published March 23, 2003.

Regular Items

1. Condominium status re: 1124 Pomegranate Avenue, Herbert L. or Morgan E. Fritson, owners. Planning and Community Development Director and Interim City Manager recommend 90 day extension.
- Report 08-08, 518 Cypress Avenue, Herbert L. or Morgan E. Fritson, owners. Planning and Community Development Director and Interim City Manager recommend 90 day extension.
- Report 08-08, 1124 Pomegranate Avenue, Reginald Campbell, owner. Planning and Community Development Director and Interim City Manager recommend demolition.
- Report 08-08, 1806 W. 11th Street, Vernell Johnson, owner. Planning and Community Development Director and Interim City Manager recommend demolition.
- Report 08-08, 1808 Redding Place, Della Gaines aka Mildred Rogers, owner. Planning and Community Development Director and Interim City Manager recommend demolition.
- Report 08-08, 1906 W. 9th Street, Katherine Gaskin, Jerry Jones, and Eleanora Cashaw Et Al, owners. Planning and Community Development Director and Interim City Manager recommend demolition after 30 days.

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2. Board appointments
A. Nuisance Abatement Board. The terms of Oscar Redden, Jr., Robert J. Kinney, and Sheronda Wynn expired March 7, 2003. Each member has been contacted and wishes to be reappointed. **NEED TO (1) confirm or deny the appointment of Sheronda Wynn (currently an alternate) as a regular board member or appoint new board member pending receipt of new application(s); (2) confirm the appointment of Oscar Redden, Jr. (currently a regular board member) as an alternate or continue the vacancy; (3) reappoint Robert J. Kinney or appoint new board member pending receipt of new application(s). There are no applications on file for this board.**

3. Presentation of the City Financial/Budget Update.
4. Preliminary Subdivision Plan for Pemberton (FRS) Industrial Subdivision. Director of Planning and Community Development and Interim City Manager recommend this item be tabled to meeting of April 28, 2003, per applicant's request. This item was tabled on March 24, 2003.

5. Approve Final Plat for Venetian Bay, a 98-lot single family residential subdivision located at 2885 W. Seminole Boulevard, based on consistency with the approved Preliminary Subdivision Plan and compliance with Chapter 177 of State Statutes, and subject to compliance with Development Order No. 08-0010. Recommended by the Director of Planning and Community Development, Planning & Zoning Commission, and the Interim City Manager.

6. Allow cross access between the Baker's Crossing and Magnolia Park single family residential subdivisions in order to provide better traffic circulation, especially to provide an alternative outlet to East Lake Mary Boulevard from Sanford Avenue. Recommended by the Director of Planning and Community

Development, Planning and Zoning Commission, and the Interim City Manager.

7. Approve Final Plat for Baker's Crossing Phase II, the remaining 138 lots of a 243-lot single family residential subdivision located at 4045 Sanford Avenue, based on consistency with the approved Preliminary Subdivision Plan and compliance with Chapter 177 of State Statutes, subject to conditions. Recommended by the Director of Planning and Community Development, Planning and Zoning Commission, and the Interim City Manager.

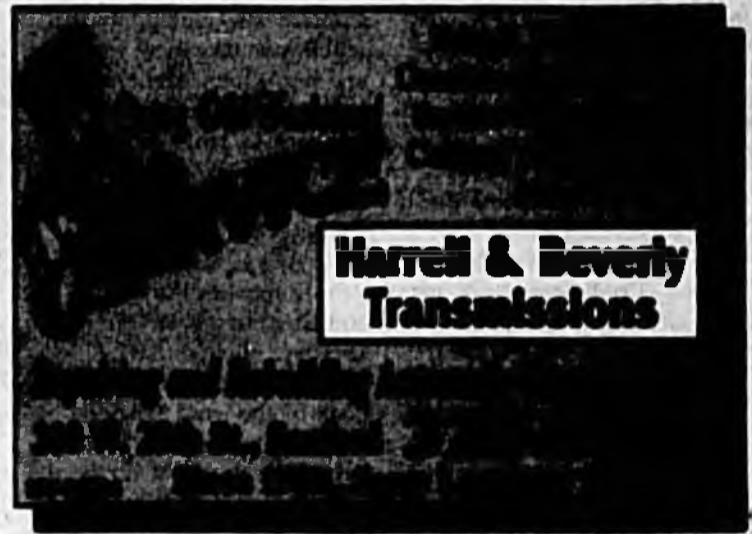
8. Approve Final Plat for Magnolia Park, a 170-lot single family residential subdivision located at 3801 Mulloville Avenue, based on consistency with the approved Preliminary Subdivision Plan and compliance with Chapter 177 of State Statutes, and subject to compliance with Development Order No. 01-0018. Recommended by the Director of Planning and Community Development, Planning and Zoning Commission, and the Interim City Manager.

9. Approve request for "Eika Parade" event to be held on City property and streets (P. Mulloville Park) from 11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M., Saturday, May 17, 2003 (event is a total of one hour); and

approve street closure of 1st Street from Oak Avenue to San Juan and Oak Avenue from 1st Street to Fulton Avenue, on May 17, 2003, from 10:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.; direction Commission deems appropriate regarding waiving fees for the event. Recommended by the Interim City Manager.

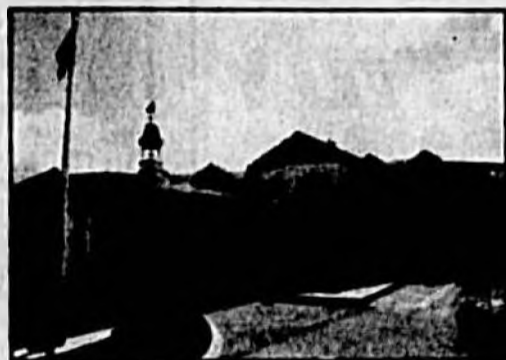
- Add-on Items
- Information
- City Attorney's Report
- City Clerk's Report
- Interim City Manager's Report
- Citizen Participation
- City Commissioners' Reports

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The Way We Were: News from the Gate City

By **Grace M. Stenographer**
Herald Correspondent

Here are some more items from the Nov. 8, 1897 edition of the Gate City Chronicle.

Literary Society Organized
The Seminole Literary Society has been organized at the Sanford High School. Every Friday afternoon is devoted to recitations, etc. The program for today includes a debate on the question "Resolved: That the United States should aid a freeing Cuba." Those on the affirmative side are Celia Ferguson, Nellie Cowan, Tom Appleyard and George Fox. The negatives are Lelia Cassil, Bessie Long, Robert Herdon and Harland Clark. Reciting will be Hilma Lindholm, May Vaughn and Nellie Gayle. Maud Doyle, Esther Murray and Nellie Evans will read original compositions.

Traveling Dealers Arrive
Parties arrived in Sanford Monday to make this their headquarters while selling stoves on the installment plan. We understand that prices are \$62 cash or \$69 on time. One of the parties in charge informed us they had put out over 60 in Putnam County alone. Now we have no desire to injure anyone engaged in legitimate business, but we have three houses - George E. Fernald, W.J. Hill and Co., and Theo J. Miller - will do as well by you than itinerant vendors of goods in their line. If there is anything wrong with your purchase, they are on the ground - like the poor they are with us always - and you can have the matter straightened out to your satisfaction - and theirs. With these traveling dealers you distinctly agree that the face of the contract means what it says, and if you do not live up to that - no matter what it may be - and make your payments promptly, you lose what you put in.

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In and Around Sanford
• Preaching at the Congregational Church 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sacrament of the Lords Supper after the morning service. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Organization of pastor's Bible class next Sunday. A cordial invitation to all young people not attending another Sunday school at this hour to join the class. C.E. at 6:30 p.m.
• You can't afford to risk your life in allowing a cold to develop into pneumonia or consumption. Instant relief and a certain cure are afforded by One Minute Cough Cure. A.E. Phillips and Co.

• The Methodists held a social last Friday at the residence of Mr. J.J. Cowan in Fort Reid. The attendance was quite large, there being some 150 people present.

• When a man is suffering with an aching head, a sluggish body, when his muscles are lax and lazy, his brain dull and his stomach disclaiming food, he will if wise take these warnings and resort to the right remedy before it is too late. "Parler's Sarsaparilla", the "King of Blood Purifiers" is a wonderful blood maker and flesh builder. Sold by W.G. Aldridge.

• Mr. A.E. Jameson has bought a place between Winter Park and Orlando and left on Tuesday. He said that his Sanford friends will know the place by the word "Handra" (home) over the gate. The latch-string will always be on the outside.

• It looks awfully suspicious. After fixing things up "in apple pie order", Mr. L.R. Phillips has purchased a north bound ticket and had it dated Saturday, so we understand. But where he's going and what he's going to do "we ain't agwine to tell."

• Dr. Weaver jumped three deer within four miles of Trilby, but was too far to get a shot. He has arranged to place W.B. Higdon on a stand Monday morning where he expects to run three or four over him.

• Mr. J.H. Cowan and J.M. Wynn spent Monday hunting in my neighborhood for quail, as the law was out.

• The county surveyor was in our section yesterday looking over the proposed route for the clay road.

• Mr. Frank Karel went to Orlando this week to attend the commissioners meeting.

• Messrs Madison and Robert Moye have gone to Slab City, near Oviedo, to spend a few weeks.

• Quite a crowd of young people attended the League social at Mr. and Mrs. John Cowan's last Friday and a pleasant time was reported had by all.

• Mr. J.D. Letchon brought into the city this week three fine wild turkeys killed by him Sunday. They were fine birds - two hens and a gobbler. Sportsmen should know that this section is fairly alive with game of all kinds.
• The upper St. Johns River teems with fish. You'll miss it if you fail to come to this city for

good hunting and fishing.
• The meetings of the Methodist Church continue to increase in interest. The pastor is assisted by Rev E.A. Harrison of DeLand who will remain over Sunday and fill the pulpit morning and evening services every day except Sunday. Pastors and members of all other churches are invited to cooperate in the

meeting.
• Joy Beck caught a fox Monday morning last, near the home of his father on Orange Heights. The dogs started and tread it about 5:30 a.m. and in a half-hour Reynard was captured as he jumped from a tree.
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• Mr. and Mrs. I.J. Secord were elected as delegates to the South Florida Conference of Congregational Churches to be held at Tavares Tuesday, next.
• Miss Anne Appleyard has been requested to recite at the benefit given for Martha Reed Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, in Jacksonville next Wednesday night.

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Local author speaks to Sanford Historical Society

By Grace M. Stinespiper
Herald Correspondent

Christine Kinlaw Best, author of the Sanford Historical Society's recently published book "The History of Fort Mellon," presented the program at the recent society meeting held at the Sanford Museum.

She explained that Camp Monroe was established December 1836 during the Second Seminole War (1835-42). The name was changed to Fort Mellon following the death of Captain Charles Mellon during the Feb. 8, 1837 battle with the Seminole Indians.

Fort Mellon was in existence for seven years with 700-800 men there during that time. Their uniforms consisted of heavy wool which were very unsuitable to the climate. Inside the fort were, among other things, homes, a commissary, stables and a bakery. Camped in the vicinity outside the fort were 200-500 Indians.

The approximate boundaries of the fort were Lake Monroe, Virginia Avenue,

Second Street and San Carlos Avenue. Some of the individuals associated with the fort that Christine gave information on were General Zachary Taylor, Col. William Worth, Col. A.C.W. Fanning, Col. David Twiggs and Aaron Jernigan.

The book, which contains newly discovered material, is available for purchase at the Sanford Museum.

During the business meeting, presided over by Jay Jacobs, several announcements and reports were made. The Society now has a web site and also access to the internet at the Sanford Museum.

A new computer system has been purchased and a generous donor has made possible the purchase of a digital camera.

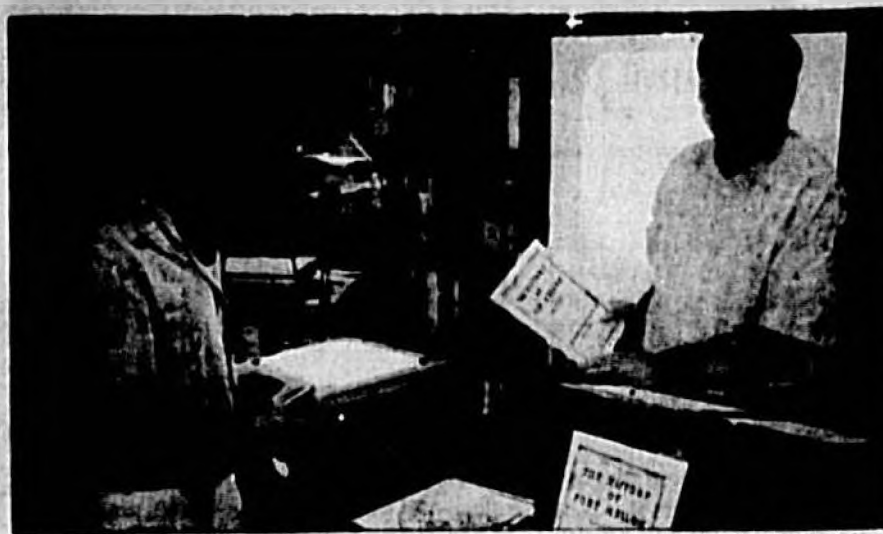
Volunteers were secured for the Spring Festival to be held in Touhy Park at the Student Museum on April 12. The Society will give out information on the Society and the Sanford Museum in addition to selling their books and other items.

Mona Walker, Sunshine Chairman, announced that longtime member Buddy Lake was deceased, and the group was made aware of several members who were ill.

Society membership was presently 130 with 12 new 2003 members. Members were encouraged to attend the dedication of the Vigilante Memorial at the former Sanford Naval Air Station on May 30 at 10:00 a.m.

A report was given on the recent special program on P.T. Barnum given by Marian O'Keefe of Derby, Ct. Barnum had been from that area and Ms. O'Keefe had enlightened the large group of his life. She was also able to give information on the early life of Henry Sanford who was born and raised in Derby. Ms. O'Keefe is the curator of the Derby Historical Society.

Alicia Clarke, Sanford Museum curator, explained the work that she and the publications committee were doing in preparing for the publication of an Arcadia Publishing Co. book on Sanford. This will be a pictorial history



Local author Christine Kinlaw-Best presents a copy of her new book "The History of Fort Mellon" to Sanford Historical Society president Jay Jacobs.

beginning with Camp Monroe and Fort Mellon. The Museum has a large collection of photographs to draw from including the Vincent Collection and a recent donation of several photo by Sophie Shoemaker. Arcadia issues books on communities all over the country and they are sold in large bookstores such as Books-A-Million. Following the meeting, the attendees enjoyed delicious refreshments provided by Rose Edith Jacobson.

SPOTLIGHT ON BUSINESS

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Set Up A Cleaning Schedule With Neat-N-Tidy

By Adinah Greene
Herald Intern

In a residential home off of Palmetto Avenue resides a business that serves more than 2,000 customers. In her home office, Carol Blair runs Neat-N-Tidy, a cleaning business which has served Sanford for 18 years.

Prior to starting the business, Blair was a receptionist for various professionals. Many friends told her to start a cleaning business because of her fanaticism for cleanliness.

"People said I was a fanatic about cleaning and I was," Blair said. "So I just decided to open my own business. My husband and I invested our savings into it and it's exploded, thanks to Sanford and Lake Mary."

Neat-N-Tidy serves a large customer base in Sanford, Lake Mary, Heathrow, Alafia, Magnolia, DeBary, Deltona, Orange City and other surrounding areas. Their customers range from college students to seniors, residential homes to large businesses.

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SCC IN MOURNING

Seminole Community College Athletics and the Baseball program join friends and family members in mourning the death of Joe Howell, father to SCC third baseman John Micham Howell.

Mr. Howell died Tuesday, April 8, 2003, in Orlando from complications related to an ongoing illness. The funeral will be held today (Saturday, April 12th) at noon at Family Funeral Care, 7365 Red Bug Lake Road, Oviedo, FL, 32765. Family members will be receiving friends at the same location from 10 a.m.-noon that same day.

In related news, the baseball team won an important game from Santa Fe Community College on Thursday and now stands 33-13 overall and 14-5 in Mid-Florida Conference play.

The team is scheduled to play at home on Tuesday against St. Johns River Community College starting at 3 p.m.

The softball team also picked up a pair of important conference wins on Thursday as the Raiders swept Florida Community College at Jacksonville to improve to 40-10 overall and 14-7 in the M-FC. The team is scheduled to play its final home games of the regular season next Thursday (April 17), also against St. Johns, in a doubleheader starting at 2:30 p.m.

Admission to all home games are free and a recap of the games will appear in the Herald next week.

GUARDIANS TO PLAY FINAL HOME GAME

The Orlando Guardians, a member of the National Public Safety Football League composed of certified Policemen, Firemen, and Correction Officers, will play their final home game today (Saturday) at 7 p.m. at Lake Brantley High School against the Dallas-Ft. Worth Panthers.

The game is being called the "Kids House Classic" with all monies collected being donated to the Kids House of Seminole for abused and battered women and children.

SOCCER MADE FUN

Soccer Made Fun is taking sign-ups now for boys and girls grades kindergarten-through-7 years old for its Spring Break Camp.

The camp will be held this Monday (April 14) through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon at Lake Highland Prep in Orlando.

The cost is \$85 per player. For information go to www.utsoccer.com or Call 407-772-7782.

PRO WAKEBOARDING IN ALTAMONTE

The MasterCraft Pro Wakeboard Tour, presented by Chevy Trucks & GM Vortec engines, will attract professional wakeboarders from around the world to Cranes Roost in Altamonte Springs this weekend (April 12 & 13).

Top names such as Darin Shapiro, Parks Bonifay & Shaun Murray will entertain the crowd. The Pro Wakeboard Tour has spawned such competitions as the X Games & Gravity Games where the top riders make regular appearances.

Altamonte Springs is honored to be the first stop on this exciting tour. During the competition, which will be aired on ESPN, wakeboarders will do flips, spins and other acrobatic stunts in the

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Local coaches make the news

By Dean Smith
Sports Editor

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Unlike college and professional sports, it's not very often that you hear a lot about high school coaches. It is almost always the players that get the headlines.

But this week has seen a pair of Seminole Athletic Conference coaches get their names in ink.

Bryan Shafer has changed his mind regarding the head football coaches position at Apopka.

Shafer, Kohn in headlines; Oviedo boys win at Optimist

For the personal reasons Shafer, 41, who has been an assistant coach at Lake Brantley for 16 years, the past seven as assistant head coach and defensive coordinator, decided to back out the Blue Darters job just a few days after agreeing to take over the powerful program.

Then on Thursday, veteran Lake Howell High School head basketball coach Steve Kohn was voted the runner-up for the Florida Dairy Farmers Coach of the Year.

Mark Lieberman, who led Miami Pace to the Class 3A state title, was voted

Coach of the Year by a 132-106 margin over Kohn, who guided the Silver Hawks to their first-ever appearance in the Class 3A State Final Four.

Mark Griseck of Gainesville P.K. Yonge was third, followed by Edgewater's Travis Jones, Steve Strand of Fort Lauderdale Aquinas, and Brad Grice of Cottondale.

In a surprising boys' ballot, 6-foot-8 senior forward Chris Richard of Lakeland Kathleen beat Edgewater junior Darius Washington 155-146 in Florida
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Patriots ease past Tribe

Mier's pitching does in Seminole

By Dean Smith
Sports Editor

SANFORD — Behind a strong pitching performance from senior Cassie Mier and some timely hitting, Lake Brantley defeated Seminole, 4-1, in a district softball game at the SHS Softball Complex Thursday evening.

Mier only struck out two, but she also allowed only two hits, both in the same inning, as the Patriots pulled off a big victory.

Sophomore third baseman Nicole Hall flashed a brilliant glove on defense and led the Lake Brantley attack with a two-for-three game, while senior first baseman Jackie Phillips also had a pair of hits, going two-for-four.

The Fighting Seminoles' only run came in the fourth inning when Beth Case led off with a bunt single, stole second, and scored on a double over the left fielder's head by losing pitcher Jenny Abendroth.

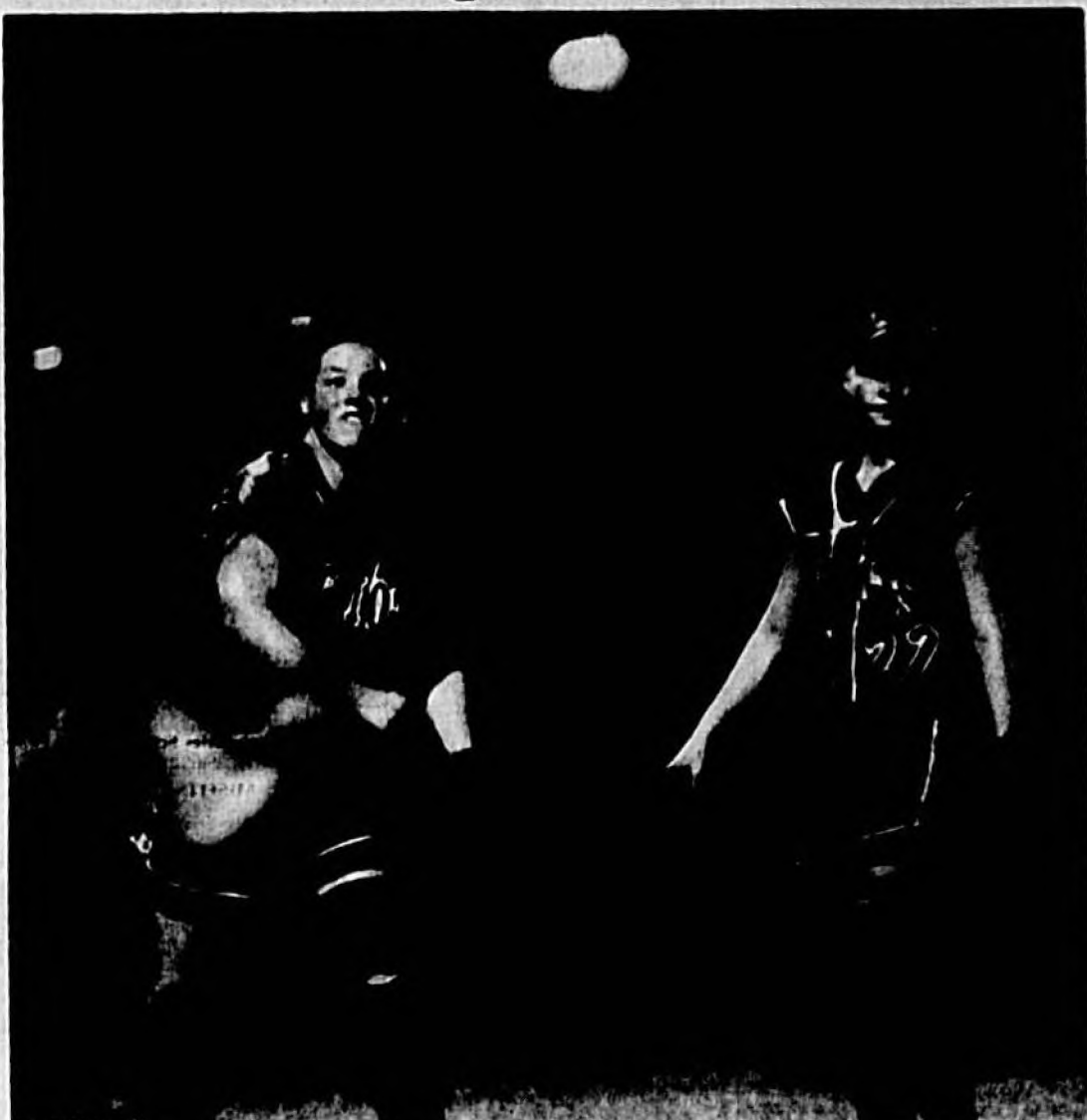
Seminole did bounce back on Wednesday with an 8-0 victory over Lake Howell in a Seminole Athletic Conference contest.

Two players who have just joined the Fighting Seminoles varsity squad, Edleman and Joyve, led the way.

Edleman hurled a complete-game two-hitter, striking out 11, and also drove in two runs with a double.

Joyve, meanwhile, added a triple to the Tribe attack.

Lake Mary showed that it deserves its state ranking as the Rams edged past powerful
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Herald photos by Jim Wanta

Winning pitcher Cassie Mier (above) fires to first as teammate Nicole Hall, who went two-for-three at the plate, looks on during Lake Brantley's 4-1 victory over host Seminole Tuesday evening. Losing pitcher Jenny Abendroth (left) tried to help herself, getting the only Fighting Seminole run home with a double, one of two hits the Tribe had all night against the slants of the Patriots senior. Things would be different in the next game for both teams, however, as Seminole would shutout Lake Howell and Lake Brantley would fall to state-ranked Lake Mary.



K92FM Dugout Patrol to visit Chase

Special to the Herald

SANFORD — JoJemie and the K92FM Dugout Patrol will be paying a visit to Chase Park next Saturday (April 26).

Sponsored by The Orlando Rays at Disney's Wide World of Sports! the Patrol will give out cool K92FM prizes and take pictures that will appear on JoJemie's Web Page on K92FM.com.

K92 will be at the T-Ball and Rookie League games from 8 a.m. until noon and all are welcome to attend.

The Cal Ripken Minor League (9-10 year olds) recently completed the first half of the season. Here are the results from the final games and the first half standings.

APRIL 5 MINOR LEAGUE (9 AND 10 YEAR OLDS)

Field # 2, in the first game of a doubleheader the Sanford Ace Hardware Angels beat the Elks Lodge Royals, 12-3.

Adam Tindell, Seth Greek and Kodi Schaffer led the Angels with two hits apiece. Julius Bender, Benaiah Kimmig and Matthew Votino also had base hits for the Angels.

For the Royals J.J. Roberts had two base hits, while Alex Curtis struck a double and Robin Hickman had a single.

In game two, which was a make up game from a previous rain out, the Angels won 12-6.

Seth Greek again picked up two base hits. Elijah Kimmig and Brandon Bowes each lashed an RBI single. Matthew Votino hit safely as did Kodi Schaffer, who also had an RBI.

J.J. Roberts' bat stayed hot for the Royals as he ripped two
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Swarthout sizzling for SCC

By Craig Johnson
Special to the Herald

SANFORD — At 38-10 the Seminole Community College fast pitch softball team has been nearly perfect.

On March 11th in Palatka versus St. Johns River Community College, Raiders pitcher Lacey Swarthout was perfect.

On that spring day Swarthout pitched the greatest game of not only her life but in Seminole Community College's history, throwing a perfect game, striking out 13, and winning 11-0.

It was not the first time Swarthout put herself into the SCC record books as she set six school records as a freshman, including, wins 26, shutouts 12, and strikeouts with 222. Following the season she was named a Junior College All-American.

She is closing in on even more records as a sophomore and, in fact, has already broken her school records for strike outs, she now has 237 in 177-1/3 innings, and shutouts, 14. Her record, 21-6, has taken a little beating of late as she has lost four of her last six decisions, but in one of the

losses she hurled a no-hitter only to lose 1-0, lost another game 1-0 and a third by a 3-0 score in which she did not allow an earned run. She has given up just 73 hits and has allowed only 17 runs, nine earned, while walking just 24. Her earned run average is a minuscule 0.36.

Born February 13, 1983, Swarthout is the younger of two children to Tom and Jackie Swarthout, in Orlando. She is not like most college softball players. She's special, so special that Raider Coach Courtney Miller said "Watching Lacey pitch is almost surreal. You just know she is going to pitch a great game."

Swarthout began playing softball at the young age of eight in the Conway Little League, where she recalls being hit by a line drive that sent her to the hospital. But that was not enough to stop her as she went on to play on all-star teams from the age of 9-through-15.

From there she went on to become a star at Colonial High School, playing all four years on the varsity squad. Her most notable memory was being named the MVP of the high school tournament as well as being recruited by several
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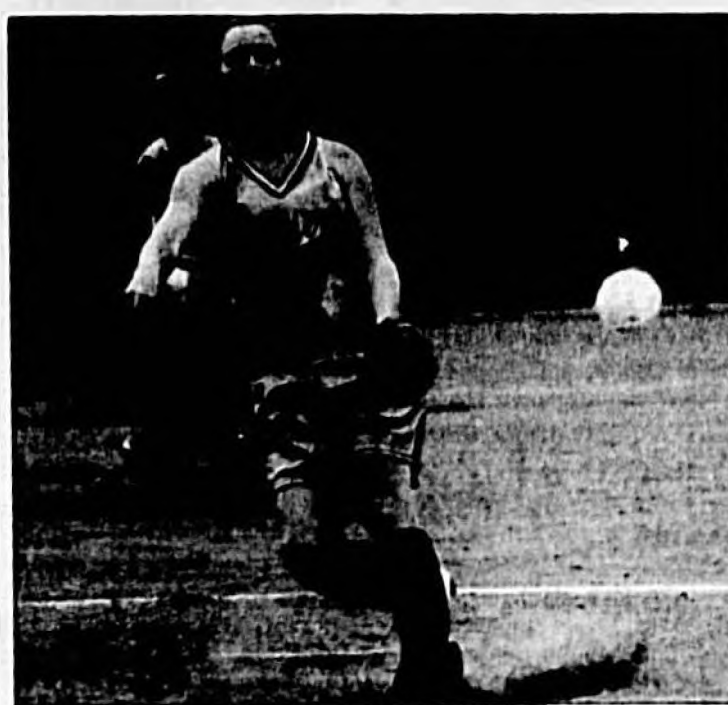


Photo courtesy of Arch Booth, Magic Memories, Inc.

Sophomore Lacey Swarthout has not let a freshman All-American campaign go to her head as she has broken at least two of her own school records.

Ripken

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base hits with one being a triple. Robin Hickman and Marvin Killingsworth III got the other hits for the Royals.

Field # 4 - The Over 50 Dance Club Marlins and the Knights of Columbus Cardinals split their doubleheader.

The Cardinals took game one

14-7 with Jonathan Butler leading the way with two huge hits and two RBI.

Talon Berrico hit a two-run home run and Ez Morales, Dorian Davis and Kris Johnson also had hits for the winner's.

For the Marlins Trenton Norvell and David Ortiz each had two base hits, and Adam Maine had powerful triple.

Game Two saw the Marlins defeat the Cardinals 11-8. David Ortiz led the Marlins with a two-run homer and he also hit safely later in the game to pick up his third RBI. Trenton Norvell also tripled in a run.

Leading the Cardinals was Jonathan Butler with a single, double and two RBI, while Jeff Drombowski also had two hits.

Nicolas Plympton tripled in a run, Dorian Davis doubled in one and Amber Lefrancois also picked a base hit.

Field # 3 - The Gibson Truck World Braves (6-4) thumped the Railroader Cubs (1-9) by a score of 15-4.

Andee' Deboe was a one-man show for the Braves going 4-for-4 at the plate with two inside the park home runs, two singles and 8 RBI for the night. Adam Whiteside got the Braves only other hit, as the Cubby pitchers just gave up too many walks.

The Cubs did get two hits from Josh Pando, including two RBI and a stolen base, and Ronald Sentele, two RBI. Other hits came from Zach Ludwig, plus a stolen base, Mike Radzack and Randall Sentele.

with the Angels coming out on top by a score of 13-3.

Adam Tindell ripped two doubles and had 5 RBI tonight, while Elijah Kinning also had a double and a single and Seth Greek singled in a run. Eddie Ramirez, and Thomas Williams each had base hits and Kodi Schaffer added a run scoring double.

The Marlins got RBI doubles from Gabby Pando and Leonard Richardson, while Trenton Norvell had two singles and an RBI.

Field # 4 - The Sanford Elks Lodge Royals (3-5) were victorious against the Knights of Columbus Cardinals (4-4) tonight as the Royals took advantage of too many mistakes by the Cards for a 11-7 win.

Alex Curtis had a 3-run single for the Royals, while Dorian Davis hit an RBI double and D.J. Beasley and Jonathan Butler had singles for the Redbirds.



Harold photo by Dean L. Smith

The City of Sanford Recreation and Parks Department recently honored its champions from the Polar Bear Adult Softball League. On hand, from left to right, were Scott Haylett from Church A champion Westview Baptist Church; Dennis Poman from Church B champion Knights of Columbus; Bonnie Chaplin from Women's champion She Davids; and Rick Enarud from Industrial champion Budman (Wayne Densch). Not pictured were Co-Ed champion Doyle Family (Greg and Valerie Richards) and Men's champion Cactus Bob's (Bobby Shaw). The Spring League begins this Monday with Church League games at Pinehurst and Zinn Beck at 6:30 p.m. Games will then be played at Pinehurst beginning at 6:30 p.m. the rest of the week.

MFW to host benefit show

Special to the Herald

SANFORD - Mid Florida Wrestling will be holding its Place of Comfort Benefit Show next Friday, April 25th, at the Sanford Civic Center.

The Sanford Civic Center is located at 401 E. Seminole Blvd right in Downtown Sanford. The Place of Comfort will be running concessions during the show, so bring your appetite! Any businesses or people wanting to make a donation to the Place of Comfort please see us after the show, Thank You!

The Main Event pairs Barry Horowitz against Mace and the Semi-Main, for the MFW Heavyweight Title, Rocker Levi Mullins takes on Thump Dupree.

The opening match of the evening will find Lonewolf challenging Jumpin' Jack Flash and in

MINOR LEAGUE FIRST HALF STANDINGS

Sanford Ace Hardware Angels 6-1
Knights of Columbus Cardinals 4-3
Over 50 Dance Club Marlins 2-5
Sanford Elks Lodge 1241 Royals 2-5

APRIL 8 MAJOR LEAGUE (11 AND 12 YEAR OLDS)

Field # 1 - The Sanford F&AM Masonic Lodge #62 Angels (9-1) started out the second half of the season with another big win as they defeated the Volvo Store Red Sox 9-3. The Red Sox now stand at (4-6).

Neither team could garner much hitting tonight. Getting hits for the Angels were Jim Daniels, Alicia Hardy, Daniel Edwards and Torron Miller. For the Sox Juan Santiago, Tyler Lefrancois and Justin Carter all had base hits.

APRIL 10 MINOR LEAGUE (9 AND 10 YEAR OLDS)

Field # 2 - The opening game of the second half saw the Sanford Ace Hardware Angels (7-1) and the Over 50 Dance Club Marlins (2-6) do battle,

thank you to my Dad for having confidence in me and standing by me during bad games. Also for helping me in making the right decisions."

Even more of the load has fallen on the righthander's shoulders as freshman standout pitcher Holly Lacto is currently out with a broken bone in her foot and with a state tournament bid still up in the air, every win becomes more important.

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Swarthout

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Division I schools. She had just one problem, she could not get her test scores up and chose to attend SCC.

Swarthout has accepted a full scholarship to the University of Tennessee-Chattanooga. She partially chose the school because she has many relatives in the area and visits their frequently.

"That was my dream," said Swarthout. "To play fast pitch softball at a Division I school in Tennessee."

Another dream she has is to follow in the footsteps of fellow Colonial High graduate Dottie Richardson, who just happens to coach her traveling team, the "Diamond Dots," in becoming an Olympic Gold medalist.

Outside of softball Swarthout is a down to earth family oriented person who enjoys spending time with her older sister Virginia, 23, and two pets, a cat named Buttercup and dog named Talerot. She is a Physical Education major, and would like to teach the game at the college level when her playing days are over.

"I want to be remembered as a team player," said Swarthout. "Someone my teammates could talk to and have lots of memories of."

Swarthout also added, "I would like to say

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Weekly high scores from bowling league action at Airport Lanes

Special to the Herald

SANFORD - Here are the high scorers from recent league play at Airport Lanes in Sanford.

For information on activities at the local bowling center please call 407-324-2129.

AIRPORT LEAGUE

- ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Martin Cantwell, 237; 2. Jon Arroyo, 189.
 - Men High Series Scratch - 1. Martin Cantwell, 400; 2. Jon Arroyo, 370.
 - Men High Game Handicap - 1. Martin Cantwell, 280; 2. Jon Arroyo, 232.
 - Men High Series Handicap - 1. Jon Arroyo, 454; 2. Martin Cantwell, 446.
 - Women High Game Scratch - 1. Cheryl Cantwell, 144; 2. Tammy Buchanan, 152.
 - Women High Series Scratch - 1. Cheryl Cantwell, 318; 2. Robin Wood, 270.
 - Women High Game Handicap - 1. Tammy Buchanan, 221; 2. Robin Wood, 220.
 - Women High Series Handicap - 1. Robin Wood, 432; 2. Tammy Buchanan, 367.
 - Boys High Game Scratch - 1. Timothy Wood II, 112; 2. Wanza Burke, 108.
 - Boys High Series Scratch - 1. Timothy Wood II, 263; 2. Wanza Burke, 202.
 - Boys High Game Handicap - 1. Daniel Cantwell, 328; 2. Wanza Burke, 197.
 - Boys High Series Handicap - 1. Daniel Cantwell, 392; 2. Timothy Wood II, 362.
 - Girls High Game Scratch - 1. Andrea Roberts, 167; 2. Alexa Foley, 109.
 - Girls High Series Scratch - 1. Andrea Roberts, 305; 2. Alexa Foley, 205.
 - Girls High Game Handicap - 1. Andrea Roberts, 246; 2. Alexa Foley, 216.
 - Girls High Series Handicap - 1. Andrea Roberts, 463; 2. Alexa Foley, 419.
 - Team High Game Scratch - 1. Pinball Wizards, 246; 2. Team High Stepper's, 504.
 - Team High Series Scratch - 1. Pinball Wizards, 1,123; 2. Team High Stepper's, 990.

AIRPORT ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE

- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Martin Cantwell, 223; 2. Kevin Julian, 182.
- Men High Series Scratch - 1. Martin Cantwell, 434; 2. Jon Arroyo, 359.
- Men High Game Handicap - 1. Martin Cantwell, 243; 2. Kevin Julian, 241.
- Men High Series Handicap - 1. Martin Cantwell, 474; 2. Jon Arroyo, 437.
- Women High Game Scratch - 1. Cheryl Cantwell, 158; 2. Tammy Buchanan, 144.
- Women High Series Scratch - 1. Cheryl Cantwell, 306; 2. Tammy Buchanan, 255.
- Women High Game Handicap - 1. Tammy Buchanan, 213; 2. Ashley Buchanan, 199.
- Women High Series Handicap - 1. Tammy Buchanan, 393; 2. Ashley Buchanan, 378.
- Boys High Game Scratch - 1. Timothy Wood II, 115; 2. Josh Georgianna, 114.
- Boys High Series Scratch - 1. Timothy Wood II, 199; 2. Josh Georgianna, 185.
- Boys High Game Handicap - 1. Josh Georgianna, 419; 2. Timothy Wood II, 198.
- Boys High Series Handicap - 1. Josh Georgianna, 419; 2. Daniel Cantwell, 374.
- Girls High Game Scratch - 1. Andrea Roberts, 145; 2. Danielle Julian, 134.
- Girls High Series Scratch - 1. Andrea Roberts, 266; 2. Alexa Foley, 239.
- Girls High Game Handicap - 1. Danielle Julian, 231; 2. Alexa Foley, 227.
- Girls High Series Handicap - 1. Alexa Foley, 449; 2. Danielle Julian, 423.
- Team High Game Scratch - 1. Pinball Wizards, 546; 2. Team I, 533.
- Team High Series Scratch - 1. Pinball Wizards, 1,092; 2. Team I, 1,006.

ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE (YOUTH LEAGUE)

- Week 899**
- Girls High Game Handicap - 1. Jordan Davis, 237.
 - Girls High Series Handicap - 1. Kiana Budnik, 447; 2. Andrea Roberts, 417.
 - Team High Game Scratch - 1. Team #2, 499; 2. Team #3, 457.
 - Team High Series Scratch - 1. Team #1, 1,293; 2. Team #2, 1,285.
 - Boys Most Pins Over Average - 1. Mike Ferguson, +91; 2. Frank Kohler, +43.
 - Girls Most Pins Over Average - 1. Kiana Budnik, +45; 2. Andrea Roberts, +47.

AIRPORT CRUISERS LEAGUE

- Week 649**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Scott Kern, 246; 2. Billy Liberatore, 218.
 - Men High Series Scratch - 1. Mike Davis, 624; 2. Scott Kern, 621.
 - Men High Game Handicap - 1. Scott Kern, 246; 2. Billy Liberatore, 243.
 - Men High Series Handicap - 1. Billy Liberatore, 642; 2. Mike Davis, 640.
 - Women High Game Scratch - 1. Sharon Davis, 527; 2. Carol Liberatore, 484.
 - Women High Series Scratch - 1. Carol Knuth, 231; 2. (tie) Sunnie Mulkey and Sandy Glover, 226.
 - Women High Game Handicap - 1. Sandy Glover, 637; 2. Carol Knuth, 611.
 - Team High Game Scratch - 1. Factious Four, 754; 2. Four D's, 734.
 - Team High Series Scratch - 1. Factious Four, 2,167; 2. R Just Don't Matter, 2,119.

AIRPORT FLYERS LEAGUE (YOUTH LEAGUE)

- Boys High Game Scratch - 1. Seth Harden, 113; 2. Keith Wright, 110.
- Boys High Series Scratch - 1. Christian Laubert, 187; 2. (tie) Seth Harden and Keith Wright, 185.
- Boys High Game Handicap - 1. Seth Harden, 170; 2. Keith Wright, 163.
- Boys High Series Handicap - 1. Shaun Laubert, 310; 2. Keith Wright, 294.
- Girls High Game Scratch - 1. Madalyn Torres, 122; 2. Katie Luna, 113.
- Girls High Series Scratch - 1. Madalyn Torres, 220; 2. Katie Luna, 196.
- Girls High Game Handicap - 1. Madalyn Torres, 183; 2. Katie Luna, 176.
- Girls High Series Handicap - 1. Madalyn Torres, 342; 2. Katie Luna, 322.
- Team High Game Scratch - 1. Team #4, 297; 2. Team #2, 296.
- Team High Series Scratch - 1. Team #2, 555; 2. Team #4, 518.
- Boys Most Pins Over Average - 1. Shaun Laubert, +28; 2. Seth Harden, +13.

AIRPORT JETS LEAGUE (YOUTH LEAGUE)

- Week 629**
- Boys High Game Scratch - 1. Dustin Israel, 158; 2. Robert Dubois, 141.
 - Boys High Series Scratch - 1. Dustin Israel, 446; 2. Shaun Horrocks, 338.
 - Boys High Game Handicap - 1. Shaun Horrocks, 245; 2. Dustin Israel, 239.
 - Boys High Series Handicap - 1. Dustin Israel, 489; 2. Shaun Horrocks, 483.
 - Girls High Game Scratch - 1. Kathryn Cowan, 145; 2. Amber Budnik, 127.
 - Girls High Series Scratch - 1. Jennifer Williamson, 342; 2. Amber Budnik, 340.
 - Girls High Game Handicap - 1. Kathryn Cowan, 225; 2. Eleri Marsie-Hazert, 224.
 - Girls High Series Handicap - 1. Andrea Shaw, 422; 2. Jennifer Williamson, 615.
 - Team High Game Scratch - 1. Pouncing Panthers, 525; 2. Attitude Monsters, 384.
 - Team High Series Scratch - 1. Pouncing Panthers, 1,386; 2. Attitude Monsters, 1,136.

BENESIGHT EMPLOYEES

ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE (ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE)

- Week 66**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Ben Hamby, 202; 2. Bob Wright, 183.
 - Men High Series Scratch - 1. Ben Hamby, 574; 2. Bob Wright, 506.
 - Men High Game Handicap - 1. Michael Willis, 251; 2. Bob Wright, 246.
 - Men High Series Handicap - 1. Bob Wright, 645; 2. Ben Hamby, 694.
 - Women High Game Scratch - 1. Trish Snyder, 192; 2. Nancy Hamby, 182.
 - Women High Series Scratch - 1. Nancy Hamby, 478; 2. Charlene Jennings, 418.
 - Women High Game Handicap - 1. Trish Snyder, 282; 2. Lisa Walters, 265.

THE FORESTERS (SENIOR CITIZENS LEAGUE)

- Week 698**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Don Stettler, 204; 2. (tie) John Virga and Jim Hood, 201.
 - Men High Series Scratch - 1. John Virga, 548; 2. Don Stettler, 502.
 - Men High Game Handicap - 1. Don Stettler, 257; 2. Jim Hood, 248.
 - Men High Series Handicap - 1. John Virga, 674; 2. Don Stettler, 661.
 - Women High Game Scratch - 1. Joie Rowe, 164; 2. Joan Shaw, 160.
 - Women High Series Scratch - 1. Ginger Hood, 429; 2. Arlene Janak, 414.
 - Women High Game Handicap - 1. Pat Means, 220; 2. Joie Rowe, 219.
 - Women High Series Handicap - 1. Ginny Lewis, 612; 2. Hazel Engle, 607.
 - Team High Game Scratch - 1. Splinters, 649; 2. Blue Jays, 614.
 - Team High Series Scratch - 1. Splinters, 1,827; 2. Blue Jays, 1,738.

LADIES TIME OUT LEAGUE

- Individual High Game Scratch - 1. Jeanne Ferguson, 182; 2. Harriet DeGroat, 181.
- Individual High Series Scratch - 1. Kathy Griggs, 474; 2. Melissa Fryer, 469.
- Individual High Game Handicap - 1. Sherri J., 259; 2. June Sierpinski, 254.
- Individual High Series Handicap - 1. Sherri J., 665; 2. June Sierpinski, 656.
- Team High Game Scratch - 1. Ser Kittens (1972), 673; 2. Thinkin' About It, 433.
- Team High Series Scratch - 1. Ser Kittens (1972), 1,327; 2. Happy Hookers, 1,255.

MARDELL'S LADIES

- Women High Game Scratch - 1. Cindy Decker, 246; 2. Nancy Benton, 234; 3. Phyllis Lowry, 233; 4. Phyllis Lowry, 225; 5. Dory Jackson, 223; 6. Judy Shoemaker, 208; 7. Deborah Coxvrek, 201.
- Women High Series Scratch - 1. Phyllis Lowry, 642; 2. Cindy Decker, 612; 3. Nancy Benton, 590; 4. Dory Jackson, 580; 5. Mary Barvis, 573; 6. (tie) Deborah Coxvrek and Dottie Robertson, 550; 8. Mary DeGroat, 536; 11. Nancy Norris, 531; 10. Evelyn Kingsley, 524; 11. Rhonda Kennedy, 522; 12. Carol Liberatore, 509; 13. Caryll Lake, 505; 14. Sherree Schearing, 503.

MID-FLORIDA WINDOW & DOOR LEAGUE

- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Randy Spers, 246; 2. Bill Surott, 245.
- Men High Series Scratch - 1. Bill Surott, 645; 2. Randy Spers, 631.
- Men High Game Handicap - 1. B. J. Clupper, 294; 2. Bill Surott, 283.
- Men High Series Handicap - 1. Bill Surott, 699; 2. Freddie Watson, 698.
- Women High Game Scratch - 1. Phyllis Lowry, 242; 2. Bobbi Jo Holcomb, 214.
- Women High Series Scratch - 1. Phyllis Lowry, 610; 2. Holly Wells, 584.
- Women High Game Handicap - 1. (tie) Bobbi Jo Holcomb and Joyce McIlroy, 249; 2. Holly Wells, 248.
- Women High Series Handicap - 1. Holly Wells, 692; 2. Bobbi Jo Holcomb, 660.
- Team High Game Scratch - 1. Dynamic Duo, 785; 2. Really Really, 762.

ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE (ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE)

- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Pin Heads, 230; 2. Gene Fisher, 217.

MISSISSIPPI LEAGUE

- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Don Betwrick, 234; 2. Bob Sammet, 207.
- Men High Series Scratch - 1. Jason Darrell, 599; 2. Don Betwrick, 557.
- Men High Game Handicap - 1. Don Betwrick, 252; 2. (tie) Bob Sammet and Bob Ashburn, 235.
- Men High Series Handicap - 1. Paul Tidwell, 642; 2. Bob Ashburn, 636.
- Women High Game Scratch - 1. Carol Stokalski, 227; 2. Sue Dunbury, 205.
- Women High Series Scratch - 1. Carol Stokalski, 565; 2. Jackie Calmer, 520.
- Women High Game Handicap - 1. Sue Dunbury, 261; 2. Carol Stokalski, 260.
- Women High Series Handicap - 1. Carol Stokalski, 664; 2. Sue Dunbury, 661.
- Team High Game Scratch - 1. Rockets, 2,109; 2. Cops, 694.
- Team High Series Scratch - 1. Rockets, 2,109; 2. Cops, 1,979.

POCKET CHANGE LEAGUE

- Week 998**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Dave Jester, 245; 2. Wayne Bernard, 236.
 - Men High Series Scratch - 1. Wayne Bernard, 891; 2. Dave Jester, 841.
 - Men High Game Handicap - 1. Roger Wren, 252; 2. Dave Jester, 245.
 - Men High Series Handicap - 1. Wayne Bernard, 911; 2. Dave Jester, 841.
 - Women High Game Scratch - 1. Jessica Davidson, 214; 2. Susan Scaltvorn, 158.
 - Women High Series Scratch - 1. Jessica Davidson, 747; 2. Susan Scaltvorn, 564.
 - Women High Game Handicap - 1. Jessica Davidson, 230; 2. Starlene Dawkins, 227.
 - Women High Series Handicap - 1. Starlene Dawkins, 836; 2. Jessica Davidson, 811.
 - Team High Game Scratch - 1. Team 9, 450; 2. Stardust Cleaning, 400.
 - Team High Series Scratch - 1. Team 9, 1,436; 2. Stardust Cleaning, 1,389.

SANFORD CITY MEN'S INVITATIONAL LEAGUE

- Individual High Game Scratch - 1. Robert W. Lahr, 279; 2. Edward Dudas, 257.
- Individual High Series Scratch - 1. Ray Pittman, 703; 2. Harold Sundvall, 693.
- Individual High Game Handicap - 1. Fred Plich, 297; 2. Edward Dudas, 283.
- Individual High Series Handicap - 1. Harold Sundvall, 771; 2. Ray Pittman, 766.
- Team High Game Scratch - 1. Fox Head Lounge, 1,116; 2. Beer '30, 1,040.
- Team High Series Scratch - 1. Fox Head Lounge, 3,220; 2. Fox Hunters, 3,008.

SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE LEAGUE

- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Dave Green, 224; 2. Thomas Stanley, 214.
- Men High Series Scratch - 1. Thomas Stanley, 604; 2. James Hulker, 584.
- Men High Game Handicap - 1. Dave Green, 245; 2. (tie) Glenn Denton and James Hulker, 243.
- Men High Series Handicap - 1. James Hulker, 677; 2. Glenn Denton, 665.
- Women High Game Scratch - 1. Equilla Shaw, 225; 2. Carol Stinson, 215.
- Women High Series Scratch - 1. Linda Meagher, 581; 2. Equilla Shaw, 579.
- Women High Game Handicap - 1. (tie) Carol Stinson and Equilla Shaw, 259; 2. Deby Diamond, 248.
- Women High Series Handicap - 1. Equilla Shaw, 681; 2. Deby Diamond, 673.
- Team High Game Scratch - 1. Tom's Turkey Ranch, 763; 2. Bru Cru, 739.
- Team High Series Scratch - 1. Tom's Turkey Ranch, 2,176; 2. B.A.M.F., Inc., 2,017.

SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE LEAGUE

- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Bryan Castle, 214; 2. Mickey Hulker, 212.
- Men High Series Scratch - 1. Bryan Castle, 605; 2. Thomas Stanley, 593.

ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE (ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE)

- Men High Game Handicap - 1. T. Johnny Overton, 259; 2. Mickey Hulker, 267.
- Men High Series Handicap - 1. Bryan Castle, 695; 2. Mark Davis, 666.
- Women High Game Scratch - 1. Robin Gallimore, 221; 2. Equilla Shaw, 210.
- Women High Series Scratch - 1. Robin Gallimore, 548; 2. Linda Meagher, 503.
- Women High Game Handicap - 1. Robin Gallimore, 270; 2. Lisa Reed, 251.
- Women High Series Handicap - 1. Robin Gallimore, 687; 2. Lisa Reed, 651.
- Team High Game Scratch - 1. B.S. Bowlers, 728; 2. B.A.M.F., Inc., 708.
- Team High Series Scratch - 1. B.A.M.F., Inc., 2,004; 2. Tom's Turkey Ranch, 1,995.

SEMINOLE COUNTY EDUCATORS LEAGUE

- Week 911**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Terry Porter, 224; 2. John Chaly, 206.
 - Men High Series Scratch - 1. Terry Porter, 642; 2. Jim Burd, 522.
 - Men High Game Handicap - 1. Terry Porter, 240; 2. John Chaly, 233.
 - Men High Series Handicap - 1. Terry Porter, 684; 2. Robert Curran, 652.
 - Women High Game Scratch - 1. Taaffe Pereira, 181; 2. Rosalie Morace, 171.
 - Women High Series Scratch - 1. Lisa Page, 474; 2. Taaffe Pereira, 467.
 - Women High Game Handicap - 1. Beth Newman, 245; 2. Taaffe Pereira, 239.
 - Women High Series Handicap - 1. Lisa Sandman, 644; 2. Taaffe Pereira, 641.
 - Team High Game Scratch - 1. The Hit Lo Trio, 564; 2. (tie) Ravens and EEE Rollers, 524.
 - Team High Series Scratch - 1. EEE Rollers, 1,673; 2. Who Care!!!, 1,443.

SEMINOLE COUNTY EDUCATORS LEAGUE

- Week 911**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Terry Porter, 224; 2. John Chaly, 206.
 - Men High Series Scratch - 1. Terry Porter, 642; 2. Jim Burd, 522.
 - Men High Game Handicap - 1. Terry Porter, 240; 2. John Chaly, 233.
 - Men High Series Handicap - 1. Terry Porter, 684; 2. Robert Curran, 652.
 - Women High Game Scratch - 1. Taaffe Pereira, 181; 2. Rosalie Morace, 171.
 - Women High Series Scratch - 1. Lisa Page, 474; 2. Taaffe Pereira, 467.
 - Women High Game Handicap - 1. Beth Newman, 245; 2. Taaffe Pereira, 239.
 - Women High Series Handicap - 1. Lisa Sandman, 644; 2. Taaffe Pereira, 641.
 - Team High Game Scratch - 1. The Hit Lo Trio, 564; 2. (tie) Ravens and EEE Rollers, 524.
 - Team High Series Scratch - 1. EEE Rollers, 1,673; 2. Who Care!!!, 1,443.

TAVERN LEAGUE (4 GAMES)

- Week 910**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Ron Olson, 208; 2. Jon Shirkis, 203.
 - Men High Series Scratch - 1. Ron Olson, 781; 2. Jon Shirkis, 725.
 - Men High Game Handicap - 1. Rodney King, 242; 2. Chad Putnik, 240.
 - Men High Series Handicap - 1. Chad Putnik, 913; 2. Rodney King, 827.
 - Women High Game Scratch - 1. Jessica Davidson, 235; 2. Joanne Ferguson, 189.
 - Women High Series Scratch - 1. Jessica Davidson, 786; 2. Joanne Ferguson, 647.
 - Women High Game Handicap - 1. Jessica Davidson, 253; 2. (tie) Helena Inocentes and Diana French, 234.
 - Women High Series Handicap - 1. Jessica Davidson, 856; 2. Helena Inocentes, 818.
 - Team High Game Scratch - 1. 08 Seconds, 417; 2. (tie) Team 8 and Tin Lizzie, 375.
 - Team High Series Scratch - 1. 08 Seconds, 1,511; 2. Tin Lizzie, 1,422.

TAVERN LEAGUE (4 GAMES)

- Week 911**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Chad Putnik,

ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE (ADULT-YOUTH LEAGUE)

- 246; 2. Ben Olson, 237.
- Men High Series Scratch - 1. Ben Olson, 695; 2. Jason McGraw, 714.
- Men High Game Handicap - 1. Chad Putnik, 305; 2. Jason McGraw, 281.
- Men High Series Handicap - 1. Ben Olson, 911; 2. Chad Putnik, 884.
- Women High Game Scratch - 1. Jessica Davidson, 294; 2. Helena Inocentes, 157.
- Women High Series Scratch - 1. Jessica Davidson, 724; 2. Helena Inocentes, 526.
- Women High Game Handicap - 1. Jessica Davidson, 220; 2. Helena Inocentes, 215.
- Women High Series Handicap - 1. Jessica Davidson, 790; 2. Helena Inocentes, 736.
- Team High Game Scratch - 1. Tin Lizzie, 672; 2. 08 Seconds, 401.
- Team High Series Scratch - 1. Tin Lizzie, 1,503; 2. 08 Seconds, 1,426.

TONS OF FUN LEAGUE

- Week 910**
- Men High Game Scratch - 1. Lindsay Payne, 279; 2. Frank Redding, 266.
 - Men High Series Scratch - 1. Lindsay Payne, 657; 2. Frank Redding, 638.
 - Men High Game Handicap - 1. Lindsay Payne, 297; 2. Frank Redding, 266.
 - Men High Series Handicap - 1. Gary Randolph, 730; 2. Lindsay

Track

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Dairy Farmers' Mr. Basketball balloting. Bounded for the University of Florida, Richard had 10 first-place votes and Washington, who was a Parade All-America Second Team pick, seven from statewide media and high school coaches. Senior guard T.J. Bannister of Arlington Country Day was third, followed by Cape Coral Mariner senior Robert Ferguson, Palmetto junior Zablen Dowdell and Hawthorne junior Cornelius Ingram.

Richard was also named Florida Player of the Year by Gatorade two weeks ago. According to the Mr. Basketball ballot, Richard averaged 24 points, 14 rebounds, five blocked shots and five assists for a 22-6 Kathleen team that lost in the Class 4A round of 16. Washington's averages, provided by Edgewater for the ballot, were 30.1 points, 4.1 rebounds, 3.5 assists and 2.8 steal for a 34-2 team that was state runner-up to Fort Lauderdale Dillard (32-1) in Class 6A.

Washington was hoping to become the first two-time Mr. Basketball recipient since Miami High guard Steve Edwards won the award as a junior in 1991 and senior in 1992. The only other two-time winner was former Hialeah Miami Lakes and North Carolina State guard Chris Corchiani (1986/1987).

In track results, the Oviedo boys and Edgewater and Belleview girls were the champions at the prestigious Sanford Optimist Club Invitational Track Meet on Buddy Lawson Memorial Track at Thomas E. Whigham Stadium last weekend.

SANFORD OPTIMIST INVITATIONAL

Friday, April 4

on Buddy Lawson Memorial Track at Thomas E. Whigham Stadium

BOYS RESULTS

TEAM SCORES - 1. Oviedo High School, 81:53; 2. Winter Park High School, 75; 3. Belleview High School, 63; 4. Lynn High School, 60; 5. Seminole High School, 56; 6. Edgewater High School, 56; 7. Lake Howell High School, 41; 7. Charlotte High School, 41; 9. North Fort Myers High School, 25; 9. Maitland High School, 25; 11. Lake Mary High School, 17; 12. St. Cloud High School, 15; 12. DeLand High School, 15; 14. Lake Howell High School, 14; 14. Lake Brantley High School, 14; 14. Polk County High School, 14; 17. Trinity Prep School, 12; 18. Fort Myers High School, 7; 19. Pine Ridge High School, 6; 20. Lantana High School, 4; 21. New Smyrna Beach High School, 2; 22. Timber Creek High School, 1.

EVENTS (winners plus Seminole County finalists)

400 Meter Relay - 1. Winter Park High School, 1:14.53; 2. Seminole High School, 1:19.21; 3. Oviedo High School, 1:24.23; 4. Lynn High School, 1:31.66; 5. Lake Brantley High School, 1:37.94; 6. Lake Mary High School, 1:41.30; 11. Trinity Prep School, 1:46.88; 16. Lake Howell High School, 1:53.05.

100 Meter High Hurdles - 1. Mike Morris, Belleview High School, 14.92; 6. Randy Pflieger, 11. Lake Howell High School, 15.94.

800 Meter Dash - 1. Jared Wharton, Oviedo High School, 10.99; 2. Reggie Campbell, 12. Lake Mary High School, 11.01; 6. Cayce Richardson, 10. Seminole High School, 11.55; 8. Steven Hayes, Lake Brantley High School, 11.68.

1,600 Meter Run - 1. Tim McLeod, Trinity Prep School, 6:31.55; 8. Daniel Sebaly, 11. Lake Mary High School, 6:44.27; 9. Matt Clement, 11. Oviedo High School, 6:49.63; 10. Steve Curry, Trinity Prep School, 6:46.90; 11. Lukas Bascryk, 11. Lynn High School, 6:47.45; 13. Thomas Adamsen, 12. Lake Mary High School, 6:51.41; 14. Christopher DeBridges, Lake Brantley High School, 6:53.51; 17. Jason McChang, 11. Oviedo High School, 6:57.14; 19. Robert Isaac, 11. Lake Howell High School, 6:58.40; 20. Farhad Taheri, 12. Seminole High School, 6:59.84; 27. Andrew Phelan, Lake Brantley High School, 6:57.31; 28. Luis Velez, 11. Seminole High School, 6:53.15; 27. Chris Clauson, 9. Lynn High School, 5:58.79.

4,800 Meter Relay - 1. Seminole High School, 42:77; 3. Oviedo High School, 43:74; 5. Lake Mary High School, 44:26; 7. Lake Howell High School, 44:50; 8. Lynn High School, 45:79; 13. Trinity Prep School, 47:40.

800 Meter Dash - 1. Michael Walker, 12. Edgewater High School, 50:46; 2. Jon Guo, 11. Oviedo High School, 50:87; 3. Shaun Roberts, 10. Lynn High School, 53:46; 7. George Barriere, 12. Seminole High School, 54:42; 8. Chaucery Ware, 11. Lake Howell High School, 57:41.

300 Meter Interval Race - 1. Mike Morris, Belleview High School, 40.43; 2. Curt Franklin, 11. Lynn High School, 41.44; 6. Van Dixon, 10. Lynn High School, 43.52; 7. Aaron Williams, 10. Seminole High School, 43.96; 9. Andrew Neal, 12. Oviedo High School, 44.14; 14. Michael Hart, Lake Brantley High School, 45:75; 15. Terry Burch, 12. Seminole High School, 45:82; 18. Asher Waldron, 11. Oviedo High School, 46:81; 20. Michael Brown, 10. Lake Mary High School, 47:93; 23. Chris Kaira, 11. Lake Mary High School, 49:45; 24. Keith Hightower, Trinity Prep School, 50:26; 26. David Selaizer, Trinity Prep School, 50:73.

800 Meter Run - 1. Dustin Hicks, 12. Oviedo High School, 2:02.10; 3. Gerald Christian, 12. Lynn High School, 2:02:48; 4. Darvy Sababouth, Lake Brantley High School, 2:03:02; 5. Nick Thomas, 12. Seminole High School, 2:03:41; 6. Dennis Lawson, 12. Seminole High School, 2:03:77; 11. David Rodriguez, Lake Brantley High School, 2:09:07; 14. Sam Abraham,

12. Lynn High School, 2:10:99; 16. Mike Rodriguez, Trinity Prep School, 2:12:28; 18. Tom Gilman, Trinity Prep School, 2:12:48; 22. Brian Golden, 12. Oviedo High School, 2:14:53; 29. Jason Sherman, 9. Lake Mary High School, 2:21:80; 31. Christopher Evans, 12. Lake Howell High School, 2:24:48; 33. Jeff Moore, 11. Lake Mary High School, 2:28:23.

800 Meter Dash - 1. Travis Winslow, 12. Lynn High School, 2:22:29; 2. Nicholas Martin, 12. Lake Howell High School, 2:26:30; 3. Jon Guo, 11. Oviedo High School, 2:29:46; 6. Ryan Pascoe, 12. Lake Mary High School, 2:32:52.

1,600 Meter Run - 1. Mike Harney, 12. North Fort Myers High School, 9:39:18; 2. Bryan Christian, 11. Lynn High School, 9:52:06; 4. Tim McLeod, Trinity Prep School, 10:06:33; 12. Paul Nelson, 11. Oviedo High School, 10:29:13; 13. Christopher DeBridges, Lake Brantley High School, 10:39:46; 14. Jason Thompson, 12. Oviedo High School, 10:45:92; 15. Stephen Little, 11. Lake Mary High School, 10:48:20; 16. Andrew Phelps, Lake Brantley High School, 11:08:81; 17. Daniel Bush, 9. Lynn High School, 11:14:94; 20. Brad Wilson, Trinity Prep School, 11:21:31; 22. Ryan Catchings, 11. Lake Mary High School, 11:36:80; 27. Roman Khayat, 10. Lake Howell High School, 11:54:94.

4,800 Meter Relay - 1. Seminole High School, 3:28:36; 4. Lynn High School, 3:36:57; 9. Lake Brantley High School, 3:38:96; 10. Oviedo High School, 3:39:13.

High Jump - 1. Dillard Gould, 12. Oviedo High School, 6'08.00"; 2. Howard Ligand, 12. Oviedo High School, 6'04.00"; 6. Sam Abshara, 12. Lynn High School, 5'08.00"; 8. Cameron Robinson, 11. Lake Mary High School, 4'08.00"; 9. Damien Reeves, 10. Seminole High School, 5'10.00"; 10. Puka Stull, 11. Casey McCarty, 11. Lake Highland Prep, 4'48.00"; 2. Adam Carls, 12. Lynn High School, 1'10.00".

Long Jump - 1. Howard Ligand, 12. Oviedo High School, 21'11.00"; 4. Kyle Harris, 11. Lynn High School, 20'02.50"; 9. Bryan Roberts, 11. Lake Howell High School, 20'00.50"; 12. Anthony Turner, 12. Seminole High School, 19'08.50"; 14. Andre Stinson, 11. Lake Howell High School, 19'07.50".

Triple Jump - 1. Howard Ligand, 12. Oviedo High School, 47'03.25"; 2. Andre Stinson, 12. Seminole High School, 47'04.50"; 3. Steve Warren, 10. Seminole High School, 46'11.50"; 4. Kyle Harris, 11. Lynn High School, 44'08.50"; 12. Joshua Ferguson, Lake Brantley High School, 41'04.00"; 14. Bryan Roberts, 11. Lake Howell High School, 40'08.00"; 15. Michael Robert, 11. Oviedo High School, 40'08.00"; 22. Ivan Scott, 12. Lake Howell High School, 34'10.00"; 22. Reggie Campbell, 12. Lake Mary High School, 34'10.00".

Shot Put - 1. Wes Stockberger, 11. Charlotte High School, 57'02.50"; 2. Charles Johnson, Lake Brantley High School, 57'02.00"; 11. Chad McMillan, 12. Oviedo High School, 47'08.50"; 16. Robert Williams, 11. Lynn High School, 47'06.00"; 17. Justin Wright, 11. Lynn High School, 47'05.50"; 18. Karl Ferris, 12. Oviedo High School, 47'02.00"; 19. Brandon Williams, 11. Lake Mary High School, 47'02.00"; 24. Mike Gibson, 11. Seminole High School, 37'04.00"; 25. Josh Perlin, Trinity Prep School, 37'04.00"; 26. Gregory Lewis, 11. Lake Howell High School, 37'04.00"; 29. Dan Stark, 12. Seminole High School, 37'02.00"; 32. David Starr, 11. Lake Howell High School, 37'01.00"; 33. Ash Eichenberg, Trinity Prep School, 31'08.00".

GIRLS RESULTS

TEAM SCORES - 1. (tie) Edgewater High School, and Belleview High School, 76; 3. St. Cloud High School, 54; 4. Pine Ridge High School, 50; 5. Lantana High School, 46; 6. Daytona Beach Masterton, 44; 7. Winter Park High School, 38; 8. Lake Mary High School, 36; 9. Seminole High School, 35; 9. Charlotte High School, 33; 11. DeLand High School, 28; 12. Lake Brantley High School, 27; 13. Trinity Prep School, 19; 13. Oviedo High School, 19; 13. New Smyrna Beach High School, 19; 16. Lake Highland Prep, 17; 17. North Fort Myers High School, 16; 18. Lake Howell High School, 15; 19. Lynn High School, 15; 20. Father Lopez High School, 8; 21. Fort Myers High School, 4; 22. Palmetto High School, 1.

EVENTS (winners plus Seminole County finalists)

400 Meter Relay - 1. St. Cloud High School, 10:34.78; 4. Lake Brantley High School, 11:02.74; 5. Trinity Prep School, 11:02.97; 6. Lake Mary High School, 11:02.98; 9. Lake Howell High School, 11:28.73; 10. Lynn High School, 11:36.61; 14. Oviedo High School, 11:52.55.

800 Meter High Hurdles - 1. Sam Williams, 10. Lantana High School, 5:35.35; 2. Katelyn Connor, 12. Seminole High School, 16:93; 7. Breezy Hughes, 12. Lake Howell High School, 18:08.

1,600 Meter Dash - 1. Angie Priddy, 11. Lake Mary High School, 12:13; 2. Katelyn Connor, 12. Lake Mary High School, 12:58.

1,600 Meter Run - 1. Audrey Allen, 10. Winter Park High School, 5:35.35; 2. Lucinda Burgess, Lake Brantley High School, 5:39:34; 3. Alicia Ivanhoe, Trinity Prep School, 5:39:82; 9. Tricia Rogers, Trinity Prep School, 5:59:94; 13. Sara Kant, 12. Oviedo High School, 6:07:04; 14. Hannah Berg, 11. Oviedo High School, 6:20:03; 17. Shaaron Stinson, 11. Lake Mary High School, 6:25:34; 18. Kathryn O'Dowd, Lake Brantley High School, 6:27:47; 19. Erin Yarn, 10. Lake Howell High School, 6:30:16; 20. Lora Lester, 9. Lynn High School, 6:30:80; 23. Ashley Dodson, 9. Lake Howell High School, 6:44:81; 24. Marie Gordon, 10. Lake Mary High School, 6:48:27; 25. Ashley Stokes, 9. Lynn High School, 7:10:67.

4,800 Meter Relay - 1. Edgewater High School, 30:03; 2. Lake Mary High School, 31:15; 8. Lake Howell High School, 33:99; 9. Oviedo High School, 34:21; 11. Trinity Prep School, 35:04; 14. Lake Brantley High School, 36:29.

800 Meter Dash - 1. Avani King, 9. Daytona Beach Masterton, 38:55; 2. Jocelyn Williams, 11. Seminole High School, 38:46; 8. Yvonne Stewart, 11. Lake Howell High School, 1:08:07.

300 Meter Low Hurdles - 1. Dominique Rogers, 11. Pine Ridge High School, 48:05; 6. Yvonne Stewart, 10. Lynn High School, 51:11; 7. Brianna Kardon, 11. Lake Howell High School, 51:72; 13. Katherine Caulfield, 10. Lake Howell High School, 53:90; 14. Nikes Ayles, 9. Seminole High School, 55:53; 17. Sasha Burns, Lake Brantley High School, 57:08; 22. Jessica Fossitt, 9. Seminole High School, 59:03; 23. Kelly Nicola, 12. Oviedo High School, 1:00:00; 24. Melba James, Lake Brantley High School, 1:01:47.

800 Meter Run - 1. Justine Jerome, 10. DeLand High School, 2:23:35; 7.

Cynthia Gomez, Lake Brantley High School, 2:38:28; 10. Shady Karamian, Lake Brantley High School, 2:40:49; 13. Monica Neppington, 12. Oviedo High School, 2:43:07; 17. Maggie Rogers, Trinity Prep School, 2:45:25; 19. Karah Burdick, 11. Seminole High School, 2:45:73; 23. Mya Rami, 9. Lynn High School, 2:47:31; 24. Sarah Phillips, 9. Lynn High School, 2:48:45; 25. Katie Bush, 11. Lake Mary High School, 2:49:10; 26. Joyce Kamb, 11. Oviedo High School, 2:49:45; 27. Catherine Burns, 9. Lake Mary High School, 2:49:48; 28. Tricia Rogers, Trinity Prep School, 2:50:58.

800 Meter Dash - 1. Kyla Smith, 11. Masterton High School, 26:34; 3. Asha Nathan, 11. Lake Mary High School, 27:04; 7. Lindsay Phillips, 11. Lynn High School, 27:28.

1,600 Meter Run - 1. Sarah Hughes, 10. Winter Park High School, 12:11:57; 2. Lucinda Burgess, Lake Brantley High School, 12:27:33; 3. Julianne Johnson, Trinity Prep School, 13:16:02; 11. Bryn Olson, 12. Lake Mary High School, 14:02; 12. Kelly O'Neill, 10. Lake Highland Prep, 14:09:05; 13. Michelle Marie, 9. Lynn High School, 14:16:00; 15. Laura Seland, 9. Lynn High School, 15:37:22.

4,800 Meter Relay - 1. Masterton High School, 4:05:51; 4. Oviedo High School, 4:25:28; 9. Lake Brantley High School, 4:41:46; 11. Trinity Prep School, 4:42:13.

High Jump - 1. Sabina Coombs, 12. Pine Ridge High School, 5'04.00"; 2. Larisa McDonough, 12. Father Lopez High School, 5'08.00"; 3. Tracy Coats, 12. Oviedo High School, 5'08.00"; 4. Dianne Brown, 12. Seminole High School, 5'08.00"; 6. Shelia Jones, 10. Seminole High School, 5'08.00"; 9. (tie) Tracy Coats, 10. Trinity Prep School, and Ashley Johnson, 10. Lake Howell High School, 4'18.00".

Softball

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Oviedo, 3-2, and then defeated Lake Brantley, 5-2.

Wain pitched a strong five innings for Lake Mary against the Lions and ace Kelly Ray, with Lauren Horwath leading the offense with a triple and a single.

Alicia Perez had an RBI single for Oviedo.

On Thursday, Olivia Toporowski struck out six to win a pitching duel with Mir.

Toporowski and Maile Kenney both had RBI doubles to lead the Rams offense, while Phillips

was two-for-three and drove in both Pa trios runs.

Winter Springs also picked up a big victory, outscoring Orange County power Apopka, 3-2.

Seacher was two-for-three with an RBI and winning pitcher Semuels scored a run for the Bears.

FLORIDA SPORTS WRITERS SOFTBALL POLL

CLASS 6A	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1. John L. Leonard (11)	16-1	119			
2. Tampa Bay	14-4	94			
3. Lake Mary (1)	10-6	90			
4. Venice	15-3	90			
5. Palm Beach Gardens	14-2	71			
6. Miami Palmetto	15-4	59			
7. Lantana	12-3	41			

CLASS 5A	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1. Chieflly (12)	14-1	120			
2. N. Fla. Christian	11-3	102			
3. American Heritage-Delray	8-2	100			
4. St. Petersburg Catholic	13-1	77			
5. Lake Highland Prep	6-2	65			
6. Trinity Prep	10-6	60			
7. Boca Raton St. Andrew	6-1	46			
8. Thurston	7-3	33			
9. Tallahassee Florida High	11-3	30			
10. Palmetto	10-3	18			

Others receiving votes: Southwind Miami (11-4-1) 16; Wellington (12-4) 6; Seminole (12-7) 5.

CLASS 4A	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1. Chieflly (12)	14-1	120			
2. N. Fla. Christian	11-3	102			
3. American Heritage-Delray	8-2	100			
4. St. Petersburg Catholic	13-1	77			
5. Lake Highland Prep	6-2	65			
6. Trinity Prep	10-6	60			
7. Boca Raton St. Andrew	6-1	46			
8. Thurston	7-3	33			
9. Tallahassee Florida High	11-3	30			
10. Palmetto	10-3	18			

Others receiving votes: McKeel Academy (14-9-1) 11; Bilt (8-4-7); Coral Springs Charter (10-5); 2. Bristed Liberty County (6-4); 1. Fort Pierce John Carroll (9-4); 1. Gainesville P.K. Yonge (9-5).

Briefs

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WIRZ PARK POOL TO OPEN IN CASELBERY

The Wirz Park Recreation Center pool will officially open for the season on Saturday, April 26th.

Admission to the pool will be free on this day only. Regular admission prices are \$2 per day for Caselberry residents and \$3 per day for non-Caselberry residents.

The pool will be open from noon until 7 P.M. Wirz Park Recreation Center is located at 806 Mark David Boulevard.

While you're there, enjoy games, relay races, FREE food and much more! You will also have the opportunity to learn about pool safety and drown prevention techniques from the American Red Cross and other local vendors.

For more information about the Wirz Park Recreation Center Pool Opening, please contact TC Donahue at 407.262.7720 x1302 or email him at sports@caselberry.org. You can also visit our website at www.caselberry.org and hit the Parks and Recreation button.

SANFORD RECREATION AND PARKS DEPARTMENT GOLF

The City of Sanford Recreation Golf 2003 Tournament will be held on Friday, April 25th at Magnolia Plantation Club.

The proceeds raised from this tournament will be dedicated to the Youth Sports Program. Kick off your weekend with golf at Seminole County's newest course. Come out, show your support and have fun too!

The tournament will begin at 9 a.m. with a four-person team scramble "shotgun" start. The entry fee is \$75 per person and multi-guns can be purchased three for \$5 (limit of 12 per foursome). Tee sponsorships are also available for \$100.

Prizes will be awarded for longest drive and closest to the pin!! All golfers will receive a gift, a "goody bag", awards banquet and beverages on the course.

All entries must be phoned in by Friday, April 18th, and registration forms can be picked up at the Downtown Youth Center, first floor of Sanford City Hall (300 North Park Avenue).

For more information call 407-330-5697.

FWC SUMMER CAMP

Now is the time to register for the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's (FWC) summer camp for children held at its Hunter Education Training Center (HETC) in the Ocala National Forest.

This year's program begins on June 22 and offers five 1-week sessions for boys and girls ages 10 to 15. The primary goal of the summer camp program is to provide campers with the necessary skills and knowledge to become better sportsmen and women, while instilling an awareness of firearm safety, conservation, and wildlife stewardship.

In addition, campers will enjoy fishing, canoeing, swimming, hiking and many other outdoor activities.

Tuition is \$250 per camper and includes lodging, food, and instruction for each week-long session. The summer camp is divided into three groups: Pioneers, Pathfinder and Voyagers.

The Hunter Education Training Center is located about 20 miles east of Ocala on Lake Easton on a 57-acre peninsula rich in history and wildlife.

For more information or registration materials for the summer program, please contact the camp at (352) 625-2804. New this year, beginning March 1, campers can register online at www.floridacoonervation.org/camps.

TEN STAR BASKETBALL

Applications are now being evaluated for The Ten Star All-Star Summer Basketball Camp.

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Players from all 50 states and eight foreign countries attended the 2002 camp.

Camps are held throughout the United States with Babson Park (Webber International University) and Atlanta being the closest for local interests.

Teams can register at Riverside Park, which is located at 1600 Lockwood Boulevard, and the fee is \$340, including ASA fee.

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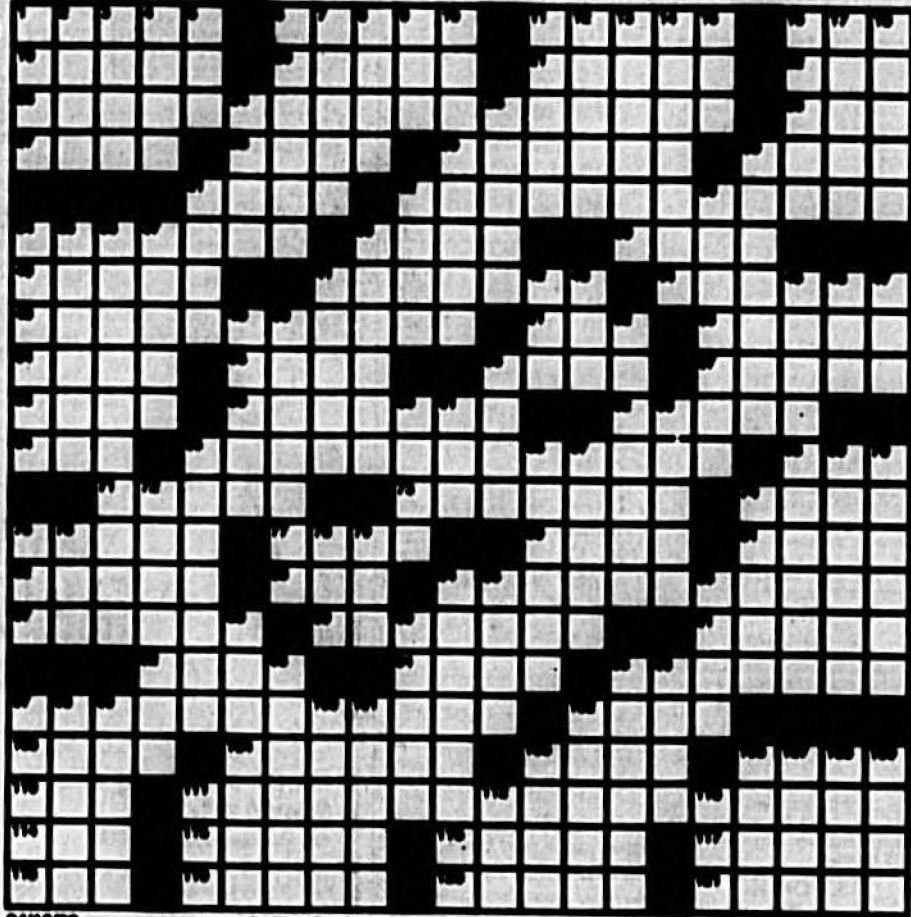
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See Solution on Page 8

Florida Trails Association plans local hikes

Several hikes have been announced by the Florida Trail Association (FTA) in this area of Central Florida.

A 4-mile hike will be held Saturday, April 19, beginning at 9 a.m., in Brickyard Slough, from the Water Management area to the St. Johns River on a loop trail. Bring water, snacks and sunscreen. Meet at 8 a.m. at Oviedo Mall in front of Target.

On Friday, April 25, beginning at 6 a.m., the hike will be in the Geneva Wilderness on SR-426 between Oviedo and Geneva. It will be approximately a one-hour walk, ending at a pizza restaurant.

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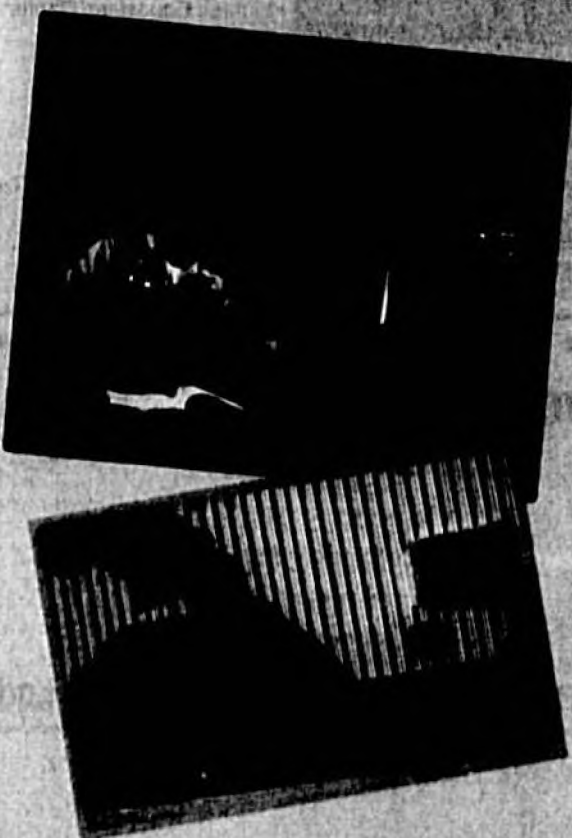
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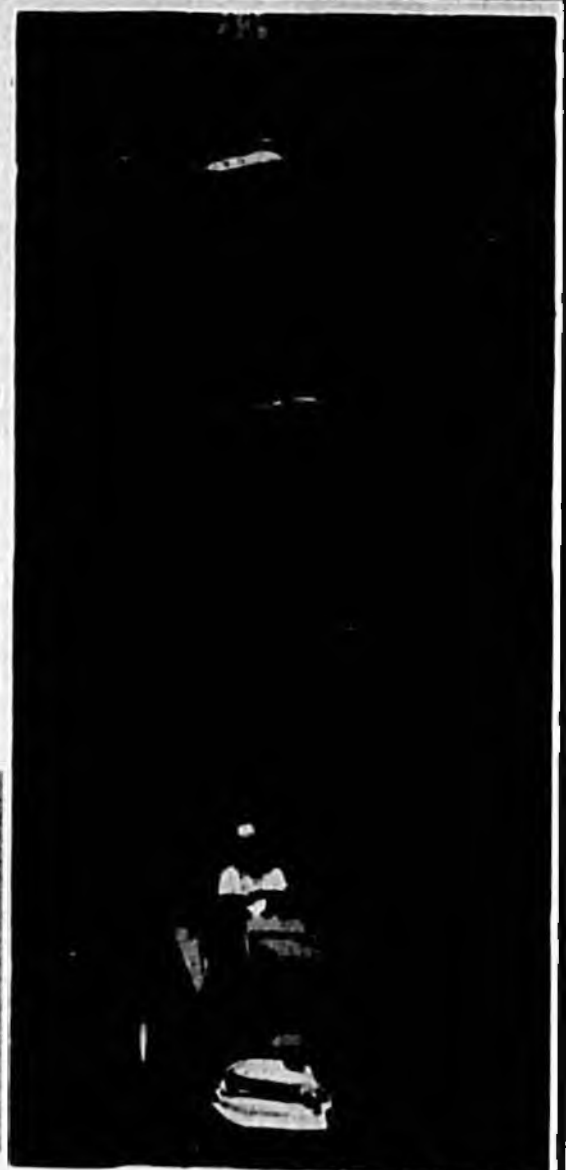
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Sanford Out of the Dust

Tour features historical sites in city's African-American community



World photos by Yummy Vincent



Pictured top, Valada Fawcett recites her poem, "The Mosque of Seminole County." Above, the children perform during the recent tour. Pictured far right, in the front row are Faith Nathan, Elzah Ishiah Fisher and Deborah Henaley. In the back row are Angel Nathan, Deborah Curry, Kenya Moore and Hahmori Watson, along with Tour Director Pat Whitley and Tajiri Arts Board Member John Simpson. At right, Thomas Fawcett, chairman of the Tajiri Board, speaks to the group during the recent tour.



From Staff Reports

Tajiri Arts, Inc., a Sanford after school program that teaches self-esteem through the performing arts, has announced the development of the "Sanford Out of the Dust: History Still/History Alive" tour. The tour was introduced to Seminole County Public School officials in a meeting held April 1 at the Tajiri facility.

The riding tour features historical sites in Sanford's African American community and makes stops for visitor walk-through. Among the unique features of the tour are recreations of past events by tour docents and storytellers. Tajiri students who are being taught tour information are also included as hosts and future docents. Organizers of the tour are deeply familiar with Sanford's African-American history and seek to retain the rich cultural contributions and locations of Sanford's African-American past.

School officials, including School Superintendent Paul Haggerty, were treated to both oral and video presentations regarding the tour and its stated objective of having the tour included in the school system's fourth-grade history curriculum noting the tour focuses on reading about, writing about and remembering important historical facts from Sanford and Seminole County's history.

Many of the school system's curriculum specialists were on hand to hear the presentations and take a sample tour that familiarized them with tour locations. School officials will be meeting to consider the addition of the tour to its curriculum. Operating out of Sanford's first public school building, "The Little Red Schoolhouse," at 519 Palmetto Ave. in the Historic District, the tour can be arranged by contacting Tour Director Patricia Whitley at 407-277-5558.

The "Sanford Out of the Dust" tour was established in 2000 by Tajiri Arts, Inc. as a method to maintain and educate the children (and adults) in the rich history of Sanford's African-American people, traditions and locations. Featuring a "narrator/storyteller," the tour takes the guests through Historic downtown Sanford, the Harris Nest, Hopper Academy and other significant African-American locations in Sanford. All tour locations are on national, state or local historic registries.



School Notes

Two Lake Brantley High School juniors have had an outstanding debate season so far this year, Justin Zorn and Josh Weiss.

Zorn's debate record includes the second place finish among 385 competitors at the Harvard National Congress, a fourth place finish at the Yale National Speech and Debate Tournament, a fourth place finish at the Crestian National Congress, and a sixth place

finish at Emory University's Berkeley Forum for Speech and Debate. In February 2003 he won the Florida Forensic League's Varsity State Tournament and was thereby named the Florida State Champion in Student Congress. At the local level, he has received 1st place awards at Eastside High, Colonial High, Winter Springs High, and Trinity Prep debate tournaments. Zorn is currently ranked

fourth nationally in Student Congress.

Weiss is the co-captain of his debate team. Through the course of the 2002-2003 school year, Josh won three straight local CFL Tournaments and placed third and fourth in the other two. In addition, Josh finished second at the FFL Varsity State Tournament. Nationally, Josh has been a finalist at every tournament he has attended, including

Blue Key, Crestian, Emory, Yale, and Harvard. He began competing in Student Congress as a sophomore and hopes to continue his level of competition nationally as a senior.

On Saturday, Feb. 15, the Hamilton Elementary School SECME team participated in the SECME Regional Competition at the University of Central Florida. Hamilton Elementary SECME team

members worked hard to complete projects to enter in the Regional Competition. Members of the team are: Andrea Bell, Michaela Carrier, Ashley Freeman, Hannah Gardner, Zach Hinesley, Adrienne Hittman, Ryan Hottle, Clyde Kinder, Olivia Kinder, Ebony Lewis, Alfrencia Perkins, Macario Rodriguez, Marco Rodriguez, Andrea Shaw, Justin Williams, Dequan Wright, and William Wright.

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Bathé, O'Brien announce engagement

Janifer Leigh Bathé and Joshua Andrew O'Brien, both of Lake Wales, recently announced their engagement.

Bathé is the daughter of Remona Knoll of Zephyrhills and the granddaughter of Bill and Betty Harrison of Old Town. Born in Tampa, she is a 1997 graduate of Chamberlin High School and a 2001 graduate of Warner Southern College. She currently is a teacher at Haines City High School.

O'Brien is the son of Shaun and Marcy O'Brien of Plant City, formerly of Sanford, and the grandson of Ginny and the late Robert Gaudreau of Sanford and Grace and the late John O'Brien of Sanford. Born in Winter Park, he is a 1998 graduate of Lake Mary High School and a 2002 graduate of Warner Southern College. He currently is a teacher at Dennison Middle School.

The wedding is planned for 3:30 p.m. April 26, 2003, in First United Methodist Church of Zephyrhills.



Janifer Leigh Bathé and Joshua Andrew O'Brien

Mars Hill to host community day

Mars Hill SDA Church is hosting a community guest day Saturday, April 19. Sabbath school begins at 9:15 a.m., with a worship service at 11 a.m. A free lunch will be served at 1 p.m.

Mars Hill SDA Church is located at 800 E. 2nd St., in Sanford.

Volunteers needed

The Kiwanis Club of Sanford is looking for help to assist in the preparation of an upcoming Memorial Golf Tournament. Those interested should call Tournament Director Betsy Nein at 407-831-9991.

New Beginnings Childcare Center opens

New Beginnings Childcare Center, located at 1221 W. 7th St., and Olive Avenue, is the full-time,



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full enrollment slots by calling 407-268-4392.

Joining the celebration of the Grand Opening for this much needed center was Sanford Housing Director Aulis Billberry, City Commissioner Velma Williams, Harbor Director Elizabeth Graham, more than 100 kids and parents who enjoyed an afternoon of fun, pony rides, food, prizes and music by Mike Valot.

St. John Metropolitan Baptist Church will observe Holy Week Services nightly beginning at 6:30 p.m.

- April 13, Joint Musical With James AME beginning at 4 pm.
 - April 14, What Did the Lord Do On Monday?
 - April 15, The Wicked Husbandman
 - April 16, Two Great Commandments
 - April 17, Maundy Thursday Feast, Holy Communion
 - April 18, Good Friday, The Seven Last Words
 - April 20, Resurrection Sunday, Sunrise services at New Bethel M.B. Church beginning at 6 a.m.
- Joint Easter Program with St. James A.M.E beginning at 3:30 p.m.



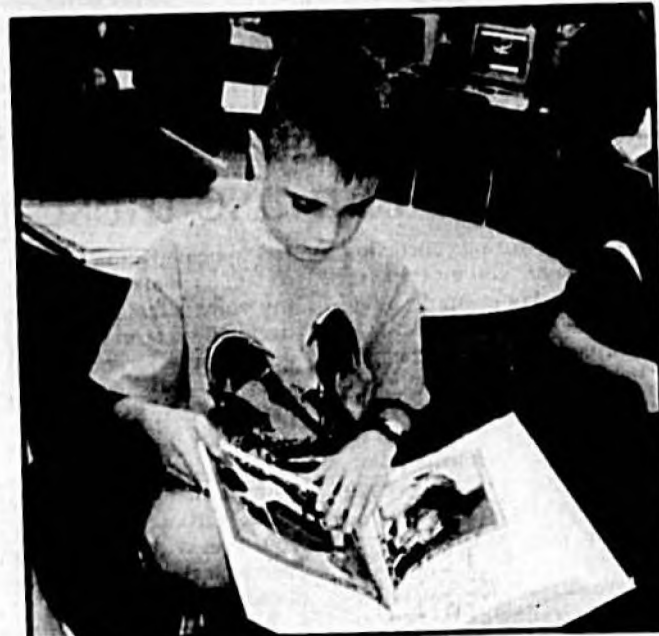
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Betty Helton, with her twins Jhum and Jaquie Helton, attended the grand opening of New Beginnings Childcare Center in the Goldsboro community.



Harold photos by Tommy Vincent

Happy squirrel

Alixander Hunter recently visited Midway Elementary School to give each student a copy of her book, "The Handicapped Squirrel." The book tells the tale of Sugar Puss the squirrel and how it became a part of Hunter's family. Pictured left, Hunter signs books for the children. Below left, Edward White reads a copy of Hunter's book. Below, Hunter holds up her pet squirrel.



Church Notes

Rummage Sale

Metro Church of Christ, located at 281 Division St., in Oviedo, will host a rummage sale 8 a.m. to noon April 12. The sale will benefit the youth group's mission trip to Jamaica. The sale will include furniture, clothing, toys, exercise equipment, sports equipment and household goods.

Children's Easter Egg Grab

Children in third and fourth grades are invited to attend the annual "Easter Egg Grab" at Community United Methodist Church, 4921 S. Hwy. 17-92, in Casselberry. The event will feature coloring eggs, games, story telling, crafts, a movie and Easter egg hunt. This event will take place on April 12 from 9 a.m. until noon. Registration begins at 8:45 a.m. There is no charge, but you must have reservations. For more information or reservations, call 407-831-3777.

Once Upon A Cross

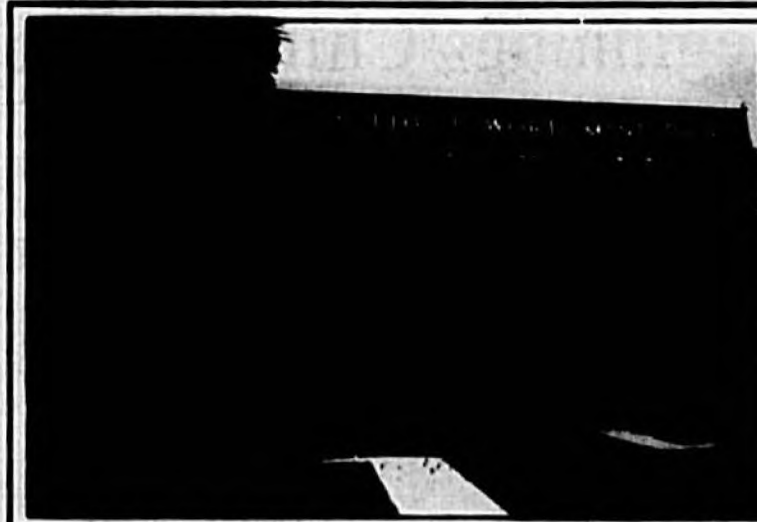
The Community United Methodist Chancel Choir, Orchestra, Drama Team and Dance Team will present "Once Upon A Cross" at 8:15 and 11 a.m. April 13 in the Community United Methodist Church sanctuary, located at 4921 S. Hwy. 17-92, in Casselberry. The public is invited to this free production. For more information, call 407-831-3777.

Easter Services Planned

Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, located at 2525 Oak Ave., in Sanford, has scheduled its holiday serves, including Palm Sunday (April 13) starting at 10:30 a.m.; Maundy Thursday (April 17) starting at 7:30 p.m.; and Good Friday (April 18) starting at 7:30 p.m.

The Easter Sunday Service will be preceded with a 9:15 a.m. brunch in the Fellowship Hall, and a 9:30 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt for the children. Easter church service will begin at 10:30 a.m.

Visitors and guests are invited to attend the services.



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Discipleship Training 7:00 p.m.
Pastor's Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MARSHAM WOODS
5400 Marsham Woods Road
Lake Mary, FL 32748
(407) 333-1085
Dr. Bob Parker Pastor
Keith Vincent / Nick Parker Co-Youth Workers
Sunday
Coffee and Donuts 9:30 A.M.
Bible Study 9:45 A.M.
Worship 10:45 A.M.
(Children's Church Provided)
Children's Assn. Club 5:30 P.M.
Worship 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday
Church Family Dinner 6:00 P.M.
Prayer and Bible Study 7:00 P.M.
Youth Meeting
Children's Choir and Team KID Clubs
(Nursery provided all services)

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH
918 Longwood Hills Rd.
Longwood, FL 32750
407-366-3566
Pastor Dave Thompson
Sunday School 9:30 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wed. Eve Service 6:30 pm

LIGHTHOUSE BAPTIST CHURCH
8815 MARSHAM ROAD
Sanford, Florida 32771
(407) 889-4400
Randy Walker Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
(Jr. Church for Children ages 3 thru grade 6)
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday
Adult Prayer/Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Children & Teen Services 7:00 p.m.
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Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.
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Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
Thursday 9:30 a.m.
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FAMILY WORSHIP CENTER
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Sanford, FL 32771
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Sunday Worship Service 9:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.
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1878 Dixon Rd.
Longwood, FL 32779
407-774-0777
Greg Freeman Pastor
Sunday Services
8:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Middle School 10:45 a.m.
Nursery Provided

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4100 H.E. Thomas Pkwy. (CR46A)
Sanford, Florida
407-323-8823
Rev. Bill Collins, Pastor
Sunday Morning
Worship 10:15 a.m.
Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.
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Shane Wynn Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Add. Worship 10:45 a.m.
Sunday PM Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Nursery Provided

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801 East Airport Boulevard
Sanford, Florida 32773
Church Office (407) 322-3737
J Earl Walsh Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday
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880 Uppala Rd., Sanford
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Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
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Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.
Old Truths for a New Day

Singles looking toward marriage can use these practical tips

QUESTION: Give me some practical suggestions for the selection of a husband. I want to get it right and don't think I should depend just on looks or personality. What are the factors I should consider before saying, "I do"?

DR. DOBSON: 1. Don't marry someone who has characteristics that you feel are intolerable. You may plan to change him or her in the future, but that probably



won't happen. Behavior runs in deep channels that were cut during early childhood, and it is very difficult to alter them.
Therefore, if you can't live with a characteristic that

shows up during courtship, it may plague you for the rest of your life. For example, a person who drinks every night is not likely to give up that habit after the honeymoon. If he is foolish with money or is basically unclean or tends to get violent when irritated or is extremely selfish, these are red flags you should not ignore. What you see is what you get.
We all have flaws, and I'm not suggesting that a person

has to be perfect to be a candidate for marriage. Rather, my point is that you have to decide if you can tolerate a quirky behavior for the rest of your life - because that's how long you may have to deal with it. If you can't, don't bank on deprogramming your partner after you've said "I do." I advise you to keep your eyes wide open before marriage and then half-closed thereafter.
2. Do not marry impulsive-

ly! I can think of no better way to mess up your life than to leap into this critical decision without careful thought and prayer. Remember that the dating relationship is designed to conceal information, not reveal it. Both partners put on their best faces for the one they seek to attract. They guard the secrets that might be a turnoff. Therefore, many newlyweds get a big surprise during the first year of married life. I suggest that

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 Morning Worship 11:30 am
 Evening Worship (TBA) 4:30 pm
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 Confessions Saturday 4:30 p.m.
 Sunday Vigil 8:00 a.m.
 Sunday 7:45 a.m., 10:30 a.m., Noon
 9:00 a.m. - English (Sacrist Hall)
 9:00 a.m. - Spanish (Church)

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 138 Division Drive
 Duffley, FL 32713
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 Email: rivercitycc@att.net
 Bible School 10 a.m.
 Prayer Service 11 a.m.
 J.D. Stephens Presiding Minister
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 730 Uppala Rd., Sanford, FL
 407-322-0500
 Tom Storms Minister
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 Sunday Bible School 9:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:15 a.m.
 Youth 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Service 6:00 p.m.
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 Pre-School thru grade 12
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 407-322-1411

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 Prophecy**

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 2508 S. Elm Ave., Sanford, Fla. 32773
 407-322-4915
 Thomas Harris - Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Prayer & Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Message by Pastor 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 8 p.m.
 Tuesday Prayer Meeting 10 a.m.
 Midweek Service (Wed.) 7 p.m.

Congregational

**GRACE FELLOWSHIP CONGREGATIONAL
 CHURCH**
 2401 S. Park Ave., Sanford
 407-322-4204
 Larry Leonard Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.
 Choir Practice Wednesday 6:45 p.m.
 Baby sitting services available

Episcopal

HELY CROSS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 491 Park Ave., Sanford
 Telephone 407-322-4011
 Sunday 7:30 & 10:00 a.m.
 Worship Classes for Children
 through 5th grade 10:00 a.m.
 Nursery Available 10:00 a.m.
 Youth Group meets 6:00-8:00 p.m.
 Schedule may sometimes vary.
 Call for more information.
 MID-WEEK WORSHIP IN CHURCH
 Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
 8:00 a.m. - English
 Wednesday & Thursday
 7:30 a.m. - Spanish
 ("Sept. - May")

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 700 Pleasant Rd.
 Lake Mary, FL
 444-2573
 The Rev. Charles T. Holt, Pastor
 Sunday 7:30 a.m.
 Adult Forum 9:00 a.m.
 Children's Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Holy Eucharist 9:00/11:15 am
 Children's Church 9:00 a.m.
 (Education Wing)
 Nursery Begins At 8:45 a.m.
 Through 12:45 p.m. Service
 Wednesday
 Holy Eucharist 7:30 a.m. & 7:30 p.m.

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 3002 Boardwalk Ave.
 407-322-3794
 Jack Cox Pastor
 Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 8:00 p.m.
 Tuesday Evening Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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 Sunday School 9:30 AM
 Worship 10:45 am
 Wed Night Life Supper 8:00 pm
 Bible Study 8:45 pm
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HOUSE OF REFUGE MINISTRIES, INC.
 1001 Colony Ave., Sanford
 (407) 324-4711
 Dora W. Richardson Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 am
 Morning Worship 11:00 am
 Evening Worship 7:00 pm
 Mid Week Bvs. Wed. 7:30 pm

SHOWER DOWN OF BLESSINGS
 201 Elm Ave., Sanford, FL
 407-321-8288
 Timothy Hudson Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Tue. Prayer/Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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 Sunday Service 11:00 a.m.
 Children's Fellowship
 (ages 6-12) 11:30 a.m.
 Family Fellowship/Refreshments 12:30 p.m.
 Thursday Fellowship Meeting 7:30 p.m.
 Friday - Christian Counseling 2:00-4:00 p.m.
 (Please call 328-4300 for appt.)
 Rev. Steve Michaels
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 BARR HILL 686**
 600 E. 2nd Street, Sanford, FL 32771
 407-322-8646
 Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.
 Church Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Wed. Evening Prayer Mtg. 7:30

SEMINOLE COMMUNITY CHURCH
 5070 Orange Blvd., Sanford

407-324-0100 www.seminolechurch.com
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 Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.
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 Sanford, FL 32770-0695
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 (407) 324-6282
 Tammy Adams Pastor
 Sunday 10:30 am & 5:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
 Fellowship Friday 7:30 p.m.
 (no service the last Friday of the month)

Lutheran
NEW CREATION LUTHERAN CHURCH
 Sunday Worship: 9:15 AM & 10:30 PM
 Nursery Provided
 Interim Location: Uppala Community Church
 101 Uppala Road, Sanford,
 Hwy 404 & Uppala Road
 Phone: 407-322-7212
 www.NewCreationChurch.org
 Bob Branstetter Pastor

**HELY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH
 OF LAKE MARY**
 700 Sun Drive, Lake Mary, FL
 Pastor
 Paul Meyer
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 Sunday morning 9:30 a.m.
 Contemporary Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Traditional Service 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday morning Contemporary Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Sunday morning Family Worship Service
 Nursery is provided at
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 For Information Call 407-322-0707

**LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE
 SEMINOLE**
 (Seminole Square)
 2825 S. Oak Ave., Sanford, FL
 Jay Mason Pastor
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
 Information 322-3882 or 322-0810

Methodist

CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 408 Tucker Drive
 (Corner Tucker Dr. & CR 427)
 Rev. Wayne Stone Pastor
 Telephone (407) 322-7800
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Inter-Mission 10:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Children's Time included in Worship
 Nursery provided for
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 418 Park Ave., Sanford, FL
 407-322-4371
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 Youth and Young Adults
 Morning Worship 8:25 & 10:15 a.m.
 Coffee Fellowship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Youth Fellowship 4:00 p.m.
 Nursery Provided
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Nazarene

LONGWOOD CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 208 N. Weyman St.,
 Longwood, FL
 321 8668
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Children's Church 10:45 a.m.
 Evangelistic Service 8:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Family Night 7:30 p.m.
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 101 Uppala Road
 Sanford, FL 32771
 407-322-8282
 Rev. Bryan Wenger Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Nursery care begins at 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Fellowship Dinner 6:30 p.m.
 2nd Wednesday of each month
 Weekly Bible Studies on Monday eve and Friday
 mornings
 Youth Fellowship 1st & 3rd Sundays 6:00 p.m.
 Ladies Stress Circle on 1st Tues of each
 month 7:30 a.m.
 "Notes of Prayer" Choir Rehearsal Wednesdays
 7:30 p.m.
 Children's Choir and Men's Ministry opportunities

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 Sunday Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.
 Sun. Morning Coffee Hour 11:30 a.m.
 Sun. Contemporary Worship 7:30 p.m.
 Wonderful Wednesday Family Night -
 Every Wednesday
 Pastor - Every Wed. 6:30 p.m.
 Adult Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
 Youth Clubs 6:30-7:00 p.m.
 Business (K-5th Grades)
 Middle (6-8th Grades)
 St. Night
 Contemporary Music Practice 7:00 p.m.
 Women's Circle Meetings of
 3 scheduled times
 2nd Tues. of the month 4th
 Senior Friends -
 1st Wed. of the month

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (N.S.A.)
 OF LAKE MARY**
 128 W. Wilbur Ave.
 Lake Mary, FL
 407-321-1081
 Rev. Stephen Horrell Pastor
 Church School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Wed. Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.
 Wed. Youth Choir 6:30 p.m.

MARSHAM WOODS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 5210 Marsham Woods Road
 Lake Mary 407-322-2030
 Rev. Charles R. Jones Pastor
 Sunday School, all ages 9:00 a.m.
 Church Services 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.
 Nursery Provided
 Youth Group, Sunday 4:00 p.m.
 High School 6:00 p.m.
 Middle School, thru Fri. 9 to 12
 Monthly Family Night Supper
 3rd Wed. of Each Month 8:30 p.m.

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 700 W. 34th Street
 Sanford, FL 32771
 407-322-2642
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 Sunday Service
 Praise and Fellowship 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Holiness Meeting 11:00 a.m.
 Tuesday Meetings
 Bible Study and Prayer 8:30 p.m.
 Home League (Ladies) 7:00 p.m.
 Men's Fellowship Club 7:00 p.m.
 Band Practice 8:00 p.m.
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 CHURCH**
 U.C.C.
 1266 E. S. Williamson Road
 Longwood, FL
 407-322-8253
 Rev. Dr. Hal Youngblood Minister
 Sunday Services
 Contemporary 9:00 a.m.
 Traditional Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Nursery Provided
 Church School 9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.
 Youth & Children Ministry
 Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Wesleyan

WESLEYAN CHURCH OF MIOLA
 5880 Weyland Dr.
 Sanford, FL 32771
 (Off I-4 (Exit 51) West
 First Street on Left - One Mile)
 Leonard O'Donnell Pastor
 407-322-6332
 "Where the Gospel is Good News"
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.

**Church
 Notes**

Passover Meal and Teaching

Come celebrate the season of Passover April 16 at Community United Methodist Church, located at 4921 S. Hwy. 17-92, in Casselberry. A traditional Passover meal will be served along with a discussion of the meaning of Passover. There is a \$6 fee for dinner, which will begin at 6 p.m. in the fellowship hall. For more information or for reservations, call 407-831-3777.

Easter Party

Metro Church of Christ will host an Easter Party for families with children in the fifth grade and younger. The event, featuring an egg hunt, "Daniel and the Lions Den," games, crafts and an appearance by the Easter Bunny, will be held 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. April 19 at Metro Church of Christ, 281 Division St., Oviedo. Bring a picnic lunch. For more information, call the church office at 407-366-7714.

**Glorifying God
 in Body & Spirit**

Community United Methodist Church will sponsor a four-week program beginning April 23 to discuss becoming a healthier person. Topics such as stress management, how personality types respond to food, exercise and attitudes, how to balance your health, and problem solving will be studied. A \$12 fee for the Glorifying God in Body & Spirit workbook will be collected. Class meets from 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. each week at Community United Methodist, Room 1, 4921 S. Hwy. 17-92, in Casselberry. For reservations and to order the workbook, call 407-831-3777.

Concert

Mary Rice Hopkins & Company will perform at Tusawilla United Methodist Church, 3925 Red Bug Lake Road, in Casselberry, at 6 p.m. April 28. Cost is \$5 and proceeds benefit the Tusawilla United Methodist Church Preschool Programs. For more information, call 407-699-6012.

Mid-Week Lenten Service

A mid-week Lenten service will be held each Wednesday at the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, located at 2525 Oak Ave., in Sanford. Soup and sandwiches will be served at 6:30 p.m., followed by a 7:30 p.m. Lenten service. For more information, call 407-322-2464.

you take at least a year to get beyond the facade and into the inner character of the person.

3. Do not marry someone with dramatically different religious views, especially if matters of faith are important to you or to the other person. You may expect to win your spouse to your point of view at some future date, and that does happen on occasion. But to count on it is risky at best, foolhardy at worst. Again, this is the question that must be answered: "Just how criti-

cal is it that my husband (or wife) shares my faith?" If it is essential and nonnegotiable, then that matter should be given the highest priority in one's decision to marry.

4. Do not move in with a person before marriage. It undermines a relationship and often leads to divorce. Studies based on five decades of data show that couples who live together before marriage have a 50 percent greater chance of divorce than those who don't. Those who cohabit also have less satisfy-

ing and more unstable marriages. Why? The researchers found those who had lived together later regretted having "violated their moral standards," and "felt a loss of personal freedom to exit out the back door." Furthermore, and in keeping with the theme of marital bonding, they have "stolen" a level of intimacy that is not warranted at that point, nor has it been validated by the degree of commitment to each other. Postponing "playing house" until marriage, it turns out, is

the healthiest for everyone concerned.

5. Don't get married too young. Those who wed between the ages of 14 and 17 are twice as likely to divorce as couples who wait until their 20s. Making it as a family requires some characteristics that come with maturity, such as selflessness, stability and self-control. It's best to wait for their arrival.

6. Finally, I'll conclude with the ultimate secret of lifelong love. Simply put, the stability of marriage is a byproduct of

an iron-willed determination to make it work. If you choose to marry, enter into that covenant with the resolve to remain committed to each other for life. Don't allow yourself to consider even the possibility of divorce. Calling it quits must not become an option for those who want to go the distance!

Dr. Dobson is president of the non-profit organization Focus on the Family, P.O. Box 644, Colorado Springs, CO 80903, or www.family.org.

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Growing roses in Central Florida

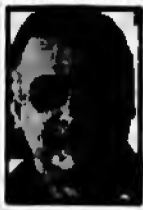
To grow roses in Florida, you have to be willing to work hard since roses require a lot of maintenance to produce high quality flowers.

Under our climatic conditions, roses will grow all year and produce flowers at least nine months of the year. Plants grafted on Rosa fortuniana rootstock have been shown to grow larger, more vigorous, produce more flowers, and live longer than plants grown on any other rootstock.

Soil Requirements

Good drainage is very important for growing roses. Most sandy soils in Florida have a very low moisture and nutrient holding capacity and need to be amended with organic matter to improve this condition.

Peat, muck and manure are often used to improve the soil characteristics. A pH value of 5.5 to 6.5 is satisfactory for growing roses.



Al Ferrer

Irrigation

With an average rainfall of about 50 inches per year, roses need supplemental irrigation to grow well. Roses should be irrigated with one inch of water once per week if not provided by rain. On sandy soils, it may be necessary to irrigate twice per week. Water should be applied to the soil and not over the plant to avoid "washing" of pesticides from the leaves and preferably early in the morning to allow the leaves to dry out fast and prevent fungal diseases.

Pruning and Grooming

Pruning should be done once each year during December or January. Leave at least half the length of each main cane that is one to three years old. Normal pruning for a well-established hybrid T-rose (long stem cutting types) means removal of approximately 1/3 to 1/2 of the top growth and floribundas (bush types) should be pruned back

to 4-5' and shaped. Pruning should be done after danger of frost is over. Any canes that rub across each other also need to be removed.

Prune plants back to canes the size of your index finger, leaving 3-5 major canes for newly planted roses and 5-7 canes for well-established ones. Canes should be cut to open the center of the plant to air and light. This helps to prevent disease and promotes strong growth.

The first flowers can be expected eight to nine weeks after pruning. Grooming consists of trimming the plants regularly to keep them healthy, attractive and producing flowers constantly. By removing faded flowers and diseased branches, you can induce additional growth of the plants. To control the time of bloom, pinch out all flower buds as they form until 28 to 34 days before flowering is desired.

Fertilization

After pruning is completed and new growth is visible, apply a cup of rose fertilizer or

a 6-6-6 fertilizer with minor elements plus iron every month. A fertilizer like 12-6-8 can be applied twice a month at 1/2 cup per application. Utilize slow release formulations if possible. The planting area should be moist prior to the fertilizer application. Be sure to keep the fertilizer at least six inches from the base of the bush and broadcast it out slightly beyond the drip line of the plant. Expect flowers in eight or nine weeks.

Pest and Diseases

The most important diseases of roses are black spot and powdery mildew. Black spot can be prevalent year round, especially during warm, humid weather. Symptoms of this disease are black spots with irregular margins that appear on the leaves making them turn yellow and fall off prematurely.

It is important to rake up fallen leaves and handpick infected leaves as they can produce more spores that can cause more infections. Fungicides like Funginex or Daconil are recommended

every 1 to 2 weeks during the wet months of the year to control black spot. Powdery mildew appears during the spring and fall when rainfall is at a minimum. It is seldom a problem during the rainy season because frequent rains inhibit the development of this disease. Powdery mildew covers the leaves with a white powdery growth and causes permanent distortion or curling of the leaves.

Powdery mildew can be controlled with either Funginex or Daconil. Spider mites are a serious pest of roses. Spider mites are usually found feeding on the underside of the leaves and can cause defoliation of the plants. Frequent sprays with insecticidal soaps may be helpful in controlling spider mites.

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Lake Mary Elementary hosts 11th annual festival

Lake Mary Elementary had a wonderful turnout for their 11th Annual Spring Arts Festival. The theme for this year's event was "Starry Night." Under the pavilion, entertainment was offered throughout the evening. Guest entertainers included the Lake Mary High School Marionettes, the LMHS Choral Group Odyssey, the Lake Mary Elementary School Band, Juggler John Nations and more.

was an impressive display of art by the students, including quite a few patriotic drawings. Also in the auditorium was "The Storyteller Two, + 1". The group, Maureen, Brennan and Shannon Dobbins, make it their mission to weave words to shape imaginations. Mom Maureen is the current President of the Storytellers of Central Florida. Son Brennan Dobbins is an 8th grade student and a 2002 Grand Torch Bearer for



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In the auditorium, there

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Rotary donation



Sanford Rotary recently donated \$1,000 to The Grove Counseling Center Inc. Picture, from left, are Cindy Gennell, Rotary program chair for Grove program; Larry Birch, president/CEO of The Grove; and Sanford Rotary President Rodney Smith.

Hop into Easter at the zoo's Hippy Hop Adventure

Celebrate spring during the Hippy Hop Adventure at the Central Florida Zoological Park on Saturday, April 19 and Sunday, April 20.

From 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., children are invited to hop along the Adventure Trail in search of the Easter Bunny. At Bunny Stations along the trail, kids will answer fun animal questions and play games to win candy, prizes, and surprises. Plus, kids will receive a bunny tail to wear, enjoy face painting, and meet the Easter Bunny.

This Easter adventure is sponsored by The Real Yellow Pages.

Admission to the Hippy Hop Adventure is included in the Zoo's regular admission, which is \$8 for adults, \$4 for children 3-12 years, \$5 for seniors 60 and over, and free for children 2 years and under. Central Florida Zoo members are admitted free.

For more information, call 407-323-4450, ext. 149 or visit the website at www.centralfloridazoo.org

Sunrise service

The 10th annual city wide Easter Sunrise Service will be held at Central Winds Park, next to Winter Springs High School, at 6:30 a.m., Easter morning, April 20. Bring blankets or lawn chairs. The event is sponsored by First Baptist Church of Winter Spring.

THE SEMINOLE HERALD'S ...

Pet of the Week
Kiki



Kiki, a 6-year-old, spayed female Manx mix, is looking for a good home. Although Kiki's friends at the SPCA of Central Florida in Seminole County — where she's lived since March — will miss her, the feline is looking for a new home where she can have her head and ears scratched — but not her tail. She already knows how to use a litter box, and she is good with children of all ages, as well as cats and dogs. Her friends at the shelter say Kiki is a pretty cat, with fabulous white fur — the perfect lap cat.

To adopt Kiki, call the Humane Society of Seminole County at 407-323-8685 or visit the facility at 2800 County Home Road in Sanford.

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Pregnant Navy wife wasn't expecting rude questions

DEAR ABBY: I am a Navy wife whose husband is currently deployed. Two months after he left, his mother passed away after a short, fierce battle with colon cancer. My grieving husband barely made it home in time for her funeral, and he never got to tell her goodbye.

My husband and I spent 10 emotion-filled days together in his mother's hometown before he had to return to his ship and I had to travel home to our two children. Out of that terrible heartache, we received a blessed gift — we discovered that we're pregnant!

However, our "happy news" has created an awkward situation: Now that I'm beginning to "show," people who don't know about my husband's mother are asking when I'm due — and I can see them mentally add the

months my husband has been deployed. One woman actually counted out loud on her fingers and then exclaimed, "But he's gone! How is it that you're expecting?"

Our children are 13 and 11, and people have asked in their presence if they come from previous relationships — and if this new baby will be my husband's and my first child together. One of my daughter's teachers even had the nerve to ask her who the father

of the baby is! My darling daughter responded in typical teen-age fashion, "My dad, of course!" Then she rolled her eyes.

How should we as a family respond to these outrageous inquiries? I am at a loss.

NAVY WIFE AND MOTHER IN WASHINGTON STATE



Dear Abby

DEAR NAVY WIFE AND MOTHER: When you are asked who the father of the baby is, smile and reply, "Ask my husband when he gets home. He was there when it happened."

DEAR ABBY: On Sept. 11, I tragically lost my brother, New York firefighter Michael Kiefer of Ladder 132 in Brooklyn. He was only 25 when he died, and his greatest dream was to be a New York firefighter. He lived his dream for only nine months.

The pain of losing my brother in such a violent and senseless act has been unbearable. My parents told me about the "pennies" letters in your column — how each time someone finds a penny, it means a loved one in heaven is thinking of us. I cannot begin to tell you how true this has been for my family.

Whenever one of us is feeling especially down about Michael,

we always find a penny. An example: My brother loved to go to the gym, so one day I decided it was time for me to get back in shape and make him proud. All during my workout I told my angel brother I was doing it for him. As I walked out of the gym, there it was — a bright, shiny penny! I knew then that Michael was proud of me. It truly was a penny from heaven, and without a doubt from my brother, whom I love and will miss for the rest of my life. Michael, you will always be our hero and you will never be forgotten!

LAUREN M. KIEFER, FRANKLIN SQUARE, N.Y.

DEAR LAUREN: I extend my deepest sympathy to you and your family for the loss of your heroic brother. The "pennies from heaven" letters have moved many of my readers. And one day I hope to publish

a collection of the letters I have received with their messages of hope. Thank you for sharing yours.

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

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the National Youth Storytelling Olympics. Daughter Shannon is a 6th grade student and finalist for Florida Storytelling Association's 2002 "Youthful Voices." The great thing about this group is that they include the audience in the storytelling. At the Arts Festival, not only were elementary school children captivated, but so were their middle school siblings and quite a

few of the adults. Because it was an arts festival, there was also some wonderful hands on art activities for all the children to participate in. Linoleum block printing, glitter golf ball art and Chinese symbols were just a few. Funding for the Arts Festival, and quite a bit of the volunteering, was provided by the Lake Mary PTA. This year's Festival coordinator was Maria Snoops.



Patriotic drawing by Brandy Morrissey in Mr. Peoples fifth-grade class.

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FOOD

Think spring

Longer days mean light and delicious entrees

Longer days and warmer weather inspire light and tasty meals that can be enjoyed outdoors in the backyard or patio.

Delicious make-ahead entrees are just right for leisurely weekend dining and a satisfying addition to a brunch with family and friends.

For an elegant outdoor brunch, consider Pear Cherry Crepes. This dish is designed to impress but it's not difficult to prepare. One tip is to prepare the crepes ahead of time and freeze them. Defrost for about an hour before assembling, then add the filling and compote, heat and eat.

Pear Cherry Crepes

Makes 8 servings

Crepes

- 1 1/3 cup skim milk
- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 2 egg whites
- 2 Tbsp. sugar
- 1/2 tsp. vanilla extract
- non-stick spray coating

Filling

- 1 carton (15 ounces) skim milk ricotta cheese
- 3 Tbsp. powdered sugar
- 1 tsp. freshly grated lemon peel

Compote

- 1 can (16 ounces) pear halves or slices, packed in juice
- 1 1/2 cups frozen dark sweet cherries, thawed
- 1 1/2 tsp. freshly grated lemon peel

To make crepes: In small bowl, combine the milk, flour, egg whites, vanilla and granulated sugar. Beat with rotary beater until well mixed. Spray a 6-inch skillet with non-stick coating and heat over medium heat. Remove pan from heat and spoon 2 tablespoons of batter into hot skillet. Lift and tilt skillet to spread batter. Return to heat, browning crepe on one side only. Invert onto paper towels. Repeat with remaining batter to make 16 crepes.

To make filling: In small bowl, combine filling ingredients; mix well.

To make compote: Drain pears; reserve juice in small saucepan. Bring juice to a boil; cook until reduced by half, about 8 to 10 minutes. Slice pears into 1/4 inch slices. Drain thawed cherries; discard juice. In medium bowl, combine hot juice, pears, cherries and lemon peel.

To assemble crepes: Spoon 3 tablespoons of ricotta filling across center of crepe and fold sides over filling. Place crepes seam side down on baking sheet. Bake at 350°F until warm and lightly browned, about 5 to 8 minutes. To serve, place two crepes on each plate. Top with warm compote.



Pear Cherry Crepes



Herald spring days with meals that are lighter and less labor-intensive, like "Crispy Asian Chicken and Watercress Salad."

Lighten up' on meals when spring arrives

Until now your meals probably consisted of hearty foods that would "stick to your ribs" and help you wait out the cold days of winter. However, now that spring has sprung, it's time to trade in the rich and hearty offerings for a lighter menu.

Try this recipe for a fresh watercress salad with crispy Asian-style chicken, courtesy of "Gourmet Every Day" (Condé Nast Books), from the editors of Gourmet. Not just for "health nuts" there's something about a light tasting salad that seems to signal the return of warm weather and fun in the sun.

Crispy Asian Chicken and Watercress Salad

Serves 2

- 1/4 cup hoisin sauce
- 1/4 cup water
- 1 1/2 tablespoons soy sauce
- 1/2 teaspoon finely grated peeled fresh ginger
- 4 radishes, halved lengthwise and cut crosswise into 1/8-inch-thick slices
- 2 scallions, cut diagonally into 1/4-inch-thick slices

- 3/4 bunch watercress, coarse stems discarded
- 3/4 cup fresh bean sprouts
- 1 pound boneless chicken thighs with skin
- 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1 cup vegetable oil for frying

Whisk together hoisin sauce, water, soy sauce and ginger in a small bowl.

Chill radishes, scallions, watercress and bean sprouts in a separate bowl.

While vegetables are chilling, pat chicken dry and season with salt. Cut into 1/4-inch-thick strips, without removing skin. Stir together flour and cornstarch and add chicken, tossing until coated well. Heat oil in a 12-inch skillet over moderately high heat until hot but not smoking, then fry chicken in batches, separating pieces and turning them occasionally, until crisp and cooked through, 6 to 8 minutes. Transfer with a slotted spoon to paper towels to drain.

Toss chicken with three-fourths ginger dressing. Toss vegetables with remaining dressing and combine with chicken.

Try your hand at magnificent meatless meals

As spring, the air is growing warmer, the birds are returning from their winter sojourn and all manner of fruits and vegetables spring anew once again.

Years ago, vegetarian options at restaurants and grocery stores were few and far between. There was tofu, and for more adventurous people, there was ... tofu. Many people for years believed that dishes without meat were either too bland or too exotic. Vegetarian cookbooks were practically unheard of.

However, as people grow more health-conscious, they also became aware of how easy, fun and exciting meatless meals can be, like this fast and easy fettuccine with aromatic fennel and sprouts. Don't turn up your nose — delicately flavored and crisp-tender, these are definitely not your grandma's Brussels sprouts. Recipe courtesy of "Simply Vegetarian: 130 delicious recipes from everyday entrees to party creations" (Surrey Books), by Sue Spiter.

Fettuccine with Fresh Fennel and Sprouts

Serves 4

- 8 ounces spinach fettuccine
- Olive oil cooking spray
- 1 fennel bulb, thinly sliced
- 8 ounces small Brussels sprouts, halved
- 1/4 cup water or vegetable broth
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- Salt and pepper, to taste
- 2 ounces Parmesan cheese, shredded or shaved
- 4 tablespoons toasted pine nuts or slivered almonds

Cook fettuccine according to package directions. While pasta is cooking ...

Spray large skillet with cooking spray; heat over medium heat until hot. Sauté fennel and onion three to four minutes. Add Brussels sprouts and water and heat to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, until sprouts are crisp-tender, 5 to 8 minutes.

Stir in lemon juice; season to taste with salt and pepper. Spoon fennel and sprouts mixture over pasta on serving platter; sprinkle with Parmesan cheese and pine nuts.

Add a bit of Mediterranean flair to springtime menus

The arrival of the Easter holiday, with its chocolate bunnies and egg-coloring kits on supermarket shelves and sudden "growth" of artificial grass in craft shops and store windows, for many signals the start of the warm weather entertaining season — and a chance to flex those culinary muscles after a winter-long "hibernation." However, there's no need to reserve this Mediterranean delight for special occasions. Delicate tortellini pasta served in a rich, hearty broth makes a perfect addition to any springtime menu. Try this recipe, courtesy of "Balsamic! A Balsamic Vinegar Cookbook."

Tortellini in Brodo

Serves 6

Stories abound detail the origin of this famous pasta. A favorite is the one about the

innkeeper/chef who was inspired to create this dish after peering through a keyhole at a beautiful woman bathing. The sight of her navel in the bathwater led to the creation of the dish we know as tortellini bathing in a vessel of rich broth.

- 2 ounces prosciutto di Parma
- 4 ounces ground veal loin
- 3/4 cup freshly grated Parmigiano-Reggiano

- 2 tablespoons Aceto Balsamico di Modena

- 1 pound pasta dough (available in specialty markets)

- 1 egg beaten with 1 teaspoon water
- 10 cups rich chicken stock
- 2 tablespoons finely shredded fresh basil

In a food processor, grind the prosciutto. Transfer to a bowl and stir in the ground

veal, 1/2 cup of the Parmigiano-Reggiano and the aceto balsamico. Place in a piping bag and set aside.

Cut the pasta into 2-inch rounds. Pipe about 1/2 teaspoon of prosciutto mixture in the center of each round, brush the edges with the egg mixture and fold in half to form a half-moon shape. Wrap it around your finger, bringing the corners together to overlap, and pinch tightly to seal the shape into a circle. Curl the thin edges of the pasta back. Set aside on a lightly floured surface to air-dry until the stock is ready.

In a large pot, bring the chicken stock to a boil. Add the tortellini and cook for three to five minutes or until al dente. Ladle into warmed serving dishes and sprinkle with basil and the remaining 1/4 cup Parmigiano-Reggiano.



Finely flavored, Italian specialties like this "Tortellini in Brodo" are a perfect way to add a taste of the Mediterranean to your holiday menu.