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Briefly

Political Qualifying

Qualifying time for three seats on the Lake Mary City Commission will begin at 8 a.m., Sept. 5, and conclude at 5 p.m., September 15. Seats which will be open include Mayor, and commission seats 1 and 3. The election will be held November 7.

For details or forms, contact Carol Foster at 407-324-3023.

Help wanted

The Salvation Army in Sanford needs volunteers to assist with the Children's Supervised Visitation and Monitored Exchange Program. "Family Focus" helps children who are unable to live with both parents visit with the non-custodial parent in a safe and structured environment. It also gives parents a safe place in which to exchange custody for weekend visits.

For additional information or to volunteer, contact Family Focus at 407-322-2642, ext. 226.

Today is ...

Wednesday, Aug. 23, 2000
Today is the 230th day of 2000
and the 65th day of summer.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1923, the first radio comedy show began to be broadcast. The comedians were Billy Jones and Ernie Hare, who called themselves "The Happiness Boys."

• On this day in 1947, President Harry Truman's daughter Margaret made her singing debut, at the Hollywood Bowl.
• On this day in 1985, in what was touted as "The Battle of the Sexes," Martina Navratilova and Pam Shriver defeated Bobby Riggs and Vitas Gerulaitis in three straight sets at Atlantic City.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Louis XVI (1754-1793), French king; Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval hero; Edgar Lee Masters (1869-1950), poet-novelist; Gene Kelly (1912-1996), dancer-choreographer-actor; Vera Miles (1929-), actress, is 71; Mark Russell (1932-), comedian, is 68; Barbara Eden (1934-), actress, is 66; Sonny Jurgenson (1934-), football great, is 66; Keith Moon (1947-1978), musician.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1936, Cleveland right-hander Bob Feller pitched his first major-league game. He struck out 17 St. Louis batters and allowed six hits.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "All, all are sleeping on the hill."
Edgar Lee Masters, "The Hill"

TODAY'S MOON: Day after last quarter (Aug. 22).

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Payday loan rule passes 5-0

By Russ White
Staff Writer

County Commission tightens rules for 'predatory' lenders

SANFORD — By a 5-0 vote, the Seminole County Board of Commissioners shot a few holes into payday loan operations in the county — and perhaps throughout the state.

The unanimous decision to regulate the payday lenders figures to have a domino effect in a half dozen other counties and prompt the State Legislature to make a similar ruling.

"No one's trying to run anyone out of business," Chairman Carlton Henley

said. "We're just trying to be sure the industry is fair."

The Seminole law caps interest at 18 percent annually.

By delaying enactment of the law, Seminole officials hope the State Legislature will set a statewide limit to

potentially triple-digit interest rates.

"We need to remedy what has become a big problem," Assistant State Attorney General Jacqueline Dowd told the Seminole County Commissioners on Tuesday. "You've taken a major step to get the ball rolling — and to get neigh-

boring counties to talk about it."

A number of county residents who have received money from payday lenders asked the commissioners not to pass the ordinance. Fred Johnson of Sanford said he used the service 10 times in the past year without getting caught in a spiral of debt.

"I always pay it off," he said.

Billy Webster, who came to the hearing from Spartanburg, S.C., was trying to protect his company — Advance America. Webster has 147 payday loan

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New school named for Sanford's Altermese Bentley

By Michelle Jeria
Managing Editor

SANFORD — Elementary School H has a new name.

The Seminole County School Board voted Tuesday to name the Sanford school Altermese Bentley Elementary in tribute to a community activist, author and former teacher.

"Altermese Bentley has been active in basically every aspect of Sanford," Board member Larry Furlong said. "She truly is a woman who has lived a full life."

Altermese Bentley Elementary School will be located at 2190 Oregon Avenue on 17 acres of land. The school, which will have a capacity to house 800 students, should be open in August 2001.

During the summer, a contest

was held to name the new facility. Numerous suggestions were submitted by the public, including Oregon Trails Elementary, Chase Elementary and Fort Mellon Elementary.

Nevertheless, the Board unanimously voted to name the school for Bentley.

A Sanford native, Altermese Smith Bentley grew up in Bartow, where her father served as pastor of Mount Gilboa Baptist Church. She holds a bachelor's degree from North Carolina's Shaw University and a master's degree from Pepperdine University in California.

After receiving her teaching certificate, Bentley taught school in Florida and Philadelphia,

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County prepares for Hurricane Debbie

By Nick Pfeiffauf
Staff Writer

Depending on which weather forecast one sees, Hurricane Debbie could take several paths, one of which could be a direct hit on Central Florida.

With hurricanes, weather forecasting is generally a guess, based on knowledge of the atmospheric winds and other factors.

In Seminole County, Emergency Management Director Joe McCluan said his is trying to make some accurate guesses.

"Right now, we are still in the Level 3 monitoring stage, but

we have two meetings scheduled for today, and depending on what we hear about the direction of the storm, we will probably be making some definite decisions later today," McCluan said.

Level 3 is monitoring activation; Level 2 is partial activation of the State Emergency Response Team, and Level 1 is full-scale activation of the State Emergency Response Team.

In Central Florida, the American Red Cross said it is ready to deal with any potential hurricane threat.

"As usual, we're busy work-

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Garbage truck smashes into home



Herald photo by Tommy Vincent

A Florida Recycling Service truck smashed into Mary Robinson's home on West 11th Street causing \$22,000 in damages. The truck ran into the house after the driver got out of the vehicle to fix a mirror. Below: Robinson and Mary Starling assess the damage to Robinson's carport.

Driver left vehicle to fix mirror

From Staff Reports

SANFORD — Refuse pickup became a close and personal thing Tuesday morning, when a Florida Recycling Service 1991 Mack truck crashed into a house at 918 West 11th Street in Sanford.

According to the Sanford police report, the driver of the truck, Crystal Lucee Phillips, 27, of Orlando said she had engaged the truck's parking brake, and exited it to fix the mirror. While she was outside of the vehicle, sitting on 11th Street, it began traveling forward.

She could not re-establish control and the truck went off the street, striking the side of a carport at 920 W. 11th Street, going over a tree, then into the house at 918 W. 11th Street, where it came to a stop. Both the carport and house were owned by Mary Robinson, who was not in the house at the time of the collision.

Police estimated approximately \$3,000 damage to the carport, and \$22,000 damage to the home. The truck had only \$500 damage.

Phillips was charged with leaving a motor vehicle unattended.



Local hobbyists use skills to detect hidden treasures

By Arthur Ziellinski
Staff Photographer

SANFORD — Searching for buried treasure or ancient artifacts can bring out the kid in all of us.

The fascination for finding lost objects can range from searching for the Titanic to finding old coins in the back yard.

Although most of us can't go searching for gold in sunken ships, finding old coins, jewelry, and many other fascinating objects is possible with the use of a metal detector.

The hobby of metal detecting has enjoyed a tremendous growth in popularity. Across the United States numerous metal detecting clubs have been formed. One such club is the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club headed by president Ray Leist.

Leist has been a club member



Herald photo by Art Ziellinski

Members of the Central Florida Metal Detecting Club judge the "Finds of the Month" during a recent meeting.

for 25 years and was elected to various offices for over 20 years. The club, he said, was started in 1973 and has 88 members at the present time.

In addition to searching for a

host of objects both valuable and commonplace, club members, on occasion, have donated their time and expertise in help-

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Rotary Club makes donation



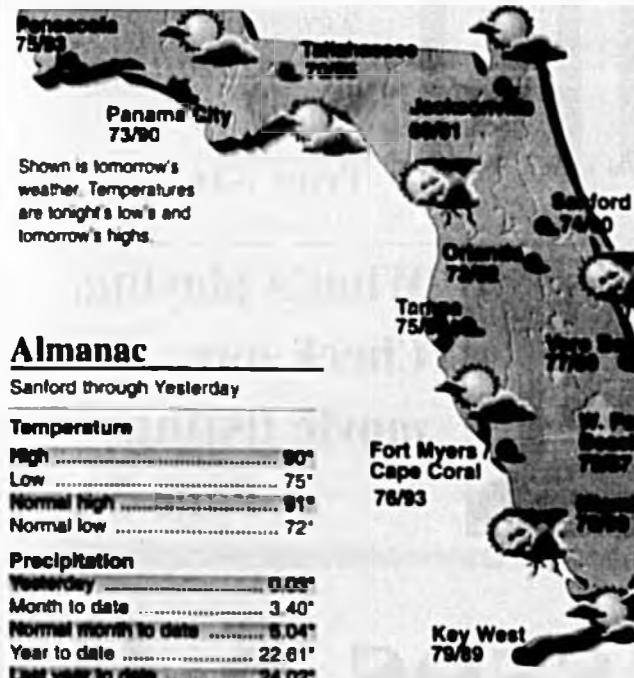
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Sanford Rotary Club President Paul Osborne, left, presents a \$1,000 check to Terry Knox, development director for The Boggy Creek Gang, which provides summer camp opportunities for children with medical conditions that prevent them from attending traditional summer camps.

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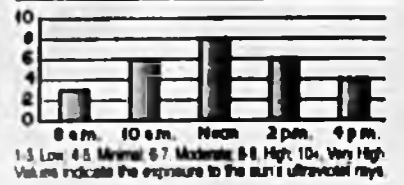
Florida Weather



Five-Day Forecast for Sanford



UV Index Tomorrow



1-5 Low 6-7 Moderate 8-10 High 11+ Very High
Values indicate the exposure to the sun's ultraviolet rays.

Regional Cities

City	Tom.	Fri.
Albany, GA	84 71	86 78
Apalachicola	90 73	86 75
Atlanta, GA	90 72	90 70
Bartowville, GA	95 70	93 73
Boca Raton	81 61	87 74
Calro, GA	84 71	83 73
Coral Springs	82 61	86 78
Crestview	94 73	95 75
FL Lauderdale	81 68	87 77
Fort Myers	83 78	86 77
Gainesville	90 60	81 75
Key West	89 78	89 80
Kissimmee	81 72	85 77
Lakeland	82 72	85 77
Melbourne	90 76	88 77
Naples	93 75	89 77
Orlando	82 72	85 77
Pensacola	83 72	81 74
Sarasota	91 74	90 77
St. Augustine	92 72	93 77
St. Petersburg	81 72	85 77
Tallahassee	95 88	93 73
Tampa	87 74	87 80
Thomasville	94 70	93 73
Valdosta, GA	94 70	93 73
Vero Beach	89 74	88 75
W. Palm Bch.	87 77	88 78

Almanac

Sanford through Yesterday

Temperature
High 90°
Low 75°
Normal High 91°
Normal Low 72°

Precipitation
Yesterday 0.03"
Month to date 3.40"
Normal month to date 8.04"
Year to date 22.81"
Last year to date 24.02"
Normal year to date 33.11"

Regional Weather

Florida: Mainly clear tonight except for a shower near some coastal spots. Mixed sun and clouds tomorrow with a few afternoon thunderstorms.

Georgia: Clear to partly cloudy tonight. Partly sunny tomorrow with a mix of sun and clouds; maybe an afternoon thunderstorm.

Mississippi: Just a few clouds tonight; warm and humid. Partly to mostly sunny and warm tomorrow with a late-day thunderstorm in just a few spots.

Alabama: Mainly clear and seasonable tonight. Humid tomorrow with sun, clouds and a thunderstorm in spots.

South Carolina: Mainly clear and seasonable tonight. Times of sun and clouds tomorrow with a stray thunderstorm.

Louisiana: Clear to partly cloudy tonight; it could shower north. Humid tomorrow with sun and clouds; maybe a stray storm late.

Sun and Moon

Sunset tonight 7:58 p.m.
Sunrise Thursday 6:59 a.m.
Moonrise today 12:38 a.m.
Moonset today 2:48 p.m.

New First Full Last
Aug 29 Sep 5 Sep 13 Sep 20

Tides

Tides for Daytona Beach Shores, Seunglow Pier

Tomorrow
First Low 9:42 a.m. -0.2 ft.
First High 3:20 a.m. 3.6 ft.
Second Low 10:35 p.m. 0.3 ft.
Second High 4:05 p.m. 4.4 ft.

Friday
First Low 10:45 a.m. -0.3 ft.
First High 4:30 a.m. 3.6 ft.
Second Low 11:37 p.m. 0.0 ft.
Second High 5:14 p.m. 4.5 ft.

Tomorrow's National Weather



World Cities

City	Tom.	Fri.
Athens	82 72	81 74
Beijing	82 72	81 74
Berlin	70 55	67 51
Buenos Aires	61 52	60 48
Cairo	108 78	109 80
Hong Kong	88 79	87 85
Jerusalem	87 61	87 81
London	83 66	84 70
Maria	88 77	88 78
Mexico City	78 54	73 53
Moscow	82 49	82 53
Paris	87 67	80 70
Rome	87 78	87 78
Seoul	80 77	79 87
Sydney	82 49	81 47
Tokyo	85 74	86 73
Warsaw	85 68	86 71
Zurich	83 68	85 67

National Cities

City	Tom.	Fri.	City	Tom.	Fri.	City	Tom.	Fri.
Albany	80 72	80 70	Grand Rapids	78 58	80 88	Cincinnati	81 58	83 88
Albany, GA	84 66	82 62	Havana	88 55	82 55	Omaha	100 72	100 71
Baltimore	84 66	82 62	Honolulu	86 71	87 72	Philadelphia	84 66	82 64
Birmingham	82 61	83 60	Houston	96 71	96 72	Phoenix	103 81	106 85
Boston	82 59	86 63	Indianapolis	89 61	82 88	Portland, OR	81 58	83 88
Buffalo	82 59	86 63	Jacksonville	91 70	92 78	Providence	75 62	78 61
Charlotte, SC	89 73	90 72	Kansas City	92 69	92 67	Raleigh-Durham	89 67	86 65
Charleston, WV	82 60	88 61	Las Vegas	98 74	102 78	Rapid City	97 61	96 61
Chicago	80 60	81 63	Little Rock	100 72	100 69	Reino	90 52	88 67
Cleveland	78 57	78 60	Louisville	88 65	84 65	St. Louis	89 70	88 70
Daytona Beach	90 73	89 78	Memphis	95 74	93 73	Salt Lake City	87 63	95 67
Daytona	88 68	84 63	Miami	90 78	91 78	Santa Fe	87 57	88 58
Des Moines	88 65	85 68	Minneapolis	77 68	80 88	St. Paul, MN	78 53	77 82
Detroit	80 60	80 62	Nashville	92 69	84 62	Seattle	76 56	80 87
El Paso	92 66	91 66	New Orleans	93 72	92 73	Topoka	95 67	94 67
Fairbanks	57 38	57 40	New York City	78 68	82 68	Tucson	95 70	100 74
						Washington, DC	86 68	84 68

Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, l-ice.



Sanford Chamber Director Ron Ross greets Thelma Mills and Almerose Bentley during the opening ceremonies of the Helms Stairs Theatre. The Seminole County School Board named Sanford's newest school after Bentley.

Loans

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franchises, four of them in Seminole County.

Webster said the new ordinance would throw him out of business.

"We have a chance, however, to convince the State Legislature before the effective date," he said. "We'll continue our argument in Tallahassee. Under Seminole's law, a 60-day transition period to lower the rates will begin March 1, 2001."

Another lender said the commissioners were intent to make the consumers seem as if they were "dumb, desperate and poor — you're insulting them," Kathleen Simpkins said.

"As a former lender, I can tell you the current rates are predatory," Commissioner Daryl McLain said, leading the action taken by the county. "We must do more to protect the consumers."

Tax accountant Hermen Cruz said the commissioners had made an appropriate move.

"This will make the State Legislature do something," Cruz said.

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School

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where she retired on Jan. 31, 1975. She also was the supervisor of elementary education in Columbia County.

Bentley is active in the church and has helped develop programs for youth groups, women's mission organizations and Christian education departments. She is the author of "The History of the First South Florida Missionary Baptist Association, 1888-1989" and "Georgetown: The History of a Black Neighborhood."

Honors include The Martin Luther King Jr. Community Award for Leadership in Civic and Education Activities awarded by the city of Sanford; twice-cited for Service to Neglected and Abused Children; inducted into the President's Fountain of Excellence at Florida Memorial College in Miami; and received the Seminole County Branch of NAACP Community Service Award in recognition of her outstanding community involvement and contributions.

Although Bentley was not at the School Board meeting Tuesday, she was notified at the end of the meeting about the

school's new name.

"This is the biggest thing that has happened to me in my life," Bentley said. "I am overwhelmed."

Bentley said she had no idea the Board was considering her name for the new school.

"I wonder what I've done over the years to achieve something like this," she said.

The Sanford native said she gives credit to her grandparents and parents for her achievements and instilling in her the value of community pride.

Bentley, who will be 90 in November, said she plans on visiting the new school and sharing her earlier experiences with students.

"I want to tell them about the advantages of schooling," she said. "I want them to realize they have to make good use of school."

In the meantime, Bentley said she will try to recover from the surprise of Tuesday's announcement.

"I express to the Board and to the public my deepest appreciation and surprise to receive such an honor," she said. "This is wonderful."

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Ceremonial signing



Seminole County Sheriff Donald Eslinger and District 7 Administrator of the Department of Children and Families Robert Morin Jr. sign a document agreeing that the Seminole County Sheriff's Office will now provide protective investigations and other services previously performed by the Department of Children and Families.

Henley, Morris leave little for chance

Anyone observing the Seminole County Commission in recent months would assume correctly the board has two champions — its chairman and its former chairman. Carlton Henley and Randy Morris are the Tinker-to-Evers in county government — much like Tinker and Evers in the legendary Chicago Cubs doubleplay combination. The rest is left to chance — more often than not Daryl McLain is (Frank) Chance.



Russ White

Such was the case Tuesday when Henley and Morris championed an ordinance designed to protect the consumer from predatory payday loan sharks. McLain, a former loan officer, provided valuable expertise, leaving commissioners Dick Van Der Weide and Grant Maloy little more to do but agree. A two-hour public hearing was followed by a swift, 5-0 vote for Florida's first payday loan ordinance. A number of payday loan business operators testified that the ordinance could ruin their businesses. Hermen Cruz, a tax accountant, said the ordinance was a good one. "This will make the state

legislature do something," Cruz said. "Were these guys grandstanding in election year? Sure. But they sure started something important." Henley and Morris are not only the anchors of today's board, they will make up 40 percent of the next county commission. McLain, Van Der Weide and Maloy are up for re-election. Two — even three — may not make it. And, they know it.

"Randy Morris is the best commissioner on this board," Henley said the other day, a sincere compliment from a chairman who has proven his leadership at the highest level of county government. Check the voting. Henley and Morris are consistently on the same page. In the two years since he was chairman, Morris has been a statesman.

McLain and Van Der Weide, each seeking a third term, seem to have separated not only from each other but away from Henley and Morris. Henley boldly is supporting challenger Don Nicholas to defeat McLain in the District 5 race. Maloy, his freshman stint on the board coming to an undistinguished halt, seems to have only Van Der Weide

to cling to. Meanwhile, Tom Hagood and Dudley Bates could sweep past the two in the District 1 and District 3 races.

Hagood's record on the Oviedo City Commission gives him a good chance in the September Republican Primary in District 1. Bates, outstanding as a commissioner and mayor in Altamonte Springs, will spark him against Van Der Weide, wounded in his own "Travelgate" feud with County Clerk of the Court Maryanne Morse.

Henley, 68, said he intends to retire after his term ends in 2002. Residents ought to be thankful he came out of his retirement as a school principal to supervise the county board meetings. Business is conducted with a minimum of sniping by the other four commissioners. Maloy doesn't appear to get as involved in issues as he had. He hardly said a word through the big payday loan session on Tuesday.

Keep an eye on what happens at the final budget meetings, especially when Sheriff Don Eslinger asks for some big raises for deputies — both the new ones and vets. Issues like this grow larger when the sheriff and three commissioners are trying to get re-elected. Expect Henley and Morris to officiate.

Russ White's column appears daily in the Seminole Herald.

Obituaries

VERNON HOWARD BELKNAP

Vernon Howard Belknap, 84, Bayberry Branch, Casselberry, died Monday, August 21, 2000. Born in St. Marys, Pa., he moved to Central Florida from Rochester, N.Y., in 1970. He was a milk processor for T.G. Lee Dairy. He was a Protestant and a member of Knights of Columbus, New York. He was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army.

Survivors include wife, Beatrice, Casselberry; sons, Martin, Eustis, and Maurice, Deland; sister, Alice Foster, Livonia, N.Y.; three grandchildren.

Tri-County Cremation Service, Longwood, in charge of arrangements.

PRISCILLA A. BRADLEY

Priscilla A. Bradley, 40, West 15th Street, Sanford, died Tuesday, August 22, 2000 at Central Florida Regional Hospital. Born June 18, 1959 in Sanford, she was a lifelong resident. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include husband, Roosevelt Sr., Sanford; sons, Chester, Roosevelt, Jr., Vexter, all of Sanford; daughters, Michele and Trachell, both of Sanford; brother, Michael Kennedy, Sanford; sisters, Esther Barbara, Charlotte, N.C., Arrithis Evonne Taylor, Arneha Hunter, Sibrina Hickmon Hamilton, all of Sanford, Peggy Dawkins, Rochester, N.Y.; one grandson. Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

PEARLIE MAE NEVILLE

Pearlie Mae Neville, 75, South Sipes Avenue, Sanford, died Monday, August 21, 2000. Born in Fruitdale, Ala., she moved to Central Florida from Greenville, Miss. in 1990. She was a homemaker and a housewife. She was a retired deli manager of

the Lewis Grocery Co.

Survivors include husband, Charles William Neville, Sr., Sanford; sons, Dennis Williams, Sanford, Sherman Williams and Benny Williams, Lake Mary; daughters, Alice Akers, Greenville, Miss., Mary Rooney, Orange City, Frances Neville, Lake Mary; daughters, Minnie Litton, Lake Mary, Grace Lofton, Globe, Ariz., Edna Fulwood, Shaw, Miss.; 21 grandchildren, 26 great grandchildren.

Baldwin-Fairchild-Oaklawn Park Cemetery and Funeral Home, Sanford/Lake Mary, in charge of arrangements.

MARY ESTHER OWENS

Mary Esther Owens, 93, West 15th Street, Sanford, died Tuesday, August 22, at Healthcare & Rehab of Sanford. She was born May 1, 1907 in Cordelle, Ga. She was a homemaker and a member of Greater New Mount Zion M.B. Church, Sanford.

Survivors include 17 grandchildren, numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

WILLIE SMILEY JR.

Willie Smiley, Jr., 69, Coolidge Avenue, Sanford, died Monday, August 21, 2000. Born in Troy, Ala., he moved to Central Florida in 1956. He was a retired custodian at Seminole High School, and a member of Shower Down of Blessing Church, Sanford.

Survivors include wife, Inez Smiley, Sanford; daughters, Cindy Frederick, Deltona, Wanda Killingsworth, Sanford; sons, Marvin Killingsworth, Sanford, Keith Smiley, Osteen; sisters, Clarise Arrington, Sanford, Jewel Carter, Ozark, Ala., Betty Wilson, Plainsfield,

N.J.; brothers, Louis Smiley and Herbert Smiley, both of Hamilton, Ohio, Eugene Smiley, Eatonville, Charles Smiley, Hillside N.J.; ten grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews.

Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

DOUGLAS G. VICKERS II

Douglas G. Vickers II, 40, Fifth Street, Lake Mary, died Saturday, August 19, 2000. Born in Honolulu, Hawaii, he moved to Central Florida in 1963. He was a sales manager for a health club and a Presbyterian.

Survivors include mother, Claudine; father, Douglas Gray Vickers, Sr., Lake Mary; daughters, Amanda N., Kaitlyn S., both of Tallahassee; brother, William J., Sanford; sister, Claudia L. Graves, Oldsmar; grandmother, Lenore Jarrell, Virginia.

Baldwin-Fairchild-Oaklawn Park Cemetery and Funeral Home, Sanford/Lake Mary, in charge of arrangements.

FUNERALS

MORGAN, ELLA FIELDS

Funeral services for Mrs. Ella Fields Morgan will be Saturday, August 26, 2000 at 3 p.m. at St. Matthews Missionary Baptist Church, Sanford, with Reverend Leonard Wilson officiating. Visitation will be Friday, Aug. 25 from 8 until 8 p.m. at Saint Matthews Missionary Baptist Church. Services entrusted to Epps Mortuary, Lake Wales, Florida.

VICKERS, II, DOUGLAS G.

Funeral services for Douglas G. Vickers, II, 40, of Lake Mary, who died Saturday, will be conducted Thursday, at 1 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church of Lake Mary, with Rev. A.F. Stevens officiating. Interment will follow at Oaklawn Cemetery. Visitation for friends will be Wednesday from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Oaklawn Chapel of Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Homes. Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, 5800 CR-46-A, Lake Mary, in charge of arrangements.

Community Notes

Revival

A revival is scheduled for Aug. 25 and Aug. 26 at Springfield Baptist Church. The event will include Team SWAT, and the distribution of clothes and school supplies. It begins 7 p.m. each night. The church is located at 901 W. 12th St.

NAACP movie

The premier showing of the NAACP Feature Film, "House on Fire" will be presented Thursday, Aug. 24 at Mt. Pleasant Missionary Baptist Church, 4077 Prince Hall Blvd., Orlando. Registration is 6 p.m. The event is sponsored by No Longer Bound, Inc., and Hope and Help Center of Central Florida, Inc.

For additional information on this HIV/AIDS film outreach project for African Americans, phone

407-841-8399, ext. 17.

Helpline course

Central Florida Helpline is accepting registrations for the "How Can I Help?" training course that begins Aug. 24. Morning classes will be held at College Park Baptist Church from 9 a.m. to noon. Evening classes will be held at Calvary Assembly of God Church from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. In this 50-hour course you will learn basic counseling techniques and how you can help others facing crisis situations such as addition, depression, grief, suicide, crisis pregnancy and more. If you would like to receive a brochure with more information, call the Helpline business office at 407-740-7408.

Summertime BBQ

Summerville at Lake Mary is

hosting a Summertime Bar-B-Q, Saturday, August 26, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Information and Leasing Office adjacent to the future residence. Food, cold drinks and plenty of line dancing is scheduled.

Summerville Senior Residential and Assisted Living is located at 3655 West Lake Mary Blvd. Phone 407-688-1660.

Picnic time

Universal Needs Alliance, a community human service organization will hold a community picnic for parents and children, Saturday, Aug. 26, from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. at Fort Meleon Park on the lakefront in Sanford. The event will be an informational setting.

For additional details on this Awareness Day, phone Sybrina Wynn, President, at 407-331-9800.

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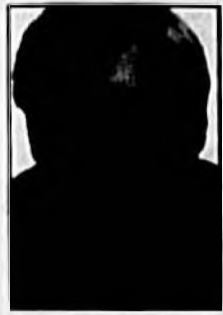
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Opinion

Truth and beauty in Clinton's farewell

The poet John Keats, who wrote at the beginning of the 19th century, could have foreseen the power of Bill Clinton's delivery at the outset of the 21st.

"Beauty is truth, truth beauty — that is all ye know on earth, and all ye need to know."



Chris Matthews

Last week, the meaning of those lines came rushing through me as I sat in a TV booth high above the Democratic National Convention and heard the president bid farewell to his party. Nothing is more beautiful, it struck me, than the marriage of Bill Clinton and the truth.

Clinton came to the convention hall with a basic, undeniable message: He had done what he'd promised to do. He had sought the presidency to help that embittered, struggling class of Americans, many of them Reagan Democrats, families who lived for so many years from paycheck to paycheck. Today, the welfare queens those families so detested have jobs. The families themselves have 401(k)s.

Clinton delivered the numbers behind the facts with rousing precision.

"More than 22 million new jobs; the lowest unemployment in 30 years, the lowest female unemployment in 40 years, the lowest Hispanic and African-American unemployment on record, the highest homeownership rate in our history. The number of families who own stock has risen by 40 percent."

He then let fly with the deal-maker, the old Gipper standard of presidential success:

"My fellow Americans, are we better off today than we were eight years ago?"

Clinton was having fun, splashing in the water of truth like a kid on his first trip to the beach.

"Remember, our Republican friends said then they would absolutely not be held responsible for our economic policies. I hope the American people take them at their word."

"You know, Harry Truman's old saying has never been more true: If you want to live like a Republican, you better vote for the Democrats."

He has won and so has the country, Clinton told the delegates and those watching from home, because he turned the Democratic party around. He was a "New Democrat," a leader who'd built his house with balanced budgets, free trade, welfare reform and crime-fighting.

Clinton had sought the White House to help that struggling class of Americans from which he himself had arisen, the father who cried when he lost his job to the latest recession, the immigrant who'd come here for freedom, only to fear letting his children play in the streets.

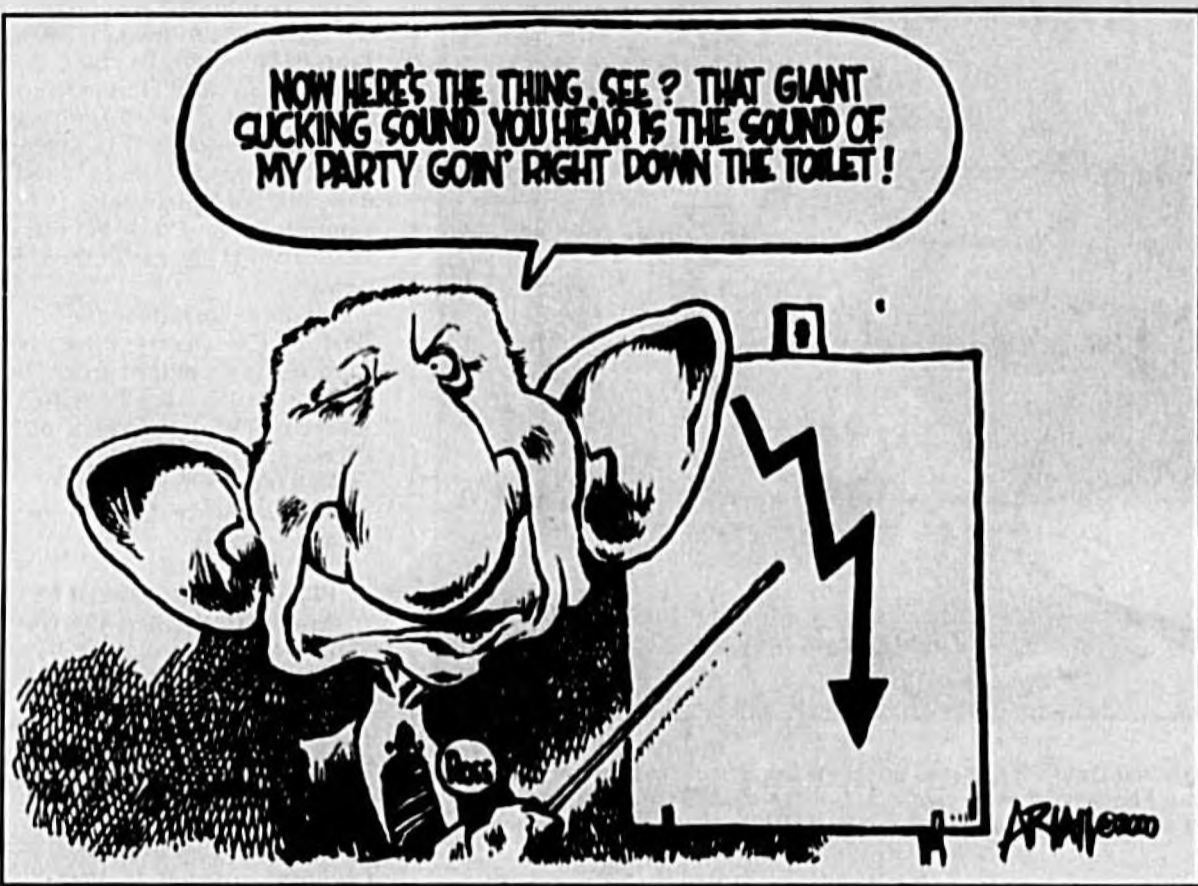
"I ran for president to change the future for those people."

On Monday night, Bill Clinton presented an honest report card on how he had delivered on that promise. "Remember," he said in the most unforgettable phrase of the evening, "whatever you think of me, keep putting people first, keep building those bridges, and don't stop thinking about tomorrow."

"Whatever you think of me."

Finally, Bill Clinton had gotten it right. He had given the most beautiful speech I can remember by speaking the unalloyed truth. He had finally recognized that it's not about him. It was never about him or what people think of him. It's about the country.

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Posh bashes by 'party of the people'

Al Gore sounded almost genuine when he declared himself the candidate that "fights for working families" as opposed to "the wealthy, the well-connected and the powerful."

The Democratic Party platform sounded almost believable when it proclaimed its presidential nominee committed to "breaking the link between special interests and political influence."

That is, of course, unless one happened to attend the Democratic National Convention last week to observe the off-camera golings-on.

Like the ritzy reception at the Rodeo Drive boutique of the Italian fashion designer Giorgio Armani. There were no "working families" to speak of among the Democratic invitees, who toasted their gracious host for the \$150 gift certificates he bestowed upon them as they passed through the door.

They giggled when Democratic Party chairman Joe Andrew told them not to worry about public perception. "We're the party that's going to get everybody here off the hook," he said,

"because we're the party that supports campaign finance reform."

Wink, wink. Nod, nod.



Joseph Perkins

Meanwhile, on the other side of town, there was a star-studded soiree at Babs Streisand's oceanfront estate. The 100 "extremely select (and rich) guests," according to the Los Angeles Times, "were expected to contribute as much as \$10 million."

So much for the fiction that Democrats are the "party of the people," while Republicans are the "party of the powerful." Indeed, the dirty little secret that the party of Gore went to painstaking lengths to hide from the "working families" watching their convention on television is that the four-day spectacle was bought and paid for by the corporate and wealthy interests that the Democrats hypocritically decry.

This fact was not lost upon at least one conscientious Democratic objector, Wisconsin Sen. Russ Feingold (whose campaign finance reform bill the party platform actually endorses).

"What do we see when we

come here to L.A.?" he asked.

"Corporate names emblazoned in gigantic letters across the very building where (our) nominee will be chosen."

"Corporate-sponsored parties, corporate-sponsored concerts, corporate-sponsored golf tournaments, corporate-sponsored wine tastings, corporate-sponsored yacht cruises, corporate-sponsored shopping excursions, and of course, in between, the corporate-sponsored breakfasts, lunches and dinners."

The Democrats try to rationalize their corporate buck-raking (\$120 million in soft money, and counting) by piously declaring that, unlike the unholly Republicans, the party of Gore and Lieberman is discriminating in choosing the corporate soft money it accepts.

Airlines are fine (including convention donor United, which is currently embroiled in a bitter dispute with its pilots' union). Telecommunications companies are OK (like Verizon, which is currently battling its rank and file).

And utilities are also all right (including Semptra Energy, which has more than doubled the monthly electricity bills of "working families" in San Diego and other Southern California municipalities in just the past year).

But no way would Democrats defile themselves with money from such corporate interests as, say, oil and tobacco. There are certain lines the party of Gore and Lieberman simply would not cross.

Or wouldn't they?

In fact, some 300 Democrats, including more than a few senators, attended a reception this week at the Armand Hammer Museum hosted by Occidental Petroleum. It so happens that party presidential nominee Gore is executor of a family trust fund that holds Occidental stock worth as much as \$1 million.

Meanwhile, cigarette maker Philip Morris hosted a slew of parties at the Democratic convention, including a reception for Democratic governors, a luncheon for Democratic state legislators and separate wingdings for Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle and Rep. Martin Frost, the third-ranking House Democrat.

The Democrats have some explaining to do to the American people. How can they claim to be fighting for working families when they just spent four days in Los Angeles eating the food and drinking the liquor of the wealthy, the well-connected and the powerful?

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"I NEED SOME 'QUIET.'"

From A to Z

Art Zielinski asks people what they think ...

The Republican and Democratic National Conventions are thankfully over — not to mention all the "two chickens in every pot" speeches. With the national political fever up a few degrees, we asked several folks on the streets of Sanford "if they had to vote for a president today, who would they choose" — Bush and Cheney or Gore and Lieberman?



I would vote for Bush. I think he has a better plan for the country — especially with social security and the prescription plan. Gore's plan doesn't start until 2009.
- Edward Russell-Tully, DeBary



I would vote for Gore, but don't tell my family. I like his stand on the environment and the family. I think he is a brilliant man. I think a lot of people feel that way.
- Janice Fuston, Langwood



I have to vote for Gore. I guess I was always a Democrat. I believe Gore is for the little man. I'm not going to connect Gore with Clinton.
- Charles Anderson, Sanford



I would vote for Bush. I think he presents himself a little better than Gore. Gore has no leadership qualities. Bush is the best of the worst.
- Andy Garrison, Sanford



I would have to vote for Gore. God forbid something would happen to Bush and Cheney became president. It would be a travesty.
- Flora Manning, Boca Raton



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Education

School Notes

Bike Rodeo

Longwood Parks and Recreation Advisory Board will hold a Bicycle and Safety Rodeo, Saturday, August 26, from 10 a.m. until noon. A BMX stunt show will be presented, along with free bicycle safety inspections, bicycle helmet safety and other useful information.

Everyone is welcome, especially bicyclists. The rodeo will be held at Longwood City Hall complex, corner of Warren Avenue and Wilma Street.

For additional information phone 407-260-3447.

College Student Connection

Oviedo Marketplace will host "College Student Connection" August 26 and 27. The event is to showcase a venue of business and services to help make campus living a little easier for college students. College Student Connection will be open from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. on the 26th and from noon until 6 p.m. on the 27th.

Bowhunting class

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission is offering a free bowhunting class to the public, Sunday, August 27, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Seminole County Gun and Archery Club, Geneva. The class will provide advanced instruction on such topics as the fundamentals of bowhunting, safety, hunting techniques, stalking, trailing and sportsmanship.

Pre-registration is required. Phone the FWC at 352-625-2804, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Persons under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

Clover Kids 4-H

The Clover Kids 4-H Club will hold its annual parents and new member meeting Monday, August 28, from 6 until 7:30 p.m. The club meets every Monday at 5:30 p.m. at the Cooperative Extension Service Auditorium at Five-Points, just south of Sanford. The club is open to youth ages 5 to 13.

Parents and prospective members are invited to the new member meeting. For additional information phone Shelda Wilkens, 4-H Coordinator at 407-665-5557.

Oviedo High

Oviedo High School will hold Open House Monday, on August 28, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Parents are to meet in the auditorium for a PTSA meeting. After the meeting, parents will follow their child's schedule and attend each of the classes for a ten minute presentation by the teachers. First period will begin at 7:05 p.m. and will include an overview of Oviedo High School.

For additional information, phone Deb Jepson at 407-320-4199.

Star Spangled Girl
Lake Mary High School Players of the Arts seniors will be starting the new school year with the Neil Simon comedy, "The Star Spangled Girl". The presentation, suitable for the entire family, will be September 5th, 6th, 7th and 9th at Lake Mary High School auditorium. Admission is \$4.

For additional information or tickets contact Bill Eisele at 407-320-9672.

Dividends Coffee

There will be a Dividends coffee at Oviedo High School, Sept. 6 beginning at 9 p.m. for Dividends and those interested in joining. The event will be held in the media center, of the 21-00 building. For additional information phone Deb Jepson at 407-320-4199.

Running smoothly



Herald photo by Tommy Vincent
Billy Rubano, a fifth-grader at Goldsboro Elementary School, looks anxiously out the school bus window during the first week of school. School has been back in session for several weeks now, and according to Seminole County School System personnel, everything is running smoothly.

Hamilton Happenings

By Beth Jensen
Special to the Herald

"ON YOUR MARKS, GET SET, GO!" No, this is not the races but the first two weeks of school at Hamilton Elementary Cluster Magnet School for Communications through Advanced Technology. Our students are off to a great start, and the 2000-2001 school year is expected to be even more outstanding than last year.

Some of last year's accomplishments include PTA awards for programs and increased membership (an increase of 219 percent!), Department of Education awards for our Hamilton Helpers program, and special recognition for improved test scores (highest increase in reading, second highest in writing). On Tuesday night at the Seminole County School Board Meeting, Dr. Paul Hagerty, Superintendent of Schools, recognized Hamilton for outstanding improvement in test scores. In addition, we enjoyed extensive expansion in computer software, hardware, and networking, which will enable our students to advance their communication skills through advanced technology.

This year, Hamilton is offering environmental science as part of its Specials offerings. All children, kindergarten through 5th grade will study how our envi-

ronment affects us and how we impact the environment. It's the only outdoor environmental study area of its kind in Seminole County.

Goals of the environmental science program include creating a native plant butterfly garden, collaborating with the Central Florida Zoo and Winter Springs High School, developing a natural wetland habitat, and refurbishing the outdoor science study area.

We are beginning our third year of Success for All Reading (SFA) and attribute much of our success in reading to SFA. SFA is a 90 minute uninterrupted daily reading instruction program. If you have children, friends, or neighbors who are students here at Hamilton, please encourage them to READ! Students have 20 minutes of reading homework every night, Monday through Thursday. We are confident that our students will continue to improve their reading skills as well as increase their enjoyment of reading through SFA.

Hamilton invites the Sanford

community to get involved in our children's education. Some of the ways you can help are:

- Volunteer as a Special Friend in the Mentoring Program. Mentors meet with students on a weekly basis and receive training to help them perform this important task.

- Join PTA and Hamilton Helpers. Both groups work to provide support for Hamilton's students and staff.

- Donate school supplies and items for our environmental science classes including pencils, notebooks, aquariums, tanks, microscopes, lab equipment, native plants, seeds, plant cuttings, and even small animals.

For more information, call Beth Jensen, Communications Specialist, at 407-320-6067.

Beth Jensen is the vice principal at Hamilton Elementary.

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Treasures

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ing local law enforcement officers with crime scene recoveries.

A recent example was the recovery of the gun that killed Orlando police officer DaSalvia. The weapon was found by club member Ralph All, of Leesberg.

The award for finding the largest object, however, would have to go to Roland Davis, who found a buried car for the police. Detective Emmett Browning of the Orlando Police Department said he and Davis spent a lot for time in the rain and mud looking for the car.

"It made for a unique hunting experience," Browning said. Part of the club's code of ethics is to respect other peoples property and always ask permission to treasure hunt on private property. However, a major concern of club members involves the environmental policies of the Clinton administration.

Leist said large sections of public and private land is being closed down for recreational use. He indicated that if this trend continues, metal detecting hobbyist will have a much harder time finding areas to practice their hobby.

One state that still has room for everyone is Alaska. And Glen Hanson, of Lake Mary took advantage of the open land to find a gold nugget during his vacation last June. Hanson said he has enjoyed the hobby since 1963.

"Where I go my metal detector goes," he said.

The price tag for anyone interested in starting a metal detecting hobby can range from about \$99 to well over \$1,000. Leist indicated a good detector will cost between \$200 and \$300. Naturally, a detector with more bells and whistles will command a higher price.

The Central Florida Metal Detecting Club meets the second Friday of each month at the Sanford Garden Club on Highway 17-92 at 7:30 p.m. For



Herald photos by Art Ziellmeier



Above: Ted Kilger of Lake Mary searches a field in Orange City. Left: Club members found a number of items which they displayed at a recent meeting. Among the finds were keys, toy cars, bullets, dog tags, and gold jewelry.

directions and additional information call Ray Leist at 407-322-5509.

Debbie

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ing everyday, helping people prevent, prepare for and respond to disasters. When disaster strikes, we're there as long as we're needed," said Ted Williams, emergency services director for the American Red Cross of Central Florida.

In Tallahassee, state officials with the Department of Community Affairs State Emergency Response Team is in the ready, to assist county emergency management agencies should the storm impact anywhere in Florida.

The Red Cross has issued a list of suggestions for preparedness. The lists have been published before, but many people hesitate to do anything - until the last minute. The following suggestions are given:

- Prepare a disaster supplies kit
- Know your evacuation routes
- Make a list of items to bring inside, and write down instructions on how to turn off gas and water if advised to do so by local authorities.
- Purchase items needed to board up and protect your home
- Make arrangements for pets in the event of a hurricane
- Listen to local officials, and evacuate immediately if told to do so.

McCluan commented on the difficulties with evacuation in Monroe County, at the southern tip of the state. "They were going to evacuate all the tourists first, then the residents, but now they are saying 'everyone leave,'" McCluan said. "It takes a couple of days just to evacuate the Keys area, so I hope they are following the suggestion."

The evacuation of Monroe County has been made even more difficult with a portion of U.S. 1 having to be closed yesterday and part of this morning. U.S. 1 is one of only two highways leading to the Keys.

Aunt welcomes big family but not all their friends

DEAR ABBY: I am a single woman (no children) who hosts several family parties during the year. I have six brothers and sisters. All are married, and they have a total of 16 children. Everyone in the family is invited to these family get-togethers - and I used to looking forward to seeing them. The problem is, my brother's five children each bring a boyfriend or girlfriend. I never know when these "extra five" people are coming, and it makes planning a party difficult. (If all the nieces and nephews started bringing their friends, there would be 32 children!)



Dear Abby

My brother never tells me that their kids' friends are coming - and when they do come, they socialize only with each other. When I was a teen-ager, if we did not want to attend a family gathering, we stayed home; we did not invite our friends. Isn't it inconsiderate to bring uninvited guests to someone's home?

My mother tells me not to say anything, just to be happy we all get together and get along. My feeling is if others approve of uninvited guests at their parties, that is their decision. I

believe it is my choice who attends a party I host. Do you think I am being old-fashioned?
IRRITATED AUNT IN OHIO

DEAR IRRITATED: There's nothing old-fashioned about good manners. Inform your siblings you would prefer that your parties be "family only" - then relax the rule once a year and make it an open house where everyone is invited. You are fortunate to have a large, loving family. Not everyone is so blessed.

DEAR ABBY: I am trying to find out what "business casual" means. The dress code for men has just changed in my office, and ties and suits are now optional. Most wear dress shirts and khaki pants. Some men are sporting necklaces. Where do you draw the line?
FASHION-CONFUSED IN L.A.

DEAR FASHION-CONFUSED: You've asked an intelligent question. Everyone would be better served if some guidelines were issued. The problem lies in the hesitance of many employers to issue a specific dress code, which has left many people confused. What is or is not acceptable attire is a line that must be drawn by the employers. Whether employees wear a suit and tie, slacks and a sport coat, or khakis and a casual

shirt, attire in the workplace should always look neat and professional. While some employers feel that casual dress improves productivity, I have received mail from readers telling me just the opposite.

DEAR ABBY: My brother has asked me to be his best man. The problem is, I am not a man - I am a girl. I am honored to have been asked, but I don't know what to wear. I don't want to wear what the bridesmaids are wearing because I will look like I walked the wrong way or something. Are there tuxedos for women?
STUCK IN FRANKLIN, TENN.

DEAR STUCK: Yes, there are elegant tuxedos for women - some with pants and some with skirts. If the wedding isn't formal, a simple, elegant dinner suit would also be appropriate. Ask your brother and future sister-in-law which they would prefer.

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Community Notes

VFW Spaghetti Dinner
VFW Post 10108, 2644 Sanford Avenue, Sanford, will host a spaghetti dinner Saturday, August 26, from 4 until 8 p.m. All you can eat for \$5.50. The event is open to everyone. Tickets are available at the VFW or by phoning 407-323-5976 before August 20.

Veterans workshop
Congresswoman Corrine Brown will host a workshop for veterans from 10 a.m. until noon, Thursday, August 31, at American Legion Post 53, 2874 S. Sanford Avenue. The workshop will cover a variety of issues including widows benefits, death pension, disability compensation, drugs and medicine, lost military records, housing loans, and many others. The event is free and open to the public but reservations are required. Phone Brown's Orlando office at 407-872-0656.

Mature driving course
AARP 55-Alive Mature Driving programs for motorists age 50 and older will be held

several times in Seminole County during the month of September. On the 12th and 13th, courses will be at Altamonte Springs police station. On Sept. 14 and 15, at Sanford Senior Center. Sept. 21 and 22 at Casselberry Senior Center, and Sept. 25 and 26 at both South Seminole Hospital and Florida Rehab. For additional information or times, phone 407-351-0923.

11k walk
The Mid-Florida Milers' 11k walk will take place Sept. 3 at the Central Florida Zoo, Sanford. Registration and the start of the walk is from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Walkers are to be finished by 4 p.m. Cost is \$7.50 for adults, \$5.50 for seniors, \$6 and \$5 for teens and children. Zoo members are asked to pay a \$2 fee to offset walk expenses. Lunch may be purchased. For additional information phone the zoo at 407-323-4450. For information on the walk contact Mike Lanpher at 407-695-9181.

School Readiness Coalition
The Seminole County School Readiness Coalition will hold a full coalition meeting, Thursday, Sept. 7, from 8 until 9 a.m. at the Educational Support Center, 400 E. Lake Mary Blvd., Sanford.

Mexican connection
Seminole Community College will hold a special event Thursday, Sept. 7, from 9 a.m. until noon. The subject is: "Mexico and the United States: A Fresh Start." Local, state and international panelists will discuss the changed Mexican election process and its impact on Mexico's economy and relationships with the United States. The event is free and open to the public. For additional information contact Kenna Moone, at 407-328-2086.

Olympic physicals
Special Olympics Seminole County (SOSC) will be giving free physicals for all Special Olympic athletes in Seminole County on Sunday, Sept. 10 from 1 - 3 p.m. at Florida Hospital, 601 E. Altamonte Drive, Altamonte Springs. Physicals need to be renewed every three years, and these free physicals are only for Special Olympics Seminole County. For more information call the Hotline at 407-263-8043 or 407-366-7201.

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SUMMERTIME CROSS COUNTRY

LAKE MARY - The Lake Mary Summertime Cross Country Run will be held on the Lake Mary High School Cross Country Course (behind Lake Mary High School) on Saturday, August 26th. Late registration begins at 7 a.m. with racing beginning at 8 a.m. and running until the Awards Ceremony at 11 a.m.

The race is for non-school teams and is open to runners in eight age groups (9-under, 10-12, 13-15, 16-18, 18-29, 30-39, 40-49 and 50-over). Each group has both male and female divisions.

All first place runners will receive medals with the top 5 in the 12-under age groups and the 19-and over age groups receiving ribbons.

The top 10 in each of the 13-15 and 16-18 races will receive medals with places 11-25 receiving ribbons.

The top two teams in the 13-15 and 16-18 races receive championship and runner-up trophies.

Cost is \$3 per runner in advance and \$5 the day of the race.

For more information or to receive an entry form, contact coach Michael Gibson at 407-333-2370, or coach Lionel Bonack at 407-321-8854.

SEMINOLE PONY BASEBALL MEETING

FIVE POINTS - Seminole PONY Baseball will be holding its annual meeting on Sunday, August 27th at 6 p.m. at the Seminole PONY Complex at 1400 State Road 419 between 19-92 and 434. The public is invited.

For more information call 407-323-3570.

SANFORD GYM

SANFORD - Sanford Gymnastics and Family Sports Center will be registering for its new classes on August 28, 29 and 30 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

The registration fees are Gymnastics (\$30 per year), The Kwon Do (\$15 per year), Kung Fu (\$15 per year) and Rock Climbing (\$15 per year).

Monthly tuition's are: Gymnastics (\$35, one class per week), The Kwon Do (\$20, one class per week), Kung Fu (\$20, one class per week) and Rock Climbing (\$20, one class per week).

Classes begin on Tuesday, September 5th.

For more information call the gym at 407-323-2462 or Jeannette Saffey at 407-322-8234 (home) or 407-829-0272 (cell).

SANFORD YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL

SANFORD - The City of Sanford Recreation and Parks Department is registering for its Youth Flag Football League for players 7-to-13 years of age.

Player Placement Day and Late Registration will be held on Saturday, August 26th at the field across from Sanford Middle School.

New players must attend this placement.

Players may register (the fee is \$25) at anytime at the Downtown Youth Center, 300 North Park Avenue, at anytime, or prior on Placement Day.

The 7-to-9 year old league will workout at 9 a.m.; the 10-to-12 year old league will workout at 10:30 a.m.; and the 13-to-15 year old league will workout at noon on Saturday, August 26th.

The league is also looking for coaches for some teams in the two younger age brackets.

For more information, call 407-330-5697.

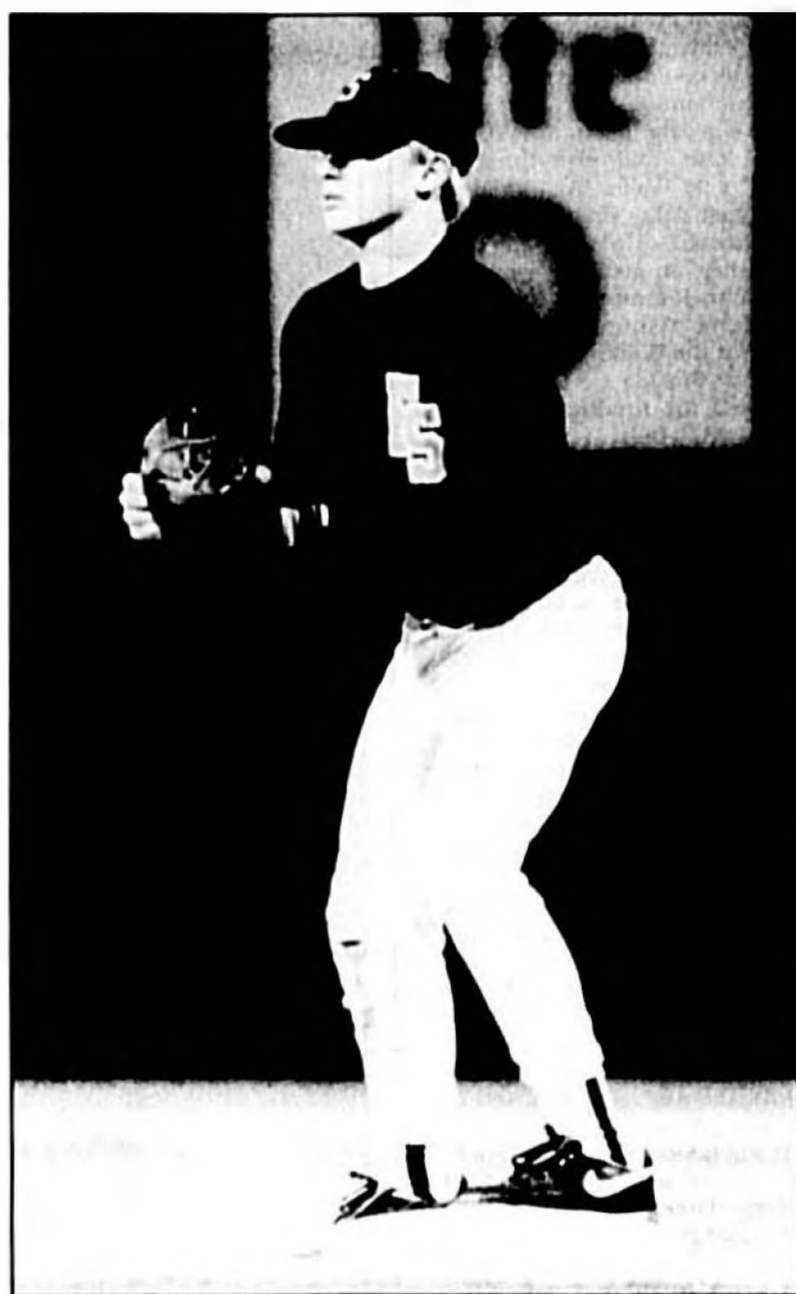
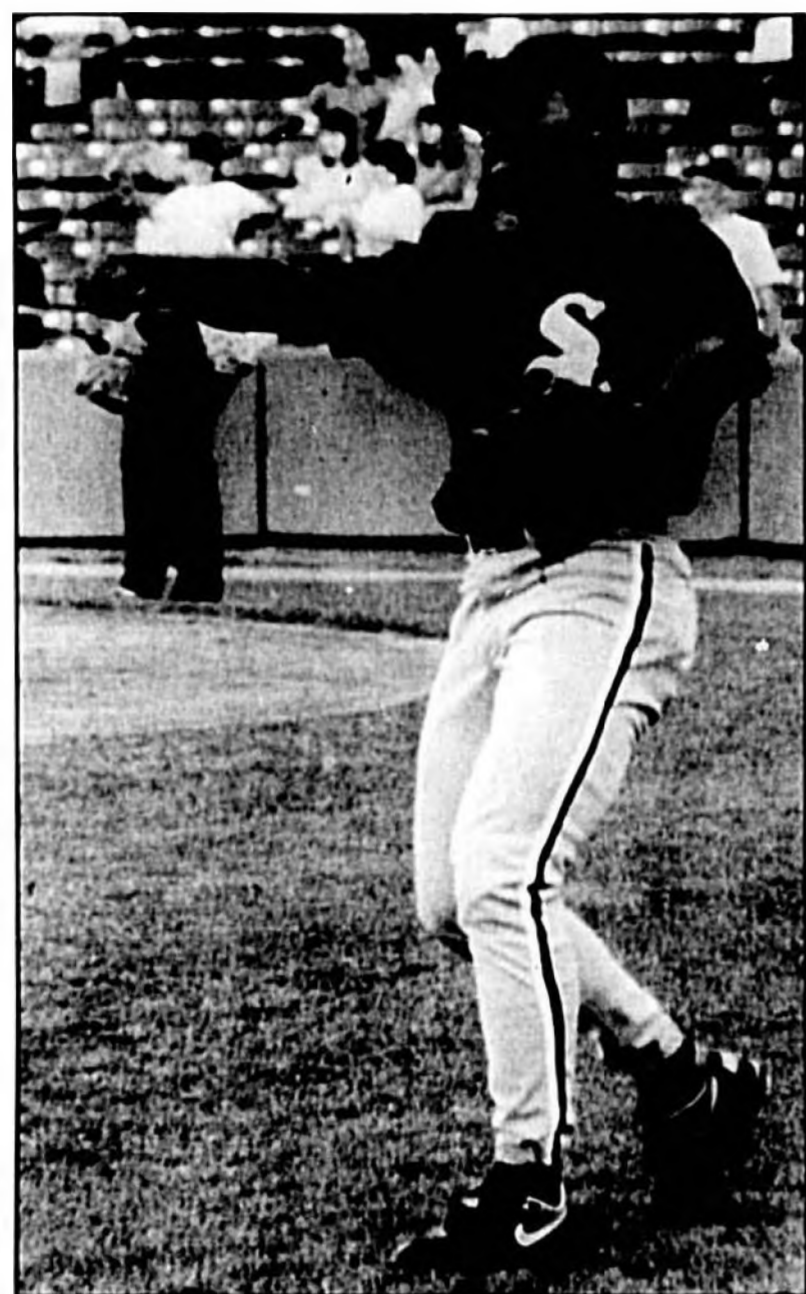
THE 8TH ANNUAL MUD VOLLEYBALL CHALLENGE

ORLANDO - The pig is back! On Saturday, August 26th, the most exciting and fun way to raise funds to benefit the March of Dimes returns.

Yes, we're talking about the 8th Annual Mud Volleyball Challenge at the Lee Vista Center.

If you are interested please contact Tul Frye at 407-999-3077 or email at TLFrye@modimes.org.

Good news, bad news



Eckstein goes to Angels; Raines' Olympic try ends

By Dean Smith
SPORTS EDITOR

SANFORD - It's been said that change can be a good thing.

David Eckstein would probably agree, while Tim Raines would probably not.

Both Sanford baseball stars got the word to pack their bags in the past week and for Eckstein it gave his career a boost, while for Raines it meant the end of his Olympic dreams.

Eckstein was put on waivers by the Boston Red Sox and was claimed by the Anaheim Angels last Wednesday (August 16).

Eckstein, 24, got off to a slow start, but was hitting .246 (104-for-422) with 77 runs, 20 doubles, one home run and 31 RBI in 119 games at Triple-A Pawtucket of the International League when he was cut loose.

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One dream got a new start, while another ended this past week for Sanford professional baseball stars David Eckstein (right, shown in his Seminole High School days) and Tim Raines (left, during his stay with the Chicago White Sox).

Eckstein's dream of making it to the majors got a new location when he was picked up off of waivers from the Boston Red Sox by the Anaheim Angels last week, while Raines was denied a spot on the U.S. Olympic Baseball Team by the selection committee.

FILE PHOTOS

Goin leads at North Florida PGA Section Championship

Special to the Herald

LAKE MARY - Ted Goin of Ponte Vedra Beach fired a bogey-free, four under par 67 for the first round lead Tuesday in the 21st annual Linkstime/North Florida PGA Championship.

The head professional at the Plantation at Ponte Vedra, Goin birdied the first, eighth, 13th and 14th holes on the 6,632-yard, par-71 course at Timacuan Country Club. He takes a one-stroke lead into the second round Wednesday.

Among four players at 68 were defending champion Will Frantz of North Port and Tim Hooks of Jacksonville, who was low at the nearby Country Club at Heathrow, a 6,831-yard, par-72 layout.

Hooks had five birdies and a bogey.

"I played better after the rain delay," said Frantz, head professional at Bobcat Trail, who had completed 10 holes before play was suspended. "I missed some short ones but I also made so nice putts (with birdies at 12, 13, 15 and 16. He bogeyed No. 7).

"It's a nice start in defending my title, better than I did the first time."

He also won the NPGA Championship in 1996, "and played with a broken rib the next year and didn't know it," said Frantz.

Also at 68 at Timacuan, each with four birdies and a bogey, were Bill Shriver, a teaching professional at both Diamondback and at the Ken Venturi Golf Academy, Grenellee, near Haines City,

and Temple Terrace assistant Jim Garrison.

Play was interrupted at each course for more than 45 minutes because of lightning and rain.

The 132-player field switches courses for the second round, after which there will be a cut to the low 60 and ties for the final round Thursday at Heathrow. The winner of the \$36,000 championship will earn \$4,000, the runnerup \$3,000.

LINKSTIME/NORTH FLORIDA PGA SECTION CHAMPIONSHIP

Timacuan Country Club, Lake Mary, 6,632 yards, par 72 and the Country Club at Heathrow, 6,831 yards, par 72

1. Ted Goin, Plantation at Ponte Vedra, Ponte Vedra Beach, 33-34 - 67; 2. (tie) Will Frantz, Bobcat Trail Golf Club, North Port, 36-32 - 68; Jim Garrison,

Temple Terrace Country Club, Temple Terrace (Tampa), 34-34 - 68; Tim Hooks, Plantation Oaks Country Club, Jacksonville, 35-33 - 68; and Bill Shriver, Diamondback Golf Club, Haines City, 32-36 - 68; 6. (tie) Jim Carmichael, Shady Brook Country Club, Ocala, 33-36 - 69; Andrew Casey, Grand Cypress Golf Club, Orlando, 34-35 - 69; Brad Hauer, Metrowest Country Club, Orlando, 33-36 - 69; Jon Mansfield, Westchase Golf Club, Tampa, 33-36 - 69; Walter Smith, Meadowbrook Golf Club, Gainesville, 33-36 - 69; and Bradley Turner, Golf Academy of the South, Casselberry, 35-34 - 69.

12. (tie) Bob Bailey, Swiss Fairways Country Club, Clermont, 35-35 - 70; Brad Brewer, Swing Solutions, Orlando, 35-35 - 70; Vic Congiataro, Seven Rivers Country Club, Crystal River, 34-36 - 70; Stan Cooke, World Woods Golf Club, Brooksville, 33-37 - 70; Kirk Jones, Ocala Palms Country Club, Ocala, 37-33 - 70; Mike Kraymont, Eastwood Country Club, Orlando, 36-34 - 70; Chris Moore, Halifax Plantation, Ormond Beach, 36-34 - 70; John Powell, Hammock Dunes Golf Club, Palm Coast, 36-34 - 70; Rick Sargent, Kissimmee Golf Club, Kissimmee, 34-36 - 70; and Billy Woods, Visual Edge, Orlando, 34-36 - 70.

Manatee protection plans for Buckman Locks, Rodman Dam

By Greg W. Walker
SPECIAL TO THE HERALD

RODMAN RESERVOIR - For Seminole County anglers who enjoy fishing Rodman Reservoir up in Putnam County, they will have to use ramps around the 9,300 acre recreational area, as the Buckman Lock will be closed until some time next summer in all likelihood, for installation of manatee protection devices.

The locks are the doorway to the reservoir off the St. Johns River, and thousands of boaters use the facility annually to enter Rodman.

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife and the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) announced the closing of the locks in April, when challenged by environmental groups for having no manatee protection in place.

Richard Benjamin, assistant field supervisor from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, said the state was administering the Endangered Species and

Manatee Protection Act. Buckman Lock has been cited for causing an undetermined number of manatee deaths.

Local bass tournament officials and anglers protested and requested the locks be operated on tournament days only, but were denied. The locks have remained closed and officials met in mid-June at Rodman Reservoir and Buckman Lock to discuss plans for the future installation of \$600,000 in manatee protection devices at Kirkpatrick Dam and Buckman.

Attending were representatives from the Greenways and Trails, Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission, Save Rodman Reservoir Inc., U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Bergmann Engineering Associates and the U.S. Corp of Army Engineers.

James D. Wolfe, construction projects administrator, from the office of Greenways and Trails, described the improvements to lock and dam and the installation of sonar-type detection devices to alert for the presence



Photo courtesy of Greg W. Walker

James D. Wolfe (center), Construction Projects Administrator of Greenways and Trails, points out manatee protection installations at Kirkpatrick Dam to state and federal officials.

of manatees.

"Where the water is discharged to the river side of the locks, flap valves and grating will be installed to prevent manatees from getting lodged in the large piping," said Wolfe, "and sonar will be affixed on the gates. On the inlet side, or Rodman side of

the lock, grating will be placed over the piping, and sonar devices will be installed on the gates to operate in the same manner as the discharge side."

Wolfe said the sonar is an audio signal, that transmits a sound beam to a receiver across the gates opening.

"It is not sonar that people associate with depth sounders, or ship sonar," said Wolfe. "When the gates close to a 52 inch opening, the beams are eight inches apart, and if the beams are broken, the gate stops, and returns to the 52 inch setting allowing

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the manatee passage.

Plans call for the sonar devices affixed on the front and rear of the gates at depths to include detection of manatees swimming on the surface.

At Kirkpatrick Dam grating will be installed to prevent manatees from being pulled into the dam's gates.

A portable crane will be purchased to remove logs and debris from the grating, and to lift the grating for cleaning periodically.

"We are covering all the possible risks," continued Wolfe, "we have been given the money, and we want to prevent having to go back and ask for more if possible. It is good that the legislature approved this project and provided the funds, or the locks would remain closed. It is a win-win situation for everyone."

Other additions to the Kirkpatrick Dam include fencing to prevent visitors from walking on the structure that might cause injury, and safe platforms for maintenance workers.

"It is imperative that we have a safe facility for the public and workers at the dam, as well as at the lock," said Wolfe.

Ed Taylor, president of Save Rodman Reservoir Inc., asked about a completion date.

Wolfe said it could take as long as a year to a year-and-a-half to complete installation.

Peter Benjamin, unlike Wolfe, said back in April that the locks would remain closed until late this year, or early next year.

Wolfe went on to say the lock would not have to be drained because the work could be done by underwater divers, and that would be a big time saver.

Officials said Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute Inc. of Fort Pierce, and Bergmann Engineering of Ft. Lauderdale, will have a 90-day window to complete the planning phase, followed by a 90-day period to take construction bids.

"The U.S. Corp of Army Engineers are on board with us, and will be adding valuable input," said Wolfe.

Manatee protection continues to raise questions, and opinions all over the state. Many boaters, sport fishermen, and commercial fishermen feel unduly penalized by manatee protection laws, while some environmental groups feel the rules are not tough enough.

Arguments over the number of manatee fatalities go on, and appear to vary from one group to another, along with the number of manatees living in Florida.

Groups differ on whether the big sea cows should remain on the endangered species list.

Sport fishing guides from Volusia/Brevard County, recently voiced concern with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife, fearing more areas in the intracoastal regions may come under manatee protection, outlawing motor driven vessels in additional waters.

"Millions of man-hour and equipment dollars are coming out of the Florida taxpayer's pocket for these manatee projects," said Ed Taylor. "It is affecting peoples lives and livelihoods. You have to question it's value."

Taylor asked if it would be possible to operate the locks in the winter, while construction was going on, because manatees reportedly move south to the Blue Springs area near DeLand, as water temperatures in the northern regions reach 68 degrees.

Bill Brooks, of U.S. Fish and Wildlife, replied that it would be left up to the state's DEP/Office of Greenways and Trails to determined the risk.

Kipp Frohlich, Biological Administrator, of Florida Fish and Wildlife, said manatee deaths had been reported in winter months, but added they had been warm months.

State members were doubtful the locks could be opened during construction.

"Let's get the plans drawn, the work done, and everything in place," said Wolfe. "An incident could just delay the project that much more."

Other on-going projects at Buckman-Rodman facilities include a visitors information center at the Buckman Lock. The 2000 Florida Legislature approved the funding estimated to cost \$379,000.

Bathroom construction at the Kirkpatrick Dam, and bathroom and showers at the Rodman campground, will begin soon according to Dave Bowman, Regional manager of Greenways and Trails. The 1999 Florida Legislature approved \$500,000 for the revitalization project.

"We were to have enough money for some improvements at Kenwood, as soon as land determinations were settled, and some fishing piers on the canal," said Bowman. "The cost of facilities at the campground and dam were more than expected. They will be built vandal-proof, and that is expensive."

In the planning stages is a bass tournament site on the barge canal east of the lock, that will accommodate various tournaments the size of a B.A.S.S. or Wolfson events.

"It will take a couple of years or more to see it happen," said Ed Taylor. "Greenways and Trails has asked for my input, and I am more than happy to help in any way I can. It will make an excellent park for everyone."

Greenways and Trails will apply for \$300,000 from the Florida Legislature next year to study and plan the site, estimated to cost \$3 million dollars.

Seminole County anglers expressed approval, but at the same time concern. Sanford tournament fisherman Hank Gallagher said he was pleased about improvements being made at Rodman.

"It is time for the state to spend some money on this great recreational facility," said Gallagher. "Rodman is equal to the 'Sticks Marsh', and a lot of other fisheries, as well as being a great recreational area for all kinds of outdoor activities."

"I hope the Manatee protection project goes smoothly, and that the locks will be operational as soon as possible. Once in place, the environmentalist will not have that argument to cry about in their battle to drain the reservoir."

Gallagher and partner Frank Dodson won the 1997 Annual Save Rodman Reservoir tournament out of Kenwood Landing, in a field of 143 fishermen. The number two spot was taken by another Sanford team, John Sobik and Bud Burgess.

"Sanford anglers spend a lot of

time on Rodman, and we enjoy it," said Gallagher.

Gallagher went on to say he thought the Manatee concern was getting extreme.

"I won't even go in the river north of Lake Monroe unless there is a tournament, because of all the no-wake and speed

zones. It is ridiculous. Law enforcement is continually citing fishermen for the smallest infractions. It is sometimes as equally annoying on the north side of Lake Monroe."

The lock along with the Kirkpatrick Dam was built in the 1960s as part of the ill-fated

Cross Florida Barge Canal project.

The Buckman Lock was opened on December 14, 1968. It is 600 feet long and 84 feet wide, and 14 feet over gates sills. The top edge of the concrete gate sill on the upstream side is six-feet above sea level.

ROPHY TIME IN SANFORD



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And since arriving with his new team, the triple-A Edmonton (Ontario, Canada) Trappers of the Pacific Coast League, the leadoff hitting second baseman has been on fire, hitting .313 with a home run and three RBI heading into Tuesday night's doubleheader in Las Vegas (not a bad place to begin a new chapter of your career).

In the second game Eckstein led off the game with his second home run since joining the Trappers and his team won 3-1 to finish the six-game stand with a 4-2 record.

That performance came on the heels of a Monday game at Cashman Field in which Eckstein went 2-for-4 with a double, scored a run and drove in two in a 6-5 win.

Eckstein has probably been getting some good advice from his new coaches too, as the manager is ex-All-Star shortstop Garry Templeton and the coach is former All-Star Leon "Bull" Durham.

Even the pitching coach is a former major leaguer in ex-reliever Greg Minton.

Selected by the Red Sox in the 19th round of the June 1997 free agent draft after a stellar All-America career at the University of Florida, the Seminole High

School graduate has a .292 career average (484-for-1657) with 328 runs, 82 doubles, 13 triples, 14 home runs and 180 RBI in 453 minor league games.

Raines, meanwhile, was the last former major-league player still under consideration for the Olympic Team when he was cut.

Raines, 40, had retired from the New York Yankees in Spring Training after battling Lupus the final half of 1999 that was found while he was a member of the Oakland Athletics.

But the possibility of going to the Sydney Olympics came up and was encouraged by U.S. Team manager Tommy Lasorda and Raines decided to give it a shot.

In late July Raines had even gone so far as traveling to New Jersey to play four independent Minor Atlantic League games with the Somerset (Mass.) Patriots, going 4-for-11 (.364) with a double, two runs scored and four walks.

No specific reason was given for the dismissal, but Bob Watson, who was the General Manager when Raines first joined the Yankees, and a member of the selection committee, said that Raines had worked hard, but it (making the team) just didn't work out.

Rick Ensrud and Ron Plummer (top, of the Wayne Densch/Budmen, Industrial League Champions), John LeRoy (middle, left, of Sanford Central Baptist Church, Church League A Division Champions), Myriel Reid (left to right), Tony Smith, manager Arthur Barnes, Keithian Roberts and Greg Hardy (middle right, of Wilson-Eichelberger Mortuary, Wednesday Night Men's League Champions and Sunrise Funeral Home, regular season and tournament champions, Men's Thursday Night

League), Ann Lanza (lower left, of Sunniland Corporation regular season Women's Champions), and Bonnie Chaplin (lower right, of F.B.I., Women's Tournament Champions) received their Spring League Championship trophies during a Ceremony at Sanford City Hall Monday. Representatives from Sanford First Church of the Nazarene (Church B Division) and Beer :30 (regular season and tournament champions in Co-Ed) were not present for the ceremony.

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