

Lease signed for new post office

By Dan Ping
Editor

SANFORD — It's official. The U.S. Post Office is moving to the corner of 1st Street and Sanford Avenue.

A lease was signed Friday, May 31, said Joseph Breckenridge, spokesman for the Central Florida District of the U.S. Postal Service. The \$49,600 annual lease runs 10 years with two five-year options.

"We expect to have the new retail facility built and operating within six months," Breckenridge said.

The Postal Service will utilize a little more than 6,200 square feet of the 29,000-square-foot commercial building located on the southeast corner of the 1st Street and Sanford Avenue.

Renovations will include adding P.O. Box modules and a state-of-the-art retail operation. The new facility will not accommodate

mail sorting functions, which have already been moved to the Post Office's new annex at Airport Boulevard and Mellonville Avenue.

The exterior of the building will be renovated under the terms of the lease. Other improvements include patching, sealing and restriping the parking lot; adding more disability parking spots; and installing new light fixtures and diamond-shaped landscaping areas in the parking lot. The city has

agreed to provide \$26,700 in landscaping and irrigation improvements along 1st Street and Sanford Avenue.

Deputy City Manager Roger Dixon said the Postal Service already has submitted plans for approval by the Planning and Zoning Board and the City Commission.

"One of the things they need to do is nail down the site plan," Dixon said. "Right now

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Tars tap local talent

Seminole County basketball fans have been afforded the opportunity to see two of their favorites play at the upper college level next year.

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Jones to speak at NAACP banquet

The Seminole County Branch of the National Association of the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) will host its annual Freedom Fund and Awards Banquet 6:30 p.m. Saturday, June 8, in the Sanford Civic Center.



Jones

State Sen. Daryl Jones will be the guest speaker for the event. He began a successful career in the public as a lawyer and has served as a judicial clerk in the Federal 11th Circuit Court of Appeals and as an assistant attorney for Dade County in the aviation division.

In 1990, Jones won a seat in the Florida House of Representatives. He has continued to earn honors during his career and has been named as chairman and vice chairman for six committees. He has served as Democratic senate president designate and has also been chair for the Florida Conference of Black State Legislators.

During his tenure, Jones has proven he is a fighter and has won statewide praise from both political parties for his handling of the controversial Rosewood Compensation Bill.

Tickets for the banquet are \$30. To make reservations or for more information, call 407-328-7496.

Seminole Smile



Chris Forst — Youth counselor for the Police Athletic League Summer Camp

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Former NYC mayor helps Bush stump in Central Florida

By Christopher Patton
Staff Writer

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Gov. Jeb Bush and former New York City Mayor Rudy Giuliani were greeted Monday to sea of firefighters and paramedics wearing red "Firefighters for Jeb" T-shirts.

The two star-studded Republicans were honored guests at the 58th annual conference for the Florida Professional Firefighters. Bush received the endorsement for re-election Monday from the 17,000-member firefighter's union. He made his speech short, saving most of the podium spotlight for Giuliani.

"We've accomplished a lot in

the past three years," Bush said referring to improved pension and compensation benefits for firefighters. "I want to be your governor for four more years."

Bush then wished good luck to fellow Republican and House Speaker Tom Feeney (R-Oviedo) who is a candidate for Congress, and handed the show over to Giuliani.

It's the second time in two separate campaigns that Giuliani has helped Bush stump around the Sunshine State. In 1998, the former mayor helped Bush by making several stops with him around the South Florida. Monday was no different as Giuliani referred to Bush as a

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Former New York City Mayor Rudy Giuliani speaks to a crowd during the 58th annual conference for the Florida Professional Firefighters.

Seminole County Sheriff Milliot dies at age 65

By Christopher Patton
Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — Seminole County's eighth acting sheriff, Peter Douglas Milliot, 65, died Friday, May 31.

A resident of Presview Avenue in Longwood, Milliot served as Seminole's top cop from 1967 to 1969. Appointed by Governor Claude Kirk after Sheriff J.L. Hobby was suspended for illegal activity involving the dog track, Milliot helped change the department into what it is today.

He was not a favorite among county commissioners, said current sheriff's office Lt. William

Robbins who worked as a deputy under Milliot. On two occasions, Milliot reportedly went above the commissioners' heads to Tallahassee to secure budget funds.

"He was not concerned with impressing the county commission," Robbins said. "He was trying to build a sheriff's office. Milliot was not the type that was going to let politics get in the way."

Milliot lost re-election as Hobby supposedly threw his support toward another candidate, John Polk. In his two years as sheriff, however, several

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Lake Mary High Winter Guard honored by City Commission

By Christopher Patton
Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — On Monday, a host of officials from two cities honored the Lake Mary High School Winter Guard.

Under the direction of Lake Mary teacher Michele Dersheimer the winter guard has become one of Central Florida's most heralded school teams. In the past four years, the Lake Mary Winter Guard has won or

placed for several national titles.

In the 2002 season, the 19-member guard laid claim to several championships including the International Suncoast and South Florida Regionals. They also won the title for the state at the Florida Federation of Color Guard Circuit Championships. In April, the guard traveled undefeated to Dayton, Ohio for the three-days of competition at

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'PAL'ing around



Student Police Academy Assistant Director Pat Cucci gives children instruction during a Tuesday basketball game at Sanford's Salvation Army. The students are participants in the Police Athletic League's summer day camp.

Academy offers alternative to typical day camp

By Michelle Jera
Managing Editor

Summer vacation can be a difficult time for working parents with older children. Pre-teen and teen-age family members are too old for daycare but too young for summer jobs, which leaves few options for parents.

Summer camps are one alternative, but the hours are not always conducive to the work day. Another is leaving a child at home without adult supervision.

This summer, however, the Seminole Police Athletic League (PAL) is giving parents an additional option — the North Seminole County Student Police Academy. From 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. each week day, children participate in various athletic and educational activities provided by volunteers with PAL, the Sanford Police Department, the Seminole County School Board, and student counselors seeking to fulfill community service hours for various school programs.

"The main reason for the



Sgt. John Zen, left, and Student Police Academy Director Stu Walters hold up a T-shirt promoting the Police Athletic League's summer camp, which will be held until July 28. Zen is also the director of Seminole's PAL.

camp is to assist parents from keeping kids latchkey," said Camp Director and Sheriff's Deputy Stu Walters. "In filling this need, we also teach the children life skills and get their minds focused on the future and growing up. We do a lot more than provide a place for kids."

At first glance, the academy appears to be a typical day camp. Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, the

more than 100 academy children go to the swimming pool. On Tuesday and Thursday, activities include basketball and field trips to local bowling alleys, movie theaters and skating rinks.

"We use the athletic activities to hook them in," Walters said. "That gets the energy going, and then we focus on their life skills."

Since the start of camp,

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Tournament raises funds for 'beating' the heat

By Christopher Patton
Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — For some, "beating the heat" is a frosty treat or escaping into the confines of an air conditioned theater, but for car crazed teen-agers nationwide it's the stuff Hollywood movies are made of.

Try out running a police cruiser on Interstate 4 and expect to spend five to 10 years in prison. Smoke a copper in the law enforcement program "Beat the Heat," and it's all part of the fun.

In its 10th year as a non-profit organization with chapters across the country and Canada, "Beat the Heat" is gradually winning in the deadly game of street racing. Designed to attract teens that love the thrill of drag racing, "Beat the Heat" encourages them to relocate their illegal street activities to

sanctioned tracks that offer the essential safety precautions.

The Florida chapter of "Beat the Heat" inaugural fund-raising golf tournament will be held right here

in Seminole County June 26. Similar to their high-powered educational program, the "Beat the

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Longwood Investigator Ryan Bruce stands next to his 1976 Chevy Nova hotrod. The feared road machine is but one of many expected to be showcased at the June 26 Beat the Heat golf tournament.

Obituaries

EMILY CHARLOTTE ADAMS
Emily Charlotte Adams, 78, of Sanford died Sunday, June 2, 2002.
Born March 20, 1924, in Senoia, Ga., she moved to Sanford from Milton, Fla., in 1955. She worked for the tax collectors office in Sanford and was a homemaker.
Survivors include one son, Ben Adams of Sanford; and one sister, Virginia Tankersley of Jacksonville.
Funeral services are 2 p.m. Thursday, June 6, in First United Methodist Church in Sanford, with the Rev. James Bradshaw officiating. Burial will follow in Oaklawn Cemetery in Lake Mary. Visitation is 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Gramkow Funeral Home Chapel.
Gramkow Funeral Home of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

MARGARET F. CONNIFF
Margaret F. Conniff, 84, of Deltona died Wednesday, May 29, 2002, at Florida hospital Fish Memorial, Orange City.
Born in Philadelphia, Pa., she was a legal secretary in the Camden County Prosecutors office in New Jersey and a member of Council of Catholic women at Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church.
She enjoyed bridge, sewing, reading and knitting.
Survivors include her son, Leo, of Deltona; and two grandchildren.
Baldauff Family Funeral Home of Orange City is in charge of arrangements.

TRUDIE M. CUMMINGS
Trudie M. Cummings, 85, of South Grant Street, Longwood, died Monday, June 3, 2002, in Longwood Health Care Center.
Born April 16, 1917 in Dublin, Ga., she was a homemaker. She was a member of Holy Trinity Church of God in Christ.
Survivors include two sons, Roosevelt Cummings Jr., of Sanford, and Ivory Cummings of Houston, Texas; one daughter, Wavie C. Green of Sanford; six grandchildren; and one great grandchild.
Wilson-Eichelberger Mortuary Inc., of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

JAMES OTIS DEBOSE
James Otis Debose, 63, of Mara Court Sanford, died Sunday, June 2, 2002, in Central Florida Regional Hospital in Sanford.
Born March 17, 1939, in Goshen, Ala., he moved to Sanford in 1971. He was a member of Lion of Judah House of Worship in Sanford and was a lawn maintenance worker and U.S. Army veteran.
Survivors include his wife, Juanita Debose of Sanford; his mother, Luberta Jackson of Sanford; two sons, Virgil Debose and Andre Bodison, both of Sanford; two stepsons, Edward Lawrence of Orlando and Darren Lawrence of Sanford; three stepdaughters, Sherell and Rhonda Lawrence, both of Sanford and Katina Hartsfield of Deltona; one brother, Horace Debose of Sanford; one sister, Annie Ruth Paige of Sanford; 22 grandchildren; and two great grandchildren.
Funeral services are 11 a.m. Saturday, June 8, 2002, in New Bethel Missionary Baptist

Church in Sanford, with the Rev. William Lewis officiating. Visitation is 5 to 9 p.m. Friday, June 7, in Sunrise Funeral Home in Sanford.
Sunrise Funeral Home of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

MARY A. GUY
Mary A. Guy, 74, of Sanford died Thursday, May 30, 2002, in her residence.
Born Jan. 9, 1928, in Bainbridge, Ga., she was a food server at an elementary school. She served on Usher Board No. 1 of Saint James A.M.E. Church.
Survivors include five sons, Charles G. Guy of Sanford, Edward C. Guy of Atlanta, Jerome Guy Jr. of Casselberry, Robert L. Guy of Ocoee and William H. Guy of Sanford; six daughters, Beverly Guy-Johnson of Clarksville, Tenn., Cynthia Guy-Marshall of Lithonia, Ga., Debora G. Glover of Lake Mary, Jackie G. Stephens-Guy of Symara, Ga., Patsy L. Guy of Sanford and, Shirley Williams of Sanford;



29 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.
Funeral service is 11 a.m. Saturday, June 8, 2002, at Calvary Temple of Praise in Sanford.
Wilson-Eichelberger Mortuary of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

WILLIAM JAMES HILLARD
William James Hillard, 87, of West Lake Court, Orange City, died Monday, June 3, 2002, in Florida Hospital, DeLand.
Born in Indianola, Pa., he served in the U.S. Army. He was a retired employment counselor for New York for 20 years.
He was a life member of Disable American Veterans and the VFW.
He was an avid golfer and enjoyed reading, crossword puzzles and cruises. He was of the Methodist faith.
Survivors include his wife of 27 years, Bette; one stepson, Robert Pratt of Westfield,

Mass.; one brother, Samuel Hillard of Jamestown, Pa.; and three stepgrandchildren.
Baldauff Family Funeral Home of Orange City is in charge of arrangements.

WANDA CAROLE LINGER
Wanda Carole Linger, 65, of DeLand died on Friday, May 31, 2002 at Kindred Hospital in Green Cove Springs.
She was born in Columbus, Ohio, and moved to Central Florida more than 20 years ago from Columbus. She was a retired manager of Pine Forest Mobile Home Park in Orange City for more than 20 years. She was a member of the Northside Baptist Church in DeLand.
Survivors include one son, Coy L. Linger of DeLand; one daughter, Debbie Parsley of Circleville, Ohio; two sisters, Cora Buck of Columbus and Norine Campbell of DeLand.
Baldauff Family Funeral Home of Orange City is in charge of arrangements.

PETER DOUGLAS MILLIOT
Peter Douglas Milliot, 65, of Longwood died Friday, May 31, 2002.
Born in Bronx, N.Y., he moved to Central Florida in 1963. He was a retired insurance investigator.
From 1967 to 1969 he served as a sheriff of Seminole County. He was a member of the Florida Sheriff's association and member and past President of the Rotary Club of South Seminole. He was a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps, having served in Korea.
Survivors include his wife, Patricia; Daughter, Deborah Miller of Granite Falls, N.C.; brother, George of Rye, N.Y.; two sisters, Ann Reilly of Bronxville, N.Y. and Mary Milliot of Mamroneck, N.Y.



and one grandchild.
In Lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Hospice of the Comforter, 595 Montgomery Rd., Allamonte Springs, FL, 32714 or the American Cancer Society.
Tri-County Cremation Service of Deltona is in charge of arrangements.

Robert Yates
Robert Yates, 67, of Short Street, Lake Mary, died Sunday, June 2, 2002.
Born in Overcup, Ark., he moved to Central Florida in 1965. He was a master plumber. He served in the U.S. Navy.
Survivors include his wife, Carolyn of Lake Mary; two sons, Carroll and David of Deltona; three daughters, Ruth Johnson of Deltona, Rhonda Sundval of Sanford and Linda Crawford of Chuluota; and 11 grandchildren.
Brisson Funeral Home of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

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Business

UCF hires assistant director for government contracting

The UCF Small Business Development Center now has an Assistant Director for Government Contracting to assist small business owners in pursuing federal, state and local government contracts.

He is Mr. Frank Germonito, a retired United States Air Force (USAF) Contracting/Procurement Officer. He has over 30 years of Procurement experience in both the Commercial and Government sectors, including both foreign and domestic contracts. He has taught University level courses in Procurement, Negotiations, Business Management and Personnel Management, and

authored articles on Procurement for USAF. During his military career he received two meritorious service medals, and five Commendation Medals from USAF.

After retirement he was the head of contracting for a large, prime contractor for the federal government for a number of years, so he's been on both sides of the fence, and brings a wealth of experience with him to help the small business community.

For small business owners in the Central Florida area, the addition of Frank to the UCF SBDC staff gives you an opportunity for free, one-on-one coun-

selling to help you get started in selling your products/services to federal, state and local government agencies. Frank is also available to assist you in administrative matters, such as payment problems, negotiations with the government and getting on GSA schedules, just to name a few. He's already scheduled his first seminar for July 9th, "Selling to the Federal Government."

Go to the UCF SBDC website at www.bus.ucf.edu/sbdc/ for additional information regarding his class, and other services the UCF SBDC offers the small business community, or call the SBDC at (407) 823-5554.

Founder of Lake Mary company pushes for more tech training

Matt Moore, founder and president of TEAM Information Services, Inc. in Lake Mary, was in Washington D.C. recently to lobby legislators on important issues in the information technology industry.

Moore, who is president-elect of the National Association of Computer Consulting Businesses (NACCB) and chairs the association's legislative affairs committee, headed a group that met with Senators Richard Shelby of Alabama and Charles Grassley of Iowa.

Moore said he pushed for passage of the Technology Training and Education Act of 2001 (TETA), which would provide tax incentives to retrain workers displaced from other industries as information technology pro-

fessionals. Moore said he also lobbied senators to allow for fluctuating visa caps and streamlining security clearances in order to fill the country's need for trained technology workers.

"We are currently exporting millions of dollars worth of jobs because we don't have enough trained technology workers in the U.S.," Moore explained.

"This country virtually invented the technology revolution, and it is especially ironic that we have to export jobs overseas when we have six percent unemployment here."

Moore said a streamlined security clearance will aid technology companies in the U.S. "It is critical - that we maintain national security, but it now takes more than a year for secu-

rity clearances to be issued even for relatively low and medium security positions, and that hurts both technology development and services," Moore emphasized.

Moore has scheduled a meeting in July with Senator Robert Graham of Florida, who heads the influential Senate Intelligence Committee.

TEAM Information Services is an information technology consulting and development company based in Lake Mary, Fla. The firm also owns Dragon Development, a Washington, D.C.-based firm, which consults and develops software products for clients who support the U.S. intelligence community, and Vereon Technology, Inc. based in Jacksonville, Fla.

Governor visits region's largest foreign investment



Herald photo by Tommy Vincent

Florida Governor Jeb Bush, left, listens as Brij Sharma, Chief Financial Officer of the Sharma Group, explains his company's tissue manufacturing equipment, as Seminole County Sheriff Don Eslinger looks on. The Sharma Group is nearing completion of its state-of-the-art facilities for the Unicell Paper Mills plant in Sanford. According to economic development officials, the investment made by the Sharma Group is the largest in Central Florida. In addition, Sharma expects the plant to be one of the region's largest utility users. "We are an electric company's dream," he said. "We run 24 hours a day. Once we turn on the equipment, we don't turn it off for 20 years." Unicell will manufacture tissue paper to be sold in the wholesale market.

Harkins to design/build medical office building

The medical practice of Drs. Michael Branch, Cindy Watson and Walter Roth has secured the design/build services of Harkins Development Corporation, to build a 7,000 square foot medical office building.

Located on a 1-acre site, the new medical facility is located in Williston Park on Rinehart Road in Lake Mary, Florida. The

\$1,000,000 project is scheduled to break ground in early June with an eight month construction schedule.

Medical office buildings are a specialty of Harkins Development Corp. Related projects include: Lake Emma Veterinary Hospital, Dr. Michael Biem Orthodontic Clinic and Rion Forconi Dermatology.

Harkins Development Corp., founded in 1974, specializes in the commercial design build services of planning, land acquisition, land development, general contracting, and in luxury custom home building. The company employs nine at its headquarters in Lake Mary, Florida. For more information visit www.harkinsdevelopment.com.

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Post Office

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they are working with Russ Gibson from our planning department to get everything finalized."

The relocation of the Post Office will displace one existing business. Part of the space is empty following the closing in February of Second Image costume shop. The remaining space is occupied by Billy Boy's Famous Chili Dogs.

"We should know something about a new place in Sanford this week," said Bob Patton, general manager of the business.

Breckenridge said the Postal Service has agreed to erect a "prominent sign" so Billy Boy's customers can find the new location.

"I really empathize with them," Breckenridge said. "We talked on his behalf to the city about providing whatever assistance they could."

The future of the old Post Office is unclear, though the Postal Service does intend to surplus the property.

"It's still our plan to sell the

present building," Breckenridge said. "Once we are in the new facility, we would turn the property over to our asset management department."

Officials with the city of Sanford have expressed interest in acquiring the old post office, though no plans have been finalized.

"It is our policy to offer our property to other government entities," Breckenridge said. "We'd first check with other federal entities, then state, county and city, in that order. We would need to get fair market value for it."

Sanford is one of only a handful of communities in the nation to move forward on a new postal facility. Having previously been approved by the federal government, the City Commission created a Post Office Blue Ribbon Committee on July 23, 2001, to assist the Postal Service in locating possible sites for the new facility. The ten-member board identified seven sites, including the old FP&L building next to Sanford City Hall.

'Let them eat beans,' taunts local office

The Central Florida Division of Fidelity National Title Insurance Company (FNTIC) will be feasting on steak, while its counterparts in South Florida and Tampa settle for beans.

That was the bet. The Central Florida Division of FNTIC, which is headquartered in Maitland and has an office in Longwood, won a Steak N' Beans contest with its two in-state rivals on which division would have the greatest percentage increase in title insurance orders during the March/April period. The losing divisions

will pick up the tab for steak dinners for the winner's while they must eat beans.

Central Florida posted a hefty 21 percent increase in title orders over January/February figures, while South Florida registered a 16 percent gain and Tampa trailing with only a 10 percent increase, says Central Florida Division President Daniel A. Wallace.

"It was a friendly but spirited competition," says Wallace. "The victory was especially sweet, considering Tampa has been the perennial winner in years past. We're going

to savor this moment . . . and we'll savor it again when we sit down for our steak dinner."

The Central Florida Division of FNTIC has 90 employees and 13 offices serving a six-county Central Florida market that includes Orange, Seminole, Osceola, Lake, Brevard and Polk.

Wallace says no decision has been made where they will celebrate their victory "but it will be a very nice restaurant."

Del Frisco's and Ruth's Chris Steak House are two that come to mind.

Briefcases

ICOON names Jeff Turner as executive vice president
INCON Lighting, Inc., the Sanford-based manufacturer of high-tech and energy-efficient commercial lighting systems, has named veteran Jeff Turner, PMP (Project Management Professional) as executive vice president.

Mark Hudson, president of the company, said Turner is a graduate of the University of Southern Maine with a degree in computer sciences and is a certified project director.

"INCON is significantly expanding its operations this year with acquisitions of other manufacturing companies both here in the U.S. and in Asia," said Hudson. "Jeff Turner is a highly experienced executive who will play a key role in our continued growth."

Arlington begins construction on model home in Lake Mary
Arlington Homes has started construction of a new luxury model home at Ridge Point Cove, located off Lake Emma Road in Lake Mary. Fred Schaub, founder and president of the Winter Park based custom home building company, said there are 12 homesites available at Ridge Point Cove with luxury homes priced from the \$290s to more than \$400,000.

Arlington Homes, based in

Winter Park, now has more than 100 home sites in five Central Florida communities. The firm recently celebrated its first anniversary.

Florida Solar promotes Kaplan to division branch manager

Florida Solar Technology Inc. in Sanford has promoted veteran customer services manager Jack Kaplan to branch manager of the company's Olympian pool and pest control division, a subsidiary of Florida Solar Technology.

Florida Solar founder and president Skip West said Kaplan is "one of the most astute customer service managers we have and he will play an important role in the continued expansion of our pool and pest control division."

Florida Solar is the largest contractor of pool heating systems in the world. Last year the company opened its Olympian pool and pest control division with regional offices in Tampa. The company also plans other offices this year.

NAI Realvest negotiates sale of old furniture store in Sanford

NAI Realvest Partners Inc. recently negotiated the sale of an 18,000 square foot retail building and a 1.5 acre site at 1100 French Ave. in Sanford.

George Livingston, president

of NAI Realvest said Michael Heidrich, a principal in the firm negotiated the sale representing Grier, Ltd., the seller. Jai Tanden, a furniture wholesale outlet, is the new buyer. The sale is valued at \$402,000.

Maitland based NAI Realvest Partners, Inc. is a fully integrated commercial real estate operating company specializing in brokerage, investment, leasing and management, consulting, research and development services in the U.S. and worldwide through NAI, a global real estate services network active in over 300 markets.

Construction boom underway at Lake Forest subdivision

Lake Forest, the premier luxury community NTS Corp. is developing on SR 46 in north Seminole County, launched a luxury home construction boom this spring that includes 42 new homes and 14 spec homes worth more than \$19 million.

Richard Bavec, vice president and general manager at Lake Forest, said Waterford Quality Homes recently started construction of two luxury homes in the custom home section north of the entrance and Q.N. Holding Company started a third. The homes are available and will be priced in the \$350,000 - \$450,000 range.

Bavec said all 42 homes and

14 spec homes underway will be completed by the end of summer and are priced from \$302,000 to more than \$1.1 million.

Arthur Rutenberg Homes/Brentwood Custom Homes and Morrison Homes are building six maintenance-free luxury homes in the Villages at Lake Forest. Seven luxury homes priced from the \$260s to the \$420s have sold in the Villages at Lake Forest over the past two months, according to Bavec. Only 10 homesites remain there, he added, including two on the water.

"The desirability for Lake Forest has increased tremendously, with the economic conditions improving, quality of Seminole County schools, and the demand for wooded home sites, which have all led to a very strong winter and spring at Lake Forest," Bavec said.

VonHerbulis wins award

Bobby VonHerbulis, president of McKee Construction Co. in Sanford, recently received the "Design Award of Excellence" for 2002 from the United Structures of America Inc. based in Texas.

The award was given to VonHerbulis for his company's design and construction of the new corporate headquarters for Direct Furnishing Quality Restaurant Interiors in Sanford.

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Heat

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Heat" golf tournament guarantees to leave their peers eating dust.

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Officers from Longwood Police Department, in particular, are very involved in the program as they tout nine members in the Florida chapter. Investigator Ryan Bruce sports a 1976 Chevy Nova hotrod that was built with 300 hours of his own time and thousands of dollars out of his pocket.

Other officers around the county and the state also pour their heart and soul into their racing machines, and the Magnolia Plantation Golf Club will be an opportunity for all of them to come together.

"We're bringing out the cars," announced Longwood investigator Herb Stewartson. "We're going to try and do a little car show along with the tournament."

Funds from the golf tournament will help the program create a larger presence in the high schools. "Beat the Heat" specifically tries to educate young people about the serious problems of drug and alcohol abuse, the horrors driving under the influence and the dangers of street drag racing.

"With our cars and various other programs we can help break down barriers that exist between youth and authority figures," Bruce said. "This annual golf tournament can help us with needed funds to continue our work and to get these important messages to the youth of our communities."

The tournament will be held Wednesday, June 26 at the Magnolia Plantation Golf Club in Lake Mary. Registration and breakfast begin at 7:30 a.m. and the shotgun scramble starts at 8:30 a.m. Tickets are \$60 for one player and \$200 for a foursome.

Call tournament director Betsy Nein at 407-831-9991 for information regarding sponsorship opportunities, tournament details or registration.

Giuliani

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"true leader" in front of the 500 attending firefighters and paramedics. He also spoke at a governor's private breakfast fund-raiser earlier in the day.

"This is a very important endorsement for a very important governor," Giuliani said.

Giuliani went on to comparing all firefighters as the same. He said what makes them the same is their choice to be a firefighter.

"There's something really special about firefighters and it's real simple," Giuliani said. "You put your lives at risk to protect people,

and it takes a very special person to do that."

Giuliani was an odd pick for the governor to speak at the firefighter convention, according to critics. Although most recognized for his leadership post Sept. 11, Giuliani wasn't necessarily the most popular New York City mayor among firefighters. He repeatedly opposed firefighter union's efforts to increase pay and benefits. The dissatisfaction of several firefighters attending the event was evident as they sat refusing to acknowledge Giuliani as he spoke.

Democratic Committee to meet June 13

The monthly meeting of the Seminole County Democratic

Executive Committee (DEC) will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 13, at the offices of Jacobs & Goodman, Attorneys at Law, 890 S.R. 434 North, Altamonte Springs.

The special guest speaker will be Shannon Collins, Central Florida Regional Coordinator for the Bill McBride gubernatorial campaign.

All present and prospective Seminole County Democrats are encouraged to attend. Admission is free.

For more information, contact Bob Poe, Chair of the Seminole County DEC at 407-622-1783, Rosalie Cook, DEC Vice-Chair at 407-324-2776 or visit the DEC's Web site at www.seminoleDemocrats.com or McBride's Web site at www.mcbride2002.com

Adopted daughter finds mother's love at long last

DEAR ABBY: I was adopted at birth, 34 years ago. My adoptive parents always told me I was adopted. They also told me that I was lucky they took me because nobody else wanted me, and "that girl" who gave birth to me abandoned me at the hospital.



All my life they made sure I knew I was no catch, and my father told me as a child that if anyone else had adopted me, they would have given me back as soon as it turned daylight.

Dear Abby

Then last year a miracle happened. My birth mother found me. We talked on the phone, and she came for a visit. Abby, she is the sweetest woman I have ever met. She was only 15 when she gave birth to me, and she placed me for adoption in the hope that I would have a better life than the one she could offer.

The closer my birth mother and I become, the larger the rift has become between me and my adoptive parents. They continue to say terrible things about her. I haven't introduced them because I'm afraid they would say or do something to either embarrass me or hurt my birth mother's feelings. They still refuse to call her by name.

It's getting to the point that I don't even want them around. My husband says if they bother me that much, I should tell them not to come over any more. I won't have a problem with that, as I have very few feelings left for them. I'm glad I finally found the mother I always wanted — and the one who always wanted me.

BIRTH MOTHER'S DAUGHTER

DEAR DAUGHTER: You are no longer a child. At 34 years of age, your childhood is behind you. If your birth mother is the mother you always wanted, then cherish your newfound relationship.

Your adoptive parents may call you ungrateful, but please remember that THEY are the ones who should have been grateful to have YOU — and they had no right to make the hurtful comments that haunt you to this day.

DEAR ABBY: Upon entering a relationship that has the possibility of becoming a lifetime involvement, when should a senior widower disclose to his potential future mate that, due to medical reasons, he'll be unable to fulfill any "bedroom responsibilities"?

Should discreet disclosure be offered before any close feelings develop, or should the subject wait — however long — until intimacy becomes the obvious natural progression? Clearing the air early would give the lady an opportunity to amicably end the relationship. On the other hand, if I delay too long, a decision might never be required! Your thoughts, please.

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DEAR UNSURE: There is a difference between clearing the air early and making a premature announcement. Wait until you know the lady well enough to discuss the subject of sex without embarrassment to either of you. According to my mail, although many women are interested in a sexual relationship, not all are.

P.S. I don't know how long it has been since you discussed this subject with your doctor, but you should know that in recent years there have been many advances made in the area of male sexuality.

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Milliot

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Robbins credited Milliot with increasing deputy wages and creating a more progressive police force.

Robbins was drafted into the military when he was a deputy under Hobby. When he returned two years later, Milliot was reluctant to give him his job back.

"We got started off on the wrong foot, but once he got to know me, and me him, it was dif-

Guard

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The Lake Mary Winter Guard missed first place by just 1.1 points, but the overall score of 96.55 earned them a silver medal in the scholastic open division.

With all their accolades, it was only fitting that the Longwood Commission honor the "tremendous group of young ladies," said Commissioner John Malingot.

ferent," Robbins said. "He was a good person to work for." Robbins admires Milliot for having scored even more when the sheriff promoted him to a road deputy.

"Several months before he went out, he put me on the road," Robbins said. "He was true to his word, and I have nothing but respect for him."

Milliot's contributions to the community didn't stop with the sheriff's office.

He was a member of the Rotary Club of Seminole County South. He served as president of the rotary club from 1979 to 1980.

"He followed me as president," Bennett said. "He was a very dedicated member — and an all-around nice person. He contributed a lot to the community."

Several four-year performers, Derzhimer is also very knowledgeable since she, too, won two national medals when she was competing in high school.

Members of the winter guard are Jerry Barker, Bonnie Blittman, Courtney Bowditch, Danni Clinton, Amber Close, Aviah Crespin, Sydney Ellis, Marie Goltz, Shayna Grop, Jennifer Gutauska, DeAnna Hamoud, Teresa James, Beverly-Anne Murphy, Lucy Paine, Lindsay May, Shannon McDonald, Kaitlyn Michael, Katie Palumbo, Rachel Schwitters and Brittany Standridge.

PAL

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fair later this summer to further broaden the children's interests.

All the programs, activities and benefits offered at the academy are provided at a cost of \$25 per week, plus the cost of field trips.

Other educational activities include programs in gang resistance and drug awareness, which are taught by guest speakers such as National Guard officials.

A little more than a week into the summer, the academy's organiza-

tioners are already thinking about next year's day camp. One goal is to provide several camps throughout the county that would serve between 500 and 600 children.

This year's summer camp is almost at capacity, but Walther said parents can still call about possible openings for their children.

For more information about the academy, to volunteer or to make financial contributions, call Walther at 407-328-5944, Carole Brothers at 407-328-3757 or 407-328-3762.

Sports

Three advance to Super Regionals

Locals have good regionals, but seasons come to an end

TALLAHASSEE — Top-ranked Florida State, Miami and Florida Atlantic each won their respective regionals last week to advance to this weekend's NCAA Division I Baseball Super Regionals.

It was not unexpected to see the Seminoles advance as they have now won 28 straight games, but the Hurricanes had to rally from behind in two straight games to oust Florida and FAU, which lost the Atlantic Sun Conference Championship to the University of Central Florida.

FSU will host Notre Dame in a Best-of-Three Super Regional at Dick Howser Stadium in Tallahassee, while Miami will travel to the University of South Carolina in Columbia and the Owls will be in Atlanta to tackle Georgia Tech.

The winners of the Super Regionals will advance to the College World Series in Omaha, Nebraska next week. But while the big three concentrate on winning a national title, local players' attention will focus on the Major League Free Agent Draft that started Tuesday

the Golden Knights and Hatters were both ousted in the FSU Regional at Tallahassee.

Holmes, a sophomore, did not play in the regional, but Lytle went 5-for-14, walked five times, scored four runs and drove in two as Georgia went 2-2 to finish second in the regional in Atlanta.

The junior outfielder from Sanford led the Bulldogs to a 32-29 record and their first-ever back-to-back appearances in the regionals. For the season he hit .367 with three home runs and 38 RBI. He set school records for most hits (108) and stolen bases (31) in a season, while his seven triples tied him for second and his 279 at bats were fourth in school history.

Westervelt, who played for the Longwood Babe Ruth team that won the Prep World Series in the mid-1990's and See College, Page 2B

Briefs

ALL YOU CAN BOWL
Airport Lanes in Sanford has two new programs for the Tuesday nights.

On Tuesday nights the Lanes will offer a late night "all you can bowl" from 9:30 p.m. to midnight.

Individuals can bowl all night at \$15, including shoe rental.

During the evening customers will enjoy the light show, plus music and drawings for prizes.

Anyone wishing to enter the building during the event times will be asked to pay the \$15 entry fee and to wear a colored wrist band supplied by the center.

The Airport Lanes Bowling Center is located at 190 East Airport Boulevard, just east of 17-92 near the new section of 417 and the Sanford Plaza.

For more information, contact Airport Lanes at 407-324-2129.

SANFORD TENNIS
The City of Sanford Recreation and Parks Department is offering Summer Junior Tennis Camps.

Camp #1 registration closes June 10 and runs June 10-14.

Camp #2 registration closes July 8 and runs July 8-12.

Camp #3 closes registration August 5 and runs Aug. 5-9.

The camps, taught by USPTR certified Greg James and held at Groveview Park (off of Lake Mary Boulevard), has a minimum size of six and maximum of 12 juniors per session.

Camp dates are June 10-14, 8-10 year olds from 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. and costs \$35.

Nothing But Nets Camp — The camps are open to boys and girls ages 6-15 and run as half-day or full-day sessions.

Camp dates are: Session I — June 17-21; Session III — July 1-5.

Shooting Camp — The camp is open to boys and girls ages 8-15 and runs as a half-day camp from 9 a.m. to noon each day.

Camp dates are: Session II — June 17-21; Session III — July 1-5.

Tars tap local talent

Rollins inks top players in Codrey, Blankenfeld

By Dean Smith
Sports Editor

SANFORD — Seminole County basketball fans have been afforded the opportunity to see two of their favorites play at the upper college level next year.

Lake Howell High School star Isaac Codrey and Seminole Community College standout Gabrielle Blankenfeld have decided to make Rollins College in Winter Park their next academic and basketball stops.

Being recruited to play for the Tars is a feather in the cap of both Codrey and Blankenfeld as coaches Tom Klusman and Glenn Wilkes Jr. have turned the Rollins program into one of the best in the country in top NCAA Division II, both having been ranked nationally last year.

Codrey, the son of veteran Lake Howell girls' basketball coach Dennis Codrey, is an outstanding outside shooter, especially for his 6-foot-7 size.

A growth spurt of almost four inches brought attention to the guard/forward who then served notice that he would be a top prospect with big-time performances in several national tournaments last summer while playing with the Hoop Nuts.

Codrey was forced to step into a leadership role for coach Steve Kohn's Silver Hawks after freshman star Taurean Green, the son of ex-NBA star and Florida Atlantic coach Sidney Green, transferred to eventual state champion Ft. Lauderdale Westminster Academy and leaper Brandon Marshall decided to concentrate on football and track.

He took the role to heart, verging nearly 16 points and eight rebounds a game in leading the Silver Hawks to a

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Herald photo by Jim Wentz

Knights football captains named

Special to the Herald

ORLANDO — University of Central Florida football coach Mike Kruczek has announced that seniors Jimmy Fryzel, Elton Patterson and Asante Samuel have been selected by their teammates as tri-captains for the 2002 season.

"This is a great honor for these players, because it shows the respect they have from their peers," said Kruczek. "It is very fitting and well deserved. I am happy to see them recognized for the contributions they have made to this football program."

Fryzel who started all 11 games for the Golden Knights last season and returns as the team's leading receiver, was selected as the offensive captain.

He finished the 2001 campaign with 39 receptions averaging 17 yards per catch. The 6-0, 195-pound receiver caught at least two passes in every game a year ago and will enter the season with a streak of 21-games with a reception. At the conclusion of last season, CollegeFootballNews.com named him to its list of the Top 30 Independent Players Regardless of Position.

After finishing last season ranked in the top 20 nationally in three defensive categories, Patterson will head up the Golden Knights defensive unit.

Tars uniform for coach Glenn Wilkes Jr. Both the men's and women's programs at Rollins are among the Top 10 NCAA Division II programs in the country and should only get better with the addition of Codrey and Blankenfeld.

He led the team to a 2002 preseason watch list for the Lombardi Award, an annual award for the best lineman in the country. Patterson garnered other post-season awards at the end of last season being named honorable mention All-America and first team All-Independent by Football News. He registered nine sacks and compiled a staggering 21 tackles-for-loss last season and returns as the Knights leading tackler.

Samuel, a Football News All-Independent selection last season, will serve as the team representative on special teams. Samuel, also a starter defensively, had 19 punt returns and a blocked field goal last season. He had 41 tackles, 31 solo, and 15 passes defensed last season. He also recovered two fumbles and picked off two passes.

UCF will open the season at Penn State on Saturday, August 31, in a game that will be aired live on ESPN. Kick-off is scheduled for 12:10 p.m.

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cial Baden Camp basketball. All activities take place at the Lake Brantley Athletic Complex Fieldhouse.

Camp dates are July 8-12. For more information or to register, please contact Winning Ways Basketball's Barry Mestel at 407-339-9053 or 1-800-808-HOOP (4667). You can also check out the website at www.winwaysinc.com.

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS BASEBALL

US Sports Management will be hosting a Youth Baseball Camp and Youth Baseball Tournament in June.

The Summer Youth Baseball Camp will be June 10-14 at Eastmonte Park in Altamonte Springs. The camp is a half-day camp and is open to players from 6-12 years of age.

The camp will be presented by Mike Malatesta, Tom Siegfried, and Major League guests. Camp instructors will utilize a circuit training approach and an emphasis will be placed on the mechanics of hitting, fielding, pitching, base running and game strategy.

The Father's Day Youth Baseball Tournament will be June 14-16 at Eastmonte Park and is open to teams 10-Under, 12-Under, 13-Under and 14-Under.

The tournament is classified as an open tournament with a three game guarantee for each team. The format will follow AAU baseball rules.

The deadline to register is June 10.

For additional information or to register your for the camp or tournament, please contact US Sports Management at 407-263-7910 or email at ussports@aol.com.

NABA INVITATIONAL BASEBALL TOURNEY

The National Amateur Baseball Association is currently looking for youth and/or High School baseball players ages 13-15, 16-18, and 20 and Under that would like to be a part of the 2002 National Invitational Wooden Bat Tournament to be held in the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome (home of the Minnesota Twins) June 13-16 and June 20-23.

All interested parties should contact Michael E. Mayden for a registration form or additional information at 773-264-1040. Space is limited.

SUMMER SWIM TEAM

Seminole Aquatics, located at the new Larry A. Dale Aquatic Center adjacent to the Seminole High School campus, is offering a Summer Swim Team aimed at beginners and novices.

Open to young people ages 5-17, the only requirement for joining the team is the ability to swim 25 yards (one length of the pool) without touching the bottom.

The program costs \$150 per child (includes team t-shirt and swim cap) and runs through August 17.

There are no formal attendance requirements for practice. Practices are held Mondays through Fridays from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. and swimmers can come as often as they wish.

Meets will be held on Wednesday evenings and last about two hours. Meets are informal, friendly, novice-level with other area teams and swimmers compete with children of similar ages and abilities in a non-threatening format where swimmers get awards for competing.

This is a great way for kids to get involved in swim team as the competitions are very low-key. Kids that want to continue year-round have the option to do so when the summer ends.

For more information, call Seminole Aquatics head coach Tony Ackerson at 407-302-1034.

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

The 2nd Annual Dustin Kendall Benefit Softball Tournament is scheduled for Saturday, June 29th at Pinehurst Park with proceeds going to help send Dustin, and others if enough money is raised, to Camp Challenge for a week.

The double elimination tournament costs \$100 to enter plus two official ASA softballs. The deadline to register a team is Saturday, June 22nd.

Team trophies will be awarded for First, Second and Third place and the concession stand will also be open.

For more information, call Jessica or Shawn Kendall (phone: 407-324-1087; email: jwilks6027@aol.com) or Greg Richards (phone: 407-688-1901; email: Gregnval88@aol.com).

UCF BASKETBALL CAMPS

The University of Central Florida/Kirk Speraw Basketball Camp will be holding the following sessions this summer.

The camps are open to players ages 7-to-17 and begin a 9 a.m. and end a 4 p.m. daily. Each camper will receive a camp basketball, camp t-shirt, and a daily lunch. All camp activities will be held in the (air-conditioned) UCF Arena.

Camp dates are:

Session II _ June 17-21.

Shooting Camp _ June 22.

Session III _ June 24-28.

Parents who are interested in receiving more information or a camp brochure by mail can contact assistant coach Craig Brown at 407-823-5808.

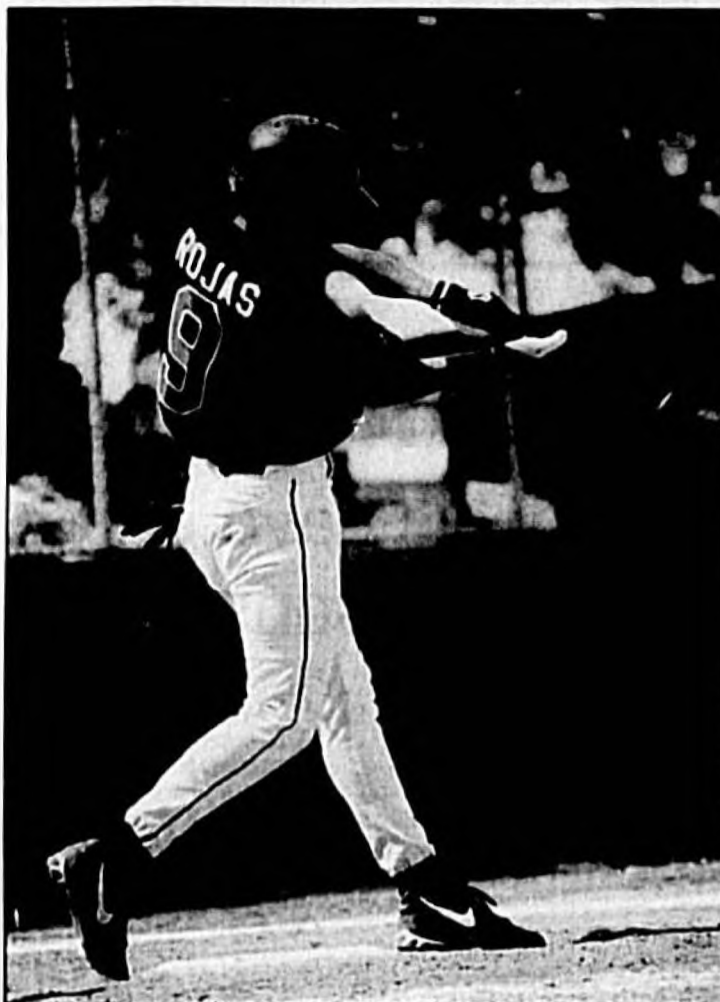
DEREK WAUGH-STETSON UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL CAMPS

The Derek Waugh-Stetson University Basketball Camps will be held in June and July at the Edmunds Activities Center in DeLand. The Camps and dates are as follows:

Shooting Camp _ June 14-16.

Position Camp _ June 16-20.

Individual Camp _ July 21-25



Former Lake Brantley High School star baseball players Juan Rojas (left) and Justin Smith had outstanding seasons and had even better tournament slats as they helped Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University in Daytona Beach to a fourth place finish in the NAIA World Series last week. Smith hit .444 to earn a place on the All-Tournament Team, while Rojas hit a pair of home runs and hit .391 in the five games as the Eagles, who were ranked No. 2 in the nation entering the World Series, finished the season at 52-12.



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played at Lake Mary as a freshman before moving to Arkansas, was named a Second Team All-American after hitting .403 (95-236), with 18 home runs and 17 doubles, scoring 67 runs and driving in 46.

The sophomore catcher was also outstanding despite his Hatters losing both games they played in the regional. Westervelt went 3-for-5 with a double, a home run, three runs scored and an RBI in an 11-8 loss to FSU and then went 3-for-4

with another home run, three more runs scored and two RBI in a 14-13 loss to the University of South Florida.

Frost went hitless in three games as UCF finished second to FSU, but still did his usual good job behind the plate and figured to go high in the draft.

Also of local interest was former Lake Brantley teammates Justin Smith and Juan Rojas leading Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University to a fourth place finish in the NAIA World Series last week.

The Eagles, which end the season 52-12

and were ranked No. 2 in the nation entering the tournament, lost their first game of the World Series in extra innings, then won three straight before being eliminated in the semifinals.

Smith, a junior catcher, led the Daytona Beach-based school with a .444 average (8-18) in the tournament, hitting a home run, scoring five runs and driving in five to make the All-Tournament team.

Rojas, a junior third baseman, hit .391 (9-23), with two home runs, a double, five runs scored and seven RB I.

Rollins

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Blankenfeld was the Florida Junior College Freshman of the Year in 2000-01 and was one of the main reasons coach Ken Patrick's Raiders went 16-0 in winning back-to-back Mid-Florida Conference Championships, the first ever won by SCC, earned two state tournament appearances and finished 48-16 overall and

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nationally ranked the past two seasons.

The 5-foot-11 guard/forward from Naperville, Illinois averaged 15 points, 10 rebounds and five assists this year to earn All-Mid-Florida Conference honors for the second time.

Coach Wilkes should love her aggressive style as, in addition to being an outstanding shooter, she is a tremendous defensive

player who is not afraid to dive on the floor after loose balls and get runover while taking a charge.

She also showed that she can be a leader off the floor as well as on, as she went undefeated in coaching an 18-and-Under team to the championship at the AAU Spring Fling I at Disney's Wide World of Sports complex in April.

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FWC SELECTS EXPERT PANEL TO REVIEW MANATEE REPORT

The Florida Fish and Wildlife

Conservation Commission (FWC) has named a panel of three experts from outside the agency to review a biological status report regarding manatees.

The FWC's scientists will prepare the report in response to a petition to reclassify manatees from endangered to another protected species status.

If FWC scientists determine manatees no longer meet the criteria for listing as an endangered species, and the outside experts agree, manatees' status could change next year.

Change in the species' status will not necessarily change the measures the state takes to protect it, however, since those measures are defined in a management plan, which is based on the species' needs rather than its classification.

The panel will consist of University of Massachusetts professor Solange Brault, University of Washington and Scripps Institution professor Doug Demaster, and James Cook University (of Australia) professor Helene Marsh.

All three panelists are marine mammal experts.

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Attorneys for Plaintiff

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Map showing ST RD 44 and ANNEXATION REQUEST area. Includes text: A complete description and a copy of the ordinance shall be available at the office of the City Clerk...

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Experience Counts

Said to have college experience if you were a local athlete looking to get picked for the 2002 First-Year Player or League Baseball Draft this week.

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Couple target of home invasion robbery

At about 3:20 a.m. Friday, the Seminole County Sheriff's Office received a call about a home invasion robbery that took place at 3267 Ellwood Court in the unincorporated subdivision of Eastbrook in Seminole County.

Deputies identified the victims as Rochelle Meeks-Smith, 73, and Curtis Smith, 59. According to investigators, the couple was targeted by the perpetrators. They do not believe the crime was a random act.

The Smiths said that at about 2:30 a.m., three black males entered their bedroom, tied them up and demanded money. The men left after about 30 minutes. Deputies said Meeks-Smith called 911 on a cell phone and made her way to the residence of a neighbor, who untied her.

Meeks-Smith suffered minor injuries from being tied up and from being struck on the head. Curtis Smith suffered no injuries. Seminole County Major Crimes Investigators are asking anyone with any information to contact the Seminole County Sheriff's Office at 407-665-6650.



Oh Yeah!

Seventy-five years ago, Edwin E. Perkins, owner of Perkins Products Co., had a very big problem.

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Seminole Smile



Vinnie Cucci — Winter Springs High School student

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Sanford-based missionary killed

By Dan Ping
Editor

SANFORD — A missionary for New Tribes Mission was killed Friday during a shootout between a radical Islamic group and U.S.-trained Filipino soldiers on a mission to rescue him and his wife from their captors.

Martin Burnham, 42, was shot and killed during the firefight, and his wife, Gracia, was shot in the right thigh. It is unclear whether the injuries came from enemy or friendly fire.

"It hasn't turned out the way we were expecting it to, but we're grateful Gracia is alive," said Doug Burnham, Martin's younger brother.

The Burnhams were kidnapped 377 days ago by the Abu Sayyaf, an extremist

Martin Burnham shot to death during firefight between Islamic group and Filipino soldiers

group that has used kidnappings and beheadings in its fight for an independent Muslim state in the south Philippines. One other American and 17 Filipinos were also abducted. Despite months of diplomatic negotiations and the release of most of the hostages, Abu Sayyaf refused to free the couple.

Armed with U.S. surveillance technology and night vision goggles, Filipino troops were on an extended two-week rescue mission when they engaged the rebels early Friday between the towns of Sibuco and Sirawai in the southern province of

Zamboanga del Norte.

Major General Ernesto Carolina, commander of the forces, said U.S. soldiers were not part of the ground troops, but American helicopters were on the scene to remove the wounded.

Four of the Burnham's captors were killed, as was Ediborah Yap, a Filipino nurse abducted shortly after the missionaries. Seven members of the rescue team were wounded.

"We always thought that military action was the last resort," said Scott Ross, spokesman for New Tribes

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Photo by Tommy Vincent
New Tribes Mission Spokesman Scott Ross Friday addresses reporters following the death of one of the group's missionaries, Martin Burnham.

Woven wonders



Herald photos by Tommy Vincent
Evelyn Woods shows off a few of her homemade baskets. The Sanford native has been making the wooden creations for the past 25 years and is known in the area for her artistic vessels.

One basket just isn't enough for Woods

By Michelle Jeria
Managing Editor

Evelyn Woods' kitchen is an image from a basket lover's dream. Dozens of woven art pieces hang from the ceiling — each with its own unique identity. A basket hanging in the corner has raccoons painted on its sides. Another, hanging next to the ceiling fan, has roosters.

Although many people would be impressed by the kitchen's décor, Woods shrugs it, explaining "the messy kitchen," is her workroom. It's where the 81-year-old Sanford native spends most of her time weaving reed and rope into intricate wooden vessels.

"I'm a basket weaver," Woods said. "That's what I do."

She does it a lot. Although she can't estimate how many baskets she makes during the year, she knows the number is in the triple digits. She makes sure she has at least 350 baskets to display at each of the five area arts and crafts shows she



Evelyn Woods works on a basket. The 81-year-old said she can make a basket in one day and makes hundreds each year.

attends throughout the year. She also believes in variety, which is why she makes 250 different types of baskets for her customers.

She claims to never tire of working with reed and wood. Staying busy is her life's philosophy. "I have to stay busy," she said. "A busy person is a happy person."

Woods' passion for baskets began 25 years ago when she was living in Arizona. A group

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Board considers moratorium on new apartments

By Dan Ping
Editor

SANFORD — The city's Planning and Zoning board is considering asking the city commission to halt all new apartments until city officials can grasp the effects of such development.

Chairman Mike Skat suggested Thursday night that the P&Z board approve a moratorium on apartments. Though the matter wasn't formally approved, there appeared to be a solid majority who favored the idea.

Skat said the sheer number of new apartments — about 3,800 units in two years — should compel the officials to consider the effects of rapid growth and whether the city needs to tweak its development regulations.

"If just one person lives in each

apartment — and you know that's not realistic — that translates into a 10 percent population increase in the city of Sanford in 18 months," Skat said. "There's a study that says by 2020, we'll have the same population density as Dade and Broward counties."

Board member Bobby Von Herbulis agreed with Skat's concerns, but said a moratorium might lead the development community to consider Sanford as anti-development.

"A moratorium on anything is a sign that you're not pro-development — that's the perception," Von Herbulis said.

"I don't want to stop progress," Skat said. "I just want to take a breather so we can make sure we allow smart growth."

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Fire inspector halts Hopper activities

By Dan Ping
Editor

SANFORD — City fire officials have halted all activities at Hopper Academy because the building fails to meet minimum life safety standards.

In addition, the president of the non-profit group which owns the building admits the facility has not had fire insurance for several months.

Built in 1906, Hopper Academy served black students during segregation. After years of disrepair, the historic school has undergone several years of renovations.

Despite those improvements, fire Inspector Tim Robles discovered recently that a Certificate of Occupancy has never been issued. He also found the building was being utilized as a day care, and meeting space for child dance

classes and adult aerobics instruction even though the building was never equipped with smoke detectors, alarms or sprinklers.

"The Sanford Fire Department will not allow any occupancy (after school programs) until the minimal life safety (features) are installed inside this structures," Robles wrote in a letter to Alteon Lathrop. Lathrop was trying to secure an occupational license to operate a dance studio at the facility. "Please understand that our position is to have the building meet the safest degree of life safety prior to any occupancy."

The Community Improvement Association of Seminole County (CIAS), a non-profit group, owns the building. Its president, Charles Rowe, said sprinkler systems were never put into the building during

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Green thumb gardener grows 132-pound Carolina Cross watermelon

By Michelle Jeria
Managing Editor

SANFORD — Edgar and Mary Ann Bruce have dilemma. They recently picked a 132-pound watermelon from their garden, and they don't have an icebox large enough to keep it chilled.

The super-sized melon is Edgar's creation. A Sanford native with a green thumb, he was surprised when his Carolina Cross watermelon grew to such large proportions.

"On the seed packet, it says it can grow to 200 pounds," Edgar said. "I didn't believe it. But I thought, 'I'll see what it can do.' This is the largest one I've ever grown."

Although Edgar doesn't know

what to do with the 132-pounder, it isn't his only worry. He has several other watermelons weighing 80 pounds or more he harvested this year. They too pose a problem when it comes to freezer space.

Carolina Cross watermelons are notorious for their size. The largest on record was grown in 1990 by Bill Carson. The Tennessee's record-breaking fruit weighed 262 pounds and measured 42 inches long.

Edgar may be well on his way to reaching that record. Without

using any special fertilizer or plant food, his watermelons seem to grow larger each year. One year, his son-in-law even held a contest asking people to guess the weight of one of the gigantic fruits.

Growing giant watermelons has almost become an addiction for Edgar. It's a habit he can't seem to quit.

"He said he is trying to quit," said Edgar's wife of 45 years, Mary Ann. "But he forgets he says that

each year. The next year rolls

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Herald photo by Tom
Sanford resident Edgar Bruce shows off his 132-pound Carolina Cross watermelon, pictured in the center. The other two melons weigh about