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## NEWS DIGEST

### INSIDE

#### Business

##### Employment picture

On today's Business page, 10A, several stories pertain to employment opportunities, including a Job Fair to be held by Truck Driver Institute in Sanford on Sept. 23 and a new store, Big Lot, opening in mid-October.

Officials at the Seminole Towne Center mall say that even with many hundred new employees hired during last weekend's Job Fair at the Sanford Civic Center, there are several stores still seeking employees.

The economic status of northern Seminole County is improving. Depend on the *Sanford Herald* for continued information.

#### People

##### People in the news

Local people are making headlines today. A Sanford couple has been married 63 years and a group of seniors took an exciting casino cruise. A young man, 6, is walking in his dad's shoes playing the drums.

Down in Longwood, the Sweetwater Garden Club has started the season while in Lake Mary, 10 teams competed in a corporate Fun-A-Rama. See Page 1C.

### BRIEFS

#### Man arrested in killer for hire scheme

The City-County Investigative Bureau (CCIB) has arrested a Seminole County man for trying to hire an undercover agent to kill his father, according to Ed McDonough, spokesman for the Sheriff's Office.

Robert Luke Westenberger, 19, Gabriella Lane, in the Tuscaawilla area, Winter Park, was taken into custody about 4 p.m. Friday by CCIB agents. He is charged with one count of solicitation to commit murder and one count of possession of a firearm by a person under 21.

CCIB agents heard Thursday that Westenberger was allegedly trying to find someone to kill his father, Robert, with whom he lives.

An agent met with Westenberger late Thursday night near Casselberry. Westenberger allegedly offered the agent \$600 to kill his father as soon as possible. The suspect also gave the agent a .38 caliber revolver.

The motivation for the contract murder allegedly was financial. Police theorize Westenberger was angry that his father refused to give him some trust fund money and had recently thrown him out of the family home. The elder Westenberger operates a used car business. The suspect is a college student.

He was booked into the Seminole County jail and made his first court appearance Saturday.

#### Golf tournament

LAKE MARY — The Greater Lake Mary/Heathrow Chamber of Commerce is now taking reservations for the Inaugural Golf Invitational to be held at Alapka Country Club on Sept. 14 beginning at 2:30 p.m., with dinner at 7:50 p.m.

Entry is \$100 per player including cart, tee, dinner, and special treats. Prizes include tickets on Continental Airlines to anywhere in the United States, as well as golf bags, jackets and other items.

For reservations, phone the chamber office at 333-4748.

Compiled from staff reports

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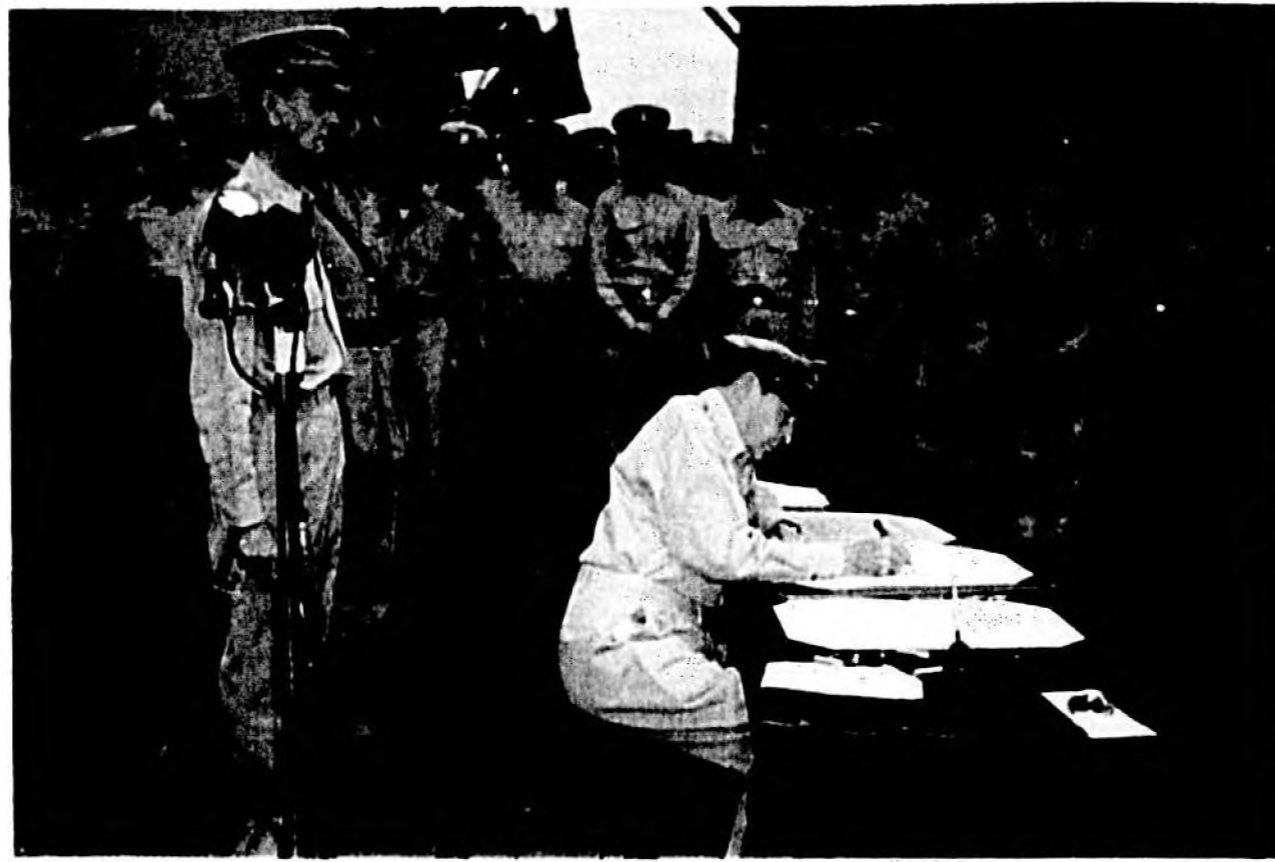
-Albert Einstein



Today Variable cloudiness with showers and thunderstorms likely. High in the upper 80s. Wind variable. Rain chance 50 percent.

For more weather, see Page 2A

## V-J Day, Sept. 2: 50 years since war's end



The Japanese surrender to Gen. Douglas MacArthur as the United States representative. Adm. William Fredrick (Bull) Halsey also took part in the ceremony. The Allied Powers' Fleet Adm. Chester Nimitz signed

## Watching Japanese surrender

By NICK PFEIFAU  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — In response to a call for stories surrounding the events connected with the surrender of the Japanese in World War II, marking V-J Day and officially ending the war on Sept. 2, 1945, a local resident came to the *Sanford Herald* to share his story.

While he said he was urged to do so by members of his Sanford family, the man declined to be identified for this story. He said he had his share of action during the war, and while he was willing to recall some of the events, he

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Japanese officials, military and civilian, arrive aboard the U.S. Missouri in Tokyo Bay, Sept. 2, 1945, to sign the surrender documents that would bring World War II to an end.

## Lake Mary sailor shares scrapbook memories, including one of Hitler

By SANDRA ELLIOTT  
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — It was a gray, miserable day when the ship was christened in 1942. But as the Missouri slipped into the water at the Brooklyn Naval Yard, the sun broke through the gloom, recalls a retired Lake Mary man who helped build the battleship, which, three years later would be the setting for the Japanese surrender.

Charles Hooper worked in the naval yard and helped bolt down the generators on the Missouri. His friend and fellow naval yard worker, Danny O'Neil was on the deck of the Missouri when its place was anchored in history.

Employed at the Brooklyn Naval Yard in 1942, Hooper recalled the gloomy, overcast day the ship was commissioned. When the vessel slipped down the

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Charles Hooper, Lake Mary, displays Japanese and German war memorabilia.

## Lakeview, Seminole making the transition to high school easier

By VICKI DeSORMIER  
Herald Senior Staff Writer

SANFORD — Making the transition from middle school to high school is often a difficult one.

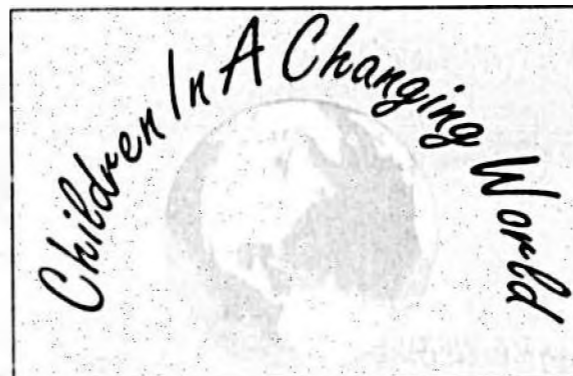
Raging hormones, ever-increasing academic pressures and social changes too numerous to track make the jump from eighth grade to ninth a seemingly insurmountable obstacle.

Lakeview Middle School and Seminole High School are joining forces to find ways to make the transition easier.

The dropout rate for ninth graders is the highest of any grade, said Lakeview principal Jim Shupe. "We are doing whatever we can to prepare our eighth graders for high school so they won't drop out when they hit those changes in the ninth grade."

Lakeview already recognized for their innovative approach to teaching as a "break the mold" school, has introduced departmentalized teaching rather than the team approach for the oldest students. Shupe believes this makes the learning environment more like high school.

Shupe said he and his staff are doing what they can to mimic the high school setting in the eighth



grade pool.

Later this month, they will meet with ninth grade teachers from Seminole High to discuss things like evaluation methods, testing procedures, behavior problems and homework expectations.

"We want to develop a dialogue," said Bobby Lundquist, assistant principal at Seminole High School, who is helping Shupe and his staff organize the transition. "We need to talk about the situation so we can better meet the needs of

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## No food for the needy

## Government budget cuts could make things worse

By SANDRA ELLIOTT  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Florida's perpetual summer may be great for attracting tourists to the state's sugar-sand beaches and other attractions but the hot, humid temperatures play havoc with the vegetable growing season.

Although Jack Frost occasionally drops by to chill winter crops, prolonged summer heat also stifles vegetable production, cutting supplies, raising prices and limiting surplus available for the needy.

"This is not a growing time," commented Jean Metts, who works with surplus and emergency food distribution programs. Last week, she told Seminole County commissioners there is no food for the needy in September.

About 2,000 households in the See Food, Page 5A

## Forum focus: Sexual assault

By VICKI DeSORMIER  
Herald Senior Staff Writer

SANFORD — Women, young and old alike, are potential victims of sexual assault.

According to the National Victim Center, every minute, 1.3 million women are raped and every 15 seconds a woman is being battered.

Later this month, during Sexual Assault Awareness Week, the University of Central Florida will host a forum for local women to address these issues.

The forum is geared toward helping women throughout the community, not just students, about where they should go for assistance if they are sexually assaulted, how to avoid situations that may lead to assault and ways in which to defend themselves against attackers.

"It's important that people know what to do and where to go for help if they become sexual assault victims. It's important that they

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White	Boogers
When I think of white	Wet, slimy.
I think of snow falling	Green and yellow
in the winter	When you squish one
White smells like vanilla	it feels like jelly O
ice cream	
White tastes like cold milk	Pick it
White sounds like water boiling	Then flick it
on the stove	At a girl
White looks like a piece of paper	When it hits her
flapping in the wind	She might hurt
White feels like cotton picket	
from a field	Wipe one on a table
To me all of these things make up	It leaves a trail
The color white	They can be big or
	small
	Or look like a snail
Juene Garris, Grade 6	
	Move one back and forth
	It goes squish squish
	It slides through your finger
	Like a slimy fish
	But when you're done
	And don't want to play
	Put it in your nose
	And save it for another day
	Ryan Miller, Grade 8



## POLICE BRIEFS

### Street fight

Sanford police arrested Carl Ruffin, 23, of 319 Pecan Avenue at the police station Thursday. According to the arrest report, two men, one related to Ruffin, were said to have been involved in a fight at West Fourth Street and Pecan Avenue. The report said Ruffin drove up in his car, saw the fight, and exited from the vehicle with a gun. Police said he began shooting at the man who was accosting his relative, hitting him in the right thigh. He then reportedly struck the man in the head with the gun, before driving off.

The man was transported to Central Florida Regional Hospital for treatment of the gunshot wound and abrasions.

Later Thursday, Ruffin reportedly went to the police station to turn himself in. He has been charged with aggravated battery and attempted murder. Police also determined he was wanted on an active warrant for aggravated battery.

### Search warrant

Sheriff's deputies, with a search warrant, raided a home at 238 Ruth Blvd., in Longwood Thursday. The occupant of the home, Louis B. Dodd IV, was subsequently arrested on charges of possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

### Man on bike

Sanford police were called to the Seminole County Services Building on East First Street Thursday regarding a report of a suspicious person riding a bike in the parking lot. Police located the man, identified as Irvin Richard Beveritt, 43, of 1313 Olive Avenue, at Third Street and Mellonville Avenue. They said he had a license plate hidden under his shirt and a crack cocaine pipe. The plate was subsequently shown to have been stolen from a vehicle in the county parking lot. Beveritt was charged with theft and possession of drug paraphernalia.

### Warrants

● Leon Charles Stevens, 72, of 132 Randolph Court, Sanford, was located at his residence Thursday by Sanford police. He was wanted on two Hillsborough County warrants for larceny and driving with a suspended/revoked license. He was also wanted on a Pinellas County warrant for obtaining property with a worthless check.

● Ben Hampton, 38, 1604 W. 15th Street, Sanford, was arrested by deputies Thursday at his residence. He was wanted for violation of probation on a conviction of driving under the influence.

● Bryan DeLong Austin, 19, 1120 Florida Avenue, Sanford, was arrested by Sanford police at his residence Thursday. He was wanted for sexual battery.

● Leonard Lucas, 28, 65 Sanford Court, was located by deputies at 10th Street and Orange Avenue Thursday. He was wanted for failing to appear on a charge of obstructing an officer without violence, and violation of probation on a conviction of exhibition of a weapon.

● Dennis Grooms, 25, 821 Holly Avenue, was located by deputies at his place of employment Thursday. He was wanted on a writ of attachment for contempt of court/child support, and a warrant for failing to pay a civil penalty.

● David Jones Jr., 18, 1203 Scott Drive, was located by Sanford police at 10th Street and Orange Avenue Thursday. He was wanted for failing to appear on a charge of violation of drivers license restriction.

### Domestic cases

● Keith Alen Gilchrist, 18, 424 San Marcos Avenue, was located by police in the 300 block of Pecan Avenue following a reported fight with a female. He was charged with battery, domestic violence.

● William Valentino Taylor, 31, 414 Orange Avenue, was arrested by Sanford police at his residence Thursday following a reported fight with his wife. He was charged with battery, domestic violence.

● Lance John Burgess, 32, 1412 Sparrow Street, Longwood, was arrested at his residence Thursday by Longwood police following a reported dispute with a female. He was charged with battery, domestic violence.

### Traffic stops

● James Keith Walker, 24, 2250 Deepwater Street, Sanford, was stopped by Sanford police at Fourth Street and Poplar Avenue Thursday. He was charged with driving with a suspended/revoked license, and being a habitual traffic offender.

● Randall Todd Massey, 31, of Enterprise, was stopped by Sanford police Wednesday, and taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility on a charge of driving with a restricted license. Later at the jail, deputies found the car was reported stolen in Volusia County. Massey was subsequently given an additional charge of grand theft auto.

### Sheriff reports

● Four wheel hubs, valued at \$400 were reportedly stolen from a Ford Mustang Wednesday, in the parking lot of Seminole High School.

● A 9mm handgun was reportedly stolen Thursday from an apartment in the 700 block of Secret Harbor, at St. Croix Apartments near Lake Mary.

### Sanford police reports

● An estimated \$1,485 in jewelry was reportedly stolen from a student's locker Thursday at Seminole High School.

● A VCR, dishes and other items with a total value of \$730 were reportedly stolen Thursday from a residence in the 1800 block of W. 16th Street.

● Two vending machines were reportedly burglarized early Friday in front of a retail store in the 3600 block of Orlando Drive. An unknown amount of coins were reported stolen from one of the machines but entry was not gained to the other.

● A Toyota was reported stolen Thursday in the 1900 block of W. 19th Street. Police recovered the vehicle a short time later in the 1600 block of 13th Place.

## Pot plants land two in jail

By VICKI DeBORNER  
Herald Senior Staff Writer

SANFORD — The apartment manager hadn't seen the residents of apartment 834 for quite a few days and she was a little concerned.

Taking her pass key, she cautiously entered the apartment and was shocked at what she saw.

The occupants were not at home, but the evidence of their horticultural prowess was abundantly evident.

In the bathroom, nine large marijuana plants blossomed beautifully. Elsewhere around the residence, other plants were being cared for carefully, law enforcement officers discovered.

"It was amazing," Cmdr. Dennis Whitmire of the Sanford Police Department said. "There were a lot of plants in there."

Whitmire estimates their total street value as somewhere in the vicinity of \$15,000 to \$20,000.

A short time later Tina DeJkunchorn, 24, and Matthew Barton, 27, the occupants of the Rosecliff apartment were arrested when they returned home.



Sanford Police Officer R.J. Mitchell displays some of the marijuana plants removed from a local apartment. Mitchell is a member of the police

QUAD Squad, an acronym for Quick Uniform Attack on Drugs.

Each was charged with cultivation of marijuana and with possession of marijuana with intent to distribute. Each was held in lieu of \$3,000 bond.



Sheriff's deputies are searching for this man for questioning about the robbery of Sun Bank in Longwood.

## Public can help ID bank robbery suspect

From Staff Reports

SANFORD — Investigators from the Seminole County Sheriff's Office Major Crimes Section are asking for the public's help in apprehending the suspect in the robbery of a bank in the Wekiva area of the county.

The robbery occurred shortly after 10 a.m. Thursday at the Sun Bank, 701 Miami Springs Road, Longwood.

"The suspect walked to a teller, laid a dark-colored shirt on the counter and said, 'Give me your money.' The teller complied," according to the sheriff's Public Information Officer Ed McDonough.

The suspect then moved onto the next teller and did the same thing, McDonough said. Again, the teller complied. At no time did the suspect show a weapon or even say that he had one, McDonough added.

The suspect then ran from the bank in a northerly direction. McDonough said it's possible that the suspect drove away from the bank in a small, red

Toyota pickup truck. However, that information has not been confirmed.

The suspect is a white male, 28 years old, 5'10", 180 pounds with short brown hair and an athletic build. He was wearing a white sleeveless t-shirt and gray shorts.

Anyone having information should contact the Seminole County Sheriff's Office at (407)330-8650.

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## Cops seek information in assault of woman, 76

By NICK PFENAU  
Herald Staff Writer

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Police need public assistance in locating a person suspected of being responsible for a purse-snatching and assault.

According to Altamonte Springs police officer Darin Farber, on June 6, 1995, at approximately 4:30 p.m., a 76-year-old female from Zellwood was knocked to the ground by an unknown white male. The incident occurred in the parking lot of Stacey's Buffet, 945 W. SR-436.

Farber said the suspect stole the victim's purse and fled the scene on foot, in a westerly direction. As a result of being knocked to the ground, the victim suffered a fractured pelvis.

Detectives have tentatively identified the suspect as Justin A. Caldwell, 22, of Apopka. He was captured on video attempting to cash the victim's check approximately one hour after the robbery.

Although the incident reportedly occurred almost three months ago, police have been

unable to locate the suspect. Farber said anyone with information on the whereabouts of Justin A. Caldwell is asked to call Detective Thad Antoszewski of the Altamonte Springs Police Department at 830-3822, or their local law enforcement agency. Caldwell is described as five feet eleven inches tall, 165 pounds, with brown hair and blue eyes.

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# Health/Fitness

## IN BRIEF

### Adult CPR class offered

ORLANDO — An adult CPR class is being offered by the American Red Cross chapter in Orlando. This course prepares individuals to perform lifesaving emergency skills for adults such as rescue breathing, one-rescuer CPR and first aid for choking. The fee includes the the booklet, *Till Help Arrives*. The class will be on Tuesday, Sept. 5 from 6 until 10 p.m. The course will be held at the American Red Cross of Central Florida's headquarters, 5 N. Bumby Ave. in Orlando. The cost for the class is \$25. For more information, call 894-4141.

### Wings of Love concert

ORLANDO — A night of beautiful music is planned to benefit Hospice of Central Florida. On Saturday, Sept. 16 at 8 p.m., the organization will benefit from the Wings of Love Gala Concert, which will take place at the Dr. Phillips Center for the Performing Arts. Tenor Paul Pitts and his friends will perform selections from *Tosca*, *The Three Tenors* and *The Phantom of the Opera*. The program will benefit the Hospice of Central Florida Children's Programs. Reservations should be made early. For more information, call Yolande Fiola at 875-0028, ext. 479.

### Dental clinic offered

SANFORD — A dental clinic offering free fillings and extractions is being sponsored in October by the Baptist Convention of Florida and the Seminole Baptist Association with churches in Seminole and West Volusia counties. A free dental screening will be conducted on Wednesday, Oct. 4 from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Community Clinic, 2472 24th Street and Park Avenue. Appointments for individuals found to be in real need of dental services will be scheduled Oct. 17 and 18. A free dental clinic will also be conducted Oct. 19 at Pinecrest Elementary School for students attending the school. For students found to have a real need, consent forms will be sent to parents before any dental work is done. Dentists practicing in the area are donating their time to the program. For more information call the Florida Community Clinic at 321-7488 and ask for Mary Lou.

### CFRH craft sale set

SANFORD — The Columbia/HCA Central Florida Regional Hospital Auxiliary is sponsoring a craft sale for Saturday, Oct. 28 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. It will be in the hospital's cafeteria. A variety of items will be available, including many holiday crafts. In conjunction with the craft sale, the Auxiliary will hold a "Bake Sale Extravaganza" and an "Almost New" resale table. Proceeds from this event benefit the Auxiliary's Employee Scholarship Fund which provides scholarships to CFRH employees who are continuing their education. For more information, contact the Central Florida Regional Hospital Auxiliary at 321-4500, ext. 5660.

### Moves at ORHS

ORLANDO — Sharon McLearn has been appointed to the position of director of corporate communications at Orlando Regional Healthcare Systems (ORHS). Bob Kodz has been named director of advertising and marketing for that facility. McLearn was promoted from the position of director of the office of community partnerships. She is a graduate of the University of Illinois with a masters degree in public health. Kodz has been with ORHS marketing for 11 years. He was promoted from the position of senior marketing and planning consultant for ORHS.

### Creaky Bones Bash planned

The Central Florida Branch of the Arthritis Foundation will present their Creaky Bones Bash on Monday, Oct. 30. The event, a Halloween costume party, will take place at Planet Hollywood in Lake Buena Vista from 7 to 11 p.m. Tickets are \$30 per person. All participants must be in costume. The night includes an evening of ghoulish fun and excitement with a costume contest, a silent auction and a random drawing. The categories in the costume contest include the best individual costume, the best group costume, the scariest costume, the most original costume and the funniest costume. Proceeds from the event benefit the Arthritis Foundation summer camp program for children with juvenile arthritis. For more information or to reserve tickets before Oct. 25, call 647-0045 or 1-800-510-5688.

### Galaxy of Loving Stars set

ORLANDO — A conference for volunteers is being planned by Hospice of Central Florida. The event, designed for the community and for volunteers from across the state and the nation, will be held at the Clarion Plaza Hotel in Orlando. The workshops at the conference will include sessions on dealing with stress and the healing powers of laughter. They will take place on Saturday through Monday, Oct. 7 through 9. The participation fee is \$65 for the full conference or \$25 for each day. For more information, call Rosie Wilder at 875-0028.

### Book offered

The award winning book "Dying at Home" is being offered from the group Choice in Dying. The group contends that "many people wish to refuse the experience of dying in an unfamiliar setting," and are choosing to die at home. The 20-page booklet offers practical information about the option to die at home, explores legal issues and provides answers to questions frequently raised by the decision to die at home. The book is available from Choice in Dying, 200 Varick St., 10th Floor, New York, N.Y. 10014-4810. It costs \$5.95. For more information about the group or the book, call 212-366-5540.

### Sailing class

ORLANDO — A class on basic sailing safety will be offered every Wednesday and Saturday by the American Red Cross. The classes will take place between Sept. 6 and 30. The hours on Wednesday are from 6:30 until 9:30 p.m. and the hours on Saturdays are from 9:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. The course covers all aspects of sailing, including sail trim, coming about, wind direction and velocity, jibing, etc. Classroom sessions are held at the American Red Cross at 5 N. Bumby Ave., Orlando on Wednesdays. Saturday classes are held at Lake Baldwin. Registration is limited. The cost is \$60. For more information, call 841-4141.

## Watching TV for a good cause

By VICKI BOGDANSKI  
Herald Senior Staff Writer

SANFORD — It's that time of year again. Starting tonight at 9 and running non-stop through 6:30 tomorrow evening, the Jerry Lewis telethon will be raising millions of dollars to support the efforts of the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Locally, the 2 1/4 hour event will be hosted on WESH-Channel 2. Originating from CBS Television City in Hollywood, Calif., the telecast will bring a variety of entertainment and information segments about MDA's fight against 40 neuromuscular diseases to millions of viewers. Local volunteers will be working with the hosts from Channel 2 to help those who want to donate their financial resources to the cause. Pledges will be accepted by phone and in person at the remote locations around town. "This is our 30th annual Labor Day broadcast, and it's great to see so many old friends and so many new ones, eager to pitch in for the kids and adults that MDA serves," Lewis said at a recent national press conference. Lewis is the national chairman of the MDA and star of the Telethon. "Hundreds of celebrities and



entertainers have starring roles in the Telethon Lewis said. "Joined by tens of millions of concerned Americans watching and contributing to the show and millions more participating in thousands of fun special events in communities across the country, these 'stars across America' will help MDA accelerate life saving research and provide medical services until

cures are found." MDA is consistently ranked as one of the top national voluntary health agencies based on the level of income expended on program services. The association allocates the bulk of contributions it receives from the Telethon and other sources directly to research, services and public health education in its crusade against 40

neuromuscular diseases. More than 27 million people nationwide are expected to watch at least a portion of the telethon this year. The telethon is responsible for raising more than 30 percent of the Muscular Dystrophy Association's annual income. Almost all of MDA's income is derived from private voluntary contributions.

## Clenbuterol could be the next steroid

By IRA BREYFUS  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — A drug that puts more lean meat on cattle is apparently getting increased use by some U.S. athletes, a study says. Bodybuilders and others who want to lose fat as they gain muscle are taking clenbuterol, said the report in *Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise*. "But in large doses, clenbuterol can give people tenseness, cramps, tremors, a slightly higher heart rate and palpitations, the article said. And its long-term effects are not known, said the article's lead author, Irvine D. Prather of the University of North Texas Health Science Center at Fort Worth. Clenbuterol has legal medical uses in some nations. It relaxes the muscles controlling the bronchial tubes and is prescribed in aerosol form for asthmatics in Austria, Germany, Italy, Spain and Mexico, said Prather's review in the *American College of Sports Medicine's Journal*. Clenbuterol is not approved for medical use in the United States. And it is banned by the U.S. Olympic Committee and the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

The U.S. Agriculture Department has not approved clenbuterol for use in livestock, but some veterinary studies have found that the drug builds lean tissue and burns fat in animals, the article said.

There is no scientific proof that it does the same in people, but some athletes are trying it — or what they think is it, because they can't be sure, Prather said. "This is a huge experiment with no controls, and some guys are getting black market stuff, and you have no idea what it is," Prather said. No studies have determined yet how widespread the abuse is, Prather said. But the researcher, who also heads a urine collection team for USOC tests, believes the problem is growing. The USOC work "keeps me abreast of abusive use of drugs," he said.

Athletes who use steroids realize that drug tests will catch them unless they can quit far enough ahead to clear traces of steroids from their systems, Prather said. So they finish off with clenbuterol, which the body clears in two or three days, he said. Clenbuterol probably won't match steroids as a drug of abuse, Prather said. "It's nowhere near as effective as steroids," he said.

## Columbia Park Issues Visa

By VICKI BOGDANSKI  
Herald Senior Staff Writer

SANFORD — Columbia Park Healthcare System, the parent company of Central Florida Regional Hospital in Sanford, will be a part of a nationwide affinity credit card program with People's Bank and Visa U.S.A. It is the first affinity credit card to be offered by a major private-sector corporation which will benefit local community health programs, including several at CFRH. Every time the cards are used

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# School scenes

## IN BRIEF

### Grandparents Day set

**ALTAMONTE SPRINGS** - The kindergarten classes at Spring Lake Elementary School will be honoring their grandparents later this week with a celebration at the school. The youngsters are planning an event at which the grandparents are presented with tokens of affection and honor. The event will take place at the school, 895 Orange Ave., Altamonte Springs, on Thursday, Sept. 7 from 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. All the grandparents of Spring Lake Elementary kindergarteners are invited to attend the event.

### Lake Howell Band kick off

**ALTAMONTE SPRINGS** - The Lake Howell High School Silver Regiment Marching Band will host its annual pre-football Kick Off Dinner on Friday, Sept. 15. The event will be held in the school's cafeteria, 4200 Dike Rd., Winter Park. The dinner will be from 4 to 6 p.m., prior to the football game that will pit the Silverhawks against the Seminole High School Seminoles. Pizza, soda and dessert will be served. For more information, please call the school at 678-0035.

### Winter Springs night at DZ

**WINTER SPRINGS** - Winter Springs Elementary School will host a Family Fun Night at the Discovery Zone Fun Center on Sept. 11. The DZ is located on State Road 434 in Altamonte Springs. The event will take place from 3 p.m. until closing. Admission for Winter Springs students is \$5.99 each. Accompanying adults will be admitted free. A portion of each admission for people who say they are there to support Winter Springs Elementary will be returned to the school to support programs there. Much of the money raised through the event will be used to help finance the completion of a school-wide closed circuit television system and additional computer technology for the 1995-96 school year.

### Wilson PTA announced

**SANFORD** - The following people were elected to the board of the Wilson Elementary School PTA for the 1995-96 school year: Malory Presley, president; Anita Roberts, first vice president; Gaye Clark, second vice president; Carla Prusak, recording secretary; Jeanne Thompson, corresponding secretary; and Shari Stevens, treasurer. The PTA oversees fundraisers throughout the year that support an ambitious cultural arts program as well as computer-related technology gifts to the school.

### Let us know

The *Sanford Herald* wants to know what is happening at your school. If you have an event coming up at your school, or if you want to tell us about some of the great things the students at your school are doing. Or, if there is a teacher, staff member or, even an administrator who has been honored or is doing something unique in the classroom let us tell our readers about it. Send the information to the *Sanford Herald*, 300 N. French Ave., Sanford, 32771 or fax it to us at 407-323-9408.

# Making students better people

By **VICKI DeSORMIER**  
Herald Senior Staff Writer

**SANFORD** - Learning to be good citizens is an essential lesson students need to learn, be it at home or in school. The Seminole County school district has taken on the task of teaching young people in the classroom 12 basic keys to a strong character. Each month, a new key character trait is highlighted in every classroom from kindergarten through the 12th grade. The character traits are fairness, respect, honesty, courage, gratitude, generosity, responsibility, caring, knowledge, courtesy, patriotism and service. The characteristics were selected by a committee that was working on part of the 1992

Strategic Plan for the district. They solicited suggestions from the district office staff, community members, parents, PTA leaders and educators. The schools are taking a "whole village" approach to teaching the values. Everyone from principals to teachers to district office staff to custodians and bus drivers have been made a part of the education process. Each is familiar with the value of the month and makes an effort to reinforce it with the students at every opportunity. "They are all a part of the teaching process," said Dee Shumacher, director of the department of curriculum services. In addition to soliciting input from as many sources as possible, the program designers made certain they avoided religious connotations, focused on the



kinds of ethical goals that everyone could support and considered every angle, being especially careful to be sensitive to multicultural issues. "Everyone involved is excited about the program," Rose Raska, guidance program specialist and parent/community liaison, said. "PTA leaders, principals and teachers see it as a way to reinforce values at an early age and support the values education going on at home. If everyone's in the same train, we can instill some ethics in our young people." September's "Key to Your Character" is **HONESTY**. Honesty is a sense of honor, truthfulness, integrity and sincerity.

# These youngsters have the Write Stuff

**SANFORD** - Poets and writers from Sanford Middle School have been hard at work putting their thoughts on paper, creating some spectacular works. The youngsters were selected by their teachers as representative of some of the best writing produced on campus during. The school is proud of their work and we are pleased to present it here for you to enjoy. (Also, don't forget the poems by Ryan Miller and Jolene Gurtis that appear on Page 1A.)

### Honey

Honey is sweet. Honey is sticky. Bees make honey. Sometimes people call me honey. I am not sticky. Bees do not make me. I do not taste good on biscuits. Honey tastes good on biscuits. I do not like honey. Sometimes honey comes in bear jars. The jars are shaped like bears. Bears like honey. Bears do not like bees. Bees do like bears. Honey is a gold color. Honey is good on pancakes, if you like honey. I do not like honey. Winnie the Pooh likes honey. Gopher likes honey. They say



"Hhhuuney." It is fhuuny. Tigger does not like honey. I do not like honey.

Katie Nichols  
Grade 8

### A Day at the Park

One day my sisters and I were at the park. We went on every ride just playing and having a

fun time. One fun ride that I liked was a square board and you were supposed to rock it like a boat in a rough ocean. Well, we did that and my litticst sister Fong was on it too and she flew about five feet away from the ride. Fwong was bleeding from her nose and mouth because she hit her face on the ground. My sister Fuyou took her home and let the rest of

us stay there and play. After that we played tag and Lydia was it. We were running all over the place. I jumped onto the monkey bar and she did it too, but she hit her neck on the first bar because she jumped too high. Lydia said "Ow!" and was crying hard because she was hurt. She sat out after that. Then Amy and I climbed a tree. She alipped and fell and hit her head on the wood bar and she also sat out. Finally, my sister Fuong came and we all went home. Out of that whole day I was the only one that didn't get hurt. When we got home, they all felt sick and threw up in the toilet.

Quoc Van  
Grade 7

### Gil

Gil is caring. Gil is sweet. Gil has a personality that is very unique. Gil does not cry. Gil does not sigh. Gil always has an alibi.

Gil Gilmartin  
Grade 7

If you would like to submit some of your poems, essays or other works of art, please do so by sending it to the *Sanford Herald*, 300 N. French Ave., Sanford, 32771.

# More books banned, but none in Seminole County

By **VICKI DeSORMIER**  
Herald Senior Staff Writer

**SANFORD** - More books were banned in public schools last year than the year before, a liberal advocacy group said, although the number of attempts to remove controversial material actually fell. Though the Seminole County school district has been the target of attacks in the past, there were none during the last 12 months. "The attacks are bolder, broader and more organized than ever before," People for the American Way legal director Elliot Mincberg said Wednesday. Florida ranked 10th in the nation with 18 documented incidents, down from a year earlier when it ranked third with 22 cases. But Susan Glickman, director of the group's Florida office, said she took little comfort from the decrease. "I don't think the drop in ranking is an indication that it's getting better in Florida," Glickman said. "There is a consistent pattern." However, Florida's numbers are substantially down from three years ago when it topped the list with 34 incidents. Nationally, the group said it documented 338 attempts to remove or restrict access to a book, and said 50 percent, or 169, were successful. The year before, 375 attempts were documented and 42 percent, or 157, were successful. But conservatives accused the group of exaggerating the number of incidents among the nation's 80,000 public schools and of attacking parents' legitimate concerns. "When a government restricts what its citizens can read, that's censorship," said Gary L. Bauer of the Family Research Council in Washington. "But when parents have input on what local officials do in the schools, that's democracy." People for the American Way said its report listed only instances when a parent or community member tried to keep a book not just from one child, but from all children.



"I support parental involvement," Mincberg said. "But I don't want my children's education restricted because someone else objects to a book." Among the books challenged, often because they contain profanity, violence or sexual scenes, were anthologies of scary stories and such classics as Nobel Prize winner John Steinbeck's "Of Mice and Men" and Maya Angelou's "I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings."

The most frequent complaint against a book was that its treatment of sexuality was offensive. Profanity was the next most frequent complaint. Eighteen percent of the attempts involved people affiliated with conservative religious groups. People for the American Way said. Five percent of the complaints came from left-leaning parents or groups, usually concerned that a book perpetuated a racial stereotype. Among books challenged in those instances were Mark Twain's "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" and Harper Lee's "To Kill a Mockingbird," which won a Pulitzer Prize in 1961. In addition to the attempts to remove books, People for the American Way documented an additional 120 cases of what it called "broad-based challenges to public education." Those included attempts to abolish Halloween celebrations, end counseling services for gay teenagers, or lobby against education reform laws. That number was up from 87 such cases the year before, the group said.

### POP CULTURE™ by Steve McGarry



Humphrey Bogart met 19-year-old Lauren Bacall on the set of 1944's "To Have and Have Not." Although she was 25 years his junior, the two subsequently married and went on to appear together in four more movies: "The Big Sleep," "Dark Passage," "Key Largo," and an uncredited appearance as themselves in "Two Guys From Milwaukee."

In which movie did Bogart play the character:  
a.) Captain Phillip Francis Queeg  
b.) Charlie Allnut  
c.) Fred C. Dobbs  
d.) Rick Blaine  
e.) Roy "Mad Dog" Earle

a.) "High Society"  
b.) "The Treasure of the Sierra Madre"  
c.) "The African Queen"  
d.) "The Maltese Falcon"  
e.) "The Caine Mutiny"



### Looking ahead

Little John Nowicki, 3, and his mother Teresa, watched the groundbreaking of the new Winter Springs school on Shepherd Road. John will attend that school when it opens in July 1996. The school has not been named yet.

Herald Photo by Tommy Vincent

## Seminole County School Board

**Monday, Sept. 4, 1995**  
No School.  
Enjoy the Labor Day holiday.

**Tuesday, Sept. 5, 1995**  
Cheese or Meat Pizza  
and choice of two of the following:  
Side Salad  
Fresh Fruit  
Juice  
or Chef's Salad or Bag Lunch  
Low Fat Milk

**Wednesday, Sept. 6, 1995**  
Chicken Nuggets with Dip  
Warm Roll  
and choice of two of the following:  
Tater Tots  
Peaches  
Key West Applesauce  
or Chef's Salad or Bag Lunch  
Low Fat Milk

**Thursday, Sept. 7, 1995**  
Spaghetti with Italian Sauce  
Bread Sticks  
and choice of two of the following:  
Juice Bar Shape Up  
Salad  
Chilled Pears  
or Chef's Salad or Bag Lunch  
Low Fat Milk

**Friday, Sept. 8, 1995**  
Corn Dog  
and choice of two of the following:  
Cherry Applesauce  
Cole Slaw  
Baked Beans  
or Chef's Salad or Bag Lunch  
Low Fat Milk

**What's for lunch?**



# Trip to beach becomes a lesson in human nature

**DEAR ABBY:** My husband and I recently took our two sons, ages 8 and 11, to the seashore in New Jersey. Soon after we arrived, two women sat down next to us, promptly took off their swim tops and sat bare-breasted, without batting an eye. We hadn't been to the beach for several years and had no idea that this is being done now.



**ABIGAIL VAN BUREN**

We told our sons that these women were probably just hot and wanted to cool off. Then we explained why women had breasts, and emphasized that nursing mothers routinely uncover their breasts for feeding. What followed was a mature discussion, and we answered all their questions.

Our day was enjoyable and my husband and I are happy our boys learned about women's bodies and began an educational discussion about the human body.

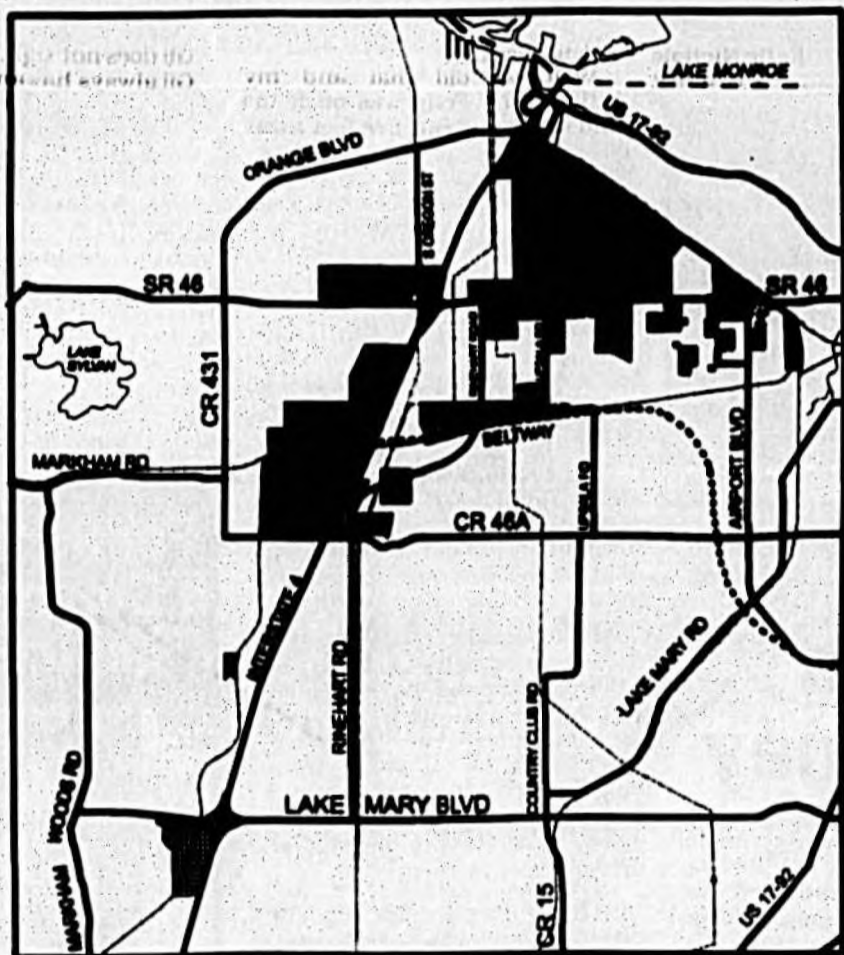
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## NOTICE OF LAND USE CHANGE PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 12, 1995

The Seminole County Board of County Commissioners (the Board) proposes to adopt the following by ordinance: AN ORDINANCE FURTHER AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 91-13, AS PREVIOUSLY AMENDED, KNOWN AS THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN; AMENDING THE TEXT OF THE IMPLEMENTATION, FUTURE LAND USE, CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, CONSERVATION, DESIGN, DRAINAGE, HOUSING, INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION, LIBRARY SERVICES, PORTS, AVIATION AND RELATED FACILITIES, POTABLE WATER, PUBLIC SAFETY, RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE, SANITARY SEWER, SOLID WASTE, TRAFFIC CIRCULATION, MASS TRANSIT AND ECONOMIC ELEMENTS OF THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN; AMENDING THE DEFINITIONS AND INTRODUCTION SECTIONS OF THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN; AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP OF THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN BY VIRTUE OF A LARGE SCALE DEVELOPMENT AMENDMENT; PROVIDING FOR LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR EXCLUSION FROM THE SEMINOLE COUNTY CODE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

The Seminole County Board of County Commissioners will conduct a public hearing (Transmittal Hearing) on September 12, 1995, to consider a Large Scale Administrative Amendment to the Seminole County Comprehensive Plan. The Board will consider recommendations of the Seminole County Local Planning Agency/Planning and Zoning Commission (LPA/P&Z), hear citizen views, any local government or other agency comments, and take Board action on the subject amendment. If the Board votes its intent to adopt the subject amendment, the amendment will be transmitted to the Florida Department of Community Affairs for review and comment prior to final Board action. The public hearing will begin at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as possible, in Room 1028 (Board Chambers) of the Seminole County Services Building, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, FL 32771. The general public is encouraged to appear at this hearing and present input in accordance with the procedures used by the Board or submit written comments c/o Comprehensive Planning Office, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, FL 32771, telephone (407) 321-1130, extension 7371. This hearing may be continued from time to time as found necessary.

Seminole County is proposing an administrative amendment to the future land use designation (see below) to further the objectives of the County's Economic Development Action Plan and Economic Element of the Seminole County Comprehensive Plan to attract target business and industry to Seminole County (BCC District 5).



Properties Subject to Amendment From Higher Intensity Planned Development To Higher Intensity Planned Development - Target Industry

APPLICANT	AMENDMENT	APPROXIMATE ACRES
SEMINOLE COUNTY (95F.FLU17)	HIGHER INTENSITY PLANNED DEVELOPMENT (CORE AND TRANSITIONAL) TO HIGHER INTENSITY PLANNED DEVELOPMENT-TARGET INDUSTRY	2,160

**Note:** Land use amendments on property containing flood prone and wetland areas remain subject to the applicable Conservation land use designation and various overlay zoning classifications and the provisions relating thereto.

As a result of the County's response to the threat of Hurricane Erin on August 2, 1995, this matter was remanded back to the Local Planning Agency/Planning and Zoning Commission (LPA/P&Z) for rehearing (which rehearing is scheduled for August 30, 1995) and reconsideration of the recommendation that was made at the LPA/P&Z public hearing on August 2nd. This effort was made by the County in an effort to insure that all public participation that is desired relative to the matter could occur and to insure that any person who may have been deterred from participating at the August 2, 1995, hearing, as a result of the storm conditions resulting from Hurricane Erin, or the County's response to the threat of Hurricane Erin, would have the full opportunity to participate in the LPA/P&Z processes. Accordingly, this Board of County Commissioners public hearing (previously scheduled for August 9, 1995) was rescheduled to September 12, 1995.

If you wish additional information, please call (407) 321-1130, extension 7371. Copies of the staff reports regarding this amendment, complete legal descriptions, proposed ordinance, and related information, including any comments received, are available for public review at the address above, Room 3156, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the Employee Relations Department ADA Coordinator 48 hours in advance of the meeting at (407) 321-1130, extension 7941. Persons are advised that if they decide to appeal any decision made at this hearing, they will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose, they may need to ensure a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based, Section 286.0105, Florida Statutes.

## INSTRUMENT OF SURRENDER

**W**e, acting by command of and in behalf of the Emperor of Japan, the Japanese Government and the Japanese Imperial General Headquarters, hereby accept the provisions set forth in the declaration issued by the heads of the Governments of the United States, China and Great Britain on 26 July 1945, of Potsdam, and subsequently adhered to by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, which four powers are hereafter referred to as the Allied Powers.

We hereby proclaim the unconditional surrender to the Allied Powers of the Japanese Imperial General Headquarters and of all Japanese armed forces and all armed forces under Japanese control wherever situated.

We hereby command all Japanese forces wherever situated and the Japanese people to cease hostilities forthwith, to preserve and save from damage all ships, aircraft, and military and civil property and to comply with all requirements which may be imposed by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers or by agencies of the Japanese Government of his direction.

We hereby command the Japanese Imperial General Headquarters to issue at once orders to the Commanders of all Japanese forces and all forces under Japanese control wherever situated to surrender unconditionally themselves and all forces under their control.

We hereby command all civil, military and naval officials to obey and enforce all proclamations, orders and directives deemed by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers to be proper to effectuate this surrender and issued by him or under his authority and we direct all such officials to remain at their posts and to continue to perform their non-combatant duties unless specifically relieved by him or under his authority.

We hereby undertake for the Emperor, the Japanese Government and their successors to carry out the provisions of the Potsdam Declaration in good faith, and to issue whatever orders and take whatever action may be required by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers or by any other designated representative of the Allied Powers for the purpose of giving effect to that Declaration.

We hereby command the Japanese Imperial Government and the Japanese Imperial General Headquarters at once to liberate all allied prisoners of war and civilian internees now under Japanese control and to provide for their protection, care, maintenance and immediate transportation to places as directed.

The authority of the Emperor and the Japanese Government to rule the state shall be subject to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers who will take such steps as he deems proper to effectuate these terms of surrender.



The Instrument of Surrender was signed by delegates from Japan and the Allied nations, top and right. Left: World War II American forces, angry over the way Allied troops were treated by Japanese: tortured, starved, killed; erected this sign on the main highway between Manila and the Bataan Peninsula. The smaller lettering on the



sign said, "Down this road marched one of the regiments of the United States Army, Knights Serving the Queen of Battles. Twenty of their wounded, in litters, were bayoneted, shot, and clubbed by the yellow-bellies." The surrender of the Japanese to General Douglas MacArthur on Sept. 2, 1945 officially ended World War II.

## War

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preferred not to be identified by name.

The following is his report, much of which was contained in a book published on behalf of the 11th Airborne Division (paratroopers) of the U.S. Sixth Army.

The paratrooper was in the first group of U.S. military personnel to actually land on Japanese soil, at Atsugi (Japanese air field), after that nation acknowledged it was surrendering. In the first plane to land were General Swing and Colonel Williams.

The story is told: "Our Division Commander was the first man out of the plane, (landing at 8 a.m.) He was greeted by a Japanese delegation of army officers headed by a lieutenant general. There was much bowing, scraping and showing of teeth, but General Swing was coldly military.

"Towering handsomely almost a foot over the heads of the Japs, he refused their extended hands and got down to business. He ordered the Japanese officers first of all to take off their Samurai swords. They hesitated, saying that their sabers were not arms but symbols of their authority.

"General Swing cut them short. He said that from now on, he was the authority, and to 'get those cake-slicers or whatever they were, in a pile on the ground without any more delay.' The Japanese officers reluctantly obeyed."

Shortly after the American arrival, the troops raised the first flag of the U.S. Army of occupation. It went up on a crude iron pipe flagstaff above the hangar.

Eight hours after the first plane landed, at 2 p.m., the Supreme Allied Commander, General of the Army Douglas MacArthur arrived in his C-54,

aply named "Bataan." The band played as he stepped out of his plane.

MacArthur was to be transported to his headquarters which was being set up in Yokohama. The story goes that troops obtained at least 400 trucks and sedans from the Japanese forces, but they were in such condition that many of them had to be pushed or towed to the landing strip area.

The convoy included some charcoal burning sedans and steam-engine trucks, with only a few propelled by gasoline.

As the convoy made its way toward Yokohama, the paratrooper indicated that Japanese troops, staged along the roadway, would bow their heads and turn their backs on the Americans in a show of disgrace

in defeat. During the first eight days of American occupation, forces at Atsugi had moved 11,708 men, 640 tons of supplies and over 800 Jeeps and trailers into Japan. It was listed as the largest air transport move ever attempted. There were no casualties.

The local man's memorabilia, which he shared with Herald staff, included a copy of the actual surrender document and surrender terms.

Regarding the dropping of the two atomic bombs on Japan, credited with having forced the surrender, his observation was, "I was glad it was done."

The paratrooper went on to serve his country in the Korean and Vietnam wars.

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# Business

## IN BRIEF

### Luigino's appointment

**SANFORD** — Michael J. Carey, a veteran of 15 years sales and marketing management experience in the food industry, has been named to the newly created position of Executive Vice President of Sales - East, for Luigino's Inc.

The announcement was made by Luigino's Chairman/President/CEO Jeno Paulucci.

From 1973 to 1977 he was a member of the University of Southern California football team, and a graduate assistant football coach for two years.

Carey will be headquartered in the Paulucci Building in downtown Sanford.

### Business women meeting

**ALTAMONTE SPRINGS** — The American Business Women's Association, Seminole Sunrise Chapter, will hold its monthly dinner meeting Tuesday, Sept. 12, at 6:30 p.m., at Holiday Inn, Altamonte Springs.

Guest speaker will be Barbara Magnusson who will speak on "Communication between Sexes."

Cost for the dinner is \$14 with advance reservations required.

For information or reservations phone Barbara Gingold at 856-5051.

### Sales success

**LONGWOOD** — Tratford Properties' Marge McBeth is a realtor with an eagle eye for niche markets. Apparently, she's found one at Eagles Watch in the Tuskawilla community of Seminole County.

Since the new Morrison Homes community opened last month, McBeth has sold three new homes, all to single professionals.

Eagles Watch, with homes priced from the low \$100's, is designed primarily for young professional couples and active retirees, said Morrison Homes Sales Director Liz Agnello. "These homes are perfect for entertaining," she commented, "and that's a major attraction."

### Barnett, a good sport

**Barnett Banks Trust Company (BBTC)** has announced the creation of a Professional Sports Group (PSG), developed to meet the financial needs of former, current, and future professional athletes.

Serving primarily Florida and Georgia, the PSG's function is to furnish investment management and fiduciary services to athletes who might otherwise be unprepared to deal effectively with a sudden large influx of money.

Assistant Vice President for Barnett, Joe Johnson, a former professional football player, says he knows personally, the dangers of unsound advice when an athletic career demands all of one's time and devotion. Johnson has been promoting the newly formed group since it started in July.

Johnson suggests anyone interested in learning more about the Professional Sports Group should contact the nearest Barnett Bank facility.

### Eliminate unemployment

**MAITLAND** — Dr. Skousen, Adjunct Professor of Economics and Finance at Rollins College and editor of a financial news letter, will be guest speaker Thursday, Sept. 14, 7:30 p.m., at Maitland City Hall.

His subject will be "Eliminating Unemployment in Central Florida," the best policies that local governments as well as state and federal government, can establish to totally eliminate unemployment in Central Florida.

The meeting, sponsored by Central Florida Taxpayers Action Network (CFTAN) is free of charge and open to the general public.

### Cambridge milestone

**ALTAMONTE SPRINGS** — Cambridge Homes of Altamonte Springs announced it will close out on its 1,000th home next month. The announcement was made by Cambridge Homes President Bill Orosz, Jr.

Orosz says his company will end this year with sales of from 380 to 410 homes, a 30 percent increase over 1994.

### Tucker spec home

**MAITLAND** — Tucker Homes has just completed their newest home on speculation at Maitland Club called "The Floridian." It has four bedrooms, three baths, bonus room, remote family room, screened pool and spa. The asking price for the 2,850 square foot living area home is \$339,900.

## Work-related deaths are up in some areas

By NICK PFEIFAU  
Herald Staff Writer

The Florida Department of Labor and Employment Security recently released the results of its 1994 Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries (CFOI). The data is used by the Division of Safety as a guideline in developing strategies aimed at reducing on-the-job injuries.

The figures were a comparison of 1993 and 1994. A total of 358 job-related deaths were reported across the state for 1994.

The highest number of deaths, 145 or 41 percent, were caused through transportation accidents. Assaults and violent acts accounted for 96 fatalities or 27 percent, while exposure to harmful substances or environments accounted for 36 deaths, or 10 percent. The exposure figure was down by 30 percent from 1993.

Deaths by electrical current decreased from 34 in 1993 to 23 in 1994.

Other than on-the-job highway accidents, which increased from 70 to 76, 20 percent, the second largest increase in deaths in 1994 was in homicides, with 52 reported in 1993 and 78 reported in 1994.

Other facts uncovered by the 1994 survey indicated the following:

- Events which caused the highest number of occupational fatalities — Transportation incidents (145 deaths or 41 percent); Assaults and violent acts (96 or 27 percent);
- Fewer workers were getting crushed or compressed by equipment or collapsing materials. The total in 1993 was 21 while 1994 saw only 12.
- Men had a disproportionate share of fatalities with 320 job-related deaths, more than eight times the number of females killed on the job.
- Of the 358 fatalities, 285 were white and 62 were black.
- Occupations with the highest number of on-the-job fatalities — Truck drivers (29 deaths); non-construction labor (19 deaths); construction labor (17 deaths).
- Deaths by industry — Service (89); construction (66) retail/wholesale trade (62).

In Florida, Dade County had the highest number of fatal occupational injuries with 70 in 1994. This was followed by 35 in Broward County, 23 in Palm Beach County, and 21 in Duval County.

## Jobs available at future 'Big Lots'

By NICK PFEIFAU  
Herald Staff Writer

**SANFORD** — "Big Lots, the Closeout Store," is now in the process of becoming part of the Sanford business community. The grand opening of the newest store, at 1080 State Road, was announced by the parent company, Consolidated Stores Corporation, based in Columbus, Ohio.

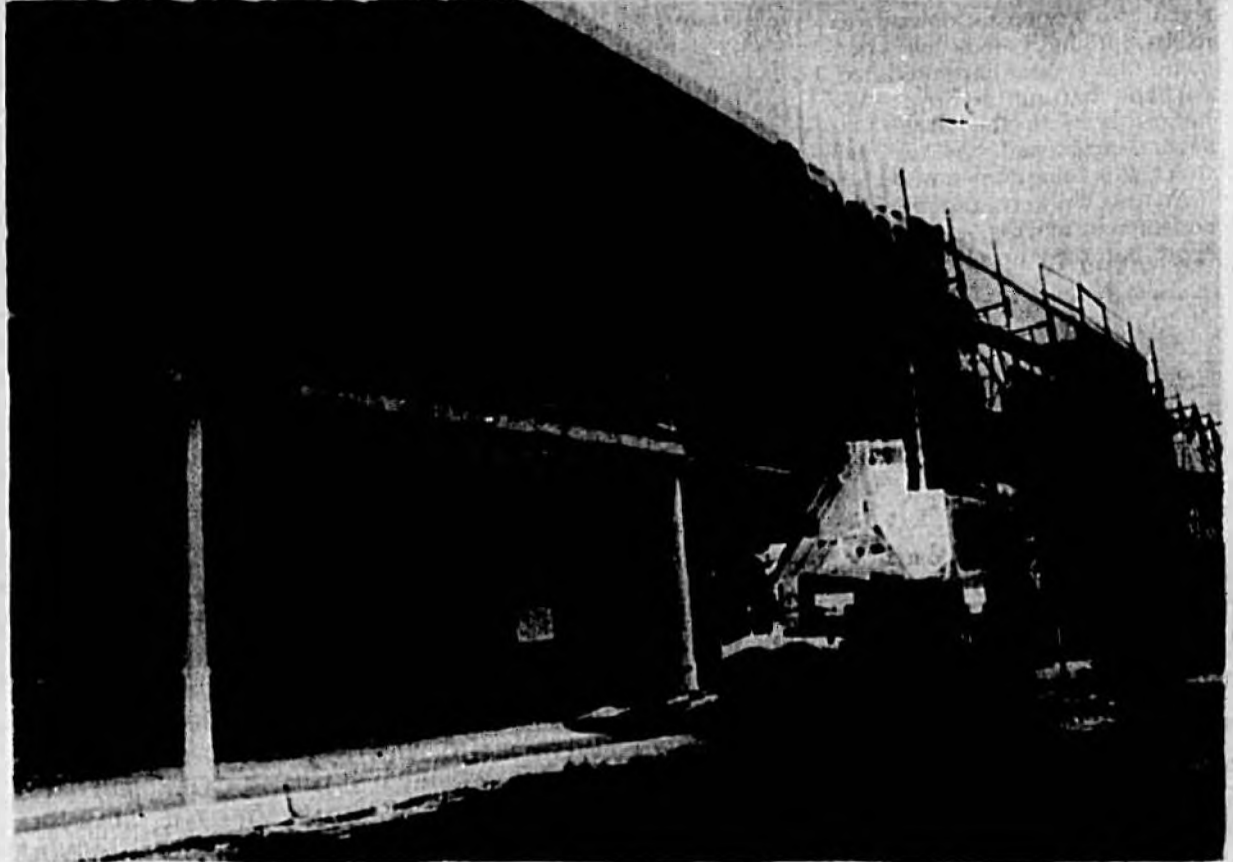
To be located in the Sanford Plaza, the store plans to open in mid-October. Work is presently underway at refurbishing the former Publix store at the plaza.

According to district manager Chuck Golding, between 30 and 35 employees are now being sought for the store. Positions range from management to hourly positions. Persons interested should apply at the Sanford Job Service, 514 Lake Mary Boulevard, Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Merchandise handled by Big Lots is purchased at extremely low prices by Consolidated Stores, which then passes the savings on to consumers through the Big Lots retail stores.

"Because our buying system has so much flexibility, we are able to capitalize on unbelievable deals not available to other retailers," said William G. Kelley, chairman and chief executive officer of Consolidated.

Big Lots stores feature a variety of merchandise such as housewares, table-top, automotive, tools, jewelry, hardware, home decor, paper



The Big Lots store at Sanford Plaza will open in mid-October.

Herald Photo by Tony Vincent

products, clothing, and seasonal items for lawn and garden, summer, back to school, and Christmas. The merchandise often varies from store to store in order to match the needs of each community.

Kelley said the opening of the Big Lots store promises to have a positive economic impact on the Sanford community, demonstrating Consolidated

Stores' commitment to the towns in which it does business. In many communities, he said the neighborhood Big Lots store is a significant employer, providing local jobs and generating millions in economic activity for the local economy, including payroll, taxes, advertising, and store rent.

The average Big Lot store contains approximately 28,000

square feet, and are generally located in strip shopping centers.

Consolidated currently operates over 780 stores in 38 states. In addition to Big Lots, Consolidated is the parent company of Odd Lots and Itzadec specialty retail stores. All For One, and It's Really \$1.00 single price stores, and Toy Liquidators closeout toy stores.



Herald Photo by Tony Vincent

The new attorney in town, Edgar J. "Judd" Hedrick III, has joined Stenstrom, McIntosh, Colbert, Whigham & Simmons, P.A.

## Sanford law firm welcomes attorney

By NICK PFEIFAU  
Herald Staff Writer

**SANFORD** — Edgar J. Hedrick, III, is the new associate with the Stenstrom, McIntosh, Colbert, Whigham & Simmons, P.A. law firm in Sanford. Known as Judd, he received his Juris Doctorate from the University of Miami School of Law in Coral Gables in May of this year.

By joining the law firm, Hedrick is expected to become involved in local government. Lake Mary City Attorney Donna McIntosh, and Sanford City Attorney Bill Colbert both took Hedrick with them as they attended the latest city commission meetings for the two cities, and introduced him to members of the commission. "I just wanted you to meet him," McIntosh told Lake Mary commissioners, "because he is in the firm now, and you will probably be seeing him around."

Hedrick was born, Jan. 12, 1969 in Binghamton, N.Y., and moved with his family to Mount Dora in 1978. He graduated from Trinity Preparatory School in Winter Park, in 1987.

He received his Bachelor of Arts in Economics and Spanish in 1991 from the University of the South in Seawee, Tenn., where he was awarded "Distinction" on comprehensive exams and "Order of Gownsmen," a merit-based achievement.

He was a member of the Highlander Club and played Rugby.

As part of his undergraduate

studies, he spent the spring of 1990 in a university in Valencia, Spain, where he researched and wrote his senior thesis, "The Impact of the Barcelona Summer Games on the Spanish Economy." It was written in Spanish.

Judd and his wife, Pamela, live in Winter Springs. Pamela is a Pediatric Oncology Research Nurse at Florida Hospital, Orlando.

Among qualifications sought in the prospective drivers, he said people must have a good driving record, with no DUI (driving under the influence) convictions for at least three years. They must also pass a Department of Transportation physical, which is required of all drivers every two years.

"This will be a good opportunity for people who want to start their careers or switch to a new one," he said. "People will be able to meet with a number of different carrier companies and find out about the advantages of becoming a driver."

He said different types of jobs will be available. "Some will be

## Job Fair for truck drivers planned

By NICK PFEIFAU  
Herald Staff Writer

**SANFORD** — "We will have more jobs than we could possibly fill," said George Fitzgerald. He was referring to a planned job fair scheduled on September 23, for prospective semi truck drivers.

Fitzgerald is School Director at TDI, Truck Driver Institute, located at 610 Aero Lane in Sanford. He has already arranged for at least 12 major trucking companies from throughout Central Florida, to be on hand for the job fair, to interview prospective employees.

"If the candidates are qualified and experienced," Fitzgerald said, "they will be considered for hire, if they are not qualified, we offer driver training programs here at TDI."

for people who want to be home every night, others will be short haul jobs where they will be gone for a few days at a time, and still others will be for long distance hauling," he said.

All of the jobs will be for semi tractor/trailer drivers. Although TDI has only been located on Aero Lane in Sanford for about a year, with drivers' classes operating since April, it has been in business since 1973.

The job fair for prospective drivers will be Saturday, Sept. 23, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. at the TDI facility, 610 Aero Lane in Sanford.

For additional information, phone TDI at 328-8000.

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## NOTICE OF LAND USE CHANGE, DEVELOPMENT OF REGIONAL IMPACT (DRI) SUBSTANTIAL DEVIATION DEVELOPMENT ORDER, AND AMENDMENT TO PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT (PUD) FINAL MASTER PLAN FOR THE OVIEDO CROSSING DRI PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 12, 1995

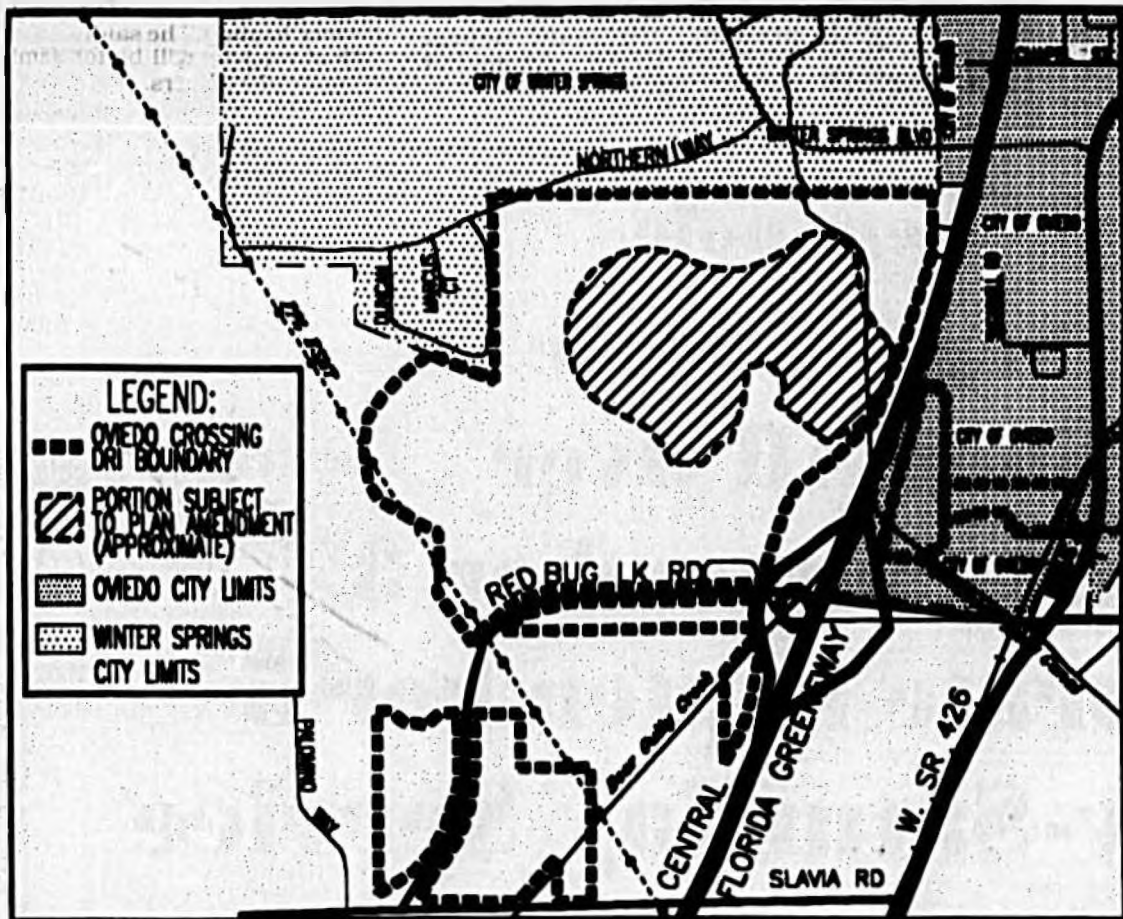
The Seminole County Board of County Commissioners (the Board) proposes to adopt the following by ordinance:

**AN ORDINANCE FURTHER AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 91-13, AS PREVIOUSLY AMENDED, KNOWN AS THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN; AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP OF THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN BY VIRTUE OF AN AMENDMENT RELATING TO A DEVELOPMENT OF REGIONAL IMPACT; PROVIDING FOR LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR EXCLUSION FROM THE SEMINOLE COUNTY CODE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

The purpose of the Ordinance is to adopt a requested Large Scale Development amendment to the Seminole County Comprehensive Plan as described and depicted below.

On September 12, 1995, the Seminole County Board of County Commissioners (the Board) will conduct a public hearing (Adoption Hearing) in the County Services Building, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, FL, Room 1028 (Board Chambers) beginning at 7:00 P.M., or as soon thereafter as possible. The purpose of this hearing is to receive public input, consider Local Planning Agency/Planning and Zoning Commission recommendations, comments from the Florida Department of Community Affairs, and any local government or other agency, on an amendment to the Seminole County Comprehensive Plan to change the land use from Higher Intensity Planned Development (Transitional) to Higher Intensity Planned Development (Core) and from Planned Development (Office) to Planned Development (Retail Services/Office and Wellness Center) on approximately 94.4 acres of the Oviedo Crossing Development of Regional Impact (DRI) property. The Board will also consider a Development of Regional Impact Substantial Deviation Development Order and amendment to the PUD (Planned Unit Development) Final Master Plan for the Oviedo Crossing DRI.

The County has received a Development of Regional Impact - Application for Development Approval (Substantial Deviation) application for the Oviedo Crossing DRI from the Viera Company (the Applicant) to undergo development-of-regional impact review, as provided for in Section 380.06, Florida Statutes. The proposed Substantial Deviation would amend the approved final master plan for the Oviedo Crossing DRI to permit a regional shopping center and medical campus/wellness center as a part of the overall DRI development plan, and would delete the approved multi-family residential use. The request also includes an amendment to the approved PUD (Planned Unit Development) Final Master Plan. The Oviedo Crossing DRI is located in the immediate vicinity of the Central Florida GreenWay (S.R. 417)/Red Bug Lake Road Interchange in unincorporated Seminole County, with a portion of the proposed development being located in the City of Oviedo, and contains approximately 435 acres (see map below) (BCC District 1).



As a result of the County's response to the threat of Hurricane Erin on August 2, 1995, this matter was remanded back to the Local Planning Agency/Planning and Zoning Commission (LPA/P&Z) for rehearing (which rehearing is scheduled for August 30, 1995) and reconsideration of the recommendation that was made at the LPA/P&Z public hearing on August 2nd. This effort was made by the County in an effort to insure that all public participation that is desired relative to the matter could occur and to insure that any person who may have been deterred from participating at the August 2, 1995, hearing, as a result of the storm conditions resulting from Hurricane Erin, or the County's response to the threat of Hurricane Erin, would have the full opportunity to participate in the LPA/P&Z processes. Accordingly, this Board of County Commissioners public hearing (previously scheduled for August 22, 1995) was rescheduled to September 12, 1995.

The general public is encouraged to appear at this hearing and present input in accordance with the procedures used by the Board or submit comments to the Comprehensive Planning Office, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, FL 32771, telephone (407) 321-1130, extension 7371. This hearing may be continued from time to time as found necessary by the Board. The proposed Substantial Deviation Development Order, Comprehensive Plan amendment, amendment to the PUD Final Master Plan, complete legal description, proposed ordinance, and related information, including any comments received, are available for public review at the address above, Room 3156, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Please note that land use amendments on property containing flood prone and wetland areas remain subject to the applicable Conservation and use designation and various overlay zoning classifications and the provisions relating thereto.

Persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the Employee Relations Department ADA Coordinator 48 hours in advance of the meeting at (407) 321-1130, extension 7941. Persons are advised that if they decide to appeal any decision made at this hearing, they will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose, they may need to ensure a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based, Section 286.0105, Florida Statutes.

## Transition

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the students." Several ninth graders this year were selected to take part in a program called "Yearn to Learn." These students were identified by their teachers and guidance counselors as not having the success they should be having in the ninth grade. They are placed in classes that seek to make the curriculum more relevant to everyday life.

They also have a strong emphasis on life management skills, study skills and practical social skills.

Shupe said his teachers are establishing a new discipline code for the eighth graders, which is a set of rules and penalties that everyone knows ahead of time.

"There are no hidden surprises," Shupe said. "We want to make sure that everyone is

singing off the same page of music."

Shupe and Lundquist believe that by involving the teachers at both levels they will better be able to assess the needs of the students who might find the transition most difficult.

"We are emphasizing that they are able to act and think like high school students," Shupe said. "We know they can do this, we want to make the transition easier."

## Gospel musicians' guild to host public sharing meeting

By BARVA HAWKINS  
Herald Columnist

SANFORD — Benson Records newest recording artist will be the guest speaker for the Sanford/Central Florida Interdenominational Musicians' Guild "sharing meeting" at 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Good Samaritan Home, corner of 9th Street and Mulberry Avenue, Sanford.

Bobby Mott, of Orlando, recently signed with Benson Music, Inc., the country's largest gospel music conglomerate. The Rev. Mott, who performed at the guild's MusicFest '95 in July, will discuss songwriting and the recording industry. He has written more than 500 songs and has ministered twice on the Bobby Jones Gospel Show on the Black Entertainment Network and has been a guest artist at Shirley Caesar's convention in Raleigh, N.C.

This is the first of several guild "sharing meetings" that will feature local and state gospel musicians. Guild and non-guild members can look forward to an educational, spiritual and creative meeting.

The musicians' guild, which awards annual scholarships, solely exists to develop quality church musicians. Upcoming projects include, "When Singers Meet," featuring high school gospel choirs, on Saturday, Oct. 28; annual workshop/concert in January; MusicFest '96 in June



Recording artist, the Rev. Bobby Mott, is the guest speaker Wednesday night at the Good Samaritan Home in Sanford.

and the second Gospel Music Lifetime Achievement Awards in July.

Guild membership is open to all ministers of music, musicians, directors, pastors, singers and laymen who desire to help promote the principles of the guild.

Regular meetings are con-

ducted on the first Saturday of each month at a site determined by the guild.

The public is invited to attend the sharing session on Sept. 6. Elaine Turner is the guild's program coordinator. For more information, contact Faye Henderson at 323-9048 or Charles Jackson at (904) 532-2335.

## Aware

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potentially, dangerous people and situations.

The participants will be given a quiz to determine how to identify their vulnerability to crime. They will then be taught how to defend themselves against attackers.

UCF police officers Bob Coch and Terri Pagela are Certified Defense Tactics instructors and will serve as the instructors for the self-defense program.

"Rape, especially among college students, is a serious problem that needs to be addressed," said Erin Brown, co-chair of the UCF Rape

Awareness and Prevention networks and coordinator of the Peer Education Outreach (PEO) are helping students to see that it's not OK to force yourself on someone or to blame sexually aggressive behavior on what a person is wearing or drinking. We want everyone to be responsible."

## NOTICE OF AMENDMENTS TO COMPREHENSIVE PLAN PUBLIC HEARINGS TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 12, 1995

The Seminole County Board of County Commissioners (the Board) proposes to adopt the following by ordinance: **AN ORDINANCE FURTHER AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 91-13, AS PREVIOUSLY AMENDED, KNOWN AS THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN; AMENDING THE TEXT OF THE IMPLEMENTATION, FUTURE LAND USE, CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, CONSERVATION, DESIGN, DRAINAGE, HOUSING, INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION, LIBRARY SERVICES, PORTS, AVIATION AND RELATED FACILITIES, POTABLE WATER, PUBLIC SAFETY, RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE, SANITARY SEWER, SOLID WASTE, TRAFFIC CIRCULATION, MASS TRANSIT AND ECONOMIC ELEMENTS OF THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN; AMENDING THE DEFINITIONS AND INTRODUCTION SECTIONS OF THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN; AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP OF THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN BY VIRTUE OF A LARGE SCALE DEVELOPMENT AMENDMENT; PROVIDING FOR LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR EXCLUSION FROM THE SEMINOLE COUNTY CODE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

The Seminole County Board of County Commissioners will conduct a public hearings (Transmittal Hearings) on September 12, 1995, to consider Large Scale Administrative Amendments to the text of the Seminole County Comprehensive Plan. The Board will consider recommendations of the Seminole County Local Planning Agency/Planning and Zoning Commission (LPA/P&Z) hear citizen views, any local government or other agency comments, and take Board action on the subject amendments. If the Board votes its intent to adopt the subject amendments, the amendments will be transmitted to the Florida Department of Community Affairs for review and comment prior to final Board action. The public hearings will begin at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as possible, in Room 1028 (Board Chambers) of the Seminole County Services Building, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, FL 32771. The general public is encouraged to appear at these hearings and present input in accordance with the procedures used by the Board or submit written comments c/o Comprehensive Planning Office, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, FL 32771, telephone (407) 321-1130, extension 7371. These hearings may be continued from time to time as found necessary.

As a result of the County's response to the threat of Hurricane Erin on August 2, 1995, this matter was remanded back to the Local Planning Agency/Planning and Zoning Commission (LPA/P&Z) for rehearing (which rehearing is scheduled for August 30, 1995) and reconsideration of the recommendation that was made at the LPA/P&Z public hearing on August 2nd. This effort was made by the County in an effort to insure that all public participation that is desired relative to the matter could occur and to insure that any person who may have been deterred from participating at the August 2, 1995, hearing, as a result of the storm conditions resulting from Hurricane Erin, or the County's response to the threat of Hurricane Erin, would have the full opportunity to participate in the LPA/P&Z processes. Accordingly, this Board of County Commissioners public hearing (previously scheduled for August 9, 1995) was rescheduled to September 12, 1995.

If you wish additional information, please call (407) 321-1130, extension 7371. Copies of the staff reports regarding these amendments, proposed ordinance, and related information, including any comments received, are available for public review at the address above, Room 3156, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the Employee Relations Department ADA Coordinator 48 hours in advance of the meeting at (407) 321-1130, extension 7941. Persons are advised that if they decide to appeal any decision made at these hearings, they will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose, they may need to ensure a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based, Section 286.0105, Florida Statutes.

## NATIONAL BRIEFS



### Clinton hits GOP for cutting benefits

HONOLULU — At a military cemetery on a hill high above Honolulu, President Clinton marked the 50th anniversary of the end of the most destructive war in history Saturday, saying it taught Americans that "the blessings of freedom are never easy or free."

Hundreds of silver-haired World War II veterans, many of them wearing the medals they won in battle long ago, joined Clinton at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific, atop a grassy, extinct volcanic crater known as Punchbowl. Many of the veterans were in wheelchairs.

Fifty years after Japan's surrender ended World War II, it was a day of solemn commemoration.

"It's very touching to be here today," said Ralph Bowen of Salt Lake City, Utah, now 77, he was an artillery major who fought his way into Germany. "A half century. I guess we're history now."

More than 33,000 tiny U.S. flags fluttered in the morning breeze at the granite markers of Americans killed in World War II, Korea and Vietnam.

There also was a touch of partisan politics, as Clinton used his weekly radio address to accuse Republicans of breaking faith with military veterans with a budget-cutting plan that would reduce their retirement benefits.

### Reynolds closes congressional career

CHICAGO — Rep. Mel Reynolds closed his congressional career with an angry swipe at Democratic colleagues who had called on him to resign after he was convicted of having sex with an underage campaign volunteer.

"They were trying to pretend or show that they were more moral than Republicans, when they already knew that I was going to resign," Reynolds said.

Reynolds announced his resignation, effective Oct. 1, on CNN's "Larry King Live" Friday night. He was convicted Aug. 22 on charges of criminal sexual assault, aggravated criminal sexual abuse, child pornography and obstruction of justice.

Reynolds, accompanied by his wife, Marisol, said he had "lost everything" because of trial costs and his family would soon lose their home. Mrs. Reynolds said she will move to be close to her husband if he goes to prison.

From Associated Press reports

## Stinecipher

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ship had operated with the British during and immediately after D-Day and since that time had shuttled troops from England to France.

His postwar plans were to establish a business in Sanford, something that would aid in bringing tourists to the locality. (Evidently his plans were changed; as Hugh became a teacher and was principal of Sanford Middle School for many years.)

Lt. Olin E. Greer, of Oviedo, pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress, had been awarded the third Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal for "meritorious achievement" while participating in Eighth Air Force bombing attacks on Nazi war industries.

Ensign John Pell Parkin, USNR, was killed on May 1 in an airplane accident while he was making a landing approach at the Sanford Naval Air Station. He had reported to SNAS on March 28 for operational training.

Sgt. M.L. Telford, who had served two tours of duty in the Pacific, was in Sanford visiting his sisters, Mrs. Earl Dossey and Mrs. William Vihlen.

John Cullen Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Wright, had been promoted to the rank of sergeant. He was a first gunner with a squad in Germany and had been overseas since September, 1944.

Sgt. Douglas Stenstrom, who had been confined to a hospital in Atlanta for some time, was spending several weeks with his wife, Florence, and his mother Mrs. John Salisbury.

### Sports

The Sanford Celery Fed baseball team had become the champion of their district by recently defeating Winter Garden, 3-5 and Orlando, 4-2. In his write-up of the game, Sonny Raborn mentioned the following players for the Seminole High team: Callahan, Ross, Tisdale, Dyess, Cullum, Lingle, Brunley, McKee, Brooklyn, Jackson and Walker.

Two of Sanford's first line-up would not be able to play in the state tournament as on May 8 Clarence McKee was to report for naval training and Bob Callahan was to report for duty with the Army Air Force.

Sanford Naval Air Station's scrappy one pounded out a 12 to 2 victory over DeLand NAS on the previous Sunday. The Welch Convalescent Hospital team would be at Sanford's Municipal Field on Wednesday evening. The 8 p.m. game was expected to attract all Sanford sports enthusiasts; admission was free.

### PTA officers

Mrs. Wade Rucker installed the following officers of the Southside PTA: Mrs. J.P. Cullen, president; Mrs. Harry L. Brown, vice president; Mrs. J. Azarelo,

secretary; Mrs. E.B. Smith, treasurer and Mrs. C.L. Redding, historian.

Mrs. W.H. Steward, past president of the Seminole County PTA, installed the officers of the Grammar School PTA during the school's annual May Day festivities. These were Mrs. E.C. Kilpatrick, president; Mrs. Lillian Horner, vice president; Mrs. D.C. Howard, secretary; Mrs. L.E. Spencer, treasurer; and Mrs. Mrs. B.G. Methvyn, historian. The past president's pin was presented to Mrs. C.G. Wilkie by Principal R. Earl Kipp.

### May Day at USO

There was a huge crowd at the May Day Dance at the USO on the previous Friday evening, sponsored by the Service Wives Club. Mrs. Ed Lane and Mrs. S. Graham were thanked for decorating the club for the affair.

The waltz contest was won by Bobynette Beard and Wes Roushall and the jitterbug contest was won by Helen Hickey and Cliff Crosby.

The Naval Air Station Orchestra played throughout the evening and refreshments of punch and cake were served.

### Birthday party

A group of friends had honored Mrs. Louie F. Garner the previous evening with a theater and dinner party in honor of her birthday. Those enjoying the party with her were Mrs. Harry Hansen, Mrs. Jack McCollum, Mrs. Bill Tyre, Mrs. James Kinney, Mrs. D.K. McNab, Mrs. Lourine Beal, and Miss Jane Ganitt.

### Daughters of Wesley

The regular meeting of the Daughters of Wesley of the Methodist Church was held in the church annex with Mrs. J.L. Clark presiding. Reports of committees were given and Mrs. C.H. Winn was elected as teacher.

Among those attending were Mrs. E.H. Laney, Mrs. M.R. Strickland, Mrs. W.C. Hill, Mrs. Clark Leonardy, Mrs. T.C. Bolt, Mrs. Roy Tillie, Mrs. J.O. Laney, Mrs. M.B. Smith, Mrs. Z.B. Ratliff, Mrs. C.P. Herndon, and Mrs. J.E. Courier.

### Personals

The Misses Elizabeth and Jean Whigham and Miss Jessie Durden, students at the Florida State College for Women, had spent the weekend with their parents.

Miss Irene Lundquist had enlisted in the Army Nurse Corps and had left for Camp Rucker, Alabama where she would receive her basic training. She had been on the nursing staff of the Fernald Laughton Memorial Hospital for the past year.

## Abby

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breaks from us first, rather than at the local newstand.

We also learned how much better it is to discuss things openly with children, rather than trying to shield them from things we don't want them to see.

### PROUD PARENT IN NEW JERSEY

DEAR PARENT: Your last sentence says it all. Children learn as much about their parents' attitudes from their silence as what they preach. You seized an opportunity to educate your children about this sensitive subject in a wholesome

way they will never forget. Congratulations!

DEAR ABBY: I am a retired junior-high school teacher who taught reading and English for a total of 42 years — not counting five years of substitute teaching.

Abby, I cannot count the number of times I quoted your philosophy. "The person who does not read is no better off than a person who cannot read."

I had it printed on a banner for the front of my classroom where it, and subsequently bigger and fancier replacements, were on display continuously until I retired in 1983.

I have often wished that I could express my appreciation to you for this impressive teaching aid, but I didn't know your address.

Hopefully, this letter will reach you. If so, I have no objection to your using my name.

MELBORN L. MORTON,  
FAIRFIELD, IOWA

DEAR MELBORN MORTON: As you can see, your letter reached me — and need I tell you that it made my day?

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## Airport

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removal of asbestos prior to any demolition. Plans at present call for the airport to finance the asbestos removal, and the city, with perhaps assistance from Seminole County, to dig a pit, burn several sections of the building at a time, then have the

ashes removed for disposal in the eastern area of the airport property.

No firm decision has been made regarding the demolition at this time, pending further word from the Seminole County Commission on its role in the project.

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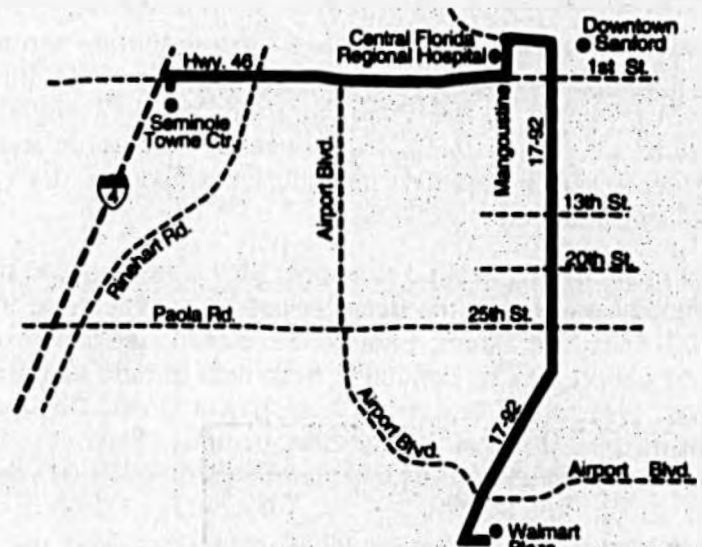
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# People

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## The Reynolds mark 63rd wedding anniversary Seniors take casino cruise; famous dancer visits Sanford

Congratulations are in order to Evelyn and Dwight Reynolds who celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary on Aug. 14. They were married on that date in 1932 in Ripley County, Indiana. The couple celebrated with family members in their home on Princeton Avenue. Evelyn has been under the weather for nearly a year and she said she was not up to going out to

celebrate. She laments the fact that she hasn't even been to her beloved church (First United Methodist) in almost a year.

But Evelyn said, the family did get together for her 81st birthday Aug. 18 for dinner at a Deltona restaurant. If all the family got together at once, it would be quite a gathering. There are three living children, Blythe Smith of Sanford; Larry Reynolds of Denver; and Robert Reynolds of Connersville, Ind.; 13 grandchildren, 33 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild.

The couple have made their home in Sanford for 25 years. Evelyn is a former school teacher and Dwight was maintenance superintendent for the Rush County Indiana School system.

Currently (at this writing) visiting the Reynolds from Detroit are a grandson, David Wall III, his wife, Norma, and their sons, Heath and Adam. Evelyn is very proud that Heath, a gymnast, is training for the Olympics at the University of Minnesota. This is the first time the Walls family has visited Sanford. They came on here after dropping daughter Cherish off at Bob Jones College



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in Greenville, S.C. where she is a freshman.

Grandson Deam Smith said this is the first time he has seen his cousins in 22 years.

Evelyn and Dwight have had a good life. She credits their long, successful marriage to "giving more than 50-50. You have to. We are the same religion - both Methodist, and that helps. We never thought about parting. We have such a fine family."

### Seniors off to see the sea

Thirty-eight seniors from Sanford, Deltona, Lake Mary, Edgewater and New Smyrna departed via a chartered from

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Evelyn and Dwight Reynolds



Seniors board bus in Sanford that took them to Fernandino Beach for a casino cruise.

Herald Photo by Norman Schroeder



Herald Photo by Shoy Koegel

Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club officers for 1995-96 are (from left): Gloria McCulloch, parliamentarian; Linda Osborne, corresponding secretary; Cindy DeChellis, recording secretary; Margaret

Kirkpatrick, president; Rachel Winter, treasurer; Andrea Obarly, third vice president; Betty Rippatoe, first vice president; and Anna Belle West, second vice president.

## Garden club opens season with 'Welcome Back Coffee'



LONGWOOD

SHAY KOEGEL

The Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club held their annual "Welcome Back Coffee" on Aug. 28 at the home of Jane Burke in Sweetwater Oaks. The club, a member of the Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, was founded in 1974 for the purpose of encouraging interest in horticulture with special emphasis on conservation and the

environment. Each year, the club provides a scholarship to a high school senior interested in pursuing a career in horticulture or a related field, and also sponsors a very active Junior Garden Club for residents of the Longwood area.

The executive officers of the Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club of

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## Corporate Fun-A-Rama 10 teams vie in YMCA event



LAKE MARY

MARY ROWELL

Water balloons were flying. Men were pushing wheelbarrows blindfolded. And people were stepping all over each other. Well, actually, they were stepping over each other for the Balance Beam Pass. It was the Central Florida YMCA's Fifth Annual Corporate Fun-A-Rama.

Ten different teams competed Saturday, Aug. 28 at the YMCA in Lake Mary. The teams came from Target, 3M, Continuous Forms, the City of Lake Mary, Sprint United, Sun Bank, Rich Plan, AAA, Barnett Bank and the YMCA. The teams of six, three men and three women, competed in the Balance Beam Pass, the Double "Mazing" Wheelbarrow, the Sponge Relay, the Silly Ski Shuffle, the Rubber Raft Relay, the Obstacle Course and the Sling Shot Shoot. One of the objectives of the Corporate Fun-A-Rama is to promote team spirit. And on all of the events, you have to work as a team. In the Balance Beam Pass, teams

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Herald Photo by Mary Rowell

Rich Food Team competes in Double Mazing Wheelbarrow

Donte Jones, 6, is a little guy walking in his dad's shoes. The Idyllwilde first-grader has been playing the drums since he was 2.



Herald Photo by Marva Hawkins

## Father, son share musical talent during morning worship service

What a lovely sight to see the father and son team of musical drummers share and give of their talents at the worship service at the New Mt. Calvary Baptist Church morning worship service.

Willie L. Jones is a drummer from the heart. Willie says his love of playing the drums has been a great part of his life for over 15 years. While attending schools in Kentucky, Texas, and then moving with his parents to Sanford where he attended Seminole High and graduated in 1981, he played tri-toms for Seminole bands.

His love of rhythm and being a Christian church member, he can be found on Sunday at New Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, playing percussion along with the choirs of the church. The joy he receives from playing can be seen on his face as he displays his talent and gives joy of service to his master.

Sharing this talent and the



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love of drums is his son, Donte A. Jones, six years old. He has been playing the drums since he was two years old.

Donte also plays for worship service, a thrill enjoyed by all attending church and to the delight of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jones, his mother Valeria, and baby brother.

Donte says his love of music and being a drummer, he plans one day to play in his school band. He is a first grader at Idyllwilde Elementary - a little guy walking in Dad's shoes.

### Family, Friends Day observed

Family and friends - every member working together to please God (I Corinthians 12:18.)

The New Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church where love abides, observed their annual Family and Friends Day. The sons of Calvary rendered the music for the morning worship. The message of the day was delivered by the Rev. Charles E. McKay Sr. His message reminded the Christian family of their duties to the vanishing black family, the church's duty toward crime that's black on black, racism, morality, unwedded teen-agers. We must remember our oneness in Christ.

After a stirring message, Chairman Ruby Blake gave the total of persons representing the various family

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## ENGAGEMENTS



Marie Cecile Vezina, Paul Christian Dowling

## Vezina-Dowling

SANFORD — Lionel J. and Mary H. Vezina of Sanford are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Marie Cecile, to Paul Christian Dowling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Dowling of Sanford.

Born in Sanford, the bride-elect is the maternal granddaughter of Mrs. Myrtle Jarvi, Fitchburg, Mass. and the late Mr. Sidney Grant. She is the paternal granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vezina of Leominster, Mass.

Ms. Vezina is a 1989 graduate of Seminole High School, Sanford where she played soccer for two years. She is a graduate of Santa Fe Community College, Gainesville, and is a full-time student pursuing a degree in physical therapy.

Her fiancé, born in Miami, is the maternal grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sunday of Winter Springs and the paternal grandson of Mrs. Audrey Dowling of Dawson, Ga. and the late James B. Dowling.

Dowling is a 1991 graduate of Seminole High School, Sanford where he participated in football and varsity baseball. He was a member of the National Honor Society for four years.

Dowling attends the University of Florida where he is working toward a degree in building construction.

The wedding will be an event of March 9, 1996, at 3 p.m., at the Henry P. Leu Gardens, Orlando.

## Sollien-Howell

SANFORD — Laura K. Sollien and Lon K. Howell of Sanford are announcing their



Laura K. Sollien

wedding plans. They will be married on Sept. 9, 1996, at 11 a.m., at First Baptist Church of Sanford.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. Rose Galletta of Deltona and the late Mr. John Keough.

Born in Chatham, N.Y., the bride-elect is a graduate of the State University of New York at Plattsburgh, N.Y. with a bachelor of arts degree in psychology. She is presently co-owner of CellTel Cellular, Inc.

Born in Albuquerque, N.M., Howell is the son of the late Mr. Frank and Mrs. Loreen Howell.

He is a graduate of Pasadena Academy, Pasadena, Calif. and was honorably discharged from the U.S. Navy.

Howell, a Sanford city commissioner, is co-owner of CellTel Cellular, Inc.

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stood on a balance beam and passed objects to one another. They did this the hard way. The objects were passed alternately over the head and between the legs of team members. Team members then had to change positions without stepping off the balance beam.

Another event that took a great deal of team effort was the Silly Skit Shuffle. This was one of the funniest to watch. Four team members, two men and two women, were strapped to a set of long skis. Then the team had to negotiate a course without knocking down the cones and without falling over.

With the exception of the Rubber Raft Relay, all of the events were done on a timed team basis. But with the Rubber Raft Relay, direct competition came into play. Two teams at a time battled, or rather paddled, it out in the pool in their rafts. There were at least two raft collisions, resulting in no injuries, but quite a few laughs. There was also one unfortunate person who had trouble staying in the raft before the race even began. Then there was the sad case of the Sprint Team. Sprint's first team had a good lead in the relay, but lost it when they took the scenic tour of the pool. Lake Mary's first relay team passed them, as did Lake Mary's second relay team. Most team members came away from the event completely soaked.



Sprint Team members Teresa Bledsoe and Jim Olsen in the Rubber Raft Relay Race.

The winner of the event was Barnett Bank with 220 points. Last year's winner, Continuous Forms and Checks, Inc., was a close second with 210 points. Third place was taken by Rich Plan with 175 points. The other scores were: the YMCA, 105; AAA, 90; Target, 85; Sun Bank, 70; 3M, 40; Spring, 35; and last but not least, the City of Lake Mary with 20 points.

Besides being a format to promote team spirit, the mission of the annual Fun-A-Rama is to promote health and fitness on a

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the Sanford Senior Center last Saturday at 7:15 a.m. for a day of fun and excitement.

The entourage arrived at Fernandino Beach about 10:30 when they boarded the casino cruise ship, "Stardancer" for a five-hour luncheon cruise.

Although the water was choppy, most of the group managed to have a good time in the casino, eating and enjoying planned shipboard activities. From all reports, the food was "wonderful."

The outing was planned by Roni Mott, director of the Sanford Senior Center, and Ellen Rollins, director of senior Friends.

According to Herman Schroeder, "Roni and Ellen were the perfect hostesses. They provided treats on the bus, both ways, and continually checked to see if anyone wanted anything. Thank you Roni and Ellen."

They departed the beach about 4 p.m. and arrived back in Sanford at 7:30 p.m.

The next day trip planned by the Sanford Senior Center will be to the Orlando Civic Center on Sept. 24 to see Rogers' and Hammerstein's "A Grand Night for Singing."

If anyone is interested, please call the Sanford Senior Center, 330-5889, for information.

## Famous dancer guest teacher

A famous choreographer shared the spirit Monday night at Miriam and Valerie's School of Dance Arts. Dancers were all smiles and energy when Myles Thoroughgood taught master

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groups. Top winners in finance were the Tillman family with most in attendance, the Jones, Curry, Wilson families.

Thanks and appreciation goes to all families who helped to make this day a spiritual and financial success. Chairmen were Ruby Blake, Erma Cooper. The Rev. Melton L. Curry is pastor.

## Prayer breakfast scheduled

St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church's Christian Education Committee Annual Castle Brewer Scholarship Prayer Breakfast will be held Sept. 16, at 8:00 a.m. at the Crooms Academy school dining room, West 13th Street.

The annual prayer breakfast is the way in which funds are raised for the Castle Brewer Scholarship Fund which is given to deserving students who are in

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the 1995-96 year include: president, Margaret Kirkpatrick; first vice president, Betty Rippetoe; second vice president, Anna Belle West; third vice president, Audrea Oberly; recording secretary, Cindy DeChellis; corresponding secretary, Linda Osborne; treasurer, Rachel Winter; and parliamentarian, Gloria McCulloch.

The club will hold its regular



Herald Photo By Aaron Van Swearingen

## Choreographer Myles Thoroughgood teaches classes at Sanford's School of Dance Arts.

classes to both the younger crowd and the more polished advanced dancers.

Myles recently moved to the area from Las Vegas where his professional credits included work with Stevie Wonder, Donna Summers and Donnie Osmond. According to Valerie Weld, he is now one of Disney World's busiest choreographers.

Valerie said, "His contagious enthusiasm for dance brought out the very best in the local students as they jazzed the night away."

As choreographer of Disney's Mickey Mouse Club, Myles is accustomed to sharing his style and spirit with youngsters. His newest show, "Corvette Summer," can be seen at Pleasure Island.

Valerie added, "It was a truly special evening. There's a good chance that Myles will set an original piece for Ballet Guild of

Sanford-Seminole this year for the spring concert."

## Woman's club sets membership luncheon

This is the month that local organizations return to their regularly scheduled meetings after a summer recess. And most of the members will probably welcome the fall season accompanied by a whirlwind of activity.

The Sanford Woman's Club will launch the season with a membership luncheon scheduled Wednesday, Sept. 20, at the clubhouse. The luncheon will be provided by the board of managers and the department chairmen.

Members are asked to attend and invite prospective new members.

Please RSVP to Faye Siler, 322-5684, or Viola Frank, 322-2578, by Sept. 13.

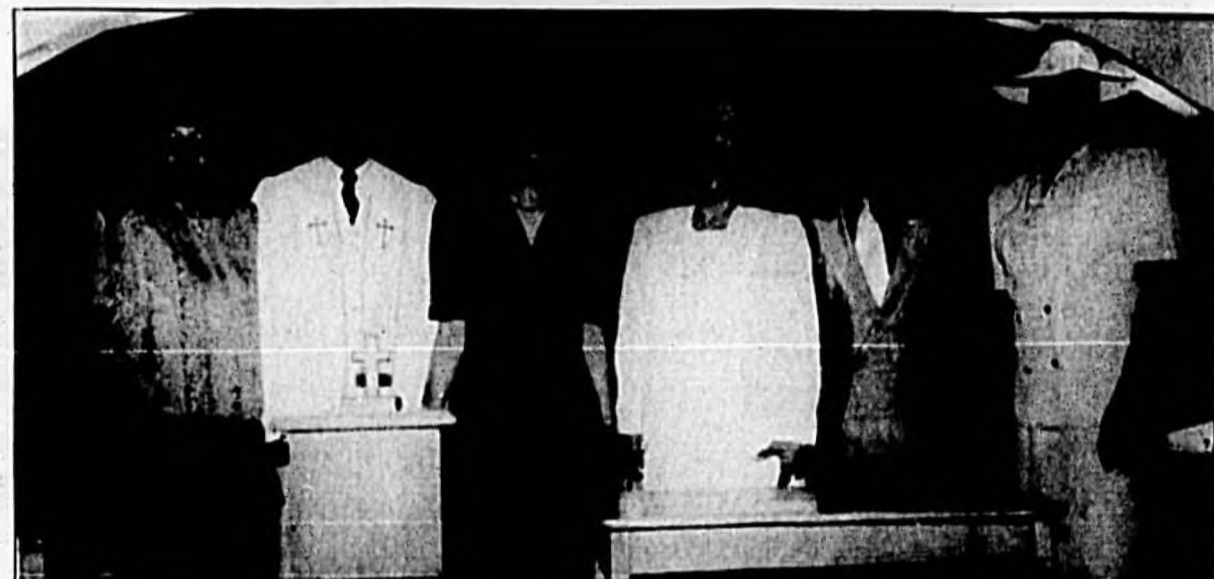
## Happy birthday

If you should by chance see Margaret Wright, wish her a happy belated birthday. Margaret turned 92 on Aug. 28. Regular readers will recall that while visiting a Washington D.C. restaurant when she was 88, Margaret shook hands with President George Bush.

Another dear lady celebrating her birthday Sept. 4 is Georgia Chorpene who will also be 92. Georgia is still not over the big surprise party given to her on her 90th birthday by Barbara Brown.

## Happy anniversary

Several local couples who celebrated anniversaries in August are: Edith and Randall Prist, 57th; Anna and Harold Herbat, 53rd; Rubye and Harold Bridges, 53rd; and Dorothy and Stewart Gatchel, 53rd.



Herald Photo By Marvin Wainright

Helping to make Family and Friends Day a success are (from left): Ruby Blake, the Rev. Charles E. McKay Sr., Mrs. McKay, Mrs. Curry, the Rev. Melton L. Curry and Erma Cooper.

need of financial assistance to attend the college of their choice.

Highlighting this prayer, praise and Christian commitment breakfast will be the Rev. Doctor W. Frank Williams, pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist

Church, Sanford, who will be the inspirational speaker of the morning.

The music of prayer and spiritual uplifting will be rendered by the renowned Gospel according artist, Vernon "Papa"

Jones. Donation is \$7. The theme is "Building Prayer Patterns for Work and Play" (Zechariah 8:5). Chairman is Lorman Oliver III; program coordinator, Sheryl Brinson. The Rev. Amos Jones is pastor.

during the first 150 years of Florida statehood, 1845 to the present.

The first item of interest on the 1995-96 agenda which will be discussed in October will be the Citizen Petition Initiative of the Florida Constitution. The league will study the history, authority, process and impact of the citizen petition initiative. Since 1968, the last 27 years, citizens have been able to amend the state constitution by the process of submitting petitions to the Secretary of State that have been signed by registered voters; this

procedure placed 11 amendments on the ballot and seven passed. According to Alice Friedman, the league is concerned that the citizen initiative route may be in conflict with the league's position that "the constitution should be simple, a statement of basic law free from obsolete or unsound details and limitations."

Further clarifying the nature of the purpose of the study, Friedman explains that the "special interests have spent millions of dollars on misleading

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SUNDAY'S TELEVISION

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Hobbyist of the week



Harry Wise, holding a marble collection, is surrounded by magic props.

A visit with Mr. Magic

By SUSAN WENNER, Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Harry Wise has been otherwise known for years as Mr. Magic and Wise the Wizard. His fame has spread far and wide.

This native Sanfordinite ventured into the arena of magic at the tender age of 15. "In 1950 my mom and dad took me to a magic show," he said.

He attributed his admiration for one of the nation's foremost magicians, David Copperfield. "This man is not only talented, and loves magic, he's young and handsome. He has mastered the voice, the music, the moves and dance, theatre, lighting and scripting. He knows how to adopt and adapt. He's the best and better than anyone else."

"Mr. Cates was from Houston. He died in 1985. He actually taught me everything about the business of magic. Hull was from DeLand. He wrote 50 to 60 books on magic."

Now, with 42 years of thrilling and chilling audiences Wise enjoys his brief escapes from the city of Sanford to a small retreat home in St. Augustine. "I call it my semi-retirement apartment," he said.

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Wise presently holds a membership in FAME (Florida Associated Magical Entertainers). He and three other men founded this organization. He's been active since the 1970's.

Mr. Magic doesn't have all his marbles you just let them know I have them all right here. Over 1000 marbles have been added to his collection over the years. "I've collected them since I was a boy. I also have 2300 crystals."

Yet, last but not least, Wise has a collection of antique records. "I have some from 1806 to 1935," he said. "They are played with a wooden needle. I have an Edison cylinder and Edison diamond disc recreation. You have to sharpen the needle after each play."

Writing poetry has been an art that Wise has found himself doing on late nights when he has trouble sleeping. "I've had two pieces published," he said. Wise summed it up by saying, "I guess I've never grown up. My collections of magic props, old writers books and marbles are just proving that."

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If you are interested in joining the League Study Committee, call the league at 339-9266. The following dates have been set for the month of September general meetings: Sept. 13 evening meeting at Alauqua on the Orlando-Sanford Airport, speaker following dinner at 7:30 p.m. Sept. 28 noon meeting at Alauqua where the speaker will discuss "Food for Thought" at 2:30 p.m. immediately following the luncheon. For further information, call the League of Women Voters of Seminole County at 339-9266.

MONDAY'S PRIME TIME

Table listing TV programs for Monday's prime time, including channels like CBS, NBC, ABC, and program titles such as 'The Price Is Right', 'The Dick Van Dyke Show', and 'The Love Boat'.

REGAL CINEMAS advertisement listing movie showtimes for 'MORTAL COMBAT', 'MAGIC IN THE WATER', 'A WALK IN THE CLOUDS', 'THE NET', 'THE AMAZING PANDA ADVENTURE', 'BASE', 'DESPERADO', 'LORD OF ILLUSIONS', 'THE BABY SITTERS CLUB', 'SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT', 'DANGEROUS MINDS', and 'THE PROPERTY'.

WATERWORLD advertisement with showtime 8:30 PM.

AMERICA'S BEAUTIFUL CHILDREN BABY CONTEST advertisement for Sept. 8, 1995, at Sanford Civic Center, featuring a photo of a baby and contest details.

**BLONDIE**

by Chris Young



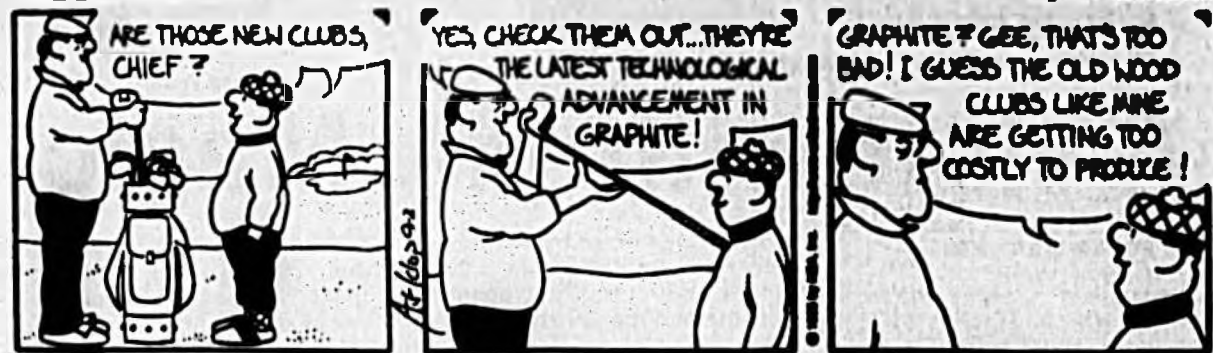
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**ANNIE**

by Leonard Starr



**By Bernice Bode Cool YOUR BIRTHDAY September 3, 1989**

Pursue your secret ambitions in the year ahead. Even if you've temporarily shelved them, the time is now right and your chances for fulfillment are good.

**VERGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) An interesting financial twist that you've been hoping for may develop today. It will enhance your material security. Virgo, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$2 and \$ASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4485, New York, NY 10163. Make sure to state your zodiac sign.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Think optimistically and act in a positive manner today. This type of mind-set will give you greater control over events that can advance your self-interests.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Circumstances that affect your financial trends look very encouraging today. Make things that will save you money or enhance your earnings your top priorities.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Something that could prove helpful to you in a commercial way will be brought to your attention at a social gathering today. Listen carefully.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you feel inclined to assist a friend today, do so without calling attention to your deeds. Sincerity will have the strongest impact.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Check in with home base today if you have a lot of running around to do. Good news might be trying to get through to you and you won't want to miss the connection.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20) This will be one of those unusual days when significant things could work out to your ultimate good if they aren't disrupted. Ride the tide, don't buck it.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) Your words will carry considerable weight among your peers today. If anyone comes to you for advice, keep this in mind.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) Chance will have a sizable stake in your material affairs today and there is a possibility that something might pop that could benefit you financially.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) Time devoted to pleasurable pursuits will not be frivolous today. You need involvements in activities that depart from your routine.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) You will derive greater gratification today from doing things for others than you will from merely serving your own interests.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) You have the rare ability today to build upon good things you already have going for you and make them better. You mustn't let this gift go unused.

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**WIN AT BRIDGE**

By Phillip Alder

Arguably the best television comedy actor in Britain is Ronnie Barker, in commenting on his craft, he said, "The marvelous thing about a joke with a double meaning is that it can only mean one thing."

In bridge, sometimes you have two chances to land a contract, but usually only one of them is correct. Better still, of course, is being able to combine your chances, getting the best of both worlds. Today's deal is an example.

At first glance, you might prefer to be in five diamonds, but how do you get there? Also, if you look closer, you will realize that three no-trump is the better contract.

West led the spade king, South ducked the opening lead, won the spade-jack continuation and tried the diamonds, learning the bad news. Needing two more tricks, should South play on clubs or hearts? (You may assume that the spades aren't breaking 7-2, which would make a correct play on clubs first, keeping the heart finesse on the back burner.)

The chance of no club loser is only about one in three, whereas the heart finesse will work half the time. Aware of this, South immediately ran the heart 10. However, West won with the king and cashed three spade tricks: one down.

South explained his thought processes, but North was unimpressed.

"Why not try both suits?" he asked. "Before committing to the heart finesse, play a club to your king and a club to dummy's ace. Maybe the queen will drop. If not, take the heart finesse. And if you look at East's remaining cards, you will see that the club queen would have appeared."

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**ROBOTMAN**

by Jim Meddick

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by Phillip Alder

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SOUTH			
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♣ K 5 4			
Vulnerable: East-West			
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