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Today, Partly cloudy, with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. High in the low 80s. Low in the low to mid 70s.

For more weather information...

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Cholesterol screenings

Cholesterol screenings will be conducted today, Wednesday and Thursday at the Wal-Mart, 3653 Orlando Dr., Sanford (Seminole Centre).

Health Screening Assoc. will be conducting Total Cholesterol; Total cholesterol, HDL and Risk Ratio; and Lipid Profile tests. A 12-hour fast is recommended for the Total Lipid Profile.

There is a small charge for this service. Results are available in five minutes.

Live music and good company

Governor and Mrs. Lawton Chiles will be guests of honor at the upcoming "Jazz at Twilight" reception to benefit Florida House, a Washington, D.C. haven for Floridians who visit our nation's capital. The event takes place from 8 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 25, in the atrium of AAA's national headquarters in Heathrow and will feature a live jazz band and hor d'oeuvres.

Founded in 1973 by Rhea Chiles, Florida House is located just across the street from the Supreme Court. Visitors from Florida can stop at the house to relax and get information about tours, hotels and motels, restaurants, attractions, historical landmarks and transportation, and children receive free educational information about the capital and the state of Florida. Florida House is a non-profit, tax exempt corporation to the full extent that the law allows and is governed by a board of trustees. Mrs. Chiles will be honored for her work with the Florida House at the reception.

Tickets are \$35 per person and should be purchased in advance. For more information about the reception or how to purchase tickets, call 426-6816.

Putting for pets

The fourth annual "Putting for Pets" golf tournament will be held at the Country Club of Mount Dora, Oct. 4. Proceeds will benefit the many homeless pets cared for at the Humane Society of Seminole County. Call 323-8696 or 886-7871 for information.

Clarification

Sanford Deputy Police Chief Dennis Whitmire says he did not expect he would be quoted in the Sanford Herald when he said "You've got to hear it yourself," in reference to a taped telephone message made available by the SPD last week.

Whitmire did not want to comment on what was on the tape, but wanted the newspaper reporter to hear it, and that it would be available at the police station.

Clarification and reminder

Due to a reporter's error, an important word was left out of a sentence in the next to the last paragraph of the Sunday Sanford Herald story about cluster school choices.

The sentence should have read "...that although there are no guarantees...90 percent of the time, the unbiased computer program chose the first choice school for the students."

This is a good time to remind all parents affected by a change in attendance zone, due to cluster zones, that a demonstration of the random selection process will be presented at the work session of the Seminole County School Board meeting, at 4 this afternoon, at the Educational Support Center, at 400 E. Lake Mary Blvd., Sanford.

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Police officers vow to put dissension to rest Committee formed to help

By RUSS WHITE
Herald Staff Writer

For this shining moment, there seems to be harmony in the Friendly City.

The Sanford City Commission is embracing its beleaguered police department, and the cops vow the city is going to be "very, very surprised" with their accomplishments.

"We're meahing, jelling...we're all one." Cmdr. Bill Haason told the commission Monday night.

To mesh and jell all the more, the commis-

sion appointed a 15-member Law Enforcement Options Committee Monday, and chose Velma Williams as the Police Liaison Commissioner.

"The committee's a good cross section," said Sgt. Darrell Presley, police union leader and member of the SPD. "We will get input on what the community expects of us that's needed to develop a partnership. We're pleased."

It was decided at the afternoon work session that each of the commissioners would appoint three people to the Law Enforcement Options Committee as suggested by a consultant who found the SPD "seriously flawed" and in need. See Cops, Page 2A



A touch of glass



Maxine and Jim Dawkins admire the sparkling jewels that lined shelves and tables at the Sanlando Depression Era Glass Show and Sale at the Sanford Civic Center this past weekend. Collectors traditionally travel from all over the South for this event, organized each year by Millie and Bill Downey.

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Homeowners, developer meet to settle dispute over 800 apartments

By SHARI BRODIE
Herald Staff Writer

Sanford and Lake Mary homeowners Monday met the man who wants to build 800-plus apartments on County Road 46A.

"I came here today to clear up rumors and misconceptions," Wally Devlin told representatives from Kaywood and the Hills of Lake Mary, the cities of Sanford and Lake Mary and Seminole County.

Devlin said that the rumor that the proposed apartment complex would qualify for some kind of bond program is the "farthest from the truth." Devlin's representatives have stated that the proposed community would be upscale, with rents ranging from \$700 to \$1,300 per month.

The development, to be called Twin Lakes, is proposed as two- to three-stories with individual unit sizes of 650 to 1,350 square feet. The 22-unit buildings would include some garages in each building, with detached garages for the remainder of the units. Most of the units would be two-bedroom, two-bath, with 10 percent of the development being three-bedroom, two bath.

Two pools, tennis courts, racquetball courts and two clubhouses are planned, but would depend on the final decision of the density of the complex.

Devlin is asking for a land use plan amendment to Sanford's comprehensive land plan of up to

20 dwelling units per acre throughout. This has been the bone of contention for the homeowners, who want no more than single-family homes consistent with the low density of their neighborhoods.

After more than two hours of discussion and clarifications of land use equivalencies, offered by Frances Chandler, director of planning and development for Seminole County, Dean Shoemaker and Keith Ivey, representing Kaywood and Bob Foley, representing the Hills of Lake Mary, conceded the fact that legally Devlin had the right to build to a density of up to 10 dwelling units per acre in the southern section of the 50-acre tract and up to seven dwelling units per acre in the northern section.

"There is no compromise on single-family," said Devlin.

Shoemaker said, "Let's find a line in the sand to draw."

The homeowners would like no more than 10 units per acre in the southern section along C.R. 46A, with no more than 18-20 in the northern section.

Devlin said that he would have to go back to the owner of the property to see if he would back off of the price per acre, but said that he was not comfortable with less than 12 per acre if he was going to have to agree to the 100-foot setback.

The homeowners would also like to see no access to the lake, the saving of old-growth trees on the

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Tape caper: That wasn't me, mayor says

By RUSS WHITE
Herald Staff Writer

The great tape caper is apparently over. Put to rest.

"Someone was out to embarrass

the mayor," said Commissioner Whitey Eckstein on Monday.

The mayor, Larry Dale, opened the afternoon work session with a statement about a taped telephone call made from Sanford citizen Lynn Stogner to the Sanford Police

Department last March.

Stogner, who heads the Pinecrest Neighborhood Crime Watch, was unhappy he wasn't properly served by personnel at the SPD when he called for statistics. He expressed this displeasure on his

call, as did someone in the background whose voice sounded much like that of the mayor.

"I want to tell you that wasn't me on the tape," Dale told the com-

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Vandals strike; Boys Town offers reward

By MARIA OREM
Herald Staff Writer

Boys Town of Central Florida has posted a \$1,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the individuals responsible for vandalizing the group's offices in Oviedo Friday.

The damage to the offices located at 950 N. Central Avenue in Oviedo was estimated at more than \$10,000. Several windows were broken and a van used to transport boys and girls was severely damaged, according to Boys Town officials.

In a letter to Boys Town, a group identifying itself as a radical animal-rights organization claimed responsibility for the vandalism. Boys Town officials said the Oviedo office may have been targeted because of another animal rights group-PETA, People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals.

Earlier this year, part of the research program at the Boys Town National Research Hospital in Omaha, Neb. had come under fire by PETA subsequently resulting in an investigation of the facility by the United States Department of Agriculture and also by the National Institute of Health. According to Boys Town officials, the case was closed when in-

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A home of their own



Herald Photo by Tommy Vincent

The City of Sanford Community Development Department held a graduation of homeowners who participated in a six-week course focusing on the responsibilities of homeownership. Graduates of the

program qualified for new homes that replaced their homes which were demolished. Charles Flaws, director of community development, congratulates homeowners during the ceremony Friday.

OBITUARIES



BEN HARDEN
Ben Harden, 68, East 31st Street, Sanford, died Sunday, Sept. 21, 1997, at Columbia Medical Center Sanford. Born May 6, 1929, in Allendale, S.C. he moved to Central Florida in 1948. Mr. Harden worked in construction. He was a member of St. Matthew M.B. Church.

Survivors include wife, Janie Mae; sons, Bernard, Allendale, S.C., Alfred Beechum, Miami, Tyrone Grigley, Daleville, Ala., Glenard Grigley, Highland, N.Y., Eroges Grigley Jr., Peterburg, Va.; daughters, Joyce, Allendale, S.C., Jami Smith and Cleaster Grigley, Dorothy Grigley Guess and Winnola Grigley Johnson, all of Sanford; sister, Marie, Allendale, S.C.; 23 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

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

DERRICK DOUGLAS JAMES
Derrick Douglas James, 66, Country Club Road, died Sunday Sept. 14, 1997 at Columbia Medical Center Sanford. Born Feb. 23, 1931 in Oviedo, he was a lifelong resident of Central Florida. Mr. James was a metal finisher. He was a Protestant. He was a U.S. Army veteran and a member of Celery City Lodge #542 I.B.P.O.E. of W.

Survivors include wife, Jessie Mae James, Rochester, N.Y.; sons, Derrick Jr., Hinesville, Ga., Darryl, Decosa, Wash.; daughters, Theresa, Sanford, Mary, Hinesville, Ga.; four grandchildren.

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

HERMAN O. JEAN
Herman O. Jean, 55, State Road 419, Winter Springs, died Saturday, Sept. 20, 1997 at his residence. Born Oct. 15, 1908 in Prospect, Tenn. he moved to Central Florida 88 years ago. Mr. Jean was the retired owner/operator of Jean's Pure Oil. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include wife, Lucille E.; daughters, Ruth E. Liak, Jennings, Fla., Barbara A. Sirine, Old Town, Fla.; eight grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren.

Banfield Funeral Home, Winter Springs, in charge of arrangements.

ALFRED KEARSE
Alfred Kearse, 65, West Airport Boulevard, Sanford, died Friday, Sept. 19, 1997 at his residence. Born Aug. 4, 1932 in Orlando, he moved to Sanford in 1972. Mr. Kearse was retired laborer. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include sons, Alfred Jr. and Michael, both of Orlando; daughter, Carolyn Williams, Memphis, Tenn.; sisters, Shirley Law, Erma Pender, both of Sanford; brother, Freddie, Orlando; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren.

Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

OFFICER MARK A. MESSEGUER
Officer Mark A. Messeguer, 31, George Street, Winter Springs, died Wednesday, Sept. 17, 1997 at South Seminole Hospital in Longwood. Born in Orlando on Nov. 20, 1997, he moved to Winter Springs two years ago. Messeguer was a veteran of the US Army and a member of El Redentor Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include wife, Rosealyn; sons, Humberto, Mark, both of Winter Springs; father, Manny, Orlando; mother, Rita, Netauten, Hialeah; grandparents, Rose and Manny, Hialeah; grandmother, Rose, Hialeah.

Banfield Funeral Home, Winter Springs, in charge of arrangements.

MARY FRANCES MONAS
Mary Frances Monas, 94, East Maine Avenue, Longwood, died Monday, Sept. 22, 1997, at NHC, Orlando. Born Dec. 15, 1902, in Hickman County, Ky., she moved to Central Florida from Chicago, in 1972. Mrs. Monas was a homemaker. She was a member of Wekiva Presbyterian Church and a member of the Longwood civic League and Longwood Garden club.

Survivors include sons, Paul and Andrew, Chicago, Kenneth, Longwood, Thomas, Sacramento, Calif.; daughters, Jane Lamanita, Chicago, Margaret L. McCoy, Longwood; 21 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren.

Gaines Carey Hand Garden Chapel Funeral Home, Longwood, in charge of arrangements.

SAMUEL NELSON
Samuel Nelson, 98, Greenway Street, Sanford, died Friday, Sept. 19, 1997, at Healthcare Rehab. Center, Sanford. Born Aug. 12, 1899, in Albany, Ga., he moved to Sanford 60 years ago. Mr. Nelson was a retired lawn care laborer. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include daughters, Geneva, Sanford, Iwille Sampson, Philadelphia; sons, Samuel Jr., Miami; 12 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren.

Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

DIANE ESTES PRIEST
Diane Estes Priest, 60, Sanford, died Tuesday, Sept. 16, 1997 at Florida Hospital South, Orlando. Born in Bartow, Florida on Dec. 19, 1936, she moved to Central Florida in 1994 from Melbourne. Mrs. Priest was a medical secretary, a member of the Sanford Art Association and a member of Pioneer Methodist Church.

Survivors include husband, Randall D.; son, Stephen M. Debat, Lakeland; sisters, Gloria Seifert, Melbourne, Linda Hutto, Rosemary Strange, Connie Meeks, all of Bartow; mother, Ines R. Estes, Bartow; three grandchildren.

Whidden-McLean Funeral Home, Bartow, in charge of arrangements.

HENRY R. RAMKISSON
Henry R. Ramkisson, 80, Laurel Court, Sanford, died Monday, Sept. 15, 1997. Born Aug. 29, 1917, in Jamaica, West India, he moved to Central Florida in 1990. He was a farmer, and a Seventh-day Adventist.

Survivors include wife, Florester, Sanford; daughters, Linda Marach, Jamaica, Gloria Powell, New York, Yvonne Adlerley, New York, Sephlyn Campbell, London, Joan Cuthbert, New York, Sonia Ward, San Bernardino, Ca., Serena, New York, Jaamin Tunica, Shreveport, La.; sons, Leon, New York, Lester, Atlanta, Ga., Norman, Jamaica, Andrew, Nevada; 18 grandchildren; 6 great-grandchildren.

Gramkow Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

GLORIA VIGILANTE
Gloria Vigilante, 66, Dakota Trail, Fern Park, died Sunday, Sept. 21, 1997 at Winter Park Hospital. Born Oct. 5, 1930, in Paterson, N.J., she moved to Central Florida in 1980. Mrs. vigilante was a Christian.

Survivors include sons, Alan, Casselberry, Michael, Rahway, N.J., Louis C., Fern Park; daughters Barbara, New York, N.Y., Rosemarie Nomicoci, Santorini, Greece, Gloria, Merritt Island; sisters, Pearl Romanelli, West Palm Beach, Adele Place, Fern Park.

Gaines Carey Hand Garden Chapel Funeral Home, Longwood, in charge of arrangements.

VONCEAL WASHINGTON
Vonceal Washington, 81, dollar Way, Sanford, died Friday, Sept. 19, 1997 at Columbia medical Center Sanford. Born Feb. 26, 1916, in Bainbridge, Ga., she moved to Central Florida in 1927. Mrs. Washington was a homemaker. She was a member of the New Zion Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include husband, Joseph; son, Robert Lee James, Sanford; daughter, Bealee Lee Brown, Atlanta; sisters, Venus Guess, Sanford, Eva Mae Ferguson, Sanford; 29 grandchildren.

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

KEARSE, ALFRED
Funeral services for Alfred Kearse, who died Friday, Sept. 19, 1997, will be Saturday at 11 a.m. at Second Shiloh M.B. church with the Rev. Anthony Miller officiating. Visitation will be held Friday from 5 to 9 p.m. Interment will be in the Restlawn Cemetery, Sunrise Funeral Home, 900 Locust Ave., Sanford, 322-7383, in charge of arrangements.

NELSON, SAMUEL
Funeral Service for Samuel Nelson, who died Friday, Sept. 19, 1997, will be Saturday at 2 p.m. at Sunrise Funeral Home Chapel. Visitation will be held Friday from 5 to 9 p.m. Interment will be in the Burgoon Cemetery, Sunrise Funeral Home, 900 Locust Ave., Sanford, 322-7383, in charge of arrangements.

POLICE NEWS

Fake name leads to trouble
Michelle Hudnall, 29, of unknown residence, was arrested Thursday by Sanford police. Hudnall was charged with obstruction by disguised person and arrested at the corner of Fourth Street and Oak Avenue. Report said that Hudnall gave officer a fake name instead of her real name.

Drug charges
Johnie Tanner, 46, of 1100 Willow Ave., Sanford, was arrested Thursday by Sanford police. Tanner was charged with possession of crack cocaine and possession of drug paraphernalia. Tanner was arrested at the corner of Third Street and Cypress Avenue. Sanford O.U.A.D. squad made the arrest.

Forgery, grand theft charged
Stephanie Little, 35, of 1403 W. 13th Place, Sanford, was arrested by Sanford police. Little was charged with forgery and grand theft and was arrested in the 1400 block of W. 13th Place.

Incidents
Assorted female clothing totaling \$600 was stolen Wednesday in the 30 block of Seminole Gardens. Cash and a money order totaling \$465 were stolen Wednesday in the 500 block of South Oak Avenue. A mountain bike worth \$100 was stolen Wednesday in the 100 block of Ventura Drive.

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Editorials/Opinions

EDITORIAL

Environmentalism at its best

In our increasingly disposable and high tech world, it's refreshing to know our county cares about the mud.

The Seminole County Environmental Study Center will celebrate its 20th anniversary Sept. 27. Environmental Education Specialist Pat Burkett has been with the program since its inception, and still clearly holds its goal dear, "to increase environmental awareness, knowledge and responsibility, and to engender feelings of protectiveness for the environment in our rapidly growing county."

As part of the lesson in our natural surroundings, the center offers the Super Mud Walk, on which more than 250,000 students have sloshed in the past 20 years. The gooey walk is located in one of the identified habitats in the 2,000-acre park, the hydric hammock, which included a wetlands area. Fun and educational. What a great idea!

The park also features the Natural History Museum, with its fossils, exhibits, mounted specimens of Florida wildlife and selected live animals that are featured with activities that vary with each grade level. Recently, students got acquainted with some red rat snakes, learning that they aren't really slimy and cold.

Students are treated to two one-day units, a wet day and a dry day. The mud walk is part of the wet day; the tour of the museum, as well as a hike, part of the dry day.

Burkett and others affiliated with the center can't be proud of the good work they have done for 20 years. Learning to appreciate the environment allows young people to express feelings for the world that supports them and in which we must all co-exist, from tiny beginnings now fossilized in the mud, to the almost cuddly red rat snake to the inquisitive fifth graders.

The Environmental Study Center is located at 2985 Osprey Trail, .5 miles east of U.S. Highway 17-92. For more information on the center or the celebration, call 321-0452.

Let your voice be heard

Our readers are invited to contribute guest opinion columns for publication, as well as letters to the editor. Opinions expressed need not be those of the Herald; we may or may not agree with you, but we will always uphold your First Amendment right to express your views.

Berry's World



Jim Berry
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Stereo

DONNA BRITT

Being responsible isn't always easy

WASHINGTON--Easy. The word has echoed in my mind for weeks, ever since a party I attended where the topic was Allen Iverson--the pro basketball star placed on probation after being caught in a speeding car with marijuana and a gun.

When I told a friend not to give up on Iverson, that the Philadelphia 76ers point guard could transcend his troubles, my friend--the married father of an 18-month-old boy--snorted.

"I'm sick of Iverson, of guys like him," he said. "They want to do what's easy--speeding, getting caught with drugs. I know it's easy because I almost was him."

He paused. "Working, raising kids, being responsible...doing what I do is hard." I was stunned, but he was right--being responsible isn't easy. Weeks later, the word echoed again at a picnic where two dozen souls had gathered. Our friends Brenda Box and Steve Johnson had just become parents--of two sisters, ages 13 and 7, and their brother, 8.

Nothing about the process had been easy. Four years ago, the children were just neighborhood kids who lived near newlyweeds Box, a publicist for the Wilderness Society,



"I was stunned, but he was right."

and Johnson, a Circuit City salesman. One evening, the older girl began meeting Box at the corner to walk her home from work.

"The kids started inviting themselves over to dinner," Box recalled. "They wore the same clothes all the time. [The older girl] asked for homework help--and we found ourselves tutoring every night. ...They started wanting to spend the week-ends. We took them to museums, movies."

The older girl began locking herself in a bedroom to avoid going home.

"Nobody ever came looking for them," Box

continued. "They spent all day Christmas with us."

The children's drug-abusing mother was never around, the couple learned. Their guardian, an aunt, was so consumed with caring for her dead daughter's baby, her invalid mother and her HIV-positive brother (the children's father) that she told Box and Johnson that she might put them in foster care.

"It would have been easier not to do anything," Box conceded. "We could have detached ourselves. A few times, we tried to. ...But it just ate at me."

They decided to adopt the children, whose father relinquished parental rights. Then--after two years of feeding and clothing the children, of arranging one's placement in a tutorial service and another's in special education, after carting them to soccer, track and karate--the mother resurfaced. She called from jail, where she was being held on drug charges. A few months after learning of my friends' plans to adopt the three children--a fourth child was being raised by a former neighbor in Maryland--the mother decided to fight the adoption.

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JACK ANDERSON



"That agency has wasted several years and billions of dollars on a modernization effort that yielded almost no results."

Reforming the IRS

Months of backstage haggling behind them, Congress is now bringing into public view an issue that's dear to Republican hearts: restructuring the Internal Revenue Service.

Hearings began last week on a plan, based on a commission report released earlier this year, that would bring the tax-collecting agency into the modern age and make it more like a service-oriented corporation than the hidebound bureaucracy it's become.

The agency has wasted several years and billions of dollars on a modernization effort that yielded almost no results. So now Congress--tired of hearing the agency's annual excuses--has decided it's time for drastic change. Republicans also hope they've found a potent issue they can use against President Clinton, who is expected to oppose the bill.

GOP leaders have signaled that IRS reform will be the last item that Congress votes on before adjourning for the year, which could come as early as late October but more likely will be pushed back to around Thanksgiving.

When the vote comes, it will represent a personal victory for Rep. Bill Archer, R-Texas, the chairman of the tax-writing House Ways and Means Committee. He has made IRS restructuring his top priority for the rest of this Congress. The goal, supporters say, is to bring drastic transformation to an agency that's widely perceived as being rude and imperious, and which can strike fear into the hearts of the most law-abiding Americans.

"Why can American Express process millions of pieces of paper, and do it politely, and the IRS can't?" Ways and Means spokesman Ari Fleischer asked our associate Aaron Karp. "The answer is that [the IRS is hampered by] the culture of government. ...The rest of the financial services community in America has modernized. The IRS has been left behind."

The bipartisan bill would compel the president to name a seven-person board of directors, culled mostly from the private sector, to run the agency. According to a summary of the bill, board members would be required to have "professional experience and expertise in managing large-scale service organizations." Besides the private sector members, the board would also include the Treasury secretary and a representative from the National Treasury Employees Union.

The board would be responsible for setting major policies and for long-term strategic planning, and would decide how the agency divides up its money every year.

But the bill faces a major hurdle in the Clinton administration, which doesn't like ceding any authority whatsoever over government functions. Administration officials, many of whom saw little harm in inviting unsavory contributors to the White House for coffee, worry that it would be a conflict of interest to have major corporate CEOs overseeing tax policy in Washington. They fear it would formalize the time-honored custom of watering down well-intentioned tax bills with provisions that benefit specific industries.

But the bill's supporters say the board would have no role in setting tax policy, and would merely advise and instruct the IRS on how to best collect taxes. Besides, board members would fall under the same conflict-of-interest laws that prevent other federal officials from participating in issues that affect their personal bottom line.

ELLEN GOODMAN

It's only the drawer that's empty

BOSTON--"I like to think of it as the empty drawer syndrome," says my friend, reaching for the right, light, touch.

She and her husband have just delivered their youngest to college and returned to a home that seems as neat as a stage set for a life they are no longer leading. Suddenly, storage space.

They have been transformed by time into a household the census bureau describes as a married couple with adult children. But is that still a family? What kind?

I tell her about the television ad in which a husband and wife dance around the kitchen, phone unhooked, deliriously happy to be making stir-fry dinner for two, now that the kids are gone. But for every moment of emancipation my friend feels, there is another moment or three when life seems abruptly downsized.

This week, the Clintons are following her well-worn route from home to dorm. This tight knit trio flew from D. C. to Stanford, from the nation's capital to The Farm, across three time zones and one phase of life.

Their Air Force One is not the average mini van, chock full of college clothes and computers. Nor is the big White House on Pennsylvania the average or emptiest of nests.

But it's their turn now for this rite of passage. It's their turn to move from full-time to part-time parenting. This mother and father will now go from hands on to hands on and off.

Chelsea Clinton, the freshman, seems by any stretch of the imagination, ready. The awkward 12-year-old who came to fame with a spotlight gleaming off her braces has become a gracious 17-year-old praised for, of all the abnormal things, her normalcy.

Her parents, criticized for every public move they make, are praised for this job well done. Privacy protected, a child unspoiled, a life as balanced as the ritual breakfasts they ate together, the time protected from prying or politics.

Now, right on schedule, these proud partners in her upbringing are expected to be accomplices in her leave-taking. Indeed the experts, lined up in fine formation to comment on the First Family, all warn about "letting go." They talk about the loosening of strings, apron and otherwise, of parental ties that might bind. Too tightly. Suddenly, too tightly.

How odd this rite is. In the newspaper last week, a scientific study of the obvious, a ponderously named National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health, said the teenagers who stay out of trouble are those who stay truly connected to their parents. It was parents, not peers, that mattered the most. The muted message was to stay involved, to



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stay the course.

Those of us who knew it all along, did it all along. Up to the last school play, the final admissions essay. But then the 12-year-old is a 17-year-old, the teenager in her room becomes the student in her dorm. And now we are told to let go.

The president-father facing a separation as wide as the country said: "Planes run out there and phones work out there. E-mail works there, so we'll be all right." And they will.

But this is not some one-day transfer of power. It's a long and ambiguous phase of family life. A time when the young adult wants to be on her own, until the inner child calls home. A time when parents are expected to be on call, but cannot put their lives on hold.

My friend laughs about the possibility of opening a detox center for parents going through withdrawal. What do you do with the part of you that still listens for the car in the driveway? What happens to the expertise acquired, not easily or quickly, in the subject of your own child? What about the fierce responsibility that began the moment an infant's cry pierced your sleep? And then of course, there is love.

This rite of passage is part of the great American balancing act between independence and connection. Between the culture and the psyche. Between the expectation that we raise our children to lead their own lives wherever that takes them--and the unavoidable hope that it won't take them truly away.

It is a tricky act to perform and there is no net that promises safety.

As a veteran of this rite, I tell my friend lightly that Thanksgiving comes sooner than you think, that sleep comes easier than it did. There is indeed e-mail, the phone does work out there.

And at the end of the long process, if it goes well, parents and children are adults connected by choice as well as history. It's only the drawer that's empty.

Sports

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IN BRIEF

Blades drop opener

LAKE MARY - The Seminole Blades, an Under-13 team out of the Seminole Soccer Club, suffered a 2-1 loss to One Touch from the Central Florida United in a very even opening game in the Seminole Soccer League Premier Division.

The score was 2-1 at halftime with Nick Saenz netting the Blades' goal in the game played on September 13. The Blades were to have played Strikes from Orange County Soccer this past Saturday.

The next game for the Blades will be this Saturday, Sept. 27, against the East Orange Soccer team at East Orange Soccer.

Magic exhibition game tickets

ORLANDO - Tickets for the Orlando Magic 1997 exhibition games are on sale. All exhibition games will be played at the Orlando Arena.

The schedule is: October 14 - San Antonio Spurs, 7:30 p.m.; October 17 - Miami Heat, 7:30 p.m.; October 21 - Boston Celtics, 7:30 p.m.; October 26 - Houston Rockets, 7 p.m.

Exhibition game ticket prices are: \$16, \$22, \$31 and \$40. They can be purchased at the Orlando Arena Box Office and at all TicketMaster locations, or by calling TicketMaster at (407) 839-3900. Tickets also can be purchased via the Internet at TicketMaster.com.

Recreation Volleyball Results

SANFORD - Results from the second week of the City of Sanford Recreation Department Fall Recreational Volleyball League season Monday night in the Dan Pelham Gymnasium at Sanford Middle School.

A League: Ladies of the Court and Westview Baptist Church #1 (both 3-1), Yknots (2-2) and Beer:30 and Sanford Church of God (both 1-3). Kathy's Baby Shop had the week off.

B League: Don Mealey's Seminole Ford and Family Matters (both 4-1), Westview Baptist Church #2 (3-2), C.E.S. and the Unknowns (both 2-3) and Seminole Community College (0-5).

Overall Standings:

A League: Kathy's Baby Shop (5-0), Ladies of the Court (6-3), Westview Baptist Church #1 and the Yknots (both 5-4), Beer :30 (3-6) and Sanford Church of God (1-8).

B League: Don Mealey's Seminole Ford (9-1), Family Matters (8-2), the Unknowns and Westview Baptist Church #2 (both 5-5), C.E.S. (2-8) and Seminole Community College (1-9).

The league plays every Monday night at Sanford Middle School starting at 6 p.m.

Flag coaches needed

SANFORD - The City of Sanford Recreation and Parks Department is still looking for two coaches to head up flag football teams in the youngest (7-9) age group.

All games are played on Saturday mornings. Interested persons should call 330-5697 for more information.

Penny Hardaway Golf Classic

ORLANDO - Orlando Magic All-Star guard Penny Hardaway will host the first-ever Anfernee "Penny" Hardaway Golf Classic the weekend of September 27-28 at the Isleworth Country Club in Orlando.

The event will benefit the Boys and Girls Club of Central Florida and the Edgewood Children's Ranch.

Among the celebrities expected to attend are New York Knicks forward Charles Oakley; "Family Matters" television star Jaleel White; Grammy winner Johnny Gill and NBA Hall of Famer Julius "Dr. J" Erving.

On Saturday, Sept. 27, there will be an "All-Star" Pairings Party at the Hard Rock Cafe from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m.

On Sunday, Sept. 28, the tournament will be held with registration and breakfast at 8 a.m., tee off and tournament at 9 a.m., and an awards dinner at the Renaissance Orlando Resort from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m.

For information contact RDV Sports at (407) 649-1073.

Sylvan Lake Park Tennis

SANFORD - Sylvan Lake Park holds doubles round robins every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. No registration is required and intermediate to advanced level players are welcome to participate. Cost is \$3 per person and tennis balls are provided at the park.

Private, group lessons and team clinics are also offered.

Call 322-8587 for details on any Sylvan Lake Park tennis offering.

Solar Bears exhibition tickets

ORLANDO - Tickets for the Orlando Solar Bears tonight's first-ever exhibition game to be held are now on sale. The game, which begins at 7 p.m., is against the Houston Aeros.

All seating is general admission. Adults ages 15-54 pay just \$8, and children ages two to 14 and senior citizens over 55 pay just \$5. All proceeds benefit the new Orlando Solar Bears charity foundation.

For ticket information call (407) 428-8600.

Seminole Booster Club golf

SANFORD - The Seminole High School Booster Club Golf Tournament will be held, Friday, October 17th, at Alauqua Country Club. Cost is \$100 per person.

Contact Brenan Asplen at 320-5102 for more information.

Closing in on victory

Rebuilding Seminole girls fall in three games

By COURTNEY LEFFEW
Herald Correspondent

SANFORD - It was a long three games for the Seminole High School girls volleyball team, which suffered a 16-14, 3-15, 13-15 district match to Oak Ridge at Bill Fleming Memorial Gymnasium Monday night.

"In the first game we did well but lose it in the next two," said Seminole head coach Beth Corso. "We are a young team that is rebuilding

Before we were scoring three points a game now we're at about eleven."

Key players in the match for the Fighting Seminoles were Lindsay Keeler with eight assists, three aces, two blocks, six kills, and five digs, Kim Nelson with three aces and eight assists, Sonya Watson with one ace, four digs, four kills, and five blocks, Marika Delavanos with five digs and one ace, Sarah Luke with one ace, four digs, one kill, and two blocks, and Amanda Cook with six digs, two aces, four kills, and four blocks.

"The team is learning how to handle pressure," said Corso. "I am leaning on my returning senior Lindsay (Keeler) to step up."

Seminole, which is now 1-11 on the season, will look to get a winning streak started tonight (Tuesday) when it hosts Lake Howell in a Seminole Athletic Conference match at Bill Fleming Memorial Gymnasium. The freshman team gets the action started at 4:30 p.m., with the junior varsity taking the court at 5:30 p.m. and the varsity set to begin at 6:30 p.m.



Lyman's Ben Goldberg (right) finished ninth overall in a time of 18:46.36 as the Greyhounds finished third in the junior

varsity team race, while Lake Mary's John Duda (left) was 34th overall in 19:52.60 as the Rams came home seventh.

SAC teams dominate Lake Mary Classic

By DEAN SMITH
Herald Sports Editor

LAKE MARY - It was a good day for the Seminole Athletic Conference as three of the four team trophies, including both varsity championships, went to the local teams at Saturday morning's Lake Mary Cross Country Classic at Lake Mary High School.

The Lake Mary boys kept the varsity trophy at home as Nick Stuart came home eighth to lead the Rams to a 91-100 victory over Flagler-Palm Coast. Trailing Lake Mary in the top 10 were Boone, Pine Ridge, Lyman, Spruce Creek, Lake Howell, Oviedo, Astronaut and Edgewater.

Josh Lewis of West Orange was the individual winner with Flagler-Palm Coast's Mike Cianciulli second, Pine Ridge's Chris Madzik third and Lyman's Ben Alper fourth.

Boone was the only non SAC team to win a title, edging Lake Howell and Lyman for the junior varsity crown. Boone tallied 80 points to 82 for the Silver Hawks and 94 for the Greyhounds, Poinciana, Winter Park, Oviedo, Lake Mary, University, Spruce Creek and Flagler-Palm Coast rounded out the top 10.

Brandon Delpriore of Poinciana See Running, Page 2B

Beer :30 ekes into Co-Ed lead

From Staff Reports

SANFORD - What a difference one little run can make.

For the second straight week, Beer :30 came up with a one-run victory to remain the only undefeated team in the Sanford Recreation Department Co-Ed Fall Slowpitch Softball League at Pinehurst Park Monday night.

Chang's Car Care had scored seven runs in the fourth inning to take an 11-4 lead, but Beer :30 answered with eight runs in the fifth inning to pull out the victory.

In the first game of the evening, Half-N-Half scored in every inning and limited C & L Timber to three hits and only a single fourth inning run to win its first game of the season 13-1 in four-and-a-half innings.

Beer :30 is 2-0, while Chang's Car Care and Half-N-Half are both 1-1 and C & L Timber is 0-2.

Next week, Chang's Car Care battles Half-N-Half for second place at 7 p.m., while Beer :30 looks to remain undefeated against C & L Timber at 8 p.m.

Providing the offense were:

Half-N-Half: two hits - Lori Poe (double, run, two

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RBI), Duane Smith (double, two runs, RBI), Jerry Camus (two runs, RBI), Kathy Lynn (run, RBI), Kim Myers (two runs), Greg Hardy; one hit - Raymond Hartsheld, Lat Rodriguez (one run and one RBI each), Brenda Hartsheld (two runs), Tom Kelly (run).

C & L Timber: two hits - Mark Blaine (RBI); one hit - Tina Hill (double, run).

Beer :30: three hits - Joe DiBartolo (run); two hits - Paula Ritchey (three runs); one hit - Brett Mollie (run, two RBI), Vic DiBartolo (two runs, RBI), Joy Weaver (two RBI), Lisa DiBartolo (run), Tim Nicholson; two runs, one RBI - Jerry DiBartolo; one run - Gayla Casey, Mark Taylor.

Chang's Car Care: two hits - Tommy Vestna (double, run, three RBI), Lynette Barkley (double, two runs, RBI), Chip Smith (two runs, two RBI), Carol Garner (three RBI), Lynn Webb; one hit - Chris Bryson (triple, run), Bruce Stewart (two runs, RBI), Debbie Berning (run, RBI), Lucy Stewart (run), Red Garner; one run - Zeb Webb (run).

Friday Lake Mary winners romp again

From Staff Reports

LAKE MARY - The thumpings continued in the City of Lake Mary Recreation and Parks Department Men's Fall Friday Night Slowpitch Softball League at the Lake Mary Sports Complex.

Beer :30 opened the night's action by scoring six runs in the bottom of the first inning to erase a 2-0 deficit and went on to clobber the Superstore Slammers 18-2 in 4-plus innings.

Leiffer and Sons Trucking then took its turn, scoring 12 runs before Modern Welding could get on the board and going on to a 17-3 whipping.

But the real pounding came in the nightcap as TRC (Tim Raines Connection) bounced back from last week's opening game loss by scoring five runs in the first inning, two runs in the second inning and a whopping 13 runs in the bottom of the third inning to end the game

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Sanford Paint and Body	00 0 0 3
TRC	8218 - 20 20

by the 20-run rule, 20-0 over Sanford Paint and Body. So complete was the victory, that TRC held Sanford Paint and Body to two singles.

Leiffer and Sons Trucking and Beer :30 are both 2-0, Modern Welding and TRC are both 1-1 and Sanford Paint and Body and the Superstore Slammers are both 0-2.

Games are played every Friday night at the Lake Mary Sports Complex on Rantoul Lane starting at 6:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m., and 8:30 p.m.

Providing the offense were:

Beer :30: three hits - Dave Coas (home run, two doubles, three runs, four RBI), Vic DiBartolo

(home run, double, three runs, four RBI), Mike Miller (double, two runs, RBI), Kyle Brubaker (double, three runs), Terry Decheres; two hits - Brett Mollie (triple, two runs, three RBI), Kenny McKeever (two doubles, three runs), Blake Murray (RBI); one hit - Dave Bennett (run, RBI), Jerry DiBartolo (two RBI), Jerry Camus (run).

Superstore Slammers: two hits - Allan Tyrell (double, run, RBI), Keith Kempke (RBI); one hit - Dave Herman (run), Darrell Smart.

Leiffer and Sons Trucking: four hits - Paul Liseno (double, three runs, four RBI); three hits - David Johnson (triple, three runs, five RBI), Danny Hewitt (triple, three runs, RBI), Bobby Shaw (run, three RBI); two hits - Steve Wagner (run, RBI), Kevin Julian (three runs); one hit - Manny Silvia (two runs), Tommy Vestna (run), Kevin Venarchick (RBI); one RBI - Mike Clark.

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BLONDIE

by Chic Young



BETLE BAILEY

by Mort Walker



THE BORN LOSER

by Art Sanson



PEANUTS

by Charles M. Schulz



EEK & MEK

by Howie Schneider



TUMBLEWEEDS

by T.K. Ryan



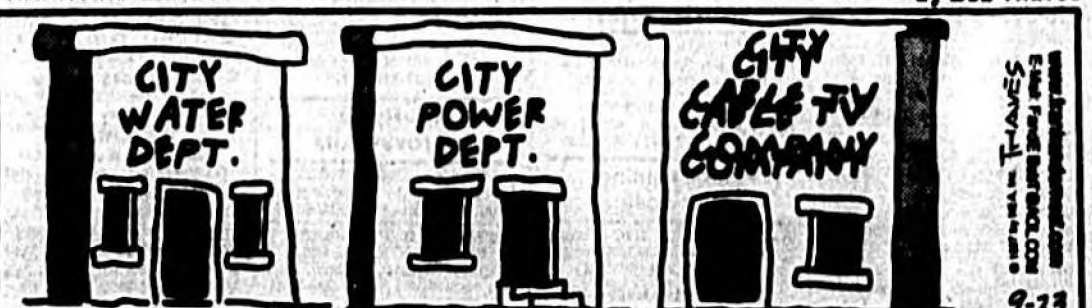
ARLO AND JANIS

by Jimmy Johnson



FRANK AND ERNEST

by Bob Thaves



GARFIELD

by Jim Davis



ROBOTMAN

by Jim Meddick



Seniors are often overmedicated

DEAR DR. GOTT: My 80-year-old mother is in a nursing home. Among other medicines, she is given Zoloft and Buspar. Now she has no energy, sleeps all day, has lost her memory and staggers when she walks. Is she overmedicated?

DEAR READER: In all likelihood, yes. Zoloft is an anti-depressant. It can affect mood, memory and coordination, as well as cause somnolence, fatigue and nervousness.

Buspar is used to combat anxiety. It, too, can cause drowsiness, mental changes, weakness, dizziness and poor coordination.

Ask your mother's doctor to reduce or eliminate one or both drugs. At the very least, she probably doesn't need the two together. If the medicines are to blame, her mental state and physical abilities should improve dramatically within a week after the drugs are stopped or the doses lessened.

To give you more information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Consumer Tips on Medicine." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2017, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10158. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: After reading your column about infection with H. pylori causing peptic ulcers, I began to wonder if my husband, who has ulcerative colitis, might suffer from the same infection. Should he have an H. pylori blood test?

DEAR READER: Peptic ulcers and ulcerative colitis are two distinctly separate diseases. In many people with peptic disease, infection with H. pylori is to blame, and they can be cured with a program of antibiotics. On the other hand, the cause of ulcerative colitis is unknown. This disease is marked by bloody diarrhea, abdominal pain and weight loss. It is diagnosed by colonoscopy (visual examination of the colon) through a fiberoptic tube) or with special X-rays.

Many cases of ulcerative colitis respond to a sulfa antibiotic, taken indefinitely. This raises the intriguing possibility that the disorder may be caused by an infection, which has yet to be identified. In any case, it is not due to H. pylori. Unless your husband suffers from the severe heartburn and indigestion of peptic disease, I do not believe that an H. pylori blood test would shed much light on his condition.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I am 84 and a diabetic. My doctor told me that I have partial blockage in an artery in my leg. What can I do to prevent total blockage?

DEAR READER: As time passes, all of us develop arteriosclerotic plaques due to arteriosclerotic plaques. Diabetics are much more prone to



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PETER GOTT, M.D.

this phenomenon of aging; they develop it sooner and have more serious consequences from it, such as gangrene. The reason for this is not known, but it may be related to the higher level of blood fats in diabetics.

You can slow the progression of arterial blockage by lowering your blood fats (through diet and/or medications), exercising regularly and

shedding excess pounds if you are overweight. Unfortunately, the only things that improve with age are fine cheeses and wines.

Nonetheless, by following your doctor's recommendations, you should be able to forestall the consequences of your disease, at least for a while. If the artery in your leg becomes completely occluded, you will become a candidate for an operation that either removes the plaque or bypasses the obstruction.

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The impossible is no sweat

By Phillip Alder

We all know the saying about the impossible taking a moment longer. Well, how did South make six clubs doubled?

The deal was reported in the July issue of the American Contract Bridge League Bulletin. The declarer was Marvin Levine, from Fort Salonga, New York.

It would be better not to have to give the bidding, but Levine must take the jeers with the cheers.

West led the spade ace, not the lethal diamond ace. Now things looked good to South. He thought he could ruff, draw trumps, and throw his diamond losers on dummy's top spades. However, when West played a spade under the club ace, it was back to the drawing board. Levine continued with

a club to dummy's king and cashed the three spade winners, discarding his hearts. Next came the heart king, ace, ruff. Now South led a low diamond. Thinking it was the only chance for the defense, West played low smoothly. However, declarer, knowing West had the ace for his double, called for dummy's king. When it held, Levine discarded his other diamonds on dummy's top hearts and claimed the doubled slam, conceding just one trump trick to East. The defense's three aces took no tricks!

Who was at fault? Well, partly West but primarily East. At tricks two and three, he played his club 10 and jack. Along with the leap to slam, this left West believing that South had started with eight clubs. If East had only played the queen under the ace, followed by the 10 under dummy's king, West would have known they had a trump trick coming. Then he wouldn't have ducked the diamond ace.

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 • K Q J 10
 • K J
 • K 3 2

West East

• A 8 6 3 2 • 9 7 5 4
 • 7 6 2 • A 9 4
 • A 7 5 3 • Q 10 8
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South

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 • A 9 8 7 6 5 4

Vulnerable: Neither
 Dealer: North

South West North East
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Opening lead: • A

Your Birthday

Wednesday, Sept. 24, 1997

In the year ahead, beneficial trends may enable you to strengthen your financial base. You will be in a building cycle that will provide you with greater material security.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Be on your toes today in situations that pertain to your status and reputation. Your reactions will affect these factors for good or ill. Libra, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$2 and BASE to Astro-Graph, c/o the newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10158. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Friends will try to help you today if they feel you are trying to help yourself. If you're indiffer-

ent, why should they care?

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Today, your staying power may not be up to par. If you tackle complicated assignments, there is a strong probability you won't complete them.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Domestic finance could be a sore spot between you and your mate today. Make sure each has the other's consent before making expenditures.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Unless there is something in it for you, you're not likely to extend yourself too far for others today. This is not your usual mode of behavior!

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your judgment in matters other than financial is on target today. Where money is concerned, you could be extravagant in some foolish manner.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Strive to keep everything in proper perspective today. Do not make a big fuss over issues that others feel are trivial and

insignificant.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Customarily, you're an individual who readily forgives, but today you might harbor resentment for a series of imagined slights.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) General conditions are favorable for you today, yet you could be impeded by your attitude. Focus your energy and efforts on positive, not negative.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) In managing your resources today, you may have difficulty discerning middle ground. Be neither too tight-fisted nor too wasteful.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Regard developments philosophically today. If you're overly concerned with your self-interests, you may use unattractive tactics to achieve your aims.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Do not show partiality when dealing with friends today. The buddies you treat indifferently might feel inclined to put you at the bottom of their list.

ANNIE

YOU'VE GOT YOUR MONEY ALL BOOZED AWAY! THERE'S NO MORE MONEY TO CHECK FOR YOU, UNCLE!

JUST SAID SHE'S CASH POOR! SHE'S CHECK FOR YOU, UNCLE!

BERT! I'M OFF THEN! I'M OFF! SUSTENANCE!

WE MAY AS WELL GO TOO, ANNIE!

I GUESS SO, SPIT! ANNIE!

...MAYBE WE CAN SEE ANNE O'COLLANN ROCK AT LOW TIDE!

ANNIE... THIS IS LOW TIDE...