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The Universal Crossword Edited by Timothy E. Parker

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Daylight-saving time begins Sunday

Herald readers are reminded to turn their clocks ahead one hour on Saturday before they go to bed to mark the beginning of daylight-savings time. Local fire departments also remind readers to adopt a potentially life saving habit: Change the batteries in smoke alarms when you change your clocks. Replacing batteries every six months is a simple way to ensure smoke alarms will work in case of an emergency.



Big Boppers are back

The seventh Annual Super Seminole Spring Classic, a Men's Super Slow-Pitch qualifying tournament, is being held for the first time in Sanford today and tomorrow. Page 1B



Rock Canvas

When some people find rocks on the banks of a creek or in their backyards, they may see a good skipping stone or landscape fixture. Not Faye Siler. Page 1C

Seminole Smile



Audris Billberry—Sanford Housing Authority director

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41 children interviewed in foster care case

By Michelle Jerla Managing Editor

LAKE MARY — Allegations of sexual assault in a local foster home appear to be limited to four children.

Investigators with the Lake Mary Police Department have interviewed more than 40 children assigned to the foster home of Marie Jasmin. Additional sexual assault incidents were not uncovered, but the interviews could lead to other charges being filed against Jasmin and her son.

Jasmin, 55, was arrested last

Investigation continues into allegations of sexual assault

month on charges of neglecting to report that her 18-year-old son, Jacques, was sexually assaulting children in her foster care. Jacques is still in the Seminole County jail without bond on charges of sexual assault, while Marie was released on a \$1,000 bond shortly after being charged with neglect.

The arrests followed allegations from two foster children, who were released back to their family

earlier this year, of sexual assault while under Jasmin's care. The children were interviewed by authorities, who believe Jacques molested at least four foster children within the Jasmin household.

In a public statement, Marie Jasmin has denied the allegations.

Since Marie Jasmin became a certified foster parent in 1996, the

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Herald photo by Tommy Vincent

Lake Mary Police Chief Richard Beary describes how his department transformed a conference room into a children's playroom. More than 40 children came to the department to be interviewed as part of the Jasmin foster care case.

Fire Drill



Herald photos by Tommy Vincent

Pictured above, firefighters practice the Denver Lift. The lift was created several years ago by the Denver Fire Department after a firefighter, who suffered a heart attack, died in a burning building because his co-workers could not lift him up and out of a window. Pictured below, Seminole County firefighter Terry Damell tries his hand at the ladder bail out drill. Firefighters learned how to move out a window onto a ladder head-first and then swing down to land farther down the ladder.

Area firefighters attend survival, rescue course

By Christopher Patton Staff Writer

For three months, small plumes of smoke routinely lifted from the old Florida Power and Light building in downtown Sanford.

There was no fire, just more than 450 firefighters from around the county learning how to save their fellow co-workers in times of disaster. Seminole County Lieutenants Mike Hammonds and Jeff Blake led the instruction of the firefighter survival and rescue course. The course is the first county-wide training exercise to include all Seminole fire departments.

"Most of this stuff we will probably never have to use," Hammonds said. "If you do get in a situation like this, you know things have gone bad."

Every couple of days the

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Home owners look for answers from sunrooms CEO

By Christopher Patton Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — A group of home owners who have spent thousands of dollars for construction work that has yet to be completed job are beginning to see a shimmer of hope.

At least a dozen complaints have been filed with Four Seasons Sunrooms Inc. of New York about nonperformance of a local franchise owner.

Customers say the owner, Josh Perrotta, and his company Sunrooms of Florida have been paid an estimated \$500,000 in deposits to build sunrooms. Some of the deposits were paid almost two years ago, yet little work has been completed.

David Ewing, CEO of Four Seasons Sunrooms, was in Central Florida Thursday to discuss the situation with unhappy customers. For about three hours, four homeowners — one from Longwood, Lake Mary, Apopka

and Orlando — explained their troubles with Perrotta and discussed a palatable resolution.

As many as four dozen customers could be effected, and a statewide investigation is under way into Perrotta's business practices. In addition, four civil suits in four separate counties have been filed against Perrotta.

Todd Doane of Pinellas County is one of those who has filed suit.

Doane agreed to have Perrotta build a sunroom in August 2001. He paid \$17,000 as a deposit, roughly half of the contract's balance. Perrotta had a number of delays, Doane said, and finally agreed to start in January. That's the last he's heard from Perrotta.

"That's a lot of money I've been out of a long time," Doane said.

On March 22, Doane filed a suit for \$20,000. His anger, however, doesn't stop with Perrotta. He bought a Four Seasons product while living in Utah and said the

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Team Pain receives OK to build city's skate park

By Michelle Jerla Managing Editor

LAKE MARY — With only a slight hesitation about the company's name, City Commission Thursday gave Team Pain the go ahead to build the city's skate park.

The approval authorizes City Attorney Clay Simmons to prepare contract documents with Team Pain Enterprises Inc., for the construction of the park. Based on research provided by members of city staff, Commission also waived the competitive sealed bid requirements.

"It's normal to go to bid with a project like this," City Manager John Litton said. "But, we have the right under city code to do what is in the best interest of the city. We believe Team Pain is the best for this job."

Team Pain, based in Winter Springs, is owned by Tim Payne.

Other employees at the company include skaters with extensive design and building experience in skate structures. Previous design and construction projects include public skate parks in North Point, Fla., Ripon, Calif., Laramie, Wyo., Asheville, N.C. and most recently, Deltona.

Team Pain is the only concrete skate park designer on the East Coast recognized by the Skate Park Association of the United States, and Payne serves on the group's design and safety board.

"Mr. Payne was chosen as a sole source based on his extensive experience and interviews with municipal directors," Litton said. "We have found no other experienced builders in the area."

According to Litton, the city will piggyback on the city of Deltona's contract with Team Pain, which will establish the

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Authorities suspect professional thieves targeting Seminole County

By Christopher Patton Staff Writer

The Seminole County Sheriff's Office is investigating two separate reports of large thefts that indicate professional thieves are in the area.

A report from March 22 indicates one suspected location is the Interstate 4 business corridor. The sheriff's office and the Lake Mary Police Department are investigating the theft of numerous laptop computers from businesses located in Heathrow and the Primera office parks.

Suspects are two black males, early 20s, medium build and

wearing baseball caps. The suspects also may have operated a blue SUV as a get-a-way car. In one particular case at Mitsubishi Power Systems at 100 Colonial Center Parkway, approximately 18 laptop computers were stolen.

"It seems as if in these cases what we have is professional thieves with shopping lists," said sheriff's office spokesman Steve Olson.

What investigators found Wednesday is lending them to believe the stolen merchandise eventually makes it way to Miami and possibly a cargo ship.

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Agency moves forward with 1st Street lights

By Dan Ping Editor

SANFORD — A decision by the Downtown Community Redevelopment Agency appears to have flipped the switch for improved lighting on 1st Street.

Board members agreed to enter contract negotiations with the Downtown Business Association to conduct events beneficial to downtown. The contract would fund the DBA up to \$25,000, and negotiations would begin once DBA obtains and submits to the city building easements for an electrical system the organization helped improve along 1st Street.

The DBA's president, Tom Winterheimer, and founder, Sara

Jacobson, approached City Commission in January for funding and offered to give the city the electrical system in exchange for \$25,000.

That proposal stalled after disputes arose over who owned the electrical improvements. Local businesses who donated thousands of dollars in parts and labor for the

improvements claimed they made the donations to the city, not DBA.

In their proposal to the CRA, Winterheimer and Jacobson said they weren't asking for payment for the electrical system.

"Call the \$25,000 whatever you want, we're seeking money to put in our treasury to produce activities that benefit downtown," Jacobson said.

Board members agreed the electrical system would provide an infrastructure to improve lighting downtown, but wanted to avoid possible legal pitfalls.

"It's a win-win situation, but it needs to be a clear win-win," said CRA board member Tom Ball.

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Tom Ball CRA Board Member

# SEMINOLE SUMMARY

A GLANCE AROUND OUR COUNTY

**Peace plans:** Forget the problems in the Middle East, Sanford has had its own divisive difficulties. Lightgate, petty politics, call it what you will, the debate over lights on 1st Street has had its share of explosive moments.

Leave it to the phone guy to cut through the static. Larry Strickler, whose day-time job is with BellSouth, proposed a plan that can make all sides satisfied: the city gets an electrical system to power new lights and the Downtown Business Association gets money to fund activities.

**Around the Clock**



by Dan Ping

Maybe it was all those years working in the deregulated telecommunications market. Could be the experience he gained through four years on the county school board, always a beehive for touchy political issues. Wherever he picked up his diplomatic touch, Strickler should be commended for not losing focus of the main issue: how to light up 1st Street without extending a civil war.

**Light years:** A final note, hopefully, on the lighting issue. Nobody asked me, but where were all these people who claim they've been demanding lights on 1st Street for decades? Thirty years ago, if you check closely, some of them were sitting on the very boards they claim were negligent in ignoring the problem. Either the lights were brighter back then, or some people have selective memories.

**Big stick:** The composition of the Sanford Airport Authority will change in the coming months.

Jeff Triplett resigned last week because he's moving to Volusia County. As for other board members, none are expected to move out of the county, but do count on several of them being moved off the board when their terms are up.

While business is booming at Orlando Sanford International and progress is double-timing it to the marching orders of CEO Larry Dale, board members have made some questionable decisions that have raised the ire of key City Commissioners.

Mayor Brady Lessard cautioned the Authority last summer about refinancing a \$1 million loan the airport had with the city. The refinancing made sense for some of the airport's higher interest loans from outside lenders. Not so for the City's loan.

Lessard's argument was the airport authority had a favorable loan agreement with the city which owns the airport, and refinancing would jack the interest rate up by 2 or 3 percent. That doesn't sound like much, but on a 10-year note, that's several hundred thousand dollars.

The board ignored Lessard's advice and voted to repay the city's 4.7 percent loan by using \$1 million at 7.2 percent as part of the refinancing package. That unanimous decision included yea votes from two members who earn their living as bankers, Triplett and Jeff Longstaff.

Unlike Dale who spoke loudly and carried a big stick during his term as mayor, Lessard's management style comes with much less volume. He cooled his jets after the vote, but word Around The Clock is the major-league bat is coming out of the bag. Chairman Bill Miller's term is up in September. Expect Lessard to swing for the fences.

Continuing with the baseball theme, Commissioner Whitey Eckstein (dad to Major Leaguer David Eckstein whose own bat is red hot with the Anaheim Angels) has been waiting in the on-deck circle since last spring. Eckstein was furious over the airport authority's decision to move forward with a major top management reorganization without first advising the city. In fact, when the vote was taken, the issue wasn't even on the authority's agenda.

"They are not an autonomous board. They have to answer to us, and unless I get a commitment from them, every single one of them will be removed from that board," Eckstein said at the time.

Throw into the mix the debacle the authority let Dale get into by kicking the Sanford Police Department off airport property (Chief Brian Tooley and Dale have since kissed and made up), and you have a recipe for some serious shake-and-bake.

So who's coming out of the bullpen in replacement? No lineups have been finalized, but I would say it's a safe bet that some of the county's savviest business leaders like Wayne Densch's John Williams will at least get a call. Who knows, Sanford's own billionaire Jeno Paulucci may be part of the new rotation.

Got an item for The Clock? Send an e-mail to [TheClock@seminoleherald.com](mailto:TheClock@seminoleherald.com).

## Picnic in the Park



Students from Midway Elementary School relax under the shade of an oak tree in Fort Mellon Park during a recent field trip to Sanford's downtown area. The shady oak was the perfect place for their picnic lunch. Herald photo by Tommy Vincent

### Homeless Arrested

Sanford Officer Terry Mullins arrested James Grisales, 42, and Robert DeJesus, 57, Wednesday for trespassing. The two homeless men were found sleeping as Sanford Motor Car at 3416 Orlando Dr. The suspects were warned Saturday and several times before not to trespass the property.

### Retail Theft

Sanford Officer Chris Woehr arrested Mary Williams, 29, of Sanford Wednesday for retail theft. Williams reportedly tried to steal about \$30 worth of merchandise from the Orlando Drive Wal-Mart.

### DUI

Longwood Officer Donald Lajic arrested Jim Stolzenburg, 47, of Lake Mary Monday for possession of marijuana, drug paraphernalia and driving under the influence. Police stopped Stolzenburg for failure to maintain a single lane and an improper U-turn. He refused a breath test at the jail.

### Possession of Cocaine

Seminole Deputy Steven Sosa arrested Tlorie Brewster, 21, of Sanford Monday for possession of crack cocaine. Police originally arrested her for a Seminole County warrant of grand theft. When she was handcuffed, she dropped a piece of crack cocaine to the ground.

### Prostitution Sting

The Sanford Police Department Tactical Unit conducted Tuesday and Wednesday an operation in the downtown area in regards to complaints of prostitution. An undercover agent made contact with an alleged prostitute. Police arrested Stacy Miller, 27, of Sanford Wednesday after she offered to perform a sexual act in exchange for \$40.

Police arrested Claudia Darden, 40, of Sanford and Charlene Clinton, 29, of Sanford Tuesday for prostitution. Clinton stated to police she would perform a sexual act in exchange she would "take what ever you have," according to the police report. Darden offered an undercover agent a \$10 sexual act.

### Suspended License

Altamonte Springs Officer C. Adams arrested Greg Bare, 24, of



Mirante tried to convince police he was an undercover DEA agent. Police found two opened cans of beer in the vehicle and a cold 12-pack in the back seat with three cans missing. He also ripped up the tickets and threw them on the ground.

### Attempted Burglary

Seminole Deputy Chad Weippert arrested Anthony Ferguson, 36, of Sanford Tuesday for attempted burglary and loitering. Ferguson allegedly tried to break into a Cypress Springs apartment in Fern Park.

### Disorderly Intoxication

Sanford Officer Tony Raimondo arrested Thomas Capps, 47, of Sanford Thursday for disorderly intoxication. Sanford Officer Daniel Barbara arrested Mark Day, 37, of Sanford Wednesday for disorderly intoxication. He was arrested in a Central Florida Regional Hospital waiting room.

### Vehicle Theft

Sanford Investigator Paul Herx arrested Terry Gibson, 36, of Sanford Tuesday for vehicle theft. Gibson allegedly stole a 193 Chevrolet Blazer on Jan. 25, 2002.

### Battery

Sanford Officer Thomas Bemosky arrested Ulysses Brown, 66, of Sanford Tuesday for battery. Brown, a 10th Street landlord, allegedly struck one of his renters in the face several times and ordered him off the property by the end of the day. Brown reportedly wanted the renter's monthly payment although rent is normally collected on the tenth of the month.

Casselberry Officer M. Johnson arrested Charles Springer, 19, of Longwood Monday for aggravated battery. Springer admitted to police to attacking a man on two different occasions at a State Road 436 business. On the first incident, the man was hit with a table or chair leg three times. The victim needed eight or nine stitches. On the second incident, the victim was hit several times with a water meter cover causing injuries requiring staples and stitches.

Longwood Officer Trafton Patrick arrested Francisco Figueroa, 20, of Winter Springs Tuesday for burglary and battery. Figueroa allegedly reached into the victim's vehicle to strike a man's face.

Longwood Wednesday for having an altered tag and driving with a suspended license.

Sanford Officer Thomas Fransen arrested Shea Brock, 37, of Sanford Wednesday for hit and run, driving with a suspended license and improper lane changes. Brock apparently tried to cut-off a driver at the intersection of Lake Mary Boulevard and U.S. Highway 17-92. Instead of cutting the driver off, Brock sideswiped the vehicle causing \$800 in damage. A police officer witnessed the offense and chased Brock down as she made no reported attempt to stop.

Seminole Deputy Christopher Ortiz arrested William Roberts, 30, of Geneva Thursday for driving with a suspended license. Police stopped Roberts for an inoperable tag light.

Seminole Deputy David Kohn arrested Arbenia Smith, 46, of Sanford Monday for driving with a suspended license and the attaching license plate not assigned to vehicle.

Sanford Officer Sherry Webster arrested James Joseph Jr., 60, of Sanford Monday for larceny and driving without an issued license.

### Resisting an Officer

Longwood Officer Timothy Cooper arrested Johnnie Daniels, 42, of Sanford Wednesday for trying to pass counterfeit bills and resisting an officer. Daniels reportedly gave a Sanford Orlando Kennel Club teller three fake \$20 bills for a \$52 bet. Police caught up with Daniels in the parking lot where they had to physically wrestle him to the ground.

Seminole Deputy Jimmy Jusino arrested Christopher Mirante, 28, of Sanford Tuesday for resisting an officer and property damage. Mirante tried to outrun police by traveling approximately 70 to 80 mph in the area of U.S. Highway 17-92 and General Hutchinson Parkway. When police finally corralled the reckless driver,

## OUT & ABOUT

### SAT 6

The CFA cat show, sponsored by the City Beautiful Cat Club, is scheduled for Saturday, April 6, and Sunday, April 7, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Sanford Civic Center.

More than 200 purebred cats are expected to compete in this year's show. The CFA cat show will be open to the public and will provide an entertaining day for spectators. In addition to the judging activities, which will take place throughout the show, spectators will have the opportunity to see the cats up close while they're waiting to compete.

Tickets are available at the gate. The cost of admission is \$6 for adults, \$4 for seniors and children and \$15 for families.

For information, call Emily Turner at 407-680-6684 or Coleena Hanson at 386-668-1499.

### MON 8

The April meeting of the Sweetwater Oakes Garden Club will be a bus trip to Eve's Garden in Land-O-Lakes.

The group will meet at the Community Center, located on Fox Valley Drive in Longwood, 8:30 a.m.

Monday, April 8, for a two-hour bus ride to the oriental garden and nursery.

Lunch will be served at the garden. The return time to the Community Center is 3 p.m. Cost is \$15.

### WED 10

Seminole Spokes of Welcome Wagon Club will meet 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 10, in Maison & Jardin Restaurant in Altamonte Springs.

Cost of the luncheon is \$16.50. The program, Grandma Admas, "Will You Teach Me To Read?" will be given by Jacqueline Egl, director of PACE Brantley School. Also, teas, brunches, and dinners in private homes will be auctioned for charity.

Spokes is a social club dedicate to helping newcomers become familiar with the Orlando area.

For reservations or information, call Betsy at 407-277-9033 or Carrie at 407-323-2297.

An informal meeting for Seminole High School's Class of 1972 30-year reunion will be held 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 10, at 107 Skogen Court in Sanford.

For more information, call 407-323-0806.

### SAT 13

Midway Elementary School of the Performing Arts is sponsoring its Spring Carnival 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, April 13.

The event will include train rides, a moon walk, a dunking booth, games, prizes, food and much more.

The school is located at 2251 Jitway Drive in Sanford.

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# Obituaries

**WILLIAM EDWARD BAKER**  
William Edward Baker, 59, of Sanford, died Monday, April 1, 2002.

Born Aug. 27, 1942, in Sanford, he was a lifelong resident. He was a welder in the construction industry. Survivors include his brother, Lyman Baker of Sanford. Gramkow Funeral Home of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

**JOHN JOSEPH BOOTH**  
John Joseph Booth, 90, of Grand Plaza Drive, Orange City, died Wednesday, April 3, 2002, in DeBary Manor.

Born in Lillian, Va., he moved to Central Florida from Baltimore, Md., in 1957. He served in the U.S. Navy. He was a retired engineer with Lockheed Martin in Baltimore, Md., and Orlando. He was a Mason, a Shriner and a supporting member of the International Teddy Bear Association for Police. He was of the Southern Baptist faith. Survivors include two sons, Ronald Booth of Apopka and Richard Thomas Booth of Madison, Ala.; nine grandchildren; and six great grandchildren.

Baldauff Family Funeral Home of Orange City is in charge of arrangements.

**EILEEN T. DONALDSON**  
Eileen T. Donaldson, 70, of Tulip Street, Deltona, died Tuesday, April 2, 2002, in Central Florida Regional Hospital, Sanford.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., she moved to Central Florida from Fairfield, Conn., in 1978. She was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church of DeBary, Deltona Elks Ladies Auxiliary and American Legion Women's Auxiliary Post No. 159 of Deltona. She enjoyed bowling.

Survivors include her husband of 30 years, Richard W. Donaldson of Deltona; one stepson, Glenn Donaldson of Dallas, Texas; and two sisters, Joan Cole of Palm Coast, and Nancy Pipitone of Brooklyn, N.Y.

Baldauff Family Funeral Home of Orange City is in charge of arrangements.

**RALPH GARCIA**  
Ralph Garcia, 73, of Sanford, died Thursday, April 4, 2002.

Born in Omaha, Neb., he moved to Central Florida in 1975. He was retired from the U.S. Air Force. He was of the Methodist faith.

Survivors include his mother, Okal Garcia; one daughter, Marcy Jones of Sanford; one brother, Larry Garcia of Enterprise, Ala.; one sister, Mary White of Augusta, Ga.; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services are 3 p.m. Sunday, April 7, in Gramkow Funeral Home Chapel, with Brian DeCosmo officiating. Visitation is 2 to 3 p.m. Sunday before the service.

Gramkow Funeral Home of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

**LOUISE R. HACKETT**

Louise R. Hackett, 86, of Findlay Street, Deltona, died Monday, April 1, 2002, in her residence.

Born in New Chicago, Ind., she moved to Central Florida from Milwaukee, Wis., in 1973. She was a homemaker. She was a member of Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church of Deltona. She enjoyed playing bridge.

Survivors include one son, Eugene P. Hackett Jr. of Perry; one daughter, Kathleen O. Hackett of Austin, Texas; and three grandchildren.

Baldauff Family Funeral Home of Orange City is in charge of arrangements.

**RICHARD ANDREW JACKSON**

Richard Andrew Jackson, 80, of Lake Breeze Circle, Lake Mary, died Friday, March 29, 2002, in his residence.

Born Nov. 25, 1921, in Hartford, Ala., he moved to Lake Mary in 1990. He was a crane operator for the railroads. He was a member of All Souls Catholic Church in Sanford and a veteran of the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his wife, Emma Jackson of Lake Mary; two sons, William Jackson of Linden, N.J., and Richard Jackson Jr. of Jersey City, N.J.; two daughters, Gwendolyn Jackson of Jersey City, N.J., and Cheryl E. Martin of Lake Mary; one brother, Cleve Jackson of Los Angeles, Calif.; nine grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

Gramkow Funeral Home of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

**MARION C. JORDAN**

Marion C. Jordan, 83, of Lake Drive, DeBary, died Tuesday, April 2, 2002, in Florida Hospital Fish Memorial, Orange City.

Born in Whitestone, N.Y., she moved to Central Florida in 1958. She was a legal secretary for Allan Watt Law Firm in DeLand. She was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Community Church of DeBary, Sons of Italy of Deltona

and VFW Auxiliary of DeBary.

Survivors include one son, Charles E. Jordan III of Ormond Beach; two grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

Baldauff Family Funeral Home of Orange City is in charge of arrangements.

**ROBERT LOUGHRAN JR.**

Robert "Bobby" Loughran Jr., 26, of Royal Terrace, Deltona, died Monday, April 1, 2002, in his residence.

Born in Somers Point, N.J., he moved to Central Florida in 1988. He was a brick mason. He was a member of Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church in DeBary. He was an avid sports fan and a Perun State booster.

Survivors include his parents, Paula and Robert Loughran of Deltona; two brothers, Derek Sean and Patrick Norman Loughran, both of Deltona; one sister, Meredith Ann Loughran of Deltona; and one grandmother, Helen Beck of Deltona.

Baldauff Family Funeral Home of Orange City is in charge of arrangements.

**SARAH MARTEN**

Sarah Marten, 76, of Randolph Street, Deltona, died Tuesday, April 2, 2002, in Mariner Healthcare, DeLand.

Born in Ivyland, Pa., she moved to Central Florida in 1969. She was a homemaker. She was of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include two sons, Tim Marten of Deltona and Ken Marten of DeLand; two daughters, Melody Herr of Jacksonville and Robin Leidy of Charleston, S.C.; and one grandchild.

Baldauff Family Funeral Home of Orange City is in charge of arrangements.

**WINONA M. NEWMAN**

Winona M. Newman, 68, of Powderhorn Street, Lake Mary, died Thursday, April 4, 2002.

Born Dec. 14, 1933, she moved to Central Florida in 1950. She was a member of Holy Cross Episcopal Church of Sanford and also attended St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Lake Mary. She was a guidance counselor for Seminole County Public Schools.

Survivors include one son, Bob Newman of Broomfield, Colo.; three daughters, Dianne Wontenay of Lake Mary, Lynn Epps of New Smyrna Beach and Meg Newman of Lake Mary; two brothers, Hugh Miller of DeLand and Bob Miller of St. Petersburg; eight grandchildren; and two great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Lake Mary. Gramkow Funeral Home of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

**ERNEST CECIL NIXON**  
Ernest Cecil Nixon, 95, of Altamonte Springs, died Saturday, March 30, 2002, in Life Care Center, Altamonte Springs.

Born Oct. 20, 1906, in Deatsville, Ala., he was owner/operator of Nick's Barber Shop.

Survivors include one son, Ron Sargent of Altamonte Springs; one sister, Mary Jettie Timmerman; three grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

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**CHARLES E. PIZZANO**

Charles E. Pizzano, 81, of Winter Springs, died Wednesday, April 3, 2002.

Born Aug. 8, 1920, in Roslindale, Mass., he was a retired police officer for the Dade County Sheriff's Office. He was a member of the Moose Lodge, Italian American Social Club, Italian American War Veterans and a 4th degree life member of the Knights of Columbus. He served in the U.S. Army and Navy during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Mercedes V. Pizzano of Winter Springs; one son, John C. Pizzano of Apopka; one daughter, Donna M. Walter of Winter Springs; one brother, Arthur Pizzano of Everett, Mass.; one sister, Florence Pizzano

of Jamaica Plains, Mass.; six grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

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

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**Anna Randall-Allen**  
January 15, 1923 - February 14, 2002

We express our gratitude to you, our many friends, for the support you gave us throughout a very painful and trying time. What ever role you played did not go unnoticed by this family.

God Bless you.  
The Children and family of Anna Randall-Allen

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**ROSALIE L. TAYLOR**

Rosalie L. Taylor, 62, of Pinetree Drive, DeBary, died Monday, April 1, 2002.

Born Sept. 3, 1939, in Brownsville, Pa., she moved to Central Florida in 1950.

Survivors include her husband, Gil Taylor; and one daughter, Lori Fuller of Asbury Park, N.J.

Brisson Funeral Home of Sanford is in charge of arrangements.

wish to thank the many thoughtful friends and neighbors who extended us kindness in our recent bereavement. The floral tributes, expressions of sympathy, spiritual comfort, and the help of all those who assisted with the funeral services will be remembered with gratitude.

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# OPINION

## Big nations and long little wars

President Bush was wise and cautious when he began the new war on terrorism by saying it would be a long one. But I doubt he ever really believed it would be so complicated and essentially insane that within a few months he would have to come before the American people, as he did last Thursday, and almost admit that it was spinning out of control. He certainly did not realize that he would soon be criticizing an ally, Israel, to try to save Yasser Arafat, whom the United States has known was responsible for the terrorist killings of American officials for almost 30 years now.

It is odd to say that we are in over our heads for the moment because we are so much taller than everyone else in the dysfunctional regions of the world. "Enough is enough," said the American leader. Yes, for us. But for them, the secret killers in endless wars in far places, it is never enough. The retaliation, the revenge, the killing of children and the turning of children into killers goes on for generation after generation — and we are usually too big to bend down far enough to do anything about it.



**Richard Reeves** Twenty years ago, I was standing just outside the doorway of a clinic in a Palestinian refugee camp in the occupied West Bank, when a baby was born. As the doctor, a Palestinian paid by the United Nations, slapped the baby boy on its little rear, he said, looking in my direction, "Another fighter for Arafat!" The remark was not meant for me, though. It was directed at the man next to me, an Israeli army officer.

"What do you think when you hear that?" I asked the Israeli. He answered: "I wonder if that baby is the one who will kill me."

Perhaps he has. Or perhaps he has killed that officer's child, or even a grandchild.

In the years that followed, I occasionally had great optimism about that part of the world. Israel's economy boomed a couple of times, and many Palestinians shared in that. Many Israeli parents began to question the brutalization of their children as they served as an occupying army in hostile regions so close to their own homes. Enough already. The Israelis also periodically encouraged education in the occupied territories on the theory that educated young men and women would leave the poverty of the camps and make new lives in the West or in Arab countries. Many did, but they sent the money back into the territories — and those remittances kept the cause, and terrorism, too, alive over the years.

So I was wrong. I was just another overoptimistic American, confused and offended by what seemed to be the senselessness of it.

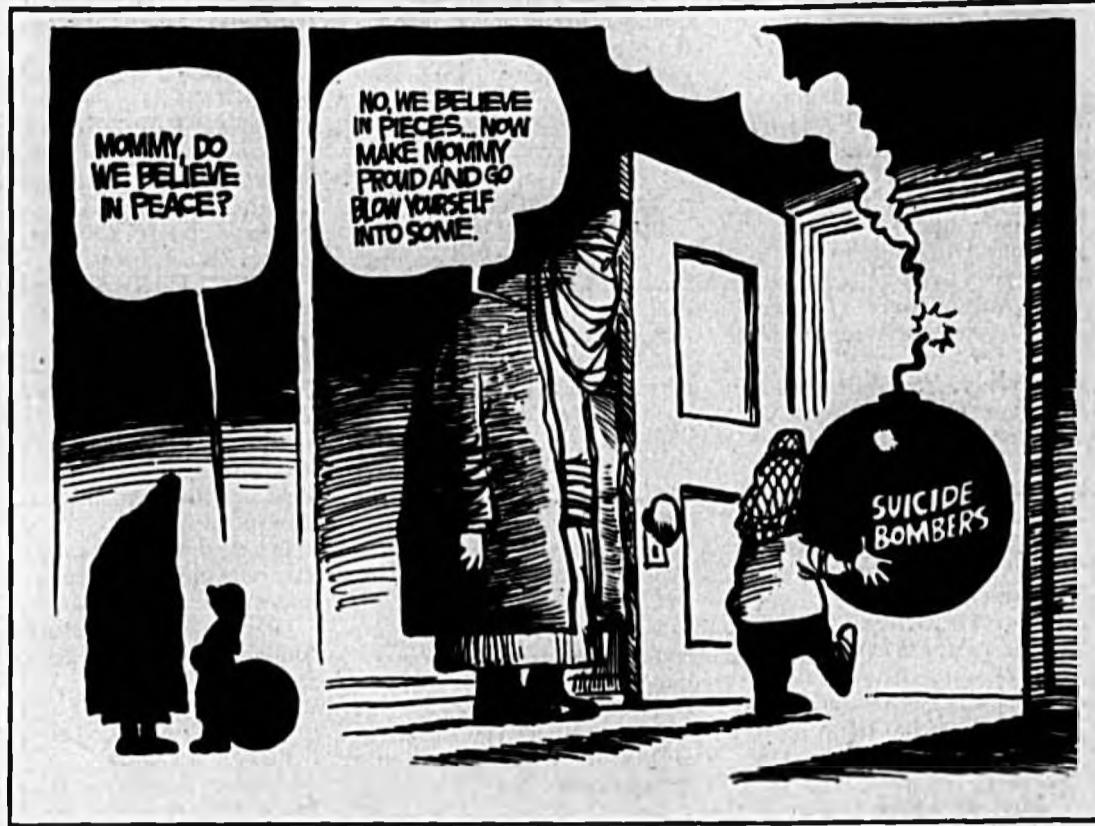
Then, I put some faith in old men, thinking that there would come a time when the generation that made terror — on both sides — would close the circles of their own lives by making peace, showing that the struggle was worthwhile and that young and violent death was not in vain. I was wrong again. It came down to Arafat, the terrorist who never changed and was too cowardly to make a half-decent peace with American help, and Ariel Sharon, who never stopped believing in force above all.

Sharon, I think, thought what he called "the path to peace" would be made by bulldozers and tanks, reoccupying land that had been turned over to Palestinian authority in the crumbling peace process — and he began that campaign by doing his best to provoke uprisings to be crushed with his bully visit to the Temple Mount in early 2000.

And Arafat. Has he changed from the man American radio and telephone intercepts recorded in March 1973 ordering the killing of Cleo Noel, the U.S. ambassador to the Sudan, his charge d'affaires and the Belgian ambassador to that country? The actual killers — named in diplomatic files kept secret by the United States to try to mold Arafat into a peacemaker — were Black September terrorists who kidnapped the Western diplomats in a failed plot to free Palestinian terrorists in European jails and Sirhan Sirhan, the killer of Robert F. Kennedy, in jail in California.

They are a despicable pair, Arafat and Sharon, useless now but still dominant in pathetic ways. President Bush knows that now, too, I guess, and he must despair that the two old men have hijacked the war on terrorism that seemed difficult but possible only a few weeks ago.

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## Your View

### Turner has a few questions regarding plan

**To the editor:**  
Where's a cop when you need one? It sounds like if Mayor Lessard gets his way, right next door! That's a good thing, isn't it? Or is it?  
In theory, the mortgage incentive plan to encourage Sanford's finest to move into the city sounds like a good one. For paying a mere 20 percent of the officer's mortgage, we could have extra police presence, cutting down on crime. I'm definitely for decreasing crime.  
I live in Sanford's Historic District. I have seen a dramatic decrease in drug deals, loud cars, and crime in general since Saint Chief Tooley took charge. However, there is still plenty of room for improvement.  
I wouldn't mind having a police officer living next door, but the city of Sanford is not just my neighborhood. There are several questions that need to be answered: Will the officers be compensated for living anywhere in the city of Sanford? Is there a cap on the amount of the mortgage? Will the incentive plan be revoked if the officer leaves his/her position? Will this

plan be retroactive for officer's currently living in the city?  
Honestly, I can't see paying an officer 20 percent of his/her mortgage if they are living in an expensive house in a relatively crime-free area.  
There is currently a program available for police officers who wish to buy a HUD home in high risk areas. The government will sell them a home for half the asking price. There was a HUD home that sold in the Historic District of Sanford last year. The listing price was in the \$70,000s. A police officer could have purchased that home for about \$35,000. (Yes, the Historic District is in a high-risk area.)  
If police presence is a way to deter crime, I suggest that police officers park their cruisers in highly visible locations. For example, in front of my house. I'd love to have a cruiser pull up in front of my home at various times. Just think, it would keep the drug dealers from using my street corner for crack deals. Cars would not run the stop signs and screech around the corner to beat the red light. I wouldn't have to put locks on everything I own. I can dream, can't I?  
By the way, I'd only want just 5 percent of my mortgage paid for this community service. Heck, for 10 percent I'll put on a police uniform to

walk my dog at night.  
Don't get me wrong, I admire our police department. I even plan on baking a pie or two for the upcoming Police Appreciation Day in May. I just think that the mortgage compensation plan proposed by Mayor Lessard needs to be carefully reviewed before being approved.  
**Amy Turner Sanford**

### Mother shows appreciation for off-duty fireman

**To the editor:**  
Chief Hickson, I want to make you aware of the service that one of your off-duty firemen, Mr. Mike Salber, provided to my daughter and two of her friends on Saturday night, March 2.  
My daughter, a college freshman, and two of her friends sustained a flat tire on the East-West Expressway near the Kirkman Road exit in Orlando. Mr. Salber stopped to be sure they were all right and changed the tire for them, allowing them to proceed safely.

I recognize that nothing in Mr. Salber's job description requires him to stop and assist stranded motorists like my daughter, but I am grateful that he did so. I wanted to make you aware of this man's commitment to public service, which extends beyond the time he's on the city of Sanford's payroll, and ask you to recognize him for that exemplary commitment.  
The city of Sanford can take great pride in having firefighters like Mike Salber, and we are grateful for his dedication to public service.

Sincerely,  
**Beverly Kilaoka Orlando**

### Heart goes out to mother who abandoned baby

**To the editor:**  
Regarding the 17-year-old who gave birth to her baby and left it at the doorstep of a nearby restaurant, I hope I am only one of many whose heart goes out to her. She sure could have handled this much worse!  
But where is the father?  
**Willie E. Co.**

## Israel is fast becoming what it professes to despise

"Never let any man drag you so low as to make you hate him."  
From time to time, that imperative was pulled from the cupboard of cliches my mother kept handy for rearing four children. I think of it now because of the venom — name-calling, denunciations and death threats — heaped upon a Jewish family in Brooklyn, N.Y., after their son's impromptu breakfast last weekend with Yasser Arafat. The spate of hate-filled messages grew so threatening that Doreen and Stuart Shapiro have been forced to flee their home and go into hiding.  
The campaign of terror against the Shapiros started after news reports about their son Adam, 30, a Middle East humanitarian worker. A resident of Ramallah for three years, Adam has worked for "Seeds of Peace," a program for Arab and Jewish youth that teaches tolerance.  
In an interview on NBC's "Today"

show, Adam said he helped to persuade Israeli military authorities to allow ambulances into Arafat's compound to tend the wounded after the Israeli siege began. Later, Adam found himself trapped inside the compound. Last Saturday morning, according to news accounts, Arafat offered Adam breakfast as a gesture of gratitude for his intervention.  
Simple enough, you'd think. While many might disagree with Adam's decision to live among Palestinians and advocate their nationalist aspirations, any people who believe in democratic values would support his right to hold these views, right?  
Apparently not. Noah Shapiro, Adam's brother, told reporters that e-mail messages wished a "fiery death" to his family; a Web site, he said, listed personal information about his family and urged action against them. Undoubtedly, those threats came

from supporters of Israel, many of them Jewish, who have long denounced Arafat and the terrorism that he has, at the very least, tolerated. They probably consider themselves law-abiding and upright folk who would never sink to the tactics of bloodthirsty savagery and wanton destruction displayed by Palestinian suicide bombers who blow up shopkeepers, schoolchildren and families at Seder.  
Perhaps Shapiro's critics should take a good look in the mirror. Their hatred of Palestinian extremism has consumed them, eating away at their own sense of decency and justice.  
Palestinian extremists, after all, are well known for their intolerance of anyone labeled a "collaborator." Palestinians believed to be cooperating with Israeli authorities are often treated to mob justice — brutal beatings, summary executions, anonymous graves. Is that not what the Shapiro's critics are also threatening?  
The tragedy of this otherwise small tale lies in its profound implications for the state of Israel: Even before the

latest military incursion, some Israeli army reservists had begun to question the relentlessness of their military tactics against a largely impoverished civilian population. While the targets of Israeli tanks and commandos are often well-armed extremists of Hamas or Hezbollah, the targets are also, too often, young boys armed only with rocks and bottles. How can any soldier sent out to kill young boys maintain his humanity?  
Israel gambled on Ariel Sharon — a notorious hard-liner whose military strategy in Lebanon in the 1980s had left Israel's reputation sullied — because he promised to deliver peace and security. He has failed spectacularly.  
Worse, his heavy-handed tactics have started to corrode the decency, humanity and moral authority of the nation he seeks to defend. This is what my mother was trying to help me understand: sinking to hatred only leads you to become that which you most despise.

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## On the Street

The Herald asks people what they think ...

On Sunday, daylight-saving time begins at 2 a.m. It's time again to move the clocks forward by one hour. We asked people if they like changing time, or if they would rather stick to good old Eastern Standard Time.



I'd rather it stay the same. I am not fond to all the adjustments afterward. It just doesn't feel right.  
**Robin Ventura Orlando**



I like changing to what we're fixing to change to. There is more time for cook-outs and stuff.  
**Peggy Carter Sorrento**



I love it in the fall, but in the spring, I don't like to lose that hour.  
**Linda Umland Sanford**



I hate changing the clocks. I like it dark when I get home from work. I wish they would just stay with Eastern Standard Time.  
**Becky Tibbets Sanford**



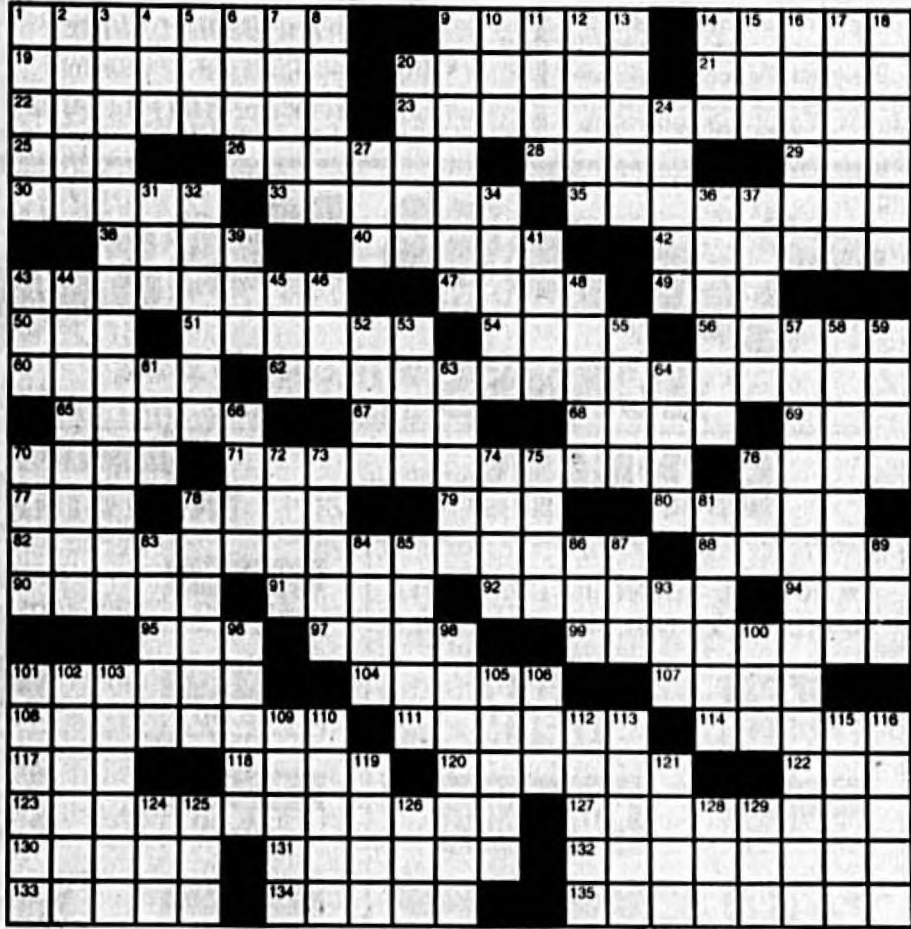
I do like the change forward. I like it being light at 8 o'clock.  
**Patricia Lay Sanford**

# Los Angeles Times Sunday Crossword Puzzle

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  - 7 Feature of titles parodied in this puzzle
  - 8 Banks or Ford
  - 9 Plants with showy flowers
  - 10 Nice time?
  - 11 Apt poodle name
  - 12 Circular gasket
  - 13 "Beau" \_\_\_\_\_
  - 14 Summer cooler
  - 15 Taint
  - 16 Black hole site?
  - 17 They may need a lift
  - 18 100-member group
  - 20 Pricey
  - 24 How some issues are debated
  - 27 Committee VIPs
  - 31 RN's assignment
  - 32 Falsity
  - 34 Frank
  - 36 Crew member
  - 37 \_\_\_\_\_ roll
  - 39 Vietnam's Ngo
  - 41 Be aware of
  - 43 Litigator's org.
  - 44 "Bewitched" role
  - 45 Santa \_\_\_\_\_ winds
  - 46 Off-bracketed word
  - 48 Take to task
  - 52 '50s-'60s pitcher
  - 53 Daytime drama
  - 55 Utah city
  - 57 Film about a Hollywood exec?
  - 58 Circus leeter
  - 59 NCOs using drills
  - 61 Proverb ending
  - 63 "\_\_\_\_\_ Battle": Hefflin film
  - 64 Boat stabilizer
  - 66 On a par, in Paris
  - 70 Grub
  - 72 Cracker brand
  - 73 Spend
  - 74 Norwegian royal name
  - 75 "Symphonie espagnole" composer
  - 76 It's expected
  - 78 Bakery buy
  - 81 The Sorbonne and others
  - 83 1984 Pulitzer-winning dramatist
  - 84 High-five
  - 85 New money
  - 86 Publishing gse., e.g.
  - 87 Milton pearl?
  - 89 Mountain curve
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  - 96 Not just a good deal
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  - 109 In a matter-of-fact way
  - 110 See 1 Down
  - 112 Inventor Nikola
  - 113 Kind of acid
  - 115 Arm-twisting
  - 116 Depressions
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## The Way We Were: The Gate City Chronicle was forerunner to the Herald

While browsing in the Sanford Museum, I found a copy of the Gate City Chronicle dated Friday, May 12, 1899. It had been photocopied and preserved in a notebook.

T.J. Appleyard was the editor/publisher of this weekly Sanford newspaper and a subscription was \$1 per year, paid in advance.



Grace Marie Stinecpher

..... bought its equipment and moved the paper to a new building on Magnolia Avenue, renaming it the Sanford Herald in 1908.

The Gate City Chronicle contains all sorts of items including news from around the country, historical and other essays, jokes, advertisements, etc. Interspersed among all these are items about Sanford. I'll give you some of the latter, plus a few advertisements you might enjoy.

### Wednesday Club Meeting

This was the forerunner to the Sanford Woman's Club. Of interest is "A Tale of a Mosquito" written by Mrs. J.N. Whitner for a presentation at the club. Whitner's work has been published several times, most recently by the Sanford Historical Society. "A Tale of a Mosquito" is a history of the early beginnings of this area, when most of Central Florida was known as Mosquito County. From the program listed here, it's a shame we don't have copies of more of the presentations of this club. These ladies put in a lot of effort.

The following was the program of presentations for the Wednesday Club meeting on

May 17, 1899 at 3:30 p.m.: Louis Napoleon and the Second Empire — Mrs. Chase; Victor Hugo — Mrs. Manley; Princess Mathilda — Mrs. Morey; Empress Eugenie and the Prince Imperial — Miss Dunn; Alfred de Musset — Mrs. Beardall; Theophile Gautier — Mrs. Doudney; and Ary Scheffer — Mrs. Fernald.

**Robinson—Papworth**  
"Cards were out announcing the coming marriage of Miss Juna Lowry Robinson, the accomplished and only daughter of Mr. And Mrs. Merritt F. Robinson, to Harry Milton Papworth, now of New York, but formerly a well-known and prominent resident of Sanford." The ceremony took place at the Church of Holy Cross at noon Wednesday, May 24, 1899. Bishop Gray officiated.

### In and Around Sanford

E.H. Herndon had the contract for towing lighters up the river and bringing palmetto buds from there for the Fibre Factory.

Rev. B.Y. Wilkie of Longwood preached at the Presbyterian Church at the usual hour.

The Sanford Athletic Association secured the first-floor room in the Welborne Block for club rooms and "were fitting up their quarters."

A social evening was held at the residence of Mrs. A.E. Phillips for the members of the Epworth League.

A sociable was scheduled by the Daughters of the Confederacy. It was to be held in one of the rooms in the Pico Block.

Miss Etta Singletary had the misfortune to stick a nail in her foot. Dr. Bishop was called at once and necessary precautions were taken to prevent tetanus.

### Personals

Seth Woodruff visited his mother for a few days.

Mr. And Mrs. F.W. Mahoney were the happy parents of a young daughter.

A baby girl was announced as an addition to the household of Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Beatty.

Mrs. Laughton of Boston returned home after visiting her daughter, Mrs. George H. Fernald.

City Clerk D.B. Manly and Col. O.S. Taryer spent the week in Charleston, S.C. attending the Confederate reunion.

Mrs. W.H. Browning and Misses Auranka and Edith Takach also attended the reunion in Charleston.

### Advertisement for Medicine

According to Sanford druggist W.G. Aldridge, that throbbing headache would quickly leave you if you used Dr. Jing's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. Dr. Jing claimed the pills would make blood pure, strengthen nerves and build up your health. The cost was 25 cents, money back if you were not cured.

### Other Advertisements

Dr. G.W. Bishop, a physician and surgeon, had moved into the offices formerly occupied by Dr. Ralph E. Smith in the new Hotchkiss Block.

Dr. R.M. Mason, the local dentist, advertised painless extraction of teeth, gold crowns and bridgework. His offices were also in the Hotchkiss Block, directly above the Post Office.

The First National Bank of Sanford promoted its strong financial position in the community by announcing it had \$50,000 in capital. The bank conducted general banking business. The president was Frederic H. Rand, and the cashier was F.P. Forster.

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## Red Cross hosts youth sports safety training

The American Red Cross of Central Florida encourages local coaches and instructors to celebrate "Youth Sports Safety Month" this April by registering for the Sports Safety Training course.

The course will be held Sunday, April 14, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Seminole County Service Center located at 705-C West SR 434 in Longwood.

The American Red Cross and the United States Olympic Committee have joined forces to develop an exciting course specifically for coaches who want to keep their athletes safe. Sports Safety Training provides coaches with the basic first aid skills and knowledge needed to care for athletic injuries.

The 7-hour course will feature video and classroom

instruction, plus a handy reference book to use and keep for future use during competitions and practices.

Course content will include sports-related injury prevention, first aid, and CPR. This comprehensive course is based on the Emergency Cardiac Care (ECC) 2000 guidelines for CPR. Upon successful completion, students will receive a Sports Safety Training certificate valid for three years. They will also receive an Adult and Child CPR certificate valid for one year.

Future dates include May 6 and June 8. Space is limited. Those interested must register prior to the class and can do so online at <http://cfl-redcross.safeshopper.com/10/cat10.htm?218> or by calling the Red Cross at (407) 332-8200.

## Families receive free automobile booster seats

Heart of Florida United Way (HFUW) distributed more than 80 free car booster seats to eligible Central Florida families Monday at a second Boost! America event held in Seminole County at the Lake Mary PetSmart.

The event was in partnership with the Ford Motor Company, the Child Passenger Safety Program, the Florida Highway Patrol, Seminole County Public Safety, Seminole County Volunteer Program and other local law enforcement/safety agencies.

"Our Boost! America Kickoff event in January was one of the most successful Boost! efforts nationally to date," said HFUW President/CEO Brian Quail. "Heart of Florida United Way is proud to be heading up this effort at the local level in partnership with the Ford Motor Co."

To qualify, families had to meet income guidelines and

have children between 40 and 80 pounds. Families were pre-screened by HFUW and other local agencies based in Seminole county to determine eligibility and type of booster seat needed, which is dependant upon each child's height and weight, the type of vehicle being driven and its standard restraints. Qualified families received vouchers good for the redemption of a seat at the Seminole county event where certified technicians were on-hand to install the child safety seats and educate parents on appropriate usage.

"We've continued to push forward, raising awareness about the importance of these life-saving seats and getting them into the hands of families that desperately need them," Quail said. "There are approximately 20 million children in America between the ages of four and eight, for which this type of seat is typically designed. Fewer than 7 percent ride with a booster seat and adult lap and shoulder belts.

We're committed to getting every child here in Central Florida into properly fitted booster seats."

Another Boost! America event is scheduled for April in Osceola County. HFUW received an initial shipment of 1,400 booster seats and since has received 840 more. All will be distributed in Orange, Osceola and Seminole counties.

The Boost! America campaign was designed to educate, change attitudes, increase proper child safety seat use and increase

booster seat use. One million booster seats will be given out in the first year of the campaign with 500,000 being distributed to needy families through United Ways across the country. Five cities in Florida, including Orlando, Tampa, Miami, Jacksonville and Tallahassee, are set to receive a total of 25,000 booster seats as part of the national campaign.

For more information on Boost! America or to apply for a voucher, call HFUW at (407) 835-0900.

## Camp Challenge plans Hog Roast, motorcycle run

Camp Challenge, the Easter Seals summer camp located on S.R. 46 between Mount Dora and Sanford, will host its 22nd Annual Hog Roast and its first annual Motorcycle Poker Run on Saturday, May 4, starting at 7 a.m. at the facility.

Director Mike Currence at Camp Challenge hopes to attract more than 1,000 area motorcycling enthusiasts to attend the event, which starts with a pancake breakfast and includes a live auction of more than \$10,000 worth of items donated for the event at 1 p.m.

"The Hog Roast is a big tradition for us," said Currence. "Many who will be here on May 4 have attended every Hog Roast since 1980," he added.

There will be a \$7 charge for barbecue and all proceeds will directly benefit the camp which has been serving children and adults with disabilities since 1961.

## Boys & Girls Clubs see big growth

Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Florida has seen big growth and more is on the way.

When Gary Cain, president/chief operating officer arrived at the youth services organization in 1994, Boys & Girls Clubs served some 3,000 children each year in eight locations. Today, the Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Florida serve more than 9,000 annually in 26 locations in Orange, Seminole and Osceola

Counties. Cain said the organization, which prides itself on operating without federal government grants, is planning to open two and possibly three locations this year and could serve more than 10,000 children before the end of the year.

"There's never a limit on the need in our community," said Cain. "It just keeps growing and growing."

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# Habitat breaks ground on 50th home

Habitat for Humanity in Seminole County hit a milestone Saturday, March 22, when it broke ground on its 50th home.

Incorporated a little more than 10 years ago, the nonprofit organization has helped change the lives of 260 working-poor Seminole County residents, who are able to take pride in homeownership.

"We are extremely gratified that we've hit this milestone in the short decade," said Colin Galloway, president of the Seminole Habitat board of directors. "Now we plan to double the number of houses built by this affiliate to reach 100 over the next five years."

Galloway said the goal is achievable because of new leadership within the organization and the many new business and governmental partnerships the affiliate is forming.

"Every time Habitat puts a low-income family into a home,



Photo submitted to the Herald  
Members of the Habitat for Humanity in Seminole County break ground on the organization's 50th house. Seminole Habitat, which recently celebrated its 10 year anniversary, plans to build 50 more houses in the next five years.

It's not only personal lives that are transformed but the whole community benefits," he said. Each new home adds tens of thousands of dollars to the

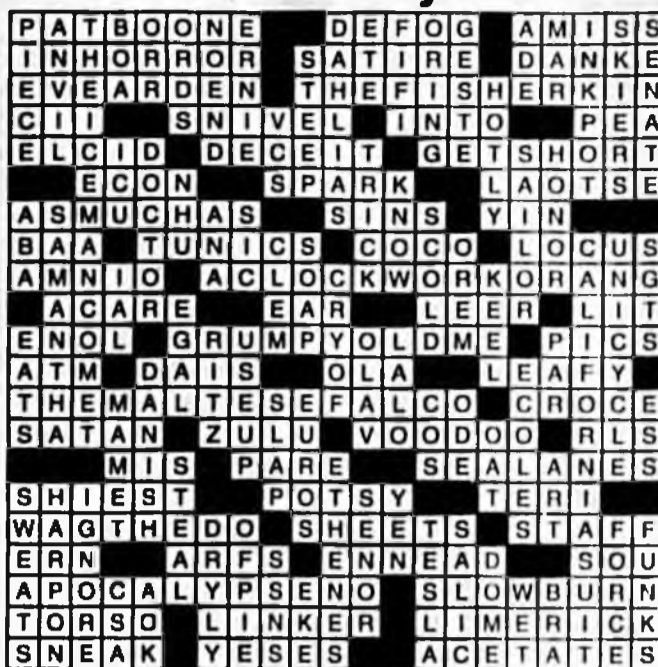
county's tax base. Through the Habitat program, a home owner's mortgage principle consists of the cost of the building materials

only, since all the labor to build the homes is donated by community volunteers. Habitat then recycles the principle payments the home owners make into a fund to build more homes. Other funding for the organization come from direct mail pledges, pledges from churches, fund-raising events, business partnerships and grants. The Seminole County Habitat also owns and operates a thrift and remodeling store located at 1100 Americana Boulevard in Sanford.

Seminole Habitat is currently building its 48th and 49th home in Oviedo and Longwood. The organization is planning its 51st home, which will be a Women's Build, constructed exclusively by women, beginning sometime this summer.

For more information about Habitat, call 407-328-9717.

## Solution to Today's Puzzle



See Puzzle on Page 5A

## Coast Guard Auxiliary to teach boating safety class

The USCG Auxiliary will teach a Boating Safety class in Sanford on Saturday, April 27. Subjects to be covered in this day course will include: boating law, personal safety equipment, safe boat handling, navigation, water skiing and rigging your boat.

Successful graduates of the course will be awarded a certificate of completion, oftentimes useful in reducing insurance

The course is taught by experienced US Coast Guard Auxiliary Coxswains and instructors, who volunteer their time and talents for the benefit of the boating public.

The cost of the course, paid at the end of the day of presentation, is \$35, which includes the course manual and a light lunch.

Couples, or an additional family member, sharing one course manual, may attend for \$50.) Early online registrants will be granted one five-dollar discount per family, and may accomplish this at: [www.uscgaux.org/~0700405](http://www.uscgaux.org/~0700405)

On site registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. on the day of the course, to be held in the Seminole County Sheriff's Building, 100 Bush Boulevard in Sanford.


Instruction will begin promptly at 9 a.m. The course examination will be completed by 5 p.m.

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### Investigation

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state Department of Children and Families (DCF) placed more than 60 children in her care. During the last month, the Lake Mary Police Department has been searching for those children as part of the ongoing investigation into the allegations.

According to Lake Mary Police Chief Richard Beary, 67 foster children have been identified as living with the Jasmirs during the last six years. Forty-one have been interviewed. Of those not interviewed, four were too young, eight live out of state, three interviews have been rescheduled, and one didn't show up for the interview.

Custodians declined having four children interviewed, and authorities still haven't found six who lived with the Jasmirs during the six-year period.

"It's taken an incredible effort finding and then getting them here and interviewing them," Beary said.

The interviews were conducted at the Lake Mary Police Department by local investigators and agents from the state Department of Law Enforcement, which possesses a mobile unit for such cases. Officials from Kids House have also been present to make the children more comfortable during the process.

With stickers placed on the walls in the department's halls and toys and cookies placed in a conference room, Beary said they tried to make the facility as "kid friendly" as possible.

"In cases like this, the children are usually taken to Kids House, but with this kind of volume, we brought them here," Beary said. "Our department has never had a case of this magnitude."

Denise Nevers, special agent from the state Department of Law Enforcement, said the children interviewed were between the ages of 4 and 14. The length of the interviews depended on each individual child — some interviews

were as short as five minutes, while others took as long as 40 minutes.

According to Beary, although no other allegations of sexual assault have been uncovered, there have been other allegations, including some of misconduct. No other charges have been filed, and the chief said the investigation should be ready for the state attorney's office within the next three weeks.

"We knew in this type of case, we had to start the investigation quickly," Beary said. "We're investigating everything that occurred at the house. We could have been short-sighted, but this could go back years and years."

### Training

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instructors would teach about 24 firefighters four basic survival skills. The lessons included ladder bail outs, a hose crawl, the Denver Roll and a Rapid Entry Team exercise. The instructors learned the skills from a similar course they attended in Hillsborough County.

Firefighters begin their instruction with a seven-hour classroom instruction. In the next session, four grueling skill stations await firefighters.

"It's a very brutal class," Hammonds said.

In the ladder bail out drill, firefighters practiced coming out of a second story window head-first on to a ladder. The skill is important in case a fire engulfs a window entry and several firefighters need to make a quick exit, Hammonds said. Decked out in full gear, firefighters reach head-first to about the fifth rung of the ladder and then swing around to land feet first.

One of the hardest drills is the 20-minute hose crawl. It

simulates what to do in case of a building collapse. Its difficulty has even baffled a few fire chiefs, said Hammonds.

"It is set-up so they use about one bottle of air," Hammonds said. "This is not the place you want to get confused."

In teams of three, blind folded firefighters frantically follow a fire hose to find the building exit. At the start of the exercise, firefighters must quickly determine which way will the hose lead them back to the fire truck. A wrong decision could lead them toward the nozzle and consequently further into danger. Firefighters blindly feel the couplings and follow the female fitting.

A third exercise, the Denver Roll, was created years ago by the Denver Fire Department in response to a situation where a firefighter who suffered a heart attack in a burning building died because his own co-workers could not save him.

The problem was the firefighters could not physically

lift him up into the window because of his size and cramped quarters, said Hammonds.

The Denver Roll gives firefighters a plan of attack for evacuating an unconscious firefighter. Basically, the injured firefighter is moved to a window, while one firefighter supports his back, two firefighters take his legs and swing them over his head and out the window.

"There's nothing easy about it, but you get him out alive," Blake said.

The final exercise trains Rapid Entry Teams to move through a collapsed building to find an injured firefighter. Through a maze of walls, debris and jumbled electrical cords, three firefighters work through a dense cloud of smoke.

Once their air bottle is near its end the team makes their way back to the exit and another team picks up where they finished.

Firefighters often break through walls to find the fire-

fighter. With less than six feet of visibility, the team of three concentrates on a noisy alarm that sounds when a firefighter doesn't move after a period of time.

"I come back and rebuild walls everyday," Hammonds said.

The training firefighters received is crucial, Hammonds said, and the FP&L Building provides an adequate training site. However, the building will not be available for much longer.

County commissioners decided last month to tear down the old FP&L building. The outdated building was considered dangerous; in addition, the city of Sanford and a private contractor are interested in acquiring the lake front property.

Without it, however, valuable training such as the firefighter survival and rescue course could become obsolete.

"We need a training facility," Hammonds said. "If we could get a building like this we could train all year long."



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# The North and South do battle when couple wages war over the weather

**DEAR ABBY:** I have been married 17 happy years. We were high school sweethearts and are still very much in love. We have only one huge problem, and one day it's going to come to a head. We live in the north with the change of seasons. I love fall and winter sledding, shoveling snow, relaxing by our fireplace, taking walks through fallen leaves, and all the other seasonal activities. I do not care for summer — the heat, the humidity, summer bugs, etc.

So what's my problem? My husband is the opposite. He gets depressed during the winter and counts the days until summer. He causes the snow on the gray, cold days that are ideal to me. He is 100 percent set on retiring and

moving south. When we vacation in Florida, he constantly talks about when we move there.

Abby, I get migraines that worsen in bright sunlight, hate the heat and would miss my family terribly. I have brothers, sisters, nieces and parents whom I see or talk with daily. My husband and I have discussed this several times. Neither of us is willing to budge. We have a beautiful home here in a picture-perfect neighborhood. If all goes as planned, retirement is only 15 years away. We need to settle this. What do we do?

**SNOW QUEEN IN OHIO**



Dear Abby

**DEAR SNOW QUEEN:** First of all, don't panic; you have 15 years to resolve this. One of the most unfortunate mistakes some senior citizens have made involved their fantasy about retirement. They sold their homes, left friends and families — their entire emotional support network — and moved to a new community to live their dream. Except once they got to the new location it didn't turn out to be as idyllic as they thought it would be.

That's why I urge you and your husband to take that move

slowly — one step at a time. If he wants to move south, when the time comes, consider renting out your "beautiful home in a picture-perfect neighborhood" for a year and renting a place in Florida. That way you can both see what the reality of a retirement in Florida would be. And if it doesn't live up to the fantasy, you'll have a home to return to.

Another possibility: Consider renting a place in Florida for a few weeks during the worst of the winter. Perhaps the promise of an annual winter getaway will make your husband more tolerant of northern weather. Keep an open mind. There's always the chance you'll both love it — and your family might

enjoy joining the flocks of snowbirds who have relatives with a place to nest when they want to thaw their frozen bones.

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**DEAR ABBY:** My best friend, "Cheryl," has a 19-year-old daughter, "Lisa," who is pregnant and unmarried. She has not broken the news to her parents or any family members. Lisa e-mailed my daughter and some of her other friends to announce her pregnancy, and even scheduled an ultrasound.

I feel caught in the middle. My daughter and I think I should tell Cheryl and her husband. My daughter is concerned that someone will let this secret out of the bag, and Cheryl will be hurt and

angry with me for not telling her first.

Meanwhile, my husband tells me to keep my trap shut. He feels strongly that Lisa should break the news to her parents herself. I have to make a decision, Abby. This girl is four months along. Please help.

**SUE IN PENNSYLVANIA**

**DEAR SUE:** I'm inclined to agree with your husband. Since you are a close friend, try to persuade Lisa to share her news with her parents since she has already notified her friends — and offer to be with her for moral support. It may be the assurance she needs.

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# Seminole rescue workers honored during awards banquet

Seminole County EMS/Fire/Rescue conducted its first annual awards banquet on March 22. The event was held at Timacuan Country Club in Lake Mary. The banquet opened with the Honor Guard presenting the Colors, Lt. Richard Criswell leading the Pledge of

Allegiance and Dave Thompson the division chaplain leading the invocation.

Service recognitions included retirees, employees of with five to 25 years of service and promotions. In addition, members of the Special Hazards and Operations Team received cita-

tion bars for their service.

The awards started with the Special Recognition Award that was presented to the CERT Rehab Team members that included Lisa Peterson, Andrew Mazzola, Pam Amburgery, Darrell Tongate, Jaime Seda, Chuck Miles, Charlotte Miles,

David Didas, Deborah Walters, George Thobois, Chris Thobois, Daniel Owens, and Wilma Gowan.

This year is also the 10th anniversary of Hurricane Andrew, and those who assisted in South Florida received "Campaign Uniform Awards."

The Unit/Team Citation Award was presented to the original Air Rescue 3 Helicopter crew.

The original flight medics were Julio Iglesias, Don McBryde, Buck Nitzel, Tim Prince, Sally Romano, Tim Nicholson, Mitch Ransom,

Mark Schmude, and Lt. Jeff Ward.

At the banquet, Fire Chief Terry Schenk stated, "It is fitting that during this time of recognition of the 'ultimate sacrifice' made by the New York City firefighters on Sept. 11 that we recognize the contribution of our firefighters in Seminole County by launching the inaugural Awards and Recognition Ceremony."

An honorable mention was made for Firefighter Tim Corn who received Seminole County's Public Safety Employee of the Year Award

last month. The following are individual awards that were presented for their recognition and outstanding service in the following categories:

- Chuck Miles, citizen of the year
- Mike Hammonds, lieutenant of the year
- Gary Guckenberger, paramedic of the year
- Ken Harrelson, Jimmy "Pedro" Cannon firefighter of the year
- Steve Jones, employee of the year

## Sunrooms

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company is to blame as much as Perrotta.

"They are the most expensive sunroom you can buy," he said. "I went with the best because I didn't want the deal these kind of problems. Look at Mercedes or BMW, you don't pay more money for terrible service."

Doane holds Four Season responsible because they referred him to Perrotta.

### Contractors Quit

Because Perrotta is not a licensed contractor, he hired other contractors to build the sunrooms. According to two of those contractors, Perrotta's Four Seasons franchise was revoked this week. They fear it might be too late, however, and are worried Perrotta has ruined the sunroom industry in the area.

One contractor said he quit working for Perrotta in August 2001 because of customer complaints.

"I will not work for him ever again," said a contractor who did not want his name associated with Perrotta. "I've never been on a job (for Perrotta) before where there wasn't numerous customer complaints."

The contractor said he tried to fix an Orlando home with a leaky sunroom that was built by Perrotta's company. Improper flashing was a problem, but a roof with little pitch was the main issue, he said.

"You need a certain amount of pitch on these roofs or the water will actually sit on the glass," he said. "That room (in Orlando) is going to have problems with leaks from now until eternity."

### New Franchise

Ray Lloyd, president of Custom Glazing and Design in Orlando, is most likely the newest Four Seasons franchise for the area.

"We are the new dealer soon to be franchise in Orlando," Lloyd said.

Lloyd, a 10-year veteran as a



Four homeowners from Longwood, Apopka, Lake Mary and Orlando strategize with attorney Phillip Smith, far right, before heading to a meeting with Four Seasons Sunrooms CEO David Ewing. The four homeowners are just a few of the dozen of sunroom customers upset about a local sunroom contractor.

southern regional manager for Four Seasons, once managed more than 60 sunroom dealers in 11 states. He said he recalls complaints about Perrotta and noted that Perrotta contracted work for "five to eight percentage points higher than any other dealer in the southeast."

"We had only one bad egg and that was Josh," Lloyd said about his duties as regional manager. "I hope he is prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law, and his wife too. She cannot plead ignorance in all of this."

Lloyd and Four Seasons CEO Ewing met for dinner Thursday evening to discuss the role Custom Glazing and Design can play in making things right for the dozens of unhappy customers.

"Our position is we want to do everything humanly possible to make everything right," Lloyd said.

### Solving the Problem

How effective Lloyd will be in restoring the Four Seasons name in Central Florida will depend on Ewing's support.

Lloyd said many of the jobs contracted by Perrotta might be undoable because of building per-

mit limitations. There is also that topic of money.

"As a start-up company, we can not just go in and do this at no cost," he said.

As for what direction Four Seasons is proceeding, Ewing declined to comment.

"I really have nothing to say to the press," he said from his Marriott Courtyard Suites room Thursday afternoon. "These are matters that will be handled through the legal system."

The four parties who met with Ewing brought along attorney Phillip Smith of McLin & Burned Professional Association out of Leesburg.

After the meeting, customers and Smith said Four Seasons agreed to send representatives to the area next week to "access the damage." A toll free number, 800-521-0179, has also been set up so Florida sunroom customers upset with Perrotta can call and be added to a master list of area complaints.

"I do believe Mr. Ewing came down here in good faith," Smith said. "I'm cautiously optimistic."

However, Smith said he is "analyzing and reviewing" the possibility of a class action suit against Four Seasons Sunrooms.

## Park

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same terms and agreements that the Volusia city had with the company.

Lake Mary has been researching and planning for the proposed skate park for more than two years. In 2000, the city received and accepted a \$112,000 state grant and agreed to match it by \$37,500. Terms of the grant include constructing the park by November 2002.

Following months of gathering research and public input, the city decided to build the park in the Lake Mary Sports

Complex on Rantoul Lane. The facility will include a concrete modified bowl and obstacle course. Site plans also include lighting and a pavilion shelter.

Construction of the actual skating area, which will be built by Team Pain, includes site preparation and concrete installation, and payment shouldn't exceed \$155,000, Parks and Recreation Director Bill Carrico said. Additional items, such as security lighting, a water fountain, trash cans and other items total \$22,000 and are required by the state grant.

With additional costs, including engineering services, landscaping, site lighting and the shelter brings the total estimated cost of the skate park to \$265,000, which is \$19,000 above what is in the city's 2002 FY budget for the facility. However, Carrico said a portion of the costs could be budgeted for next fiscal year, bringing the project in below budget.

According to Carrico, the park's construction could begin in a few weeks. Once started, the facility could be complete in as little as nine weeks.

## Lighting

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"There are some pieces of business that need to be taken care of."

Board member Larry Strickler agreed, but added he did not favor giving the DBA funding without requiring the organization to map out activities it plans to sponsor.

"I wouldn't vote for any measure where the DBA — or any group — says 'Write us a check for \$25,000 and trust us to do what is right,'" Strickler said. "That's not the way to handle

taxpayer money. There needs to be some kind of measurable performance where we can hold people accountable."

Strickler proposed that the two sides enter negotiations for the DBA to provide services to downtown. His motion, which passed 4-1 with board member Bob Parsells dissenting, is contingent upon DBA turning over the electrical system to the city.

"The negotiations wouldn't take place until the light fixtures are up," Strickler said after the meeting. "Having the lights only guarantees negotiations. Of

course, there's no guarantee we'll reach an agreement."

Strickler said he thinks the performance contract could include any number of items.

"I'm open to just about anything as long as it's under the umbrella of trying to improve downtown," Strickler said. "I think we need to be open-minded, and it has to fit in with what the other downtown groups — Main Street and the Chamber — are doing."

"We would be willing to talk to any group that wants to help downtown," he added.

## Thieves

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On Tuesday, thieves struck at Taylor Rental in Sanford. They stashed thousands of dollars of tools into a rental truck and drove off, according to police. Agents of the sheriff's office City/County Auto Theft Bureau reported Thursday the rental truck was recovered in Miami.

"It's always a possibility its on

a cargo container heading who knows where," Olson said about the stolen merchandise.

Other rental companies in Orange County have also recently reported large thefts. An estimated list of items stolen in Sanford includes six generators, eight pressure washers, two electric jackhammers, four sewer snakes and two walk behind

concrete saws. Investigators said in both cases valuable items were left untouched.

"It's almost as there are being ordered what to steal," Olson said.

Anyone with information regarding either case is urged to call Investigator Ben Hartner at 407-665-6695.

# Sanford City Commission Agenda for April 8, 2002

Sanford City Hall,  
300 North Park Avenue

### WORK SESSION

4 p.m. in the City Manager's  
Conference Room, Second Floor

1. Presentation of Employee of the Month Award for April 2002.
2. Presentation of Neighborhood Partnership Program.
3. Discussion of Regular Agenda items, Add-on items, and other items.
4. Mayor's briefing.
- A. Sanford Airport Authority request for matching grant funds. (R-8)
5. City Manager's briefing.
- A. Second May Regular Meeting date. (C-2)

### REGULAR MEETING

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

• Approval of Minutes.  
March 25, 2002 Work Session and Regular Meetings. Recommended by the City Clerk and the City Manager.

### Consent Agenda

1. Authorize purchase of two (2) dump trucks in the amount of \$67,787, each, using the State of Florida Contract. Recommended by the City Manager.
2. Set second May Regular Meeting date as discussed in Work Session. Recommended by the City Manager. (WS-5.A)
3. Approve Lynx Funding Agreement for FY 2001/02, in the amount of \$100,000. Recommended by the City Manager.
4. Approve CPH Amendment No. 66 for continuing engineering services for the reclaimed water extension on Magnolia Avenue, in the amount of \$15,100.

Recommended by the City  
Manager.

5. Approve request for ALight of Hope Ceremony special event to be held on city property (Memorial Park) from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M., Friday, April 12, 2002, and approve street closure of Seminole Boulevard from Myrtle Avenue to Hood Avenue during the event. Recommended by the City Manager.

6. Approve request for AHistoric Trust Spring Garden Tour special event to be held on private property and public sidewalks in the Historic District on the following streets: 2nd, 7th, Elm Avenue, Magnolia Avenue, Palmetto Avenue, and Park Avenue, on April 20, 2002, from 10:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. Recommended by the City Manager.

7. Approve request for A4th Qualifier Florida B.A.S.S. Federation Fishing Tournament special event to be held on city and public property (Marina Boat Ramp, Municipal Parking Lot, and Lake Monroe), from May 17 to May 19, 2002, and approve request for all fishing tournament fees to be waived except damage/cleanup deposit, and provide applicant with a grant of \$2,500 to secure the City of Sanford as this year's host site; sponsored by the Florida B.A.S.S. Federation, Inc. Recommended by the City Manager.

8. Approve request for AAnnual Juneteenth/Race Unity Day Celebration special event to be held on City Property (Coastline Park), from 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M., Saturday, June 15, 2002, and approve request for all fees to be waived except damage/cleanup deposit; sponsored by the City of Sanford—s

MLK Committee. Recommended  
by the City Manager.

9. Approve request for ASanford Main Street Classic Car Cruise special event to be held on city and public property (Magnolia Square and First Street), from 5:30 P.M. to 9:00 P.M., on the 3rd Saturday during the months of June through December 2002, and approve request for street closure of First Street from Oak Avenue to Sanford Avenue; Park Avenue from 2nd Street to Commercial Street; and Palmetto Avenue from 2nd Street to Commercial Street during the event, and approve request for all Classic Car Cruise fees to be waived except damage/cleanup deposit. Recommended by the City Manager.

10. Award contract for concrete construction/repair for Goldsboro ribbon curbs and 16th Street sidewalk, to LAS Contracting Corporation; funded by Seminole County Community Development Block Grant funds in the amount of \$206,000, approved for FY 2001/02. Recommended by the City Manager.

11. Award contract for window rehabilitation of the old downtown Post Office to CCS Restoration Millwork, in the amount of \$37,500; award to be contingent upon approval of contractor and repair cost by Seminole County, and approve use of General Fund Reserves in the amount of \$22,500; \$15,000 to be reimbursed by Seminole County. Recommended by the City Manager.

12. Approve request for a dance hall permit for Club 417 located at 2921 Orlando Drive, Suite 240, with conditions. Recommended by the Director of Engineering &

Planning and the City Manager.

### Public hearings

1. Second reading and adoption of Ordinance No. 3697 to amend City Code re: Special Events and Peddlers. Recommended by the City Manager. Ad published March 13, 2002. Continued from the March 25, 2002 meeting.
2. Second reading and adoption of Ordinance No. 3703 to annex 2.220+ acres of property lying between Andrews Road and Central Florida Greenway and between Sanford Avenue and Central Florida Greenway (4000 S. Sanford Avenue); Robert G. Thornton, owner. Recommended by the City Manager. Ad published March 27 and April 3, 2002.
3. Second reading and adoption of Ordinance No. 3704 to amend City Code re: reengineering the Department of Engineering & Planning and the deletion of the Community Development Department. Recommended by the City Manager. Ad published March 27, 2002.

### Regular items

1. Board appointments.
- A. CALNO. At its March 6, 2002 Meeting, CALNO recommended the reappointment of Lake Mary Commissioner Gary L. Brender to the Seminole County Expressway Authority. NEED TO RATIFY CALNO'S RECOMMENDATION TO REAPPOINT.
2. Condemnation Status Report. Acting Community Development Director and the City Manager recommend demolition of Condemnation Report No. 02-05, 509 E. 6th St., Margaret Jones, owner; and Condemnation Report No. 02-09, 1419 W. 13th St., Julius T. Lee, owner; recommend

60 day extension for  
Condemnation Report No. 02-04,  
600 Cypress Ave., Elizabeth  
Paige, owner; and recommend 45  
day extension for Condemnation  
Report No. 02-08, 1124  
Pomegranite Ave., Helen and  
Ulysses Ellington, owners.

3. Appeal of the Historic  
Preservation Board's denial of a  
Certificate of Appropriateness to  
install 50 air conditioning units by  
cutting 41 2" x 18" holes in walls  
at 1401 Magnolia Avenue; Rami  
Yosefian, applicant. The Director  
of Engineering & Planning and  
the City Manager recommend tak-  
ing action as deemed appropriate.  
Applicant notified March 28, 2002.

4. First reading of Ordinance No.  
3705 to amend City Code re:  
amending the Police Officers' Pen-  
sion Plan. Recommended by  
the Human Resources Director  
and the City Manager.

5. Adopt Resolution No. 1900 to  
amend the Classification and Pay  
Plan to create the position of  
Principal Planner Pay Grade A22  
(annual salary range \$39,836 -  
\$80,256) by reclassifying the  
vacant Community Development  
Director position Pay Grade A23  
(annual salary range \$56,334 -  
\$85,210), and authorizing the  
assignment of the position of  
Principal Planner to the  
Department of Engineering and  
Planning. The Principal Planner  
position will provide oversight to  
the community development sec-  
tion of the Engineering & Planning  
Department. Recommended by  
the Human Resources Director  
and the City Manager.

6. Adopt Resolution No. 1901 to  
authorize account agreement and  
association documents with  
MBNA America (Delaware), and  
approve contract with MBNA to

administer purchasing card pro-  
gram. Recommended by the  
Finance Director and the City  
Manager.

7. Establish a block pay for opera-  
tional/shift Battalion Chiefs so the  
Fire Department can replace a  
Battalion Chief with a Battalion  
Lieutenants. Recommended by  
the Fire Chief and the City  
Manager.

8. Approve amended loan agree-  
ment with the Sanford Airport  
Authority to extend the original  
amount of \$388,075 to \$510,075,  
to provide 25% matching FDOT  
grant funds for the purchase of  
additional land to expand Runway  
9L-27R; funding from General  
Fund Reserves. Recommended  
by the City Manager. (WS-4.A.)

- Add-on items.
- Information only.
- City Attorney's Report.
- City Clerk's Report.
- City Manager's Report.
- Citizen Participation.
- City Commissioners' Reports.

ADVICE TO THE PUBLIC: IF A  
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407-330-5626 48 HOURS IN  
ADVANCE OF THE MEETING.

## Sports

## Briefs

## BRIEF REGISTER TO BE HONORED

Winter Springs High School boys basketball coach Mark Register, Winter Springs High School girls basketball coach Setsy Register and Conway High School boys basketball and football coach Tom Schroeder have been selected as Florida Citrus County Foundation's 2001-02 School Coaches of the Year in Roanoke, Seminole and Ocala counties, respectively.

The coaches will be recognized and receive their awards at the Florida Citrus County Annual Meeting on Wednesday (April 10) at Universal Orlando. The coaches' respective school foundations will receive a check in the amount of \$2,500 honoring their achievements.

In her five years at Winter Springs High School, Register has led the WSHS girls' basketball teams to four consecutive state Final Four appearances with two state Championships and one second place finish. Her players maintain self-discipline on the campus, good grades in the classroom, and an intense work ethic both on and off the court that is reflective of the work ethic instilled by Coach Register. The WSHS Girls Basketball program is a model throughout the state. Wherever the Lady Bears travel, they become a favorite of the people present because of their hustle, teamwork and good sportsmanship.

## SAC WEIGHTLIFTING

The Seminole Athletic Conference Boys Weightlifting Championships will be held in Bill Fleming Memorial Gymnasium at Seminole High School on Saturday, April 13th starting at 10 a.m.

## POP WARNER

## SIGNUPS

The Seminole Youth Football and Cheerleading Association (SYFA) will be holding registration for the Fall Pop Warner Football League season next Saturday (April 13) at the Sanford Wal-Mart.

Players will also be able to register for the Jeff Blake Football Camp to be held at Seminole High School on Saturday, May 4th from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

For more information call 866-OUR-SYFA or e-mail at [syfafopwarner@hotmail.com](mailto:syfafopwarner@hotmail.com).

## FLORIDA SPRING FOOTBALL

Sunshine Network will present statewide delayed coverage of the Florida Gators' 2002 Orange & Blue Spring Football Game from Ben Hill Griffin Stadium on Sunday, April 14th at 10 a.m. during "Breakfast with the Gators."

The game, which takes place this Saturday, April 6, will replay on Wednesday, April 24, at 11 p.m.

Providing commentary for the game will be Larry Vettel, Sunshine's Gator football play-by-play announcer, and for mer Gator great and Sunshine analyst Nat Moore, plus sideline reporter James Bates.

## CASSELBERRY REC. LEAGUES

The City of Casselberry Parks and Recreation Department will be accepting registrations for youth flag football (ages 7-12), youth cheerleading (ages 5-17), and a 3-on-3 adult basketball league.

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## Rams romp to 20th victory

By Dean Smith  
Sports Editor

**LAKE MARY** — The Lake Mary baseball team continued its record-setting pace and staked a claim for the No. 1 ranking in the state poll as they crushed New Smyrna Beach, 15-2, at Allen Tuttle Field Tuesday night.

Christian Rosado and Greg Courcy hit back-to-back home runs in the fourth inning to lead the Rams' 13 hit attack. Kris Vigue went three-for-three with a double and an RBI.

Tim Thomas picked up his first victory of the season, pitching four innings and striking out seven in relief of starter

## Lake Mary has no trouble with New Smyrna Beach

Rahul Patel.

The win was the 20th without a defeat for No. 3 Class 6A state ranked Lake Mary heading into a Class 6A-District 3 showdown with Seminole at Historic Sanford Memorial Stadium Friday night.

With a victory, the Rams will move up to at least No. 2 in the poll next week as this week's No. 1, Apopka, suffered its second straight 1-0 loss of the week, this

time to West Orange.

Lake Mary will wrap up district play next week with a pair of tough contests, taking on DeLand at Conrad Park on Tuesday and then returning home to battle Lake Brantley at Tuttle Field on Wednesday. Both games will begin at 7 p.m.

Seminole High School also tuned up for the battle with an impressive win

over the Barracudas, blanking New Smyrna Beach, 7-0, in a make-up game Thursday night at Historic Sanford Memorial Stadium.

The game was originally set for Alumni Field on Wednesday, but afternoon showers on both days made the SHS surface unplayable and the game was moved downtown.

Dominic Petracca had a huge game on offense for the Fighting Seminoles, going 2-for-4 with a double and driving in four runs.

Matt Freeman was the winning pitcher, allowing two runs and striking out three in 5-1/3 innings of work.

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## Big boppers are back

## ASA Super Qualifier on tap this weekend

By Dean Smith  
Sports Editor

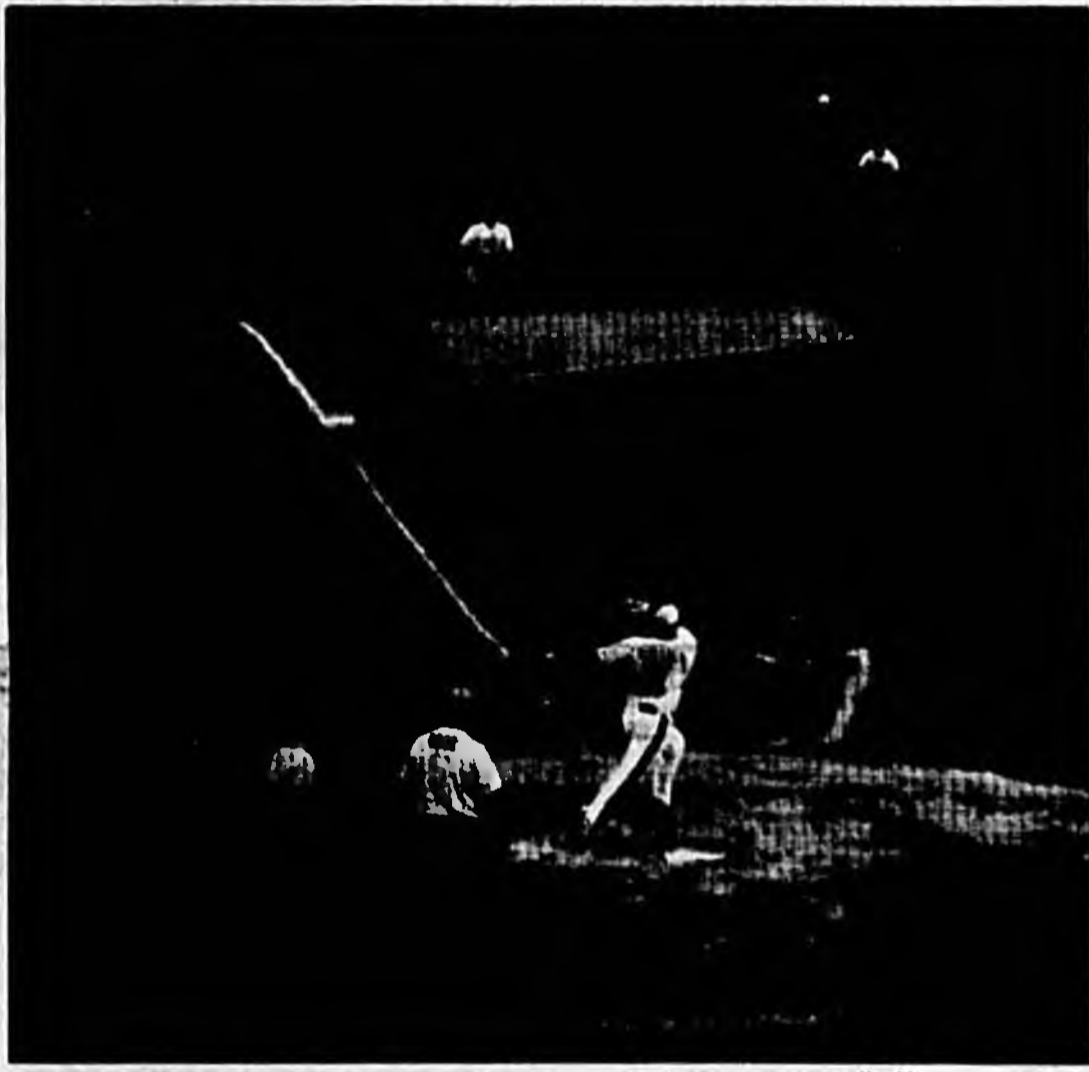
**SANFORD** — The 7th Annual Super Seminole Spring Classic, a Men's Super Slow-Pitch qualifying tournament, is being held for the first time in Sanford today and tomorrow.

In the past the tournament was held at the Seminole Softball Complex in Altamonte Springs, but was moved to Historic Sanford Memorial Stadium and Zinn Beck Field so the teams could see where they could be playing in September at the World Series if they earn a spot.

This is just one of several qualifying tournaments being held this weekend and throughout the summer at locations around the country to decide the teams that will make up the World Series in the Fall.

Six teams have committed to attend the tournament that is being co-run by the Central Florida Amateur Softball Association and the City of Sanford.

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Jeff Wallace blasts one of his World Series Tournament best home runs at Historic Sanford Memorial Stadium last Fall. The ASA Super teams will be in Sanford this weekend to play in a qualifying tournament trying to earn a trip to the 2002 ASAUSA World Series that will be held here this September.

## SHS grads lead Daytona past SCC in baseball

By Dean Smith  
Sports Editor

**DAYTONA BEACH** — It's the most horrifying thing that can happen to a college coach.

Getting beat by a hometown player on another team.

At least it was on the road. Former Seminole High School stars Angelo Petracca and Jacob Davis ended up being the stars of the game as Petracca scored the winning run and Davis was the winning pitcher as Daytona Beach Community College edged Seminole Community College, 6-5, in a Mid-Florida Conference baseball game Tuesday night on the east coast.

The Raiders had rallied for four runs in the top of the ninth inning to tie the game at 5-5, but Davis, a freshman righthander, came on to strike out the final two men he faced with the go-ahead run on second.

In the bottom of the ninth inning, Petracca, a freshman third baseman who was 0-for-3 with a walk to that point in the game, led off the inning with a single, moved around to third on a sacrifice and a passed ball, and scored the winning run on

a single by Ryan Ghianda.

SCC fell to 22-19 overall and 7-6 in the conference, while the Falcons improved to 14-20 overall and 6-7 in the M-FC.

The Raiders will host Florida Community College at Jacksonville in a crucial three-game Mid-Florida Conference series this weekend.

The series was to have begun on Friday and the two teams will square off in a doubleheader today (Saturday) beginning at noon.

SCC will then host Central Florida Community College from Ocala in a single game at 3 p.m. on Tuesday at Raider Field before heading to Palatka for a three-game series with St. Johns River Community College next Friday and Saturday.

The Raiders took a 1-0 lead in the top of the first inning on Tuesday when Lyman's J.T. Williamson walked with one out, stole second, took third on a wild pitch and scored on a two-out single by Donnie Burkhalter.

DBCC tied the game in the bottom of the second inning and then took the lead on a two-run home run by Tim Orlosky in the fifth inning.

The Falcons added insurance runs in the

sixth and eighth innings, on a Jon Roberts home run, and led 5-1 going to the ninth.

Tommy Solitario led off the frame with a single and scored one out later when Brian Machek blasted a two-run home run. Ben Sprague, who had singled and doubled earlier in the game, then ripped a triple and David came on in relief.

Pinch-hitter Devin Williams greeted Davis with a run-scoring single and moved around to third on a stolen base and wild pitch as Dan Quartararo walked.

Davis then balked home the tying run, but stopped further damage with back-to-back strike outs, setting the stage for Petracca.

Sprague finished the game 3-for-4 with the triple and double and scored a run to lead a nine-hit SCC attack.

Also contributing were Machek (2-for-4, home run, run, two RBI), Burkhalter (2-for-4, double, RBI), Williams (single, run, RBI), Solitario (single, run) and Williamson (run).

## FALCONS &amp; RAIDERS 5

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## SCC softball teams moves into sole possession of third place

By Dean Smith  
Sports Editor

**SANFORD** — It was not exactly what Seminole Community College softball coach Courtney Miller wanted, but she'll take it.

After splitting a crucial Mid-Florida Conference doubleheader with Daytona Beach Community College on Tuesday,

the Raiders returned to Raider Field to host Central Florida Community College from Ocala on Thursday in another big M-FC doubleheader.

SCC got another strong performance from freshman sensation Lacey Swarouth as they blanked the Patriots, 4-0, in the first game.

The second game was not played as thunder storms and

lightning moved over the area, but that actually helped the Raiders move into sole possession of third place in the conference race as DBCC split its doubleheader with M-FC co-leader Florida Community College at Jacksonville.

SCC is now 33-12 overall and 13-6 in the conference with the second CFCC game to be made up at Raider Field on Monday,

April 15th. DBCC fell to 32-12 and 14-7. Heading into this week's play, FCC-J and Lake City were tied for the conference lead with 13-3 records.

The Raiders are playing in the Daytona Beach Tournament in Port Orange today and Sunday and will return home on Tuesday to host FCC-J in what will be the biggest games of the season so far. The doubleheader

begins at 2:30 p.m.

The week got off to a tough start for SCC as Daytona edged the Raiders 1-0 in the first game of Tuesday's doubleheader despite being outth, 6-2.

The only run of the game came in the third inning when two walks and a single loaded the bases with one out. The next

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## Big-time stock car series at Smyrna

Special to the Herald

**SAMSULA** — If you like big-time racing and want to see potential NASCAR and Busch stars of the future then you want to be at New Smyrna Speedway tonight.

Defending champion Bobby Gill, Mike Laughling Jr., Mario Gosselin, Nill Plemons Jr., Dave Pletcher, Shane Huffman, and Hall Goodson as well as the Hooter's Girls will be among those on hand tonight (Saturday) when the popular USAR (United Speed Alliance Racing) Hooter's Pro Cup Series pays a visit to NSS.

In addition to the 250-lap race, the April 6th card will also have heats and features for the Modifieds and Super Stocks only.

Grandstands will open at noon with qualifying at 4 p.m. and an autograph session with the drivers and Hooter's Girls at 6 p.m. Racing action begins at 7:30 p.m.

NSS is located 10 miles South of Daytona Beach, between I-4 (Exit 56, East) and I-95 (Exit 84, West) at the intersection of Highway 44 & State Road 415 in Samsula, between New Smyrna Beach, DeLand, Sanford and Daytona Beach.

For more information on the Hooters race call the FASCAR offices at (386) 427-4129 (New Smyrna), or check the Internet site at [WWW.NEWSMYR-NASPEDWAY.COM](http://WWW.NEWSMYR-NASPEDWAY.COM), or E-Mail at [FASCARNOW@AOL.COM](mailto:FASCARNOW@AOL.COM).

Also you are invited to tune in to Daytona's WND-AM 1150 "The new VOICE of Stock Car Racing!" every Monday night from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m. following the Benny Parsons Show.

This is a radio show that is devoted to Short Track Stock Car Racing and is sponsored by FASCAR and hosted by Randy Dye of Speedway Dodge and Tommy Tipton from New Smyrna Speedway. They will take your calls and answer questions at 386-239-0033.

You can listen to the radio show anywhere in the United States via the Internet!!! Log on to [www.wndb.com](http://www.wndb.com). Give them a call and support "your" radio show!

Last Saturday (March 30th) the Modified Light and Pro See Racing, Page 2B

Racing

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Challenge Cup cars took center stage on the high-banked half-mile speedway.
The modified light machines staged a classic battle as David Lynn out duelled Brian Paradis and Mike Landis for the win.
"这些都是伟大的赛车手..."

record the mini stock victory. In the heat race Vulpius and Grenier had touched causing Grenier to spin.
These two drivers are great friends and haven't touched each other on the speedway in many years.
Skip Honaker fought his way to victory in the Modified feature, Dale Clouser piloted his bright red race car to a win in the sportsman event...

"This was a great race," Succone said. "This is my second win. Thanks to all of the other drivers and the crowd."
In other racing action, Jared Allison took the checkers in the super late model feature, Cory Freed won the super stock event, Kelly Jarrett held on to a very loose race car to take top honors...

- Lucas: 4. (5) David Drager; 5. (23) Richard Hight; 6. (77) Dewey Schauer; 7. (7) Bill Hall; 8. (51) John Fry; 9. (64) Doug Swann...
SUPER STOCK: 1. (12) Cory Freed; 2. (11) Dick Jones; 3. (50) Jeff Wright; 4. (1) Carl Peters; 5. (1) Larry McCormick...

Baseball

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Following the game with Lake Mary, the Tribe will be idle until Wednesday when they travel to Oviedo to take on the Lions in a Class 6A-District 3 game at Mikler Field starting at 7 p.m.
Seminole will also host Flagler Palm Coast on Thursday at Alumni Field starting at 6 p.m. on Thursday and travel to Port Orange for a game against Spruce Creek on Friday at 7:30 p.m.

overall and 3-4 in the district. Brantley dropped to 16-4 and 4-3.
With the game tied at 2-2 going into the ninth, Brantley's Scott Swanson hit a sacrifice fly to center to score Jeff Dietz, who had reached on a single and moved to second on a sacrifice bunt.
Emary Frederick (6-2) came on to replace starter Chase Home and got the win despite facing only three Patriots batters.

contest. Cory Norman took one pitch before Sutton's next toss went past the catcher and Levi came home with the winning run.
On Wednesday, Vinters was the winning pitcher, throwing a complete game and striking out six.
Horal led the offense, going 2-for-3, while Dobbins was 1-for-2 with two RBI.
Winter Springs picked up a win on Wednesday, also, as Wick hurled a five-inning no-hitter and striking out eight as the Bears blanked Knox Central of Kentucky, 9-0.

- BANDOLERO: 1. (4) Patrick Conrad; 2. (21) Eric Nasdes; 3. (3) Kory Abbott; 4. (63) Dalton Zehr; 5. (7) Matt Martin; 6. (32) Dana Layton...
SUPER LATE MODELS: 1. (32) Jared Allison; 2. (10) Eric Black; 3. (3) Mark Emberson; 4. (20) Ron Diamond; 5. (67) Rusty Ebersole...

- NEW SEMINOLE SPEEDWAY Saturday, March 30
LATE MODEL: 1. (28) Mike Murphy; 2. (77) Brian Bellow; 3. (67) Chad Allman; 4. (3) Earl Beckner; 5. (86) Cynthia Strahley...
MODIFIED: 1. (2) Skip Honaker; 2. (99) Jeff Anderson; 3. (7) Mark Vandevander; 4. (4) Alan Brown; 5. (19) Chapter Paschal...

Briefs

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For more information on the leagues, or for information about becoming a volunteer coach, please call 407-696-5189.
ASTHMA ATHLETE SCHOLARSHIPS
The expanded "Will to Win" program for high school scholar-athlete will grant \$100,000 to 11 high school seniors who have excelled in athletics in spite of the challenge of asthma.
The grand prize winner will receive a \$20,000 Gold Award, with four Silver and six Bronze Award winners each receiving \$12,500 and \$5,000, respectively.

sion is July 8th-through-12th at Lake Howell High School.
This 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. day camp for boys and girls ages 5-1/2 to 15 will also include indoor soccer in an air-conditioned gym.
For registration brochures and information, contact camp director Larry McCorkle at 407-320-9557 or 407-320-9708 during the day or 407-695-2131 in the evening or download the application form from the website at http://HOME.CFL.RR.COM/SOCCER-SCHOOL.
UCF BASKETBALL CAMPS
The University of Central Florida/Kirk Speraw Basketball Camp will be holding four sessions this summer.
The camps are open to players ages 7-to-17 and begin a 9 a.m. and end a 4 p.m. daily. Each camper will receive a camp basketball, camp t-shirt, and a daily lunch. All campactivities will be held in the (air-conditioned) UCF Arena.
Camp dates are:
Session I June 3-6.
Session II June 17-21.
Shooting Camp June 22.
Session III June 24-28.

Qualifier

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Sanford Recreation and Parks Department.
The event began at 8 a.m. this morning (Saturday) with a Round Robin and the Double Elimination Tournament begins at 3 p.m. today and concludes on Sunday afternoon.
The Round Robin Schedule starts at 8 a.m. on Rinker-Stenstrom Field with Hague/Resmondo taking on All Pro Collision-Stadium.
At 9:30 a.m., Team Mizuno faces local entry Seadogs-Stadium.
There will be two games at 11 a.m. with Hague/Resmondo facing Mid-State Mizuno-Stadium in the Stadium and

Team Mizuno playing T.R. Stucco at Zinn Beck Field.
The final two games will be at 12:30 p.m. with Mid-State Mizuno battling All-Pro Collision-Stadium at Zinn Beck and T.R. Stucco taking on Seadogs-Stadium at the Stadium.
The first round of the Double Elimination Tournament will have the Seadogs playing Mid-State Mizuno in the Stadium and All Pro Collision challenging T.R. Stucco at Zinn Beck Field at 3 p.m.
The winner of the Seadogs-Mid-State Mizuno game will play Hague/Resmondo at 4:30 p.m. at the Stadium and the All-Pro Collision-T.R. Stucco winner will tackle Team Mizuno at 6 p.m. at the Stadium.
Loser's Bracket games will be played at both the Stadium and Zinn Beck Field at 7:30 p.m. and the Winner's Bracket final will be played at the Stadium at 9 p.m.
On Sunday, all games will be played at the Stadium with the Loser's Bracket semifinals at 9 a.m. and the Loser's Bracket final at 10:30 a.m.
The first Championship Game will be played at noon with the winner-take-all 'If Necessary' Game (if both teams having one loss) being contested at 1:30 p.m.
For more information contact the Historic Sanford Memorial Stadium at 407-328-3773.

Raiders

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player grounded to short, allowing the run to score.
Blake Hoorelbeke (13-6) was the tough-luck loser, giving up just the two hits.
Offensively, Hoorelbeke, Lake Mary's Rachel Bradley, Yo Johnson, Kim Stork, Stacey Spell and Kristin Hughes had one single each.
SCC turned the tables in the nightcap, scoring single runs in the third and fourth inning to pull out a 2-1 triumph.
Hoorelbeke singled in Sissy Daughtry with the third inning run and Ovidio's Katie Field, who singled, scored what proved to be the winning run on a single by Stork.
Swarthout, who gave up five hits, was tagged for an unearned run in the sixth inning.
Hoorelbeke led the way on offense, going 2-for-3 with the RBI. Field and Daughtry were both 1-for-3 with a run scored, while Stork was 1-for-2 with the game-winning RBI and Spell was 1-for-3.
The Patriots actually hit Swarthout (18-6) about as hard as anyone has all season, getting eight singles off the Colonial righthander.
But she refused to buckle, striking out six and stranding 11 CFCC runners.
The Raiders scored all four of their runs in the third inning.
The outburst started when Lori Schnepf

Table with columns: TEAM, W, L, R, P, ERA, AVG, HR, BB, K, IP, etc. Includes rows for Seminoles Community College, Daytona Beach Community College, UCF, etc.

CHILDREN'S HEALTH FAIR
On Sunday, April 21st, families will descend on the Jewish Community Center to participate in the 2nd Annual Children's Health and Safety Fair.
This free community wide event, sponsored in part by Florida Children's Hospital, Century National Bank, and Publix Supermarket Charities, presents all sorts of exciting activities from various medical screens to zoo animals and birds of prey!
The Orlando Predators will bring their Giant Slide, Quarterback Challenge, and Obstacle Run, while the Orange County Sheriff's Department will demonstrate car seat safety.
Children will be able to experiment with educational toys and create a variety of craft projects. There will be clowns, balloons, face painting and food!
"This annual event gives a wealth of information to the families in our community," said Herb Cohen, Assistant Executive Director at the JCC, "as well as giveaways, rides and lots of hands on fun!"
The JCC is located at 851 North Maitland Avenue and the Fair will run from 11:30 a.m.-to-3 p.m., rain or shine.
For further information, call Sylvia Pansak at 407-645-5933, extension 259.
SEMINOLE SOCCER SCHOOL
The 23rd annual Seminole Soccer School offers two weeks of instruction this summer at two sites in the county.
The first week is May 28th-through-June 1st at Lake Mary High School and the second ses-

session is July 8th-through-12th at Lake Howell High School.
This 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. day camp for boys and girls ages 5-1/2 to 15 will also include indoor soccer in an air-conditioned gym.
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YOUTH BASEBALL PLAYERS NEEDED FOR AUSTRALIAN TRIP
The Coast to Coast Baseball Stars are now seeking 11-18 year old players from Florida who would like the opportunity to represent the United States at a two-week summer 2002 tournament in Australia.
"Selected players will have the chance to compete against some of the world's best teams, explore famous sights like the Australian Outback and the Great Barrier Reef, and learn about a distinct culture," said Kevin Ritter, program director. "It's a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity."
Team age groups include 11-12, 13-15, and 16-18. The squads are led by top college coaches and pro scouts who provide a unique perspective on what it's like to play at the game's highest level.
For more information, E-mail info@coasttocoastathletics.com, call 740-373-4455, or visit the website at www.coasttocoastathletics.com.
NABA INVITATIONAL BASEBALL TOURNEY
The National Amateur Baseball Association is currently looking for youth and/or High School baseball players ages 13-15, 16-18, and 20 and Under that would like to be a part of the 2002 National Invitational Wooden Bat Tournament to be held in the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome (home of the Minnesota Twins) June 13-16 and June 20-23.
All interested parties should contact Michael E. Mayden for a registration form or additional information at 773-264-1040. Space is limited.

LEGALS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO. 01-CA-1861-14-W
CHARLES L. SARAGONA, JR., Trustee of the Charles J. Saragona Revocable Trust, Plaintiff, vs. RICHARD L. HOWELL, DANNE ELZE and DEBORAH SMITH, his wife, Defendants.
NOTICE OF SALE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, MARYANNE MORSE, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Seminole County, Florida, will on the 23rd day of April, 2002, at 11:00 a.m., at the west front door of the Seminole County Courthouse, 301 North Park Avenue, Sanford, Florida, shall offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property in Seminole County, Florida, to wit:
Parcel 1, Lot 16, of Florida Land and Colonization Company's Addition to South Sanford, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 73, of the Public Records of Seminole County, Florida. Parcel 1: Lot 10, Block 7, Tier B, Town of Sanford, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 58, of the Public Records of Seminole County, Florida.
pursuant to Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above styled pending cause.
WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court this 1 day of April, 2002.
MARYANNE MORSE
Clerk of the Circuit Court
By: Mary Group
As Deputy Clerk
STEPHEN H. COOVER
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## A taste of the Rockies

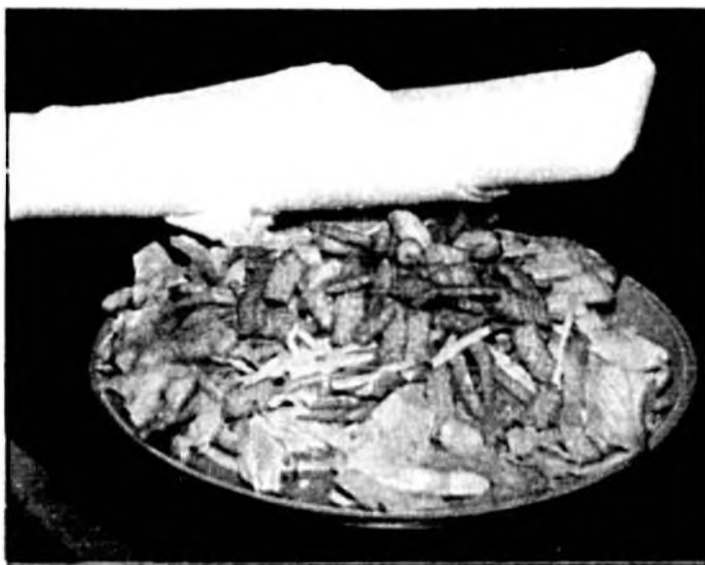
Colorado Fondue Company offers unique dining experience

**G**et away to the snow-capped Rocky Mountains — or at least feel

like it — and enjoy a dining experience like no other in this area. Be transported to a tin-roofed porch of a Colorado log cabin where you devour delicious course after course after course of unique Colorado feast. I will warn you now — you will not be able to finish the heavenly, chocolaty dessert no matter how much room you try to save. Did I mention that the price for this is so low that when you look at your final bill you will swear that it is a mistake? I did.

Colorado Fondue Company is the dream come true restaurant creation of owner Blake Alders. Celebrating his 10th year, Blake has stayed true to vision — to bring you a dining experience that captures the awe and feeling of standing at the foot of the Rockies.

Be careful not to let the name fool you. This is not your typical fondue dinner. In addition to the fondue pot your server brings to your table, there is a polished block of granite that is cooks at 700 degrees. You can leisurely fondue your succulent pieces of sirloin, chicken, shrimp or fish (the fish is fresh every day) or you can cook them on the granite surface. It's fast and fun. I recommend doing both. You get



Colorado Fondue Company's Mountain Mix salad is hearty enough to be a meal. This mix of cheeses, nuts, chopped carrots and a real honey-dijon ranch-style dressing is truly enhanced by the nutty-crunchy taste and texture of the sesame sticks.

the total flavor from both methods of cooking. If you use just the granite block, your food will cook so quickly you will not be able to keep up.



Elizabeth Dougherty  
Culinary Capers



Upon your arrival, you are greeted at the door by Blake or a hostess and if you look carefully over their shoulder you will see a chalkboard report of snow conditions for local Colorado ski resorts.

The atmosphere is warm and inviting. There are sparkly lit ficus trees, log cabin exteriors, home made wooden benches, tree branches, and tables ideally spaced to give you privacy in an open setting. There were romantic couples, laughing families, friends getting together — all having great times in an entertaining and non-rushed atmosphere.

Let's talk food. It is delicious and there is way too much of it — that's a good thing.

The salads are real food, not the usual soggy lettuce and a quartered tomato. The Marinated Mushroom salad had the coldest, freshest, crispest lettuce I have ever had. This may not seem like much, but when they take that much care with the lettuce you know they're serious about quality. The mild crunch of the shredded carrots mixed perfectly with the tangy marinated mushrooms and the not-too-sweet raspberry vinaigrette dressing.

Equally impressive was the



The Colorado Fondue Company has a Rocky Mountain cabin atmosphere while offering a unique dining experience. The main course is a combination of two cooking styles — including the granite cooking stone.

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Our ever-available but non-intrusive server, Brad brings us a cheese fondue appetizer with an assortment of bread and fruit. Although there are several appetizer choices, we put them to the test and chose the traditional blend of Swiss Emmenthaler and Gruyere cheeses. It was blended perfectly, smooth-not grainy, rich and just mildly tangy. A quick warning, the cheese at the very bottom of the fondue pot is VERY hot. You may want to wait a microsecond or two before devouring every last morsel.

As mention, the main course is a combination of two cooking styles, a delicately spiced fondue broth (it is chicken based but they have vegetarian on request) and the granite cooking stones (how do they heat them up to 700 degrees?). Some of the entrees are: Breast of Chicken — marinated with a blend of Oriental and American west spices; delicately flavored Sirloin; Filet Mignon lightly seasoned with garlic and fresh pepper that mix well with the marinade; Tiger Shrimp with a mildly spicy

peppery taste; and De La Mer — Blake only serves whatever is fresh that day. We were there when the Mahi was fresh and it was tremendous. All meals come with mushroom caps, mixed veggies, pasta, red-skinned potatoes to cook a la fondue. The rolls are wonderfully warm and buttery with an herb flavor that seems addictive.

You become quite the mini chef as you fondue and use the hot rock. Conversation flows, as does the wine (or sparkling water) and the food actually becomes the entertainment.

The dipping sauces are the key to a great taste combination. There are four and they are all great — Red Pepper, Oriental Mustard, Plum Teriyaki and Creamy Dill. I loved all of them and you will too (order extra Plum Teriyaki).

A secret tip from Brad: fondue the mushroom caps, fill them with creamy dill sauce and then roast the bottom on the hot rock. It's a little extra effort, but don't miss out on this taste.

Are you full yet? We were but had yet to order dessert. You MUST have the dessert, even if you have to make a special trip. Your choices for a chocolaty fondue dessert seem endless: Dark Chocolate Mint, Amaretto White Chocolate, Raspberry White

Swirl, and Pralines and Cream. Or you can create your own combinations! We had them create a Dark Chocolate Fondue accented with Raspberry Liquor. A silver tray of pieces of bananas, moist chocolate brownies, marshmallows, strawberries, pound cake, ladyfingers, graham crackers, and grapes was almost too much for me to take. It was the perfect ending to an incredible meal.

Take it from me, if I didn't like it, I wouldn't write about it. Now I would like to leave you with an excerpt from Blake's Mission Statement: "Colorado is a tonic for mind and body, a bracer for the soul, a place where both daydreamer and adventurer exercise the spirit."

Colorado Fondue Company — it's definitely worth the trip! Colorado Fondue Company is located at the corner of Red Bug Lake Road and S.R. 436 in the Greater Market Plaza next to Winn Dixie.

The restaurant's phone number is 407-767-8232.

Elizabeth Dougherty is a member of the International Association of Culinary Professionals and the Florida Restaurant Association. She is currently renovating a former bed and breakfast in Sanford where she will teach classes and begin a foundation to educate youngsters about food and food etiquette. Her Web site is [www.theculinarycapers.com](http://www.theculinarycapers.com)



# Stone canvases

*Rock critters come to life under the careful strokes of Siler's paintbrush*

By Michelle Jerla  
Managing Editor

When some people find rocks on the banks of a creek or in their backyards, they may see a good skipping stone or landscape fixture.

Not Faye Siler. When she finds a stone, the first image that comes to mind is an animal — although it may take a few minutes to determine what animal.

Nevertheless, then the rock finally does tell Siler what cute creature it is, she grabs her paintbrushes and makes the new canvas come to life.

"I look at a rock and almost immediately know what animal it is," Siler said. "It becomes obvious, as if, what else could it be."

Siler is a rock painter. From small pebbles to 20-pound rocks, many of her acrylic-painted critters can be found in gardens and yards throughout Seminole County and the East Coast.

Siler started painting as a young child, but it wasn't until about eight years ago she decided to create rock animals.

"I found my first rock to paint while I was visiting Tennessee," she said. "My mother-in-law thought I was going to dig up the whole yard while looking for rocks."

Siler said the rock paintings were a side item she took with her when attending outdoor art festivals.

"I needed a small item that people could purchase, and it had to be something different," Siler said.

It is an idea that's worked. Siler has built a strong clientele during the past few years.

"There's one lady who comes to Olde Lake Mary Days each year and buys five rocks each time," Siler said. "She buys them for family members."

Siler's collection has an animal for

everyone. Her menagerie includes everything from turtles to parrots. She's painted fish, cats, dogs, and even wilder creatures, including lions.

"The fun is trying to figure out just what each rock wants to be," she said.

Siler estimates she's painted about 800 rocks during the past eight years. Each rock takes about an hour to paint, which varies depending on the intricacies of an animal.

"The hardest animal I've painted is the lion," she said. "The oddest is the skunk."

Everyone has a favorite character. Siler said, however, men typically like the foxes and women like the parrots. Siler's favorite rock animal is the cat.

"It's my favorite, because most rocks look like cats."

Painting rocks is becoming a family tradition in the Siler family. The Sanford artist is currently teaching her niece, who lives in North Carolina, how to create her own rock critters.

"It started as a relaxing hobby, but she is now getting a clientele of her own," Siler said.

Although more people are beginning to recognize Siler as the Rock Lady, she continues with her other forms of painting, including watercolor. Her work is now being showcased at the Willow Tree Restaurant in Sanford.

"I enjoy painting wildlife, and I love Indian stuff," she said.

Siler's traditional style of painting has enabled her to win numerous awards and honors at local, state and national art shows, including the recent Sunniland Peacha Wiggins Award at the

Sanford/Seminole Art Association Membership Show. She also received the Mayors Award at last month's Olde Lake Mary Days for her booth, which included both rock animals and scenic paintings.

Even with all the accolades, Siler's priority is creating objects people enjoy. She said she never takes herself too seriously — she just loves to do her artwork.

"You never stop learning about art and the wonderful beauty of nature," she said.

Anyone interested in purchasing a rock painting can call Siler at 407-322-5684.

"If anyone wants a rock that looks like their pet, just call me up," Siler said. "I paint little rocks and big rocks. Actually, I paint anything that stands still."

Faye Siler of Sanford begins painting an owl on a rock. For the past eight years, she's painted more than 800 rock critters.



Herald photos by Tommy Vincent

### Rowell's one-act 'Negatives' planned for Fringe Festival

Steve A. Rowell's one-act, "Negatives" will be presented at the Orlando International Fringe Festival in Orlando. The event will be held in May.

"Negatives" is a one-act play dealing frankly with racism. The audience is confronted with two opposite individuals involved in an argument over race. An African-American man in

white face and a Caucasian man in black face force the audience to rethink their own view and convictions.

The Orlando Fringe Festival is a 10-day celebration of the theatrical and performing arts held in the streets, theaters and converted office spaces in downtown Orlando. The 10th annual festival is the premier spring event in Central Florida.

The festival encompasses more than 500 shows, the Visual Fringe — an outdoor stage with nightly concerts — the Fringe Frolic Parade and Kids Fringe.

"Negatives" will also be included in Bailiwick's Directors Festival in Chicago this summer. The performance will be directed by Jeff Croff of Icarus Falling Productions.

### Spring Fling Fashion Show April 12

The Seminole County Extension Family and Community Education (FCE) Volunteers is hosting its annual Spring Fling Fashion Show and Luncheon 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, April 12, at the Seminole County Extension Auditorium, located at 250 W. County Home Road in Sanford.

Special guest speaker will be Tom MacCubbin, Orange County Extension urban horticulture agent. The fashion show will be Lily Pad Florida Fashion. Lunch will be served at noon.

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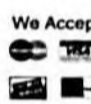


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# More than 300 people attend fifth annual Head Start Training Institute

Florida Head Start Association held its fifth Training Institute in March at the Hilton Altamonte Springs.

This year's theme was "Impacting the 21st Century," said Florida Head Start President William S. Fillmore Jr. It is indicative of the community's commitment to providing quality services to children and families.

Fillmore said it also shows that we fully endorse and embrace the regional office's initiative of "Impacting the 21st Century," also known as the "High Five."

Last year at the institute, they kicked off the year of Male Involvement, the Nurturing Father's Program. During this year's conference, Head Start welcomed the Florida Heads Up! Reading program.

More than 3000 professionals, staff, parents, community partners and friends attended the event. The Head Start of Orange County, the Community Coordinated Care for Children, and the 4C Head Start of Asocial and Seminole counties shared in hosting the institute of 2002.

Opening session with conference Chairman Eric Scott presiding saw the gathering of many national and state Head Start leaders. Keynote speaker for the opening session was Darnell Byrd-Baptiste, director of the multi-county pre-school and Early Head Start program in South Carolina, which services more than 1,600 families and children.

To serve and inform the many attendees to the institute, more than 35 workshops were offered to the directors, staff, parents and friends — all focusing on specific concerns for the participants.

Wednesday evening's dinner was presided over by Orange County Head Start Director Dr. Patricia Spaulding. Introduction of Dr. Willie D. Larkin, president and CEO of Mind Over Matter Presentation Inc., was done by Deloris C. Johnson, treasurer of FHS Association and CEO of the Agricultural and Labor Program Inc. Dr. Larkin was the keynote speaker for the evening's dinner session.

Greetings were given by Grey Williams, Osceola and Seminole counties Head Start policy council chairman and also by the executive director of 4C, Dorothy Dukes.

The entertainment for the luncheon was the talented creative dancers from the Rescue Church of Sanford.

After a delicious lunch, President Fillmore presented the speaker of the hour, Carlis V. Williams, the southeast hub director for the Department of Health and Human Services/Administration for children and families based in Atlanta. The southeast hub consists of Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, Kentucky, North and South Carolina and Mississippi.



Marva Hawkins

Williams said her philosophy of life is, "Life is for others — everyone is special."

On Thursday morning, the four-day institute closing breakfast and Head Start T-shirt day was highlighted with Florida's native, Sarah M. Greene, who serves as president and CEO of the national Head Start Association, which is located in Alexandria, Va. Greene acts as ambassador and advocate for the entire Head Start community. She is regularly invited to testify before Congress and is on forums that sets policy and direction.

President Fillmore was honored for his leadership, dedication and devotion to the Florida Head Start Association. He serves as executive director of Penellas County Head Start. He is a leader committed to children, families and people.

Head Start — The nation's pride.

Crooms Academy Classes of the '50s will meet 9:30 a.m. Saturday, April 6, in St. Paul Baptist Church Education Building, located at 813 Pine Ave.

All Crooms Academy graduates and former students are invited to attend if you wish to be part of the 2002 reunion.

For information, call Richard "Dick" Evans, chairperson, at 407-323-1802.

Crooms Academy Sophomore Class of 1972 is holding a reunion meeting 10 a.m. Saturday, April 6, in the Sanford Library.

All interested class members are invited to attend.

The Harbor Literacy and Learning Center students were thrilled to take a walking field trip to distribute lovely, hand-made blankets to their elderly neighbors in Castle Brewer Court, William Clark Court and surrounding streets near the

Sanford Housing Authority, Good Samaritan Home and Redding Gardens.

Blankets were donated by the Orlando VA Healthcare Center. Appreciation is extended to Fred Holms and his associates for delivering the gorgeous hand-made lap blankets.

The Harbor students had an opportunity to practice sharing, which is highly emphasized by staff and volunteers.

Our volunteers, said Harbor director Elizabeth Graham, are very much needed. They must have patience, compassion and dedication. Volunteers read and listen to students read, offer homework or computer assistance, help in the Kids Café with afternoon meals, help students pick out incentive prizes at the seaside school store, work with students as they journey to the tutorial building at the literacy center and give them encouragement with a pat on the back or kind words.



Herald photo by Marva Hawkins. Attending the recent Training Institute were, from left, CEO of ALPI Deloris Johnson, Florida State President of Head Start William Fillmore and Keynote Speaker Carlis V. Williams.

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# Easter Lily: Aristocrat of flowers

The Easter lily, a member of the lily family, is native to Japan and grown extensively in China. A very popular flower for weddings and funerals, the Easter lily has been called the Aristocrat of flowers and white trumpet lily. Normally blooms during midsummer but forced for sale at Easter.



Al Ferrer

### The Plant

The Easter lily is about 1 to 2 feet tall, herbaceous, with long leafy stems bearing sessile, lance shaped leaves. Flowers are borne on end of the stem, individual flowers are funnel-shaped, white, fragrant, measuring 5 to 6 inches long and 4 to 5 inches wide. Flowers are composed of 6 equal petals and sepals, and each flower has 6 stamens.

### Culture

Plant in full sun. Use soil rich in organic matter but with good drainage; bulbs will rot if the soil is too wet. Soil pH should be slightly acidic, between 5.5 to 6.5. Water to moist the soil to a depth of 6 inches.

Manure fertilizers should be avoided because they may aid the growth of pathogenic fungi. Plant bulbs in fall or early spring, about 4 to 6 inches deep.

Dig planting hole 6 to 12 inches deeper than the depth of the bulbs. Replace enough soil so the bulb will be covered with twice as much soil as the height of the bulb. Space plants 10 to 12 inches apart.

Apply mulch to conserve moisture, lilies require moisture year around because the plant is always growing. After the tops turn yellow, reduce the water slightly. Overhead irrigation promotes foliar diseases and frequent

watering may induce basal rot.

Normal blooming season is spring and summer. Propagation is mainly by bulbs, but can be planted from seeds.

Use balanced fertilizers as high nitrogen fertilizers tend to produce excessive growth. Fertilize twice during the growing season with a special bulb fertilizer or 2 to 3 pounds of 6-6-6 or equivalent fertilizer per hundred square feet of bed. Remove faded flowers, but allow as many leaves as possible to remain on the plant during the growing season.

Flowering in the following season will be greatly reduced if seeds are allowed to set. When stems and leaves turn brown, cut the plant back.

Allow the bulbs to grow undisturbed until the stalks become smaller and produce fewer blooms.

After the leaves die back, dig up and divide late in June or July. Store in dry sawdust or dry peat in plastic bags.

To reduce the chance of insect and disease damage, a combination of fungicide and insecticide dust may be applied. Transplant the bulbs in the fall, making sure some roots are left intact when transplanting. It takes between 90 to 120 days from planting the bulb to blooming.

### Use

Plant on borders, clusters, flowerbeds, and for cut flowers.

As indoor plants they are



Easter Lily

difficult to grow for the average gardener, and the results are usually poor.

### Pests and Diseases

Chewing insects such as caterpillars and grasshoppers should be controlled by low toxic chemicals or hand picking. Aphids can cause direct damage by sucking plant fluids but they also transmit virus diseases.

Thrips can invade flowers during the warm, dry season, damaging petals and preventing flowering bulbs from opening.

Spider mites can also damage the bulbs by direct feeding and also transmitting organisms that produce bulb rot such as pathogenic fungi. Mealybugs can also damage lilies.

Nematodes feed on the roots and may cause direct damage to the bulbs.

Animals such as moles, pocked gophers, rabbits, and squirrels can also damage bulbs by feeding on them.

Al Ferrer is Seminole County Urban Horticulturist. Inquiries may be directed to him at the Cooperative Extension service, 250 W. County Home Road, Sanford, FL 32773 or phone 665-5558. All Seminole County Cooperative Extension services are open to all regardless of race, color, sex, handicap or national origin.

# LM Woman's Club meets an alligator

The March meeting of the Lake Mary Woman's Club was invaded by a 4-foot alligator. Luckily for the ladies, it was just visiting from the Central Florida Zoo in Sanford.



Mary Rowell

Three docents from the Education Department of the zoo brought five visitors for the women to meet. The program was "Animals From Around the World." The alligator of course, was from North America. The alligator can live further north of the equator than any of his cousins.

From Asia, the docents brought an Asian Firebellied Toad. The toad gets its name from its underside. Whenever the toad senses danger, his underside turns red.

A reptile represented Australia. The Bearded Dragon doesn't have a beard, but he does have frills of skin around his neck that stand out when he's trying to intimidate an enemy, or impress a lady. From Africa, there was a cute little hedgehog. They have very sharp quills, not unlike a porcupine, so you don't really want to pick them up.

A macaw represented South America. The beautiful brightly colored macaws are dwindling in numbers, due in large part to loss of habitat and the pet trade.

Don Kaplan was the docent who introduced the animals to the ladies. He has been teaching and volunteering at the zoo for many years. His assistants were Doris Nanstiel and Barb Geisler. Doris and Barb are fairly new graduates of the docent training program. A docent one must take a seven week course in zoology and a three week course in animal handling before they are allowed to work with the animals.

Kaplan explained neither the zoo nor the docents name the animals because

they are not pets and they don't want to give anyone the impression that any of the animals would make good pets. The Educational Department works at the Zoo and in the community. Right now, the zoo needs volunteers to work as docents, zoo crew, gardening, office work and more. For more information or to volunteer, call the Central Florida Zoo at 407-323-4450 ext. 120.

### GirlSport Day

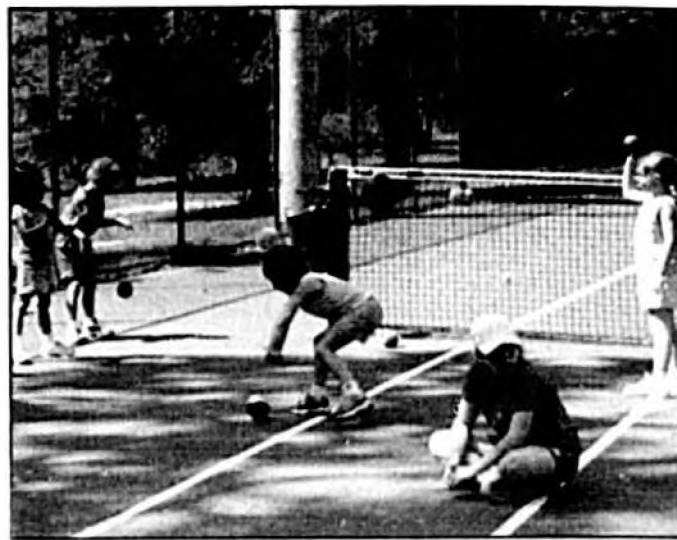
Studies have shown that girls who participate in sports have a higher self-esteem and healthier lifestyles.

GirlSport Basics is a patch that Daisy and Brownie Girl Scouts can earn by learning the basics of sports. They don't learn the rules of the game, they learn the basics of motor skills and agility that will give them what they need when they start playing team sports. When Girl Scout Troop 458 were discussing their Bronze Award Project, they decided the best project would be a GirlSport Workshop for Brownies.

The workshop was held on Friday, March 29 at Greenwood Lakes Park in Lake Mary. Twenty-five girls from 4 different troops came to the workshop. Four Juniors from Troop 458 and two girls from Troop 262 were in charge of teaching the girls the basic skills. The two girls from Troop 262 were working on their leadership award.

The Brownies learned the importance of stretching before starting any exercise or sport. They learned to throw overhand and underhand, dribble, catch and more.

This is the first year girls have been able to earn a Bronze Award. The Silver for Cadettes and the Gold Award for Seniors have been around for a long time. A Bronze Award has been debated by National Girl Scouts for several years. It was approved and published in the new Junior Handbook for this year.



Herald photo by Mary Rowell  
Brownies learn how to throw overhand and catch at the recent GirlSport Workshop held at Greenwood Lakes Park in Lake Mary

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# Reagans surprise guests with anniversary barbecue

An anniversary celebration took on a surprise twist for guests arriving at the home of Betty and Donald Reagan. Instead of the honor guests being caught off guard, those attending had a very pleasant surprise. The gathering was to celebrate the Reagans' 45th wedding anniversary and they speculated it would be more fun keeping mum about the happy occasion.



Dons Dietrich

The couple invited their family and a few friends to the anniversary barbecue on March 30 at their 5-acre home. The trees, crotons and bromeliads served as a panoramic natural background for the outdoor event that took place from 5 to 11 p.m. A bonfire provided the perfect setting for music, spinning tales and just hanging out.

Betty said two of their children brought their guitars and it was "pleasant, very pleasant." She added that Don asked her what she wanted for her anniversary and at the last minute she came up with a barbecue. The ribs and chicken with all the trimmings made a big hit with the guests.

Betty and Don, who was stationed at Sanford Naval Air Station, met at the First Baptist Church and were married March 30, 1957 in the Sanford home of Marjorie and Leland Rudd. Dr. W.P. Brooks, church pastor, performed the traditional ceremony.

They are the parents of five children: Daniel Reagan, Sanford; Kate Reagan, Altamonte Springs; Debbie Wilder, Oviedo; Scott Reagan, Lake Mary; and Julie Beasley, Longwood. There are four grandchildren and their first great grand is on the way.

After Don retired from the

Navy, he opened up Seminole TV in Sanford which he managed and operated for 20 years. At the same time, he was in the honey business at his Lake Mary home where the couple have lived for 37 years. Today, his art studio is located in the building that was once home for his honey-extracting business.

Don decided to take up sculpting on a whim, and today, he has achieved national acclaim as a sculptor. Beautiful wooden bowls are his specialty, but he has sculpted everything from tiny whimsical teapots to 6-foot wall sculptures.

For years, Betty has been a very popular and talented pastel artist in the Seminole Community. She also has her private studio on their property and has garnered her share of awards including national recognition. Betty loves painting people and places on the Sanford scene and plays tennis twice weekly.

The couple are still exhibiting in the nation's most prestigious art shows and have hauled their art all over America. They transport the art in an extended van which has to be packed "just right" Betty said, or the art won't fit in. She said when they are on the road, they stay in hotels and eat in "good restaurants."

This summer the Reagans have been accepted to enter shows in Michigan and Ohio which they plan to attend. There's a possibility they will also exhibit in a show in Pennsylvania. It can be difficult to qualify to enter a show, Betty said.

As Betty and Don begin their 46 years on the road of life, their claim to fame could just be: "Have art, will travel."

## Plano Concert

From all reports, the recent Sanford Rotary Club's Casino Night was, in its own way, as exciting as a trip to Las Vegas. It was a special occasion for all attending who had a crack at some unique rewards.

In the silent auction, Miriam and Ken Doktor and Valerie and George Weld bid on a concert concert/pianist, Leon Harp The Impresario. The foursome had the high bid, but the question remained now that they had "won" him, what they would do with him?

The lights finally flashed and it was decided to present the talented artist in a private concert. Leon Harp has been nationally recognized in music circles for his efforts to make the music industry a better environment in which all musicians can work.

He has been highly endorsed by Presidents Jimmy Carter, Ronald Reagan and Bill Clinton. His artistry and compositions have also been recognized by Florida governors Jeb Bush, Bob Martinez and Lawton Chiles. More on the concert at a later date.

## Spring Fling

It's that time of year again



Photo submitted

Betty and Donald Reagan recently held a surprise barbecue celebration to honor their 45th wedding anniversary.

for the Seminole County Extension Family and Community Education volunteers to present the Spring Fling Fashion Show and Luncheon. The event, according to Barbara Hughes, Extension Director, will benefit adults and 4-H scholarships. It will be held at the Seminole County Extension Auditorium, 250 W. County

Home Road, Sanford, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Friday, April 12.

Tom MacCubbin, Orange County Extension Urban Horticulture Agent, will be the guest speaker. An array of fun-time, sun-time fashions will be presented by Lily Pad Florida Fashions.

Tickets are \$7 per person. For information and advance registration, call 407-665-5559.

## 'Water is Life' poster design contest deadline April 15

The Central Florida Zoo, in partnership with the St. Johns River Water Management District, is sponsoring "Water is Life," a poster contest designed to heighten water awareness. The contest is open to third-, fourth-, and fifth-grade classes in Seminole, Orange, and Volusia counties.

The contest is designed to encourage students to recognize the importance of water to their lives, and the lives of all living things.

To participate, students are invited to design and create a 3-foot by 6-foot poster, on butcher or art paper, depicting what "Water is Life" means to them. All entries will be displayed at the Wild About Florida event, May 3 through May 5 at the Zoo.

All entrants will receive a free child ticket to the Zoo. The designers of the winning poster will receive a complimentary field trip for all classes in their grade.

The trip will be held May 3 and includes "Water is Life" activities, sponsored by the St. Johns River Water Management District.

Poster entries are due by April 15. Entries should include contact name, grade, school, county, number of students in the class, and telephone number.

Send posters to the Central Florida Zoo, P.O. Box 470309, Lake Monroe, FL 32717-0309, or deliver to 3755 NW Highway 17-92, Sanford.

For more information, call the Zoo at 407-323-4450, extension 122.



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# Church Notes

## Church Picnic

Wekiva Presbyterian Church, located at 211 Wekiva Springs Lane in Longwood, is hosting its annual picnic Sunday, April 7, immediately after the 11 a.m. church service.

There will be activities and games. Hamburgers, hot dogs and baked beans will be provided by the deacons. Families attending are asked to bring a food contribution based on the first letter of their last name:

- A-G: Brownies or cookies
- H-S: Six pack of soda
- T-Z: Potato chips

## Gospel Concert

First Baptist Church of Sanford, located at 519 S. Park Ave., is hosting a southern gospel concert with The Southern Songboys and Heart of Harmony 7 p.m. Friday, April 19.

No tickets are required, but a \$5 donation is requested at the door. A free-will offering will be received.

## Women's Workshop

Victory Temple of God, located at 601 Pine Ave., in Sanford, is hosting its Women's District Workshop 2002 for African American Women of God from April 19 to April 21.

All African American women in the community are invited to participate in the event, which will teaching, encouraging, helping, enhancing the skills of participants, collaborating and improving the community. For more information, call 407-321-8864.

## Food Source Program

The Sanford Church of Christ is working with a program call Food Source to help the congregation and community. The program offers various foods each month at a discounted rate from grocery stores.

For more information about the Food Source Program, call Jeannette Stifey at 407-323-8234, 407-829-0272 or the church at 407-322-7781.

## Volunteers Needed

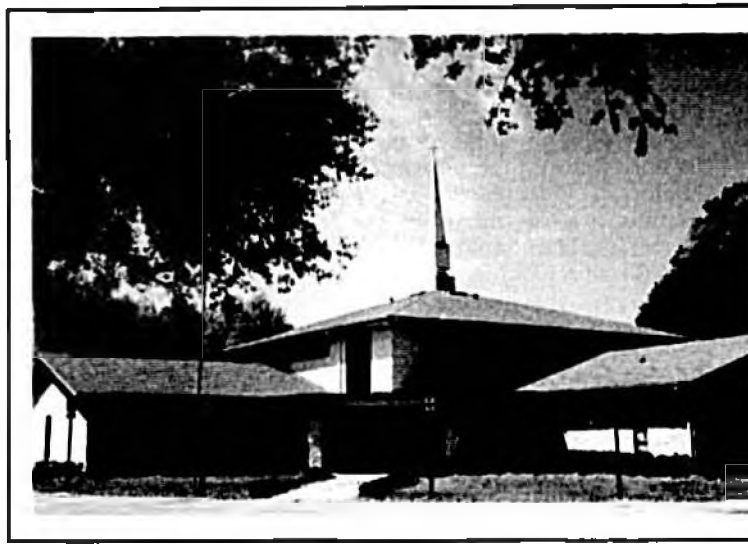
The Christian Sharing Center in Longwood has an urgent need for volunteers to fill various positions.

Receptionists and interviewers are needed to interview families in crisis situations and to assist them in meeting their needs.

Pantry workers are needed to stock shelves and fill grocery orders for client families. Van drivers are needed to pick up food donations.

Hours are Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

For information, call Diann at 407-260-9155, ext. 6, Monday, Wednesday or Friday.



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# This millennium's teen-agers have more dangers to avoid

**QUESTION:** Everyone talks generally correct despite the exceptions we can all recall. The majority of parents in the past spent less energy worrying about their children. They had other things on their minds. I remember talking to my dad about this subject a few years before his death. Our children were young at the time and I, like you, was feeling the heavy



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responsibility of raising them properly. I turned to my father and asked, "Do you remember worrying about me when I was a kid? Did you think about all the things that could go wrong as I came through the adolescent years? How did you feel about these pressures associated with being a father?"

Dad was rather embarrassed by my question. He smiled sheepishly and said, "Honestly, No," (his pet name for me) "I never really gave that a thought."

How do we explain his lack of concern? Was it because he didn't love me or because he was an uninvolved parent? No. He was a wonderful father throughout my childhood. Instead, his answer reflected the time in which I grew up. People worried about the depression that was just ending, the war with Germany and Japan, and later the cold war



Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.  
 Sunday 7:45 a.m., 10:30 a.m., Noon  
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 3790 Sope Avenue,  
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**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
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 1807 S. Sanford Ave., Sanford, FL  
 Richard A. Farrand, Minister  
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 730 Upsala Rd., Sanford, FL  
 407-322-0980  
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 Joe Caputo Youth Minister  
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 Sunday Bible School 9:00 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 10:15 a.m.  
 Youth 8:00 p.m.  
 Wednesday Praise Service 8:00 p.m.  
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 Phone 407-889-1490

**Church Of Christ**

**LONGWOOD CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 1018 Hwy 17/92 1 mi. N/O Hwy 434  
 407-323-8830 407-324-4338  
 Sun. Worship 10:30 a.m. & 8 p.m.  
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 219 Wade St.  
 Winter Springs, FL 32708  
 Sunday Services 10:30 a.m./8:00 p.m.  
 Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.  
 Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.  
 Minister Barry Hayes  
 Phone (407) 327-5005

**Church Of God**

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
 801 W. 22nd St., Sanford, FL  
 407-322-3942  
 Rev. Wes Tankley Pastor  
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
 Evening Service 8:00 p.m.  
 Wednesday classes for all ages  
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 Pre-School thru grade 12  
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**CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY**  
 2508 S. Elm Ave. Sanford, Fla., 32773  
 407-322-4015  
 Thomas Harris - Pastor  
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
 Praise & Worship 10:30 a.m.  
 Message by Pastor 11 a.m.  
 Evening Service 8 p.m.  
 Tuesday Prayer Meeting 10 a.m.  
 Midweek Service (Wed) 7 p.m.

**Congregational**

**GRACE FELLOWSHIP CONGREGATIONAL  
 CHURCH (NACCC)**  
 2401 S. Park Ave., Sanford  
 407-322-4584  
 Larry Leonard Pastor  
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
 Choir Practice Wednesday 8:45 p.m.  
 Baby sitting service available

**Episcopal**

**HOLY CROSS EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
 401 Park Ave., Sanford  
 Telephone 407-322-4811  
 Sunday Worship 7:30 & 10:00 a.m.  
 Classes for Children through 5th grade\* 10:00 a.m.  
 Nursery Available\* 10:00 a.m.  
 Youth Group meets\* 6:00 p.m.  
 Schedules may sometimes vary  
 Call for more information  
 MID-WEEK WORSHIP IN CHAPEL  
 Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday  
 BIBLE STUDIES\*  
 Wednesday & Thursday  
 (\*Sept. - May)

**ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
 700 Rinehart Rd.  
 Lake Mary, FL 34484-5073  
 The Rev. Charles T. Holt, Rector  
 Sunday Holy Eucharist 8:00 a.m.  
 Christian Education - All Ages 9:00 a.m.  
 Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.  
 Children's Church (Education Wing) 10:00 a.m.  
 Nursery Begins At 9:00 a.m.  
 Through 10:00 a.m. Service  
 Wednesday: Holy Eucharist 7:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

**Charismatic Episcopal**

**CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMFORTER**  
 ("Charismatic - Sacramental - Evangelical")  
 The Sanford Bridge  
 Corner of 6th St. & Holy Ave.  
 Sanford, Florida  
 407-298-5094  
 Rev. Mark Barth Deacon  
 Sunday Eucharist 9:30 a.m.

**Inter-Denominational**

**FAITH MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
 3022 Beardsall Ave.  
 Sanford, Florida  
 407-323-3794  
 Jack Cox Pastor  
 Sunday Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
 Evening Service 8:00 p.m.  
 Tuesday Evening Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

**Non-Denominational**

**HOUSE OF REFUGE MINISTRIES, INC.**  
 1001 Casey Ave., Sanford  
 (407) 324-4711  
 Oora W. Richardson Pastor  
 Sunday School 9:30 am  
 Morning Worship 11:00 am  
 Evening Worship 7:00 pm  
 Mid Week Svc. Wed. 7:30 pm  
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 201 Elm Ave., Sanford, FL  
 407-321-8369  
 Timothy Hudson Pastor  
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
 Tue. Prayer/Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**FAITHFUL WORD MINISTRIES**  
 Christian Resource Center  
 Lakeview Plaza • (407) 328-4300  
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 Sunday Service 11:00 a.m.  
 Children's Fellowship (ages 4-12) 11:00 a.m.  
 Family Fellowship Refreshments 12:30 p.m.  
 Thursday Fellowship Meeting 7:30 p.m.  
 Friday - Christian Counseling 2:00-5:00 p.m.  
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 Rev. Steve Michele  
 Pastor/Director

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 5070 Orange Blvd., Sanford  
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 Sunday Worship Svc. 8:45 & 10:30 a.m.  
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 Sanford, FL 32772-0805  
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 (407) 324-0906  
 Tammy Abramson - Pastor  
 Sunday 10:30 am & 8:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.  
 Fellowship Friday 7:30 p.m.  
 (no service the last Friday of the month)

**Lutheran**

**GOOD SHEPHERD EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN  
 CHURCH OF SANFORD (ELCA)**  
 2917 Orlando Dr. (Hwy 17/92)  
 Phone 322-7312  
 Bob Bressmann Pastor  
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.  
 Wednesday Worship 7:00 p.m.  
 Nursery Provided

**HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH  
 OF LAKE MARY**  
 780 Sun Drive, Lake Mary, FL  
 Paul Hoyer Pastor  
 Nathan Daultrow Assistant Pastor  
 Saturday evening 5:30 p.m.  
 Contemporary Worship  
 Sunday morning 8:00 a.m.  
 Traditional Service  
 Sunday morning 9:30 a.m.  
 Contemporary Worship  
 Sunday morning 11:00 a.m.  
 Family Worship Service  
 Nursery is provided at  
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**LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER**  
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 2525 S. Oak Ave., Sanford, FL  
 Rev. Ernie A. Reischer Pastor  
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
 Information 322-3552 or 323-0810

**Methodist**

**CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
 408 Tucker Drive  
 (Corner Tucker Dr. & CR 427)  
 Rev. Ray Bernard Pastor  
 Telephone (407) 322-7900  
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
 Inter-Mission 10:30 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
 Bible Study 8:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday Children's Time included in Worship  
 Nursery provided for Babies and Small Children  
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 Mark Looney Music Director  
 Mike Bedell Family Ministries Director  
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 Coffee Fellowship 9:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
 Youth Fellowship 4:00 p.m.  
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 Men's Prayer Breakfast 1st Thursday 6:30 a.m.

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 Longwood, FL 32758  
 831-8558  
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
 Children's Church 10:45 a.m.  
 Evangelistic Service 8:00 p.m.  
 Wednesday Family Night 7:00 p.m.  
 Youth, Women and Adult Bible Study

"Never A Stranger Here"

**Presbyterian**

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 Corner of W. 25th St & Upsala Rd  
 101 Upsala Road  
 Sanford, FL 32771  
 407-330-2635  
 Bryan Wenger Pastor  
 Sunday Education 9:00 a.m.  
 Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m.  
 2nd Wednesday of each month  
 Fellowship Dinner 8:30 p.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF SANFORD**  
 Between 3rd and 4th St.  
 & Park & Oak / Downtown  
 Sanford, FL  
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 E-mail: lpc@juno.com  
 http://econmail.com/lpc  
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 Sunday Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
 Sun. Morning Coffee Hour 11:00 a.m.  
 Sun. Contemporary Worship 7:00 p.m.  
 Wonderful Wednesday Family Night -  
 Every Wednesday  
 Supper - Every Wed 5:30 p.m.  
 Adult Bible Study 8:00 p.m.  
 Youth Clubs 8-7:00 p.m.  
 Buccaneers (K-4th Grades)  
 Middlers (5-8th Grades)  
 St. High  
 Contemporary Music Practice 7:00 p.m.  
 Women's Circle Meetings at 3 scheduled times  
 2nd Tues. of the month 4:00am  
 Senior Friends - 1st Wed. of the month

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 OF LAKE MARY**  
 128 W. Weba Ave.  
 Lake Mary, FL 32713-1021  
 Rev. Stephen Howell Pastor  
 Church School 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
 Wed. Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.  
 Thurs. Youth Choir 8:30 p.m.  
 Nursery Provided

**MARKHAM WOODS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
 3210 Markham Woods Road  
 Lake Mary 407-333-2030  
 Rev. Charles R. Jones Pastor  
 Sunday School, all ages 9:00 a.m.  
 Church Services 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.  
 Nursery Provided  
 Youth Group, Sunday High School 4:00 p.m.  
 Middle School 8:00 p.m.  
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 Third Wed. of Each Month 8:30 p.m.

**THE SALVATION ARMY WORSHIP  
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 407-322-2642  
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 Praise and Fellowship 9:45 a.m.  
 Sunday School 11:00 a.m.  
 Holiness Meeting Tuesday Meetings 8:30 p.m.  
 Bible Study and Prayer 7:00 p.m.  
 Home League (Ladies) 7:00 p.m.  
 Men's Fellowship Club 8:00 p.m.  
 Band Practice  
 \*With heart to God and hand to man.

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**United Church Of Christ**

**LONGWOOD HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
 U.C.C.**  
 1255 E.E. Wilkerson Road  
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 407-332-8253  
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 Sunday Services 9:00 a.m.  
 Contemporary Traditional Worship 10:30 a.m.  
 Nursery Provided  
 Church School 9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.  
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 Wednesday 8:30 p.m.

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**WESLEYAN CHURCH OF PAOLA**  
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 First Street on Left - One Mile)  
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 407-322-6332  
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 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
 Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.  
 Mid Week Mtg. Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
 Please Share Your Life With Us

**Church Notes**

**Spaghetti Dinner**

The Salvation Army Men's Fellowship Club is hosting its annual spaghetti dinner 6 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 29.

"We are looking forward to our annual spaghetti dinner; we are particularly excited about the music that will be provided by the New Mount Zion Missionary Baptist Church," said Capt. Robert A. Reckline, corps officer at The Salvation Army in Sanford.

"Folks come from surrounding areas and Orlando to enjoy our famous spaghetti, and we'll be at our best this year," said Charlie Bumgardner, president of the Men's Fellowship Club.

Money raised at the event goes to support programs of the Men's Fellowship Club, the ladies Home League and the Worldwide Missions of The Salvation Army.

Tickets are \$5 per adult and \$3 per child. For tickets or information, contact The Salvation Army in Sanford at 407-322-2642. The Salvation Army of Sanford is located at 700 W. 24th St.

**Flower Arranging**

Wekiva Presbyterian Church is hosting a night of flower arranging 5 p.m. Sunday, April 28.

Following a light catered supper, Patty Joyner, who does flower arranging for Sunday worship, will demonstrate how to arrange flowers.

Tickets are \$5 per person and will be sold at Circles and on Sunday April 14 and April 21.

**Craft Show**

The Women's Ministries of Sanford Church of God is sponsoring a craft show Saturday, April 13.

To reserve a space, call Yolanda Tanksley at 407-322-3942. The craft show will be in the air conditioned gymnasium of Sanford Church of God, and spaces will be first come, first serve.

**Golf Tournament**

The Presbyterian Women of Wekiva is sponsoring the first Bud Kendall Memorial Golf Tournament Saturday, April 20.

Registration is at 7:30 a.m. with an 8:30 a.m. shot gun start. The event is a four person scramble at Zellwood Station Country Club.

Entry fee is \$50 per player, which includes green fees, cart, range balls, lunch and prizes. Entry forms must be received by April 13.

For more information and an entry form, e-mail budkendallgolf@earthlink.net

with Russia. They did not invest much effort in hand-wringing over their children ... at least not until some kind of problem developed. Trouble was not anticipated.

And why not? Because there were fewer land mines for kids in that era.

I attended high school during the "Happy Days" of the 1950s, and I never saw or even heard of any-

one taking an illegal drug. It happened, I suppose, but it was certainly no threat to me. Some students liked to get drunk, but alcohol was not a big deal in my social environment. Others played around with sex, but the girls who did were considered "loose" and were not respected.

Virginity was still in style for males and females. Occasionally a

girl came up pregnant, but she was packed off in a hurry and I never knew where she went. As for homosexuals and lesbians, a few students were open about their lifestyle, but I didn't know them personally.

There were certainly no posters on our bulletin boards advertising Gay Pride Month or Condom Week. Most of my friends respected their parents, went to

church on Sunday, studied hard enough to get by and lived a fairly clean life. There were exceptions, of course, but this was the norm.

Today's kids, by contrast, are walking through the Valley of the Shadow! Drugs, sex, alcohol, rebellion and alternative lifestyles are everywhere.

Those dangers have never been so evident

as they are now, and the worst may be yet to come.

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