



OPINION...PAGE 4A

The Seminole Herald endorses county candidates



HEALTH AND FITNESS...2C

Diving technology used in wound care

WEEKEND

INSIDE

NEW PRIVATE SCHOOL IN LAKE MARY...BUSINESS 2A

Seminole Herald

Serving Sanford, Lake Mary, Longwood, Oviedo, Winter Springs and Seminole County since 1908

90th YEAR, No. 254

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 1998

75 Cents

Pastor and 'porno' don't mix



Commissioner Daryl McLain

McLain blasts name-calling pastor who took donations from adult entertainment owners; Maloy is sickened

By Russ White
HERALD STAFF WRITER

SEMINOLE COUNTY - When Pastor Mark George called the county's adult entertainment owners "porno kings" at a public meeting this past week, County Commissioner Daryl McLain bristled.

"How is it that Pastor George can thank the same people who have given generous donations to his church one day and call

them 'porno kings' the next?" McLain asked Friday. "At first, I didn't believe what was happening."

McLain has nine canceled checks and "thank you notes" that verify Jim Veigle, the owner of Rachel's Men's Club in Casselberry, gave at least \$2,700 in contributions to United Methodist Church of Casselberry. Veigle sent \$300 checks almost monthly from September 1995 to May 1996.

Is this revelation a trick by the adult entertainment industry, desperate to hang on to its lucrative playgrounds of nudity? County Commissioner Grant Maloy warned today that it was just that. "It's sickening to see Daryl McLain throw out accusations at an honest man like Mark George," Maloy said. "Mark didn't approve of any of these

gifts. He's just one of the pastors at the church."

Maloy said the gifts and donations - and now the attempts to fool everyone were "obvious attempts by the slime boys" to hold on to their businesses. "They're going to try everything to survive."

Veigle said a business is a business and that "no one is forced to come" to clubs like Rachel's. He said that the contributions were made in good faith and accepted that way.

"Look at the thank you notes from the pastors, Veigle said: 'We were truly blessed through your giving...many families would have had a small Christmas without your help...it is through gifts such as these we are able to minister to a lot of people.'"



Commissioner Grant Maloy

Take me out to the ball game

A Team TPS batter takes a big swing in front of a rendition of the ASA/USA Softball insignia Friday morning during a 21-4 victory over Chase Monuments in a Winner's Bracket game in the 1998 ASA Men's Super Slow Pitch National Championships on Rinker-Stenstrom Field at Historic Sanford Memorial Stadium. The insignia was done free hand by a local artist. It enhances the new look of the beautifully refurbished stadium. The tournament, which features the top 10 teams in the nation in the highest division of softball in the world, continued play with seven games Saturday starting at 6 a.m. and concluding with a 9 p.m. contest. The double-elimination event concludes with two or three games on Sunday morning.

See story on Friday's action and tournament schedule on Page 2B.



Make it clear, park advocates tell city

By Maria Orem
HERALD STAFF WRITER

SANFORD - A citizens' group is disputing the intent of two proposed city ordinances relating to the development of a lakefront hotel/conference center.

City Commissioners on Monday passed Ordinance 3430 on the first of two readings. Though presented as an ordinance to clear title for Fort Mellon Park - the area designated for development - members of The Society To Preserve Fort Mellon Park say there is no mention of title in the wording. There is, however, language that allows the city to lease the property and enter into a contract with a developer to build a hotel complex.

In a meeting with Mayor Larry Dale on Friday, Doug Groseclose, chairman of the Society, asked for clarification by Monday via a letter to the city attorney.

"Why did they include language about leasing and contracting to develop the area?" Groseclose said. "How does that relate to

clearing title?"

Proposed Ordinance 3432, which will be read at the Aug. 24 commission meeting, would leave

it up to voters whether the land at Fort Mellon should be developed. If passed, a referendum would be placed on the Nov. 3 ballot.

Groseclose said the first ordinance as written gives the city the power to do whatever it wants and makes the referendum a moot point.

"The city tried to pass this so a referendum would not be necessary," he said.

Groseclose said the meeting was cordial and he was pleased with some minor concessions. The city will adjust some of the language to include a phrase that sets aside six acres of the park to remain in perpetuity.

Dale said the intent all along was to invest \$2 to \$3 million in park improvements for six acres at Fort Mellon that would include a boardwalk and two piers.

He said the first ordinance was required by the title company.

Group's opposing viewpoint

By Maria Orem
HERALD STAFF WRITER

Another group of citizens that supports the proposed project at Fort Mellon Park, has formed the Committee To Promote the Hotel and Conference Center. The Committee will hold a rally at the park Aug. 25 with free food and drinks to the public. The purpose is to raise money and inform residents of the facts before the issue goes to referendum, said Lon Howell, chairman of the group and a former city commissioner.

"We favor the conference center and we want to make sure this campaign succeeds," Howell said.

Longwood community center gets facelift

By Maria Orem
HERALD STAFF WRITER

LONGWOOD - The city's only community center will be getting a \$30,000 facelift.

City commissioners voted to allocate the funds split evenly over the next two years for the needed renovations, which include a new tile floor, refurbished kitchen and bathrooms and wall repairs.

The 22-year-old building on Wilma Street is located in the heart of the historic district. It was built around an existing pavilion with walls constructed over the gazebo.

With about 1,500 square feet of space, the facility is used for recreational activities, a day camp, and social functions, said Sondra Lomax, manager of the city's parks and recreation department.

"This will give the general public a renovated building with more amenities," Lomax said.

Mayor Rusty Miles and Commissioner Annamarie Vacca initially expressed reservations over the project saying that it was a temporary fix for a building that would eventually need to be replaced by a larger facility.

Commissioner Steve Miller said the building needed attention now and the city should not wait before taking action.

Commissioner Paul Lovstrand suggested the city split the expense over the next two years.

Lomax concurred with the need for a larger facility in the near future to better meet the needs of the community. There also could be more programs for seniors in the future and a larger recreational complex with sports courts and fields and more parking, she said.

The existing floor plan does not really allow much flexibility and there is really

nothing that can be done with that, she said.

Lomax said she is glad for the additional funding, which should see the community center through the next five years.

"It's a great benefit to bring the center up to the standards of the historic buildings surrounding it," she said. "This is a big step."

In the nine years she has worked for the city, Lomax said she has seen increased use particularly for social events such as weddings, graduations, birthdays, family reunions and church gatherings.

Lomax said her office wants to bring in more cultural activities such as the Blue Grass Pickers program, that is slated to perform once a month.

The center is open every day from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.

Construction is expected to begin within the next month.

Students opt for learning fast track with Sanford Middle magnet program

By Jeff Berkinieks
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

SANFORD - Imagine having an entire year of college completed before you get your driver's license.

That's how it goes at Sanford Middle School where kids as young as sixth-graders are earning high school credits. In fact, eighth-graders are even taking courses such as Pre-Med.

Sanford Middle School has become the third school in the state to adopt the Pre-International Baccalaureate Magnet Program, open to students in sixth through eighth grade.

Students who successfully complete the program will be academically prepared to continue their studies in the Seminole High School International Baccalaureate or Health Academy magnet programs.

The kids at Sanford Middle say they enjoy their opportunity. The program enrolls from every corner of the county, with the provision of special bus rides to attend Sanford.

The school was rewarded for its program with a visit from Florida Governor Lawton Chiles on Thursday. Chiles visited the IB program and said he was impressed. The students he met said the governor was very supportive. Please see School, Page 5A



Christina Prusak, Matt Fisher and Liz Scarwid are three Sanford Middle School students enrolled in the Pre-International Baccalaureate program. They will earn high school credits before leaving eighth-grade and were able to meet Florida Governor Lawton Chiles when he toured the classroom Thursday.

INDEX

- Business 5A
- Classified 5B-7B
- Comics 6B
- Crossword 6B
- Da' Bomb 6A
- Dear Abby 5C
- Dr. Gett 6B
- Editorial 4A
- Health/Fitness 2C
- Horoscopes 6B
- Leisure 4B
- Obituaries 5A
- People 3C-5C
- Police Brief 2A
- Sports 1B-3B
- TV 5C
- Weather 2A

Changes to such a thing means, look a thing around.

—Agnes Nardo

Woman charged with bilking elderly victims

From Staff Reports

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS - A local businesswoman was arrested Thursday by state agents for bilking elderly victims of more than \$90,000.

Barra M. Stern, 932 Lake Destiny Dr., #E, Altamonte Springs, was charged with one count of organized fraud following a year-long investigation by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement.

Stern, 26, who owns Choice Property Network, is accused of calling elderly out-of-state property owners and seeking fees to advertise their property for sale in Florida.

According to state investigators, through her company, Stern made false and misleading promises to 12 victims aged 72 to 86 between February 1996 and

May 1997.

The victims thought they were paying for advertising and marketing services that would reach potential buyers, FDLE officials said.

Law enforcement officials said the state is seeing increased numbers of senior citizens falling prey to financial exploitation.

Typical scams targeting the elderly in Florida are home improvement contractors performing substandard work while charging two or three times the going market rate.

The agency is committed to combating the problem and becoming more proactive and aggressive in investigating crimes against the elderly, said Joyce Dawley, regional FDLE director.

Stern was taken to the Seminole County jail in lieu of \$100,000 bond.

Prepare the harpoons as gator hunting season nears

From staff reports

Beginning Sept. 1, the hunt is on for Florida alligators. This year's harvest will give selected alligator hunters the opportunity to take five alligators each from specific harvest sites - lakes, rivers and wetlands - around the state.

Locally, hunting will be permitted during the September harvest, in Lake Jesup and Lake Harney.

"This year, 11,439 people applied for the 799 slots available," said Lt. Joy Hill, public information coordinator for the Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission (GFC). The selection process began back in June when the prospective hunters applied to the GFC for the lottery-style drawing used to pick participants.

As in recent years, the harvest season this year is divided into two phases: Sept. 1 - 15

and Sept. 15 - 30. Each hunter is selected to hunt during one phase only.

Applicants who have been selected are required to purchase a \$250 resident alligator trapping license or a \$1,000 non-resident license in order to participate. Trappers are allowed to have trapping agents to assist them in the hunt, with each agent required to purchase a \$50 non-transferable trapping agent license.

Trappers may use snatch hooks, snares, gigs or harpoons to take alligators, and bows and arrows or crossbows may be used if the projectile is attached to a restraining line. Firearms are prohibited.

Since 1966, alligator hunters have taken approximately 25,000 alligators during the annual public water harvests. This year they will be allowed to take a maximum of 3,945 more in the month-long period.

Governor did not feel outnumbered

When Governor Lawton Chiles arrived at the Seminole County Services Building on Thursday, he knew of course he was deep in Republican territory.



TODAY IS...
RUSS WHITE

He looked to his left and right and said, "I'd say we're about even. All of you are fine Republicans and I'm a Democrat. But I'm still the governor. So that makes it about even. I hope you don't feel outnumbered."

Remarkably, Chiles took the time to greet not only the volunteers who helped during the wildfires of the summer, but to mingle with other visitors and staff at the county building.

Several of the aides to the commissioners were thrilled to meet Chiles and said they wouldn't be washing their hands until they went home.

Chiles said he was grateful so many firemen came from 44 states and Canada to help in the crisis. "They love to fight fires," he said. "I guess smoke gets in their blood. Thank you

for helping them."

Remember Roy
Saturday is National Cowboys and Cowgirls Day, an opportunity for America to appreciate its heroes and heroines on horseback. Let's not forget the King of the Cowboys, Roy Rogers, who recently passed away. Commissioner Daryl Melain is today's honorary Seminole Cowboy. And Happy Trails to everyone.

Remember Babe
The Bambino, Babe Ruth died 50 years ago on August

16. He was 53, and lost a battle to cancer. Thousands stood outside a packed St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York to say goodbye to baseball's most beloved player. One of Ruth's ex-Yankees teammates serving as a pallbearer on a hot afternoon, said he sure wished he could have a cold beer. "So does the Babe," another answered.

Frank Gifford, Kathie Lee Gifford and Madonna would be born on August 16? Cliff is 68, Kathie Lee is 45 and Madonna 40. Actress Angela Bassett, who has the nicest teeth in America, is 40 on Sunday, Singer **Bylle Corrae** is 68 and actress **Jill Newmar** is 63.

Actor **Robert DeNiro** is 55 on Monday and actor **Sean Penn** is 38. If Sean Penn had been born a day earlier he and Madonna might still be together. Think about that. Actress **Maureen O'Hara** is 78 and singer **Bolinda Carlisle** 40 on Monday.

Quickie quiz
What's the prez going to say Monday?

Harrell & Beverly Transmissions

Repairing and Rebuilding Automatic Transmissions

209 W. 25th St., Sanford 322-8415

Since 1979

STOP Respiratory Problems

Stop paying for nebulizer medications.

Call Express-Med today.

1-800-290-6442

WEATHER

Today: Afternoon thunderstorms. Highs in the mid-90s. Lows in the mid-70s. Sunday: Afternoon thunderstorms. Highs in the mid-90s. Lows in the mid-70s. Monday: Afternoon thunderstorms. Highs in the mid-90s. Lows in the upper-70s. Tuesday: Afternoon thunderstorms. Highs in the low-90s. Lows in the mid-70s.

SATURDAY Totems 84 78 **SUNDAY** Totems 84 78

MONDAY Totems 84 77 **TUESDAY** Totems 83 78

LOTTERY

Here are the winning numbers selected on Friday in the Florida Lottery:

Fantasy 5
0-10-18-23-34
Lotto (Aug 8)
6-0-13-28-38-35

Play 4
3-0-0-1
Cash 3
0-5-0

Introducing Total Business Banking.

All the banking your small business needs.

If you own a small business, then you know the challenges that come with the job. Well, here's something that can make your life a little easier. It's called Total Business Banking, a complete banking package with nine powerful business tools including a simplified business checking account with available overdraft protection.

12 Months Free* Total Business Banking is also easy on your bottom line. Not only is it free for the first 12 months, the monthly maintenance fee is waived when you maintain the required minimum balance after that. To learn more about the convenience, flexibility and value of Total Business Banking, stop by any SunTrust branch or call toll free at 877-786-2222.

SUNTRUST

*Pay no monthly maintenance fees through August 31, 1998. Normal credit criteria apply. Member FDIC. ©1998. SunTrust is a registered service mark belonging exclusively to SunTrust Banks, Inc. MKT 240-8

Seminole Herald

"Serving Seminole County Since 1908"

Sunday, August 16, 1998 • Vol. 80, No. 254

Published Daily Except Monday, Saturday & Christmas by Republic Newspapers, Inc., 300 N. French Ave., Sanford, FL 32771 Phone: (407) 322-2811 Fax: (407) 322-0408

ADMINISTRATION
Dave Gichler - Publisher
Owens Pugh - Business Manager
Cynthia Preece
Linda Spigel

ADVERTISING
Rini Butler
Lorena Cox
Kathie Warner - Manager
Cheryl Stone

CLASSIFIED
Heather Dudge
Tara Gaines

CIRCULATION
Betsy Barnett
Randy Burns - Manager
Melinda Moore
Cynthia Preece
Lary Lear - Editor
Jill Ruchel
Shel Brodie
Doris Dethlefs
David Foster
Joann Hughes
Nick Pflaui
Dean Smith
Tommy Vincent
Susan Warner
Pats White

LEGALS
Margaret Stealy

PRODUCTION
Frank Veltro - Manager
Peggy Sauter
Gene Baker - Operations
Freds Holmes
Cheryl Smith

PRINTING & STRIPPING
Robert 'Big' Cowan
Mark Saville
Bill Swan
Jack E. Pichie
Ethan Tynal, Jr. - Head Pressman

Periodical Postage Paid at Sanford, Florida and additional mailing offices.

USPS 481280
Postmaster: Send address changes to
The SEMINOLE HERALD
P.O. Box 1667
Sanford, FL 32772-1667

Subscription Rates (Daily & Sunday)

| | | |
|----------|---------------|---------|
| | Home Delivery | Mail |
| 3 Months | \$15.00 | \$24.00 |
| 6 Months | \$28.00 | \$48.00 |
| 1 Year | \$52.00 | \$88.00 |

Florida Residents add 7% sales tax to above rates.

Republic Newspapers, Inc.

Donations

Continued from Page 1A

needs in our community."

"Mark George, Pastor Nick Thompson and John Hicks knew the money and gifts (turkey, hams, stuffed bunnies, toys) were coming from myself through Puzzles and Rachel's," Veigle said. "I had personal conversations with all three."

George's signature was not on the notes - only those of Thompson and Hicks.

One of the hand-written notes to Hicks was addressed to "the crew at Puzzles....One of the fathers broke down and cried, hugging me. Your act of love in this season of love is very special. May God bless you as you have blessed others."

On another occasion, George and the pastors at United Methodist thanked Veigle for providing 100 dinners that were given to the Good Samaritan Home in Sanford.

Surprisingly, Veigle said George jumped on

the "bandwagon" of Casselberry citizens trying to close down Puzzles, an after-hours night club now shut down. "George degraded me and the business," Veigle said. "He said he had quit drinking and that he wanted to stop everyone in the county from drinking."

On Tuesday night, Veigle sat but a few rows behind George at a public hearing that dealt with the adoption of a public decency ordinance that would stop clubs like Rachel's from featuring nude dancers. "George is quite the dapper one now with his hair styled, his mustache and tan" Veigle said. "Next, he's going to run for the Casselberry commission. I find him and others to be little more than hypocrites."

Veigle said his attorney was asked for a donation for The Rev. John Book's ministry. "He asked 'do you know who my clients are?' He was told 'yes, God works in mysterious ways, I'll take their money.' The attorney signed a check for \$600. A week later the man

brought it back and asked for cash."

There's a big stir over the adult entertainment business and an ordinance to ban nude dancing in the county. George led the Christian Coalition pledge drive to produce enough signatures to either force the County Commission to pass the ordinance or send it to the voters on a November referendum.

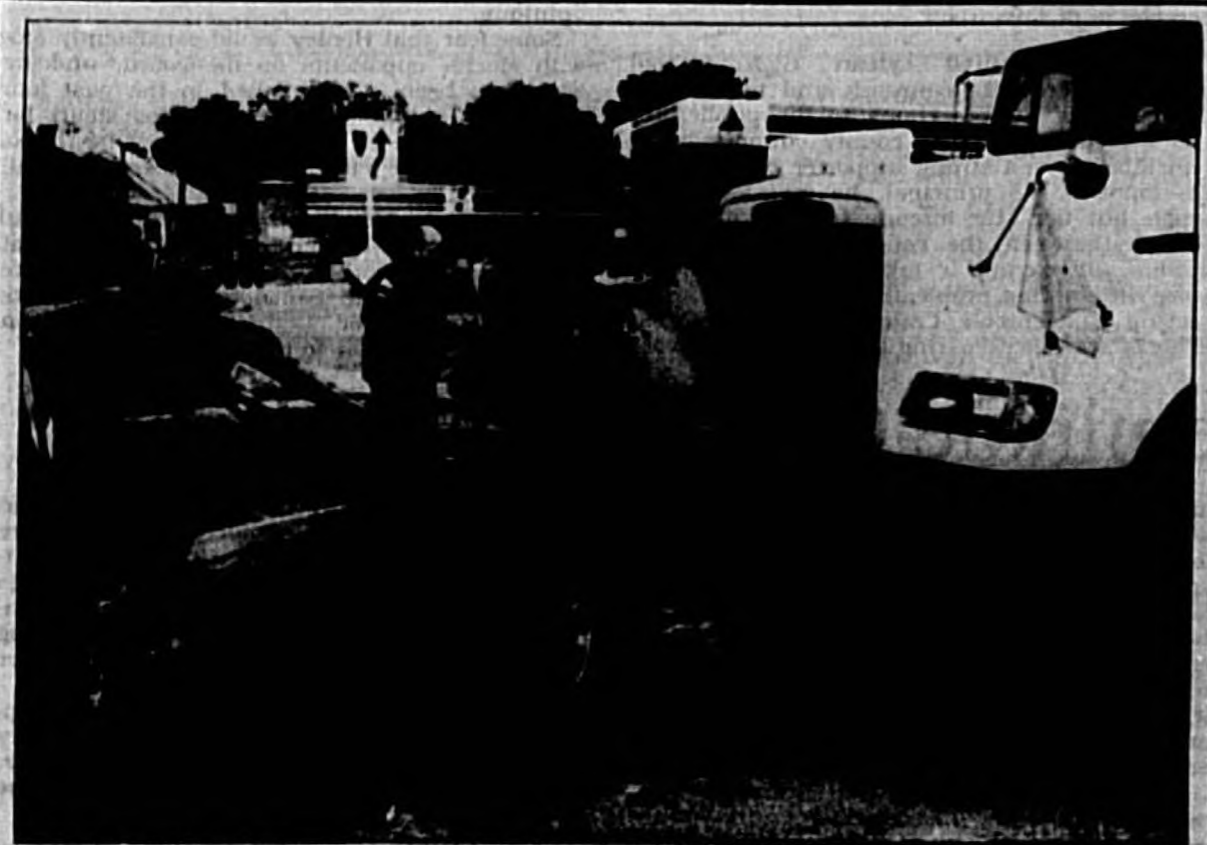
The Commission chose the latter, voting 3-2 to disapprove the ordinance. McLain believes it was the right decision, especially in lieu of what he says are underhanded activities. "What are you supposed to think when you hear the same people trying to crucify the

adult entertainment business have been taking money from it?" McLain said.

George and Book were unavailable for comment.

McLain and others question just how many members there are in the Seminole County Christian Coalition. He said he recently sent a \$25 check for membership but had his request denied. "They feared I would be too disruptive and ask too many questions."

"But what kind of group is it that says some people are good enough and that some aren't?" McLain asked. "These aren't good Christian values to me."



Accident sends five people to hospital

Sanford Police Department Officer Bill Crappe investigates an accident that occurred Friday afternoon in Sanford. An '89 Mazda pickup truck northbound on U.S. Highway 17-92 turned left from the turning lane in front of a flatbed truck. Five of the

seven people riding in the pickup were taken to the Central Florida Regional Hospital emergency room with multiple scrapes and cuts. No one was seriously injured. Multiple charges are pending.

Special Photo by Tommy Wessard

Get the latest information on local business activity in every Weekend edition of the Seminole Herald.



Taking DANCE to the 5th Dimension

Home Of The Platinum
Fifth Dimension

FREE Dance Class

BALLET
 JAZZ • TAP
 BALLET TECHNIQUE
 PONTE • LYRICAL
 • JAZZ & HIP HOP

Artistic Director, Gaymarie Tomlinson
 Certified By Dance Educators Of America
 Recipient Of National Choreography Awards

100 E. Crystal Lake Ave. • Suite 300
 (Corner Of Country Club Rd. & Crystal Lake Ave.)
 2 Blocks North Of Lake Mary Blvd.
 Lake Mary

321

Big News!

For the best in local news, sports, schools and every thing of interest to Seminole County residents...

The Seminole Herald is the newspaper you should be reading.

For a limited time, when you purchase 13 weeks of home delivery for the unbelievably low price of only \$18.75, we'll add another two weeks on us!

The news is out - No one covers Seminole County better than the Seminole Herald. Get your subscription started today.

REDEEM THIS COUPON FOR 2 WEEKS FREE HOME DELIVERY

With the Special purchase of 13 Weeks at \$18.75

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

Mail to or come by:
Seminole Herald
 300 N. French Ave., Sanford, FL 32773 • (407) 323-8811





Da' Bomb!



What's up in and out of the classrooms of Seminole County

Da' Bomb hears all...

You know who Da' Bomb sez deserves some credit? The husbands and wives of Seminole County athletic coaches. Look for the annual football issue and a feature on coaches soon on Aug. 30.

Da' Bomb sez out the classroom lot of high school letes are some days. We got the Ladies' man from other day got some real deals. Besides, high school is really great.

Check out Middle School construction plant. It's a real deal. Da' Bomb sez one of the best.

Mary Leah's X-cellent adventure

By Mary Leah Sutton
HERALD CORRESPONDENT

On the outside, I would appear to be the ultimate X-Files fan-I've attended several conventions, built my room into a shrine, met many members of the cast, traveled to Italy and saw the Statue of David which David Duchovny is named after, and gone X-Files paraphernalia shopping in England, Scotland and France. On one hand I wear my class ring that has X-Files printed across the top and on the other my Basketball State

Championship ring that proudly displays the name "Scully" with my number 35, which happens to be Agent Dana Scully's apartment number on the show.

You might think that being immersed daily in action figures, comic books and collector cards could quench anyone's thirst for the elusive truth hidden in a television show that boastfully proclaims that such a higher meaning is out there. But it wasn't always like this, I too was once disillusioned by the

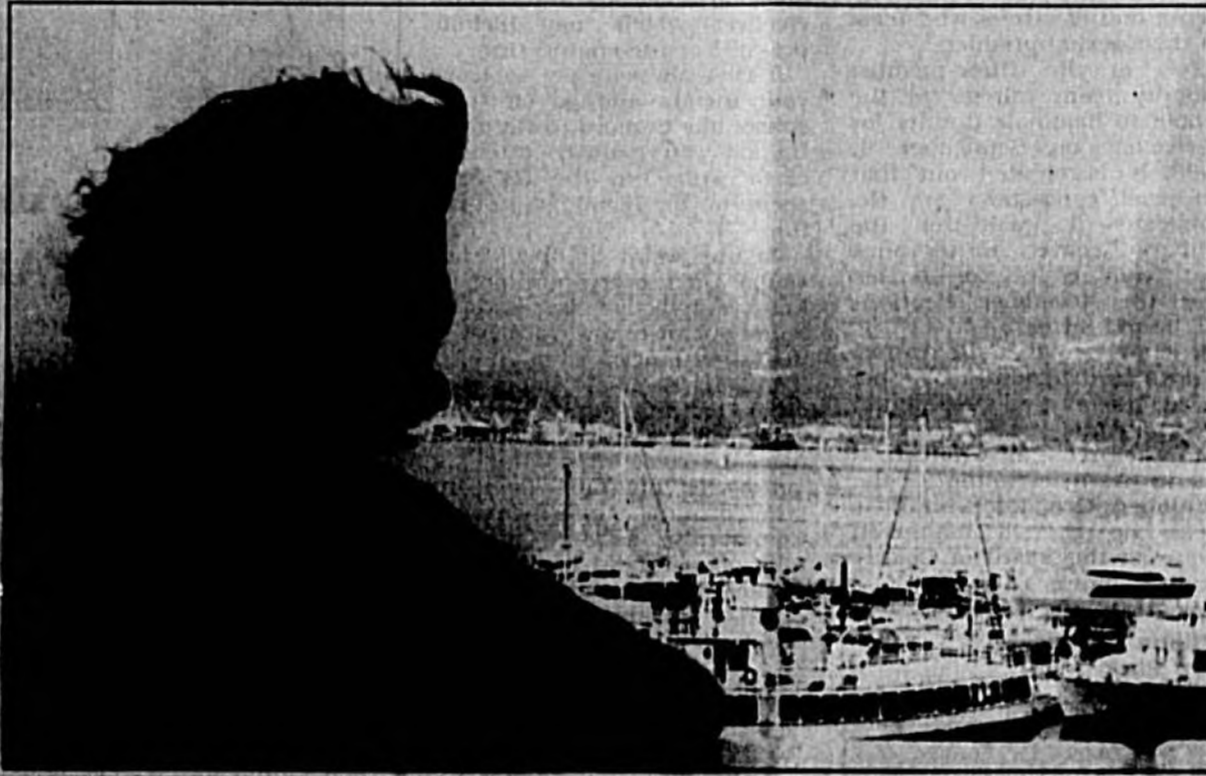
conformity of productions such as Dateline and 20/20 until I discovered that the truly intriguing show and the one that challenges its viewers to accept the unexplainable in a world of infinite opportunities can be found on the Fox network. What makes the series so compelling is that it continues to maintain a high level of intellectualism while dealing with subject matter that all people at some point in their lives are fascinated by.

Despite the limitless memo-

rablia surrounding me, I found a part of myself lacking and a void unable to be filled by any conventional means used to treat the common summertime X-Files withdrawal syndrome. Then in an act of fate the opportunity to visit Vancouver, Canada presented itself. For those unsure

as to the relevance of such a significant city in which The X-Files was filmed for five years, I offer you this-think of it as the Mecca to devoted fans, the promised land, and the Garden of Agents, Mulder and Scully.

See Scully, Page 7A



Lake Mary senior Mary Leah Sutton took a tour of X-Files sites in Vancouver, Canada as part of her summer vacation. Here she is in front of Grand Mountain

which doubled for Skyland Mountain, a site from which Scully was once abducted. Mary Leah is known as "Scully" while on the basketball court.

Hey, give cheerleaders a break

By Arthur Boehle IV
SPECIAL TO THE HERALD

As I push my way through the halls everyday at school, I hear conversations about music, dating, and parties, but the one I hear the most is about cheerleaders.

Are they really airheads? Is cheerleading a sport?

Of course it's a sport. Why wouldn't it be? They work just as hard as any other athletes that I have ever seen, and then they take all the ridicule that is thrown at them.

They practice every day after school in the heat and rain. They work hard to learn new cheers, time their steps to perfection, and learn new dances for competition, then people go and say that it's not a sport.

I personally don't understand why people say it's not a sport, and I don't understand

how the cheerleaders take it. If I was one of them I would have slapped whoever said that. Not only do they work hard, they also cheer on their home team in the heat, even when they are tired, and they still get made fun of.

They get called stuck up just because they like to hang out with the other cheerleaders. I have known most of the cheerleaders since I was in elementary school, some since before I could walk.

I also don't get how they are airheads since some of the smartest people I know are cheerleaders. Let's of them get straight A's. If the cheerleaders weren't so smart, then who would I copy off of in class?

So next time you see a cheerleader, don't think about how stuck up, and stupid are, but about how they work so hard and take so much.

Arthur Boehle IV is an eighth-grader at Greenwood Lakes Middle School.

Mark Sobell, of Longwood, is one of 18 undergraduates participating in a summer bio-science research program at Tufts University. Each student researcher receives a \$2,800 stipend for the 10-week program.

Georgia Southern University held its spring commencement recently and two Seminole County students earned degrees.

Jacqueline Carr, from Longwood, earned a B.S. and Michael Engelberg, from Altamonte Springs, received a B.S.

Alex Ho, of Lake Mary, was named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at Johns Hopkins University. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kit Sang Ho and attended Lake Mary High School. He is majoring in Arts & Sciences.

Michael Rich, of Casselberry, was named to the Dean's List at Boston University.

Two Seminole County students graduated from the University of North Florida last month. Jennifer Page of Lake Mary, and Christine Stieren of Longwood each received their diplomas.

Kristina Saville, of Longwood, made the Dean's List at Radford University in Virginia.

Mark Bedesow, of Longwood, was inducted into the Justinian Honorary Law Society at Syracuse University.

Leah Ngo, of Longwood, received a Master's Degree in management from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Kelly Sotolain, a Lake Mary High School graduate, recently completed the SOAR session at Berry College in Mount Berry, Ga. SPAR is the school orientation program.

Nicholas Miller, of Longwood, was recently included in the Who's Who Among American

High School Students. He is the son of Abner and Maria Miller of Longwood.

Christopher Knudde, son of Carl and Judy Knudde of Winter Springs, was recently named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Kirk Gleibrand, son of Rick and Laurie Gleibrand of Longwood, was named to the Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Benjamin Bacon, of Sanford, son of Lisa Bacon, was awarded the Earle R. Vaughan Scholarship Award from Page Private School.

Andrey Kemp, daughter of Kathleen Arica of Chuluota, was named to the Who's Who Among American High School Students for the fourth straight year.

Davis Bacon, son of Lisa Bacon of Sanford, was awarded the Patriotic Essay Award and the Robert A. Gibbs Athletic Award from Page Private School.

Programs for generations



Just starting out? You can earn college credit with us toward an Associate Degree. In mid-career? Upgrade your skills or earn a certificate in one of our professional career programs. Want to learn something new just for the fun of it? Enroll in one of our community and continuing education programs. Whether you are part of Generation X or beyond, learn for yourself how much you can learn with us. Visit Seminole Community College on the Web www.seminole.cc.fl.us or call us at 407/328-2050.



SEMINOLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Be yourself. Only better.™

FALL

Register now through August 22nd.

328-2050 or visit www.seminole.cc.fl.us

Schools

Mentors needed in public schools

Mentors are personal cheerleaders who meet with their students on a weekly basis at their schools. Last year there were 472 mentors helping Seminole County public school students and more are needed this year.

There is an initial training and background check required for each mentor and the seasons are held at

Seminole County Public School's Education Support Center at 400 E. Lake Mary Blvd. in Sanford.

The training schedule is as follows:

Elementary schools, Aug. 18, 9:30 a.m.
Middle schools, high schools, Aug. 20, 8:30 a.m.
Middle schools, high schools, Aug. 20 7 p.m.

There are six different programs available in Seminole County including Career Connectors, Compact, HOSTS, Investing in our Future Special Friends and Take Stock in Children.

For additional information, on all Seminole County public school volunteer opportunities, call 320-0182.

Scully

Continued from Page 6A

On arriving in Vancouver, I felt as if I had stepped inside an episode because certain buildings and streets looked oddly familiar though I had never been to the city before. My parents and I rented an eleven-person white stretch limo for three hours from a company called the X-Tours. Our guide assumed I was like any other obsessed fan when we met, but it only took a short time before he realized I was much different—much

more than he ever expected. In only a few minutes I basically took over the tour, rattling off locations of filming, the episodes, and characters in the shoot as we explored sites used in The X-Files. He even tried to stump me with trivia but miserably failed and ended up taking notes on facts that I knew which he said they would use on future tours.

Among the places we visited was the pub where Mulder

first met Deep Throat, several filming locations from this past season's cliffhanger, the mountain which doubled for Skyland Mountain where Scully was abducted, the train station in which numerous episodes have been taped including the favorite late night meeting place for Mulder and his informants, and the building used to imitate the FBI building. But the pinnacle of my X-Files crusade was when I stepped foot into Scully's apartment and felt then that I was truly home. I received a rush caused by the aura that radiated from that room in which Mulder and Scully had shared so many conversations and exchanged several glances towards one another that suggested, at times, more than friendship.

When the excursion was over, our guide had declared me the biggest fan ever to have gone on the tour and even ranked me higher than the owner of the company. It was an experience of a lifetime that I shall never forget. Even though the show now "lights the future" in Los Angeles, its foundation will forever be in Vancouver. Flying back home I remembered our tour guide promising that for a while they would still talk about the girl who traveled across the continent to prove she was one of the biggest fans of The X-Files, but I secretly knew I would be telling the story for years to come.



CUSTOMER APPRECIATION
1st Anniversary
SPECIAL

Those who are not customers, why don't you give us a try?

DAN'S AUTO REPAIR
Over 20 Years Experience

5% OFF SERVICE UP TO \$50

10% OFF SERVICE OVER \$50

From Oil Change, to Engine Rebuilds
C-V AXLE \$120 INSTALLED MOST CARS • BRAKES & TUNE UP
2423 French Ave., Sanford • (407) 321-0076


No Payments No Interest 'til 1999!

No Payments No Interest 'til 1999!
No Payments No Interest 'til 1999!
No Payments No Interest 'til 1999!

| | |
|---|---|
| <p style="text-align: center;">12x12 & 15x15 Spanish and Italian Tiles</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">\$249</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">Starting From Sq. Ft. Installed</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">16x16 and 18x18 Grade 4 and 5</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">\$299</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">Starting From Sq. Ft. Installed</p> |
|---|---|

Beautiful BERBER CARPET

| | |
|---|---|
| <p style="text-align: center;">Beautiful BERBER CARPET</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">\$179</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">18 Colors To Choose From Reg. \$2.49 Sq. Ft. New Installed W/Pad Sq. Ft.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">INDOOR-OUTDOOR CARPET</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">99¢</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">Great For Screen Rooms Reg. \$1.49 Sq. Ft. New Installed Glue Direct Sq. Ft.</p> |
|---|---|



72 Hour Installation Guarantee!

on in-stock merchandise
See store for details.

Let Us Show You QUALITY

It's probably not what you expected.
In a hospital, that is.

South Seminole Hospital's Family Unit is big enough for the whole family. Plus one. Spacious and beautifully decorated, each suite provides a warm environment for celebrating your new arrival. You'll like the convenience of labor, delivery and recovery all in one room (for Cesarean deliveries, we have a fully-staffed surgical facility). You'll rest easy in the care of our

The Family Unit at
ORLANDO REGIONAL
SOUTH SEMINOLE HOSPITAL

555 West S.R. 434, Longwood, FL 32750

Business

Information available on new Lake Mary school

By Shari Brodie
HERALD FEATURE EDITOR

LAKE MARY - Good schools have always been a factor in the equation of life in Lake Mary.

A new private school will soon be added to the sum.

Learning Unlimited International Schools, a not for profit private organization hopes to break ground on Lake Mary Preparatory School in October.

Founded in 1976 in Columbus, Ohio, there are presently seven LUIS campuses in the Columbus area, serving 1,000 students, and one LUIS campus in St. Maarten, Netherland Antilles, serving 300 students.

The son of the founders, Dean Alcott, and his wife, Annette, had been looking for a Central Florida location, when they discovered the opportunities available in Lake Mary.

The choice of the Lake Mary location was largely due to the recommendations of Roger Soderstrom, of Stirling International Realty, and Diane Parker, of the Lake Mary Heathrow Chamber of Commerce.

Soderstrom and Parker knew of several area residents who were looking for an alternative to the public school system.

For Alcott, the challenge was finding a site large enough to incorporate all the programs the school wants to offer. The new school will be located on Ranchwood Lane, next to the Lake Mary Sports Complex.

Accessible from County Road 46A, the school will be only three minutes from the new in-

terstate-4 interchange, said Alcott.

Lake Mary Preparatory School, will begin enrollment for pre-kindergarten through 10th grade classes for the fall of 1999, will eventually house 11th and 12th grade with a full athletics program.

Founders of the school system, Alcott's parents were educators in Ohio who wanted to offer individualized curriculums for children.

Annette, who has been working with LUIS for more than 7 years, said "Our program is non-rigid traditional. We allow children to work at their own pace regardless of their chronological age."

Smaller classes allow for enrichment as well as learning. Most grades have no more than 20 students to each teacher, said Alcott. "We need to have that few in order to implement our philosophies."

The schools have no corporate or religious affiliations. The components of the program include multi-cultural orientation, critical and creative thinking, thematic studies and integration of technology in a success-oriented environment.

The initial enrollment goal for Lake Mary Preparatory School is 500, with the student population growing as grades are added. The traditional college preparatory curriculum will include advanced placement courses.

Extended day, summer programs and after-school enrichment activities will con-



Founsh Alcott, the executive director and co-founder of Learning Unlimited International Schools

tribute to the social and emotional growth of the students, said Alcott. The athletic program will include football, swimming, soccer, gymnastics and baseball and softball at the adjacent Lake Mary Sports Complex. The plan is for the students to become involved in community activities and integrate their learning experience. "It's really going to be a community school," said Annette.

An informational meeting, with Founsh Alcott, the executive director and co-founder, as keynote speaker, will be held Tuesday, Aug. 18, at 7 p.m. at the Heathrow Country Club. An overview of the school, a description of the Lake Mary campus, the academic time schedule and enrollment procedures will be addressed.

For more information, or to make reservations, contact Dean Alcott at 805-0095.



Photo Courtesy of Millennium Middle School

A helping hand

Seminole County based Wharton-Smith Construction Group, headquartered on County Road 15 in Lake Monroe, has donated \$1,000 worth of school supplies to help students from low income families at Millennium Middle School. Officials and student leaders turned out for the presentation at Millennium Middle School recently. Left to right, Wharton-Smith President George Smith, Jennifer Leggo, Eric Palmer, Bryan Pickens, Mike Moran, Pam Caman,

Mark Ianelli, and Millennium Middle School Principal Jim Shupe. Wharton-Smith is now listed in the state and local level of the Top 20 Firms, according to CEN in Engineering News Record publication. It was also ranked 32nd in the Top Environmental Firms by the publication. Headquartered at Lake Monroe, Wharton-Smith also has branch offices in Tampa and Jupiter, with a staff of over 275, presently celebrating 15 years of business.

IN BRIEF

Name change

SANFORD - The Remainsense of Sanford has changed its name to SunPalm Senior Living-Sun Healthcare Group of Albuquerque, N.M. has acquired the residence and it will become part of Sun's new senior living division, Sun-Palms.

Located at 300 W. Airport Blvd. it will continue to provide assisted living services to residents as well as an independent living lifestyle for those who desire a lifestyle without the responsibilities of home ownership. The staff will remain the same under the new ownership.

LAKE MARY - Construction by Harbina Development Corp. of a new Community National Bank of Mid-Florida, is expected to begin within the next few weeks. The 4,300 square foot facility is to be located at 3110 Lake Mary Blvd. between Country Club Road and Longwood-Lake Mary Road.

Bill Barwick, who left Banco Popular in Sanford, will head the new bank. Approval of the bank's charter is expected by November, with the new facility expected to begin operations by March of 1999.

A new lease

LONGWOOD - Realvest Partners, Inc. has negotiated a new long-term lease for 5,000 square feet of office and warehouse space at the First Financial center in Longwood. The lease, valued at over \$106,000 will take effect on Oct. 1.

COB Frequency Products, Inc. has been identified as the new tenant.

Sale set

SANFORD - Stirling International Realty negotiated the sale of the 11,000 square foot Florida Solar Technology Building, at 235 Centerline Road in Sanford. Stirling owner Roger Soderstrom said Ken and Linda Kodonaven paid \$482,000 for the building which

will be utilized as an office/warehouse and distribution center.

Florida Solar is completing a new 20,000 square foot facility and plans to move in by this coming month. In addition, Florida Solar has announced it will have additional new satellite offices in Sarasota in September, and Jacksonville by February of next year.

Newsies

OVIEDO - M/I Home has named Doug Duncan as sales person for the month of July with five sales for a dollar volume of \$1,301,086. Duncan works out of the Emma Green office in Oviedo as well as Boylle Chase in Tusconville.

Hospital contract

LONGWOOD - Longwood based R.I. Goldman Company, mechanical contractor, has secured a contract with Orlando regional medical Center in Orlando, to provide mechanical, plumbing and medical gas installations for the general contractor, for a \$3,000 square foot addition.

Construction of the 50 new patient rooms at the facility is scheduled for completion by the end of this year.

Marketing awards

LAKE MONROE - Metro-Orlando Wharton-Smith Construction Group, 790 County Road 15 in Lake Monroe, has been awarded two marketing communications awards from the Society of Marketing Professional Services.

The awards were "Communitizing through multi-media and three-dimensional design, and special events piece."

Transactions

SEMINOLE COUNTY - With only two communities located in Seminole County, Transwestern Homes of Central Florida reported selling 11 homes last month for a dollar volume of \$2.5 million. The two communities are Cypress Head at the Enclave at Alma Woods, and the Estates at Alma Woods, at Alma Avenue, west of Oviedo.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO ADOPT A SMALL SCALE LAND USE AMENDMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Lake Mary City Commission will hold a public hearing THURSDAY, August 20, 1998, at 7 p.m. or as soon thereafter as possible, for second reading of an ordinance entitled:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAKE MARY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR THE CITY OF LAKE MARY, FLORIDA; PROVIDING FOR A CHANGE OF FUTURE LAND USE DESIGNATION FROM LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL TO RESTRICTED COMMERCIAL; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

This meeting will be held at Lake Mary City Hall, 100 North Country Club Road, Lake Mary, Florida.

The property to be considered for the small scale amendment is approximately 8.6 acres in size. The applicant is requesting a change in future land use designation from Low Density Residential (LDR) to Restricted Commercial, (RES COM). The property is located at the West side of Rinehart Road, South of Anderson Lane, more particularly described as follows:

Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 - Lake Emma East Subdivision as recorded in Plat Book 17, Page 14 of the Public Records of Seminole County, Florida, and of Parcel 17, legally described as the South 200.00 feet of the East 3/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 Section 7, Township 20 South, Range 30 East, less the West 250.00 feet thereof, and less the East 475.00 feet thereof, and the East 3/4 of the North 1.2 of the Northeast 1.4 of the Southeast 1.4 Section 7, Township 20 South, Range 30 East, less the West 250 feet thereof and less the East 475.00 feet thereof. Less the North 25 feet of the South 200 feet of the East 3.4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 7, Township 20 South, Range 30 East, Less the West 250 feet thereof and less the East 475 feet thereof.

Tax Parcels: 07 20 30 300 0170 0000; 07 20 30 502 0000 0010; 0020; 0030; 0040

Containing 8.6 acres.

A copy of the Comprehensive Plan, Future Land Use Map and proposed amendment are available for inspection in the Community Development Office, Lake Mary City Hall, 100 North Country Club Road, Lake Mary, Florida, Monday through Friday, from 8:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M., or you may call 324-3049 for information concerning this amendment.

Interested parties may appear and be heard regarding the proposed amendment or written comments may be filed with the City Clerk at 100 North Country Club Road, Lake Mary, Florida.

NOTE: PERSONS ARE ADVISED THAT A TAPED RECORD OF THIS MEETING IS MADE BY THE CITY FOR ITS CONVENIENCE. THIS RECORD MAY NOT CONSTITUTE AN ADEQUATE RECORD FOR THE PURPOSES OF APPEAL FROM A DECISION MADE BY THE CITY. ANY PERSON WISHING TO ENSURE THAT AN ADEQUATE RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS IS MAINTAINED FOR APPELLATE PURPOSES IS ADVISED TO MAKE THE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS AT HIS OR HER OWN EXPENSE.

Persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the City's ADA Coordinator at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting at (407) 324-3024.

City of Lake Mary, Florida
Carol A. Foeter
City Clerk

WHY GO WHERE YOU BUY YOUR GARDENING TOOLS AND YOUR NAILS & SCREWS TO BUY CARPET & TILE??

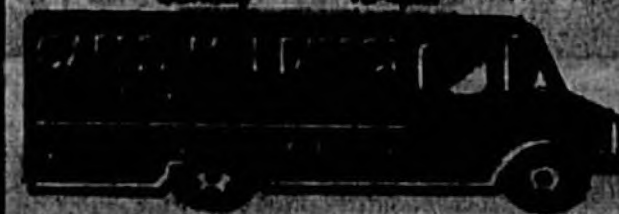
COME TO THE FLOORCOVERING EXPERTS COME TO...

CARPET WORLD DIRECT

16" & 18" CERAMIC TILES IN STOCK - COME IN FOR SPECIALS



HOURS: Mon-Thurs 9-5, Fri-Sat 9-6, Sunday 12-5pm. Services: Free-Quote, 12-Hours. Delivery by Appointment.



REAL PRICE QUALITY VALUE SELECTION

2013 Hwy. 17-82 • Sanford

(2 Blocks North of Airport Exit) Next to City Beach and Enterprise Leasing

407-324-3024

SEMINOLE Sports

B

The Herald

Seminole Herald, Sanford, Florida - Sunday, August 16, 1988

Extra Points...

Jeff Berlinicke
Herald Staff Writer



Winning at all costs is filtering into high schools

SANFORD How important is it to win? On the professional level, it's everything. Money's involved.

On the college level, especially in the Division I ranks, it's pretty important too. Money's involved.

But at the high school ranks? Was anybody else sickened that a state high school program, Miami High, was placed on probation due to major rules violations last week. The school forfeited its 1988 state boys basketball title and will be ineligible for participation in the state playoffs in 1989.

At least seven basketball players were illegally recruited in some way at Miami and the boys' soccer team at the school was also found guilty of serious transgressions.

C'mon, this is high school sports. Miami has won eight state boys basketball championships in 11 years. Hooray.

But at what cost? This year, Miami destroyed Edgewater High which, by the way, knocked Lake Howell out of the playoffs.

In 1987, the Stingrays blasted Oviedo in the finals.

Great, they have assembled the best basketball team in the state.

But look at who loses. It should be interesting to see if there's a mass exodus of Miami players before practice starts in November. Surely a bunch of mercenaries aren't going to stay at Miami just to be true to their school.

But the whole high school corruption thing goes much deeper. Miami got busted.

Who's next? Could it be someone in Central Florida, or even Seminole County?

There are few athletic directors in Seminole County who have questioned possible recruiting violations at other county and area schools. No one's been found guilty and everything has been above ground, but all you have to do is look who fills out the county rosters and compare them to where the same kids were in different situations in different years.

Over the past three years alone, there have been howls of recruiting violations from coaches in almost every sport in Seminole County. Are their protests fair?

Who knows. Everything seems to be at least partly above the table and on the level.

But when does high school sports take the same ugly turn that college sports did when it was determined there was money to be made?

Did you know that a bubble gum card company is now selling a high school all-star set?

Or that every week, local television stations air high school games of the week? That some schools have their game broadcast over the radio each week?

There's nothing wrong with that. It's a great way to publicize something that's good about high schools.

But when does it go too far? Are high schoolers playing for television cameras or college scholarships? When does the need to win go too far?

The FHAA came down hard on Miami, citing the school as flagrantly violating the rules concerning recruiting.

But not only are the legitimate kids who play for Miami penalized, so are high schoolers from all over Florida.

Anytime someone transfers from one school to another, and the rules are certainly lenient, especially with the reconstruction of Lake Brantley, the new Winter Springs High School and the Seminole Health Academy making it easy to transfer between schools.

Everybody remembers the controversy surrounding a Lake Mary athlete who transferred out of school just prior to the first day of football practice, then transferred back immediately following the completion of the regular season.

Now other coaches are saying that their programs are being raided by schools within Please see J&E, Page 2B

Post 53 advances

Sanford scores six runs in top of ninth inning to edge East Ridge, 16-10

By Dean Smith
HERALD SPORTS EDITOR

GALLATIN, TENNESSEE — Matthew Allegra hit a home run and drove in three runs, and Brent Templeton, Chas Lytle and Jeremy Frost limited East Ridge, Tennessee Post 95 to two runs over the final six innings as Sanford Post 53 survived 16-10 and earn a spot in

Sunday's semifinals in the 1988 American Legion Region 3 Tournament at Tim Garrett Park on the Volunteer State Community College campus.

Post 53 (36-10) took leads of 4-2 and 9-4, but Post 95 (38-16) came back to tie the game at 10-10 in the bottom of the fifth inning.

The score stayed 10-10 until Please see Post 53, Page 2B



Team TPB put on quite a hitting display in its opening game of the 1988 ASA Men's Super Slow Pitch National Championships at Historic Sanford Memorial Stadium Friday morning. Todd Martin (top, left) went 4-for-4 with a home run, a double, two runs scored and four RBI, while last year's MVP of the national tournament, DeWayne Nevils (top, right), hit two home runs as did winning pitcher Phil Jobe (accepting congratulations, left) in Team TPB's 21-4 victory over Backstop.

Special Photos by Young Street

Favorites advance in ASA Nationals

By Dean Smith
HERALD SPORTS EDITOR

SANFORD The big tournament to watch Friday at the site of Sanford and the Seminole County Convention and Visitor's Bureau sponsored ASA National Men's Super Slow Pitch National Tournament started eliminations on Historic Sanford Memorial Stadium.

The pre-tournament favorites, Team TPB, Steele's Hitmen and Lighthouse/Worth, advanced to the Final Four along with Chase Moments/Worth as the 10 team field was narrowed to seven in seven games on Friday.

The day opened with Steele's Hitmen coming back from an 11-5 Please see Tournament, Page 2B

| | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Steele's Hitmen | 450 (1000) 1 - 20 |
| Backstop | 697 9 11 9 - 20 |
| Team TPB | 804 27 - 21 |
| Chase Moments | 150 10 - 4 |
| Steele's | 6 00 100 (100) 20 |
| Chase | (1000) 205 2 - 20 |
| Lighthouse/Worth | 11100 60 - 27 |
| Steele's | 3 4 0 20 - 10 |
| Final Softball Backstop | 210 200 1 - 9 |
| Steele's | 681 610 2 - 15 |
| Steele's | 600 200 0 - 3 |
| Chase Moments | 214 100 0 - 11 |
| Steele's | 600 0 0 (100) 1 - 27 |
| Backstop | 600 0 (100) 0 - 20 |

Local team lives up to namesake's large legacy

By Jeff Berlinicke
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

FIVE POINTS — It's not hard to be the best when you've coached by the best.

Dot's Diamonds, a local 19-and-under girls fast pitch softball team, recently captured fifth place out of 65 teams at the National Softball Association World Series in Jupiter, Fla.

The team was managed by Lenora Richardson, brother of Olympian Dot Richardson whom the team is named after.

Dot's Diamonds consisted of players from all over the state including Lake Mary, Seminole County.

Caitlin Mahoney and Jennifer Vitale of Lake Mary, and Jennifer Tomassetti of Oviedo made up the Please see Diamonds, Page 2B



Dot's Diamonds recently placed fifth in the NSA National Tournament

'Duffer' Berlinicke from the Eagle's Nest

By Jeff Berlinicke
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

PALM COAST Matt Kuchar isn't the only Lake Mary golfer vying for the U.S. Amateur when they tee off at Oak Hill in Rochester, N.Y. next week.

His Seminole High School teammate Jeremy Anderson, one of the top-ranked collegians in the country and a member of the UNLV national champions, will also be part of the tournament. He qualified with a 1-over at Bay Hill last week.

Stetson's Mike Natale took medalist honors at Bay Hill to also earn a spot...

The Dynamic Golf Tour held four events last week. At Palmetto last Thursday, John Brott won both the senior and open division with a 69.

Rich Crim followed with a 70 in the open division.

Friday at Ridgewood Lakes, John Frankel's 73 won the senior division with Larry Fulbrook's 68 winning the open event.

Saturday, the tour hit the Huntington Hill course and Larry Brunner's 66 won the open division.

Kistimnee Bay was the

site Sunday and Ted Hayes' 69 bested the field...

The Fourth Annual Delco Oil Express Mart Celebrity Golf Tournament will be held Sept. 11 at Deland Country Club with a 1 p.m. shotgun start.

Proceeds will benefit the Volusia County Sheriff's Youth Foundation. Call Jerry Deluca at (904) 734-8864 for information...

The Legacy Golf Club at Alauqua Lakes hosted a golf course preview party last Thursday. The course is a new development in Longwood featuring a 7,100-yard Tom Fazio-designed 18-hole course. The club is scheduled to open Sept. 1. The course has matured beyond our expectations at this point, General Manager Steve McDonald said. That is due to the combined efforts of our course maintenance crew and Golf Course Superintendent Adam Felman. The course will challenge you on each hole, but the surroundings throughout will give the golfer a sense of serenity...

Oceans Eleven, a golf resort made up of five oceanfront hotels in Daytona

Beach, is offering some excellent golf packages. River Bend Country Club and Jack Nicklaus' Grand Haven are just two of the courses offered as part of the package. Right now, there is a "Fall for Golf" package rate of \$119 per person from Aug. 18 - Dec. 22. Call 1-800-874-7420 and ask for Sue Trettner...

Orange County National, "one of the top-10 courses you can play," according to Golf Magazine, is hosting the first round of the FILA World Golf Tour, an event set up for "sandbaggers." The tour is based on the USGA's probability report of scoring below handicap. Future events include Deer Island, Heathrow and Eastwood. Call Central Florida Headquarters at 740-5809...

The United States Blind Golf Association will host the World Blind & Vision Impaired Golf Championships at Grenada, Sept. 28-30. The top blind and vision impaired golfers, representing seven countries, will compete in the 36-hole event...

The American Lung Association of Central Florida is selling its Golf Privilege Card which provides reduced fees

at over 50 of Central Florida's golf courses. Proceeds will benefit asthma educa-

tion and smoking-prevention in area elementary schools. Call 425-5864.

FLY TO THE

BAHAMAS

- ✓ Just \$199 Per Person
- ✓ Includes Roundtrip Jet Service
- ✓ Includes 3 or 4 Nights Hotel
- ✓ Includes U.S. Departure Taxes
- ✓ Includes a Fun Filled Vacation

call toll-free for reservations

877-FLY-2-FUN

What are you waiting for?

We make your business insurance our business.

We want to be your business partner when it comes to insurance protection. Contact us today for quality business protection from Auto-Owners Insurance Company. We'll take care of your business insurance while you take care of business!



Auto-Owners Insurance
Life Home Car Business
Tony Russi/Agent
TONY RUSSI INSURANCE
2875 S. Pymouth Ave.
Sanford
322-0286

TEAL TALK
By Jeff Berlinicke
Assistant Sports Editor

Battle at running back has added a third contender

JACKSONVILLE Talk in the Jaguars' camp all summer is about the battle for the number one spot at running back.

James Stewart, a four-year man and former first-round pick or 1988 first-rounder Fred Taylor, the local hero from the University of Florida.

Stewart or Taylor? Taylor or Stewart?

Look out for another contender for the job.

Roobie Tavian Banks, a third-rounder from the University of Iowa, won't start right away. Jacksonville coach Tom Coughlin envisions Banks as a third-down back, a Dave Meggett-type, who can provide the Jaguars with a much needed runner out of the backfield... something they've never had in their four years.

Banks can do more than that.

In camp, he has been one of the standouts and was many of the early conditioning workouts. He is an all-purpose back who has great breakaway speed. Last season, the Jaguars' longest run from scrimmage was 33 yards.

In Friday's 24-10 pre-season win over the New York Giants, Banks went 68 yards and led the team in rushing for the night.

He gives quarterback Mark Brunell an option he hasn't had and may crowd Stewart out of some serious playing time.

Banks has also become a favorite of Coughlin with his work ethic and his speed. He's a Coughlin-type player with an added dimension.

JAGUAR NOTES:

Thursday, the Jaguars added some much-needed depth to the front line with the signing of free-agent defensive end Fernando Smith. Smith spent last season with Minnesota and is expected to spell starters Reynaldo Wynn and Tony Strickland... Center Michael Croover is probably not for the season, leaving the starting job up for grabs. Center Dave Wilk left as a free-agent for Atlanta... Jacksonville brought in troubled former Chicago lineman Alton Smithman for a try-out last week and he didn't last the day. Smithman missed two flights to Jacksonville and showed up unannounced. Not exactly a Coughlin-type... In case you haven't noticed, Sports Illustrated picks the Jaguars over Tampa Bay in the Super Bowl.

BUCS' BITS
By Kellie Werner
Herald Staff Writer

Offensive woes leave Buccaneers coaches looking for solutions

TAMPA What started out as a great pre-season has suddenly turned into a disaster.

It only took one short week for Tampa Bay to revert back to the team of old, quickly turning an undisciplined pre-season record into 1-3 in only six short days.

Want to take a shot at naming the problem? That's right... offense.

Plagued by missed blocks, bad routes, dropped passes and a slew of penalties, the Bucs' offense appeared to be floundering in circles during their 14-13 loss on Thursday night to the Miami Dolphins.

With only 11 days to iron things out, Tampa Bay coach Tony Dungy said that while he wasn't exactly sure what the problems were stemming from, the solution would be to start playing these in the line-up who wouldn't get penalties or make mistakes.

This is the second week that the defense has kept the Bucs in the game despite the problems with the offensive unit as a whole.

Last Sunday's (1-13) loss to the Kansas City Chiefs was just as horrible to watch. Had backup quarterback contender and three-year veteran Scott Milanovich not hit the end zone with a bomb, the Bucs' prospects in the Chiefs' stadium may have gone untested.

In fact, Milanovich's play thus far may actually earn him the backup spot over Steve Walsh.

Back to the offense as a whole... The Bucs' starting line-up had only 54 plays Thursday in the first half with only four first downs (one on a penalty) and 10 total yards. Running back Walter Green rushed 17

63 of those yards on nine carries.

While Dolphin quarterback Dan Marino completed five-of-five in the first drive, culminating in a field goal, Diller was missing on his first sight attempt.

The timing with the receivers will come, but perhaps more important is the fact that Diller has made some poor decisions this pre-season and is holding on to the ball too long.

Diller has been getting most of the reps in practice against a scout-team defense and should have been better prepared for the Dolphins.

There is definitely a problem in the offense. Exactly what that problem is remains to be revealed. But time is running out fast.

NOTES:

The Bucs had a scare late in the fourth quarter of Thursday's game when running back Keith Abraham suffered a concussion after taking a vicious hit and was taken off the field on a stretcher.

Abraham, a rookie free agent out of Lehigh who has shown promise during the pre-season, was hit hardest by Miami Dolphins linebacker Dwight Hollister on an incomplete pass.

After the game, Abraham was walking around the locker room wearing a neck brace and not remembering much.

The NFL is experimenting with instant replay during the pre-season, using a stadium camera which is connected to the officials to review a play.

Bucs coach Tony Dungy used a challenge on the play in which Abraham was hit, when the officials initially ruled a re-

ception and fumble that was recovered by the Dolphins.

After a review on the sideline, however, the referee upheld the challenge and ruled the play an incomplete pass.

Former Florida Gator wide receiver Jacques Green found the endzone for the first time in his NFL career on Thursday. Green took it upon himself midway through the second quarter to provide some spark for the Bucs when he returned a punt for an 81-yard touchdown.

Unfortunately, Diller made a safety Danton Robinson was called for holding, nullifying the touchdown.

INJURY UPDATE:

QB Al Harris (knee) and LB Steve Fields (concussion), FB Mike Adams (knee), TE Dave Moore (knee), T Paul Gruber (knee), LB Harry Robinson (knee) and RB Gary Wilson (knee) had injuries. WR Champ Shann (quadriplegic), DT Anthony DeOrtiz (ankle) and QB Jeff Bruhn (thumb).

BROWN'S GYMNASTICS

Register Now

For Fall Classes

BROWN'S GYMNASIUM Now Open in the Gateway Plaza Across from Seminole Towne Center Call 322-8244 for information

BROWN'S GYMNASTICS OFFERS 4 FREE TRIAL HOURS 8 Hours for the Price of 4
(4 Free Practice Hours)

- CLASSES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS OF ALL AGES
- CALL FOR YOUR FREE TRIAL CLASS

Girls & Boys Beginner - Advanced Gymnastics, Mom & Tot, Tiny Tots, Cheerleading, High School Class, Girl's Competitive Teams, Mini Camps, Birthday Parties Available.

National and Internationally - Renowned Coaching Staff

FREE T-SHIRT

Brown's Gymnastics Now Has Three Locations to Serve You!

BROWN'S GYMNASIUM
Gateway Plaza - Across from Seminole Towne Ctr.
322-3044

BROWN'S GYMNASIUM
14th Street, Inc.
Altamonte Springs
888-9744

BROWN'S GYMNASIUM
6950 Highway 92
Winter Park
867-9774

Daytona Roller Skating Center

1100 Bay St. • Daytona, FL 32122 (407) 674-3400

| | | | | |
|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|--|-------------------------------|
| SKATE 12-3 05.00 | WEEK NIGHT 10 & UP ONLY 6:00 - 9:00 • 9.00 | SKATE 12-3 05.00 | WEEK END 12-3 • 05.00 SAT JAN 7-12 05.00 | OPEN SKATE 1-6 • 04.00 |
|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|--|-------------------------------|

We Do Great Party Packages

REGULAR PACKAGE \$10.00 PER CHILD

- 2 hours skating
- Free skates
- Free parking
- Free refreshments
- Free program
- Free certificate
- Free photo
- Free gift

DELUXE PACKAGE \$15.00 PER CHILD

EVERYTHING IN THE REGULAR PACKAGE PLUS:

- All You Can Eat Pizza & Drinks in the Party Room
- A Trophy For Child To Play The Arena Games!

Leisure

Dancing her way to new club

Special to the Herald

ORANGE CITY - Nancy Poe of Lake Mary can usually be found in a dance studio surrounded by little girls and boys in dance attire.

The clamor of taps, squeals and "Miss Nancy, watch this!" are some of her favorite sounds.

She has spent the last 10 years teaching tap, ballet, jazz, lyrical, acro, modeling and baton to students in the Lake Mary and surrounding areas. Now she is relocating her talents to a gymnastics and dance academy called "The Fit Club" in Orange City.



Nancy Poe

States Twirling Association.

She also furthered her teaching career by becoming nationally licensed and certified by test through Dance Educators of America and is currently a member. She continues her dance education through annual workshops and conventions. She has studied under renown choreographers such as Frank Hatchett, Sonny Leo, Rob Schultz, Debbie Dee, Wade Robinson and Eddie Garcia.

Speaking of choreography, Poe has choreographed dances for jazz, tap, lyrical, ballet, baton and acro for recitals.

shows and competitions. Her junior and senior competition teams have won her "Top Teacher Awards" in both dance and modeling and numerous first place and Top Ten Overall Awards.

In addition to all of her dance, she has been married to Michael Poe for seven years and has two sons, Robert, 3 years old and Charles, 6 weeks old. "Michael is great with the children while I am teaching. I couldn't do it without him." Michael is also a former dance teacher and competed with Nancy in modified ballroom dance.

The Fit Club, Nancy's new place of employment, is owned and operated by Todd Ellis. The 11,000-square-foot facility houses a state-of-the-art academy with gymnastic equipment and dance facility. It offers recreational, competitive and show gymnastics. Coaches Kevin Ellis, two-time Olympian Hana Ricna Heasen and Husband Loren train pre-team through optional to elite level gymnasts. All kinds of dance from pre-ballet through adult tap are offered along with karate instructed by Grand Master Neal Hummerstone. Cheerleading classes that include tumbling and jumps are also available.

Poe is the artistic director of the dance department. The Fit Club is located in Orange City, just 15 minutes from the Lake Mary area.

LAKE MARY CINEMA 10
124 OLLIS

▲ THE AVENGERS (PG-13)
1:00 4:00 7:00 9:45

EVER AFTER (PG-13)
1:10 4:30 7:45 10:20

THE PARENT TRAP (PG)
1:30 4:15 7:00 9:40

THE MASK OF ZORRO (PG-13)
8:30

AIR BUD 2 (G)
12:45 3:00 5:00 7:15

SAVING PRIVATE RYAN (R)
12:30 4:00 7:15 10:30

HALLOWEEN: H2O (R)
12:40 3:30 5:20 7:45 10:10

SNAKE EYES (R)
12:30 2:45 5:00 7:15 10:00

THE NEGOTIATOR (R)
12:50 4:15 7:30 10:20

THERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT MARY (R)
1:20 4:45 7:35 10:15

NOW STELLA GOT HER GROOVE BACK (R)
12:45 4:30 7:30 10:30

YOUR NEWSPAPER costs little but its value is great

Subscribe Today

Seminole Herald • August 16, 1998

MONSTER DEBT ?



LET'S KILL IT!

You may know a professional person, self-employed or unemployed, married, single, family, friend, co-worker or church friend that could use our help. It doesn't matter how much they earn - they still may be in a financial squeeze. Their problems probably started with an over-extension of credit cards, medical emergencies or just poor planning. These are circumstances beyond their control and we can help end the stress of living in the RED.

- Initial Consultation is FREE
- Strictly Confidential
- Consolidated Bills without a loan
- No Credit Check
- Immediate Approval
- Single Monthly Payment

Pioneer Credit & Debt Consolidation Services

(407) 327-9550



Singing out in celebration

Herald Photo by Peter Kalish

Although the city of Lake Mary was celebrating the anniversary of its incorporation, a quarter century in the 20th century, the entertainment was a mix of old and new. The Lake Mary High School Madrigals, led by Choral Director Alice Nilsen and accompa-

nied by Laurel Elmore, opened the official ceremony at the amphitheater in Central Park Dressed in garb from the Middle Ages, the Madrigals sang contemporary patriotic songs, 'I Hear America Singing,' and 'God Bless America.'

IN BRIEF

Jazzy presentation

ORLANDO - The Central Florida Jazz Society presents the following monthly entertainment on Sundays at the American Legion, 2101 Lee Road, Orlando:

- Aug. 16- Bill Allred's Classic Jazz Band;
- Sept. 20- Giovanni Hidalgo;
- Oct. 18- Dale Burke's Jazz Band;
- Nov. 15- Alan Vache.

A buffet is served from 1 until 3 p.m. for \$5. Music performed from 2 until 5 p.m. Suggested donation: members-\$5, non-members-\$7.50, college students-\$2.50, high school students are free.

Honorable Theater

DELAND - The Advanced Drama Camp at Theater Center, Inc. will present its camp production *The Honorable Urashima Taro*, written by Coleman A. Jenkins, on Friday, Aug. 21 at 3 p.m. and Saturday, Aug. 22 at 2:30 p.m.

Based on a classic Japanese story, it is the tale of a young fisherman who rescues a turtle and as his reward is taken to an undersea wonderland and made a prince. When he becomes homesick and asks to return to his village, he discovers that he has been gone many, many years-not a few days as he has imagined. He must choose between his underwater kingdom of eternal youth and his former life on land governed by the laws of nature.

The performance will be held at The Cultural Arts Center, 600 N. Woodland Blvd., Deland. The public is welcome to attend the Friday performance free of charge. Tickets for the Saturday performance re available at the door for \$3.

Contestant search

ORLANDO - Nickelodeon is seeking kid contestants for the hit comedy game show, *Figure It Out*. The series combines the style of classic game shows from television's golden era with the network's own trademark meanness.

The show airs nightly and features regular

kid contestants' from all over the United States that have incredibly unique--and sometimes bizarre--talents and abilities. A panel of Nickelodeon stars and special guest celebrities team up to figure out the contestant's particular talent or accomplishment. The longer it takes the panelists to guess the kid's abilities, the more prizes the contestant receives.

From now until Aug. 26 kids with utterly amazing talents, off-the-wall inventions or really hooky collections can call the Contestant Hotline at (407) 224-7515.

Teen fright

ORLANDO - Best-selling author R.L. Stine, "the Stephen King for kids", has been terrifying teens for decades. In fact, with over 250 million books sold, USA Today has called Stine the best-selling author in America-outselling Graham, Crichton and even Stephen King!

With his latest series of books, *Seniors: A Fear Street Series*, Stine launches his first ever 12-book series with continuing characters. Releasing one book a month from June 1998 until June 1999, *Seniors* follows the lives of the cursed senior class of Fear Street's ShadySide High. Each month brings another shocking supernatural event, leaving readers to wonder...who will survive senior year?

The new *Seniors* series is off to tremendous sales success and Gold Key Paperbacks is celebrating with the author himself! R.L. Stine will make a special appearance at Barnes & Noble to meet the fans of Fear Street and to sign copies of these first three *Seniors* books: *Let's Party*, *In Too Deep*, and *The Thirst*.

Stine will be at Barnes & Noble Sunday, Aug. 30 from 2 until 3 p.m. Barnes & Noble Booksellers is located at 2418 E. Colonial Drive (corner of Bumby), Orlando, FL 32803, (407) 894-8024.

The first ten kids in line to meet Stine will receive a free limited edition *Seniors* backpack!

LAKE MARY PUB & GRILL

"IT'S A NEW TWIST ON A NOSTALGIC PLACE"
NEW OWNER, NEW MANAGEMENT AND A TOTALLY NEW LOOK

NOW SERVING MIXED DRINKS

LADIES NIGHT Saturday 10pm-1am
Pool Tournaments 5pm
\$7.50 Longnecks

Monday Night Football Party
DJ, Live Band or Karaoke Every Weekend
Wednesday Free Pool 6pm-9pm

HAPPY HOUR Mon-Thurs. 4pm - 7pm Sat. & Sun. 9pm - 11pm

BRING THIS COUPON TO RECEIVE A COMPLIMENTARY FREE DRINK GOOD UNTIL AUG. 31, 1998

107-321-7060

FIVE NEW HOMES!

Special introductory offer:

FREE

GE Appliance Package, on These 5 Models Only, includes*

- Dishwasher • Range & Range Hood • Garbage Disposer
- Refrigerator • Washer & Dryer

Offer expires 8/28/98

Qualified property owners: You can have a new home traditionally built board-by-board on your lot with:

- No Money Down • No Points • No Closing Costs
- No Application Fees
- No Private Mortgage Insurance!

Call 1-800-492-5837 ext 60 for a free brochure and location of your nearest model home center, mail the coupon or visit our web site at <http://www.jimwalthomes.com>

DELAND, FL
1638 North Volusia Ave.
Orange City, FL
Ph: 904/775-8400

ORLANDO, FL
4540 W. Colonial Hwy, 50 W
Ph: 407/295-0981

Please send me your free brochure with more than 20 home designs and information about building on my property. H0988

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____
Mail to: Jim Walter Homes, P.O. Box 51601, Tampa, FL 33681-0981

Jim Walter HOMES
THE NATION'S LARGEST ON-YOUR-LOT HOMEBUILDER SINCE 1948 • OVER \$5.000 BUILT

Open 7 days a week, Weekend Hours Sat. 8 A.M. to 6 P.M., Sun. 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.

* Special offer only available on 5 new models built in Broward, Dade and Pasco Counties. Limited 100 units. Home must be purchased between 8/1/98 - 8/28/98 to receive the free GE appliance package. Appliances delivered after the home is built. Restrictions and details are not included in this offer. Please contact Jim Walter Homes, Inc. at 1-800-492-5837 ext. 60 for details. © Jim Walter Homes, Inc. 1998. Copyright strictly enforced. In Louisiana, Jim Walter Homes of Louisiana, Inc. Georgia residential mortgage license.

BLONDIE

by Chic Young



BEETLE BAILEY

by Mort Walker



THE BORN LOSER

by Art Sanson



PEANUTS

by Charles M. Schulz



ECK & MECK

by Howie Schneider



TUMBLEWEEDS

by T.K. Ryan



ARLO AND JANIS

by Jimmy Johnson



FRANK AND ERNEST

by Bob Thaves



WAMPFIELD

by Jim Davis



ROBOTMAN

by Jim Meddick



HOROSCOPE

ASTRO-GRAPH



BERNICE BEEDE OSOL



Sunday, Aug. 16, 1998

Intimate friends have always been important to you, but this could be even more true in the year ahead. Many opportunities and adventures might come your way through close pals.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Group interactions could work out well for you today, especially if they're of a social nature. Mingle with the masses instead of being a lone eagle. Leo, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Do not be intimidated by competitive developments today. You have reserves that those who oppose you do not.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your ability to gain knowledge is keener than usual today, especially that learned through personal experiences. What you learn will be put to constructive use.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Luck and circumstance might fit you into favorable positions today. Enter when opportunity beckons.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Your strongest chances for success today could come from arrangements where you work with another for a common cause.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Even though your reasons for helping others won't be selfishly motivated, you are still apt to get more from the recipients than you give them today.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Let affairs of the heart take priority over other conditions today. Try to plan something special in a romantic setting for you and your one-and-only.

ACROSS

- 1 City in Florida
- 6 Ham of lamb
- 10 Primitive wagon
- 12 Shut
- 14 Baby — (parents' employee)
- 15 Took a chance
- 16 Chinese pagoda
- 17 Wide shoe size
- 19 It just — fair!
- 20 Model
- 23 Did a clerical task
- 26 Clean-air org.
- 27 Slender finial
- 30 Atlantic and Pacific
- 32 Avoids adroitly
- 34 Income from housing
- 35 Of an ethnic group
- 36 Important period
- 37 Nautical rope

DOWN

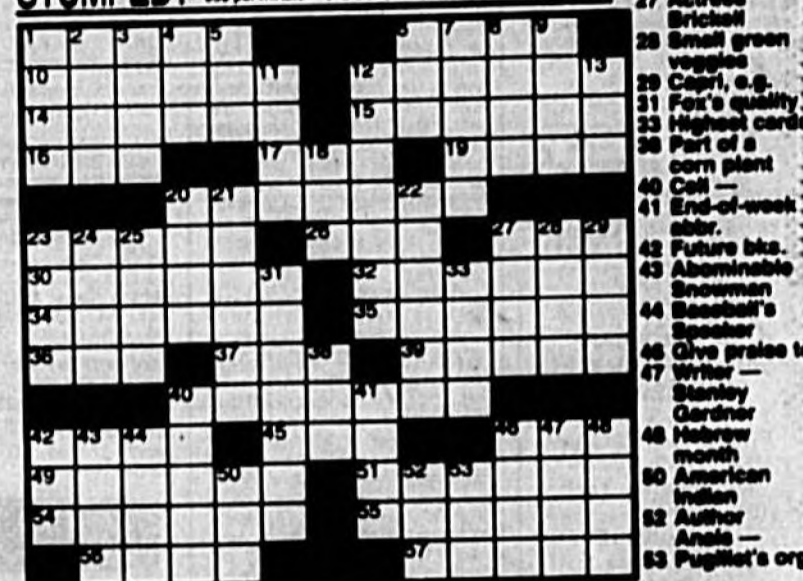
- 1 Majority
- 2 Corn lily
- 3 Recorded proceedings
- 4 Small rug
- 5 Wrath
- 6 Roman 1,051
- 7 Dye compound
- 8 Inquires
- 9 Adolescent
- 11 Allowance for waste
- 12 Baby, at times
- 13 Insecticide

Answer to Previous Puzzle



STUMPED?

Call for Answers • Touch-Tone or Rotary Phones
\$2 per puzzle • 1-800-860-4800 ext. code 100



PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)

Devote your time and energy to putting the finishing touches on projects you've left hanging today. Several closures can be concluded, if you make an industrious effort.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you have an important matter to discuss today, you're likely to get better results if you lead up to your subject gradually.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Something unique might develop for you today that could enhance your security and material position.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You'll have better chances of advancing your interests today if you adhere to your ideas instead of the suggestions of associates.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Play everything close to the vest in your financial affairs today. Let those with whom you're involved make the opening moves or proposals.

WIN AT BRIDGE

Put it to your opponent

By Phillip Alder



BRIDGE
PHILLIP ALDER

Some experts are known as tough opponents. Whether in the bidding, on defense, or as declarer, they find moves to make life as difficult as possible for their opponents.

On this deal from the 1961 Bermuda Bowl, Peter Leventritt made an excellent defensive play against France. If you wish to test your toughness rating, cover the West and South hands. Defending against six spades, your partner leads the diamond four: five, ace, eight. What next?

Even if you don't normally use weak jump overcalls (you should!), you must after an opponent's two-over-one response. As they have the balance of points, try to disrupt them.

If West has jack-third or 10-fourth of spades and king-third of diamonds, the winning return is a diamond. Declarer will be forced to ruff in the

dummy, and West's trump holding will be promoted to a trick. But is that possible? No — South needs the diamond king for his opening bid.

Instead, Leventritt switched to a low heart. This put South on the spot. To make the slam, declarer would have to play low, but that line looked silly. All South needed was reasonable breaks in the black suits. So, he won with the heart ace and cashed dummy's top spades, getting the bad news. Now declarer was stranded in the dummy with no way back to his hand except in clubs. Yet if he returned that way, he couldn't enjoy the rest of the clubs. He played off four rounds of

| | | | |
|-------------------|--------------|-------|----------------|
| North 08-15-98 | | | |
| ♠ | KQ | | |
| ♥ | Q 10 6 3 | | |
| ♦ | 5 | | |
| ♣ | A K Q 10 7 4 | | |
| West | | | |
| ♠ | 10 8 5 3 | East | |
| ♥ | J 9 4 | ♥ | K 8 7 |
| ♦ | J 6 4 | ♦ | A Q 10 9 7 3 2 |
| ♣ | J 9 2 | ♣ | A 5 3 |
| South | | | |
| ♠ | A J 9 6 4 2 | | |
| ♥ | A 5 2 | | |
| ♦ | K 8 | | |
| ♣ | 8 6 | | |
| Vulnerable: Both | | | |
| Dealer: South | | | |
| South | West | North | East |
| 1♠ | Pass | 2♠ | 3♠ |
| 3♠ | Pass | 4NT | Pass |
| 5♥ | Pass | 6♣ | All pass |
| Opening lead: ♠ 4 | | | |

clubs, discarding his two heart losers. But West ruffed that last club to defeat the contract.

©1998 by NEA, Inc.

ANNIE

by Leonard Starr



ANNIE

by Jim Meddick



ANNIE

by Jim Meddick



SEMINOLE Life

C

The Herald

Seminole Herald, Sanford, Florida - Sunday, August 16, 1988 - 40

INSIDE

IN BRIEF

Classic cruise-in

OVIEDO - The Old Downtown Development Group is holding its monthly Classic Car Cruise-In at the Oviedo Shopping Center. The event Saturday will be held from 8 until 9 p.m. Sixty to 80 classic cars will be on hand. There will also be food, fun and entertainment. The Oviedo Shopping Center is located at the intersection of State Road 434 and County Road 428.

Hitt to speak

OVIEDO - University of Central Florida President Dr. John Hitt will speak at the Thursday, Aug. 20 luncheon meeting of the Greater Oviedo Chamber of Commerce. Hitt, who has overseen and directed the rapid growth of the UCF campus and academic partnerships, lived in Oviedo until recently, when a residence for the president was constructed on campus.

Reservations for the luncheon, which begins at noon at Toucan Willie's Restaurant, are available by calling the Oviedo chamber at 365-6500. The cost is \$10 for the chamber members, and \$12 for guests.

Safety safari

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS - Children ages three to 12 are invited to join the Health & Safety Safari at the Altamonte Mall Sunday, Aug. 23 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Safari, sponsored by Florida Hospital and Mix 106.1 FM, is free to the public.

Kids can learn about health and safety issues through fun, interactive and educational exhibits. For more information about the Health & Safety Safari call Altamonte Mall customer service at (407) 630-4400.

Working time

ORLANDO - In today's busy, go-faster world, women are often left feeling disorganized in their struggle to combine jobs, home and family. Seeing a need for learned skills, two Orlando women, Cyndi Fitcher and Laura Young, both of whom are day care operators, Creative Memories consultants, wives and mothers, are bringing an organization specialist to Orlando to help.

On Saturday, Aug. 20, they will present Corinna Ite in a lunch-and-learn type environment. Creating Time: A Lifeline Seminar. The seminar will be held from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Holiday Inn at the Arena.

Please see Detail, Page 30

A quest for vision New company wants children to see, learn

By Joana Hughes
HERALD STAFF WRITER

SANFORD - There is a new business in town, but its positive economic impact may not be felt for a few years to come.

On the other hand, the real life benefits are obvious every day to the hundreds of school children whose outlook on life has been made a little clearer thanks to the work of VisionQuest.

The new Jeppesen VisionQuest optical lab is doing a booming business. Not content to quietly enjoy their free time, Richard, an accountant, and Nancy Jeppesen, a physical therapist, saw retirement as an opportunity to do something productive for society.

"We wanted to positively impact a child," explains Nancy. "We wanted something doable. If a child can't see clearly they can't read and if they can't read they can't get an education, they can't graduate."

VisionQuest put its new lab to the test recently when it participated in a Back To School Fair at Sanford Middle School. With the help of 23 volunteers 950 eligible students were given vision screenings and 91 eye exams were performed.

One child was referred to an ophthalmologist. By utilizing the new lab facility 48 students received the glasses they needed that same day, just in time to start school with a new look.

And look is an important in outlook for the Jeppesens. "Self-esteem is where it's at," said Richard. Thanks to donations, VisionQuest is able to offer the children a choice of the latest styles in frames and shatterproof lenses. "The kids deserve a proper prescription and frames that fit their faces," commented Nancy. "They need to have glasses they're not embarrassed to wear."

The Jeppesens began by contacting Pearle Vision with their idea and the response was overwhelming. Pearle donated all of the exam equipment, frames and lenses necessary to go into the field and provide glasses to visually impaired individuals.

With the purchase of a plane, the Jeppesens were equipped to take their mission

to countries less developed than the United States. They had even acquired a generator that runs on jet fuel for use in the field. The only thing left was to do a field test here first to make sure they were properly prepared.

Using the migrant camps in Apopka as a testing ground the Jeppesens took their equipment and volunteers into the field. What they were not prepared for was the realization of the number of children and adults right in their own backyard in need of corrective lenses, but without the resources to get them.

From there the Jeppesens participated with Stetson University in a program involving high school age children of migrant workers. Stetson's program was designed to try to catch up the education of these children. VisionQuest provided vision exams and the needed glasses for the students. A shocking 47 percent needed glasses.

"We didn't think there was a need in America," said Richard. "Now all our efforts are focused on our own (American) kids."

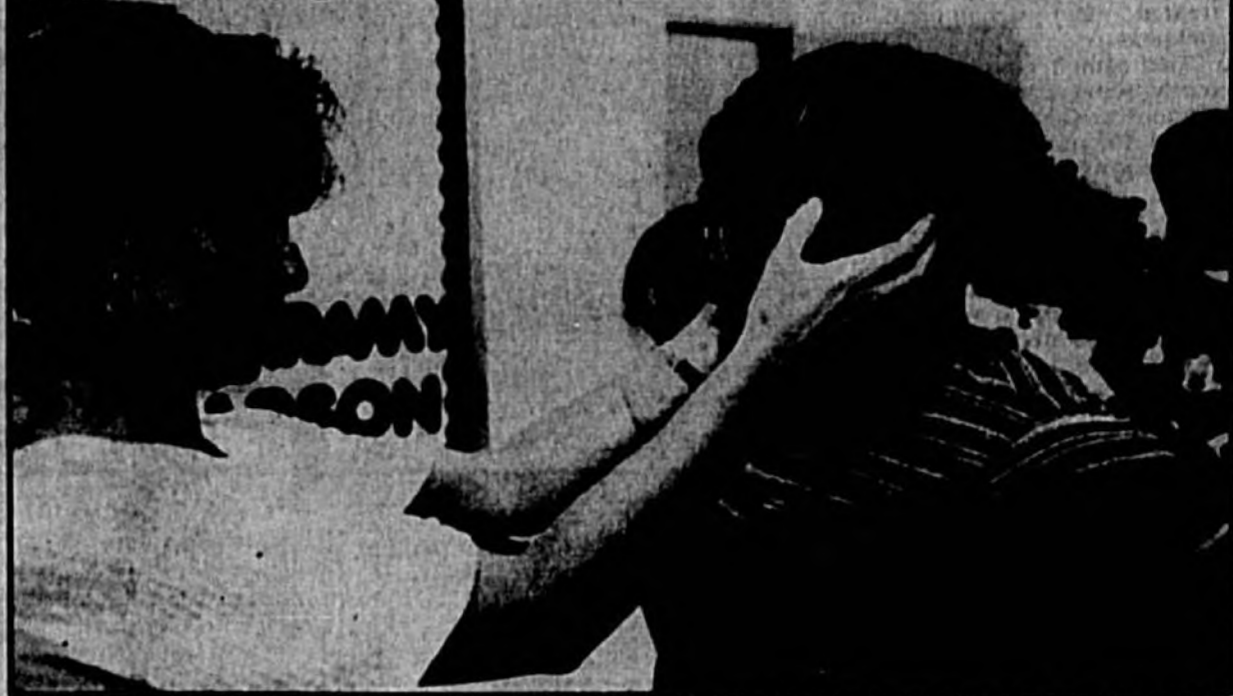
According to Nancy, one in four children are born with vision problems, one in six serious enough to affect learning, and one in four children in Florida live below the poverty line.

The next challenge was to identify children in low income families in need of glasses. The Jeppesens turned to the schools. Programs were already in place through the school systems to do vision screenings. Through school counselors students in the Free or Reduced Lunch Program in need of follow up vision care could be referred to VisionQuest.

With the school screenings, notes are sent home if a follow-up exam is necessary. In homes where finances are already a problem these notes may be disregarded. As Nancy points out, if it's a choice between groceries for the family or glasses for one child, what is a parent to do? And many times the child is not complaining. After all they have seen poorly all their lives and may not realize it can be any different.

The Jeppesens contacted the Central Florida Optometric As-

DENTS



Sharon Everette (above, left), a volunteer with VisionQuest, fits Richard Smith, a student who attended the Back-to-School fair at Sanford Middle

School, with a new pair of glasses. Richard (below, left) and Nancy Jeppesen have a vision for their business, to help kids see and learn.

sociation for local optometrists willing to do exams in their offices free of charge for the eligible children. Doctors, too numerous to name but without whom the program would not exist, willingly came forward to help.

It disturbed the Jeppesens that there were still some eligible children VisionQuest could not provide glasses for, so they sought more help. It arrived in the form of pallets of lenses from companies like Pearle Vision and Sola, and frames from Wellington International.

Being an accountant, Richard is acutely aware of the dollar amount the program makes. A good education will increase the individual's employment possibilities. "How many will become tax makers instead of tax takers," adds Richard.

"These students are intelligent. They have talent and ability. We give them the chance." Many of the students will avoid being discipline problems, dropouts and potential criminals. Society will benefit from the great gifts these children possess.

A high school student considering dropping out was able to bring up his grades, graduate and work for Sears in the maintenance department. He has plans to attend Valencia Community College.

Statistics the Jeppesens have collected indicate the program is a total success. Nancy can quote figures such as 76 percent of the children



receiving glasses raised their reading or math grades a minimum of one letter grade within a short period of time and teachers report an improved attitude towards school work and better behavior from the students.

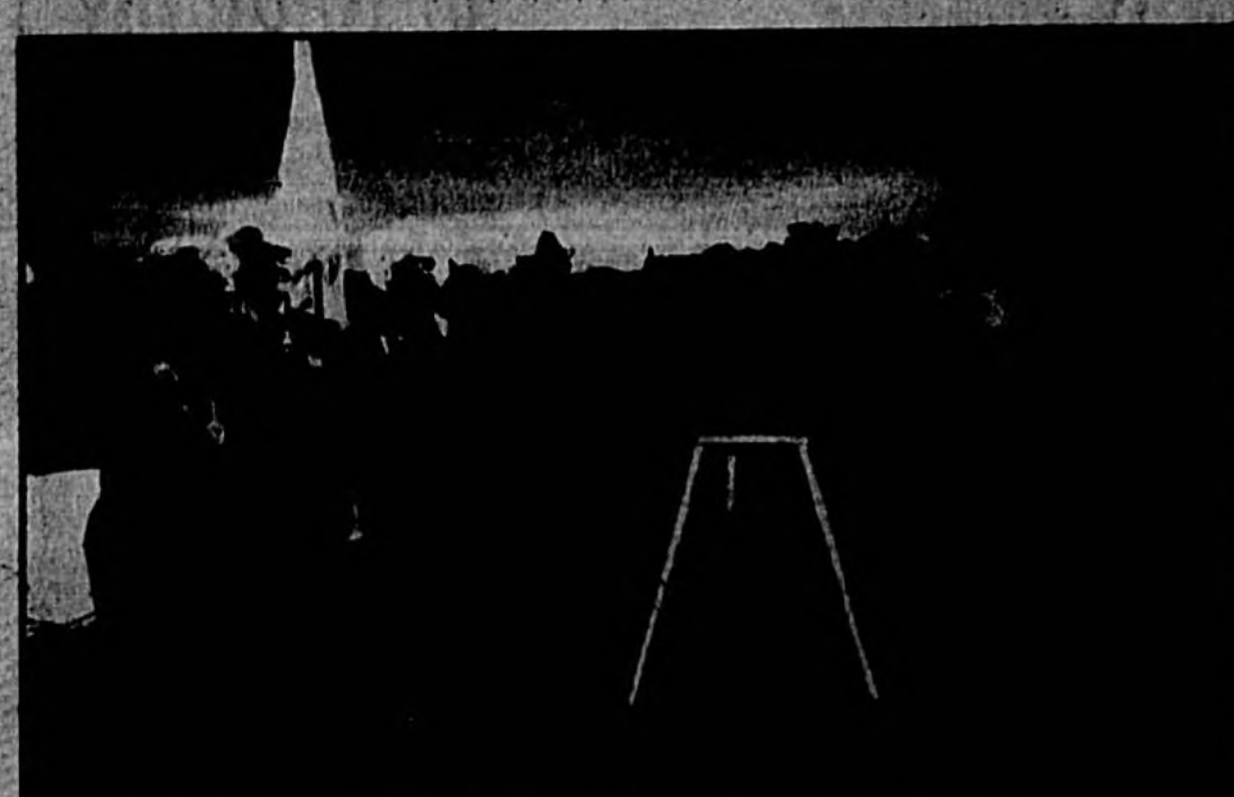
The real rewards of the program are the kind you can't calculate on paper. The Jeppesens have recorded them in their hearts and in the memories of children who begin the exam process solemnly and end it with smiles and amazement at all the details of the world around them that they

simply could not see before. One young man with very poor vision was wearing broken glasses held together with rubber bands. His family did not have the money to replace them. Along with his new glasses, a smile has now become part of his daily attire.

The program was expanded from Orange County to Seminole County and now, with the help of a state grant the program, going into its fourth year, has expanded to 10 counties. VisionQuest holds a

Please see Vision, Page 30

LAKE MARY COULD BEAR ITS SILVER ANNIVERSARY



Despite a torrential downpour that threatened to 'rain on the parade', the city of Lake Mary celebrated the Silver Anniversary of its incorporation on Saturday, Aug. 8. Attendees toured the Lake Mary Historical Museum and Library where civic and historical displays were viewed. Groups that participated in the event included the Lake Mary Historical Commission, the Lake Mary Rotary Club, the Lake Mary Heathrow Chamber of Commerce, the Lake Mary Women's Club, the Elder Affairs Commission, the Lake

Mary Senior First Presbyterian Church of Lake Mary, Lake Mary Garden Club, The Flower Club, WCV, the Lake Mary Lion's Club, the Lake Mary OA (Oviedo Area) Association, and the AARP. After the museum tour, groups gathered at the amphitheater (left photo) in Central Park for a program of presentations and music. In honor of the city's founder, Mayor David Mosler (right, left photo) unveiled a plaque, which will stand at City Hall, marking the 100th city



anniversary and city clerk, in attendance at the ceremony are Mayor Mosler, first city clerk (from left); John Horton and DeLoree Lutz, two of the first council members; and Tom Johnson, the last mayor. The other council members, James H. Glavin, Harry Tully, are deceased, and Samuel Paul Sr. was unable to attend. (The sign on the front page of Friday's paper was designed by Lake Mary resident Cindy Brown, to honor the city's centennial.) Herald Photos by Peter Steinhilber

Health & Fitness

Hyperbaric chambers used in wound treatment at Central Florida Regional

By Shari Brodie
HERALD FEATURE EDITOR

SANFORD - Remember Lloyd Bridges, on the television show *Sea Quest*, or even David Hasselhoff on *Baywatch*?

Both of these programs deal with diving and both of these actors have spent time in hyperbaric chambers, being treated for decompression sickness.

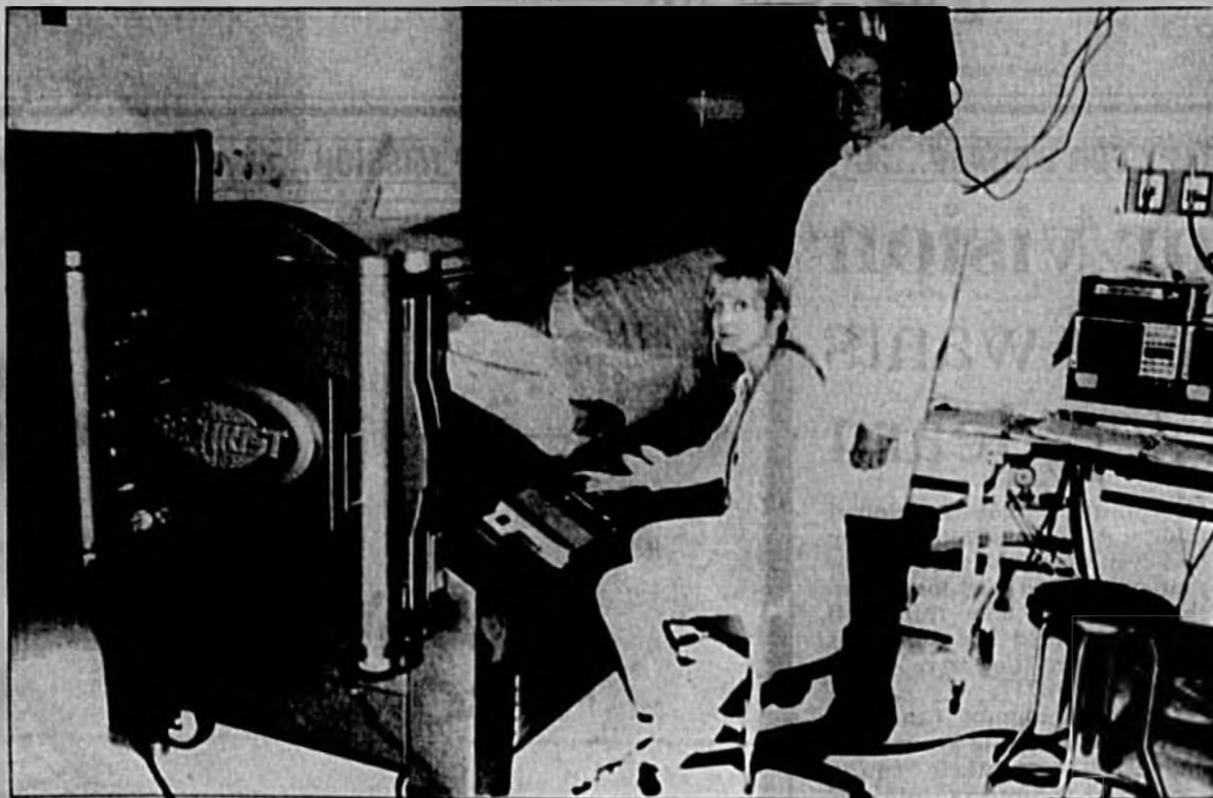
That same technology is currently being used right here in Sanford at Central Florida Regional Hospital, but in different ways than you would think.

The hospital is celebrating its first year of offering hyperbaric oxygen therapy to the Central Florida area. The unit opened last August.

Initially used to treat the "bends" divers experience after nitrogen bubbles enter the blood stream, hyperbaric oxygen therapy (HBO, for short; not to be confused with Home Box Office, according to Russel K. Shaw, M.D.) has been expanded to treat a number of other illnesses and conditions associated with healing chronic wounds.

HBO delivers 100 percent oxygen in a single patient acrylic chamber at two atmospheres, similar to being under water.

Shaw, a general surgeon who has been with the hospital for more than 25 years, said the pressurized cylinder allows oxygen to enter the bloodstream at hundreds of



times the normal concentration, creating the perfect conditions for angiogenesis, or growth of new capillaries.

Increased blood supply to a wound means tissue will grow better, hastening the healing process.

"You can actually see the difference in healing," said Shaw, who has expanded his practice to incorporate wound care and HBO therapy.

Shaw said diabetes patients, who often have problems with healing wounds and poor circulation in their feet, are prime candidates for HBO therapy.

In a case where a diabetes patient has had to have a toe or foot amputated, HBO therapy is often used to aid in the healing process, beyond the wound care procedures in current use.

"You tie the three together," Shaw said, surgery, HBO therapy and wound care. "This offers one more way to getting that little edge. Some times that's all you need to get someone over the hump to healing."

There are 14 conditions that Medicare approves for treatment, said Shaw. These include burns, crush injuries, carbon monoxide poisoning, gas gangrene, bone infections and gas embolisms. Some private insurance companies also cover the treatment of smoke inhalation and brown recluse spider bites. Shaw said there

is protocol treatment of decompression, but the hospital has yet to use the chambers to treat divers.

One of the most exciting uses is not yet approved, and Shaw said it could be before heart attack patients will benefit from HBO therapy. Shaw said Duke University is doing research on treating heart attack patients prior to surgery. He said the HBO therapy decrease the tissue loss caused by a heart attack. Shaw thinks that HBO therapy will be standard treatment in five to 10 years.

While HBO therapy does not work in all cases, CFRH has had great success with the program.

Patients undergo anywhere from 10 to 60 hours of HBO therapy, five days a week, for an average of 90 minutes per session. The chambers are equipped with numerous monitoring devices and patients may sleep, read or watch television or videos during the treatment. Most are treated on an outpatient basis.

There is little discomfort in the treatment, Shaw said. Mostly, patients complain of the pressure to the eardrum, similar to flying, or diving. Shaw said in extreme cases, an ear, nose and throat surgeon will install small tubes in the patient's ears. Then they go 'down' fine."

Jo Ellen Lyle, R.N., clinical coordinator for the Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy unit at Central Florida Regional Hospital, and Russel K. Shaw, M.D., monitor a patient under going therapy in a hyperbaric chamber.

Herald Photo by Tommy Vinson

CAR ACCIDENT RECENTLY?

FREE REPORT reveals important information regarding auto accident injuries, treatment and long term effects. Don't settle your case or speak to anyone until you receive the information in my free report.

For the **FREE REPORT** Call (800) 798-3943
For a **MEDICAL EXAM** Call (407) 682-3030
Toll Free, 24 Hrs./Day

COMPLETE WELLNESS MEDICAL CENTER
1401 W. GARDNER, SUITE 100, SANFORD, FL 32771

PAIN MANAGEMENT MEDICINE



PETER R. PREGANZ, M.D.

Board Certified, American Board of Anesthesiology
Diplomate, American Academy of Pain Management.

Specializing in
Diagnosis & Treatment Of Recurring &
Chronic Pain Including Back, Shingles &
Cancer Pain

By Appointment or Referral
330-7035

Serving Seminole County
Since 1987

Briefs

Continued from Page 1C

Ike, from Savannah, Ga., is a registered national speaker for women's groups and has conducted classes, seminars and women's retreats. Her presentation will motivate and inspire, while giving women the determination to get organized and stay organized. This seminar is a must for home-based businesswomen, working women and stay at home moms.

Registration for the seminar is \$29.95 and includes luncheon. Mail check or money order, made payable to Laura Young, to Seminar, P.O. Box 520, Windermere, FL 34786. For more information on the seminar or sponsorship opportunities call Cyndi Fitcher at (407) 699-9036.



The staff of Jeppesen VisionQuest: Richard and Nancy Jeppesen (from left); Keith Christiansen, director of operations; Josh Jeppesen, lab tech; Pam Pollack, administrative assistant; Carol Morrow, director development.

Vision

Continued from Page 1C

one day clinic in Orlando each month.

Operations once spread over several locations have been combined at the new lab. With the joint resources of grants and donations the new facility has offices and warehouse storage and, best of all, the state-of-the-art computer operated machinery necessary for producing the glasses on site. The Jeppesens thank companies including AT&T, NationsBank and SunTrust to name only a few. Grant money has allowed the Jeppesens to hire a minimal staff for record

keeping and two opticians. They are still in need of the funds to hire a secretary.

The plane, by the way, is for sale. In the mean time it is available for other uses. VisionQuest could work in conjunction with religious organizations to provide vision services in the field.

Jeppesen VisionQuest is a public nonprofit charity. The Jeppesens are grateful to the many companies and volunteers that have come forward to help in so many ways. As the program expands the Jeppesens foresee providing glasses for every child in need

in the state of Florida, but the vision does not stop there. Nancy and Richard believe VisionQuest is a program that can work in every state and that no child in America should be denied a bright view of the future because of financial difficulties.

"It has brought us such joy," remarks Richard. "These children live in our community. They are part of our society." He encourages any company or individual looking for a hands on way to make a difference to join the Quest. "We have the vehicle, just climb aboard."

The Art of Knowing

■ **Dr. Konrad W. Filutowski, M.D.** is Board Certified by the American Board of Ophthalmology, the American Board of Eye Surgery, and the National Board of Medical Examiners. Dr. Filutowski earned his undergraduate degree at Columbia University and his medical degree at Cornell University. He completed his Ophthalmology Residency at the University of Pennsylvania.

■ Dr. Filutowski is the Medical and Surgical Director of the Filutowski Cataract and Laser Institute, and a Clinical Assistant Professor at the University of South Florida. He is one of Central Florida's most experienced LASIK and 'no injection, no stitch, no patch' cataract surgeons. Dr. Filutowski is dedicated to providing the best possible eye care available.

Filutowski Cataract & Laser Institute

Excellence in Eye Care

1.800.EYE.EXAM

Three Convenient Locations
Lake Mary 407.333.5111
Orange City 904.774.0044
Daytona Beach 904.788.6696
www.filutowskিয়ে.com

SEMINOLE People

The Herald

Seminole Herald, Sanford, Florida - Sunday, August 18, 1998 - 30

ENGAGEMENTS

Van Dyck-Keefauver

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Van Dyck of Sanford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth L. Van Dyck, to Patrick Ian Keefauver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Keefauver, also of

Sanford.

Born in Albany, N.Y., the bride-elect is the maternal granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Hatlee of Bradenton and the paternal granddaughter of Ms. Mary Van Dyck of Lake Mary. She is a May, 1998 graduate of Clonlara High School, Ann Arbor, Mich., and is employed as a receptionist and data enterer at Strang Communications.

Her fiance, born at Lubbock, Texas, is the maternal grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Laing of Sanford, and the paternal grandson of Ms. Sara Keefauver, Austin, Texas. He is a May, 1998 graduate of Monterey High School, Lubbock, Texas where he was a linebacker for the football team and a power lifter. Keefauver is a sophomore at International Christian University and is employed as an assistant marketer.

The wedding will be an event of Aug. 31, at 6 p.m., at the lakeside of Lake Monroe in historic Sanford.



Elizabeth Van Dyck, Patrick Ian Keefauver

Bledsoe-Cato

Dr. and Mrs. Michael E. Bledsoe of Longwood, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lara Janette Bledsoe, to Matthew Brian Cato, son of Glenda Cato of Tallahassee, and Donald R. Cato of Altamonte Springs.

Born in Atlanta, the bride-elect is the maternal granddaughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ben Barger of Gainesville, and the paternal granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Bledsoe of Palm Bay.

Ms. Bledsoe is a 1995 graduate of College Park High School, Pleasant Hill, Calif. She will graduate from University of Central Florida, Orlando, in May 1999 and is employed as a financial analyst by Siemens Telecom Network.

Born in Albany, Ga., the bridegroom-to-be is the maternal grandson of James and Eleanor Smith of Albany, Ga., and the paternal grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Cato, also of Albany. He is a

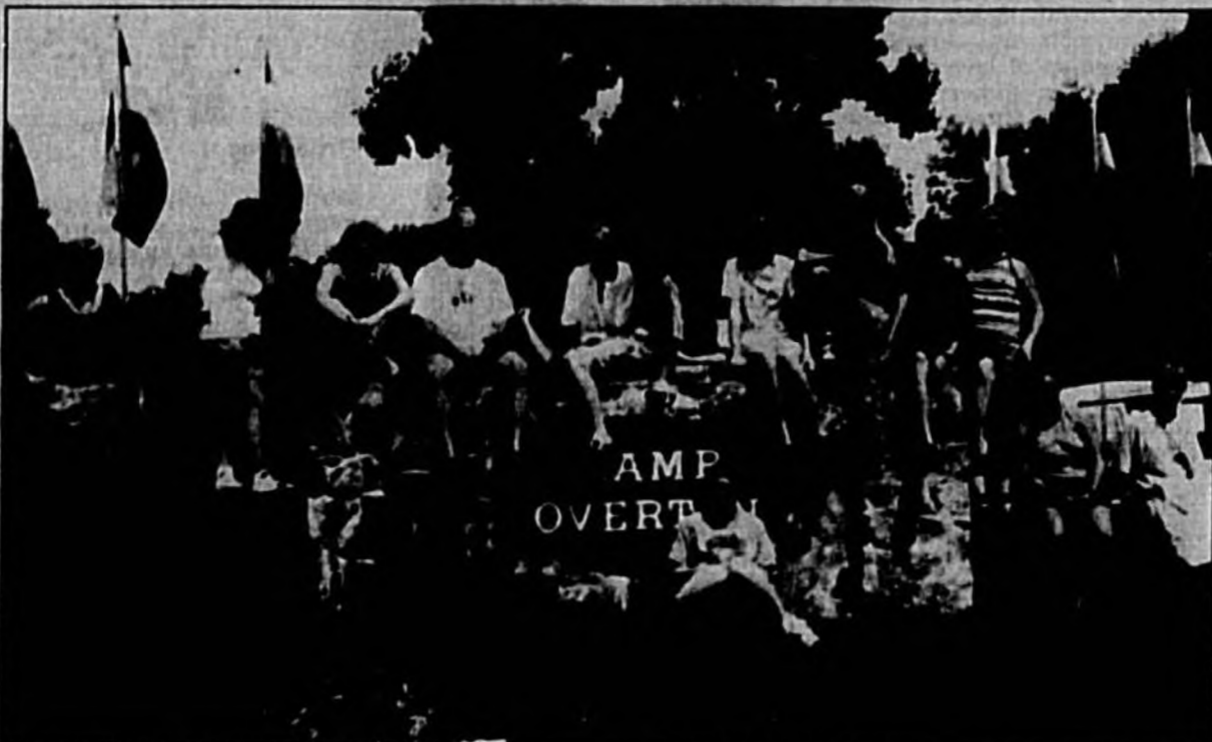
Lara Bledsoe, Matthew Cato

graduate of Leon County High School, Tallahassee, and is employed as a purchasing agent by Metroescape Corp.

The wedding will be an event of Nov. 28, at 7:30 p.m., at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Lake Mary.



Mountain TOP Mission



Youths and their advisors of the First United Methodist Church in Sanford take one last look at Camp Overton in Tennessee where they spent more than a week as youth missionaries helping the impoverished Appalachian mountain folk repair and clean their dwellings as well as the countryside.

Youth missionaries descend the hills with joyful hearts

For 13 youths from the First United Methodist Church attending the summer Mountain TOP (Tennessee Outreach Project) at Rock Island, Tenn., the experience was "great, great, great," says Bruce Moser.

Annually, youths from around the nation visit this impoverished area as young missionaries to help the gentle Appalachian residents paint and repair their weather-beaten dwellings and clean up the rolling countryside.

The youths departed Sanford on the 10-day trip in two vans with one pulling a trailer filled with borrowed tools and supplies from the church congregation. They stopped and visited churches along the way and finally reached their destination eager to begin their missionary work.

Bruce said about 150 youths were in attendance and this assemblage was divided into groups of six, called Youth Renewal Groups (YRGs), each with a leader. The youths were assigned their jobs daily and "you get real, real close to the YRGs," Bruce said.

The happy campers left the camp site daily about 9 a.m. to go to their jobs and returned about 4:30 p.m. In the evening, they had dinner, a worship session, singing, games and sharing with the entire small



SENIOR EDITOR

DORIS DIETRICH

communities participating. There were no televisions, radios nor air air conditioning, but the young people didn't seem to notice. They were engrossed with each other. The youths also helped serve in the dining hall at their camp.

Sarah Pogram said it was hot up there but she didn't seem to miss the amenities of home too much. "It was great," she said.

The Friday before leaving for home, the youths gathered around a big camp fire under the stars with musical instruments and full hearts. Bruce said they took turns talking about themselves and the changes they experienced. "We didn't want to leave. You can't really explain the experience. It really changes you," he said. "You're really close to God up there."

Advisor Linda Howard said, "It was awesome!" The youths have already started making plans for next



Nancy Henrick (left), president of Pilot International welcomes Marian Rethwill, president of the Sanford Pilot Club to the international convention in Orlando.

summer. "The whole package is the greatest experience of the whole year," Bruce said. In order to make the trip they hold fund-raisers during the year to help supplement the \$300.00 per person cost.

Before leaving on their mission, the youths held a retreat at the home of Patricia and Lee Rowell with advisor Kathy Santos (who also attended Mountain TOP) leading the prep session. Upon returning the group held another retreat at the home of Mike Bedell, the third advisor who also attended the youth mission.

The retreat is like "coming down the mountain," Bruce said, "and bringing the mountain into the valley."

Youth missionaries attending

Mountain TOP were: Matthew Bazelka, Leslie Davis, Mark Davis, Nancy Harder, Katie Hartsock, Mike Hartsock, Amanda Howard, Janel Howard, Ben Moser, Bruce Moser, Sarah Pogram, Shaun Santos and Johnny Thompson.

8 LOCAL PILOTS ATTEND INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

Marian Rethwill, president of the Sanford Pilot Club, and members Doris Stein and Ruth Gaines joined more than 1,000 Pilot members from all over the world at the Pilot International Foundation Annual Meeting and Convention in Orlando, July 15-18.

Please see Starfish, Page 4C

Church sponsors trip to Andre's theater debut in Atlanta

Andre Johnson will make his first theater debut on the stage with the play, "Fix Me Jesus." Starring with the Sanfordite will be the famous Dottie Peoples and James Bigham and Drefusa Smith will also be the gospel music stars. On Sunday, Oct. 25, at the

Realty Theater in Atlanta will feature Andre as a graduate of Seminole High School and Florida A & M University.

While growing up in Sanford, he was an active member of the community, school and the St. Matthew's Missionary Baptist Church.

With great pride and support of Andre, the church is sponsoring a chartered bus to Atlanta to leave on Saturday, Oct. 24 and spend the day attending the matinee performance on Sunday, Oct. 25.

If you are interested in traveling with the church to At-

lanta, telephone St. Matthew's Baptist Church and leave a message at 323-8510. Your call will be returned. Cynthia Kendrick Oliver is Chairperson and the Rev. L. Jenkins Wilson is pastor.

WHYTES VISIT

Rev. James and Marsha Whyte and children Emily and Noelle were in the city visiting family and friends. They were the house guests of Earl Minott while sightseeing at the various attractions in Central Florida.

Later in the week, the Whytes joined the youth and adult members at Disney for a few days of fun and enjoyment. Rev. Whyte is the pastor of Clinton Chapel AME Zion Church, Knoxville, Tenn.

After an early morning service and communion with his members, they boarded a bus to return to Tennessee.

The Whytes attended service at St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Sunday morning, where they fellowshiped and greeted friends, and enjoyed an afternoon of visiting old friends.

SUMMIT SUCCESSFUL

The concerned citizen committee summit is still excited about their first summit on the



SANFORD

MARVA HAWKINS

improvement of this, our community. They are empowered and willing to work toward a successful community; education and the need for vocational classes in many fields where those who are not college bound will have an opportunity to study and have a full successful life and work at what they like to do. Life skills must be top concern for our youth to become a successful citizen. Join the empowerment epidemic.

Commissioner Velma Williams addressed the community group at the first summit to enforce and work for changes among our citizens. She begs for unity, to get informed, to attend commission meetings and to read your local papers. Work and volunteer at your child's school. Ministers must be true leaders. Inform

your members and have concerns about our youth. The date of the next summit will be in October, date to be announced.

APPRECIATION BANQUET

Sanford Community Appreciation Christian Fellowship Banquet will be held Saturday, Aug. 22, at 6:00 p.m. at the Sanford Civic Center. Persons of the community will be honored. Get your tickets from

Please see Starfish, Page 5C



City Commissioner Velma Williams addresses the first summit of community citizens



Andre Johnson

WEDDING

Wanda Mae Usina, Edward Broadway exchange vows

Wanda Mae Usina of Apopka, and Michael Edward Broadway of Sanford, exchanged wedding vows on Sunday, July 19, following the 11 a.m. service at the First United Methodist Church in Sanford. The Rev. Beth Fogle-Miller, church pastor, performed the traditional double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richmond R. Lewis of Panama City. The bridegroom is the son of the late Lottie Broadway Echols and the late Harvey C. Broadway of Sanford.

Soprano Marlene Mraz sang "The Lord's Prayer," accompanied by Dan Sellers.

The bride chose for her vows a tea-length candlelight gown fashioned along the Victorian silhouette with a

chiffon skirt and lace bodice embellished with pearls and sequins. She wore a spray of baby's breath in her French-braided hair and carried an arm bouquet of lavender and pale flower flowers and white roses showered with baby's breath.

Melissa Usina, daughter of the bride, and Megan Broadway, daughter of the bridegroom, attended the bride as maids of honor. Melissa wore a pale yellow dress and Megan wore a coordinating yellow dress. Each wore baby's breath in her hair and carried pale yellow carnations interspersed with baby's breath and greenery.

Michael Broadway attended his father as best man. Ushers were Jerry Bartel, Bill Baer, John Rogers and Steve



Mr. and Mrs. Michael Edward Broadway

Peavy, all Altamonte Springs firefighters.

Following the wedding, the couple's church family and friends hosted a reception in McKinley Hall of the church. A color scheme of lavender and yellow was used in the decor. Jean Norris was in charge of decorations assisted by the Altar Guild and Ann Kimmons. The huge tiered caked was designed by Linda Lee of Ocean City, Md., sister of the bride. Church

members, family and friends contributed a potpourri of specialty foods for the happy occasion.

After a wedding trip to the Embassy Suites in Altamonte Springs, the newlyweds are making their home in Apopka. The bride is employed at the Cancer Care Center of Central Florida Regional Hospital, Sanford, and the bridegroom is a retired captain with the Altamonte Springs Fire Department.

ANNIVERSARIES

The Bledsoes mark silver anniversary

Dr. and Mrs. Michael E. Bledsoe of Longwood observed their 25th wedding anniversary on Aug. 11. The couple were married on that date in 1973 at Trinity United Methodist Church in Gainesville.

The Bledsoes celebrated their anniversary with a cruise to the Bahamas. They are the parents of two children: Lara, a student at University of Central Florida, and Ben, a student at Lake Mary High School.

Jan Bledsoe is employed as an educator and Dr. Bledsoe is technician product manager for EcoScience Corporation.



Michael and Jan Bledsoe

ALEX FINCH - ATTORNEY AT LAW

"Get the legal help you need at a price you can afford"

Divorce, General Civil, Criminal Defense/Traffic/DUI, Contracts, Corporations, Personal Injury, Wills, Probate, Guardianships

Don't pay high prices for attorneys or settle for unlicensed paralegal representation!

The hiring of an attorney is an important decision that should not be based solely upon advertising. Before you decide, ask me to send you free information regarding my qualifications and experience.

682-5505

Local legend celebrates 75th birthday

It's not every day a person celebrates a 75th birthday. Vernon Fedderson's 75th birthday was on an historic weekend. On Friday, Aug. 7, the City of Lake Mary turned 25 years old and celebrated the anniversary with a big bash on Saturday, Aug. 8. Vern's party was Sunday, Aug. 9. This weekend was also the 25th anniversary of the Lake Mary Rotary Club.

Dozens of family and friends showed up to celebrate the occasion with Vern. They gave glowing testimonials, but they also told some funny and memorable stories about Vern. His daughter, Diane, said she learned "I wasn't good in my fishing with her father. He was 99 fishing lessons," she said, and the first 98 are rowing the boat.

Like many Floridians, Vern originally came from somewhere else. He was born in Center, Neb., but spent his formative years in Iowa. The son of a Lutheran teacher, Vern had seven brothers and sisters. In December 1940, at 17, he joined the Navy. He would spend the next 20 years in the Navy. He saw places like French Morocco and Beirut when it was still a beautiful city.

He was in the Heavy Attack squadron and not long before his retirement, he was transferred to Sanford. When he retired, he decided to stay. He moved to Lake Mary in 1963. His jobs after retiring included working at the post office, running Scholl's Fish Camp in Sanford and selling insurance.



Special Photo by Mary Rowell

Vern Fedderson blows out birthday candles

His volunteer jobs have been numerous. Vern has been a member of the Lake Mary Rotary for 25 years. He received an award from Rotary for Outstanding Service for 1987-1988. He is also a Paul Harris Fellow in Rotary.

In the 25 years Vern has been a member, he has never missed a meeting. That's 1,250 meetings.

The Lake Mary Rotary chartered the Community Improvement Association in 1976. Their goal, to build a community building for the organizations of the city. Vern

joined the CIA in its infancy and has been with it for 22 years. He managed the Community Building from 1985 until 1990. The CIA honored Vern with the Harry Terry Award for 1987. Vern has served as the President of Rotary and of the CIA.

Vern was also on the Lake Mary Chamber of Commerce for many years. In 1991, he was named Citizen of the Year by the Chamber.

In addition to his outstanding service as a volunteer, Vern has also been a wonderful husband, a fine father and an



LAKE MARY

MARY ROWELL

exceptional grandfather. Although, if you see his wife Dorothy out and about in Lake Mary, ask her to tell you the snake story.

HEATHROW ROUNDUP MONDAY

The Stardust Service Unit of Girl Scouts in Lake Mary will hold their last recruitment night Monday, Aug. 17 at 7 p.m. at Heathrow Elementary School. Roundup has already been held at Lake Mary and Wilson Elementary.

If you are unable to attend the roundup Monday, or if you were unable to attend the previous roundups, you daughter can still join Girl Scouts. Just call the School Coordinator for you school. For Heathrow, call JoAnne Feiner at 333-2790; for Lake Mary, call Colleen Daurino at 321-5830 and for Wilson, call Cynthia Talley at 323-0407.

Although roundups are not held at the middle and high schools, girls are encouraged to still join. For Greenwood Middle School, call Peggy Wolfe, the Greenwood School Coordinator, at 327-8207 and for Lake Mary High, call Mary Rowell, the Service Unit Coordinator at 321-1498.



Special Photo by Tommy Vincent

Ladies Auxiliary of Fleet Reserve Association 147 at bi-monthly luncheon

day of the month, the women go out on the town for lunch. Their most recent gathering was at the Red Lobster at Seminole Towne Center in Sanford. LAFRA also supports a number of charitable organizations.

Ann says some of the women have been members for 45

years. Marie Sundvall, the charter president who is still active, has been a member for 46 years.

For information, call Ann, 330-1988.

GAINES ATTENDS EVENT

The Juniors of the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs recently held a statewide

Leadership Conference in DeLand. Ruth Gaines, immediate past president of the Woman's Club of Sanford Inc., attended in the capacity as a member of the FFWC Juniors Advisory Council.

Ruth was chairman of the food served during the 3-day conference.

Dietrich

Continued from Page 3C

Among workshops, networking opportunities and other events, attendees also took part in a Pilot Walk held at Celebration on July 18 to support the work of the Foundation in brain-related disorders. Ruth participated as a walker and Marian was a ghost walker.

Pilot International, founded in 1921, is a volunteer service organization of business and professional leaders to improve the quality of life in communities throughout the world. The organization's service focus is helping persons with brain-related disorders and disabilities.

The Pilot International Foundation awards thousands of dollars annually in grants and scholarships which further education, research and programs that benefit those affected by neurological diseases and injuries to the brain.

FRA AUXILIARY MEETS FOR LUNCHEON

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Fleet Reserve Association Unit 147 is one of the county's largest organizations with 372 members, according to President Ann Lyons. The membership is made up of Navy, Marines and Coast Guard wives who meet monthly at the FRA Chapter home on West First Street.

Every other second Wednes-

BUSINESS • AUTO • HOME • LIFE • HEALTH

COMPLETE INSURANCE COVERAGE

The Traveler
CNA
Sihle INSURANCE GROUP
 Since 1974

333-9377
 3007 Lake Emma Rd.
 Lake Mary

Raymond Furniture

Here To Serve Your Household Furnishing & Appliance Needs
 Layaway (or) Financing

Come Visit Our New Showroom And Fill Out An Entry For A Free Sofa Server
 No Purchase Necessary

LOCALLY OWNED & OPERATED BY THE NAME YOU KNOW & TRUST
 RAYMOND SMITH
 LIFELONG SANFORD RESIDENT

2670 Orlando Drive, Sanford
320-7040

Catering Available!
 Kabobs Cooked On Site!

ALI BABA

Authentic Persian - Middle Eastern Cuisine
 — Buffet —

Explore The Tantalizing Flavors Of Middle Eastern Specialties
 7 Days A Week 11:00 A.M. - 12 P.M.
 • Daily Lunch Buffet 11:30 A.M. - 3 P.M.
 • Daily Dinner Buffet 5 P.M. - 11:00 P.M.
 Our Food Is Cooked With Halal Meat
 Char Grilled Chicken & Kabobs Is Our Specialty

331-8680
 1155 W. St. Rd. 434
 Longwood
 (1/2 Mile East of I-4 on 484)

Tantalizing Temptations
 Belly Dancers
 Fri. & Sat. Night

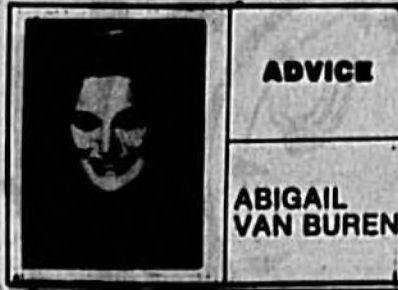
Mom should beat a retreat when adult children battle

DEAR ABBY: My two grown children ("Ted" and "Alice") love each other dearly but get into frequent tiffs. After the last one, they were not speaking. It was Ted's birthday and Alice was leaving town, so she asked me to give him a card she had chosen.

I knew this card wouldn't go over well. After Alice left, I went to the store and bought a card that I knew expressed how she really feels. I signed her name to it and threw out the other one. I don't think that either one of them will find out what I did.

When Ted opened the card, he was very touched. He really liked it. The card made him happy. Was I wrong to do what I did?

MOTHER WHO CARES



ADVICE

ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

growing problem as our population ages - loneliness of the elderly in nursing homes. However, seniors are not the only residents of nursing homes. There is also a population of younger people who suffer from chronic degenerative diseases, and/or the aftermath of gunshot wounds, etc. They, too, need social contacts to bolster their spirits.

The San Francisco Ministry to Nursing Homes (SFMNH) has found from experience that the activity "Grieving" calls for - visiting people in nursing homes - needs to be a community effort, not just the efforts of individuals (although I'm not at all discouraging families and friends from visiting). It needs to be well-organized. Volunteer training and support are crucial. When visiting is done in the context of teamwork, it's much easier for the individual, and when volunteers are offered professional training, visits are much more effective. Also, when volunteers have an opportunity to meet and share their experiences, it's much more enjoyable.

DEAR CLAIRE: You are absolutely correct. But I thought the teacher would accept it more readily if he or she heard it from the school principal, rather than the students. Good on!

DEAR MOTHER: Your letter tells me your children are grown, but your actions say otherwise. In this case, the end may have justified the means and your maneuver was relatively harmless. However, it is not your place to mediate between your adult children. Your behavior could easily backfire, so in the future, please resist the urge to meddle.

DEAR ABBY: I'm sure that over the years you have received many letters similar to the one you published on "Grieving in Orange, Texas," who for many years and on her own has visited the frail elderly in convalescent hospitals across the country. She discovered from experience what health-care workers have learned from survey after survey: *Nationally, more than 60 percent of nursing home residents never have a visitor.* She asked you to urge your readers to visit these isolated seniors.

DEAR ABBY: Regarding the letter about the teacher who thinks that your column is only for adults: As kids we attended a Lutheran Bible study camp here in Colorado. I don't remember much about the camp - it's been so long ago - but one memory I do have is that we had a group chat about your column. It was led by the principal of our school.

SFMNH has a corps of more than 500 volunteers who reach an estimated 1,000 elders in nursing homes each month, with a variety of activities. And we're growing. Other cities are starting similar programs - Richmond, Va., for instance, and also Tulsa, Okla. There is a growing awareness of the needs and resources for senior citizens.

DEAR ABBY: Regarding the letter about the teacher who thinks that your column is only for adults: As kids we attended a Lutheran Bible study camp here in Colorado. I don't remember much about the camp - it's been so long ago - but one memory I do have is that we had a group chat about your column. It was led by the principal of our school.

If your readers are willing to let us know about organizations in their local communities that recruit and train volunteers for this purpose, we will list these organizations on our Web site. Your readers can e-mail us at: info@sfnmh.org. They also can write to us at: 1755 Clay St., San Francisco, Calif. 94109.

NATALIE MENTEN, GOLDEN, COLO.

BRENT H. NETTLE, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, SAN FRANCISCO MINISTRY TO NURSING HOMES

DEAR NATALIE: Thank you. Your letter made my day.

Hawkins

Continued from Page 3C
area ministers at Seminole African-American Academy of Arts Board of Directors.

evening of Christian music and fellowship.

Lake Monroe. This event is sponsored by Seminole County Ministerial Alliance and the Seminole African-American Academy of Arts Board of Directors.

Introducing SunPointe.

The Sign Of Better And Brighter Things To Come.



Now The Renaissance of Sanford has become SunPointe Senior Living. And we're changing the way you see senior and assisted living. You'll be amazed at the difference and satisfied with the results.

That's because SunPointe Senior Living has as its foundation a network of healthcare resources to provide your loved ones with affordable quality care and a lifestyle they'll enjoy for years to come.

More than that, SunPointe brings innovation and a new alternative to senior and assisted living. It's reflected in everything we do. You'll see it in our design, in our staff, and, most of all, in the lifestyle our residents experience and enjoy every day.

Call us today at 323-7306 for more information or to schedule a tour or join us for lunch. See for yourself how SunPointe is truly the sign of better and brighter things.



A member of the Sun Healthcare Group, Inc. of Albuquerque, NM
300 West Airport Blvd. • Sanford, FL 32771 • (407) 323-7306

SUNDAY

MORNING

| Time | Channel | Program | Notes |
|-------|---------|-------------------|-------|
| 6:00 | News | 6:00 News | |
| 6:30 | ABC | It's Written | |
| 7:00 | ABC | Hour of Power | |
| 7:30 | ABC | Discovery | |
| 8:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 8:30 | ABC | Discovery | |
| 9:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 9:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 10:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 10:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 11:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 11:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |

AFTERNOON

| Time | Channel | Program | Notes |
|-------|---------|-------------------|-------|
| 12:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 12:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 1:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 1:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 2:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 2:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 3:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 3:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 4:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 4:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 5:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 5:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 6:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |

PRIME TIME

| Time | Channel | Program | Notes |
|-------|---------|-------------------|-------|
| 6:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 6:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 7:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 7:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 8:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 8:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 9:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 9:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 10:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 10:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 11:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 11:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |

PRIME TIME (Continued)

| Time | Channel | Program | Notes |
|-------|---------|-------------------|-------|
| 6:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 6:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 7:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 7:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 8:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 8:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 9:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 9:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 10:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 10:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 11:00 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |
| 11:30 | ABC | Today (In Stereo) | |

THE TIME IS NOW!

OVER 25,000 NEW & USED VEHICLES! **REBATES UP TO \$2500**

0.9% APR
AVAILABLE ON MOST MODELS!
LESS THAN 1%



BILL HEARD

WE HAVE THE INVENTORY THAT OTHER DEALERS ONLY WISH THEY HAD!

- METROS • TRACKERS • CAVALIERS • MALIBUS
- CAMAROS • PRIZMS • MONTE CARLOS
- SUVS • EXT CABS • FULL SIZE TRUCKS



USED CAR & TRUCK DISCOUNT CENTER! GUARANTEED
YOUR CORVETTE HEADQUARTERS! OVER SEVERAL TO CHOOSE FROM!

ALL PRICES ARE AFTER GUARANTEED TRADE. CAN NOT BE USED WITH ANY OTHER SALE OR PROMOTIONS. VALID ON SELECT USED VEHICLES ONLY.

| | | | |
|--|---|--|---|
| <p>1989 CHEVY SUBURBAN! \$9998 <small>ABSOLUTELY PERFECT!</small> 4X4! • THIRD SEAT! • DUAL AIR! • TWO-TONE PAINT!</p> | <p>1993 CHEVY G20 VAN! \$14,990 <small>HIGH TOP CONVERSION!</small> • TV! • VCP! • 50K MILES! • TOP OF THE LINE! • SUPERIOR VAN! • 350 V8! • PERFECT!</p> | <p>1996 FORD BRONCO! \$9990 <small>EDGE SAVER 4X4!</small> • LOW MILES! • SHOWROOM CONDITION! • SADDLE INTERIOR! • LASER SHARP!</p> | <p>1998 OLDSMOBILE AURORA! \$17,969 <small>MINT CONDITION!</small> • 31K SUPER CLEAN MILES! • SUNROOF! • EUROPEAN LEATHER TRIM! • CD PLAYER! • FULL POWER! • DUAL POWER MEMORY SEATS! • 4 YEAR WARRANTY! • AURORA 32 VALVE V-6!</p> |
| <p>1989 BMW 325i! \$9967 <small>A STRAI!</small> • 61K ORIGINAL MILES! • SADDLE LEATHER INTERIOR! • FRESH TRADE! • THOUSANDS IN EXTRAS!</p> | <p>1995 CHEVY CAMARO Z28! \$16,969 <small>TRIPLE BLACK BEAUTY!</small> • LEATHER! • 300 HP! • SUPERFAST ROCKET!</p> | <p>1996 CHEVY C1500 TRUCK! \$24,997 <small>SHORTY TRUCK CONVERSION!</small> • 10K MILES! • CUSTOM LEATHER INTERIOR! • BUILT IN RADAR! • POWER REAR SLIDER! • CUSTOM PAINTED WHEELS! • UPGRADED EXHAUST & PERFORMANCE KIT! • TOO MANY OPTIONS TO LIST! • PARK NEW!</p> | <p>1994 NISSAN PICKUP! \$6991 <small>SAVE THOUSANDS!</small> • CUSTOM ALLOY WHEELS! • ICE COLD AIR! • IMPORT SUPERSTAR!</p> |
| <p>1991 TOYOTA COROLLA DX! \$4961 <small>SHOWROOM CONDITION!</small> • 4 DOOR! • AUTO! • AIR! • 59K MILES! • SUPERIOR RELIABILITY! • PLUSH CLOTH INTERIOR!</p> | <p>1995 CHEVY CORVETTE! \$23,686 <small>SAVE THOUSANDS!</small> • 22K MILES! • PERFECT! • DUAL POWER! • SPORT SEATS! • LF-1 • UNDER WARRANTY!</p> | <p>1995 JEEP WRANGLER! \$11,967 <small>LOADED!</small> • 37K MILES! • FAT TIRES! • CUSTOM POLISHED WHEELS! • SPORT STRIPE PACKAGE! • MINT CONDITION!</p> | <p>1998 CHEVY C3500 DUALY! \$23,911 <small>X-CAB! • 6841! • BLACK BEAUTY!</small> • BEDLINER! • DIAMOND PLATE! • TOWS TON! • 6TH WHEEL READY! • FACTORY LEATHER! • POWER SEAT!</p> |
| <p>1994 CHEVY CK2500 TRUCK! \$19,751 <small>XYTRA CAB 4X4!</small> • SILVERADO! • 48K ORIGINAL MILES! • MINT CONDITION! • VERY RARE FIND! • DO NOT MISS THIS ONE!</p> | <p>1993 CHEVY LUMINA APV! \$7,970 <small>MUST SEE!</small> • 7 PASSENGER INTERIOR! • V-6! • FULL POWER! • LOW MILES! • MUST SEE TO APPRECIATE!</p> | <p>1994 PONTIAC TRANS AM GT! \$12,969 <small>MUST SEE!</small> • SHOWROOM MINT! • SUPERFAST! • 37K ORIGINAL MILES! • AUTO! • FULL POWER!</p> | <p>1997 FORD MUSTANG GT! \$16,997 <small>RARE! • AUTOMATIC! • SUPER LOW MILES!</small> • UNBELIEVABLE CARI MINT CONDITION! • WHY BUY NEW!</p> |

ALL VEHICLES ALL REBATES & DISCOUNTS INCLUDED IN SALE PRICE OR PAYMENT JUST ADD TAX TITLE & LICENSE DUE TO ADVERTISING DEADLINES SOME UNITS MAY BE SOLD PHOTOS FOR ILLUSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY ALL OFFERS WITH APPROVED CREDIT

"MR. BIG VOLUME!"
BILL HEARD
 CHEVROLET USA

MON-SAT: 9AM-9PM
 SUNDAY 10am-6pm

(407) **321-7800** OR TOLL FREE (888) **239-9109**
3455 ORLANDO DRIVE BAD CREDIT!
 HIGHWAY 17-92 • 1/2 MILE NORTH SLOW CREDIT!
 OF LAKE MARY BOULEVARD
IN SANFORD (888) **286-2277**
www.billheardorlando.com