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□ Briefs

Winter Springs candidates submit petitions

Although qualifying for Nov. 2 municipal races in Winter Springs was extended 36 hours because of Hurricane Floyd, the city clerk's office had not released official information on qualified candidates as of Friday afternoon.

Indications are that Mayor Paul Partysa could be challenged by Terry Patten, an unsuccessful 1998 School Board candidate.

Political newcomer Paul Finnegan is expected to challenge incumbent Michael Blake for the seat in District 2. Fellow commissioner Cindy Gennell might also face opposition.

Qualifying ended at noon Friday but by close of business city officials were still trying to determine which potential candidates had qualified. The city's election slate is expected to be made official early next week.

Special Olympics Golf Classic is Oct. 11

The 1999 Huntington-Special Olympics Florida Golf Classic has been scheduled for Monday, October 11, at the Country Club of Heathrow. The third annual event will feature a field of 204 golfers and begin with two shotgun starts. Individual and corporate sponsorships are available. The event includes dinner and live sports auctions hosted by ESPN's Lee Corso and Sunshine Network's Pat Clark. All proceeds benefit Special Olympics Florida. For more information contact (407) 870-2262 extension 226.

Rescheduled

Commission Meetings

A pair of Seminole County Commission meetings, postponed due to Hurricane Floyd, have been rescheduled.

The regular County Commission meeting will take place Tuesday at 9 a.m. at the County Commission Chambers, located at 1101 East First Street, Sanford. The agenda, however, will not include six public hearing items originally scheduled. Those items will be discussed at a later meeting due to the fact they must be advertised a minimum of two weeks in advance.

A public hearing on the proposed 1999-2000 county budget has been rescheduled for 7 p.m. Wednesday at the County Commission Chambers.

□ Quote

"Gentleman, it is better to have died as a small boy than to fumble this football."

John Helmsman

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Accusations fly in Longwood

By Joe DeBartis
Staff Writer

A commissioner's shed sits at the center of a political firestorm

LONGWOOD — The normally tepid political waters of Longwood got a little choppy late Friday afternoon when Jim Daly, chairman of the city's Board of Adjustment, fired a five-question e-mail missive across the bow of city attorney Richard Taylor.

Daly is demanding to know why Taylor canceled a Sept. 22 meeting in which a denied request for variance of commissioner Steve Miller's shed has been taken off the agenda.

Daly contends that Miller has inappropriately sought legal advice from the city attorney on the matter. He further contends that postponing September's review of the situation until Oct. 27 is little more than a ploy to give the board of commissioners enough time to remove him from the Board of Adjustment.

"Something is muddying the waters

here," said Daly. "They gave no prior notice to any board of review member or me, the chair. They pushed this back to a week before the election. I've come to the point where I'm sick and tired of this."

Taylor, reached by phone in Georgia late Friday afternoon, labeled Daly's accusations as "A bunch of bunk."

"I report to the city of Longwood,"

responded Taylor. "At no time have I given legal advice to commissioner Miller. That would not be appropriate."

Taylor said that since a Development Review Board meeting two weeks ago, in which Miller's request for a variance was denied by a vote of 4-2, he has met with Miller and City Administrator John Drago to discuss several overall concerns with problems in language dealing with city codes and Longwood's overall Land Development Code.

At several meetings during the past three months, the board has consistently

Glass show continues through the weekend



Sandi Boone from Alton, Ill., arranges her glass display at the Sanford Civic Center. Boone is one of many dealers in town for the annual Seminoles Depression Era Glass Show and Sale. The show continues Saturday until 5 p.m. and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$3. The Sanford Civic Center is located at 401 E. Seminole Boulevard.

Floyd blows crime away

Seven crimes reported in 28-hour period

By Joe DeBartis
Staff Writer

SANFORD — If anything good came out of Hurricane Floyd's near brush with Central Florida earlier this week, it was that Seminole County experienced a dramatic drop in crime during the hurricane scare.

In the period between 8 a.m. Tuesday morning, when the county's Emergency Operations center went to Level 3 status, and noon on Wednesday when it returned to Level 1, there were 107 total calls for service and seven reported crimes.

During that same 28-hour

period a week ago in Seminole County, there were 545 calls for service and 75 crimes reported.

"The drop is attributable to two factors," said Sheriff's department public information officer Steve Olson. "People in Seminole County paid attention to the warnings of public safety officials and the media about staying put or evacuating in a timely fashion, and an increased presence of law enforcement."

During that period the Sheriff's department doubled road patrols by calling in investigators and additional officers from the juvenile crime division.

"Early on during Hurricane Floyd, Sheriff Don Holinger wanted to send a message to the criminal community that we were prepared to make sure that residential areas, businesses, and mobile home parks would not

County Commission shops for employee insurance coverage

By Bill Kerns
Staff Writer

SANFORD — With budget hearings approaching next week, Seminole County is attempting to negotiate lower costs for insurance coverage.

The county funded \$7.86 million for insurance coverage in the fiscal year 1999-2000 budget, which will take effect in October. However, the first two rounds of bids for insurance coverage have been higher than \$7.86 million.

"We have got to have this settled before we pass the budget," said Carlton Henley, chairman of the Board of Seminole County Commissioners.

County officials are in the third round of negotiations with United Healthcare and Cigna to lower the bids for insurance coverage.

The Board of County Commissioners will discuss the bids Tuesday during the 9:30 a.m. session

at the County Services Building.

The first hearing of the county's \$438.9 million budget will be held Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the County Services Building.

United Healthcare is currently the county's primary insurance provider. However, the Risk Management Committee last week voted 3-1 in favor of Cigna's bid. Both companies are continuing to negotiate with the county.

"It's not just about the lowest bid," said Cindy Coto, deputy county manager. "We have also been looking at issues such as doctors comparisons, whether employees would have to change doctors, and drugs that would be available."

In another matter affecting the proposed budget, Commissioner Randy Morris has asked whether it is appropriate to use general fund money for stormwater projects in unincorporated

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Sheriff looking for good ballplayers

Police Athletic League hosts contest Sept. 28

By Joe DeBartis
Staff Writer

SANFORD — The Seminole County Sheriff's Office Police Athletic League (PAL) is looking for a few future National Football League Hall of Famers.

PAL coordinator John Zeh says the local version of the NFL's Punt, Pass, and Kick competition

is scheduled for Tuesday, September 28 beginning at 6:15 p.m. at the old EMS Sports Field located on Airport Boulevard across from the Florida Driver's License office.

The competition is open to boys and girls ages 8-15. Top finishers in each age group category advance to sectional competition in Orlando on October 10. The top five finishers from each category at sectionals then advance to the Team Championship which will be staged at half-time of a future Tampa Bay Buccaneers game. The top four scores in each

of the boys and girls categories from a pool of Team Champions will then advance to the National Finals at a post season NFL game to be televised on NBC.

"We had about 60 kids involved in the competition last year," said Zeh. "We're hoping for more this time around."

Each local participant will receive a certificate of participation at the September 28th event. The top three finishers also receive ribbons.

Zeh said that PAL is in the process of putting out requests

Walking for All Souls

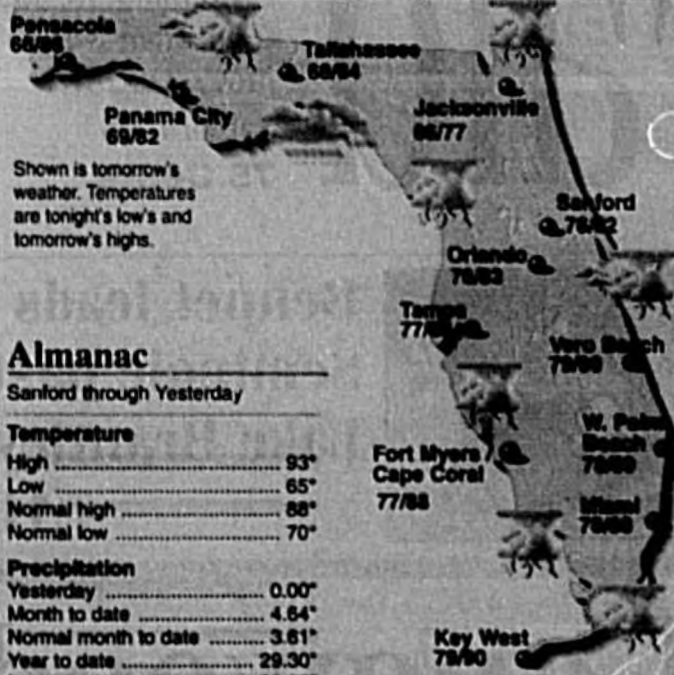


Janis Seda, chairman of the All Souls Catholic School Grounds Walkathon, marks the top cards of 8-year-old Bryanna and 3-year-old Kaitlyn Stumberg, daughters of Nicole and Robert Stumberg. Kids and grandparents participate in the Walkathon, which raises money for All Souls Catholic School.

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Florida Weather



Shown is tomorrow's weather. Temperatures are tonight's lows and tomorrow's highs.

Almanac

Sanford through Yesterday

Temperature

High	93°
Low	65°
Normal high	88°
Normal low	70°
Precipitation Yesterday	0.00"
Month to date	4.64"
Normal month to date	3.61"
Year to date	29.30"
Last year to date	39.65"
Normal year to date	36.72"

National Cities

City	Tom.			Mon.			City	Tom.			Mon.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W		Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Atlanta	83	62	pc	82	59	s	Grand Rapids	75	54	sh	58	39	sh
Baltimore	77	51	s	73	52	r	Houston	90	64	s	91	64	s
Chicago	76	53	sh	65	48	r	Los Angeles	91	67	c	91	65	s
Cleveland	78	56	s	74	55	sh	Miami	89	78	t	89	78	t
Dallas	85	63	pc	85	58	s	Minneapolis	74	42	sh	53	41	r
Denver	64	41	sh	66	43	sh	New Orleans	86	64	pc	86	65	s
Des Moines	71	49	sh	80	42	r	New York City	75	59	s	76	62	pc
Detroit	75	55	s	67	46	sh	Philadelphia	70	47	sh	60	43	sh
El Paso	84	61	pc	92	57	s	Phoenix	98	74	s	98	73	s
Fairbanks	57	40	c	55	36	r	Portland, OR	87	51	s	82	52	s
							Providence	73	52	s	69	51	pc
							Raleigh-Durham	79	58	pc	74	58	r
							Rapid City	56	36	t	64	43	pc
							San Antonio	89	67	s	82	44	pc
							San Diego	80	62	t	89	61	r
							San Francisco	78	50	sh	77	51	c
							Seattle	79	52	s	72	52	pc
							Tampa	79	53	t	62	45	sh
							Tucson	93	66	s	96	67	s
							Washington, DC	78	58	s	73	57	r

Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, h-ice.

Five-Day Forecast for Sanford

Tonight	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Showers and t-storms.	T-storms; some heavy rain is possible.	Windy with showers and t-storms.	Partly sunny; maybe a t-storm.	Mostly sunny and breezy.
76°	82° / 72°	84° / 74°	86° / 70°	81° / 68°

Regional Weather

Florida: Soaking rainfall is expected tonight into Sunday as tropical showers and thunderstorms move through the state.
 Georgia: Mainly clear in the north tonight with clouds and showers moving into coastal areas. Thunderstorms are possible Sunday.
 Mississippi: Mainly clear tonight. Sunshine and only a few clouds Sunday with a warmer and more humid afternoon.
 Alabama: Clear tonight and quite cool, especially in the north. Plenty of sunshine Sunday with a warm afternoon.
 South Carolina: Clear to partly cloudy tonight. Sunshine followed by some clouds Sunday; maybe a thunderstorm toward the coast.
 Louisiana: Clear to partly cloudy tonight. Mostly sunny Sunday with a warm afternoon; becoming more humid.

Sun and Moon

Sunset tonight: 7:27 p.m.
 Sunrise Sunday: 7:12 a.m.
 Moonrise today: 2:47 p.m.
 Moonset today: 12:46 a.m.

Full (Sep 25), Last (Oct 2), New (Oct 9), First (Oct 17)

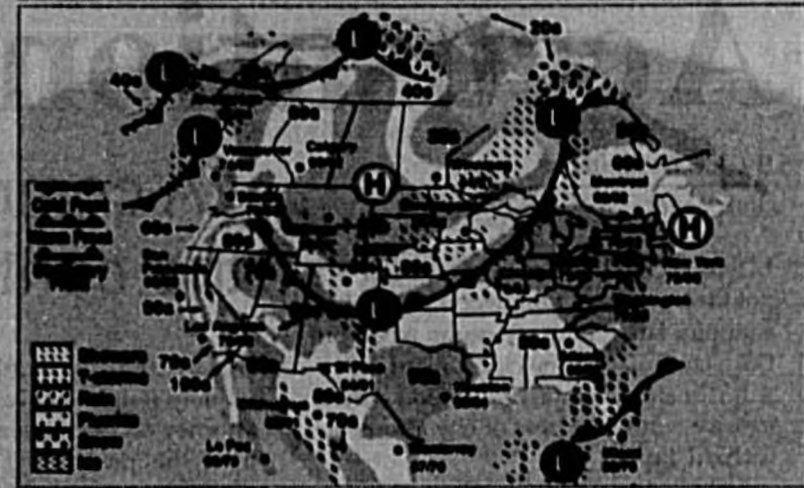
Tides

Tides for Daytona Beach Shores, Sunlight Pier

Tomorrow:
 First Low: 9:29 a.m. 0.5 ft.
 First High: 3:11 a.m. 3.2 ft.
 Second Low: 10:26 p.m. 0.8 ft.
 Second High: 3:58 p.m. 3.9 ft.

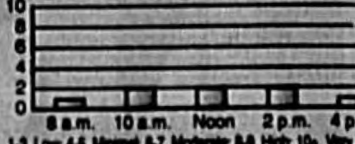
Monday:
 First Low: 10:26 a.m. 0.4 ft.
 First High: 4:11 a.m. 3.2 ft.
 Second Low: 11:18 p.m. 0.4 ft.
 Second High: 4:56 p.m. 3.7 ft.

Tomorrow's National Weather



Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day. Forecast high/low temperatures are given for selected cities. Yesterday's National High/Low: (for the 48 contiguous states) High 105° in Lake Havasu City, CA Low 37° in Hannagan Meadow, MT

UV Index Tomorrow



Regional Cities

City	Tom.			Mon.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Albany, GA	80	67	sh	85	62	s
Apalachicola	82	68	t	87	67	s
Atlanta, GA	83	62	pc	82	59	s
Barbridge, GA	82	68	t	87	63	s
Boca Raton	89	78	t	88	74	s
Cairo, GA	81	65	sh	86	63	s
Coral Springs	88	78	t	87	73	s
Crestview	86	65	s	89	64	s
FL Lauderdale	88	78	t	87	78	t
Fort Myers	88	74	t	89	73	pc
Gainesville	77	68	t	85	68	pc
Key West	80	78	s	86	77	t
Kissimmee	83	71	t	85	70	pc
Lakeland	83	72	t	86	71	pc
Melbourne	87	74	t	86	71	pc
Naples	88	74	t	86	73	pc
Orlando	83	72	t	86	71	pc
Panacea	88	82	s	88	64	s
Sarasota	85	71	t	87	70	s
St. Augustine	78	71	t	83	68	sh
St. Petersburg	86	71	t	87	70	s
Tallahassee	84	68	t	87	64	s
Tampa	85	70	t	87	70	s
Thomasville	80	65	sh	85	63	s
Valdosta, GA	81	66	sh	86	63	s
Vero Beach	80	74	t	86	71	t
W. Palm Bch.	80	74	t	87	73	t

World Cities

City	Tom.			Mon.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Athens	79	65	pc	84	70	pc
Beijing	85	65	c	78	66	c
Berlin	77	58	pc	77	63	sh
Buenos Aires	68	57	s	74	55	pc
Cairo	89	68	s	81	67	pc
Hong Kong	86	77	t	86	78	c
Jerusalem	81	67	t	79	66	pc
London	68	50	pc	68	53	pc
Madrid	88	73	c	87	76	pc
Mexico City	72	54	c	73	54	pc
Moscow	55	41	c	58	44	pc
Paris	68	54	c	66	47	sh
Rome	79	62	pc	80	63	pc
Saudi	85	71	t	87	70	s
Sydney	63	49	s	63	47	s
Tokyo	77	72	c	85	77	c
Warsaw	73	66	pc	72	66	pc
Zurich	70	57	c	71	51	r

Longwood

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agreed that sections of the codes are ambiguous, confusing and contradictory. The commission has all but approved the hiring of a consultant to review the codes immediately following passage of the city's fiscal budget for 1999-2000, which will take place at a second public hearing Monday night.

Daly, the subject of a public hearing to oust him from all city boards earlier this year, said rescheduling the meeting until October buys time for the commission to give him the boot.

In June the board failed to pass a motion to remove him as chairman of the Charter Review Committee. Mayor Paul Lovstrand sought an outside parliamentarian's opinion on where the issued stood and was informed the matter could be brought back before the commission because no vote was taken. Shortly after the failed attempt,

Daly suffered a heart attack and underwent multiple bypass surgery. The commission removed issues dealing with Daly's situation, but he said Friday the board is getting ready to put him back on the agenda and move to oust him shortly before the Nov. 2 election and the Board of Adjustment's review and vote on Miller's variance appeal.

"I've never heard anything like this in all my eight years on the Board of Adjustment," said Daly.

Taylor said the Sept. 22 meeting was not canceled by his order, but that the agenda item involving Miller's was removed until clarification of several issues involving conflicts in the city code can be made.

"I would be remiss in my duties if I didn't take a look at several issues that are of concern," Taylor said. "There are a

couple of things that need to be discussed and I'd rather not do them in the press and turn this into a circus."

In one of five questions Daly e-mailed to the city attorney Friday, he said that since reviewing the minutes of the Development Review Board — at which Miller's variance request was denied — Miller's appeal was to be placed on the agenda for the Sept. 22 Board of Adjustment hearing. Daly wants to know why the item was removed and why all interested parties were not notified in a timely manner. Daly is one of two complainants who claim Miller's shed is in violation of code.

Contacted Friday afternoon, Miller questioned where Daly was getting his information and suggested Daly may be inappropriately communicating with city staff and others prior to when

the matter is supposed to come before his board.

"I find it interesting that Mr. Daly says he has reviewed the minutes of the meeting because as late as 3 p.m. Friday afternoon, there are no minutes," Miller said. "City staff has yet to transcribe the audio tape from that meeting."

"Once again Mr. Daly is selling false information and misstating things. He's not telling the truth."

Miller added that Daly may be acting inappropriately by disseminating false information and other information concerning the matter comes before his board.

Daly said he plans to, "Defy my doctor's orders and crawl out of my death bed," to bring the issue before the board during the public participation portion of Monday night's regular commission meeting.

Sheriff

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tion forms to last year's participants. Forms and copies of birth certificates must be received by PAL by September 24. Certificates should mail registration and birth certificate information to Seminole County Police Athletic League, Attn: NFL/Gatorade Punt, Pass, & Kick Competition, 100 Bush Boulevard, Sanford, FL 32773. The cost of participation is free and phone registration is welcomed at 665-6763.

Crime

Development Areas. They can be easy targets for burglars and thieves," he said.

The Sheriff's department wanted to send a loud and clear message that no one was going to be able to take advantage of Seminole County residents who were forced to evacuate.

Police records indicate that during the 28-hour Floyd scare,

Zeh said that no metal or plastic cleats can be worn during the competition and that only PAL footballs will be used for the scoring of Punt, Pass, & Kick. Participants must bring their own practice footballs.

The Seminole County Police Athletic League is a charitable non-profit youth crime prevention program. It is funded by the Florida department of Community Affairs and other contributors.

four burglaries, two thefts, and one domestic violence incident were the only reported crimes.

"With a double shift on the road our deputies were not only patrolling, they were calling in locations of downed power lines, tree debris in the roads, and other potential hazards to EOC personnel," added Olson.

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Editor's note: Russ White is on vacation this week. The following column is from the "Best of Russ," a collection of his previously published columns.

Earth's 6th billionth citizen is expected to arrive on Oct. 12. Census experts expect it will be a boy to be born in a developing country. Let's hope the lad isn't another Bill - short for Billionth. Florida, we're told in a TV advertisement, has 700,000 Bills. This is surely enough Bills or Williams for the world, let alone one state.



Russ White

In all this time you'd think there would have been a Saint Bill. An Apostle Bill. A Pope Bill. We have a President Bill. And a Bill (Bradley) running for president. One almost got bounced from office. The other bounced basketballs.

Billy the Kid was a bandit. Billy Idol is a punker. Bill Maher is "Politically Incorrect." Billy Martin was always in trouble. Bill Tilden had a big serve but a sad soul. Bill Gates is a nerd. "Boss" William Tweed was full of greed. Bill Buckner cost the Red Sox the 1986 World Series. Billy Rae Cyrus has an "Achy Breaky Heart." William McKinley was shot. William the Conqueror was no gentleman.

Count the Super Bowls the Buffalo Bills won? The list of great Bills begins with William Shakespeare - be he a Will not a Bill. William Rehnquist judges fair - William Penn was beyond compare.

Admiral William Halsey was a Bull. William Randolph Hearst was made of the write stuff. William Wrigley was Mr. Gum and Mr. Cub. William Sydney Porter became the gifted O'Henry. Billy Crystal, Bill Cosby and Billy Murray make us laugh. Billy Sunday and Bill Graham make us pray - Wild Bill Davidson sure could play. Billie Holliday sang the blues. Billie Jean King made big news. We're still beholden to director Billy Wilder and actor Bill Holden. Bill Haley "Rocked Around the Clock." Billy Joel continues to rock. William Howard Taft was quite the trencherman. Bill Dickey's a Hall of Famer. So is Billy Williams. Bill Shoemaker sure could ride, Bill Hartack keeping stride. William Tell was brave as hell. And last but not least, William Shatner. Captain Kirk if you Will. Out of space for now.

Police Log

DUI Arrests
Casselberry — September 17. David A. Minnich, 38, Knollwood Court, Winter Park, was stopped at SR 436 and Oxford Road by Seminole County deputies. he was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, running a red light, and unlawful speeding.
Sanford — September 16. Robert Joseph Crispino, 32, Eva Street, Deltona, was stopped on SR 400 and Exdt 51 Sanford, by Seminole County deputies. He was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, driving on a suspended license, driving a vehicle with an unassigned tag, petty theft, and failure to register a motor vehicle.
Sanford — September 17. Albert Leon Sainz, 30, Remington Oaks Drive, Lake Mary, was stopped on SR 400 and CR 15 Sanford, by Seminole County deputies. He was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol.
Lake Mary — September 16. Thomas Anthony Leonard, 36, Club Drive, Sanford, was stopped on Old Lake Mary Boulevard by Seminole County deputies. He was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol.
Drug Arrests
Casselberry — September 16.

Casselberry police served a search warrant at a Timberlane Trail address and made two arrests. Joan Lee Sykes, 56, and Philip Mark Nastasee, 50, were both charged with possession of cocaine, and possession of drug paraphernalia.
Altamonte Springs — September 16. Johnny Femia, 19, Alder Avenue, Altamonte Springs was arrested at a business establishment by Altamonte Springs police. He was charged with the sale and delivery of a controlled substance-Diazepam.
Assault/Battery/Domestic Violence
Altamonte Springs — September 16. Don Lee Solina, 54, was arrested at his Spring Valley Loop residence by Seminole County deputies following a domestic dispute. he was charged with battery/domestic violence.
Sanford — September 17. Freddie McCray, 34, Florida Avenue, Sanford was arrested by Sanford police following a domestic dispute at his residence. He was charged with domestic battery.
Winter Springs — September 16. Robert Melton Rushing, 32, Oak Road, Winter Springs was arrested at his residence by Winter Springs police following a

domestic dispute. he was charged with domestic battery.
Oviedo — September 15. Christopher Paul McQuire, 24, Chaddsford Court, was arrested by Seminole County deputies following a disturbance at his residence. He was charged with battery/domestic violence.
LOTTERY
Here are the winning numbers selected in the Florida Lottery:
Fantasy 5 (Sept. 17) 1-3-13-22-32
Lotto (Sept. 11) 7-22-25-30-42-48
Mega Money (Sept. 17) 4-20-21-34 — Megaball 29
Sept. 17
Play 4 1-0-0-0
Cash 3 1-3-4
New Sanford Home Church
Conservative, Bible-based, home school family seeking other Christians to consider new home church. Interested call 324-4949

Obituaries

Vincent Jerino
Vincent Jerino, 87, Twin Oaks Circle, Oviedo, died Thursday, September 16. Mr. Jerino was a custodial worker. He was born in Scranton, Pa., June 16, 1912. He was a Catholic. Mr. Jerino moved to Central Florida in 1973 from Brooklyn, N.Y.
Survivors include daughters, Suzann Flamm, New York; Mary Ann Randisi, Manalapan, N.Y.; and Linda Ricker, Oviedo; sisters, Betty Yessasi, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Josephine Agostino, Stamford, Ct.; Marianna Jerino, Buenos Aires, Argentina; brother, Joseph Jerino, Reggio Calabria, Italy; eight grandchildren and one great grandchild.
Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Oviedo, is in charge of arrangements.

was born in Buffalo, New York and has resided in Central Florida for the past 19 years. He was a Catholic. He was also a veteran of WW II, and a member of the VFW and DAV in Cheektowaga, New York.
Survivors include wife, Marie R. Matyjasik, Altamonte Springs, son, Leonard W. Matyjasik, Altamonte Springs; daughters, Susan Bobo, Lecanto, FL; Catherine Matyjasik, Fern Park; brothers, Eddie Matyjasik, Buffalo, N.Y.; John Matyjasik, Weaver, Alabama; Art Matyjasik, Buffalo, N.Y.; four grandchildren.
Banfield Funeral Home, Winter Springs, is in charge of arrangements.

office worker and a member of the Church of the Nativity as well as a member of AARP.
Survivors include friend, Dominic DeSarno.
Banfield Funeral Home, Winter Springs, is in charge of arrangements.
William F. Ramsay
William F. Ramsay, 89, Woodland Court, Lake Mary, died Wednesday, September 15.
Born in Auburn, New York, Mr. Ramsay moved to Central Florida in 1973. He was a Presbyterian and a retired wholesale grocery salesman.
Survivors include sons, John D. Ramsay, Lake Mary; William E. Ramsay III, Rochester, N.Y.; sister, Dorothy Sharnan, Silver Springs, Maryland; nine grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; nephew, Edward Sharnan, Damascus, Maryland.
Carey Hand Garden Chapel Home for Funerals, Orlando, is in charge of arrangements.

Peggy T. Pardy
Peggy T. Pardy, 89, Lake Mary Boulevard, died Wednesday, September 15. She was born in Rochester, New York, and resided in Central Florida for the past 38 years. She was a retired

Smith knows the secrets of long life

Hard work, good friends and family are the keys
By Bill Kerns
Staff Writer

"I'm going to keep working," Smith said. "I'm never going to retire. I see a lot of people who retire, go home and sit down, then go to the cemetery."
Smith and his wife Minnie have two children. Daughter Patricia Epps is married secretary in an Oviedo elementary school and married to Wayne Epps, principal of Winter Springs High School. Their son, O.R. Smith Jr., is a medical doctor in Fort Worth, Texas.
"You have to take and give

(in marriage)," Smith said. "It all can't be your way, I assure you. Nobody is the boss."
Having lived in Sanford since 1927, Smith said he has many long-time friends who have stood by him through the worst of times. With his wife now in a nursing home, Smith said he is grateful to have his friends around.
"I've had some beautiful times, and I'm blessed to have many, many friends in Sanford," Smith said.

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Editorial & Opinion

Our View

Good Job

Thankfully, Hurricane Floyd spared Central Florida this week. Seminole County residents can be equally thankful for the efforts of Public Safety Officials who were squarely under the gun in a genuine crisis situation.

Perhaps Seminole County manager Kevin Grace summed it up best when he addressed the men and women of the Public Safety Department, Office of Emergency Management, and Sheriff's department early Wednesday as the Emergency Operations Center was preparing to de-escalate from Level 3 operational status to normal Level 1.

"You are professionals, the best team in the state."

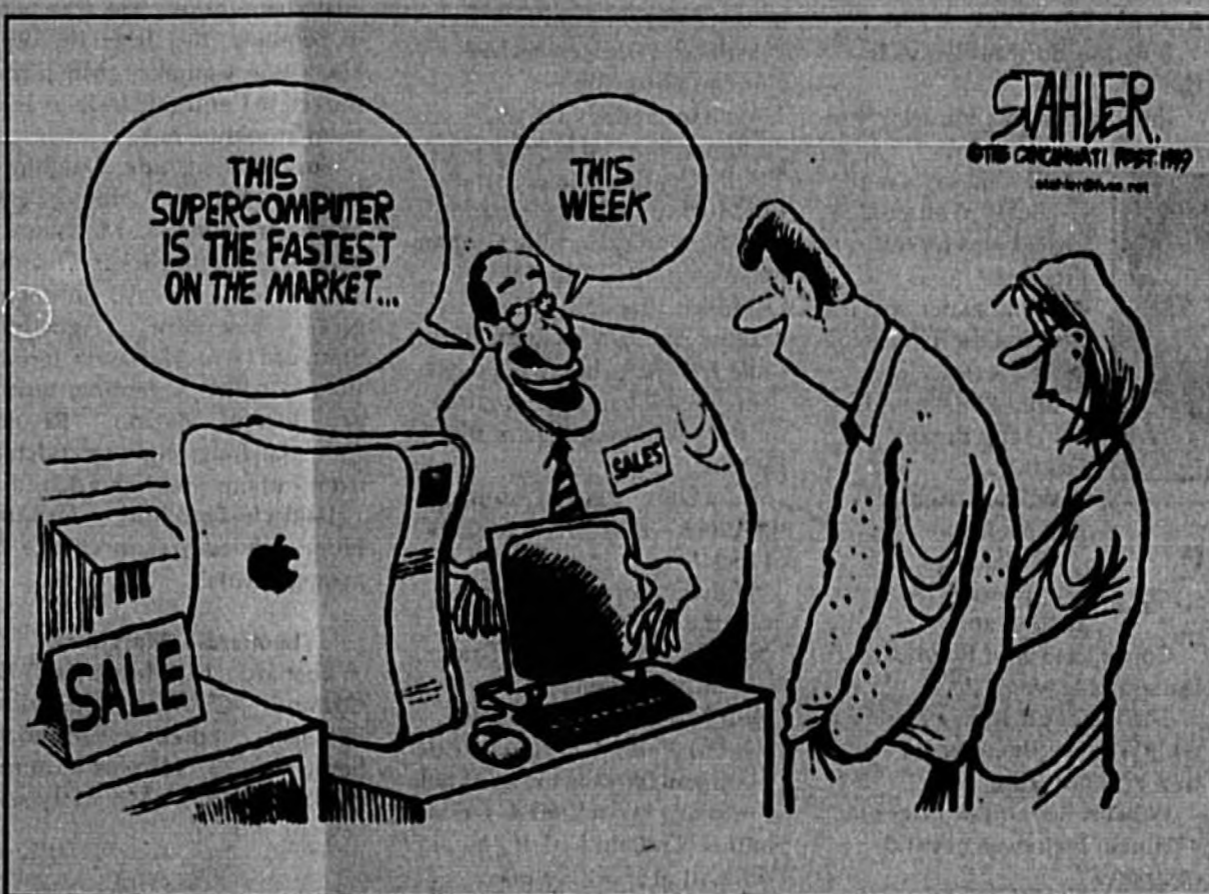
The equipment and logistical support of Seminole County's Emergency Operations Center ranks second to none in Florida, good reason why the state has chosen Seminole County's facility as the back-up Emergency Operations Center in time of Florida crisis.

But all the bells and whistles in the world don't make much difference if you don't have the personnel to execute a crisis situation game plan with cool, calm, and exacting professionalism.

Ken Roberts and his staff in Public Safety, John Blackwood and the men and women of Emergency Management, and the team assembled by Sheriff Don Ealinger are to be commended for their performance on behalf of the safety and welfare of Seminole County citizens.

Staffs of all three agencies worked diligently over long and stressful hours and trying circumstances. The rank and file members of the agencies deserve a well earned "thank you and pat on the back," as well as a few hours extra sleep.

We hope the remainder of the 1999 Hurricane Season is as kind to Central Florida as Floyd was. If not, we can remain comforted by the fact that we are in good hands with Seminole County's "Best team in the state."



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Got a crisis? Grab a hot dog

So, how were things at your household during Hurricane Floyd?

Call it a quirk of fate or an accident of timing, but I've now managed to reside in two divergent geographical locations that have experienced two of the largest natural disasters ever to take place in the United States. It took 35 years for it to happen, but it did nonetheless. One's perspective of events three-and-a-half decades apart can differ dramatically.

My first nasty brush with Mother Nature came on Good Friday 1964. You may recall that that was the date the largest earthquake ever to strike North America rocked the state of Alaska. As a 10-year old Navy brat stationed on Kodiak Island, it was a great and exciting adventure. Despite massive infrastructure damage, complete devastation of the island's fishing fleet and downtown business district and total loss of utilities for a week, it was fun — at least through the eyes of a 10-year old. And that was before the 80-foot tsunami rolled in a

few hours later and destroyed everything else that hadn't been wrecked by the quake. That baby registered 9.6 on the Richter Scale. Folks, the scale only goes to 10.

Why was it fun? Well, heck, we got a week and a half off from school, we got military friends to come stay with us because our Navy duplex was spared damage, and we had something magical — a fireplace!

With an ample supply of firewood we stayed warm and boiled water for survival purposes. No forced baths from mom for the better part of 10 days. But the biggest highlight was roasting hot dogs on the fireplace. We party much had hot dogs for breakfast, lunch and dinner for a whole week. That was as close to heaven as things got for a 10-year old on a remote island in the Aleutian Chain.

This week Floyd came calling. One of the largest tropical hurricanes ever to hit the United States. A 44-year-old husband and homeowner views things differently than a carefree 10-year old.

By Monday morning decisions were made in the DeSantis household in Sanford's Historic District. We would ride things out at home for three reasons: Our house was built in 1910 so we figured that anything Florida had hurled against it in the past wasn't strong enough to knock it down. Reason number two, our golden retriever pups are our children. Where we go, they go. The final decision-maker was the fact we have immediate family who reside in Brevard County and others in Apopka who live in manufactured homes. Our two-bedroom, one-bath South Magnolia Avenue bunker would be our hunker down place.

Monday afternoon was spent alternately buzzing in and out of the Seminole County Emergency Operations Center for logistic updates, and a dash to Wynn Dixie batteries, water, extra toilet paper (no finished till the paperwork is done) and something to feed people, lots of people, with the very real possibility of doing so without benefit of electricity. Maybe it was memories of the great quake of 1964 but a voice floated through my head as I raced up See DeSantis, Page 8A

The Meter

Who measured up and who came up short? The Meter takes the weekly vital signs of the county to discover who's got their mojo working

- The Dark Side:** By a typical 3-2 vote, Longwood commissioners stack the deck with their amendments ahead of petition drive amendments on fall ballot. May the force be with Longwood voters.
- High pressure systems:** Thank you, thank you, thank you, for sending Floyd packing north. Gert can take a hike, too.
- Little Bird Department:** Watch for the sky to fall and the mud to fly in Longwood. The election is six weeks off.
- 1 hit, 1 error:** Sanford cops busted a poor guy before realizing he had a proper leg. They also made a quick arrest in a rape case.
- Little Bird Department No. 2:** Watch for the following events to occur in Longwood: A Longwood city employee in the suit over lost wages due to a change in job responsibilities; A Longwood city commissioner to draw heat for soliciting campaign support in city property; A Longwood volunteer board member to be convicted of misdemeanor against another volunteer board member.
- Way Off Target:** OK, Orange County you killed Light Blue. Please tell us how you propose to end the quest on Interstate 4. It's going to be a slow millstone for us all.

Berry's World



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Explaining the unexplainable

As with other recent mass killings, people are asking for explanations and proposing the usual remedies for the shooting last week in a Fort Worth church which left seven innocent people and the shooter dead.

Because the gunman, 47-year-old Larry Gene Ashbrook, cursed Christianity before opening fire (where are the hate crime police who willingly jump at chances to defend protected classes of people whose votes they seek?), perhaps the explanation for the latest in a seemingly endless stream of horrors can be found in the guidebook revered by many of the worshippers that night. About what Christians prophetically call "the last days," the Apostle Paul wrote they would be "terrible times. People will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boastful, proud, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, without love, unforgiving, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not lovers of the

good, treacherous, rash, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God ..." (2 Timothy 3:1-4) Such behavior may be seen in abundance today reported in this newspaper and all around us.

Elsewhere, Paul again sees into the future and writes of depraved people: "They have become filled with every kind of wickedness, evil, greed and depravity. They are full of envy, murder, strife, deceit and malice. They are gossips, slanderers, God-haters, insolent, arrogant and boastful; they invent ways of doing evil ... They are senseless, faithless, heartless, ruthless." (Romans 1:29-31) Have not these prophecies become current events?

We are seeing the progeny of these wretched decades of imposed secularism. If God is only in the mind of the beholder and not at the heart of a people, then why should anyone treat others with respect? Princeton's newest professor, Peter Singer, believes the concept of human life is

"sacred" is outmoded, and he would do away with it. His ideological disciples, Larry Gene Ashbrook, merely practiced what Singer teaches.

When people learn that life is cheap and 30 million (and counting) abortions prove it; when marriages split up at the first sign of difficulty; when violence comes from every cultural pore; when younger and younger children regard as the way another generation thought of recess; when violent video games graphically depict blood and guts; when evolution is taught as fact and humans are themselves no more complex than a cabbage but of no greater moral significance; when any expression of public prayer or faith in God is treated as contraband used to be, surely this explains why America has amok.

How rich we are in things. How poor we are in the things that matter most.

A president flouts the moral law and is seen getting away with it. He's so cavalier that he pardons members of a Puerto Rican terrorist group, but calls for more gun laws See Thomas, Page 8A

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DeSantis

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and down the shopping aisles. "Get hot dogs, get hot dogs." I listened to the voice and with thoughts of Floyd making a direct hit on Central Florida, I bought 120 wieners.

Monday evening I made a mad dash to Apopka and loaded up Dad's mammoth propane gas grill in the pick-up truck and went home to assist my Director of Emergency Management (wife Deb) prepare as best we could for an onslaught of DeSantises.

Monday night I took special notice of just how many huge oak trees line the Historic District streets. Suddenly I feared them much more than Jean Metts' "Soup Kitchen."

By Tuesday at noon our once comfortable 1,100-square-foot home was a little cramped.

Mom and Dad arrived from Apopka. One brother, a niece and family friend from our hometown of Erie, Pa., were also in tow. A few minutes later the clan that belongs to my Brevard

at 7 p.m. with a greeting from the principal, Bill Moore, and entertainment by the Sanford Middle School Chorus and Jazz Band. Following a brief presentation by the Physical Education department, parents will be invited to visit their children's classes and meet the teachers. One sister-in-law, one niece, three nephews. Did I forget to mention the niece's parakeet? Wonderful, a chirping bird and golden retrievers bred and trained to go after birds. The parakeet was quickly dispatched to the safety of the laundry room. The dogs, Chance and Mae, behaved admirably. Wish I could say as much for some of the visitors.

Give you three guesses what we had for dinner, all 12 of us. Hot dogs!

By God, I bought 'em and somebody was going to eat 'em. Use of the bathroom became a logistical challenge. The young ones got cranky, the older ones got bored.

A lengthy game of Risk occupied most of the nephews for a few hours. The kids made constant raids into the refrigerator for soft drinks, forcing Uncle Joe to go to Level 3 operational status at 8 p.m. "Ladies and gentleman, as Lord of this Manor, I

hearby declare that the kitchen is closed to all with the exception of adults."

Mom and Dad got our bed. The sister-in-law with the young niece got the sleeper sofa in the second bedroom. We stacked the rest of them up like cord wood wrapped in sleeping bags in the living room. Deb and I sacked out on the bedroom floor with Mom and Dad.

Then the snoring began. At first a soft murmur from one or two family members. Then a full blown chorus of snorts and heavy breathing. The dogs got 'antsy because pack mentality says if you're on the floor, it's playtime and you're one of the pack. I got three hours of sleep, Deb got none. My brave soul-mate attempted to relocate to the kitchen where we had the pups gated. Chance lay down on the floor next to her and soon joined the snoring contest. Mae wanted to play tug-of-war with Deb's pillow.

By dawn's early light I desert-

ed ship, heading for the Emergency Operations Center, hoping to hear from guys like Ken Roberts and John Blackwood and Terry Schenk that Floyd would head north and save Central Florida its wrath. The question wasn't settled until Tuesday night. By

Wednesday at noon our Motel 12 was empty and back to normal.

Sleep was the order of the day. Deb and I hit the sack at 6 p.m. and did not stir until 12 hours later. Even the pups zonked out for a lengthy snooze. My carefree perspective of a

10-year old versus an adult in the face of natural disasters had undergone a metamorphosis.

We're going to have a cookout this weekend to celebrate our good fortune with Floyd.

The featured menu item is, of course, hot dogs. Come on over. There's plenty to go around.

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Thomas

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(while his administration refuses to enforce most of those now on the books). Anyone who believes an entire generation has not received the message also believes that television commercials don't affect behavior.

Texas Gov. George W. Bush told the truth when he said in response to the church shootings, "There seems to be a wave of evil passing through America now." That's because the moral dam that once held most of it back has been opened, and we are drowning in the flash flood. Bush noted that laws can only go so far. People must be held accountable for the decisions they make, he said. But in our victimized culture, we are told that no one is accountable, because no one is responsible. Bill Clinton is a special predator and serial liar because his

regard over him. The recently arrested (and now out on bail) former Symbionese Liberation Army woman, Kathleen Solih (a.k.a. Sara Jane Olson), is pardoned by some for her terrorist attacks nearly 25 years ago because of her most contemporary good works. All evil can now be excused or explained by the late Gilda Radner's comedic exclamation: "Never mind."

Postmodern, aimless man says there is no evil, because there is no God. If there is no God, we may do as we please. If what pleases some people hurts people we don't want to be hurt (with the exception of increasingly targeted Christians), then government steps in and fills the vacuum God has vacated. Is there a more plausible explanation?

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Sanford Middle School reschedules Parents' Night

SANFORD - The Sanford Middle School Math, Science, Technology Magnet has rescheduled its Parent's Night for Tuesday, September 21. The original meeting was canceled due to Hurricane Floyd.

The meeting will begin in the Louis D. Phelps Gymnasium

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C. Actual property tax levy	\$3,023,263

This year's property tax levy \$3,629,756

All concerned citizens are invited to attend a public hearing on the tax increase to be held:

Thursday, September 23, 1999
7:00 P.M.
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A FINAL DECISION on the proposed tax increase and the budget will be made at this hearing.

Cody needs a home



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Cody is a 3-year-old male dog needs a good home. He is house broken and is good with older children. He is also very well behaved because he was trained to help care for a person in a wheelchair. Cody can provide protection and is very obedient. If you are interested in adopting Cody, or any other animal, contact the Humane Society of Seminole County at 323-8685.

Two banks robbed Tuesday

By Joe DeSantis
Staff Writer

SANFORD — Investigators from the Seminole County Sheriff's department are continuing their probe into a pair of bank burglaries that took place Tuesday while much of the county was preparing for a possible confrontation with Hurricane Floyd.

The first reported incident took place at about 4 a.m. Tuesday morning at the Regions Bank located at 425 South Highway 17/92 in Longwood.

Mark Burton, a cleaning crew employee, told deputies that when he arrived at the bank shortly after 3 a.m. he entered the bank through locked doors and deactivated the alarm sys-

tem and proceeded to clean the upstairs area of the bank. When he moved downstairs to clean behind the teller areas he noticed that the safes had been broken open, an office window on the ground floor had been broken out, and part of an interior wall had been punched through.

Investigators said that the path of entry by the burglars appeared to be in an effort to defeat a motion detector. The burglars also broke into the drive-through tellers room where they pried open another safe. Investigators said the burglars removed coin currency from all of the safes and then made their exit from the bank through an unknown means without setting off alarms.

Deputies found a similar scenario at the Peoples First Community Bank located at 500 Hunt Club Boulevard in the Hunt Club Corners Shopping Center.

At 4:41 a.m. deputies responded to an alarm at the bank, but after responding and investigating, reported that the bank appeared to be secure.

Shortly after bank employee reported to work at 8:30 they

noticed a window on the building's north side had been smashed and pieces of glass had been removed. All other doors and windows of the bank were secure.

Like the Regions Bank incident, investigators found that a burglar or burglars had pried open safes and removed a considerable amount of coin currency.

Deputies said it was apparent that at least one person entered the bank through the broken window, climbed over the counter leaving footprints, grabbed the coins from the safes and left the same way.

Bank officials are still determining the value of the stolen goods from both locations.

BUDGET SUMMARY CITY OF LAKE MARY - FISCAL YEAR 1999-2000 THE PROPOSED OPERATING BUDGET EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY LAKE MARY ARE 3.8% MORE THAN LAST YEAR'S TOTAL OPERATING EXPENDITURES.

	General Fund	Special Revenue Funds	Debt Service Funds	Capital Projects Funds	Enterprise Funds	Internal Service Funds	Totals
Fund Balance/Working Capital Brought Forward	\$ 5,417,101	\$ 965,510	\$ 135,190	\$ 2,292,479	\$ 3,869,890	\$ 66,553	\$12,746,723
Estimated Revenue: Millage Per \$1,000							
Ad Valorem Tax 3.7648	3,448,268	0	0	0	0	0	3,448,268
Franchise & Utility Taxes	3,158,100	0	0	0	0	0	3,158,100
Licenses and Permits	843,000	0	0	0	0	0	843,000
Fines and Forfeitures	207,400	7,200	0	0	0	0	214,600
Intergovernmental	863,670	0	0	178,927	0	0	1,042,597
Charges for Services	149,350	524,050	0	0	3,579,981	926,892	5,180,273
Other	246,000	28,000	11,000	30,438	191,500	15,500	522,438
Operating Transfers In	443,500	800	795,000	3,221,324	0	40,500	4,501,124
Total Revenue	9,359,288	560,050	806,000	3,430,689	3,771,481	982,892	18,910,400
Total Revenue and Balances	\$14,776,389	\$ 1,525,560	\$ 941,190	\$ 5,723,168	\$ 7,641,371	\$ 1,049,445	\$31, 657,123
Expenditures/Expenses:							
General Government	\$ 1,576,452	\$ 7,860	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,584,312
Finance	306,515	0	0	0	0	0	306,515
Police	2,601,425	64,958	0	0	0	0	2,666,383
Fire	2,022,591	0	0	0	0	0	2,022,591
Public Works	557,256	9,500	0	0	0	0	566,756
Parks and Recreation	1,000,067	285,000	0	0	0	0	1,285,067
Water and Sewer Operating	0	0	0	0	1,264,231	0	1,264,231
Stormwater	0	0	0	0	50,000	0	50,000
Vehicle Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	281,211	281,211
Capital Projects	0	0	0	5,648,251	2,240,000	266,074	8,154,325
Debt Service	0	0	811,808	0	0	231,428	1,043,236
Operating Transfers Out	4,017,124	74,000	0	0	410,000	0	4,501,124
Total Expenditures/Expenses	12,081,430	441,318	811,808	5,648,251	3,964,231	778,713	23,725,751
Fund Balance/Working Capital To Be Carried Forward FY 99	2,694,959	1,084,242	129,382	74,917	3,677,140	270,732	7,931,372
Total Appropriated Expenditures/Expenses and Reserves	\$14,776,389	\$ 1,525,560	\$ 941,190	\$ 5,723,168	\$ 7,641,371	\$ 1,049,445	\$31,657,123

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Same company, new owner



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Deanna Todd, the new owner of Buck's Catering, dishes up a breakfast treat during a recent Sanford-Seminole County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting. Buck's Catering, located on the Northwest Corner of South Sanford Avenue and 13th Street, has been a Sanford mainstay for more than 32 years.

Insurance

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areas of the county, because city residents also contribute to the general fund.

"City residents already pay a stormwater fee," Commissioner Randy Morris said. "No matter what logic you use, double taxation is double taxation no matter what."

Stormwater projects primarily are paid for through the general fund and transportation trust fund.

"All county residents pay into the general fund," Morris said. "Why should city residents pay for projects in unincorporated Seminole County?"

The county maintains some city roads, stormwater ponds, and ditches from the transportation trust fund, said Cindy Hall, director of fiscal services. The general fund contains both county-wide and unincorporated revenues, with 49 percent of general fund ad valorem tax money coming from unincorporated residents. General fund revenues may be used for any countywide purpose, Hall said.

"I'm concerned about double-taxation," said Commissioner Daryl McLain. "I'm concerned about whether city residents are getting what they are paying for."

However, Henley said that he is not aware of an alternative funding source for the stormwater projects.

"It's a valid concern he (Morris) has," Henley said. "However, some would argue that the county provides different services than cities, such as the jail and court house."

In other action in Wednesday's budget work session, the Board will discuss whether to purchase the Shenandoah Property located south of Bush Boulevard, near the Seminole County Jail, from Central Florida HANDS.

In May, the property was appraised at \$1.9 million in its present condition and \$2.8 million after renovations planned by the builder of affordable housing.

Steve Chitwood, President of Central Florida HANDS Realty, has told county staff the organization would sell the property for its original purchase price of \$1.75 million, plus closing costs and any other fees that occur during the deal.

"I think it would be a good deal at a good price," Morris said.

County staff recommends acquisition of the property prior to any renovations that might be made by Central Florida HANDS. The county would use the property to meet

the expansion needs of its operation center, including possible expansion to the Seminole County Jail.

If the Board approves, staff would enter into negotiations

with Central Florida HANDS for acquisition of the Shenandoah Property.

"It probably is something we should seriously take a look at," Henley said.

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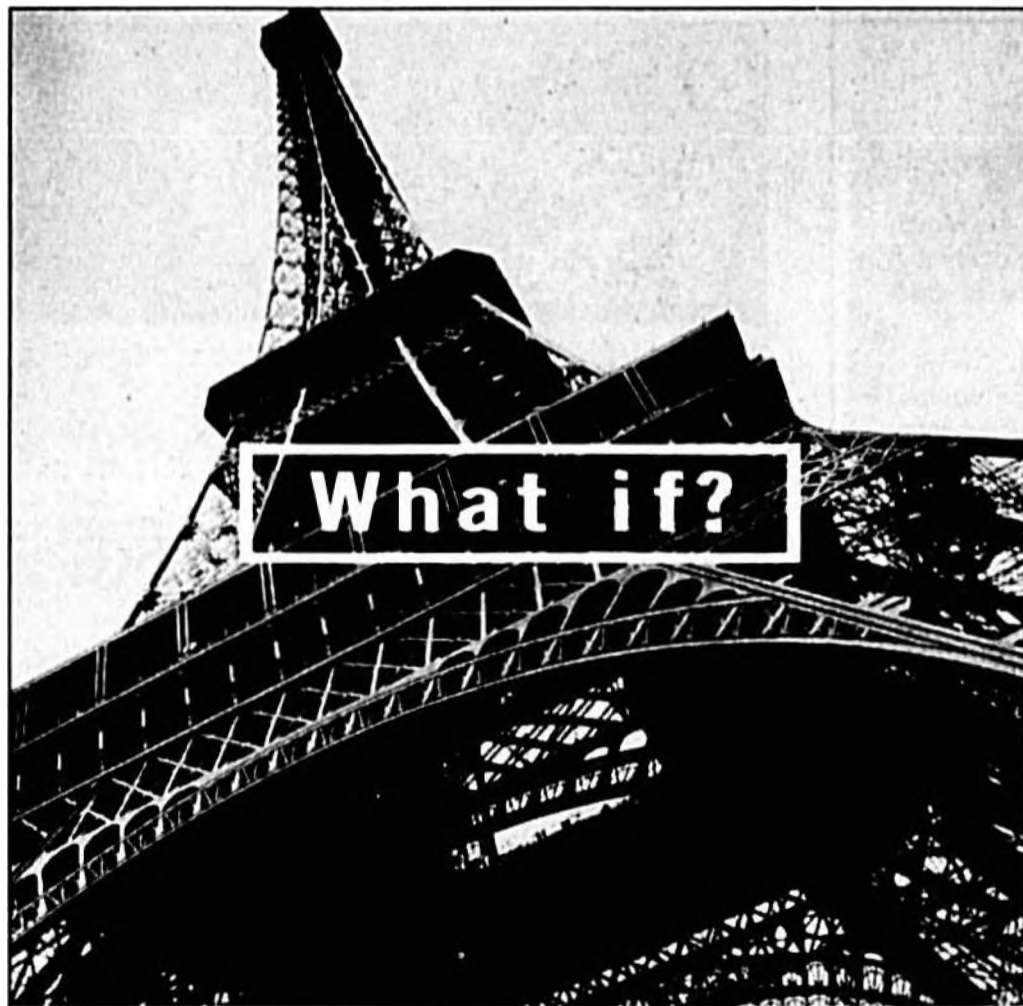
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County may push bus shelter construction ahead of schedule

By Bill Kerna
Staff Writer

SANFORD — The Board of County Commissioners on Tuesday will consider accelerating the construction of Lynx bus shelters along US highway 17-92.

An additional 8-10 shelters could be completed in 2000, if the Board approves spending for the shelters. The total cost to the county would be \$210,000, plus \$70,000 from Lynx.

Funding for the Lynx bus shelters is available within the county's current budget as part of the one-cent sales tax program.

"It's cheaper to do it now while the road is under construction," said Commissioner Randy Morris. "We can afford to do it now, and I think moving ahead would be a smart move."

However, accelerating construction for 8-10 new bus shelters in 2000 is only one option to be considered by the Board during Tuesday's 9:30 a.m. session at the County Services Building. The Board will also consider several other options.

"I have serious reservations with the entire thing with the current bid," said Chairman Carlton Henley.

Under an alternative proposal, the county could move forward with the construction of five bus shelters until 2000, when bidding for the manufacture of Lynx bus shelters will be re-

opened. Lynx would provide funding for the five bus shelters.

The county could also defer the construction of all shelters to 2000 to accommodate the re-opening of bids for the manufacture of bus shelters.

The Board in August directed staff to pursue arrangements for financial participation from the cities and existing special tax districts known as Community Redevelopment Agencies (CRA's).

Commissioner Daryl McLain opposes using CRA revenue to build Lynx bus shelters.

"I'm in favor of providing the shelters, just not using CRA funds," McLain said. "CRA funds are designed to build roads. Building bus shelters is an inappropriate use of CRA funds."

In 1995, Lynx initiated a program to provide locations for customers to access the public transit system. The first phase of the program, including the installation of 70 Lynx shelters, has been completed.

Lynx targets 20 new shelters system-wide for construction in the coming fiscal year, which starts in October, including 25 percent in Seminole County.

During budget hearings, the Commission directed staff to look into accelerating the construction of Lynx shelters. A total of 14 shelters at nine locations were targeted at a total cost of about \$126,000 to the county and \$70,000 to Lynx.

Longwood considers final budget during meeting

By Joe DeSantis
Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — Longwood City Commissioners meet Monday night for the city's final public hearing on the proposed city budget for fiscal year 1999-2000.

If approved, the \$14 million dollar spending plan would hold tax millage rates at \$5.06 per \$1,000 of non-exempt assessed valuation. If commissioners vote to add additional personnel and equipment costs that were suggested two weeks ago, city administrator John Drago will either have to sharpen his pencil,

find some additional cash, or delay projects previously approved.

By a vote of 3-2 at last meeting, the board moved to add an additional \$69,000 to address pay inequities of 29 city employees who fall below minimum average Seminole County municipal salaries for comparable positions. Commissioners also want to add a \$500 pay increase for all city employees to remain competitive with other municipalities. The \$500 would be in addition to 1.5 percent cost of living increases in addition to merit increases. A majority of the board also voted to add \$190,000 to the budget

for the purchase of an ambulance, another \$100,000 for salary and benefit packages to hire three additional firefighter/paramedics, and approximately \$90,000 for salaries and benefit packages for two additional police officers.

The additional expenses are above and beyond the original budget proposed by Drago.

"I can only do what they tell me to do," said Drago of the additional proposals.

"The final budget that the commission chooses to adopt is not for me to like or dislike.

They are responsible for their decisions and they know that. If a more expensive budget works out it works out, if it doesn't work out, it doesn't work out."

The additional budget requests brought forward at the first public hearing on the spending plan sparked heated exchanges between board members and residents as to whether the city really needs another ambulance and additional personnel.

Some residents and board members also complained that fire chief Charles Chapman was receiving favorable treatment from the board by being allowed to make a pitch for additional personnel and equipment while other department

heads were not.

Several residents also complained that the city does not need another ambulance to respond to its own needs and that Longwood taxpayers would basically be subsidizing transport service for the city of Lake Mary which does not operate its own ambulance transport.

The board must pass some version of the budget Monday as Longwood's new fiscal year begins October 1.

Other agenda items to be discussed at the 7 p.m. meeting include nominations to the city's Code Enforcement Board, Parks and Recreation Advisory Board. Commissioners will also cast votes on Ordinance 99-1441 which repeals entire sections of the city's sign regulations, as well as an ordinance that amends selected sections of Longwood's Land Development Code that deal specifically with Permitted Uses, Accessory Uses, and Conditional Uses.

Commissioners will also vote on a number of franchise contracts for city services, and decide on a proposed increase in ambulance transport fees to help offset the cost of a new ambulance and firefighter personnel.

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Local Red Cross seeks volunteers

LONGWOOD - In the wake of Hurricane Floyd's threat to Florida earlier this week, the American Red Cross of Central Florida will offer a free volunteer orientation.

The orientation is for those interested in learning more about volunteer opportunities in emergency preparedness and relief, armed forces emergency communications, disaster and safety education, youth training and development, and senior

services.

Volunteer orientation will be held Wednesday, Sept. 22, from 7-9 p.m., at the American Red Cross of Central Florida's Seminole Service Center, 705-C West S.R. 434; Longwood.

Red Cross volunteer orientation is held regularly in Orange, Ocala and Seminole counties.

For more information or to register for volunteer orientation, call 332-8200.

Amended Proclamation

WHEREAS, in accordance with the City of Longwood Code of Ordinances the Mayor of the City of Longwood, Paul Lovestrand, issued an Election Proclamation proclaiming the City of Longwood General Election on November 2, 1999, giving notice of time, dates of qualification and issues to be voted upon; and

WHEREAS, following issuance of the proclamation, a petition signed by the required number of registered Longwood electors was received placing the Charter Advisory Committee's recommendations for proposed amendments to the Charter on the City of Longwood General Election to be held on November 2, 1999; and

WHEREAS, the Code of Ordinances requires that the Election Proclamation must advise of any issues to be voted on.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PAUL LOVESTRAND, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF LONGWOOD, FLORIDA, do hereby issue an AMENDED PROCLAMATION, proclaiming the City of Longwood General Election, on Tuesday, November 2, 1999, from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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All electors residing in Precincts #14, #28, #33, #46, #47, #53, #58, #72, #113 and #114 will vote at the Longwood City Commission Chambers, 175 W. Warren Avenue, Longwood, Florida

This election will be held for the purpose of electing City commissioners in the following districts.

- District #1 Office now held by Commissioner Rusty Miles
- District #2 Office now held by Commissioner Dan Anderson
- District #4 Office now held by Commissioner Annamarie Vacca

In addition to the questions submitted as per Ordinance No. 99-1491, questions will be submitted to the voters, as proposed on a petition received signed by the required number of the qualified voters in Longwood, as per the Charter Advisory Committee's recommendations for proposed amendments to the Charter. Copies of the Ordinance and document referenced are hereby attached.

DATES OF QUALIFICATION:

- Friday, 8:00 a.m. September 3, 1999 until
- Friday, 5:00 p.m. September 10, 1999

ALL CANDIDATES MUST QUALIFY WITH THE CITY CLERK AT THE CITY OF LONGWOOD, CITY HALL, 175 W. WARREN AVENUE, LONGWOOD, FLORIDA.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Longwood to be affixed, this 3rd day of September, A.D., 1999.

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Business

Federal Trust offers new financing for residential construction industry

Federal Trust Bank announced a new financial program tailored specifically for Central Florida residential Home Builders. "Blue Ribbon Program," is designed to give residential builders and their customers easy access to construction loans and lot loans.

"The most important tool for builders isn't a hammer or a saw," said Timothy J. Larson, a residential lending manager for Federal Trust Bank. "The most important tool for builders are the financial products designed to increase profitability and stability no matter what the market conditions. We're introducing the Blue Ribbon Builders Program to provide builders and their customers hassle-free access to all

types of construction loans, all with attractive, easy-qualifying terms and competitive interest rates."

The Blue Ribbon Builders Program includes construction spec loans for builders, lot loans, including non-conforming and jumbo loans. Larson invites residential builders to apply for loans with Federal Trust to enjoy this unique program.

"There's no cost or obligation to get pre-approved," he said. "Construction lending is our focus, we have fine-tuned the lending process to meet the individual needs of today's custom builder. We know and understand the challenges and sacrifices they make to survive in a competitive market environment. Our Blue Ribbon

Program offers many 'tools' designed specifically to help the Home Builder."

Federal Trust Bank is a member of the Mid-Florida Home Builders Association, the Volusia County Builders Association, Florida Home Builders Association and The National Home Builders Association. Federal Trust Bank is an Equal Housing Lender with offices in Winter Park, New Smyrna Beach and Sanford. Federal Trust specializes in mortgage lending and its holding company is traded on NASDAQ under the symbol FDTR.

For more information regarding the new Blue Ribbon Builders Program at Federal Trust, contact Timothy J. Larson at 1-800-226-2829.

E-Commerce offers advantage to Longwood label business

LONGWOOD — After more than 18 months of World Wide Web sales that have grown steadily into the \$30,000 per month range, a now seasoned 24-year-old Internet entrepreneur has seen some major advantages — including a single account worth \$600,000 in annual sales for parent company Consolidated Labels.

But there are disadvantages, too, and David Carmany, manager of OnlineLabels.com is more convinced that the Internet will change not only how companies and consumers buy products, but how companies market their goods and services.

Carmany's company, located at www.onlinelabels.com, sells a "niche" consumer product — blank labels in common sizes, colors and even shapes, delivered on sheets that fit desktop laser and ink-jet printers. Thousands of U.S. companies use literally billions of such labels each year to address everything from news magazines to wedding invita-

tions to requests for political campaign contributions.

Carmany customers range from such well-known names as CBS-TV, Dow-Corning, Mattel and Hasbro to individuals who want to mail out a family newsletter for the holidays. Sales have been growing by 10 to 20 percent each month and topped \$28,000 in August. Carmany said he expects to see monthly sales hit the \$40,000 mark before the end of the year. He prices his merchandise at one-fourth to half the cost of similar labels bought in an office supply store.

"The most startling advantage is in the sales and distribution process," Carmany said. "Five years ago, we would have had to hire sales representatives and place labels in retail stores like Office Depot and Walgreen's. And retail markups would put me into a price range and sales environment that would require expensive brand awareness marketing like colorful point of purchase displays and eye-grabbing

product packaging," Carmany said.

Instead, Carmany said OnlineLabels.com customers get exactly what they pay for — a good product and equally excellent service.

"There's no waste in this process, and that benefits everyone from the environment to budget consumers who want the best product for the lowest cost," Carmany explained.

Disadvantages are largely perceptual, Carmany said, and they are changing.

"The Internet is a new environment that consumers are only now learning how to shop," he said. "We supply a better product than the so-called name brands found in office stores, with more options for the consumer and significantly lower cost, but for millions of consumers, the office store brands are the only ones they know," he added.

Those perceptions may change quickly.

Business Briefs

Promotions at Snelling

LAKE MARY - Monica Morgan has been promoted to assistant operations manager for the eight Central Florida locations of Snelling Personnel Services.

In addition, Jenny Gorevski has been named the branch manager of the Lake Mary office.

Other new branch managers include Cheryl Wright in Daytona, DeLand, Patty Carroll in Winter Park, Jacqueline Aviles in Kissimmee, Sue Howell in Orlando, Robin Simmons in Leesburg, and Bonnie Huber in Ocala.

Three Inspectors earn their stripes

MAITLAND - Three home Seminole County residents who are home inspectors for Maitland-based Certified Building Inspectors have earned the professional designation of Graduate Building Inspector.

Earning the designation were Jurgen Betz of Longwood, Kack Davis of Apopka and Chuck Hudnall of Oviedo, who earned the title by surpassing professional inspection requirements.

Restructuring at Fidelity National

CASSELBERRY - Fidelity National Title has restructured its Seminole County closing operations.

The company's Casselberry

office will serve as the county's Central Processing center for the insurance company, while its Altamonte Springs branch will be a real estate closing center for the company's Altamonte Springs, Longwood and Lake Mary based customers, said Central Florida Regional President Daniel A. Wallace.

In a related move, Patti English has been named Branch Manager for the company's Casselberry office. She has been with the company for more than two years.

Footaction offers scholarships

Footaction USA is offering \$100,000 in college scholarships to high school seniors.

This year, Footaction will award at least 84 scholarships, including one at \$10,000, one at \$5,000, two at \$2,500, and 80 at \$1,000. The deadline for applications is Jan. 15, 2000.

Applicants are judged on the basis of financial need, class rank and standardized test scores, and level of sports participation. A group of 300 semifinalists will be selected by an independent administrator.

Semifinalists will be required to complete a more detailed application and submit additional information, including a 250-word essay.

For more information or to request an application, call the toll-free hotline at 800-521-2123 or visit the Footaction USA website at <http://www.footaction.com>.

Business Expo in Oviedo on Oct. 16

OVIEDO - The Third Annual Fall Business Expo sponsored by the Greater Oviedo Chamber of Commerce will be held Oct. 16 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The event provides an opportunity for members of the Chamber to showcase their businesses at the Oviedo Marketplace, located off the Central Florida Greenway at Red Bug Lake Road. The Oviedo Marketplace has an average of more than 25,000 visitors on a typical Saturday. The Expo can accommodate 45 businesses.

Applications will be accepted from non-members as well as members of the Chamber. For more information, call 365-6500.

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The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region IV issues a notice today of an Open House for the Sanford Gasification Plant site located in Sanford, Florida.

The EPA has scheduled an Open House for September 22, 1999. This will be an informal opportunity for the community to come by and have questions answered regarding the Remedial Investigation of the Site. The meeting will be at the West Sanford Boys and Girls Club from 7:00pm to 9:00pm on September 22, 1999. The West Sanford Boys and Girls Club is located at 919 South Popalmon Avenue, Sanford, FL. For more information contact Laura Fowler, EPA Community Involvement Coordinator at: 1-800-424-6334



Photo submitted to the Herald by Keith Brown

Army ROTC Cadet Michael P. Smith "low crawls" during training at ROTC Advanced Camp at Fort Lewis, Wash. The post hosts the only Advanced Camp in the country, which brings together cadets from 271 colleges and universities.

Smith completes advanced camp training to earn officer's rank

By Keith Thompson
Special to the Herald

FORT LEWIS, Wash. — Yellow signal smoke wafts towards the sunny sky as a Chinook helicopter, loaded with soldiers, swoops over the treetops and into the clearing to deliver its cargo.

Twenty yards into the darkened tree line the enemy digs into the forest underbrush anticipating the onslaught. With black and green painted faces, the opposing force watches and waits for the son of a Longwood man to attack.

Although not your typical summer camp scenario, it's just one of the challenges Michael P. Smith, son of Ed Smith of Longwood, faces during his tour as a cadet at ROTC Advanced Camp here.

The 35-day camp is the culminating training event for Army ROTC cadets or National Guard officer candidates. The camp is designed to evaluate and develop cadets' leadership ability through a wide variety of challenges.

To meet the challenges of camp, Smith must meet the standards in physical fitness, weapons training, communication, combat patrols and demonstrate her ability in a variety of other military skills. Cadets are placed in a variety of leadership positions, many of which simulate stressful combat situations, and are evaluated by the camp's cadre of officers and noncommissioned officers.

While some cadets have never fired a rifle before entering the ROTC program, others are old hands at soldiering with prior active-duty service as enlisted soldiers. Either way, advanced camp provides plenty of chances

for cadets to test themselves and see if they have the mettle to become an Army officer. Cadets are expected to excel at everything from push-ups and sit-ups to leading the attack on a bunker position.

"The challenges of advanced camp are not getting enough sleep and sometimes there are days when we sit around and do nothing, but we have to look like we're doing something," explained Smith, a 1996 graduate of Edgewater High School, Orlando, and finance major at the University of Central Florida, Orlando.

Smith is just one of the cadets from 271 colleges and universities from all 50 states and two U.S. territories who will undergo the Advanced Camp sequence of training. The training cycle is designed to develop leadership, teamwork and military skills and knowledge.

Cadets usually attend the camp the summer before their senior year and receive their commission as a second lieutenant upon graduation from their college or university. This year, nearly 3,900 cadets from all walks of life will cycle through the summer program here on their way to completing their ROTC training, earning their college degree and pinning on the gold bar of a second lieutenant.

"I joined ROTC because it interested me and it's something I've always wanted to do," said Smith. "I'm also doing this because I want to carry on the family tradition of service to the country."

Since being created by an act of Congress in 1916, ROTC has supplied America's Army with trained officers through two world wars and every other con-

flict and peacekeeping mission that the Army has been involved in. ROTC commissions 75 percent of the Army's new officers.

Smith and his colleagues will take their place in ROTC history as the last class of the 20th century and the newest crop of Army officers in the new millennium. They will represent the future leaders of the Army.

"I'd like to see myself as an armor commander and hopefully fulfill 30 years of service," Smith said. Although Smith and fellow cadets aren't roasting marshmallows and having campfire sing-alongs at this summer camp, they are meeting the challenges of Army training and preparing for leadership excellence in the new millennium.

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Briefs

FASCAR CORRECTION SAMSULA

Despite previous reports to the contrary, the Go Karts and Demolition Derby cars did get to run last Saturday at New Smyrna Speedway.

This Saturday night, despite a scare from Hurricane Floyd, New Smyrna Speedway will host regular action in the Late Model, Limited Late Model, Open Wheeled Modified, Sportman, Mini Stock, Bomber and Strictly Stock classes.

Pit gates open at 4 p.m. with grandstand gates opening at 6 p.m. and racing beginning at 7 p.m. every Saturday night.

Cost is just \$10 at the front gate and \$15 for a pit pass for adults, while children 11-and-under are admitted free to the track located 10 miles south of Daytona Beach at the corner of Highway 44 and SR-415, between I-4 (exit 56, east) and I-95 (exit 84, west).

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Limited Late Models - 1. Bobby Sears; 2. David Logan; 3. Randy Dyer; 4. David Ponder.
Open Wheeled Modified - 1. Robert Hest; 2. Tom Root; 3. Ricky Wood; 4. Jimmy White; 5. Mark Vandevender.
Sportman - 1. Joe Adams; 2. Chad Fiero; 3. Ray Puffer; 4. John Nushum; 5. J.T. Tippin.
Mini-Stocks - 1. Tim Clark; 2. Wayne Wells; 3. Tom Root; 4. Ben Christensen; 5. Dale Costel.
Bomber - 1. Charlie Mac; 2. Scott Schultz; Billy Marlow; 4. Mark Scherer; 5. Bradley Johnson.
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MAGIC SIGN MONTY WILLIAMS; WAIVE MAKHTAR NDIAYE

ORLANDO - The Orlando Magic have signed forward Monty Williams, General Manager John Gabriel announced Friday.

Per team policy, terms of the deal were not disclosed.

The Magic have also released forward Makhtar Ndiaye.

Williams has seen action in 210 regular season games during his NBA career with New York, San Antonio and Denver, averaging 5.9 points and 2.5 rebounds per game.

Most recently, he played one game with the Nuggets during the 1998-99 season, before being waived on February 19.

Williams, 27, was originally selected by New York in the first round (24th overall) of the 1994 NBA Draft. His best NBA season came with San Antonio in 1996-97, where he averaged 9.0 ppg, 3.3 rpg, and 1.4 apg, in 20.7 minpg.

A graduate of Notre Dame, Williams played three collegiate seasons for the Fighting Irish. He finished 13th on Notre Dame's all-time scoring list with 1,371 points, despite playing in only 86 games. Williams led the team in both scoring and rebounding during his junior and senior seasons.

Ndiaye came to Orlando as part of a three-team, 11-player trade, where the Magic sent Don MacLean and a first-round draft pick to Houston, and a future second-round draft pick to Vancouver on August 27, 1999. He appeared in four games as a rookie during the 1998-99 season for the Grizzlies.

Ndiaye, 25, was undrafted out of the University of North Carolina. He became the first player from Senegal to play in an NBA regular season game.

He scored five points and had five rebounds in 27 total minutes of action.

TIM LIGLER WAIVED BY ORLANDO MAGIC
ORLANDO - Orlando Magic General Manager John Gabriel announced Friday...

Wow! What a game

Seminole edges Lake Brantley in battle of Seminole Athletic Conference powers

By Dean Smith
SPORTS EDITOR

SANFORD - When was the last time you saw a dumb mistake turn into a great play? That was exactly what happened at Thomas E. Whigham Stadium Friday night as host Seminole edged Lake Brantley 28-21 in a game that was everything it was supposed to be.

With 10 second left in the first half and the score tied at 7-7, Lake Brantley lined up for a 39-yard field goal into the wind that figured to have little chance of being made.

And as anticipated, the wind knocked the ball down and it fell short and wide to the right, ending the half.

But wait a minute, on the play a Seminole defender roughed the Patriot place kicker, giving Lake Brantley a chance at a chip shot, 28-yard field goal attempt.

One problem was the Patriot kicker, Ryan Berry, suffered a broken leg on the play, forcing Lake Brantley to go to second-string kicker James Oliver.

But Oliver never got to kick the ball as the snap from center sailed over everyone and rolled toward midfield.

The Patriots tried to fall on the ball, but it rolled free and Seminole's Brad Locke scooped up the loose ball at the 37 and ran untouched, 63-yards into the end zone for the go ahead touchdown.

Seminole second string kicker Matt Groover, who replaced Matt Nixon who suffered a knee injury while being roughed after the Tribe's first touchdown, booted through the extra point to give the Fighting Seminoles a 14-7 halftime advantage.

Lake Brantley would come back to tie the game at 14-14 and 21-21 in the second half, but the play seemed to give Seminole the momentum that

they never really lost. "You hate to see anyone get hurt," said Seminole head coach Jim Worthington. "It was a terrible thing. But you keep going hard play after play and sometimes you get fortunate."

The play gave us a big boost, we weren't moving the ball on offense and we put the ball on the ground a few times. But the defense kept fighting and kept us in the game and then that mistake turned out to be a blessing in disguise."

Seminole improved to 3-0 on the season and 3-0 in the Seminole Athletic Conference and in the process ended a five-game losing streak to the Patriots. Things don't get any easier for the Fighting Seminoles, ranked No. 10 in this week's FSWA Class 5A State Poll, as they travel to Daytona Beach's Municipal Stadium to take on No. 5 state-ranked Mainland in a crucial district game next Friday at 7:30 p.m.

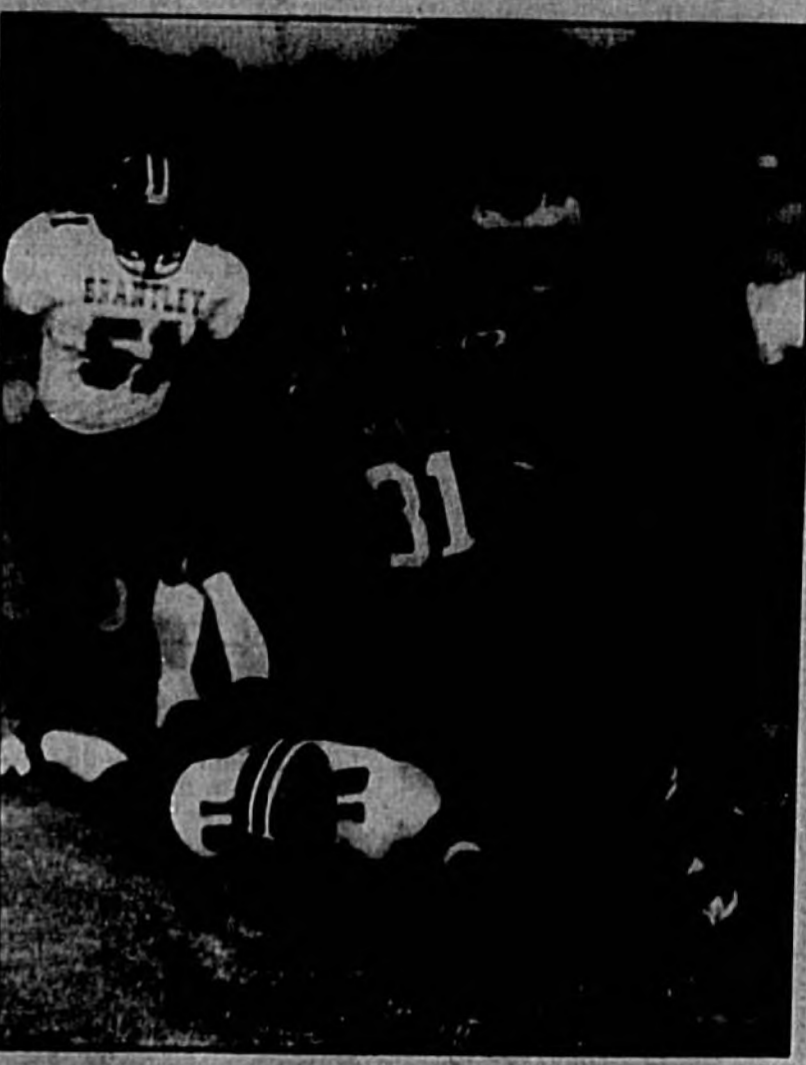
Lake Brantley fell to 2-1 overall and 2-1 in the SAC and also so its 11 game regular season winning streak come to an end. The Patriots will look to get back on the winning track and improve to 2-0 in district play when it travels to Orlando to take on University next Friday at 7:30 p.m.

The Patriots took an early lead on its first offensive possession.

After losing two yards on a running play and then getting hit with a procedure penalty, Randy Casey, who starred for the Seminole High freshman team two years ago before moving to Altamonte Springs, took a hand off from Bryan Smith and ran through a gaping hole all the way to the end zone, untouched, 79 yards away. Berry added the extra point and Lake Brantley led 7-0 with 6:21 left in the first quarter.

Seminole had an impressive drive going on its next series, moving from its own 35 to the Lake

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Should photo by Arch Smith
Seminole's Willie Bennett (No. 31) breaks around right end on his way to the game-winning touchdown in the Tribe's 28-21 victory over Lake Brantley in a battle of SAC unbeaten teams Friday night.



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Senior running back Charles Harris (No. 1, above) ran for a game-high 178 yards on 21 carries and scored a touchdown and the Lake Mary defense kept Winter Springs star running back Johnnie Blake (left) bottled up all night, holding the junior to 17 yards on 12 carries, as the Rams improved to 2-1 on the season with a 35-7 trouncing of the Bears in Seminole Athletic Conference football action at Don T. Reynolds Stadium Friday night.

Rams rumble past Bears

By Bill Rame
STAFF WRITER

LAKE MARY - This team is dangerous. Charles Harris gained 178 yards and Anthony Ballerino contributed 104 rushing yards as Lake Mary pounded Winter Springs 35-7 Friday at Don T. Reynolds Stadium in a Seminole Athletic Conference high school football contest.

It was Lake Mary's second consecutive blowout victory, carried by the same punishing defense that led the Rams (2-1) to last week's 27-7 routing of DeLand.

Before Winter Springs (0-3) touched the ball on offense, the Bears trailed 14-0. Harris riced 66 yards on Lake Mary's

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Oviedo rebounds, overwhelms Lake Howell

By Tony DeBernier
HERALD CORRESPONDENT

WINTER PARK - Blame it on Hurricane Floyd.

Mistakes abounded Friday night at Lake Howell High School's Richard L. Evans Field in the annual neighborhood pigskin get-together involving the Silver Hawks and visiting Oviedo Lions.

The Lions walked away winners, grinding out a 25-7 victory, largely because they made fewer mistakes than their hosts.

"Blame it on Floyd," said Oviedo coach Greg Register after watching his team win despite turning the ball over three times, committing six penalties for 55 yards, muffed one punt, nearly mishandled another, and squandered three possessions inside the Lake Howell 20-yard line.

"Missing two days of practice really set us back in preparing for tonight's game. We did come out and play physical football, but we were still fortunate to get a win. Lake Howell is always a well-coached team."

Even the best of coaching stints can do so much with a young and inexperienced team.

Compound that with two missed days of practice due to Floyd and the Silver Hawks were in an unenviable situation against the veteran (relatively speaking) Lions.

"We start five sophomores and a handful of seniors," said Lake Howell coach Mike Biacchia. "The rest of the starters are juniors, so yes, we are a young team. Going into an emotional game like tonight, some of our young guys got so wound up, they ended up making some very uncharacteristic mental mistakes."

Among those mistakes were four major penalties against the defense inside their own 20-yard line, a season's worth of bad snaps on punts (one resulting in a safety and another in a blocked punt), and three interceptions on offense.

"That's very uncharacteristic of how we like to play football," said Biacchia, stressing his displeasure with his team's sequence of personal fouls. "You tell them before the game that plays like that are unacceptable and it goes in one ear and out the other."

"We just haven't found our-

seives yet. We're still trying to find people and put them in the right place. For example, in the fourth quarter, we took Greg Ashworth, who played the entire game at linebacker, and put him in at fullback to see what he could do."

That's the key difference between this year's Lions and Silver Hawks. While Lake Howell struggles through this period of self-discovery, Oviedo pretty much has all its parts in place.

Senior quarterback Kenny Starling, who threw for over 300 yards against Lake Brantley the week before, completed 12 of 23 pass attempts for 155 yards against Lake Howell. He also scored a pair of touchdowns on two 1-yard dives.

Steve Aaby caught four passes for 72 yards, kicked a 27-yard field goal, punted twice for a 39-yard average, and had a rushing attempt for six yards. Clarence Walker led all rushers by carrying the ball six times for 51 yards. Alvin Hudson also scored a touchdown on a 1-yard run.

Tyrese Foster keyed the defense by intercepting a pair of passes. Sam Hughes also inter-

cepted a pass while Dan Wilde was credited with a recovered fumble. Rafael Brown blocked a punt for the Lions.

Ironically, Ashworth led the Silver Hawks in rushing, picking up 30 yards on his two carries. Aston Wilson added six carries for 39 yards and two receptions for 31 yards. Quarterback Josh Hancock connected on five of 18 pass attempts for 67 yards and rushed for 25 yards on eight carries.

Jason Phlegan contributed 58 yards on seven carries. Dustin Williams scored Lake Howell's only touchdown on a 10-yard pass from Hancock in the second quarter.

Oviedo (2-1 overall, 1-1 in the Seminole Athletic Conference) returns home next Friday to entertain the Lake Mary Rams in a game that figures in both the district and conference standings. Lake Howell (0-2, 0-1 SAC) visits Lynn for a conference and district game.

LIONS BE, SILVER HAWKS 7
Oviedo 18 6 7 0 7
Lake Howell 0 7 3 3 7
O - Aaby 27 FG
O - Foster had snap on punt

- O - Starling 1 run (Aaby kick)
Second Quarter
LN - D. Williams 10 pass from Hancock
Sixth Quarter
O - Wilson 1 run from failed
Third Quarter
O - Starling 1 run (Aaby kick)
Fourth Quarter
No scoring

TEAM STATISTICS
First Quarter - Oviedo 14; Lake Howell 0
Second Quarter - Oviedo 21-12; Lake Howell 0-12
Third Quarter - Oviedo 13-0; Lake Howell 0-10
Fourth Quarter - Oviedo 18; Lake Howell 0
Total Points - Oviedo 3-0; Lake Howell 0-1
Penalties - Oviedo 6-25; Lake Howell 10-4
Fumbles - Oviedo 2-40; Lake Howell 5-22

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
Oviedo: Oviedo Running 6-41; Lamm 5-25; Oviedo Passing 9-10; Starling 70; Aaby 1-6; Hunter 1-2; Lake Howell: Ashworth 5-25; Wilson 0-0; Phlegan 7-58; Hancock 0-0; J. Williams 4-15; Hudson 1-0
Lake Mary: Starling 13-23-1; 15th; Williams 0-0-0; Lake Howell: Hancock 5-15-37
Winter Springs: Aaby 6-72; Tomlinson 1-0; Baker 5-25; Peaslee 1-12; Nelson 1-0; Reynolds 1-0; Lake Howell: Hunter 1-0; Wilson 2-21; D. Williams 1-14; Peaslee 1-0
Mainland: Oviedo 2-70; 28-0; Lake Howell: McClain 2-14; 28-3

What's Up In The NFL..... Week No. 2

SANFORD - Welcome to Week Two of the football season folks, I have some explaining to do.

Last weekend was packed with surprises but none more shocking than the fact that my patented **LOCK OF THE WEEK** failed to materialize. The Arizona Cardinals won the game as promised, but failed to cover the two-point spread.

While I am apologizing for the near miss, I am in no way folding up tent. Historically the first weekend of the season has been my toughest.

Illustrating this point was a reader that called to remind me that two years ago, after missing in Week One, the Crystal Ball of Football rolled to victory 10 weeks in a row!

I'm saving space on the ship for all of you cowards that abandoned me so early. Come on home, I forgive you.

Let's take a quick look around Florida. The Dolphins looked strong against the Broncos, but as I correctly predict every year, they'll collapse. You cannot last an entire N.F.L. season with a fifty year old cry-baby quarterback.

The Jaguars are starting to win me over. They built this team from scratch with youth and hard work and this may be the year it all pays off.

It broke my heart to watch the brilliant performance of the Bucs defense squandered by another dismal Dilfer effort.

Dungy is continuing his mistake this week as he will allow him to start against Philly. Tampa Bay will not be considered contenders without a change at the top, but I'm not holding my breath. It has been obvious for the last three years that Dilfer should not be an N.F.L. quarterback.

This week promises to be difficult as well so

What's Up In The NFL



BRADY LESSARD

let's get right to the schedule and find some winners.

MIAMI (-9) VS. ARIZONA

The Dolphins will find it difficult to repeat last week's show, but the Cardinals were less than stellar against the Eagles. Look for Johnson to protect Marino in this non-Conference game. I'd love to see Arizona win this one to help my Bills, but I'm not sure they have the talent. **Dolphins 31, Cardinals 24.**

JACKSONVILLE (-10) AT CAROLINA

The Jaguars should have little trouble moving to 2-0 against the Panthers. I mean Panthers. Jacksonville looks to good to be beaten by a mediocre team and Carolina is no better than that. **Jaguars 38, Panthers 17.**

TAMPA BAY (-6) VS. PHILADELPHIA

I'll go with the Bucs in this one, but only because I'm counting on the defense to score some points. Philly showed some heart against the

Cardinals last week, but will have the wind knocked out of them by a vengeful defense. **Bucs 17, Eagles 14.**

GREEN BAY (-6) AT DETROIT

Favre better wake up. You're not supposed to let the Raiders come to your house and almost win. The Lions are still excited after being handed a gift against Seattle last week. Batch and Company will get a rude wake up call in this one. **Packers 31, Lions 13.**

NEW ENGLAND (-4) VS. INDIANAPOLIS

Peyton Manning led the Colts to a win last week, but the new Patriots await them at home. It seems to me that New England may be back to their old selves. They ripped the Jets before and after Testaverde left the game. This Division promises to be close all year. **Patriots 24, Colts 21.**

MINNESOTA (-11) VS. OAKLAND

The Cheaters spent everything they had last week against the Packers. The Vikings will get their offense rolling again at home, but need to straighten out some obvious problems on defense. **Vikings 28, Cheaters 10.**

PITTSBURGH (-2) AT BALTIMORE

This game doesn't warrant discussion. The Steelers are back, the Ravens were never there. **Steelers 27, Ravens 19.**

CINCINNATI (-1) VS. SAN DIEGO

Sanford native Jeff Blake is back in the driver's seat and has this squad playing good ball. I hope the Bengals have a great year and he gets the recognition he deserves. **Bengals 28, Chargers 17.**

NEW YORK GIANTS (-3) VS. WASHINGTON

Rams

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first play, and Haven Perkins capped the opening drive with a three yard touchdown run.

Eric Coleman recovered Lake Mary's on-sides kick, and four plays later quarterback Jason Hadley tossed a 19-yard pass to Eric Schmoock, providing the Rams with a two touchdown lead.

On the opening play of the second quarter, Harris ran 14 yards for a touchdown to give

Lake Mary a commanding 21-0 advantage.

The Rams forced Winter Springs into committing three turnovers in the game, as Joey Licata picked off two passes and Luke Lukasik recovered a fumble.

"I'm proud of the kids," said Lake Mary head coach Greg Stanton. They never quit. Defensively, we made big plays when we had to."

Licata's interceptions in the

fourth quarter kept the Bears from making a comeback. He was recovering from a pulled abdominal muscle.

"We thought about holding Licata out," Stanton said. "Thank goodness we didn't. He's fine. You've got to have one kid like that who will fight the good fight."

However, the Rams showed that they can be equally dangerous to themselves, as a pair of touchdowns were called back

because of penalties.

"Offensively, we weren't hitting on all cylinders," Stanton said. "I'm hoping we can be more consistent offensively. Defensively, we've got to stop the big plays."

Chauncey Hampton's 80-yard touchdown run late in the second quarter provided the lone Winter Springs score. Hampton finished with 104 yards rushing on just five carries.

They came out ready to play

and we didn't," said Winter Springs head coach Mick Harris. "You can't win if you only play the second half."

Lake Mary erased any suspense with 5:45 left in the game by taking a 28-7 lead. Hadley lateralled to Ballerino in the backfield, who tossed a 15 yard touchdown to Andy Britt.

Hadley completed five of his six pass attempts for 58 yards in the game.

Winter Springs was reeling from the absence of starting quarterback Marcus Wiggins. Wiggins was lost for the season during last week's loss to Mainland when he tore an anterior cruciate ligament in his knee. He attended the game on crutches after recovering from surgery on Thursday.

Star running back Johnnie Blake was held to 17 yards on 12 carries for the Bears.

"I'm proud of the kids," Stanton said. "They played hard. An ugly win is a good win."

Lake Mary will travel to Oviedo High School (2-1) next Friday for a 7:30 p.m. district and Seminole Athletic Conference contest. Stanton said he is still trying to find out how good the Rams can become.

"We can lose every game the rest of the season or we can get the title," Stanton said. "I have no idea."

Winter Springs will travel to Oviedo High School (2-1) next Friday for a 7:30 p.m. district contest.

RAMS VS. BEARS 7

Winter Springs 0-7-0 - 7
Lake Mary 14-7-0-7 - 28

First Quarter
LM - Perkins 3 run (kick blocked)
LM - Schmoock 19 pass from Hadley (block from Hadley)

Second Quarter
LM - Harris 14 run (Alvarez kick)
WS - Hampton 20 run (Schmoock kick)

Third Quarter
LM - Britt 15 pass from Ballerino (Alvarez kick)

TEAM STATISTICS
First Downs - Winter Springs 20; Lake Mary 14
Rushes-Yards - Winter Springs 28-102; Lake Mary 28-204
Passing - Winter Springs 1-4-2; Lake Mary 6-7-0
Penalty yards - Winter Springs 2; Lake Mary 7
First Downs - Winter Springs 6-1; Lake Mary 2-1
Penalty yards - Winter Springs 7-0; Lake Mary 7-0
Points-Conversion - Winter Springs 2-20.5; Lake Mary 1-81.6

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
Winter Springs: Hampton 5-104; Alford 1-17; Baker 13-17; Brown 6-14; Frederick 5-20; Lake Mary: Harris 21-178; Ballerino 17-102; Perkins 4-14; Leavy 6-14; Potts 5-20; Hadley 5-20

Winter Springs: Alford 1-4-2; 7; Lake Mary: Hadley 6-7-0, 28; Ballerino 1-1-0, 15

Winter Springs: Green 1-7; Lake Mary: Leavy 5-25; Guzman 5-13; Ballerino 1-15; Britt 1-15

Winter Springs: Green 5-61; Lake Mary: Alford 1-81

Winter Springs: 0-0 overall, 0-1 in SAC; Lake Mary: 2-1 overall, 1-1 in SAC

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Briefs

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John Gabriel has announced that the team has waived guard Tim Legler.

Legler came to Orlando as part of a five-player trade, where the Magic sent Isaac Austin to Washington on August 11.

He appeared in 30 games during the 1998-99 season for the Wizards, averaging 4.0 points in 12.6 minutes per game. Legler was also 14-of-25 (.560) from behind the three-point arc.

Legler, 28, has played in 267 games during his nine-year NBA career with Phoenix, Denver, Dallas, Utah, Golden State and Washington. He has averaged 7.9 points per game and shot 38.5-of-65.3 (.438) from three-point land during his NBA career.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO. 97-2426-A-14-A
MANUFACTURERS TRADERS & TRUST COMPANY, Plaintiff,
vs.
NORRIS WALKER, Defendant.

AMENDED NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the Order Resolving Foreclosure Sale and Amending Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated September 3, 1999, entered in Civil Case Number 97-2426-A-14-A of the Circuit Court of the Eighteenth Judicial Circuit, in and for Seminole County, Florida, on the 8th day of October, 1999, at 11:00 A.M., at the Seminole County Courthouse, 301 North Park Avenue, Sanford, Florida 32771, the undersigned Clerk will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder or bidders, for cash, the following described real property:

LOT 27 AND THE NORTH 1/2 OF LOT 25, SANFO PARK, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 5, PAGE 82, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

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Dated this 7th day of September, 1999.

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MARYANNE MORSE
Clerk of the Court
By: Jane E. Jasevic
Deputy Clerk

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 18TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO. 98-08-CA-14-B
BANK UNITED, formerly known as Bank United of Texas, P.B., Plaintiff,
vs.
BARRY ABRAHAM, AS TRUSTEE OF THE 103 ANDRESON LAND TRUST, ARKA TRUST NUMBER 103, et al., Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order or Final Judgment entered in Case No. 98-08-CA-14-B of the Circuit Court of the 18th Judicial Circuit in and for Seminole County, Florida, wherein BANK UNITED, formerly known as Bank United of Texas, P.B., Plaintiff, and BARRY ABRAHAM, AS TRUSTEE OF THE 103 ANDRESON LAND TRUST, ARKA TRUST NUMBER 103, et al., are defendants, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at the West Front Door of the Seminole County Courthouse, Sanford, Florida, at the hour of 11:00 a.m., on the 19th day of October, 1999, the following described property:

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DATED this 16th day of SEPTEMBER, 1999.

MARYANNE MORSE
Clerk Circuit Court
By: Deborah Conant
Deputy Clerk

ROGER D. BEAR, P.A.
P.O. Box 4990
Orlando, FL 32802
Attorneys for Plaintiff

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by Luis Campos

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 18TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
GENERAL JURISDICTION DIVISION
CASE NO. 98-1223-CA-14-W
GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff,
vs.
DAMON A. DANTE, residence unknown, not known to be dead or alive, and if dead, the unknown spouse, heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, lessors, creditors, trustees, or other claimants by, through, under or against Damon A. Dante, and all parties having or claiming to have any right, title or interest in the property described; J. GUADALUPE NUÑEZ MOYA; THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, and THE STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order or Final Judgment entered in Case No. 98-1223-CA-14-W of the Circuit Court of the 18th Judicial Circuit in and for Seminole County, Florida, wherein GMAC Mortgage Corporation is Plaintiff, and DAMON A. DANTE, residence unknown, not known to be dead or alive, and if dead, the unknown spouse, heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, lessors, creditors, trustees, or other claimants by, through, under or against Damon A. Dante, and all parties having or claiming to have any right, title or interest in the property described; J. GUADALUPE NUÑEZ MOYA; THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; and THE STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, are Defendants.

I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, Home Bank, the east half of the west front door of the Seminole County Courthouse, 301 N. Park Ave., Sanford, Florida at 11:00 a.m., on the 19th day of October, 1999, the following described property as set forth in the Final Judgment to wit:

LOT 2, BLOCK 12, TIER 8, FLORIDA LAND AND COLONIZATION COMPANY LIMITED, E.R. TRAFFORD'S MAP OF THE TOWN OF SANFORD AND THE NORTH 1/2 OF UNDATED ALLEY ADJACENT ON SOUTH ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 11, PAGES 58 THROUGH 64 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.
In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact the individual or agency sending notice, not later than seven (7) days prior to the proceeding at the address given on the notice. Telephone 1-800-955-8771 (TDD) or 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.
DATED this 16th day of SEPTEMBER, 1999.
MARYANNE MORSE, CLERK
By: Deborah Conant
Deputy Clerk
Attorney for Plaintiff:
James W. Moore, P.A.
700 NE 90th St., Suite B
Miami, FL 33138
(305) 759-7800
Public: September 19, 26, 1999, DEQ-184

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF LAND USE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Lake Mary City Commission will hold a public hearing to discuss a small scale amendment to the City's Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use Map. This meeting will be held September 23, 1999 at Lake Mary City Hall, 100 North Country Club Road, Lake Mary, Florida at 7:30 P.M.
The property to be considered for this amendment is approximately 1.704 acres in size. The applicant is requesting a change in future land use designation from Low Density Residential to Low/Medium Density Residential. The property is generally described as:

LEGAL DESCRIPTION
From the Southwest corner of Section 5, Township 30 South, Range 30 East, Seminole County, Florida; N89°37'12"E, along the South line of said Section 5, a distance of 2193.12 feet; thence run N00°12'40"W, 1228.99 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence run S01°31'29"W, 25.0 feet; thence run N89°47'20"E, 214.12 feet; thence run South 185 feet; thence run S89°47'20"W, 418.51 feet to the Point of Beginning.

TOGETHER with an Easement of Ingress and Egress over the South 20 feet of the West 1715.94 feet of Section 5, Township 30 South, Range 30 East, and also lying 10 feet each side of the following described centerline: From the Southwest corner of said Section 5, to N89°37'12"E, along the South line of said Section 5, a distance of 1725.94 feet to a Point of Beginning; thence run N00°35'57"E, 1761.30 feet; thence run N52°39'56"E, 101.36 feet; thence run N34°20'48"E, 147.54 feet; thence run N89°47'20"E, 267.91 feet and end of centerline.

AND also from said end of centerline description run S00°12'40"E, 10.00 feet; thence run S89°47'20"W, 311.44 feet to a Point of Beginning; thence continue S89°47'20"W, 45.00 feet; thence run S20°04'12"E, 45.00 feet; thence run N40°51'34"E, 99.13 feet to the Point of Beginning.

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 THE CITY MAKES A TAPED RECORD OF THIS MEETING 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. Foster
City Clerk
DATED: September 16, 1999
PUBLISHED: September 19, 1999
DEQ-179

Legal Notices

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 18TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA
IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY
GENERAL JURISDICTION DIVISION
CASE NO. 98-1207-CA-14-P
NORTH AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff,
vs.
GERALD BUTLER and DANA C. BUTLER, et al., Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to that Final Judgment of Foreclosure, dated September 10, 1999, and entered in civil case number 98-1207-CA-14-P, of the Circuit Court of the 18th Judicial Circuit in and for Seminole County, Florida, wherein NORTH AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY, is Plaintiff and GERALD BUTLER, DANA C. BUTLER, AMERICAN GENERAL HOME EQUITY, INC., ALTAMONTE HEIGHTS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC., is/are Defendant(s), I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the west front door of the Seminole County Courthouse in Sanford, Seminole County, Florida, at 11:00 A.M. on the 19th day of October, 1999, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

UNIT 25, ALTAMONTE HEIGHTS, A CONDOMINIUM, AND AN UNDIVIDED INTEREST IN THE COMMON ELEMENTS APPURTENANT THERETO, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DECLARATION OF CONDOMINIUM FILED FEBRUARY 14, 1979 IN OFFICIAL RECORDS BOOK 1209, PAGES 1708 THROUGH 1730, PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

NOTE: PURSUANT TO THE FAREST COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT YOU ARE ADVISED THAT THIS LAW FIRM IS DEEMED TO BE A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

DATED this 16th day of SEPTEMBER, 1999.
MARYANNE MORSE
Clerk of Circuit Court
By Deborah Conant
Deputy Clerk
COOLIS & STAWIARSKI
4010 Boy Scout Boulevard
Suite 450
Tampa, Florida 33607
Telephone: (813) 877-8008
Public: September 19, 26, 1999
DEQ-185

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 18TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
GENERAL JURISDICTION DIVISION
CASE NO. 97-1995-CA-14-E
NORWEST MORTGAGE, INC., A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION
FNUA NORWEST MORTGAGE, INC., A MINNESOTA CORPORATION
PLAINTIFF,
vs.
FRANK S. WALES, III, IF LIVING, AND IF DEAD, THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENSORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST FRANK S. WALES, III, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; JOHN DOE AND JANE DOE AS UNKNOWN TENANTS IN POSSESSION
DEFENDANT(S).

RE-NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order Granting the Motion to Revest Foreclosure Sale dated September 3, 1999, entered in Civil Case No. 97-1995-CA-14-E of the Circuit Court of the 18th Judicial Circuit in and for Seminole County, Florida. I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash AT THE WEST FRONT DOOR OF THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COURTHOUSE IN SANFORD, FLORIDA, at 11:00 a.m. on the 8th day of October, 1999, the following described property as set forth in the Summary Final Judgment, to-wit:

LOT 19, PARKER SUBDIVISION, AN UNRECORDED SUBDIVISION MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:
BEGIN AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTH 210.85 FEET OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 31 EAST, THENCE RUN SOUTH 89 DEGREES 44 MINUTES 58 SECONDS EAST 801.88 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE EAST 80 FEET OF THE NORTH 210.85 FEET OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 19, BEING THE P.C. OF A CURVE CONCAVE NORTHEASTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 297.73 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 89 DEGREES 28 MINUTES 49 SECONDS, 27 DEGREES 18 MINUTES 27 SECONDS, 123.71 FEET THENCE RUN RADIAL TO SAID CURVE SOUTH 87 DEGREES 02 MINUTES 06 SECONDS WEST 80.02 FEET, THENCE RUN SOUTH 44 DEGREES 20 MINUTES 32 SECONDS WEST 180 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 73 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 49 SECONDS WEST 332.55 FEET TO A POINT OF BEGINNING.

THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 19, BEING THE P.C. OF A CURVE CONCAVE NORTHEASTERLY HAVING A RADIUS OF 297.73 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 89 DEGREES 28 MINUTES 49 SECONDS, 27 DEGREES 18 MINUTES 27 SECONDS, 123.71 FEET THENCE RUN RADIAL TO SAID CURVE SOUTH 87 DEGREES 02 MINUTES 06 SECONDS WEST 80.02 FEET, THENCE RUN SOUTH 44 DEGREES 20 MINUTES 32 SECONDS WEST 180 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 73 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 49 SECONDS WEST 332.55 FEET TO A POINT OF BEGINNING.
DATED this 7th day of September, 1999.

(CIRCUIT COURT SEAL)
MARYANNE MORSE
Clerk of the Circuit Court
By: Jane E. Jasevic
Deputy Clerk
DAVID J. STERN, P.A.
801 S. UNIVERSITY DRIVE
SUITE 809
PLANTATION, FL 33324
(954) 233-9000
97-14586

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, persons with disabilities needing a special accommodation should contact COURT ADMINISTRATION, at the SEMINOLE COUNTY Courthouse at 407-323-4330, 1-800-955-8771 (TDD) or 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.
Public: September 12, 19, 1999, DEQ-109

Legal Notices

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO. 98-3418-DR-02-K
MARIA ISABEL ELIAS, Petitioner,
AND
MIGUEL F. CHIRICHIGNO, Respondent.

NOTICE OF ACTION
YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to me at MARIA ISABEL ELIAS whose address is 217 CAMBRIDGE DR., LONGWOOD, FL 32779 on or before OCTOBER 5, 1999, and file the original with the Clerk of the Court at P.O. BOX 818, SANFORD, FL 32772-0819 before service on Petitioner or immediately thereafter. If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

Copies of all court documents in this case, including orders, are available at the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office. You may review these documents upon request.
You must keep the Clerk of the Circuit Court's Office notified of your current address you may file Notice of Current Address, Florida Family Form 12.918. Future papers in this lawsuit will be mailed to the address on record at the clerk's office.
WARNING: Rule 12.285, Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure, requires certain automatic disclosure of documents and information. Failure to comply can result in sanctions, including dismissal or striking of pleadings.
DATED: AUGUST 31, 1999
MARYANNE MORSE
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
By: Nancy R. Winter
Deputy Clerk
Public: September 5, 12, 19, 26, 1999
DEQ-54

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 18TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
GENERAL JURISDICTION DIVISION
CASE NO. 97-1995-CA-14-E
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO. 98-09-3889-02-0
DANAS MEJIA, Petitioner
and
CHRISTINA MEJIA, Respondent

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE
TO: CHRISTINA MEJIA
1187 Highway A
Clermont, FL 32707
YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to me at DANAS MEJIA whose address is, 13212 Groveview Way, Sanford, FL 32773, on or before OCTOBER 5, 1999, and file the original with the Clerk of the Court at P.O. BOX 818, SANFORD, FL 32772-0819 before service on Petitioner or immediately thereafter. If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

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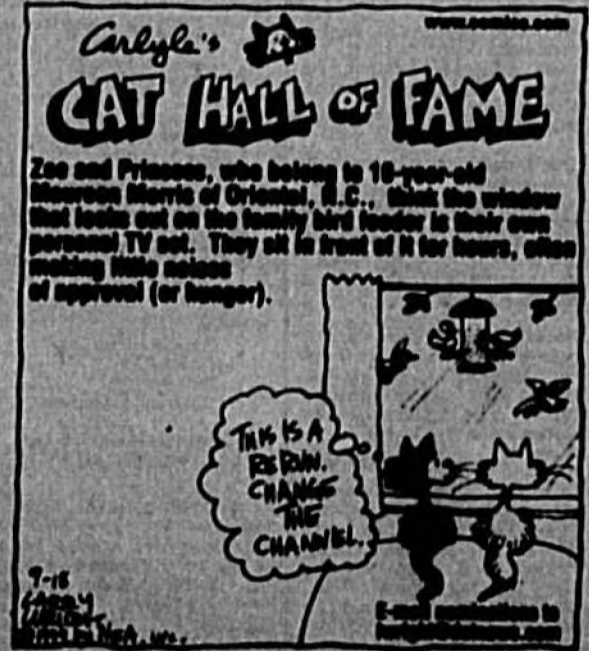
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6. THE HUNGRY OCEAN, by Linda Greenlaw. (Hyperion, \$22.95.) A sea captain's account of her 30-day swordfishing voyage off the Northeast coast.
7. ETHICS FOR THE NEW MILLENNIUM, by the Dalai Lama. (Riverhead, \$24.95.) The ethical system Buddhism offers us for the present and the future.
8. BILL AND HILLARY, by Christopher Andersen. (Morrow, \$27.95.) A journalist's account of the marriage of the President and the First Lady.
9. CONVERSATIONS WITH GOD: Book 1, by Neale Donald Walsch. (Putnam, \$19.95.) The author addresses questions of good and evil, guilt and sin.
10. SHADOW, by Bob Woodward. (Simon & Schuster, \$27.95.) How the Watergate scandal affected the Administrations of Richard Nixon's five successors.

By Bill Kerna
Staff Writer

SANFORD — When the Soap Derby Rally is held in Sanford on Oct. 24, a reigning world champion will be among the competitors.

This summer, 12-year-old Justin Pillow advanced from a qualifying derby in Sanford to become Florida's first world champion in the 62-year history of the All-American Soap Box Derby in Akron, Ohio.

Now entering his second season of soap box derby racing, Justin is seeking to pick up points in the Sanford rally toward advancing for a second consecutive world championship at Akron in July.

Justin, a seventh grade student at St. Peter's Catholic School in DeLand, won the stock division in Akron in July. Now, he is hoping to pick up points in his run at a second consecutive championship.

"When I won I was in shock," Justin said. "I had backing from my family, and I was really happy."

The Sanford rally race in October is part of a program of races held along the east coast.

With enough rally points, a driver qualifies for a position in Akron.

Justin won the right to compete in Akron's July race by finishing first in the stock division of the Sanford race. The city of Sanford donated \$500 for expenses and transported Justin's car to Akron.

For winning the stock division world championship in Akron, Justin took home a \$5,500 scholarship, a four-foot tall trophy, a championship ring, two jackets, five ribbons for each heat that he won, and an All-American Soap Box Derby clock.

Justin will enter the Sanford rally with a new

**Built
for
Speed**

car from his sponsor, All Quality Products in DeLand. Justin estimates that he has spent more than 100 hours working on the car, along with his father Keith Pillow, coach Scott Giroux, and Ron Herman, owner of All Quality Products.

"I don't know how it runs yet," Justin said.

"Hopefully I'll win."

When not preparing for soap box races or doing home-

work, Justin said he enjoys swimming, fishing, driving go-carts, and playing sports.

Until catching the racing bug, Justin said he wanted to be a doctor. Now, he wants to be a NASCAR race-car driver.

"But my mom wants me to be a doctor," Justin said.

Justin is already part of racing history, with his car at the Soap Box Derby Hall of Fame in Akron.

Now, Justin is hoping to add to his legacy by win-



Justin Pillow races to a world championship in the All-American Soap Box Derby.

ning in Akron a second time.

"I probably have a good chance if I get to go up there," Justin said.

Teresa Pillow, Justin's mom, said her son's dream year of racing this past season began when her son's name was drawn by a newspaper to drive a car in the Central Florida derby in Sanford.

"He came in fourth (overall) out of 22 kids," his mom said. "He had never driven a car before. We were hooked."

The best Justin's family was hoping for in Akron was to win a trophy, give to the top nine competitors, Pillow said.

"It was a dream come true," Pillow said. "We were on Cloud Nine."

Pillow thinks some good fortune may have played a role in Justin's victory in Akron. The track had recently been resurfaced, taking away the advantage held by local racers from the Akron who know the track.

"Usually Akron kids steal the show," Pillow said.

In addition, Justin was given the number 316, a number his mom thinks is lucky.

"Luck follows the number 316," Pillow said. "You look at John 3:16, and there's something about the number that is very good."



Justin celebrates his championship with his father Keith, mother Teresa, coach Scott Giroux and sister Danielle.

No time to sleep

Courtney Newman sets high goals for herself

By Bill Kerna
Staff Writer

SANFORD - It's a wonder Courtney Newman has time to be a teenager.

Courtney, 17, is a senior three-sport athlete who carries a Grade Point Average of 3.97 at Seminole High School. While not practicing for volleyball, track and soccer, Courtney is also President of the Student Council.

"I don't get a lot of sleep," Courtney said.

Indeed, Courtney is also co-chair of the Student Advisory Council, treasurer for the National Honor Society, and was named a Disney Dreamer and Doer last year.

Perhaps Courtney's drive comes from her genes. Her father, Willie Newman is an obstetrician and a gynecologist, while her mother Joetta Newman is a medical doctor. She is the oldest of three children.

"Everyone in my family is really down to earth," Courtney said. "But, we do have some debates at the dinner table."

So, what does a busy student-athlete do for fun?

"I enjoy taking pictures and making little collages out of them," Courtney said. "I'm embarrassed to say I sometimes watch cartoons when I come

home. I feel bad, but I have to have a little fun."

In addition, Courtney enjoys going out to movies and playing miniature golf.

"And I like bowling, even though I'm bad at it," Courtney said. "I also enjoy games where there's a lot of competition, like table hockey. At least, I try to play table hockey."

Last year, Courtney went the beach for the first time with her friend Brooke Hall. Brooke and Dominique Brown are her best friends.

"Brooke is the one who helps me when I need help," Courtney said. "Dominique is like a sister to me."

We both want to go to Stanford, and we have the same friends."

However, Courtney's weekends are usually taken up by practices, homework, and other school activities.

"I haven't had fun in a long time," Courtney said.

"Most of my weekends, I'm too tired."

Born in Dallas, Texas, Courtney moved to

can fit in."

Courtney said she will study either physical therapy or psychiatry in college.

Meet Courtney Newman

Grade: 12
School: Seminole High School
Age: 17
GPA: 3.972
School activities: Student Body President, Co-Chair of the Student Advisory Council, Treasurer of the National Honor Society.
Sports: Volleyball, track and soccer.
Favorite class: Leadership skills with Jane Egan.
Plans after high school: Attend Stanford University, Palo Alto, Calif.
Hobbies: Going to movies, bowling, shopping.

She became interested in physical therapy while job shadowing for a class in Seminole's Health Academy magnet program.

"I enjoy medicine and helping people, but I don't like gross things," Courtney said. "I also took a Psych class last year, and a got so excited about it."

Out of the three sports she plays, Courtney said the volleyball team has the best chance to win the district title.

"We're going to win districts (in volleyball), I just know it," Courtney said. "In soccer, we always have fun and we'll be competitive. I track, we have a lot of really fast underclassmen who may qualify for the state (tournament). I'm getting old."



Tommy Vincent's Faces Around Seminole County



Sheirce Westy knows a good smile when she sees one because she is the group leader at Eckerd's 1-hour photo lab in Seminole Centre Plaza.



Forget this walking the dog stuff! From now on Fido is going to cruise around the block on his own. This particular pooch was waiting for its master to return from doing business in the Seminole Plaza Shopping Center.



Seminole County Sheriff Don Esslinger, left, and Ken Roberts, director of public safety for Seminole County, discuss emergency preparations during Hurricane Floyd.



Visitors at the Sanford Senior Center know they'll see the friendly face of Dee Capucille greeting them as they arrive for their activities. Dee is a secretary for the center.

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Mental patients don't deserve society's negative stereotypes

DEAR ABBY: I am the director of a rehabilitation program for the chronically mentally ill. From time to time, I notice that you print letters that deal with stereotypes and negative attitudes society often holds toward certain groups. I wonder if you might print a similar letter on behalf of people who have a mental illness. One of the foremost issues facing this group is the negative prejudice that society holds against them.

I asked our group of patients to provide suggestions on how to treat a person who has a mental illness. Some of their ideas:

1. Don't be afraid of us. Despite what you see on TV and in the movies, studies have shown that the mentally ill population does not have a greater propensity toward violence than anyone else.
2. Please avoid negative stereotypical words such as "psycho," "nuts," "schizo," "loonies," etc. The emotional pain these dehumanizing words inflict upon us hurts worse than our illness does.
3. Give us a job opportunity. Abraham Lincoln and Winston Churchill, both of whom experienced mental illness, held two of the most important jobs in history. Many of us are intelligent and long for the chance to be productive members of society.
4. Please don't tell us that if we just tried harder we could "snap out of it." This insults our intelligence and implies that we are lazy. There is nothing fun or positive about having a mental illness and none of us choose to have it.
5. Be patient when you notice we are having a difficult time. It is OK to ask us if we need help.
6. Don't ask if we have taken our medication when we are angry, sad or irritable. These questions make us feel like we don't have the right to experience normal human emotions without being viewed as having an "episode."
7. Treat us like you would treat anyone else. We have a need for acceptance, just as you do. Most of us lead quite normal lives complete with families, children, employment and financial responsibilities.

Abby, with the help of recent medications and psychotherapy interventions, the treatment of mental illness has made tremendous strides in the last 10 years. Unfortunately, the prejudice against this group remains one of the most painful aspects of the disease.

MIKE ASHWORTH, Ph.D.,

ADVICE
COLUMNIST

Dear
Abby



ARLINGTON, TEXAS

DEAR DR. ASHWORTH: You have written a very important letter. There is a lot of ignorance and misunderstanding about mental illness. Some mental illnesses can be managed effectively with therapy and medication. Others can be cured entirely. People coping with mental illness have enough complicated challenges to overcome without having to deal with the irrational fears of the supposedly "normal."

Let's face it — there are few among us who don't have a few "kinks" here or there.

DEAR ABBY: I need help. My neighbor likes to water his lawn using my garden hose and my water. My husband and I do not wish to have a fight over it since we have to live next door to him. Aside from installing a sprinkler system, do you have any suggestions on how to handle this?

When we see him, he pretends that he's watering our flowers — but he's really watering his lawn.

ANONYMOUS IN NEW JERSEY

DEAR ANONYMOUS: When you're finished watering your lawn, put the hose away in a locked shed or garage. Or consider installing a locking device on the handle of the spigot, making it more difficult for your shameless neighbor to tap into your water supply.

DEAR ABBY: Regarding the letter you've printed concerning displaying the American flag, I bet no one can top this:

I live in a new duplex-condo community. Our association bylaws forbid any permanent structures of any kind on our front lawns. All the condos are exactly alike — boring — and this is meant to preserve uniformity.

An 80-year-old retired Army colonel, a veteran of World War II, who walks with a cane due to an injury sustained during the war, recently moved into our neighborhood. He and his seriously ill wife had always flown the flag — so he promptly installed a flagpole of the proper size and proudly raised one.

He and his wife would sit in their front yard on summer evenings, and strollers would stop by to visit them and each other. It was a lovely time.

However, not everyone socialized or appreciated his patriotism. More than half the residents deemed the flag "tacky" or inappropriate. An association meeting was held at which the colonel's flag was discussed and voted on by the board. The colonel had prepared a stirring statement concerning what the flag meant to him, mentioning his war experiences. Would you believe the board voted 5-to-3 against him? The old guy was defeated!

The story has a semi-happy ending: The colonel agreed that whoever was willing to do it could come over and remove the flagpole, which had been set in concrete. Abby, no one had the nerve — and his flag still flies year-round. He still sits and visits with his friends on summer evenings; his wife died three months ago.

P.H. IN GODFREY, ILL.

DEAR P.H.: I salute the colonel and his devotion to the symbol of our nation. It is sad that more than half his neighbors are not similarly moved.

DEAR ABBY: I am responding to the letter from "Debbie in Memphis," who said her husband had an affair and ended it. She and her husband are sharing the same house while saving the money to get a divorce, but the other woman continues to call the house frequently.

Abby, Debbie can get "call blocking" for a small service fee. When the other woman calls, she will get a busy signal. This may not be a long-term solution, but perhaps it would tide her over until she can get the divorce and move.

BEN THERE IN CALIFORNIA

DEAR BEN THERE: Thanks for a good idea. Why didn't I think of that?

People

DAR portrays 'Twelve Signers of Our Constitution'

DORIS DIETRICH



Senior Editor

Sallie Harrison Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution is celebrating Constitution Week this week which was officially proclaimed by Mayor Larry Dale.

At the September meeting members of the executive board presented a program, "Twelve Signers of Our Constitution," featuring Regent Betty Bridgwater as the mistress of ceremonies. Last year, the first eight signers were presented.

According to Virginia Powell, these men gathered in Philadelphia from May to September 1787 and are remembered for their dedication in creating a Constitution which established the rights, privileges and responsibilities of American citizenship. Powell added that on the appointed day, May 14, 1787, only two states were represented. There was little anxiety over travel, she said, since it took George Washington five days to travel from northern Virginia.

Regent Bridgwater presided over the business meeting which was held at the Marina Hotel followed by luncheon. She welcomed members and guests and introduced the following guests: Sharon Gates, Cora Rice, Cynthia Pitecock and Paul Erdman.

Nancy Williams, registrar, announced two new members, Gail Clover and her mother, Barbara Dunn. Mary Williams, pianist, provided background music during the luncheon.

Ways and Means Chairman Fran Morton brought a surprise package which was



In honor of Constitution Week, proclaimed by Mayor Larry Dale, the executive board of Sallie Harrison Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, presented a skit at the September meeting. Portraying four of the 12 Constitution signers are (from left): Nancy Williams, Mary Little, Mary Williams and Vanra Decker



Kimmie Louwsma...Rockette

raffled off. Claire O'Connor won the package which was a wire basket.

A rededication ceremony will be held at Touhy Park Sept. 29, at 10:00 a.m.

The C.A.R. (Children of the American Revolution) will hold a membership drive at 2:30 p.m., Sept. 26, at the home of Mary Jane Duryea. The C.A.R. is the oldest patriotic organization for youths in the United States. Guests are welcome to attend the meeting.

For information, call Betty Bridgwater, 886-3311, or Elisabeth Boyd, 322-7350.

SHE'S A ROCKETTE

Congratulations are in order to Kimmie Louwsma who has been selected to dance for the 1999 Radio City Music Hall Rockette Christmas show.

Auditions were held all over the country and Kim-

mie auditioned in Orlando and just recently in New York where she also attended two Broadway shows. Next month she will travel to Myrtle Beach, S.C. where she will learn the Rockette routine. In November, Kimmie will head to New Mexico for the 2 month Christmas Rockette Spectacular.

Many of Kimmie's friends are planning a trip to see the show in support of her.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Dorothy and Robert (Dottie and Bob) Karns are both September birthday celebrants...so happy birthday to the couple who enjoyed so much popularity when they made their home in Sanford for so many years.

Dottie's birthday was on Sept. 14 and Bob was born on Sept. 1. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Feb. 8, 1997. Bob was in the insurance busi-

ness in Sanford for a number of years and both were active in civic, social and church circles. Dottie is a former president of the Sanford Woman's Club.

They are making their home in John Knox Village, Orange City.

SHIRLEY RETIRING

Shirley Edlyvean, who began her career as an employee of the First United Methodist Church on March 8, 1998, will retire as the church financial secretary effective Sept. 30.

According to Scott Moser, chairman of the Staff Parish Relations Committee, "Shirley has given the church and its members a great deal of effort, professionalism, energy and love through these years."

Fortunately, Shirley is not leaving the church and will be honored at a reception immediately following

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Melton receives master's degree in public health

Congratulations to James E. Melton Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Melton Sr. The younger Melton recently received his master of public health degree from the Institute of Public Health, College of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences at Florida A&M University in Tallahassee. His research presentation was "The Developing Toxicology Curriculum for Communities."

Melton, a dedicated student, has pursued his life's desires, beginning with his undergraduate degrees in biological science and social work, which he received from Florida State



James E. Melton Jr.

MARVA HAWKINS



Neighbors

Correspondent

University in 1997. He completed his internship work for his undergraduate degree by working with HIV/AIDS patients and Big Bend Care. Melton did his graduate work at the MSW Multidisciplinary Center for Testing and Psychological Evaluation, as well as an internship through the Eastern Research Group, which is associated with the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry in Atlanta.

Melton recently visited with his parents. He plans to relocate to Chicago, where he will pursue advanced graduate studies in Environmental Health at the University of Illinois.

Melton says he will keep his spirit open to the voice of God, so that he will do God's will and accomplish His purpose, while



Over 200 supporters attended open house of the Bethel Book and Bible Center. Participating are (from left): the

Rev. William Lewis, the Rev. Viola Graham and Deacon Roy Hooks.

keeping His ministry alive.

All of us — from his father, James Sr.; mother, Ertha; and siblings, Rene, Syberina and Bruce; to his extended family members and many friends — wish him much success.

All of the Crooms Academy classes from the 1950s will have a Reunion Celebration in the near future. There will be a planning meeting for the reunion on

Saturday, Oct. 2 at 9:30 a.m. at the St. Paul Baptist Church on 9th Street and Pine Avenue. All members of the classes of 1950 through 1959 are invited to attend. If you have questions, call Richard Evans, the chairman of the reunion, at 323-1803 for more information.

An Octoberfest is planned for Saturday, Oct. 16 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Coastline Park on West

9th Street.

This fun day in the park will feature events for the family to enjoy — from vendors, entertainment, and games to arts and crafts, prizes, and health screenings. Admission is free.

If you would like to be one of the vendors, call 323-7722 or 322-5418.

For those who would like to provide entertainment, call Sylvia Bodison at 322-6570 or

Janet Summons at 322-3321.

The Octoberfest will provide much needed assistance for the indigent elderly and disabled persons who are in need of care. This assistance is provided without regards to race, color, creed, religious belief, national origin or ability to pay.

The Concerned Citizens Committee is planning the Octoberfest, and proceeds will

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benefit the Good Samaritan Home Residents. This is a community effort for all of Sanford and Seminole County to support.

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Happy Birthday wishes go out to Natherine Benthly, Marie Tillman, Rosalind Tillman, Cammy Wright, LeLonie Tillman, Cynthia Tillman, Mary Gibson, Anita Hawkins and Carolyn Butler.

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An Open House was held Saturday, Sept. 11 for the new kid on the block!

Sanford is now has a new store called Bethel Book and Bible Center, located at 818 S. Sanford Ave. The phone number is 321-3228.

This store, the vision of Pastor William Lewis of the New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church family, has become a reality after six months of planning and prayer.

The Rev. Viola Graham, associate of New Bethel, is the store manager, along with Deacon

Roy Hooke.

More than 200 patrons witnessed and enjoyed the Open House, with television station WTLN and WHIM Radio 1520 AM Christian Heritage.

Pastor Lewis and the Rev. Viola Graham invite the community to come in and purchase their Christian tapes, CDs, books, Bibles and many other religious materials and Christian articles. If its not in stock, they can order it for you and receive it in two days.

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The Appreciation and Love program held in honor of Sanford's Rev. Leo Myers was a success. Those people who would still like to contribute to the appreciation program may send their donations to the Rev. Leo Myers in care of New Bethel Baptist Church, P.O. Box 854, Sanford, FL 32772. The Rev. Myers is remembered as a dynamic Christian leader, pastor and musician in the Central Florida area.

Junior Scouts learn about the arts

MARY ROWELL



Lake Mary

Correspondent

Each year, Senior Girl Scout Troop 148, holds monthly workshops for younger Girl Scouts in their Service Unit. The first workshop of the school year was held Monday, Sept. 13 at 6:30 p.m. at the Community Building in Lake Mary. The workshop was the Junior Badge "Arts and Media".

The "Arts and Media" Badge is designed to introduce Junior Girl Scouts to various forms of art. During the workshop, girls were asked to talk about their favorite kind of music and then to write a song.

The girls learned about printmaking. They took half a potato, drew a design on the potato and then carved the design out with a plastic knife. After their designs were perfected, the girls dipped their potato designs in red or blue paint and printed them on plain paper. The designs the girls came up with included stars, flowers, hearts, footprints and musical notes.

Jewelry comes in many shapes and forms. The Juniors learned about simple jewelry at the workshop by making knotted bracelets. To make the bracelets, the girls used four different colors of embroidery floss and a pony bead.

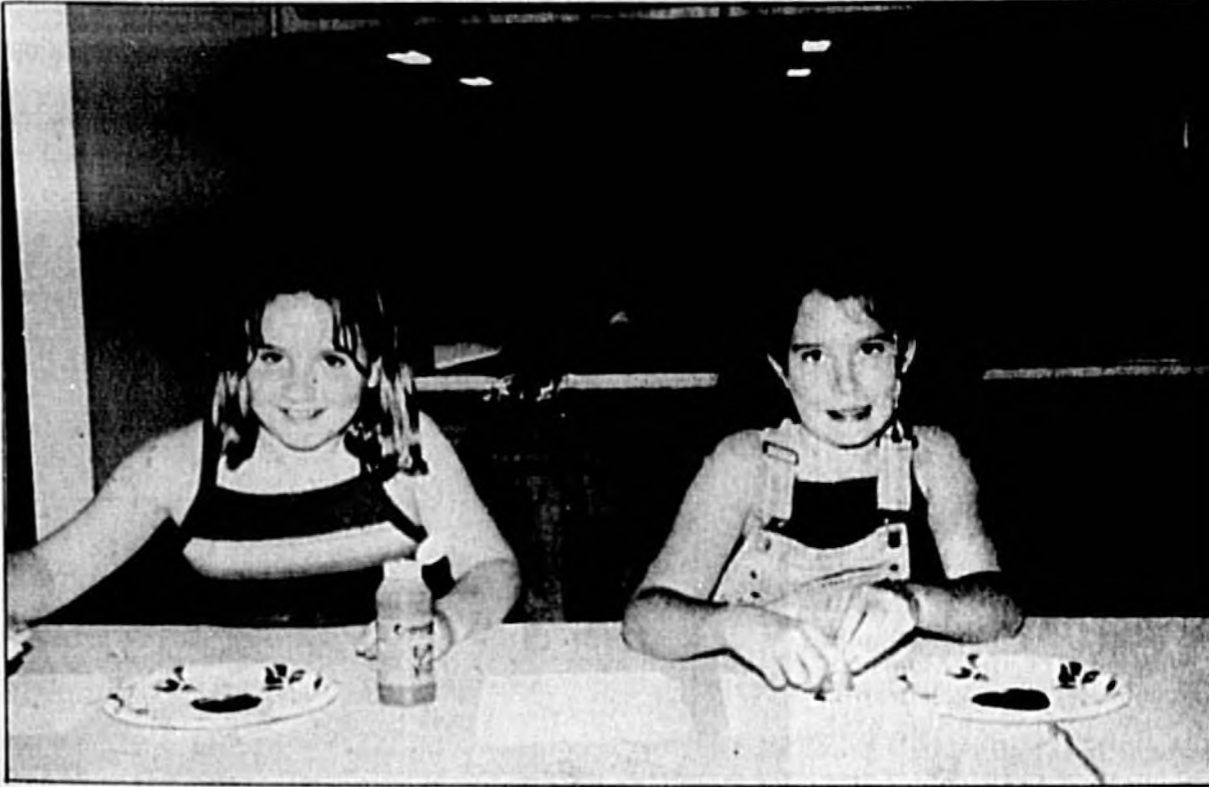
The final step in the badge was the scratch paintings. The girls used a wide variety of color crayons to color sheets of paper. They then covered the color with black crayon. Using a sharp point, the Juniors then scratched a design out of the crayon to make their own special pictures.

Offering these evening workshops is just one of the many volunteer jobs that Senior Girl Scout Troop 148 does for their Service Unit. Older girls volunteer their time to work with younger girls. (One of the Seniors in Troop 148 is a co-leader for a Junior Troop and one is a co-leader for a Brownie Troop.) They also have more chances for travel. Senior Girl Scouts are also the smallest segment of the Girl Scout population. And that can be very difficult. Because people are not used to seeing teenagers as Girl Scouts, when the Seniors try to sell Girl Scout cookies, (most troops largest fund raiser), people don't want to buy from them. They want to buy from the cute little girls. This is very difficult because more opportunities means a greater cost.

That's why older Girl Scouts have to look for alternative ways to raise money. Senior Girl Scout Troop 148 is planning a trip to National Girl Scout Headquarters in New York, so they have to be very creative in their fundraising efforts.

In an effort to raise funds, the girls have published a cookbook, "Cooking With Stardust" offers heritage recipes from families in the Service Unit as well as from some of Lake Mary's first families. It also has a section on "Camping Cuisine" and recipes from "Around the World".

On the weekdays when the



Carolyn Vonderbecke and Morgan Hill using their hand carved potato stamps.

Herald Photos by Mary Rowell



Senior Girl Scout Kim Clay teaching Juniors to make knotted bracelets.

schools are out of session, the Seniors offer day long workshops for younger Girl Scouts to help them earn a Patch, Try-It or Badge. The day long workshops are for profit, but they are priced well below what other charge to keep children for the day. And the workshops are different every time. The next day long workshop is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 20, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at Holy Cross Lutheran Church. The workshop, "The Next Frontier" is designed to teach scouts about NASA, space technology and space history. The scouts will be building a space station and launching rockets for this one.

Girl Scout Troop 148 is also planning a Talent Show/Silent Auction for Saturday, Oct. 9 at 7 P.M., at Lake Mary Elementary. Girl Scouts from all over the Lake Mary area will be displaying their talent for the occasion. While the talent show is going on, there will be a si-

lent auction at the same time. The cost of the show is \$3 for adults, \$2 for children and \$1 for scouts in uniform. (Even adult scouts and Boy Scouts.) The public is invited to attend.

Currently, Senior Troop 148 is looking for donations for the silent auction. Any business that would like to donate an item to the silent auction can call Peggy Wolfe at 327-8207.

AARP BACK IN SESSION

The Lake Mary Chapter of the AARP called it quits back in June. But just for a couple of months. After their usual summer break, the Lake Mary AARP is ready to swing back in action on Tuesday, Sept. 21, at 1 p.m., at the Community Building in Lake Mary. If you're 50 and over, you can join the AARP. Just stop by Tuesday and tell them you're ready to sign on the dotted line. Membership is ridiculously cheap.

For more information, call the Senior Center at 324-3060.

WOMAN'S CLUB GETS BACK IN ACTION

The Lake Mary Woman's Club also took the summer months off. Now they're ready to get back into action. The first meeting of the fall will be Wednesday, Sept. 22, at 10 a.m., at the Timacuan Country Club in Lake Mary. The Woman's Club has a lot of things planned for the fall. Their annual fall spaghetti dinner raises money that they use for their annual scholarship. The Woman's Club will also be participating in the annual Holiday in the Park in December. At the festival, they will be giving rookies and a drink to anyone donating food for Safehouse of Seminole County. If you'd like more information on joining the Lake Mary Woman's Club, call Jean Phillips at 323-6953.

Calendar

Blood Bank

Central Florida Blood Bank is asking donors of all types of blood - especially O-type donors - to donate at its Sanford branch, 1302 E. Second St. For information, call 322-0822.

Sanford Rotary

Rotary Club of Sanford meets every Monday at noon, at the Marina Hotel.

Cancer support

Support, Hope and Recovery, S.H.A.R., meets every Monday afternoon at 5 p.m. at Central Florida Regional Hospital in the far corner of the dining room. This is a self help support group for all cancer survivors, whether in treatment now or finished with it. Call 324-8737 or 322-7785 for more information.

Contract Bridge

Bridge players are invited to play contract bridge every Monday, at 10:30 a.m., at the Sanford Senior Center. For information, call 322-6326.

Casselberry Bridge

Casselberry Bridge Club meets every Monday and

Thursday, at 12:30 p.m., at the Woman's Club of Casselberry (on the golf course), 251 Overbrook Drive. For information call 365-1923.

AARP

The Winter Springs Chapter of AARP meets the third Monday of the month, at 1 p.m., at the Winter Springs Senior Center off Edgemon Avenue. Senior citizens, 50 and over, are invited to attend.

For information, call 695-0285.

Gamblers, families

Gamblers Anonymous and Gam-Anon for family and friends, meet separately Monday and Friday (non-smokers) at 7:30 p.m., Church of the Good Shepherd, 331 Lake Ave., Maitland. For more information, call 238-9206.

Lakeside Lions

The Sanford Lakeside Lions Club meets the first and third Monday of the month, at 6:30 p.m., at Logan's Roadhouse on Hwy. 46, east of Seminole Towne Center Mall. Visitors and new members are welcome. For information, call David Hall, 330-5238.

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the 11:00 a.m. service on Sunday, Oct. 3. The entire membership is invited.

HELLO LUNCHEON

The Sanford Woman's Club will open the 1999-2000 season with the traditional "Hello Luncheon" on Wednesday, Sept. 22, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., at the clubhouse, 309 Oak Ave.

This is the annual event when members gather after a long, hot summer to socialize before the season begins the first Wednesday in October. Hosted by the board of managers, reservations are needed through Viola Frank, chairman, 322-2578;

Betty Jack, 321-1887; or Vivian Buck, 324-4899.

FREE OSTEOPOROSIS TESTING

The Sanford Woman's Club will sponsor free osteoporosis briefings and screenings on Saturday, Oct. 2, at 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. at the clubhouse, 309 Oak Ave. This event is available by appointment only by calling 322-3849.

The community is given the opportunity to learn all about osteoporosis (bone loss) and that it is not a natural part of aging. The educational briefings will include information on prevention and treatment.



We've got Good News for you!

Come let us help you relieve the stress of the past week, and prepare for the week ahead.

Stressbusters!

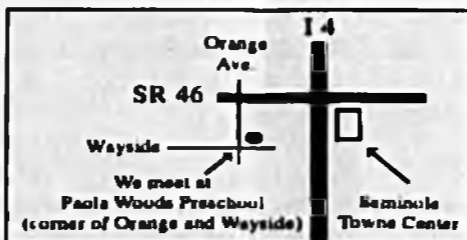


West Lake Community Church currently meets Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM south of SR 46 at the corner of Orange Blvd. and Wayside Dr. at the Paola Woods Preschool.

Linda Costello, Pastor
Phil Davis, Associate Pastor
Darrel Watson, Associate Pastor

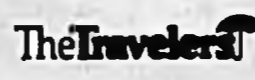
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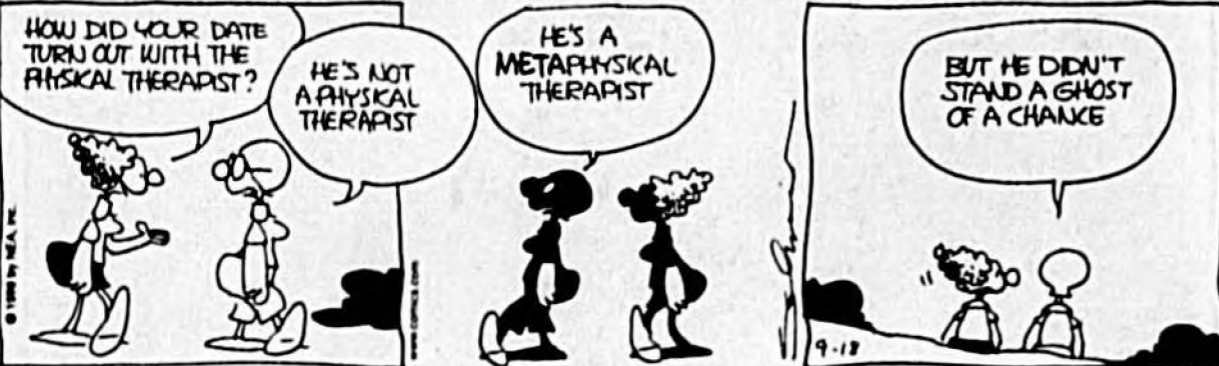
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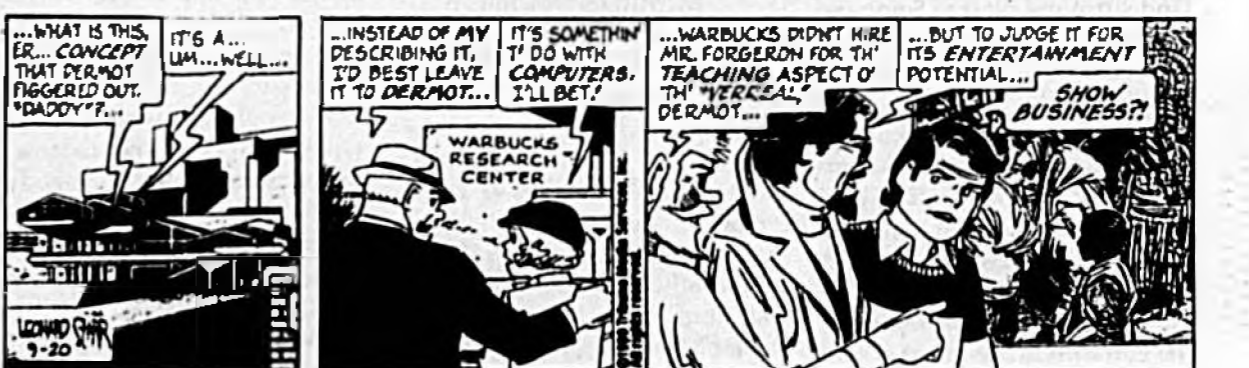
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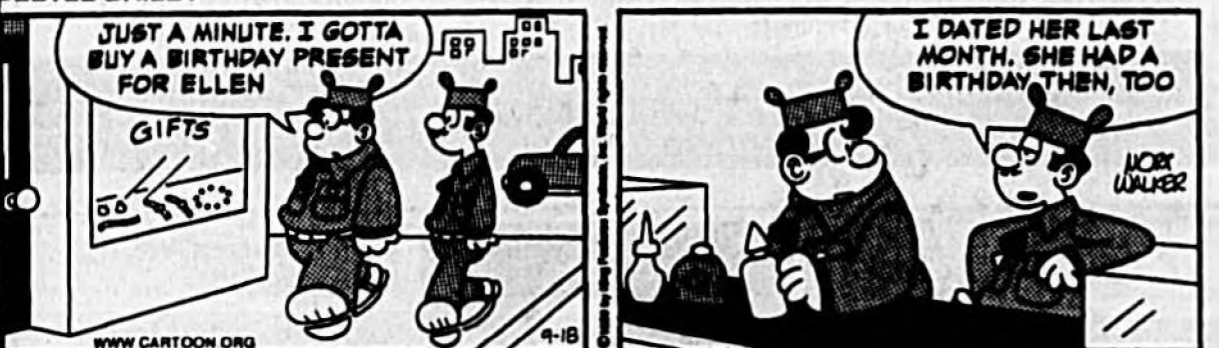
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Compensation and reward in several areas where you are due recognition and acclaim could be in the offing for you in the year ahead. It's payoff time. **VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Take your competitive involvements seriously today and play to win. When in social settings, remember to first appreciate the enjoyment of sharing activities with friends. Virgo, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send the required refund form and for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$2 and self-addressed stamped envelope 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. **LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Review matters today to see if you've overlooked any additional funds that can be generated from a side venture which may not be part of your primary source of income. Something is there. **SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Any agreements into which you enter today, either socially or business-wise, will stand the test of time. Each side will honor the

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commitment, even when made by a handshake. **SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Better than average remunerations could come from work or services performed today, so even if this isn't your ordinary work day, do what is asked of you. **CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Something could develop today that might put your social skills to the test. However, when challenged, you won't be intimidated and you'll dispense with it with grace and ease. **AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You might become aware of someone who is in need of assistance today, but you won't help this person because you think it's your duty, you'll do so because of your compassion. **PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20) This is an excellent day to touch base with people

you haven't heard from in a long time. Catching up on issues could prove to be more than just pleasant, it could be enlightening. **ARIES** (March 21-April 19) This is a good day to look for ways to shore up your economic foundation. Not only will it give you a greater sense of material security, the benefits will be long lasting as well. **TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) By allowing personal ambitions to motivate you today, you'll be able to accomplish far more than just tasks. Sometimes when we satisfy ourselves, it enhances our psychological outlook as well. **GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) Someone who feels indebted to you is looking for ways to repay the favor, so if you are in need of one today, don't hesitate to ask a person you know you've helped. **CANCER** (June 21-July 22) By realistically assessing your expectations, you're likely to get what you want today. Be logical and practical, but don't forget to be confident as well. **LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) From something that is not easy to pull off, but which you'll do anyway today, you'll earn the admiration and respect of your associates, especially in work related areas.

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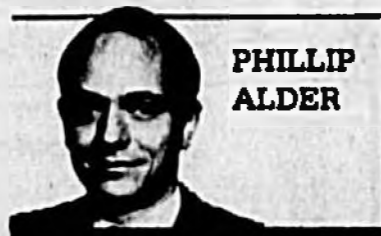
From the king to the ace

By Phillip Alder

For five days, we have been looking at deals with a suit of either K-x opposite J-x-x, or K-x-x opposite J-x. To end the week, let's strengthen the holding slightly, replacing the king with the ace.

You reach six spades. West leads the heart king. After winning with the ace, you cash the spade ace, but West discards a diamond. A bad blow, to be sure, but how would you continue?

Two clubs was strong, artificial and forcing. When followed by two spades, it showed the equivalent of a strong opening two-bid. North's raise to three spades promised some values. (With none, he would have either rebid two no-trump, the so-called double negative, or jumped to four spades with four-plus trumps.) Then, South bid what the problem-setter wanted him to!



PHILLIP ALDER

This deal was also in the June issue of Bridge Magazine. It was given by Patrick Jourdain, the editor of the International Bridge Press Association's Bulletin.

Somehow, you have to get into the dummy to take the spade finesse, but must avoid losing a heart and a club in the process.

Your only chance is to find that West began with 0-5-4-2 distribution. You unblock the diamond ace, cash the ace-king of clubs, and continue with a heart toward dummy's jack.

In this layout, West wins with the heart queen, but must put you into the dummy in a red suit. Your two club losers disappear on the heart jack and diamond king, then you continue with

North 09-18-99			
♠ J 8 2			
♥ J 8 6			
♦ K 8 5 3			
♣ 9 6 3			
West	East		
♠ ---	♥ Q 8 7 5		
♦ K Q 10 7 2	♣ 9 5 3		
♣ J 8 7 5 4 2	♦ Q 10		
♠ J 4	♣ Q 10 7 5		
South			
♠ A K 10 9 4 3			
♥ A 4			
♦ A			
♣ A K 8 2			
Vulnerable: Both			
Dealer: South			
South	West	North	East
2♠	Pass	3♠	Pass
2♥	Pass	3♣	Pass
6♣	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead: ♠ K			

the spade jack to pick up East's queen.

It's as easy as apple pie a la mode!

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The Way We Were

Books give view of early life in Seminole County

I found several interesting books in the Museum of Seminole County History a few weeks ago and took a few notes from a couple of them. One was "Kim's Guide to Florida" published by Ethel Byrum Kimball in 1937.

At the time this book was written, Fred P. Cone was the governor, and the senators were Claude Pepper and C.O. Andrews. Congressmen from Florida were J. Harden Peterson, R.A. Green, Millard Caldwell, Mark Wilcox, and Joe Hendricks. The cabinet consisted of R.A. Gray, Secretary of State; Cary D. Landis, Attorney General; J.M. Lee, Comptroller; W.V. Knott, Treasurer; Colin English, Superintendent of Public Instruction; Nathan Mayo, Commissioner of Agriculture.

It was interesting to read the author's idea of points of interest in Sanford, as well as her directions to the Big Tree:

"The Big Tree (A 5 star attraction) — A majestic cypress 3500 years old named The Senator in honor of Senator M.O. Overstreet, who gave it and the land surrounding it to Seminole County for a park. It is believed to be the oldest cypress tree in the United States.

"To reach — Proceed south from Sanford on Florida 3, turn west onto old Orlando Road. Before crossing the railroad tracks into Longwood, turn left at the sign pointing to Big Tree onto a short dirt road leading to the entrance to the forest. There is a 25 cent admission during the season. Walk down the foot path to the 'Sovereign Cypress.'

"Celery Fields — There are miles and miles of them! It is a beautiful sight, well worth a special trip over open fields, which are at their best December through February. Many fields can be seen at the edge of town on Celery Avenue.

"Icing Plant — This is a large plant for the initial icing of refrigerator cars, accommodating more than 50 at a time. It operates during the winter vegetable shipping season and is interesting to see.

"Seminole Driving Club — This is between Sanford and Longwood on the old Orlando Road. With its one mile track, it is training quarters for some 200 fine trotting horses and a show place where visitors are treated cordially.

Where to Eat — Takach's Restaurant, opposite the court house, serves a limited clientele. It has been in business in the same location since 1899. There are rooms and apartments in connection."

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In the book "Highways of Florida" which was produced by the State Road Department in 1936, we find this description of Sanford:

"Sanford produces more than one-fourth of all the celery of the United States, and for miles, the air is filled with the spicy fragrance of this cellulose vegetable. Every available space in the city, including the lawns, is devoted to the growing of celery and lettuce."

This book gives an interesting history of road building in Florida. For instance, the very first road was built by Menendez de Aviles. This was the short stretch that joined old Fort San Marcos at St. Augustine to Fort Caroline on the St. Johns River to the north, which the Spaniards had captured from the French in 1565.

Picture Identification
The picture of mostly Seminole High faculty, which was published July 21, prompt-

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The Way We Were

ed a few calls. Clara Sauls identified Rebecca Stevens as the person to the left of Miss Whittle and Laura Chittenden was between Elizabeth Lynch and Elmina Bisbee. I had identified her as possibly Jewell Riser. Doug Stenstrom disagreed with both identifications of the latter person, but offered no alternative. He did agree with my identification of Buelah Wells who was his mother-in-law. Clyde Piery said that the young man in the center of the picture was Teddy Hodges, a student.

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The following comes from Mary Leffler Strong's book, "The Story of Sanford on the St. John's River in Florida."

McMillan-Newton Murder Case

Back in 1882, a young English couple by the name of Newton lived on a small grove, later known as Hood Grove, on Crystal Lake. They drove a fine span of horses, dressed nicely and appeared to be well off financially. They knew few people, but were friendly with Major McMillan, an elderly gentleman who lived nearby. They

were often his guests at cards.

The morning after one of their card parties, the major's servant found the house deserted when he reported for duty. It was known in town that the Major had received a large amount of money the day before, so robbery and murder were indicated.

A search was begun for the body, with Mr. Newton leading the searches, always in the wrong direction. The body was finally found at the west end of Crystal Lake. A few days later the head was found not far away. Both were weighed down with pots of nails.

The Newtons were arrested and the Grand jury indicted the

husband for murder and his wife as an accessory. The case was tried in Orlando, the county seat, and witnesses were brought from England. From there it was found the Mr. Newton was a "remittance man" and that Mrs. Newton was not his wife.

Since the only evidence was circumstantial, the were acquitted. Some years later the case again came to trial, but many prominent witnesses had passed on, so it again came to naught. The Newtons moved away and were never heard from again.

Thus ended one of the most celebrated and expensive trials of those early days in Sanford.

Vintage View



This is an interior view of Henry Sanford's lodge at Bel Air showing his daughter in the parlor. The lodge was built circa 1880 for Henry Sanford, Mr. Sanford's son. He lived there for two years and died young. The picture was taken in 1892.

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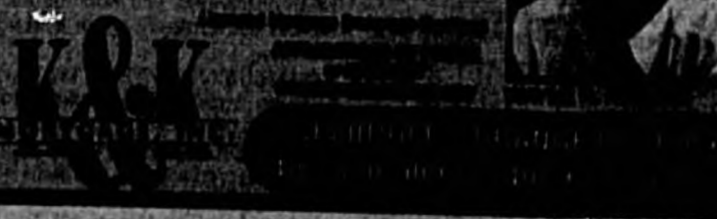
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