Tram service provides an alternative to walking

By NATALIE NATALE
Staff Writer

The sacred buffalo exhibit portrays the history of the Lakota Sioux people comfortably. The trams come equipped with an intercom system and reach a top speed of 15 mph. The trams were used this summer to transport an international group of educators who stayed at the Lake Claire Courtyard Apartments for the annual College Summer Institute Conference. "The people seemed pleased," said Ina Carpenter, parking services manager. "We received good reviews on the trams."

The trams are used for the Student Union, the UCF Theatre productions, the Oviedo Chamber of Commerce, the Town-Gown Group and the UCF Women's Club. The trams will continue to be necessary as the Student Union expands and hosts more special events.

These trams are intended for the legitimate use of the campus community," said Bill Merck, vice president for administration and finance. "We hope, in part, to end the parking situation."

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The advising office, dean's office, technical resource center and pre-professional and instructional support and technology labs will also be located in the building.

Cynthia Speaker, director of development and external affairs, said the benefits of the building will be well-equipped nursing labs and computer labs located in one building. "It gives the College of Health and Public Affairs a lot of space and its own identity," said Pete Newman, facilities planning director of the physical plant. See BUILDING, Page 2

Exploring mysteries of the universe

Astronomy club members benefit from Robinson Observatory's equipment

By TARA SUH DORSEY
Staff Writer

"In the last year, there has been news about a Mars meteorite," Barlow said. "Out of 42,000 craters, I have found two possibilities that may contain ancient life."

Barlow has been featured in several magazines for her astronomical efforts. She speaks at numerous occasions in various countries around the world. Despite her strenuous schedule, she makes time to advise students. "Over the years, several people have asked to form a club wanting to know more about the sky," Barlow said. "With our campus facilities and equipment, we can provide the opportunities."

Barlow is also the director of the Robinson Observatory located off Research Parkway.

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The telescope and observatory are used for classes and research but are open to the public. During family weekend, students and parents were able to experience its ability to see farther and in greater size and clarity.

"We are very fortunate to have this telescope," Batiz said. "In comparison to other schools, it is much larger. UF's and FSU's telescopes are only about 11 inches. We are able to see further and in greater size and clarity."

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"Many people don't know what we are capable of seeing," Barlow said. "The families and friends are pleased to see the telescope at the temple, but they are in disbelief."

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Women's Club. The trams will continue to be necessary as the Student Union expands and hosts more special events. These trams are intended for the legitimate use of the campus community. See TRANSPORTATION, Page 13
Unprofessional behavior and delays highlighted the final meeting of the 29th student senate on Sept. 25.

Chad Calhoun, comp controller, and David Siegel, appropriations and finance, discussed problems within the senate.

"I've found a lot of problems that need to be worked on within the system," Calhoun said. "We handle problems incorrectly. Instead of being legislators and politicians, we take it to a personal level.

"Our mission as politicians is to put our feelings aside. If I don't like Karen, I have to put those feelings aside."

Arguing just causes more problems and students get robbed, he added. "We've got a new senate coming in and new senators are real vulnerable," Siegel said. "We got to take it slow and make sure the new senators don't get played.

"We have limited resources to represent student needs. Let's cut the crap, it's not worth the time."

Pro Tempore Dominic Fariello said he wanted someone to look into how student government money has been spent.

"Talk to Locos, they say SGA owes them money," Fariello said. "Food and alcohol are not supposed to be bought from SGA money."

Karen Montague, SG vice president, urged the senators on several occasions to remain in order.

"I know it's the last meeting but let's be professional, there are people watching," Montague said.

She explained the reason for the unprofessional behavior.

"I think everyone was anxious because it was the last meeting and everyone wanted to get on to new business," Montague said.

Pro Tempore Chris LaBruzio, executive chief of staff, gave his opinion on the job performance of the 29th student senate.

"If you look at the year in a whole, they did a real good job at funding clubs and pointing out issues," LaBruzio said. "The senate's downfall was a misuse of time and lack of professionalism."

In addition to discussing problems, the senate made two decisions.

They approved retiring all bills and amendments until the 30th senate. "I did not think it was fair for nine people to vote on something which affects a majority," she said.

Also on Oct. 2, senators will offer their nominations for chairpersons. The elections will occur on Oct. 9. The nominations are open to any senator.

The 30th student senate will meet on Thursdays at 7 p.m. and the executive branch meets on Mondays at 4:30 p.m.

The 29th Senate closes with turmoil.
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And get the big picture yourself.
Students able to gather information about academic areas

By ANNEMARIE MONTALI
Staff Writer

The College of Business Administration held its annual Business Education Fair on Sept. 26. The goal of the fair was to showcase the different majors, minors, graduate programs, scholarships, internships, graduate programs and student organizations available in the college.

This year, coordinators changed the layout of the fair. Tables were set up for each section of the college. Students were able to come and go and inquire at the tables that interested them. In the past, the seminar was a lecture-style meeting where faculty, business students and chairpersons spoke. Coordinator Kathy King said she hoped the change would give students more of an opportunity to find out about the areas that interested them the most.

"Our goal here was to show incoming freshmen, transfer students and those undecided about their major what is available to them in the College of Business," King said. "We want to build a network between the students, faculty and staff in the department.

Each table offered flyers, information and different aspects of the field of interest. Faculty members, students and chairpersons were available to answer questions.

Also in attendance at the fair was SARC, First-Year Advising, Leadership UCF, Multicultural Student Services and Small Business Developmental Center.

"This fair gave students an opportunity to ask specific questions and find out about the areas that interests them," said Tim Edwards of First-Year Advising.

"Students were able to come in when they could and get the information that they needed quickly," said Robin McCormick of SARC.

Many of the business students who helped were volunteers and most agreed that this was a much better setup for the students.

"When I was a freshman, I didn't have anything like this to find out about the majors and minors," said Shonte Day, a volunteer for the Hospitality Association. "Students cannot only find out about the areas of study but also the student organizations associated with them."

Each table kept busy with interested students coming and going.

"I am undecided now but knowing that this information is out there for me helps to make my decision a little easier," said sophomore Katie Keon.

Also attending the fair was the Dean of Business, Thomas Keon.

"This was my first fair here and it looked like students were getting around smoothly," Keon said. "I was concerned that there might not have been enough faculty and staff available but it looked like it ran very well. Undecided students now can get a sense of what opportunities are available to them."

The College of Business Administration, whose new motto is "Driven by Excellence," is restructuring and has many events planned for the year.

KIOSK to become a center of information

By JENNIFER LINDSTROM
Staff Writer

For more than a month, the Student Government KIOSK has retained most of its services because of the opening of the Student Union. The Student Escort Patrol Services has continued to run from the KIOSK, but Ticketmaster moved to the Union. Parking Services temporarily used the KIOSK to sell student decals. Now, there is a new idea for the building.

Student Government, along with Student Affairs, is interested in making the KIOSK an information booth for students, faculty, and visitors to use. There are four information booths located on campus: Student Union, Administration, Education and Business.

The KIOSK would serve as an information outlet but will staff students from both Student Government and Student Affairs. Student Government wants to continue to run SEPS and Provides from the KIOSK during the evening hours.

Student Affairs is interested in operating the KIOSK for weekend services in addition to the regular weekday business hours.

"The KIOSK is located in a strategic position and we hope that with this joint effort we can serve our students, faculty and visitors an opportunity to get information easily," said Jameer Abas, coordinator for Student Affairs. "We hope to have the KIOSK ready to operate fully in October."

The KIOSK would provide brochures, pamphlets and flyers with information about UCF typically, parents and students visiting the university would seek information from these booths, but it is not limited for only visitors to use.

According to Kelly Shoemaker, Student Government director of campus services, the idea for the KIOSK has not been 100 percent approved.

"The SG Senate will meet to decide this option for the KIOSK with a few other options it might have in two weeks," Shoemaker said.

She has been working with Student Affairs on the new proposal. Also, the name "Student Government KIOSK" would not change to "Information Booth" like the other four booths.

"Since KIOSK means information, we don't see the need to change it," Shoemaker said.

Marketing major Anthony Bencomo likes the idea for the KIOSK but has a suggestion to add. "I think another 411 desk would be fine, but we should also consider using an electric marquee to display upcoming events at the KIOSK, so it can take advantage of its location," Bencomo said.

"Another information desk on the main campus would be redundant since there are already several places where students and visitors can have their questions answered," Faust said. "We shouldn't fix what's not broken, and we should find more practical allocations for our activity and service fee."

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**LEAD STORIES**

*One of the four annual Pennsylvania rattlesnake-bagging tournaments was held in June in Curwensville. Teams of two snaked toward a goal, entry fee free the clock in the an 8-foot-by-8-foot cage to bag five rattlesnakes; one person holds the other puts the snakes in, always tall first. Entry fees and admissions benefited the local fire department. Said a spectator, “It’s a lot like going to a NASCAR race ... like waiting for a crash.” Some people do get bit (it’s a 3-second penalty if it draws blood), but, said one contest, “Why do something sissy, like play pool?” Said another, “It’s (only) $5 to get in (here), but $100 for cocaine. This is a whole lot cheaper.”*

*Restaurant Openings: La Nouvelle Jutine, an S&M-themed restaurant that offers diners mild spankings, food served in dog bowls, and the opportunity to command and be commanded as they ate, opened in May in New York City. And in Beijing, the most successful of recent nostalgia restaurants, noted for serving the food of the cultural revolution, is Fang Lia’s Comrade Fast Miney. With Present Happiness. It serves mostly peasant food (ant soup, fried chicken; one woman eating corn cake chewed on it for a few moments, then pushed it away, saying, “It tastes the same, not any better than what I remember.”)*

*According to an August Los Angeles Times story, the use of water recovered from sewage has increased 30 percent in California in the last year. Though formerly limited to lawn-watering and toilet-flushing, recycled water is now in the drinking supply in San Diego and will soon be in South Bay and Livermore.*

**GREAT ART**

* Ming-Wei Lee’s recent performance-art exhibit in a New York City gallery featured him merely eating dinner, in public, with a new guest each night. “Both of us are performing,” he said, “Both of us are participating, and the medium is the conversation. For me, art is about process.”*

*San Francisco “conceptual artist” Anthony-Noel Kelly, 29, shocked the local press on April poetry show at the Hypotenuse coffee house in Los Angeles, post-pyschiatrist Robert Carroll released one of his most recent works, “Am I Really Going to Vej Out In Front of the TV Again Tonight?” The text of the poem is: “Yes.”

*Sculptror Anthony-Noel Kelly, who works in the medium of corpses and severed body parts, was arrested in London on April 10 on suspicion of illegal possession of cadavers that he received through an associate in the Royal College of Surgeons. Kelly is a cousin of the Duke of York. Though formerly limited to surrenders for cocaine, he now accepts all substances, including cadavers. Kelly former-ly worked as a butcher.

*During the summer, the Institute for Contemporary Arts in London featured a functioning toilet exhibit titled “The Great Flood” created by the highly touted sculptor Sarah Lucas. The piece sold for about $20,000 last year, and the buyer loaned it to the ICA under the proviso that he be allowed to use the toilet for work. Visitors are allowed to pull the chain but not to use the toilet (although two visitors during a Berlin show did, in which Kelly took them on a tour), and the auctioneer said was “the ultimate involvement of the audience.”*

**CHUTZPAH**

*In February, after his conviction in Nashville, Tenn., for deer trafficking, Clemmie Jones, 35, complained to a federal judge that he was upset by the circum­stances of his arrest. He had been the object of a manhunt that sheriff’s deputies grew so intense about that they had T-shirts made with photos of Jones on the front and his wife on the back, and were wearing them when they pulled over his car. Jones said ICA curator said was “the ultimate involvement of the audience.”*

*In August, Sebastiano Intili, 43, on a hot, summer frolic at the Piazza Navona in Rome, Italy, jumped twice off of a beloved statue into a fountain and acciden-tally broke off a piece of a dolphin’s tail that restoration authorities said would cost about $5,500 to fix. Two days later, Intili was sentenced to three months in jail for trespassing, but his lawyer immediately announced that the fountain was “in decrepitude,” that his client jumped in at great personal risk, and that he would sue the city for about $6,000.*

*In July, police in Lexington, Ky., were searching for Delbert Buttery, 47, who they believe is the man who kidnapped a trans- cient couple from Indiana, took them to an isolated spot, and forced them to perform oral sex on him while Buttery’s girlfriend snapped photographs. After that, according to police, Buttery took the couple with him and forced the man to mow his lawn. Five third-graders were sus- pended from school in April in Eaton, Colo., for drug use. Not only were they caught smoking marijuana during recess, but they had rolled the joints using pieces of paper torn from their home-work.

**JOBS**

*An August Associated Press feature on Fowler, Mich., post- curist Jim Rondy, 26, reported that he makes more than $100,000 a year working exclusively on the hooves of milk cows. He tends cows at 90 farms, making $10 a head trimming the hoof and removing mud and manure.

*The Febway Scientific American reported on how con- servation biologist Joel Berger (University of Nevada at Reno) field-studies moose, which are notoriously unfriendly to humans. Berger needed to be able to harf fresh bear and wolf dung accurately enough to assure that a moose immediately smelled it, to see if it made the moose fearful or aggressive. To be able to get close to a moose, he engaged a designer who worked on the movie “Star Wars” to make a moose suit, which worked so well that Berger said he spent much of his time in the suit worrying about being mounted.

*To research his recent book on highway bug kills, that “Gink on Your Car,” University of Florida graduate zoology stu- dent Mark Hostetler said he hung around Greyhound stations and peeled bugs off the buses’ wind-shields. Also, as he told the Los Angeles Times in May, he took a 12,000-mile road trip with a net on top of his car to trap bugs that bounced off the windshield, stopping each time he heard a splat that sounded unusual.*

**THINNING THE HERD**

In March, a 36-year-old man choked to death on a 6-inch trop- ical fish he had popped into his mouth while swimming off for friends in Bayon Vista, La. And in April, a 12-year-old boy was electrocuted in East Palo Alto, Calif., after he climbed a high- voltage transmission tower in the rain, dared his three companions to join him, and then accidental- ly touched a wire. And in July, a 22-year-old man, described by his grandmother as “smart in school,” died in a binge-ced accident on a railroad trestle in Fairfax County, Va. (Said a police spokesman: “The length of the cord that he had assembled was greater than the distance between the trestle and the ground.”)

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Spot stealers abound in UCF parking lots

BY JASON HEIRONIMUS
Opinion Editor

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These comments have been sparked by my ever continuing search to land one of the best parking spots on campus. I see these spots as being all the first ones in the lots in front of the Administration Building. In my quest I have never landed one of these coveted spots nor believe that I ever will.

I have, however, noticed that these spots are always taken by the nicest cars. I do not have a nice car, so I guess that disqualifies me from ever having a short walk to my classes. Instead of telling my kids that I had to walk uphill in the snow for 10 miles to get to school, I’ll tell them that I had to walk 10 miles in 90 degree heat through a parking lot filled with BMWs and Subs to get to school. But I am not bitter, just a little bit sweaty and tired from all the walking.

But the question still remains: how do you people get these amazing spots? I drive around campus for an average of 20 minutes just to find a spot that is remotely close to the water tower. Perhaps it is in my inability to just park my car in the parking lot, waiting for a student to walk on by, so that I can stalk them all the way to their car. I cannot do that for fear of anti-stalking laws. Or perhaps it is because the one time I tried it the guy took me for a ride, pun intended. I followed him all the way down the row, traveling at about one foot per hour (fph) and when he finally seemed as if he was getting in his car, he jetted across the row to the next lot, where a waiting student happily took his space.

Personally I believe that it was a sting operation, but that’s all I’m allowed to say about it now. Parking sharks, spot stalkers, and the worst is spot snakes. These are the people that steal your spot while you are politely waiting for the person to pull out. Spot snakes usually have small cars that enable them to maneuver their cars into your space while the other car is still pulling out. Who are these people? Where were they born? France. This has happened to me more times than I would like to remember. But the worst thing is, these people are able to look you right in the eye without a flinch. Maybe I’m too old school, but whatever happened to politeness and common courtesy?

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UCF to the rescue
Students learn emergency medical training

By ROSS STEIN
Staff Writer

A cooperative venture on behalf of the UCF police depart­ment, the Orange County Fire Rescue Squad and a few deter­mined students on campus has led to the successful start-up of Florida's first on-campus, stu­dent-staffed rescue squad.

UCF Rescue is a project that has been months in the making and is all but ready to serve stu­dents.

"Our goal is to provide defini­tive medical care to UCF stu­dents," said Jason Eichenho­lzer, captain and founder of UCF Rescue. "The fire department, the police department and the administration have all been out­standing in their support."

Training for UCF Rescue began on Sept. 6. Students par­ticipating are currently going through a rigorous weekly train­ing session every Saturday and will continue for many weeks. When finished, students will be CPR-certified as well as state­certified first responders.

First responders, according to Eichenholzer, are those medical personnel that arrive first on scene and provide immediate care to victims until they can be transported to a nearby hospital or trauma center.

"UCF Rescue will be a state of the art vehicle," said Eichenholzer. "This means we will be responding red lights and sirens."

"This program will enhance service to campus constituents," said Richard Turkiewicz, direc­tor of public safety and police. "It makes good use of student talents and it's good for those people who want to develop their talents. It is a good benefit to the community and it's cost effective."

It is cost effective because UCF Rescue members will be volun­teers of the campus police department and will hopefully, according to Turkiewicz, per­form stand-by duties at campus concerts and sports events. If this becomes a reality, UCF will not have to hire paid medical personnel to stand by at such events anymore.

Aside from performing the duties of a regular EMS squad, UCF Rescue officials hope to set the club to be open to everyone, not just physics majors. It's to help people who will set the stan­dard for future members."

For more information about the Astronomy Club, contact Rick Batiz at 823-2805, or email him at batiz@ucf.edu.

Astronomy club has students seeing stars

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Along with the access to the observatory, the group hopes to work with other universities, provi­de trips to NASA and other events.

"I hope to buy a solar filter that will enable viewers to actually look at the sun without harm," Batiz said. "We want to display this feature on campus, this way everyone can see the sun in detail.

Although astronomy sounds intimidating with its connotation of mathematics and physics, the members said people should not be threatened.

"It is not going to be highly technical," said Connie Olguin, club secretary. "We want our club to be open to everyone, not just physics majors. It's to help anyone who wants to learn about what is going on in space pat­terns."

The members share questions and compare ideas. They are intrigued with the mystery of the universe's characteristics.

"It is so fascinating," Batiz said. "To me, it is a snowball effect. When I learn and discover more about astronomy, there are many more questions to be answered."

"I was happy when I found out about this club," sophomore Kevin Chibar said. "I've always been interested in astronomy when I was growing up. I think this club is especially important because we are the founding members who will set a standard for future members."

For students like Chibar and Batiz, they can receive a bache­sor degree in physics with an astronomy emphasis at UCF. The program is young, but people are realizing the opportunities chal­lenging them.

"There are bizarre areas like: how black holes vacuum matter and how small-sized quasars exist extreme amounts of light from a distance of 12 billion light years away," Barlow said.


History of Lakota Sioux told through buffalo remains

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ing before the audience tells the story of the Lakota Sioux people. "The buffalo tells the story of my people, the people of the Lakota Sioux, from the beginning with the story of how the Lakota Sioux received the peace pipe to the present day," Durham said.

The skeleton of the buffalo revolves on a wooden platform. Eich­ings of the history of the Lakota Sioux and their seven sacred rites are carved into the skeleton. This is the first pictori­al history of the Lakota Sioux people.

The skull of the buffalo tells the story of how the Lakota received the peace pipe. The hump of the buffalo tells the story of Custard's Last Stand.

"The hump represents history so it could be anything, like it could be World War I, Vietnam, or Oklahoma City," Durham said. "It tells them that's happened and we've not listened."

The rest of the buffalo shows the seven sacred rites of the Lakota Sioux. The walls of the exhibition are covered with pic­tures explaining the seven sacred rites that are etched on the buffalo.

The buffalo's hump was of his father standing alone with a buffalo in an open field talking in a strange language.

A few years later Durham had a similar dream, but in his dream it was a buffalo skeleton carved on the base of operations is under way for a new fire station to be located at the corner of North Orin Drive and McCulloch Road near the rear of campus.

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Oliver Stone comes to UCF on national book tour

By BRIAN SMITH
News Editor

Oliver Stone, three-time Academy Award winner, will be at UCF on Oct. 2 on a stop on his national book tour promoting his debut novel, "A Child's Night Dream."

The novel is about a youth who abandons his Ivy League education to go to Vietnam, where he encounters a hell far more brutal than he could have ever imagined. A world of barroom whores, psychedelic drugs and killing fields of indescribable proportions.

Stone, considered one of the most successful, inventive and controversial filmmakers of our time, will focus his lecture on 'Making Movies Matter.' Stone has pushed the filmmaking envelope with films which have won critical acclaim and provoked passionate debate.

In 1991, his film, "JFK," reignited an intense national debate about the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. The controversy created by the film resulted in Congress passing a bill, signed into law by President George Bush, to open hundreds of thousands of government documents on the Kennedy assassination.

His 1997 directing release, "U-Turn," is currently playing in theaters across the country.

Stone will be at the bookstore at 6:30 p.m. and will speak at the arena at 8 p.m.

'A Child's Night Dream' tough read, but done well

By GARY ROEN
Book Critic

"A Child's Night Dream" by Oliver Stone (St. Martin's Press $21.95, 235 pages) is not as its title may suggest - a children's book. In fact, "A Child's Night Dream" is just now coming to terms with his Vietnam experience.

"Something had fallen exactly into place, like a bone comfortably cracking in the body. Good shot, Oliver, good shot! It happened. It's as if someone in a war situation. "I killed a man the other day. I suppose it was a great event in my life... for a second, it felt deliciously good. I could almost have eaten it."

Stone gives a very clear picture of what it is like to kill someone in a war situation.

"I was mine, I killed him. Me. Nobody else."

"A Child's Night Dream" is a hard look to read because it seems to be a stream of consciousness that appears to have no order but it has a lot to say and does it very well.


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Administration to destroy UCF's oldest laboratory

The university administration is planning the destruction of UCF’s oldest laboratory! The lab has existed since FTU first opened in 1968 and over the decades has enriched the education of thousands of students. There is no other lab of its kind on campus and it cannot be replaced. Most appalling is that this area of campus. The gopher tortoise, Florida mouse (a species found only in Florida), and indigo snake are just a few. Several biology graduate students have written theses from research done in that area. Eology and biology labs frequently use it.

A portion of it has already been intentionally burned, a necessary element in maintaining good habitat. In fact, the administration has long considered the area a “natural preserve,” where gopher tortoises and Florida mice have been relocated from other UCF construction projects.

The administration now plans to level most of the area, including all tortoises and mice that have been relocated there over the years. The reason is to expand Greek Park.

The sandhill at this corner of campus is adjacent to the existing Greek Park and is considered the most “logical” location for expansion. The administration has a list of other locations where Greek Park could be expanded, but they find the sandhill area most desirable. It is convenient to build there, not logical? What is logical about bulldozing a natural laboratory, nature preserve, and rare habitat? This should not be a Greek vs. nature argument. Nothing should be built there, period!

Do not let the pro-environment propaganda of the administration fool you. They commonly brag about setting aside some 600 acres for conservation. The reason much of campus will not be developed is not due to the good intentions of the administration, but because much of campus is too wet to build on and it would be too expensive to do so. They also like to point out that the Arboretum is an adequate natural area. The Arboretum is basically a garden for cultivated plants, and is a fine one. But, it is not a functioning natural community like the sandhill.

Also, the Arboretum is a “wet” preserve, while the sandhill is “dry.” They are two totally different systems. The administration proposes to mitigate the loss of the sandhill by designating thin roadside strips of shrubs and a “ten year preserve” as an adequate substitute.

First of all, thin strips of vegetation are biological wastelands and provide no habitat value for anything other than armadillos. Second, what good is a “ten year preserve” if it is going to be destroyed in ten years?!

This issue led me to dig out a letter I received from President Hitt dated “May 6, 1992.” I had written him regarding my concerns about some plans for the northwest corner of campus. When you visit this 24-acre parcel of sandhill, you are looking at the product of 2 million years of formation.

Letter to the editor

_Many plants and animals living in sandhill are considered “threatened,” “endangered,” or “species of special concern” by the State of Florida. Many of those species occur in this area of campus. The gopher tortoise, Florida mouse (a species found only in Florida), and indigo snake are just a few. Several biology graduate students have written theses from research done in that area. Eology and biology labs frequently use it._

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_— M. S. BELSON_
Entertainment

Tap shoes, sweat and unleashed dogs

By DEAN G. LEWIS
Entertainment editor

The winner of eleven International Awards including a 1997 Obie, "Tap Dogs" played for a roaring week at the Bob Carr Performing Arts Center in downtown Orlando. Dubbed by London's Time Out mag, one of that country's most popular entertainment journals, this dance troupe spectacular is "the hottest show on legs."

The cast is a group of six men who know how to tap, and how fast to tap to get the audience's attention and maintain it for an exhilarating 70 minutes. There is no intermission in the show, and I wouldn't recommend leaving to use the restrooms or else you might miss too much. Not that the plot is intricate; there is virtually no story in "Tap Dogs." Just music, sounds, and lots of noise. Consider a breed between this year's "Stomp" and "Riverdance." Although I enjoyed "Stomp" better than this show, I have to give much credit to the cast.

Young, energetic, and clad in flannel shirts, jeans, shorts, and tank tops, this six-man sensation is just as talented as the precise, calculated choreographers from "Stomp." But "Tap Dogs" is vastly different. The production takes the art of tap dancing and spins it out into excessive set designs, hardware and music. Flanked on both sides by a guitarist and drummer, the men go through their routines with breathless flair.

One even dangles from a strap upside down, letting his feet tap playfully in water, forcing the patrons in the first few rows of the theater to don yellow raincoats. Inspired somewhat by Gene Kelly's "Singin' in the Rain," who knows, "Tap Dogs" is entertaining and vibrant. Its high-nerved renditions of tap will leave some mesmerized, others stunned.

Next on its schedule is the much-anticipated "Master Class." Terrence McNally's Tony-winning show will feature Faye Dunaway. The production begins its Orlando run Oct. 28.

Terrorism gets derailed on Clooney and Kidman's 'Peace' train

By DEAN G. LEWIS
Entertainment editor

Terrorism has many faces. It can be a political fanatic intent on making a statement, thinking it will change the world. It can be the mercenary seeking a living, or a monster driven by its own personal demons, a monster who knows no remorse. It can kill because killing is the only thing that solidifies "The Peacemaker." Clooney and Nicole Kidman have never been this good. Especially Kidman. Her female citizen is way tougher and leaner than Demi Moore's "G.I. Jane." When she finds out several helicopter pilots were shot down, we witness the powerful, vulnerable range of her emotions. The same goes for Clooney. In a memorable scene, he cries in modest yet effective mannerisms while locked up in a hotel room with Kidman after witnessing his longtime friend get gunned down on the street. In past films, the guy's been a neat crew-cut. But style does not get you respect. Acting is just as tough as his way. He's just as tough as Kidman, in an even tougher film.

*** (out of four) B+ 1 hr. 55 min. Rated R

Trying to track down the source of a nuclear smuggling operation. Dr. Julia Kelly (Nicole Kidman) and Col. Thomas Devoe (George Clooney) narrowly escape an attempt on their lives by the Russian Mafia in Dreamworks' Pictures' suspenseful action thriller "The Peacemaker."
Transportation replaces walk in hot sun

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expand this fleet of trams as a means of making remote parking more convenient for students.”

On a survey attached to the 1997 parking decal applications, students were asked whether they would use a tram service if it was provided. The random results were favorable.

Other schools in the Florida university system provide tram services for students.

“At the University of Florida, there was a bus similar to a Lynx bus that stopped all around campus,” said transfer student Julia Montgomery. “Lots of people used it, it was always full.”

In 1993, Student Government began a tram service called Pegabus, operated by the Lynx Company. The buses made various stops along Gemini Boulevard. However, the buses carried very few passengers because students did not use the service.

Currently, there is an account specially designed for a future shuttle service at UCF. Twenty-five cents from the activities and service fee goes directly into the shuttle trust fund to provide for the future shuttle service.

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By College Press Services

SEWARD, Neb. — More colleges have changed their academic calendars this year, with most switching from a quarter to an early-sen­ter calendar, according to an annual study.

The number of colleges report­ing that a change was 131, up from 91 last year. That's the highest number in 20 years, according to the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, which con­ducts the study.

The biggest change was in North Carolina, where 60 colleges decided to switch from the quarter to the early-sen­ter calendar.

About a third of U.S. colleges, from about 800, have changed to the early-sen­ter calendar, in which the first term starts in late August and ends before Christmas, according to the association. In all, 75 colleges dropped the quarter calendar, which only 18 percent of colleges use. Under a quarter calendar, the first term starts in late September and ends in December.

Only 32 colleges continue to use the traditional semester sys­tem, in which first-term classes end in January, after the holiday break.

Garbage Collectors Return Lost Tuition

TORRANCE, Calif. — When two garbage collectors found a wallet stuffed with almost $6,000 in a downtown alley, they thought the money wasn’t real. But the women who found the wallet — AIDS activists in the city of Los Angeles — was definitely real to the couple who lost it. In fact, the money was for their 20-year-old daughter, who is attending the University of California-­Los Angeles.

The collectors turned the wallet over to their boss, who found an address inside the wallet and drove it to the couple’s home. “I asked his name. Then I asked if he had lost anything,” the boss, Juan Aguirre, told the Associated Press. “He said, ‘A substantial amount of money.’ So I hand him the wallet. He goes, ‘Oh my God, I don’t believe this.’”

The couple, who did not want to be identified, said they had closed out some bank accounts in the process of transferring the money to another account when the husband lost the cash.

Aguirre credited his employ­ees with the happy ending to the story—both for finding the wallet and not keeping the cash them­selves. “You don’t find too many people this honest,” he told the AP.

AIDS No Longer No. 1 Killer of Young Adults

ATLANTA — A report released yesterday has AIDS ranked as the No. 1 killer of young adults, according to a study that was released yesterday.

The report said that life expectancy reached an all-time high of 70.1 years in 1996, up from 75.8 in 1995.

Chocolate: Good For You?

LONDON — At last, the news you’ve been waiting for: Eating chocolate is good for you.

That’s according to the president of the U.S. chocolate industry, who told a world cocoa confer­ence in London that eating chocolate every day may actually help stave off heart attacks.

“First, in a Pennsylvania State University study, done in 1991­92, showed that a milk chocolate bar per day as part of a reason­able diet actually had a favorable effect on HDL cholesterol,” said Lawrence Graham, president of the U.S. Manufacturers Association.

Also, it’s just a myth that chocolate causes acne breakouts, migraine headaches and aller­gies, he added.

“The health, the area we have been working for years in identi­fying and evaluating issues is sig­nificant to the cocoa industry,” he said. Studies show no link between pimples breaksouts and chocolate, he said, and there’s no scientific evidence that the sweet stuff causes migraines or aller­gies.

Another plus: “There is some evidence that the chemical reac­tions in your body when you eat chocolate are similar to what happens when you fall in love,” he said.

Graham added that all of the “myth-dissipating” studies are helping U.S. chocolate sales hit their highest levels ever. Sales have grown 5 percent to 6 per­cent a year for several years, while chocolate consumption in most of Europe has fallen off.

Penn Settles Suit About “Water Buffalo” Remark

PHILADELPHIA — A former University of Pennsylvania stu­dent who sparked a national debate on political correctness by calling a group of black students “water buffalo” has settled his $50,000 lawsuit against the university.

Eden Jacobowitz, who graduat­ed from Penn and is now a first­year law student at Fordham University, said the university last year, claiming the incident caused him emotional distress.

Penn admitted no wrongdoing and paid Jacobowitz nothing in settle­ment, the lawsuit said, the uni­versity’s general counsel, Shelley Green, had in 1993. Jacobowitz had bailed out of his dorm window and shout­ed “Shut up, you water buffalo” to five black roommates and thought they were making too much noise and disturbing his study­in.

The women formally charged Jacobowitz with racial harass­ment under the university’s hate­speech policy, but later withdrew the charge.

Penn dropped its hate-speech policy later that year after it became the center of a national discourse on political correct­ness.

In filing the lawsuit, Jacobowitz said he never had a chance to prove his innocence before the charges were dropped. He also claimed the incident made him have suffer academi­cally.

Student wins tuition as VMI suspends female cadet

By KATE KOMPAS

College Press Service

AMES, Iowa — A recent Iowa State sports fan Nathan Jesse thought he was getting a season pass for Cybercock football.

Little did he know that he needed to be draw­n from a pool of 1,800 football fans for million-dollar-free season tickets to Iowa State University.

Jesse, a freshman in agricultur­al business, was announced the winner of the free-sweeps sweep­stakes for the 1997 fall semes­ter.

The “seemingly-give-away” was part of Iowa State’s season ticket promotion, where fans could reserve their season tickets early. Jesse’s tuition will be paid by the marketing department, which was in charge of the contest.

Students were given the oppor­tunity to buy discounted season tickets, but they also could register their names for the free sweepstakes.

The only requirement for the contest was to place the ticket order before the July 25 deadline.

Jesse’s name was drawn random­ly from the pool of ticket-buyers. Jesse, of Mount Union, Iowa, said he was planning to pay for this semester’s fees with money he earned from his part-time job, and with some help from his par­ents.

Needless to say, Jesse said his mother was happy with his win. “My mom didn’t believe me at first, but she’s is very happy for me,” Jesse said. “I’m glad I won. The money definitely helps me out a lot.”

Jesse, who took several classes this summer, is still expected to pay for his books, meal plan and living expenses.

He said he joked about winning the contest, but he never actually expected his name would be drawn.

Jesse said the only friend who expressed hard feelings was a marketing official who “drew the other check to the me.”

“She thought he should have won,” Jesse said. “He was mad, only in a joking way.”

For Jesse, the appeal of win­ning the contest wasn’t the only reason he placed the season tick­et order.

“I’m a Cyberfan, both foot­ball and basketball,” he said. “I’m a Cyberfan ’til I die!”

By COLLEEN DE BAISE

College Press Service

LEXINGTON, Va. — The Virginia Military Institute has suspended one of its first-year cadets for striking a super­annuum.

The incident happened shortly after classes started, officials at the formerly all-male col­lege said.

“Unfortunately, one of our cadets, after some altercation with another cadet, actually struck a super­annuum in the dining hall. The cadet was suspended immediately,” said VMI Superintendent Major Gen. Joseph Burns in a statement.

The college would not release details of the incident, the cadet, Angelica Garza, has been suspended for two semesters but would be re-entering next year.

The announcement comes just weeks after VMI enrolled 30 women in its first co-ed class.

The 158-year-old college was forced to admit women this fall, after the college turned co-ed.

The action taken was according to policy later that year after it became the center of a national discourse on political correct­ness.

The incident took place in a downtown alley, the college said. The women formally charged the cadet, a 20-year-old cadet, with assault, according to the university.

Two of the four women who enrolled last year were dropped out after one semester, saying they were hazed and sexually harassed by male cadets.

Former cadet Jeanie Montavon announced Sept. 9 that she is suing the Citadel, five male cadets, and one officer who offered the bar­racks where she was assigned.

A preliminary hearing in the lawsuit claims the defendants’ “threats, indignities, physical assault and humiliating treatment which went far beyond any need to strengthen or accentuate plaintiff to the rigors of military discipline.”

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The Vagabond
Feeling Blue? You'll Like Delft

By DOUG LANSKY
College Press Service

DELFt, NETHERLANDS - My first experience with ceramics was a one-month adjunct course in college. I would sit at a spinning wheel with a wet lump of clay and try to transform it into a beautiful vase with my bare hands. Without fail, I'd end up with a deformed ashtray.

By the end of the course, I had a collection of 16 Delft-esque ashtrays, which was fine, except I didn't smoke.

I remember my instructor once mentioned a special, blue-painted ceramic that depicted Dutch landscapes. She assured me that a large portion of America was very fond of this "Delftware." I don't recall, however, if she ever mentioned where "Delft" was. I finally went looking for it myself.

The town of Delft is about an hour's drive south-west of Amsterdam. My first stop was at Keramiek Boyan, a small, touristy shop on the main square run by Davor Staj, Davor, a 30-something self-taught artist, invited me to spend the day with him in his ceramics shop as an apprentice. In exchange for helping out, I could keep everything I created that wasn't high enough quality to sell. Yep, free mutated Delftware!

I watched Davor work for a while, but mostly learned how to sell little Delft trinkets and big Delft trinkets to French and German tourists. Davors seemed to be unloading tourists relentlessly, and sometimes they'd enter Davor's small shop on masse.

"How much is this?"
"Why is it blue?"
"Where's the McDonald's?"

I never realized just how draining it could be to answer stupid tourist questions for an entire day. When I wasn't needed to attend to the tourists, I drew a windmill onto a white tile with a series of Chinese designs and added typical Dutch landscapes to it. When I wasn't needed to attend to the tourists, I drew a windmill onto a white tile with a series of Chinese designs and added typical Dutch landscapes to it. Under the supervision of a master Porceleyne Fles painter, I was concentrating so much as blown my nose on the tile, but it still went on to dry, then baked, then painted, then baked again before it would be sold, probably to a Chinese tourist for an incredible amount of money.

About 400 years ago, Dutch trading ships brought back some porcelain from China. Before long, the Dutch became quite fond of it. However, because it took the Dutch trading ships two years to make the round-trip journey, the porcelain (or "China") was very expensive. So, the Dutch decided to undercut the Chinese and make the stuff themselves.

As it happened back in the 1600s, there was a war in Friesland, much of the region, caught up in the war, had less time for drinking beer. Therefore, the major breweries around Delft went out of business.

And when the ceramic people decided to set up shop, they moved right into the deserted breweries.

But this isn't the funny part. Several porcelain companies sprang up around Delft in the mid-1600s. They took the basic Chinese designs and added typical Dutch land-
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Experience music project

Website offers variety of music to download

By STEVE BARNES
Web Editor

CYBERSPACE - Pearl Jam, Jimi Hendrix, Bob Dylan. What do these musicians have in common? Well, for one thing, you can find them all online at the Experience Music Project (EMP) website.

EMP bills the site as a preview of their interactive music museum, which is scheduled to open in Seattle in 1999. Within this site can be found musical clips, biographies and photos from some of today's hottest bands. There's also a mix of original and interactive chat rooms where musicians can exchange ideas about the industry.

The Northwest Passage section is dedicated to Seattle-based bands such as Soundgarden, Nirvana and, of course, Pearl Jam. A family-tree-like graphic shows the history and cross-pollination of some of the major bands to come from the area. With a quick glance, you can follow these bands' developments and find out where your favorite musicians got their start. The section also includes biographies and sound clips from the 20 featured bands.

The Guitars area charts the history of every major rock and roll guitar, from the Vivianos to the Stratocaster. Not only can you see pictures and check out the specifications of these guitars, you can play them, too. Just drag your mouse across the guitar to hear it. You can also listen to samples of work done by famous musicians.

Revelations looks into the influences of contemporary artists who have helped shape rock and roll history. Here you will find biographies, interviews and video and audio clips of guitar legends such as Dick Dale and Jimi Hendrix.

World Jam is the community area of EMP. Musicians and non-musicians alike can exchange musical ideas, songs, and riffs in the various chat rooms. There is also a classified section to help bands and musicians find each other. If you are looking for a band to join, just enter your musical style, instrument and geographic location and the program will do a search of its database and give you the contact information of a band in search of your talents. An entire section is also dedicated to Jimi Hendrix, though when I tried to access it, my system locked up - twice. It sounds like a really cool area though, so I'll try it back in a few days. The section features pages from his lyric notebook and some of his early clips, as well as a collection of Hendrix memorabilia. The Vault features memorabilia from a wide array of artists. It includes photos of guitars, set lists and promotional items. It also includes pieces that are too fragile to exhibit in the actual museum.

If you are planning a trip to Seattle, check out the Set List section. Here you will find listings of local clubs and the musicians scheduled to play that week and ticket pricing information. Also included are photos of the insides and outdoors of major Seattle clubs.

Experience Music Project promotes itself as, "An interactive music museum celebrating creativity and innovation as expressed through American popular music and exemplified by rock 'n' roll." The museum, which is scheduled to open in 1999, will feature a traditional museum, a music school, research facilities and live performances.

This site is very cool, though it tends to be a little slow to load sometimes due to the large number of high-quality graphics. The design is slick and visually appealing.

To experience all the site has to offer, you will need sound and video capabilities on your computer and Shockwave, a program which you can download directly from this site. If you don't have a powerful enough set-up, try logging in on the computer center in the Student Union.

If you know of a web site you think other students would enjoy, I'd like to hear from you. Drop me a line at news-guy@usa.net and I'll try to showcase the site in an upcoming review.
Accommodating learning disabled students: the debate over what's fair

By SUNNI DENICOLA

College Press Service

Sonnolent Samantha was described by one student as a "false student"-a slacker taking advantage of the American Disabilities Act to get out of meeting academic requirements. In several 1995 speeches, Samantha was held up as an example by Westling, who has denounced the "fraud" of the learning disabilities movement.

Well, Samantha proved to be a false student, but not because of an LD claim. Westling had neglected to mention that Samantha did not exist, she was just a fictive illustration for his platform.

Now, two years later, the most famous student who never was at Boston University has served to illustrate the tug-of-war that exists between educators who rally against watering down academic standards to accommodate sometimes hard-to-measure student disabilities and between students who want to see their academic playing field leveled so they can compete, too.

Last month a federal court reversed a ruling in favor of learning disabled students who charged Boston University with violating the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). ADA prohibits educational institutions from discriminating against students with specific learning disabilities. Six of the 16 students filing suit were together awarded nearly $30,000.

Yet, instead of being a litmus test for higher education's handling of LD students, both sides are using the case as a victory and many questions about where to draw the line still are unclear. BU was found in violation largely because of the way in which it handled learning disability accommodation policy changes. Not able to respond to the abrupt reversal of policy, in any case, not enough, some LD students felt like victims of a bureaucratic power play.

Until 1995, BU had a reputation as a leader when it came to providing services to LD students. In her ruling, U.S. District Judge Patti B. Saris described how the university actually responded through its Learning Disabilities Support Services (LDSS). LDSS officials, she noted, did not Jacobs appropriate, offer note takers, extended test times, support groups, taped textbooks and tutorial services. Students were able to attend a summer program to help in the transition from high school to college. Although not required by law, in some cases, courses such as the Arts of Japan or the Anthropology of Money were offered as substitutes for a foreign language or math requirements.

But all that changed in the spring of 1995 when, the judge wrote, Westling and BU "Prov[ied] discovered" that class substitutestudents were occurring. Westling appointed his assistant, Craig Klafter, to research the situation. Primarily Klafter wanted scientific proof that students with LD can not successfully study math and foreign language. BU found that no such proof existed. BU also revised other policies, requiring LD students be retested every three years, thereby creating evaluations held a specific degree or license. This left many students scrambling to arrange for retesting and for the money to cover the costs for these tests. These sudden changes, along with what students described as the administration's "failing to provide reasonable procedures for evaluation and review of a student's request for accommodations," led the students to file suit.

Judge Saris agreed students, particularly those with LD, were being "mixed and inconsistent messages from university administrators." Many students found themselves in limbo awaiting accommodations; several floundered under the stress. One student testified that she spent four days and more than $800 being retested, only to have her dyslexia (which experts say does not change after age 18) confirmed.

In her decision, Saris wrote that the decision to stop course substitutions was an "uninformed stereotype by the President and his staff that many students with learning disabilities are lazy fakers, and that many evaluators are "snake oil salesmen" who overdiagnose the disability."

But BU also prevailed, in that they do not have to waiver math requirements and have been given a semester to present their case concerning the waiver of foreign language and math often are major obstacles for certain types of LD, primarily dyslexia, say educators.

BU previously granted course substitutions for these requirements to about a dozen students annually. After the ruling was filed, BU also modified some of its other mandates so that by the time they went to trial the judge found them unenforceable.

Perhaps the most important outcome of the case may be to draw attention to the debate about how colleges should deal with LD students. BU's Westling has publicly voiced how he believes higher education is "incompetent" in trying to accommodate LD. He expressed concern that evaluators, often not properly credentialed, are too ready to label LD one and grant special dispensations instead of pushing for them to simply work harder. He also asserted that there is a dearth of scientific information proving that LD students cannot conquer some subjects.

When denying that LD exists, he claimed the LD movement actually imposes disabled students who could overcome the academic difficulties with "extra concentration effort." He also believed it was unfair to non-LD students, and overall, "wreaked educational havoc."

Other educators strongly disagree with Westling's assessment. GailAnn Rickert, associate dean of academic advising at Gettysburg College, paints a dramatically different picture of the accommodations LD students who need to wear spectacles. We have many students who don't need spectacles and who do not want to need them to wear them. But for those who do, we say, Of course, put on your spectacles.

"When it comes to a concern about fairness, well, that means absolute equality then it is a problem...because some need spectacles, and some don't, to be able to see the blackboard."

In her ruling, Saris criticized Westling's use of Sonnolent Samantha and says that Westling admitted Samantha did not even represent the typical LD students he had encountered. Further, the judge says, there was not a single documented instance at BU in which a student has been found to have fabricated a learning disorder to claim eligibility for academic adjustments. Many LD students scrambling to arrange for evaluation and review of a student's request for accommodations were offered as substitutes for a foreign language or math requirements. In several 1995 speeches, Samantha was held up as an example by Westling, who has denounced the "fraud" of the learning disabilities movement."

Until 1995, there was not a single documented instance at BU in which a student has been found to have fabricated a learning disorder to claim eligibility for accommodations. Even though Westling claims it is a "skeptic" in the litigation, invoking Samantha set the tone for a more personal attack against LD students instead of a straightforward argument for a reevaluation of accommodation requirements. This was particularly disheartening for William "Kip" Opperman, the former LDSS director, who resigned in early 1996 as a result of BU's changes. Opperman says that in his 12 years at BU, he had never seen students try to take advantage of the accommodations. "It's not like we didn't turn some students down. We didn't just rubber stamp students through; we had to have a legitimate reason [to allow them as LD]."

And for the analogy of Samantha, Opperman, now an ADA consultant, bristles..."To let her sleep in class...well, we never, ever need to give accommodation to allow a student to sleep in class. That is absolutely ridiculous; that is something synonymous with fraud.

Rickert says, who about 6 percent of this year's new students at Gettysburg report some sort of LD. "I agree. I haven't seen students trying to take advantage of the system...they are all interested in doing well."

Saris says, he doesn't deny there may be some out there, but that a problem that needs to be looked at is the academic difficulty with "extra concentration effort." Absolutely not! Is every evaluator up to snuff? No, but you find that in anything. You only hear about the problem student, which is a very, very small minority compared to the students who scrutinize that the academic difficulty with "extra concentration effort." Absolutely not! Is every evaluator up to snuff? No, but you find that in anything. You only hear about the problem student, which is a very, very small minority compared to the students who scrutinize that the academic difficulty with "extra concentration effort."

But academics ever reach a consensus on what it takes to be a successful college student? For example, should a college graduate be able to spell? Spelling often is a major stumbling block for LD students.

While spelling is important, Rickert says, the question should be whether it is "important enough to keep students away from exploring other incredible talents? I would be horrified to think students who achieve great things would be kept out because they couldn't spell."

"I don't think Einstein couldn't spell either. There are many intelligent people who can't spell and yet invent things out of a bag of paper. So, some words, are more complicated than others, but he or she might just find the cure for cancer."
Computer stolen in the Student Union

By BRIAN SMITH
News Editor

On Sept. 8, at 1:48 p.m., a white or hispanic male stole a Dell notebook computer, valued at about $4,000 from the UCF computer store.

The suspect, 18-22, is about 5 feet 8 inches tall, 150-170 pounds. He was wearing baggy jeans, dark colored sneakers and a bold striped long-sleeved Oxford shirt. The stripes on the shirt were either navy blue or forest green. The dark brown or black hair man was also wearing a dark colored baseball cap with an emblem on the front and lettering on the back.

If you saw someone who fit this description in the Student Union on the day of the crime, call Detective Oliver of the UCFPD, 823-5993.
Volleyball continues TAAC dominance

By BROOK BENNETT
Staff Writer

The UCF Arena crowd of 398 fans were leading the cheerleaders a couple of times during the Sept. 26 volleyball match against the Florida Atlantic Owls. One fan even held a sign saying, "UCF-the No. 1 team in the country."

And why not? In front of a Sunshine Network audience, the Knights won their 59th consecutive Trans America Athletic Conference match. UCF is now 14-1, has yet to lose a game in three TAAC matches and is ranked 34th in the USA Today/AVCA poll.

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UCF has yet to lose a game in TAAC match play. A senior-laden Knight squad could earn UCF's first top 25 ranking by season's end.

Win at UF could cure what ails women's soccer

By KEN JACKSON
Staff Writer

After breaking into the college soccer regional rankings, the UCF women's soccer team dropped both games of the first major road trip on their schedule.

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UCF at Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Sept. 26
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Goalkeeper Alyssa O'Brien had a career-high 15 saves in UCF's double-overtime loss to the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.
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Auburn v. UCF: get used to it

Auburn, ranked eighth in the country in the coaches' poll, should represent the final ranked opponent UCF will face all season. That of course, is unless Mississippi State (3-1) or sur­prising Toledo (0-6) find their way into the rankings. The Tigers will be UCF's final road game each of the next two sea­sons.

Auburn will be a popular oppo­nent in other Knight sporting events as well. The UCF men's basketball team opens the regu­lar season with the Tigers at the UCF Arena Nov. 14. The Auburn baseball team will play UCF on Feb. 6 as a part of The Olive Garden Classic in Kissimmee, FL. Even the women's soccer team is getting into the act, as the Knights host the Tigers on Nov. 2 in a noon match on the UCF Arena Soccer Field.

Big-time attendance

Not only is UCF getting nation­al exposure but they are being seen by record amounts of fans. In the last four games, the Knights experi­enced the second­largest crowd in their history (81,908) at South Carolina, the fifth­largest (75,327) at Nebraska, the largest home crowd (41,827) against Idaho and as Auburn the largest (82,109) in UCF football history.

The good

The Knights' Darryl Latimore making a spectacular intercep­tion to stall an Auburn drive in the first half.

Todd Cleveland coming up with his first true big play of the sea­son. His 47-yard reception in the second quarter set up a one-yard touchdown reception by tight end Joey Hubbard, tying the score at 14.

Some of the backups got a chance to showcase their skills in the fourth quarter. Foremost among them was Dwight Collins. The freshman out of Lake Charles, LA, finished as UCF's leading rusher, gaining 24 yards on five carries. "Dwight is very talented, and he'll get his shot to show just what he can do before all is said and done," said coach Gene McDowell.

The bad

The UCF running attack was stifled again as it gained only 45 yards on 29 carries. Grant, who scampered in with the Knights' first touchdown, gained 21 yards on a team high 11 carries. Culpepper also carried 11 times (mostly sacks and when he was forced to scramble) for one yard.

Dwight Collins was the lone back who didn't lose yardage on any of his attempts, gaining 24 yards on five carries.

"If you are a one-dimensional offense, you'll have trouble mov­ing on us," said Auburn coach Terry Bowden.

Todd Cleveland being caught from behind on his 47-yard reception.

Fred Waczewski's first miss of the season coming on a blocked kick on the Knight's first drive.

The Tigers scored on the ensuing possession thanks to a rough­ing the kicker call earlier in the drive.

Grant's touchdown in the sec­ond quarter was his fifth rushing touchdown and seventh overall on the season.

The record setting

Mark Nonsant's 10-reception game ties a host of Golden Knight receivers for fifth on the all-time list for receptions in a game. It was a personal best for Nonsant and was also the most receptions Auburn has allowed an individual all season. Nonsant moved past Jeff Firebell and Mark Whitmore into sixth on the all-time receptions chart with 106 catches. The next target on the list is Bernard Ford, with 111. His 96 yards receiving gave him 1,579 in his career and moved him past Arniel Speaper for sev­enth on the all-time list.

Marek Butcher's 67-yard punt in the first quarter, was not only a personal best, but the fourth longest in UCF history. Butcher has also authored a 66-yarder, the fifth longest. Glenn McCombs owns the record with a 77-yarder against maine on Oct. 29, 1983. Butcher wasn't quite done, however, as his 564 punting yards at Auburn rank 7th in Knight history.

—BY TONY MEJIA

UCF FOOTBALL SEASON STATS

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Placekicking:

Fred Waczewski - 56 field goals, long of 31, 16/16 extra points, 31 total points.

Interceptions:

Darryl Latimore - 1 (14 yards), Reginald Doster - 1 (no gain), Mike Palmer - 1 (no gain).

Sacks:

Jermaine Benoit 3.0, Mike Osuna 1.5, Fred Hurley 1.0, Mike Palmer 1.0, Emery Green 0.5.

Fumble Recoveries:

Jeff Fye 3, Deaubrey Devine 1, Jameil McWhorter 1, Scott Kairstil 1, Earnell Kelly 1.
STAT BOX

Central Florida Knights vs. Auburn Tigers

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- Auburn - (9:59) - Karsten Bailey 7-yard pass from Dameyune Craig (Jaret Holmes kick)
- UCF - (3:20) - Mike Grant 1-yard run (Fred Waczewski kick)
- Auburn - (7:48) - Rusty Williams 1-yard run (Holmes kick)
- UCF - (9:59) - Joey Hubbard 1-yard pass from Daunte Culpepper (Waczewski kick)
- Auburn - (12:01) - Fred Beasley 1-yard run (Holmes kick)

Second Quarter
- Auburn - (3:02) - Craig 8-yard TD RUN (Holmes kick)
- Auburn - (9:26) - Williams 24-yard run (kick failed)

Third Quarter
- Auburn - (3:02) - Kevin McLeod 4-yard pass from Craig (Holmes kick)

Fourth Quarter
- UCF - (3:20) - Dwight Collins 5-24, Grant 11-21, Kendrick Moore 1-2, Culpepper 11-1, Jason Thorpe 1(-3)
- Passing - Culpepper 19-30-0-210, Thorpe 1-(-3)
- REceiving - Mark Nonsant 10-96, Siaha Burley 4-32, Todd Cleveland 2-58, Grant 2-3, Charles Lee 1-16, Hubbard 1-1
- MISSED FIELD GOALS - Waczewski 22 (Blocked)

Auburn held UCF to 45 yards on 29 carries.
Knights favored on road

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"We're changing from containing the quarterback to this week, containing the running back," Osuna said. "We need to contain Whatley. We've heard he had over 300 yards in his last game."

Osuna said UCF has a solid run defense that should be fired up to play a back like Whatley.

"He's a good kid," he said. "If we stop him, we force them to pass and I think we can win the game."

With Whatley the focus of the ground game, Kent's passing attack centers around junior wide receiver Eugene Baker. Baker has 389 yards and three touchdowns on 24 receptions. The receiver's 6-foot-2 frame could give UCF's smallish cornerbacks a problem, but Corrigall is not so confident.

"I've been to a lot of NFL camps and they all have short cornerbacks," Corrigall said. "The bottom line is they are like basketball players. Officiating today allows defensive backs to bump wide receivers more and some 5-9 defensive backs can vertically jump 30 inches."

Corrigall said having leaders like Whatley and Baker make his job much easier.

"They've never forgotten their humility," he Corrigall said. "With Baker and Whatley there's no shake and bake. There is none of that edging out God kind of stuff."

And Lord knows, David needs God to be Goliath. And a good slingshot.

AT A GLANCE

What:
Oct. 4, Central Florida at Kent University, 2 p.m.

Where:
Dix Stadium, Kent, Ohio

Stadium Capacity:
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Head Coaches:
Kent - Jim Corrigall, 6-30-1 in his fifth year with the Golden Flashes. UCF - Gene McDowell, 6-10 in his second year in Division I with the Knights. 

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Notes:
The Golden Flashes (1-3) got 373 rushing yards from Aston Whatley, the fifth-highest total in Division I-A history, to lead Kent to a 41-38 victory over Eastern Michigan (0-3). Whatley's 179 yards per game average has him second in the country. His 111 attempts are the most among the country's top 20 rushers. ... Receiver Eugene Baker is the Golden Flashes other offensive threat. Baker had 24 receptions for 389 yards and three touchdowns in the first three games. ... The defense is led by linebackers Roger Terry, who has a team-leading 41 tackles. Terry was in on 154 stops in 1996. The Knights are favored on the road by an astounding 24 points. ... Before this past week-end's games, UCF was 46th in the Sagarin Power Ratings with Kent 125th. ... Guicepepper was forced to throw short passes against Auburn. Look for UCF to go deep early and often with receivers Siaha Burley (30 receptions for 498 yards and two touchdowns) and Mark Nonnast (21 for 320, one touchdown). ... The Knights' held Auburn to 117 yards rushing, with almost half coming on scrambles by Tiger quarterback Dantezine Craig. ... UCF is on track for last season's low interception total of six. The Knights' have three through five games.
UF coach highest paid in college football

By MARCO BUSCAGLIA
GAINESVILLE, Fla. — Every time there’s a coaching vacancy in the NFL, Steve Spurrier’s name comes up. But after the rumors die down and the speculation turns to another, the University of Florida football coach always stays put.

He’ve said he does it for his players, for the school, even for the people of the state. And from now on, he’ll be doing it for the money, too.

Florida officials just made Spurrier, 52, the highest-paid coach in college football this season, and leaving the Knights, finishing with 211 yards on the ground.

Florida grad Andrew Kelver says he doesn’t mind the big payday, considering Spurrier’s roots as a Florida official.

“After halftime we knew we had to put some pressure on him; we just never really figured out how to do so,” said McDowell. “I thought it was going to take something big for us to win, some sort of miracle like a kickoff return or defensive touchdown, so I told the players to go out there and play hard, and see what happens.”

Auburn dominated the second half led by Craig’s 12 of 13 passing, including seven consecutive completions to start the third quarter. All three possessions ended in Tiger touchdowns as Auburn took a 14-7 lead after the final scoring drive early in the fourth quarter.

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“We’re not real happy being 1-4, because we got it handed to us tonight,” McDowell said. “We got beat by a very good team, that’s all. I don’t know if people are going to jump off our bandwagon. I do think if we win next week, we’ll be OK. That’s my hope.”

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“They are probably among the best defenses I’ve ever seen,” said Culpepper, who completed 10 of 16 passes for only 79 yards in the second half. “There were no weaknesses to pick on. They only wanted to give us short stuff and we took it, but we came up too short too many times. They depend on their defense to make big plays and stop us short, and they did that.”
Quarterbacks provide highlights

By TONY MEJIA
Staff Writer

AUBURN, AL - In every city Central Florida has visited, they rave about Daunte Culpepper. They don't know much about him, but they rave nonetheless. He is known as an unknown. A small school legend whose rock­et arm, formidable stature and impressive attributes have professional scouts showering him with praise.

Auburn's attitude was a little different. They heard the stories and read the scouting reports, but they weren't impressed. No, in rural Alabama they shrugged and said "so, we've got Dameyune Craig."

The showcase proved one­sided.

Craig's 417 yards of total offense (compared to Culpepper's 211) against the Knight defense was good for third in Auburn history. In his team's 4-0 start, Craig is 71 of 133 for 1,134 yards, seven touchdowns and only two inter­ceptions. He has also run 35 times (college includes sacks in rushing attempts) for 59 yards and two touchdowns. Craig is certainly deserving of Reisman consideration, especially with his team's undefeated start and top 10 ranking.

"He's an excellent quarter­back," said UCF defensive line­man Jameil McWhorter. "Whenever you play someone like Daunte or Dameyune Craig, you always try to contain them and flush them out of the pocket. The problem lies in the fact that even if you contain them on the outside, they can always go up the middle."

Any attempt to keep Craig in pocket proved useless. The nim­ble senior improvised and scram­bled for 360 yards in the air and a team-leading 57 yards on the ground.

"There isn't too much you can do against playmakers like them," McWhorter said. "They are always going to find ways to beat you."

Unfortunately for the Golden Knights, Culpepper couldn't find a way to beat Auburn. The junior from Ocala did play well against Auburn, going 19 of 30 for 210 yards and a touchdown, but couldn't match perhaps the best game of the Tiger senior's career. Through five games, the UCF junior has completed 92 of 164 for 1,249 yards, nine touch­downs and five interceptions. On

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Auburn quarterback Dameyune Craig accounted for 417 yards and three touchdowns for the Tigers.

the ground, Culpepper has 65 carries for 87 yards and two touchdowns.

Auburn defensive line coach Pete Jenkins. "He was all of that person tonight. He and everyone down there [at UCF] should be proud."

Both quarterbacks were pres­sured, although Culpepper was flushed out much more than Craig, and both made would-be tacklers miss repeatedly. Culpepper's size and strength allowed him to complete a couple of passes while in the grasp of defenders. Craig used his speed to create more time to throw.

"It was a pipe dream to hope he'd make a mistake against us," said UCF coach Gene McDowell. "He hasn't really messed up all year. We didn't get back to pressure him often and the few times we did the magician would get out of the trap. He killed us."

While the teams appear headed in different directions, the quar­terbacks appear headed for the same destination.

"I think they are both tremen­dous quarterbacks," said Auburn coach Terry Bowden. "It's going to be fun to see them face each other in the NFL. They both have the skills to be there."

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Kent's David faces UCF Goliath

By DEREK GONSOLIN
Sports Editor

For the first time this sea­son, UCF can consider itself the Goliath. As a 24-point favorite at Kent this week­end, the Knights may think the Golden Flashes will be a breeze after a bruising con­test at Auburn.

Kent has lost to Ohio, Youngstown State and Marshall by combined score of 47-117, proving their underdog status is justified. The Golden Flashes are in the bottom 10 in Division-I pass efficiency defense (107th), total defense (105th) and scoring defense (101st). Kent has forced just two punts in four games.

The problem for the Goliath Knights, Dan Davis has ammo for its sling­shot; run­ning back A stron Whately. Despite his 5-foot-9, 184­ pound frame, Whately is averaging 179 yards a game. His numbers compare more than favorably to UCF's Mike Grant, who had a team­leading 177 yards through the Knights first four games. In his fourth season for the Golden Flash, Whately has 3,829 yards and 24 touchdowns rushing in his career. One more yard and he becomes the pro­gram's all-time leading rush­er.

His career highlight came against Eastern Michigan on Sept. 20. The senior rushed for 373 yards against EMU, the fifth­best single­game effort in NCAA history. "It was just all out perform­ance by the whole team," Whately said. "A lot of peo­ple have been congratulat­ing me, but it's a team effort." A self­proclaimed com­plete­back, Whately says he has the speed and strength to make any play he is asked to. Despite the confidence in his abilities, Whately said he wasn't the go­to back in high school. The experience has made him humble even with the success he has enjoyed in college. "I'm a quiet guy," he said. "I just hung out with my roommates between prac­tices and games." McDowell said he was impressed with Whately's longest run of the EMU game. Whately dodged or broke tackles from several players and George line of scrim­mage en route to a 91­yard touchdown run. "I just watched that one (Monday) morning," McDowell said. "Eastern Michigan was in position to make the play with three dif­ferent­players and he made the play."

Kent's A stron Whately is two yards away from becoming the Golden Flashes all-time leading rusher.

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Quarterback Dannei Culpepper was pressured often by the Auburn defensive front.

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From the SPORTSDesk

Men's soccer loses second straight in overtime

Florida Atlantic's Christian Black scored off a free­kick from teammate Andreas Jansson to break a tie seven minutes into overtime to give the homestanding Owls a 3­2 victory over UCF.

The Knights scored the first goal of the match on the team's first shot of the game at 66:17. UCF's Eric Case set up the first of two scores by Harriki Rittwagen.

FAU's Ted Kaminski and Tommy Rolke set up Stu Biczak with the tying goal 11 minutes later. At 80:25, the Owls scored its second goal and began defensive play when Andreas Jansson served the ball in and Thomas Nygards rebound­ed the ball for the goal.

UCF was then fouled 30 yards out, placed the ball for a free kick and watched Rittwagen's sec­ond goal deflect off a FAU player for the tying goal at 82:06.

Jansson served the free kick into the mouth of the goal for Black's match­winning score.

The Owls outshot UCF, 15­6 and held a 9­1 advantage in corner­kicks.

Women's cross country wins Stetson Invitational

Shawn Maxberry and AnnMarie Dixon of UCF captured the men's and women's individual titles and Webber College and the Knights cap­tured the men's and women's team titles at the Stetson Cross Country Invitational, Sept. 26 at the Sterling Sports Complex in Deland.

Maxberry finished well ahead of the pack with a time of 28:29 in the 8K run. His closest com­petitor, Max Etienne of Webber, finished at 29:13. Maxberry was UCF's only runner in the men's event.

In the women's race, Dixon sprinted out to an early lead and was never challenged, finishing with a time of 20:21 in the 5K. Dixon was one of only five Knight runners to participate in the women's race.

Women's soccer earns first regional ranking

UCF's women's soccer team, unbeaten in its five outings before road games at Northern Illinois and Wisconsin­Milwaukee, moved into the Southeast Region Top 10 for the week of Sept., 22.

Coach Karen Richter's squad is 10th in the NSCAA/Inter­sport poll. The Knights, which had won four and tied one leading up to the first ranking of the season, are the four­time defending­champions of the Trans America Athletic Conference. The Knights are also fifth in the Big East Division play. Junior goalkeeper Alyssa O'Brien has shutout all three conference oppo­nents and had a 0.56 goals­against average and four shutouts over the five­game streak.

UCF (4-4-1) plays at the University of Florida, the No. 5 team in Southeast Region, in Gainesville on Oct. 3 at 8 p.m.

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1. North Carolina
2. Wake Forest
3. Clemson
4. Florida
5. UNC Greensboro
6. Georgia
7. North Carolina State
8. UNC Charlotte
9. UCF
10. LSU

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