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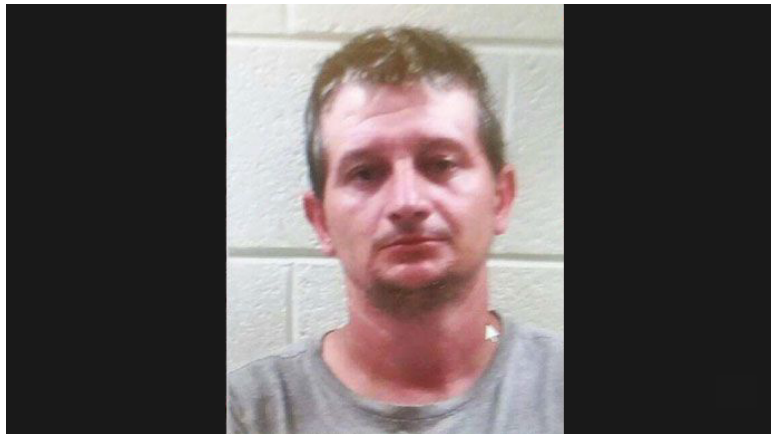
# THE GEORGE-ANNE DAILY



## Top stories from August 27, 2018

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**Editor's Note:** Thank you for subscribing to The George-Anne Daily Newsletter! Be sure and keep up with us through our social media links above.



### Suspect accused of kidnapping in Statesboro found dead

A man accused of kidnapping three women in Statesboro last night was found dead in Metter this morning. According to the Statesboro Police Department, his death was the result of an apparent suicide: [Full Story](#).



## Statesboro hosts its first Downtown Getdown

Statesboro will host its first Downtown Getdown, a free event with food and live music to celebrate the start of the GS football season, this Friday on East Main Street at 5:30 p.m. [Full Story](#)



## Recent Georgia Southern graduate lone survivor in Saturday's plane crash

A plane crash in Swainsboro left four people dead and one recent Georgia Southern University alumnus in critical condition on Saturday. GS alumnus William Middlebrooks is currently in critical condition. [Full Story](#)



## Quiz: How much do you know about Georgia Southern football?

With the first game of Georgia Southern's 2018 football season fast approaching, it may be time for us to brush up on our football facts. This quiz will test your knowledge of the GS football program from the 1920s to the 21st century. Take the quiz here: [Full Story](#)



## A night of firsts as Eagles blank Rams 2-0

Georgia Southern men's soccer kicked off their official season on the road Friday night with a 2-0 win over Virginia Commonwealth University: [Full Story](#).



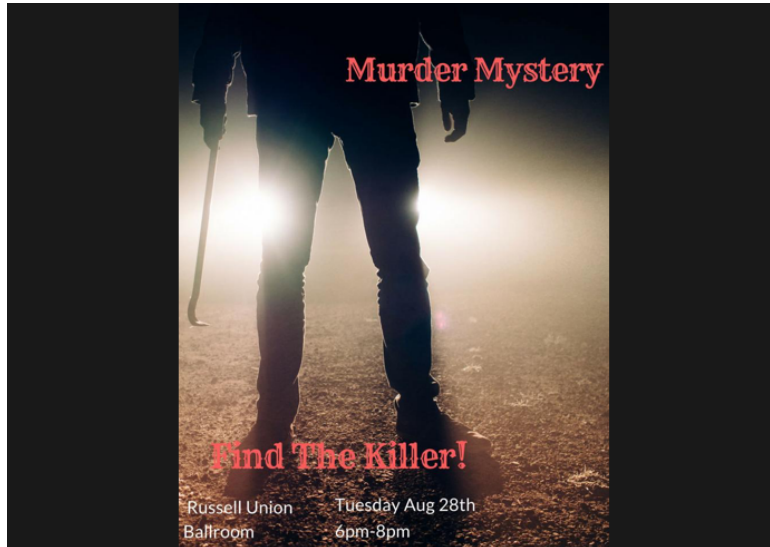
## Eagles split weekend games against Gamecocks and Runnin' Bulldogs

The Georgia Southern women's soccer team scored their first goal of the season Friday night in a 1-0 win over Jacksonville State, but couldn't carry the momentum into Sunday afternoon's 3-0 loss at Gardner-Webb: [Full Story](#).



## Carbonell's two late goals preserves Eagles' unbeaten season

In her Fall 2018 convocation speech, GS Interim President Shelley Nickel addressed the concern of dropping enrollment numbers in universities across the South, as well as the addition of new majors and programs to GS: [Full Story](#).



### UPB to host Murder Mystery event

The University Programming Board will host a Murder Mystery event on Tuesday that asks participants to solve a murder and find the killer: [Full Story](#).



### "Blind Willie" McTell statue to be unveiled Friday

The Blue Mile Committee and Statesboro-Bulloch Chamber of Commerce will unveil the "Blind Willie" McTell statue Friday morning. A blues legend, McTell was inducted into the Blues Foundation's Blues Hall of Fame in 1981 and into the Georgia Music Hall of Fame in 1989: [Full Story](#).

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