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## Climbing high at the RAC

Our photographers take a closer look at the new rock climbing facility in the RAC | **PHOTO ESSAY**, p. 2



# THE GEORGE-ANNE DAILY

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 2007

## Debit card dangers

*How to protect yourself against debit card theft*

By Renada Thomas  
Staff writer

You're in the mall and you pass by an outfit that you've just got to have. You go in the store, sweep the outfit off the rack, swipe your debit card and the outfit is yours.

Or maybe you're surfing the Web and you come across that pair of shoes that you've been wanting to buy. You take out your debit card, enter some numbers in the keyboard and your new shoes are on their way.

Sounds familiar? These two situations have something in common: debit cards.

Debit card use is at an all-time high and are now used more than cash, checks and even credit cards. But the same thing that makes debit cards so easy and simple also makes it simple and easy for thieves to have access to your bank account by having access to your personal identification number, or your PIN.

According to Jay Cook, financial advisor at BB&T, "Debit card usage is safe because the information provided is between the user and the bank. However, you should never ever keep your pin number on your person, and you should never ever give it out over the Internet or over the phone."

Losing your PIN or giving it to others gives them the same amount of access to your money that you have.

When students were asked what their attraction is to debit cards, most answered "convenience."

"It's just easier and quicker to swipe your card rather than to write

see **DEBIT**, page 8

# The Great American Cleanup 2007



Gamma Rho Lambda Cleans up the bypass near Georgia Southern during last year's Cleanup.

Special Photo

## Statesboro residents, students join Keep Bulloch Beautiful to clean up local litter

Special to the G-A

Volunteers across the county are getting ready to improve downtown areas, cleanup stream banks and remove litter for roadsides during Bulloch County's 7 annual Great American Cleanup, set to take place on Saturday, April 14.

The local event will be one of 30,000 Great American Cleanup events happening in all 50 states this spring.

"The Great American Cleanup continues to offer an opportunity for people to participate in making Bulloch County cleaner, greener, safer and more attractive place to live," said Jimmy High, president of the Keep Bulloch Beautiful Commission. "This event builds community pride in everyone who takes part in it."

Most groups participating in the Cleanup will be conducting roadside cleanups. Others will be cleaning up stream banks and making improvements to downtown areas.

More than 60 teams are currently registered for the Cleanup, and a total of 2500 volunteers are expected to participate.

Bulloch and Screven County residents will meet at the bridge after cleaning litter from the banks of the Ogeechee and each side of Highway 301 during the Cleanup as a symbol of the teamwork and cooperation by every community to remove litter and improve our environment. Screven County recently became certified as a Keep America Beautiful affiliate.

see **CLEAN**, page 8



Don't forget to recycle The G-A after you've read all the exciting stories!

## Trash Facts

### 'Litter-known' facts:

Motorists and pedestrians are often blamed for litter. There are actually seven primary sources:

- \* Household trash handling and its placement at the curb for collection
- \* Dumpsters used by businesses
- \* Loading docks
- \* Construction and demolition sites
- \* Pedestrians
- \* Motorists

### Cigarette litter facts:

\* Studies have shown that an individual who would never litter a beverage can, fast food package or other items may be dropping cigarette litter.

\* Because it is so small, many do not regard a cigarette butt as litter.

\* Cigarette butts represent over 20% of the litter collected in many community cleanup initiatives

\* Cigarette filters contain fibers that resemble a cotton thread called 'cellulose acetate' that break down in the environment at a slow pace and are not completely biodegradable

\* About 18% of all litter dropped to the ground is washed into streams, rivers, lakes and oceans by storm water runoff, creating a great danger to wildlife.



### What you can do to help:

- \* Use a portable ashtray in your car
- \* Carry a pocket ashtray
- \* Use ash tray receptacles when smoking outside
- \* Do not throw butts out of car windows
- \* Be aware of local litter ordinances

All information compiled from [www.keepbullochbeautiful.org](http://www.keepbullochbeautiful.org)



Jared Siri/STAFF

Georgia Southern alumnus Lance Simmens presents his slideshow about global warming to a nearly-full auditorium Monday

## Mychael Knight still shining after Project Runway

By Michael Burnside  
Staff writer

Georgia Southern alumnus Mychael Knight stood out among his peers.

He captivated America with his unique style and flavor on the hit Bravo show "Project Runway." He used everything from recycled materials to sheer talent.

Consistently one of the judges favorite designers each week, Knight was able to win the hearts of many with his bold, original and elegant approach to fashion.

Now, six months after the Project Runway finale, Knight is on a mission to "be one of fashion's biggest superstars."

A new deal with coffee giant Starbucks and a fashion collection has given Knight that chance to tailor the clothing industry to his own standards.

Long before Project Runway, Knight worked with celebrities like Jagged Edge, Ciara and 112. This exposure had him wanting more, so he auditioned for the show. Even though he did not win, the show gave



### Did you miss Mychael on Project Runway?

Don't worry!

Check out Mychael's designs on his Web site at [www.mychaelknight.com](http://www.mychaelknight.com)

And don't forget to keep an eye on Atlanta boutiques for Mychael's new stuff!



him the exposure Knight wanted to expand his name and fashion.

Since then, superstars and millions of fans have wanted to know how they can get clothes by Knight.

He was recently quoted as saying that he wants to "start a fashion district in Atlanta, and create a world renowned label." But until then, he sells his works in various Atlanta boutiques and has a couple of deals to stay busy.

For many, life after a reality show lasts shorter than a coffee break, but Knight has taken advantage of his exposure to further his pursuit of fashion.

Starbucks has recently contracted him in order to personalize free t-shirts for consumers, with each shirt specified according to the customer's favorite drink. Although this was a

great opportunity for Knight, the shirts were only available for a short period of time in February 2007.

If you were not able to get your hands on a shirt sporting your favorite coffee, Knight also has his own collection.

Sold at several boutiques in Atlanta, his clothes are made for the "sexy sophisticated secure woman." Ranging from chic swimsuits to refined formalwear, he designs with a street edge guaranteed to turn heads.

Knight has had several of his pieces featured in magazines such as "Ebony," "Atlanta Magazine" and "Peach."

Knight hopes to have mini-collections every few months. For more information, visit his Web site at [www.mychaelknight.com](http://www.mychaelknight.com).



Special Photo

Georgia Southern alum Mychael Knight is still going strong after making it to the finals in last season's fashion competition 'Project Runway.' Knight designed Starbucks t-shirts in February and is currently selling some of his work at boutiques in Atlanta.

## INSIDE

### GSU Scholar athletes honored

2006-2007 Scholar-Athletes of the year include, clockwise from top right: Laura-Ashley Harris, Heather Reynolds and Dusty Reddick. | **SPORTS**, p. 6

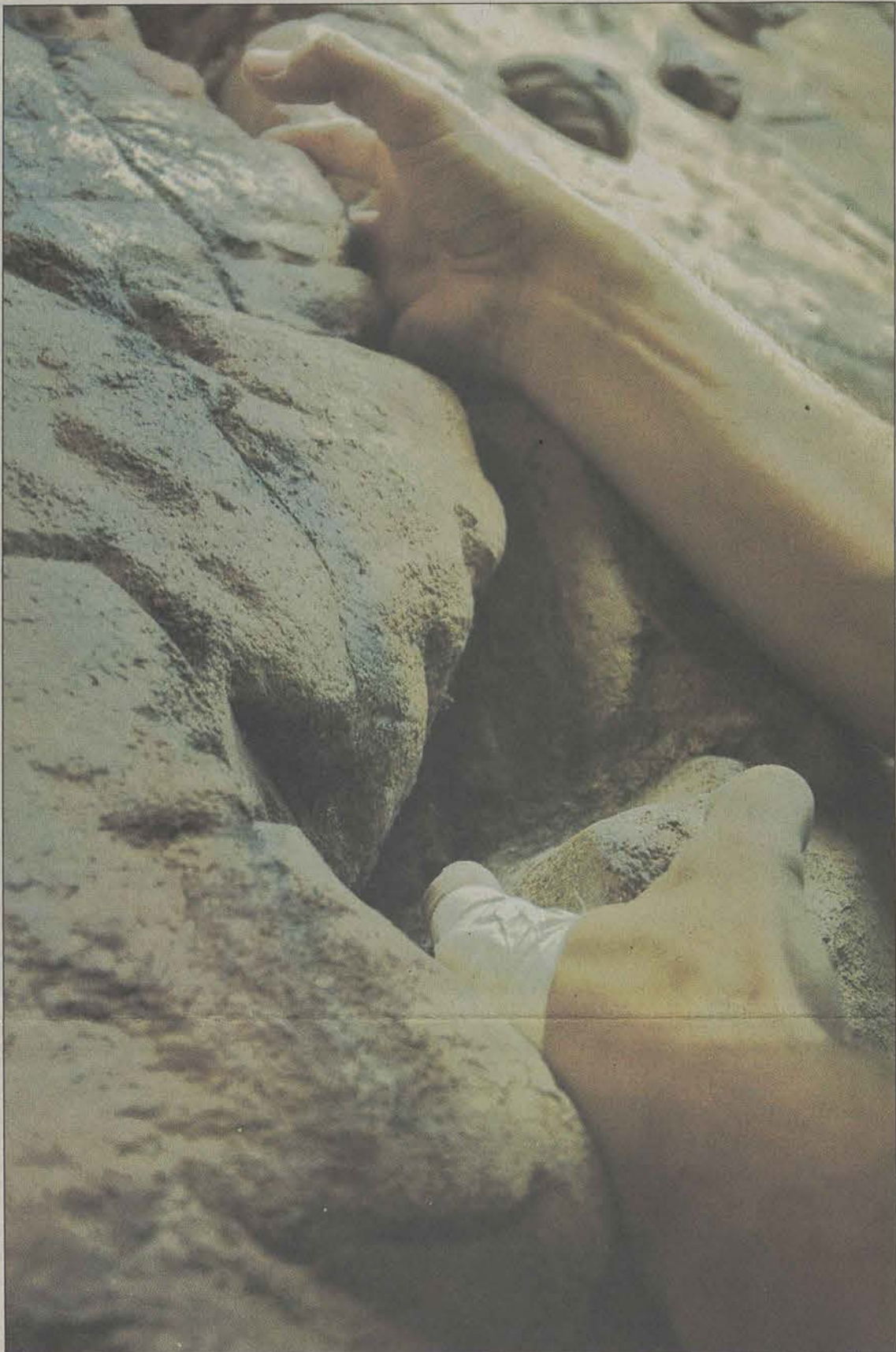
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The climbing anchor holds the weight for a climber on the wall.



Hands grasp the full feature crack from 42 feet up on the climbing wall.



Stacy Mark Moore, a GSU student, ventures up the RAC's new climbing wall.



Bryce Taylor pulls up the over hand.

# BELAY ON

The long anticipated Southern Adventures Climbing Wall opens today at the RAC. The event will begin at 6 p.m. and end at 10 p.m.

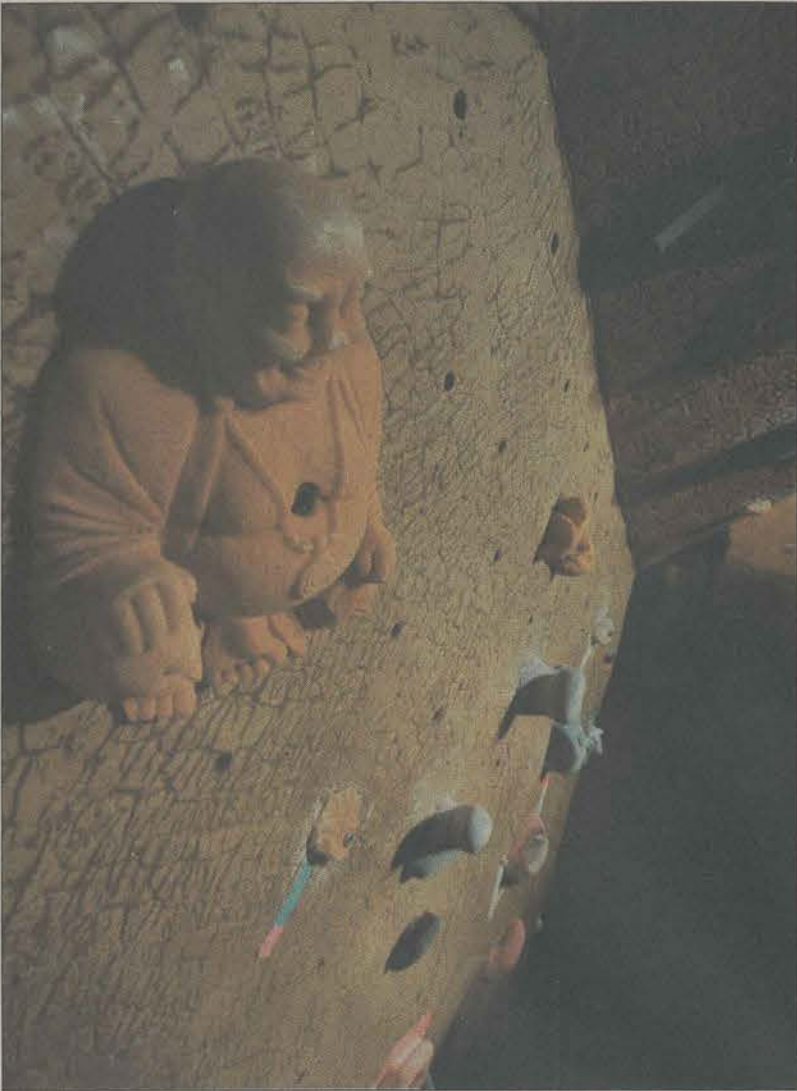
The RAC's 'Come Rock Out at the Rock Wall' invites students to come and enjoy the new addition.

The wall, which is 42 feet high, was molded from

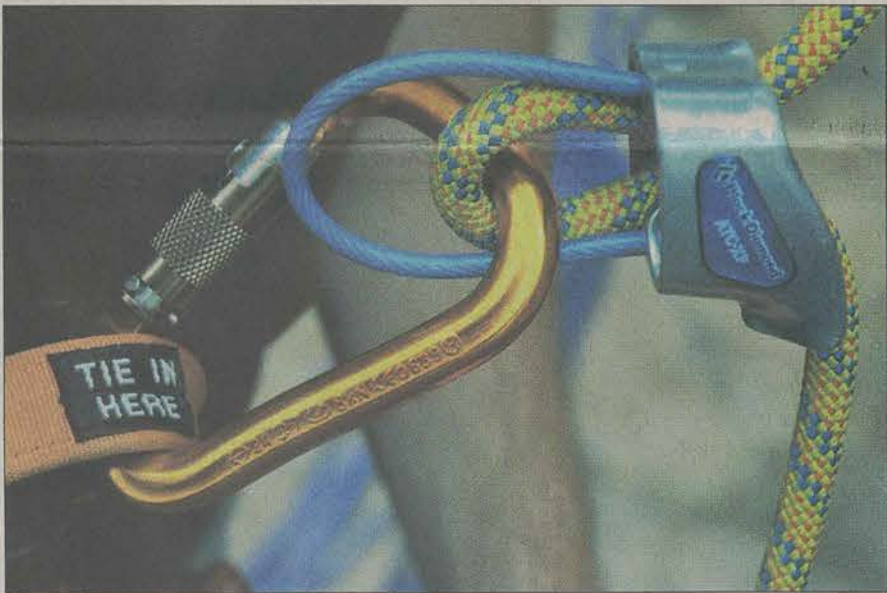
Minnesota's basaltic granite.

The new facility also offers a 760 square foot bouldering cave. Southern Adventures invites students and faculty to Rock Out at the Rock Wall Tuesday, April 10, 2007. The event will offer free food and giveaways from CRI, Halfmoon Outfitters and more.

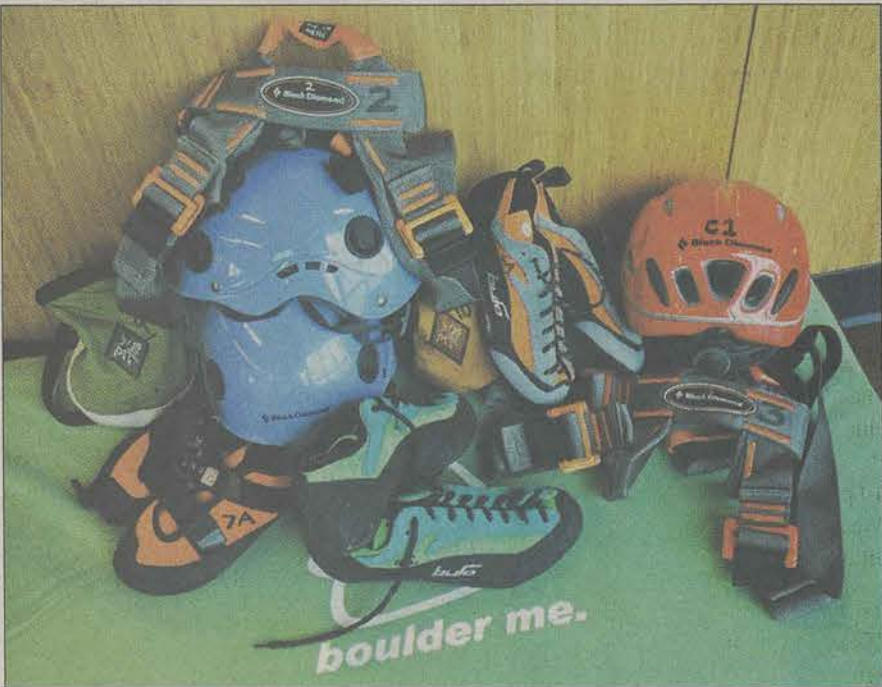
All photos by Daniel Flanders/STAFF



Budha stands at the top while students climb the bouldering cave.



The coiling rope allows for the climber to belay on.



The RAC offers equipment to students, free of charge.



## CALENDAR

## Tuesday, April 10

7 a.m. - 8 a.m.  
Campus staff prayer  
Russell Union 2043

3:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
FCL forum  
IT Auditorium 1004

5 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
RHJB hearing  
Russell Union 2054

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
ShuttleGus meeting  
Russell Union 2071

5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.  
Welcome week meeting  
Russell Union 2001

6 p.m. - 7 p.m.  
Tribeta meeting  
Biology Lecture 2217

6 p.m. - 7 p.m.  
How to find a Summer Internship  
Russell Union 2084

6 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
SGA meeting  
Russell Union 2047

6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
Habitat for Humanity  
Russell Union 2052

7 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
Deen Day Smith Awards  
Russell Union Ballroom

7:30 p.m.  
Long Day's Journey Into Night  
Black Box Theater

8 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
The Plug  
IT Auditorium 1004

8 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
DIMES model practice  
Russell Union 2048

8 p.m. - 11 p.m.  
S.I.F.E.  
Russell Union 2052

9 p.m. - 11 p.m.  
Swing Cats meeting  
Williams Center Dining Hall

## Wednesday, April 11

11 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.  
Red Cross blood drive  
Russell Union Ballroom

2 p.m. - 3:20 p.m.  
Southern Chorale rehearsal  
Williams Center Dining Hall

7 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
Eagle Entertainment meet  
Russell Union 2048

7 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
Bible study with professors  
IT 1005

7 p.m. - 9 p.m.  
Anime crew  
Russell Union 2042

7 p.m. - 9 p.m.  
NAACP meeting  
Russell Union 2080

8 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
Movie: "We Are Marshall"  
Russell Union Theatre

## POLICE BEAT

04-06-2007

- Officers issued one traffic warning, investigated one traffic accident, assisted three motorists and responded to one fire alarm.

04-07-2007

- Derek A. Schikal, 20, of Players Club Apartments, Statesboro, was charged with minor in possession/consumption of alcohol and theft by taking.
- Officers issued three traffic warnings, assisted three motorists and responded to one fire alarm.



Special Photo

Volunteers needed to help make this year's Special Olympics a success.

## Special Olympics seeks time and talent donation

By Ellen Eklund  
Staff Writer

The 2007 Georgia Special Olympics for Area 13 will be held at Georgia Southern's Track and Field facility on Friday, April 20, beginning at 10 a.m.

More than 225 athletes from Area 13 will compete in softball skills, track and field, soccer and soccer skills. Area 13 includes 12 counties in the southeast region of Georgia: Bulloch, Candler, Emanuel, Evans, Jenkins, Johnson, Montgomery, Screven, Tattnall, Toombs, Treutlen and Wheeler county.

"These are going to be the best games ever," said Scott Blanford, regional manager for Area 13. "The athletes have trained exceptionally hard and the management team has put a lot of time and hard work into games this year. I would like to personally challenge the members of our community to come out and be fans in the stands."

Special Olympics Georgia encourages community involvement and is in need of volunteers to help with the games. Volunteers will be responsible for escorting athletes to events, awarding winners and keeping scores during competitions.

The mission of Special Olympics

Georgia is to provide year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for all children and adults with intellectual disabilities. Participation provides continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness and social skills.

Participants six years of age or older who are identified by an agency or professional as having an intellectual disability are eligible to compete in the Special Olympics.

Prior to any Special Olympics competition, Georgia athletes are required to engage in an eight-week training program to develop skills and learn the rules and strategies from their coaches.

Some of the major sponsors for the games include Domino's Pizza, Party Impressions, Coca-Cola, Chic-fil-A, Wal-Mart Supercenter and the Wal-Mart Distribution Center. For more information, call 912-713-5533 or visit [www.specialolympicsga.org](http://www.specialolympicsga.org).

### Want to volunteer?

- Contact John Locke, volunteer coordinator, at 912-688-6035
- Arrive 45 minutes prior to the games
- Remember, no previous training or experience is required

# Build your 'D.R.E.A.M.S'

Society of Women Engineers seeks to promote and encourage other women to achieve careers in engineering and technology.

By Cindy Ann Kilgo  
Staff Writer

The Georgia Southern section of the Society of Women Engineers is hosting the first "Building Your D.R.E.A.M.S." fair this weekend.

Society of Women Engineers (SWE) is a not-for-profit educational and service organization that establishes engineering as a highly desirable career aspiration for women.

SWE's mission is to stimulate women to achieve full potential in careers as engineers and leaders, expand the image of the engineering profession as a positive force in improving the quality of life and to demonstrate the value of diversity.

SWE also strives to create awareness in the science, math and engineering fields and to generate a positive attitude towards technical careers not only for women but also for everybody.

The catchy "D.R.E.A.M.S." phrase stands for helping students Design engineer Ring sciEnce And Math Success.

"Students in their adolescent years are positively or negatively affected by math and science," said Kandice Herald, president of SWE. "With this event, we hope to inspire students and influence them to achieve a math, science, or engineering career."

"This is a great opportunity to enhance the education of students," said Shonda Bernadin, faculty advisor for SWE. "This is also a good chance to give exposure to engineering and technology."

This event is set for Saturday, April 14 at the RAC Pavilion off of Old Register Road. It will start from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

There will be fun educational games, competitions, hands-on experiments and information on tutoring in the science and math

fields.

Prizes will be awarded to the winners of competitions.

Several organizations from GSU will be participating along with SWE including: the American Society of Civil Engineers, Society of Manufacturing Engineers, Eagle Motor Sports, National Society of Black Engineers, Student Alliance for a Green Earth and the Math Association of America.

The event is completely free for students as well as for the general public. Moreover, lunch and t-shirts will both be sold for a very low price.

The GSU section of the SWE invites all students, staff and everyone from the community to come out and enjoy the majesty of science, math and engineering in the "Building Your D.R.E.A.M.S." fair.

For more information about the event, please email SWE at [swe@georgiasouthern.edu](mailto:swe@georgiasouthern.edu).

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## Need Employment?

### Admissions Recruiter Position Available

#### DESCRIPTION

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#### APPLICATION DEADLINE:

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GSU study participants will be seen at the GSU Health Center

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# Weekly Eagle Buzz



## April 11th, 2007

11am-4:30pm – Blood Drive  
8pm – Russell Union Theatre – Eagle Entertainment  
Movie “We Are Marshall” ADMISSION \$2

## April 12th, 2007

8pm – Russell Union Theatre – Eagle Entertainment  
Movie “We Are Marshall” ADMISSION \$2

## April 14th, 2007

Eagle Entertainment DAY TRIP TO ATLANTA !!!  
Come along for the day with E-Squad to Atlanta as we enjoy visiting the Georgia Aquarium; the world's largest aquarium with 8 million gallons of fresh and marine water and more than 100,000 animals representing 500 species from around the globe, and attending the Atlanta Braves vs. Florida Marlins Baseball Game at Turner Field. Cost is \$30 per student.



April 16th – 20th National Volunteer Week

## April 16th, 2007

7pm – College of Education Lecture Hall – Holocaust Remembrance Day: This day is observed throughout the world as a time to remember the events of the Jewish Holocaust. Dr. Kevin P. Spicer, a specialist on relations between Christians and Jews during the Holocaust, will speak on the significance and the history of the Holocaust.

## April 17th, 2007

7pm – Kennedy Multipurpose Room – Genocide Awareness Dinner: All are invited to a discussion dinner concerning the updates on the genocide situation in Darfur, Sudan. PLEASE RSVP at 681-5409 by April 13th, 2007.

## April 18th, 2007

12pm – Russell Union Room 2044 – Cultural Book Club Discussion: “The Reader by Bernhard Schlink” Facilitated by Dr. John Steinberg. This story is of a love affair between a young man and an older woman during World War II in Nazi Germany and how their connection follows them to their next meeting several years later at a war crimes trial.

## April 19th, 2007

6pm – Volunteer Banquet

## April 25th, 2007

8pm – Russell Union Theatre – Eagle Entertainment Movie “Stomp The Yard” ADMISSION \$2

## April 26th, 2007

6pm – Leadership Awards Banquet  
8pm – Russell Union Theatre – Eagle Entertainment Movie “Stomp The Yard” ADMISSION \$2

## April 27th, 2007

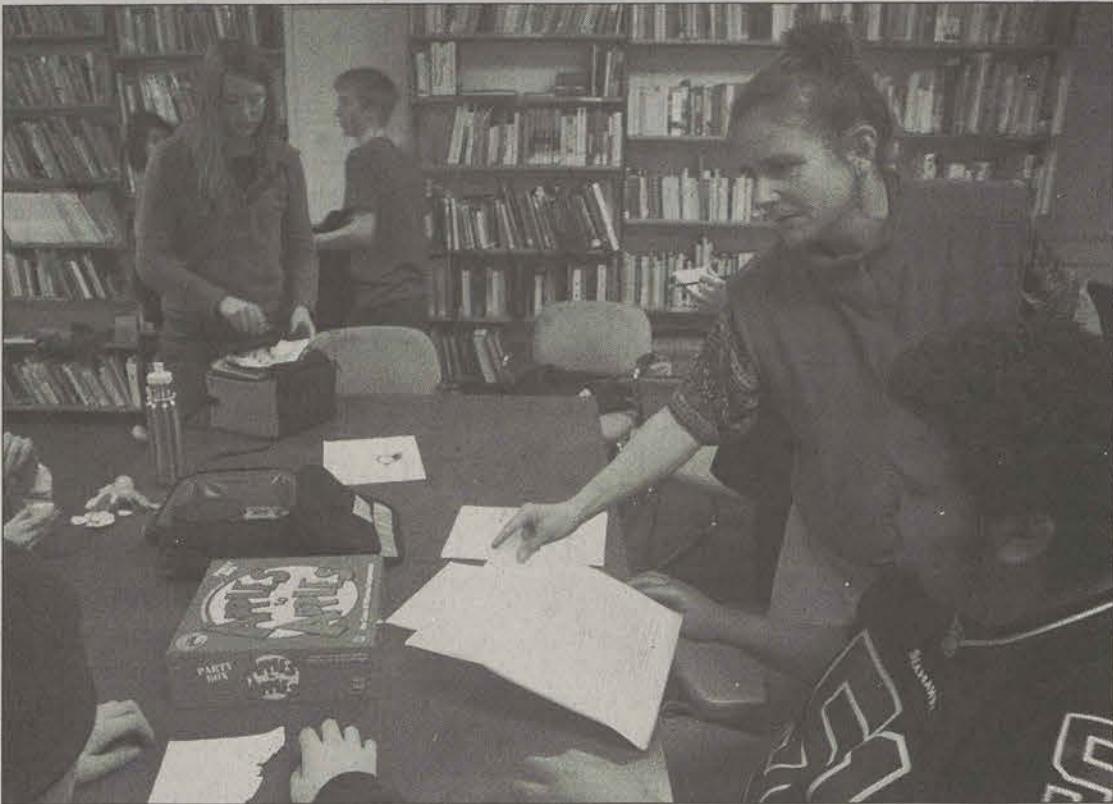
8pm – Paulson Stadium – Hershey's Presents:  
BRAD PAISLEY Bonfires & Amplifiers Tour 2007 CONCERT  
with opening acts Jack Ingram, Kellie Pickler and Taylor Swift

## Important Dates and Deadlines

April 11	Deadline to submit electronic theses and dissertations to College of Graduate Studies for final format review	June 15	Term A exams
April 30	Last day of classes	June 15	Final exams for Evening classes, Term A, 6:00-8:00 p.m.
May 1-4	Final exams	June 15	Academic Standards Committee meeting, 2:00 p.m.
May 4	Deadline to submit final verified (approved) electronic theses or dissertations to College of Graduate Studies	June 16	Residence halls close at 12:00 noon for students attending Term A
May 4	Final date for graduate and undergraduate students to apply for Summer 2007 graduation	June 17	Residence hall check-in for Term B at 1:00 p.m. in the Residence Halls
May 5	Residence halls close, 12:00 noon	June 18	Classes begin for Term B
May 5	Commencement	June 18	Final date to hold terminal or comprehensive examination, theses or dissertation defense for Summer graduates
May 6	Residence Halls close at 12:00 noon for students participating in Commencement activities (permission required)	June 18-19	Drop/Add, Term B
May 10	Employee Tuition Assistance Program Registration for Summer 2007, via the web beginning at 3:30 p.m.	June 20	Last day to withdraw without academic penalty, College of Education Graduate Session
May 4	Final date for graduate and undergraduate students to apply for Summer 2007 graduation	June 25	Deadline to submit electronic theses and dissertations to College of Graduate Studies for final format review
May 10	Employee Tuition Assistance Program Registration for Summer 2007, via the web beginning at 3:30 p.m.	June 26	Attendance Verification Deadline for Term B
May 10	Academic Standards Committee meeting, 10:00 a.m.	June 26	Final exams for Tuesday/Thursday, College of Business Administration Graduate Evening Session
May 13	Residence hall check-in, 1:00 p.m. in the Residence Halls	June 27	Mid-term grades for freshmen due, Term B
May 14	Academic Standards Committee meeting, 10:00 a.m.	June 29	College of Business Administration Graduate Evening Session ends
May 14	New Student Orientation and Registration, Russell Union, 8:00 a.m. NOTE: Enrolled and former students should refer to WINGS (http://students.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar) for specific registration times.	June 29	Final exams for Monday/Wednesday, College of Business Administration Graduate Evening session
May 15	Fee payment deadline for Summer Semester 2007 (First Day of University Classes)	July 1	Final deadline for domestic graduate students to apply for Fall 2007 admission
May 15	Classes begin for Long Term, Term A, and College of Business Administration Graduate Evening Session	July 4	Independence Day - Administrative offices closed - No classes
May 15-18	Drop/Add	July 5	Last day to withdraw without academic penalty, Term B
May 18	Deadline for M.Ed. students to register to take the comprehensive exam during Summer	July 10	Final exams for Tuesday/Thursday Evening classes, Long Term
May 22	Attendance Verification Deadline, Classes starting May 15-18, Long Term, Term A and College of Business Graduate Evening Session	July 10	Final exams for Tuesday/ Thursday, College of Education Graduate Session
May 24	Mid-term grades for freshmen due, Term A	July 11	Classes end, Long Term
May 28	Memorial Day - Administrative offices closed - No classes	July 11	Final exams for Monday/Wednesday Evening Classes, Long Term
May 29	Classes begin for College of Education Graduate Session	July 12	Reading Day Long Term
May 29	Fee payment deadline for registration or changing registration during Drop/Add period	July 13	College of Education Graduate Session ends
May 29-30	Drop/Add College of Education Graduate Session	July 13	Final exams for Monday/Wednesday, College of Education Graduate Session
June 1	Final deadline for international graduate students to apply for Fall 2007 admission	July 13-14	Final exams, Long Term
June 1	Last day to withdraw without academic penalty, Term A	July 15	Residence halls close at 12:00 noon for students attending Long Term
June 1	Mid-term grades for freshmen due, Long Term	July 18	Classes end, Term B
June 6	Attendance Verification Deadline for College of Education Graduate Session	July 19	Final exams, Term B
June 8	Last day to withdraw without academic penalty, College of Business Administration Graduate Evening Session	July 19	Final exams for Evening classes, Term B
June 14	Classes end for Term A	July 19	Final date for graduate and undergraduate students to apply for Fall 2007 graduation
June 15	Last day to withdraw without academic penalty, Long Term	July 20	Residence halls close at 12:00 noon
		July 21	Deadline to submit final verified (approved) electronic theses or dissertations to College of Graduate Studies
		August 3	Academic Standards Committee meeting, 2:00 p.m.

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## NATIONAL NEWS



Thomas James Hurst/MCT

Clearwater staff member Stephanie Sarantos, top right, hands student Sean Carney, 16, pages of notes before the weekly school meeting is held, February 15, 2007, in Bothell, Washington. Carney leads the school meeting where the group of staff and students vote on things like new rules and granting privileges to students.

# No assignments, no tests, no grades, no problem

McClatchy Newspapers

The music room sits empty on a recent gray morning at Clearwater School in Bothell. Four girls play cards in the “play” room nearby, and a half-dozen teenagers hang out in the “quiet” room across the way.

The crowd in the computer room, where 20 students, about a third of this small, private school, are engrossed in strategy and shoot-em-up video games.

That makes some of their parents uncomfortable, but it shows Clearwater is serious about giving students freedom to choose how to spend their time.

Just as children learn to talk without formal instruction, Clearwater students learn to read and write and solve math problems the same way. There are no tests at Clearwater. No assignments. No classes unless students organize them.

The school's campus is just a short way off busy Bothell-Everett Highway with its mini marts and office parks, but educationally speaking, Clearwater

is about as far from the mainstream as one can get.

At a time when the federal and state governments say the nation's future depends on improving schools with high standards and tests, Clearwater students don't have to study anything they don't want to, and if they choose to shoot cyberspace bad guys all day, that's just fine.

Clearwater is one of about 30 schools that follow the philosophy of the Sudbury Valley School in Massachusetts. Such schools are sometimes called “free” and “democratic” schools, where students are responsible for their own learning and have a significant role in governing the school. They also have many parallels with “unschooling,” a movement embraced by some homeschooling families who don't follow a set curriculum.

There used to be thousands of “free” schools back in the 1960s and 1970s, according to Jerry Mintz of the Alternative Education Resource Organization. The number has waned since, although Mintz says many of their ideas are used in public alternative

schools and by some homeschooling families.

By Mintz's count, there are about 200 “democratic” schools around the world, including the Sudbury schools, with more in the works.

Critics question whether students at Sudbury schools truly learn what they need, and whether they are exposed to enough to figure out which subjects they might love. Even Alfie Kohn, a well-known author and harsh critic of public education, says Sudbury Valley is too radical for his taste.

He prefers the Sudbury approach over what he considers public schools' “enormously counterproductive practices like grades and standardized tests.” But he doesn't think students learn best left entirely on their own.

“There's a role for teachers to initiate possible avenues of inquiry, to spark interests that kids might not have had before. To coach and guide and observe,” he said. “I don't take the view that the kids have to take the lead all the time. I think we miss a lot that way.”

## QUICK, WHAT'S NEW

McClatchy Newspapers

## In Iraq, thousands protest continued U.S. presence

Flying banners that said “No, no to the occupation,” tens of thousands of followers of the anti-American Shiite Muslim cleric Muqtada al-Sadr staged a peaceful rally Monday in one of Iraq's holiest cities, where they burned American and Israeli flags and called for U.S. troops to leave Iraq.

But there were ominous signs afterward that al-Sadr's enormous Mahdi Army militia may be preparing for

renewed violence in Baghdad.

Monday evening, as protesters returned in trucks and buses to Baghdad's sprawling Shiite slum of Sadr City, a McClatchy Newspapers reporter saw men in several buses carrying pistols and AK-47s, a violation of new security laws. One man who identified himself as a Mahdi Army member bragged that weapons were being taken from Najaf to Baghdad hidden in truck beds.

## Bush renews immigration plans

President Bush on Monday renewed his bid to overhaul the nation's immigration laws, pitting himself against challenges that range from his declining popularity to enduring divisions on Capitol Hill.

With political time running out,

Bush chose a border backdrop for his latest immigration offensive.

In Yuma, Ariz., he called on Congress to pass immigration legislation that he said was important to the national interest and “a matter of deep conviction for me.”

## 1 dead, 2 wounded in office shooting

A man who was laid off from a Detroit-area accounting firm within the past two weeks was arrested Monday

in connection with a shooting at the office that left one woman dead and two men injured.

## NEWS OF THE WEIRD

From Universal Press Syndicate

## Bright Ideas

• The City Council of Greenleaf, Idaho, passed an ordinance in November to require nearly all residents to keep a gun at home in case the town becomes overrun by people relocating after Gulf Coast storms.

• In November, a report from the Missouri House's Special Committee on Immigration Reform blamed much of their state's acquiescence to illegal immigration on the fact that since Roe v. Wade in 1973, 80,000 potential Missourians have been aborted, thus helping to create job vacancies for aliens.



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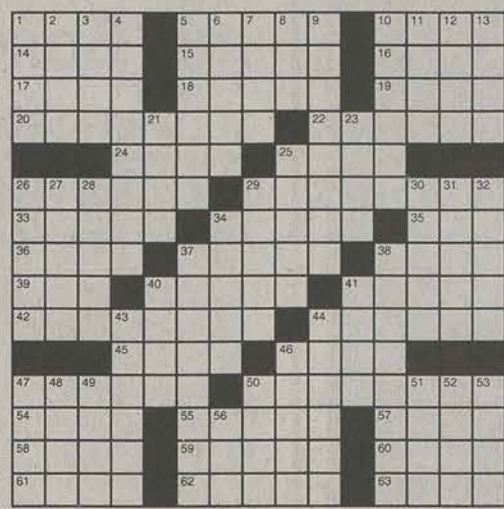
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260 Miscellaneous for Sale  
270 Motorcycles for Sale  
280 Trade & Barter  
290 Wanted

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390 Wanted Jobs  
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**500 Personals**  
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630 Legal Services  
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## Crossword

**ACROSS**  
1 Ringlet  
5 Thick slices  
10 Gullible dupes  
14 Fabled canal  
15 Lama's land  
16 The Police or Green Day, e.g.  
17 Computer input  
18 Fossil resin  
19 Lively dance  
20 Granary adjunct  
22 On a plane  
24 Alimony recipients  
25 Serengeti stalker  
26 Act parts  
29 Scarlet birds  
33 City on the Rhine delta  
34 Fashions  
35 Illuminated  
36 Related  
37 Partnered  
38 qua non  
39 Opposite of WSW  
40 Sees socially  
41 Life is It, Anyway?



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## Who Ordered a Burger?

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Listed below are 10 items relating to "cows." Can you match them up with their meanings? Good luck!

- |                             |       |              |
|-----------------------------|-------|--------------|
| 1. Breed of cow             | _____ | (a) Rumen    |
| 2. Cow's cud                | _____ | (b) Garget   |
| 3. Hornless cow             | _____ | (c) Lappet   |
| 4. Young cow                | _____ | (d) Maverick |
| 5. Cow's dewlap             | _____ | (e) Bos      |
| 6. Sea cow                  | _____ | (f) Dexter   |
| 7. Cow's udder inflammation | _____ | (g) Isis     |
| 8. Unbranded cow            | _____ | (h) Stirk    |
| 9. Cow genus                | _____ | (i) Dugong   |
| 10. Cow-headed deity        | _____ | (j) Muley    |

## Announcements 100 - 199

### 140 Other Announcements

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Bedroom furniture for sale: dresser, nightstand, bed frame, and chest of drawers. Would like to sell together, but will sell by piece. Nice solid wood, in good shape. Email me for pics [jhickma3@gmail.com](mailto:jhickma3@gmail.com) or 229.891.6677

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1 Work-Study position available for Summer '07, Fall '07, and Spring '08 in the Center for International Studies - located in the Forest Drive Bldg. Rm. 1313. Contact Angie Threault at 681-0332 or stop by. CWS Authorization form required.

## Housing & Real Estate 400 - 499

### 410 Apartments

If you need an apartment, or if someone you know needs one, OR if someone you know knows someone that needs one then let me know ASAP! I am going to Spain next semester and need someone to sublease. \$250 a month rent, big room, own bathroom. Will have a female roommate. Call for more info. 478.390.7365

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2 female roommates needed! 3 bdrm, 2 bath. Nice, quiet neighborhood. 2 car garage, big backyard. Clean, newly remodeled. Once year lease starting in May. \$375/month plus utilities. Call Amanda 404-917-3929

MALE SENIOR looking for an affordable place fall 2007 only! looking to rent an apartment/duplex or room in a house. Will Be Graduating Dec. 2007. Please Email me at: [Dawster@gmail.com](mailto:Dawster@gmail.com)

Roommate Wanted to share fully furnished 2 bdrm 2 bath condo, privately owned; close to campus, Everything furnished, even bedroom. Fully

equipt kitchen, washer, and dryer. (I am 25 year old female non-traditional seeking male or female serious student to share my place with). Preferably no pets but will consider for right person. \$450 includes rent, electric, DSL, dish network, water, trash (All Inclusive) short term and long term lease available. Cristen (912) 618-8273.

QUIET FEMALE SENIOR looking to rent/sublease an AFFORDABLE apartment, duplex, or room in a house for FALL 2007 SEMESTER. ONLY!!! I will be graduting in December! I am pet & smoke free! Open to living with male(s) or female(s)!!! PLEASE EMAIL ME at [ugabldawg@yahoo.com](mailto:ugabldawg@yahoo.com)!

Roommates Needed 3 br/2 ba house. Rent is cheap and it is pet friendly. If interested, Call Mary @ 912-601-1518

One roommate needed for next year (Fall 2007 and Spring 2008). We've already found a 3 bd 2 ba house we are just looking for one more person so we can sign on it! Nice sized open house with hardwood floors throughout in a nice neighborhood! Pets allowed with big back yard and rooms are very large! Only \$333 a month plus utilities! Please get in contact with me Emily Beggs at 404-374-5698 or Evan Abney at 770-377-5554!! Thank You!!

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Roommate(s) needed for Fall '07!! 3 bed/2 bath house, pet friendly, large fenced yard with deck. Located off Fair Rd in nice neighborhood. Email or call Margaret for more info: [mreeves4@georgiasouthern.edu](mailto:mreeves4@georgiasouthern.edu), (706) 825-9457

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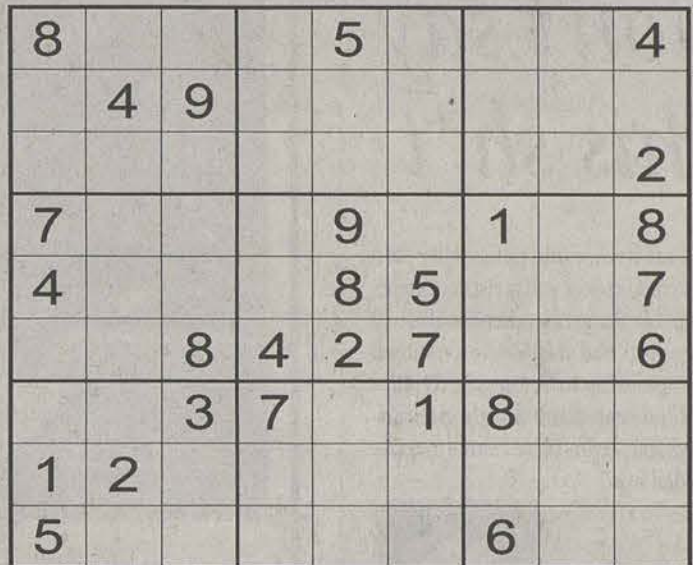


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bath room is available in a 4 bed/ 4 bath house for sublease anytime during the months of May through the end of July. The house is located at 820 Robin Hood Trail and has nice hardwood floors that were recently installed. The room is very big and my roommates will be out of town for most of the summer. Rent is \$350 per month but I am willing to negotiate if needed. The house is within a mile of GSU campus. Contact Will Peters 478-954-3295 or email [wpeters4@georgiasouthern.edu](mailto:wpeters4@georgiasouthern.edu)

You and a Friend need a place for the summer? a 2 bedroom/2 bath is available from May until the end of July \$350 All Exclusive at The Woodlands of Statesboro. Please Call 912-678-1038 for more information.

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## Solutions

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# SPORTS

Who's  
**HOT**

**MLB:** Atlanta Braves. The Braves bested the Mets in their three game weekend series, 2-1. Their record improves to 5-1 on the young season and are currently in first place in the NL East.

Who's  
**NOT**

**MLB:** Washington Nationals. The second year franchise has started the season on the bottom with the league's worst record, 1-6. They lost all four games to Arizona and two of their three against the Florida Marlins.

## Good people don't say this sh\*t

Last week, radio personality Don Imus made sexist and racist comments about the Rutgers women's basketball team who had just lost the national championship to Tennessee, 59-46.

Imus stated the mostly African-American team were "some nappy-headed hos."

A nation wide uproar quickly erupted over his comments. The NAACP jumped all over Imus, calling for his firing. He, in turn, quickly apologized, saying he was trying to be funny.

"I'm a good person, but I said a bad thing," said Imus.

No kidding Don.

Imus' comments were not only racist but sexist as well. I listened to the clip online, where he made these comments about Rutgers and went on to discuss how the Tennessee team was a group of pretty girls as he watched them run up and down the floor.

As a woman, I am appalled and as a sports-loving fan of Title nine and equality in general, I am enraged. I almost threw my computer across the room when I saw the clip.

Is this the way that men view women athletes?

Did he not see that this was a historic game for women's collegiate basketball? The two coaches, Vivian Stringer and the eternal Pat Summitt, were both coaches in the very first women's Final Four over 20 years ago and both have forever impacted the game.

Not to mention the fact that the women's tournament this year was 10 times more exciting basketball than their male counterparts. Seriously, have you ever heard of Marist? Has Bowling Green ever made the Sweet Sixteen in any tournament?

Cinderella was alive and well among the women, while the men saw a familiar powerhouse matchup, with a familiar and unexciting result.

So why did Imus stoop to degrading how the women looked? Did it make him feel more macho?

Imus' apology has gone straight over the heads of the nation. The NAACP has continued their efforts for his job and Reverend Jesse Jackson has even planned a protest in Chicago in front of the NBC headquarters. MSNBC is the group that broadcast Imus' show and is owned by NBC.

A favorite personality of mine, Rev. Al Sharpton is also calling of Imus' to be fired as well and has invited Imus to his radio show on Monday. Imus has agreed to appear.

I do not often agree with the flamboyant Sharpton, but I can't wait to hear him go after Imus.

The only thing positive I can say about this matter is that Imus is man enough to take responsibility for his words.

This man needs to be removed from the radio. I know it may seem a tad extreme for just a few words, but words can go a long way, especially things said in mass media.

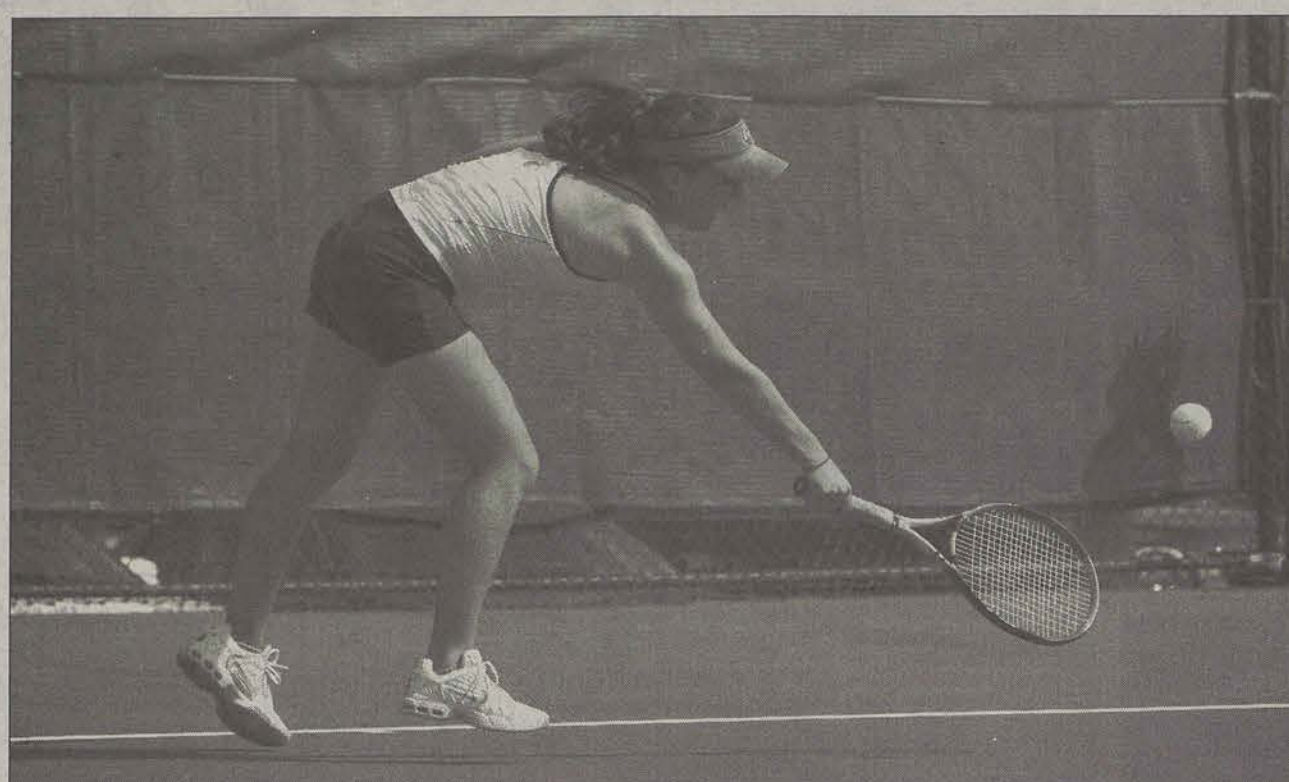
There is absolutely no excuse for racism, nor sexism, and his continued broadcasts symbolizes the intolerance of this nation that we continuously try to ignore. We are never going to move forward if we cannot punish the few that seem to still be living in the dark ages.

Don, next time you think of something racist, do us all a favor. Keep your mouth shut.



Jessica Martin

MY OPINION



Tao Ventre/STAFF

Senior Heather Reynolds dives to hit a shot back to a defender during a match against Furman. Reynolds is one of three students at Georgia Southern who were honored by being the recipient of the Scholar-Athlete of the Year award.

## SMART CHOICE

*Students honored for both athletic and academic achievements*

### GSU News Service

Georgia Southern Athletics announced Thursday, April 5, the 2006-2007 Scholar-Athletes of the Year, naming Dusty Reddick (football), Heather Reynolds (women's tennis) and Laura-Ashley Harris (women's soccer) as recipients of the award.

Based on a combination of academic and athletic accomplishments, the Scholar-Athlete of the Year award winners were chosen by the University Athletics Committee after receiving nominations from coaches.

Nominees must have been enrolled at least one year, while carrying a minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average.

On the football field this past season, junior civil engineering major Dusty Reddick played in eight games at fullback, starting in five. He helped the Eagles offense tally 360 yards per game, ranking 27th best in the nation.

"It is a matter of putting priorities in order," said Reddick.

A repeat award-winner from last year, Heather Reynolds was

recently awarded the Dorothy Hicks Graduate Scholarship and is currently enrolled in the MBA program.

A three-and-a-half-year sport management graduate, Reynolds has posted a 6-9 record in No. 3 singles competition, and when teaming up in doubles action, has posted an 8-6 record. The Eagles have three more events before the Southern Conference tournament.

"It feels good," said Reynolds, "I know that there are a lot of qualified people that could have gotten it too."

Junior goalkeeper and sport management major Laura-Ashley Harris helped the Eagles reach the Southern Conference Tournament semifinals for the first time since 2001, and their eight wins surpassed the total from the previous two seasons combined.

Harris registered one shutout win, a 0.93 goals against average and an 84.6 percent save percentage.

"It's just an honor," said Harris.

The three winners were recognized at Honors Day (Apr 4). The nominees and winners, along with their coaches will also be attending a dinner on Thursday night.

### Dusty Reddick

**Major:**  
Civil Engineering  
Technologies

**Favorite Place  
Around Campus:**  
Science and Technology building,  
Lakeside Cafe

**Favorite Place to eat on campus:** Lakeside Cafe

**Started Playing Football:** Nine years old



### Laura-Ashley Harris

**Major:**  
Sports and Fitness Administration/Management

**Favorite Place  
Around Campus:**  
Business building

**Favorite Place to Eat:** Longhorns

**Started Playing Soccer:** 4th grade, 11 years old.



### Heather Reynolds

**Major:**  
MBA, has Sports Management degree

**Favorite Place  
Around Campus:**  
Sweet Heart Circle is "very pretty"

**Favorite Place to Eat on Campus:** Chick-Fil-A and Starbucks

**Started Playing Tennis:** 10 years old when entered first tournament



## Eagles look to establish streak against North Florida

### GSU News Service

Georgia Southern baseball continues its seven-game homestand, facing North Florida in a 7 p.m. contest today.

Tuesday's game will also be Fan Appreciation Day, as everyone will get in for free. In addition, the first 1,000 fans inside the stadium will receive a GSU Athletics souvenir cup, as well as a coupon to the GSU Store.

The Eagles (18-18 overall) are coming off an 8-7 come-from-behind win against Elon on Sunday.

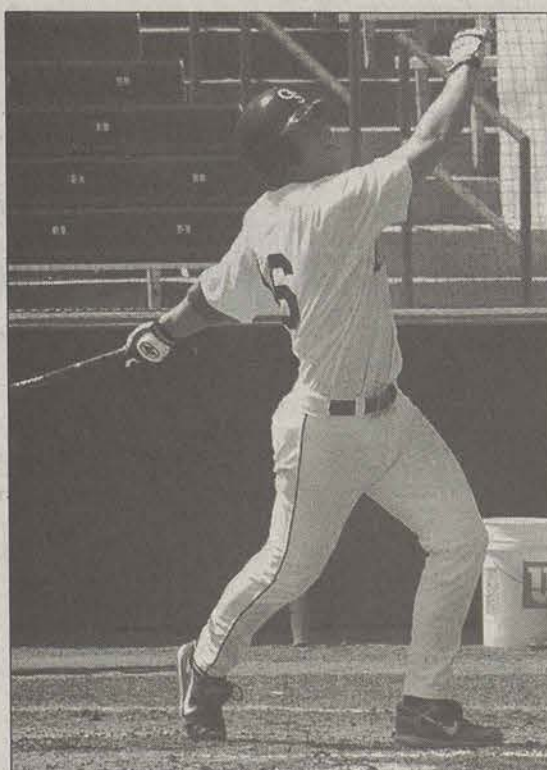
Sophomores Chris Shehan (Strasburg, PA/Lampeter-Strasburg) and Brian Pierce (Roswell/Roswell) continue to battle for the team batting lead. Shehan enters the UNF game at .333, holding the team lead in runs scored (35), home runs (6) and RBI (33). He is second on the team stealing 9-of-11 bases. Pierce improved his average to .333, in addition to his 16 walks, 16 runs and 20 RBI - just one RBI shy of his season total last year.

Senior Mike Economos (Atlanta/

Marist) also ranks among the offensive leaders with a .308 batting average, 29 runs scored, 29 RBI, 13 doubles and five home runs. He holds the doubles lead and ranks second in runs, RBI and home runs. Freshman A.J. Wirsberger (Tuscaloosa, AL/Paul Bear Bryant) owns a .296 batting average with 27 runs, 10 doubles, 20 RBI and been hit a team-leading 13 times by a pitch.

John Ducey (Augusta/Westside) is scheduled to start. The senior stands 3-3 with a 4.72 ERA in 40 innings. He allowed 39 hits and struck out 26.

North Florida (15-20) won 2-of-3 against Belmont, its second straight Atlantic Sun series win. UNF owns a .273 team batting average, .956 fielding percentage and 5.37 ERA. Jon Dandridge owns a .366 batting average with four home runs and 27 RBI. Jimmy Glanville has 11 doubles and four home runs, in addition to 21 RBI and 20 runs scored. Senior left-hander Andrew Stilley, making his second start, is 0-1 with a 4.15 ERA.



Jamie Tuten/STAFF

Sophomore Chris Shehan watches his pop-fly ball sail into right field. Shehan ties for the best batting average on the team.

## BRIEFS AROUND THE 'BORO

### MEN'S TENNIS

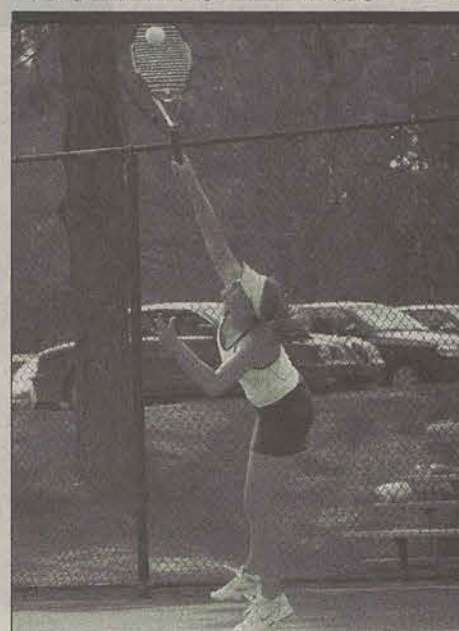
#### Tennis Drops SoCon Match Against App. State

Joris De Weerd won his No. 1 singles match 4-6, 7-5, 7-6 over Trent Constance, and Borja Malet took the No. 5 match 5-7, 7-5, 1-0 from Lee Floyd. At No. 2, Emmanuel Nkoueleue fell 6-2, 6-3 to Ryan Brookshaw.

Greg Bekkers lost 6-1, 6-2 to Dimitar Dimitrov at No. 3, and Matthew Sands dropped the No. 4 match 6-3, 7-6 to Peter Jacobs. The No. 6 match was not played due to time constraints.

The Eagles lost all three doubles matches as the Mountaineers took the point. Nkoueleue/De Weerd fell 8-3 at No. 1 to Brookshaw/Dimitrov. At No. 2, Malet/Philip Prins lost to Constance/Jacobs 9-7 while Sands/Neil Shine fell 9-8 at No. 3 to David Doverspike/Floyd.

### WOMEN'S TENNIS



#### Team Sweeps Savannah State

The Georgia Southern women's tennis team defeated Savannah State 7-0 Thursday afternoon at the Hanner Fieldhouse Courts. The Eagles swept the doubles point, taking the No. 3 match by default.

Kristi Kegerreis/Heather Reynolds defeated Angela Palmer/Tracey Modeste 8-0 at No. 1 and Jessica Matlosz/Emma Knight took the No. 2 match 8-0 from Chantasia Bridges/Shawannnda McClain.

In singles action, Reynolds defeated Modeste 6-0, 6-0 at No. 1 and Shea Huxtable won 6-0, 6-0 over Palmer at No. 2.

In the No. 3 spot, Christine Caforio took her match from Bridges 6-0, 6-0. Knight defeated McClain 6-0, 6-0 at No. 4 and Lauren Wolken won 6-0, 6-0 over Alexis Carson at No. 5.

The Eagles will take to the road Wed., April 11 as they travel to Charleston before returning home for the final match of the season against Chattanooga on April 14.

### MEDIA

#### Jeff Blythe named Assistant AD/Business

Georgia Southern Athletics Director Sam Baker announced the hiring of Jeff Blythe as Assistant Athletics Director in charge of Business Operations. Blythe begins his duties on April 9.

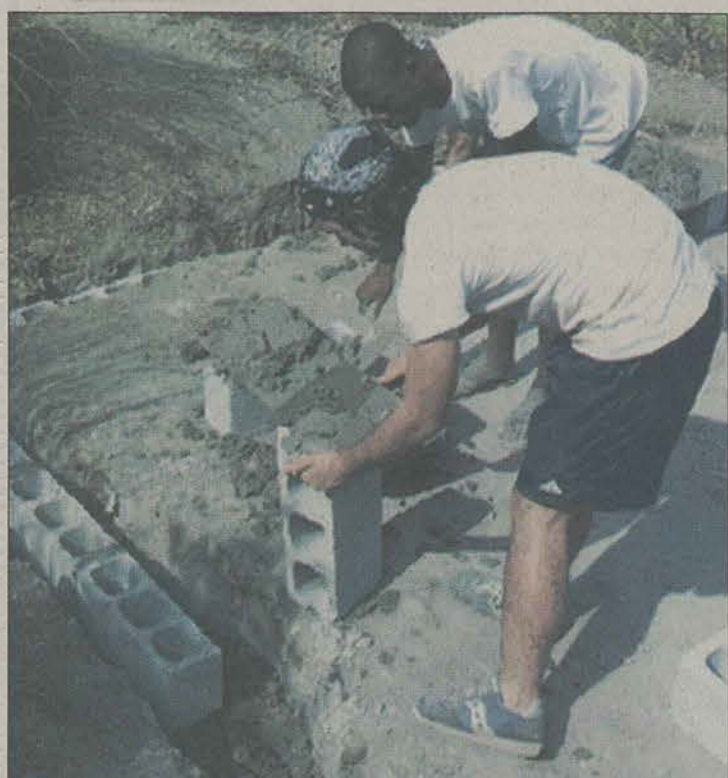
Blythe will be responsible for the fiscal operations of the GSU Athletics Department and its 15 varsity sports. He will also oversee the ticket office operations.

For the past three years he served as the Assistant Business Manager, Ticket Manager and Director of Summer Camps at Elon University. He oversaw all ticket operations including managing and implementing the computer programs, in addition to the hiring, training and supervising of the ticket department staff.

Blythe also supervised the budgets for all 17 varsity sports, as well as the athletic training, marketing, sports information and Phoenix Club departments.

A 2002 graduate of the University of North Carolina, Blythe worked as a student manager for the men's basketball team during his freshman year. He worked as a student assistant in the Exercise and Sport Science Department and eventually worked his way up to a faculty assistant following graduation.





Special Photo

Student Jesse Shuff spent his spring break in Panama constructing a block house for a local resident.

## Students, professor build during break

GSU News Service

During spring break, Steve Hale and two Georgia Southern students traveled to Panama to visit the Native American Kuna community of Chumical and continue a building project Hale started several years ago.

On this trip, the group constructed a concrete block house for Lauriana Torres and her daughter Kimberly. Their temporary shack, built of scrap materials, was being demolished for road construction.

This is the third house Hale and GSU students have built in Chumical, and Hale has pledged to build eight more.

Hale, an assistant professor of sociology and anthropology, was accompanied on this trip by Christie Carmichael, an education major from Centennial, Colo., and Jesse Shuff, a music education major from Augusta.

This was the second trip for each student and the 13th for Hale,

who served with the U.S. military in Panama.

"By the end of spring break, we completed the Torres' house up to the level of the concrete lintel that supports the zinc-coated roof of corrugated steel," said Hale. "The Kuna neighbors have completed the job, and Lauriana and Kimberly are now in their new home."

Following a trip in December 2006, Hale received several contributions that allowed the group to go back and build during spring break. He said he was grateful for the financial contributions.

### Interested in helping?

• Anyone interested in supporting future building in Chumical should direct donations to the Georgia Southern Foundation account 0727.

## Checkmate with chess camp

GSU News Service

Youngsters who are interested in chess are invited to expand their knowledge of the game during a summer day camp at Georgia Southern.

The annual chess camp for children in grades K-12 will run from Monday, June 4, through Friday, June 8, in the Nessmith-Lane Continuing Education Building.

There will be separate sessions for beginners and advanced players.

U.S. Chess Federation master Rex Demers, who has more than 24 years of coaching experience, will teach both sessions.

The session for beginners will run from 9 a.m. until noon each day. This session is open to children who will be in grades 2-12 in Fall 2007.

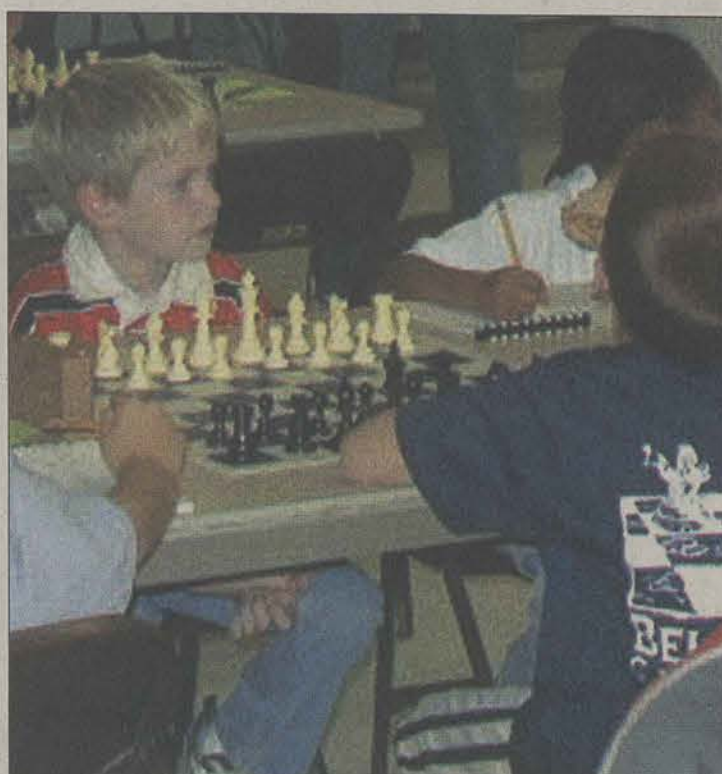
Participants will learn standard and specialty chess rules, basic stalemate and checkmate patterns, and how to record moves so that a game can be re-enacted.

The session for advanced players will run from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. each day. This session is open to children who will be in grades K-12 in Fall 2007.

Participants will learn mid-game strategy, king and pawn endgames, advanced mating patterns, sacs and how to choose an opening repertoire that suits their own style of play.

The registration fee is \$140 per person, but it will increase to \$155 per person after Friday, May 18. The fee does not include lunch or snacks.

To register, visit <http://ceps.georgiasouthern.edu/conted/campchess.html> or call 912-681-5551. For more information, call 912-871-1763.



Special Photo

The annual children's chess camp will take place from June 4 - June 8. Registration is \$140 per child and now available.

## Colleges look to illegal music download alternatives

McClatchy Newspapers

Despite thousands of complaints already filed by the music industry this year against college students who illegally download music, many of them continue to do it.

"I don't have time to run out to the store, and it's cheaper," Mercer University sophomore Adam Cornett said.

Attitudes like Cornett's, plus mounting pressure from the music industry, are leading colleges to look for their own ways to legally provide music to their students.

"We've definitely looked into that possibility, and we're looking at a number of options," said Rick Goddard, vice president and chief technology officer at Mercer in Macon, Ga.

The university is looking at different alternatives, including contracting with both pay and free services, he said, although nothing has been decided.

But even legal downloading draws complaints from students.

Sometimes, music files downloaded legally are of lower quality, and some of them only play using specific

programs, Cornett said. Plus, it's a hassle to input credit card information online, he said.

Still, that doesn't mean students automatically will write off a service the university provides.

"If the price is right and the selection is good, I think it's something students would use," Cornett said.

Besides increased pressure from the music industry, colleges are looking at controlling student downloading to save their own networks.

Downloading music and using file-sharing programs can strain a college's bandwidth, hampering its use for research or other educational purposes, said Donald Steward, chief information officer at Georgia College & State University in Milledgeville, Ga.

Right now, Georgia College is focusing on education about and prevention of illegal file sharing, he said.

The university had talked about starting a contract with Rhapsody, a music subscription service, but then the company opened its doors to individual users, he said.

"We got basically taken out of the equation," Steward said.

Georgia College now uses a program that checks computers on the campus network for certain downloading programs and limits students' use of them, he said.

The university is considering using another program that would create stricter penalties for using peer-to-peer programs, commonly used to illegally download material, he said.

Penalties may include shutting off the network port for a certain amount of time, he said. "If you continue breaking the law, you're going to have your network shut down," Steward said of how that particular program works.

The network at Macon's Wesleyan College detects and blocks illegal traffic, said Kevin Ulshafer, Wesleyan's director of computer and information resources and chief information officer.

Although the college does not now offer its students a downloading service, he said it may come up for discussion.

"It may be coming down the road,"

he said.

At Macon State College, officials have considered offering a music downloading service but ultimately decided against it, said Lynn McCraney, dean of students at the college.

"We do have the traditional-age student who likes to participate in music downloading, and they do it frequently and, hopefully, legally," she said. But "the numbers of them are not frequent enough to charge every student a fee to provide that service."

The college posts a video on its Web site that describes the risks of file sharing and illegally downloading music and movies.

### Legal Music Sites

• **Pressplay:** \$9.95 per month, unlimited downloads at [www.pressplay.com](http://www.pressplay.com)

• **Ruckus:** The system offers free music downloads for all college students at [www.ruckus.com](http://www.ruckus.com)

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## Clean

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Residents in Register will make improvements to their downtown area, and activities will include planting the second season of the Register

Children's Garden. Preparations for improvements to downtown Register have already begun.

"The Cleanup brings our community together and builds pride in everyone," said Betsy Milsap, mayor of Register. "Everyone in our town participates in this event, and it's a

chance for us to show our children the importance of community service and involvement."

Portal residents will improve property recently donated to the City and work towards their goal of turning it into a public park by next summer.

"Portal will celebrate its centennial next year, and we want everyone to clean up, paint up and green up our little town," said Frank Saunders, member of the Portal Heritage Society.

"Great American Cleanup volunteers make Bulloch County a better place to be through litter removal, recycling drives, beautification efforts and educational outreach," said Brooke B. Carney, director of Keep

Bulloch Beautiful.

"We want to reward the volunteers and make sure they have fun. Each Cleanup headquarters will have supplies, t-shirts, water and food for volunteers."

Meeting locations for the Cleanup will be the Honey Bowen Building in Statesboro, the Community Center in Register, and City Halls in Brooklet and Portal.

The Cleanup begins in each location at 8 a.m. on April 14.

Supplies are limited and volunteers are encouraged to register prior to April 14.

For more information and to register for the Cleanup, visit [www.KeepBullochBeautiful.org](http://www.KeepBullochBeautiful.org) or call 764-6147.



Far left: Students help pick up highway litter in last year's Cleanup.

Left: Commissioner Gibson is looking for the county employee that dumped this large sign on Country Club Road.

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Jamie Tuten/STAFF

Stay smart when using your debit card to prevent theft.

## Debit

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a check. It comes directly out of your account. It's your money," said Georgia Southern junior Lee McMasters.

In order for students to protect

themselves against the dangers of debit card use, Cook suggests that when you are at an ATM, make sure that no one is around you, memorize your PIN number and to always check your bank statements.

In addition, if you ever lose a debit card, call your bank immediately so that they can stop any further transactions from coming through.

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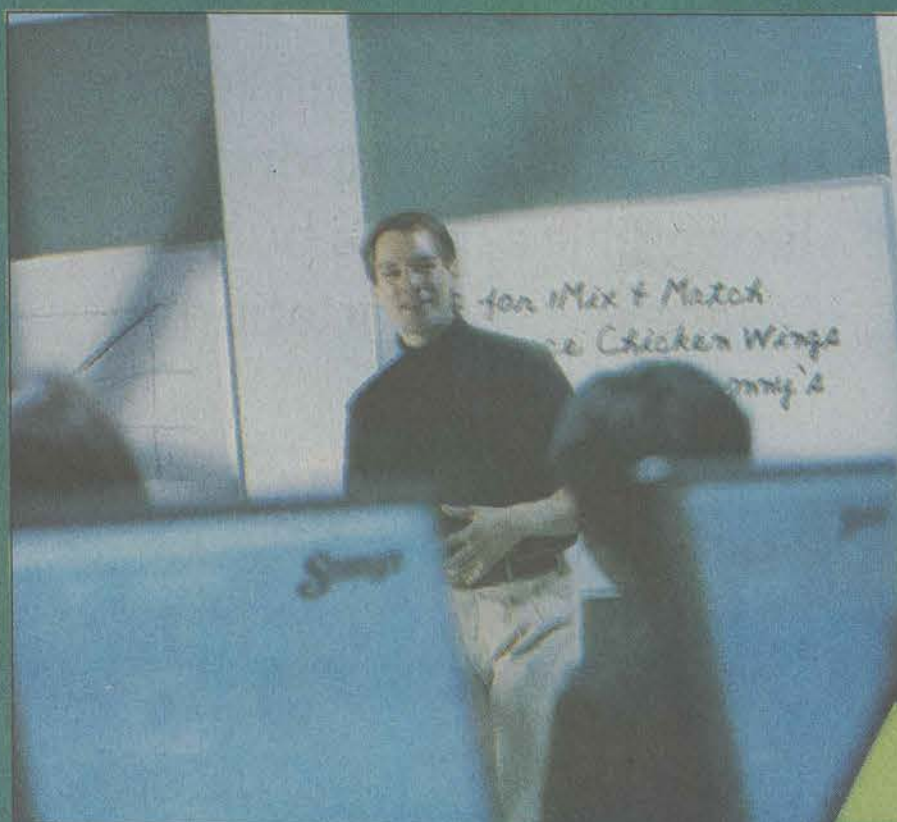
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