

Georgia Southern University

Digital Commons@Georgia Southern

The George-Anne

Student Media

11-13-2007

The George-Anne

Georgia Southern University

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalcommons.georgiasouthern.edu/george-anne>

Recommended Citation

Georgia Southern University, "The George-Anne" (2007). *The George-Anne*. 2086.
<https://digitalcommons.georgiasouthern.edu/george-anne/2086>

This newspaper is brought to you for free and open access by the Student Media at Digital Commons@Georgia Southern. It has been accepted for inclusion in The George-Anne by an authorized administrator of Digital Commons@Georgia Southern. For more information, please contact digitalcommons@georgiasouthern.edu.



Volume 80
Number 46

THE GEORGE-ANNE DAILY

TODAY



High: 77 | Low: 50
Partly Cloudy

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2007 • GADAILY.COM

COVERING THE CAMPUS LIKE A SWARM OF GNATS

Jack Averitt, GSU Dean Emeritus dies at 85

By Avina Darmadjaja & Chris Buchanan

Former Dean of Graduate Studies Jack N. Averitt died at age 85 on Sunday, Nov. 11 after a lifelong dedication to GSU.

"The Georgia Southern University community is saddened by the death of Dr. Jack Averitt," said President Bruce Grube. "Dr. Averitt was not only an alumnus, but a loyal friend of Georgia Southern University for many decades."

Averitt, who was a native of Statesboro, joined the GSU faculty in 1945 as a history professor under the Pittman administration. He was influenced deeply by the former president and is probably the last personal academic connection with Pittman.

Averitt received his master's in history at the University of Georgia and later his Ph.D. from the University of North Carolina.

"He was a lifelong resident with a significant visionary impact on GSU," said Timothy Mack, who took the dean of graduate studies position four months ago. "He is the first who got the [graduate] program approved by the state."

Averitt was responsible for the first proposal to offer doctorate degrees in 1970, before it was finally approved by the Board of Regents in 1990.

In 1998, the college was named after Averitt to honor his many contributions to the development of graduate studies, which now offers 34 degree majors and has 68 study concentrations offered to more than 2,000 students.

Averitt was the dean of Graduate Studies from 1969 to 1979 when he retired with emeritus rank, an honor only bestowed upon retired individuals who have earned distinction in some way.

Averitt's passion lives on at GSU through the Jack N. and Addie D. Averitt Lecture Series,



Special Photo

The funeral service for Jack Averitt will take place Wednesday at 11 a.m. in the Chapel of Hodges-Moore Funeral Home.

which was established in 1990 for the Department of History, the Department of Literature and Philosophy and the Department of Writing and Linguistics at GSU in hopes of enhancing academic and cultural life on campus.

"It is sad to lose someone who is extremely important in the history of GSU," said professor emeritus of English Delma Presley. "He cares about Georgia Southern and is critical to our success."

Presley, a close friend of Averitt, authored

the 304-page book on the university's history, "The Southern Century".

In addition to his work inside the university, Averitt designed the entrance to Sweetheart Circle and also met his wife, the late Addie Averitt, at GSU. She was a reference librarian at the time. They married in 1948 and though they had no children they provided financial assistance for some students in need.

"[The students] represent what their children might be," said Presley.

GSU drops to third in state for HOPE scholars

By Avina Darmadjaja

Managing editor for news

Georgia Southern was recently dropped to third in the state for HOPE (Helping Outstanding Pupils Educationally) scholars. University of Georgia and Georgia State University placed first and second, respectively.

"I believe that the main reason Georgia State took our place was because it is a much bigger school and it also has more students," said Elise Boyett, associate director of Financial Aid.

Since HOPE started in 1993, GSU has since had 34, 125 HOPE scholars while Georgia State University has had 34, 460.

"We're only 334 students behind," said Boyett.

In the beginning of the fall semester, the Georgia State Finance Commission (GSFC) set a new standard in determining recipients' eligibility. The change was deemed necessary because of inconsistencies in the grading system used by high schools all over the state.

Since it is easier for a student to make a "B" average using a 100-point scale, the GSFC decided to standardize the system by requiring all high schools to use the 4.0 scale.

Many freshmen with a borderline GPA became ineligible as a result of the stricter requirement.

There were only 5,023 students receiving HOPE this fall, down from the 6,099 students during the 2006-2007 academic year. However, this number could still increase because it didn't include incoming freshmen in the spring semester. "The decrease in HOPE scholarship recipients definitely has something to do with the new requirement, but that is a state-wide problem," said Boyett.

The GSFC predicted a 30 percent decrease of new freshmen HOPE scholarship recipients in all of the University System of Georgia. According to Boyett, that is about what we had back in August.



NEWS

SAGE visits DC

Members of GSU attend Powershift '07 with students from across the nation

see NEWS, page 7



SPORTS

Eagles win at Stetson

Atwood and Jessie lead women's basketball to first season win against Stetson Sunday

see SPORTS, page 8

TOP STORY

Book swap cuts prices

The new Eagle book swap could save students precious cash.

see NEWS, page 3

BLUEOUT WEEKEND

The Georgia Southern football team finished up their home season play this past weekend with a loss against Furman. With the prospect of clinching a playoff berth, fans packed Paulson stadium for an intense game against the Paladins. From car bashing to face painting, fans supported the Eagles. GSU looks ahead to this weekend's final regular season game against Colorado State. Whether this weekend brings a win or a loss, GSU football turned in an improved season compared to last.

All photos by Laura Pallini/STAFF



GSU students participate in Thursday's 'Great Car Bash' to prepare for Saturday's game against Furman.



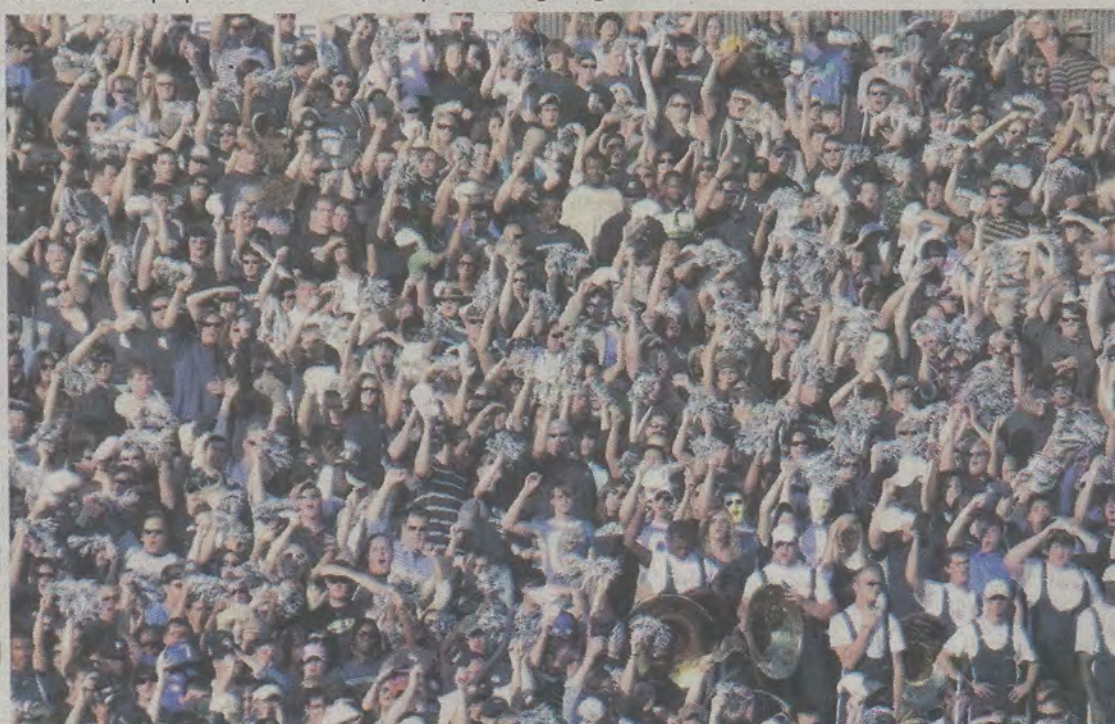
GSU cheerleaders perform during Saturday's game against Furman.



GSU's defense prepares for Furman to snap ball during the game.



Wesley McGuire, Matt McCartney and Danny Sanderson show their GSU spirit at Saturday's game.



GSU fans cheer during Saturday's 'Blue Out' against Furman.

New website cuts down book costs

By Cristy Smith

Staff writer

Every semester most students spend hundreds of dollars on books, which leaves students bargain hunting, sharing books, broke, or all of the above.

Many students will be dreading the start of next semester due to this financial burden, but there may be another alternative.

Three Georgia Southern students have come to your book buying rescue, and have constructed a book swapping, and a book bargain buying Web site called EagleBookSwap.com, that was launched last Sunday.

The use of the Web site is free and will have capabilities of matching students to swap or buy based on their textbooks advertised on the Web site.

"They [users of EBS] can swap books with other students... they can also create a wish list and we automatically find matches with other people," Nathan Graves, co-founder and sophomore Information Technology major, said.

"You can also buy books from other students and find prices from several different affiliates like Amazon and Half."

Not only would GSU students benefit from this new site, but Ogeechee Tech and East Georgia College students would also have accessibility to swap and buy books too.

"The primary goal of the site was to relieve books costs for the students... we wanted to make something to connect students and we realized a Web site would be good for that," Joe Rainone, co-founder and senior Information Technology major said.

On average the University Bookstore makes \$31 per used book on book buyback, and the internet bookstores, such as Amazon.com are

\$21 cheaper per new book and are \$17 cheaper per used book, according to Rainone.

"We have a price comparison tool that will give you the best price [on books] online amongst bookstores," Casey Adams, co-founder and senior Information Technology major said.

There are similar Web sites at other colleges, but most of those sites serve as forums and aren't comprehensive, where EagleBookSwap.com takes you through the entire process step-by-step, according to Adams.

"The best thing about it all is the site is really simple to use," Chad Harple, a senior marketing major, and Eagle Book Swap member said.

"All you do is add the books you have for trade or sale and add the books you need for your next semester and the site automatically matches you up with other people."

To make the site GSU student user friendly, Eagle Book Swap had to obtain book information for all the classes offered at the University.

The creators had to place a legal request for the book records at the University Bookstore. From there, they added the ISBN for all books to their Web site and have made all the books

searchable through their ISBNs and by course name.

EagleBookSwap.com hopes to have 1,000 registered members by this Friday and will be giving away \$250 worth of books and \$200 cash in a drawing to a lucky member, if they reach this goal.

Eagle Book Swap will be giving away free slices of Papa John's pizza with every sign up in the lobby of the Information Technology building throughout this week.

In order to sign up, all you need is a Georgia Southern, Ogeechee Technical College, or East Georgia College e-mail address.



Looking for experience? We have it.

And you can, too! The George-Anne is looking for talented writers who want to work on features, sports, and news stories for the upcoming year. If you are interested, contact us at 912-681-5246 or by e-mail at ganewsed@georgiasouthern.edu.

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

The George-Anne Daily is the official student newspaper of Georgia Southern University, owned and operated by GSU students and utilizing the facilities provided by GSU. The newspaper is the oldest, continuously published newspaper in Bulloch County and Statesboro, Ga. The newspaper is a designated public forum for the Georgia Southern Community. The ideas expressed herein are those of the editor or the individual authors and do not necessarily represent the views of the Student Media Advisory Board, the administration, the faculty and staff of Georgia Southern University, or the University System of Georgia. The George-Anne is published four times weekly (Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday) during most of the academic year and six times during the summers. Any questions regarding content should be directed to the editor by phone at 912-681-5246 or fax at 912-486-7113. Readers may access the newspaper and its archives staff by visiting our Web site at <http://www.gadaily.com>.

SUPPORT

The G-A is funded primarily through revenue from advertisements placed in the paper and receives additional support, in part, from the Student Activities Budget Committee.

STUDENTS BEWARE

The G-A screens all advertisements prior to publication. The newspaper strives to accept ads for legitimate products and services only. Students are urged to exercise caution when replying to ads-particularly those which require a credit card number, other personal information, or money in advance of the delivery of a product or service. Students are also urged to report to the newspaper any suspicious offers which they might see in an ad. Remember, if an offer seems too good to be true, it probably is.

FREEBIE INFO

ALL FREE student and faculty ads to be run in the G-A must have a NAME, P.O. BOX and PHONE NUMBER. Ads will be rejected if they do not have this information. NO EXCEPTIONS.

OFFICES, MAIL, PHONES

Room 2023, F.I. Williams Center. The George-Anne, P.O. Box 8001, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, Ga. 30460. 912-681-5246 (News) or 912-681-5418 (Advertising) or 912-681-0069 (Advisor)

EMAIL DIRECTORY

Executive Editor gaeditor@georgiasouthern.edu
Managing Editor gamed@georgiasouthern.edu
News Editor ganewsed@georgiasouthern.edu
Advertising ads@georgiasouthern.edu or adst1@georgiasouthern.edu

ADVERTISING

The G-A reserves the right to refuse any advertisement.

DISPLAY AD DEADLINE: The deadline for reserving space and submitting advertising copy is Noon, one week prior to the intended publication date. For more information, rate cards, sample publications, contact the advertising manager or student media advisor.

PROOFING/ERRORS/OMISSIONS: The newspaper makes every reasonable effort to correct and complete information in advertisements. However the advertiser is responsible for any errors in advertisements and its liability for adjustments is limited to the amount of space the error occupied in the ad. Further, the newspaper is not responsible for any damages caused due to an ad's omission from a particular edition and its responsibility solely is to reschedule the ad in the next regular edition at the regular advertising rates.

CLASSIFIED ADS: Free classified ads from students, faculty and staff must be non-commercial in nature and submitted in writing with the name of the sender, local address and phone number. No free ads taken via telephone - at this price we don't take dictation. One free ad per person per week. Commercial classified are available only from our online site at www.gsuads.com. The price of commercial ads is \$7 for 200 characters for line ads. Ads must be paid for using a major credit card. For classified display ads, contact gaclass@georgiasouthern.edu.

CIRCULATION INFORMATION: Mail subscriptions are not available at this time. However, readers may visit our Web site for free access to current and past issues. Visit www.gadaily.com to view online issues. The G-A is distributed free of charge on the Georgia Southern campus through delivery sites located in campus buildings, at off-campus sites, and in residence halls.

NOTICE

Readers may pick up one free copy, and a second for a roommate or acquaintance, at distribution sites. Additional copies are 50 cents each and are available at the Williams Center. However, unauthorized removal of additional copies from a distribution site constitutes theft under Georgia law, a misdemeanor offense punishable by a fine and/or jail time. Editors will seek to have any person(s) who removes more than the authorized number of copies from distribution sites prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

NOTE

We gratefully acknowledge the theft of one of our slogans - "Liked by Many, Cussed by Some, Read by them All" - from Robert Williams of the Blackshear Times. Credit for the other slogan - "Covering Campus like a Swarm of Gnats" - goes to G-A alum Mike Mills.



The Sir Shop

TWO LOCATIONS

Statesboro Mall
764-6924

Main Street Village
871-4962



OPINION

Submission of Letters to the Editor

The George-Anne Daily welcomes letters to the editor, story submissions and guest columns from people both inside and outside the GSU community. All copy submitted should be 350 words or less, typed, and preferably sent via e-mail in Microsoft Word format to gaeditor@georgiasouthern.edu. All submissions must be signed and include a mailing address and phone number for verification. GSU students should include their academic major, year at GSU, and hometown. The editors reserve the right to edit or reject any submission.

I am not young enough to know everything.

-Oscar Wilde
Irish author

Take advantage of guest speakers

Georgia Southern students should be attending more public speaking events held on campus, and not those just assigned to do so for extra credit.

These brief lectures that can inform and stimulate a crowd are being surpassed only because they seem like they are purely educational. These events are anything but this however, they tend to be highly informative or entertaining and tend not to be over an hour long.

Every year numerous guest speakers, from authors and artists to musicians and other scholars visit GSU to share their unique experiences and engage students on campus with a rare perspective they probably wouldn't have.

This gives most students on campus a chance to pick from a wide variety of public speakers and guest lecturers. And with different organizations and groups on campus hosting guests

speakers, there are usually at least a dozen different guest speakers and lecturers for all types of students.

Most are very interesting and intriguing people and typically all lectures are free.

Ordained minister and honorary orator, Bernice King gave an inspired and speech on behalf of her father's nationally recognized birthday last January.

And spring semester, Holocaust survivor Manya Friedman shared her story of being taken from her home and forced into exile, never to see her family again in a Nazi concentration camp.

Others include Atlanta-Journal Constitution editor Bert Roughton Jr., Irish muralist Tom Kelly, and on Nov. 26 B. J. Elliot will discuss the problems caused by his addiction to drugs and alcohol.

Gus & Grumbles



Gus shows his school spirit at the big game



Grumbles gets kicked out of the big game for letting his spirits show

Stephen Mullinax/STAFF

Peace demonstration = a step in the right direction

All involved in the peace demonstration in and around the rotunda yesterday deserve to be applauded. I was greeted by spirit lifting music and a lawn filled with boots, in honor of and symbolic of Georgians lost since the middle-eastern occupation began. Thank you.

The time for our generation's peace movement to network, organize, and escalate is now. The Iraq invasion was sold with lies (no WMDs, no 9/11 connection) by callous individuals looking to profit, and our nation's dependence on oil is being unnecessarily prolonged by oil and automotive big

wigs (see the film 'Who Killed the Electric Car'). But this generation seems to be in a coma.

Politically apathetic, Republican, Green Party, Democrat, Libertarian, doesn't matter - who can't appreciate the notion that human life is sacred? Get mad and demand accountability from these war-mongering, manipulative crooks!

Democrats promised to bring about change with their congressional takeover - never happened. That means it's time for you punks to cause a ruckus!

- Matthew Mannila (Associate Editor)

Thank You Statesboro Citizens for Good Government

The Statesboro Citizens for Good Government challenged the voting rights of a mass of student voters recently. There has been a buzz around about what the motives of these four members of the community really are.

I hear a lot of different things. One of the most popular is that this group is clinging to the small town conservative way of life; denying students their right to vote because these citizens want nothing to do with the college except get the money that it pumps into the community.

While I completely agree with this assessment, I have noticed that no one has stopped to notice that these four people have done something unique, and in a positive way.

Statesboro Citizens for Good Government, I thank you. By blatantly challenging a group of students their constitutional right to vote you pissed a lot of people off. The college student age group, 18-24, has one of the worst voter turnout ratings in the country. It is a distinct fact that a pathetic many "young people" just don't vote. The reasoning doesn't matter; they just don't get off their butts and take the extra time it takes to go to the polls, to make an impact into their own future.

The question on many policy makers and politicians' minds is how do you get young people to wake up and take action? Do you campaign directly to them? Do you take up issues that greatly affect them? The answer is

much simpler. All you have to do is piss them off. If you tell a "young person" that they can't do something, they are going to be even more motivated to do it, just to spite you. Our generation is headstrong and intelligent. We are educated college students and we are proud of our lives. Telling us that we are not good enough to speak our minds is the perfect fire under the proverbial rear end.

Thank you Statesboro Citizens for Good Government. By challenging the college students of Georgia Southern, you did exactly opposite of what you were trying to do.

By trying to keep students from the polls, you brought them to it.

By trying to keep students from having a voice, you made their voice stronger. I hope that these four have realized that they have shot themselves in the foot. It almost makes you feel for them, that their plan has backfired so incredibly.

National civil rights agencies, state-wide (and even a little bit nation wide) media, and those dreaded lawyers have gotten involved. The results of the "counted" votes has made this election a circus side show.

But no matter the outcome, this community is going to be feeling the repercussions from this for a long time after. You better bet that next election, the students will be out in full force, especially if the Board of Registrars upholds the challenge.



Jessica Martin is a geology major from Tampa, FL. She is the managing editor for operations for the George-Anne Daily.

THE GEORGE-ANNE DAILY

Editorial Board

Executive Editor: Will Adams

Managing Editor for News: Avina Darmadjaja

Managing Editor for Operations: Jessica Martin

News Editor: Elliot Volkman

Managing Editor for Multimedia: Jeff Martin

Editorial Staff

Deputy Managing Editor: Chris Buchanan

Features Editor: Amy McIntyre

Sports Editor: Matt Mauney

Copy Editor: Morgan Marsh

Photo Editor: Tao Ventre

How to Contact Us:

News: ganews@georgiasouthern.edu

Sports: gasports@georgiasouthern.edu

Features: hiatus@georgiasouthern.edu

Advertising: ads1@georgiasouthern.edu

Newsroom: 912.681.5246

Advertising: 912.681.5418

Facsimile: 912.486.7113





UPCOMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY:
NOV. 14

▪ **INTRO TO CLIMBING CLINIC**
▪ **ADVENTURE MOVIE SERIES (FREE) 8PM@SOUTHERN ADVENTURES CENTER**

THURSDAY:
NOV. 15

▪ **WOMEN & WEIGHTS 5:30 P.M. TO 7 P.M.**
▪ **BOWLING NIGHT 9:30PM-MIDNIGHT**

FRIDAY:
NOV. 16

▪ **GEORGIA COLLEGIATE FLAG FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS**

SATURDAY:
NOV. 17

▪ **BACKPACKING TRIP**

SUNDAY:
NOV. 18

▪ **GROUP FIT TRY-OUTS 8PM-10PM**

MONDAY:
NOV. 19

▪ **WOMEN & WEIGHTS 5:30 P.M. TO 7 P.M.**



Will Adams/STAFF

Yesterday, the Georgia Peace and Justice Coalition showed their respect for the fallen Georgian soldiers of the Iraqi war with a demonstration involving boots. Each pair of boots represents a fellow Georgia resident that was killed in the war. This demonstration was commemorating Veteran's Day.



www.fordcollegehq.com

I AM

passionate. define yourself.

\$500 student bonus cash
EXCLUSIVE OFFER

Additional savings just for college and trade school students, recent grads and grad students



IT DRIVES

COLLEGE STUDENT PURCHASE PROGRAM
www.fordcollegehq.com

2008 Ford Escape






etc.

Now you can place your classified ads online... For Commercial Ads, Visit...

<http://www.gsuads.com>

...and create, place, proof and pay for your ad online. Just \$7 for 200 characters. In partnership with Universal Advertising.

Free ads for students, faculty & staff (non-commercial). Send an email message to...

www.gadaily.com

You must include your names, address and phone number for freebies. No phone calls please, at this price we don't take dictation.

CLASSIFIED CATEGORIES

100 Announcements
110 Auditions
120 Freebies
130 Lost & Found
140 Other Announcements

200 Buy or Sell
210 Autos for Sale
220 Auto Parts for Sale
230 Bicycles for Sale
240 Books for Sale
250 Computers & Software
260 Miscellaneous for Sale
270 Motorcycles for Sale
280 Trade & Barter
290 Wanted

300 Employment & Job Services
310 Career & Job Services
320 Child Care Needed
330 Child Care Provider
340 Internships/Volunteer
350 Jobs/Full Time
360 Jobs/Part Time
370 Opportunities/Business
380 University Work
390 Wanted Jobs

400 Housing & Real Estate
410 Apartments
420 Lofts & Rooms
430 Mobile Homes
440 Real Estate for Sale
450 Roommates Wanted
460 Storage & Moving Services
470 Student Housing

480 Sub Leases
490 Vacation Rentals

500 Personals
500 Personals

600 Services
610 Education & Tutoring
620 Financial Aid/Loans
630 Legal Services
640 Resumes/Typing/DTP
650 Services/Miscellaneous

700 Travel
710 Spring Break Travel

800 Transportation/Rides
800 Transportation/Rides

900 Miscellaneous
910 Pets & Pet Supplies

Announcements 100 - 199

140 Other Announcements

Leadership 101: Leadership and Service Union 2041 5:30-6:30pm Discover how serving others influences you as a leader and the community

Buy or Sell 200 - 299

210 Autos for Sale

2005 Toyota Tundra. White, 4 Door, under warranty, V8, 2WD, Asking payoff: \$21,000. Call Misty 912-536-2565

Nissan Altima 1996 GXE Sedan 4 D. Mileage is about 120,000. Green color/Power Windows/AirConditioning Good condition Call Masa@912-541-3630

Feelling left out of the parking hassles on campus? BUY MY CAR and join the fun! 01 KIA Sephia, \$1100.00 or OBO Eric @ (912) 690-2791, leave message

2001 Pontiac Grand Am Moving and need to get rid of. In Great Condition. \$2500 or best offer. Contact Laura for appointment. 9123222830

260 Miscellaneous for Sale

Buy your hand crafted GSU clock TODAY!! 3 different styles and 5 different colors. For more information contact Kyle Conaway at 912 3067398 or kconaw@georgiasouthern.edu

Alvarez AD60S Electric! Only played 1 year. Sits in hardcase \$100 value. No Strings, small scratch barely visible. \$350 OBO. Call me! 912-658-7218.

XBOX 360 for sale! includes 360 w/ hard drive, HALO 3, headset, and 3 wireless controllers. 350 OBO call Corinne (912) 687-2651 retails for over 500

Extra nice futon for sale. Wood frame, big, thick mattress. Paid 350 - asking only 100 OBO, delivery available call Corinne (912) 687-2651

two texas instruments calculators for sale. One TI-81 and one TI-83. The TI-83 comes with software for the computer. for more info call 912-678-3179

Guitar for sale. Jackson DXMGM

w/ EMG pickups. Black color, mint condition. Optional 15W Fender amp. 350\$ OBO OBO. 229-221-2490 Must Sell

ANTIQUE DINING SUITE. Table, 2 Armchairs, 4 Side Chairs ca.1913 Med It wood; Great condition Asking \$2500.-CALL JEAN 912-489-3865. Leave message

Bowflex 'Extreme' Home Gym with Leg attachment. Almost new condition. Asking \$500. 481-7744

beautiful solid wood dresser, 4 big drawers on each side and six little drawers in the middle. Can help deliver, one block from GSU. Call 912-678-3179

Moving Sale everything must go. Clothing, Furniture, jewelry, tvs, cds, and too much more to mention. 1 blk from GSU, can deliver. 678-3179 for info

Employment & Job Services 300 - 399

340 Internships/Volunteer

SPRING OR SUMMER ADVERTISING SALES AND MARKETING INTERNSHIP/JOB. Earn \$\$\$ and gain valuable sales and mktg experience working for "Plan-It Statesboro" (Gray's planner) the FREE daily planner for students. Flexible schedules. GREAT RESUME BOOSTER!!! Call Phil at 610-696-8384, ext. 101 or phil@studentmediagroup.com for more information. www.studentmediagroup.com

350 Jobs/Full Time

Outside Sales Person needed for automotive parts distributor in Statesboro. Salary plus commission and full benefits. Exp. preferred but will train right person. Must be neat, professional, and able to manage ones time effectively. Send resume to jwillis@weaverdist.com.

370 Opportunities/Business

I am working a on dynamic web project due to be released in the spring. Help needed contact me at griffinwebproductions@gmail.com

Housing & Real Estate 400 - 499

410 Apartments

1 BR in 4 BR apt in The Exchange for Spring '08, Furnished with all utilities included in \$440 rent, must be female and apply with landlord, no security deposit, \$500 cash bonus with rental, call 770-314-4576

420 Lofts & Rooms

Tired of roommates? One Person Apartment Downtown with Northern Exposure. Private, quiet second floor studio loft: rent includes utilities, basic cable with HBO, WiFi, washer/dryer. \$525/month. Will accept one semester lease. Some pets acceptable. References required. Contact wgn3@mac.com

440 Real Estate for Sale

95% owner financing, 5 acre, 1300 sf shop, 1900 sf 3 b/2 b brick house, must sell!!! asking \$195 k. 7181 pulaski hwy statesboro ga 843-830-9645

450 Roommates

New 4 bdrm house, 3 GSU guys need 4th guy to rent, private room/bathroom, \$425 mo. incl util. 2 mi. from GSU, Langston Chapel, Call Gordon 404-510-8673

Female Roommate needed for Spring '08 semester at The Exchange. Discounted price! Fully furnished, private bed/bath. Call Brooke: 912.618.8383.

1 Roommate needed ASAP! 3 bedroom, 3 bath apt in Garden District! All inclusive 325.00 a month & includes internet & cable! Call Heather at 478-521-2602

1 to 2 roommates needed for a 4bed/4bath in campus club. First month free, clean roommates. call for more details. 678-643-9332 or 912-253-9065

FEMALE ROOMMATES NEEDED FOR A BRAND NEW 4 BDRM, 4 BTH HOUSE IN BURKHALTER PLANTATION CALL MADISON FOR DETAILS... (229) 630-2694

Female roommate! Available immediately! University Pines, 4Bed/4Bath, \$405/month, fully furnished, HBO, tanning bed, pool/hot tub. Megan Register 706-871-8757

FEMALE ROOMMATE NEEDED FOR 4 BED/BATH IN CAMPUS CLUB! AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY! ALL INCLUSIVE, FULLY FURNISHED! RENT NEGOTIABLE, ASKING \$399. 404.513.7290

Female roommate needed for a Cambridge sublease: 2bed/2bath; \$495/mo; utilities inc; internet and cable Contact Melissa @ msasser2@georgia-southern.edu

460 Storage & Moving Services

Need Help Moving? Affordable Moving Assistance. Call Eric@912-247-0763. Will work with your schedule. Will have a trailer available.

Climate controlled storage space available for cheap. Price is negotiable. Call John-813-220-2075

470 Student Housing

Stadium Walk 2 BR/1 BA for RENT! Available Spring 08. New carpet and paint, washer/dryer included. Flexible leases. Lease for 08-09 school year now and save! 706-836-1536 blichty@back40invest.com

House for Rent! Available NOW!! 5 bedrooms, 2 baths. Family or Students. S. College St. 1 minute from GSU! For more information, call 682-2277

Already live at The Exchange, but looking to switch apartments ASAP!!! Please call Rachel 770-851-5628

House/Rooms for rent: 1 month free, Talons Lake, 4 br/4 ba, \$275/room, cable, internet included. 256-335-5541

480 Sub Leases

2 rooms available for spring in 3BR/2BA house right by campus. House comes with 57"TV and the best roommate of all time. Rent Negotiable. John-813-220-2075

Looking for a sub-lease for the Spring Semester. Prefer furnished place with 1 other roommate at most. Email Lee at hlee7@georgiasouthern.edu

Sublease Sp. 08 in Woodlands. \$450/month no pet; \$465 w/ pet-deposit already paid. All inclusive. Walk/drive to campus. Laundry Rm. 904-838-6689

Need sublease for spring 08 in the Woodlands. Will give you one month of free rent (January). Other months negotiable. Contact Greg at 912-536-4101



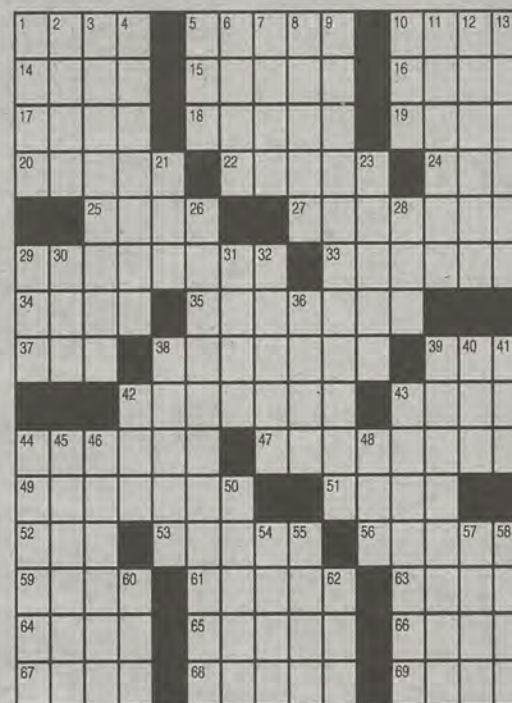
Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Queens ballpark
- 5 Bald raptor
- 10 Piercing tools
- 14 Tediously protracted
- 15 Plains people
- 16 Certain tide
- 17 Texas crock
- 18 Point of view
- 19 Actress Moore
- 20 Gives off
- 22 Stop, look and look?
- 24 French wine
- 25 Persian ruler
- 27 Iceberg rival
- 29 Precipitator
- 33 Luxurious country houses
- 34 Vigoda and Lincoln
- 35 Wading birds
- 37 Wicked
- 38 Supporting fans
- 39 Little one
- 42 In the best shape
- 43 Urban center
- 44 Peter of "My Favorite Year"
- 47 Rod and Payne
- 49 Rabbit colonies
- 51 Have the nerve
- 52 Pot top
- 53 Sand hills
- 56 Roasting rods
- 59 Fencing sword
- 61 Fizzy drinks
- 63 Smallest Great Lake by volume
- 64 Blue shade
- 65 Ford from Tennessee
- 66 Verbal subtlety
- 67 Cocoon fiber
- 68 Old hat
- 69 Ginger cookie

DOWN

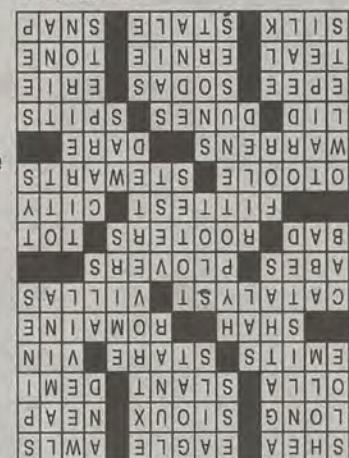
- 1 gin fizz
- 2 Celeste or Ian
- 3 Joined up
- 4 Christie and others
- 5 Double curve
- 6 Feels unwell
- 7 Billy or nanny
- 8 LEM word
- 9 Gregarious and outgoing
- 10 Up-coming connector
- 11 Destructive beetle
- 12 Thin layer
- 13 Urchin's defense
- 21 Actor Mineo
- 23 U.A.E. rulers
- 26 Sides of right triangles
- 28 Molinaro and Michaels
- 29 Taxi
- 30 Lawyers' grp.
- 31 Coin opening
- 32 Schleps
- 36 Part three of a three-piece suit
- 38 Irked
- 39 Tool in a trunk
- 40 Mel of the Giants
- 41 Herndon and Cobb
- 42 In favor of
- 43 Floor coverings
- 44 Little hooters



© 2007 Tribune Media Services, Inc. All rights reserved.

10/1/07

Solutions



45 Taiwan's capital
46 Tough trial
48 Once existed
50 Audible expression of contempt
54 "Giant" and "So

Big" writer Ferber
55 Spanker or spinnaker
57 Singer Turner
58 Ooze
60 Caribou cousin
62 Told you so!

Powershift '07: Students come together for the environment

By Philip Clements

Staff writer

On November 2, college students and young people from across the country came together at the University of Maryland with the sole purpose of letting those in power know that this generation is not going to let the environment die.

Powershift, a national youth summit organized by a number of environmental action groups, geared itself towards relaying as much information as possible to the thousands of young people in attendance.

The event consisted of four 14-hour days that were filled with speakers, panels, workshops and other activities revolving around environmental issues.

"It really **was** all about starting the movement. I feel **like** everyone there really took that to heart" said Trey Gunning, the Vice President of SAGE.

Of the estimated 6,000 people in attendance, roughly 100 of them were from Georgia, including a group of 25 students from Georgia

Southern that went with Student Alliance for a Green Earth (SAGE).

Some of the panels that were offered on Saturday include topics such as corporate responsibility, green jobs, and civil disobedience.

"I went to a panel on anti-oppression which dealt with mostly racial issues and how to include minorities in the environmental movement" said Meagan Sutherland, a freshman writing major.

The second day was full of workshops rather than panels. The workshops were a more specific way of learning and were grouped together in categories such as "Campus Organizing" and "Environmental Justice."

Juliette Jordan, a senior biology major, attended a workshop on mountain top removal and said, "It was really interesting to see all the details and how they do these things as well as how it affects the people that live around those places."

On Monday, also known as "Lobby Day," Powershift came down on Capitol Hill. Following a congressional hearing on energy independence and global warming, students were given

a seven-hour block to lobby to their respective congressmen and senators and put their newfound knowledge and skills to the test.

The objective of this lobbying session was to push the "One Sky Campaign" and get as many representatives to sign an agreement as possible. "One Sky" is an organization revolving around a policy plan designed to move America towards a greener future.

Both Meagan and Juliette lobbied the "One Sky Campaign" to Christopher Schepis, the Legislative Director for John Barrow, congressman for the 12th district of Georgia.

While they were not able to obtain a signature, there was a positive exchange of ideas.

"He listened to us and seemed to go along with what we were saying and said he would pass it on to Barrow," said Meagan.

After the lobbying, everybody gathered on the West Lawn for a rally. Important figures like Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi and civil rights advocate Van Jones gave powerful speeches that got the crowd eager for change.

"It's about demanding a change. We need to start pushing back," said Meagan.

POLICE BEAT

11-09-2007

A case of financial identity theft was reported at the RAC.

A case of harassment was reported at Olliff Hall.

Officers issued three traffic citations and responded to one alarm.

11-10-2007

Willie Charles Haynes, 25, of Prosperity Lane, Vidalia, Ga., was charged with wanted person.

Brendan John Watson, 26, of Richmond Hill Road, Monroe, Ga., was charged with public intoxication.

Robert Charles Young, 21, of Lanier Drive, Statesboro, was charged with public intoxication.

A loud music complaint was made at Eagle Village.

International Festival



NOVEMBER 17, 2007
SATURDAY, 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
MILL CREEK REGIONAL PARK

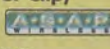
- International Performances on TARGET World Stage
- International Sports & Games
- International Bazaar
- International Food
- "It's a Small World"
- Global Village

For more information contact Angie Threatte at (912) 681-0570

Free Admission

FREE ACCESSORY

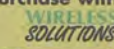
with activation
 (Car Charger, Leather Case or Clip)



Not valid with other coupons or specials. Exp. 12/30/07

10% off

Entire Purchase with activation



Not valid with other coupons or specials. Exp. 12/30/07

NO Credit Check NO Contract NO Monthly Bills

UNLIMITED MINUTES

\$69⁹⁹
 per month

700 Weekday Minutes, Unlimited Night & Weekend & Unlimited Mobile To Mobile

2 4 0 0 MINUTES

\$39⁹⁹
 per month

400 Weekday Minutes, & 2000 Night & Weekend

1 2 0 0 MINUTES

\$29⁹⁹
 per month

200 Weekday Minutes, & 1000 Night & Weekend



ALLTECH - Main Street Village (Next to Hospital), Statesboro (912) 871-7522
A.S.A.P. - 406 S. Main Street, Statesboro..... (912) 764-2337
WIRELESS SOLUTIONS - 263 Northside Dr. E., Statesboro..... (912) 489-2255
ALLTECH - In the Statesboro Mall (912) 764-2416

For terms & conditions, see www.alltel.com/terms.html

SPORTS

Women's Basketball continues their tough road trip as they take on #10 Georgia tonight at 7 p.m.

WEEKEND WONDER

Shawnda Atwood recorded her first double-double of the season with 12 points and 10 rebounds in the Eagles 67-51 win over Stetson Sunday.

Volleyball ends season with loss

GSU News Service

Georgia Southern junior Bianca Julio recorded a career-high 25 kills but it was not enough as Davidson claimed a 3-1 victory Sunday at Belk Arena.

The contest wraps up the regular season for both teams. The Wildcats improve to 12-19 and 7-11 in the Southern Conference. The Eagles drop to 10-20 and 7-11.

Julio's kill total came on a career-best 58 attempts and is the most kills by a GSU player this season. She also registered a .345 hitting percentage and led the defense with 16 digs. Freshman Michelle Uzoh recorded 14 kills, a .333 attack percentage and seven blocks. Fellow freshman Laura Beth Lancaster set a new personal high with 10 kills.

Freshman Jessica Bradford, in only her

second career start, dished out 57 assists, the second-highest total by a GSU player this season.

After Davidson pulled out close wins in the first two games, Georgia Southern jumped out to a 12-5 lead in game three thanks to a 6-0 run. The Eagles were helped by three Wildcat errors and two kills from Uzoh.

In game four, the two teams were separated by no more than two points until a 5-0 run by Davidson gave the Wildcats a 24-21 advantage. The Eagles closed to within one on two occasions but were unable to overcome the deficit.

Next up for the Eagles is the Southern Conference Tournament to be held in Chattanooga, Tenn. GSU will be the No. 8 seed and play top-seeded Charleston Friday at 10 a.m.



FILE PHOTO - JAMIE TUTEN/STAFF

Jessica Geiger looks for an open teammate in a contest against Georgia last year at Hanner Fieldhouse. The Eagles will face the Bulldogs again, this time in Athens, tonight at 7 p.m.

Eagles defeat Stetson for first win

GSU News Service

Seniors Shawnda Atwood and Chequilla Jessie scored a team-high 12 points each to lead the Georgia Southern women's basketball team to a 67-51 non-conference victory at Stetson, Sunday afternoon at Edmunds Center in DeLand, Fla.

The Lady Eagles improve to 1-1 on the season, while the Hatters fall to 0-2 overall, giving Georgia Southern a 21-9 all-time series advantage since 1980.

Atwood led the team with 10 rebounds contributing to her first double-double of the season and fourth of her career. Jessie pulled down nine rebounds while Jessica Geiger had a strong performance with nine points and eight rebounds. Junior Ashley Melson scored 10 points shooting 4-of-5 from the field.

Stetson was led by Kellie Olson with 14 points, followed by Jessica Conner with 11 points and nine rebounds.

"It's always great to get that first win, just because it relaxes everybody," said head coach Rusty Cram. "When you start the season this early, everybody's looking for that win because you know how important that is, to get that under your belt, especially on the road. You can tell that for the kids it's almost like a sigh of relief. So now we pick it up and go with it."

In first half action, the Hatters got into foul trouble early, allowing the Lady Eagles to head to the charity stripe and connect on 8-of-11

attempts from the line. GSU's last seven points of the half came from the free-throw line and they held a 28-20 advantage going into the locker room shooting 9-of-33 (.273) from the field, compared to Stetson's 6-of-23 (.261) shooting.

In the second half the Hatters closed the gap to within five points twice in the first 10 minutes and GSU held a 46-41 advantage with 10:38 remaining.

Then the Lady Eagles countered with a 14-0 run over the next six minutes for a 60-41 advantage with 4:13 on the clock. The run was sparked by Geiger's three-pointer and jumper, and extended by a triple off the hands of Atwood to beat the shot clock.

The Lady Eagles held on to the lead they produced just three minutes into the first half for their first win of the season.

Georgia Southern took advantage of the Hatters' 27 turnovers, scoring 31 points off the home team's miscues, compared to Stetson's 14 points. The Lady Eagles out-rebounded the Hatters 44-38 and made 14 steals, including a game-high four swipes by Carolyn Whitney, who also netted eight points.

"The kids are starting to believe," said Cram. "It was obvious tonight they got their composure back. They were saying it. We heard it from the bench. They were taking ownership. And when they start taking ownership, that's half the battle. I thought we contained them pretty well. And every time they made a run, we answered it."

International Week—Nov. 12-17, 2007

Theme: "International Education: Fostering Global Citizenship & Respect"

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
10:00-12:00 p.m. Göran Marcusson Swedish Flute Player Union Ballroom Free to faculty, staff, students and the general public 7:00 p.m. "Prince of Darkness" Arabic Comedy Film with English & French Subtitles starring Adel Imam Union Theater	11:00 - 12:00 p.m. Nejla Pekra presents: "Life in Albania and Commitment of its Government" Russell Union - Room 2048 This event is free & open to the general public Noon A Diner's World Tour - at Season's - Landrum 7:00 p.m. "Miss Navajo" Movie (Nessmith-Lane Assembly Hall) Facilitated by Dr. Heidi Altman (Dept. of Sociology & Anthropology) 7:00 p.m. "From Protest to Peace: Murals by the Bogside Artists of Northern Ireland" Exhibition Museum	10:00 - 2:00 p.m. U.S. Passport Information Day Russell Union Commons Area Application Process Info & Passport Photos (Sponsored by Study Abroad Resource Room & Student Activities) 10:00 - 12:00 p.m. Crease A Priests Statesboro Regional Library Contact: Baine McDuffie 764-1345 5:30-7:30 p.m. "Taste the World" All University Residence Halls. Travel from hall to hall to learn about other people and sample their foods. Get your "passport" in any hall and return your completed passport at your last stop. Contact: Hannal Streyhorn-688-9000 7:00 p.m. "Inside Iraq: The Untold Stories" Union Theater Award-winning filmmaker, lecturer, and journalist Mike Shiley will speak and screen the film. Open and free to faculty/staff/students and the general public. Sponsored by the Multicultural Student Center and the Center for International Studies		11:30-1:00 p.m. International Conversation Hr. Union Ballroom (Proclamation to be given by the Mayor Pro-Tem Joe Brannen at noon)	10:00-4:00 p.m. International Festival Mill Creek Regional Park (Opening Remarks to be given by the Mayor Pro-Tem Joe Brannen at noon) This event is free & open to the general public