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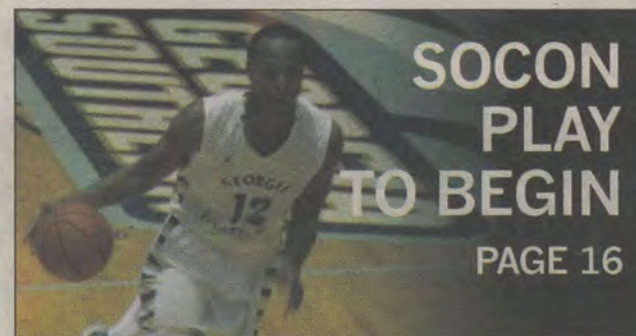
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GSU reveals consumers' holiday shopping plans

BY LINDSAY GASKINS

The George-Anne staff

Georgia Southern University Bureau of Business Research and Economic Development a report revealing that 25 percent of consumers are planning to

spend less during the holidays than they did last year.

The report, the Annual Consumer Confidence Survey, is taken every October.

"I think as people get ready to start their holiday shopping we see a little bit more positive picture than we have in years past,"

Ben McKay, research associate with the Bureau of Business Research and Economic Development, said in the GSU news release.

Since October of last year, the unemployment rate in Georgia has declined from 9.7 percent to 8.7 percent, according to the Georgia Department of Labor.

"I think that people are starting to feel a little bit more of the momentum. They are starting to feel a lot better as they see their friends and neighbors go back to work. That makes them feel better and gets them to start thinking about opening their wallets a little

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10:34 p.m.: Officers responded to a drug complaint at Eagle Village. The residents were referred to Judicial Affairs for disciplinary action.

Thursday, Nov. 15

9:59 a.m.: An incident report was taken for a civil dispute at the Wrapsody Grill.

3:28 p.m.: Criminal Investigations arrested Christopher Jordan Willingham, 18, and charged him with theft by taking – misdemeanor.

4:37 p.m.: An incident report was taken for suspicious activity/persons in Lot 21.

5:17 p.m.: An incident report was taken for a theft at Kennedy Hall. This case was turned over to criminal investigations.

7:42 p.m.: An incident report was taken for a theft at the Henderson Library. This case was turned over to criminal investigations.

8:01 p.m.: An incident report was taken for found property at the Henderson Library.

Monday, Nov. 19

8:56 a.m.: An incident report was taken for an entering auto in Lot 41. This case was turned over to criminal investigations.

9:30 a.m.: An incident report was taken for found property in J Lot.

3:27 p.m.: An incident report was taken for found property in G Lot.

5:42 p.m.: An incident report was taken for an entering auto in J Lot. This case was turned over to criminal investigations.

Tuesday, Nov. 20

9:32 a.m.: An incident report was taken for a theft at University Villas.

9:32 p.m.: Officers responded to a report of a sexual assault at University Villas. This case was turned over to criminal investigations.

Wednesday, Nov. 21

10:37 a.m.: An incident report was taken for found property at Core Credit Union.

1:59 p.m.: An incident report was taken for criminal trespass at Kennedy Hall. This case was turned over to criminal investigations.

2:00 p.m.: Criminal Investigations arrested Cierra Sheika Johnson, 19, and charged her with False Report of a Crime & False Statements and Writings.

4:34 p.m.: Officers responded to the Registrar's Office in reference to a panic alarm. An employee accidentally activated the alarm.

Thursday, Nov. 22

11:54 a.m.: A welfare check was conducted at Kennedy Hall.

3:16 p.m.: Officers responded to The NEST in reference to a fire alarm. Maintenance was notified and responded. The building was checked with no problems found.

Friday, Nov. 23

3:36 p.m.: Officers assisted Statesboro Police with an incident on Robin Hood Trail.

Saturday, Nov. 24

9:20 a.m.: An officer responded to the Child Development Center in reference to a fire alarm. Maintenance was notified and responded. The building was checked with no problems found.

10:13 a.m.: Officers responded to Freedom's Landing in reference to a criminal trespass. Three occupants were judicially referred.

Sunday, Nov. 25

1:48 p.m.: An officer responded to Freedom's Landing in reference to a fire alarm. Maintenance was notified and responded. The building was checked with no problems found.

2:41 p.m.: An incident report was taken for found property on Sweetheart Circle. The owner of the property was notified.

4:24 p.m.: A traffic stop was conducted on Maleki Drive and Akins Boulevard. The vehicle was determined to have a suspended registration and was towed. The driver was issued a traffic citation for speeding.

8:32 p.m.: Officers responded to Freedom's Landing in reference to a drug complaint. Three occupants were judicially referred.

8:58 p.m.: An incident report was taken for harassment at Freedom's Landing. This case was turned over to criminal investigations.

10:16 p.m.: An incident report was taken for a burglary at Freedom's Landing. This case was turned over to criminal investigations.

5:47 a.m.: An officer responded to the Math/Physics Building in reference to a burglar alarm. An employee accidentally activated the alarm.

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Our View

Five dollars should not be a game-breaker

The Georgia Southern University student body should come out in full support to cheer on the Eagles this Saturday at Paulson Stadium, despite the ticket cost.

Last season's playoff opener against Old Dominion University was a game with very little student support. In fact, neither of the home playoff games hosted by the Eagles reached full capacity last season. This can be attributed to the impending finals on which the students need to perform well, as well as the added cost of tickets due to the NCAA FCS playoffs, which are otherwise free for GSU students.

However, with only one guaranteed home game during these playoffs, the student body and the GSU fan base in general need to have a strong showing on Dec. 1.

The students should not have any monetary qualms with paying an extra five dollars to see their Eagles in the playoffs, as the student body approved two fee increases related to football in September. The fee increases are substantially more than the five dollars that the student tickets cost for the playoff games.

In addition, the Eagles might not even be eligible to play in the FCS playoffs for too many more years, as the Board of Regents recently approved the fee increase to provide funds for a potential FBS move.

The Eagles have enjoyed strong home-field advantage during the Jeff Monken era, and student support is a large reason that the Eagles have only lost three home games in the last three years. As students we should take pride in the performance of our teams and not let a small monetary fee get in the way of supporting the Eagles.

The George-Anne welcomes letters to the editor and appropriate guest columns. All copy submitted should be 350 words or fewer, typed, and sent via e-mail in Microsoft Word format to gaeditor@georgiasouthern.edu. All submissions must be signed and include phone number for verification. GSU students should include their academic major, year and hometown. The editors reserve the right to reject any submission and edit submissions for length.

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Go to Paulson on Saturday

Exams are only two weeks away, and the pressure to cram in as much studying as possible is very high for most students here at Georgia Southern University. While this is a noble and desperate last-minute goal, there's one day we should all have set aside to not study the whole day. That day is Dec. 1.

Next Saturday we should all be packed into Paulson Stadium like a pack of sardines which just approved a stadium expansion fee. This is the last guaranteed home game for the Eagles football team for the 2012 season and could be the start of an epic playoff run. And just like I provided a list of reasons to go to the first regular-season game, here are some more reasons to go to the first postseason game:

It's the Eagles in the playoffs. GSU is the most dominate post-season school in FCS history, amassing over 40 wins and six national titles. The Eagles have been even more dominating at home, and you know

THE FARM LIFE



JAMES FARMER
OPINIONS EDITOR

this senior class won't want to leave Paulson for the last time with a loss.

Swope's back! The GSU offense struggled without the sophomore running back when he was injured, especially during the loss to App. State. Coach Monken's triple-option attack doesn't rely on just one guy, but it runs a lot smoother with Swope in the lineup.

We can prove that the SoCon is better than the ACC. Ok, not really, but after last weekend's performance, losing all three games played against SEC teams and Maryland to the Big Ten to boot, I'm pretty sure the SoCon can make a claim. Especially because the Eagles scored more

against UGA than Georgia Tech did.

Erk's statue gets unveiled. Erk's statue design is probably the worst kept secret since Brett Favre's first comeback. There are photos of the unveiled statue all over the internet, despite the fact it hasn't been "revealed" yet. But it'd still be fun to yell loudly when the drape comes off. You can tell your grandkids you were there when the world first officially saw something we've already seen.

The players don't get to study during that time either. There are some damn smart football players on that roster that don't get to study during that football game. If they can pull off a 3.0 or higher, while practicing for hours a day and making the university mad money, shouldn't you handicap yourself in a way?

Unless you're failing. Then stay at home and study.

Farmer is a junior political science major from Thomasville, Ga.

From the Left

Unions make America work

The argument of whether or not the government should support unionization represents a fundamental difference between Republicans and Democrats. Historically, Republicans have opposed unions largely because they disrupt the invisible hand of capitalism. The goal of capitalism is for the owners of capital to endlessly accumulate more capital, and what that means is to extract the most efficiency out of the labor force at the lowest possible cost. Unions make possible a collective voice of that labor in order to negotiate things like better wages, benefits and working conditions. Put simply, unions force wealthy CEOs to give more of their capital to their workers, which actually helps the economy because it gives the workers—the largest portion of the market—more disposable income to buy the goods they produce.

However, there is a fine line between labor unions having too much and not enough power. Too much power can lead to unreasonable demands from unions, such as making it impossible for employers to fire incompetent workers or receiving wages too high for the company to sustain itself. However, a good reminder of what it looks like with too little union power is the days of Carnegie and Rockefeller when there were a handful of extraordinarily wealthy tycoons and a vast majority of the population living in poverty and working in life-threatening conditions.

In an age of globalization, you can see why manufacturers would relocate their production

plants to countries that allow for wages to be at two or three dollars an hour rather than in industrialized nations with minimum wages, overtime wages and worker's health standards (all made possible by unions). But, economies of industrialized nations are moving away from manufacturing. Republicans argue that unionization causes unemployment because their largest contributors are CEOs and business moguls. But if you look back at the 1950s and 60s, the greatest economic expansion in U.S. history, you had unionization at around 30 percent with an unemployment rate around four percent—unionization is around 10 percent today with unemployment around eight percent. Furthermore, Sweden, Finland, Denmark, Norway, Belgium, Austria, Canada, UK, Germany, Netherlands, Australia, Japan, New Zealand and Switzerland all have lower unemployment rates than the U.S. but have higher rates of unionization. Globally and historically, there is not a correlation.

Markley is a senior geography major from Marietta, Ga.



SCOTT MARKLEY

From the Right

Big Labor too powerful

Ever since there have been employers and employees, there have been unions to protect those employees to employers. During the Industrial Revolution, unions were used to make sure that workers had safe working conditions, livable wages and benefits and protection from unreasonable demands on the employer's behalf. Because of these unions, the workingman could finally get a wage he could take care of his family on and the middle class prospered and grew. However, now that all of these things have become law, unions have moved on to gaining power and unreasonable demands for their members.

The Hostess Company is one example of this. Due to union rules, each product had to be handled by a different employee. That meant that the Wonder Bread loader could not help the Twinkie loader if he was done with his work and the Twinkie worker was backed up. Union rules also required separate trucks for Twinkies and Wonder Bread to be delivered. Even though this employed more people, it was doubling and even tripling the cost of employing the company. Another example of unreasonable demands is the benefits packages demanded for all employees. Things like health packages and pensions that are underfunded by the employees and employers are expected to make up the difference. Even if the company is not doing as well as when they made these demands, the employers are supposed to make personal sacrifices while the union is not expected to sacrifice.

Even though the left complains about the Citizens United Case that allows for private entities to donate unlimited funds to a candidate without disclosing the donation, they have benefited from it tremendously. In 2012 alone, the labor unions in this country spent \$143,250,940 on lobbying, with 97 percent of that going either directly to Democrats or left-leaning lobbyists. The top two donors from this group were the National Education Association and United Auto Workers, who donated less than two percent of the combined \$24 million they donated, according to the Center for Responsive Politics. All of this money means just one thing: power for unions.

Unions are killing the American work force. They make the cost of doing business in this country too much for companies to handle. They put unreasonable demands on job creators in the name of employee protection. But if the United States does not become a right to work country, all of the good, blue collar, middle class jobs are going to where companies can stay afloat.

Chapin is a senior political science major from Roswell, Ga.



FRITZ CHAPIN

From Data to Discussions

Will we soon see a war in the Middle East?

The short answer is no. Although Israel is in a terrible geographic position, being the only non-Muslim country situated in the middle of the Arab world during one of the tensest times in history for the region, they will still remain the superpower of the area without major war. The recent skirmish with Gaza over the past two weeks, which temporarily ended Wednesday with a cease-fire agreement, was in a way proof of its current dominance.

Israel's military power is the main reason for its dominance in the



WILLIAM BRYAN

Middle East. In 2011, it spent nearly 15 billion dollars on its military, about as much as all of its neighboring countries combined. Along with the financial capabilities, it also has the

most advanced military in the region, as well as nuclear weapons. Six Israelis died in the recent violence with Gaza, compared to 169 Palestinians. Israel's Iron Dome missile defense system effectively shot down 88 percent of its targets. It is also believed that Israel has as many as 500 nuclear weapons, which will act as a deterrent to war, even to Iran, especially after seeing how Israel was able to handle the flurry of rockets from Gaza.

Not only does Israel have a large and modern military, but it is almost unconditionally supported by the

United States. United States diplomats have been recently criticized for not using their international influence to push Israel into more effective peace talks with the Palestinians. Time magazine editor Fareed Zakaria argues that although it is a very complicated and historic argument between the Palestinians and the Israelis, the United States has more influence over Israel than any other country, giving us the ability to put pressure on Israel to maintain peace in the area.

All of this goes without

mentioning other factors; sanctions are crippling Iran's economy, Syria is still fighting its own people, the new government of Egypt still needs the support of the United States and Gaza is now in ruins. At least for the next several years, Israel will remain the powerhouse of the region and although the region may not remain stable relative to the rest of the world, there will not be a Middle Eastern war.

Bryan is a senior economics major from Fayetteville, Ga.

'How much does a polar bear weigh?'

A girl's perspective for guys on how to pick up girls in the 'Boro

Getting a girl's attention can be very nerve-racking. Pickup lines are by far the way to go to break the ice and let a girl know you have a sense of humor. Some pickup lines can give off the wrong impressions, though, so make sure to choose wisely.

There are a couple of pickup lines that will immediately turn a girl off because she will know that all you want is to get in her pants. Lines like: "Are those space pants? Because your butt is out of this world," and "People call me John, but you can call me tonight," are sure ways to let a girl know that you are not looking for anything serious.

These lines are to be used with caution, or not at all.

Other pickup lines can be sweet and tell a girl that you are a nice guy who actually wants to settle down one day. For example, "You may fall from the sky, you may fall from a tree but the best way to fall ... is in love with me," and "Do you believe in love at first sight, or should I walk by again?" are great examples to let a girl know that you aren't just trying to get in her pants. These lines let a girl know that you are genuine, and still have a sense of humor.

There are the traditional pickup lines

that every girl has heard before, like, "Are you from Tennessee? Because you're the only ten-I-see," or "Do your legs hurt from running through my dreams all night?" So, be sure to say something a little more original so you will be remembered and not blown off.

Some pickup lines should never be used – ever – no matter what the situation is, like, "My love for you is like diarrhea, I just can't hold it in," and "Was your dad a baker? Because you've got a nice set of buns." These lines are beyond what any girl would deem appropriate and should never leave your

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JACKIE GUTKNECHT

mouth.

Pickup lines are a great way for anyone to break the ice, but they must be used with caution. A pickup line can either work out really well in your favor, or leave you feeling defeated.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Has anyone researched the increase in crime compared to earlier years? What is the budget for the safety department? How many officers does GSU employ? What are the criteria for employment? How many are on duty at night? Are they armed? Then how many are on Statesboro Police? Bulloch County Sheriff's officers? Do these work well together? How are the lines drawn as far as service area? Do they share communications? Obviously it seems to the untrained citizen that, due to no fault of sworn officers, crime is increasing. So, to insure the safety of citizens and students, President Keel and all three law enforcement groups should present a new plan to the public, especially the students and parents of students. Take a hard look at number of officers, who may be understaffed, and consider hiring more. Make sure communications between all three groups are instant, and if not, look at the laws needed to be in place to achieve that central communications between city and county law.

April Craig
Mass Communication
FSU 1982



Commencement speakers announced

BY TAYLOR COOPER

The George-Anne staff

Leonard Bevill, Dr. Frank Simmons III and Dr. Kara Martin have been announced as the speakers for this year's fall Commencement Ceremony on Dec. 14.

Both Bevill and Martin are GSU alumnae and Simmons graduated from Statesboro High School, according to the news release.

In order to create the three commencement ceremonies, the sizes of the graduates in each college are compared and later combined into three similarly sized groups. The colleges rotate the responsibility of choosing a speaker for the ceremonies, Curtis Ricker, interim dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, said.

Bevill, the president and chief executive officer of Macon Occupational Medicine, will speak at the 9 a.m. graduation

ceremony for the College of Graduate Studies, College of Education, Jiann-Ping Hsu College of Public Health and College of Health and Human Sciences.

Bevill has a bachelor's degree in recreational therapy and a master's in exercise science from GSU.

In 2007, Bevill was named to Georgia Trend Magazine's list of Georgia's "40 Under 40 - Best and Brightest in Business, Education, Politics, Science and the Arts."

Macon Occupational Medicine received the 2005 Small Business of the Year Award from the Greater Macon Chamber of Commerce under Bevill, according to the press release.

Simmons, Ph.D., P.E., structures staff scientist and lead FAA Designated Engineering Representative for structures at Gulfstream Aerospace, will speak at the 11 a.m. ceremony for the College of Graduate Studies, Center for International Studies, Allen E. Paulson College of

Engineering and Information Technology and College of Business Administration.

Simmons was selected as the speaker because he is from Statesboro and because he has been working at Gulfstream for 31 years. He has recently been focused on certification of the G650 and has studied the effects of lightning on airframe and fuel tanks designs, Dr. Mohammad Davoud, dean of the College of Engineering and Information Technology, said.

Simmons graduated from Statesboro High School before earning degrees from Georgia Institute of Technology and the University of South Carolina.

Simmons is a co-recipient of the 2010 JEC Composite Innovation Award and the 2008 Aviation Week and Space Technology Magazine Laureate Award for Aeronautics/Propulsion, according to a press release.

Martin, internist and hospitalist for Kaiser Permanente at Piedmont Hospital in Atlanta, will serve as the commencement

speaker at the 1 p.m. graduation ceremony for the College of Graduate Studies, College of Science and Mathematics and College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, according to the release.

Martin graduated from GSU in 1991 with a bachelor's in physics. Her 4.0 GPA earned her the Georgia Southern University Alumni Association Award for the graduating senior with the highest grade point average.

To earn scholarship money, Martin entered and was selected as Miss Georgia Southern University in 1991. In 1993, she was chosen as Miss Georgia and first runner-up to Miss America. With the scholarships she received through Miss America, Martin graduated from the Medical College of Georgia debt free, according to the release.

She was named the 2004 Alumnus of the Year for the College of Science and Technology.

Museum reopens with new exhibits

BY SARAH RYNIKER

The George-Anne contributor

The Georgia Southern University Museum began the process of reopening its doors with a presentation on its newest exhibit, From Protest to Peace: Northern Irish Murals by The Bogside Artists, which is open now through Jan. 20.

Tomorrow at 7 p.m., GSU professor of writing and linguistics Peggy Lindsey will present "Thinking about Northern Ireland: The Trouble with the Troubles," according to the GSU news release.

The museum went under window renovations earlier this semester and has been closed since August.

The current exhibit will feature 11 murals by three artists known as "The Bogside Artists." These murals are part of a larger movement, which sponsors the advancement of peace and reconciliation in Northern Ireland.

Three GSU faculty members, Dr. Joseph Pellegrino, Dr. Howard Keeley and



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After months of renovations, the museum reopened this week with Northern Irish murals.

Dr. Stephen Engel, curated the exhibit. The murals help visually and artistically capture the violence and civil rights

protests that have previously occurred in Northern Ireland, according to the news release.

A second exhibit titled, "Archeology of Camp Lawton" will extend until the end of fall 2012. This exhibit includes the archeological finds of the Civil War prison camp located in nearby Jenkins, Georgia. The anthropology and sociology departments of GSU, in cooperation with the Georgia Department of Natural Resources and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service curated the Camp Lawton exhibit.

On Jan. 16, 2013 at 7 p.m., the museum will host Georgia College and State professor Valerie Aranda for a presentation entitled, "The Writings on the Wall: The Role of Political and Cultural Street Murals Across the Globe."

Also on exhibit are the 78 million year old Mosasaur fossil skeleton and the Vogtle Whale skeleton. These skeletons are present in the Hall of Natural History. There are many opportunities for children exploration, as well as other modern vertebrate skeletons.

GSU Museum staff could not be reached for comment by press time.

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bit more this time of the year," McKay said.

"I think that consumers are, if not more optimistic, they are more adjusted to the current conditions," McKay said.

The following were general findings of the 2012 Consumer Confidence Survey:

- 53 percent of participants plan to spend about the same amount of money on holiday gifts as they did last year.
- Participants plan to shop for most of their holiday gifts between late November and mid-December.
- Participants' views of the U.S. and Georgia economy do differ and are positively related to financial status.
- A majority of participants feel that general business conditions and job availability will improve by this time next year.

The following were consumer's opinions on where they see the economy standing a year from now:

- 56 percent of participants see general business conditions being better in Georgia one year from now.

- 51 percent of respondents see more jobs being available in Georgia one year from now.

- 58 percent of participants see their family income as being about the same one year from now.

Students are already preparing for this year's holiday shopping by saving money and spending wisely.

"I'm selling my prom dresses to make sure I have enough money," Brianna Gossett, freshman nursing major said.

"(I probably won't spend) so much on my family because they're appreciative of my gifts no matter what because I'm a college student," Gossett said.

"I'm definitely spending more this year because I have a job, and I got graduation money," Daisja Dukes, senior psychology major, said.

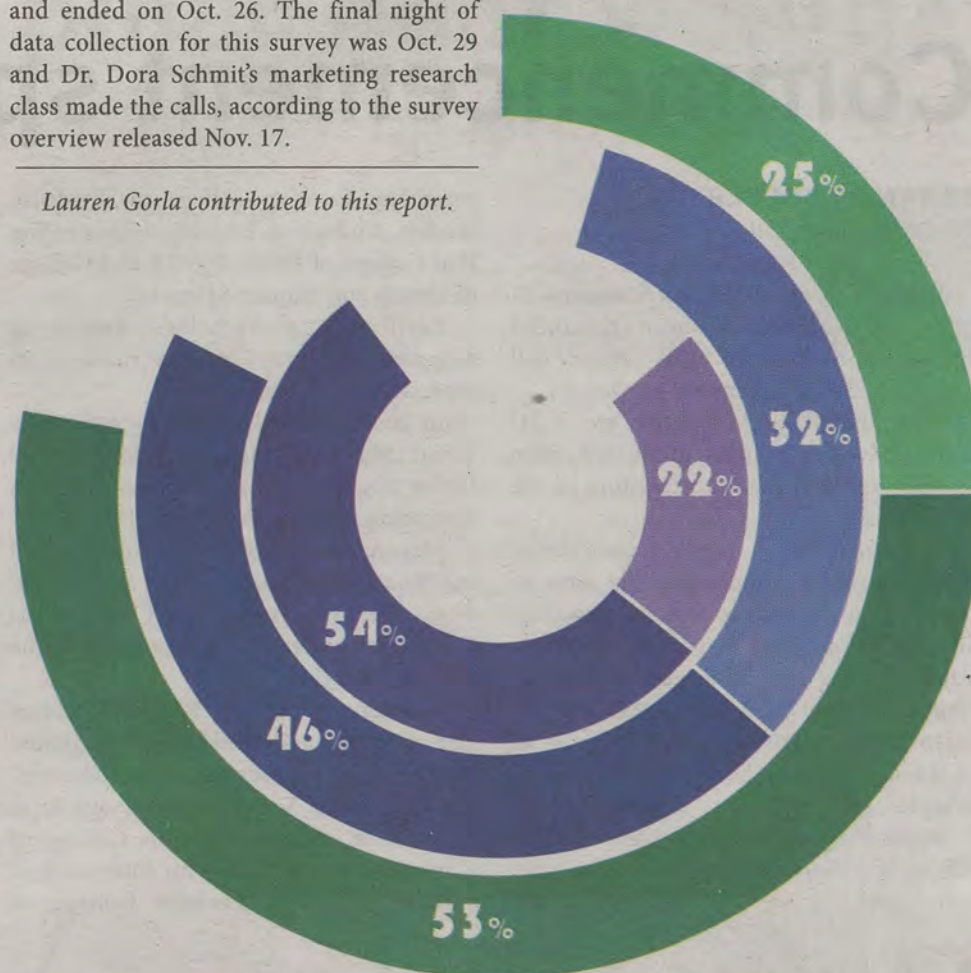
The economy has made an impact on how much people are spending, Dukes said.

"You can't just splurge shop, you have to look for the sales, and you can't just buy everything at once," Dukes said.

"You can't buy as much anymore, you have to save," Megan Sunseri, freshman early childhood education, said.


The survey process began on Oct. 22 and ended on Oct. 26. The final night of data collection for this survey was Oct. 29 and Dr. Dora Schmit's marketing research class made the calls, according to the survey overview released Nov. 17.

Lauren Gorla contributed to this report.




Consumer Confidence Survey Results

- Finish shopping on or before Black Friday
- Finish shopping in Nov. or before Black Friday
- No online shopping
- More than a quarter of shopping online
- Spend the same amount as last year
- Spend less than last year

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GSU brings awareness for World AIDS Day 2012

BY PHYLICIA GALLMON

The George-Anne contributor

Tonight, Georgia Southern University student organizations will come together to bring awareness to students about HIV and AIDS and give students the opportunity to be tested at this year's World Aids Day event.

"This event is geared toward letting students know their status," John Keith, committee chair, said.

Each year student organizations at GSU host an event in respect of World Aids Day, which is globally recognized on Dec. 1 of each year.

The event at GSU will take place at 7 p.m. in the Williams Center, and prior to at 6 p.m. there will be free HIV/AIDS testing.

"Of the students that come out each year, about 80 percent of them decide to get tested," Keith said.

“ We want to be able to promote awareness about the silent killer and want students to know how important it is for them to get tested and know their status. ”

-Kevorey Hartwell
member of Alpha Kappa Alpha

There are 20,574 students at GSU, and 512 have been tested for HIV at GSU's Health Services so far this semester, according to documentation released by Health Services.

GSU's Health Services offers campus wide testing every semester and this year's World Aids Day event is the second opportunity this semester for students to come out and get tested.

The last campus wide testing, which took place on Oct. 10, about 200 students came out to get tested. Jasmine James, a peer educator at Career Services, said.

"All of our events we stress knowing your status. We stress being responsible, and being responsible includes knowing your status, using protection, limiting your partners, things like that, or if you don't limit your partners making sure your partners know their status," James said.

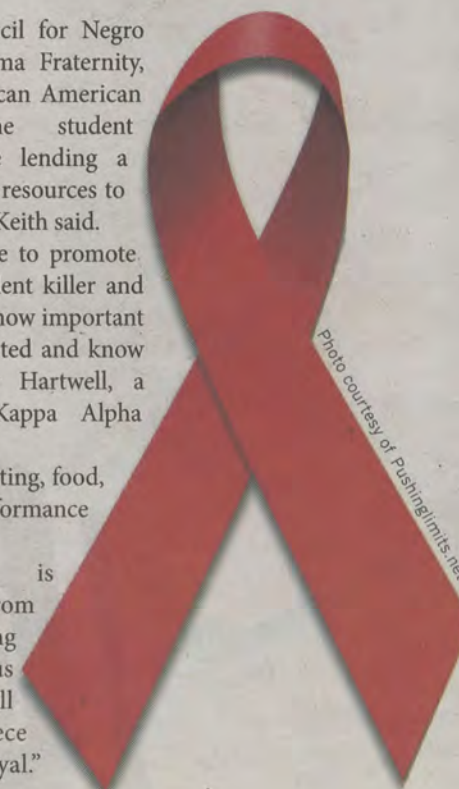
This year Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., African Student Association, Black Student Nursing Association, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., National Association for the Advancement of Colored

People, National Council for Negro Women, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. and Southern African American Sisterhood are the student organizations that are lending a helping hand as well as resources to put this event together, Keith said.

"We want to be able to promote awareness about the silent killer and want students to know how important it is for them to get tested and know their status," Kevorey Hartwell, a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. said.

There will be free testing, food, information and a performance by Cre8tive Nsights.

Cre8ive Nsights is an acting troupe from Atlanta, and according to the GSU Campus Calendar they will be performing a piece entitled "Beyond Betrayal."



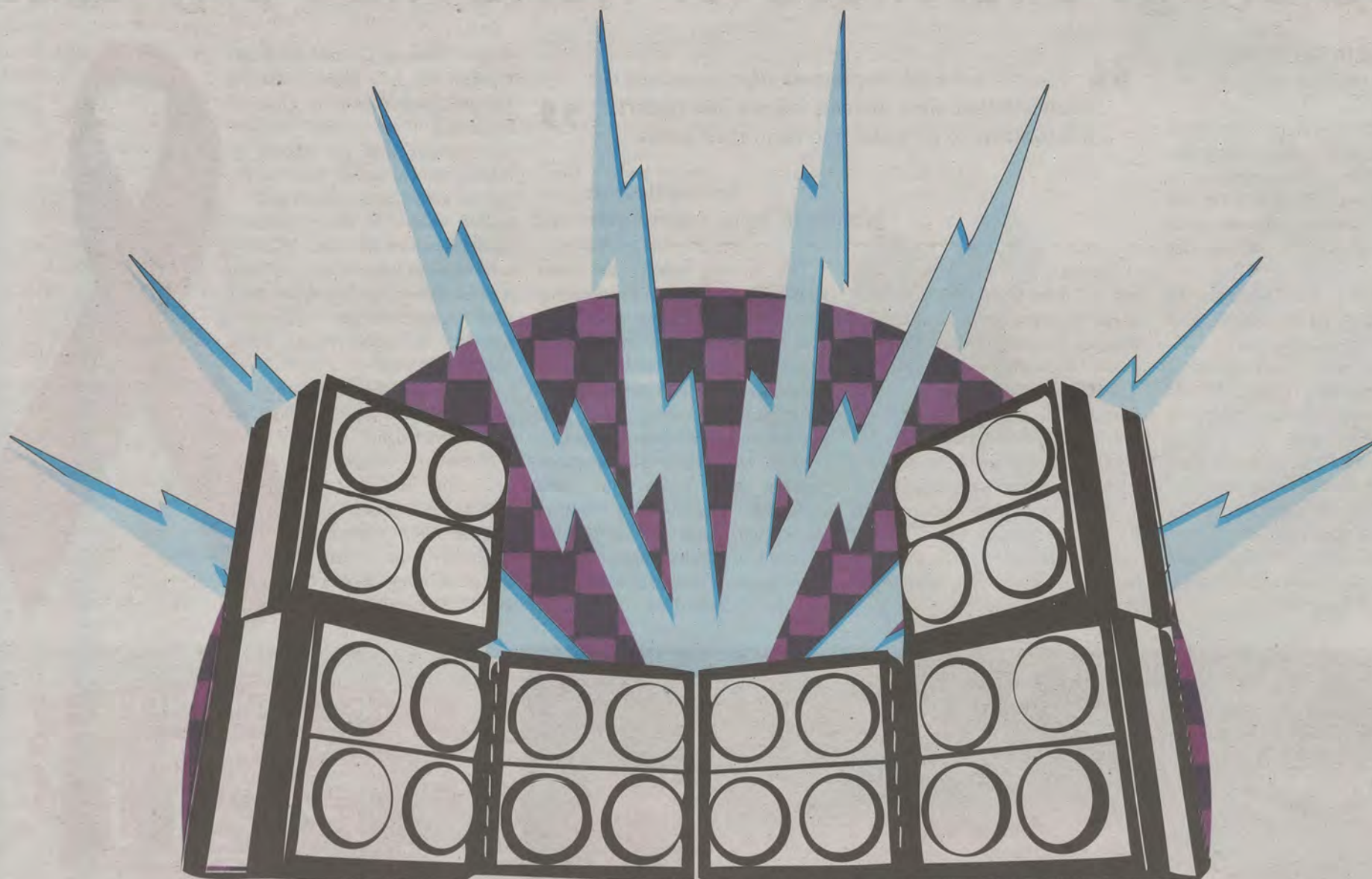
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Technology and sound to come together

PEYTON CALLANAN

The George-Anne contributor

On Nov. 28, Georgia Southern University students will have the chance to experience Channel Noise, a biannual concert series that explores what happens when music and technology collide.

The concert takes place on tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. at the music department's Carter Recital Hall and admission is free.

"The music of the concert is eye opening and possible mind-altering. What isn't enjoyable about that," John Thompson, associate professor of music technology, said.

Thompson started the series in 2009 and

is responsible for picking the music that is performed and making sure it is performed to standard.

"I am always seeking to make the Channel Noise concerts exciting and compelling musical events. We strive to introduce new musical experiences to the audience in a way that challenges their expectations but at the same time doesn't disappoint," Thompson said.

This event will be the debut of the recently formed Electronic Music Ensemble, Thompson said. The ensemble will be performing music by Terry Riley and graduate student Zak Berkowitz, Thompson said.

"I just had someone tell me this was

their favorite recital of the semester because they never know what is going to happen," Berkowitz said, a graduate student in the music technology program.

Riley's piece, "In C," is widely regarded as the first composition of minimalist music and the ensemble has worked to update the piece into the 21st century, Thompson said.

Berkowitz's work "Anywhere, USA" actually encourages audience members to use their cellphones to participate by texting the ensemble themselves. The text messages will inform the players about what to play and how, Thompson said.

"I think that it will be a really good time to check out my work and participate because

it will probably be something you have never done at a concert before," Berkowitz said.

"I think students will like this event because it is current and different than the norm. I also think that students will enjoy it because it takes risks and seeks to go outside the normal concert experience. We usually have a pretty good crowd, so I think we are doing something right," Thompson said.

The concerts offer the Music Technology Program a chance to showcase our research and creative activity, Thompson said.

Thompson said, "It is always enjoyable to share our hard work and attempt to bring the concepts that we explore into the reality of a concert."



Mark Barnes II/The George-Anne

Tina Anderson, owner of Out of Ground, welcomes customers to her natural fruit drink bar and cafe in downtown Statesboro. The restaurant is seeking approval for an alcohol license.

'Out of Ground' to put twist on average bars

BY MARISSA MARTIN

The George-Anne staff

Out of Ground in downtown Statesboro could potentially offer more than just shots of ginger juice as the locally owned café recently applied for a liquor license this past month of October.

"Having a license is almost a necessity now, and the downtown city isn't charging for licenses right now," Tina Anderson, owner of Out of Ground, said.

Anderson applied for the liquor license with hopes of increasing business to her café.

"Right now the business is not busy enough, it's just me and my daughter here. I am considering selling beer and wine, but we would want to have some unique beer options," Anderson said. "We can't advertise that until it's actually in the store though."

A financial incentive has been set in place for locally owned businesses in the downtown area to apply for an alcohol license and not have to pay the fee for a year, Andrew Muldrew, executive director of Downtown Statesboro Development, said.

"These businesses are owned by families, not corporations, and don't have deep pockets. We wanted to use this to attract more businesses and people to these unique and creative businesses," Muldrew said.

Currently, the café's bar at Out of Ground offers four one-ounce shot cups of wheat-grass juice, ginger juice, lemon juice and cranberry juice in their "homerun" special that provides natural sources of energy along with other health benefits.

"The home run is a shot of wheat grass, ginger, lemon and one hundred percent pure cranberry juice. There's a lot of information out there on what each one of those juices do for you," Anderson said.

According to JuicingforHealth.com, wheatgrass can help in weight control, the immune system and even athlete's foot, along with a list of other health benefits.

"We have healthy snack items like cliff bars and luna bars, even organic cookies. Most of what we have in the store is all natural," Anderson said.

Anderson said, "We've been open for six weeks and applied for the license just in case we need to shift gears."

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By: Taylor D. Terrell
Public Relations/Events Intern

Though you may not have the "perfect" résumé now, you can still find ways to market your skills, and increase your chances of landing the position. Essentially, there is no such thing as a perfect résumé; however, employers are extremely aware of the seasoned, young professional from the amateur.

Knowing what to avoid on your résumé may help you seem more professional, and less amateur. Help yourself stand out in the stack of hundreds lying on the director's desk by knowing what to not to put on your résumé:

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2 weeks.

- **References.** This is an automatic indication to employers that you are not experienced in interviewing, or giving out your résumé. It's not necessary to add "References available upon request" either. Ultimately, be prepared for an employer to ask you for references.
- **Hobbies.** Some may argue that by listing hobbies the employer will get to know you better. While this may be true, your hobbies may not be appealing to your employer.
- **Every responsibility that you had at a job.** Choose the most important responsibilities from your previous jobs. Show the results of your actions, and how your contribution increased productivity and growth within company.

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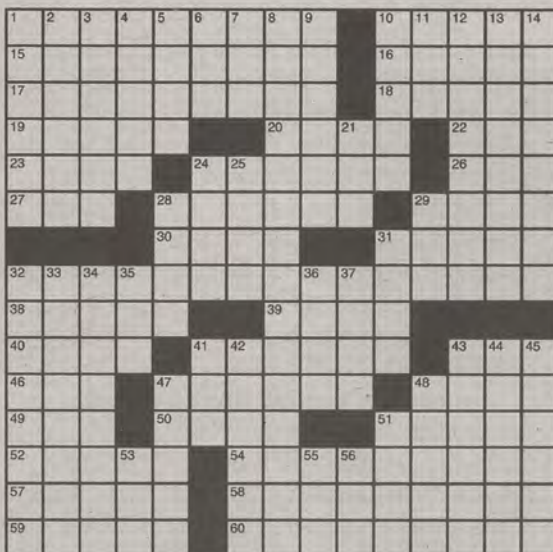
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By Michael Dewey

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- 10 Chide
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- 12 Hang-up
- 13 __ Cup
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- 21 Clammed up
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- 28 Sticks up
- 29 Start to meditate?
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- 32 Done for
- 33 Misleading
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- 36 "I Jubal's Lyre": Handel
- 37 Not conceal, with "up"
- 41 Abbas' gp.
- 42 Ticker-tape parade, e.g.
- 43 Tough to budge
- 44 Least hospitable
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- 47 Canine problems
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- 53 Braves' div.
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- 56 Astros, on scoreboards



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Coach Erk Russell to be honored Saturday

BY KEVIN GREGAN

The George-Anne staff

A new figure will grace the grounds of Allen E. Paulson stadium that many people claim has been a long time coming.

At 12:30 p.m. on Dec. 1, a nine-foot bronze statue of legendary football coach Erk Russell will be dedicated outside the Gene Bishop Field House, prior to kickoff of the 2012 Football Championship Subdivision playoffs against the University of Central Arkansas.

"He was such a great motivator, had a great spirit about him for football," current head coach Jeff Monken said.

The statue features Russell wearing one a shirt that resembles both the title of the sculpture and his own personal motto, "One More Time."

Russell first became an Eagle in 1982 and was named by the USA



Photo courtesy of Athletic Foundation

An Erk Russell sculpture will be in front of Gene Bishop Field House.

Today as the "Coach of the Decade" for the 1980s, and is considered by many to be the "Father of Georgia Southern Football."

"He had that personality where everybody wanted to be around him," Monken said. "If he was having coffee

at Snooky's or if he was out here on the football field or giving speeches, everybody wanted to hear what Erk had to say."

"With the whole start of the program, coming here and winning those championships, I could keep

going on and on but the stories you hear about him as a recruit makes you want to come here and be a part of something special like this," junior quarterback Jerick McKinnon said.

The statue, a product of the work put forth by the GSU Athletic Foundation, will be placed by the main gates of Paulson, a stadium where Russell won so many of the games that contributed to his 83-22-1 record.

"The statue of Coach Erk Russell is a great addition to the 'Prettiest Little Stadium in America' - the house that Erk built," John Mulherin, president of the Georgia Southern University Athletic Foundation, said in a GSU Athletics press release.

When Russell first came to GSU, the football program had been non-existent for 41 years after the school went 45-67-7 from 1929 to 1941 and ceased to play football.

One of the greatest Russell

moments was in 1989, when the Eagles achieved the first 15-0 season in the 20th century, culminating in a national championship win here in Statesboro.

Derek Sills and the Athletics Steering Committee led the fundraising for the statue, which will be temporarily placed by the Bishop Fieldhouse until it can be moved to the planned football operations center.

"He always treated everybody like he knew you so well and that you were important to him," Monken said. "I think everybody that he met was important to him, that's what made him special."

The Eagle Football Alumni Association will be selling t-shirts across the road from the statue so fans will be able to wear the same shirt and Eagle Nation can be united in staying true to the motto "One More Time."

No. 5 seed Eagles join FCS bracketology



Lindsay Hartmann/The George-Anne

Junior quarterback Jerick McKinnon (1) commands the line of scrimmage during the University of Georgia loss last week. He will look to lead the Eagles to victory this weekend.

Football (8-3)

BY TREVOR MCNABOE

The George Anne Staff

After a week off, Georgia Southern University football will kick off its quest for a seventh national title with the start of the second round of the FCS playoffs this weekend.

The Eagles, coming in with the No. 5 seed, already had their opponent University of Central Arkansas set when the playoff bracket was released on November 18.

GSU will take on the Southland Conference champions at Allen E. Paulson Stadium Saturday at 2 p.m.

Should the Eagles beat UCA they will take on the winner of No. 4 seed (10-1) Old Dominion University, winner of the Colonial Athletic Association and (8-4) Coastal Carolina University, champions of the Big South Conference.

CCU won their first round playoff game against Bethune-Cookman University by a score of 24-14, while ODU had received a first round bye.

If GSU takes on ODU it will be a rematch of the

2011 2nd round playoff game in which the Eagles won by a score of 55-48. With a victory, the Monarchs will host against GSU in Norfolk, Va. ODU currently holds a record of 5-1 when playing at home this season.

However if CCU wins, the Eagles will host their national quarterfinal game against the Chanticleers in Statesboro due to GSU's higher seed. GSU won the previous matchup against CCU played in 2010 by a score of 43-26. CCU has been successful in hostile environments sporting a record of 5-2 on the road.

The national semifinals could be déjà vu for GSU as they potentially could play No. 1 seed and Missouri Valley Conference champions, (10-1) North Dakota State University a second straight year in the Fargo Dome.

The Bison have not lost a game against an FCS top 25 opponent (4-0) and are 5-1 in the friendly confines of the Fargo Dome.

GSU fell to NDSU by a score of 35-7 one year ago, to dash the Eagles hopes of a seventh national title in the programs history.

The road to the FCS Championship game will not be easy for GSU, but then again nothing worthwhile comes easy.

Second round playoff game tickets on sale

BY JACKIE GUTKNECHT

The George-Anne staff

Tickets for the Georgia Southern University Eagles football team's second round playoff game of the FCS playoffs against University of Central Arkansas are now on sale for \$5.00 to students.

Tickets for season ticket holders went on sale at 5:00 p.m. Sunday. Tickets then became available for the general public Sunday Nov. 25 at midnight, and student tickets started selling yesterday.

Tickets are on sale \$5.00 for students with a valid Eagle ID. Students are able to get one ticket per ID. Students are able to purchase their tickets at the Ticket Office located on Lanier Drive, The University Store and the RAC.

General admission tickets are on sale to the general public for \$27.00 for adults and \$15.00 for youth. Sections A, B, C, E, F, G, J and K also have tickets for sale for \$27.00, but seats in Sections C and E with backs and Section D are \$30.00.

Kickoff is set for 2:00 p.m. at Allen E. Paulson Stadium on Saturday.



Lindsay Hartmann/The George-Anne

The Eagles will host the University of Central Arkansas for the 2nd round of the FCS playoffs this Saturday at Allen E. Paulson Stadium.

Intramural Sports Scores

Indoor Soccer

Monday, November 12

Cuban Raft Riders- 4, The Sandbaggers- 2
Prestige Worldwide- 5, The Meatballs- 7
Brick Breakers- 8, Southern Adventures- 3
Goon Squad- 4, Back That Pass Up- 9
No Real Respite- 2, Team Puppinsuds- 9

Tuesday, November 13

Kicking and Screaming- 7, En Fuego FC- 8
Wolf Gang- 1, #swag FC- 6
StarLine Flyers FC- 1, Holes and Poles- 14
En Fuego FC- 6, Celtic FC- 0

Wednesday, November 14

Sigma Nu- 5, Sigma Phi Epsilon- 2
Alpha Tau Omega- 4, Delta Chi- 7
#2 pencils and scantrons- 7, Team
Whispering Eye- 6
Ham Squad- 5, Math Debaters- 4
2 Big Chainz One Big Choppa- 4, Cambridge
United- 6

Thursday, November 15

Better Than Bacon- 4, Jiminy Kickit- 9
Dino & Friends- 7, Ball Stompers- 11
Test Name- 7, Balls and Dolls- 9
GreenStreetholligans- 3, The Abusement
Park- 2
Balls Deep- 5, The A Team- 4

Volleyball

Monday, November 12

Orville Ready Blockers- 2 (25-25), BCM Hallelujah- 0
(15-15)
Set It Off- 2 (25-25), The Blue Flames- 0 (12-8)
Puke-n-Rally- 0 (16-18), Kiss My Ace- 2 (25-25)
Too Tall- 2 (25-25), Don't Hit it to Connor- 0 (16-22)
Theta Xi- 0 (10-13), Delta Force- 2 (25-25)

Tuesday, November 13

The 69ers- 1 (25-16-7), notoriously tipsy- 2 (20-25-15)
Sets on the Beach- 1 (20-25-12), Southern SPIKE!!!- 2
(25-14-15)
Victorious Secret- 1 (25-23-10), Flaming Ovaries- 2
(21-25-15)
Sets and the City- 0 (15-7), Zeta Tau Alpha- 2 (25-25)
Addicted to Sets- 2 (25-25), The Team- 0 (15-16)

Wednesday, November 14

Get Rec'd 1 (25-5-14), Pink Panthers- 2 (14-25-16)
I'd Hit That- 2 (25-25), Volley Ballers- 0 (13-21)
Bad Ace Ballers- 2 (26-16-15), Can You Dig It- 1 (24-25-7)
The A-Team- 0 (23-22), Raw Dawg Assassins- 2 (25-25)
Crouching Jawa Hidden Ewok- 2 (25-25), In one ear and
out your mother- 0 (20-17)

Thursday, November 15

Team Bazinga- 0 (20-10), T67- 2 (25-25)
CRI Aquatics- 0 (15-21), RUF VBallers- 2 (25-25)
Hard Balls- 0 (21-17), Bringing the Sauce- 2 (25-25)
Courtyard Crew- 0 (14-8), Bumpin' Ugliers- 2 (25-25)
Ayyyy Setsy Lady!!!- 2 (15-27-15), Kill Squad- 1 (25-25-7)

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High-flying birds

Eagles begin conference play against Phoenix

Men's Basketball (2-3)

BY SHAKEEM HOLLOWAY

The George-Anne contributor

The Georgia Southern University men's basketball team plans to be the only bird rising when the Eagles play the Elon University Phoenix tomorrow night at Hanner Fieldhouse in the first conference game of the season.

The Phoenix is coming into the game with a record of 4-2, better than the Eagles who have a record of 2-3. Much like the Eagles at this

point in the season, the Phoenix is not a good road team. The Phoenix is 1-2 in away games and 3-0 at home. The Eagles are 1-3 away and 1-0 at home.

Juniors Lucas Troutman and Jack Isenberger lead the Phoenix in scoring this season, each averaging 14.8 points per game. Either Eisenberger or Troutman has led the team in scoring in each of their four wins.

The Eagles are led by junior Eric Ferguson and freshmen Cleon Roberts averaging 14.4 and 11 points per game respectively.

Both teams are coming off a loss, and

neither team plans to extend their losing streak.

The Eagles have been plagued by inconsistent play this season.

GSU is averaging 15.4 turnovers per game and only 10.4 assists. The Phoenix is averaging only 10.4 turnovers per game and 14 assists per game.

In order to win, the Eagles must limit their turnovers, get the ball to the open player and knock down open shots. GSU is shooting a slightly better field goal percentage than the Phoenix, 43.7 percent compared to 42.2

percent. The Phoenix is shooting better outside the arc than GSU, with a field goal percentage of 37.4 percent versus 34.5 percent for the Eagles.

During the 2011-2012 season the Eagles managed to beat the Phoenix 69-63, and if they are to get a win this season they will have to develop the chemistry the team has been missing very quickly and play a complete 40 minutes for the first time this season.

In the second home game of the season, GSU plays tomorrow night at 7 p.m. against the Phoenix at Hanner Fieldhouse.



Tasha Lund/The George-Anne

Junior forward Eric Ferguson (3) leads the Georgia Southern University men's basketball team with an average of 14.4 points per game. The Eagles will play in their first SoCon game against Elon.