

## Datebook

Entries and corrections for the Datebook may be submitted to The Gamecock on the third floor of the Russell House. There is a box designated for the Datebook in the newsroom.

For information about Overeaters Anonymous meetings, call 736-9878.

Karate classes are being offered at the Uptown YMCA on Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:45 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. The fee is \$80 for the eight-week course for members and \$90 for non-members. Belts and certificates will be awarded. For more information call Joyce Ellis on 799-9187.

The Academic Skills Program will hold its first Drop-In seminar on Wednesday, Sept. 13 from 12-1 p.m. in RH 303. The topic is "Time Management".

The Student Gamecock Club will have its first meeting Tuesday, Sept. 12 at 8 p.m. in RH 303.

The Public Relations Student Society of America, PRSSA, will have its first meeting Tuesday, Sept. 12 at 5 p.m. in Coliseum 3020D.

The Bisexual, Gay and Lesbian Association will hold their first meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 13 from 8-9 p.m. in BA room 364.

### Sundays

■ Student Government Executive Cabinet, 6 p.m., Witten Room.

### Mondays

■ Alpha Phi Alpha Service Table, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m., Greene Street.  
 ■ Sorority Council, 5 p.m., RH Theater.  
 ■ Fraternity Council, 4:30 p.m.  
 ■ Performing Arts Commission, 6:30 p.m., RH 201  
 ■ Carolina Productions traditional events, 6 p.m., RH 309.  
 ■ Carolina Productions performing arts, 6:30 p.m., RH 201.  
 ■ Carolina Productions special programs, 7 p.m., RH 348

### Tuesdays

■ Hillel, 7:30 p.m., RH 315. Contact 544-0607 for more information.  
 ■ SAGE (Students Allied for a Greener Earth), 7-8 p.m., RH 302.  
 ■ Dissertation Writing Support Group, 3:30 - 5 p.m., the Counseling and Human Development Center, 900 Assembly St., Room 212 or call 777-5223.  
 ■ Association of African American Students, 6 p.m.  
 ■ P.E.E.R.S. meeting, every other week, RH 315  
 ■ Carolina Productions ideas and issues, 6:30 p.m., RH 348.  
 ■ Carolina Productions cinematic arts, 7 p.m., RH 201.

### Wednesdays

■ Student National Pharmaceutical Association, first and third Wednesdays of each month, 5:30 p.m., Coker Life Sciences building lounge. For more information, call 544-0899 and ask for Sonia.  
 ■ Young Democrats, 7 p.m., RH 315.  
 ■ Student Government Senate, 5 p.m., RH Theater.  
 ■ Women Students' Association, 6 p.m., RH 203.  
 ■ Academic Skills Drop-In, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m., RH 303.  
 ■ Carolina Productions marketing, 6 p.m., RH 235.  
 ■ Carolina Productions black cultural, 7 p.m., RH 348.  
 ■ Carolina Productions concerts, 7:30 p.m., RH 201.  
 ■ College Republicans, 7:30 p.m., Gambrell 250. For information, call their voice mail at 343-7194.

### Thursdays

■ Habitat for Humanity, 5:30 p.m., RH 205.  
 ■ Intersivity Christian Fellowship, 7:30-9 p.m., RH 315.  
 ■ Campus Crusade for Christ, 7 p.m., Calcott 15.  
 ■ Baptist Student Union: Heart to Heart, 7 p.m., BSU Center.  
 ■ Campus Crusade for Christ "Prime Time," 7:30 p.m., RH 322.  
 ■ Homecoming Commission, 7 p.m., RH 201.  
 ■ Carolina Productions Homecoming, 7 p.m., RH 201. Contact Lori Toland.

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disagrees, as does Mason Hawley, owner of the Heritage House on Saluda Street. Hawley said panhandlers were very distressing to her and her customers. Campbell said panhandlers give a poor impression to students, many of whom are guests to Columbia.

"We don't want our guests offended. When people are offended, they don't want to come back to an area," Campbell said.

But how effective are the signs? Columbia police Officer Thomas Meetze, who has been patrolling Five Points for 15 years, does not think the signs will prevent panhandling.

"I don't think the signs will help that much. They (panhandlers) don't pay any attention to those signs," Meetze said.

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Holland, Penn., Osborne's cousin spoke about his memories of Osborne. An excerpt from the eulogy was read at the memorial service. In the speech, Osborne's cousin used the letters of Michael's name to describe him. He listed such things as how Michael cared for and fed his mom after she had surgery; the time Michael fell asleep in his mashed potatoes one Thanksgiving; and the love Michael felt for his family and friends.

Michael's cousin ended the eulogy by saying, "L is for the loss we all feel. We shouldn't feel sad. We are the one's whose lives were blessed by our having known Michael."

Those attending the service realized

Meetze said he still expects to see the five regular panhandlers at the bank teller machines and Eckerds store — the most popular panhandling spots in Five Points. Meetze, who said Wednesday three people were in jail for panhandling in Five Points, also said he has seen a significant increase in panhandling in the past five years.

Nonetheless, 60 signs have been posted at 55 locations downtown, 25 to 30 have been posted in Five Points and about 15 will be posted in the Congaree Vista area. Brochures listing Columbia service agencies are available from the Columbia Downtown Business and Five Points Merchants associations to use as an alternative to giving money to panhandlers.

that there is uncertainty surrounding the death of a friend. The service was intended to help comfort students' feelings of grief, anger and confusion surrounding Michael's death. The Rev. Linda Mitchell, the Lutheran campus minister, urged students in their time of uncertainty to help each other deal with their thoughts and feelings.

"I urge you to reach out to one another. Cry when you must, and laugh when you can," Mitchell said.

Students expressed their love for Michael, as a friend, through their memories of him.

"The only thing to survive death is love," Tierney said.

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at Baptist Medical Center Wednesday and released after midnight.

According to Cpl. Patricia A. Weed, the USC police officer investigating the accident, Kyzer suffered injury to his left eye, neck and right elbow. Kyzer, according to Hendrick who spoke to Kyzer's parents, also had a concussion and temporary memory loss of the events of the accident.

Kyzer was not wearing a helmet at the time of the accident. Kyzer could not be reached for comment.

"He wasn't wearing a helmet. He

was bruised up some and sore, but he could have been killed," Weed said.

Victim Witness Coordinator for the USC division of law enforcement and public safety, Calvin Gallman, warns people to be careful when driving around campus.

"Watch out for the other guy, especially when travelling in a vehicle. Don't just drive for yourself, drive for the other guy — with things being so congested you have to be especially careful, so use sense and caution," Gallman said.

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would deter students from cutting classes and simply buying notes before tests.

Student Note Service is new to USC, but its founders, Cerecedo and Rodney Yurco, University of Florida graduates, began their business at the University of Georgia three years ago. They have branched out this fall to USC and to Florida State University.

At the University of Georgia, faculty have mixed emotions about the service.

"There are some faculty who not only accept but encourage students to use it. There are some who don't like it, and some who are indifferent - they are the largest group," said Sam Davis, the associate vice president for Student Affairs at the University of Georgia.

Cerecedo said some professors at Georgia supply and edit notes for his business in Athens.

His business may not be that welcome at FSU, however.

"Anything that diminishes student input is reprehensible," said Elisabeth Muhlenfeld, FSU Dean of Undergraduate Studies. "This kind of operation is legal. Since it's legal there's nothing the university can do about it."

"Generally, it will be more abused than beneficial. If a student uses it as a support mechanism, then it might be all right. But the vast majority will probably use it to get out of work. As far as I'm concerned, it's unethical."

FSU also offers students workshops on how to take better notes. And she said FSU's attendance policy, unlike USC's, is not universal. Each professor sets his or her own policy; therefore, she is concerned students will buy the notes instead of attending class. Some have wondered whether or not this service is legal. Does it break copyright laws?

"Copyright only counts if it's fixed," said Marsha Baum, the director of USC's law library. "Unless it's fixed, for example, if lectures are taped, then there is no copyright violation. However, there may be federal or state statutes which question plagiarism or the right of a professor to his own product."

Although there may be some ethical questions about the buying and selling of notes, Student Note Service is a legal enterprise. And, seeing as how the business is spreading in the Southeast, it is a popular one with students.

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