June 25-July 1, 2011

Top Stories:
Roger Hughes’ appointment as head football coach was covered by the Orlando Sentinel, the Daytona Beach News-Journal and column, WFTV Channel 9 (ABC, Orlando), WESH Channel 2 (NBC, Orlando), the West Volusia Beacon, Fox 35 (Orlando), and the Reporter (student newspaper). The Sports Network interviewed Head Football Coach Roger Hughes on June 28 about his priorities for the return of Hatter Football. The story was also carried by WQAD (Illinois).

Head Football Coach Roger Hughes outlined his “Stetson recipe” in a July 29 interview with Fox 35 TV (Orlando). The story was written by Stetson student Ashley Strauss, who is interning at the station this summer.


President Wendy Libby spoke in favor of SunRail at a regional transportation meeting, the Daytona Beach News-Journal reported June 29.

Stetson was included in Florida Trend magazine’s June 27 list of Florida’s Top 20 Endowments. Stetson was listed eighth, at $123 million. The list was part of a larger package on Florida’s higher education system.

Law Professor Charles Rose spoke with the Tampa Tribune on June 27 about a Florida judge’s ruling that Florida’s Death Penalty statute is unconstitutional for a story that also ran June 28 on the Standdown Texas Project.

Other Stories this Week:
The Stetson Moot Court Team won the top three awards at the Robert Orseck Memorial Moot Court Competition according to the Florida Law Journal on June 28.

Alumnus Wesley Whatley’s Daytime Emmy Award for Outstanding Original Song and Royal Gardner’s appointment as interim dean at the College of Law were announced in the Daytona Beach News-Journal’s Higher Education column on June 27.

Stetson’s Jazz Ensemble will participate in the inaugural ‘Thin Man’ Watts Jazz Fest in October, the West Volusia Beacon reported June 26.

Stetson was mentioned in a July 1 Hometown News story about Volusia’s ECHO grant program and how the new football stadium might be an ECHO project.


Alumni in the News:
Alumnus Michael Duduit, founding publisher and editor of Preaching magazine, has been named to the Independent Mail’s Faith and Values Advisory Board, the Independent Mail (South Carolina) reported July 1.

Stetson Law Alumnus David J Evans was profiled on the June 29 Daily Record for his work as in-house counsel for Parkway Hospital Management.
June 18-24, 2011

Top Stories:
Stetson Football was included and President Wendy Libby and Athletics Director Jeff Altier were quoted in a June 22 Boxscore World SportsWire story about colleges and universities adding football programs. The return of football was also featured on Examiner.com on June 23 and in the Press-Register (Alabama) on June 24.

Reality TV expert and English Professor Andy Dehnart did an interview for WFLA radio (AM Tampa Bay) on June 23 about his new Playboy magazine piece, “The Curse of Reality TV.”

Stetson was welcomed into the New American Colleges & Universities at the organization’s Summer Institute at North Central College in Naperville, Ill., the Trib Local reported June 22.

Law Professor Royal Gardner was selected as interim dean for the Stetson College of Law, the June 22 Tampa Bay Business Journal, June 23 Gulfport Patch and June 27 Daytona Beach News-Journal.

Law Professor Carol Henderson, the director of the National Clearinghouse for Science, Technology and the Law, appeared live June 22 on Orlando’s Central Florida News 13 discussing aspects of forensics in the Casey Anthony murder trial.

Law Professor Charles Rose was quoted in the June 23 Tampa Tribune regarding the Casey Anthony trial.

Other Stories this Week:
Stetson was included in the Fort Lauderdale Sun-Sentinel’s college guide on June 24.

Mathematics Professor Hari Pulapaka, owner of the Cress restaurant in DeLand, was featured in a June 22 Daytona Beach News-Journal story about being nominated for a 2011 James Beard Foundation Award for Best Chef in the South Region.

Raymond Barclay is Stetson’s new director of institutional research and planning, the Orlando Business Journal reported June 21.

Stetson’s spring, summer and expected fall enrollment were reviewed and VP for University Marketing Greg Carroll was quoted in a June 20 Daytona Beach News-Journal story.

The promotions to professor of Drs. Jamil Khader, Lloyd Linney and Carolyn Nicholson were announced in the Daytona Beach News-Journal’s June 18 Higher Education column.

Junior Janelle Mills’ interview with the Associated Press about whether today’s young adults are overconfident continued to receive widespread placement. It has now run in about 94 outlets across the nation and world, including the Huffington Post, The Guardian in Canada and the American Psychological Association website this week.

The June 22 HealthTech picked up the news story quoting Law Professor Robert Batey discussing a murder committed by a child.
According to the June 20 *News-Press* business brief, Law student Erik Hanson has been chosen to gain on-the-job training this summer at the law firm of Henderson, Franklin, Starnes & Holt, P.A. in Fort Myers. The Southwest Florida Community Association has named Ed Kominowski, formerly associate vice president for college relations of Stetson Law, director of development and planned gifts according to the June 20 *Naples News* and *Gulfcoast Business Review*.

**In the Blogosphere:**
School of Music alumnus Wesley Whatley won a Daytime Emmy Award for Outstanding Original Song, the *Orlando Sentinel* Orlando Arts blog reporter June 24.

The June 21 *CrimProf Blog* mentioned Law Professor Ellen Podgor’s article on *100 Years of White Collar Crime in ‘Twitter.’*

The June 21 *Workplace Prof Blog* mentioned Law Professor Bradley Areheart’s article, *Disability Trouble*.

**Alumni in the News:**
School of Music alumna Danya Etter and current student Emilio Rutllant will be featured in the July 29 Vero Beach Choral Society’s Midsummer Medley fundraiser, the *TC Palm* reported June 24.

Alumna Jan Sillick is the new president of the Florida Federation of Gardens Club, the *Florida Times-Union* in Jacksonville reported June 20.

Alumnus Matt Efird, assistant town manager of Carrboro, N.C., will become interim town manager July 31, the *Chapel Hill News* reported June 19.

News of the Florida Bar honoring attorneys for 50 years of service including deceased Law alumnus Kenneth M. Wilkinson appeared in the *TC Palm* on June 23.

The June 20 *PRNewswire* announces that Law alumna Donna B. DeVaney has been again named to the Florida Rising Stars list.

Law alumnus Peter Rotella is candidate for judge of probate for Stonington, North Stonington, Groton and Ledyard, CT, according to the June 20 *Mystic River Press*.

According to the June 19 *Birmingham News*, Law alumnus Reverend Gerald Howard Bartholow died peacefully at home on Saturday, June 18.

*June 11-17, 2011*

**Top Stories:**
The Pioneer Football League voted to add Stetson to its league, and the story was covered June 13-14 through the *WFTV Channel 9* (ABC, Orlando), the *Orlando Sentinel*, *Daytona Beach News-Journal*, *Fox 35 TV* (Orlando), *WRDQ Eyewitness News* (Orlando), *Macon (Ga.) Telegraph*, *WMAZ 13* (Macon, Ga.), *The Sports Network*, *Times Herald Record* (Middletown, N.Y.) and *Morehead State’s website*. The *Daytona Beach News-Journal* published an editorial June 15 in support of Stetson Football and entry to the Pioneer Football League.

Political Science Professor T. Wayne Bailey commented on South Florida Congresswoman Debbie Wasserman Schultz’ attacks on the GOP for a June 16 story in the *Orlando Sentinel* and Fort Lauderdale *Sun-Sentinel*. The story was...
picked up by Tribune Media and later ran in the Sacramento (Calif.) Bee and the Joplin (Mo.) Globe. 

Stetson junior Janelle Mills, an intern in the Stetson University Marketing office this summer, was quoted in an Associated Press story on a new study about whether today’s young adults are overconfident. The story ran in at least 12 news outlets June 14, including Fox stations in Boston, Atlanta, Houston, New York, Austin, in the Kingsport (Tenn.) Times-News and the Chicago Daily-Herald.

Mills’ interview with the Associated Press about whether today’s young adults are overconfident continued to receive widespread placement, running in more than 60 outlets across the nation including USA Today, Forbes, the San Francisco Examiner, the Atlanta Journal-Constitution, and the University Business e-newsletter on June 16 and 17.

The large number of Stetson alumni in the Florida Legislature was shown in a June 13 Chronicle of Higher Education story (click on Florida on the map) on the education level of state legislators nationwide. The Buzz column of the St. Petersburg Times commented on the story, pointing out that 11 current representatives and senators attended Stetson.

Other Stories this Week:
Director of Athletics Jeff Altier has been named Under Armour Division I Southeast AD Director of the Year, the Daytona Beach News-Journal and KTIC radio and KNEB radio (Nebraska) reported.

The June 17 NewsBlaze quotes incoming Law professor Ciara Torres-Spelliscy regarding research into corporate political spending in the UK.

Political Science Professor T. Wayne Bailey commented on Stetson’s ties to alumnus Ron Clifton, the former mayor of South Daytona, Fla., who’s been accused of bribery, for a June 17 story in the Hometown News.

A working paper by retired Stetson Accounting Professor William Jens was used as a source for a Career Advice story on Suite 101 about the differences between MBA and EMBA programs.

Late former President John E. Johns’ book, Florida During the Civil War, was cited in a June-July Emerald Coast Magazine piece on the early days of Florida’s involvement in the Civil War.

Incoming music student Bridget Johnston won the highly competitive international Star Award scholarship, TC Palm(South Florida) reported June 14.

Stetson again has been named to the President’s Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll, the Daytona Beach News-Journal included in its June 13 Higher Education column. The column also included coverage of the sandhill ecosystem restoration project.

In the Blogosphere:
The Orlando Sentinel’s June 15 Orlando Theater blog features the 2011-2012 Stover Theatre schedule.

Senior Gray Bockhold, who traveled to Kenya after his sophomore year, provided advice on staying healthy while traveling for a June 16 story on the sify health website.

Alumni in the News:
Alumna and attorney Whitney Boan, part of Casey Anthony’s legal defense team, has been given the nickname “Lawyer Gaga” by Tweeters because of her long blonde hair resembling pop singer Lady Gaga, *WESH TV Channel 2* (NBC, Orlando) reported June 15.

The June 16 *Orlando Business Journal* has run an article on Law alumnus Ben Subin.

Law alumnus Gregory Isaacson has authored the novel, *The Soul’s First Kiss*, according to the June 17 *PRLog*.

News of Law alumnus and amateur golfer Michael Barbosa preparing for the U.S. Open ran in the *St. Petersburg Times* on June 16.

According to the June 17 *PR.com*, alumnum attorney Jacqueline "Jackie" Meeker has joined the Sarasota office of Yesner & Boss, P.L., to expand the staff working on real estate closings, tax work, corporate law and consumer protection.

June 4-10, 2011

**Top Stories:**

The new DeLand Campus Plan, which will guide construction and changes to parking and landscaping over the next 10-15 years, was featured in the *Daytona Beach News-Journal* on June 5. It was also picked up by the *MSG* website.

Baseball catcher Nick Rickles was selected by the Oakland Athletics on the second day of Major League Baseball’s First Year Player Draft, the *Daytona Beach News-Journal* reported June 8; Lindsey Caughel was chosen by the Baltimore Orioles and Tucker Donahue was taken by the Texas Rangers on the final day of the draft, the *Daytona Beach News-Journal* and *Scout.com* reported.

WRDQ TV (Orlando) and **WFTV Channel 9** (ABC, Orlando) ran stories June 9 and 10 about the teaching landscape being created as Stetson restores a sandhill ecosystem in the area around the Gillespie Museum and Rinker Environmental Learning Center.

Law Professor Carol Henderson, the director of the National Clearinghouse for Science, Technology and the Law, was quoted in an article discussing how the ‘CSI effect’ might have helped two police officers in NY beat a rape charge in an article from *The New Yorker* on *Yahoo.com* on June 6.

Law Professor Robert Batey was quoted in an article in the *Florida Times-Union* Jacksonville about a 12-year-old boy who beat his 2-year-old brother to death that was picked up internationally on June 8 in Australia’s *Sydney Herald* and the *Fairfield Champion*.

Law Professor James Fox’s opinion piece on the new law mandating drug testing for welfare recipients ran in the *Tampa Tribune* and was picked up by other outlets including the *nwfdailynews.com* on June 6.

Law Professor Michael Allen gave a live studio interview discussing the U.S. Constitution for *WMNF 88.5* on June 8.

Dean Darby Dickerson’s new appointment as dean of Texas Tech University School of Law was mentioned in an article honoring women law school deans on *Ms. JD.org* on June 8.

**Other Stories this Week:**
The $200,000 National Science Foundation grant for chemistry, Russian Studies Professor Michael Denner’s Tolstoy Walk across Russia and top student awards given at Honors Convocation and Commencement were featured in the *Daytona Beach News-Journal* Higher Education column on June 6.

Distinguished Professorial Lecturer Charlie Crist told Stetson Law students that he would be returning to public life at some point in the future according to the June 8 *Florida-Times Union*.

Elder Consumer Protection Program administrator Slade V. Dukes is giving a talk about how to prevent elder abuse according to an article on *TheLedger.com* on June 6.

Stetson Law students Michael Fant, Samuel Farkas and Erik Hanson will be working as clerks for the firm Henderson Franklin this summer according to naplesnews.com and Pr.com articles on June 8.

Incoming Teacher Education student Molly Kaelin was awarded a $1,000 scholarship by the Delta Omicron Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa, an honorary sorority of women educators, according to a June 5 article in the *St. Augustine Record*.

**In the Blogosphere:**

The pet-friendly residence hall is expanding to 50 rooms in August, the *Orlando Sentinel* reported June 8 in its School Zone blog.

Law Professor Ellen Podgor has published ‘100 Years of White Collar Crime in “Twitter’” according to a post on *Media Law Prof Blog* on June 8.

Law Professor Blake Hudson has published ‘Federal Constitutions: The Keystone of Nested Commons Governance’ according to a post on *PropertyProf Blog* on June 6.

**Alumni in the News:**

Musicalumna Priscilla Tunnell is retiring as minister of faith development from FirstBaptistChurch, the *Rome (Ga.) News-Tribune* reported June 6.

Alumnus Jorge Fernandez, who spent the last seven seasons at the University of Miami, has been hired as an assistant men’s basketball coach at MarshallUniversity, the *Herald-Dispatch* (in West Virginia) reported June 4.

Alumna Brittany Morgan Weiss’s graduation was announced June 8 in the Wellington, Fla., *Town-Crier*. She will be attending Stetson Law starting this fall.

Law alumni Suzanne M. Boy, Traci T. McKee, and John M. Miller were among the nine Henderson Franklin attorneys recognized by the Florida Rising Star list according to PR.com on June 9.

Law alumni Matt Kramer and Jackie Meker are joining the firm Yesner and Boss according to an article on tmcnet.com on June 7. This story also ran on iStockAnalysis, Alamogordo Daily News, News Blaze, O Six Media, Business Wire, MarketWatch, Bradenton.com and Investor Point.

Law alumna Michele Leo Hintson has been appointed as the Assistant Chair of the Grants Committee for the Junior League of Tampa for 2011-2012 according to madduxpress.com on June 6.