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The ELI Weekly

Out and About: Satchel's Pizza

Are you looking for something a little different from the standard Archer Road chains and fast food? Try a local Gainesville favorite, Satchel's Pizza! Satchel's is a unique place in an out-of-the-way location. They have amazing pizza that you can customize by the slice (the slices are huge--one pizza can make a meal for a lot of folks!), and great calzones and salad. They also make their own sodas from scratch. There's indoor (carefully distanced!) and outdoor seating. They're open Tuesday through Saturday, and you have to have cash; they don't take credit cards. They're located on NE 23rd street; the number 24 bus goes there, and the stop right after NE 15th Street is the closest. Check out their menu at https://www.satchelspizza.com/menu. While you are there, look at all the quirky art. The beautiful stained glass in the side porch is fab!

--by Todd Allen



Photo Credit: Satchel's Pizza www.satchelspizza.com

CIP Weekday Activities

Monday October 5th - Game Night (Zoom) - 6 - 8pm

Play fun virtual games with LAs and classmates! This week we will play Charades!

https://ufl.zoom.us/j/96129662095?pwd=TmdIdmgvWkFlekhBc0FwdFdOeW9NZz09

Meeting ID: 961 2966 2095 Passcode: gamenight

Tuesday October 6th - Plaza Hangout (In-Person) - 5:30 - 7:30pm

Come hang out at Plaza of the Americas on UF campus! Please note the location change. Socialize with LAs and play games! (Teachers can sign up too!). Bring a blanket to sit on outside if you want!

Sign up

here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0C4BA9A823A0 2-plaza2

*You MUST sign up, have attended the CIP overview or met with Tate, and be campus cleared to attend this activity

*At this activity, you must wear a mask and stay 6 feet apart

*Please see signup link for more details

Wednesday October 7th - Coffee and Culture Talk (Zoom) - 6 - 8pm

Join us this week for our Fun Spots Around the World discussion theme!

https://ufl.zoom.us/j/99582032927?pwd=UlFOQ1pjaiswa3huUk41cnBuMEFiQT09

Meeting ID: 995 8203 2927 Passcode: 926123

Thursday October 8th- Movie Night (Zoom) - 6 - 9pm

Come vote on a movie and watch it with LAs and ELI friends as we chat in the chatbox! Stick around for a fun discussion afterward! Movie choices are *James Bond – Quantum of Solace*, 13 *Going on 30*, and *Aladdin*.

 $\frac{https://ufl.zoom.us/j/92962712031?pwd=dnZhVnh5WTJxWE5}{FNGZaRndyOFN0UT09}$

Meeting ID: 929 6271 2031 Passcode: movienight

Social Media:

We want to feature you for International Education Week. Email Tate at tquinones@eli.ufl.edu to find out how you can represent your country on our Instagram!

Conversation Partners:

We have 35 volunteers still waiting! Do you want a second partner, or maybe a third? Get paired today by emailing conversationpartners@eli. ufl.edu.

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Weekend Activities

Saturday October 10th – ELI Ultimate Trivia (Zoom)– 7 – 9:30pm

Come show how much you know about the ELI, Florida, and other countries at a fun competition with friends!

https://ufl.zoom.us/j/98962749887?pwd=L1RxQTdvTEZnM EhkTjM1a3Frcm9iUT09

> Meeting ID: 989 6274 9887 Passcode: ELItrivia

Saturday October 10rd – Lake Wauburg– (In-Person)- time slots available on sign-up

Check out UF's Lake Wauburg and rent a boat for free with your Gator1 ID Card. Spend time with LAs and friends outside in small groups! Please read all the details on the signup.

Sign up here:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0C4BA9A823A02-lake5

- *You MUST sign up to attend.
- *At this activity, you must wear a mask and stay 6 feet apart.
 *There is NO BUS to Lake Wauburg and the ELI cannot provide transportation due to safety. Please plan accordingly.
- *Remember to bring your Gator1 ID.

Manners and Culture

Q: I feel sick. What should I do?

A: At this time, only people with scheduled appointments are allowed into the Student Health Center at UF and many other health care offices, so the first step is to make an appointment. If you need help making an appointment, talk to Victoria (vcshelly@ufl.edu).

If you think you have COVID-19 contact the Health Center at (352) 392-1161, and a nurse will talk to you about your symptoms. They will tell you what to do next. You can also visit UF Screen, Test and Protect (https://coronavirus.ufhealth.org/screen-test-protect-2/) for instructions.

If you do not have COVID-19 symptoms but still feel sick, call your doctor's office. Many doctors are giving care over the phone, by video calls, or in person.

The emergency room is for emergencies, such as severe pain, trouble breathing, broken bones, etc. You can also use the emergency room after business hours.

For phone calls and in-person visits, have your insurance card, your ID, your UFID, and your health information handy. You might need to give this information to your health care provider.

<u>The ELI Weekly needs you!</u> Send your reports about activities, book/movie reviews, and grammar/culture questions to Maya Shastri (<u>mshastri@ufl.edu</u>).



Birthdays!

Student: Taisan Alshammari 10/9

Staff: Matt Goode – 10/11

Notes from the Office

Students wanted: The ELI Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion committee is looking for students to be part of a group that will give their thoughts about making the ELI a more welcoming and accepting place for people of all races, religions, gender identities, sexual orientations, social statuses and abilities. If you are interested, please email Thomas Dolce (tomdolce@ufl.edu) for more information. You can also read the ELI's statement of commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion here: https://eli.ufl.edu/about-us/uf-eli-commitment-to-diversity-equity-and-inclusion/.

International Education Week: Can you do a cultural dance, prepare traditional food from your country, play music or sing a song, or make a presentation about your country and culture? The ELI needs students to feature on our YouTube page for International Education Week in November. Email Christine Voigt (christinevoigt@ufl.edu) if you would like to make a video to represent your country.

<u>Photo Contest:</u> The Department of Tourism, Hospitality & Event Management is hosting a photo contest open to all UF Students. Prizes include scholarships and T-Shirts! The theme is #IAmWithTHEM—send in a photo of the people, pets, places, etc. that make you happy. Details about the contest are here:

 $\underline{\text{http://hhp.ufl.edu/about/departments/them/articles/2020/i-am-with-them-photo-contest.html.}$



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