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St. Augustine

Living history!

This Saturday, April 12th, we're headed to Historic St. Augustine! St. Augustine is the **oldest European city in the U.S.**, founded in 1565. While there, you can do a LOT! You can spend all day in the really beautiful OLD CITY and walk through the SPANISH QUARTER, which has lots of RESTAURANTS and SHOPPING. See the CASTILLO DE SAN MARCOS, the most well preserved example of a Spanish fort in the U.S with reenactments and real cannons. Beaches! See lots of "OLDEST" places:

*Oldest Wooden School House

*Oldest Store

*Oldest House

See the famous FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH. Go to RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT museum. See the BASILICA CATHEDRAL, and much, much more!

WHEN: Saturday, April 12th. We will meet at Norman Garage at 10:00 AM. We will return somewhere between 6 PM and 10 PM. We will go rain or shine.

TRANSPORTATION: We will be taking 2 vans and can seat 12 people total. You will **NOT** need to buy a van ticket at the TRiP office.

COST: Because we are using vans, there is a **CIP Fee of \$15.00**, which you need

to pay to Sonja in the main office on **Tuesday April 8 before 1:30pm**. You will need to pay in cash, exact change only. You can also bring spending money for the museums and food. The historic sites and museums are generally between \$5 and \$10 each for admission.

Come for FUN and lots of U.S. HISTORY!

TOEFL®

The ELI's Institutional TOEFL will be given on Friday, April 18th, at 2pm in the Communicore at Shands. The Registration Schedule for the TOEFL is as follows:

FULL-TIME ELI STUDENTS
Friday, April 11th, 1pm
Room 250NRN

MUSLIM STUDENTS' REGISTRATION
Friday, April 11th, 3:30pm
Room 250NRN

IMPORTANT NOTE
#1: You MUST be on time. If you arrive even ONE MINUTE late,

you will not be permitted to register at the regular time. You will have to register with the part-time and non-students, and you will be permitted to register only if there is space. *You will also have to pay a late fee of \$40. NO EXCEPTIONS.*

If you have a problem and cannot register at your assigned time, please come to the ELI Main Office BY WEDNESDAY, April 9th, to receive a different registration time.

PART-TIME ELI Students and Non-ELI Students
Tuesday, April 15th, Room 2337NRN

Part timers, remember that you also must sign up in the ELI Main Office ASAP in order to have a space at registration.

IMPORTANT NOTE

#2:

Everyone, bring A PICTURE ID AND A NUMBER 2 PENCIL to TOEFL registration.

If you don't bring your ID, you will not be permitted to register, and if you forget your pencil, you may delay the process.

Exit Test Schedule

On Thursday, April 24th, we will be giving the CELT, our exit test, during extended Reading/Writing Class Hours.

There will be no late exams and no late students admitted to the exams.

All ELI students are required to attend and take the test in order to receive a certificate of completion from the ELI. **Please remember to be on time.** If you arrive late to the test, you will not be permitted to take it, and you will not receive a certificate of completion from the ELI. The schedule is as follows; sections refer to Reading/Writing classes. We will hold the test in your Reading writing classes, but with extended times. Morning Reading/Writing classes will take the test from **8:15am until 10:30am**. Afternoon Reading/Writing classes will take the test from **3pm until 5:15pm**.

Note: Reading/Writing 60 will test in Norman Hall Room 313.

Part-timers not taking Reading/Writing, please see Scott in the ELI Main Office to receive a test assignment.

Revised Activity Schedule

The following is our revised Activity Schedule for the remainder of the semester. Please check the Activities Board for any further changes!

Activity	Date	Location
Basketball Forest	Monday 5:00 p.m.	Meet at Norman Garage Free Bring UF ID
Hookah Hut Heather	Tuesday 7:30 p.m.	Meet at Norman Garage Bring UF-ID and about \$5
Coffee Talk Max and Heather	Wednesday 7:00 p.m.	Meet at the Orange and Brew Money for coffee
Ultimate Frisbee with Josh's UF group Josh	Thursday 8:00 p.m.	Meet at Norman Field Free
Soccer David	Thursday 4:30	Meet at Norman Garage Free
Gator Nights Jon and Jessica	Friday 6:00 p.m.	Meet at the Reitz Union Information Desk Free Bring UF-ID

The Next Trip

Next weekend, we will be holding our End-of-Semester Barbecue! Details will be on the Activities Board and in next week's *Weekly*.

Manners and Grammar

Not enough room this week, folks! We'll return with columns next week.

Notes from the Office

- **Library Fines and Infirmary Fees**—Since we're coming closer to the end of the semester, we just want to remind you that now is a good time to think about clearing up any fees and fines that you might have with the university. If there are any outstanding balances owed, we won't be able to release any of your academic information or certificates to you.
- **Part-time students and TOEFL:** Part time students, don't forget-if you wish to take the ELI TOEFL with the other students, you must actually sign up for it in the ELI Main Office, Room 315. If you have not already done so, please go and sign up as soon as possible.

Birthdays

It's a rare week, but we actually have no birthdays to report!

Quote of the Week

To die is nothing, but it is terrible not to live.

--Victor Hugo



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