

# **2005 NCAA Baseball Gainesville Regional Participant Manual**



**June 3-6  
Alfred A. McKethan Stadium at Perry Field**

**Hosted by:  
University of Florida**

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## **Tournament Staff Responsibilities**

<b>Jeremy Foley</b>	Athletic Director
<b>Chip Howard</b>	Tournament Director, Budget Preparation, Game Report, Financial Statement, Payment to Umpires
<b>Brian Barton &amp; Bryan Flood</b>	Game Managers, Security, Game Operations, Parking, Tournament Directory, Coordination with Visiting Teams, Umpires and Ushers
<b>John Hines</b>	Press Box Operations, Photographers, Press Room, Press Credentials, Telephone Arrangements, Visiting Team Radio, Coordination of Program Printing
<b>Martin Salamone</b>	Advertising, Radio Network, Sponsorship and Promotions
<b>Dave Werner</b>	Training Room and Medical Supplies
<b>Freddy Pearson</b>	Ticket Printing, Ticket Operations, Gatemen, Sellers
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<b>Jay Kee</b>	Equipment Support, Visiting Team Locker Room Management, Dugout Supplies, Laundry Service
<b>Charlie Maloney</b>	Concessions
<b>John Sullivan</b>	Sportshop and Merchandising, Program Sales
<b>Dana McPherson</b>	Hospitality Room and Pre-Championship Meeting

## Schedule of Events

Thursday, June 2 <sup>nd</sup>	10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	Perry Field	Practice (Florida)
Thursday, June 2 <sup>nd</sup>	11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.	Perry Field	Practice (Next Highest Seed)
Thursday, June 2 <sup>nd</sup>	1:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.	Perry Field	Practice (Next Highest Seed)
Thursday, June 2 <sup>nd</sup>	2:30 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.	Perry Field	Practice (Next Highest Seed)
Thursday, June 2 <sup>nd</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Lemerand Center	Pre Championship Meeting
Friday, June 3 <sup>rd</sup>	3:30 p.m.	Perry Field	Game 1
Friday, June 4 <sup>th</sup>	7:30 p.m.	Perry Field	Game 2
Saturday, June 4 <sup>th</sup>	3:30 p.m.	Perry Field	Game 3
Saturday, June 4 <sup>th</sup>	7:30 p.m.	Perry Field	Game 4
Sunday, June 5 <sup>th</sup>	3:30 p.m.	Perry Field	Game 5
Sunday, June 5 <sup>th</sup>	7:30 p.m.	Perry Field	Game 6
Monday, June 6 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 p.m., if needed	Perry Field	Game 7

## Admission to Games

No one will be admitted to a game without an individual ticket or tournament credential. All tickets for individual games will be purchased at the ticket window entering the Main gate at Perry Field or at the South gate. Entry to the stadium will be through the following gates:

1. Main Gate - located in the southwest corner of the Stephen C. O'Connell Center Parking garage.
2. South Gate - located adjacent to the first base line.
3. Participant Gate - left field, credentialed personnel only

## All-Tournament Team

A Regional all-tournament team consisting of the following players will be selected by the working news media or an all-tournament selection committee: catcher, first baseman, second baseman, shortstop, third baseman, left fielder, center fielder, right fielder, designated hitter and two pitchers.

## Athletic Training and Medical Assistance

The Athletic Training Room in the Lemerand Athletic Center will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. each day for morning treatments. Other times can be arranged. The training room is located on the ground floor of the Lemerand Athletic Center.

A University of Florida Athletic Trainer will be present at all games and practices at Perry Field. There will be cups, coolers of water and a cooler of ice in each dugout. If the need for medical assistance should arise, contact a University of Florida Athletic Trainer. Do not hesitate to call a trainer at home. There will be a "sick call" in the Lemerand Athletic Center training room from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. each day. At this time, there will be a physician on site to follow up on illnesses, injuries, etc. In addition, there will be a physician present at each game.

Student-athletes who compete in this championship may be subject to drug tests. Chris Patrick is the Drug-Testing Site Coordinator and can be reached at (352) 375-4683 ext. 4876 with any questions.

## Credentials

Several types of credentials will be issued to various individuals by the University of Florida for use during the tournament. All members of the tournament committee, athletic officials of the participating schools, umpires and NCAA officials will receive tournament passes. NOTE: All credentials are non-transferable and may ONLY be used by the individual to whom they are issued. Any unauthorized use of credentials subjects the bearer to immediate dismissal from the facility. All credential holders should enter through either the main gate or the south gate. All team credentials will be distributed at the Coaches' meeting. The participant gate is located at the left field entrance. All requests for media credentials should be directed to John Hines in the Florida SID office at (352) 375-4683 ext. 6130.

All-Areas - 6 "All-Areas" credentials, valid for admission and access to any area and tournament function, will be issued to each institution's athletic director or designee, head coach, SID, tournament staff, and umpires.

Participant - 29 "Participant" credentials, valid for admission and access to the team areas will be issued to each team. These are only for use by assistant coaches, players, managers, trainers and any designated dugout personnel.

Media - "Media" credential, valid for admission to Perry Field/McKethan Stadium and all tournament functions, hospitality and media work areas. Not valid for field access.

Photo - "Photo" credential, valid for admission to Perry Field/McKethan Stadium and all tournament functions, photo areas, hospitality and media work areas. Valid for limited field access.

Parking Passes - 3 Parking passes will be issued to each team and will be valid for parking in the West Lot located between Perry Field/McKethan Stadium and the Stephen C. O'Connell Center.

## Determination of Home Team

For first-round games during championship competition when teams are seeded, the highest-seeded team shall be designated as the home team. In subsequent games, the home team shall be determined according to a formula applied by the games committee.

In determining which of two teams in any game will be the home team, the games committee or the NCAA game representative shall designate the home team using the following guidelines:

1. The institution that has been the home team the fewer number of times in that particular tournament.
2. If the two teams are equal in this respect but unequal in the number of times they were the visitor, then the team that has been the visitor more often will be designated the home team.

3. If the two teams are equal in the number of times that they have been home and visitor, the games committee or the NCAA game representatives shall observe the following procedures in the order stated:
  - a. If the two teams have met previously in that particular tournament, the visitor in the previous game shall be the home team in the game in question.
  - b. The team that was visitor in its preceding game shall be the home team, unless both teams were visitors in their preceding games; or
  - c. If the above procedures do not resolve the matter, the home team shall be determined by a coin flip.

The home team shall occupy the third base dugout, take infield practice first and wear white uniforms if it owns white uniforms. The visiting team must wear a uniform of contrasting color. The tournament director will resolve any conflict in the selection of uniforms.

## Dugout Supplies

There will be towels, water, cups and ice placed in each dugout prior to each game. Please leave towels in the dugouts at the conclusion of each session.

## Facility

McKethan Stadium-Perry Field has a capacity of 5,000. Located just west of the Stephen C. O'Connell Center. Features a playing surface of natural grass and clay/infield conditioner. Dimensions of the field from left to right: 329-365-400-365-325.

## Hospitality

A Hospitality Room will be set up in the Lemerand Athletic Center Gymnasium, located adjacent to McKethan Stadium. Enter the front door of the Lemerand Athletic Center off of Stadium Road. The room will be open for NCAA Tournament baseball coaches, NCAA officials, media and athletic officials of participating teams. Hours for the room will be one hour prior to the first game through the last game of the day.

**Athlete Hospitality-** will be provided following each team's practice and competition throughout championship.

**Coach/Staff Hospitality-** will be provided Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>- Monday, June 6<sup>th</sup> for both lunch and dinner each day in the Lemerand Athletic Center Gym. Friday- Lunch at 2:00 p.m., Dinner at 6:00 p.m.; Saturday- Lunch at 2:00 p.m., Dinner at 6:00 p.m.; Sunday- Lunch at 2:00 p.m., Dinner at 6:00 p.m.; Monday- Lunch at noon if needed

**Media Hospitality-** will be provided Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>- Monday, June 6<sup>th</sup> with lunch, dinner and snacks each day in the Lemerand Athletic Center Media Work Room. Friday- Lunch at 2:00 p.m., Dinner at 6:00 p.m.; Saturday- Lunch at 1:30 p.m., Dinner at 6:00 p.m.; Sunday- Lunch at 1:30, Dinner at 6:00 p.m.; Monday- Lunch at noon if needed.

## Introduction and National Anthem

During Friday's games, each team will be introduced and will be asked to line up along their respective foul lines facing the grandstand. Please provide the public address announcer with a roster of all team members, including coaches, trainers and managers, at least 20 minutes prior to the game. The National Anthem will be played prior to all games during the first session and the regional championship game.

## Laundry Service

Laundry Service will be available upon request for washable items. Arrangements must be made prior to each game for laundry service. A team manager must accompany your laundry. Please contact Jay Kee if you wish to use this laundry service (352) 494-7879 (cell) or (352) 375-4683 ext. 4310 (office).

## Lodging

The University of Florida has reserved room blocks for each of the three participating teams at three (3) Gainesville Area Hotels. Each block consists of twenty-five (25) rooms. Additional rooms may be added by each institution on a space-available basis. **Each institution is responsible for contacting the hotel directly to confirm their reservations. Each participating institution is responsible for making its own special arrangements for meeting rooms, meals, and other functions.**

If an institution chooses to stay somewhere other than the designated hotel, it must notify the Tournament Director, Chip Howard, as soon as possible of its alternate location in the event that it is necessary to reach the institution during the course of 2005 NCAA Regional.

TEAM	HOTEL	SALES CONTACT	PHONE NUMBER	ROOM RATE
Highest Seed	Best Western Gateway Grand	Rebecca Neville	(352) 331-7104 (352) 494-0976	\$69.00
Next Highest Seed	Paramount Resort And Conference Center	Holly Paszko	(352) 240-0162	\$59.00
Next Highest Seed	Holiday Inn West	Mark McClain	(352) 332-1615	\$65.00

### **Best Western Gateway Grand, 4200 NW 97<sup>th</sup> Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32606**

Directions from I-75 to Hotel: Exit I-75 and 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue ( Exit #390) and travel west on 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue. Make a right onto NW 97<sup>th</sup> Blvd. The Best Western Gateway Grand will be on your left.

### **Paramount Resort and Conference Center, 2900 SW 13<sup>th</sup> St. Gainesville, FL 32608**

Directions from I-75 to Hotel: Take I-75 to Williston Rd. (Exit 382). Turn left on Williston Rd. 2 miles east to US 441. Turn left. Paramount 1/4 mile on left.

## **Holiday Inn West, 7417 Newberry Road Gainesville, FL 32605**

Directions from I-75 to Hotel: Take I-75 to Newberry Road (Exit 387). Make left at traffic light off exit. Hotel is on left.

## **Media Information and Policies**

All requests for media/photo credentials need to be submitted to John Hines Assistant Director, Sports Information (Baseball), University Athletic Association, Inc., University of Florida, P.O. Box 14485, Gainesville, FL 32604-2485, Phone (352) 375-4683, ext. 6130. Requests can be made by facsimile, (352) 375-4809, or by E-mail, [Johnh@gators.uaa.ufl.edu](mailto:Johnh@gators.uaa.ufl.edu). Only full-time members of the accredited media agencies are eligible for credentials.

Credentials must be worn at all times. Misuse will result in revocation of your credentials and removal from the media area. **Credentials are nontransferable.**

Credential pick-up will be all day Wednesday, June 1st in the SID office (enter covered walkway near Gate 1 of Ben Hill Griffin (football) stadium and proceed up the stairwell marked Sports Information Department 3<sup>rd</sup> floor). Credentials can also be picked up during or before each of the team's practices on Thursday. Press Will Call is located in the main ticket booth at McKethan stadium.

It shall be the responsibility of each institution to see that complete information is sent to the University of Florida. The University of Florida shall provide the Sports Information Director of competing teams with a list of news outlets to which publicity materials are to be directed.

## **Media Facilities**

The media room for the 2005 Gainesville Regional Baseball Tournament will be located in the Lemerand Athletic Center, adjacent to McKethan Stadium (down the right field line). It will be clearly marked. The media room will contain all press information (statistics, team notes, tournament supplements, and media guides, etc.) along with telephones, copy, and fax machines. University of Florida and NCAA representatives will be on hand to assist the media throughout the tournament.

## **Media Services**

The UF Sports Information Department will provide complete NCAA box scores, typed inning-by-inning accounts of each game, post game coach and player quotes and updated tournament statistics. Fax service will be available.

## **Official Scorer**

The official scorer for each game will be appointed by the tournament director, and his or her duties will be outlined in the NCAA Baseball Rules Book.

## **Parking**

Parking for visiting teams will be located in the West Lot located between McKethan Stadium and the O'Connell Center. Parking passes will be provided and will be included in the credentials packet each coach will receive at the coaches' meeting. Parking for the Media will also be located in the West Lot.

## **Participant Seating**

There will be a designated section of the third baseline grandstand for members of the participating teams attending games in which their team is not competing (Section H).

## **Photographers, Camera Crews, & Live Shots**

Designated areas for photographers will be clearly marked on the field (first & third base sides). Adjacent to the press box is an area for camera crews. Photographers on the field should be warned that any ball, which goes into the chalked area, is a live ball. No tripods are allowed on the field. No game action is permitted to be seen during live video shots as dictated by the NCAA. Live shots should be performed outside the grandstand area.

## **Practice Times**

Perry Field will be available for practice on Thursday, June 2nd. The batting cage will be at home plate, along with protective screens. The batting cage in right field will also be available. Please make sure to finish at the proper time to allow the field crew fifteen minutes to prepare the field for the next team's practice session.

Team 1 10:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. (Team 1 is always the host team)  
Team 2 11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. (Highest remaining seed)  
Team 3 1 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. (Next highest seed)  
Team 4 2:30 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. (Next highest seed)

Each team will have the option of taking batting practice at Sante Fe Community College or utilizing the batting cages at the UF Softball Complex. Directions to Sante Fe CC are included in Appendix C. Directions to the Softball Complex are included in Appendix D. Batting practice will be held on Perry field only for the team competing in the first game of a session. A complete pre-game schedule is included in this manual on page 12.

## **Press Box At Mckethan Stadium-Perry Field**

The main press box phone number is (352) 375-4683 ext. 4355. Post-game information (notes, quotes, statistics, box scores, play-by-play) will be distributed in the press box and at press conferences throughout the tournament.

## Pre-Tournament Press Interviews

Pre-tournament press interviews will be held on an informal basis following each team's respective practice times. Also, coaches and players will be available after respective practices. See practice times per schedule.

## Pre-Game Schedule

The following pre-game schedule will be used for all Regional games.

Prior to Game	
*Home Batting Practice	2:00
*Visitor Batting Practice	1:20
*Cage Removed	:40
Home Infield	:34
Visitor Infield	:24
Field Preparation	:14
Introduction (home team first - If necessary)	:13
National Anthem (If necessary)	:09
Umpires/Coaches meeting	:06
Home team on field	:02
First Pitch	:00

\*Batting practice is conducted on the field of competition for teams competing in the first game of a session only.

Off site batting practice will be available at Santa Fe Community College (SFCC) or the UF Softball Complex for teams competing in the second game of each session (Friday, Saturday and Sunday). Teams competing in the second game each session will adhere to the following schedule.

Teams Playing in the 7:30p.m. Game on Friday, June 3rd

Friday, June 3rd- Home Team 4:15 - 4:55 p.m.

Friday, June 3rd- Visiting Team 5:00 - 5:40 p.m.

Teams Playing in the 7:30 p.m. Game on Saturday, June 4th

Saturday, June 4th- Home Team 4:15- 4:55 p.m.

Saturday, June 4th- Visiting Team 5:00- 5:40 p.m.

Teams Playing in the 7:30 p.m. Game on Sunday, June 5th

Sunday, June 5th- home Team 4:15- 4:55 p.m.

Sunday, June 5th- Visiting Team 5:00- 5:40 p.m.

## **Post-Game Interviews**

Post-game interviews with the head coach and at least two players will be conducted in the official tournament interview area. Each coach shall bring two players to the interview area after a short cool-off period (10 minutes). The post-game media conference format shall be scheduled in the interview room with the losing coach and players, preceding the winning coach and players. The interview with the losing coach and players generally should not exceed a maximum of 10 minutes.

Regardless of any personal regular-season radio or television contract(s), the coach is first obligated to the entire media staffing the tournament, and must report to the interview room after the cool-off period.

## **Radio**

Each institution's visiting radio play-by-play crew will be provided with one radio booth in the McKethan Stadium press box. The University Athletic Association may charge each radio station that will use a phone line within the press box an installation fee. A rights fee per game/per station will be charged as per NCAA guidelines. The fee shall be \$75.00 for the originating station per game and \$25.00 per affiliate joining the network. Stations will also be charged a \$75.00 Internet streaming fee and \$75.00 for a commercial Internet-only fee. Any non-commercial stations are exempt from any rights fee. Please contact John Hines of the Florida SID staff for more information and to pay fees for radio stations as soon as possible before arriving in Gainesville.

## **Satellite/Video Services**

For information to book satellite feeds or use of the University of Florida's satellite uplink truck (KU-Band), please contact Frank Ahern at University of Florida Information Services (352) 392-9092.

## **Stadium Security**

Because of the increased security in all our stadiums, we ask that all teams arrive as one unit in which a head or assistant coach can vouch for the entire team and all of their possessions. Any member(s) of an institutions' traveling party that arrive separately will be subject to a complete search of all items such as backpacks, gym bags, carry bags, video cameras/cases and purses.

## **Student-Athlete Guest Passes**

Players' Parents/Guest Entry will be through the Main Gate into Perry Field. A table will be set at the gate to control the pass-list system. Each participating school should provide a pass-list and/or envelopes with instructions to insure compliance with NCAA requirements, to the host ticket manager. Participating schools may provide its own personnel to operate its pass-list system or the host will provide a person to operate it for them. If a school requires the host to handle their pass-list, please request prior to tournament. Tickets for player guests will be from each school's allotment.

## Tarp

In case of inclement weather, the tarp will be placed over the complete infield area by the grounds crew. No team members will be required to assist.

## Telephones

Ten telephones will be available in the media room at the Lemerand Athletic Center for members of the working media. There will also be phone lines in the press box for members of radio crews (See RADIO). The main press box phone number at McKethan Stadium is (352) 375-4683 ext. 4355. Questions regarding telephones can be directed to the Florida Sports Information Office at (352) 375-4683 ext. 6100.

## Team Scouting

Each head coach will receive two seats in the auxiliary press area for scouting purposes.

## Tickets

Two Hundred (200) all-session tickets will be provided for each visiting regional team.

<b>Tournament Book Reserved Chairback</b>	\$ 50.00
<i>Sold in advance of Tournament</i>	
<b>Tournament Book Reserved Bleachers</b>	\$ 40.00
<i>Sold in advance of Tournament</i>	
Individual Game, Reserved Chairback (Only if Available)	\$ 9.00
Individual Game, Bleachers Reserved	\$ 8.00
Individual Game, General Admission, Bleachers	\$ 6.00
Youth/Student	\$ 4.00

Ticket Office Phone Number: (352) 375-4683 ext. 6800

## Tobacco Products

The use of tobacco products by all individuals on the field of play, including the dugouts, as well as during championship activities such as banquets, autograph sessions, press conferences and post game interviews is prohibited.

## Pre-championship Meeting

On June 2nd at 6:00 p.m., there will be a meeting for all coaches, umpires and tournament officials held in the Lemerand Center located west of McKethan Stadium. This meeting will cover all tournament details and will include dinner.

## Tournament Schedule

### Friday, June 3rd

Game 2      3:30 p.m.      Team #3                      vs.      Team #2

Game 1      7:30 p.m.      Team #1                      vs.      Team #4

### **Saturday, June 4th**

Game 3      3:30 p.m.      Loser of Game 1      vs.      Loser of Game 2

Game 4      7:30 p.m.      Winner of Game 1      vs.      Winner of Game 2

### **Sunday, June 5th**

Game 5      3:30 p.m.      Winner of Game 3      vs.      Loser of Game 4

Game 6      7:30 p.m.      Winner of Game 4      vs.      Winner of Game 5

### **Monday, June 6th**

Game 7      1:00 p.m.      Winner of Game 6      vs.      Loser of Game 6 (if necessary)

## **Transportation**

### **CAR RENTAL AGENCIES**

National Car Rental

Location: Gainesville Regional Airport

Phone: (352) 377-7005/(800) 227-7368

Budget Car Rental

Location: Gainesville Regional Airport

Phone: (352) 372-7332/(800) 527-0900

Avis Rent-A-Car

Location: Gainesville Regional Airport

Phone: (352) 376-8115/ (800) 831-2847

Hertz Rent A Car

Location: Gainesville Regional Airport

Phone: (352) 373-8444/(800) 654-3131

### **BUS TRANSPORTATION**

Gameday Connection/Orlando, FL

Ask for Erin Mitchell

Phone: (407) 648-0213 ext. 103

Champion Coach

Ask for Craig Dance

Phone: 1-800-583-7668

Coach USA/ Jacksonville, FL

Phone: 1-800-781-8999

### **Getting Around Gainesville**

When driving on Gainesville's streets: Terraces, Boulevards, Streets, and Drives run North/South, while Avenues, Roads, Lanes, and Places run east/west. University Avenue separates Gainesville into its Northern and Southern regions, while Main Street separates Gainesville into its Eastern and Western regions. Therefore Gainesville is made up of four quadrants, Northeast (NE), Southeast (SE), Northwest (NW), and Southwest (SW). SW and NW street numbers increase while traveling west on University Avenue from Main Street. SE and NE street numbers increase while traveling East on University Avenue from Main Street. The NW and NE Avenue numbers will increase when traveling north of University Avenue and the SW and SE Avenue numbers will increase when traveling south of University Avenue.

## **Umpire Locker Room**

The umpires will dress in the umpire locker room behind the third base line at McKethan Stadium. There are shower facilities, towels, chairs and cold drinks provided for umpires.

## **Videotaping**

Teams wishing to videotape their games should contact John Hines in the Florida Sports Information Department at (352) 375-4683 ext. 6130.

## **Website**

The University of Florida Athletic Association will have a tournament website setup at [www.gatorzone.com](http://www.gatorzone.com). You will be able to find information about the teams, tickets, current news and local information. Live stats from all 16 NCAA Baseball Regionals will be available on [www.ncaasports.com](http://www.ncaasports.com). Gatorzone will also have a link to the live stats.

## Motel and Hotel Accommodations

1. Baymont Inn & Suites  
3905 SW 43rd Street  
(352) 376-0004; 1-800-301-0200  
Complimentary breakfast, Non-smoking/disability rooms, cable/satellite movies, 24 hour staffed front desk & switchboard
2. Best Western Gateway Grand  
4200 NW 97th Blvd.  
(352) 331-3336; 1-800-528-1234  
Mini and executive suites, complimentary continental breakfast, data ports in every room, exercise room, guest laundry, meeting facilities, full service restaurant and lounge
3. Best Inn  
I-75 & SR 121 (Exit 74)  
(352) 378-2405  
Pool, pets OK with fee, complimentary continental breakfast, fitness room
4. Cabot Lodge  
I-75 & Archer Road, (Exit #75)  
3726 SW 40th Blvd.  
(352) 375-2400; 1-800-843-8735  
Showtime TV, continental breakfast, pets OK with fee, late checkout, shuttle available handicap rooms available
5. Cape Cod Inn  
3820 SW 13th St.  
(352) 371-2500  
Pool, HBO, continental breakfast, pets OK with fee, late checkout, shuttle available, handicap rooms available
6. Comfort Inn  
2435 SW 13th St.  
(352) 373-6500; 1-800-228-5150  
Efficiencies, pool, HBO, restaurant/lounge, continental breakfast, laundry, late checkout, handicap rooms available
7. Courtyard by Marriott  
3700 SW 42nd St.  
(352) 335-9100; 1-800-321-2211  
Pool, jacuzzi, exercise room, late checkout
8. Days Inn West  
7516 Newberry Rd.  
(352) 332-3033  
Efficiencies, pool, HBO, restaurant/lounge, Continental breakfast, laundry, pets OK with fee
9. Econo Lodge NW  
700 NW 75th St.  
(352) 332-2346; 1-800-424-4777  
HBO, late checkout
10. Econo Lodge SW  
2649 SW 13th St.  
(352) 373-7816; 1-800-424-4777  
HBO, restaurant, continental breakfast, late checkout, shuttle available 8am-9pm
11. Extended Stay America  
3600 SW 42nd St.  
(352) 375-0073; 1-800-398-7829  
Movie channels, cable, full size kitchens
12. Fairfield Inn by Marriott  
6901 NW 4th Blvd.  
Tower Centre Plaza  
(352) 332-8292; 1-800-228-8200
13. Gainesville Lodge  
413 W. University Ave.  
(352) 376-1224; 1-800-637-1224  
Pool, HBO, continental breakfast

14. Hampton Inn  
4225 SW 40th Blvd.  
(352) 371-4171  
Heated pool, free continental breakfast,  
free local calls, late checkout,  
HBO/Disney

15. Hilton Hotel & Conference Center  
1714 SW 34th St.  
(352) 378-0070  
Located across from the University of  
Florida, Restaurant on site, Suites  
Available

16. Holiday Inn University Center  
1250 W. University Ave.  
(352) 376-1661; 1-800-HOLIDAY  
Suites available, pool, restaurant, salon,  
pets OK, handicap rooms available,  
shuttle available

17. Holiday Inn West  
I-75 & Newberry Rd. (Exit #76)  
7417 NW 8th Ave.  
(352) 332-7500; 1-800-551-8206  
Suites available, 2 pools, showtime TV,  
restaurant/lounge, handicap rooms  
available, shuttle available

18. LaQuinta Inn  
920 NW 69th Terr.  
(352) 332-6466; 1-800-531-5900  
Pool, continental breakfast, pets OK,  
late checkouts arranged, handicap  
rooms available

19. Paramount Resort and Conference  
Center  
2900 SW 13th St.  
(352) 377-4000; 1-800-325-3535  
Suites available, pool, movies, lounge,  
restaurant, laundry, late checkout,  
handicap rooms available, shuttle

20. Ramada Inn-Archer House  
I-75 & Archer Road (Exit #75)  
(352) 373-0392  
Free deluxe buffet breakfast, garden  
pool, laundry, fax, data ports, close to  
dining

21. Red Roof Inn  
I-75 (Exit # 75)  
3500 SW 42nd St.  
(352) 336-3311; 1-800-843-7663  
Free coffee, newspaper, heated pool

22. Reitz Union Hotel  
University of Florida Campus  
(352) 392-2151  
Within walking distance to most points  
of interest on campus

23. Residence Inn by Marriott  
4001 SW 13th St.  
(352) 371-2101; 1-800-331-3131  
Pool, spa, continental breakfast, sport  
court, full kitchen, living area, security,  
fireplaces, shuttle upon request

24. Sweetwater Branch Inn Bed &  
Breakfast  
625 E. University Ave.  
(352) 373-6760  
Restored 1885 Victorian home, each  
room with private bath

25. University Centre Hotel  
1535 SW Archer Rd.  
(352) 371-3333; 1-800-251-4069 (FL);  
1-800-824-5637 (USA)  
Pool, lounge, restaurant, salon, pets OK,  
handicap rooms available

## Gainesville Restaurants

- Applebee's Neighborhood Grill, 1005 NW 13th St., 335-0150; a variety of popular food items
- Bagels Unlimited, 2022 SW 34th St., 372-7006; bagels, great selection of breakfast items
- The Ballyhoo Grill, 3700 Newberry Rd, 373-0059; a variety of popular food items, specializes in seafood entrees
- Bennigan's, 3208 SW Archer Rd., 373-2800; a variety of popular food items
- Bonefish Grill, 3237 SW 35th Blvd , (352) 377-8383; a casual seafood restaurant
- Bono's BBQ, 6760 W. Newberry Rd., 331-3112; real pit BBQ
- Boston Market, 6483 W. Newberry Rd., 331-1519; baked chicken, turkey, ham
- Carraba's Italian Grill, 3021 SW 34th Street, 692-0083 ; Italian Restaurant
- Chili's Grill & Bar, 3530 SW Archer Rd., 373-3010; a variety of popular food items
- Chipotle, 1432 West University Avenue, 372-5330; Burritos and Tacos
- Cracker Barrel, 4001 SW 43<sup>rd</sup> St., 375-2424; home cooked country-style meals
- Don Pablo's Mexican Kitchen, 6483 W. Newberry Rd., 333-3101; authentic Mexican meals
- Emiliano's Café & Bakery, 7 SE 1<sup>st</sup> Ave., 375-7381, Caribbean cuisine in the heart of Gainesville
- Gainesville Ale House and Raw Bar, 3950 SW Archer Rd., 371-0818; popular food items and seafood, casual atmosphere, pool tables, televisions
- Gator's Dockside, 3842 Newberry Road, 338-4445; popular food items with pool tables and televisions.
- Grandy's Restaurant, 3401 W. University Ave., 374-9762; chicken, ribs, country fried steak, and breakfast
- Harry's Seafood Restaurant Bar & Grill, 110 SW 1st St., 372-1555; a variety of popular food items, including Cajun cooking, seafood, chicken, soups, etc.

- Heavenly Ham, 3755 W. Newberry Rd., 332-0950; homemade, sliced deli meats and breads
- Leonardo's 706, 706 W. University Ave., 378-2001; great Italian food and pizzas; gourmet desserts.
- Mark's US Prime, 101 Se 2nd Pl #118, 336-0077; upscale restaurant that specializes in seafood and steak entrees.
- McAlister's Gourmet Deli, 618 NW 60th St., 331-8900; 3262 SW 35th Blvd., 373-6364; great food in a friendly atmosphere
- Napolitano's, 606 NW 75th St. (Tower Rd., off of Newberry Rd.), 332-6671; great Italian food
- Olive Garden, 3440 SW Archer Rd., 335-5323; a large variety of fine Italian food
- On The Border, 3100 SW Archer Rd., 374-9664; authentic Mexican meals
- Outback Steakhouse, 3536 SW Archer Rd., 373-9499; specializes in beef entrees and a variety of other specialties
- Perkins Family Restaurant & Bakery, I-75 & Newberry Rd., 331-0388
- Sonny's Real Pit BBQ, 3635 SW Archer Rd., 375-6667 and 9213 N.W. 39th Avenue, 381-7333; real pit BBQ
- Pomodoro Cafe, 9200 NW 39th Ave, 380-9886; Italian Restaurant
- Popeye's, 1412 N. Main Street, 732-3839
- Rafferty's Restaurant & Bar, 3410 SW Archer Rd., 374-0675; variety of popular food items "The American Grille"
- Ruby Tuesday's, inside the Oaks Mall, 331-0033; a variety of popular food items
- Scholtzky's Deli, 4720 NW 39th Ave., 372-3354; 3400 SW 34th St., 338-2867; a variety of high quality deli selections
- Sonny's Real Pit BBQ, 3635 SW Archer Rd., 375-6667; real pit BBQ
- Stonewood, 3812 Newberry Rd., 379-5982; specializes in beef and seafood entrees cooked on an oak grill.

- Subway Sandwiches and Salads, 6666 W. Newberry Rd. , 331-4579
- Swamp Restaurant, 1642 W. University Avenue, 377-9267; variety of popular food items
- Texas Roadhouse, 3830 SW Archer Rd., 377-2820; casual dining and a wide selection of steaks
- TGI Friday's, 3598 SW Archer Rd., 336-0033; a variety of popular food items

## Movie Theaters and Entertainment

### Regal Butler Plaza Cinemas

3101 SW 35th Street  
336-0408

### Bowling

Alley Katz Corner  
3705 SW 42nd Ave  
373-3833

### Royal Park Stadium 16 Theaters

3702 Newberry Road  
373-4277.1.1

## Emergency Listings

Florida Surgical Center - Shands at the University of Florida	375-7373 800-372-7637
North Florida Regional Medical Center	333-4000
Shands at the University of Florida	265-0111
Shands Hospital at AGH	372-4321
University Police Department	392-1111
University of Florida Information	392-3261