

## PORTRAITS OF THE PAST



Aiken Standard file photo

**Mark Melton and his son Tim watch the ducks from a bridge at Hopelands Gardens in this Sept. 12, 1995, photo.**

If you have interesting photos that document the history of the faces and places in Aiken County, please allow us to display them here. Submission forms may be picked up at the *Aiken Standard* office, filled out completely and mailed or hand delivered to the Aiken Standard at 326 Rutland Drive, Aiken, S.C. 29801. For more information or questions concerning the Portraits of the Past, call Michael Gibbons at 644-2381.

## WHAT ARE YOU READING?



“‘The Prince of Tennis.’ It’s a manga.”  
— Alexa Arthur, 10, Aiken

*About the book: “Four-time consecutive U.S. Junior tournament champ Ryoma Echizen comes to Seishun Academy to further his reign as The Prince of Tennis. His skill is matched only by his attitude – irking some but impressing all as he leads his team to the Nationals and beyond. A surprise strategy: Eiji plays singles with Shuichi out of play, the other half of Seishun’s Golden Pair faces off against Higa’s Yujiro Kai in No. 2 singles. Can Eiji bring Seishun a victory without his partner’s support? The final match of the round, No. 1 singles, pits captain against captain: Kunititsu, in his first game back from injury, versus Eishiro ‘Killer’ Kite.” — barnesandnoble.com*

### Aiken Mall Cinema

(Good through today)

**Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs (PG)** noon, 2:25, 4:50, 7:15, 9:40  
**Public Enemies (R)** 12:20, 4:00, 7:35, 10:35  
**My Sister’s Keeper (PG-13)** 11:50 a.m., 2:20, 4:50, 7:20, 9:40  
**Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen (PG-13)** 12:10, 12:40, 3:50, 4:15, 7:00, 7:25, 10:10, 10:40  
**The Proposal (PG-13)** 11:45 a.m., 2:15, 4:40, 7:10, 10:05  
**The Hangover (R)** 11:55 a.m., 2:35, 5:00, 7:45, 10:00  
**Up (PG)** 11:40 a.m., 2:05, 4:30, 7:05, 9:55

### The Big Mo

(Good today and Sunday)

**Screen 1:** Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs (PG), Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian (PG)  
**Screen 2:** Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen (PG-13), Dance Flick (PG-13)

Gates open at 7 p.m., and movies start at about 9 p.m.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Today

- ▶ **VFW Post 10601** will hold a **Fourth of July barbecue** today at 1 p.m. The cost is \$6.
- ▶ **VFW Post 5877** will hold a **Fourth of July barbecue** today at 6 p.m. The cost is \$5 a plate. Lil’ Jimmy & the Boyz will perform at the post from 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.
- ▶ The DuPont Planetarium will present **“To the Moon and Beyond”** today at 4 and 5 p.m. and July 11, 18 and 25 at 8 and 9 p.m.

### Monday

- ▶ The **Fort Gordon Concert Band** will perform as part of the Hopelands Summer Concert Series on Monday at 7 p.m. For more information or in case of rain, call 643-4661.
- ▶ The **Aiken County Bar** will hold its second **Charity Golf Tournament** on Monday at the Houndslake Country Club. Registration will begin at 8 a.m., and a shotgun start at 9 a.m. The cost is \$75 a player or \$300 per four-player team. For more information, call the Aiken County Solicitor’s Office at 642-1557, ext. 108.
- ▶ The Aiken Center for the Arts will offer **art camps for adults and teens** the weeks of July 6 and 13.
- ▶ Camps will meet from 2 to 4 p.m., and the cost is \$75 a week. For more information, call Cathy Rumble at 641-9094.
- ▶ The **Aiken Stroke and Outpatient Support Group** will meet in the Aiken Physical Medicine & Rehab Center on Monday from 6 to 7:30 p.m. For more information, call Shantay Evans at (706) 823-5213 or e-mail shevans@wrh.org.
- ▶ VFW Post 10601 will hold **open billiards** every Monday.
- ▶ Embroiderer’s Guild of America will have the **monthly Stitch-In** on Monday at Cumberland Village first floor craft room from 10 a.m. to noon.

### Tuesday

- ▶ The Aiken County Public Library will present a free **Bollywood dancing demonstration** for children of all ages on Tuesday at 7 p.m. Learn about Indian culture through dance.
- ▶ The **Weston A. Price Aiken Chapter meeting** will be held Tuesday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Noble Breads and Grocer. The topic will be bread. For more information, call 644-4463.
- ▶ The **Chick-fil-A** in Aiken will hold a **Kids Night** on Tuesday to help younger customers create cow costumes for Cow Appreciation day.

### Wednesday

- ▶ The **Wise Outrageous Women** will meet Wednesday at noon in the Charles Wesley United Methodist Church, 3510 Trolley Line Road. The program will be a cruise ship tour of the Northeastern United States and Canada. For more information, call 641-7409.
- ▶ The **Augusta Stroke and Outpatient Support Group** will meet at Walton Rehabilitation Center on Wednesday from 1 to 2 p.m.
- ▶ The topic will be “Beat the Heat,” and a summer potluck will be held. For more information, call Shantay Evans at (706) 823-5213 or e-mail shevans@wrh.org.
- ▶ VFW Post 10601 will hold **burger night** Wednesday at 6 p.m. The cost is \$6 a plate.
- ▶ The **MOMS Club of Aiken** will have a group event Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. at the firehouse near the post office on Laurens Street.

### Thursday

- ▶ A **brain injury support group** will meet at Walton West, 2501 Center West Parkway, Augusta, on Thursday from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Call (706) 829-0370.
- ▶ The **Alzheimer’s Education Conference** will be held on Thursday at Newberry Hall from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The cost is \$25 and includes breakfast and lunch. Space is limited, and registration is required. For more information or to register, call 642-8444.
- ▶ **Overeaters Anonymous** meets every Thursday at 7 p.m. in St. John’s United Methodist Church, room 120. No charge, no weigh-ins. For more information, call 644-2953.
- ▶ The **Shepard Community Bloodmobile** will be at Mattie C. Hall Thursday from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.
- ▶ The **Stephen James CSRA Coin Club** will meet Thursday at the Cedar Creek Community Center. A special program on the History of Hamburg obsolete paper currency will be presented. Doors open at 6:15 p.m., and the meeting will begin at 7 p.m. For more information, call 644-0761.

## YOUNG PROFESSIONALS GROUP EXPANDS



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The Chamber’s Aiken Young Professionals group continues to grow. There are 235 members in the organization. The group has held five social gatherings and two “Lunch and Learns” so far this year. The mission of the group is to attract and retain young professionals in the Aiken community. The first step to achieve this mission is to offer social networking programs, which began last year. The AYP is the outgrowth of a blue ribbon panel led in 2007 by USCA Chancellor Tom Hallman. Chamber Board member Tom Young Jr. was the first chair of the Chamber’s Aiken Young Professionals in 2008, and Josh Stewart, J.E. Stewart Builders Inc., is the 2009 chair. Membership is open to young professionals in the community between the ages of 22 and 39.

## NAMES & NOTES

### NAHS students get FBLA awards

The following students at North Augusta High School received the following awards at the FBLA National Convention in Anaheim, Calif.: Jessica Kaczmarek, first place in business calculations; Kay Meyer, ninth place in computer applications; Sam Abbott, sixth place in word processing II; Chris Ramey and Erica Adams with advisers Stephanie Ramey and Lynda Oswald placed second in partnership with a busi-

ness; Mel Hanks and Emeka Okafor with advisers Priscilla Broughton and Stephanie Ramey placed third in emerging business issues; and Frederick Grimm, Jennifer Price and Nick Gamble with adviser Linda Skinner placed eighth in the community service project.

### USC Upstate lists dean’s list honors

The following students at USC Upstate were named to the dean’s list for the

2009 spring semester: Constance Vernese Cummings, Micki L. Eubanks, Johnny Lorenzo Rhode III, Ross Joseph Sullivan II and Andrea Jessica Yon.

### Trio makes dean’s list at Va. Tech

Lindsay A. King, Andrew C. Radford and Christopher E. Radford were named to the dean’s list at Virginia

Tech for the 2009 spring semester.

### Boston University lists its graduates

Caitlin C. Schaffner received a Master of Public Health in epidemiology and Seth W. Stern received a Bachelor of Arts in economics and international relations from Boston University during commencement in May.

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SCREEN 1:  
ICE AGE: DAWN OF THE DINOSAURS (PG)  
NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM: BATTLE OF THE SMITHSONIAN (PG)

SCREEN 2:  
TRANSFORMERS: REVENGE OF THE FALLEN (PG-13)  
DANCE FLICK (PG-13)

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