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## HarborNotes Weekly

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### Hundreds turn out to launch University Student Center



Student flash mob at the USC Launch.

The launch of the new [University Student Center](#) drew hundreds of people Thursday, Sept. 6, along with a flash mob of students who celebrated with a lively dance amid streams of confetti. The student center includes dining in [The Reef](#) (open to the public daily) meeting space and rooms for 200 residential students. Interim Regional Chancellor Bill Hogarth [thanked the community for its support](#). | Check out the news coverage: [ABC Action News](#) | [Fox 13](#) | [Patch](#)

The launch came one day after dozens of student organizations participated in Get On Board Day, in which students can find ways to get involved. | [Watch the](#)

[tampabay.com video.](http://tampabay.com/video)

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## Search for new regional chancellor begins

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA ST. PETERSBURG



The Advisory Committee appointed by USF System President Judy Genshaft to recommend candidates for the next Regional Chancellor of USF St. Petersburg held its first meeting this week. President Genshaft provided the charge to the committee of her vision for the next regional chancellor. The committee will be assisted by R.W. Funk and Associates. [Read more.](#)

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### Carlton Ward Jr. to present findings of expedition

Carlton Ward Jr and Joe Guthrie on the Florida Wildlife Corridor Expedition. Photo courtesy Carlton Ward Jr/CarltonWard.com.

Conservation photographer Carlton Ward Jr. will give a free presentation at USF St. Petersburg Harbor Hall Sept. 12 about his [Florida Wildlife Corridor Expedition](#). Ward will show photographs and talk about the 100-day, 1,000 mile trek he and a small team participated in from January through April this year. The group traveled by kayak, mountain bike, horseback and on foot from Everglades National Park to the Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge in Georgia. The journey was intended to promote the

creation of a wildlife corridor through the state. [Read more.](#)

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## New Wellness Center opens next week



Melanie McCabe is the receptionist at the Wellness Center.

The Wellness Center fully opens next week on the second floor of the new Student Life Center, offering the first comprehensive student health services ever provided at USF St. Petersburg. Counseling services began Tuesday, Sept. 4. Health services, including immunizations and physicals, will be available beginning Monday, Sept. 10. The Wellness Center will be open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed from noon to 1 p.m. [Read more.](#)

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## Thursday is USFSP night at Raymond James Stadium



Photo courtesy J. Meric

Thursday's game between the USF Bulls and the Rutgers Scarlet Knights is not only the Bulls' Big East opener. It's also USF St. Petersburg night! Raymond James Stadium should be brimming with USFSP fans. And if that's not enough excitement, the game will be nationally televised on ESPN. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m. Go Bulls!

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## Upcoming Events

**September 12**

**Carlton Ward Jr. Presents: Florida Wildlife Corridor Expedition  
6 P.M.**

**September 20**

**USFSP Celebrates! A salute to Gus Stavros to benefit the College of Business  
6 P.M.  
SOLD OUT!**

**September 22**

**Undergraduate Admissions Open House  
Graduate Studies Open House  
9 a.m.**

**September 25**

**Transfer-A-Bull  
6 p.m.**

**October 3**  
**Democracy Under Siege? An Assessment of Contemporary Voter Suppression**  
**2 p.m.**

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