



# Gator Dugout Days



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## Holiday Party

Over sixty-five members enjoyed themselves at the Club's Holiday Party.



## Presidents Corner

Thanks to all of you who came to our Holiday party and helped us meet our goal for Toys for Tots. The boxes were overflowing with wonderful items and I suspect will make some little eyes glow with joy. It has been an eventful year with some great successes and some 'maybe not so much'. Through it all the comradery of our club and its wonderful committed members has carried us all. Have a wonderful holiday season and see you at the covered dish event on January 27, 2020. Go Gators – Henri

## Covered Dish Dinner

The first event for the Club will be the Covered Dish Dinner which is moving from the Gator Room to the Holloway Touchdown Terrace on the north end of the Swamp.

The facility will be able to more comfortably accommodate our event.

A reservation form is included in this newsletter.

## Club Merchandise

For all new members, our Club has golf shirts and baseball caps with our logo. There are three colored shirts, orange, blue, and white. The caps come in blue and white.

An order form comes with this newsletter.

## 2020 Meeting Location Change

Where we meet in 2020 has changed. We will no longer meet at The DoubleTree.

During the season, we will have a couple of Tailgate Parties in the O'Dome parking lot.

Just like you would tailgate for football, bring your canopy, food and beverage for yourself and friends.



If you have a suggestion about a meeting location, contact Brian Fox. See his email address in the 2020 Board listing.

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### Other Changes

Your Board has approved changes in the Club's dues structure starting in 2021.

Dues will be as follows: Student (**any person who is currently enrolled at any high school or a two or four year institution**) \$10, Individual \$40 and Family (**two or more immediate members of a family i.e., a couple or parents and their children under 18 years of age**) \$60.

Corporate Member dues will also increase but will have to go to the membership for approval.

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### Presentation of Scholarship Donation

Near the beginning of the 2020 season, the Club will present Coach O'Sullivan with a check for \$10,000 for The Gator Dugout Club Scholarship Fund.

All Club members will be encouraged to wear a Club shirt and be ready to stand when the Club is acknowledged.



The 2020 SEC Baseball Tournament is May 19-24 in Hoover, Alabama.

The Club has reserved ten rooms at the LaQuinta Inn Birmingham/Hoover for a \$75.00 rate plus tax. You can reserve your room now by calling 205-403-0096. Ask for the Gator Dugout Club rate or speak to Darryl.

A flyer with the information will be available at the Covered Dish Dinner.

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### Golf Tournament

The Gator Dugout Club Golf Tournament has been set for April 27, 2020 at Ironwood Golf Course.



Sign-up sheets will be available at the Covered Dish Dinner or you can go to the Club's website.

Fees include golf, lunch, merchandise raffle, hole prizes along with 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and last place prizes.

There will be a silent auction of multiple baseball items including a Pete Alonso autographed baseball.

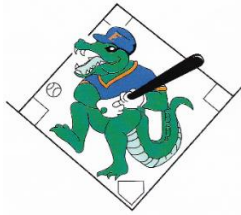
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### Reserved Parking Spot

For those new to the Club or those of us who have forgotten, we have a drawing at the covered dish for a reserved parking lot for a weekend series plus one weekday game.

Each member classification (Individual, Family or Corporate) will receive a ticket to be pulled during the event. Winners will get a parking pass to parking in the lot behind left field at the Dugout Club reserved spot.

Family and corporate will be given only one ticket.



**THE GATOR DUGOUT CLUB  
2020 COVERED DISH DINNER**

**Monday, January 27 in the Touchdown Terrace in the  
Swamp**

Gate 7 (northwest entrance) to elevator - Look for the Club Banner

Check-In by 6:00PM      Dinner Served: 6:30PM

**THIS IS A MEMBERS-ONLY EVENT**

**(No membership applications will be accepted at the door)**

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Come visit with the 2020 Gator Baseball team and coaching staff while enjoying a delicious buffet-style meal.

\$16.00 per person and reservations must be received by Monday, January 20, 2020.

**YOU MUST MAKE A RESERVATION. THOSE WITHOUT A RESEVATION WILL BE  
TURNED AWAY AT THE DOOR.**

EACH person is asked to bring one dish that will feed 8 other people as we are providing dinner for the team and staff. Meat and dessert will be furnished by the Club.

Mail your completed reservation form with check (payable to Gator Dugout Club) to:

Carol LeBlanc  
14260 Newberry Rd., #233  
Newberry, FL 32669

Questions: Text 352-359-1755 or cleblancgators@yahoo.com  
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Names: \_\_\_\_\_ # Attending\_\_\_\_\_

Amt. Enclosed: \$\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail:\_\_\_\_\_

I/We will bring: Salad\_\_\_ Casserole Dish\_\_\_ Hot Vegetable\_\_\_  
Baked beans\_\_\_ Potato Dish\_\_\_ Mac & Cheese\_\_\_ Fruit Platter\_\_\_

**REMEMBER EACH PERSON IS TO BRING A DISH!  
(2 people-2 dishes)**

We can use some assistance in set-up (5:00PM) \_\_\_\_\_and clean-up\_\_\_\_\_. Thanks for volunteering!

# The Gator Dugout Club Cap & Shirt Order

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Polo shirts are embroidered with Club Baseball Gator logo over the heart. Logo on white and orange shirts has blue uniform. Blue shirt logo has white uniform. Ball caps are blue or white.

	\$ per Polo Shirt	# Orange Ladies Polo	# Blue Ladies Polo	# White Ladies Polo	# Orange Men's Polo	# Blue Men's Polo	# White Men's Polo	Total #
<b>Adult</b>								
<b>S</b>	\$18.00							
<b>M</b>	\$18.00							
<b>L</b>	\$18.00							
<b>XL</b>	\$18.00							
<b>2X</b>	\$19.50							
<b>3X</b>	\$22.50							
<b>Youth</b>								
<b>S</b>	\$13.00							
<b>M</b>	\$13.00							
<b>L</b>	\$13.00							
<b>XL</b>	\$13.00							
<b>Totals</b>								
						<b>Blue</b>	<b>White</b>	
					<b>Caps</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>		
							<b>Order Total</b>	

**Make Checks to "The Gator Dugout Club".**

**Mail to: Bob Smithers  
2843 SW 92<sup>nd</sup> Terrace  
Gainesville, FL 32608**