

Security on campus

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There has been an increasing problem of people parking bikes indoors, mostly in the administration and academic buildings on campus, because it could pose as a possible obstruction and hazard if a fire evacuation occurs. Head of security, Stan Jacobsen urges cyclists to park their bikes outside on the bike racks.

If you are wondering why the giant letters of the Porter center seem to be disappearing from time to time, it is because some

unknown trouble makers have been pulling and throwing around the letters. This has been proved to be a annoyance because it makes the porter Center look unkempt, tacky, and uncared for. Fortunately, all but one of the letters have been found, some were discovered in the wetland pond near the Porter Center.

On a lighter note, some new arrow stoplights that direct to the campus entrance by the Sims Art building, have been added to the traffic light poles last Monday (Nov. 14), to improve traffic safety in that intersection. Jacobsen suggested this idea to the department of transportation.

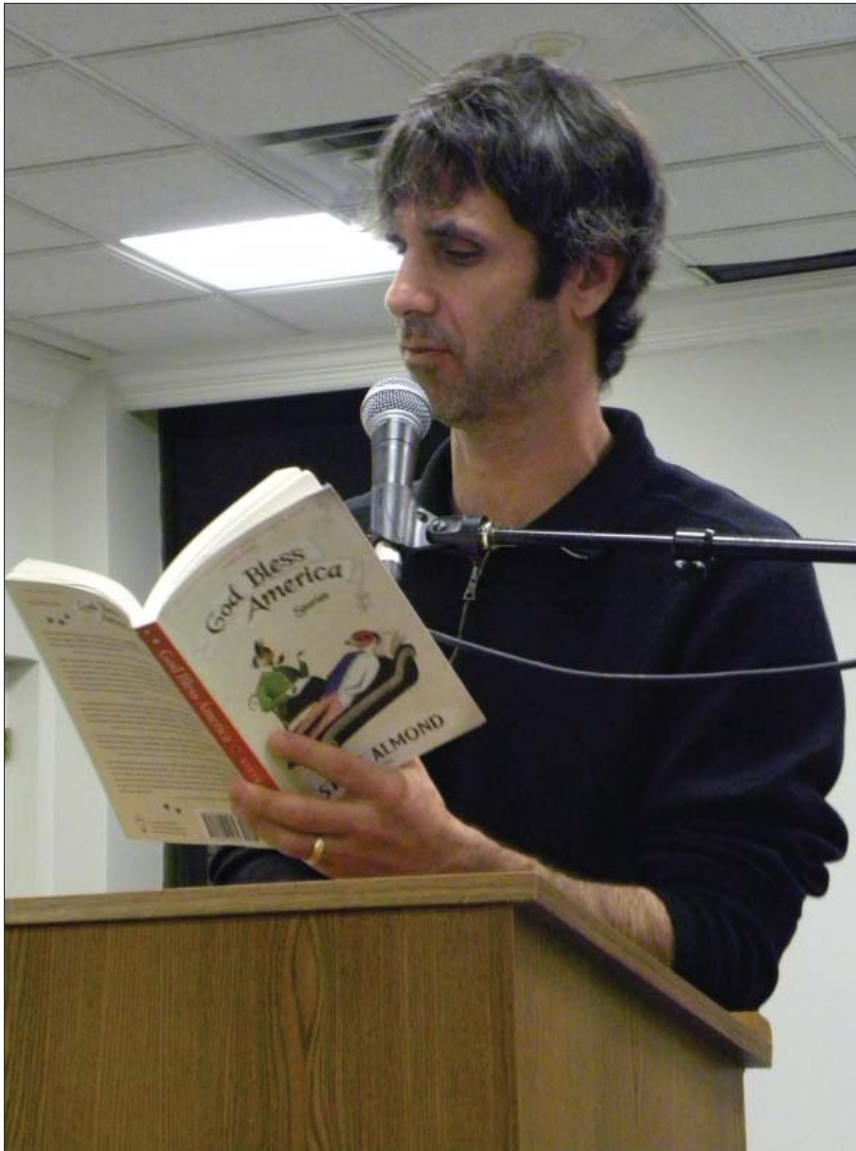


Photo by Thea Dunn

Award-winning author Steve Almond read from his new book "God Bless America" this week at Brevard College.

Poverty

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their everyday work life looked like Kerr talked about the volunteer recruiting process. "For me, recruiting volunteers is to get them involved in what we are doing and making them aware of the need. It truly is my belief that once we get them in and once they have experienced it they gain a different awareness of whats going on."

Collins explained what they do and what he believes their duty is. "We are assisting them on their journey, helping them along the way. Food, shelter, and the access to medicine are the front line of poverty."

There are 11 non profit organizations in the area. Collins said, "If you want to solve a social problem you have to find a solution. Use your resources and come up with creative ways to fundraise. The people make it happen."

Both organizations are always looking for volunteers, they wouldn't run without them. The Haven is holding a orientation and training session tomorrow, Saturday Nov. 19, at 1 p.m.. Once you go through this process you will be able to volunteer your time as much as you can. There are volunteers needed for both overnight shifts along with flexible daytime shifts.

Campus charges dropped in Nov. 5 incident

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Campus charges have been dropped against five students accused of an incident that took place in a residence hall Nov. 5.

Details of the incident have not been made public by campus officials, but Dean of Students Chris Holland confirmed that "at this time, all charges that violated our social code review process have been dropped."

On Monday, temporary suspensions against the five students were lifted following a judicial board hearing, thus allowing them to return to campus and resume classes. Two of the students, however, have left the college.

The Brevard Police Department continue to investigate the incident, but so far, no criminal charges have been filed against anyone involved in the incident.