

# Project educates on shaken babies

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RALEIGH — UNC is partnering with Duke University to take on a \$7 million project to heighten awareness about shaken baby syndrome. The issue is a nationwide concern, as 1,200 to 1,400 babies are treated every year after being shaken.

The new program, announced Tuesday, is the largest one in the country, and it aims to inform parents and caregivers in North Carolina about shaken baby syndrome.

"This is a crime of ignorance and (caregivers) running out of emotional support," said Dr. Desmond Runyan, a UNC professor of social medicine and pediatrics.

Many babies are shaken when they won't stop crying, and parents and caregivers become frustrated.

"It's something a lot of parents do not know about," said Heidi Hennink-Kaminski, a UNC journalism professor who is involved in the campaign.

After her 7-week-old son, Christopher, was shaken by a family member, Jennifer Dickens of Windsor became a spokeswoman for preventing SBS.

Christopher remained in the pediatric intensive care unit for almost two weeks. He now has permanent brain damage.

"Put the baby down in a safe place and walk away," she said. "Realize that crying is a phase. All babies cry. It's their way of communication."

Runyan said babies' brains are not yet solidified, so when a baby is shaken, its brain moves in its skull.

There are about 100 N.C. hospitals where babies are delivered, and now new parents at those hospitals will receive a DVD and 11-page brochure. The materials are part of a five-year awareness campaign.

Part of the \$7 million — which comes from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Doris Duke Charitable Foundation and the Duke Endowment — will go toward these materials that will inform parents and caregivers about how to deal with fussy babies.

Many infants who are shaken end up with hemorrhages behind their eyes and some with bone fractures to their limbs, Runyan said. Twenty-five percent of affected children die, and the rest are severely disabled.

Dangers of SBS include blindness, cerebral palsy and learning disabilities.

"It's the most preventable child abuse," said Robert Murphy, executive director for the Center for Child and Family Health in North Carolina. "Our hope is to capitalize on something that has entered the public discourse."

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# Story lines abound in new sports year

Hey there, sports fans, and welcome back. Glad to provide you with in-class reading material once again.

It's a new year, and a promising one for the sports world. Assuredly, a number of incredible things will occur, ranging from the remarkable to the reprehensible. With an eye turned toward the future, here is a list of predictions for 2008:

■ Jesus holds a press conference and requests that athletes stop thanking him for their accomplishments. "As much as I enjoy sports, I am not responsible for successful Hail Marys or Immaculate Receptions," Mr. Christ says. "Please stop clogging my inbox."

■ Oklahoma State football coach Mike Gundy decides to set a positive example for the press and joins The Oklahoman's staff as a beat writer covering Oklahoma State football. His articles, however, come off a bit stilted.

■ Brothers Eli and Peyton Manning star in a remake of the remake of "The Parent Trap."



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■ New York Knicks' President of Basketball Operations and head coach Isiah Thomas trades three first-round draft picks to the Miami Heat for center Shaquille O'Neal and offers O'Neal a five-year contract extension.

At season's end, O'Neal is recovering from hip replacement surgery, and Thomas is working the night shift as a taxi driver.

■ The Boston Celtics defeat the Phoenix Suns in the NBA Finals, rekindling millions of Americans' hatred for the Celtics.

■ Dennis Rodman becomes the first contestant eliminated on "Dancing with the Stars." Underrated, "The Worm" goes on to win "I Love New York 3" — and marries the show's starlet.

■ The Ottawa Senators defeat

the Detroit Red Wings in the Stanley Cup Finals. More people tune in to a Grey's Anatomy rerun than Game Seven.

■ The North Carolina football team goes 6-6 and wins the Olive Garden Never-Ending Pasta Bowl.

Head coach Butch Davis receives a lifetime contract with \$1,000,000 annual raises.

■ A peculiarly named horse wins the Kentucky Derby (boldest prediction yet).

■ The New England Patriots defeat the Green Bay Packers in the Super Bowl and finish the season with a perfect record. The 1972 Miami Dolphins finally cork their champagne ... but not their mouths.

■ Skoal becomes the official sponsor of NASCAR. NASCAR, in turn, becomes the official sponsor of throat cancer.

■ Minnesota Vikings' star running back Adrian Peterson appears on the cover of Madden NFL 09. In Week 1 of the 2008-2009 season, Peterson suffers a career-ending injury thanks to a horse-collar tackle by the Dallas

Cowboys' Roy Williams. ■ The UNC baseball team reaches the finals in the College World Series for the third consecutive year ... and again loses to Oregon State.

■ After it turns out that Roger Clemens and Barry Bonds never took steroids at all, high school athletes everywhere begin taking B12 shots and flaxseed oil.

■ The Red Sox defeat the Phillies in the World Series, but Philadelphians rejoice for a different reason — their riot completely outclasses Boston's and set a new Series record for arrests.

■ After winning the championships in football, basketball and baseball, Bostonians become quite arrogant. The city of Boston secedes from the Union (and Massachusetts) and founds a new country. Matt Damon and Ben Affleck are elected co-presidents.

Happy New Year. Now pay attention to your professor!

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## PHOTOS

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"The photos in the exhibit include very important historical moments, and also great storytelling pictures of everyday life," Beckman said.

In addition to the photographs, two multimedia exhibits have been set up, which originated as projects by students of the journalism school, Beckman said.

The multimedia exhibits layer photo, audio and video to give the viewer a more robust comprehension of the subject matter.

"(The multimedia presentation) is what many people see as the future of photojournalism or at least a new aspect that's gaining a lot of attention," Matilsky said.

"I think a photograph can move

people in a way that text can't."

Beckman said the six featured photographers were selected from an initial pool of about 20, based on recommendations from a panel of picture editors and directors of photography from around the world.

Far from wallet-sized, the prints in the exhibit are the size of large paintings, with no resolution lost in the process.

"(Ackland is) used by so many disciplines across campus — faculty and students are passing through all the time," Matilsky said.

"It's an opportunity to pause and reflect on the major issues of our times, draw a lot of people in, draw attention. I can't think of anything more relevant."

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## The story so far

**May 2007:** Hillsborough Farmers' Market manager Beverly Blythe disbands a board of directors formed in 2006.

**August 2007:** A group opposed to the existing leadership appears at a county commissioners meeting announcing that it has incorporated as the Hillsborough Farmers' Market and asks the Board of Commissioners for recognition.

Blythe then files a cease and desist suit requesting that the incorporated group not use the name Hillsborough Farmers' Market.

Both groups appear at county commissioners meeting to discuss operating the new market house.

**September 2007:** The new Public Market House, part of an \$11 million expansion of the Justice Facility in Hillsborough, is unveiled.

**October 2007:** County establishes guidelines for the use of the market house.

**December 2007:** After more than 25 hours of mediation, both groups decide to proceed as separate entities.

**January 2008:** The splinter group, consisting of 13 farmers and artisans, officially incorporates as the Farmers of Orange.

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Board Chairman Barry Jacobs said the controversy over control of the market marred the opening of the town's Public Market House, which opened last September.

"I hate what I've heard and seen in the last few months," Jacobs said.

He said that "enough aspersions have been cast over the past months" and that he did not want to use the meeting time for one group to criticize the other.

Blackmon said the county had not done any research to determine whether one group's management was better than the other.

The commissioners will meet again in February to consider the options once again.

"This board never intended to have any operating interest in this facility," Jacobs said. "You have forced us into a position where we have to make a decision."

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Iran geographically, and they're tied to Iran economically. The president is not going to get them to exercise sanctions against Iran. ... It needs to be a diplomatic effort, not a military effort.

"We need to stop the process of nuclear weaponization and stop the Iranian support of Hezbollah and Hamas and other radical groups. Those are our legitimate concerns."

Q: What did you learn about aviation security?

A: "Israel has a unique threat, and they have been very diligent in making (Ben-Gurion) Airport a very secure facility."

"I think Israeli aviation security is more extensive than ours. There are many layers of security. It's less intrusive though — for instance, not everyone has to take off their shoes."

"They engage in profiling to the extent that wouldn't be acceptable in this country."

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Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit [www.sudoku.org.uk](http://www.sudoku.org.uk).

Solution to Tuesday's puzzle

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4	6	1	9	8	5	2	3	7

## To impeach or not?

A Carrboro debate examines whether Bush should be impeached. Go online for story.

## Mom's in jail

A Stone Center lecture focuses on women who are incarcerated but have children. Go online for story.

## Advocating for workers

Student Action with Farmworkers executive director speaks with women voters. Go online for story.

## 'Down goes Frasier'

UNC guard Bobby Frasier is in good spirits after surgery on his ACL. See pg. 1 for story.

## Future of photo

A new Ackland exhibit features work by UNC alumni. See pg. 3 for story.

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