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Steve Goldstein to Speak at the SUACSF Night at Panthers Hockey

This is an "Extra" edition of *Squeezings*. We are adding events left and right this season so it became necessary to publish an additional September newsletter.



On Friday night, October 16, we will be gathering at the BankAtlantic Center to watch the Florida Panthers play the Philadelphia Flyers. And what, you might ask, is the Syracuse connection? After the game Steve Goldstein, the voice of the Pan-

thers and Newhouse grad, will talk to us about his career in sports journalism.

Eric had to buy a block of 20 tickets (parking included) in order to hold the seats. Since we prepaid these seats we are asking everyone who wants to go to this event to e-mail me and send a check to Eric for \$25.00 each just as soon as possible.

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The following paragraphs will give you some idea of Steve's background: Steve Goldstein enters his third season as the team's play-by-play voice on FOX Sports Florida. Prior to being named as the team's television voice, he spent two years calling games as the club's radio play-by-play broadcaster.

Goldstein had served as the team's play-by-play radio announcer for the previous two seasons before moving over to FSN. "Goldie" is a familiar personality to Panthers fans. He is in his 14th year with the team having hosted the Panthers weekly pre- and post-game shows and has lent his voice to WQAM since 1994. Previously, the Brooklyn, NY native worked as a reporter for New York's WFAN and the CBS Radio Network. He hosted CBS Radio's hockey coverage of the 1998 Winter Olympics in Nagano, Japan and worked as a reporter and producer at the 1994 Winter Olympics in Lillehammer, Norway.

A graduate of Syracuse University in 1991, Goldstein holds a degree in broadcast journalism. He and his wife, Dana, reside in Weston, FL, with their sons, Jake and Kyle.

Since the last issue, only two weeks ago, we have added some events. Notice the jazz festival described below. We will be doing some football watching on October 3rd. The team came so close to upsetting Big 10 Minnesota that we may get some much needed wins this season.

Just as soon as the basketball schedule is posted, we will have some dates and times for you. In response to requests from those of us who live in the northern edge of our market area, the first games to be viewed will held in the West Palm Beach environs. Later game parties will be in Boca and Miami. In that way we hope to move closer to you.



Steve Goldstein (left) with Bill Lindsay and Randy Moller
(used with permission from the Florida Panthers)

Adding Riverfront Jazz Festival to the Scheduled Events

Nancy Messing sent me the follow information in an e-mail message:

"The First Sunday of every month brings the Riverfront Jazz Festival to downtown Fort Lauderdale. The time for this is from 11am - 2pm. It is free and open to the public.

People set up their lawn chairs (BYOC), bring food and set up small tables. There are also plenty of food vendors. Watching the yachts go by is always fun, too.

There are about four or five venues, all

next to each other, and some people move around to hear different kinds of music. This is all across from the Children's Museum and runs parallel to Him-marshee Street.

I think this would be a fun time for those interested. What do you think? Nancy"

Well, naturally, I thought this is a great idea. We have scheduled it in for Sunday, November 1, 2009. Here is what we will do. The SUACSF will meet at 10:30 AM. The front steps of the Chil-

dren's Museum is the place. At that time we will decide which sites we will go to as a group and where we might meet later to eat and socialize. This event, like the family picnic in late January, will be both family friendly and very informal.

The first place to look for calendar items is the website's calendar page. As new items, like this and the basketball schedule, will first appear there. If you ever wonder about an address or a time, that is the place to visit.