



2011 *Community Conversations*

Small Group Conversation:

If you were to place one object, that represents Alachua County to you, into a time capsule to be opened in 50 years what would that be and what meaning do you hope it would have in 50 years?

Note: We've already included a newspaper and an almanac

While the County used reasonable efforts to collect audience comments, the following was scribed manually by staff and may not include exact word for word detail.

Community Conversations - July 25, 2011

Object in time Capsule?

- Bottle of Gatorade
- Acorn
- Trim notice
- Bottle of spring water
- Picture of springs
- Gator football ticket stub
- Picture of Tim Tebow
- Bicycle
- Piece of Payne's Prairie
- Headline from Gainesville Sun (date)
- Spanish moss

Community Conversations - July 28, 2011

Object in time Capsule?

- Gopher Tortoise
- County Charter Establishing University of Florida
- Bicycle Memorial Photo
- Vial of Clean Air (2)
- Family Tree of 5 Generations
- Photo of Family (2)
- Vial of Clean Spring Water / Poe Springs Water (5)
- Record of Conservation Areas
- Flag from Veterans Memorial
- Representation of University of Florida / Gator Emblem (4)
- Photo of Shands
- Record of Green Space and not Green Space
- Live Gator
- 5th Grade Safety Patrol
- Bicycle
- Language Translator
- Image of Springs
- Green Space (Grass)
- Fossil
- Solar Panel
- Photo Essay on Environment

Community Conversations - July 28, 2011 (continued)

Object in time Capsule?

- Gainesville Innovation Logo
- Laptop
- Fresh Fruits and Vegetables
- Football
- Violin
- 5 University of Florida National Championship Trophies
- 300 Yr. Old Live Oak
- Eradication of Confederate Symbol
- Eradication of Homelessness

Community Conversations - July 30, 2011

Object in time Capsule?

- Post Cards (Springs, Parks, Community things)
- Property Tax Bill
- Picture of the Hippodrome
- Picture of Joe's Deli
- Program from the Hippodrome
- Something that symbolizes innovation Gainesville
- Gator Football
- Water Board
- Ordinance of Alachua County Forever
- Map of Lands Purchased through the ACF program
- Picture of Paynes Prairie
- Football Championship Ring
- Jar of Jam
- Acorn(2)
- Bicycle
- Awards by the County and Cities
- Picture of open Pastures
- Picture of UF Campus
- Plans for the Biomass Plant
- Picture of Albert and Alberta
- Picture of Cypress tree, Spanish Moss and a Live Oak

Community Conversations - August 1, 2011

Object in time Capsule?

- Real large oak tree
- Acorn
- Vial of spring water
- Bottle of Gatorade
- Pictures of downtown
- Picture of stadium
- Football national championship ring
- Football
- Map of Alachua County

Community Conversations - August 15, 2011

Object in time Capsule?

- Property Tax Bill
- Brochure from the Florida Museum of Natural History
- Brochure from the Harn Park Gallery
- Red Tail Hawk Feather
- Ben Hill Griffin Stadium
- Spanish Moss
- Live Oak Tree(2)
- UF Seal
- Spring Water
- Prairie Bison
- Acorn(2)
- Alligator
- John Morgan photo of Alligator in Lake Alice
- Photos
- CD on Gold Disk of every event in Alachua County for one year