

FSU softball team takes first

GAINESVILLE — The FSU softball team took first place in the Lady Gator Invitational Saturday by winning three of four games.

The Lady Seminoles beat FAMU 11-0 in the quarter-finals and then slipped past UF 3-0 in the semifinals. In the championship, FSU lost the first game to the Lady Gators 4-3 and then beat UF 5-2. In the final game, Cathy Gooding was 3-3, Charlotte Cates was 2-3 with a triple and 2 RBIs and Venus Ross was 2-3. Stacey Saunier, 7-1, was the winning pitcher.

Lady Seminoles Darby Cottle, Cates and Jan Sykes were named to the all-tournament team. FSU, 7-1, will play Wednesday at home against Lake City Community College at 4 p.m.