How NOT to fill a whirlpool— Students performing opening duties in the AT room placed the hose in the hot whirlpool to top it off. In the spirit of multitasking, these students proceeded to complete other opening duties while leaving the whirlpool unattended. Some time later, a staff AT noticed that the whirlpool was overflowing. Needless to say, the students learned how to quickly drain the whirlpool.

Other issues developed as a result of this incident. Water was unable to circulate properly through the filter, resulting in a swamp-like appearance in the whirlpool. The heater shut off and the temperature of the hot whirlpool fell to 89°F.

The moral of the story is...do not leave filling whirlpools unattended.

- K Riddle
Entry-Level ATS Spotlight: Danny Garcia

Her coach tripped over her ankle and she ended up in the care of an athletic trainer and she knew then and there that she wanted to follow that career!

At FIU her favorite site has been Coral Springs Christian Academy, where she loves to work with football, “I get great experience there!” she claims.

ACI/CI Spotlight: Tony Millian

Sonya Abadeer

Sonya is a second-year graduate student in the ATEP program. She received her undergraduate degree from the University of Wisconsin, Stevens-point.

Sonya knew she wanted to become an athletic trainer way before her college years. During a basketball game in 7th grade her coach tripped over her ankle and she ended up in the care of an athletic trainer and she knew then and there that she wanted to follow that career!

At FIU her favorite site has been Coral Springs Christian Academy, where she loves to work with football, “I get great experience there!” she claims.

Eventually, Sonya plans on opening up her own inspirational work-out center where she can help bring people closer to God through the use of exercise.

She feels that being able to use the talents and knowledge that God has given her to help others achieve their goals is her biggest accomplishment.

Running with Scissors
Thank you to Lindsey Eberman for her efforts as ATSO Director of Public Relations. Due to her responsibilities as a doctoral student, she will no longer be able to participate as a board member.

Please remember to RSVP for the End-of-the-Year Banquet, which will be held May 3, 2008. You should have received an e-vite with the details. The deadline to RSVP will be the April ATSO meeting.

We are awaiting nominations for “Funny” awards, ACI of the Year, as well as nominations for ATSO officer positions for next year. All positions are open for nomination. Please email “Funny” award nominations to Kerri at kmarie920@yahoo.com and all other nominations to fiu.atso@gmail.com.

Our High School Workshop was a success! We had approximately 120 students. We would like to thank Frank Millan, Cyndi Ristori, Rodrigo Martinez, Kerri Houck, Laura Zona, Robinson Henry, Carlos Savinon, Jennifer Doherty-Restrepo, Kari Riddle, David Ahouse, and Natsuko Sato for their participation.

Next ATSO Meeting: April 16, 2008 in GPA 112 at 11am.

**ATEP Dates to Remember**

**Entry-Level ATEP**

**April 7:** Open Advising for summer registration (1pm—2pm, PA 112)

**April 9:** Mandatory ATEP Meeting (11am—12pm, PA 112)

**April 18:** Class of 2009 Advising for Fall/Spring registration (9am—9:30am, PA 112)

**April 18:** Class of 2010 Advising for Fall/Spring registration (9:30am—11am, PA 112)

**April 18:** Incoming class Advising for Fall/Spring registration (11am—12pm, PA 112)

**General Information**

**April 3-16:** Summer registration (degree seeking students only) by appointment

**April 17-May 2:** Open registration (degree seeking students) by web and kiosk

**April 17:** Classes end

**April 18-19:** Exam study days

**April 21-26:** Official exam period

**April 29:** Commencement for the College of Nursing and Health Sciences, 10am

**May 3:** End-of-the-Year Banquet. Come celebrate with us!

**Special Notes**

In April will be celebrating the accomplishments of the Class of 2008, our first graduating class from the CAATE accredited Entry-Level ATEP. Please be sure to congratulate Farah Hernandez, Rodrigo Martinez, Frank Millan, Dawn Selvidge, and Cara Vreeeland.

Frank Millan will be taking the BOC exam this month. Good luck Frank!

Congratulations to Dawn Selvidge for receiving a job offer from North Miami Beach High School.

- J. Doherty-Restrepo