#### Nanoscale Research Facility Weekly Update - July 15



## **Are You Hurricane Ready?**

Hurricane season officially began June 1st, but historically it is July - September where we see the frequency of storms really rise. The NRF wants to remind you all that when UF announces a hurricane closure, the NRF will also be closed! Depending on the anticipated severity and path of the storm the NRF staff may need to bring some tools offline ahead of the closure. Please be patient during the day/hours leading up to a storm closure, and in the early hours after reopening as some tools may need to be checked or tested before they can be placed back online.

We also want to remind you all to prep your workspace and homes for storms as well. Know where the safest interior locations are to shelter in place if needed, and be prepared with a few days to a weeks worth of food and water. Got pets? Don't forget about them, keep extra food and water on hand for your pets during storm season too! A go bag, or a 3 day supply of necessities in an easily transported container is always a good idea. If told to evacuate, do not delay.

Never run a generator in your garage, near windows, or indoors!



### **Upcoming NRF Events:**

- Game Night NRF 115 Thursday July 17th at 5pm Please <u>RSVP</u>
- UAC Meeting NRF 115 and **ZOOM** Thursday July 24th at Noon.

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- <u>Ongoing:</u> Do you feel like you need some practice time on a tool before you start paying to use it? <u>Email us</u> and ask about scheduling a subsidized extended training practice session.
- <u>Ongoing</u>: New publication? Data collected at the NRF? <u>Click to tell us!</u>
  Still writing? Check out our new easy acknowledgement <u>templates</u>.
- <u>Ongoing:</u> Submit Photos for the Annual Nano Day Image Contest: It's very early but you can submit your image for the 2025 Contest <u>HERE</u>

# **Safety Side Note:**

Warning to all After Hours Users - The safety crackdown is in full force. All AHA users agree to use the e-buddy system and follow all safety protocol before the access is granted. Any user who is unable to adhere to all the protocol will (after an initial warning) have their extended access revoked.



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