Depending who goes, skiers may also enjoy themselves on the lake, which offers a variety of activities, including preparing the boat, cruising barefoot, slalom, and trick-skiing.

It is not uncommon for members of the club to plan their own outdoor activities, including canoeing, swimming (at the man-made lake), and sailing. Although there are roads throughout the park, there are miles of well-marked and paved bicycle paths away from the roads.

The stated goal of the Waterski Club is to give students the opportunity to experience waterskiing and to have fun while learning from its members’ expertise. For more information on the Waterski Club, visit their website: http://cyberbuzz.gatech.edu/waterski. An outdated link to the club’s website has also been provided.

MARTA—worrying, watching you

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Regardless of their reasons for being there, MARTA weirdos are funny. That’s right, they’re downright amusing and can make an otherwise dull trip bearable or even fun. If you are armed with the right attitude, even the strangest of strangers can be brighten your day.

“MARTA weirdos exist as well. Some of them just sit and stare at people. Others are not too concerned with hiding the paper bag wrapped around their favorite 40-ounce and will sometimes oﬀer it to everyone nearby. Some are just content to sit and comment on the hallucinations following the next weirdo that happens to be there.”

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Regardless of their reasons for being there, MARTA weirdos excel in their own ways. The most common weirdo is the one who seems to be shuttling a never-ending load of luggage from the airport at 5 a.m. or maybe it was 7. All I know is that I hadn’t slept in almost 24 hours, had just come from the other end of the country, and she wouldn’t shut up.”

The club owns two boats, a 1989 Ski Centurion Falcon at Lake Lanier and a 1998 MasterCraft ProStar 205 at Lake Allatoona. Currently, the Ski Centurion Falcon at Lake Lanier is being refurbished.

“Right now, the sign-up board is being refurbished.” The stated goal of the Waterski Club is to give students the opportunity to experience waterskiing and the club’s equipment and to have fun while learning from its members’ expertise.
The Women’s Resource Center on the second floor of the Student Services Building offers counseling to help victims of sexual assault.

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“All the services are provided on campus, but we want to be very respectful of what [the victims] want to do. It’s ultimately their choice,” said Rome Lester, a counselor at the Counseling Center.

The Sexual Assault Task Force was founded approximately five years ago in response to a rape experience. The GTPD, Women’s Resource Center, Dean of Students, Wellness Center, Counseling Center and students.

The Task Force helps with preventative measures as well as responses to incidents. Education has been found to be the best method of preventing sexual assault.

If you do become a victim of sexual assault, the following recommendations from police may prove to be useful:

• Don’t bathe or wash yourself, much vital evidence can be lost by doing so.
• Save your clothing. Changing clothes is fine and may help you feel better, but save what you were wearing as it can be used as evidence if you decide to prosecute.
• Seek medical attention immediately. A medical examination will help to reveal & treat any internal or external injuries as well as STDs or pregnancy. The examination records can also be used as evidence if you decide to prosecute.

The Grady Rape Crisis Center is the recommended organization to administer immediate medical attention. Their completely confidential 24 hour telephone number is (404) 616-4861.

• Report it to the police. Reporting a rape is not the same thing as prosecuting a rape. Both are up to you, and you can always choose whether to prosecute or not later.

The Georgia Tech Police Department can be reached at (404) 894-2500 all day, every day. Your identity will always be protected to the fullest extent of the law. Free counseling can be obtained through the Counseling Center for victims and alleged offenders.

Call (404) 894-2575, M-F, 8 am to 5 p.m. with emergency consultation available any other time.

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those of you who like a little luxury to make up for the deadly mosquitoes, find a cabin in north Georgia or Tennessee.

Drive up Saturday morning and raft the Ocoee River, site of the 1996 Olympic kayaking and slalom canoe events. In the evening, curl up in front of the fireplace or slip into the hot tub. On Sunday, either head back to Atlanta to do your homework, or go hiking.

North Georgian waterfalls are also popular destinations. Cloudland Canyon in northwest Georgia is home to two falls. The elevation in the gorge elevation differs from 800 to 1,980 feet, and the climb back up is difficult.

For those craving water, Savannah and the Tybee Island beaches are only four hours away, while White Water and the Lake Lanier are five to seven hours away. The Okefenokee is also around.