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## Dole dominates South

by Brent Dirks

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Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., swept both Lubbock County and Texas "Super Tuesday" night.

With 30 percent of the precincts reporting in Texas, Bob Dole was leading with 232,248 votes or 55 percent, Pat Buchanan was second with 91,139 votes or 22 percent and Steve Forbes was third with 49,875 votes or 12 percent of the vote.

Dan Burns, Texas Tech College Republicans adviser, said Dole won in Texas because voters knew more about his message.

"During the earlier primaries nobody knew the candidates and what they stood for," Burns said.

"But now it is much more clear what the candidates stand for, and a large number of people like what Dole stands for."

Dole's margin of victory in Lubbock County and Texas is a possible reflection of how he could do in the November general election against President Bill Clinton.

"The media are painting Dole as a non-charismatic person who is too old to run for president," he said.

"Once his record gets out, he'll be much stronger and can beat Clinton, but he must communicate his message better."

Buchanan and Forbes probably will not drop out even after Dole's "Super Tuesday" sweep, Burns said.

"They won't because their egos are part of it," he said.

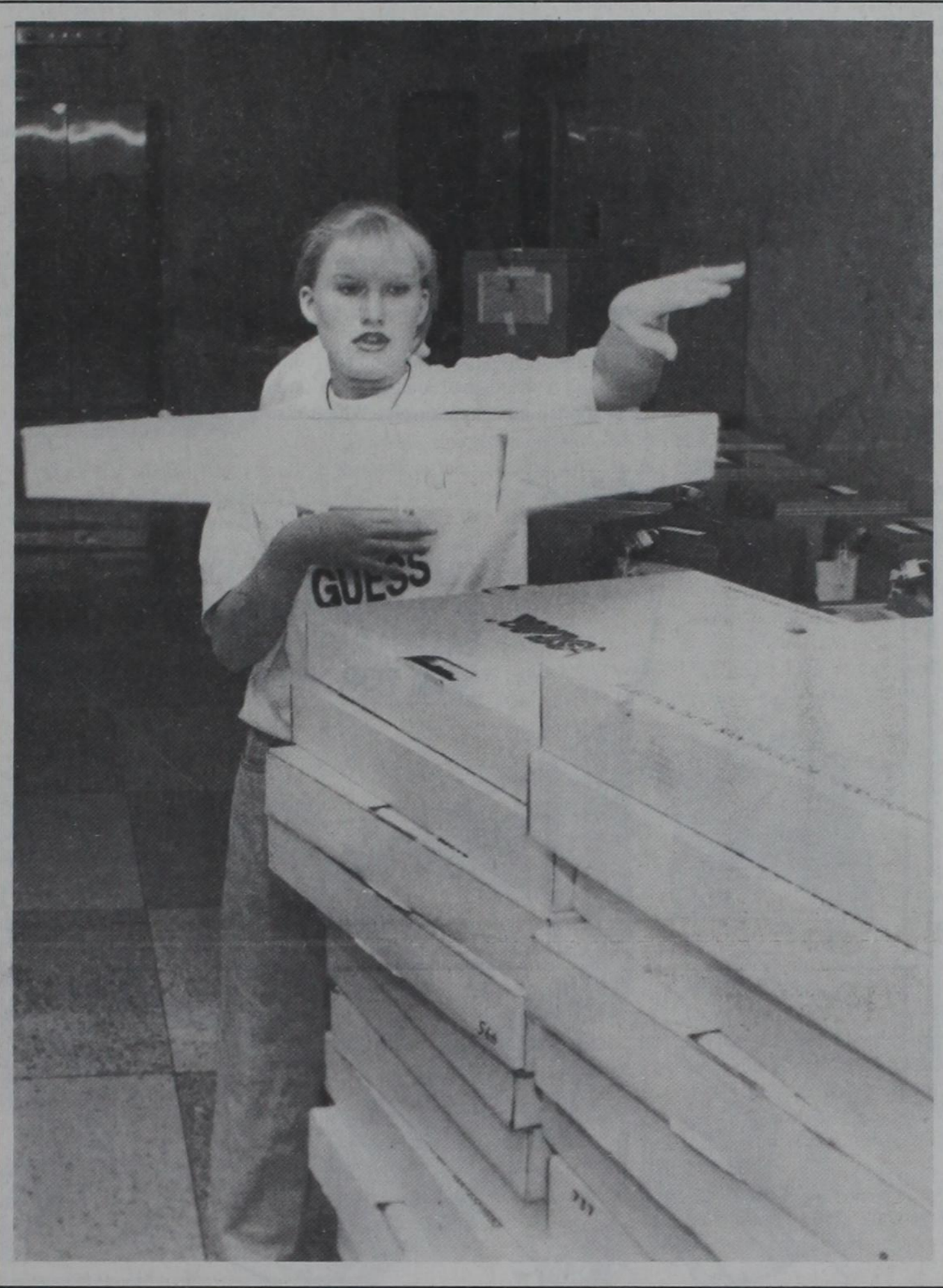
"Buchanan is not running for the nomination any more, but he is out crusading for his beliefs."

Both Forbes and Buchanan will probably stay in the race until the March 28 California Republican primary, Burns said.

Scott Mann, Lubbock County Republican chairman, said Dole's victory can be attributed to people trying to unite behind one candidate in the Republican race.

"Bob Dole was the candidate that people are uniting behind," Mann said.

Dole's large margin of victory definitely shows Dole can win the



**Political fly-by:** Fourteen-year-old Heather Davis, a student at Lubbock's O.L. Slaton Junior High, is collecting portable voting booths during the chaos at the Lubbock County Courthouse before the results of Super Tuesday's elections are announced. Davis is a volunteer for the Lubbock Democratic party.

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general election, he said.

Michael Turner, president of the Tech University Democrats, said Dole won in Lubbock County because most Republicans have a tendency to jump

on the bandwagon of the candidate leading in the primary.

In the rest of the state Dole appealed to both ends of the Republican spectrum, Turner said.

"If Pat Buchanan would have won the party nomination, the Republican Party would have lost the momentum that they gained a couple of years ago," he said.

## Run-off elections occur frequently

by Laura Hipp

The University Daily

Texas Tech Student Association presidential candidate Amy Love traveled door-to-door speaking to students in the Tech residence halls during her 1987 campaign.

The simple method of grassroots campaigning won Love the run-off elections.

"Amy won with the dorm vote and the female vote," said Tom McMurray, one of Love's opponents. "Andy and I split the Greek vote."

McMurray was a senator-at-large when he ran for SA president. He did not make it to the run-off election, but he helped his opponent, Andy Fickman, in the runoff against Love.

"I aligned with Andy because he said he would appoint me to the Tech athletic council," said McMurray, now an Austin attorney.

In the past 10 years, there have been six presidential run-off elections at Tech. Every candidate who won the runoff was ahead in the original election.

Today the tradition will continue for the seventh time, with the runoff between SA presidential candidates Matt Freeman and Geoff Wayne.

Freeman, a senior political science major from Lubbock and current SA internal vice president, received 46 percent of the vote last Wednesday. Wayne, a senior accounting major from Lubbock and senator-at-large, received 42 percent.

Freeman said he encourages students to vote in the run-off election and send the newly elected senators effective leadership.

"It is important for students to take the runoff seriously, because the SA president sets the tone for the entire student government," he said. "Good ideas are just ideas without the ability to see them through."

Wayne said he thinks the high voter turnout showed that students are becoming more interested in the SA.

"Students have really shown by this that they are ready for a change in student government at Tech," he said. "They are interested in the issue of bringing the SA back to the students."

Wayne said students have broadened their awareness and he expects

### PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION VOTER TURNOUT

	election	runoff
1996	3,506	unknown
1990	2,654	1,570
1988	unknown	1,684
1987	2,922	2,133

Source: Texas Tech Student Association

another good turnout in today's election.

"More than two candidates in a race usually results in a runoff," said Dan Burns, assistant director of the University Center and election coordinator. Sometimes the third candidate is a write-in or a vote of none of the above.

Runoffs are a tense time, said Jamey Laney, a 1990 candidate for SA president and attorney for McWhorter, Cobb and Johnson in Lubbock.

Laney and her opponent Ross Crabtree had been involved in the SA for several years, Laney said.

Laney lost the election in the runoff with 47 percent of the vote. Crabtree received 52 percent.

The candidates campaigned by talking to student organizations, passing out fliers, name tags and posters, she said. Things were said during the campaign that were not appropriate.

"In the election you are trying to convince people to vote for you," she said. "You work harder in a runoff to convince people to vote."

Students do not realize the power of the senate, she said. The administration goes to the senate to learn how the student body feels on an issue.

In 1988, Shayne Woodard and Scott Collen were involved in SA presidential run-off elections. Woodard won the runoff with 71 percent of the vote.

"We wondered how we would get the word out because the runoff was on the Wednesday after spring break," said Woodard, now chief of staff for the Texas Railroad Commission.

Woodard said he used stickers along with fliers and posters to make his name known.

"My opposition psyched me out by saying he got the vote out," he said. "I went home and thought 'If I lose, I lose, if I win, I win.'"

## World leaders converge in Egypt to initiate anti-terrorism summit

SHARM EL-SHEIK, Egypt (AP) — World leaders came to this Egyptian resort, begun by Israel during its occupation of the Sinai peninsula, for an anti-terrorism summit that President Clinton said Tuesday would find "ways to combat those who seek to kill peace with violence."

The conference Wednesday is intended to spark new momentum for peace in the region after suicide-bombings in Israel over the past three weeks left 62 people dead.

Yet problems that have fostered violence seemed likely to haunt the meeting.

The three-hour forum includes leaders from 11 Arab nations and Israel, Russian President Boris Yeltsin, President Jacques Chirac of France and British Prime Minister John Major, all hastily assembled by the Clinton administration to underscore its commitment in the Mideast.

Clinton said before leaving the White House that "the will of the people for peace is clearly greater than the forces of division."

"This summit of the peacemakers can be an important step in the process for peace in the Middle East."

The leaders attending the summit are determined to come up with "ways

to combat those who seek to kill peace with violence," Clinton said.

After the summit, Clinton said, he will travel to Israel "to stand with the people there in their time of grief."

"In this time of difficulty, in the battle against terror and the struggle for peace, Israel is not alone," he said.

Syria and Lebanon chose not to come.

Syria, accused of fostering terrorists, said it won't attend because the meeting is merely "propaganda."

Aboard Air Force One with Jordan's King Hussein, Clinton said he wished Syria were represented at the meeting.

"But I believe that in terms of continuing the peace process and keeping commitments, that President Assad will do that," he said. "And that is something very important."

Clinton said he hoped the summit would produce "a strong, united stand for keeping the peace process going and standing against the terror."

Differences in Israeli and Arab hopes for Wednesday's meeting arose even as workmen were painting the slogan "Summit of the Peacemakers" in Arabic and English on the conference headquarters.

## General Lee whistlin' Dixie in Lubbock

by Brian Lacy

The University Daily

Even though the South never rose again, General Lee has returned — only as a relic from a TV show long since canceled.

The General Lee, as it was called on the popular late '70s-early-'80s television program "The Dukes of Hazzard" now cruises through Lubbock.

Authentic down to its Dixie-sounding horn, orange glossy paint, 01 on its doors and Confederate Flag painted on top, the most notable differences are the car's driver and passengers.

Whereas the show featured the escapades of Bo and Luke Duke, whose sole existence seemed to foil the plans of crooked politician Boss Hogg and the inept Sheriff Roscoe P. Coltrane, current owner Ryan Allen's approach is a bit different.

In fact, Allen, a sophomore architecture major from Sherman, said though the Dukes could count on the General Lee to get them out of a tight squeeze by hitting a dip just right and soaring majestically



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**Back in Dixie:** Ryan Allen, a sophomore architecture major from Sherman, said he owns one of the original General Lee's driven in the ever popular television show "The Dukes of Hazzard."

over a creek bed, the Lee isn't quite so reliable now.

"I don't really take the Lee on dates with me," he said. "It just isn't that dependable. But my friends and I do take it for joyrides around the town."

One friend is John Schmutz, who

said he often goes along for joyrides in the General Lee.

"The car has a lot of character to it, and people always recognize Ryan as the 'General Lee guy,'" said Schmutz, a sophomore architecture major from San Antonio.

"It's a great car to cruise in because the car has a pretty strong motor."

Just like in the show, the General Lee goes fast and takes corners well, Allen said.

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**Vote today in the SA presidential runoff at campus locations.**

**Editorial**

*Freeman deserves SA president position*

Everything comes down to today. The Student Association presidential runoff is scheduled today, and students should make one more, concentrated effort to make it to the polls and vote for their candidate of choice. The choice left to make is between Matt Freeman, a senior political science major from Lubbock and current SA internal vice president, and Geoff Wayne, a senior accounting major from Lubbock and current senator-at-large. The UD editorial board would like to reiterate its own endorsement made last week for the regularly scheduled SA elections. The UD voted in support of Matt Freeman — the most qualified candidate for the position. SA accountability has been a major issue in this year's SA election campaigns, and Freeman admits he strayed from platform promises he made while running for internal vice president last year. However, Freeman recognizes the need for change within Tech's student government and will do more than reflect the Tech administration's opinion. Freeman is no "go-to boy" — he knows the make-up of the Tech campus and recognizes the importance of non-traditional, minority and average students. He represents no special interest groups and will make headway in expanding on the "Freshman Experience," improve senator communication and accountability, and help ease the transition into a new athletic and academic era. Freeman has the experience. He has intimate knowledge of the Student Senate, serving as a senator, Budget and Finance Committee coordinator and senate president. With dedicated executive officers, Freeman will get the job done. The other candidate, Geoff Wayne, does not have the level of experience that Freeman has to lead Tech's student government. He's served on the Student Senate, Freshman Council and a coordinator for the senate Budget and Finance Committee, but he lacks communication with all Tech students. Wayne has taken it upon himself to pass legislation within the Student Senate before gathering the opinion of his constituents. He did not gather the support of all Tech students before pursuing the condemnation of Tech's student publications department and attempting to investigate University Center Programs. How will a president who takes it upon himself to further his own bias and opinions effectively lead the Tech SA? Freeman is not out of touch with the Tech campus. Make your choice today. Make your choice Matt Freeman. The UD editorial board voted 7-0 again in support of this candidate.

**?? Readers Ask ??**

**Readers Ask** is a column printed in *The UD* every other week to answer students' questions about health or personal safety issues. Drop boxes are set up in the University Center, West Hall and the Student Recreation Center for questions. Not all questions may be answered, but most topics will be addressed. All questions are answered by Jo Hutcheron, student health education coordinator at Thompson Hall.

**Q:** Last weekend my roommate came home stinking drunk in the middle of the night. I tried to sober him up with coffee and then I dumped his butt in the shower but it didn't do any good. What sobers people up fast?  
**A:** Only time can sober up a person. The liver "burns up" or oxidizes alcohol at the rate of about one drink per hour. The more alcohol in the body, the longer it takes to sober up.  
**Q:** What kinds of things (symptoms) should I come to the Student Health Services for? Basically, what do y'all treat? A brochure would be nice to have.  
**A:** Well, first of all you can get our nifty red, black and white brochure from the brochure racks in West Hall, that tells all about services: the University Center, Rec Sports and, of course, at Student Health.

If you are sick but do not believe it to be an "emergency" situation, call for an appointment, and we will do our best to see you the same day you call. If our appointments are filled for the day that you call, we do have medical personnel that can talk to you over the phone to determine whether we need to see you on an urgent care basis, and they can advise you on how to help alleviate your symptoms that are of an emergency nature. But in dire emergencies, don't call student health services, call an ambulance because we are not set up to treat emergencies. If you are here at student health and have an emergency, we will do our best to take care of you until the ambulance arrives. After all, we're just a phone call away from your question. If you're sick, call and ask if we can help you.  
**Q:** My eyelid has been twitching for the past week and it's driving me crazy! What causes this to happen and how can I get it to stop?  
**A:** Actually it's normal and nothing to be alarmed about. It is caused from either an irritated nerve or muscle spasm. You can't control it and it should disappear in a few days or weeks.  
**Q:** What can I do to feel safe on this campus? I heard that someone got kidnapped out in the parking lot. What

are we supposed to do to be safe after dark on campus?  
**A:** Unfortunately, life holds no guarantees that if you follow all the rules everything will be fine. You still can and must do everything possible toward safe behavior. Planning for what you would do in that situation is certainly better than no planning at all. Here's safety tips for students and this comes from a publication that was produced and published by the division of student affairs department here at Texas Tech. Safety tips while walking:  
•When possible, avoid walking alone. Walk with someone or walk in areas where other people are near.  
•Stay in well lighted areas, away from alleys, bushes and entry ways.  
•Avoid shortcuts through campus, parks, vacant lots and other deserted places.  
•Walk with confidence — show that you're aware and in control. Body language works.  
•If a driver stops to ask you directions, avoid getting near the car.  
•If you are being followed, go to the nearest public place for help.  
•If you are harassed by the occupants of a car, simply turn and walk the other direction. The driver will have to turn around to follow you.  
•Trust your instincts. If something or

someone makes you uneasy get away.  
•Hold your purse close, not dangling and avoid carrying extra money or valuables on your person.  
•Out late studying? Call a friend or the campus shuttle system after dark when you're ready to leave so you don't walk alone.  
•When you return home or get to your car, have your door key ready so that you can enter without delay.  
•Make sure a roommate or friend knows your routines. Tell someone if you are going to be late or are going out.  
**Q:** I'm getting a lot of nose bleeds lately? What's in the air that is making this happen and what do I do to get rid of them?  
**A:** Nose bleeds can be caused by a number of things. Do you have high blood pressure or have you had an injury to your nose lately? Since we haven't seen rain in forever, many nose bleeds are being caused by the dry weather. We keep our homes and cars so warm that the nasal passages dry out. If that is the case, the best way to treat is to use a cool mist humidifier at home and you can lubricate your nostrils with Vaseline or Carmex. Just remember, don't put too much oil-based lubricant too far in the back in your nose or it can get in your lungs and coat them and that's bad.

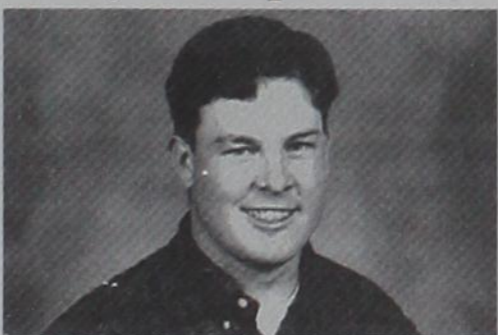


**Student leaders endorse Wayne as president**



**CURT BOURNE**

*UD guest columnist*



**JUDSON CLARK**

*UD guest columnist*

While there have been many endorsements over the past few weeks, we, the undersigned, feel this one is worth taking a look at. Geoff Wayne did not receive *The UD* endorsement, but if representing the concerns of students offends *The UD* editorial board, so be it.

All-American linebacker, Zach Thomas, has exemplified what it means to be a Red Raider for the past four years. He endorses Geoff Wayne as SA president to ensure Tech continues to excel as we move into the Big 12.

Clint Bryant, All-American third baseman, turned down an offer to play pro-baseball to spend his final year playing for Tech. Geoff Wayne also has put a hold on a lucrative job offer to stay at Tech and serve the students as their president. When it comes to serving Texas Tech, Clint Bryant knows what it takes, and he knows Geoff Wayne is the best candidate.

We the undersigned have weighed the options in choosing the next SA president. While we don't have the opportunity to work together on many things, we do have two things in common. First, we all work for the good of Texas Tech and strive to make it a better place for everyone. Second, we all feel that Geoff Wayne is the best candidate for Student Association president.

**Field Scovell**  
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Curt Bourne

**Yanci Yarborough**  
Clint Bryant

**MAILBAG**

**Greek students do not handle SA elections well**

**To the editor:** To start off, I am embarrassed by the actions of the student body and the Greek system overall in regards to the Student Association elections. We (as Greeks) present ourselves as leaders and influential individuals on this campus. We need to act like it. People need to realize this is not a battle between two different organizations. It doesn't matter which organization supports a certain candidate for SA president. You do not vote as a group. Every person on this campus will personally fill out a ballot and bubble in the circle for the candidate they want as the next SA president. The race should be based on proven facts.

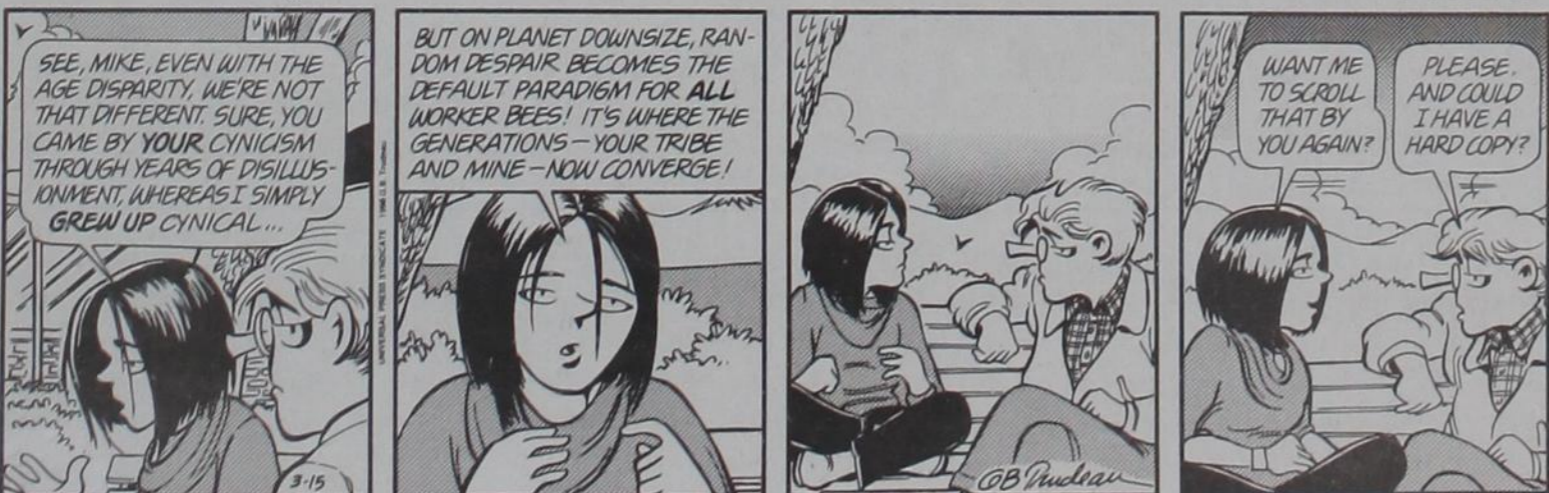
Since the runoff was announced last Thursday, I have heard and seen a

lot of mud. Everyone of us, as students, need to make sure before we stand in front of a group of individuals and make statements, especially negative ones, we know our facts and I mean first-hand knowledge. We need to get to the basics and speak positively about the candidate we are personally endorsing. Nothing is accomplished through slandering each other and believe me I think it is going both ways. When there is this much competition involved and extensive amounts of testosterone flowing negative comments are going to be made, that is human nature! But, as a student body we need to be mature enough to overlook the small petty name calling and understand the facts. This election should not be based on lies and empty promises. We need to vote for the candidate who is dedicated, hard working and loves Texas Tech University

in many different ways. I believe Geoff Wayne is the person for this position. He has proven himself by everything he has accomplished in the past four years. He has been extremely involved at Texas Tech while maintaining a 3.8 GPA. in accounting. I think his involvement at Tech, his academic excellence and his proven dedication to be a hard worker proves he is an outstanding candidate for SA president. Before you listen to all the mud and dirt that is being thrown, think about what is said and ask yourself if it even sounds realistic. First, are the promises attainable, does the individual actually have control over the issue and have they followed through on their promises in the past. I think if we all do that the best candidate will win, and I believe it should be Geoff Wayne!  
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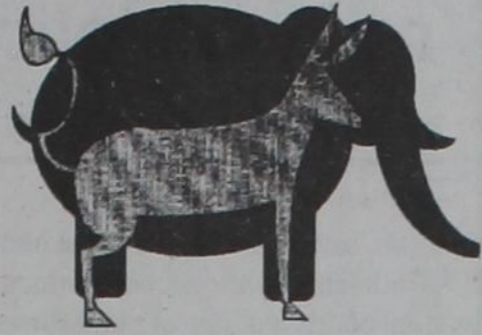
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# Democratic run-off winner to face Gramm

■ *Morales leader in Dem's primary*

by Chris Parry

The University Daily



Texas residents will have to wait for a run-off election to determine who will oppose Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, in the race for the 1996 U.S. Senate seat.

In the Democratic primary, a run-off between candidates Victor Morales, John Bryant and Jim Chapman is a probable outcome. Morales, the pick-up truck campaigner from Mesquite, turned out to be a dark horse in the election, *The Associated Press* reported.

After 69 percent of the state polls had been calculated, Morales led with 36 percent of the vote. Both Bryant and Chapman trail Morales, a former teacher from Mesquite, by 7 percent of the vote.

Competitor John Will Odam conceded to Morales an hour and a half

after the polls closed, amassing 6 percent of the vote.

Tech student Jeff Blackwell, a sophomore business marketing major from Mesquite, and a former student of Morales', said the results were unexpected.

"I'm surprised, I didn't realize that he had so much support," Blackwell said.

One of the two trailing candidates, Chapman or Bryant, will participate in the run-off against Morales.

Lubbock County Chair of the Democratic Party Mark Harmon said regardless of the candidate chosen, Morales will overcome Gramm.

"Any of the four could beat Phil

## Senate primaries

Incumbent Phil Gramm won the Republican primary with 84.7 percent of the vote.

A run-off in the Democratic primary is likely between Victor Morales, John Bryant and Jim Chapman.

Gramm, it's just a matter of how you do it," Harmon said. "I think you have to stress what Gramm has been up to. You have to attack Gramm on both his votes and his constituent service."

Gramm's withdrawal from the presidential race did not seem to sway Lubbock residents from making him their uncontested choice in the Republican primary.

Gramm was declared the winner after receiving 84.7 percent of the statewide vote after 36.6 percent of the votes had been tallied.

Lubbock County Republican Chairman Scott Mann said Gramm is the right man for the job.

"Phil Gramm is a tremendous proponent of Republican values," Mann said. "He is unquestionably the only person that is qualified. He's one of the most effective senators we've had."

In Lubbock, after 24 percent of the Republican votes had been counted, Gramm led with 78.86 percent of the vote.

In the Lubbock Democratic race after 81 percent of the polls were turned in, Morales held a large lead over second-place candidate Chapman. Morales garnered 49.2 percent while Chapman had 27.3 percent of the Lubbock vote.

Blackwell said Morales' open mind will help him in the run-off election.

"He is very liberal in his views," Blackwell said. "Yet he is very understanding toward other people's views."

# Keesee keeps sheriff's office with fifth win in county race

by Arni Sribhen

The University Daily

By more than a 2-1 margin, Lubbock County Republicans selected incumbent Sheriff D. L. "Sonny" Keesee to represent them on the November ballot.

With 63 percent of the precincts reporting, Keesee, who has been the Lubbock County sheriff for 15 years, had 63.5 percent of the votes to outdistance his three challengers.

"This is my fifth race, and I'm a great supporter of Yogi Berra," Keesee said. "He said, 'It ain't over 'til the fat lady sings.' I'm grateful and feel good about tonight, but I'll feel a lot better when all the ballots are counted."

Keesee's closest challenger was F. C. "Butch" Hargrave, who netted 2,266 votes or 25.38 percent. Don Webb was third with 719 votes

followed by Andy McKay with 258.

"I don't know why the voters re-elected him," said Webb, who had about 8 percent of the vote. "Evidently, Lubbock County was not ready for a change, and he is still my boss."

Webb said he would wait until all the votes were counted before conceding the election. Keesee said his victory was a county-wide vote of confidence for his entire staff.

"I was re-elected because of my staff," he said. "I have one of the finest staffs in the state of Texas. They make me look good."

Keesee will run unopposed on the ballot in November. He said the victory in the primary is a confidence boost for the entire sheriff's department going into the next term.

"It shows the voters' confidence for our department," Keesee said.

# Newcomer McDougal wins seat as Republican chairman

by Brent Dirks

The University Daily



Marc McDougal won the Lubbock County Republican Chairman position Tuesday night, thwarting challenger Brant O'Hair.

McDougal said the hard work of his volunteers in the Lubbock community helped his victory.

"I've been running this campaign since Dec. 20 when I announced my intention to run," McDougal said. "Since then my volunteers and I have been working very hard in the community."

He said he won the race because Lubbock residents were looking for someone to bring the Republicans in Lubbock County together.

The race was hard fought and received much attention by the media because both candidates were coming from different angles, he said.

"I ran a campaign based on what I was going to do as Republican chairman in Lubbock County," McDougal said. "Brant ran on the issue of taxation."

Current Lubbock County Republican Chairman Scott Mann said McDougal won because voters in Lubbock County are mainstream, and they voted for a mainstream candidate for chairman.

"Marc ran against Brant as a newcomer to the field of politics," Mann said. "Lubbock County voters showed that they wanted a mainstream Lubbock County Republican Chair."

The race drew much attention because the Republican chairman is an important position in Lubbock County, he said.

"The Republicans have a 100 percent majority over the Democrats in Lubbock County," Mann said. "So the chairman position is important because the person is head of the Republican Party in Lubbock County."

Even with the McDougal victory, the Republican Party in Lubbock is still divided, said Neale Pearson, Texas Tech professor of political science in the College of Arts and Sciences.

"In Lubbock the party is still divided between the social moderates and social conservatives," Pearson said.

McDougal's victory could also cause a repeat of the 1994 Lubbock County Convention, he said.

# Harmon retains seat as Lubbock County chairman

by Laura Hipp

The University Daily



Incumbent Mark Harmon regained his seat as Democratic county chairman after a close race at the polls Tuesday.

With more than 60 percent of the polls reporting, Harmon garnered 51 percent of the vote, and competitor Ramon Gallegos received 48 percent of the vote.

Harmon said he wants to expand the mass media efforts of the Democratic Party and reach out to community groups.

In the 1994 elections, the Democratic Party bought local cable TV ads for the candidates who wanted to par-

ticipate, he said.

"I hope we are able to do that again and hopefully expand into radio," he said.

The Democratic Party will give a strong presence on the air waves and in print with televised debates and news events, he said.

"I intend to do a series of challenge debates with the Republican opponents," he said.

A major goal of the Democratic Party is to increase the number of

Democratic candidates in Lubbock County running for office, he said.

The race for county chairman was close because there were two qualified candidates running, he said.

"These two people have been kind and good to one another," he said. "I can understand why the vote was split."

The primary elections were a few percentage points lower than previous elections, he said.

Across the state, some polling places are reporting their turnout is running as low as eight or 10 percent, he said.

"Lubbock is above the state average tonight," he said.

Candidate Ramon Gallegos said if elected, he wanted to rebuild the Demo-

cratic Party.

"We need to get back to the basic concept," he said. "People are the ones that vote."

Gallegos said he will still continue to work on increasing involvement in the Democratic party.

"I'm am going to plan B," he said. "It is important to get the Democratic vote out."

The Democratic Party does not have much participation from the people, he said.

Voter turnout was low across Texas, Gallegos said.

"Tarrant County was doing 10 percent at 5 p.m.," he said. "With a larger voter turnout, the results would have been better."

# Midwest blue collar workers ambivalent to Buchanan's message

(AP)—As a blue-collar worker, Jeff Harper knows about shrinking paychecks and shuttered factories. Pat Buchanan is trying to woo him on these very issues, but Harper isn't impressed.

"American jobs for American workers — it's easy for him to say. He's never had to vote on anything,"

"Coming from a man who drove a Mercedes-Benz, it doesn't hold any weight for me. He has no idea what the blue-collar people of America do."

But Buchanan's message hits home with David Ross, an autoworker at Chrysler's nearly 100-year-old Jeep

plant in Toledo, Ohio, who worries about American jobs moving overseas or to Mexico.

"Who's to say it won't happen here and that I won't lose my job?" Ross asks. "Buchanan is the only candidate ... with enough guts to say 'Enough is enough.'"

As the Republican presidential campaign shifts to the industrial Midwest with March 19 primaries in Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin and Ohio, the debate turns to blue-collar concerns: trade, plant closings, wages and unions.

President Clinton courted blue-collar workers in 1992, winning all four

Midwest states voting next week. Though some supporters in this heavily unionized area feel betrayed by his support of NAFTA, many aren't willing to abandon him for a GOP candidate.

"I wouldn't vote for a Republican if he paid me," huffed Jim Kraus, a 51-year-old United Auto Workers member employed by Caterpillar Inc., the heavy equipment giant in Peoria, Ill. "The middle class doesn't stand a chance."

Len Epton, a 28-year veteran of the General Motors Tech Center in Warren, Mich., echoes the sentiment.

"The Republican Party is for the

rich man. Always has been. Always will be," he added, noting he will support Clinton as he did in 1992.

Recent polls in Illinois and Ohio have shown Sen. Bob Dole, a Midwest native who often cites his Kansas farm roots, with commanding leads in Tuesday's GOP primaries.

But even before the "Super Tuesday" votes were counted, his opponents were in the Midwest.

Steve Forbes spoke to a business group in Chicago and Buchanan was in Youngstown, Ohio, the steel town that has become the archetypal backdrop for politicians bemoaning the struggles of blue-collar workers.

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# Sawyer beats Clennan for 19th District

### Attorney to face Combest in election

by Charles Melton

The University Daily

Lubbock attorney John Sawyer won the 19th Congressional District primary Tuesday by a 3-1 margin to face Rep. Larry Combest, R-Lubbock, in the November general election.

"First and foremost, my message has been Republicans have taken the 19th District for granted and Larry Combest, himself, has taken it for granted," Sawyer said. "I am going to have to take that message to the people."

Sawyer said he is going to give Combest a mature campaign, which is

something he said Combest has not had in a while.

"The margin by which I won is an indication I can give Combest a mature campaign," he said.

Earlier in Tuesday's race, Lubbock County Democratic Chairman Mark Harmon said the race between Sawyer and his opponent, Michael Clennan, could be close.

"Sawyer did well in the early voting and early totals because of his name recognition," he said.

The two candidates have demonstrated cooperation throughout the campaign as evidenced by Sawyer and Clennan flying to Odessa together for an interview, he said.

"Larry Combest has been ignoring his district, and I think he is vulnerable on several issues," Harmon said.

“The margin by which I won is an indication I can give Combest a mature campaign.”

John Sawyer, Lubbock attorney

Combest said he believes in term limits and the Republican's Contract with America, but he is running for his seventh term in Congress and does not

seem to want to explain his actions, Harmon said.

Texas Tech University Democrats President Michael Turner said it was hard to tell who would win because both Sawyer and Clennan are political unknowns.

"I seriously doubt either candidate can challenge Combest for 19th District representative because the Lubbock County Democratic Party has gotten so weak. There is no county support," he said. "The best chance for Lubbock County Democrats is in 1998."

Clennan said he hoped he did not begin campaigning too late in Lubbock. The early returns in Lubbock appeared to be an indication of Lubbock residents voting for the home-town candidate.

# Incumbent commissioner receives party's support

by Carrie Kilman

The University Daily

A Lubbock musician-turned-politician won the second nomination of his county commissioner career Tuesday, exceeding his opponent by more than 22 percentage points.

Incumbent commissioner Kenny Maines of Precinct 1 received the Republican nomination in Tuesday's primary with more than 60 percent of the vote. His rival, Randall Carpenter, received more than 39 percent of the vote.

The 1st Precinct includes Southwest Lubbock and Reese Air Force Base, Southwest Lubbock County's most-populated area, Maines said.

"Hopefully, this was a report card for the job we have done so far," he said about winning the Republican nomination. "I felt comfortable with the way the election went, considering there was a lot of tough campaigning."

Maines, who is completing his first term as commissioner, said his campaign this year resembled that of 1992 and name recognition probably helped in the election.

"We ran a grassroots campaign like we did four years ago," he said. "Being the incumbent helped because it meant people were familiar with the job we've done so far."

Maines cited the 1st Precinct's 80 percent Republican makeup as the reason he is running uncontested in the November election.

"We're a pretty conservative quadrant of Lubbock county," Maines said. "There are more conservatives (than Democrats) countywide, I think because of our strong farming community and the

work ethic of the area."

Democratic County Party Chair Mark Harmon said voter turnout in Tuesday's primary was lower than usual in both parties for most positions.

Although primaries historically attract a small number of voters, turnout statewide and citywide reached a low point not seen in years, said Harmon, also a Texas Tech telecommunications professor.

"The state average is as low as 8 to 10 percent this year," he said. "Lubbock is above the state average tonight."

Harmon and Maines agreed the low voter turnout was in part because of the presidential primary.

"Many people who didn't vote thought Bob Dole essentially had the nomination wrapped up," Maines said. "I don't agree because the election of local officials is important."

The main responsibility of the county commissioners is to administer the county budget. Commissioners determine the budgets of Lubbock county's 32 elected officials and also oversee the maintenance of county roads.

Maines' challenger, Randall Carpenter, said he thought the campaign was fair and said he did not blame the voters for their decision to give the nomination to his opponent.

"When you run for office, you really don't need the job," Carpenter said. "But everyone needs a choice, and that's why I ran. The voters could either opt for change or stay with what they had. They decided to stay with what they had, so I can't argue with that."

# Silverman wins Democratic nod

by James Walker

The University Daily

Although Sam Silverman won the Democratic nomination for U.S. Representative District 13, the real victory may be the positive, issues-based campaigns run by both candidates.

"I ran a good, clean campaign," said Silverman, a patent attorney from Amarillo. "We both did."

Silverman won with 52 percent of the vote, while challenger Aaron Alejandro received 48 percent of the vote, with more than 95 percent of the precincts reporting.

The differences between the two candidates were relatively minor, Silverman said.

The campaign focused on the issues of student loans, agriculture, the budget, Medicare, Medicaid and veterans' benefits.

"Aaron and I were both running for the right reasons," Silverman said.

Both candidates wanted a representative who would put the people of his district above partisan politics, he said.

The voters' decision was based on experience and perspective, Silverman said.

"His private sector background was more what the people were looking for."

"Aaron and I will be consolidating, working together to best serve the people of this district," he said.

Silverman will face incumbent Mac Thornberry, R-Amarillo, in the general election in November.

Silverman said he has a good chance in November because he will represent the people instead of following the lead of House Speaker Newt Gingrich.

"I think Thornberry is vulnerable because he will have to stand by his record," he said.

Alejandro, a businessman from Wichita Falls, said he was not disappointed in his efforts.

"I had strong wins in Lubbock and Wichita counties," Alejandro said.

The campaign was positive, and the message was a positive one for the people of the 13th District, he said.

Alejandro said he would be a resource for whatever Silverman needed in service of the 13th District.

"Both of the candidates are really great guys," said Mark Harmon, Lubbock County Democratic Party chairman.

# Democratic incumbent retains Commissioner Precinct 3 seat

by Peter Wilkins

The University Daily

Democratic incumbent Gilbert Flores easily captured his party's nomination for County Commissioner for Precinct 3 Tuesday night. His opponents in the race,

David Billingsley and Ysabel Luna, effectively split the vote among their voters, allowing Flores to retain his seat with more than 60 percent of the vote.

"Sometimes we as public servants ask so much of people," Flores said from his home. "It's a great feeling to know they believe in you."

Flores said he was grateful to his employees and supporters, whom he credited with helping him retain his position.

"I'm very pleased," he said. "It is a vote of confidence and commitment. It's a vote of responsibility and a prom-

ise of hard work."

Billingsley and Luna spent most of the evening watching the returns within a few feet of each other at the Lubbock County Courthouse.

"We're friends," Billingsley said. "We are anti-incumbent in this race."

Both men said they would endorse the other if it came to a runoff, despite differences in their platforms. Neither candidate said they considered asking the other to bow out in order to defeat Flores.

"I don't think there's anything about Mr. Flores I dislike," Luna said. "But I don't see anything he's done that I do like."

Luna said he faulted Flores' handling of funds for improving roads and parks in Lubbock County, many of which he said were in need of repair. Ironically, it was maintenance of county roads that Flores cited as one of his proudest accomplishments.

"I believe my precinct had been neglected for years," Flores said.

“It is a vote of confidence and commitment.”  
Gilbert Flores, Commissioner of Precinct 3

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# Darnell defeats Brackett with focus on crime

■ **Darnell to expand city's youth center**  
by April Castro

The University Daily

Jim Bob Darnell captured the seat of Lubbock County's 140th District judge on Super Tuesday, defeating his opponent, Quinn Brackett.

Darnell received 55 percent of the vote in Lubbock County and will preside over his portion of the county with a primary focus on criminal cases, he said.

"My No. 1 priority is giving prefer-

ence to criminal cases of violent crimes, habitual criminals and people who have been in the penitentiary," Darnell said.

"I've always been perceived as the prosecutorial type of person."

Darnell worked in the Lubbock District Attorney's Office from 1979 to 1982 and was the Lubbock district attorney from 1983 to 1986.

"As far as administrative things I think are important is the expansion of the Lubbock County Youth Center," he said.

"I see the need in doing that, and I think they'll do something to increase the numbers of criminal persons it will

hold, because right now, we don't have room to put anybody."

Current District Judge William Shaver created a tradition Darnell would like to continue, he said.

"One of the things I talked about in my campaign was Judge Shaver left only 200 criminal cases on back log. Others have 400 to 600," he said. "Judge Shaver has been a good judge, and I would like to carry on that tradition as well as that of Robert C. Wright, who died last fall."

However, Brackett said he was the best candidate for the position. Brackett garnered 45 percent of the primary vote.

"I am the only candidate with experience in all areas of law," Brackett said before the results were announced. "I spent 30 years practicing criminal and civil law, and I have a background in business and family law. Darnell based his campaign on his experience as a district attorney, but he was voted out of office after one year."

Because Shaver will soon retire and will not run for re-election, the winner of Tuesday's election is the candidate that will next take office, Brackett said.

"Jim Bob has a lot more experience than Quinn Brackett has," local political observer Jane Stinnett said.

# County judgeship won by small percentage points

■ **Incumbent feels confident about role**

by Xochitl Duarte

The University Daily

Incumbent Judge Sam Medina won by less than 50 percentage points over challenger Pat Mosley in Tuesday's Republican primary elections for Lubbock County.

Incumbent County Court at Law Judge Sam Medina was appointed to his position after Judge Wil Dodson retired eight months ago.

Twenty-two applicants filed for the position, and the county commissioners voted unanimously for the judge, Medina said.

Medina graduated from the Texas Tech School of Law in 1976 and was a Lubbock attorney for 20 years.

As county court judge, Medina has heard cases ranging from capital murder to personal injury, he said.

"I'm a lot more qualified for this position," Medina said.

"I deal with everything but felonies."

The county court is a state court and serves the whole county, he said.

"I feel like I'm making a difference in this position," Medina said.

Medina said this marks the first time he is running for elected office.

"Teachers have a calling to their position, preachers have a calling, and I feel this is the position for me," Medina said.

Pat Mosley is currently the IV-D courtmaster for Lubbock, and the six surrounding districts where she hears child support cases.

Mosley said she has never run for elected office before.

Throughout her campaign, Mosley said she has constantly emphasized the importance of service in such a position.

"It's about service," Mosley said.

"I have been reared to always serve. Lubbock has been good to me, and I want to give back to my community."

A judge for the county court has the opportunity to hear a variety of cases and so it is important they are prepared to adapt to this role, she said.

The county court is a prestigious state court of general jurisdiction,

Mosley said.

The cases heard by the court involve both criminal and civil law, Mosley said.

Mosley, who graduated from the Tech Law School in 1978, opened her own law office in 1983.

In this position, she said she learned to handle both civil and criminal cases.

Mosley said she was appointed to a part-time courtmaster position in 1983.

Mosley's position was extended to that of a full-time courtmaster in 1989.

"I have a tremendous amount of experience," Mosley said.

Over the 1994-95 fiscal year, about \$11 million was collected for backlog child support under her supervision as courtmaster in child support cases, Mosley said.

# State judge race positions candidates in neck and neck contest

■ **Holland wins race with small margin**

by Brian Lacy

The University Daily

Sue Holland and James Boone raced neck and neck Tuesday in the Republican primary for the Place 1 state judge position in the criminal court of appeals. Preliminary results had Holland ahead of Boone with a 24 percent-to-18 percent lead.

Final results in the race were not available at press time.

The remainder of the Republican primary race for Place 1 state judge, which had seven candidates, was as follows: Susan Brown, 13 percent; Janice Law, 12 percent; Matthew Paul, 14 percent; and Jefferey Keck, 7 percent.

The Democratic primary for state judge Place 1 had Bob Perkins leading Frances Northcutt with 54 percent to 46 percent, respectively.

Three of the nine seats for the state criminal court of appeals open every two years.

The position is important and is a fun job to run for, said Jefferey Keck, a

defense attorney from Dallas running for the judgeship in the Republican primary.

"The elections are fun because you get to go places," Keck said. "There are these places that you've always wanted to go, and if you don't have a case or a relative, you'll never go there, and the campaigns allow you to do that."

Keck said he did not expect any definite winners in Tuesday's election.

"I'm hoping for a runoff, and I think it's pretty inevitable," Keck said. "I would like 51 percent but that's

pretty improbable."

James Boone, a civil and criminal attorney from Palestine, Texas, who is also running in the Republican Primary, said the race is rewarding just to get the opportunity to meet people.

"It's awesome meeting a lot of wonderful people," Boone said.

"I hope I get a lot of support from people, and whether or not I win I've had a wonderful time. This court is one of the most important courts to work for in the state."

# Meditation lures many as possible cure, stress reliever

by James Walker

The University Daily

Meditation is a discipline utilized on the Texas Tech campus for a variety of reasons.

Patrick Randolph, professor of anesthesiology at the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, said he uses meditation and yoga as part of a program for sufferers of chronic pain.

The Mindfulness Pain and Stress Management Program is a part of the Pain Clinic in TTUHSC's department of anesthesiology.

The eight-week course, which is designed to accompany medical treatment, is designed for patients who suffer from chronic pain, anxiety, depression, lupus, multiple sclerosis, acute arthritis or any other debilitating condition, Randolph said.

"The purpose of the course is to help people find an artful way of dealing with suffering," he said.

Meditation is the systematic cultivation of awareness of the present moment, Randolph said.

Meditation and hatha yoga help patients face reality by focusing their attention on living for the

present, he said. Deep relaxation releases the body's natural pain killers and calms the "fight or flight reflex" associated with chronic pain, but the main effect is easing the psychological trauma for patients, he said.

Randolph said he became interested in meditation while reading a book by psychologist Carl Jung.

"Most people who complete the course said they gained something of lasting value or importance from it," Randolph said.

"Students are interested in yoga because it relieves stress and gives the body energy," said Ann Gordhamer, a yoga instructor at the Lubbock YWCA said.

Gordhamer said she teaches the yoga portion of the pain course.

Hatha yoga, which emphasizes deep breathing and body postures, is not true meditation, she said.

"Yoga reduces stress, builds the immune system, strengthens internal organs and contributes to a sense of well being," Gordhamer said.

"I was very sick, I had chronic fatigue syndrome, and yoga really helped bring me back to health," she said.

# Trimmed services make tax help limited

WASHINGTON (AP) — Walk-in assistance at Internal Revenue Service offices is harder to find this year.

Service hours at many offices around the country have been trimmed and some temporary satellite offices have been closed, IRS spokesman Frank Keith said Tuesday.

Republican members of Congress are pressing the agency to restore the service and plan to question IRS Commissioner

Margaret Milner Richardson about the cutback at a hearing scheduled Thursday.

"I will not tolerate the IRS inconveniencing taxpayers," said Rep. Jim Lightfoot, R-Iowa, chairman of the House Appropriations subcommittee.

Keith acknowledged that the number of taxpayers helped at IRS offices had dropped to 2.4 million through early March.

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For those of you who have been living in a cave for the past few days, it is only a matter of time before some Chinese satellite comes crashing down upon our heads.

As if we didn't have enough to worry about already, now there is an excellent chance that any one of us could get beamed in the noodle by flaming debris from outer space. The funny thing is, this whole frightening incident was foretold years ago by a little-known but amazingly accurate mystic and prophet named Notsodumbass.

When he was a mere lad of 14, Notsy was kicked in the head by a mare of unruly disposition and rendered unconscious for a fortnight. When he regained his senses, he told wonderful stories of being "in a land where it was always twilight, and all the pillows were actually gigantic marshmallows."

Skeptical friends dismissed Notsy's stories as just a lot of charming bunkum, but it was not long before the prodigal lad began fore-

telling events in the near future that soon proved to be true. The prophecies soon reached the ears of the Abbey, an amiable, portly man named Friar Percy.

Upon witnessing the lad's amazing ability to foretell future events, Friar Percy grew alarmed and pronounced Notsy a Spawn of the Devil and had him locked in the beer cellar.

Aided by his trusted friend and stenographer, Cecil, Notsy continued to spew out a nonstop stream of prophecies, predictions and five-day weather forecasts that astounded those willing to listen.

It was not long before his predictions extended well into the future, long past the time when his own body would lie rotting and stinking in the ground, although he tried not to think about that.

Notsodumbass died in 1700 under the flaming heavenly spectacle that was Reggie's Comet.

His legend, however, did not perish so easily, and for generations the true believers studied and marvelled at his uncanny predictions, many of which hold relevance to modern times.

In addition to his prophecy concerning that Chinese satellite, Notsy has other tidings concerning cataclysmic events at the turn of the second millennium, among them: A chubby Texas senator would assume the highest office in the land, Burt and Loni would reunite after a three-year breakup and Bigfoot would someday become president of a state university somewhere in the Southwest.

Sure, it may sound farfetched. But you might just reconsider when all that flaming debris starts hitting you on the head.

'Dukes of Hazzard' fans celebrate: TNN airs reruns of crash-fest daily

by Brian Lacy

The University Daily

It had been more than a decade since Waylon Jennings sang the opening song for "The Dukes of Hazzard" on CBS. But thanks to syndication on The Nashville Network, the General Lee is back on the country roads of Hazzard County, driving around in circles chasing bad guys, much to the delight of Bo and Luke Duke fans everywhere. The show, which originally aired from 1978 to 1985, can now be seen in Lubbock through Cox Cable at 3 p.m. and 6 p.m.

The show's reruns have not really been out long enough on TNN to make a ratings judgement, said Carlton Croft, a sales representative for Cox Cable.

"Even though we're not sure yet on the actual numbers, I've heard some buzz that the show is doing very well among students," Croft said. "We're glad that the show is so popular among college age students."

Fans of the show include Tech students such as Chris Pheil, a junior management information system major from San Antonio.

"It's a classic, and you don't watch it for the realism," Pheil said. "It represented how the good ol' boy system

worked, and how a lot of the small towns out in the middle of nowhere operated.

"It was a fun-loving show." The characters of Bo, Luke, Daisy, Uncle Jesse, Roscoe, Enos and, of course, Boss Hogg have quite a following.

"Daisy was my first crush," Pheil said. "Roscoe was also cool."

But of course the most loved character was not a person at all, but the fabled car, the General Lee.

"What was great about the General Lee was that they could jump the car on a whim," Pheil said. "They would say 'Let's jump right here,' and the car would jump. And of course they welded the doors shut because it was a race car."

Many students, such as Fred Lemire, a junior public relations major from The Woodlands, have a favorite episode they have loved since childhood.

"My favorite episode was called 'The Ghost of the General Lee,'" Lemire said. "There were these two criminals who stole the General Lee and drove it into a river. Bo and Luke then set up a ghost car with the doors opening by themselves and the windows raising and lowering, scaring the criminals. It was great."

'The Dukes of Hazzard' • CBS 1978-1985 • among top ten shows for three years • reruns on TNN 3p.m. & 6 p.m. Monday - Friday

General Lee

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"I've gotten it up to 150 mph before, and it handled pretty well," Allen said. "I will not take it that fast again, however, because the car is getting pretty old."

Actually the car is used to being treated rough. Allen's General Lee was one of the more than 300 Dodge Chargers used in the actual filming of the show.

How Allen came into possession of the car seems reminiscent of a plot from one of the "Dukes of Hazzard" episodes.

"My senior year in high school I ran across an article that said 'Dukes of Hazzard' fans inquire," Allen said. "I kind of liked the car, and the guy who owned it bought it from a dealership in Dallas who bought it directly from Warner Bros. I think the price was originally pretty steep, but the owner reduced it because he wanted to sell it to someone who would actually drive it, and not just to an investor who would turn around and sell it."

Allen's father purchased the car for his son. Though Allen does not know how much his dad paid for the car, he has received several impressive offers for the famous ditch-jumping car.

"One investor offered me \$30,000 for a brand new Jeep Cherokee for the General Lee, but I turned it down," Allen said. "This car and I have been through too much together."

The Dodge Charger has cost

Allen a pretty penny in the meantime, he said.

"I've had to change the muffler once or twice, the transmission who knows how many times, and I've been pulled over for everything except speeding."

This includes an interesting encounter with a patrol officer who thought the car looked suspicious.

"The officer pulled me over and asked me why I was leaving in such a hurry," Allen said. "I told him I wasn't speeding, and he said 'Yes, I know, I was just wondering why you were in such a hurry to leave.' The cop thought I was carrying drugs, and I thought to myself, 'You know, if I was going to carry drugs around, I wouldn't do it in such a conspicuous car.'"

Allen's love for the car does not necessarily translate to a fondness for the TV show for which it was created.

"I'd like to watch it but usually I'm on the go," Allen said.

Allen has, however, kept many of the famed car's features intact, with one exception: The doors open.

"My doors open now, but the guy who owned it before me had them welded shut," Allen said. "I do have the roll bar and the horn, however. And yes, the horn whistles Dixie."

Because the car is so popular with many of his friends, Allen said he does not think he will ever get rid of it.

"I'll always keep it," Allen said. "My friends always say 'Wow, you have the 'Dukes of Hazzard' car,' and I just love driving it."

Motorcyclist's stunt turns deadly, dies in front of thousands of spectators

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Butch Laswell decided to risk his life rather than upset his fans.

Gearing up for a record high motorcycle jump Sunday, his first movie appearance, Laswell knew that growing crosswinds made his stunt much more dangerous. But he didn't want to disappoint the crowd by backing out.

Laswell raced his Honda CR500 up a steep ramp and zoomed over a 38-

foot-high pedestrian bridge spanning a street between the Oasis Hotel-Casino in Mesquite and the hotel's garage.

But crosswinds pushed him to the left of the second ramp. His motorcycle crumpled on the pavement, and he crashed to his death in front of movie cameras and thousands of spectators.

Promoter Douglas MacValley said

Laswell purposely steered his motorcycle to avoid hitting the crowd.

"It was a noble act," he said.

Laswell had wanted to back out because of the wind, "but there was so much pressure," Eddie Williams, a close friend and training partner, told the Las Vegas Sun. "The people putting on the show, the agents, all the people watching. He thought if he backed out, no one would understand. He thought they would hate him."

Laswell had planned to accelerate to 70 mph and clear the bridge by at least 10 feet. However, MacValley said he traveling about 85 mph when he reached the start of the ramp, and that he soared to a height of 58 feet.

MacValley said the speed and the wind combined to carry him off course.

"We tried to persuade him not to go through with the jump," said MacValley, who had been with Laswell 10 years. "But he had the last call. We encouraged him not to go."

"It doesn't matter how good you are or what kind of bike you've got," Williams told the Sun. "When you're

up that high, the wind has total control."

Mesquite Police Chief Michael Murphy said it was Laswell's decision.

"Everything was set for the jump and he had a window of opportunity to jump, but there was wind, and he was aware of that," Murphy said.

No estimate was available of the strength of the wind in Mesquite, a small town 80 miles northeast of Las Vegas.

Laswell, 37, had been trying to break his personal best of 41 feet high and to set a world record. Representatives from the Guinness Book of World Records were in attendance. The Las Vegas resident had done promotional stunts on motorcycles but was not well known in the area.

The hotel said he had completed more than 5,000 jumps in 20 years of stunt jumping, and had a "100 percent safety record."

Motorcycle stuntmen Evel Knievel in 1967 and Gary Wells in 1980 failed at a similar stunt, trying to clear the 35-foot fountain in front of Caesars Palace in Las Vegas. Both recovered from their injuries.

THE Daily Crossword by Frank R. Jackson

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46 Respectful salutation
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# Tale of two seasons for Tech's women's tennis

**Red Raiders struggle in spring**  
by Jared Parcell  
The University Daily

Despite two Southwest Conference losses to Texas and Baylor on Friday and Saturday respectively, the Texas Tech women's tennis team remains focused on its final matches of the 1996 spring season.

The Red Raiders will test their stamina in the University of New Orleans Tournament in New Orleans Friday and Saturday, before battling Southwestern Louisiana and Northwestern State Louisiana in Lafayette, La., Sunday and Monday.

After a 5-2 fall season, Tech has recorded a 3-8 record in the spring, including an 0-5 mark in conference action.

"It's definitely been disappointing lately," Tech head coach Kathy Vick said.

"It's hard to pinpoint the problems specifically. After a successful fall season, we've had a shaky spring. We have the talent and potential. The matches have been closer than the scores indicate. I think it'll be important to have a good spring break trip and pick up some wins."

Vick said injuries have hampered the progress of the team. First, redshirt freshman Tricia Will has not played since hip surgery during the summer.

Secondly, freshman Misty Meyer went down with an injury during the spring and has been unavailable.

Vick said she has been pleased with the efforts of freshman Erica Simmons and sophomore Carmen Clark.

Tech, which lost 9-0 to the defending national champion Texas Longhorns, found some bright spots in the loss. The Red Raiders dropped a pair of three-set singles matches and one three-set doubles match against the Longhorns.

Against the Bears, a 7-2 loss, Simmons picked up a win in singles competition, winning 7-6, 7-6 over Julie Hamilton.

The doubles team of junior Erika Fisher and sophomore Cathy McGregor teamed to defeat Sarah Chester and Hortensia Hernandez 7-6, 7-6.

Clark and freshman Astrude Romero lost a three-set match, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3 to Hamilton and Sophie Goldschmidt.

"All of our matches have been close, and we've split a lot of sets," Simmons said. "We have the ability, and we know it. It's just a matter of believing in ourselves. It's upsetting because we're almost there. We've been working hard all year."

With the possibility of losing senior Holly Jamar, Vick said she and assistant coach Juan Gutierrez have focused on recruiting for next year.

"I'm excited about our potential recruits," Vick said.

"We've been limited somewhat by our resources in the past. For the first time since I've been here, we have the potential to get top recruits."

"We're looking at players who are nationally ranked and have some collegiate experience. The future looks bright with our young players and the opportunity to bring in new players."

The Red Raiders have two conference matches remaining against Rice, March 28 and Texas A&M, March 31.

Both matches are scheduled to be played at the Lubbock Municipal Tennis Center.

Tech wraps up its season April 19 through April 21 at the SWC Championships in Houston.

"As a team, we need to come together," Simmons said. "Everybody on the team loves tennis and wants to win."

"We just have to play the best we can. For next year, we need to work real hard now and in the summer."

# Bennett's true impact still not apparent

by Jared Parcell  
The University Daily



Bennett

One of the keys for Texas Tech to lock up a second consecutive Southwest Conference baseball title lies in the hands and legs of right fielder Marshall Bennett.

But for head coach Larry Hays, the key hasn't fit yet, after Bennett injured his hamstring in the first game of the season. The injury came after Bennett sat out the 1995 season with a knee injury sustained in preseason drills.

"It was the absolute worst year of my life," Bennett said, describing his plight in '95 and the start of the season. "I was depressed all (last) year and was in a bad mood most of the time. Then this year, half of me wanted to laugh and the other half wanted to cry. I couldn't believe it. It's just been bad luck. I even broke my wrist in the last game of summer ball."

Tech, 23-2, and Bennett open the 1996 SWC campaign against Texas at 7 p.m. Thursday in the First Pitch Tournament to be played in Houston.

Bennett, a senior from Eugene, Ore., has played in 18 games, starting 14 for Tech this year. He is batting .341 (14-for-41) with five doubles and one triple, while drawing 12 walks.

"It's not clicking for me yet," Bennett said.

"I'm an aggressive hitter. It's frustrating to take walks. I want pitchers to challenge me. I start getting in trouble when I swing at bad pitches."

Bennett said he has had success in summer league competition, hitting .400 or better the past two years and catching the attention of major league scouts. He said he is unsure of his future in baseball after struggling through injuries the last two regular seasons.

Hays said Bennett's impact has not been felt on the team yet, but it's only a matter of time before he starts making his mark.

"He hasn't meant what we want him to," Hays said.

"We feel like he's an outstanding ball player. He's getting back into shape physically and starting to play well. When he gets completely healthy, he'll be an impact player. He's going to be real important during conference play."

Bennett, a transfer from California's Lassen Junior College in 1994, hit .285 with six home runs, seven doubles and three triples in his first season at Tech. He also drove in 31 runs while starting 48 games.

# National anthem forces Abdul-Rauf to take stand

DENVER (AP) — Denver Nuggets guard Mahmoud Abdul-Rauf, who has cited religious beliefs for his refusal this season to stand during the playing of the National Anthem, on Tuesday was suspended without pay by the NBA.

NBA deputy commissioner Russ Granik said Abdul-Rauf violated a league rule that requires players, coaches and trainers to "stand and line up in a dignified posture" during the playing of the American and/or Canadian anthems.

"The NBA's rule on this point is very clear," Granik said, "and all our rules apply equally to all players."

The suspension will continue for as long as the player refuses to comply with the rule, Granik said.

Charlie Lyons, president and chief executive officer of Ascent Entertainment Group, which owns the Nuggets,

said the NBA's action "speaks for itself. The league's rules and regulations apply to everyone involved in the NBA."

Abdul-Rauf, who adopted the Islamic faith in 1991, was not at McNichols Arena for Tuesday night's game against Orlando and was unavailable for comment on his suspension.

Following a shootaround earlier in the day, however, Abdul-Rauf said he doesn't believe in standing for any nationalistic ideology. The Koran, he said, states that nothing should come between him and Allah.

"My beliefs are more important than anything," Abdul-Rauf said. "If I have to give up basketball, I will."

Calling the American flag "a symbol of oppression, of tyranny," Abdul-Rauf said:

"This country has a long history of

# Bryant invited to USA camp

Texas Tech third baseman Clint Bryant continues to ride a wave of success, being one of six new players invited to the USA Baseball Training Camp beginning May 29 in Millington, Tenn.

Bryant, hitting .431 with nine home runs and 54 RBIs, leads the Tech charge offensively for the 23-2 Red Raiders.

Tech, which went 4-0 last week with doubleheader sweeps over West Texas A&M and Air Force, moved to the No. 3 spot in Collegiate Baseball, up one spot from a week ago.

The Red Raiders remained third in the CNN/USA Today poll and

sixth in Baseball America. The six new invitees join a list of 21 other collegiate players invited to the camp.

The 1996 USA Baseball Team, which will compete in the Summer Olympic Games in Atlanta, will be comprised of 25 college baseball players and begins July 10.

Joining Bryant as newcomers are right-handed pitcher Kris Benson and catcher Matt LeCroy from Clemson, Chad Green, an outfielder from Kentucky, infielder Jason Williams of Louisiana State and Pepperdine's left-handed hurler Randy Wolf.

His most memorable game for Tech came when he blasted the game-winning home run in a 2-1 win against Rice in the semifinals of the SWC postseason tournament. The Red Raiders finished the season with a 40-17 record.

Bennett helped lead his junior college team to consecutive league titles. His best season came as a freshman when he hit .421 with 11 home runs. He said he would like to equal the

success here at Tech, finishing off the 1996 season in Omaha, Neb., at the College World Series.

"The best scenario would be winning the World Series," Bennett said. "I'd like to hit a couple of home runs along the way."

"The whole team is getting better and better. We have good chemistry and a great attitude. I'd like to see us win as many games as we can, especially our last one of the year."

# Lott retires after 15 NFL seasons

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) — Ronnie Lott, one of the best defensive backs in the history of the NFL, says it's time to retire.

"I realized that I've exhausted my ability to play the game," he said Tuesday. "My philosophy is to live life to the fullest, and to play the game to the fullest."

"I'm not able to be a productive player in the NFL any longer. I didn't want to hang on indefinitely."

Lott, 36, spent 15 years in the NFL. He went to four Super Bowls with the San Francisco 49ers and was voted to the Pro Bowl a record-tying 10 times.

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One, two or three bedrooms available now. Convenient to Tech and UMC. Shangri-La Apartments, 201 Indiana, 763-2626.

**FOR SALE**  
'90 THUNDERBIRD SC, bright red, leather interior, six cylinder, turbo, fully loaded. Only \$6800 or best offer. 788-1136 after 5 p.m.

AST COMPUTER: 75 MGZ processor, only 3 months old. Fax/modem sound/speakers 4X. CD ROM, etc. only \$850. Call Dennis, 762-0241 days, 741-0094 nights.

MUST SELL blue '96 Cannondale Killer V 900. Used only for commuting. Price negotiable. 744-4800.

**GOV'T FORECLOSED**  
homes for pennies on \$1. Delinquent Tax, Repo's, REO's. Your Area.  
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(1) 800-898-9778 Ext. H-1804  
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**JEAN SHORTS**  
STARTING AT \$4.25  
•2 LOCATIONS  
-BLUE JEAN PALACE  
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**BODY PIERCING SPECIALS**  
Navels \$45. Tongues \$65. Nipples \$65. Eyebrows \$65. Hospital sterilization. Hollywood Tattoos. 4909 Brownfield Hwy. 793-1093.

**EXPERT TAILORING**  
Dressmaking, alterations, wedding clothes. Repair all clothing. Fast service. Stella's Sewing Place, 745-1350.

FREE CALLING cards - cheaper long distance. Student rates - \$50 plus free calling. Mike, 796-1516.

FREE PREGNANCY tests. 2202 Memphis, Suite 202. Phone 793-6389.

**INKFLUENCE TATTOOS**  
and exotic piercings by Ozzy. 4210 19th St. behind Paul's Parts. 795-1968. Open daily, 3 p.m. - 2. Autoclave sterilization. Professional and courteous.

**NEW TALENTS**  
of Andropolis. Tammy offer haircuts \$12-15, color and perms \$25-50. 747-8811

PRIVATE PILOT Flight instruction and aircraft rental. Solo flight course \$850. King Phily Aviation, 787, 0147 or 745-4967.

**ROOMMATES**  
NEED NEW roommate (female) to share large brick home. \$250. bills paid. 792-8656 after 6 p.m.  
NEEDED: ONE male/female roommate. Master bed, bath. \$250, 1/3 bills. Pets: 797-1776.  
WANTED: FEMALE roommate for 3/2 house. Nice area, 10 minutes from Tech, large room, extra storage, washer/dryer. \$175 plus 1/3 utilities. 744-3957.

# Recreational SPORTS

## Upcoming events

**Intramurals**  
Tennis Singles  
3-on-3 Volleyball  
2-Person Golf

**Entries Due**  
March 25-28  
March 26-28  
April 1-9

**Special events**  
Injury clinic  
Kayaking Workshop  
Walking Clinic  
Interim Hours begin at SRC

Today  
Today  
Thursday  
Friday

### All-University basketball tourney concludes today

Intramural basketball championships  
The champions of the intramural basketball All-University Tournament will be decided today with the women's and men's championship games.  
As of press time, women's teams still in the tournament include number one seed, Old Timers, and number two seed, Wishful Thinking, followed by Trouble and Kappa Alpha Theta.  
The men's teams are Raider Misfits, Run-N-Gun, New York and Fiji 'A.'  
Both championship games will be played at the Student Recreation Center, with the women's game beginning at 5:30 p.m., followed by the men's at 6:30 p.m.



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**ALL-U PLAYOFFS.** Judy Deckes of the Old Timers closely guard Kim Beitbeah of Wishful Thinking during Thursday's All-University games. The Old Timers won the game 44-41.

**Walking Clinic 5:30 p.m. Thursday Room 201**

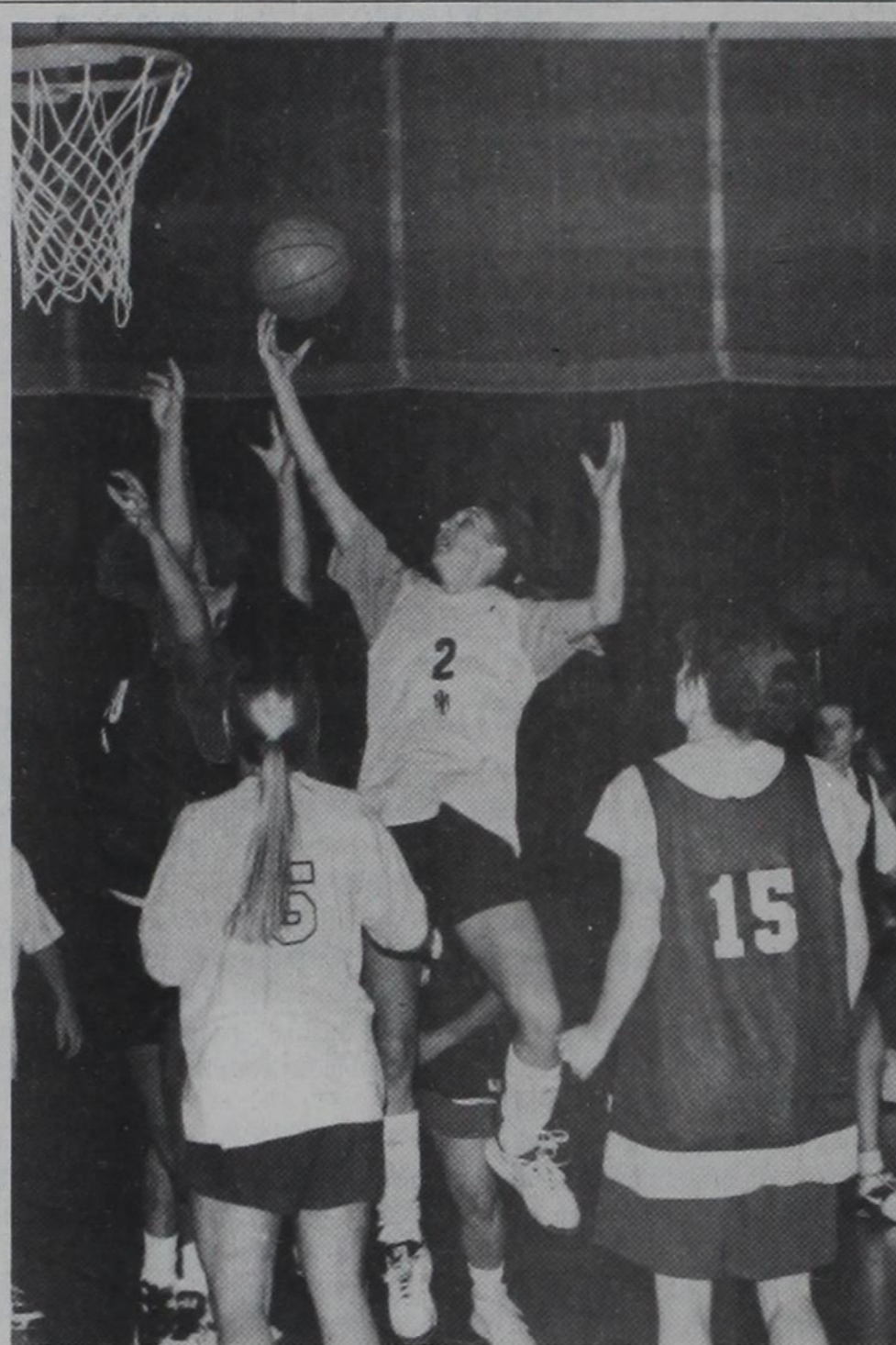


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**UP AND AWAY!** An intramural basketball player jumps to snare a rebound in a basketball play-off game held at the Rec Center. The women's and men's championship games are today.

### Instructors course begins March 25

Prepare yourself for summer employment and sign up today for a Water Safety Instructors course, which will begin March 25. This course will offer the newest American Red Cross WSI material to students who would like to become swim instructors.

Class will meet in the Aquatic Center from 5:30-8:30 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays for five weeks. All participants must be 17 years of age and pass a precourse written and practical exam. Interested participants should come to the Aquatic Center to register or phone 742-3896 for more information.

### Rec offers tips for safe Spring Break

Tips to remember before you leave:

- Stop the mail and paper.
- Lock your doors and windows.
- Do not leave valuables near windows where they can easily be seen.
- Do a car check — oil, air pressure in tires (don't forget the spare!), cleaning fluid, battery. Know where the spare and jack are and how to use them. Going skiing? Don't forget a scraper.
- Take a spare set of keys in an accessible place.
- Leave your destination information with someone in case of emergency.
- Buy Traveler's Checks — don't carry a lot of cash.
- Have a copy of your car insurance forms in an accessible place.
- Make sure your luggage is locked and labeled if you are flying.

### Community first aid and safety course

A community first aid and safety course will be offered March 26 and 28 from 6-10 p.m. The course will train participants to perform CPR on an adult, child and infant, as well as standard first aid skills. The cost of the

course is \$20 for Texas Tech faculty, staff and students and \$30 for the community. Books are not included in this course fee. For more information stop by the Aquatic Center or phone 742-3896.

### Bookstore soccer tournament scheduled

The second annual Bookstore 3-on-3 Outdoor Soccer Tournament will be March 30 and 31 on the Recreational Playfields. A men's and women's division is available with the tournament winner receiving a \$50 gift certificate from the Tech Bookstore.

Entries are due by March 27 in the Rec Sports Office.

The event is limited to 32 men's

teams and 16 women's teams.

Each team will be placed in a four-team pool with the winner of each pool advancing to the championship bracket. Each game will consist of two 12-minute halves on the 40 by 30 yard field.

Entries are available in the Student Recreation Center and additional information can be obtained by calling Joe at 742-3351.

### Weekly injury clinic continues today

Recreational Sports' weekly injury clinic continues today in room 201 of the Student Recreation Center at 7 p.m.

The clinic, which is hosted by Dr. Dan Burchfield, orthopaedic surgeon at the Texas Tech Health Sciences Center, and orthopaedic residents, is intended to provide free examination and advice for all athletic type injuries that students and staff may have incurred.

All exams are done in a group situation so individuals attending the clinic are asked to wear appropriate sports wear.

The injury clinic runs through April 10 each Wednesday evening and is open to all students, faculty and staff.

For additional information please call the Recreational Sports office at 742-3351.

### Outdoor Programs

Space still available on spring trips

**Hiking, White Sands National Monument, New Mexico**

**March 29-31 \$50**

Visit one of the most beautiful areas of New Mexico. The white gypsum sand dunes of south central New Mexico will help you turn into a kid again. Trip cost includes transportation, camping equipment and fees.

**Hiking, Guadalupe Mountains National Park, Texas**

**April 26-28 \$42**

Hike to the top of Texas! Guadalupe Peak is the highest point in Texas at 8,749 feet above sea level. It is located in the desert mountains of Guadalupe Mountains National Park and boasts strenuous hiking, leisure strolls and lots of wildlife. Trip cost includes transportation, camping and hiking permits.

### Spring Break Hours

**Saturday and Sunday**

**Rec Center 2-6 p.m.**

**Pool 2-5 p.m.**

**March 18-March 21**

**Rec Center 2-6 p.m.**

**Pool 2-5 p.m.**

**March 24**

**Rec Center 2-8 p.m.**

**Pool 2-6:45 p.m.**

## Attend SA Info Night!

**Tuesday, March 12, 1996**

**Wiggins West • 8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.**  
(west side Wiggins Dining Hall)

The Student Assistant (SA) position is a wonderful opportunity for students to gain work, life and people skills. The Hall/Complex Office is the center of activity in each hall or complex. Student Assistants are highly involved in providing customer service to residents, guest and visitors to Texas Tech University. This position offers experience working with people, communicating, resolving conflicts, administrative responsibilities and crisis management skills. The SA assists the Residence Life Directors and Hall/Complex Secretary in the daily management and operation of a hall/complex, and in creating a positive living environment for residents. SA's receive a wide variety of training and personal developmental opportunities. The SA is a team member and with that membership comes the opportunity for friendship, enjoyment and growth.

**STUDENT**



**Wednesday, March 13, 1996**

**UC Lubbock Room • 8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.**

### Benefits

- Competitive Salary
- Convenient Location
- People-Oriented Position
- Friendly Atmosphere
- Flexible Schedule

### Qualifications

- Have lived on campus for at least one semester;
- A semester and cumulative GPA of 2.0 or above;
- Be in academic and disciplinary good standing with the university; and
- Live on campus during employment.

### Apply Now

Apply now for Fall 1996 positions. Candidates must complete the application process by March 29, 1996

### Information

Contact your hall/complex office for more information.